



# Table Decorations for the Christmas Feast



By Marjorie Howe Dixon

A very dear friend of mine has a marked ability in arranging unusual table settings for parties, for her children or for special occasions for her friends. Her formal dinners too are most dignified and beautiful.

She is a great lover of silver and one finds her using it most appropriately during the holidays. A large footed Sheffield flower-holder, oval in shape, with ring handles filled with red roses she often uses as a centerpiece.

At a Christmas dinner which I attended, she placed the flowers on a lovely large Italian lace cloth, with a pair of silver and crystal girandoles. These girandoles have candle holders for six from which depend crystal pendants and swags. The pair she used at either end of her table so you can imagine the brilliant effect they gave when she lighted her red candles.

This table was set for eight using red and gold service plates with red glass goblets and Italian cut linen napkins, that matched the cloth in design.

During the holiday vacation her high school daughter served a group of chattering bobbed hair girls an informal luncheon. They were delighted with the distinctness of the setting. The entire service including bread and butter plates was very much like Wedgewood in creamy color and was edged with a band of green. These were placed on lace mats with a low footed glass of a clear jade green color, to decorate each place.

At each end of the table stood a tall crystal bud vase containing a single poinsettia. In the center of the ensemble embedded in a wreath of holly and pine branches was a round sweet meat box with nested china compartments filled with the most luscious sweets, nuts and preserves. The girls fully appreciated this.

My friend gave a children's party for her grammar school youngsters and their friends. There was a squeal of delight when the door opened to their play room and they beheld "their party."

It has been a grand secret about the house for a week just what

mother was going to have for them. And here it was before their eyes.

Of course they saw the ice cream first. But such funny ice cream. Shining on a red plate was an ice cream man built along the bulbous lines of a snow man, with black candy dots for features and buttons and crowned with a green gum-drop hat. So fascinating were the solemn men that the children almost forgot the complete array of the table. Mother had provided four great mugs with handles; there were four short candlesticks of bright green pottery each holding a very elevated and slender red candle.

New delights awaited their eyes when they looked up from the demoralized ice cream man and beheld a potted Christmas tree made of gum drops at each place while in the center mother had provided a cotton snow slide on an elevation of books. Little red and green gum drop children raced joyfully down the slide on little wooden sleds and out upon an oval table mirror giving the effect of an ice pond with a border of salt representing snow banks.

which she is president. Mr. Jones represents the Committee of National Missions of which he is the chairman. Many speakers and workers of wide repute were to be present at the conference on an inspiring session is assured. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will visit Dr. Carlyle Jones at Morris, Ill., over next Sunday, Dec. 14.

**Business.**  
Sioux City Journal: Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, in his annual report, has predicted an era of business prosperity. He believes that one of the best assurances of this condition is the constructive manner in which governmental affairs are being handled at the present time. He reminded that the per capita tax rate has been cut in two in the last four years, an accomplishment made possible by government economy and the natural recovery from war-time expenditures.

Everyone must have realized that the momentum of Government activity attained during the war would carry the federal establishment forward at high speed even after the conflict. Today, six years after the armistice was signed, it is necessary for this country to spend scores of millions of dollars annually on activities created by the war. There has been projected into the future national responsibilities that will add to the cost of government for many years. And yet it is perceived that a gradual decrease in this expense is possible. That is why it has been found practicable to reduce the burden of taxation.

Another thing to which Mr. Mellon has called attention in his prediction that prosperity is inevitable is the reconstruction accomplished by the American people in the economic life. It has been one of the most impressive developments in history, the steady progress of American business as the economic vitality of other countries remained at a standstill. The result of that effort on the part of the American people is that their program of reconstruction has been carried far beyond that of any other nation. The United States is now far ahead of all other countries, and it would be difficult to conceive how far ahead could be overtaken by another in many years.

Every bit of this advantage is due mainly to two things: The outstanding cause was the recognition of the people that a task was at hand and their willingness to undertake it. The other, only secondary in that its character is wholly material, was the natural wealth of the country composed of readily available resources and a well established economic machine. Indeed such a combination could not but succeed.

There is a lesson in this for the whole country and people and, likewise, for the individual. It is possible to learn from it how advantageous it is to build well while building, whether it be a system or a structure of steel and iron, bricks and mortar. It was American efficiency before the war, which had built a solid foundation and a dependable superstructure, that gave this country its great reserve strength for recovery. The knowledge of the material strength became an inspiration. Consequently there was a spiritual as well as a material vitality, and the American people forged ahead of all others.

Mr. Mellon's vision of an era of prosperity is one shared by thousands of his fellow citizens. Any student of economic affairs is bound to observe what is going on. In the last

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Mrs. V. H. French who spent Sunday in the country near Winslow, returned Monday morning.

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Veterans of Foreign Wars met last Thursday evening. Because of the storm that day but few were present.



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### All in One Month, Too!



Photo shows food consumed by the above Holstein cow owned by the government on its farm at Delta, Wyo. It also shows number of cans necessary to hold one month's milk from said cow. Here are figures: 818 pounds hay, 649 pounds grain, 250 pounds dried beet pulp, 661 pounds corn silage. Yield: 2677 1/2 pounds milk.

# CHRISTMAS GIVING

THROUGH THE

# PUBLIC SCHOOLS



By Marjorie Howe Dixon

A pleasant aspect of present day Christmas activities is that presented by the gift giving by children through the public schools. This activity seems to have started spontaneously in many places so that no one city or town can claim to be its inventor. Wherever it originated, this gift giving is fast becoming an admirable part of public school life. Methods of managing this activity are similar to a description of the plans of a single school practically describe those of all schools.

Preparations for this holiday giving commonly begin two or three weeks before Christmas. Notice of its beginning is made by teachers. Committees consisting of children, teachers and parents are appointed. Sometimes a group of the mothers of children in one room are given charge of the plans and activities of that room. Again teachers and children make and carry out their own plans.

The names of needy children or of whole families are sometimes obtained through personal knowledge, but in the larger cities these generally come from the lists of welfare organizations and public spirited newspapers.

Actual conditions in each case are ascertained through personal visits made by members of the Christmas committees. Preparations to suit the needs of these individuals are then carefully made. Does the committee find that a certain little girl most earnestly desires a woolly dog? The committee secures that dog. Does an undernourished little boy need special food? The committee provides that food. So on through the lists. That which is really wanted by the poor children is provided whenever possible. Very generally now clothing is not given at Christmas. Thanksgiving time and later usually see such needs supplied. Christmas gifts, save in special cases, consist of

food and toys.

How the gifts pour in as the time for giving comes nearer! Tables in the corners of the school rooms are piled high with packages; teachers are besieged with questions and advice; money comes in for last minute needs; and finally a few days before the school closes for the holidays, gifts and names are carefully checked up, cash counted, and all contributions, information and much earnest advice are put into the hands of those who do the actual distributing. This is really the hardest task of all. Members of the committees, whether children or grown ups, would naturally prefer to be about their own plans and enjoyments, but the spirit of the time prevails. Baskets of good food, toys obtainable in no other way, and more than all, something of brotherly kindness are put into the lives of parents and children living in homes to which otherwise little of Christmas would come.

## Bits of Handwork for Gifts

By Marjorie Howe Dixon

One hears so much of the personal touch—and among the gift suggestions for this year, the personal touch is more than ever emphasized. Even the powder puffs and the tiny bells for midday's dresser have been transformed into persons of great charm and delicacy.

The use of dolls in gift making has become so general that one may buy several sizes, from the larger ones with wire skeletons and telephone shields and lamps, to the very tiniest Dutch head to fasten to the handle of a powder puff.

Among the larger dolls are those of the French variety used as cushion tops, spreading their ruffled and voluminous skirts over the cushion itself. These there are the daintiest and wicked-eyed French serobats made on wire and stuffed with cotton, who can twine their legs, muffler fashion about their necks with no effort whatever. Their ability in this direction far exceeds that of mere human beings.

A bell for midday to call her maid is a pretty conceit, especially when its demure head wears a lace bonnet and its skirts are gay ribbons all

gathered and ruffled and edged with black lace.

Powder puffs, too, came in for special attention. A Dutch lady with a sweet cap had all her skirts flounced with scalloped blue ribbon—with tiny threads of silver running through them. Underneath was concealed the fluffiest of powder puffs.

Similar in general design was a dainty Miss designed for the baby. Narrow white lace on pink ribbon made her pretty skirts, while her merry face painted on white silk peered out from a cunning lace-bonnet tied beneath her chin. Another pretty gift to a baby was a white silk pussy, to hold ached. Cotton filled with sweet fragrance filled the fancy little kitten, whose face was painted. Its body ended in a long, slim tail of silk bound by heavy silk thread.

And speaking of kittens, these favorite toys of the tiniest person, one will find kittens of all kinds among the stamped—ready-to-be-embroidered—knit goods. Underneath were these, and rabbits too. The designs are simple and easy to execute and not too difficult for small fingers.

An older girl might enjoy making a pretty lady of crepe paper on a half pint mayonnaise jar. Any small glass jar with a screw-on lid will do. She will need a small spool of copper wire, some fresh clean cotton and some crepe paper in dainty colors. Lavender and green are pretty together. A pink dress, with green and lavender ribbons, has its charm too.

First she may make a cotton body covered with white crepe, and wire this firmly to the lid of the jar. A round head can be wired from the body and the extension of the two ends of wire will make arms. These are wound with cotton and covered with white, too.

Paints will be needed for the face, and the hair is made of the cotton sewed in place. Now to dress the lady. First the girl must gather a strip of crepe paper and sew it to the jar itself. This is an underkirt. The lady then has made for her an overskirt attached to the body so that the lady herself may be uncovered from the top of the jar. Tiny ribbons of the crepe paper will make pretty decorations for the dress which should be kept in the general period of the hoop-skirted eighteenth-sixties. The completed result may be used either as a candy jar, or as a container for tiny guest powder-puffs.

A more elaborate piece of work requiring more materials and time, too, will be the completion of an entire dresser set in black satin edged with gold lace. If one did not care for the lace, narrow pink and lavender ribbon could be substituted, for the edging.

Two cardboard trays would be usable, one for pins and the other for the nail things—the buffer, nail file, etc.—A covering of istinglass over the inside lining of satin is practical if one cares to go to that expense. The edging is the same for all the dresser appointments. A case is made for the talcum powder can of the satin, and a round box is covered for face powder. These are decorated with flat bouquets of silk flowers, primly tied with ribbons. The hand mirror, too, rejoices in its flat bouquets as does the back of the hair brush. The satin and edging further decorate the comb. A fat round pin cushion with ruffled edges may be added to this set if desired, or a pair of scented bottles to lend their quaint charm.

It is suggested that an old dresser set might be completely renewed by this decorative treatment, in case one was fond of the old set, and desired to keep it in use. The general effect is very handsome and will be sure to please the recipient.

## Criminals' Terms Too Short Says Medical Expert

CRIMINALS ought to be "sent C up" for ten to twelve to twice and a half as long as they generally get.

That the opinion of Superintendent William A. White of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C., one of the foremost alienists who testified at the Lusk-Kellogg trial.

Severe punishment isn't what Dr. White has in mind. His object is reclamation—"the criminals—the idea is that when a criminal is discharged from prison, he should be discharged—cured."

Crazy criminals are sent to St. Elizabeth's.

St. Elizabeth's doesn't necessarily release them when their prison terms are up. It keeps them, since they are mentally un sound, as its patients until it can pronounce them well again.

"And our records," says Dr. White, "show that this is up to two and one-half times longer than their court sentences call for."



DR. WM. A. WHITE

And that shows, in turn, that if you confine a person for the length of helping him, and keeping him until you've done it, instead of sending him back to the world just as he was before, you'll keep him longer than our prisons usually do."

Yet it isn't so much out-and-out insanity that Dr. White seems to think makes crime, as childlike in people who are physically grown up.

"Are doctors making any progress here, malpractice. Many men and women of 30 and 40 are nothing but children."

In fact, the doctor would give the juvenile courts jurisdiction over all crimes, even murder, committed by adults under 21.

"And there should be an absolute

separation of the child and his crime," he adds, "in the minds of those in authority."

"The important thing is the child himself and his crime."

He impressed the District of Columbia Commission on Public Welfare Legislation with this view so much that it recently voted in favor of the trial of major as well as minor criminal cases in Washington in the juvenile courts if the offenders are under 18. Congress will have to amend the law to accomplish this, but the commission will work for the change.

"In my opinion," says Dr. White, "the courts should be completely antiquated. It's rusty and creaks with age."

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If those who whine would whistle,  
And those who languish, laugh,  
The rose would rot the thistle,  
The grain outrun the chaff;  
If hearts were only jolly,  
And lives would be divine,  
And tears and melancholy  
Were things that were not—  
Then love would kneel to Duty,  
And all the world would seem,  
A bridal bower of beauty,  
A dream within a dream.

The rust would eat the sabbar;  
The spear stay on the wall;  
Then every day would glisten,  
And every eye would shine,  
And God would pause to listen  
And his would be divine.  
—James Newton-Matthews, in the Indianapolis News.

Buy Neligh Hotel.  
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If all who hate us would love us,  
And all our loves were true,  
The stars that swing above us,  
Would brighten in the blue;  
If cruel words were fewer,  
And every smile a smile,  
A better world than this is  
Would hardly be worth while;  
If curses would be bright  
To meet a brother's need,  
The load we bear would lighten,  
Above the grave of greed.

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When a man gets so he cannot handle tobacco juice clearly and tri-umphantly over his chin he ought to quit chewing.

A boy who washes a girl's face in the snow, does not wish to hurt her or make her catch cold. He just wants to get his hands on her and hug her a little. He simply uses the snow as an excuse.

When a store clerk looks up listlessly and yawns "Is there some thing?" she gets off on the wrong foot. Of course "there is something" — a customer "wouldn't be there" "What may I do for you?" is a bet-ter business getter.

