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WAYNE MENTION

Various Things Said About the Town and its People

Dixon Journal:

C. L. Wright, of Wayne, was on our streets several days this week.

Pierce Call:

Mrs. R. S. Steinkraus went over to Wayne Tuesday for a week's visit with her parents.

Winside Tribune:

Wayne is entitled to the thanks of everybody for starting the carnival season, thus bringing on that splendid rain.

West Point Republican:

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tucker arrived here from Wayne, Tuesday evening, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Losch.

Emerson Enterprise:

Mrs. Short and Mrs. Drager, of Wayne, were over Sunday visitors at the C. E. Brown home.

Atty. F. S. Berry was in town Tuesday. He will divide his time between Emerson and Wayne.

Carroll Index:

Arthur L. Tucker was up from Wayne a little while Monday and called to have his Index sent to Boise, Idaho. He left that evening for that city, where he will locate for a time although he is not yet positive where he will permanently locate.

Randolph Enterprise:

A. W. Newton was up from Wayne over Sunday. He is now selling Cadillac automobiles.

Oscar Harmon was in the city last Saturday on his way from Brunswick to Wayne, to visit over Sunday.

Oscar Anderson visited over Sunday with parents in Randolph. He has returned from Tekamah and will work for W. A. Hanssen at Wayne.

Hartington Herald:

Miss Betty Olson went to Wayne Monday to visit her sister, Hannah, who is working in the telephone office there.

Harley Plumleigh went to Wayne Saturday morning for a visit with his sister, Mrs. H. B. Shook. He will join a carnival company and play with the band during the season.

Stanton Register:

There doesn't seem to be a lot of candidates for representative in this district this year. In talking with Wayne county democrats they do not seem to have any candidates ready to file but several insisted strongly that James Doty, of Pilger, be induced to file. Some others in this county think that Andrew Johnson, of Bega, would be a strong man and a winner. If the nomination comes to Stanton county either of those two men named by the democrats they would win.

Laurel Advocate:

Word comes from Wayne that Mrs. Josie Clark Horn returned Monday from St. Joseph's hospital, Sioux City, after an operation for appendicitis and other troubles.

A brief call upon H. J. Felber and family of Wayne Monday evening found them moving for the third time in two years. However, they are about to build, and before the summer is over hope to get beyond the reach of landlords. Of late they have been living in the home of Mrs. Felber's parents, the sale of which on Saturday necessitated a sudden move.

Hartington News:

It was announced in this newspaper some weeks ago that Prof. C. H. Bright, of Wayne, would be one of the instructors at the Cedar County Teachers' Institute. This arrangement has been cancelled, and in his place will appear Prof. J. H. Kemp, superintendent of the city schools of Wayne. Soon after the arrangement was made with Mr. Bright, that gentleman accepted an offer of a position in the Philippines and started for the Islands, after cancelling his date at Hartington. The arrangement with Mr. Kemp was then made. However, it may be explained that Mr. Bright did not go to the Philippines. At San Francisco a telegram reached him announcing his election to the chair of mathematics in the Wayne State Normal. He accepted and returned to Wayne. Mr. Kemp, who will conduct classes here, is the youngest man holding so responsible a position in the state. Last year his salary was \$1,150 but this year so satisfactory was his work that the board made a contract with him by which he will receive next year \$1,500, \$1,600 the following year and \$1,700 the third year.

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BACCALAUREATE SERMON

An Address Full of Thoughts That Enlighten and Elevate

When Chancellor Davidson arose to address the high school class of 1910 at the Baptist church last Sunday evening he faced an audience that filled the church to its capacity, and the kind of an audience, too, that makes a man do his best. He took for his text five words from the third verse of the sixth chapter of St. Mark: "Is not this the carpenter?" His theme was Christ, the Master Architect and Builder, and he said that we are too apt to look upon Jesus as divine, forgetting altogether the fact that he was also human and that he had forever dignified all kinds of manual labor because he, himself, while being divine was also human and had toiled as a laborer at the carpenter's bench at his lowly home in Nazareth. While this was essentially true, Christ was to be looked upon as essentially a builder of character, and that the main elements he was able to build into the character of every human being, if given a chance, were the materials of light, leadership, law and kingliness. That it was possible with these elements to revolve in a world of moral light. The building of character included four qualities insight, foresight, magnetism and courage. Insight, that gave the individual the mind to understand the hidden mysteries all around him and search them out for his own help and those about him. Foresight, which enables him to forecast the results of certain kinds of living and the moral stamina to turn away from those things which he foresees will be harmful to his full development. Magnetism, that quality which draws other men unto him and makes him a leader, and courage, that enables a man to stand forth in the full stature of his manliness, every inch a man, and do his full duty bravely and well in the battle of life no matter what the surroundings may be. No man can ever be a leader without magnetism and it needs courage for the work of the twentieth century. In addition to these, what Jesus is, he builds into human life, the law of love. No man can give out of his life that which he does not possess, and the Master Builder will put into him those qualities of heart and mind that will enable him to be what God intended man should be when he was created in the image of his maker. It was a fine address and ought to have left a deep impress for good upon all the young people who heard it.

THE BEST EVER

That is What is Said of Friday's Ball Game in Wayne



On the Mound.

The Commercial Club advertised two ball games on the home grounds Wednesday and Friday. Wednesday Wausa was to come but the rain prevented. Thursday afternoon, it being still very muddy and threatening, the game for Friday with the Fordyce team was canceled. Friday morning it was so fine and gave indications of being a nice day so the president of the club got in telephone communication with the Wausa team and they came down on the afternoon train. There was a good crowd present to witness the best game of ball put up on the home grounds. Wausa was first to bat and the first man up knocked the first ball pitched to him for a two base hit, and through several errors Wausa got a score on the first inning, and it was all they did get in the game. In the sixth and also in the eighth inning it looked as though Wayne was sure to score but in both innings with one man out and the bases full, the visitors made fine double plays and retired the Wayne boys with goose eggs. It was not until the last half of the ninth inning that Wayne boys got a chance to do effective work, when with the bases full, Siman, knocked out a safe two bagger giving the Wayne team two runs, winning the game. The game was not as snappy as some that have been put up on the home grounds, taking longer to play, but it was a good, clean sportsmanlike game all the way through. The Wausa boys can play ball and play it in a gentlemanly manner, and that is what our people want and like to see. The Wayne team did good work considering the time they have played together and Captain Dewey held them well in hand at all times. Sabs and Dewey were the battery for Wayne and Johnson and Johnson for Wausa.

PURE LIME WATER

As lime water is mostly used for babies too much care cannot be taken in its preparation.

Ordinary city's lime and city water are not good enough according to our idea.

We use pure lime and distilled water in making our lime water. Made fresh each week. A purer article cannot be produced. It costs no more than other lime water.



Contract Let

Last week we announced that the X-Ray Incubator Company had purchased suitable grounds and would erect a new factory. Monday afternoon the company let the contract to Clasen & Nelson Bros. for a building 40x150 feet twelve feet in height to be constructed of cement blocks. The front of the building is to be of artistic construction, containing different samples of the work the Ideal Concrete Company turns out. The floors are to be of concrete and cement, the front office laid with tiles. The building will have a large number of windows along the south side so that it will be handsomely lighted and well finished for the purposes it is to be used for. A home enterprise patronizing another home industry shows the right kind of a spirit. The construction of this building will give Clasen & Nelson Bros. a chance to demonstrate in a practical way the utility of the blocks they manufacture and will give the factory folks a structure they can look to with confidence and pride. So it will be a good thing for both firms and for the city as well.

was from \$23.53 in Knox to \$59.16 in Washington and \$9.83 in Cuming. Burt county land was assessed at \$58.80 and Wayne at \$51.64.

In the whole group the ratio of assessed value to sale price was 67.88 per cent, being highest in Thurston at 27.20 and lowest in Knox at 64.70. The average assessed value per acre for the group was \$45.38, while the average true value as figured by Mr. Polleys, was \$66.71. He finds that the yearly rate of increase in average true value per acre during the period was 11.6 per cent.

County estimated true value per acre on April 1, 1910, for the group was \$76.36 with Washington running high at \$102.33, Cuming second at \$100.35 and ranging down to \$53.82 in Knox. For the group the ratio of present assessed value per acre to estimated true value April 1, 1910, is given as \$59.21. Here again Thurston is high at \$75.70, Burt second at \$72.51 and Washington third at \$62.96. Knox is lowest in this column at \$47.85. Cuming stands at \$59.88.

Wayne Will Celebrate

It has been definitely settled that Wayne will celebrate July 4, 1910, in good shape. The town does not go in for the observance of this day every year as some others but whenever its business men get together to let the eagle scream they do it up in good style. That is the way it will be this year. The program has not yet been outlined but it will be one that will be sure to please and afford amusement all day long. Preparation to come to Wayne for your 4th of July din and you will not regret it, when the day is done.

Northeast Nebraska Land Values

An interesting compilation of land values in northeastern Nebraska has been made by T. A. Polleys, tax commissioner of the Omaha railroad. Mr. Polleys gives figures for the counties of Burt, Cedar, Cuming, Dakota, Dixon, Knox, Madison, Pierce, Stanton, Thurston, Washington and Wayne and the period covered is from October, 1907, to April, 1910, two and a half years.

In this group of counties the total number of transfers during the period was 4,365, and the acres sold was \$65,897. The average price per acre for the group was \$59.92. Cuming county land ranged highest with an average of \$89.20, and Washington was second with an average value of \$84.53. Knox county land sold lowest at an average of \$43.02. The next lowest in average value was Thurston, \$55.03. Burt county's average was \$73.58. The average assessed value of the lands sold was \$40.68, and the range

Your Car Fare Paid to Quinn, S. D.

Quinn, South Dakota, is located in the best farming part of Pennington county between Pierre and Rapid City. Good land for sale at \$20 to \$30 an acre. Now is the time to buy for a home or an investment. Cut out this ad. and take it with you to PURNAS, THE LAND MAN, at Quinn, and he will pay your car fare from your town to Quinn, if you buy land of him.

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Call in and see our new Grocery Department. Our stock of Shoes, Suits and One-Piece Dresses is complete. Bring us your Eggs and Butter.

JEFFRIES SHOE COMPANY

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Try Hires' Cold Root Beer

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Our ICE CREAM is the best that skill, experience and good material can produce. It is guaranteed as to richness and purity. Try it and be convinced. Always pleased to have you call.

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No. 150 all Silk Ribbons

These extra wide silk ribbons are in nearly every color and the same quality that usually costs 35c and 40c. You can't get a better bargain. Sale price

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Yard Wide Indian Head Suiting

In plain, tan or stripes. 36 inches wide. This usually sells for 18 cents per yard. Special price

10 CENTS

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This is a 36 inch pure linen suiting in white, very fine, silk finished and usually sells for 75c and 80c per yard. Special price

49 CENTS

All Linen Crash Toweling

One of the biggest bargains is this 14 and 16 inch all linen toweling worth 12 1/2 and 15 cents per yard, special price,

9 CENTS

In attending the big receiver's sale of the Hundley dry goods Co., wholesale, we were able to find a number of snaps which will be of interest to buyers of Wayne and surrounding territory. This was one of the largest houses on the Missouri river and the prices made to close the stock out, more than repaid all buyers who attended this sale.

