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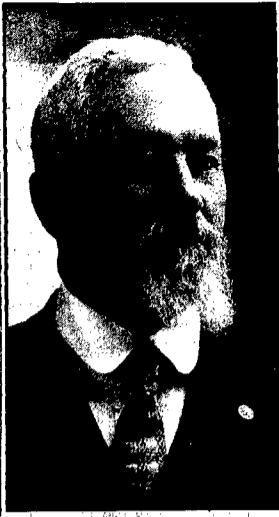
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JUDGE HUNTER IS DEAD

Pioneer Resident, Respected Citizen and Old Soldier Answers the Final Summons

After less than two weeks of serious illness, Enoch Hunter, county judge of Wayne county, died about 4 o'clock last Friday morning, aged sixty-six years, one month, and six days. The Judge had been in poor health for some time and had been gradually failing, but contrived to fill the duties of his office up to the time he was fatally stricken. On the Saturday before he was taken seriously ill he was over to Sioux City to consult a physician in regard to his case and was given the information that he had not long in which to finish his life's work. Two days before he was compelled to take to his bed he talked with the writer in relation to his visit to Sioux City and what the physicians had told him. He said: "I told them I wanted they should tell me how long they thought I could live and they told me not over thirty days at the outside," and then added, "I am ready to go; I have lived a good long time." Although our acquaintance with the Judge was limited, having only known him a few months, it brought a tinge of sadness to our heart and a tear to our eyes.

No man had a larger acquaintance in the county than Judge Hunter. That he enjoyed and the esteem of his fellow men is evidenced by the fact that he had held various offices in the county, being one of the men who assisted in the first organization of the county, and its first sheriff. In addition to this position he had also been clerk of the courts, deputy county treasurer, and at the time of his death was serving his sixth term as county judge. Besides these more important positions he had held many minor ones, on the school board and in the various fraternal organizations to which he belonged. Faithful, conscientious, trustworthy, conservative, and pains taking in all his official positions, it was not to be wondered at that he had the esteem and good will especially of all those who knew him along the years when day by day he was serving them so earnestly and well in all the positions which they called him to occupy.

Deceased was born May 19, 1843, in Jefferson county, Pennsylvania, where he resided until he was eleven years of age when he removed, with his parents to Illinois. It was from that state that he enlisted in the service of the government in the great civil war, as a member of the 4th Illinois cavalry, serving all through the war and participating in many battles. It was in that state on November 10, 1867, that he was united in marriage to Miss Rebecca Scott. They continued to reside in Illinois until 1870 when they came to Nebraska, settling in the southeast corner of what is now Wayne county, but which at that time was not yet organized. He and his good wife underwent all the privations and hardships of the pioneer life of those early days in the history of our state, and he lived to see the state of his adoption, or at least this portion of it, develop from a vast prairie region with only here and there a god house, to one of the most productive portions of our commonwealth, dotted with thriving villages and towns, happy homes, well tilled farms, and all the abundant evidences of a great civilization where only the wild beasts were wont to roam when first they settled here. To this union were born ten children, five only being alive at the present time, one son and four daughters, two of the latter being teachers in the Philippine Islands. The other children are residents of Wayne, Mrs. R. A. Sharp and one young daughter and son at home.

The funeral services, which were simple, were held at the family residence in Wayne at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, being conducted by Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick, of the M. E. church, who based his brief remarks on these words: "He who hath the Son hath life, and he who hath not the Son hath not eternal life." The pall bearers were selected from the various fraternal organizations to which he belonged, he being a member of the G. A. R., Masonic, Odd Fellows, A. O. U. W. and M. W. A. lodges, large delegations being present from all of these organizations. There was an abundance of beautiful flowers, both loose and in set pieces of fine design. The remains

were laid to rest in the cemetery at LaPorte, near the scene of his earlier life in this state, and were accompanied there by a large concourse of our people, although the roads were very bad and the distance nearly five miles, thus giving another evidence of their kind regard for him whom they had so long known as a comrade, brother, neighbor and friend. The Masonic lodge had charge of the exercises at the cemetery. Thus at the end of life's fitful fever he sleeps well, having served his family, his town, his county, state and nation in a faithful manner even unto the end.

FROM NEARBY TOWNS

SOME INTERESTING ITEMS

Gathered From Towns in the Adjoining Counties

The Cedar County Old settlers picnic will be held at Coleridge August 25.

The Randolph telephone exchange has passed into the hands of the Nebraska telephone company.

Rev. M. R. Weidman has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Congregational church at Wisner.

A call has been made to Rev. Clark, of Gordon, Nebraska, to become pastor of the Presbyterian church at Randolph.

At the Tekamah Race meet you will get more for one admission than anywhere else. Three harness races and one running race each afternoon.

The Randolph Times gave a list of thirty-five different persons who suffered loss in the severe storm in that vicinity last week, and there were others.

Of the fifty-two banks acting as plaintiffs in testing the new state bank guaranty law, the Farmers and Traders bank at Wakefield is one of them.

The hole for the oil well at Bloomfield is down over 700 feet. The drill can go to a depth of 3,000 feet if necessary. They ought to strike some thing in that depth.

The Osmond Republican has a new name for the cup that cheers but also inebriates. The paper calls it the "Belly-expander." Not a very elegant name to say the least but that seems to be the stuff they sell at Osmond.

While running a sewing machine, Mrs. J. A. O'Connor, of Lyons, got a thumb in such a position that it was run through by the needle. For nearly half an hour her thumb could not be extricated and then only after a machinist had been called to take the machine to pieces.

With their celebration only a week away the Wakefield town council went to work last week and passed an ordinance prohibiting the discharge of fire arms, fireworks, blank cartridges of all sizes, cap pistols, and cap exploding canes, also prohibiting the sale of fire-crackers larger than three inches in length or one-half inch in diameter, and the sale of cap pistols, papercaps and exploding canes, and providing a penalty for the violation of the same.

How They Like It

There are several things about a ball game that the average man who has any liking for the sport at all likes to see. 1st—To have the team just what it is represented to be, that is, all home men from the town they claim to represent, or at least men who are playing with that team all the season through. This Pilger did not have. At least two of the team were picked up here. 2nd—An umpire who understands the game, one who is fair in his decisions, and who, having made a decision, will stand by it. 3rd—No gambling or betting on the players or the result of the game. This could not be said of the game Tuesday. 4th—Every man gain entrance at the front way and pay his money like the most of them do. Some that went to Tuesday's game did not do this but climbed the fence near the rear. 5th—A clean, manly game all the way through, without disputes or wrangling. We are glad to say that the Wayne boys have been playing that kind of a game thus far and we believe they will continue to do so, and if they do they will have the loyal support of the Wayne people.

A Sad Accident

One of those unfortunate accidents that sometimes occur on the farm took place Monday afternoon at the M. J. Johnson home nine miles northeast of Wayne, near Concord, which resulted in the fatal injury of their son Frank, aged about twenty years. The young man had climbed up inside the windmill tower to the height of about thirty feet for the purpose of disconnecting the pumping rods. While engaged in his work the plank on which he was standing suddenly broke, throwing him to the ground below. He struck in such a way as to receive internal injuries from which he died Tuesday afternoon. Physicians were out from Sioux City Monday night and performed an operation but said that the young man did not have one chance in ten of recovering. It was indeed a sad accident, the taking out of life so suddenly a young man in his prime, and his parents will have the sincere sympathy of all their friends.

If you need help of any kind, tell as many people as possible. There are more than 40,000 people who subscribe for the Omaha Bee. You can tell them all for one cent a word per day. Write today.

MANY THINGS SAID OF WAYNE

ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Tales Tersely Told About the Town and People

Magnet Mail: Miss Freda Furness came up from Wayne and spent Sunday at home with her parents.

Hartington News: Mrs. Juhlin, of Wayne, is visiting friends in this city and vicinity this week.

Stanton Register: Lydia and Martha Goetsch, who have been at Wayne attending the State Normal, are spending their summer vacation at home.

Pierce Call: W. B. Mumford and daughter, Miss Estella, went to Wayne last Saturday where the young lady will take a course in the normal college.

Madison Post: Miss Nellie Trent went to Wayne Saturday for a visit with her sister, Miss Avis Trent, who is attending the Wayne Normal.

Randolph Enterprise: Nels Swanson was a Wayne visitor Monday. He has been ailing for some time and is taking osteopathic treatments.

Lyons Sun: A Wayne citizen has one hundred chickens seven weeks old that he refused one dollar each for. That eighty-five cent he got the other day we are convinced now was cheap. She wasn't big but she furnished chewing longer than any seven week old bird at a dollar.

Carroll Index: Ed Phipps, from near Wayne, spent the first of the week with relatives here. He was a welcome visitor to this office Monday. He is fast recovering his health.

Miss Crawford, who was elected to a position in the local schools, has resigned that she might accept a position in Oklahoma. Miss Clara Moran of Wayne, has been elected to the position made vacant by Miss Crawford.

Laurel Advocate: Mesdames Wm. Blummer and Geo. Ailine of Wayne were guests at the Philip Gratz home several days this week.

The Wayne people are almost unanimous in saying that they like the new saloon closing law. The 8 o'clock closing law was put into effect there the first of May.

An auto party composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harmon and Miss Maud Harmon of Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Walling, of Lec, visited the Panabaker family Tuesday.

W. A. Price took his mother, who has been visiting here the past month, to the home of a sister near Wayne Sunday. From there she will return to her home at Shenandoah, Iowa.

Wakefield Republican: Mr. and Mrs. Levi Kimball entertained Wayne and Wakefield friends last Friday night in honor of their son Herbert and wife of Spokane, Washington.

Dr. G. J. Green and wife and Miss Tyler of Wayne spent Sunday at the home of Thos. Rawlings. While here they all united with the Christian church.

The Westrand-Kinney Auto Co. have commenced running auto excursions to Wayne every Thursday night, weather permitting, the attraction being a band concert by the Wayne band. The price is 75 cents a passenger.

The Republican is informed that a dozen or more automobiles from Wayne will be in the parade here July 3rd. They will be decorated and with a like number from Wakefield and vicinity this part of the parade will contain twenty-five or thirty cars and possibly more.

Cyclone Strikes West Point

About 6:30 o'clock last Thursday evening a small cyclone struck West Point, the county seat of Cuming county, just south of here, completely demolishing the Catholic church, a brick structure valued at \$20,000, besides damaging a dozen residences. Shortly after 6 o'clock a black cloud came up from the north and bore down upon the town. When a short distance away it seemed to drop to the earth, passing through the resident portion of the town. The Catholic church was caught in its grip, the roof torn off and the walls thrown in. The roof and a portion of the walls of Fritz Rosenthal's large residence were demolished. Roofs were partially blown off of eleven other houses and scores of small buildings demolished. The losses are estimated at \$50,000. Several persons were slightly injured by flying timbers. Considerable damage was done to farm buildings in that vicinity.

Many people with chronic throat and lung trouble have found comfort and relief in Foley's Honey and Tar, as it cures stubborn coughs after other treatment has failed. L. M. Ruggles, Reasoner, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." Felber's Pharmacy.

The Farmers Mutual Insurance Co. writes insurance on horses up to \$150. See W. F. Assenheimer.

Good Roads Conference

The county commissioners of Pierce and Wayne counties met Wednesday at a point about five or six miles south of Randolph on the county line and extended greetings to each other. They also debated the matter of fixing the county line road for a stretch of ten miles, about seven miles south of Randolph to about three miles north. Some new bridges must be put in and the road fixed up in good shape. From what we understand the matter will be attended to by Pierce and Wayne counties to the north line of the latter, and north of Randolph Pierce and Cedar counties and the Randolph Improvement Club will take up the matter. Randolph Times.