You know how you are thrilled when you fold a little child to your bosom and feel the warmth of an unfeigned love. That's the way a little girl feels when she gets a doll or a little boy feels when he gets a toy dog. You at Christmas time try to make-believe the foundation for his character.

Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor emeritus of Leland Stanford univer-sity, was awarded a cash prize of \$25,000 for the best plan to maintain peace. In his plan he suggested to educate people in the direction of peace instead of war, and of course the plan would have to be accepted at a normal university to make it fully effective.

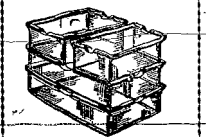
Comfortable headway was made in the South highways after the late storm, as the Herald is informed. If those in charge of the highways will em-ploy their forces to the utmost im-mediate after each fall of snow, the roads will be made passable, but better preserved and cause less sub-sequent expense for upkeep.

As lately revealed, some of the let-ter to Santa Claus do not ask for toys or other luxuries, but suggest things to make little bodies more comfortable during winter weather. When hunger gnaws or cold chills, it is hard for the soul to be exultant during the Christmas season. Good food and comfortable clothing warm the heart, and inspire gratitude and hope. We are confident Santa Claus will see that the gift for little ones is to comfort is answered.

A movement is on foot to bore for oil near Fairbury, according to the News of that city. Boring for oil and not finding it in Nebraska has been a popular outdoor sport for a good many years. Geologists re-ported favorably on oil symptoms in all parts of the state, and enthu-siastic promoters have appeared on different spots, according to the excitement and funds with which to transform agricultural lands into rich oil fields. Probably every county in the state has had a well drilled, at least once, but we have not heard one oil well capable of ejecting enough inflammable liquid to singe the wings of a moth miller. But of

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course there must be a first well, and in the meantime, we are glad Nebraska's fertile acres, unoffended by the attempt to replace grain and herds with oil derricks, continue to yield abundantly. We are glad Nebraska soil does not get discouraged and quit producing while prospecting for oil goes on. We hope Fairbury strikes oil, but, like Thomas, the disciple, who probably originated in Missouri, we will have to be shown.

### EVOLUTION OF YOUTH.

You young people should understand and appreciate opportunities and advantages of today as contrasted with those of earlier periods. The knowl-edge should be given them to greater heights in laudable attainment. The story of one boy is that of many in the restricted environment of the early-day small town. . . . .

All children are more sensitive than their occupied elders suspect, but some youthful sensitivities are more acute than others on account of temperament and surroundings. The child who is sensitive is not necessarily awkward, but he is more likely to be hurt one who is less sus-ceptible. Forty years ago we knew a boy who was so awkward that his hands and feet always felt around feverish for avenues of escape. He wondered why his extremities were not made detachable, so he could lay them away when they were not in use. He was not handsome, and he was not popular among other boys or girls. Young people who are shy do not attract special favor. On the contrary, they are likely to be slighted, even made the butt of thought-less and humiliating jest. They are not consulted nor often considered. They are easily squelched, and con-veniently set aside. . . . .

In 1884, opportunities for the young were not many. It was not so easy then as now to acquire an education. Usually people lacked funds, and for that reason, if not from lack of definite purpose, this was the time to get into the high school, and when he was graduated and scholarships were distributed, he ranked easily at the foot of the class. . . . .

There were few conveniences in rural communities forty years ago—no telephones, no automobiles, no ra-dios, no moving pictures, no organized athletics or costly provision for wholesome recreation. For this boy who kept away from questionable places, and who was but a trailer in a narrow social circle, common to the small towns of the primitive west, there was little to break dull monotony or excite ambition. He at-tended church and Sunday school and prayer meeting and the occasional church festivals, so-called. He saw people separate into groups after church service to praise or condemn the preacher's sermon or to criticize some rival faction, or to point out some new revelation in the imperfect sermons of a fellow parsonage. It violated his conception of consistency to see how one who pretended to be a close follower of the Nazarene could exercise so little charity or mes-ericy. At rare intervals as a sort of oasis in the social desert, he was in-duced to join a party of young people who drank and danced and talked or some other equally lame game that was old when Methuselah wore rom-pers. . . . .

This boy was raised in an at-mosphere of bitter town factions. The charming simplicity of the average settlement was irritated by rival an-gers. A new town would not get fairly started when it would find on its hands an over-supply of lead-ers, each with a group of followers, each ready to lead a party of ad-mirers. He was not a member of any of these factions, but he was not op-posed by members of his own faction. He could not be fair and impartial to all and stand in with anybody. This was not as he would have liked to follow a promising believer, but he never could see the wisdom of dividing into factions and fanning flames of dissension when so much could be accomplished by united and harmonious action in behalf of com-munity development. . . . .

In the small town, with restricted opportunities, this boy yearned for a field of usefulness not stunted by noxious spite. He read and thought and thought along a new path of progress. He had no college degree to depend on, no riches, no popular way to carry him on. The well-meaning members of the town approved his personal habits, but shook their heads doubtfully when they contemplated what he would really amount to. They felt he was good enough, but that he did not have the initiative or person-ality to get anywhere. They could not look down into his soul and sense his analysis of social conditions and his firm resolution to make up some-where somehow in hard endeavor for what he lacked in early schooling, what he lacked in early community and personal advantages. . . . .

When this boy figured in years that he was grown up, he married. Town outsiders whose heads had been bowed fearfully for several years, ex-pressed surprise, mingled with sym-pany for the girl. But he choked back his frequent humiliations, traved and observed, and in due time, he found his niche and kept it with comparative ease. Though he has con-sidered money-essential, he has



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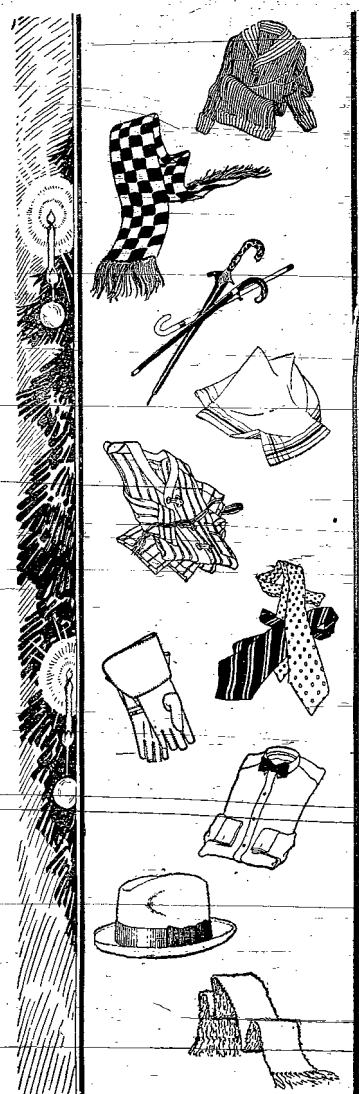
Look over these items and see which applies to the man you have in mind.

- ### Shopping List
- Sweater
  - Sport Coat
  - Bath Robe
  - Handkerchiefs
  - Belt
  - Kid Slippers
  - Warm Slippers
  - Dress Gloves
  - Driving Gloves
  - Silk Hosiery
  - Golf Hose
  - Golf Knickers
  - Suspenders
  - Garters
  - Mufflers
  - Neckties
  - Knitted Vest
  - Motor Robe
  - Silk Umbrella
  - Hats
  - Caps
  - Cigarette Cases
  - Cuff Buttons
  - Traveling Bag
  - Suit Case
  - "Zippers"
  - Leather Vests
  - Golf Clubs
  - Golf Balls

# Morgan's Toggery

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Wayne, Nebraska



made it incidental to service and worthy achievement.

The experience of this boy, reared amidst a dearth of opportunities and the strife of early settlements, is the experience of many others. Boys of today have greatly broadened vision by reason of multiplied educational facilities and organized recreation. The world is brought to their ears through the wonderful radio. Tele-phones, free delivery, automobiles and good roads ease the narrow con-fines of the small town, and time is occupied by something better and more wholesome than factional rows. The young of today have opportuni-ties and means of development un-dreamed of forty years ago, and they should turn them to due advantage, employing their talents and energies to uplift social standards and strengthen the cause of civilization, develop Christian fortitude, insure religious tolerance and encourage brotherly love and helpful fellow-ship.

### Local News

A new line of silk dresses for wo-men and misses has just been received. Buy one for the holiday sea-son. Jeffries' Style Shop. d111  
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WANTED—A few more people to sit for Christmas photographs. Craven's Studio. N204f  
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**FOR SALE**—Buff Orpington roos-ters. Mrs. Otto Lutz, Wakefield, Neb. d42p

**FOR SALE**—30 spring-shots. Paul Lesman. d42p

**FOR SALE**—A fine 160 acre farm. New buildings. Good location. Price \$160.00 per acre. Easy terms. Fred G. Philleo, Wayne, Neb. d41f.

**FOR SALE**—Hampshire male pigs, popular blood lines and priced right. Three miles north of Win-ner. Zicht Bros. n204p

**FOR SALE**—Seven room house part-ly modern, with additional ground; two blocks from Normal, one block from pavement. Terms if desired. John Jenick, Wayne, Neb. n202f

**FOR SALE**—Purchased White Rock cockereis from \$1 up. Mrs. Otto Greenwood, Wayne, Neb. Two miles east and one-half north of Altona. n275p

**FOR SALE**—Big type dark red R. C. R. 1st red cockereis. C. Swin-son, Wayne, Neb. d11f

**FOR SALE**—Large model Ives toy electric train good a new, com-plete with track and transformer. Inquire Herald. d11f

**FOUND**

Polled Shorthorn bulls —George Steele. Phone 426F130. d112p

**FOR SALE**—Good 2-year-old Short-horn bull. E. P. Casauve. d112p

**FOR SALE**—Second-hand dining room table and set of dining room chairs. A. B. Carhart. d111f

**FOR SALE**—Registered Polled Shorthorn bull—Leander 2nd; No. 25225. Anton Schmidt; one and one-half miles south and one mile west of Wayne. d111f

**FOR SALE**—R. C. White Wyandotte cockereis, price \$1.25, if taken at once. Mrs. Anton Pflueger, three miles northeast of Altona. d111f

**FOUND**  
FOUND—A raincoat, at Tenth and Main. Owner call and identify. C. A. Wilson. d111p

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# Cattle For Sale

65 Head of 2-year-old Steers

and 50 Head of Dry Cows

For sale at my place, two miles south and two miles east of Wayne. Half of the steers are Durhams and half are White-faces, and all good western stock.

# J. M. Ellenburg



Phone 247 Phone 247  
**Larson's Grocery News**

Pure, wholesome foods, kept in a clean, sanitary manner, at the lowest prices possible, is the aim of our grocery department. Quick sales and small profits have worked wonders in modern merchandising. We are equipped to give you good service.

**CHRISTMAS CANDY**  
 We have the largest amount and variety we ever had, and the quality is of the best. Lowest possible prices.

**Another Fresh Shipment of Bulk Dates.**  
 2 pound package 30c

**BUY PEAS NOW**  
 Friday and Saturday we have a high quality, extra standard pea side. Regular price, 20c for No. 2 tin. We have on sale 5 tins at the regular price and One Free.

**OMAR CAKE FLOUR**  
 As good as Swansdown, and more for your money.  
 5-pound pkg. 40c

**WALNUT MEATS, POUND 89 CENTS**  
 Genuine Bordo Halves

**Friday and Saturday Canned Milk Sale**  
 Borden's or Better Milk, 6 to a customer  
 Large Can 9c

**OMAR WONDER FLOUR**  
 We have almost doubled our distribution this year over last year. A flour that satisfies.  
 48-pound bag \$2.35

**PURE CANE SUGAR**

**Friday and Saturday**  
 10 pounds 87c

**Large Santa Clara PRUNES**  
 5-pound pkg. 85c

**Large Grape Fruit**  
 4 for 29c

**Medium Size Navel Oranges, 3 doz. \$1**

**FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES AT ALL TIMES**  
 The Store of Better Values

**Larson & Larson**

**Local Happenings**

The car of nice Winesap apples goes to Carroll Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Gaeber of Winesap were shopping in Wayne Wednesday.

Thursday is your last chance to get some of the nice Winesap apples at Carroll Monday.

Boy Jeffrey went to Omaha Tuesday to market a car of cattle for himself and one for L. M. Owen. He plans to return today.

All new winter hats are on sale at half price at the Jeffries' Style Shop. We also have attractive styles in new silk hats for left-winter wear. 41111 G. O. Farrar of Norfolk, who was here Tuesday, left in the afternoon for Omaha to attend the meeting of county commissioners.

If you are looking for something inexpensive and unusual for a Christmas gift see our line of novelties. There are many articles that will delight. Jeffries' Style Shop. 41111

**Society**

**Party Postponed.**  
 On account of sickness and affairs incident to the holidays, the Minerva club's dinner, scheduled for Dec. 18, has been postponed until after the first of the year.

**Bible Study Circle.**  
 The Bible Study circle met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. B. Young and the hostess led the lesson study. A letter from a missionary in China was also read. The women meet next Tuesday with Mrs. L. W. Kravitz.

**For Rudolph Luge.**  
 Miss Emma Schmitz entertained nine at dinner Wednesday evening of last week in honor of her cousin,

Rudolph Luge's birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in visiting.

**To Hold Special Meeting.**  
 The special meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star for election of officers for the coming year will be held Monday, Dec. 22.

**Entertain at Dinner.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. T. House had as dinner guests Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. L. N. B. LaRue of Spencer, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grothe.

**P. N. C. Meets Tuesday.**  
 Women of the P. N. C. were entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. N. J. Jahn and Mrs. E. C. Crockett at the former's home. Current events were given and the women exchanged recipes. A sumptuous luncheon was served. Mrs. Guy Williams and Mrs. G. A. Lamberson entertain in January.

**Surprise Mrs. Corbit.**  
 Twelve friends went to the C. K. Corbit home Friday evening for a surprise in honor of Mrs. Corbit's birthday anniversary. Bridge was enjoyed and the guests served an oyster supper. A large birthday cake was also served.

