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JOHN KATE'S CHICKEN TALK

The Natural and Artificial Methods Discussed.

CHICKENS NEED PROPER CARE

Women Usually Lead in Managing the Industry, but Lack Adequate Facilities.

Raising chickens is like many other things in life—there are many ways to do the same thing, but there are ways that produce better results than others. Now the way that produces the best results with the least work is the way that ought to be observed by every one that raises poultry. Because you have been successful raising some chickens each year is no good reason that you are using the best way. You may have raised a hundred or more chickens each year, when you ought to have raised twice that many with the same work. There are two distinct ways of raising chickens—the one is the natural way of setting hens and the other is by artificial means. It is often said that it requires little sense to set a hen, but such remarks are always made by one who never raised chickens successfully. To set a hen and get the best results requires the same good judgment that is needed in any other business in life. Henry George said, "I am for men." I have no objection to anyone taking pleasure in doing anything for men, but my first experience in life was with a woman and ever since I am for women. I can do anything to lighten their burdens and make life more pleasant for them, I shall feel I have not lived in vain. Women raise most of the chickens on the farm and to assist them in their work is the aim of the writer.

First let us discuss the natural method of raising chickens. When you find a broody hen let her set, when you find her one day so that you will know she is broody; then move her at night to the hatching room and put a few eggs under her and close the nest by hanging a piece of cloth over the front. After she has set one day remove the cloth and let her come off to eat. If she returns to the nest she is ready to set, but don't set her until you have at least five hens that you have treated in like manner. When you have five hens ready to set, set them all at night, the same time, and ten days after test the eggs with egg tester, same as is used to test incubator eggs, and throw away all eggs that are not fertile, and you will then be able to put all the eggs that are fertile under three or four hens and break up the hens that are left to lay again. When the hatch comes off you can then put all the chickens under two or three hens, which will be a saving of time and much work, as you will have but two hens to care for instead of five. Each hen will have from twenty to twenty-five chickens instead of five hens each having eight to ten chickens. Now put the hen in a large roomy, dry goods box with slats across the front and a door to shut at night or during a rain. Have the top covered so it will be dry and so you can feed them inside the box when it rains. Leave the hen in the box for at least two weeks before you let her out. Feed the hen corn and the chicks bread crumbs moistened with sweet milk for first two or three meals. The next five or six weeks feed them prepared chicken feed, scattering it in front of the box in some chaff. Don't feed anything else. Keep at all times before them charcoal and chicken grit, and if you will observe these rules you will get the best results now known for raising chickens by the natural method. If your hens are lousy, you should give them a good dusting when you set them and another one two or three days before the hatch comes off. Use some good lice killer for dusting that can be bought of any druggist. You may object to buying prepared chicken feed, but if you raise chickens with prepared chick feed you will never feed corn meal again. You can raise a chicken for about one cent with chick feed and you will not lose many. The difference is so great that you can't afford to raise chickens the old way.

Now what about the artificial way? To raise chickens by the artificial means is much better than the natural way. This work is so much more pleasant and the result so much greater that any one that has tried a good incubator and brooder will never raise chickens again the natural way. But right here remember there are not many kinds of good incubators made and if you buy a poor incubator you will soon get discouraged. The same can be said of a brooder. Buy an incubator that is recommended by large, successful poultry raisers who have tried many different makes and tested and thrown away the different kinds not found satisfactory. Your neighbor may have an incubator and made a good hatch, but that is not sufficient evidence that he has the best incubator made, and it is not all in the number of chickens an incubator hatches but the number that live outside and there is a great difference in incubators as to the health of the chicken hatched. So it is with a brooder. Some brooders don't raise chickens because they are not made right. If you will take time and make the proper effort you will

find out what incubator is the best, and if you will then follow the instructions, given by the manufacturer, you will succeed and raise more chickens and with less work by the artificial method than the natural way. Don't put into any brooder more than 100 chickens and 50 to 75 are better. Use chick feed, grit and charcoal and if you raise many chickens you need some best scrap. Now don't run your incubator like your neighbor does his, but run it as your instructor tells you and if you have a good kind you will have no trouble. Remember that good clean water is absolutely necessary to raise chickens and it should be changed at least three times a day. There are many things made that are convenient and a help to lighten the burden of raising chickens, but I have not the space to mention them, but will gladly show you what they are if you will call on me.

The poultry industry has made great progress in this country during the past twenty years, and is now one of the most profitable industries on the farm. Any one who will make the necessary investment will find ample returns and much pleasure in raising chickens. Some people think that if they will put some eggs under a hen, that God will take care of the chickens. God only promised to care for the ravens, and it is your duty if you are the means of bringing anything to life to protect it and care for it during its natural life. Any man that will not provide the proper things and feed for his wife to properly raise chickens will had better ask for a divorce. It makes my heart bleed to see many women trying to raise chickens without anything to do it with. Women will do the work gladly when they have the necessary things to work with. I started quite a number of men in the chicken business this season and in every case the best of everything made was bought, but let their wives raise chickens with anything she could find on the farm. That is the way with a man and I hope some men may read this and open up their hearts and order at once the necessary things to make it pleasant and profitable for their wives to raise a nice flock of chickens this season. I am for women and I know of nothing that will lighten their burden more than to help them if they are raising chickens. JOHN H. KATE.

RETURNS FROM BIG HORN.

"Doc" Horn returned Sunday from his Big Horn trip and seems to be very well pleased with that country and its future outlook. He says the B. & M. railroad company is pushing the work on its extension to Basin and Thermopolis as rapidly as a thousand men can perform the work, and it is expected the line will be opened to Basin on or about June 15th and to Worland by July 1st. The grading is practically all done except about three quarters of a mile of rock work through a canyon. Phil Lundburg, John Lewis, Homer Seace, Billy Willis and the rest of the Wayne people are all at work at good wages and Jimmy Hurst and Oscar Franke have their irrigation plants running to full capacity.

DEATH OF MRS. CARTER.

After a long illness and much suffering, Mrs. G. B. Carter, aged fifty-two years, died at her home in Winfield at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. She leaves a husband and eight sons and daughters, all of whom were at her bedside when death came and all have the hearty sympathy of many friends in their great sorrow.

Funeral services were held in Winfield yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by the local M. E. pastor, and interment took place, at the request of the deceased, in the Winfield cemetery.

Mrs. Carter had lived twelve years at Winfield and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. She was a sister of B. T. Roush of Wayne, who was in Winfield, accompanied by his wife, over Saturday and Sunday and again Monday night.

A BULLOCK RACE.

The following account of an Australian bullock race, which happened six years ago, is resurrected by the Sydney Stock and Station Journal:

"On the 24, 31 and 4th of April, 1850 races were held in Goulburn. At the conclusion of the horse racing, a hack bullock race was run for a subscription stake of £5. We quote the following account from the Goulburn Herald of April, 1850:

"When the bell rang for mounting, Jorrocks showed rusty and his rider had considerable difficulty in drawing him up to the starting post. Darling was in first-class racing order. Betty though very small, showed many good points for galloping. On the word 'off' being given, away they went. Mr. W. Jeffrey's bullock Darling, three years (owner, rider) two firsts; Mr. J. Jeffrey's br and wh heifer Betty, two seconds; Mr. J. Johnson's r and wh bull Jorrocks bolted.

"Darling got the lead in gallant style, the lady about three lengths behind, Sorrocks bolting immediately on starting, but his rider brought him up again and walked round the course. Betty is evidently not sufficiently broken in, as she bucked several times with her rider, but was unable to seat him. The first heat was done in seven minutes and three quarters. In the second heat Darling made a spring at starting which put aside all hopes for Elizabeth. Jorrocks again bolted. The heat was easily won by the favorite.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Events of the Week Dished Out in Brief.

Gilbert French of Winfield was in the city Friday.

School resumed Monday after a week's vacation.

E. P. Olmsted of Norfolk was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

R. Phileo was doing business in Sioux City Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Jeffries was seriously ill for a few days last week.

J. W. Toombs is out again after a long battle with sickness.

Hugh Edwards of the Welsh settlement was in town Saturday.

C. A. Grothe returned last week from a trip to Kansas and Missouri.

Rev. E. E. Daley returned Saturday morning from a visit to Omaha.

Editor Goldie of the Democrat was doing business in Sioux City Monday.

J. C. Eoker of Winfield, was circulating among friends in Wayne Saturday.

Frank Jefferson and wife went to Bloomfield Saturday morning to visit relatives.

Judge Moses arrived home Saturday evening from California where he spent the winter.

Wm. Frazier of South Omaha, was doing business in Wayne the latter part of last week.

Mrs. A. Oran, of Omaha arrived here Thursday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. McNeal.

Mrs. A. N. Matheny who suffered a light attack of nervous prostration last week, was recovering satisfactorily at last accounts.

Prof. R. Durrin was engaged Saturday at Wakefield where he was setting up some new monuments.