If people with symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble could realize their danger they would without loss of time commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. This great remedy stops the pain and the irregularities, strengthens and builds up these organs and there is no danger of Bright's disease or other serious disorder. Do not disregard the early symptoms. Felber's Pharmacy.

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On the matter of good prices for wheat, corn, hogs, cattle and in fact everything produced on the farm, the farmers of Nebraska have certainly been more profitably favored of late years than any other class of people. It would seem that the day of low, profitless prices has passed. Such has been the increase in population and industrial development throughout the country that where years ago the cry and trouble was "overproduction," the last year or two it seems the trouble is the other way—the demand greater than the production. Conditions have so changed that it is now quite generally believed that farm products will never again, at least at a low level of prices. This means that farming will be one of the most profitable things a man can engage in. It also means increasing demands for farm land and increasing land values.

Lots of 4th of July goods on display. Even though there is no celebration here there will be plenty of opportunity for the boys to make a noise on that glorious day.

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CHAPTER XVIII.

I was on the stairs like a flash, to find Duponceau, one of the old broadsworded in his hand, holding the balcony. My eyes were to be seen just above the floor of the porch, where the invaders had climbed by means of my trellises, but the faces of those who seemed very little to come farther. They had come to cover their attack from the protection of the dunes, and Duponceau was screaming that he would be as good as dead if he did not get himself out of the house. At the ring of the door-bell, he no longer reached his side, however, when a man hung a handful of gold in Duponceau's face, temporarily blinding him, at the same moment the other leaped up the trellis and climbed over the balcony rail. I met him face to face, and recognized the surly chap who had pulled on me that first day from the back of the boat. He had no other weapon, but he was hoping to topple me down from under him. Instead, his hands came from under him, and clutching a knife he fell flat on the balcony. He lay there for a second; his arms about his head, while I tried to get my hands under the chest to push myself up. Suddenly he got up, and with a lurch he came over, so that now I lay under him, and he pinned my arms. Then he began to groan, and his hands on my chest, he held the breath from my body. He was heavy, and I felt myself going down, drawing each breath harder, seeing red more fully, when with a jerk the pressure stopped, and I looked up to see Charles with his arms about the man's shoulders, slowly but inexorably throwing him over the side. His hands relaxed, there was a groan, and the man lay flat on his back. Charles quickly kneeling on the balcony, he struggled to get up. He held the man down the supports by pulling with his sword over the edge. "Throw him over," he commanded us, and quickly we had the hapless creature up on the railing and had dropped him into the sea below. He fell with a soft thud, and we turned to other matters.

It was high time. Battered at the balcony, the enemy were already trying to get to the front of the door. At the first sound of the alarm, Rodney had drawn my dining-table and the heavy oak settle across the door, and fortified it with every heavy weapon in doors. Now the battering began, and Duponceau and Charles joined him with an axe I found in my hand. I picked away the trellises that climbed to the balcony. "Verily the fight was not when I would cut down my own property."

A heavy log struck the door, and it ripped away a panel. The log was withdrawn, there was a shout, and the door was being battered. The upper part of the door and carrying side in to the settle. I was mad, mad through and through, at the thought of these desperadoes, and a glance at Charles' face told me that he was the same. We built up the barricade, we tried to stay it against the next assault, but this time the upper part of the door burst in. The door was almost face to face with me. Rodney and I crammed the dining-room table into place, and threw the chairs behind it. I cared little now for the furniture; were beaten into

"Now," cried Duponceau. There was a boom, a crash, and the battering-ram shot half way into the house. As it cleared away the door, Duponceau leaped over the wreck of the table and laid his hands on the enemy. I saw one man fall sideways, and the rest, started into flight. The man with eyes ablaze, head bashed, and fell back. "Come on," he cried. "There is room for two abreast!" But no one came on; the passage through that open doorway looked dubious.

A hurried conference, a quick dispersal, and then the enemy was back, armed with clubs, and the work of the door was not so easy. A blow aimed at my head fell on Charles' head, and he had the man reeling in a corner with a sudden thrust of his arm. Another man followed, and he and I laid about each other, blow falling on sword and sword on pine-wood. We had the advantage in that we stood on the chairs, the table, and went to looting the enemy's attached positions. Face to face with us, toppling over the broken furniture, their armor passed, and gradually we drove them back, pressing them out of the doorway harder than they had pressed in. The man opposite me aimed a savage blow, I dodged, and, grappling with him, threw him with all my strength across the table. From there Duponceau rolled him out against his comrades. All this time Monsieur Pierre had fought like a demon, but now one man fell against his legs, while another struck him a glance-blow across the shoulders, and before he could gain his footing he fell from the table back into the room, striking against the settle. He lay there still. Rodney came to his place, and I jumped beside

him. I cried, and a moment later what was left of the enemy safely attacking party gathered together, with many ill looks at us, finally Charles pulled the man he had ordered up before us, and asked should be done with him. I pointed where the others were turning up their heads. "Almost too good for him," I said. "It does." I had to hold my breath to check now as I looked at the broken door and devastated room. "I cried, 'before I begin to talk about the rest of your gang, they get their just deserts. Do you fellows make it! The look in this door there'll get out.'"

"Well," he said, "I know: Duponceau's Etienne."

"Yes, Etienne, the French Colossus, the man who made fortunes in months and lost them in hours, who planned to make the poor of France rich and made them poorer than before, the man who's played hob with the markets of Europe for the last six months."

I could say nothing; I was agape. "The most precious commodity of the age," said Rodney, "but it's potentially the greatest benefactor. It was a loss which way his coin would fall, and it fell wrong."

"Well," I said, "I certainly never should have thought it!"

"Nor I," assented Islip; "never, never, never."

"How do you know?" I demanded. "It's public property. It's all in the papers," he added, pulling a newspaper from his pocket and flinging it over to me. "He escaped from France on a merchant vessel, and landed on the New England coast, carrying with him papers and securities of the greatest value. A score of men have been trying to bag him and the papers without unnecessary noise."

"And we have been harboring him!" I added.

"We certainly have, and doing our best to help him evade his enemies and make off with the remainder of his spoils."

"I can't help it," I said; "I like him, and I don't believe he's as bad as people make out. He's certainly a born leader."

"No was Napoleon," answered Rodney; "and it wasn't until he failed that people saw the other side of his genius. I fancy Duponceau's a genuine one, but his ideas have been a little inflated—but his ideas his bubble bursts the world calls him a villain."

"If his intentions were good, where does the crime lie?"

(To be continued.)

ONE ROOM FLATS.

A Novelty from the West Designed to Save Space.

The one room flat is a real estate novelty from the West. This so-called one room flat, by means of specially built furniture, makes its one room serve for the purposes that usually take several. Several Western cities are provided with these apartment houses, some of them sheltering as many as twenty-eight families. Some of them are called "residence hotels," and offer tenants the choice of taking their meals in the public dining-room or using the domestic facilities attached to their own room.

Of course, the flat has in reality more than one room. There is an entrance hall, a bathroom and a narrow apartment adjoining the main room, which serves for the operation of the furniture, which swings on a pivot. The plan of these flats shows one large room, with a kitchenette, a bathroom and this curious room about three feet deep, running parallel with the main living room. One end of this serves to supply the closet room, while the other provides the space for the furniture to swing about in.

When the one room flat is serving as a drawing-room there is a small center table, a combination desk and bookcase, and a sideboard which stands in its place, where the room is to be used as a sitting or dining room. It is only at slumber time that the sideboard turns around, and on the other side of the board partition back of it there swings into view a brass bed. This is folded up against the board, but it is so arranged that the bedclothes attached to hooks in the head of the bed are allowed to swing free and are aired all day.

The library table, merely by swinging its edge around, doubles its size and is capable of seating four persons. When bedtime is at hand the bookcase, which stands next the sideboard, also does it turn, and in its place there appears a dressing table. Of course, the same chairs must serve and they must be selected with appropriateness for the varied uses of the room.

The great merit claimed for these one room flats is the saving of space, the freedom from the greater cares of housekeeping and the possibility of housing so many families in one building. Of course the patented furniture made for them is the indispensable element of the scheme and without it such dwelling places would not be possible. So it is naturally the company that manufactures the furniture which is putting up the houses, selling stock in them and otherwise promoting them as they would any other building project. In not every case is the house supplied with a hotel dining room. In some there are only the small kitchens.

Few of the persons who live in these one room flats are fortunate enough to possess servants, nor do they feel the need of them. It is, of course, necessary to put up the houses on sites which allow light to every room; as a one room flat cannot depend for its light and air on other rooms.

Strange Omission.

A woman who visited the British museum recently inquired of an attendant: "Have you no skull of Cromwell? I have been looking all around for a skull of Oliver Cromwell."

"No, madam," replied the attendant. "We've never had one."

"How very odd!" she exclaimed. "They have a fine one in the museum at Oxford!"—Ladies' Home Journal.

An Eye to Business.

Art Dealer—What! You want \$500 for that picture? You must be crazy. De Auber—Not necessarily. I'm merely trying to discount the future. Art Dealer—How's that? De Auber—Two hundred years hence that picture will probably sell for \$5,000—but I'm willing to take 90 per cent off for cash.

Spring Cleaning.



HOUSEHOLD TALKS.

Onion Egg.

Boil one dozen eggs quite hard, slice and fry in butter six large onions, slice ten of the eggs, keeping two of them for seasoning, drain the fried onions and lay them on a dish with the sliced eggs placed over them; grate the yolks of the remaining two eggs and mix with sweet cream a little grated nutmeg and a little red pepper. Boil this mixture in a small saucepan one minute, pour over the eggs and onions and send to the table hot.

Measuring One Cup.

Young house-keepers are often at a loss when a recipe calls for a cup of anything to tell what kind of a cup to use or how much a cup measures. The accepted measure is a stone kitchen cup and means that cup filled to the brim. It is equal to one-half pint.

A cup of solid buttermilk, chopped meat or granulated sugar is equal to about half a pound. A cup of sifted flour is equal to a quarter of a pound.

Swedish Cookies.

One large glass of maple syrup, one-half pound of granulated sugar, one teaspoon of cloves, one teaspoon of ginger, one teaspoon of cinnamon. Cook until they hold together when tried in water. Take off fire and beat in one-half pound of butter. When cold, beat in three eggs and enough flour of bicarbonate of potash dissolved in water. Stand over night. In the morning, if necessary, add a little flour. Roll, cut thin and bake.

Scalloped Onions.

Peel one quart of small onions and cook in boiling salted water until tender. If they are very strong change the water once or twice while cooking. When done, drain and pour them into a buttered baking dish. Pour over them one and one-half cups of white sauce. Cover with buttered bread crumbs and bake until nicely browned.

Shird Pie Soled.

After the parboiled roses are chilled cut into slices, sprinkle with salt and pepper and marinate with a little lemon juice. Keep in a cold place several hours. Line a salad bowl with lettuce leaves, mix a little watercress or parsley with the prepared roses and lay in the center of the leaves. Cover with mayonnaise or a French dressing.

Peanut Sandwiches.

Shell and skin freshly roasted peanuts and roll them to the crumbs on a pastry board. Add salt to taste, and mix the powdered nuts with enough fresh cream cheese to make a paste that can be easily spread on unbuttered bread. Keep in a cold, damp place until wanted.