**For Bride and Bridgroom.**  
 About sixty neighbors of Maxwell Ash and his bride who live east of Wayne went to their home last Saturday evening for a charity. They served an oyster supper and spent the evening in dancing and visiting. All had a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Ash were presented a set of silver knives and forks.

**Christmas Dinner Party.**  
 Forty members of the Wayne Professional and Business Woman's club met at the Baptist church parlor Tuesday evening for a Christmas dinner party. Tables in the dining room were arranged in a square in the center of which was a Christmas tree attractively decorated. On the tables were Christmas decorations also. The women of the church served a two-course dinner. A social time followed and Miss Enid Conklyn as Santa Claus visited the club and presented each member with a gift. At the business session Miss Ferné Oman, chairman of the Christmas programs the club is sponsoring for next Saturday, reported. She has named Miss Edith Marshall of the State Normal to have charge of the afternoon program in which the children of the town will represent Christmas in other lands. The grade children of the city school with Miss Sophia Koester in charge, will show the American Christmas in a pageant in the evening. The club has no meeting the last of this month and the next one will be the second Tuesday in January.

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**Box Supper.**  
 A box supper and program will be given in school district 34, four miles south and three miles east of Wayne, on Friday evening, December 19. All are invited. Miss Lena Bruse is the teacher. 11112

**Market Report**  
 (Furnished by Swanson, Gilmore & Walsh, Sioux City Stock Yards.)

Dec. 10.—Sectional snow storms prevented to the full delivery of hogs to certain markets, but even so the aggregate at the seven leading markets did not suffer more than a moderate contraction. The first seven primary contracts of the country received 186,600 hogs on Monday, as against 201,292 the corresponding day a year ago.

However, with packers hardly able to conceal their desire for the porker material on even the biggest of runs it did not take more than a suggestion of curtailment to send prices higher this week. Moreover the packer attitude towards the advance indicated that the big killers figure all hogs bought at this time will be worth added money later on.

Certainly those in touch with the trade anticipate a lengthy price gain for hogs in the near future. Baitish conditions, such as the shortage of land and the decrease in the nation's supply, looms increasingly potent as the season advances.

During the recent sessions packer buyers have been more concerned about getting weight than in securing the highest prices for their hogs, regardless of the condition of the belly, will sell freely to within a few cents of the top of the market. The arrival of a strictly fancy lot of weight butchers is practically a signal for sellers to attempt springing the top of the market another time.

The advance recently predicted for sheep and lambs is rapidly coming to pass. Tops on the river early this week were well over the \$16 line, while average weight kill ewes had advanced as high as \$9.25. Students of the trade insist that the accent has only started. High priced pelts, it is known, are still allowing the packers much leeway for the placing of cheap lamb on the eastern markets for consumption.

The stocker and feeder market at Sioux City died with the storm this week. Operations were hardly liberal enough to bring out the true status of the trade. As near as could be judged on the scattered transactions completed, however, prices appear

**2,000 Pounds Christmas Candy**  
 20 kinds, fresh, crisp and wholesome, and best of all, nothing in this assortment over 25c.

**With an order for 3 pounds you may secure 1 pound Cream-Filled Chocolates for..... 13c**

Our big spot cash purchase enables this store to save patrons 25 per cent on Christmas candy. We are accepting orders and setting aside for later delivery. Come and satisfy yourself.

**2,000 Pounds New Christmas Nuts**  
 Just what you want to fill the stockings. We have a complete stock, and prices are right.

**1,000 Pounds New Mixed Nuts, 25c lb.**  
 It will be unusual to secure nuts of this quality at 25c per pound. Early orders are solicited.

**Christmas Trees, 35c to 75c**  
 Don't wait—select your tree and have it set aside. We have a choice lot.

**Apples**  
 A carload—Jonathan, Winesap, Willow Twig and Missouri Pippin, in 3-bu. barrels. Iowa grown, and possess that pronounced flavor so many like. Quality is very good, at \$3.25 to \$3.50 per bushel.

**Basket Store**  
 Two Phones—No. 2 and No. 3. Wayne, Neb.

about as low as for any time this year. Some slowness in the live stock market, however, no great breadth in trade may result, but conditions point to a country demand can be looked for to a hearty strong demand for meat until the snow barrier is down. The holiday season for poultry is well advanced and packers are still willing to pay fancy prices for fancy material. Strictly demands will undoubtedly ease off a little, but fancy yearlings can still be quoted the same as during previous years to above \$13.

**ORR & ORR**  
 —GROCERS—

**The Difference**  
 Between "Cheap Food" and "Good Food Cheap" is very wide. Our prices are always moderate. We simply will not sacrifice quality for the sake of low price.

Phone	Our Prices are	Phone
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**Florida Grape Fruit**  
 A new shipment of heavy, thin skinned, juicy fruit. Large size.  
 Three for 24c

**California Navel Oranges**  
 Sweet and heavy with juice  
 Two Dozen for 54c

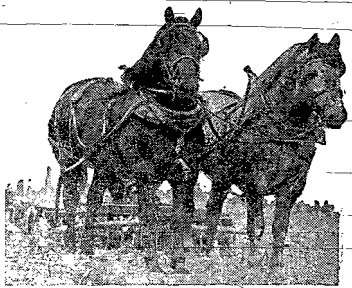
<b>Hostess Fruit Cake</b> Filled with raisins, citron nuts and French fruits, mellowed to luscious richness. 1 lb.	<b>Christmas Trees From Maine</b> Let us lay yours aside for you: Priced 35c to \$1.00
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**Christmas Candy**  
 Pure wholesome candy for Christmas is important. We invite you to inspect our showing and get our prices. They will mean a saving to you.

**Christmas Nuts**  
 At Attractive Prices for the Best Quality. Order yours now and we will hold them until Christmas for you.  
 Nothing but This Year's Crop Sold.

**Family Blend Coffee**  
 Coffees are so high in price that it is difficult to get any thing of desirable quality at a reasonable price. Family Coffee is the same good quality that it has always been and you can buy it.  
 Three pounds for \$1.32

**Horses At Auction**

23 HEAD  23 HEAD

I will sell at public auction at the Wayne Live Stock Pavilion, on **Saturday, Dec. 13** Commencing at 1:30 o'Clock, P. M.

A car load of twentythree horses. Nineteen are good draft horses and five are well-trained saddle horses. They will weight from 1,200 to 1,400 pounds, and range in ages from 2 to 6 years.

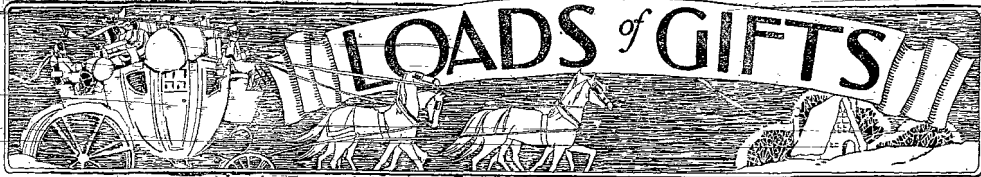
These animals come from Blunt, S. D., and are very desirable. Attend this sale and get these horses at your own prices.

**TERMS:** Cash or six months' time on approved notes bearing eight per cent interest.

**Smith Crane, Owner**  
 D. H. Cunningham and Chas. Cameron, Auctioneers  
 State Bank of Wayne, Clerk.







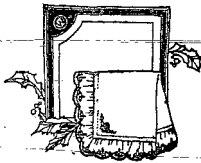
FOR MOTHER



- A NEW COAT \$15.00 to \$55.00-
- A SILK DRESS \$12.50 to \$35.00.
- A WOOL DRESS \$10.75 to \$29.75
- A SILK KIMONO \$2.75 to \$12.50.
- A NICE SWEATER \$5.00 to \$7.50.
- A SILK BLOUSE \$5.00 to \$10.75.
- A FINE HANDBAG \$3.50 to \$6.50.
- A SILK SHAWL \$5.75 AND \$6.75.
- A SILK PETTICOAT \$3.85 AND \$6.75.
- SILK BLOOMERS \$3.50 to \$6.00.
- SILK HOSE \$1.50 to \$4.00.
- SILK UMBRELLA \$5.75.
- FUR CHOKERS \$5.75 to \$9.75.
- PATENT DRESS SLIPPERS, \$4.85 to \$8.00.
- BED ROOM SLIPPERS \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- KID GLOVES \$2.50 to \$5.00.
- CHAMOISEE GLOVES 85c to \$2.00.
- DAINTY HANKERCHIEFS 15c to \$1.25.
- SATIN BOUDOIR CAP \$1.75 to \$2.25.
- CHINESE WORK BASKET 35c to \$1.25.
- TRAVELING HAT BOX \$6.75.
- NARCISSUS BOWL AND PLANT \$1.35 to \$1.65.
- PRETTY BLANKETS \$3.00 to \$5.75.
- ART SILK BED SPREADS \$8.75 SET.
- SATIN BED SPREADS \$5.00 to \$7.00.
- FANCY BATH TOWEL SETS, \$1.00 to \$1.85.
- PRETTY BATH MATS, \$1.55 to \$2.00.
- THREE PIECE COMPOTE SETS \$2.50 to \$4.50.
- Of colored glass, consisting of fruit bowl, candle sticks and candles.
- A CLEVER POHLSON GIFT 50c to \$2.50.
- A SERVING TRAY \$1.25 to \$2.00
- BREAD BOARD AND KNIFE \$1.15.
- PAIR CANDLE STICKS \$1.00.
- SILK FOR A DRESS \$1.85 to \$7.00.
- WORSTED FOR A DRESS 85c to \$4.50 yard.
- SILK FOR A KIMONO \$1.25.
- FINE TABLE LINEN \$2.50 to \$3.85.
- LINEN NAPKINS \$7.50 to \$8.50 Dozen.

# Get Ready For Christmas Here Where Your Dollars Will Remember More Friends

Attention! Buyers of Gift Handkerchiefs



Here is good news for you. Two weeks ago when we were in Chicago the wholesalers were holding clearing sales of their holiday goods. We bought our Christmas handkerchiefs from them at a good discount; you can now buy these gift handkerchiefs of us much cheaper than if we had paid the regular price. Supply your handkerchief needs here and you will make a nice saving. You will find a splendid stock of fresh, new styles to choose from at 5c to \$1.25

Silk Gift Hosiery of Dependable Quality

This is no time to experiment. You want to be sure the silk hose you give are dependable and right in every way. Buy them here and have the satisfaction of knowing you gave the best.



These three grades of silk hosiery have been pleasing Wayne women for years.

- AT \$1.50—A full fashioned, pure thread silk hose of medium weight. Fits perfectly, wears well, comes in all the fashionable shades, our best seller.
- AT \$2.50—A finer weave, heavier weight hose that has a richer appearance because the silk is heavier and closer woven. Comes in all colors.
- AT \$4.00—A very heavy all silk from hem to toe stocking that appeals to those who want the very best. Comes in black only.
- AT \$3.25—Silk and wool hose in the new plaid effects now so popular.

## Visit Our "Aisle of Gifts" for Hundreds of Gift Suggestions

The center aisle of our south room has been entirely given over to the display of gift merchandise. Here on cases, counters, tables and specially built racks we have gathered hundreds of articles suitable for gifts. Everything is arranged so you can examine it at your leisure. Everything bears a price ticket in plain figures. You can almost wait on yourself and save many steps and minutes in your Christmas shopping. You will find something to make you every someone happy in this gaily decorated "Aisle of Practical Gifts."

### Gift Blankets

A pair of these handsome traveler's sample blankets, either wool or wool nap—will make a splendid gift for the newly married daughter or for mother. Priced at one-third less than regular because they are samples, and also better and larger than regular blankets.

Priced \$4.75 to \$10.75

### Finished Needlework

When we buy stamped pillow cases, buffet sets, center pieces, etc., for embroidering, we always buy worked samples of some of the nicer designs so that our customers can see how to work them. We are now ready to sell these sample pieces at just what we paid for them. They are worked by accomplished needlewomen and you will find them a much appreciated gift wherever you send them.

### Pohlson Gifts

Useful, prettily boxed gifts, each one with a pretty card enclosed which carries your gift message in clever verse. Among them you will find presents to please the most fastidious. From the first glance at the cheery verse on the colorful cover or card there'll be nothing but pleasure. These gifts are particularly suitable for mailing.

Moderately Priced at 50c to \$2.00

### Christmas Wrappings

Here you will find all the accessories necessary to make your package a thing of beauty. Here are holly covered boxes, tissue papers, seals, tags, ribbons, tinsel cord and greeting cards.

We will gladly help you wrap your packages, find the postpaid rates for you and attend to the mailing.

## Gift Coats and Dresses At Big Savings



### A Gift of Shoes

Will be Happily Received Especially if she receives one of the new styles we just received last week.

They are the correct fashion now being worn in the eastern style centers. One is of satin; two others are of patent, and the fourth is made of the new brown-shade of Russia calf. Select the one you think she would like—if she prefers some other style she can have them exchanged after Christmas.

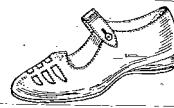
Gift shoes for the little folks may be bought on the same conditions.

Price on the Ladies' four new styles mentioned above is \$7.50

Many other good styles at \$4.85 to \$6.00.