Roy L. Thompson of Wauka and Miss Clara Matthews of Tokamah were united in marriage Sunday by Judge Hunter.

Saturday's Washington reports announced that R. N. Tharp and Alex. Scott, of Wayne, had been appointed rural mail carriers.

John R. Morris of Carroll, stopped in Wayne Sunday, accompanied by his niece whom he had met in Omaha on her arrival from Wales.

Dan Kern of Stanton, an uncle of Mrs. Howard Whalen, was in the city the latter part of the week visiting that lady and other friends.

Charley Thompson left Monday morning for Buffalo Gap, S. D., with several stallions and a Jack which he expects to dispose of to ranchmen.

Miss Alice Brown returned Saturday morning to her home at Hartington after visiting the family of her uncle, Fred Brown, in Wayne.

Dr. T. E. Heckert of Wayne, was elected president of the Northeast Nebraska Dental association at its annual meeting at Norfolk last week.

The Carroll ball team is said to be able to roll up capital stock of \$6000 with which to prepare to overtake neighboring clubs during the coming season.

Mrs. Bert Emoh of Carroll, who has been visiting in Wayne since last week, has gone this week to North Dakota to join the rest of the family, according to the Index.

Mrs. Fauston, Mrs. Britton and Mrs. James returned Saturday from the Presbyterian missionary convention at Coleridge. They report that about forty delegates attended.

Geo. L. White who was here with the Baptist chapel car in December, visited in Wayne last Thursday. The car has been at Carroll of late, where he is doing evangelistic work.

J. A. Beebe informs the HERALD that his new cement works will be in operation at this place next week. He already has a number of contracts for cement walks, with others in sight.

The assessor and deputies are at work and it is a safe guess that there will be more poverty stricken fellows in Wayne county for the next thirty days than at any time within the last eleven months.

A great deal of bitter personal feeling was engendered at Randolph as a result of the late temperance fight, and according to the Times beta are being offered that there will be licensed saloons in that town before the end of the year.

A. R. Davis of Wayne, H. E. Siman, A. E. Little and Walt Gabler of Winfield, left Monday on a hunting trip to the Winnebago reservation where they expect to greatly increase the mortality among wild ducks and geese.

Harry Hammond has leased his Randolph Reporter to Clyde F. Reed for the purpose of going into the real estate business. The latter vocation may often be more profitable than running a paper, but not always, according to the experience of one who knows.

The 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Krause, living north of West Point, drank carbolic acid recently and died within a few minutes. While visiting his grandmother, he went into the cellar where he found and drank the deadly poison.

A Lincoln report, dated the 5th, inst, says that the supreme court today declared the last of the biennial elections laws passed by the last legislature null and void. The act was one which extended the term of office of county com-

missioners, and the suit came up from Douglas county. The court held in this, as in previous cases, that annual elections must be held.

THE WAYNE HERALD, one of the best papers in northeast Nebraska, was sold last week to Frank A. Bryner. E. Cunningham, the retiring editor, is quitting the newspaper work on account of other business that requires his personal attention.—Bancroft Blade.

Henry Bay of Winfield was in the city Saturday and said to a representative of the HERALD: "I have known Ross Hammond and R. B. Schneider of Fremont for a good many years and the HERALD has them sized up all right as to their affiliations with the railroads."

Wilbur F. Bryant was in town Monday looking up data to be incorporated in the Morton history of Nebraska. Mr. Bryant has been assigned all of northeast Nebraska which he will cover, and which his recognized literary talent should make exceptionally good reading.—Coleridge Blade.

Russell Williams, the young editor of the Magnet Mail, had one of his eyes badly hurt by a ball striking it last week that he had to go to an Omaha oculist for treatment. The accident occurred while he was sitting in church, a baseball, thrown by a reckless boy, smashing a window and striking Russell in the face.

Our farmer friends tell us that there is considerable trouble with the early pig crop and that with many of the breeders it is going to be quite light. The best of care falls to get the little fellows ushered into life as desired and in many cases after birth they live from a few hours to a week and then die without any apparent reason.

FRIENDLY COMMENT.

The Herald as Viewed by Its Exchanges.

The Wayne HERALD has changed hands, Frank A. Bryner of Iowa, having purchased the property. The HERALD is good property.—Humphrey Democrat.

There's another new newspaper man in the local field. E. Cunningham has sold the Wayne HERALD to Frank A. Bryner. Here's our Brother Bryner.—Wisher Free Press.

Editor Cunningham has sold the Wayne HERALD to a local party. The HERALD as conducted by Cunningham was easily the peer of any paper in northeastern Nebraska.—Pender Times.

The Wayne HERALD has been sold by Editor Eph. Cunningham to Frank A. Bryner, who is in full charge this week. The Monitor welcomes the new man and wishes him every success.—Bloomfield Monitor.

The Wayne (Neb.) HERALD has recently changed hands. E. Cunningham selling his plant to Frank A. Bryner. The HERALD is one of the influential country newspapers of the state.—Fairfield Herald.

E. Cunningham has sold the Wayne HERALD to Frank A. Bryner. Mr. Cunningham parts with good property, and if the new proprietor holds up the reputation of the HERALD, it will continue to be good.—Albion News.

E. Cunningham has disposed of the Wayne HERALD to Frank A. Bryner. The HERALD is a paying newspaper, published in a live town. Mr. Cunningham has other business interests which demand his attention.—Emerson Enterprise.

The Wayne HERALD, owned by E. Cunningham, has been sold to Frank A. Bryner. E. W. Hase will continue as the chief quill pusher which insures an interesting and new paper with readable editorials. Mr. Cunningham says his other business demands his time. He is indeed a fortunate newspaper man.—Lyons Sun.

The Wayne HERALD was sold last week by E. Cunningham to Frank A. Bryner. E. W. Hase it is said will continue in the employ of the HERALD. Mr. Bryner is a promising young man and will make a success as publisher of the HERALD, already one of the best country newspapers coming to our exchange table.—Ponca Journal.

Mr. E. Cunningham has sold the Wayne HERALD to Frank A. Bryner and retires from the newspaper business in Wayne. The HERALD is a good newspaper property and has been successfully managed by Mr. Cunningham, but it is an easy proposition to make a good newspaper in a town where the people are as progressive and loyal in supporting every institution that helps to build up the town as the people of Wayne are. Mr. Cunningham has other business that demands his attention which is given as the reason for selling the paper, but he has placed it in good hands.—Norfolk Times-Tribune.

E. Cunningham has sold the Wayne HERALD to Frank A. Bryner, who takes possession Monday. Mr. Cunningham's retirement is due to the fact that he has other business which demands his personal attention. As editor and publisher of the HERALD Mr. Cunningham has been very successful and has placed the HERALD in a position with the best weekly papers in Nebraska. Mr. Cunningham will be greatly missed by the newspaper men of north Nebraska. Frank A. Bryner, the new publisher, is a young man of ability and will no doubt keep the HERALD up to its high standard. We wish Bro. Bryner success.—Stanton Flock.

TEACHERS IN CONVENTION

Late Sessions at Norfolk Surpassing Success.

Prof. PILE'S APPROPRIATE TALK

Prof. Wilson, President of the Association Acquires Himself With Credit—Attendance.

The annual meeting of the Northeast Nebraska Teachers' association in Norfolk last week called together more than 300 teachers, and in attendance, interest and all other respects it easily surpassed any former meeting. As president, Prof. E. P. Wilson reflected much credit on himself in preparing for the event and carrying out his duties generally. His successor was elected in the person of F. S. Ferdus, county superintendent of Madison county.

Among the features of the program, mention is made in Saturday's News of an address by Prof. Pile of Wayne, as follows:

"President Pile of Wayne spoke on the subjects characteristic of a true teacher. He thought a teacher should be regarded as a great leader in advancement. The teacher makes the school and the school makes for life. One of the saddest things is the lack of responsibility the teacher is willing to assume. We pour knowledge into the child without seeing that he assimilates it. A teacher should have these five essentials: Positive knowledge of subject matter, method, enjoyment in work, ability to create in boys and girls a desire to be somebody, power to secure perfect control over teachers."

Following teachers were reported in attendance from Wayne county:

Clara Whitney, Nina Nelson, Mamie Moran, Wayne; Mrs. M. Wolf, Mrs. C. W. Reed, Eva Reed, Winfield; Mabel Tucker, W. F. Richardson, Josephine Carter, Sarah Jenkins, Bessie Luckey, Nora Johnson, Goldie Robinson, Carroll; J. M. Pile, E. L. Coleman, Wayne; Nellie Ross, Amie Ross, Winfield; Maud Taubin, Wendall Nies, Mary Richardson, Hoskins; O. L. Wright, A. E. Littell, Mrs. A. E. Littell, Winfield; Ella Grier, Hoskins; Emma Richardson, Jennie Vannenberg, Florence Boose, Rose Breslin, Wayne.