You get the Benefit of our visit there.

Part Silk and Silk Effect Dress Goods

Some of the very choicest of this season's offerings will be found in this lot. They are the very same goods that usually sell at 50 and 60 cents, but this lucky purchase enable us to put a large lot of patterns and colors into this sale at the very low price of

39c

Shirt Waists, Many nice and new patterns in lawn and tailored waists,

98c

Long Gloves, Long lisle gloves, not a pair of which is worth less than \$1.00, for

49c

Umbrellas and Parasols, We can only mention these in a general way. There are so many of them. But you will find the prices very low on the entire lot.

Many of the things of regular stock will be priced at Clearance Prices during this sale.

Sale Begins Friday Morning, June 17

Orr & Morris Co

PHONE 247, WAYNE

Your Produce Will Buy More Here

Special in Diagonal Pongee Silk.

This is an all silk diagonal of the pongee class, and always sells at \$1.00 per yard. We were allowed only a small lot of this so come early. Sale price,

59 CENTS

Extra fine Torchon Lace and Insertion

These fine laces range from one-half inch to one and one-half inches wide, and are very fine in quality, such as usually sells for 8 to 15c. Special.

5 CENTS

Fine Matched Embroideries

In very fine edges with insertion to match. Nice new snappy designs of a quality fine enough for trimming. All priced very special for this sale.

Fine Hemstitched Handkerchiefs

A nice lot of Handkerchiefs. The kind that usually sells for 10 cents, will be on sale three for

10 CENTS

Come and Get \$100.00 Next Saturday!

Unless the people come and take away our worldly goods we will be compelled to die rich. Next Saturday we will give the boys a chance to help themselves at our pile. Look over the list below and see if you can't help us to reduce our wealth:

- Boys' Wash Suits, 25c
- Boys' Wash Pants, 10c
- Boys' Overalls, 25c
- Men's Shirts, 25c
- Men's Overalls, 25c

Come in and help yourself and you will help us to give away one hundred dollars.

J. H. KATE

Wayne's brass sextette expect to give a big dance at the opera house in Wayne on the evening of July 4.

The Bible Study circle held a very pleasant reception at the home of Mrs. Mick yesterday in honor of Mrs. C. A. Dean, who leaves tomorrow for Iowa; and Mrs. Wm. Fisher, who goes west to to their new home in a few days; and Miss Moody and her mother, who depart for the east shortly, where Miss Moody hopes to enter school. Mrs. Corzine led the lesson study, which proved a very profitable one. Remember the meeting next week at Mrs. V. Senter's.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank those who so kindly assisted us in the burial of our loving son and brother, also for the many and beautiful floral tributes.

W. H. GILDERSLEEVE AND FAMILY.

The New Perfection Wink

Blue Flame Oil Cook Stove is the greatest comfort in the summer season, therefore every housewife should have one in her home. You can get one at Voegt's Hardware.

A Peculiar Accident

Clarence Marshall, son of Charles Marshall, met with a very peculiar accident Wednesday. The boy was playing with a top and a wire connected with it entered the palm of his hand, inflicting a nasty wound. The wire was imbedded so firmly in the flesh that the parents could not remove it and Dr. Textley was summoned. It was necessary to administer chloroform before removing the wire. Although the wound was very painful the child is getting along nicely and no serious complications are anticipated. - Carroll Index.

Old Dutch Cleanser

Will Clean It!

Easier, quicker and better than soap, scap-powder, scouring-brick or metal-polish. Just you try it and see. This new, handy all-round cleanser does all kinds of cleaning.



Cleans Scrubs Scours Polishes Milk pails, separators, glassware, cutlery, floors, woodwork, bath-tubs, painted walls, pots, kettles, cooking utensils, brass, nickel, steel and metal surfaces, etc., etc., in a

New and Better Way

Wet the article, sprinkle with Old Dutch Cleanser, rub well with cloth or brush, rinse with clean water and wipe dry. Nothing equals Old Dutch Cleanser for quick, easy and hygienic cleaning.

10¢ For Large Sifter Can

Dance Opera House Saturday Night June 18

Music By

Remlin's Harp Orchestra

A Sure Go

Charlie Lessman was in town on Tuesday and stated that the farmers northwest and west of Wakefield had decided to build an elevator on the west part of his farm on the county line where the main road crosses the railroad going to Wayne. This is on the old Cooper farm, about half way between Wayne and Wakefield. He said they had already 130 share holders, that the railroad had promised them a side-track and they also hoped to get a depot and postoffice there. - Wakefield, Republican.

Death of Frank Gildersleeve

Last Friday, June 10, the community was shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Frank Gildersleeve. He was a young man of much promise, born in Wayne county on July 31, 1888, and having lived here all his life.

He completed eleven grades in the Wayne public schools and subsequently graduated from the Nebraska Normal college. Since last fall he has been in charge of his father's farm, eight miles south of town. In his school life he showed unusual ability and he was rapidly developing into a capable business man. He had the respect of all and his opportunities in life were all that could be desired. Several years ago he united in membership with the Presbyterian church of Wayne and he was a faithful and consistent member.

The dread catastrophe which cut off his promising young life is inexplicable. Last Friday morning his father drove out to the farm where Frank had charge, arriving there about seven o'clock. The young man was not about the place and his father supposed he had gone on some errand and would soon return. As time passed and the young man was still absent, Mr. Gildersleeve became anxious and began to search for him. He found him unconscious in a hay loft. He was carried tenderly to the house and medical aid summoned, but it was too late. In a little over an hour he breathed his last. In a moment of mental aberration he had taken carbonic acid which so quickly cut off his life.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gildersleeve, and the family and friends, have the deep sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement. The funeral services were held at the home on Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The attendance was very large. Rev. Alexander Corkey officiated. The interment was at the Wayne cemetery.

One of the principal attractions at Wayne, July 4th, will be a big dance at the opera house in the evening.

Season Sociable

There will be a Season Social at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Wightman next week. At a Season Social you pay according to the day of the month in which you were born. For instance, if your birthday is the third of July, you pay three cents at the door and receive a free ticket to the summer room where cake and punch will be served. If your birthday is in December your admittance entitles you to a free ticket to the winter room where plum pudding and sauce will be served. If in the spring you will be served on the porch with sandwiches and salad, while autumn gives you pumpkin pie and coffee. By the payment of ten cents at any of the other rooms you may partake of any of the viands served there. Besides all this, the house will be appropriately decorated, there will be a free art gallery, Ringling Sisters' renowned three ring circus, the most stupendous swindle of the age, music by the band of women, and a good time generally.

Nearly Burned Out

William Gamble and family, living four miles south of Wayne, came as near being burned out of their home Monday night as they will ever care to be. Some time in the night Mrs. Gamble was awakened by some unknown cause, and as soon as she had her eyes opened, she noticed a bright and peculiar light and at once awoke Mr. Gamble and told him he had better investigate and see what was the cause of it. He soon found out that the wood house, only a few feet from the residence, was all in flames, which had caught in some manner from an incubator which had been left in seemingly good condition when the family retired for the night. Mr. Gamble at once dressed and got busy with pails and water, while Mrs. Gamble got busy with the telephone line, getting in connection with a few of the neighbors and asking their assistance, which was shortly forthcoming. It was a hot fight and hard work but by sticking right at it and the wind being favorable, and plenty of water, the house was saved from catching on fire although the end nearest the flames was badly scorched. The wood house was well filled with dry cobs which made a hot fire.

Davis-Sewell

Tuesday evening, June 14, 1910, at five o'clock, at the Methodist parsonage, occurred the marriage of Amorette, daughter of H. A. Sewell, to Mr. Frank Stanley Davis, of Carroll, Nebraska. Rev. Kirkpatrick officiating. After the customary bridal party was conveyed in an auto to the home of the bride's parents where a dainty supper was served, after which the car returned and took them to their home two miles east of Carroll.

The bride wore a pretty gown of lavender silk with a hat to match. The groom wore the conventional black. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Pearl Sewell, and Mrs. Edwin Davis, and the groom by his brother, Mr. Edwin Davis.

Mrs. Davis is well and favorably known here, having been born and reared in Wayne and for the past five years has been a successful teacher in the schools of Wayne county, last year having taught in the intermediate room at Garroll. Her happy disposition won the confidence and friendship both of her pupils and friends. The groom is a prosperous young farmer and well worthy of the bride he has won. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will be at home to their friends after June 30. May they enjoy the richest blessings of a long and happy life.

Long Time At It

It was twenty-five years ago last Friday since Weber Bros., proprietors of the Wayne Roller Flour Mills, first began to grind the grain grown on the Nebraska prairies. From that day until this time there has been no change in the personnel of the firm, and it is the only one in town but what there has been some change in, either in the way of partnership or sale. Steadily year after year they have kept the mill wheels turning, adding improvements from time to time as the development and growth of the community and surrounding country demanded, and always conducting the business in a manner to command the respect and good will of their patrons. The product of the mill has been and is of a high character and the mill has the capacity to supply all the needs of the community and to receive a patronage that keeps them busy every day in the year except Sundays. If they had all the grain they had ground into flour during these years it would make no small mountain and the sacks of flour turned out laid end to end would reach many a mile across the state. It is a good, long time in business and a good record they have made.

Burglary

Several young boys in this town, who have evidently mapped out for themselves a course of viciousness and crime, broke the lock on the door down at the home of a business man Sunday night, then broke open the door and entered the cellar and stole two cases of beer. We say small boys, for the suspected ones are of that kind, and there is pretty good evidence connecting them with the crime. It is a penitentiary offense to break into and rob a building and if a little more evidence is secured it is proposed to arrest the boys and send them over the road. This seems to be the only way to correct the evil. While this may be the first time the boys have deliberately broken a lock on a door and then entered the building it is by no means the first time that they have been connected with very shady transactions in taking things that do not belong to them. It seems too bad that boys will start out on such a course of life. The commencement of it is often done in a spirit of mischief but one act after another not detected or else excused leads them along the path to certain disgrace not only for themselves but also others with whom they are connected.

Among The Churches

Items of Interest Concerning the Churches in Wayne

The Baptist young people cleared \$16 from their candy sale Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Reynolds, field secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Baptist church, occupied the pulpit of that denomination last Sunday morning and also gave an address Monday afternoon at the church. She is an interesting speaker and an enthusiastic worker in the cause in which she is engaged.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Subject for young people's prayer meeting is "The Yoke of Christ."

Hours of service on Sabbath: Divine Worship at 10:30 a. m., Bible Study at 11:45 a. m., Young People's Prayer Meeting at 7:00 p. m., Popular Evangelistic service at 8:00 p. m.

The subjects of the sermons next Sunday will be as follows: Morning, "Lord, teach us to pray;" in the evening, "The Word as Christ Viewed, or How is this for an Explanation of Life?"