Coats at.....\$10.00 to \$55.00  
Dresses at.....\$5.00 to \$39.75



### Christmas Slippers Please Everyone

These made of soft kid in styles shown by the cut above are the ones that women like above all others. They come in pretty colors to match any negligee—they are felt lined for warmth—the neat ankle strap holds them securely in place, and they wear for years. We have the same quality slippers in other styles for children and also the men folks. Priced at

\$1.65 to \$3.50

Felt slippers are here for every member of the family—dozens of neat styles and pretty colors to choose from at

\$1.00 to \$2.50

FOR SISTER



- GLOVE SILK UNDERVEST 2.50 to \$3.50.
- CREPE DE CHINE TEDDIES \$3.75 to \$5.00.
- SILK BLOOMERS \$3.50 to \$6.00.
- CORDUROY BATH ROBE \$5.00 to \$6.00.
- SILK KIMONO \$9.75 to \$12.50.
- PLAID SILK AND WOOL HOSE \$3.25.
- COLORS SILK HOSE \$1.50 to \$4.00.
- FANCY WOOL HOSE 75c to 3.00
- MERCERIZED STOCKINGS 50c-7c
- CHOKERS \$5.75 to \$10.00.
- FLANNEL MIDDLES 4.75 to 6.75
- DAINTY BOUDOIR CAPS \$1.25 to \$1.85.
- SILK SCARF \$2.25 to \$5.00.
- PLAID WOOL GARTERS \$4.00.
- BRUSHED WOOL SWEATER \$4.75 to \$10.00.
- PLAID WORSTED SWEATER \$5.75.
- LEATHER HANDBAG \$3.50 to \$7.50.
- WOOL GLOVES OR MITTS 50c to \$1.85.
- BED ROOM SLIPPERS \$1 to \$3.
- SATIN DRESS SLIPPERS \$4.85 to \$8.75.
- FANCY RIBBON GARTERS 50c to \$1.25.
- RIBBON TRIM SHOE TRENDS \$5c to \$1.25.
- FANCY HAIR BAND \$1.25 to \$1.85.
- VANITY CASES 75c to \$2.00.
- FANCY HANKERCHIEFS 15c to \$1.25.
- MIDY TIES 50c to \$2.00.
- BARRETTE PINS 25c to \$1.25.
- BOUDOIR LAMPS \$2.75 to \$3.50.
- INCENSE BURNERS 50c.
- FEMME CONTAINERS \$1.50.
- BOXED STATIONERY 85c.
- IVORY PHOTO FRAMES \$1.75 to \$2.50.

FOR BROTHER



- FANCY SILK TIES 25c to 50c.
- INITIAL HANKERCHIEFS 25c.
- LEATHER DRESS MITTS 85c.
- COTTON DRESS MITTS 60c.
- KNIT STOCKINGS 50c.
- FANCY SOX 75c.
- INDIAN MOCCASINS.
- HOUSE SLIPPERS \$2.50.
- KNIT SLIPPERS \$1.75.
- NEW SHOES \$3.50 to \$5.00.
- FANCY GARTERS 25c and 50c.

FOR BABY



- BABY BOOKS 50c to \$2.00.
- FANCY RATTLES 25c to 80c.
- MA MA DOLLS \$1.35.
- WOOL DOLLS 50c.
- KNIT BOOTIES 35c to 75c.
- KNIT SACQUES \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- KNIT HOODS 75c to \$2.00.
- SOFT SOLE SHOES 75c to \$1.00.
- RIBBON TRIMMED CARRIAGE STRAPS \$1.25.
- SILK BOWS FOR CARRIAGE BLANKET \$1.25 to \$1.35.
- DECORATED COMB and BRUSH SETS \$1.50 to \$2.25.
- SILK AND WOOL HOSE 75c.
- SILK HOSE 50c.

FOR DAD



- KNIT SILK TIE 75c to \$1.25.
- KNIT SILK MUFFLER \$2.50.
- LEATHER HOUSE SLIPPERS \$2.75 to \$3.50.
- FELT SLIPPERS \$2.00.
- LINED LEATHER GLOVES \$2.25.
- GLOVES \$1.25.
- SILK AND WOOL HOSE 75c to \$1.25.
- SILK HOSE 75c.
- LISLE HOSE 50c.
- INITIAL HANKERCHIEF 25c and 50c.
- SMOKING STAND \$2.25 to 3.00.
- SMOKING TRAY SET 75c.
- SILK BROADCLOTH FOR A SHIRT \$1.65 yard.
- FANCY GARTER SETS 35c to 50c.
- FANCY ARM BAND SETS 15c to 25c.

### Christmas Trees Nuts, Candy

Our trees are Maine Blue Spruce, the greenest, prettiest shaped of all Christmas trees. They last longest. Best quality nuts and candy only, and prices below usual. Special prices on quantity lots to schools and churches.



# Ahern's

Wayne's Biggest, Best and Busiest Store



### GROCERY SPECIALS

- Jersey Cream pancake flour, sack.....\$1c
- Nuts Such mince meal, per package.....15c
- Oranges, 3 dozen for.....87c
- Grand Canyon cider, No. 2 cans.....10c
- Matches, best blue tip.....5c
- Knox's gelatine, box.....19c
- Cranberries, quart.....15c
- Ahern's Fall Groceries Cheaper.





## —The— Christmas Store

Shop Now!

12 More Days  
Until Christmas

### Presenting Unusual Values in Christmas Gifts of Practical Use

Make our store your headquarters while shopping. Gifts held and shipped according to your orders, packages wrapped for mailing, packages and wraps checked free of charge. Everything to make your shopping a pleasure you will find here.



### Coats and Dresses

Buy here a coat for Christmas. Special values enhance the value of your gift one-third. About 35 coats left in our winter stock are going at low prices—

**\$16.88 \$23.75 \$34.50**

Dresses of Checked Flannel, Plain Flannel and Wool Fabrics are in this special event, as well as Silk Dresses at—

**\$16.75 \$14.48**

### Handkerchiefs

Thousands of them—every kind and description. A quantity purchase of special handkerchiefs bought months ago have brought unusual values to our store. Three groups of handkerchiefs, at—

**10c 15c 25c**

In the above classes are Swiss and Linen handkerchiefs, plain white or colored. Other handkerchiefs from **5c to \$1.00**. Be sure to visit our handkerchief booth.

### Bed Spreads

Very acceptable gifts for mother and sister or the wife. Dozens of exclusive designs and fabrics, in colors or plain, white, silk or cotton, priced from **\$2.65 to \$18.50**. See our plaid colored spreads at **\$3.75 and \$3.95**.

### Holeproof Christmas Hosiery

A gift of Holeproof hosiery reflects the good taste and judgment of the giver. Known the country over for its long-wearing, good-looking qualities. Holeproof hose makes the supreme gift in silk hose. Prices are **\$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.95**.

### Hand Bags

Dozens of hand bags, under-arm styles, envelope purses, pouch bags and boxes; hand-tooled and laced-leather purses. Special sale for Christmas shoppers. Values to **\$6.50 on sale at \$2.95 and \$3.50**

### Silk Boudoir Caps

of satin, lace, ribbon, bows and French flowers; pastel shades.  
**\$1.00 and \$1.50**

### Men's Hose

Holeproof Special, XX toe for men, in silk, wool or lisle. Outwear anything in men's hose. Make us prove it.  
**40c, 65c, 85c**

### Infant's Sweaters

Caps and Bootees..... **65c to \$2.15**  
Special Silk Caps, wool lined,  
..... **\$1.50 and \$1.65**

### Ladies' Gloves

Fabrics, crepe or kid, in latest styles and new-fall shades.

### Ivory Sets

Plain white, Amber Shell or white with Amber trim.

### Mesh Bags

Celebrated Whiting & Davis quality, in gold or silver. **\$1.25 to \$3.50**.

### Bead Necklaces

Long and Short  
**49c to \$1.25**

### Madera Lunch Sets

Also linen lunch sets in colors  
**\$4.95 to \$7.95**

How about a Silk or Wool Dress Pattern for Christmas?

## LARSON & LARSON

WAYNE'S LEADING STORE

Phone  
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### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Evangelical Lutheran Church.**  
(Rev. H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor.)  
December 14: Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching service 11 a. m.  
December 15: Practice for the Christmas program at 7 p. m.  
Saturday school 8 p. m.

**Trinity Lutheran Church, (Winside.)**  
(Rev. H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor.)  
December 14: Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching service at 3 p. m. Choir practices at 4 p. m.  
December 15: Saturday school at 10 a. m.  
December 17: Practice for the Christmas program.

**St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church.**  
(Rev. Coy Luther Stager, Pastor.)  
Sunday, December 14, 1924:  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching service, 11:00 a. m. Sermon theme, "The Great Prisoner."  
Thursday evening at 7:30 the senior choir will have practice at the church.  
Friday evening at 7:30 the junior choir will meet at the church for practice.  
The bazaar and food sale will be held at the community house Satur-

day, December 13, opening at 10:00 a. m. The ladies have worked hard for this and we hope there will be a good attendance. Remember they are serving luncheon also. Perhaps you know that they know how to cook. Come and buy your Christmas presents here. St. Paul's church is your church in your community to serve you. All are welcomed.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
(Rev. Fenton C. Jones, Pastor.)  
10:00 Sunday school. P. H. Jones, superintendent.  
11:00 morning worship. Sermon, Prof. I. H. Britell.  
6:30 Christian Endeavor. Leader, Wayne Carpenter.  
There will be no other evening service. All members and friends are urged to attend the morning service.

**Methodist Episcopal Church.**  
(Rev. John Grant Shick, Pastor.)  
Sunday school at 10 a. m., Conrad Jacobson, superintendent.  
Epworth League at 4:30 p. m., Miss Vera Hansen, leader.  
Public worship at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting on Wednesday night.  
The sermon themes for next Sunday will be: Morning, "God Manifest in the Flesh." Evening, "Take a Look." The evening sermon will be founded on Dickens' "A Christmas Carol." Come and see what lessons

old Scrooge has to teach us.  
The young people put on a fine present at the Epworth League hour last Sunday night and took subscriptions for the Epworth Herald. Mr. Albert Halstead has charge of the subscription list and will be glad to order the paper for any persons desiring it. Join the club and get the paper one year for \$1.00.  
Rebels are in progress for the Christmas program by the Sunday school the evening of December 24. Did you know it snowed the other day—in fact all day last Sunday? Sure, but snow means crops and crops mean prosperity. So let us thank God for the snow and not let it keep us away from church next Sunday; rather let us go to church and thank God for the promise found in the snow. God asked Job in the long ago, "Hast thou entered into the treasures of the snow?" Thank God for these treasures and rejoice even when it snows.

**Baptist Church.**  
(Rev. Francis K. Allen, Pastor.)  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Public worship and sermon at 11 a. m.  
United service at 7 p. m. Subject for discussion: "My Relation to Money."  
The Women's Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. A. D. Lewis Thursday afternoon.  
On account of pre-Christmas com-

munity programs, the mid-week meeting of the church will be held on Thursday evening this week and next week.  
Instruction in missions will be given every Sunday morning by G. B. Whitaker. There is going to be nothing small or narrow in the point of view from which we shall look at the affairs of the kingdom. A good foundation has been laid in the short talks and blackboard outline given by Mr. Whitaker.  
Our Sunday school work requires the cooperation of parents. Tardiness and irregularity of attendance are the chief hindrances. Will parents please help the teachers to get rid of them?

her sister, Yileen Neely, who is a patient at the Wayne hospital.  
Carl Gantz went to Sioux City Tuesday on business. He returned Wednesday.  
Miss Katherine Honnessy of Carroll, was in Wayne between trains Tuesday morning.  
For a Christmas present that will please buy a canary singer. Mrs. L. M. Owen, phone 212.  
Mrs. G. W. Fortner plans to leave next Thursday for a visit of about three months in California. She will visit her son, George Fortner and her sister at Long Beach.  
Glen Garwood of Carroll, who is employed in West Point, was here between trains Tuesday on his way to the latter place. He spent the week-end in Carroll.

**Rev. Coy L. Stager Speaks to Kiwanis**  
Rev. Coy L. Stager of the St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran church, spoke at the noonday luncheon of the Kiwanis club Monday on "Bi-Products." He showed how important are the by-products by stating that packing houses, oil companies and other business concerns make more from them than from their main products. He pointed out that directly or indirectly the social and business life is a bi-product of religion. Nowhere in the jungles, he stated, is there a dentist who can fill a tooth. "This and other accomplishments come with civilization which follows the preaching of the gospel."

### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

A. L. Snyder went to Sioux City Tuesday morning on business.  
L. Leindecker was a Sioux City visitor between trains Tuesday.  
E. S. Edholm went to Omaha Tuesday to attend the state meeting of county commissioners.  
Frank Erleben went to Omaha Tuesday to attend a meeting of county commissioners of the state.  
Mrs. Irving Gaebler was here from Winside Tuesday afternoon to see

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### Societies

#### Social Forecast.

The Rural Home society will have no meeting this December.

One Hundred Member club plans to hold a dance at the Community house next Monday.

The Presbyterian Aid society will have no other meeting in December. They will meet early in January.

The Delphian club, organized in November, will hold its first meeting Jan. 2 with Mrs. J. T. Bressler.

The Methodist Foreign Missionary society meets a week from today.

Dec. 18, with Mrs. John Grant Shick.

Mrs. T. T. Jones and Mrs. D. E. Bristard entertain the P. E. O. at the Jones-home next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. E. Jenkins and Mrs. Clara B. Ellis will be hostesses to the L. A. R. Saturday, Dec. 13, at the former's home.

Regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held next Tuesday evening, Dec. 16, at 7:30 in the Legion room.

Prof Kenneth N. Parke will entertain the boys' class of the Methodist Sunday school at his home Friday evening at 7:30.

The Rebekah lodge initiation will be held Friday evening. Members are asked to come prepared to pay their 1925 dues.

Mrs. W. R. Ellis and Mrs. R. A. McEachen entertain the Presbyterian Missionary society this Thursday at the former's home.

The Coterie club was to meet Monday with Mrs. Warren Schulteis but because of the snow storm this meeting was postponed until January. The

women have no more meetings this month. They and their husbands will have a New Year's party at the L. A. Fenske home.

The Young People's Bible circle will study the fourth chapter of Second Corinthians at the E. B. Young home Friday evening.

Mrs. Eric Thompson entertains the Alpha Woman's club next Tuesday evening when a Christmas party is planned for the women.

Altus club women will meet next Monday for a 1-0-0-0 dinner and exchange of Christmas gifts at the home of Mrs. C. E. McLennan.

Mrs. Eric Thompson entertains the Pleasant Valley club next Wednesday, Dec. 17. Dinner will be served at 1 o'clock and a program will follow.

The meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star was not held Monday evening because of the storm. A special session will be called this month for the election of officers.

The annual all-day meeting of the Methodist Aid society is to be held this Thursday at the church. Sewing will be provided and covered luncheon will be served at noon.

The meeting of the Monday club to have been this week with Mrs. C. A. Blair, Mrs. E. Carhart, Mrs. S. B. Theobald and Mrs. A. M. Jacobs.

The women have a social afternoon next Monday at the home of Mrs. G. J. Hess. The committee in charge is: Mrs. Hess, Mrs. G. R. Bowen, Mrs. A. B. Carhart, Mrs. R. E. K. Mellor and Mrs. H. H. Hahn.

The meeting of the Acme club was not held Monday because of the weather. The women and their husbands will have a 6:30 dinner and Christmas party next Monday evening at the J. T. Bressler home. The committee in charge is: Mrs. Bressler, Mrs. C. T. Ingham, Mrs. V. A. Senter, Mrs. I. H. Britell, Mrs. E. S. Blair, Mrs. C. E. Carhart, Mrs. S. B. Theobald and Mrs. A. M. Jacobs.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday afternoon, Dec. 12, with Mrs. F. G. Phillo and Mrs. A. A. Welch at the former's home at 1 o'clock. Luncheon will be served and the program will follow.

Mrs. J. E. Ellis leads devotions. Roll call will be answered with Christmas thoughts and Mrs. J. M. Cherry will read a Christmas story. Members are asked to take notice that the hour of the meeting is earlier than usual and all are urged to come promptly.

Lightbearers with Mrs. Mines. Mrs. J. G. Mines entertained the Lightbearers of the Presbyterian church Saturday afternoon when the girls worked on scrap books which Mrs. Mines is sending this week to children in Sitka, Alaska. The girls will meet again in January.

Women of the U. D. club were guests Monday of Mrs. H. J. Falber. The hostess gave an interesting review of "Madam Claire," by Susan Eric. At the close of the afternoon the women were served luncheon from a table most attractively decorated with Christmas symbols, the center piece being a small Christmas tree.

Each was presented a poinsettia as a favor. The members and their husbands have a Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 22 at the W. E. Fenske home. There will be no meeting of the club before then.

Girl Scouts Meet. The regular meeting of the Girl Scouts was held Saturday at the State Normal. Mrs. L. F. Beery being present with the girls. The time was spent in drill work and in transacting of business.

With Mrs. L. W. Vath. The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Protestant Lutheran church was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. L. W. Vath. The time was spent socially and the hostess served refreshments. The January meeting will be with Mrs. Catherine Wieland.

For Mrs. Edward Forbes. Mrs. A. A. Welch entertained Thursday afternoon complimentary to Mrs. Edward Forbes of Rhineland. Mrs. Forbes invited Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Mrs. A. M. Jacobs, Mrs. J. J. Williams, Mrs. F. G. Phillo and Mrs. C. A. Chace. Mrs. Welch served luncheon and husbands of company spent the evening at the Judge Welch home.

Baptist Union Meets. Women of the Baptist Union met with Mrs. E. F. Fremont last Thursday instead of with Mrs. S. C. Kopp because of the snow storm. Plans were made for serving luncheon Tuesday to the members of the Wayne Professional and Business Women's club and for serving dinner last evening to the girls of the Y. W. C. A. at the State Normal. The next meeting will be a week from this Thursday.

Home Missionary Society. Mrs. Charles McConnell, Miss Mary Mason and Mrs. L. W. Roe were hostesses last Thursday at the Roe home to the women of the Methodist Foreign Missionary society. Mrs. I. H. Britell had charge of the lesson on the relation of capital to labor. The yearly thank offering was taken at the meeting. Mrs. John Grant Shick had charge of devotions. A social time followed and the committee served refreshments. The January meeting will be with Mrs. Shick.

Bazaar, Lunch and Food Sale. Women of the St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran church will hold their annual bazaar and food sale Saturday, Dec. 13, at the Wayne Community house, beginning at 10 a. m. A variety of fancy work, from as small as a kitchen solder to as large pieces as comforters, will be sold and you will find many Christmas gifts in the line. The women also have food sale and will serve chicken and meat sandwiches, pie, doughnuts and coffee all day.

With Mrs. Henry Korff. Women of the St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Aid society met Saturday afternoon for a special session with Mrs. Henry Korff. Plans for the bazaar the members will hold next Saturday at the Community house were completed. Following a business session the women enjoyed a social time. Because of the snow storm last Thursday the meeting to have been with Mrs. A. C. Thompson was not held. The next regular session will be a week from today.

Women's Club Bazaar. The Wayne Woman's club took in somewhat over \$400 at the bazaar, dinner and supper held at the Community house Saturday, Dec. 6. Some of the chairmen still have money to turn in and there are expenses to be paid so that no definite statement can yet be made until the next meeting of the club. The expenses committee, under the auspices of Miss Mary Mason, was first to dispose of all articles and cleared \$52. The committee, under Mrs. E. A. McEachen, made \$26.40 and there are still a few dollars on hand. One novel feature of this department was a doll beautifully dressed by Mrs. H. S. Conn and named by Mrs. Calvin Colledge. The babies' children's and lingerie booth, under Mrs. E. S. Michael, made \$40. The handkerchief committee, with Mrs. H. H. Hahn at the head, made \$36.22 and there are some articles left in this department. The dress work committee, with Mrs. E. W. Huse as leader, made \$31.85. The candy booth, with Mrs. Clyde Oman in charge, made \$15.50. Pie, corn and other articles of food were sold and the sum received from this will raise the total quite a little. The club is most grateful to all who contacted with fancy work and food and the patronage of the public is appreciated. The next meeting of the women will be Friday, Dec. 12, at the home of Mrs. E. W. Huse. A program of Christmas music is planned and Miss Martha Pierce will give a talk on a Christmas painting. There will also be a playette. All women interested in the club are invited to be present.

Miss Ruth Douma had charge of the orchestra music before the play and between acts. In the story Penrod, played by Joe Lutgen, is the mischievous son of Mr. and Mrs. Scofield, taken by Burr Dade and Marion Miner. Penrod's sister Margaret is played by Aulda Surd. Bude, played by Mrs. Mary Jones, and he is trying to sell an automobile, polish to Mr. Scofield and a neighbor, Mr. Jones, which part was taken by Steve Jones. The stranger is keeping company with Penrod's sister. Penrod does not like the new color and he had heard his father say that the man was a horse thief so Penrod decides to play the part of a detective. The maid (Ruth Gamble) keeps com-

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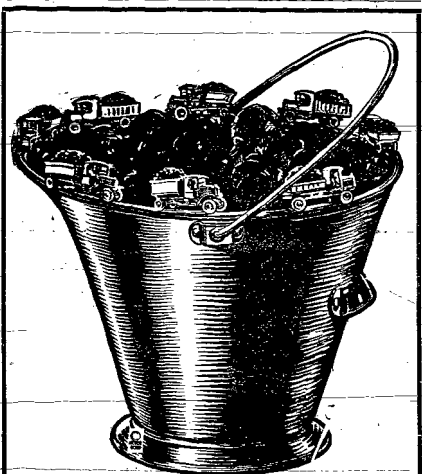
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pany with a young man (James Holt) who is also an unfair dealer. The latter bought a book telling of detective work and earned a detective's badge. Penrod persuaded him to give the badge to him and then he and his companions start to trap Dade. Two darkie boys, Verman and Herman, were played by Henry Reynolds and John Austin Reynolds, of the young darkies. Penrod and his friends are praised for their good work.

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**CARROLL**

Miss Dorothy Huss of the Herald staff, is editor of this department. She will visit Carroll every Monday. Any news contributions to these columns from town or country will be gladly received by her. She is also authorized to receive new or revival subscriptions.

Milton Drulliner of Wayne, visited Friday evening here.

George Lynn was on the sick list the first of the week.

Harry Lessman was a business visitor in Wayne Friday.

Will Meyer went to Omaha Thursday for a short visit.

E. G. Wessel was a business visitor in Winlake Saturday.

John L. Davis of Shales, was in Carroll on business Saturday.

Lester Belford who teaches in Belden, spent the week-end here.

Sen. R. C. Andersen made a business trip to Wayne Friday afternoon.

Dave Thivortius was in Shales Saturday involving the lumber yard at that place.

Members of the Will Morris and Will Rees families have been ill the past week.

Cola Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burress, has been ill with scottalnia.

Miss Hazel Hammond spent the weekend in Wausau with her brother-in-law.

Henry E. Petersen returned Saturday from a visit at Carson and other Iowa points.

Sign Garwood came from West Point to visit over Sunday with home folks and friends.

Opal Porter of Wayne, visited over Sunday, with Mrs. Herbert Jenkins, and family.

Mrs. J. H. Henrich's sister from Montana was here last week visiting. She left Saturday.

Harry Hitchcock who teaches south of Winlake, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Nick Kvols was in Omaha Thursday and Friday to consult a specialist in regard to his health.

Miss Ina Hansen of Randolph, spent Sunday here with her parents, and Mrs. Peter Hansen.

The school board met in regular session Tuesday evening of last week and transacted routine business.

Miss Clara Meyers of Laurel, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Henry entertained Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Logan and Miss Ruth Meyers at dinner Sunday.

W. I. James who was here on business, left the latter part of last week for his home in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Miss Ethel Horn left Saturday for Akron, Colo., to spend a month or so weeks with her brother, Ralph Horn.

The oyster supper planned at the Presbyterian church for last Thursday was postponed because of the storm.

Elmer L. Lundquist of the Woods-Brothers Commission firm of Sioux City, was here on business Friday afternoon.

Mrs. V. L. Dayton and son, Lawrence, were in Wayne Saturday afternoon, the former to attend to business.

The morning passenger train from Bloomfield was about two hours late Monday morning because of the heavy snow storm.

Mrs. V. L. Silkett and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Silkett returned Saturday from Red Oak, Iowa, where they spent the week-end.

Miss Charlotte White of Wayne, who came here Friday to speak at the W. C. T. U. meeting, was a guest of the week-end at the Geo. Yarsen home.

Miss Bonnie Hess spent Saturday in Wayne with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hess, where they dined accompanied her here Sunday by automobile and returned to Wayne that afternoon on the train.

Frank Hartzell of Norfolk, who was here on business Wednesday of last week was a guest until Thursday at the E. G. Wessel home. He returned to Norfolk Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wessel and son, Edward, Jr., who visited Mrs. Wessel's parents until Friday. Jane Wessel, who spent a week with her grandparents, came home Friday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pinkham and daughter, Phyllis, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris were dinner guests Wednesday evening of last week at the E. G. Wessel home. The Pinkhams left last Thursday afternoon for Chicago where they planned to visit Mrs. Pinkham's aunt. They sail Dec. 13 from New York for Cardiff, South Wales, where they will spend a week with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris went to Sioux City with

Pinkhams Thursday and returned Saturday.

P. G. Burress was in Wayne Saturday on business. He and his family plan to move the last of this month to a ranch near Gordon, Neb. Miss Olive Crowell of Winnebago, who teaches in Dakota City, came to spend Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Woods. She left Sunday.

E. G. Wessel and Richard Pinkham held a successful sale Monday of last week at the Wessel farm. Sam Jenkins moves to the place the first of January.

Mrs. W. B. Everett is able to be about again after having been at home four weeks with injuries sustained when she fell and spilled hot water on herself.

H. J. Drulliner of Allen, came Saturday and accompanied home Sunday Mrs. Drulliner who visited since last Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Celyn Morris were dinner guests Friday evening at the Dr. W. C. Logan home. The Logans were entertained Tuesday of last week at the Morris home.

Miss Amanda Lundahl went to Sioux City Saturday to visit between towns with Miss Kathol Jacobs of Carrolltonville, Iowa, who taught in the Carroll high school last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White, Mrs. Charles Schulz and Mrs. Schultze's father, B. C. Jurk, were here from Wayne Wednesday as guests of Mrs. Alex Laurie and John Laurie.

Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Gibson arrived Saturday from their trip to Chicago. Dr. Gibson went to Randolph Sunday and his bride remained for a short visit, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barlett.

The ten cars of cattle shipped last week by John Grier and John Bush were taken by special train from Blair to Chicago. Mr. Grier and Roy Perdue went with the shipments and were to return Saturday.

Nick Kvols and Charles Brockman shipped a car of cattle to Omaha Sunday. John R. Jones had a car of cattle and hogs shipped to the same market Sunday. John Getman shipped one car of cattle; Lawrence Union, two cars of hogs; Celyn Morris and Gwilym Jones, one car of cattle; and Harry Tucker, one-half car of cattle.

**Social.**

The Five Hundred club will meet this Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Huwaldt.

At Gwilym Jones Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwilym Jones entertained twelve friends Saturday evening at cards. Mrs. Celyn Morris and Miss Mary Morris were prize winners. The hostess served luncheon.

**Congregational Aid.**

The Aid society of the Congregational church met Wednesday of last week at the church. Pot luck luncheon was served. The women decided that during the winter months the meetings of the society will be held in the mornings.

**Entertains W. C. T. U.**

Mrs. W. E. Bellows entertained the W. C. T. U. Friday afternoon. Miss Charlotte White of Wayne, spoke to the women on the state convention held at North Platte, a few weeks ago. The hostess served luncheon.

**Baptist Church.**

Sunday school at 10:15.

**St. Paul Lutheran Church.**

(Rev. F. W. Kauf, Pastor.) English service next Sunday at 10:30.

Sunday school and bible class at 10.

**Presbyterian Church.**

(Rev. W. O. Jones, Pastor.) Welsh services at 1 p. m.

English services at 3 p. m.

Worship service at 7:30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m.

**Congregational Church.**

Intermediate C. E. at 1 o'clock.

Junior C. E. at 1 o'clock.

Senior C. E. at 7 o'clock.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Preaching services at 2 and 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

**Methodist Church.**

(Rev. W. W. Hull, Pastor.) Morning service next Sunday at 10:30.