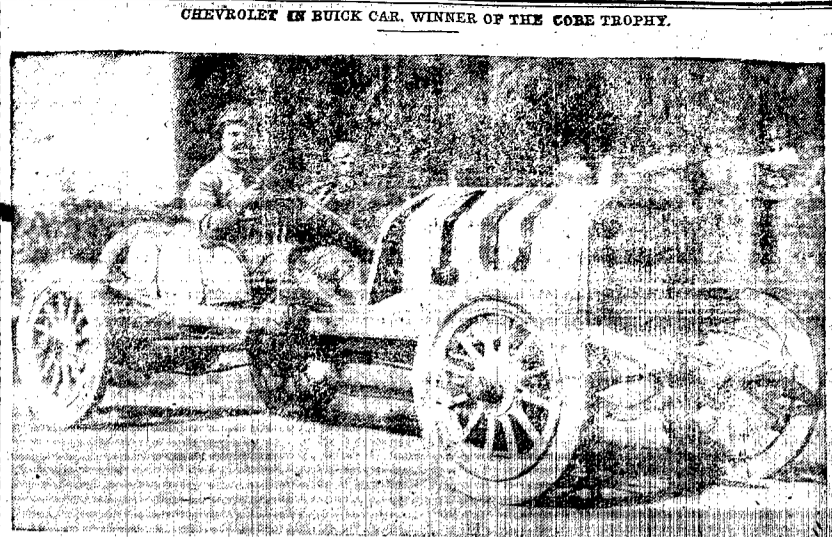
Baked Hollis.

One quart of bread dough, when it is molder for the last raising; mold in a cupful of maple sugar, one-quarter teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of butter. Let it rise and mold again and cut out, rise and bake. These are very nice.

To Preserve Brooms.

Dip your broom for a minute or two in your wash boiler of boiling suds once a week and it will last much longer, making it tough and pliable. Carpets or rugs will wear much longer swept with a broom cared for in this manner.

Short Suggestions.



NINE KILLED IN WRECK.

Two Heavily Laden Cars Crash Together with Fatal Results.

Nine men were killed and at least a dozen men and women injured Saturday night in a head-on collision between two heavy cars of the South Shore Electric Railway at South Crossroads, Ind. The accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock. A west-bound car was coming at high speed down a long hill, which is formed by the elevated structure under which the Lake Shore railroad tracks pass. The east-

BALLOON FALL KILLS THREE.

Russian Count, Court Chamberlain and Wife Dashed to Death.

Court Chamberlain Paltzin, his wife and Count Rostoff, director of the private chancellery of Empress Alexandra, were killed in a balloon accident at St. Petersburg. The balloon, General Wannowski, belonging to the army department, in which four men ascended from the military park in charge of Captain Kornev. In the basket with him were Count Chamberlain Paltzin and his wife and

MINISTERS OUST FOSTER.

Expelled from Chicago Conference on Account of Heretical Views.

Professor George Burman Foster on Monday was expelled from the Chicago Baptist Ministers' Conference because of heretical views expressed in his recent book on "The Function of Reason." After a long and heated debate in which the clergyman indulged in bitter personalities, the organization at its weekly meeting decided by a vote of 40 to 10 to drop the University of Chicago professor from its membership. The action does not affect Professor Foster's standing as a member of the conference, but simply voids his right of fellowship in the conference. The resolution finally passed was a strong one, and was able to command the support of a number who disliked the sort of tactics pursued by the loss of Professor Foster. As introduced by Rev. Johnston Myers, leader of the anti-Foster forces, the original resolution recited the various accusations against Professor Foster and declared his retention in the association incompatible with the denomination. It also called upon the trustees of the University of Chicago to dismiss Professor Foster from the faculty of the institution. With the consent of Mr. Myers the resolution was amended and simplified until its final form, as passed, was as follows: "Resolved, That the Baptist Ministers' Conference of Chicago drop Professor George Burman Foster from its membership."

LORE BANDIT GETS BANK CASH.

Daylight Raid in Fort Worth Nets \$5,700 Plunder.

A lone highwayman, well dressed and appearing like a man of affairs, robbed the Waggoner Bank and Trust Company in Fort Worth, Tex., of \$5,700 in currency Tuesday afternoon. The bank is in the central part of Fort Worth's business district. The robber escaped.

The robbery was the most daring in Texas in some years. Cashier Walter E. King was alone in the bank, balancing the business of the day, when a well-dressed stranger walked in. As the man approached the window of the cashier's desk King looked into the muzzle of a revolver. Next came the demand for the money in sight. "Make a move or notice of any kind and I'll kill you," was the greeting King remembers.

The cashier handed over the money, and, studying the trail of bills into his pocket, the man backed out of the door under cover of his pistol. As King ran to a telephone he saw the robber walking down the street and mingling with the crowd with an air of unconcern. The police reached the scene five minutes later, but the stranger had disappeared.

FIGHT FOR THE PENNANTS.

Standing of Clubs in the Principal Base Ball Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.					
W. L.	W. L.	W. L.	W. L.		
Pittsburg	.39	13	Ph'd'phia	.24	27
Chicago	.35	19	St. Louis	.23	31
New York	.28	22	Brooklyn	.19	33
Cincinnati	.29	26	Columbus	.13	37

AMERICAN LEAGUE.					
W. L.	W. L.	W. L.	W. L.		
Detroit	.37	13	New York	.25	27
Ph'd'phia	.30	23	Chicago	.24	28
Pittsburg	.31	24	Washington	.19	33
Cleveland	.29	25	St. Louis	.19	35

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.					
W. L.	W. L.	W. L.	W. L.		
Milwaukee	.35	29	Louisville	.33	31
Columbus	.34	31	Km. City	.28	32
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EIGHT-HOUR LAW UPHOLD.

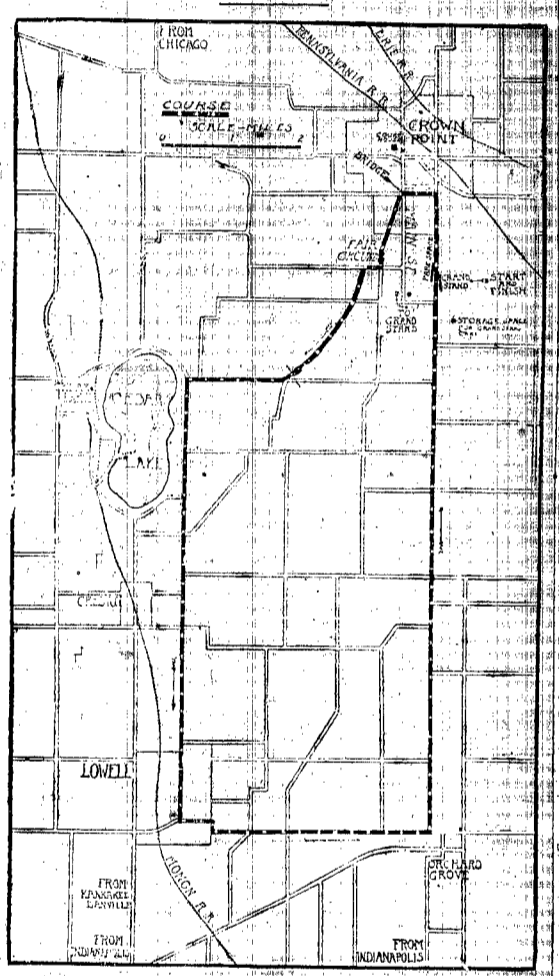
Judge Doyle Rules Oklahoma Law In Constitutional.

The eight-hour law passed by the first Oklahoma Legislature was held constitutional by Judge Thomas Doyle of the State Criminal Court of Appeals, thus sustaining Judge J. C. Strang of the County Court at Guthrie and overruling a recent opinion by Attorney General West that the law was unconstitutional.

Miss Identical as Slayer.

York Tofofo, the 14-year-old New York boy who brought to light the murder of Samuel Bersin, identified Samuel Goldberg, a painter, as the man who had employed him to watch the two bundles which later were found to contain the headless and dismembered body of Bersin.

MAP OF CROWN POINT, IOWELL AUTOMOBILE COURSE.



SLAIN MAN'S BODY IN CAR.

Victim of Murder and Robbery Found at Akron, Ohio.

The body of an unidentified man about 40 years old, who doubtless had been murdered and robbed, was found in a box car at Akron, Ohio. The man's skull had been crushed in, and his pockets cut open and rifled. The car was received from Hammond, Ind. A slip of paper, found in a pocket, addressed to "M. O'Brien," said: "Take Fairfield elevated to La Grange car, get off at Oden avenue." The note is believed to have referred to a Chicago address.

Shoots at Barn; Kills Man.

To test a twenty-two caliber rifle, a farm hand fired it at the side of a barn near Aberdeen, S. D. William Douglas, aged 30, formerly of Detroit, who was in the barn, was struck and died as he staggered into the yard.

Boy in Blue Back Again.

Army Do Away with Brown Canvas Fatigue Uniform.

The War Department in Washington intends to save \$192,800 in the next three years and a proportionate sum yearly thereafter by changing the cloth of the fatigue uniform or working clothes of the enlisted men of the United States army from brown canvas to blue denim. The latter material has been found in every way as satisfactory as the former and the cost is about one-fourth less.

Noted British Artist Dead.

Edward John Gregory, R. A., president of the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colors, died at Great Marlow, England. He was born in 1850.

Count Rostoff.

The balloon drifted across the city at an altitude of a little less than a mile, and when it was just above the outskirts Count Rostoff, by mistake, pulled the rip cord. As the gas escaped from the envelope the balloon descended rapidly to the ground, and the car fell in the garden of a country house. Captain Kornev escaped with a broken leg.

BODY FOUND IN TRUNK.

Victim Believed to Be Elsie Sigel, Granddaughter of General Sigel.

The body of a young and pretty woman, strangled to death and then wedged into a small steamer trunk, was found by the police on the top floor of a four-story brick building at 782 8th avenue, New York.

Two Chinamen who disappeared suddenly about the time the woman came to her death are being sought by the police, who are also endeavoring to ferret out the significance attending the mystery in the disappearance of Elsie Sigel, of 209 Wadsworth avenue, a granddaughter of the late General Franz Sigel, of Civil War fame, who has been missing from New York for a fortnight.

Around the dead girl's neck was found a gold plated clasp pin bearing the letters "E. C. S." The father of Miss Sigel, who is an inspector in the health department, could not identify the trinket as that of his girl. Her mother identified it later.

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TUMOR OF FOUR YEARS GROWTH

Removed by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound removed a cyst tumor of four years' growth, which three of the best physicians declared I had. They said that only an operation could help me. I am very glad that I followed a friend's advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for it has made me a strong and well woman, and I shall recommend it as long as I live.—Mrs. MAY FAY, Lindley, Ind.

One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy—tumor. If you have mysterious pains, inflammation, ulceration or displacement, don't wait for time to confirm your fears and go through the horrors of a hospital, but try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and such unquestionable testimony as the above proves the value of this famous remedy, and should give confidence and hope to every sick woman.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

INTOLERABLE ITCHING.

Removes All Over Baby's Face—Perfect Care by Cuticura.

When my little girl was six months old I noticed small red spots on her right cheek. They grew so large that I sent for the doctor, but instead of helping the eruption, his ointment seemed to make it worse. Then I went to a second doctor who said it was eczema. He also gave me an ointment which did not help either. The disease spread all over the face and the eyes began to swell. The itching grew intolerable and it was a terrible sight to see my child in such pain.

I consulted doctors for months, but they were unable to cure the baby. I paid out from \$20 to \$30 without result. One evening I began to use Cuticura Remedies. The next morning the baby's face was all white instead of red. I continued until the eczema entirely disappeared. Mrs. P. E. Gumbin, Shiloh, Pa., July 13, 1908.

Porter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston.

Stung! Nan, the trouble with Billy is that he doesn't know what to do with his hands. Frank says she does; he told me once that you were to many pins in your belt—Chicago Tribune.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease

A powder to shake into your shoes. It cures the Itchy Feet, Corns, Bunions, Swollen Feet, Aching Feet, Sweating Feet and Itching Feet. Allen's Foot-Ease makes your feet comfortable. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Heroic husbands. Some women were discussing over their attention to the statement that a man is no more a hero to his wife than to his valet. There seemed to be no opposition to the idea that a man's valet did not appreciate him, but all stoutly maintained that their husbands were heroes—in one way or another.