The Children's Day program was carried out, as announced, on last Sunday morning. The church was filled and the members of the Sunday School rendered a splendid program. The ordinance of baptism and the calling of the cradle roll were impressive. There were six graduates from the Cradle Roll to the Sunday School.

METHODIST

The Epworth League will hold a candy sale on Saturday afternoon, June 18.

A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will be held at the parsonage Friday afternoon.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the Norfolk District Epworth League will be held at Porek next week Thursday and Friday. The Wayne chapter will be represented.

The third quarterly conference for this year will be held at the church Saturday evening. The district superintendent will be present. All members of the official board are requested to be present.

The district superintendent will be present and conduct services next Sunday morning. At the close of the preaching service the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be observed. All the members are urged to attend.

The Sunday School board of the M. E. Sunday School has planned to co-operate with the pastor in a two weeks series of Sunday school Gospel meetings. It is hoped that the young people will enter heartily into these meetings which are being planned with special reference to helping them to a higher and better christian experience and life.

Chancellor Davidson, of the Wesleyan Nebraska University, at Lincoln, the only Methodist school in the state, occupied the pulpit Sunday morning and presented in a telling manner the needs and claims of the institution to the congregation. At the close a subscription was taken for the new building, amounting to about \$154 which will be increased to about \$200 before conference.

NORMAL NOTES

The examinations will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. This will be a very busy time for all.

Among new students entering this week are August Nordgren and sister of Newman Grove, and Miss Hallie Cornett of Tilden.

Miss Carroll's girls' classes in physical culture gave a program in the gymnasium last evening. The entertainment was very interesting.

The program for Commencement is now being planned and will soon be in the hands of the printer. The arrangement of this is no small matter.

Already the registration of students for the last term of the year is taking place. It already exceeds that of last year, which indicates a large enrollment.

Prof. Huntermer arrived Sunday evening and is spending this week in getting everything ready in his department for next term. His classes in hand-work promise to be very large.

Owing to the standard being raised, we did not expect nearly as large a class completing the work as we will have. This is most gratifying to the management, as well as to the students.

A number of high school students from different towns, who lack a few credits or would have to be conditioned, will be in school next term. A good plan for a College Course is enough for one to carry without having to make up work after one has entered.

Miss Emma Martiny received notice this week that she has been elected as primary teacher at Allen. Chester Jones, a member of this year's senior class, will be principal. Allen is to be congratulated for these young people will give them most excellent service.

The faculty will be augmented by the addition of Prof. T. Reese Solomon, of Norfolk, Miss Edith Beechell, of Laurel, and Prof. Huntermer. The latter returns from the famous Stout Manual Training School, bringing to us all the improved, up-to-date plans of drawing and manual training for public schools.

A Good Thing

Through the efforts of the commercial club, the city council and the Wayne county commissioners have entered into an agreement to place lights—suitable ones, too—on the grounds of the court house square. The county is to furnish the lamps, poles, wires, by whatever method he choose, and the city is to furnish the electricity for the lighting, each without cost to the other. This will make the square a very desirable place to spend the hot summer evenings.

Want Your Help

Did you ever help get up a 4th of July celebration?

Did you ever write 3,000 or 4,000 of your friends to come and spend the day with you and then plan and scheme and cudgel your mind to devise entertainment for them that would make the day and your hospitality a pleasure to be long remembered?

It is mighty easy for us to decide that we want to show the town's friends for miles around how much we appreciate their good will, by inviting them to spend the Fourth with us, and it is just as easy to get the money subscribed to entertain them with, and no one hesitates for a moment to do any work that is assigned him by the committee who have the celebration in charge, but it is a mighty difficult undertaking to think of features that will entertain this great throng to the limit of satisfaction and send them home well pleased with our efforts to show them a big good time.

So now, if you are experienced in the giving of 4th of July celebrations, or if you have an idea for an entertaining feature that we can use, the Commercial Club will thank you for your help and suggestion.

We are very anxious to have a celebration that will delight our thousands of friends from the surrounding country and towns. We are doing plenty of work and plenty of money to insure its success, and when the day comes around we are going to close our places of business for several hours and try to meet our friends personally and help them enjoy the entertainment. But in the meantime we are wide awake for any suggestions we can get that will help us make the day a success. What can you suggest? Let us hear from you.

Wayne Commercial Club

High School Notes

Class Day Exercises this evening. Be sure to attend.

Commencement Exercises tomorrow evening. You want to hear Dean Charles Nordyck.

The Baccalaureate Sermon by Chancellor Davidson was indeed a very good one.

Rev. Corkey made a very interesting and instructive address to the high school and grades seven and eight on Tuesday morning.

The high school students and the 7th and 8th grades had the pleasure of hearing Chancellor Davidson in an excellent address Monday morning at the high school.

Mrs. Pile presents a scholarship for the summer term at the College, to the boy of grades 7, 8 or 9 who will rank highest in scholarship. The boys of these grades are working hard to win this prize.

New Arrivals In Summer Goods

We are just in receipt of a new lot of Summer Dress Goods, consisting of Lawns, Batistes, Dimities and sheer goods. They are priced below the regular at only 15c and 20c per yard.

More of Those Double-Tipped Silk Gloves Guaranteed, at 50c per pair. All shades. Also

Another Lot of Those Middy Waists They go like hot cakes at \$1.50 and \$1.75. Just in, some Dainty Embroidery Collars for ladies, all sizes, at 26c each.

ALL SHADES IN HOSIERY at 25c and 50c per pair. Complete assortment of Slippers, Pumps, Oxford and all Summer Footwear.

Satisfaction or Your Money Back

S. R. THEOBALD & CO

Start a Punch Card the next time you do any trading

Wayne Feed and Exchange Mill

Grinds all kinds of Feed and sells Feed, Tankage, Bran, Shorts, Oil Meal, Hay, Straw, all kinds of Seeds and

Cinderella, Superlative and Norfolk Flour

Eggs, Poultry Taken in Exchange or we will pay cash for them

ROE & FORTNER

David Meeker presented us with a beautiful hand drawing of our school building. This drawing shows much skill and splendid workmanship.

Last fall we announced that the boy and girl who would check in their text books in the best condition this spring would receive prizes. The prizes were won by Emrie Johnson and Ida Hinrichs.

Though the Seniors are not required to give orations this year, they were required to write them. Following are the subjects of the themes:

David Meeker... The Master Hand James Brittain... Particularism Ruth Fortner... The Panama Canal Nellie Strickland... Comets Cella Gildersleeve...

The High Cost of Living Paul Pawelski... Nationalism

Since the public does not have an opportunity to hear these we will give you an opportunity to read them. Watch for them in the local papers.

Going Up The item in last week's Republican stating that the district judge had decided the annexation of "Missouri" question in favor of the Village of Wakefield created quite a furor among some of the residents of that suburb. Some claimed it was "so, that the judge had not rendered his decision, etc., but it was true nevertheless. They may appeal it to the supreme court, if they wish, but in so far as the district court is concerned the matter is settled in favor of the village.

Later, The Republican is informed that the case will be carried up to the supreme court. - Wakefield Republican.

Council Meeting Held June 13, 1910. Mayor and councilmen Kingsbury, Lamberson, Larison, Meister and Sprague present. The following claims were allowed:

- Paul Bell, burying two dogs. \$ 1 00
- Chas Sellers, labor. 4 00
- H W Barnett, drayage. 5 50
- Wayne Herald, printing. 6 70
- Frank Powers, burying dog. 2 00
- Nebraska Telephone Co. 2 00
- F H Jones, supplies. 75 95
- H S Ringland, freight. 75 50

The question of electricity for power was left with the electric light committee for adjustment.

The report of the street commissioner on sidewalks was read and referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

On motion the report of H. S. Ringland, city treasurer, for six months, ending May 1, 1910, was accepted.

On motion the sewer district in Wayne was ordered extended so as to include the south half of lot eight in block three, Britton and Bressler, in addition to the city of Wayne, provided the owner of said lot pay regular sewer assessment.

(On motion adjourned.)

You can get old papers at this office 5 cents per bunch.



The Paint Brush or The Scrub Brush—Which?

A coat of paint will work wonders on those worn floors and makes them easier to keep clean. You will not have to be continually scrubbing the floor. But be sure to select the right paint.

Lowé Brothers HARD DRYING Floor Paint

has a reputation for hiding power, brilliancy and wear. It is the result of 35 years' progressive experience in paint-making. We are exclusive agents and will be glad to advise you about the best paint for your particular purpose. Come in and see the color combinations.

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Voegt's Hardware

Wm. Broscheit, Novelty Repair Shop

Sewing Machines of all kinds cleaned and repaired; razors, knives and scissors ground and sharpened; and shoes also repaired on short notice.

Courtright & Son, PAINTERS AND PAPER HANGERS

Wayne, Nebraska Phone 294

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Best prices paid for Grain. Coal sold at Low Price. We aim to please both buying and selling.

When you want

Anything in the harness line, be sure and see our goods. The largest stock of harness in northern Nebraska. High grade quality, reasonable prices.

Wm. Piepenstock INSURANCE

Fire, Lightning and Tornado Insurance. The best is the cheapest. I have eight of the very best companies.

Phoenix of Brooklyn Continental of New York Security of New Haven German American of New York Sun Insurance Co. of London North British & Merchantile Nebr. Underwriters of Omaha Farmers Mutual of Lincoln I will write you insurance at the very lowest rates.

Grant S. Mears

Central Meat Market

Phone 67.

For fresh and cured meats. We carry nothing but the best and everything is kept neat and clean. Your order will be promptly filled.

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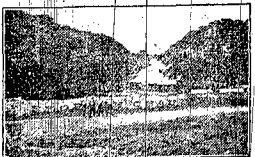
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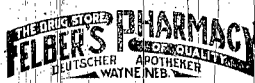
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Weber Bros. Wayne Roller Mills, pay two cents above market price for wheat.

Little Locals Dr. S. A. Lutgen, Physician and Surgeon.

Which makes and sells the best ice cream. Try the Anchor Grain Co. for hard and soft coal. Phone 109. 85

When you want good ice cream get it at Whalen's. He makes the best.

Get that season ticket now and save 50c. See J. M. Cherry, secretary.

I have a few pieces of furniture to sell at private sale. Mrs. RAMSEY

Miss Eva Dennis, of Osmond, is visiting her grandparents, Prof. and Mrs. Durbin.

Mrs. S. P. Hall of Streator, Illinois, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. James R. Durbin and House.

Mrs. Green, of Dows, Iowa, made her son Dr. G. J. Green, and his wife happy by coming to visit them for a few days Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Adair of Dakota City, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Culler, for two weeks, returned to her home Wednesday morning.

Wayne Chautauqua begins July 19th.

Barn for sale. Enquire of Graves & Lamberson. Millet seed for sale at Rife & Fortner's Feed Mill.

Mrs. W. C. Wightman spent Wednesday in Sioux City.

The new Willert residence on west 3d street is well nigh enclosed.

The Gamble residence looks fine in its new coat of white paint.

Henry Hodson has repainted his hotel building, to its betterment.