BROODER CATCHES FIRE.

John Kate knows more about little chickens and artificial brooders than he did a week ago. John's latest lesson was derived from practical experience and has left a pretty deep impression on him. A week ago last Sunday he had a hatch of 94 chicks out of a possible 100 in one of his incubators. Then he had a new-fangled brooder made of canvas that was kept in a tent in which he put the 84 youngsters and started out to get them ready for sweepstakes at next fall's exhibition and got along all right for a week and then on last Sunday morning he thought the night had been wet and cold and he would turn the lamp up just a little higher to increase the warmth. Then John went to breakfast and forgot all about chickens and brooder until his good wife called his attention to a smoke issuing from the chicken tent and the way John cut out of the house to that tent would have turned the ordinary sprinter green with envy. He snatched the lamp from under the brooder, spilled the oil, set fire to and burned up tent and chickens and badly burned his hand, but John says, "I learned something."

THE LIBRARY WILL STAY.

A petition was presented at the last meeting of the county commissioners asking them to order the public library moved out of the court house, complaint being that young people gather there and cause annoyance. Action was refused, as it was believed the children could be easily checked. The library has been accommodated by a room in the basement of the court house for several years and the ladies of Wayne have devoted considerable effort and money to maintaining it in good condition, and it would seem unnecessary now to ask them to find a new location which could not be as convenient and generally acceptable.

WAYNE BOY AS ACTOR.

The Iowa State College Student has the following to say of a Wayne boy in connection with a class play given by the Sophomores of the Ames Agricultural College at the opera house in that city: "Perhaps more praise was heard for Don Cunningham than for any other single performer. His first appearance called forth a round applause, and his complete taking on of the character of the Professor, his gait, voice, manner, moods and all, were a wonder to the audience throughout the evening."

INSPECTION OF RURAL ROUTES.

We are informed that in a very short time the routes traveled by the rural mail carriers will be gone over by government inspectors and where the roads are not in good shape the routes may be changed or entirely abandoned. This matter of good roads is one of the real live subjects and if not properly handled may lose the daily mail service now in vogue to some of the country tributary to Wayne. Uncle Sam gets tired sometimes.

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Vesuvius and Dowle have been vying with each other for first place in the eyes of the public this week.

W. J. Bryan expects to reach home on his return from around the world next September. He will thus be here in time to take a little hand in politics at the close of the campaign if he is disposed to do so.

It is announced by a high democratic source that W. J. Bryan will be the next democratic nominee for president, with perhaps Mayor Edward F. Danne of Chicago in the race for second place. "Public ownership" is expected to be their "paramount."

The report is going the rounds that George D. McKeljohn is going to be in the race for election as senator from Nebraska. George has some pretty warm friends in the state and he knows a thing or two about getting next to the voters and would be a pretty formidable candidate for any position.

Governor Mickey was in Norfolk Sunday to investigate charges of cruelty alleged to have been practiced on patients of the insane hospital by certain employees. He found that the attendants guilty of cruelty had already been discharged by the superintendent, Dr. Alden, and that the institution was in satisfactory condition.

Vesuvius, Italy's volcanic ooler, is active and terrorizing inhabitants in neighboring towns. Columns of fire one thousand feet in height are shot from Vesuvius and the lava stream pouring from the crater is 200 feet wide. One village that has in past years been destroyed, and rebuilt eight times, is again in danger. Why don't the endangered people quit the country and come to Wayne where there is nothing worse than politics to bother them.

It is to be regretted that the prospective populist nominee for governor, Moses Warner, could not have accompanied W. J. Bryan on his trip around the world. It would have made Warner more liberal and more charitable and more optimistic concerning the future of the American government. He would thus be better fitted to fill the chair of the state's chief executive and be inclined to consign a smaller per cent of republican editors to Tartarean fire and brimstone.

You can't control the railroad, grain, lumber and other trusts by complaining. It requires the right kind of men in the state legislature, in the halls of congress and the United States senate. In order to get the right kind of men you must act, and acting in this case means work, political work. See that your less informed neighbor becomes enlightened on the great problems that confront us, and see that he is not only informed, but that he gets out to the canons when the proper time comes and that he knows who are the right fellows to send as delegates to the county convention. It is the "intelligently conducted caucus the ringster fears, because the caucus is the foundation on which our whole political structure is based. Look after the caucus and the proper solution of the great questions are on the high road to accomplishment.

If the young man of today believes there are fewer opportunities open to him than were presented to his father when he started out in business for himself, he is most woefully mistaken. Never in the history of the United States were so many opportunities open for the young man as today. But these opportunities are for the young man who is a worker, who is not afraid to labor with both brain and muscle. There is no place for the fellow looking for a snap. More employers are anxious to pay high salaries for men capable of earning big salaries than ever before and the demand is not nearly supplied nor will it be for years to come. More great enterprises are being launched than ever before in the world's history and these enterprises require men of capabilities to manage them. Don't stand around, young man, and regret that your fortunes were not cast with an earlier generation. Your day is the golden one of all the ages, and to use a slang phrase "it is up to you to make good." Will you do it? Will you fit yourself to fill the requirements of your lay and generation. Have you an inherent love of work; if not, acquire it and stick to your purpose to do things better than they were ever done; that is the kind of fellow who is wanted and for whom there is always plenty of places.

HUSE-McCARTHY DIFFERENCES. Saturday's Norfolk News gave its ground for complaint against Congressman Huse in answer to a signed article by W. N. Huse, issued a legend of denial, maintaining that he told W. M. Robertson of Norfolk that he would protect the News publisher in his libel suit and that he did not see the language imputed to him with reference to newspaper men. Since the News' settlement of its libel suit and published charges of ingratitude against Mr. McCarthy, a number of newspapers have taken up the cudgel in behalf of the congressman and asked the Norfolk editor for his proof. In complying, Mr. Robertson becomes involved. The following two paragraphs from the News' article of proof cover the two main points:

"Since Mr. McCarthy's denial of these things in his open letter, we have again gone to Mr. Robertson and personally asked him if Mr. McCarthy ever told him that he, McCarthy, intended to



An Easter Find

AN EASTER FIND IS awaiting you at our store, as we have the biggest stock of the finest footwear ever offered. When we say finest, we mean everything that is excellent, that makes a shoe perfect in style, comfort, good looks and durability....

Owen Shoe Co

You Can't Explain It

You may never have bought anything of us, for the reason that you never have given us a chance to show you what we have. You can't explain why you have bought clothing and not seen ours. You certainly realize that we have the largest stock and sell more clothing than any other store in Wayne county, and you must acknowledge that you ought to see our clothing before you buy. The only answer you can make is that you are trading at some other store and like the place. That is no good reason that you should not investigate and see if your merchant if giving you all your money should buy. If you will call on us and see our stock and prices we are now making you will be surprised, and we will at least receive a share of your trade. It is impossible to describe our suits and should we state the prices, you cannot realize how cheap we sell. It is absolutely necessary to have you see our suits to appreciate the quality and price we make. We have been located here long enough to convince anyone that we are responsible and will do as we say, but we must be given an opportunity to show you our goods. Will you give us that chance? Our stock of suits was never so complete as it now is, and the price was never more satisfactory. Our shoe stock is up to date and unless you wear some of our shoes you can't imagine how different our shoes are than those usually found in other stores. Our Bad Boys' shoes are made so a boy can't wear them out, and our plow shoes are made so that walking is easy. We sell the only genuine "Snag Proof" rubber boot sold in Wayne county, all others are imitations. No one has as many hats as we have, and no one will sell them as cheap, but you must see them to believe that. Our children's and boys' suits are the kind that please the boy and give satisfaction to the parents. The price is right. Look at them and be convinced. Give us an opportunity to prove all we say in this advertisement, and you will find that you have not wasted your time looking here for clothing and we will be satisfied. Bring us your eggs, we take them same as cash.



protest Huse in the libel suit? Mr. Robertson's reply was that Mr. McCarthy never made such a promise to him and never said anything to him that would give such an impression.

Mr. McCarthy also in his open letter denies absolutely that he ever referred to the newspaper men as "damned fools," and professes the greatest love and respect for the newspaper fraternity. To prove to the newspaper boys just what Mr. McCarthy actually did say and what he really does think when he is talking for publication, we also asked Mr. Robertson concerning that feature. We asked him if it was not true, as stated in the News, that Mr. McCarthy said that he "did not propose to stand responsible for the sayings of every damned fool newspaper man in the state," and Mr. Robertson, after deliberating over the matter, replied that while he would not attempt at this length of time to quote the exact language used by Mr. McCarthy, the language in substance was that he, McCarthy, would not be held responsible for the mistakes of the damned fool newspaper men." Mr. Robertson is sure, however, that the words "damned fool newspaper men" were used.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

In the matter of the application of Herman Midner for liquor license. Notice is hereby given that Herman Midner did on the 27th day of March, 1906, file his application to the mayor and council of the city of Wayne, Nebraska, for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot Twelve, block Twenty-one, in the First ward of the city of Wayne, Nebraska, for the fiscal year commencing on the first Tuesday in May, 1906. If there is no objection, remonstrance or protest filed on or before Monday, April 30, 1906, said license will be granted. A. T. WITTER, City Clerk.