"My husband is very heroic," said Mrs. Black. "For instance, he will give up his visit to the club to play jack straws with my old mother, and she is his mother-in-law, you know."

"I think I can beat that," remarked Mrs. Gray. "When my husband's quarters were in my mother's smile, as he writes a check, and never thinks of looking at the items."

"I can give you a better example than either of those!" exclaimed Mrs. White. "When the morning paper comes at breakfast time, my husband always turns me the first reading of it."

An informal vote awarded the last speaker's husband the medal for heroism.

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Civil War Stories

A Plucky Girl.

"Relate your experience as a prisoner, Colonel," said the worthy's wife, as he declared his inability to furnish a story for that evening.

"You have already heard that, which is no adventure of mine, by the way, or at least I played a very unimportant part."

"It's so long, since I heard it that the circumstance has escaped my memory," returned the lady.

The Colonel acquiesced and said: "It is a pretty story enough; but the heroine did not consider me in the least. I can promise you. Did you never think how seldom an adventure crosses the path of a married man? They are either shot dead, and there is nothing to tell, or—"

"Perhaps the actors keep the story to themselves," I suggested, "for fear of more adventures at home."

"Well, I was a party in the affair, if not a principal, and the matter is as follows:

"There was a young man, whom I will call Frank Tooke, in my regiment. He was the nephew of a farmer dwelling in Missouri near the place where I was located at that time.

"Frank had entered the service without his uncle's consent, and, indeed, against his inclination; for the old gentleman had leanings in the contrary direction.

"His distaste was not so strong, however, but that he invited the story teller to accompany Frank to the farm-house to tea.

"I refused twice or thrice; but as the farmer continued his sollicitations, I at last appointed a day, and accompanied by Frank, rode over to the farmer's house.

"We were well received, and everything done to make the visit pleasant; but as it contains nothing remarkable I shall pass it.

"But one object of my observation was the young woman who displayed so much energy a few hours later.

"She was the daughter of a neighbor, and as I soon suspected from several glances I witnessed between Frank and herself, she had been invited by Mr. Tooke's daughters to meet their cousin.

"She was a pretty girl, with dark hair and eyes, bright and good-natured. As I sat along with Frank for a few minutes just before sundown, he told me all about her, and something that seemed to interest him above the rest—she was his promised wife.

"So far the visit was fair as could be described; but misfortune was gathering, and soon after night set in it descended.

"It was a warm evening, and the windows of the sitting room, opening out upon a long veranda, had been raised to admit the air.

"We were seated quietly, listening, I believe, to the mistress of Frank's affections while she played a rattling war tune upon the antiquated organ, when I happened to turn toward the windows, and saw a sight that brought me upon my feet immediately.

"A large, bearded man stood upon the veranda looking into the room. He held a long rifle in his hands, and as I rose presented it at my head.

"No resistance," he said, harshly, and stepping in through the window, was followed by half a dozen men.

"All was excitement and alarm. The women screamed, and old Mr. Tooke swore; but it was all of no use.

"I had been warned before coming to the farm house that a detachment of Hildebrand's bushwhackers were lurking in the neighborhood, and I at once concluded that I had fallen into their power.

"They had surrounded the house, and escape was impossible. Frank and myself were soon bound to our chairs at the mercy of the rascals.

"They did not attempt to plunder the house. Perhaps they had some respect for Mr. Tooke's principles, but nothing he could say prevailed upon the fellows to release their prisoners.

"I saw that after the first burst of excitement was over Miss Brady, Frank's betrothed, seemed to become strangely composed.

"She whispered a few words to the ear of Mr. Tooke, and then left the room.

"The old man came up to the leader of the gang and invited him to partake of a cold collation and some liquor he had that day procured.

"This offer was accepted at once, and the outlaws were very merry for half an hour—so long as the liquor lasted—but they were careful to have a guard upon us, and no opportunity presented itself for our escape.

"At last they prepared to leave the house, and we were led into the yard and mounted upon a pair of poor horses behind two powerful ruffians.

"The band rode off at a good pace, which was kept up until we arrived at a thick wood upon the bank of a river, five miles from Mr. Tooke's residence.

"This seemed to be the rendezvous of the gang, for fires were smoldering and a few camp utensils were scattered about upon the ground.

"Dismounting, the horses were picketed and the marauders prepared to turn in for the night.

"Blankets were furnished us, but we were not in condition to court sleep with any success.

"Mercy was an article to be expected from the gang only so long as it suited their inclinations; they were unable to drag us to execution at the least alarm.

"Guards were set around the camp, and soon all was quiet.

"An hour or more dragged away. You may imagine how pleasant I felt with the prospect of meeting a miserable death in the morning.

"Disgrace was certain at least, for I would be carried away into the mountains, far off from my command. The prospect of release was small, for there was no exchange of prisoners with the guerrilla band.

"But suddenly I heard a slight noise at my side. We lay at the foot of a

tree, wrapped in our blankets, side by side. By the smoldering light of the fire I saw a hand appear from behind the tree.

"It rested upon Frank's shoulder, while a voice said: "Be quiet—help is near."

"The young fellow started violently, his lips parted, and I feared he would alarm the foe.

"But he choked back his astonishment, and soon recognized the speaker as Miss Brady.

"Are your hands free?" she asked in a whisper.

"No," returned Frank in the same tone.

"She moved cautiously forward and severed the bands. I was soon afterward released.

"Where is the sentinel?" I asked, still lying in the same position, and tell us how you came here, that we may know how to proceed."

"The fellow is upon the other side of the camp, upon the ground; I believe he is asleep."

"But who is with you?" asked Frank; "you did not come alone."

"A negro servant is all. I have horses, though; you must slip away."

"We rose up carefully from the ground, and slipped away after Miss Brady, who led the way toward the horses.

"As we reached the place where they stood, the young woman gave an exclamation of startled surprise, and turned back quickly.

"There's the sentinel," she whispered.

"Looking forward, I saw the shadow of a tall man but a few feet distant. "He was coming directly toward us, and as his eyes were fastened upon me, I knew my presence had been discovered."

"Determined to resist capture, I moved forward.

"He mistook me for one of his comrades probably, for he came directly up to me without a word.

"I knew that I would be recognized immediately, and resolved to take advantage of the man's ignorance of my intent.

"As he came within reach I leaped upon him and seized his throat.

"He gave a yell of surprise and fear; but Frank came to my assistance and the ruffian was soon silent.

"But his yell had aroused the camp, and we heard the outlaws run to their weapons and answer the sentinel with wild cries.

"Come on," cried Miss Brady, running forward toward the point where the horses were concealed.

"We soon came upon a negro who held three horses, and an instant later were in the saddle.

"As we galloped out of the woods the bushwhackers were at our heels.

"The horses we rode were poor, and, as one was double loaded, escape would have been impossible had it not been for the fortunate arrival of a posse of soldiers from the camp.

"The marauders at once ran off at the appearance of reinforcements, and we saw them no more.

"Half an hour later we reached Mr. Tooke's farm-house, when Miss Brady gave the following account of her plan:

"When she saw her lover captured by the guerrillas, she had hurried to the negro quarters, and dispatched a boy to the camp for aid.

"This was a good move, as the plunderers would not have been easily discovered; but the girl was quickly and as she saw the men preparing to quit the place with their prisoners, she, with the aid of a negro, equipped the steeds, and followed upon the trail.

"The remainder had been accomplished with ease; for the gang expected nothing of the sort, and were off their guard.

"But it is not every young woman nowadays that would display so much resolution and courage."—Chicago Ledger.

A movement to erect on the battlefield of Gettysburg a monument to Rev. Father William Corby, chaplain of the famous Irish brigade, is meeting with much success. Father Corby was born in Michigan and was educated at Notre Dame University, near South Bend, Ind. He became a member of the Order of the Holy Cross, and when the civil war began, volunteered his services as chaplain, as did several of his classmates. He was assigned to the Irish brigade, composed of the Sixty-third, Sixty-ninth and Eighty-eighth New York, and a Pennsylvania regiment.

Quickly he won the admiration and loyalty of the soldiers. His virility, his deep and vigorous sincerity made him more than popular with those gallant fighters, who later achieved fame in many a hazardous campaign and bloody struggle.

His name is frequently mentioned in history for his unflinching zeal in caring, not only for the spiritual needs of the men, but for their comfort. The wounded, the heartick, loved the rugged priest, the dying entrusted to him their messages to those back home, and many a stricken home in the North had reason to thank Father Corby for the letters of sympathy and cheer that robbed black hours of half their pain.

The plan to commemorate the life and services of Father Corby is headed by the Gettysburg Memorial Commission, whose president is Gen. St. Clair Mulholland, an officer in the Eighty-eighth New York Infantry during the war, and therefore acquainted with the famous priest. The statue will be of bronze, 8 feet high, and will represent Father Corby giving absolution just before battle. The priest's figure, however, will be clad in the uniform of a captain of the cavalry, which was his military status. Prominent clergymen have lent encouragement to the memorial idea. It is hoped that the statue will be ready for unveiling a year from June 10, when the great memorial arch will be dedicated.

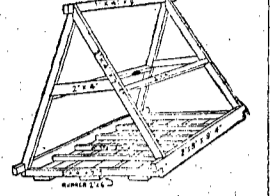
After the war Father Corby threw himself with renewed vigor into his chosen work. He was twice made president of the Notre Dame University, and at the time of his death, in 1897, was provincial of the Order of the Holy Cross.



Portable Hog House.

A small house which can be occupied by a brood sow and her litter is the best for raising strong, healthy hogs. It is the most cleanly and sanitary, and with well-arranged yards the pigs can be cared for with practically no more labor than in a long house.

A very economical and useful house is shown in the accompanying cuts. It is set on 2x8-in. posts and the house is 9 ft. 4 in. long and 7 ft. 8 in. wide. A tight, smooth floor, with no cracks or knots holes, is essential. The frame will allow 16 ft. boards and battens to be sawed in two.



FRAMEWORK AND DIMENSIONS.

At each end of the house is a door 2 ft. wide and 2 ft. 6 in. high, which slips up and down between grooves or cleats, and is held up by a rope passing through a small pulley at the ridge. It is quite desirable to have doors at both ends.

A necessary adjunct to a sanitary pen is the ventilator in the roof. Two of the 12 in. roof boards are sawed off

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English Harness Blacking. Three ounces of turpentine and two ounces of white wax are dissolved together over a slow fire. Then add one ounce of ivory black and one dram of indigo well pulverized and mix together. When the wax and turpentine are dissolved, add the ivory black and indigo and stir until cold. Apply thin. Wash afterward, and you will have a beautiful polish. This blacking keeps the leather soft and is excellent for harness and buggy tops.

Pure Milk. Certified milk sells in all large cities for about twice the price of other milk. It is absolutely clean, no impurities being allowed to get into the milk. A layer of fine cheesecloth is stretched over the milk pail, a layer of absorbent cotton is placed upon that, then another piece of cheesecloth. There is no sediment in the bottom of the milk vessels of milk treated in this way. It is not expensive either.

War on Bad Seed. Good work in detecting adulterated seeds is being carried on by the Department of Agriculture. Of 1,471 samples of seeds taken last year 102 samples were found adulterated or misbranded. The department publishes the results of the test, together with the names of the firms that sold the seed. It is claimed that since this work began the trade in adulterated seeds has fallen off greatly.