Mrs. Cunningham and her mother went to Sioux City Wednesday morning.

You can always get a good lunch and a hot drink or delicious ice cream at Whalen's.

Paul Weber is now a permanent resident of Laurel and asks to have the Herald sent him there.

Don't miss the big dance at Wayne opera house on the evening of July 4. Music by Wayne brass sextette.

Remember the big ball at Wayne opera house on evening of July 4. Good music and good order assured.

The senior Mr. Fleetwood went to Grand Island, Nebraska, Monday, to attend the state undertakers' convention.

Mrs. A. F. Ernst, who had been here since her father's death, returned to her home at Macomb, Illinois, Monday morning.

F. A. Berry has thrown aside office and legal cares for a number of days past and has been spending them at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. Richards, representing a children's home finding institution, occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's church last Sunday morning.

The Wayne baseball team goes to Wausau tomorrow to try issues again with the Wausau club. Here's hoping that they win the game.

I. W. Alter has been enjoying the sunshine and getting tanned by the gentle Nebraska breezes out on his ranch in Holt county, the past week.

Wanted A few piano pupils for the summer. Prices reasonable. Methods modern. EDNA NEELY.

If you cannot be a booster, and with the boosters stand, to make a kicker, and kick to beat the band.

Mrs. Gearhart, of Burwell, Nebraska, was here Sunday to attend the Frank Gildersleeve funeral and remained for the rest of the week.

Mrs. J. H. Kate and Mrs. Ellis went to Edgar, Nebraska, Monday morning to attend the state convention of the U. E. O. Society, as delegates from the local chapter.

That stagnant water in the alley west of Main Street smells ranker than a pig factory and should be removed on account of its unsightliness and for health reasons as well.

Mrs. Mitchell, of Lisbon, Ohio, and Mrs. Springer, of Fremont, Nebraska, who had been visiting at the James H. Hester home at other Wayne relatives for several days, returned to Fremont Monday forenoon.

Rundell's delivery team took a little spin through the streets Tuesday afternoon all by themselves. The pace was not a very rapid one and the only damage done was the rousing up of a number of men who were half sleeping at the time.

The first arrest for boot logging was made Tuesday evening by the United States Marshal from Sioux City. Chris Hanson was the victim and he was taken to Tekamah Wednesday morning. It does not pay to try to engage in that kind of business. They will get you sure if you do.

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners have been sitting as a board of equalization since Tuesday, trying to ascertain whether or no anyone had been unduly assessed or if anyone had slipped in on a too low valuation. They found very few complaints and not much for them to do.

A representative from the head offices of the Nebraska Telephone Company was here Tuesday calling on the business men, inspecting the instruments and making enquiries as to the service, there having been many complaints made as to its quality.

The high school class play will be held at the opera house this evening. It will be a very pleasing entertainment. On tomorrow, Friday evening, at the same place, Dean Charles Fordyce of the state university will deliver the graduating address. You will surely want to attend both of these entertainments.

Alex. Scott is one farmer that is well pleased over the outlook for crops and other things on his farm this season. His small grain and grass are good and he has 120 acres of corn that has a fine stand and is over a foot high now, while his hogs are producing a large crop; one sow had a litter of twelve pigs, eleven of them sows.

The program for the eighth grade graduating exercises was held at the county high Saturday, as advertised. There was a large attendance and a good degree of interest. There were twenty-nine graduates. District No. 30 having the largest number-five. There were only fifteen districts in the county, out of the eighty-four that had graduates.

Clasen & Nelson Bros. have been awarded the contract for the erection of F. J. Felber's new home. The building is to be of the bungalow style of architecture, the first one in the city, 30x46 feet on the ground, with cement block foundation and cement porches, finished throughout with all the modern conveniences.

The Mayor and City Council desire to guard against fire and accidents through the use of fireworks and to that end would ask that our merchants who handle fireworks do not put them on sale until July 2 and sell none after July 4, as the ordinance prohibiting the use of fireworks of all kinds will be strictly enforced except on July 4.

JOHN T. BRESSLER, Mayor.



"High fliers who indulge should beware of taking a drop too much," says the Judge. "but it would be to your benefit to take a tumble and trade with Raymond's Drug Store."

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

Oscar Wamberg and wife spent Sunday with relatives at Randolph.

Keep your eye on the Chautauqua advertising being put out. The date is July 19.

The Wayne Chautauqua will be a big one. See J. M. Cherry, local secretary, for particulars.

Miss Katherine Gamble was a passenger for St. Paul Monday forenoon, where she will visit for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. G. C. Teich, of Bancroft, Nebraska, was the guest of the Senter and Beckenhauer families from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Alexander Corkey and daughter started Monday afternoon for a trip to Michigan, expecting to be absent about a month.

Mrs. Northrop and children, of Chadron, Nebraska, came Monday forenoon for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Marsteller and family.

T. A. Craig and wife are now at Colbert, Washington, a small town north of Spokane, where they ask to have the Herald sent for a few weeks.

Mrs. Cross, who fell and broke her hip nearly five months ago, has just got so she can stand on the limb and walk a few feet at a time but is still very weak.

Rev. E. B. Young and his sons, Paul and Ensign, attended a Sunday School convention at Concord last Sunday and took part in the exercises. Mr. Young delivering an address.

George Noakes and bride returned last Thursday evening from their wedding trip and will go to house-keeping some time this week in the house recently vacated by Mrs. Ella Wilbur.

Did you notice the stars and stripes flying all day Tuesday from the top of the flag staff on the court house? It was 123 years ago on that day since old glory was adopted as the flag of our country.

See John L. Soules if you want a high grade safe. He has for sale all styles and can save you money if you want anything in that line. They are guaranteed to be fire proof. See the samples that he has.

Well, the Weidemann Bros. show has come and gone and from the outside appearances it was a very poor sort of a show compared to such kind of entertainments that usually travel through the country.

Stand by the ball team and the efforts of the commercial club to put a good club in the field and maintain it. Every player in town had a chance to get on the team if they wanted to do so. First come, first served.

No baseball game this week. There was so much carnival and show the past week that the commercial club thought no one would care for baseball. But there has been enquiry about the games just the same.

W. I. Fisher came home from the Scotts Bluff country Friday and will take his family out there with him on his return to see how they like the country and the new house he has built. If they like it out there they will no doubt move.

William Crossland came home from Lincoln, where he has been attending the Wesleyan University the past year Monday. Weldon will not be home for his vacation, having secured a position in the railway offices at Havelock.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. June Conger is carrying his arm in a sling. The little fellow was pushed down while at play and the arm nearly broken. It was so badly wrenched that he does not try to make use of it at all.

Two little boys in this town raised a great commotion in their neighborhood Monday forenoon and scared their mothers out of their wits by putting a large kernel of corn in their noses and then not being able to get it out again. It is a bad practice for a child to get into.

The Lincoln Star has been seeing things again. It says that the "Wayne Normal interests," whatever they may be, and the "Chadron Normal interests" will join with Kearney to form an "inner circle" for the manipulation of educational politics. Have you heard anything about it?

Wm. Mellor and wife invited ten couple of the very nicest of Wayne's young people out to a social dance in the new barn on the Mellor farm last Monday evening. They went out on a hay rack drawn by four horses and had a most delightful time. The barn was nicely decorated for the occasion and refreshments were served.

WANTED BY JULY 1: A good reliable man to take charge of Wayne county for the North American Accident Insurance Co., of Chicago. Capital \$200,000, income 1909, over \$1,000,000. Writes all forms of health and accident insurance. Splendid opening for an up-to-date hustler; experienced man preferred. Address B. F. Scott, 306 Scarritt Arcade, Kansas City, Mo.

Good corn weather the past week. Mrs. John Larison spent Tuesday in Sioux City.

A. G. Bohnert went to Sioux City Tuesday afternoon.

C. Clasen was at Norfolk Tuesday forenoon on business.

J. W. Johnson was in town several days the past week.

Wm. Dammeyer has repainted the interior of his pool room.

Attorney A. R. Davis went to Omaha this morning.

L. L. Way and wife are spending the day at Sioux City.

The foundation for the new Wilson residence is about completed.

Mrs. Swan and son of Sioux City, are guests at the Dr. Williams home.

Dr. W. C. Wightman, wife and children went to Omaha this morning.

Phil Kohl went to Kansas Tuesday morning on a few days recreation trip.

Judge Welch went to Neligh Monday where he has been holding court for a week.

Why not plan on being in Wayne for the big Chautauqua, beginning July 19th.

W. O. Hanssen has installed an electric fan in his meat market. It is a good thing for hot weather.

Mrs. Ed. Johnson went to Wakefield this morning to attend a district meeting of the women of the Christian church.

See the famous cherry colored cat at Ringling Sisters' show next week, also the ferocious tiger, snake charmer, fortune teller, etc., etc.

Harry Armstrong went to Gregory, South Dakota, Monday, to do some plumbing work. Young Crockett went with him. They will be gone a week.

Ensley Moore, of Jacksonville, Illinois, arrived Saturday evening to spend a couple of weeks or more in looking after his farm interests in this vicinity.

Six car loads of cattle were the stock shipments Monday afternoon. M. D. Coleman two, G. N. Miner two, and H. J. Miner two, all to South Omaha.

Mrs. Davey and children, of Ponca, who had visited her parents and brothers, the Skeen families, for a few days, went to Colby, Nebraska, Saturday forenoon to visit a brother.

Ed. Sellers tells us that he has rented the meat market building occupied by Loeb & Forster for so many years, but as to who is a secret to be revealed July 1 when the market will be reopened.

Marshal Miner says that he only saw one man who was under the influence of liquor for the entire carnival week. That is a very good record and shows that Wayne is a good town in which to live.

Mrs. Morris invited the members of the Wayne chapter P. E. O. yesterday for a social afternoon to meet Mrs. Harrison, of Sidney, Iowa, who is visiting relatives near Wayne and is a member of the sisterhood.

Parents, if your son or daughter don't like the farm give them a chance to prepare for a business position. The Grand Island Business and Normal College, Grand Island, Nebraska, will educate five hundred students next term—no fees to be paid until the pupil has had time to graduate, when a position will be provided and expenses can be paid, small sums each month. This is a high-grade school, established twenty-one years and has 1,000 students yearly.

The Savidge Brothers Amusement company is now fairly launched on its season's work. Being Wayne boys, they always open both the summer and fall campaign at home and are given a good sendoff every season. The first two days of their opening were wet and disagreeable so that some of the attractions that go to make up the company were not put up here at all, but any town that engages them will find them a clean, first-class aggregation. The band is a pleasing feature and the carrier troupe of foot jugglers and acrobats are certainly wonderful in their performances, being much better than the average and cannot fail to be a drawing attraction the season through. The company went from here to Laurel where they put in this week, and all dates are already taken for a month ahead.

Want Column. Old papers for sale at this office.

New ear load of flour and feed at Roe & Fortner's mill.

Residence and farm for sale. F. M. SKEEN.

For Rent—Five room cottage. A. B. CLARK.

Whalen conducts the most sanitary ice cream parlor in town. Every dish and glass is scalded in hot water before being used.