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In the matter of the application of Harry M. Ramsey for liquor license.

Notice is hereby given that Harry M. Ramsey did on the 28th day of March, 1906, file his application to the mayor and council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot eleven, block twenty-one, in the First ward of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, for the fiscal year commencing on the first Tuesday in May, 1906. If there is no objection, remonstrance or protest filed on or before Monday, April 30, 1906, said license will be granted.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DRUGGIST'S PERMIT.

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Stockings for Boys and Girls

A book on Jiu-Jitsu or Japanese wrestling free for the boys.



Mother's chance to get away from the darning basket.

Cadet Scientific Stocking

Wear Guaranteed on Every Pair

They are strongest where the wear is hardest. Knee, heel and toe are made of finest Irish linen. Finest dye—will not rub off. No seams to chafe and rub the feet. Heavy ribbed for the boys, fine ribbed for the girls. Guaranteed, 25 cents per pair.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS IN WAYNE FOR THIS SPLENDID STOCKING



Boys' Confirmation Suits

It is with a northern pride that we point out the really splendid exhibit of Confirmation Suits which we have had made up for our young friends. The styles are the highest we have ever handled—the prices the lowest we have ever named for suits of equal worth.

From \$3.50 to \$7.00.

Our prices range for Boys' Black Dress Knee Pant Suits—ages from 7 to 16—each rise in price showing its full equivalent in honest worth.

From \$6.50 to \$10.00

Our Youths' Black Suits—ages 13 to 19—climb the ladder of merit. The cheapest of them were cut over the same identical patterns as the finest—they differ only in the quality of material and trimmings. See these suits. Come and go freely. You will not be pressed to buy.

Harrington's The Clothier

WORK FOR YOURSELF.

Then You Will Have a Chance to Develop Your Individuality. It is well known that long continued employment in the service of others...

W. N. Huse, editor of the Norfolk Daily News, passed through Wayne this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Huse, of Rochester, Minn., where he will undergo another operation. The first one was performed in Omaha about a year and a half ago, but failed to result in a cure.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid society will sell, at their bazaar, in Mrs. Britton's store room opposite the post-office Saturday afternoon, April 14: Beautiful water colored paintings, fancy articles, home-made sun-bonnets, aprons, popcorn bags, tea-jackets, candy and paper corn balls. The public will be cordially invited.

Yesterdays Norfolk News states the unfortunate experience of a family by the name of Krause, consisting of a mother and three daughters, who live near Hoskins, having arrived there last summer from Germany. They started from Hamburg in July with four other members of the family and \$50,000 in money, their destination being Winside, Neb. Their ship was wrecked and Mr. Krause and four children were drowned and the money lost.

W. F. Ramsay is the teacher of a Sunday school class of elderly boys, and they keep him on the alert for historic and philosophic information with which to properly lead them. Recently they had a temperance lesson, and in preparation for it he wrote to Governor Mickey for statistics showing the number of inmates of the penitentiary who had been addicted to the use of liquor.

The change in time of the freight going east to Sioux City taking effect Sunday is to be one that is certainly not going to be a great boon to Wayne shippers, and we fail to see how it will prove a great thing for even the shippers on the branches. The freight will leave Bloomfield sometime before midnight, arrive at Wayne around two o'clock a. m. and at Sioux City about 6 a. m. This is done it is said in order to get stock to Sioux City market in the early morning, but just think of the hours of loading for shipment. Every time a shipment is to be made it will require the shipper to be up practically the entire night, and we know from experience heard from stockmen at this place that the schedule is going to be mighty unpopular and is going to call forth a storm of protest all along the line. The old schedule, is much more preferable and trains run on that time, if pushed through as stock trains should be, would get to the Sioux City market in time. Wayne ought to wake up and protest against this injustice that is about to be put into effect. This proposed schedule will work harm to Wayne in another way. As it is now the freight crew on the Bloomfield branch makes its headquarters here whereas under the arrangement it will have to put up at the other end of the line. The railroad company may see some advantage in the proposed change, but it is certainly not in the interest of shippers and towns along the line and these are entitled to some consideration in matters of this kind, because they are the parties who pay the freight. Why not give us a quick daylight run from here to Sioux City. Stock shippers are human and deserve to be taken into account in matters of this kind.

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THREE SPECIES OF MOOSE.

They Are the European, the Eastern American and the Alaskan. It is supposed to be three species of moose—the European moose or elk of the northern Europe and Asia...

Expressed in external features as illustrated in the adult male always best for distinguishing species. The Scandinavian elk is a small gray animal with little palm and hairy skin on its antlers.

The Alaskan is a large black and white animal with palm and always a separate bow bunch of spikes. I have seen hundreds of Canadian moose antlers, but never a pair that did not show a well developed separate group of prongs in front of each bow.

Mr. Rollie Lay gave an interesting talk to the Actual Business class Tuesday afternoon. The excavating for the new dormitory and for the addition to the dining hall was completed this week.

Arrangements are being made to install a gas plant, the gas to be used for cooking purposes in the college kitchen.

Miss Dugger arrived from Staunberry, Mo., Saturday to take charge of the model school, which began Monday morning.

Supt. W. E. Miller of Cedar county visited the college Friday afternoon. He was on his way to Hartington from the meeting at Norfolk.

An interesting ball game was played on the college grounds Saturday. The prospects are good for the young men having a fine team this year.

Miss Glassburn of Clearwater, has been elected to a position in the schools at Magnet, Miss Anderson at Hartington and Mr. Hutchins at Carroll.

A letter from Miss Ross Armstrong of the teachers' class of 1903, tells that she has been re-elected to her position in the primary department in the schools at Chadron.

Messrs. Lundak and Dugger visited friends at the college Friday and Saturday. Both of these young men graduated last summer, and are meeting with very good success in their teaching.

The Musicals given in the chapel Saturday evening under the direction of Miss Stewart, was a success in every way. The work in this department was never stronger than it has been this year.

Those from the college who took part in the program of the Teachers' association at Norfolk last week report that there was a splendid attendance and a great deal of interest shown. The music for the sessions on Thursday and for the lecture Thursday evening was furnished by the college.

All those interested in athletics held a meeting in the chapel Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing an association to govern all branches of sport. A large crowd was in attendance, which goes to show that the students are interested in their physical as well as mental welfare.

Pure-bred white Wyandotte eggs for sale at \$1.00 per setting of fifteen eggs. JOHN LIVERINGHORE.

TO PATRONS AND OFFICIALS ON R. F. D. ROUTES. The department looks to patrons and road officials to see that highways covered by rural routes are maintained in such condition that they can be traveled at all seasons. Indifference and neglect in this matter will be considered a sufficient cause for the withdrawal of rural service from a community.

A rural carrier is not expected to seriously imperil his life or his animals, nor to endanger the U. S. mails or his equipment, in an attempt to serve his route under extraordinary conditions of weather.

The undersigned received recently, from the department at Washington, the following concerning Route No. 4, from Wayne, which also appeals to other routes. "You are directed to inform the patrons interested and road officials that unless some action is taken by them within thirty days from date, or as soon as conditions will permit, to repair the road, in order that they may be traveled by the carrier with facility and safety, the department will seriously consider the withdrawal of service therefrom. You will report results to this office."

W. H. McNEAL Postmaster. For sale or exchange, a set of fine, new single harness. Inquire of Dr. Blair.

CITY COUNCIL.

Council met in regular session Monday evening with all members present. Following bills were allowed: A. A. Wolter, supplies, \$ 5.00 H. S. Ringland, it & rx. 1.00 Thos. Nieland, labor. 1.00 H. T. Armstrong, coal. 1.00 Herald, printing. 1.00 W. F. Feather, costs. 1.00 Mamie Feather, type writing. 1.00 Obs. Reis, labor. 1.00

By resolution the road tax fund of \$470 was transferred to the general fund. It was resolved and carried that \$52.44 be transferred from general fund to the improvement fund. That action wipes out all indebtedness incurred for improvements during the past year.

Insurance of electric light plant was made a part of the duties of the finance committee.

An ordinance amending one hitherto in force, to regulate salaries of city officers, was introduced and passed by suspension of rules. Salaries for the year are fixed as follows: Mayor, \$100 per year. City clerk, \$30 per year. City treasurer, \$50 per year. City attorney, \$12 per year. Chief of police, \$40 per month. Policemen, 30 cents per hour for time actually employed.