Creamery Butter Production. The 1900 census gave the total amount of creamery butter made in the United States as 420,126,000 pounds. In 1904 the figures had increased to 531,480,000, and it is estimated that the 1910 figures will reach fully 725,000,000 pounds.

The Apple Country of Europe. Normally it is the apple country of Europe. Germany is its best customer. The apples which could not be sold were turned into 75,000,000 gallons of cider, which is the favorite beverage of the inhabitants of Northern France.

Milk Vessels. Use no wooden milk vessels, and after washing milk vessels set them out to dry scalding hot. Never rinse out with cold water after the final scalding. Leave them hot, so they will dry quickly and not get musty.

New Milk. As a rule milk is unfit for use at least two weeks before calving time. However, some cows' milk seems to be good almost up to calving time.

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English Harness Blacking. Three ounces of turpentine and two ounces of white wax are dissolved together over a slow fire. Then add one ounce of ivory black and one dram of indigo well pulverized and mix together. When the wax and turpentine are dissolved, add the ivory black and indigo and stir until cold. Apply thin. Wash afterward, and you will have a beautiful polish. This blacking keeps the leather soft and is excellent for harness and buggy tops.

Pure Milk. Certified milk sells in all large cities for about twice the price of other milk. It is absolutely clean, no impurities being allowed to get into the milk. A layer of fine cheesecloth is stretched over the milk pail, a layer of absorbent cotton is placed upon that, then another piece of cheesecloth. There is no sediment in the bottom of the milk vessels of milk treated in this way. It is not expensive either.

War on Bad Seed. Good work in detecting adulterated seeds is being carried on by the Department of Agriculture. Of 1,471 samples of seeds taken last year 102 samples were found adulterated or misbranded. The department publishes the results of the test, together with the names of the firms that sold the seed. It is claimed that since this work began the trade in adulterated seeds has fallen off greatly.

Creamery Butter Production. The 1900 census gave the total amount of creamery butter made in the United States as 420,126,000 pounds. In 1904 the figures had increased to 531,480,000, and it is estimated that the 1910 figures will reach fully 725,000,000 pounds.

The Apple Country of Europe. Normally it is the apple country of Europe. Germany is its best customer. The apples which could not be sold were turned into 75,000,000 gallons of cider, which is the favorite beverage of the inhabitants of Northern France.

Milk Vessels. Use no wooden milk vessels, and after washing milk vessels set them out to dry scalding hot. Never rinse out with cold water after the final scalding. Leave them hot, so they will dry quickly and not get musty.

New Milk. As a rule milk is unfit for use at least two weeks before calving time. However, some cows' milk seems to be good almost up to calving time.

"Yes," said a retired insurance agent to his friend, "I once got a man to take out a ten thousand pound life insurance policy only the day before he was killed, and it took a lot of coaxing to do it."

"My word," replied the friend, "that was rough on the company. I expect you wished your persuasive powers had not been so successful?"

"Hi! No," said the agent; "you see, I married the widow."—Tit-Bits.

Proposed schemes to irrigate the Desert of Sahara are said to be impracticable because of the great depth of the overlying deposit of sand.

WHEN YOUR BACK ACHES. It is a Warning That the Kidneys Are Sick and Need Help.

A bad back makes every day a dull round of pain and misery. It is a sign that the kidneys are sick and cannot keep up the never-ending task of filtering the blood. Lame back, headache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders are warning that must not be overlooked.

John M. Burwick, R. E. D. Dayton, Tenn., says: "Thirty years ago kidney disease fastened itself on me. I failed rapidly until I had hardly enough strength to totter about. My back pained terribly, the urine passed scantily and with pain, my legs seemed almost lifeless. I tried for three weeks in mortal agony, wishing death would end my sufferings. At this time I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, discharging the doctor. I grew better and in a month's time was out again. In two months I was as well as ever in my life."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Friendship's Tribute. Emerald—Mildred has such a sparkling conversation. "Yes, it seems to be always saying 'I've never been kissed'!"

A household once supplied with Hazelnut Wizard Oil is seldom allowed to be without it. In case of sudden mishap or accident Wizard Oil takes the place of the family doctor. Are you supplied?

Orr & Morris Co

July Bargains

The real bargain time of the year has arrived. Wholesalers realize it and we want you to appreciate the fact that you can make great savings by investing in merchandise now.

Big Values in Dress Goods

This week we will price all our warm weather fabrics in figured batistes, dimities, etc., regular price 10c and 15 per yard, at 7 1-2 and 10 1-2c.

Dutch Collars

You should see them to appreciate their value, at 25c and 50c.

Parasols, New Styles

Low Prices. Plain parasols for women, in white, black, blue, green and brown. Price \$1 to \$6.

Ribbon Special

All silk taffeta ribbon, 3 1-2 inches wide; colors, white, black, red, blue, tan, brown; easily worth 20c yard. Selling price, 15c.

Ladies' Hosiery

Ladies' openwork hose, brown, tan, white, black; regular 50c line, now 35c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests

We are still showing a very complete line of these garments, in great variety of styles, at from 8c to 50c.

Men's Dress Shirts

Our line of these goods this season is the best we have ever shown. We can save you money on your dress shirts. 50c, \$1, \$1.50.

Our Grocery Department

In our grocery department you can always find fresh, clean groceries, and every item fully guaranteed as represented or money returned for the asking.

- Lb. 3 Star tea and a silver plated spoon - 50c
- Lb. 3 Star Baking Powder, silver spoon - 25c
- Lb. Red Salmon, very best, flat - 25c
- Lb. Red Salmon, good, flat - 35c
- Lb. Alaska Red Salmon, tall can - 15c

Your Produce Will Buy More Here. Try This Store First.

Orr & Morris Co

A Sane Fourth
Talking about your sane Fourth of July, that is the kind E. B. Young will be engaged in next Sunday in a Sunday school convention. That is the only proper way to observe the Fourth of July, when it comes on Sunday as it does this year. Every town should have patriotic Christian services and it should be observed in that way just as much, or even more, as is Thanksgiving Day. The having of a high old time on the 3d or 5th does not commemorate anything. It cannot as there was nothing happened on those days worthy of national recognition. If we are going to observe a day or days because they stand for some great principle or event in our national history of life, let us take due recognition of the day itself in a way that can most forcibly bring the truths of its teachings home to the minds of the boys and girls, and if those days come on Sunday have a service suited to the day, then have hilarious times whenever we have the mood but do not let us call them Fourth of July celebrations when they are not.

They Know Better
Last Sunday evening, after an exciting chase, about a dozen young men, or boys who are at the age when they think they have reached the young man stage, were captured and arrested by Marshal Miner and his deputies for "shooting up" the town with a lot of torpedoes, fire-crackers and blank cartridge pistols and creating a disturbance just at the hour when people were on their way home from services at the church, thereby taking all thoughts from the worshippers from the thoughts of the day. No fines were imposed, but they were being locked up for a time to let go with the admonition that a repetition of this or any like offense would bring a double portion of fine and punishment upon their heads. There are no boys or young men of their age but know that they ought not to do such things and every young man owes it to the community in which he lives to at least live up to all the light he has.

Keep Young.
Even though you become old and gray-haired, and the burdens of life have weighed heavy upon you and you are no longer young and vigorous as you used to be, there is nothing like keeping your heart young, and having a love for the good things and the beautiful in life all about you. Mrs. B. F. Feather, who is visiting in the west, and is privileged to see many pretty things in nature, and knowing that her husband would enjoy them, has been sending him some samples of the luxuriant growth of flowers in that climate, through the mail. Of course the Clerk enjoys them for a double reason. On account of their beauty and fragrance, but more especially for the spirit of the sender, and the message they bring across the intervening miles of space, that he is not forgotten.

NORMAL NOTES
Deputy State Superintendent Perdue was a College guest Saturday. He made the address for the eighth grade graduating exercises in Wayne.
Miss Grace Peterson, of Neligh, was made happy by her brothers who came to visit her this week. Miss Peterson is a member of the graduating class.
Wm. Von Seggern, who was prepared here for Phillips, Andover, was a visitor Wednesday. He reports a pleasant year and will return again this summer.
Wendel Nies, Scientific class of 1907, visited the College Tuesday. Mr. Nies is principal of the schools at Java, South Dakota. Besides teaching he is looking after the farming of a section of land in that garden of the northwest.

BASE BALL TEAM A SUCCESS

OUR BOYS PLAY GOOD BALL

Good Crowds turn out to the Games and Everyone is Well Pleased with the exhibitions.

Boys yet a little weak on "inside" baseball and at the bat, but a few more good games will develop the team work and batting ability sufficiently to put us on a par with the best teams around us. We are not very far from that point right now. Both the games with Wakefield and Pilger were anybody's games until the last inning was played. When you consider the fact that Wakefield and Pilger have both been playing ball all spring and that their teams are composed of men who have played together the past two years it certainly looks good to us to have our boys hold them to so tight a score in the first games we have played.

With continued good attendance at the games and just as good baseball as we know our boys can play, the Commercial Club promises lots of good entertainment for the whole summer. Stanton, Wisner, Pilger, Laurel, Carroll, Randolph and Bloomfield all have good home teams that we hope to play. The baseball diamond will be put in first class shape, a grand stand built, uniforms bought for the team and good clean baseball that you'll enjoy will be provided every week.

Your attendance at every game is vitally necessary to the success and continuance of these entertainments. We have no salaried team but rent, care of grounds, expenses of visiting teams and advertising require a considerable expenditure.

The Commercial Club Baseball Committee deserve much credit for their activity and also for the good management of the games. They expect to realize enough from the games to pay expenses and for the uniforms any balance will be carried over to next year to be used for more baseball. So let us all turn out to the games and show the players and management we are with them.

Fourth of July Program

- To be given at Wakefield, Nebraska, Saturday, July 3, 1909.
- One hundred Guns at Sunrise.
- 9:00 Band Concert.
- 10:00 Big Industrial Parade followed by Calthumpian Parade. Prizes: Best floats, \$5 and \$2.50; best decorated carriages, \$5 and \$2.50; best calthumpians, \$5 and \$2.50. Automobile parade follows Industrial Parade. Prizes for best decorated cars, \$5 and \$2.50.
- Best draft teams in parade, \$5 and \$2.50.
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- 11:00 Speaking and musical program. Hon. J. M. Kersey, of Omaha, orator of the day.
- 12:00 Dinner.
- 1:30 Indian War Dance by band of twenty-five Indians.
- 2:30 Ball Game, Wakefield vs. Laurel, purse \$75.
- 4:30 Night Gown Race on Ponies, 1st \$3, 2d \$2. Men's Free-for-all Foot Race, 1st \$3, 2d \$2; Boy's Free-for-all Foot Race, 1st \$3, 2d \$2. Fat Men's Race, 1st \$, 2d \$2; Potato Race, 1st \$3, 2d \$2. Sack Race, 1st \$3, 2d \$2.
- 5:00 Big Dance at Auditorium.
- 6:00 Supper.
- 7:00 Hose Race, purse \$25.
- 7:30 Water Fight, purse \$25.
- 8:00 Band Concert.
- 9:00 Grand Display of Fire-works.

Will Not Go to Wausa

Inasmuch as the Wausa people had, on several occasions shown a very friendly feeling toward Wayne by sending large delegations of her citizens here to various gatherings, our Commercial Club, in view of the fact that Wausa was going to have a celebration July 5th, thought that it would be no more than neighborly to have a large number of our people go up there on that day and help them out. With this end in view, they set about getting extra accommodations going north and an extra train to bring the people home again, and then sent word to the committee of arrangements at Wausa as to what they were planning to do. In reply to this, word has been sent here from those having the celebration in charge saying that, while they appreciate the friendly feeling and spirit of good will existing between the two towns, they do not feel that they have enough to offer in the way of a celebration to warrant any effort on the part of our people to furnish them with a crowd. They have simply planned to celebrate with a big picnic dinner and a good literary program, and do not wish to have advised against the proposed movement, and yielding to their wishes the Commercial Club have withdrawn their efforts along that line and will not go there as had been planned. The hotel accommodations are very limited there at present and no arrangements having been planned to entertain a large crowd such a delegation would prove a mar to the enjoyment of the day instead of a pleasure.