Sunday school at 11:30.

Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Evening service at 8.

The Woman's Home Missionary society meets this Thursday with Mrs. Hull.

**Markets, Dec. 8, 1924.**

Hogs	88-90
Eggs	40c
Greening	30c
Corn, No. 3 yellow	98c
Oats, No. 3	44c
Heavy hens	14c
Light hens	13c
Leghorn hens	9c
Springs	14c
Redsters	6c

**Carroll School Notes.**

A pep meeting was held last Thursday at the convocation period and given with the well known leader for the high school. Marvin Francis was elected assistant leader. Sophomores entertained the high school at the convocation period Fri-

day. The following program was given: Piano trio, Mary Anna Henrich, Dorothy Bartels and Donald Lind, paper on "School Spirit," Lucile Davis, and dramatization of "The Village Blacksmith," members of the class.

A community program is being planned for Friday evening, Dec. 12, at the Carroll high school. The program will consist of singing and readings. All patrons are urged to be present as it will be determined at this time whether or not the meetings will be continued throughout the year. These gatherings benefit the community as well as the school.

The economics class enjoyed a talk Thursday on money and banking by Edward Huwaldt. The speaker outlined the kinds of money, both national and paper, and brought attention, more particularly to the federal reserve note. He named three characteristics of the federal reserve banks, their elasticity, their place in loaning money, and their centralization of the U. S. cash reserve.

Seniors completed bookkeeping and are studying penmanship. Some of the class are working for Palmer certificates. The ninth and tenth grades are studying penmanship also, the last period in the day.

The twelfth English class is taking up dramatic work and some of the members plan to enter the district high school contest in the future.

Fifth and sixth grades are decorating their room for Christmas. Supt. R. C. Andersen talked on money and banking Friday afternoon before the seventh and eighth grades. The seventh and eighth grades are studying picture framing this week.

The first and second grades are making Christmas decorations. The first four grades are preparing Christmas programs. Carroll girls' basketball team won from the Wayne team Friday evening in a game played here, the score being 24 to 11. The Carroll boys defeated the Winslow boys here the same evening by 17 to 7. Large number attended the games. Guy Best of the Wayne State Normal was referee for both games. The local teams have no game this week.

**Southwest Wakefield**  
(By Mrs. C. A. Bard)

James Ring entertained a few of his friends at the C. A. Bard home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sandell and Jean were Sunday callers at the John Florence home in Wakefield.

Miss Anna Nelson who has been assisting at the H. P. Olson home the past few weeks, returned to her home north of Wakefield Thursday.

Mrs. Lawrence Ring entertained at Sunday dinner for a large gathering of relatives in honor of Ralph Hallquist and Harry Johnson of Red Oak, who celebrated another birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Worth, Mr. and Mrs. George Worth of Cheyenne county, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson of Concord, and their families were entertained at the Albert Sundell home Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. L. Bard and Mrs. L. A. Ring entertained several relatives and friends at an oyster supper Tuesday evening at the Bard home. Ralph Hallquist and Harry Johnson of Red Oak, Iowa, were among those present.

The charivari crowd gave Mr. and Mrs. Max Ash a surprise Friday evening when they came bringing "cats" and prepared for a good time, which expectations were realized. They left at a late hour, leaving some silver as a reminder of the occasion.

**Northwest Wakefield**  
(By Mrs. W. C. Ring.)

Mrs. Louise Monk of Denver, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Dahlgren Brothers shipped a carload of cattle to Omaha market the first of the week. Several patrons met at Park Hill school last Wednesday and erected a new woven wire fence on three sides of the yard. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ring and

Marcel, Ralph Hallquist and Harry Johnson were Sunday guests at the Lawrence Ring home.

News items are scarce. Everyone is glad to stay at home with so much snow covering the landscape. Several didn't quite finish baking corn. George Darnall underwent an operation for appendicitis at the John Florence City on Friday morning. Mrs. Darnell accompanied him. At last reports he was getting along nicely.

**Backed by the Country.**

New York World: The president is far economy and then economy, as he has said before. The country will be back of congress in backing him

up in this. And congress will be backing him up by respecting the budget and governing its appropriations accordingly.

Seven Below Zero. Gordon, Neb., Dec. 9.—The thermometer dropped to 7 degrees below zero Sunday night, following a snowfall of six inches Saturday night and Sunday. There was not much wind and Monday the skies cleared. The precipitation amounted to two-thirds of an inch of water.

A. L. Bixby in Lincoln Journal: far economy and then economy, as he has said before. The country will be back of congress in backing him

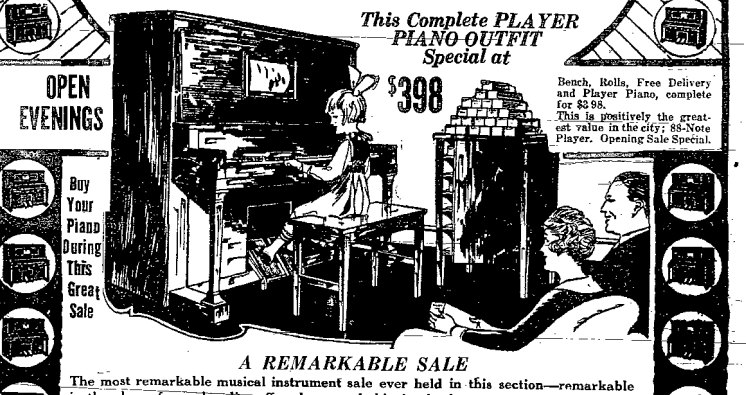
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Wakefield, Nebraska

Wakefield News

Mrs. George Pranger was a Sioux City visitor Tuesday.  
Miss Mary and Miss Margaret McQuistan were in Wayne between trains Saturday.

George D. Carpenter of Carleton, Neb., is a next clerk in the Charles W. Long drug store.

Miss Alice Miner held a box social and program Friday evening at Rose Hill school and made \$34.  
Rev. S. E. Verno planned to leave Monday for Chicago to attend a national Presbyterian conference.

Mrs. M. F. Eckroth, Mrs. A. Hallberg and Clarence Eckroth were in Wayne between trains Saturday.

Will Marriott was here from Sioux City from Saturday until Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. John T. Marriott.

Masons were to install officers Monday evening but the meeting was postponed until later because of the weather.

The Methodist Aid society held a basar and food sale Saturday at the Pullerton Lumber company and made about \$90.

Dr. Geo. J. Hess examines eyes, fits and furnishes glasses. Twenty years in business. Prices moderate. Opposite city hall, Wayne Nat. Bank building.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Haskell went to Omaha Tuesday morning, the former to attend to business. They planned to be gone a couple of days.

George Darnell was taken to a Sioux City hospital Friday and underwent an operation for appendicitis. His wife accompanied him there.

A. M. Hyppie arrived home last Thursday from a visit of several weeks in California. He accompanied Phil Graves there and also visited his brother, J. W. Hyppie, in Los Angeles.

All who enjoy music will be delighted with the opera, "The Penitent," to be given Friday evening, Dec. 12, at the Wakefield auditorium by students of the high school. Come and hear the production. Admission 25c and 40c.

Mrs. R. D. Aller's brother, George V. Ahara of Toronto, Canada, was here from Thursday until Monday visiting. He went from Wakefield to Wisconsin to visit a brother and planned to go to Indiana to see another brother before returning home.

Temperature registered three above zero last Tuesday morning and was the coldest this season. Snow-fall for the past week, according to the gauge at the C. W. Long drug store, registered one foot. Eight inches fell the first of this week.

Floyd Clough and family moved Monday to the J. A. Seagren residence. Mr. Seagren plans to leave next Monday for California to spend the winter with his daughter and son. Alfred Borg, his mother and brother will live in the house vacated by the Cloughs.

Mrs. R. H. Mathewson entertained five women who were graduated from the Sioux City high school at the same time she was, from Saturday until Sunday. Her guests were Mrs. W. P. Schmidt, Mrs. L. S. Wernli, Miss Mabel Hoyt, Miss Emma Elven and Miss Rose O'Connor.

Mrs. Chester Slaughter who has been here several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Mary Helges, went to Wimer, S. D., Friday to visit until Tuesday with her daughter, Miss Zoila Slaughter. Mrs. Helges has been ill for some time and is about the same as usual this week.

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At \$1.95 and \$2.45.

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs

Pure linen handkerchiefs, white and colors, each 30c.  
Boxed handkerchiefs for children, 25c, 35c, 50c.  
Men's handkerchiefs, box 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

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Men's socks in silk, wool and silk and wool at ..... 60c to \$1.25  
Handkerchiefs in plain and colored, 10c, 25c, 35c, 50c, \$1.50

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A gift that is always acceptable. A beautiful assortment to select from..... 35c to \$1.35

For the Little Folks

We have handkerchiefs, balls, stationery, hand bags, dolls, toys, dishes and juvenile china sets.

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Whenever it is not convenient for you to come in person we invite you to avail yourself of our mail order service. You will find it prompt and satisfactory.

## CARLSON'S

"The Christmas Spirit"

Wakefield

## Wakefield News

J. H. Knox was a business visitor in Wayne Friday.

Dan Patterson was in Emerson on Monday.

Miss Grace Kay and Miss Nellie Forsberg were in Sioux City from Sunday until Monday.

Mrs. Garon of Allen, came Sunday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Clough.

Miss Mamie Scott started working Monday in the Variety store and will be there until after the holidays.

Committees making plans for the community Christmas festivities in Wakefield, met Tuesday morning.

Frank Hill of Archison, Kan., came Friday to spend the weekend at the George Green home. He went from here to Allen.

Stockholders of the Wakefield Electric Light company are asked to meet Friday, Dec. 19, to consider whether or not the company will sell the power plant.

Best of musical talent will be seen, Friday evening in the operetta, "The Penitent," to be presented at the Wakefield auditorium by students of the high school. Admission is 25c and 40c.

Ole Lundberg, who fell eleven days ago down the collar steps of his shoe store and who sustained a cut on the back of his head, is about the same as last week. He works at times and recognizes his family but sleeps most of the time. His daughter, Mrs. Fred Willrett of Cornhill, Wis., formerly Edith Lundberg, arrived Wednesday of last week. Another daughter, Mrs. Alfred Jenson of Seattle, Wash, formerly Jennie Lundberg, arrived Monday.

### Wakefield School Notes.

The Georgettes, Swiss bell ringers and novelty entertainers, appeared at the auditorium in a concert Friday evening before a fair-sized audience. Attendance was hampered some by the storm. The program was enjoyed. Students of the high school, under the direction of Miss Clara Johnson, present the operetta, "The Penitent," Friday evening of this week at the auditorium. Much time has been spent on the production.

Attendance in school fell short Monday and Tuesday because of the storm. About one-fifth of the high school pupils were absent Monday.

### Christian Church.

(Rev. J. W. Ellis, Pastor.) Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday, Dec. 11, with Mrs. J. W. Ellis.

### First Presbyterian Church.

(Rev. Stephen E. Yeman, Pastor.) All services at the usual hours. The weather may be cold and disagreeable, but our church is warm and comfortable, cheerful and inviting.

An appreciation of the church comes by attending.

Without much exertion we surely can reach the goal of attendance set. In the morning some phase of "Discipleship" will be discussed.

In the evening a popular service with good stirring music.

Many of the Endeavorers are missing much by not being present at the C. service. The missionary study is proving most helpful. The Sunday school needs all the thought and energy that earnest

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Wakefield, Nebraska

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## Our Christmas Sale

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Lasting Until Christmas

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On Wednesday, Dec. 24, we will give, between 2 and 4 p. m., to every child candy and nuts FREE.

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### Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

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For men and boys 1.25 to \$3.75

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### Tree Decorations and Ornaments

Ribbon tinsel.....10c  
Gilded pine cones.....5c  
Wreaths.....15c, 20c and 30c  
Poinsettias.....5c, 10c and 15c

### Practical Gifts

Towels.....18c to \$1.25  
Bed spreads.....\$3.50 to \$7.50  
Blankets.....\$3.25 to \$12.50  
Silk hose.....\$1.00 to \$2.75  
Wool hose.....65c to \$2.50  
Sewing baskets.....75c to \$1.40  
Gloves.....\$1.35 to \$3.50

## Useful Christmas Gifts at the Winchester Store

People who have that enviable ability to choose appropriate gifts, usually select something useful. Useful gifts are sure to please. The Christmas merchandise now on display in our store offers early shoppers an unusual selection of useful, sensible gifts appropriate for every member of the family.

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Wakefield, Nebraska

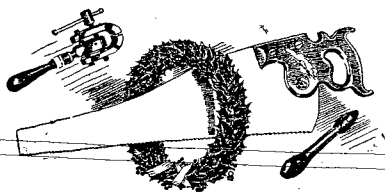
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### WINSIDE

Mrs. Art Aulker of the Herald staff, is editor of this department. Any news contributions to these columns from town or country will be gladly received by her. She is also authorized to receive new or renewal subscriptions.

E. B. Michael of Wayne visited friends here Sunday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Frahm is seriously ill.

Mrs. Harold Neely was shopping in Wayne Saturday.

Mrs. Otto Miller of Hoskins visited here last week.

Dr. A. Tackley was a business visitor from Carroll Saturday.

Will McMullan returned Saturday from Huron, South Dakota.

Nick Hanson and Henry Mohr were Sioux City visitors Friday.

Lena Neilman underwent an operation Friday for removal of tonsils.

Mrs. Irving Gaebler and Mrs. Foy Conway were Wayne visitors Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Halpin went to Wayne Saturday for musical instruction.

Mrs. Jenn Anderson underwent a dental operation at the hospital Thursday.

Misses Bess and Myrtle Leary and Miss Gladys Metlen were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Louie Mittelstadt of Norfolk was a guest Saturday of his brother, G. A. Mittelstadt.

Mrs. Earl Bordner went to Sioux City Friday to visit her sister, Miss Beatrice Motson.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton who has been visiting friends returned Friday to her home in Lincoln.