Councilmen, \$2 for each meeting, total for year not to exceed \$50. The mayor appointed Councilmen Roe and Goble to canvass election returns, the result being the same as that published last week.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Real estate transfers for three weeks ending April 18, 1906, as reported by L. W. Alter, bonded abstractor: D. C. Mann to Florence J. Parsons of a 1500' out lot 3 O & B add to Wayne. 1000 Eugene A. Elliott to Maggie J. J. Elliotts of 12-16 1 also e of s e of w 35-26-2. 200

Geo. L. Miner to Elizabeth Roberts e of lots 9 10 blk 1 s add to Wayne. 550 Ellen P. Reinking et al to Frank Weble of 2-25-2. 1642

Ri-har F. Jones to John Liver Ingobis 1-9 lot in j of 20-24 1909

Harl Miller to Henry & Edward Trautwein 113 10 11 12 blk 3 Carroll. 1125

Nathan M. Reese to C. E. Ben-shoff 11-12 blk 2 & 11 blk 3 B & F 11-12 add to Winside. 350

H. W. Sahr to John Trieweller & A. Schlerer w 33-27-3. 11000

Lucia L. Fitch to James Finn s w 1-2-3. 7200

Edward M. Fitch to James Finn n w 1-2-3. 8800

A. B. Conyers to Peter VanBuskirk lots 1 2 3 blk 7 Carroll. 2000

Elizabeth Korman to John L. Prince w of s e 81-26-2. 4400

Alfred Dragon to Zale Dragon lots 21 22 23 24 25 26 blk 23 College Hill add Wayne. 500

Gus Schroeder to Frederick Strate jr of s e 10-25-1. 6000

Nes Ohas to Peter Baker lots 3 4 5 6 blk 8 Lakes add to Wayne. 1000

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GUARANTEED BY E. J. RAYMOND

Simple way to Cure Catarah by Hyomei Without Stomach Dosing. It is the height of folly to dose the stomach with internal medicines to cure usual catarah. It cannot be cured except the catarahal germs that are present in the nose, throat and lungs have first been killed.

Direct local treatment by breathing Hyomei through the pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit, is absolutely necessary to kill the catarahal germs and prevent their growth and formation. The soothing air of Hyomei heals the smarting and raw membrane of the air passages in the nose, throat and lungs, kills off the catarahal germs and ridges the system of the last traces of catarah.

The complete Hyomei outfit consists of a hard rubber inhaler which can be carried in the purse or vest-pocket, a medicine dropper, and a bottle of Hyomei, and costs only one dollar, while extra bottles can be obtained for 50 cents. E. J. Raymond positively guarantees a cure when Hyomei is used in accordance with the simple directions on the package, or he will refund the money. This certainly shows their faith and belief in the virtues of Hyomei.

SHORT HORN BULLS FOR SALE

Old enough for service and out of such bulls as Cumberland Hero, the half brother of Cumberland's last, the white bull that C. A. Saunders of Manilla, Io., sold a few weeks ago for \$10,000. Every one a good one and the best of colors. A. B. CLARK.

AUCTION SALE.

I will have an auction sale of household goods at my home on upper Main street Saturday afternoon, April 14. FRANK HOOD.

FOR RENT.

My house now occupied by Ed. Owan will be vacated and for rent the 17th. DR. T. B. HECKER.

FOR SALE, twenty good horses, including mares with foal. Am crippled and cannot take care of them. PHIL SULLIVAN.

EASTER SERVICES.

At St. Paul's Lutheran church in the morning the subject is "The Easter Message." Confirmation and Holy Communion in the evening at 7:30.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT.

The McMakin property in west part of town, eight room house, and good land. OGAN.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

EAST	
Passenger, 7:30 a. m.	
Passenger, 2:15 p. m.	
Mixed, Leaves 2:45 p. m.	
WEST	
Passenger, 9:55 a. m.	
Passenger, 6:48 p. m.	
Mixed, Arrives 6:50 p. m.	
BRANCH	
NORTH	
Passenger, 10:00 a. m.	
Mixed, 6:50 p. m.	
SOUTH	
Mixed, 6:45 a. m.	
Passenger, 2:05 p. m.	

MARKET REPORT.

Prices in Wayne today, Thursday.	
Wheat	62 Cattle
Corn	32 Hogs
Oats	23 1/2 Butter
Barley	20 1/2 Eggs
Rye	53 Flax

LOCAL NEWS.

A. L. Tucker went to Omaha yesterday morning.

Born, Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. John Lage, a daughter.

E. E. Walthian came up from Omaha yesterday morning.

Herbert Theobald of Madison, Wis., arrived in Wayne Tuesday evening.

A daughter was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lewis.

Howard Whalen made a business trip up the Bloomfield branch yesterday.

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"Other People's Money"

Eight Big Specialty Acts.

Big Double Bill

Funniest Play Ever Written

Prices, 25, 35, 50c

Wanted, at once, a girl to do general house-work. Apply to Mrs. A. N. Matheny.

Oil Meal by the hundred or ton for sale by Weber Bros. at roller mills.

WAYNE First National Bank.

WAYNE, NEB., ILL. KA.

Report of the condition of the First National Bank at Wayne, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business April 6, 1906.

ASSETS.	
Loans and discounts	\$281,347 30
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,948 30
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	18,750 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	900 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	35,125 00
Cheques and other cash items	45,561 54
Items in course of collection	3,105 24
Notes of other National Banks	1,830 00
Fractional paper currency, notes and coins	54 33
Loyal Money Reserve in Bank	8,804 70
Special Deposits	5,950 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer 5 per cent of circulation	937 50
Total	\$ 421,084 57

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	75,000 00
Surplus fund	15,000 00
Undivided profits, less reserve	12,919 18
National Bank notes outstanding	18,750 00
Due to other National Banks	17,738 03
Due to State Banks and Bankers	4,272 80
Dividends unpaid	4,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	117,382 06
Demand certificates of deposit	180 00
Time certificates of deposit	155,361 53
Total	\$ 421,084 57

STATE OF NEBRASKA, COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss: I, H. F. Wilson, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. F. WILSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1906. A. E. Brazier, Notary Public.

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The Snowball

It Does the Work and Beats 'Em All

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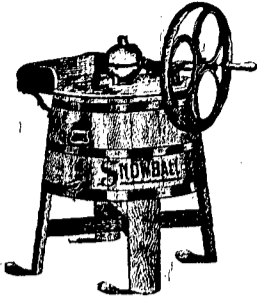
Simple

Runs With Ease

Bound to Please

Solid

Strong



One sold always sells a few more for the simple reason that we can't keep a good thing to ourselves. Space does not permit telling of a dozen other points in favor of this wonderful washer, but if you are interested you can learn them at our store.

Test Proves Best

It stands at the head. Try it and profit. It's awful, isn't it? But we will do it—sell Snowballs that give satisfaction.

Voget's Hardware



B. P. S. Gloss Interior Paint

Is a durable varnish paint. It is quick-drying—ten hours, even under unfavorable circumstances—and with a beautiful enamel finish, that it is impossible to obtain with lead and oil and ordinary inside paints. Its durable, glossy finish can be scrubbed without injury, and is just the finish for kitchen walls and ceilings, bathrooms, lavatories, and all interior woodwork—window sash and sills, fly screens, flower stands, porch and lawn furniture.

Fourteen shades, and Black and White. Ready for use.

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Adapted to every possible requirement of Farm, Ranch, Orchard and Garden. Guaranteed to be the best and cheapest.

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NEW SPRING GOODS

Are arriving daily at

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Embroideries, Laces, White and Wash Goods, and Wool Dress Goods of all kinds. Everything in the latest and best styles. This great stock was never so complete as it is now and will be in the future.

Remember that we want your farm produce and will pay the highest market price for it. We also buy cream.

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Our last shipment of Cyphers Incubators is on the road and will be here in a few days. Just in time to hatch. Buy one and if it is not satisfactory you can return it in 90 days. We sell chick feed. Life is too short to raise chickens without chick feed.

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Phone No. 51

For Rent!

Brick Store Building

Next to the Postoffice. Inquire of

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A. L. Hower returned Saturday from South Dakota.

G. H. Frink made a business trip to Emerson yesterday.

E. J. Raymond was doing business in Sioux City Tuesday.

Attorney Lundburg and O. A. King were in Carroll Tuesday.

George Fortner left Tuesday morning on a business trip to Kansas.

A contract has been awarded for the re-painting of the German Lutheran church.

Mrs. F. H. Jones returned Tuesday morning from a two weeks' visit at Oreighton.

Byron Hollis of Laurel was in Wayne Tuesday night, returning home yesterday morning.

At the late election Wakefield gave a majority of its votes in favor of a public lighting plant.

Next Sunday is Easter and will be remembered by appropriate services by the different churches.

Mrs. O. H. Kuhl and Mrs. S. C. Lane left Tuesday morning to join their husbands in North Dakota.

The Presbyterians expect to soon sell their parsonage and then replace it with a new, modern structure.