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Only five more weeks of school this year. The work being done this term is most excellent in every way. Classes are large, and the interest is on a par with the size of the classes. Already many reservations have been made for next year, which we trust will be as large as any preceding year.

One of the most unique and at the same time most entertaining social affairs of the school year was the German social given by Miss Kingsbury and her German students last Friday evening. The German clubs of town were invited. Only those who spoke or understood German were present. Miss Kingsbury is a most popular teacher and is herself the authoress of several German books.

CARROLL CORRESPONDENCE

(A Regular Epistle)
C. E. Jones and family were in Wayne Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. James Baker was in Sioux City last week for medical treatment.

Grant Neff is now in charge of the Anchor Grain company's elevator at this place.

J. A. Jones has sold his flour and feed business to Francis Bros., and possession was given this week.

James Hancock returned this week from Burt county where he had been for a few days on business.

The family of Mr. King, the new druggist, has arrived. They are living in the rooms over the drug store.

Oscar McKay will canvass the county in the interest of the Best Out-stock waterer, manufactured by Will Morris.

Mrs. Frank Francis and daughter, Gladys, arrived home Saturday from Red Oak, Iowa, where they had been visiting friends.

Nellie Williamson, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williamson, who was quite sick last week, is much improved.

Rev. Swartz, of Morningside, Sioux City, is supplying the pulpit at the Baptist church, during the absence of Rev. J. N. Funk in the west.

Most of the stores will close here next Saturday and most of the proprietors and clerks will celebrate the glorious Fourth in some of the nearby towns.

Lester Bellows and family returned Wednesday night from a ten days' visit at Lake View, Iowa. They report a fine time. Fishing was excellent.

W. B. Hornby's house is rapidly nearing completion. He will have a very neat and commodious residence and it will be quite an improvement to that corner of the town.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Mick in the country. There was a large attendance and the ladies all enjoyed the occasion.

Word was received this week from Matt Jones who is visiting at Red Oak, Iowa, that he is improved in health. He is under the treatment of a Red Oak physician.

John Dobbin made an important visit to Laurel last Sunday. These visits of John to Laurel seem to indicate an important event that is likely to take place at some not far distant date.

Geo. Yaryan has sold his eighty-acre farm one mile north of town to Frank Cooper, consideration 7,000. Mr. Yaryan expects to take a look through Idaho and the west before locating elsewhere.

The eighth grade pupils were in Wayne Saturday to obtain their diplomas. Carroll is quite proud of the fact that a son of R. J. Williams of this place ranked first in the eighth grade examinations.

Frank Cooper, who rents the Root place adjoining town is tending three hundred acres of corn this summer. This is keeping him pretty busy just now when the weeds are growing faster than the corn.

Henry Peterson left Thursday morning for Ashton, Idaho, and will be absent for some time. Mr. Peterson is president of the Security State bank, of that place, and is much interested in the development of Ashton.

Karl Klausner, who has been agent for the Anchor Grain Co. at this place for about six months, left Tuesday for Minneapolis. He will probably locate somewhere in South Dakota. Mr. Klausner made the trip from Carroll to Minneapolis in his automobile. He has made many friends while here who will regret his departure.

The annual school meeting was held Tuesday with the usual meagre attendance. The old officers were re-elected and a levy of twenty-five mills made for school purposes the coming year. Although we have no revenue from saloon license in Carroll this year the wages of teachers have been increased and it is expected that there will be money to meet all expenses.

Claude Bailey arrived this week from Helena, Montana, where he had been for some months. Claude and his brother Frank went to Montana expecting to have work on a line of elevators the McCaul-Dismore company are going to build, but the company were unable to get their lumber at present and so the work was delayed until fall. George Bailey, well known in Carroll, is the western manager for this company.

SHOLES NEWS

(From our Regular Correspondent.)
Miss Ahrens went to Wayne Monday.
Mr. Burnham went to Sioux City, Iowa, Saturday.
Mr. R. L. Nance, of Oelrichs, South Dakota, passed through town Thursday.
Miss Lottie Hurlbert was a Wayne visitor Saturday.
Mr. Carlson went to Creighton on business, Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Closson, of Carroll, were up to spend Sunday with Mrs. Clarke.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cletcher Saturday, the 25th. John says he will make a farmer out of him.

Sunday at the Presbyterian Church

The morning sermon will deal with the theme of Patriotism. In the evening the subject will be "An Honest Man." Sunday School at 10 A. M., preaching service at 11 A. M. C. E. at 7 and evening church service at 8 P. M.

Card of Thanks

Words are inadequate to express our sincere appreciation of all the kind deeds and words of sympathy extended to us during the illness of our husband and father, and since his death, by the neighbors and friends. Our gratitude for these expressions of good will cannot be measured by mere words. We thank one and all for them.
MRS. E. HUNTER AND FAMILY

Pilger vs. Wayne

Tuesday afternoon the Pilger team came up for a try out with the Wayne Invincibles, and won a nine-inning game by a score of 1 to 0, although all the players did not hail from that village on the Elkhorn. They were, however, a gentlemanly nine and played ball with a vim and enthusiasm that showed they enjoyed the sport. The game was an interesting one throughout, and was no discredit to the home team although they did not win it. Morgan pitched his first game for this year and did good work. The only score the visiting team got was in the third inning and only once after that did they get a man as far as 3rd base, while the home nine did not succeed in getting a man further than 2nd base during the game. The Pilger boys were well pleased with their treatment here and the way the game was played by the Wayne boys, and their captain said that they enjoyed the game and the treatment received more than any game they had played this season, which speaks well for our town and its base ball nine. Score:
Pilger.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Wayne.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Batteries: Wayne, Skeen and Morgan; Pilger, Pryor and Cooper.

They Crossed Bats

Several weeks ago committees were appointed from several of the Sunday Schools to formulate a plan and select players for a baseball club from two or more of the schools with the idea of giving the older boys a chance for sport during the summer in a series of friendly games. Wednesday afternoon the Presbyterian and Methodist Sunday Schools appeared on the diamond for the first time and before the game was over it proved to be a batting feast, but the boys got up a whole lot of sweat, had exercise enough for several days, and were well pleased with the result of the game. The players from the Presbyterian Sunday School were McClure, Epler, Kingsbury, Welch, Osborne, Johnson, Kohl, Mines and Strickland. From the M. E. Sunday School they were Fleetwood, Hughes, Johnson, Ferrell, Gilder-

sleeve, Strahan, Duerig, Lamberson and Rennick. Bert Brown acted as umpire. The score was as follows:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Presbyterian 2 1 0 0 0 0 1 4 5 13
Methodist 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 7 10

The Third Ball Game

Last Friday afternoon the Wayne Invincibles met a defeat at the hands of the Wakefield club, by a score of 4 to 2. The Wakefield nine, having been playing ball together for the past four years and have played a number of games this season, so were in prime condition for their work, while this was only the third game that the Wayne boys have played. The Wakefielders came here with the idea that they would simply have a walk away but the scales soon fell from their eyes and they realized that they were up against a different proposition than they expected. Neither team made a score in the first three innings; but in the 4th Witter scored for the home team. In the 6th inning the Wakefield boys made one score and also one in the 7th, while the home team got a tally in the 8th tying the score. In the 9th inning neither side scored and the game went to the 10th inning on a tie. Several wild throws in this inning gave the visitors two scores and the game, as the Wayne club failed to get a score in their half of this inning. There were a number of good plays on both sides and everyone felt that they received their money's worth. The receipts were \$45.60. Our people are showing a very gratifying interest in the game and the members of the club are putting up a good clean class of base ball such as any one who cares for the game as a sport, delights to see. Before the season closes it will be found that Wayne has a club that will be a credit to the town. Below is the score:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Wakefield.....0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 4
Wayne.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2

Not an Investment Company

The county of Wayne has won its suit against J. T. Bressler, an officer of the Nebraska Land company which claimed the right to be taxed as banks are taxed. A motion for a rehearing is denied the company. The state supreme court. The court adheres to its former decision that an investment company may under the revenue law be taxed as banks are taxed, on capital stock, but its former holding is overruled in part. The court now says the company is not an investment company. The judgment of the district court is reversed.

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D. C. Mann, Cashier
H. B. Jones, Asst. Cashier
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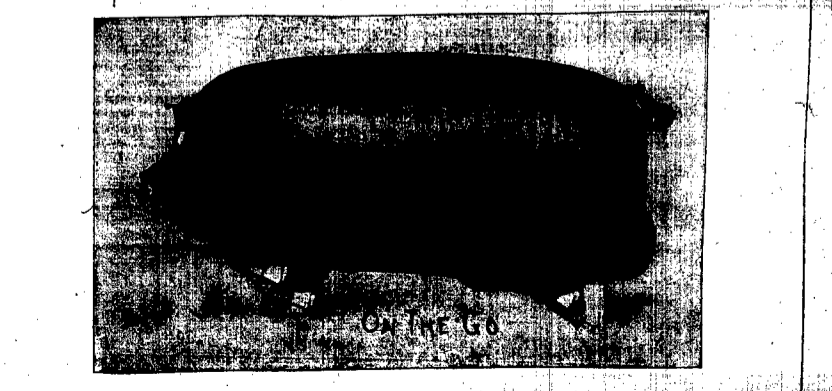
Tongs and Wrench

To see them is to buy them. Every farmer needs them. Handiest tool you can buy. Inquire at the dealers for them.

Good Base Ball Game

For Next Monday

The Pilger team who beat us 1 to 0 Tuesday will return for a Fourth of July game next Monday. On account of there being no July Fourth celebration the Commercial club has arranged for a first-class ball game to provide entertainment for us. The stores will be requested to close during the game and everyone is urged to come and see what a really good bunch of ball players we have. The Pilger team is good, their pitcher is extra good and his team give him good support. We believe our boys are better. Come out Monday and cheer for them and have a fine, wholesome holiday. Grandstand free to ladies.



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J. M. Cherry is taking the school census of Wayne.

Alfalfa, Clover and Timothy seed at the Feed Mill.

A good second hand Jayhawk Stacker for sale cheap. Call on C. W. Hiseox.

Miss Blanche Elliot is visiting in Denver, Colorado, and will be gone a couple of months.

Gene Leahy, who resides at Jackson, Nebraska, was an over Sunday visitor with his Wayne relatives.

Ideal Fireless Cookers are the Household Wonder of the age, come and see them at Voget's Hardware.

James Hiseox is making arrangements to raise his residence up from the ground and put a good cement block foundation under it.

A good many pieces of cement sidewalk are being laid this season. They are a good improvement and are badly needed in a number of other places.

Some of the material for the sewerage system has begun to arrive and is being distributed about the town, and active work with a large force of men will soon be begun.

The handsome fixtures, counters, shelving, show cases, etc. for Howard Whalen's new bakery and ice cream parlors arrived Tuesday morning and were a handsome lot.

We wonder if our readers are planning to take in the feast of good things at the coming Chautauqua? The list of talent and program of good things that has been planned for ought to please everybody.

J. T. Bressler went to Okoboji Lake, Iowa, Saturday morning. He will return sometime this week. While the family will be there all summer he will make trips to and fro as the humor takes him.

Do you want to sell or exchange your business? The Omaha Bee will run an advertisement for you at one cent a word per day. There will be many out of their 40,000 readers who will answer your advertisement. Write today.