My patients will please take notice that my office will be closed during July and August. If you are in need of any dental work telephone or write for an appointment. DR. HECKERT.

Wall Paper at Cost Will move July 1st, 1910, into the building one door south of Jeffries' Shoe Store. Will sell wall paper now on hand at cost. LEAHY'S DRUG STORE.

Furniture For Sale As I am going to leave Wayne, I have some furniture almost new that I will sell at private sale at a bargain. Call at house on Main street, straight west of the College. 2w GEO. JONES.

Weber Bros. Wayne Roller Mills, pay two cents above market price for wheat.

You Are Cordially Invited to Wayne's Good Old Fashioned FOURTH

PROGRAM

One Hundred Guns at Sunrise. Open Air Band Concert at 10 o'clock a. m. by the Wayne Commercial Club Band.

Decorated Automobile Parade at 10:30. Prize for best decorated auto, \$25; second best, 10; third best, \$5. A committee composed of Dr. Vail, Mrs. H. Ley and Mrs. A. Naffziger have been appointed to handle the automobile parade, and for any information in regard to same please address Dr. Vail, chairman.

Patriotic Address and Musical Program at 11 o'clock on court house square. The county commissioners have volunteered the use of the beautiful courthouse lawn and shade trees for this event.

Basket Dinner at 12 o'clock on courthouse square and surrounding lawns. Bring your basket dinners and spread them on the lawns. The citizens welcome you to use them.

Merchants' Parade of Decorated Floats at 1:30. Besides the floats there will be special features in the parade which are now being arranged for by the committee in charge and which will be announced next week.

FREE BASE BALL game at 2:30, CARROLL vs WAYNE, for a purse of \$85. Our sister town has asked for the privilege of being the contestant in the ball game and their manager promises us a hot fight for the purse.

Program of sports at 4:30. This will include the foot-racing, greased-pig, tug-of-war and novelty racing stunts which were always a feature of the old-time celebration. A detailed program is now being prepared by the committee in charge and will appear in next week's paper.

Band Concert from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Fireworks display at 8:45.

The Merry-go-Round will be on hand and also a big Bowery. Watch this space for further particulars of the program next week.

Big Reduction SALE

Many have taken the opportunity of our low prices. We have plenty of up-to-date goods left that we are willing to sacrifice. Come in while there is an assortment. We must dispose of the greater part of our stock before rebuilding, so we have made big reductions on our

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware Novelties, Cut Glass and Hand Painted China

We mean to dispose of what we have. Do not delay. Come at once.

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Sanitary Plumbing Company

A. S. CHELLBERG, Proprietor.

Plumbing, Heating and Sewerage Estimates Cheerfully Given Jobbing Work a Specialty.

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RANKEN TO DIE POOR

ST. LOUIS RICH MAN GIVES UP A VAST FORTUNE.

Copyrights He Has Deeded to College. Owns Large Realty Tracts. His Home and Stocks in Two Railways Amounts to \$3,000,000.

To die poor, David Ranken, Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., has not only given up his fortune of more than \$3,000,000 to the support of his favorite school, but he has deeded to it his own support during the rest of his life.

The David Ranken, Jr., school of mechanical trades, the beneficiary of its founder, is to be enlarged and its curriculum improved, but Mr. Ranken himself does not care to talk about what he has made possible.

"I dislike very much to see my name in the newspapers," he said, "I don't want any more publicity, please. I decline to say anything about it. The money is in the hands of the board of trustees."

Mr. Ranken has never been seen on any matter of business at his home. Like his office, it is unpretentious. It occupies three small rooms over a grocery store at Fifteenth and Washington streets. When he enters the side door and climbs to his home he shuts out the world and declines to be seen. At his office his hours are from 8 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. only. Few people, even in St. Louis, know him personally, for he avoids publicity and shrinks from the limelight. He is 75 years old and a native of Ireland and a bachelor who has amassed his fortune in real estate and stock deals.

The property he has deeded to the school which bears his name comprises home, stocks in the Illinois Central and Rock Island railroads and in four local banks.

AN ANTI-GRIFT CAMPAIGN.

Country Will Move to Be Stamped by New Organization.

The first concerted step toward suppressing graft in all its forms, throughout the country was taken in Washington, D. C., this week, when the organization known as the National Anti-Grift movement, opened office in that city, from which it will conduct its campaign.

Harry W. Walker, will be in charge. The movement is the direct result of an anti-graft speech made last week by former Gov. Folk of Missouri, at a banquet tendered them by the Missouri democracy.

Among those who are said to be prominently identified with the movement are Perry Belmont, Rudolph Spreckels, Augustus W. Thickett, the playwright, Joseph J. Whitt, of Alabama and Norman Hapgood. The date for holding the first national convention is expected, will be fixed this week in Paris, where Messrs. Belmont and Spreckels will hold a conference.

AN AUTOPSY ON BODY.

Death of Mrs. Smollen Was Due to Natural Causes.

An autopsy performed Sunday on the body of Mrs. Margaret Smollen, who died last Friday in a private hospital in New York, showed that death was due to general apoplexy, induced by natural causes.

Mrs. Smollen was the daughter of G. Howard Lewis, a millionaire of Bayville, N. J. Last January she made a runaway match with Joe Smollen, the "Corny Kid," who was a chauffeur and valet for James Corbett, the prize fighter, before he became chauffeur for her father. They lived together but a short time before separating.

Blaze in Seattle Costly.

Fire that broke out on the northern side of Seattle, Wash., during the storm Friday night, was carried to the district to the eastward, thickly covered by wooden buildings, and in a short time twenty acres were razed, causing a loss of \$450,000 and making 500 people homeless.

Judge Harris Lovers Life.

Judge Harris of Tiptonville, Tenn., whose life is said to be in jeopardy, has been sought by the night police and was dropped while swimming in the Mississippi river near his home Saturday afternoon.

Sloux City Live Stock Market.

Saturday's quotations on the Sloux City live stock market follow: Top beefs, \$7.75. Top hogs, \$9.40.

Pullman Company Loses.

Judges Groves, Baker and Seaman, in the United States circuit court at Chicago, Saturday, refused to enjoin the Pullman car commerce commission from conducting sleeping car rates.

Danish Banker Dies.

Carl Gustaf, director of the Danmarks Bank at Copenhagen, died Sunday. He had been a leading figure in the Danish banking world for the last forty years.

Keymen Get a Raise.

An increase in wages amounting to more than \$38,000 a year and a decrease in the working hours have been granted to the telegraph operators of the Southern railway by the arbitrators.

President Taft exercised executive authority in what are known as the "Wagoner" cases, where eleven persons were sentenced to imprisonment for sixty days and a fine of \$100. They pay fine only.

THREE DAYS OF THRILLS.

Assault on Sioux City, June 29-30, July 1.

The desire of man to conquer the air is as old as the life of the human race. Down through the ages men have watched the flight of birds and wondered if the time would ever come when human beings could fly through the air. Now and then a Davy Crockett would make the attempt, but successful aviation never was accomplished until the present day. Now man's conquest of the air is a reality—the manbird has arrived.

Recognizing the universal desire to see this greatest attraction the world has ever known, the business men of Sioux City have made arrangements for an aviation meet to be held at Woodland park, Riverside, during the last two days of June and the first day of July.

The meet will be held under the direction of the Sioux City Commercial club, the members of which subscribed \$10,000 to secure the Scientific American trophy machine of Glenn H. Curtiss. This machine and others will be brought to Sioux City by Mr. Curtiss's two chief assistants, Charles F. Willard and J. C. Mars, who will make the flights. The exhibitions which these fliers will give will include flights around the course against time, trials for endurance and height, accurate and attempts at slow flying and gliding. Willard operated the just named machine when it won the Scientific American trophy, and also when it won several events at the international aviation meet which was held in Los Angeles last January.

The people of Sioux City are taking an intense interest in the coming meet and there isn't any doubt that, if pleasant weather shall prevail, the "beauty and chivalry" of the old town will have the time of their lives. But interest in the aviation meet is not confined to Sioux City—it extends to the limits of Sioux City's trade territory, and even beyond the limits. The prediction is freely made that the crowds which will come to Sioux City that week will be unprecedented in size.

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HEIKE IS CONVICTED.

U. S. Lands "Man Higher Up" in Weight Frauds.

Charles Heike, the white-haired secretary of the American Sugar Refining company, was convicted Friday night on one count of an indictment charging conspiracy to defraud the government of customs duties on sugar.

Ernest W. Gerbracht, former superintendent of the Williamsburg (Brooklyn) refinery, was convicted on all six counts.

For James F. Bendernagel, former cashier of the refinery, the jury stood seven to five for acquittal. He will be tried again.

The verdict was announced at ten minutes past 10, after the jurors had deliberated for twelve hours, minus twenty minutes. They had labored earnestly, from time to time sending out for refreshments. Testimony particularly referring to Heike was Bendernagel's case that sued the long assent. Over his fate more than twenty affidavts were taken.

This ends the government's second attempt to imprison the group of men responsible for the vast underweighting frauds to which the so-called trust has virtually confessed by the restitution of more than \$2,000 in duty. Heike is the highest official in the company upon whom blame has been fixed, and he now faces a possible sentence of two years in the federal prison and a fine of \$10,000. He is 65 years old and broken in health and spirits. His counsel in summing up declared repeatedly that a prison term meant nothing less than death.

Convicted on all six counts, Gerbracht can be sentenced to twelve years in prison, with a maximum fine of \$10,000. "Like Heike, he is past middle age," being 63 years old.

Missourian Ends Life.

Harry B. Kay, 34 years old, who until recently was cashier of a bank in Pasadena, Cal., committed suicide by shooting at Escalante, Idaho, Wednesday. Kay was on his way to St. George, Mo., having finished a hunting trip in the mountains. He was well supplied with money, and the cause of his action is unknown.

Fires a Fate Shot.

Wallace A. Bussell, of Seattle, Wash., 22 years old, walked to the Monte Carlo saloon and gambling house and fatally shot the proprietor, Joseph Bonnes.

Ex-Banker Sent to Prison.

U. G. Walter, former president of the South Cleveland, O., Savings bank, Friday began a five-year sentence in the Ohio penitentiary on a charge of perjury.

New Treaty Desired.

The Canadian government has indicated to the secretary of state its desire to take up as early as possible the subject of the negotiations of a trade treaty with the United States.

Hanging in Kansas City.

Robert W. Davis, a negro 24 years old, was hanged at the county jail in Kansas City, Mo., Friday for the murder of Harry H. Evans, a negro 17 years old. Gov. Hadley had granted Davis two reprieves.

Prominent Mason Indicted.

Frank Davies, of New Orleans, until recently secretary and treasurer of the grand consistory, Scottish Rite Masons of Louisiana, was Friday indicted on the charge of embezzling \$15,400 of the funds of the consistory.

EAGAN GIVES UP FIGHT.

Admits His Defeat in South Dakota Primary.