F. M. Hauser of Parker, S. D., has been in Wayne this week in the interest of North Dakota lands.

Mrs. Powers, who has been visiting her son, A. G. Powers, in Wayne for some time, returned Tuesday to her home at Ponca.

J. L. Thorborn of Norfolk, special agent for the Farmers and Merchants' Insurance company of Lincoln, was in the city Tuesday.

A special Pullman car passed through Wayne Tuesday night, having on board representatives of the Sioux City Stock exchange, who are out to get acquainted with the resources of the Black Hills territory.

A man and four boys narrowly escaped death from being poisoned at Lyndal Saturday and Sunday. The man took corrosive sublimate by mistake, thinking it was medicine, and the boys ate wild parsnips.

The order of Eastern Star had its annual election of officers Monday evening with the following result: Mrs. O. A. Chace, W. M.; Mrs. J. G. Mines, A. M.; A. A. Welch, W. P.; Mrs. P. H. Kohl, Con.; Mrs. E. B. Cook, Asso. Con.; J. G. Mines, secretary; Mrs. Clara B. Ellis, treasurer.

At an annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church Monday evening, reports were presented, showing the church in good condition financially and otherwise, and David Cunningham and Wm. Gildersleeve were elected elders and W. O. Gamble and Dan Harrington trustees.

Danroll has elected its teachers for next year, adding one to the corps to handle the increased enrollment. Here are the names of teachers: C. G. Hutchins, principal; Miss Pearl Sewell, intermediate; Miss Lucky, grammar; Miss Jessie Carter, primary. Mr. Hutchins is

at present a student in the Wayne college.

The German Lutheran church, Rev. J. H. Karpenstein pastor, had largely attended confirmation services last Sunday. On Good Friday, tomorrow, Rev. Karpenstein will conduct religious services, including communion, at Winside in the forenoon, and hold appropriate services in the Wayne church in the afternoon. Easter services with communion will be held in the church here Sunday forenoon.

The Herald is told that sufficient progress has been made in securing funds for the proposed improvements at the college to assure the success of the enterprise. A little more manifestation of public spirit will guarantee the balance needed. The undertaking means an expenditure of \$40,000 in new buildings and other improvements this year, and will be an impetus to Wayne's greater growth along all lines.

John Morris was in town Monday on his way home from Omaha with a niece who had just arrived from Wales. In conversation with Mr. Morris in regard to his sheep industry we were informed that his flock has never done better than the past year and we found him as enthusiastic as ever over the future of this business. Mr. Morris says that last fall he put out twenty-five ewes with Wm. Roberts on shares and says that from the ewes given to Roberts they have forty lambs as the first crop, a pretty big percentage of increase.

Those who were fortunate enough to learn that Father Haley of Wayne, was to deliver a lecture Wednesday evening at the Catholic church were indeed afforded a treat. His subject was Christ's Life. The speaker reviewed the Saviour's life from the cradle to the celebration of the feast of the Passover in the second year of Christ's ministry. He is willing, if desired, to finish the subject at some future date, probably next Tuesday night. Certainly those who heard him Wednesday evening are desirous of having Father Haley finish the lecture. He will undoubtedly be greeted by a large crowd.—Carroll Index.

A. B. Clark was at the Omaha combination sale a few days ago and bought three heifers, the lot of the great Scotch bull Robin Adair. These heifers are bred to C. A. Saunders' herd bull, King Champion, a bull that Clark offered \$500 for when a calf at foot and for which Saunders since refused \$2500. At the time Mr. Clark made the offer other breeders thought he was away off, but the development of the animal and the big price since offered demonstrate that his judgment was much better than that of his critics. Clark now has five Robin Adair heifers in his Wayne herd and also several Merry Marshall heifers and his herd at present is not only one of Nebraska's largest but easily ranks as one of the top notch herds of the state and Wayne county breeders surely ought to appreciate the owners' efforts in building it up to its present high standard of excellence.

HOSKINS.

For pointers on duck shooting see John Kaulon.

O. W. Anderson and F. C. Schroeder are putting in a dipping tank.

Miss Minnie Tiedje has accepted a position with Miss Minnie Koehn.

J. A. Huebner attended the merchants' meeting at Emerson Tuesday.

Mrs. A. M. Ayerill was a passenger to Omaha Tuesday morning to visit her sister.

Mrs. Jas. Benish has gone to Idaho to join her husband who went there some time ago.

Mrs. O. P. Ludden, sister of Mrs. F. P. Andrews, returned to her home in Sioux City Monday.

J. F. Crosby was called to Bloomfield yesterday morning on account of the illness of his brother.

Seeding has commenced in earnest and a few days of nice weather will see most of the grain sown.

Mrs. Chas. Shaw of Winside visited a few days the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Loug.

It is reported that some Stanton parties are going to open up a dressmaking and millinery establishment here.

The arrival of a son at the home of Gus Schroeder was the occasion for Gus passing around the cigars last Thursday.

A. W. Locke will leave in a few days to take charge of a yard near Omaha for the Bowdoin Kranz Lumber company.

A. M. Averill has sold his interest in the stock business here to Gus Schroeder and left Tuesday to look for a new location.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT

On west corner of postoffice block.

Mrs. HENRY HERRELL.

Farmers are generally conceded to be the best informed of all classes of American citizens. This is not because they read more than others, but because their reading matter is better selected, is read under conditions less distracting, and more favorable to recollection, and therefore is better digested and more firmly retained. Even in the busiest seasons, farmers keep up with current events and know fully as well as town-folk what is going on in the world. Their families, too, are well posted on current events. To supply this high-grade demand for general information, The Iowa Homestead, of Des Moines, Iowa, conducts a department of "Current Events and Comments," which briefly sets forth all the large events of the times, omitting minor details. This review of the world's news is prepared by a trained journalist and is of great value to farmers and their families. Every farmer's family in this county should take The Iowa Homestead, especially during the busy season. The Herald is always glad to forward subscriptions for this excellent farm paper. Let us order it for you.

Charles Robbins'

Dry Goods Opening

Saturday, April 21

On the above date we will open to the people the only complete NEW store in Wayne county. Our stock will consist of everything carried by a

First Class Dry Goods Store

Also a special CARPET DEPARTMENT in which we will be prepared to show you not only the largest stock of Draperies, Curtain Nets, Lace Curtains, Carpets and Rugs, but we will carry in stock lines never before shown by a merchant in this county. Everything from Ingrains to the finest French Wilton and Genuine Oriental Rugs.

This is the height of the Sewing Season and we have for you a beautiful line of Spring and Summer Materials.

Having made two trips to market, we have had an unusual opportunity to study the styles and secure the latest novelties.

Watch for our "ad" next week. We will tell you more of our specialties.

Pittsburg Perfect Fence

Time and money have been spent in experimenting and investigating the new idea in wire fencing. After a most careful examination we have been convinced that we have the best field and garden fence made. Below we give some of the points that we claim for it:

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A FENCE

- THAT will stand hard usage,
- THAT will not sag down or curl over at the top,
- THAT has stays that will not slip,
- THAT will conform to uneven ground,
- THAT has no slack wires,
- THAT does not require an expert to erect.
- THAT is low in price,

Then read what we guarantee:

- 1—The stays are electrically welded to strands forming a perfect union not found in any other fence.
- 2—No wraps to get loose, hold moisture and cause rust.
- 3—Stronger at the joints than any other fence.
- 4—Welded together by electricity.
- 5—Guaranteed that stays will not separate from strand.
- 6—Guaranteed adjustable to uneven ground.
- 7—Guaranteed to give satisfaction to user.

If by this time you are interested, come and see our fence. If you are skeptical come and be convinced. We have garden fence and field fence, have a large stock and would be pleased to submit prices. We can save you money on fence. Call and see us.

MARSTELLER & PETERSON

Hardware & Plumbing

NAPLES FEELS SHOCK

YESUVIUS PUTS PEOPLE OF CITY IN PANIC

One Town Is Wiped Out—No Trace of Community that Had 10,000 People—Town of 20,000 on Gulf of Naples Has Been Depopulated.

Naples advises state that hope that Mt. Vesuvius was becoming calm was dashed Sunday when the volcano became more active than ever.

The danger is becoming serious, and calls have been made for the immediate evacuation of Boscoreale, the nearest village of the crater, which has a population of 9,000.

The inhabitants of the villages in the vicinity of Mt. Vesuvius are in a condition bordering on panic. Many homes have been abandoned for the open air, although there has been a thick fog all day and the atmosphere has been thick with volcanic ashes and the fumes of subterranean fires.

The main stream of lava proceeding from Vesuvius is 200 feet wide and it rises at times at the rate of twenty-one feet a minute, the intense heat destroying vegetation before the stream reaches it.

The population of Boscoreale, on the southern declivity of the mountain, have sought safety in flight, and Bosco Reale, to the eastward, is also threatened.