"Nebraska Queen," a very fine specimen of horse flesh, has been on exhibition here the past week. Those who have seen the animal, and they are many, say that she is the largest and handsomest horse they have ever seen.

Little Miss Alberta Brown, who had been enjoying a visit from her cousin at Winslow for a day, went home with her Tuesday morning to enjoy a like visit. Bert went along to see that the little Misses got their all right and look at things on his farm.

The county commissioners are in session today as a board of equalization and this will be your last chance to get relief if you think your assessment was not all right. The board meets in regular session on the 7th.

J. M. Coleman shipped one of his fine Poland China hogs to Elberon, Iowa, Monday. In this issue we found a cut ad adv. of a No. one animal he received last week. It has a fine pedigree. John is bound to keep his herd in the front rank.

Frank Graham, who acts as news agent on the M & O through here between Norfolk and Sioux City was arrested Saturday on the charge of having pulled two revolvers on a man by the name of Vern L. Walton at Norfolk Junction Friday, during a quarrel.

D. Smith and wife, who had been very welcome guests at the hospitable and pleasant home of H. F. Wilson and wife, started Monday morning on their return trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado, where they reside, having had a most thoroughly enjoyable visit. The two ladies are sisters.

You will find in this issue the statement of the First National Bank under call of June 23, 1909. As usual the showing made is a fine one, there being a total of \$369,936.04 on deposit. If you are interested in the condition of the bank, look the statement over.

Thos. A. Banks, who is visiting his sister, Mrs. Reis, has a fine military record, having served in the union army in the civil war, as private in Co. E 7th Ohio Infantry and gunner in Co. B 2nd Ohio Artillery from Sept. 15, 1861, to Aug. 25, 1865, when he was discharged at Nashville, Tennessee.

On last Thursday evening, at the pleasant Presbyterian parsonage, occurred a business meeting and so-called of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church. There were a good number of young people in attendance and that they had a right merry time was evidenced by the peals of laughter that floated out on the balmy evening air. The following officers were elected: President, Katherine Gamble; Vice-president, Harriet Wilbur; Secretary, Neva Orr; Treasurer, Paul Mines.

E. B. Girton left Monday afternoon for Colorado, and he does not know that he will ever return. He will be gone all summer at least, as the climate gets too hot here to suit him, and being too loose, so to speak, he can choose his own place of residence. He went from here to Steamboat Springs, Colorado, which is on the new line of railroad that Moffett is building west of Denver. If the climate is what he has reason to think it will be, and the opportunities for a good investment are what they are likely to be in that rapidly developing country, he will settle down there and remain permanently. That western country is proving a great lure star for many people and the opportunities are many for health, wealth and pleasure.

Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution and develop into consumption, but heals and strengthens the lungs. It affords comfort and relief in the worst cases of chronic bronchitis, asthma, hay fever and lung trouble. Felber's Pharmacy.

I. W. Alter came home from Grand Island this morning.

Mrs. F. J. Felber and daughter went to Sioux City this morning.

Try the Anchor Grain Co. for hard and soft coal. Phone 109. 35

If you want Cricket Proof Twine buy your twine at Voget's Hardware.

Mrs. Wm. House left this morning for a visit at Streator and Chicago, Illinois.

Mrs. Ellis and children, of the Wayne Cafe, went to Carson, Iowa, Wednesday morning to visit her parents.

H. Sine, that jolly clerk at Raymond's drug store, who had been taking a little rest and recreation at Toledo, Iowa, came back Wednesday morning.

The Bible Study Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. E. B. Young next Wednesday afternoon. All interested in bible study are cordially invited.

Want to sell any tocs, at \$416.67 each? That's the price set by jury, and O. K'd by the supreme court. A street car company had to pay for six at that rate.

The C. A. Chace family, or at least part of it, will spend the heated part of the summer at Lake Okoboji, Iowa. The Herald goes to them there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leahy, father and mother of the Leahy boys, went to Omaha this morning where they will reside for a year. James has rented the home for that length of time.

Have you a farm to sell, or exchange? It costs only one cent a word per day, to run an advertisement in the Omaha Bee. It will reach over 40,000 subscribers and is almost sure to find a buyer. Write today.

Miss Birdie Cross, of Wayne, was in town Saturday and signed up a contract for the Drevesen school. She has had several years experience in school work and is considered one of Wayne county's best teachers. Hoskins Headlight.

Now, what do you think of that! An 80 acre tract of land 16 miles southeast of Wayne and ten miles south of Wakefield, with no improvements, not even a fence, changed owners Monday at \$75 per acre. Wayne county land values are certainly climbing upward.

The indications were when the cherry tree blossoms began to fall off that there would not be any of that fruit to speak of this year but now that they have begun to ripen they seem quite plentiful and were selling at \$1 per bushel Tuesday forenoon.

The hot weather, or something else, appears to have got on the nerves of a number of young men Tuesday evening, as there were several loud disputes and two or three fistful encounters. Marshal Miner conducted one of the most beligerent of the disputants to the lockup.

The pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church will preach Sunday morning, July 4th, on a theme that will be appropriate to the occasion. The Sunday night service will receive special attention. During the next six weeks the services will be abbreviated somewhat. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

J. W. Kirkpatrick, Pastor.

A goodly number of Wayne residents are planning for the summer's flight, some to the lakes, others to the mountains, here and there for a vacation. Some have already gone and others will go in the next two or three weeks. The rest will have to stay at home, take up the humdrum duties of life day by day and keep things moving.

And still there have no candidates announced themselves for the various offices in the gift of the people at the coming election this fall, neither do we hear any talk except in one or two instances. Why all this bashfulness and backwardness in coming forward and letting the "dear people" know that you are ready and anxious to serve them, and are well fitted to do so?

Carl Grothe, who has been attending the South Dakota university at Yankton, the past year, arrived home last Saturday for the summer vacation. While attending school the past year he has been doing some very creditable reportorial work on one of the Yankton papers to assist in defraying the expense of a higher education. Working one's way through school has a wonderful influence in helping a young man to understand the necessity of improving his time and gives added value to what he learns.

The indications are that one of the oldest of Wayne's industries—the Wayne Brick Works conducted by John Sherbahn, will have to close down, owing to his inability to get men enough to run the works at the wages he can afford to pay, which is \$2 per day. An increase in the wage scale means an increase in the price of brick and this means the ruination of his business, as Sioux City and Omaha stand ready, and have been anxious to get into this market with their wares, but heretofore have not been able to do so, owing to the fact that Mr. Sherbahn has been able to sell his brick at a less price than others could lay them down here for. The product of the Wayne Brick Works has always been on a par, or a little better than any plant in this part of the State, so that there has been no opening in this territory on that score. Mr. Sherbahn gives employment to fifteen or more men the season through and it will be too bad if he is compelled to close his works. There seems to be quite a number of men about town who ought to be glad of the chance to earn \$2 a day.

Delay in taking Foley's Kidney Remedy if you have backache, kidney or bladder trouble, fastens the disease upon you and makes a cure more difficult. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today and you will soon be well. Why risk a serious malady? Felber's Pharmacy.

Get your lawn mower sharpened at the Novelty Repair Shop.

If you want good job printing you can get it promptly at the Herald office.

The Wayne Roller Mills will pay \$1.20 for good milling wheat.

For cheap insurance and bargains in real estate see W. F. Assenheimer Altona, Neb.

Chattel Mortgages, Mortgages, Deeds, Leases, and other blanks for sale at this office or printed on short notice.

What is better than a good dish of ice cream these warm afternoons or evenings? Whalen makes the kind that touches the spot.

Taken up—June 2nd, 1909, by the undersigned, a light bay mare, star in forehead and three white feet, branded on left hip, weight 850 lbs. H. Ruback, five miles east of Wayne

Taken Up—June 4, at my place of residence, four miles east of Wayne, a white face heifer calf, four or five months old. Owner can have same by paying costs.

H. M. Tyrell, of Pender, was here Friday to visit his daughter, a student at the Nebraska Normal College, and also spent a few hours with his old time friend, Ed Sellers.

The Bible Study Circle will hold a picnic next Saturday at the home of W. F. Ramsey, southeast of town. It will be a sort of a Fourth of July celebration and they are anticipating a pleasant time.

The Wayne base ball team are at Carroll this afternoon trying their best to defeat the club at that place. This is the first game they have played away from home and away from the moral support of the home people. They ought to win.

William Crossland was offered unexpectedly a good position with Chautauqua Bureau at Eldorado, Kansas, and as it carries a good salary, he decided to accept it, going there this morning, to be gone six weeks at least.

J. F. Crist, who has been running the Hotel Boyd barber shop, suddenly decided he did not care to remain in Wayne, so relinquished the shop and left on the forenoon train this morning for some point in the west, not knowing just where he would light.

S. R. Theobald came home from his southern trip Wednesday evening and reports a most elegant time. He went clear to the coast in southern Texas and bathed in the salt water. He had a delightful time. Mr. Duerig, who accompanied him, is at Excelsior Springs, Missouri, for a couple of weeks longer.

Wm. Mellor and a man claiming to hail from Ponca had a foot race on the fair grounds Wednesday evening, the Ponca man winning. It was not what might be called a fair race for the reason that the stranger was a short distance speaker while Mellor is a long distance runner and does not gain speed for the first 100 yards.

Tuesday evening three traveling tourists, or more properly speaking, tramps, were given an opportunity to engage in honest employment at \$2 per day. They simply turned up their noses and said they were not looking for work, and then had the impudence to ask the man who offered them work to give them 25 cents. A rock pile or whipping post should be provided for that class of men. "Six days shalt thou labor, is just as binding on men, as remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," and if a man will not work neither should he eat, if he is able to work and can get it to do.

We, the undersigned, are going to close our places of business Monday, July 5, at one o'clock, and take our wives and the kids to the ball game, and celebrate the rest of the day. Better come along.

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For Sale—Ten good improved farms from 160 acres upward, at \$55 per acre and up, by the owner, A. B. Clark, Wayne, Nebraska.

Viavi, Science of Health. Cloth bound book free upon application. Miss M. E. Bicknell, district manager, Wayne, Nebraska.

Minnesota Bonton and Superlatia Flour. Let me make you prices on 300, 500 or 1000 lbs lots. Every sack Guaranteed.

Buy your bran and shorts of Weber Bros. It is pure, sweet and fresh.

You cannot help being pleased with the treatment you will receive at Whalen's if you go there for a Sundae, dish of ice cream, some of his delicious cake or confections.

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Little Locals

Dr. Lutgen, Physician and Surgeon, Phone 30.

A. B. Clark went to Omaha Monday morning.

Alfalfa, Clover and Timothy seed at the Feed Mill.

Judge Welch went to Dakota City Tuesday morning to hold court.

Charles Beebe and Bert Brown have new cement sidewalks in front of their residences.

The first water melons of the season arrived in town the latter part of the week. They looked good.

The G. P. Hitchcock residence is enclosed. When completed and the grading done the family will have a very pleasant home.

George Warner, who clerks at J. J. Ahern's store, went to Sioux City Monday morning, and from there sight seeing a few days.

W. P. Rooney, Wayne's new attorney, has been making some changes in his office rooms and library to their betterment.

Strayed—A small red pig weighing about 40 pounds, Saturday night. Return to the Wayne Marble Works and receive a reward.

Mrs. C. A. Grothe went to Lincoln, Nebraska, Tuesday forenoon for a two or three days visit. Carl Grothe accompanied her as far as Norfolk.

The potato crop around town looks promising. From the numerous fields and fields of the tubers, it is evident that the Irish murrphy fills many a long felt want.

The Mothers' Club will study Domestic Science at the home of Mrs. Theo. Duerig tomorrow (Friday) afternoon. It is a fruitful theme for discussion and practice.