The latest sensation in reference to the governorship in South Dakota is the posting Thursday evening of a bulletin stating that the Egan headquarters concede the renomination of Gov. Vessey. Incomplete returns show that Gov. Vessey has won out by a majority over Egan of more than 1,100. Vessey's renomination is also conceded by the stalwarts. Interest centered largely in the governorship and because of this comparatively few of the reports included the vote on congressmen and the state ticket. The stalwarts continue to claim they have succeeded in renominating Congressman Martin and Burke. The impression is growing from what reports have been received that the claims of the stalwarts with reference to congressmen are well founded. Burke in particular has been a strong supporter of Speaker Cannon, but this does not appear to have influenced the voters to any great extent, which doubtless is due to the fact that Burke has a very large personal following in South Dakota. White Congressman Martin has been more insistent in his course in congress, he, too, had had a large personal following among the workers of the state.

It is believed that not until the official count is announced will the result of the primary on the state ticket other than for governor be definitely known. However, the stalwarts claim to have won out on practically all of the state ticket, with no doubt of State Treasurer Johnson's renomination.

Corrected returns from 41 of the 56 counties in the state, gathered by the Sloux Falls Argus-Leader and posted Thursday afternoon, show the following totals on governor: Vessey 18,145, Egan 17,338, Elrod 14,793. This puts Vessey over 1,000 ahead of Egan. The counties yet to hear from are largely stalwart or progressive.

Egan says that if it develops that he failed to capture the nomination for governor he will make an independent run for election as governor and will get upon the ticket by petition.

TRAIN HITS BUILDING.

A Peculiar Accident Occurs in the City of St. Louis.

Three men were killed, two perhaps fatally injured and six others seriously hurt when the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern fast mail train for Texas was wrecked near the city limits, in St. Louis, Mo., Thursday. The train left the track and crashed through the walls of a building of the Miller Manufacturing company. The dead and injured were the members of the train crew or worked in the mill cars. No passengers were carried on the train.

The dead are Walter A. Douglas, engineer, Robert D. Sheppard, fireman, Jasper L. Lusater, mail clerk.

The wrecking was caused by the engine jumping the track while going around a curve. The locomotive, the dead mail clerk, was killed when a mail car crashed through the walls of a building.

Businessmen Douglas and Sheppard were making their first trip with the mail mail.

Douglas, according to a policeman who pulled him from the wreckage, raved about going sixty miles as he was dying. The orders of the railroad company are that the speed at the curve is not to be twenty-five miles an hour.

RICH WIDOW IS SLAIN.

Is Believed to Have Been Killed by Burglar.

Elizabeth Schütz, wealthy widow 74 years old, was found murdered in her home within a block of the police station in Leavenworth, Kan., early Thursday. It is believed robbery was the motive of the murderer, who set fire to the house after killing the woman and ransacking the premises. The victim's body was badly burned.

A policeman passing the house discovered that it was on fire. Knowing that the aged woman lived alone, he broke down the front door and found that hole had been burned in the floor of a front room over the cellar. He rushed into the cellar and extinguished the fire, and then discovered the mangled body of a woman there. The woman's dress was nearly charred off and the body was badly charred.

It is said that Mrs. Schütz was worth \$500,000, and that she kept a large sum in her house.

Night Rider Witness Shot.

Jules Robinson, an important witness in the night rider cases, which were brought to trial Saturday at Hopkinsville, Ky., was assassinated from ambush Thursday night on the farm of George Goodman, near Otter Pond, Ky.

Yellow Fever in Ecuador.

Yellow fever has broken out in the Ecuadorian army, now being withdrawn from the Peruvian frontier.

418 Buildings Destroyed.

Fire Thursday destroyed a large part of the industrial and residential portions of Hopkinsville, Tenn., a town of about 15,000, most of them being Hebrews. Four hundred and fifty-eight buildings were destroyed.

At the annual meeting of the Illinois state board of education it was voted to establish a course in agriculture and train teachers to teach agriculture by practical demonstration.

Rate of Discount Cut.

The directors of the Bank of England at their weekly meeting Thursday reduced the minimum of discount from 3 1/2 to 3 per cent. The influx of gold is improving the reserve and causing the reduction.

Plunging in his automobile through the open draw of the superior viaduct on the bank of Cynahoga river, ninety feet below, Fred R. Blee, an automobile dealer of Cleveland, O., was instantly killed.

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FIVE FISH NETS BURNED.

Game Warden After Violators of Law at Crystal Lake. Five fishermen who were getting fish out of Crystal lake with a seine were called upon unexpectedly Friday by J. B. Donovan, deputy game warden of Nebraska, acting under orders of Dan Geilps, chief deputy game warden, and had their nets confiscated. Arrests may follow.

Mr. Donovan spent the day at Crystal lake and says he spotted several violators of the law. J. M. Krueger was one of those who had his net confiscated. Calling on E. E. Finerty, Mr. Donovan found the man's net hidden in the bottom of his trunk. All of the nets were turned over to W. F. Duncan, of Sloux City, Ia., the Nebraska agent, and the nets were burned.

BETTER SERVICE IS DESIRED.

Dakota City Business Men Boost for Electric Line. A movement is on foot at Dakota City to raise \$1,000 in that town and an additional \$1,000 in the surrounding territory to insure an electric car service between there and Sloux City. O. M. Ayers, of Dakota City, is doing the hustling and expects in a short time to have the money. The business men of Dakota City are boosting the idea.

Those interested especially in the Foye line are said to be interested in a reorganization of the company. By taking in new interests and raising about \$2,000 it is thought a better connection with Sloux City could be secured.

Struck by Lightning.

Lightning Wednesday morning struck the Swedish Lutheran church recently built in Axtell and, together with Walter Matson's house on the lots adjacent, were burned to the ground. It is now believed by many that the church three miles out from town will be moved to Axtell. The insurance on the church was \$5,000 and on the dwelling about \$2,500.

Under \$5,000 to District Court.

Frank Erdman, the man arrested on suspicion of having placed a bomb for the destruction of Tom Dennison, was bound over to the district court under \$5,000 bonds Wednesday morning by Judge Crawford. It was a dramatic hearing that ended in the passing of Erdman on a step towards his trial.

West Lincoln Grants License.

West Lincoln is to have a saloon, that Lincoln people may still live in a prohibition city and do their drinking outside the city limits. That is, the village has passed an ordinance to issue a saloon license, and it will become effective unless the committee of fifty does not get it tied up in the courts and knocked out.

Prepare for Reunion.

Those having in charge the preparations for holding the annual reunion for the Platte Valley District Reunion association of the Grand Army of the Republic, are commencing early this year, and have already almost completed the program for the thirteenth annual encampment, the date of which has been fixed at August 8 to 12, 1910, at Central City.

Inmate Seals Himself.

Cecil Leddy, son of a prominent north Phelps county family, who committed suicide early this week at Ingleside, was buried Tuesday. The young man, who was an inmate of the asylum at Hastings, killed himself by means of a piece of glass which he broke from the window of his room. He used the sharp splinter as a dagger.

Teasmer Found Dead.

Ole Olson, a teamster, was found dead in the road near Valentine by some other teamsters. He had left Wednesday morning with a large load of lumber for Rowley, ranch, south of town, for which ranch he was working. It is thought probable that he got steep and fell off the wagon, being killed by the fall, or else having the wagon run over him.

State Bankers Meet.

The next annual convention of the Nebraska State Bankers' association will be held in Omaha, as the executive committee, which met Wednesday afternoon at the Omaha club, has accepted the invitation of the Omaha and South Omaha bankers. The convention will be held in the fall.

Jury Clears Heddendorf.

After being out less than ten hours the jury in the Heddendorf case at Holdrege, returned with a verdict in which they found the defendant not guilty of the charge of murder on which he was held.

Ernest Rottman of Murdock Entered a Plea of Guilty to an Indictment for Sending Non-Payable Matter through the United States Mails before Judge R. C. Manger at Lincoln, Wednesday, and was fined \$50 and costs.

Farmers Will Rebuild.

The board of directors of the Farmers' Grain and Live Stock company at Dorchester met Wednesday, and it was decided that they should rebuild their elevator, that burned Monday night.

Heavy Fall of Rain.

The heaviest rainfall of the season fell at Weeping Water Saturday evening between the hours of 5:30 and 6:30. It was accompanied by much thunder and lightning.

Stole an Auto.

A touring car, being stored at a Raglan livery barn, was removed Monday night and run about thirty miles. It was returned before daylight with one tire punctured and two tires gone.

MONEY SNATCHER JUMPS.

Excitement Caused on a Burling Train Near Seward. When the Burlington train from the west was approaching Seward between 12 and 1 Monday, two men snatched \$135 from a passenger with whom they had been playing cards. The man who was robbed hid the conductor, and one of the money snatchers was caught. The other jumped from the train at a point where the track runs on a high embankment.

The train was backed up and the man who had jumped off was found unconscious at the bottom of the embankment. One of his legs was broken in two places, and he is so badly injured internally that he cannot live, it is said. The money was recovered in his possession. The two prisoners, who refused to give their names, are now in jail, and the man from whom the money was taken is held as a witness.

PHOTOGRAPHER GETS A SCARE.

Does Not Want the Experience Repeated Very Soon. Charles W. Gates, of Tekamah, and three young men had an experience which they do not care to have repeated. Mr. Gates is proprietor of the art studio, and three young men called there in the evening to have their pictures taken by flashlight. Mr. Gates prepared to do the work and was in the act of filling the electric flash lamp with powder from a can when the lamp short circuited, blowing up the whole can, knocking them all down. Aside from having his hands burned Mr. Gates escaped unhurt, the other three, who were getting "shot" were stunned, but not injured.

Almost Buried Alive.

While working in a ditch ten feet deep Tuesday afternoon, Ralph Dean and John Vanmeter, of Cambridge, were caught by the bank caving off. Mr. Dean was buried a depth of three feet, but quick work on the part of those who were present saved his life. Vanmeter was buried, but his head remained above the ground so that he did not suffer from suffocation.

State Lecturer Dead.

R. P. Kingsley, well known throughout the state as a lecturer on horticulture, farming, institutes and agricultural societies, died at his home at Hastings early Thursday morning of pneumonia and heart complication. Funeral services were held Friday.

Suicide at Nebraska City.

Tuesday evening Curtis Thompson, a well known character about Nebraska City, went to his room, which was in the basement of a house in the western part of the city and cut his throat. He died before any one could reach him.

Kearney Votes to Buy Waterworks.

At a special election held Tuesday the citizens of Kearney voted, by a good majority to buy the city water plant at the figures offered by the American Water company, which is \$125,000.

Insurance Company Barred.

The State Farmers' Mutual Hall Insurance company, of Waseca, Minn., has been denied permission to do business in Nebraska by State Auditor Burton, consequently it has no authority to do business in this state.

Crazy Man Taken.

A crazy man by the name of Smith was taken into Valentine Monday by Sheriff Rossetter. The man has been hunting spells in which he says that he must kill somebody and he is afraid that he will kill some of his family.

Gets an Orphanage.

The Swedish Lutheran orphanage is to be established in St. Albans. Officers of the association have been elected and are now arranging for the erection of a building.