Women of this village, weeping with fright, carried a statue of St. Anne as near as they could go to the flowing lava, imploring a miracle to stay the advance of the consuming stream.

The cemetery at Boscoreale has been invaded by lava. The scene at night is one of mingled grandeur and horror, as from the summit of Vesuvius there leaps a column of fire fully 1,000 feet in height, the glare lighting the sky and sea for many miles.

Occasionally great masses of molten stone, some weighing as much as a ton, are ejected from the crater.

With the danger and horror of the situation, Vesuvius projects one of the most splendid sights imaginable. The mountain of fire, whose peaks are brightly detonating and whose crest is a destruction, seems like an enormous giant determined to make the planet of earth feel the might of his wrath.

From here on, the mountain side stands the hundreds of pine trees that have been uprooted and blown in protest against the devastation the volcano has wrought.

It is not only the pine trees that are being uprooted, but the houses which are being falling and making life a burden.

Contrary to expectation the sea has not shown signs of being affected by the phenomenon, but fumes are everywhere that have caused many deaths.

Visitors to Naples are avoiding the hotels on the sea front and the people living there are beginning to leave for higher altitudes.

Through there is much misery up to the present time there are no fatalities except at Portici, where an old woman died supposedly from fright.

IN VOLICENT ERUPTION.

Operators Inclined to Refuse Mines

A New York special says: Having failed to come to an agreement among themselves, the hard coal miners of Pennsylvania, through their representatives, Thursday proposed to the operators that all matters in dispute be referred to a board of arbitration for settlement, the tribunal to be composed of the board of conciliation which was created by the award of the anthracite strike commission in 1903, with Judge George Gray, of Delaware, or any person he may appoint as chairman and umpire.

The operators accept the proposition and a convention of mine workers approved the plan. The 15,000 men now idle in the anthracite fields will return to work at once.

While it has been reported for several days that the miners might accept the difference, the arbitrators' proposition made to them as it grew Thursday came to them as it grew surprise, as they did not believe the union leaders were ready to leave the controversy to a third party at this time.

That the operators will accept the miners' proposal as submitted is not generally believed; in fact, it is indicated they may fairly refuse the offer on the ground that the existing conditions are the result of arbitration.

The employers have decided to consider the miners' latest award and promise to give President Mitchell and his men an answer on Monday, when another meeting of the two sub-committees will be held in New York.

The idle anthracite miners ask that the commission board created by the strike commission act as arbitrators with Judge George Gray, of Delaware, for any person he may appoint as chairman and umpire. If the operators agree to the plan and it is approved by the convention of miners, operations in the hard coal fields will be resumed at once.

Operators do not look with favor on the plan, but will give their answer to the miners Monday.

Reports from various sections of the soft coal regions show that conditions in those fields are improving. There was more coal mined in that territory than in any day since the strike began. The production of coal, however, is not so large as was expected.

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MAY NOT BE A STATE

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

Reverse in Grand Jury—Interpretation of Law Involved Not Likely to Be Had Until a Case is Presented to Court.

The supreme court met Tuesday and some very interesting and important matters affecting the state came up. The most important, insofar as the entire state is concerned, of course, was the grain case.

The court announced it will take a careful study of the opinion, both the majority and the dissenting, and will announce its decision as soon as it is ready.

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STATE OF NEBRASKA

WRECK ON THE BEAVERTON.

Passenger and Mail and Passenger Cars Flung Up.

Wednesday train No. 41 of the Burlington, with three mail cars, was wrecked at the rate of about 45 miles an hour and making up lost time, only four were hurt.

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NEBRASKA ELECTIONS

Saloon License Issue in Most Contests.

Omaha: Election was held in all the cities and towns of Nebraska, Tuesday, except Omaha and Lincoln, which were held under special election laws.

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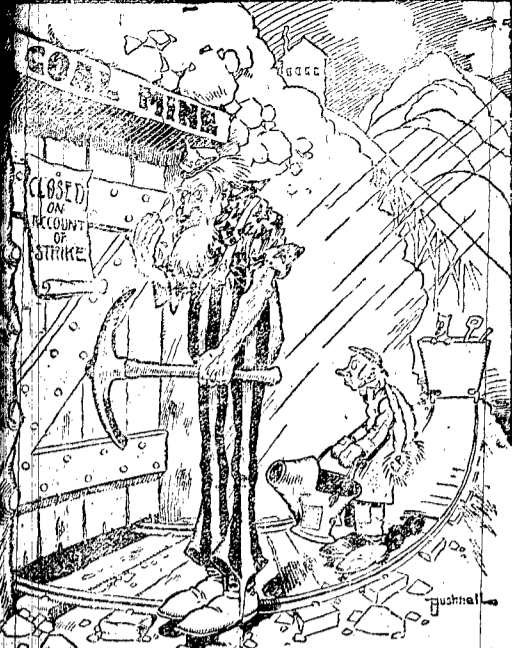
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"Well, gosh! I may have to dig a little coal myself."—Cincinnati

LABOR NOTES

However, cannot operate street railways.

Chicago city officials... the question of... street railways... the city can... control the... street railways... the city can... control the... street railways...

LABOR NOTES

1907—Year of Few Strikes. According to data just published by the Massachusetts Bureau of Labor, the year ending Sept. 30, 1907, was particularly free from industrial disputes in that State. There were but 128 labor contract strikes, 154 being strikes, 2 lockouts and 1 lockout. This number, as compared with the disputes of 1902-1904, shows a decrease of 10. The period was marked by no large or general strike, and, on the whole, the disputes were of minor importance, and the number of disputes was less than in any preceding year.

LABOR NOTES

Some of the most important contracts of Boston are being attempted to be renewed in the 10-hour workday. The Boston unions were informed last week, and immediately took steps to prevent any extension of the hours of labor from the present nine-hour day.

LABOR NOTES

After a conference at New York between John Mitchell and Samuel Gompers, it was announced that Gompers had declined the support of the American Federation of Labor to the mine workers' organization. Mr. Gompers held that all conditions of the miners were justified.

LABOR NOTES

The Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers has refused its sanction of the strike of 2900 skilled men of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, due to the charges of another for going to a school during work hours. This means that mill owners will be allowed to dictate regarding the drinking of employees when on duty.

LABOR NOTES

John A. Flatt, organizer of the A. F. of L. in Canada, reports his recent work in Montreal, Que. As a result of a long strike among the workers in that city, wages have steadily increased. This is especially noticeable in the building trades. Millers and shoe workers have also advanced very materially. Among the organized crafts the hours of labor are long and the wages are shorter. Skilled trades have been steadily employed. Even during the winter months, the wages to shoe cutters and only three remain to be settled with. As yet the retail clerks are not organized and as a consequence are working long hours. Laundry workers, leather workers, metal polishers, platers and brass workers have organized. Printing pressmen, electrical workers and fur workers are about to form unions.

LABOR NOTES

Massachusetts State Representative George H. Jackson of Lynn has introduced in the House a bill providing for the payment of a bonus to the laboring men of the State. The bill provides that strikers may legally walk upon the streets and highways in the vicinity of any place where a strike is in progress, and that they may approach persons working or intending to do so and persuade them to discontinue. In many respects the measure is similar to those which have been introduced by the laboring interests for several past sessions. Last year such a bill was defeated in the House.

LABOR NOTES

For the four months ending Jan. 31, 1908, there were issued from the office of the American Federation of Labor 83 charters to newly constituted unions, as follows: One international union, three State branches, 14 central bodies, 23 local trade unions and 37 Federal labor unions. This shows an increase of 23 charters issued by the American Federation of Labor over the corresponding four months of the previous year. This does not include the charters issued by the international unions to locals of their respective trades and callings.

LABOR NOTES

There are 670 vacancies for teachers in the elementary schools of London.

CONGRESS

ANTHRACITE AND BITUMINOUS SHAFTS CLOSED.

Pits East and West Are Decried—Regular Troops May Guard Properties—Operators Build Stockades and Blows May Be Unchecked.

A half million of the members of the United Mine Workers of America have ceased work, awaiting the granting of their wage demands by the coal operators of the country. It is anticipated that few operators in the southwestern district, composed of Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Texas, Indian Territory, and Oklahoma, will grant the scale for the present and a prolonged strike may follow. In Ohio, Indiana and Illinois the same condition is anticipated.

That there is to be war in the anthracite coal regions of Pennsylvania is indicated by the active and thorough preparation of the operators for a desperate struggle. Besides a small army of private well-armed guards, who have been recruited within the last three months in anticipation of a strike, several troops of mounted state constabulary have already been called into service at various mines.

As a result of demands of the mine owners, the whole face of Pennsylvania's State militia, numbering 10,000 men, has been ordered to be ready for service at an hour's notice. All this military activity, argue leaders of the miners, indicates that the hard coal operators are preparing for a supreme contest in which they confidently expect to smash the union, knock out the closed shops and become once more absolute dictators as to wages and working conditions.