Dr. G. J. Hess has his new office rooms in the First National Bank building, fitted up in nice shape. New paint and paper and fixtures make them attractive.

If you read the Citizens National Bank statement in this issue under call of June 23rd, you will notice that there is on deposit in that bank \$326,076.09. Some one evidently has several dollars laid up for a rainy day.

Remember that if you want to have a good time celebration you can do so on the 3rd, next Saturday, at the home of W. S. Brown four miles south of town. There are to be some good addresses, the finest picnic dinner you ever ate and a general good time. Everybody invited and will be welcome.

Judge Britton had the pleasure of issuing a license and uniting in marriage Tuesday morning Fred Fenske and Miss Margery Boche, both of Hoskins. They must have caught some of the Judge's genial good humor as they came down the street with a smile on their faces and no doubt a joy in their hearts. Happy indeed would they be if their whole life could remain as fine and sunshiny as on the day they were wed.

The rural mail carriers report that the most of the corn along their routes is making rapid growth but being very weedy. Some of the fields have never been plowed once and the most of them will never get plowed three times as the corn will become so high that it cannot be cultivated. Hay harvest is rapidly coming on too, and the farmers are going to have their hands very full to keep things moving and secure these very important crops.

A correspondent desires information. The inquiry is whether a raisin is a grape and whether a prune is a plum. A raisin is a sure-enough grape, or at least, or was before it was dried. But now about the prune. It appears that a prune is a plum all the time, whether dried or fresh. And as a matter of scientific botany it appears also that a plum is a prune first, last and all the time. So, there you are, my dear, and if you do a good job in making them up into pies, puddings and other delectable messes probably no one will care one way or the other.

W. Moran, accompanied by his wife, was over to Sioux City Friday to attend the meeting of the agents of the most important towns and cities in this district of the Northwestern and Omaha roads, held at the Northwestern depot yesterday. Stress was laid on the fact that agents receiving packages from shippers should exercise more care in inspecting that addresses are correct. The various speakers emphasized the importance of accuracy in this respect, pointing out the great loss entailed to a railroad by lost freight.

If we all had as philosophical a mind as James Whitcomb Riley we would no doubt get through life with a good deal less worry than we do. Riley says, "When God sorts out rain, may choose," but the most of us are inclined to find fault and complain. It does seem, however, as though it would be better to have less of it than we have been getting, not really either because the actual amount of rainfall has been excessive but showers nearly every day keeps farm work backward. We suppose that in July and August we will be glad that we got as much of it as we did in June.

Some choice Millet seed for sale at the Feed Mill.

Cherries are ripe and the birds are getting their share of them.

The Anchor Grain Co. sells the best hard and soft coal. Phone 109.

My barber shop will be closed all day on July 3rd. Am going to celebrate.

I have 100 trimmed hats left yet and to close them out quick I will sell any hat in the store at half price.

The stars and stripes were floated at half mast from the flag staff on the court house all day Friday in honor of Judge Hunter, who died that morning.

"Rebecca's Triumph," the Wayne home talent play, was given at Wakefield last Tuesday evening, the 29th, to a fair sized audience and in a creditable manner.

We sell New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Stoves, they are safe and reliable, also, the Columbia Vapor Stoves, the safest gasoline stove on earth. Voget's Hardware.

Mrs. Miller, who has been so very seriously ill for many months, was taken to a hospital at Lincoln Friday morning for treatment. Her disease would not yield to the treatment prescribed by home physicians.

A G. Gregson, wife and daughter who had been visiting at the A. E. Woodruff home for a week, departed Monday morning for the west, going to Denver, Salt Lake, Portland, and then to south west Oregon.

The 8th grade graduation exercises took place in the court room at the court house last Saturday afternoon and the program as outlined was carried out in the presence of a good audience. The list of graduates was given last week.

Newspaper headlines are very often misleading. For instance, the Sioux City Tribune Friday evening, in a large scare head said: "Cyclone Strikoes Wayne. The Catholic church demolished," and then in the item below tells about the storm at West Point.

You can get in a double header 4th of July celebration this year if so disposed. Celebrate at Wakefield on the 3rd and at Wausa on the 5th. The Commercial Club Band will play at the latter place. Additional cars will be placed on the regular train that morning.

A smooth stranger has been working a new graft in this locality, this time selling meat. He represents the meat to be cured by farmers and pretends to sell it at a lower price, when in fact it is nothing but packing house shoulders instead of ham, as he represents it, and the quality he sells can be purchased of any of the meat markets in the city for four cents a pound less than is paid to the grafter.

The Tekamah Journal calls attention to the following features of the new primary law, which will be important in the coming election: "The new primary law has made one or two important changes. Filing time has arrived and the candidates for County Judge and County Superintendent will come under no party head. The various precinct assessors instead of being appointive will be elective; hence will have to be named at the primaries along with other elective officers."

A recent decision of the Nebraska supreme court is quoted as making it obligatory upon the county clerk to print upon the official ballots at the November election the names of all persons receiving a majority of the votes cast at the primary election for the candidates for any office even though such candidates had never filed nomination papers in accordance with the primary laws, but have been independently voted for by writing the name in, on the ballot. It has heretofore been a question whether votes cast for a person not placed regularly upon the primary ballot counted.

Who can tell what it is about a bride, or a bride to be, that reveals it to the passerby? You may see another young lady dressed all in white, and with white slippers, and think nothing of it, but in pine cases out of ten let a young lady come off the train who comes to interview the county judge for a license to wed the man of her choice, and you will see other ladies on the depot platform whisper to each other "There's a bride," and all along the street there will be evidences of the fact that people know that a wedding is soon to take place or has occurred. Why is it?

Monday afternoon a young lady whose name we did not learn, but who had been to Wayne with a dan of cream from the John Kaye farm three miles northeast of town, was thrown from the buggy and somewhat bruised but not seriously injured while driving along the highway on her way home. She attempted to raise a parasol which frightened the horse, causing it to run. The buggy was partially upset and the young lady thrown out, and then the horse ran all the way home where it was caught by Mrs. Kaye and returned with it and gathered up the young lady and the scattered things out of the buggy none of which were much damaged. It was a fortunate ending of what might have proved a serious mishap.

W. WAYNE, NEB. By Herald Publishing Co. A. E. WOODRUFF, Editor.

CARMEN ALL GO BACK

PITTSBURG WALKOUT ENDED AT 10:30 MONDAY NIGHT.

Two-Day-Old Strike Bore Signs of Dissolving, Many Small Riots Occurring Before a Final Agreement Had Been Reached.

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Cincinnati Police Make Another Spectacular Raid.

County Prosecutor Hunt's spectacular campaign against the bucket shops in Cincinnati was continued Monday when he and ten deputies overpowered two armed watchmen and raided the offices of the Consolidated Stock and Grain company.

KILLS RIVAL COMMITS SUICIDE.

Missouri Grass Widow is the Cause of Sensational Double Tragedy.

Neighbors of J. W. Head and Otis Bush, neighbors for the hand of Mrs. Donnie Kelley, a grass widow, led to a double tragedy on the country road ten miles north of Caruthersville, Mo.

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BOMB NO. 21 SET OFF.

Chicago Stores Wrecked by Another Explosion.

An explosion supposed to have been caused by dynamite did great damage in the business district in Chicago Sunday night and injured two or three persons severely and wrecked stores and windows for a block near Clark and Washington streets.

DEATH STORY UNTOLD.

Last Chapter in Maryland Tragedy Enacted.

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BEHIND THE SCENES

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The revenue cutter service was thrown into a flutter over the reports that the steamship Nanticoke and the tug Dispatch were believed to be engaged in conveying a large consignment of war munitions to friends of former President Castro in Venezuela.

The famous Taft Philippine party, so called because President Taft, who at the time of the trip was Secretary of War, and Mrs. Taft chaperoned it to the Orient and back with several subsequent happy marital results, showed its appreciation of Miss Mabel Boardman by presenting her with a richly diamond-studded watch and chain.

The President accepted the resignation of Indian Commissioner Leupp and appointed in his place Robert G. Valentine, who had been serving as Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Poor health was given by Mr. Leupp as the reason for his withdrawal.

SHOWS LOSS IN U. S. TRADE.

Marked Decrease in Imports of Manufactured Goods in May.

The factored statement of the Bureau of Statistics for Washington as compared with that of the same month last year, shows a marked increase in the importation of manufacturing material and a decline in the exportation list of foodstuffs.

KILLS GRANTS NEPHEW.

California Slave V. Evans Deported—'Woman in Case' Indicted.

A double inquest was held in San Jose, Cal., over the bodies of W. Evans Dent and Alfred Cleveland Ullin. The jury found Dent came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by Ullin and that Ullin committed suicide. A statement from Mrs. Ida Schley, the 'woman in the case,' was read.

JOSEPH B. KLEIN IS ACQUITTED.

Jury Takes Only Twenty Minutes to Reach Verdict.

The jury in the case of Private Joseph B. Klein, who was charged with the murder of Earl Nelson, a 16-year-old Kankakee boy, last August, while the First Regiment was en route to the Springfield riots brought in a verdict of 'not guilty' in Paxton, Ill. The jury was out only twenty minutes.

Believe Peary in the Pole.

Friends of Commander Robert E. Peary, United States naval explorer, who left last July for the frozen north, say they believe Peary has planted the Stars and Stripes at the north pole.

Report on Stock Exchange.

The New York Stock Exchange is found to be a most estimable institution by the Hughes Committee of Speculation. In its report, it is admitted that a substantial part of the transactions on that exchange are virtually gambling, and that the broker is the only one who stands to win, as commissions and interest in the long run will eat up margins.

Tired Worker Committee Succeeded.

Frank M. Campbell, manager of the Philadelphia branch of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company of Pittsburg, while on his way for a rest, shot and killed himself in Van Wert, Ohio.

SCORES KILLED IN EXPLOSION.

Terrible Disaster at Wehrum, Pa., Fire Sweeping Entire Coal Mine.

A terrific explosion occurred at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning in the mine of the Lachawanna Coal and Coke Company, located at Wehrum, Pa., about seventy-five miles northeast of Pittsburg. Between 100 and 150 men are known to have entered the mine shortly before the catastrophe happened, and at 10 o'clock, when only a few of them had reached the surface, the greatest fears were expressed that many of those in the pit had perished.

The few men who escaped from the mine were, burned and blackened, indicating that the force of the explosion was heavy. None of them were in condition to give details, but from one it was learned that the explosion seemed to strike every portion of the mine simultaneously. Three men, seriously burned, who succeeded in reaching the surface are: Al Johnson, son of Superintendent Johnson of the mine; Patrick Burns and William Buras. When Johnson and the Burns brothers succeeded in escaping from the pit they stated brokenly, while suffering the greatest agony from burns, that the explosion was a bad one. It appeared to them that the explosion had taken place throughout the entire mine and that every one at work underground, for a moment or two, seemed to be paralyzed.

As soon as it was known that an accident had occurred at the mine, the greatest excitement prevailed both at the mine and in the little hamlet, a short distance away. Wives, mothers, sisters and brothers rushed to the mouth of the mine tearfully begging for news as to the fate of their loved ones. A number of the foreign women, screaming and crying, tried to rush into the dark pit of death.

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MINISTERS OUST FOSTER.

Expelled from Chicago Conference of Account of Heretical Views.

Professor George Burnham Foster on Monday was expelled from the Chicago Baptist Ministers' Conference because of the alleged heretical beliefs expressed in his recent book on 'The Function of Religion.' After a long and heated debate in which the organization's officers and members decided by a vote of 10 to 10 to drop the University of Chicago professor from the membership. The action does not affect Professor Foster's standing as a Baptist minister, but simply declares his expulsion from the conference.

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