Chinese Baby Arrives.

A girl baby has been born to Mr. and Mrs. John Anko, of Omaha. So far as Major Burdell, of the foreign department can recall this is the second child of Chinese parents to be born in Omaha.

Earliest Citizen.

Red Willow county has just buried her oldest citizen, T. D. McCarthy, aged 92 years.

Meeting of the Property Owners.

A meeting of the property owners along the Nemaha river bottoms in Johnson county and others interested in the proposed drainage proposition was held at the court house in Teaysville Thursday.

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LOSS OF LIFE ABOVE THIRTY.

King and Queen Rush to Scene in Special Train—People Caught While Sleeping, Flee.

The province of Avellino bore the brunt of a severe earthquake that was felt throughout Southern Italy shortly before dawn on the other day. The dead were estimated from thirty-five to fifty, and many are injured. Distressing scenes were witnessed as thousands fled in terror from their homes, some dying of fright. Much damage was done to property, but it is impossible to determine the extent of the devastation.

In Avellino little harm was done, and the only death reported was that of an old man who died of fright. The population, however, was terror-stricken.

Reports from villages throughout the province are much more grave. At Calitri, where twenty people are reported killed, the situation is distressing. Ten persons are said to have met death at San Sossio, where the sulphur waters, with which the district is rich, were released from bounds by the disturbance and flooded the vicinity. From the flood noxious gases arose. At Calitri a house fell, burying and killing an aged man. One person was killed and several were injured at Castellorotonda. Calabritto was badly damaged.

It was in the darkest hour of the morning when the shock was felt, at Avellino. The sleeping town was aroused by the shaking of walls, the rattling of furniture and the falling of plaster from the ceilings. In a moment panic had seized the 20,000 inhabitants, who live in daily fear of a seismic disaster. Half naked men, women and children fled from their homes screaming with terror. They had in their minds visions of Messina and the horror of Reggio. Recently there was gossip about a prediction that the approach of Italy's comet portended the end of the world. The authorities kept their heads, but they could not stay the mad rush for the squares and open districts outside the city. The wildest confusion prevailed and the frightened ones could not be reasoned with; could not be stopped. In the squares hundreds threw themselves upon their faces and implored the mercy of the Almighty.

After several hours of frantic entreaty the authorities succeeded in reestablishing a semblance of calm and relief stands were organized. As is usually the case, the inhabitants refused to re-enter their homes, fearing that another quake would occur. Throughout the day the police were busy bringing together the scattered members of families and reassuring the frightened ones.

Word that the king and queen were en route there on a special train served to afford new courage to the people and had a good effect in restoring order.

UNITED STATES IS DEFIED.

Nicaragua Threatens to Stop Vessels from Entering Harbor. At the first shot fired against the American flag on an American vessel it will level the bluff. This was the reply made by Commander Harold K. Flint, commanding the American gunboat Duquesne, to a threat made by General Rivas, of the Madrid force, holding Bluefields bluff, Nicaragua, to stop by force any vessels of whatever nationality entering the harbor.

General Rivas has practically defied the United States, declaring that he will disregard the proclamation issued from Washington on May 31 to the effect that the United States government denies the right of either faction to seize American owned vessels or property without consent of and recognition to the owners. He has warned Commander Flint that he will prevent by force, regardless of flag, any further vessels from entering the harbor. In response to this, the American commander immediately sent to him the above message, which would mean the withdrawal of the handful of Madrid troops now remaining in this neighborhood.

A critical situation has thus arisen which may involve the United States, but the American officers on the spot are of the opinion that General Rivas will not attempt to make good his threat in an effort to collect customs duties. There are constant rumors of threats against the life of Thomas P. Moffat, the American consul, and the whole situation at Bluefields, instead of quieting, has assumed a more serious aspect.

NEWS OF MINOR NOTES.

King Victor Emmanuel intends to pay a state visit to Russia during the summer. The date has not yet been definitely fixed, but it probably will not be before August.

Jerome D. Greene, secretary of the Harvard Case Corporation, received his position to accept the appointment of business manager of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research in New York City.

An address by W. J. Bryan in favor of the initiative and referendum scheduled for next August at Norfolk, Va., was given at that city by the county commissioners refusing to allow Mr. Bryan to speak in the county courthouse.

The twenty-seventh national conference of charities and correction closed at St. Louis with a general session on Wednesday.

The Massachusetts Legislature took steps to investigate the threatened milk famine in Boston, due to the farmers' refusal to sell milk at summer prices.

The national conference of public school music supervisors held a four-day session at Cleveland, Ohio, Wednesday. The following were elected: President, E. B. Briggs, Indianapolis; Vice President, Miss Stella Root, Peoria; Secretary, Miss Clyde Foster,

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Dr. Carl Webber, still practicing in New York City, performed in 1866 the first operation for appendicitis. He was no knowledge of stomach cutting at that time. The operation was performed without antiseptics. The instruments and appliances were comparatively primitive. The patient is alive and well in New York to-day.

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LAND IN CANADA AN INVESTMENT

WORK IT AND SECURE 20 PER CENT ON THE EXPENDITURE.

Farm lands in Canada increased in value this Spring from fifteen to twenty per cent, and as a result of this, thousands of those who have gone there within the past few years have had that much more value added to their holdings. There is proof here that a field for investment there is to be found in a more profitable one than in purchasing farm lands in Canada. And, as a field for occupation and working the farms there is nowhere on the continent where more satisfactory return is given. The crops are always sure and the prices are always good. With railroads entering and traversing all the settled parts, there are very few districts in which the farmer will be more than ten to twelve miles from a railway station. Roads are good and big loads are easily handled. The price of getting grain to the primary market is low on this account, and then in reaching the world's market the railroads have their rates controlled by the Government, and what may be considered a fair deal is certain. Good prices for all kinds of grain is the rule, and if the investor has made good money by the increased value given to his unworked land, it is not difficult to understand that the profit to the man who works his land is just that much more and that there will be no depreciation. The man who holds a free homestead of one hundred and sixty acres of land, which he got for \$10 an acre, and has made \$100 an acre, is a rich man. The price of land in Canada today is much less than in the United States. The fact that the fifty thousand Americans who went to Canada year before last were followed by one hundred thousand last year offers some evidence, and good evidence, too, that there is getting to be a pretty fair knowledge that money is to be made in Canada lands. As an investment money is to be made, but more by living upon the land, secured either by homestead or purchase. The one hundred thousand of last year will be one hundred and fifty thousand this year. There is much more to be realized from the land in the United States and it is just being realized, the asset that awaits the homesteader in Canada. The large numbers that have gone, though, makes no appreciable difference in the supply of land. There is still left vast quantities of the best of it. But the longer a delay is made in arriving at a decision, the price will advance proportionately, and the more desirable homesteads near the railway lines become more difficult to secure. The Government publishes interesting literature which may be had on application to any of the agents whose offices are located at different points through the States, and they (the agents) will be pleased to assist in any way possible in the choice of location.

TOO MUCH SMALL-POX.

A Public Scandal That Post Should Be so Prevalent.

The prevalence of small-pox in this country has been for some time the subject of critical comment on the part of physicians, and medical publications have devoted a great deal of space to its discussion. The number of cases of small-pox reported to the surgeon general of the public health and marine hospital service during 1908 by the local and State health officers of the various States was 25,174. In Minnesota 7,041 cases occurred, giving a case rate per 1,000,000 population of 2.397. In Kansas there were 3,458 cases, with a case rate per 1,000,000 of 2.046, and Montana had 732 cases and a case rate per 1,000,000 population of 2.399.

The record is by no means accurate, owing to the difficulty in obtaining precise information. Competent authorities such as John W. Trask, of the United States public health and marine hospital service, estimate that in 1908 there were probably more than 70,000 cases of small-pox.

Small-pox was eradicated from the German army by systematic vaccination. It may be said, and with a considerable degree of truth, that means possible in an army are not available in an ordinary community. But small-pox has been eradicated, at all intents and purposes, from some of our States. Perhaps the most convincing argument in recent times in favor of vaccination has been supplied in the Philippines. The director of health in the Philippines, in his annual report for the fiscal year 1907, says:

"During the year there has been unquestionably less small-pox in the Philippines than has been the case for a great many years previous. In the provinces of Cavite, Batangas, Cebu, Batana, La Union, Rizal and La Laguna, where heretofore there have been from 6,000 deaths annually from this one cause alone, it is most satisfactory to report that since the completion of the vaccination in the aforesaid provinces, more than a year ago, not a single death from small-pox has been reported."

Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, widow of President Harrison, has departed for Europe, where she and her 13-year-old daughter Elizabeth, will remain for two years. Mrs. Harrison goes abroad as her daughter may be educated in Europe, and in doing so she follows the example of the other widow of an American President. Mrs. Grover Cleveland, who is also in Europe, where her children are being educated.

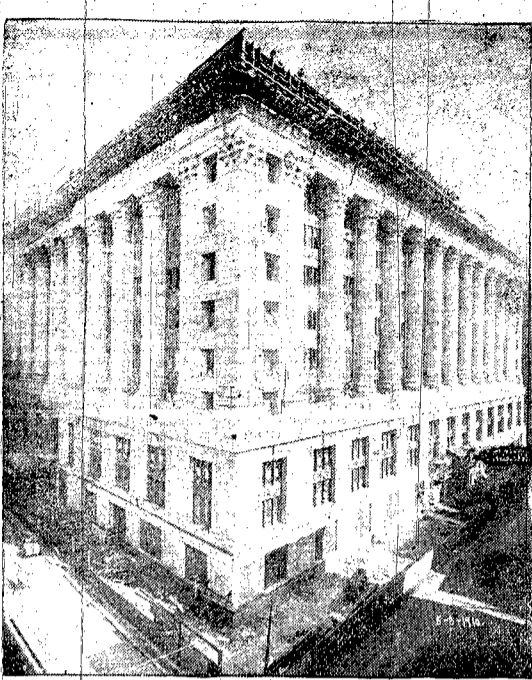
A crew of surveyors, employed jointly by the government and the State of Minnesota, is making a survey of the river in the vicinity of Fergus Falls, Minn. They wish to ascertain how much power can be developed for water power, and to find out the possibilities of reservoirs for storage purposes.

After a conference with President Taft, Secretary Naylor, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has announced that he will make a two months' trip to the Northwest and to Alaska, leaving Washington the latter part of June.

An air-drying and cooling plant, the invention of Dr. Stratton, superintendent of the bureau of standards, will be installed in the Senate and House chambers during the summer recess if Representative Tawney, of Minnesota, chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations, has his way.

At a conference between President Taft, Secretary Ballinger and Secretary Dickinson, it was decided to send a troop of cavalry to quiet the Pueblo Indians at Taos, N. M., and restore order.

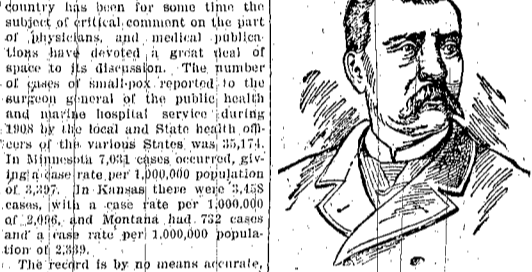
CHICAGO'S NEW CITY HALL AND COUNTY BUILDING.