Louie Mittelstadt who is a student at the Wayne Normal, spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wagers entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hanson.

The Ladies' Aid society met this week on Wednesday with Mrs. John Hessman, hostess, at the home of Mrs. Jake Walde, the condition of the

roads making it impossible for the members to get out to the Hessman home.

Miss Bernadina Bathoff, a nurse from Sioux City, is assisting this week at the local hospital.

Miss Marie Gaebler who has been visiting relatives the past two weeks, returned Saturday to Washington, D. C.

Miss Pearl Reise came Monday from Wayne to stay a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. H. P. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindberg went to Omaha Saturday. On the way home they visited relatives at Pender over night.

Mrs. J. C. Anderson of Carroll was brought to the local hospital and on Thursday underwent a major operation.

Miss Adeline Miller who teaches in the S. H. Rew district plans to have a program, and box supper Friday, Dec. 12.

Mrs. Harold Druliner of Allen and Mrs. Clyde Perrin of near Carroll came Saturday to visit their mother, Mrs. J. C. Anderson, who is a patient in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hanson drove to Sioux City last Wednesday. Their brother-in-law, Henry Mohr of Wall Lake, Iowa, returned with them and remained until Friday.

Since the small blizzard of last week, Main street, as usual is the worst street in town. Winside has many things to be proud of but it isn't the Main street after a storm.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Neely went to Wayne last Wednesday to accompany home their daughter, Miss Twila Neely, who has been a patient in the Wayne hospital. Her sister Yleen is still at the hospital.

Members of the Home department plan to have a Christmas tree and exchange of presents at the home of Mrs. George Jordan, Tuesday, Dec. 16. The lesson study will be led by Mrs. George Jordan, after which the members will have a Christmas tree and exchange of presents. The sandwich committee are Mrs. G. A. Mittelstadt, Mrs. E. W. Darnell, Mrs. C. E. Bensonoff, Mrs. Fred Bright, Mrs. Mary Reed, Mrs. George Jordan and Mrs. Bert Hornby. Other members will bring a covered dish. The decorating committee will be Mrs. I. O.

Brown, Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. Frank Perrin.

Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Ring and children, Leleta and Floyd, Mrs. Henry Trautwein and son Marvin were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Some of the energetic men of the town shoveled snow off their walks Sunday night, to save time Monday morning. The paths were driled full again by 9 o'clock that night.

Miss Esther Bojens celebrated her fourteenth birthday Thursday by entertaining at a 6 o'clock dinner: Miss Gladys Metlen, Miss Esther Pfeiffer, Miss Bess and Miss Myrtle Leary.

Billy Gray weighing nine and one-half pounds, arrived Tuesday, December 2, to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray. He has the distinction of being the first son among the little Gray sisters.

The library board met last Wednesday night with three members and librarian present. The librarian gave the following report for the past month: Books loaned, 374; new readers, 8; collected from fines and fees, \$32.25.

Friends of W. C. Lowry were glad to see him return home Friday from Sioux City where he had been for an operation and treatment for his eyes. He went to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Reed, Mrs. Ed. Fendler, and Saturday morning was able to see to count the cattle in the field some distance away. Mr. Lowry is 81 years old and has been almost blind for a year.

Fred Jensen, who recently purchased the elevator formerly owned by the Farmer's Union, expects to begin business there Monday, Dec. 9. Mr. Jensen will buy all kinds of grain and will also handle feed, flour and fatstock.

The Woman's club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Frank Wilson. Eight members responded to roll call by giving a current event. The following program was enjoyed: Life of Edgar Allen Poe, Mrs. G. A. Mittelstadt; The Raven, Mrs. A. T. Chapin; The Life and Genius of Nathaniel Hawthorne, Mrs. C. E. Needham. Mrs. Irving Gaebler was a guest of the club. The hostess served a two-course luncheon. The club members will have a Christmas program at the home of Mrs. F. Weible.

The Social Circle met last Wednesday

afternoon at the home of Mrs. Oscar Ramsey. Eighteen members responded to roll call by naming an old fiction. Mrs. H. S. Moses and Mrs. Bert Lewis were leaders in the continued study of American literature. Guests besides club members were: Mrs. I. O. Brown, Mrs. Will Rabe, Mrs. Robert Prince, Mrs. Elmer Prince, Mrs. Charles Farran and Miss Myrtle Leary. The happy group had a two-course luncheon. The next meeting will be December 17, with Mrs. H. S. Moses. A Christmas program will be given.

Hogs	\$7.40	\$8.25
Oats	.....	43c
Corn	.....	\$1.00
Cream	.....	36c
Butter	.....	40c
Eggs	.....	38c
Hens	.....	14c
Springs	.....	14c
Old roosters	.....	7c

Highlanders Elect Officers.

Dunbar Castle No. 83 Royal Highlanders met Thursday night and elected the following officers: E. E. Louis Theis; C. E., Vernia Nelson; W. E., Mrs. Louis Theis; secretary and treasurer, Fred Miller; Warden, L. Post; sentry, M. L. Halpin; Herald, Irene Gabler; Manager, Chris Nelson, jr.; First W. C., Bertha Under; Second W. C., Carrie Bartlett; Eggs, Chris Nelson, jr.; C. A. Mrs. T. Puse; C. S., Len Bartlett; installing officer, Chris Nelson, jr.

For Library.

The second number of the home talent library loycom course will be given Monday night December 15 in the school auditorium and will be sponsored by Mrs. George Gaebler.

The following program will be given: Instrumental and vocal proceeds, Mrs. Art Henschel; musical reading, Mrs. Frank Wilson; Christmas drill, twelve girls directed by Miss Bess Leary; play, Beaverville Community; Tree, characters, Elina Higgins; John Fler; Eben Hodge, Chester Misford; Dan Phillips, Harry Rhudy; Hiram Bumpus, Irvan Warmund; Sophie Briggs, Meredith Halpin; Irving Winkum, Herbert Brune; Pete Johnson, colored, Thomas Wheeler; Hubert Fler; Sally Bliskers;

Eleanor Halpin; Mrs. Bangs, Oscar Ramsey; Betty Bascom; Mamie Prince; Mrs. Ben Bascom, Mrs. Neva Hanson; Mrs. Eben Hodge, Mrs. Jess Witte; Sophia Sweet, Mabel Lewis; Susie Sweet, Mrs. John Miller; Ben Bascom, Gurney Prince.

Royal Neighbors Elect.

Goldenrod Camp No. 2539 Royal Neighbors met Friday night and elected the following officers: Oracle, Clara Kemp; vice oracle, Lena Kieffer; next oracle, Maude Aulker; chant leader, Emma Dewey; recorder, Bonnie Moses; receiver, Mamie Prince; inner sentinel, Etta Lewis; outer sentinel, Cora Brodd; marshal, Neva Hanson; manager, Anna Anderson; physician, Dr. J. G. Neely; musician, Esther Bensonoff. After the business meeting an oyster supper was served and the following musical numbers given: Piano solo, Eleanor Halpin; vocal trio, Mrs. I. O. Brown, Mrs. Harold Neely and Mrs. Mamie Prince; piano solo, Mrs. H. E. Sman; piano duet, Mrs. Harold Neely and Mrs. Art Aulker.

School Notes.

Esther Bojens celebrated her fourteenth birthday Thursday by serving candy to her classmates.

Marvin Trautwein celebrated his eleventh birthday Friday and served cakes.

Margaret Anderson and Mildred Moore have won gold seals for perfect attendance.

The boys' rope club met Friday and received their third lesson.

Victor Hansen has won a certificate of award for nine months' perfect attendance.

Margaret Moore celebrated her fifth birthday Friday and served candy bars.

The primary pupils have been improving their handwriting by writing letters to Santa Claus.

The music for the high school orchestra, has arrived and they will soon begin practice.

The basketball team went to Carroll Friday evening to play the Carroll team. The score was 7 to 7, but taking into consideration two facts, first that our boys have no floor up to which to practice and second that only two members have been mem-

bers of a basketball team before, it was a good game and the boys are not the least discouraged.

The second year Latin class, dramatized for the school Friday, a Latin play entitled "Ira Nympharum." The story is that Marsius, a boy of Brundisium, wanted to enter the Olympics and wanted to practice in the forests sacred to the nymphs and decided to go in spite of warnings of his friends and sister. The nymphs overheard him say that he was coming into their forest and decided to hinder his practice so that he will not win in the Olympics. When he arrives he is hindered in ever so many ways and made to realize the power of the nymphs who finally relent and aid his practice which brings him victory in the games. A Latin dialogue was also given by two sophomores "Elys," "A Boy's Dream" in which a boy goes to sleep while trying to study his Latin lesson and dreams that Caesar came to him and told him why these commentaries had been written and told him to treat them as an interesting story, not as a struggle. The drama made the boys more interested in the study of Latin. A Latin song was sung by the first year Latin class. The school enjoyed the program very much and expressed a wish that the Latin classes entertain again soon.

Church Notes.

(Rev. L. H. Eckler, Pastor.)

Order of services for Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning school, 11 a. m. Grace church, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League, 6:45. Evening service, 7:50. On account of inclement weather and bad roads the pastor was unable to hold services Sunday at Grace church.

The topic for the evening service being Sunday evening will be "Why Believe in the Bible?"

The following officers of the Epworth League have been elected for the coming year: President, William Wylie; vice president, Anabel Hillier; secretary and treasurer, Mabel Lewis; program committee, Clarence Johnson, Edwin Ulrich, and Leona Puse; social committee, Will McKin-

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WAKEFIELD

Miss Dorothy Huse of the Herald staff, is editor of this department. She will visit Wakefield every Tuesday. Any news contributions to these columns from town or country will be gladly received by her. She is also authorized to receive news or renewal subscriptions.

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Christians can give it. It offers a fine opportunity to exert your strength and leadership. Remember the weekly program. No one will be left out unless he seeks out every duty-omitted. Observe some truth that we should know."—Huskin.

Methodist Episcopal Church. (Rev. B. H. Martin, Pastor). Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:45-9:30 p. m.

Pleasant Valley. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 p. m.

Swedish Mission Church. (Rev. John G. Nelson, Pastor). Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11. Evening services 7:30. Wednesday, mid-week service at 7:30. Thursday, choir rehearsal, 7:30. Friday, Sunday school workers' conference at 2:30. Saturday, pastor's class meets at 2 o'clock.

Salem Lutheran Church. (Rev. J. A. Martin, Pastor). Swedish services, 10:00. English services, 11:30. Sunday school, 10:45. Swedish services, 7:30. The Ladies' Aid will meet on Thursday at 2:30 in the church parlor upon the invitation of Mrs. S. M. Anderson, Mrs. Geo. Anderson and Mrs. Henry Anderson. The Sunday school teachers will meet on Thursday evening at the parsonage.

The catechism meet Saturday at 9:00 a. m., and the Sunday school children will receive for the Christmas program at 2:30. The Martha society will sponsor a food sale and lunch on Saturday afternoon in the building next to the Berch & Sar hardware store. Let us buy our bakery goods and take lunch there next Saturday. The opera, "The Pennant," presented by the Wakefield high school, under the direction of our organist, Miss Clara Johnson, at the auditorium next Friday evening. On Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14, the committee on pledges will visit all the members of Salem for the purpose of soliciting pledges for the support of the congregation for 1925. Please arrange to remain at home then or see the financial secretary before that time.

Markets, Dec. 9, 1924. Butter, 30c. Eggs, 42c. Corn, \$1.05. Oats, \$1.11. Wheat, \$1.15. Hogs, \$6 to \$8.50.

Social. The Presbyterian Aid society will meet this Thursday with Mrs. G. W. Green. Mrs. R. H. Mathewson's class of young women of the Presbyterian church will meet at her home this Thursday evening.

The P. E. O. meeting to have been held Monday evening was postponed because of the rain and the women will meet next Monday with Miss Vena Green.

Mission Study Class. Members of the Mission Study class of the Presbyterian church met Tuesday evening at the church for the regular lesson.

Presbyterian Missionary. Women of the Presbyterian Missionary society met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed. Tempic. Mrs. S. E. Yenn received a book for the program.

Methodist Aid Meetings. The women of the Methodist Aid society met in two groups Tuesday afternoon to wear Friday evening comforters. Those in the west part of town met with Mrs. Richard Chinn and those in the east part with Mrs. Fred Utecht.

For Bride of Week. Mrs. Pierce Bressler entertained at a check dinner Friday evening for her sister, Miss Ethyle Wiggins, whose marriage to William Westwick took place yesterday. Besides Mrs. Bressler and the honored couple the guests included: Miss Helen Gustafson, Miss Violet Linden, Miss Irene Kohlmeier and Roy Wiggins.

Key. Miss Nellie Forberg, Mrs. and Mrs. A. C. Eichl and family, Miss Vena Green, and Miss Anna Kay and Miss Stella Morrell of Emerson.

For Silver Wedding. Twenty-five friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Peterson went to their home Friday evening for a surprise on honor of their silver wedding anniversary. Dinner was served and the evening was spent socially. The honored couple were presented a purse of silver as a remembrance of the occasion.

For Miss Ethyle Wiggins. Miss Irene Kohlmeier invited about twenty young women to her home Saturday evening for a miscellaneous shower in compliment to Miss Ethyle Wiggins whose marriage to William Westwick of Douglas, Wyo., took place Wednesday. Croaking of loak to find fortunes and other similar means of entertainment were enjoyed. The hostess served luncheon at an attractively decorated table. The gifts of the week received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Are Married Here Wednesday at Noon

Miss Ethyle Wiggins, daughter of Mr. Evelyn Wiggins of Wakefield, and Mr. William Westwick of Douglas, Wyo., were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Wednesday, Rev. Mr. McCarthy of the Holy Nob, officiating. The ceremony at noon in the presence of near relatives.

The home was decorated in the bride's colors of red and white. The wedding, flowers of these colors being used. Miss Wiggins wore a peach colored dress and had a carriage. Most guests were covered. The wedding breakfast after the marriage and the young couple left for a trip after which they will make their home in Lincoln, Mo.