BITTER STRUGGLE EXPECTED.

Although less than half of the anthracite miners are members of the union, the most of them having dropped out through nonpayment of dues, fully 95 per cent of the men will be in the great labor army when the war opens, ready to fight for the principles of unionism. There will be arrayed against the anthracite employers in this struggle fully 155,000 men. The State militia, it is believed by many, will be insufficient to control the situation if rioting begins, and national troops will be called in to aid them. For several months agents of the coal-producing railroads have been employing men ostensibly to serve as laborers and private watchmen at the mines. Stockades have been erected where none was required in 1900 or 1902, and miles of barbed wire fencing have been shipped into the anthracite region during the last week. Riot and bloodshed will follow any attempt to operate the mines during a strike. It was attempted in a small way in 1900, after the great majority of all the mine workers had quit, and men whose eyes were shot out, children who were blown out of their beds by dynamite and women who suffered serious injuries live to protest against the proposition to work the mines with non-union labor.

Never before in its history has the anthracite mining union been called upon to meet a determined attempt to work the mines during a general strike. The sentiment of the community in the mining region is hostile to such attempts and heretofore the operator has bowed to public sentiment. At this time, however, the operators think there is no general sympathy for the mine workers and that the demand for coal will compel them to work the mines.

ILLINOIS MINERS QUIT.

Without demonstration of any kind but quietly as for a holiday, 350 coal miners in Illinois elided down. The 53,000 miners employed in the shafts remained at their homes in pursuance of the strike instructions issued from the Springfield headquarters. Coal diggers came to an abrupt standstill practically throughout the State.

FLOODS DEMOLISH BIG DAM.

The great diversion dam at Altona, Wyo., erected by the reclamation service as a temporary structure to divert the waters of the rivers while the Pathfinder dam is being built, has been washed away. When the waters swept through the immense masonry work, workers barely escaped with their lives. The dam had been built at a cost of nearly \$100,000. Small cabins and barns floated down on the swollen stream, which, spreading over the lowlands, caused great loss to stockmen and ranchmen. Miles of the lowlands are flooded.

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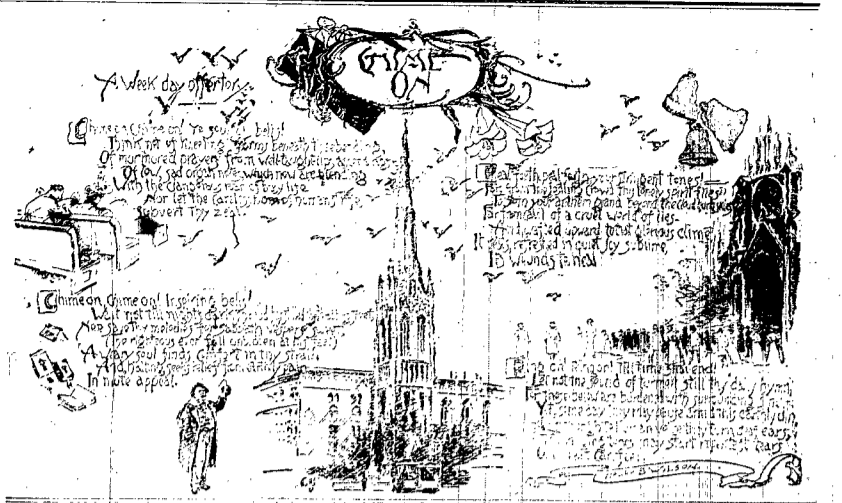
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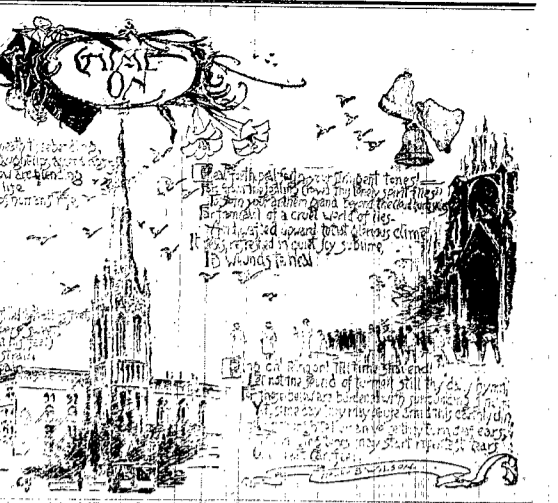
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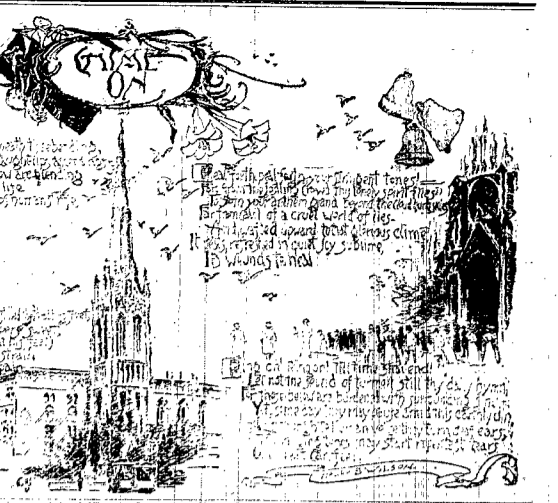
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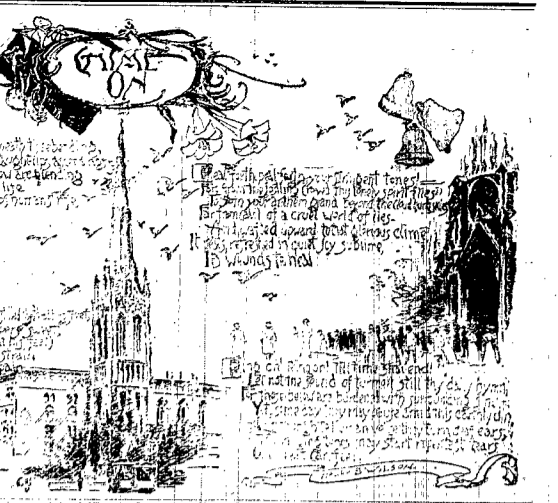
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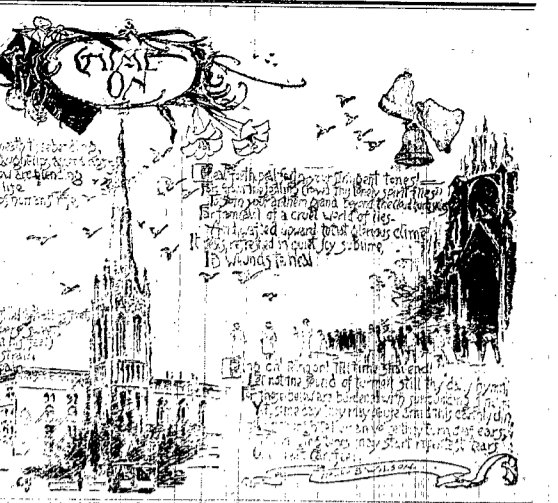
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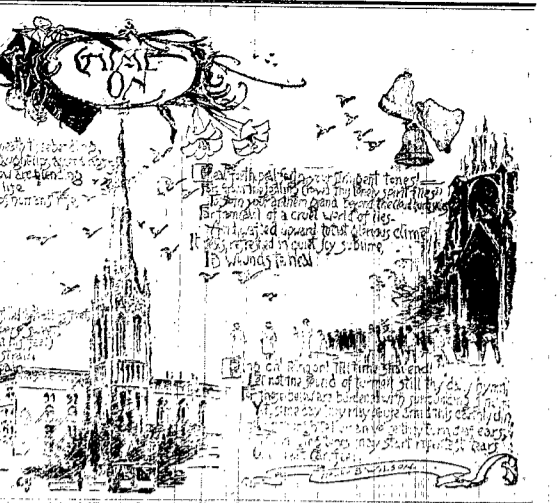
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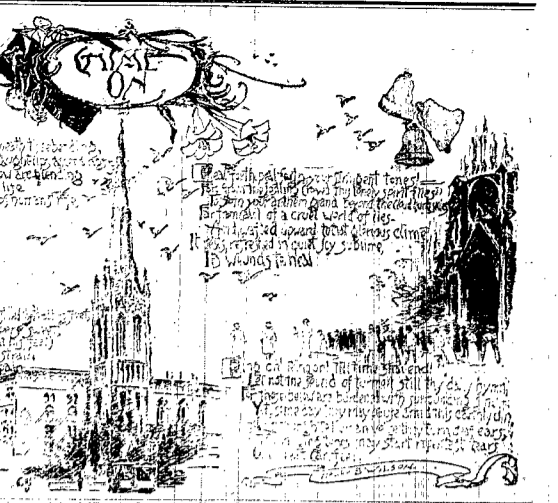
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