The mammoth building that will house Chicago city and Cook county (Ill.) officials for years to come is now nearing completion. The handsome lines of Corinthian columns and the general mass of the granite structure can now be appreciated in all their beauty. The outlines are severely classical, although the cost was not more than what would be paid for an ordinary office building of similar proportions. When the city hall side is finished Chicago will have one of the handsomest and most modern municipal buildings in the world. The entire structure will include a space of 32,000,000 cubic feet and there will be 95,000 square feet of office space on each floor. The problem was to produce a building of monumental order, with all modern conveniences of light, sanitation, ventilation and comfort. This, it is said, has been achieved.

PRESIDENT OF MEXICO EXPECTS RE-ELECTION.

President Porfirio Diaz of Mexico is paying little attention to the movement instigated in State capitals to put a new plan at the head of the republic.



GEN. PORFIRIO DIAZ.

When election time comes he has no doubt that the people will vote to retain him in office. He has served so long in the executive chair he feels that the people know him thoroughly and that no attacks of the few official enemies that he has made can injure him in their eyes. Previous attempts to elect a successor to Gen. Diaz have been made, but have failed signally and that, too, without any arduous campaigning on the part of the President.

ODDS & ENDS OF SPORT

In a drizzling rain South Dakota University recently defeated Tabors College, from Tabors, Iowa, 8 to 0.

August 9, 10 and 11 are the dates announced for the season's fair at Upper Marlboro, Md., by the Southern Maryland Fair Association.

Custer, being routed 2:06 1/4, is expected to make a low record trotting the coming season. It is claimed that in the past he has trotted a mile in better than 2:10.

Another international billiard tournament is being planned in New York. It will be for the International trophy won by Calvin Demarest in 1908 and surrendered by him when he became a professional.

Good sized prizes for both trotting and racing events are offered by the Agricultural society of Douglas, Kansas. The society will hold its sixth annual fair and race meeting September 28 to October 1.

The Ohio Racing Circuit has announced its program for the season, which commences at Hamilton, June 29, continuing at Dayton, Zions, Springfield, Lima and Findlay, and ends at the latter place on August 5.

By the sentiment of one point the University of South Dakota won first place in the triangular meet at Sioux City, Iowa, with Nebraska second and North Dakota third. Dakota scored 48 points, compared with 47 and 46 respectively last year and 80.9 per cent the average for the last ten years. The area planted with cotton this year is about 33,196,000 acres, or about 102.3 per cent, compared with 32,292,000 acres last year, an increase of about 904,000 acres or 2.8 per cent.

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ROADS TO WITHDRAW INCREASE IN RATES

Peace at White House Conference Arranged—Government's Suit to Be Dropped.

PENDING BILL IS TO GOVERN

Lines Must Be Governed by Its Provisions in Seeking More Revenue from Freight.

The fight against the commodity rate increases made by the Western trunk line railroads is at an end. The railroads will withdraw the tariffs already enjoined and other tariffs effective after June 3, and no further increases will be filed until the pending railroad bill becomes a law. With this understanding the government will withdraw the suit brought before the federal Circuit Court in Missouri—first, however, until after the new rail bill is signed.

These were the results of a more than three hours' conference at the White House the other afternoon, participated in by President Taft, Attorney General Wickersham, three railroad presidents and another executive official constituting a committee that represented the twenty-four companies defendant in the Missouri injunction suit, and by two members of the interstate commerce committee.

With the President's announcement of withdrawal of the government's suit, per agreement that the railroads withdraw their increased tariffs, Attorney General Wickersham's plan of pushing prosecution of the Western trunk line committee under the Sherman act, with a view to dissolving it as a combination in restraint of trade, goes glimmering. But, it is stated, the pending suit will not be withdrawn until the prospective new railroad bill becomes an accomplished fact, nor unless it be made certain that the provisions giving the interstate commerce commission powers to suspend rates and investigate as to their reasonableness on its own initiative, remain in the measure.

On leaving the White House after 6 o'clock in the evening the railroad officials directed questioners to the President for information as to what had taken place. The statement given out at the White House follows:

E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company; Walker D. Hines, acting chairman of the executive committee of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company; Frederic A. Delano, president of the Western Railroad Company; and S. M. Felton, president of the Chicago Great Western Railroad Company, a committee representing the twenty-four railroad companies defendant in a suit brought by the government in Missouri in which Judge Dyer granted an injunction restraining increases in rates, met the President and the Attorney General to-day, pursuant to a request sent to the President a few days since.

The President stated to these gentlemen at the outset that the purpose of the suit was to prevent the proposed rate increases (which, under the existing law, could not be investigated at all) until after they had become effective, so as to preserve the status until the new statute could be passed and the commission should have the power to investigate rate advances as soon as announced and before becoming effective. He stated further that he thought the railroad companies must withdraw the tariffs enjoined and all other tariffs filed by them effective on or after June 1, 1910, and that none of them ought to file any new tariffs involving rate advances until the new law should be passed during the session of Congress.

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DEDICATE KENTUCKY'S CAPITOL.

New \$2,000,000 Structure Is Opened with Much Ceremony.

Kentucky's \$2,000,000 capitol was dedicated the other day with exercises that occupied practically the entire day. Special trains from all directions brought thousands of persons to Frankfort, one train bringing more than 1,000 girls from the Louisville high school. The exercises, which were opened early in the morning by a signal gun, included an invocation by Bishop Lewis W. Burton of Lexington and addresses, mainly of historic interest, by Gov. Augustus E. Wilson and United States Senator William O. Bradley.

COTTON CROP NEARLY NORMAL.

Estimating Board's Report Says Condition Is Up to Standard.

By the first report of the season the condition of the growing crop, May 25, was 82 per cent of the normal, as compared with 81.1 per cent on the date last year and 80.9 per cent the average for the last ten years. The area planted with cotton this year is about 33,196,000 acres, or about 102.3 per cent, compared with 32,292,000 acres last year, an increase of about 904,000 acres or 2.8 per cent.

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THE JUNE BRIDE



COSTUME DESIGNED BY THE WEATHER MAN.

SENATE PASSES RAILROAD BILL.

Administration's Measure Is Carried, 50 to 12, at Night Session.

The administration's railroad bill was passed by the Senate of the United States the other night at 10 o'clock by a vote of 50 to 12. The negative votes were cast by Democrats as follows: Bacon, Fletcher, Frazier, Hughes, Money, Newlands, Percy, Purcell, Rayner, Shively, Smith of Maryland and Smith of South Carolina.

After the vote was announced, Mr. Beveridge moved the statehood bill be made the unfinished business. Mr. Nelson, chairman of the Public Lands Committee, contended the public land withdrawal bill, an administration conservation measure, should have precedence. This precipitated a conflict, the Democrats lining up with Mr. Beveridge. Finally, with the Beveridge motion pending, the Senate adjourned.

The railroad bill, that now goes to conference, was reported to the Senate Feb. 25. The debate began March 15, when Mr. Cummins commenced his four days' speech against the measure as it then stood. Since then it has been continuously before the Senate for twelve weeks. The original Hepburn law, of which this is amendment, was passed in the Senate May 18, 1906.

Many speeches were delivered, in the main brief and explanatory of the position taken by Senators. When it became apparent that the final vote would be reached, several Senators who have fought vigorously for amendments asserted that, while the bill was not all they desired, it was a step in the right direction and would receive their support. Such statements were made by insurgent Republicans and Democrats. These speakers were La Follette, Dooliver, Clay, Payne, Simmons and Gore, Newlands and Bacon spoke at length in opposition.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

PROGRESS OF THE PENNANT RACE IN BASE BALL LEAGUES.	
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
W. L.	W. L.
Chicago	26 15 St. Louis
New York	27 16 Brooklyn
Cincinnati	21 19 Philadelphia
Pittsburg	20 19 Boston
AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
W. L.	W. L.
New York	27 11 Cleveland
Philadelphia	27 13 Washington
Detroit	22 16 Chicago
Boston	22 19 St. Louis

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

W. L.	W. L.
St. Paul	33 17 Columbus
Minneapolis	33 17 Kan. City
Toledo	30 20 Milwaukee
Ind'polis	22 28 Louisville

WESTERN LEAGUE.

W. L.	W. L.
Sioux City	22 18 Lincoln
Wichita	23 19 Des Moines
Denver	24 20 Omaha
St. Joseph	20 19 Topeka

McKinley Buys Tractor Company.

The McKinley traction syndicate, which is headed by Congressman William B. McKinley of Chapman, Ill., has consummated the purchase of the Atchison, Kan., Railway, Light and Power Company properties. The consideration is said to have been between \$500,000 and \$700,000.

Held for Murder He Was Unaware of.

Unaware that a fellow countryman with whom he fought in Watertown, N. Y., had died of his injuries, Kaston Vassie, a Romanian, was arrested in Canton, Ohio at the request of the Watertown authorities on the charge of murder.

Like the Name of Harriman.

A petition has been sent to the post-office department asking that the name of the village of Turner, N. Y., be changed to Harriman, in honor of the late E. H. Harriman.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

The annual outing of the North Central Minnesota Editorial Association will be held at Glenquarry Springs, on Leech Lake, near Walker, Minn.

The oldest educational institution in existence is El Ashur University at Cairo, Egypt. It was founded in 583, and had 8,510 students last year.

Simplification of spelling is a plain matter of business expediency, according to Prof. Homer H. Secor, president of the Iowa State Teachers' Association.

Twenty-five colleges have been invited by the games committee of the Missouri Valley conference to participate in the annual meet to be held at Des Moines.

For the second time in two years the debaters of St. Thomas College have defeated the representatives of the Forum Literary Society of the University of Minnesota.

Fifty students of the University of Minnesota have been dropped from the list of graduates of engineering and science literature and arts, for failure to maintain the required standard of scholarship.

Prof. R. R. Cochrane, of the chair of mathematics of the Manitoba University, died recently at the age of 60 years. He was a brother of the late George Cochrane, president of Los Angeles University.

Dr. John C. Parrish, of the State historical department of Iowa and son of the late Rep. J. W. Parrish of Cedar Falls, has accepted a position as professor of history and political science in the University of Wisconsin.

The annual meeting of the Tri-Country Educational Association was held in Grafton, N. D. Resolutions were adopted approving the State legislative assembly to appropriate money for the benefit of rural schools, while medical inspection of school children was urged.

An actual registration of 4,944 students for the year at the University of Wisconsin is shown by statistics in the new catalogue now in press. This is an increase of 42, or 19 per cent over last year's enrollment and brings Wisconsin up seventh in the list of American universities in point of numbers.

Dr. Toyokichi Iyemaga, a noted Japanese scholar, last returned from a tour of the globe on which he studied world-policies, bearing on Oriental problems, gave several illustrated lectures on the subject last week to students of the University of Wisconsin under the auspices of the political science department.

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