Mrs. Westwick is a graduate of the Wakefield high school. She taught at Douglas, Wyo., last year and the little Ernie, her son, is a Westwick attended school in Douglas and later finished a technical school in Lincoln. He will be in business in Lincoln.

Winside News

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ney, Robert Wylie and Margaret Nelson. The Home department will meet this Tuesday at the home of Mrs. O. Brown. The lesson study will be led by Mrs. George Jordan. A Christmas social hour will follow the study of the lesson and covered dish luncheon will be served.

The second lesson in Epworth League on "Jesus as a friend save Him" with the subject "The Enemies" will be studied next Sunday night. Topic leader, Harold Darnell; devotional leader, Margaret Nelson; song leader, Mild Lewis; bible drill, Rev. L. R. Keckler.

To stimulate bible study the pastor has given out the following questions: 1. Who was the first lie, and who told it? 2. Who was the son of Hagar and what relation was he to Isaac? 3. What was the name of Lot's father and what relation was he to Isaac? 4. How old was Noah when he entered the Ark and how long was the ark in building? What early bible character was translated that he should not see death?

A copy of the gospel of John will be given for every correct set of answers that is handed in next Sunday. The answers are to be in writing.

The Missionary society met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Darnell with Mrs. M. La Croix assistant hostess. Thirteen members were present. Other guests were: Mrs. George Jones, Mrs. Charles Unger, Mrs. Chris Nelson, Jr., Mrs. Etta Wolfe and Mrs. Herman Fleer. The following program was given: prayer, Mrs. Charles Unger; program leader, Miss Gertrude Bayes; mystery box, Mrs. George Gabler. The Christmas offering amounted to \$4.40. The hostesses served luncheon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. R. Keckler with Mrs. Julia Overman assistant hostess.

Brenna News

Mrs. Fred Baird.

Herman Benck called in the Fred Baird home Friday.

Ralph Hillier spent Saturday night with the Troutman boys.

Hershel and Dean Baird spent Saturday evening in the Siller home.

Mrs. Faye Stiles was a Sunday visitor in the Emmett Baird home.

Little Admett Kringe has been under the doctor's care the past week.

Mrs. Emmett Baird and Mrs. Faye Stiles were shopping in Wayne Tuesday.

corn in this neighborhood this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Baird and Miss Myrtle Philbin were shopping in Pilger Saturday.

Fred Rung returned from Omaha Wednesday. He had been with a shipment of cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brooks, Hugo Spittlerger and Earl Philbin were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Mrs. F. L. Moses attended Social Circle at the home of Mrs. Oscar Ramsey Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Geo. Van Seggern entertained Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Von Seggern at supper Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baird spent Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Baird's brother, Geo. Frahm, and family.

Miss Marnie Wert is staying in the Harry Baird home since the heavy snows have made the roads impassable for cars.

Herman and Henry Wise took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baird Saturday. They accompanied Mr. Baird to Winside Saturday afternoon.

A son, James Lowell, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steele Saturday, Dec. 6. Mrs. Miller of Wayne is caring for Mrs. Steele and infant.

Herman Benck's sister and husband motored from Battle Creek Friday and spent Friday night in the Herman Benck home. They returned Saturday.

Word has been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Henson of Huntington Beach, Calif. Mrs. Sodon will be remembered as Miss Faye Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Von Seggern brought their new home to the home Sunday. All new buildings have been erected on their farm during the past summer.

Most of the schools caused a considerable decrease in the attendance of the schools. There were only six pupils present in district 23 Monday, three in district 35, and three in district 81.

Hugo Spittlerger returned Thursday from Omaha where he marketed the Ernest Erntgen, a fine horse. The Erntgen stayed with their aunt, Miss Emma Spittlerger, during their father's absence.

Miss Helen Shady had the misfortune to catch the fingers of her right hand in a corn sheller Sunday when she was shelling corn for chickens. No bones were broken, but the fingers were badly bruised.

HOSKINS

Miss LaVerne Krause is editor of this department. Any news contributions to these columns from town or country will be gladly received by her. She is also authorized to receive news or renewal subscriptions.

Milo Hansen was a business visitor in Sioux City, Sunday.

Alvin Marz is seriously ill with an attack of appendicitis.

Miss Mabel Schroeder left Monday for a week's stay with friends in Muscatine.

Mrs. Lawrence Winebrenner and daughter returned home Sunday from West Point.

Henry Wetzel returned home Monday after a week's business visit in Lisco, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mathes and family of Hader were Sunday guests in the Carl Busch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Busch attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Englebe at Tilden last Monday.

Mrs. S. A. Lutgen and Mrs. Pearl E. Sewall of Wayne were Thursday dinner guests in the Gus Schroeder home.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid society met in the Rev. Mr. Brenner home last Thursday evening. Mrs. Brenner being hostess.

was united in marriage with Miss Amanda Barquardt. They made their home on a farm in Stanton county for 28 years and then they moved to Hoskins. To this union 11 children were born of whom eight are still living.

Mr. Grik is survived by his wife, and eight children, Mrs. Wm. Heckman and Mrs. Paul Licker of Norfolk, Mrs. Oscar Forsman of Sioux City, Gerhardt Grik who lives east of Hoskins, and Vena, Hetha, Eda and Harvey who are at home; four sisters, Mrs. Albert Rahm of Wausa, Wis., Mrs. Carl Wehrich of Gregory, South Dakota, and Mrs. Gus Kollath and Mrs. Wilhelmina Kollath of Hedges; two brothers, Gus Grik of Burke, South Dakota, and Frank Grik of Wausa, Wis., and six grand-children, besides many friends.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in the Lutheran church with Rev. Mr. Brenner officiating. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery.

Busch-Kleinsang. Mrs. Adella Busch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Busch, and John Kleinsang, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kleinsang, were united in marriage at Sioux City, Iowa, last Friday. The young couple will make their home on a farm north of Hoskins.

East-Brenna (By Mrs. Everett Lindsay)

Fritz Bruns visited with Ralph Morse Saturday morning.

Melvin Wert spent Sunday with his cousin, Russell Lindsay.

Carl Pfeil called in the Ed. Lindsay home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Pete Petersen called on Mrs. Jim Hampton Friday afternoon.

Martin and Louise Lage spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Higgins.

Russell and Francis Lindsay, Ted and Florence Montgomery spent Saturday evening with Ralph Morse.

There were no church services Sunday nor Aid meeting Thursday

Edward Amherst Ott College Lecture Course Friday, December 12 8 P. M.

"Sour Grapes" A Popular Lecture on Heredity

Prof. Edward Amherst Ott was a pioneer in popularizing biological ethics. Eugenics is not a fad with him. He correlates a knowledge of the laws of breeding with practical, social, and ethical problems. "Sour Grapes" has been delivered over 4,000 times and has been heard by over a million people.

Admission, 50 cents

on account of the bad roads and storm.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steele, Saturday, Dec. 6.

Ted Montgomery was an overnight guest of Ralph Morse, Friday night.

Carl Pfeil drove to Norfolk Saturday to get one of his calves to count and care for his mother who is sick.

Mrs. Ed. Lindsay, Mrs. Ray Gamble and Miss Louise Lage called on Mrs. Art Mann Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Higgins spent Friday evening in the Everett Lind. The evening was spent in listening over the radio.

Martin, Louise, Carl and Arnold Lage drove to Wayne Wednesday evening to attend an oyster supper at

the Henry Schmitz home, given in honor of Rudolph Lage's birthday.

Eat Griddle Cakes. A. L. Birby in Lincoln Journal: If you have a normal digestion griddle cakes at this time of year, with butter or lard, grease and maple syrup will answer the needs of your system as well as anything we can think of at this moment.

At this time of year in this latitude and longitude you need an excess of carbohydrates to maintain the bodily heat. It provides incalculable saving of fuel, for the living rooms need less heat for people who are properly nourished.

Try a Wayne Herald want ad.

HORSE SALE 25 Draft Horses, Saddle Horses and Ponies at Auction Saturday, December 20 Wayne Pavilion, 1:30 p. m. On the above date I will sell at public auction, in the pavilion at Wayne, 25 head of high class heavy draft horses, well broke saddle horses and a number of good youth's ponies—all in all as good a load as I ever brought to Wayne. These horses are all from my own feed lots and are the good kind. I have been selling horses in Wayne for a number of years and know that the demand is for good ones and that is the kind I am bringing. All Young and All Well Broke. A mighty good chance to secure a good team of well broke work horses, a real saddle horse or a mighty good pony for the youngsters. Remember, they must suit you, and that I will sell them without any reserve or by-bid. ED. LOVE, Owner D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneer First National Bank, Clerk

### A Mystery of The Early Days

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His presence, he saw with pleasure, was not distasteful to the girl he loved, and many bright hopes and anticipations were aroused. Thus, with much dimming and conversation, the time passed sweetly away and at 10 o'clock the happy young visitors bade good night to their friendly entertainer.

A few moments later, young Watson was rapidly conveying his fair companion towards her home. The distance between the two houses is not much over a mile, yet in the darkness, the road was most difficult to follow. And when the horses turned from the road and directed their course across the prairie towards their own stable, the young couple, occupied with their present happiness, neglected to notice the mistake which had been made.

After a time, which was no doubt much longer than it seemed to them, they found that their horse had strayed from the road. This was a surprise anything but agreeable. In the dark darkness all directions seemed alike—they were in a fix, and the snow-laden gale sweeping past warned them that their safety lay alone in the sagacity of their horses to find shelter. "You may truly be said to catch on at night," the remark of a horse is better than the reason of a man. Fortunately for the lovers, their noble horses, through the dark night, started, and they turned their course to Mr. Watson's place.

It was impossible, when the lovers discovered where they were, to think of returning in the face of the blizzard, and therefore they made their way up the path to the house. As they walked toward the house, the wind appeared to blow with ten-fold violence, tore away the veil which covered the young girl's face. At that moment a ray of light shined through the window, and she saw them through one of the windows an evil and fear-stricken face.

They hastened in, and as they entered, in the face of the stranger guests the shrieks of the pedlar and the calls for help which aroused the household.

It was an hour before the pedlar was with difficulty restored from the death-like trance into which his fears had driven him. But even when he awoke, he was so weak that he had fainted him was shown in the terror with which he listened and watched, as if expecting to again see the specter to be an accusing spirit. He was removed to the interior, where by fire and lights, and surrounded by friendly faces, it was hoped to fully dissipate his fears.

At dawn, and his son were dreading themselves, that their efforts in behalf of the pedlar would prove successful when an incident occurred which struck the terror from them and revealed the cause of it.

"The young girl who had involuntarily become a guest for the night, and who had been receiving the care of Watson with motherly care, entered the room where the pedlar was. As he saw her sprang to his feet and made frantic efforts to escape. By those around him he was restrained from rushing out into the night. He clasped his hands before his face, and with his knees he begged for an object terror, prayed those around him to save him.

"I confess all," he cried. "I stole the child, but would I have brought it back to her if I could."

All this, to those present, was the insane ravings of one who had at some time been guilty of a crime.

The young girl, frightened first only by the insane actions of the pedlar, turned pale as she closely observed him. As she heard his words, she recognized him as the man who, years before, had taken her to Mr. Lincoln's house and left her there, saying that he would call for her soon. But until now, she had never seen him.

The memory of his cruel face had always caused her to think of him with terror and aversion, nor could she be reconciled to the thought that she was his daughter, as he had told Mr. Lincoln. And now his words, speaking of a stolen child, evidently referred to her.

The desire to solve the mystery of her early childhood gave her an energy and boldness unusual in one so young. She advanced to his side and spoke to him.

"You are the man," said she, "who took me to Mr. Lincoln's house. Who are you where is my mother who stole me from?"

"You stole this girl, as you confess," cried the elder, "and now from whom did you steal her?"

To these impatient demands the pedlar continued to preserve a dogged and insulting silence. Mr. Watson's indignation rose as he saw the cruelty which the wretch's silence inflicted on the girl beside him.

A noble-hearted western man does not long stand passively when he knows that a base injustice is being practiced. With a flashing eye he told the pedlar that the mystery must be cleared up at once, and that the consequence of his further silence would be far from agreeable to him.

Surrounded by those whose angry faces indicated little mercy to him, and knowing his danger if he longer defied them by his silence, even conjuring visions of the rope and tree which he knew well he deserved, the pedlar, stipulating first that he should be allowed to go on his way without hindrance, agreed to tell them all he knew of the girl.

His story in brief, was this: Many years before, he had visited this very farm, then occupied by Mr. Burton and his father, Mr. Morris. He stole her child, took the little girl to the Omaha reservation, and left her with an Indian family. He then went to the Arkansas reservation, and on his return, but was detained there several years. When he came back he brought the girl from the reservation to the neighborhood where he had a store for her mother. He left her at the house of Mr. Lincoln, and alone went to visit the Burton family.

When he returned, he found that Mr. Burton, and he was lying in his bed, dead. His own inquiries of Mr. Watson and his son, also elicited from the unwilling lips of the pedlar the admission that he stole the child as a means by which he could extort money from Mr. Burton, and in furtherance of that design he had brought the child from the reservation back into the neighborhood and left her at Mr. Burton's house. That finding Mrs. Burton's child, and his sister, Mrs. Morris, away, he did not return to Mr. Lincoln's again, but immediately fled for his home in Arkansas.

His ready admission was torn from him by the most severe cross-examination, that before he left he buried the body of Mr. Burton in the great sand near by, and set fire to the prairie grass, which—soon swept over the country, burning the house, stables, fence and leaving only a black and desolate waste behind. Having thus covered his tracks, he drove away Mr. Burton's cattle and sold them.

"I remember the time," interrupted Mr. Peebles, who had hitherto been a silent listener, "this double-dyed rascal, Arkansas, and his sister, Mrs. Morris, also know another matter of importance in this case," continued he. "I was acquainted with Burton and his sister while they lived in Ohio, and after they came here. Some weeks before the time when this man says he found Mr. Burton dead, his sister, Mrs. Morris, went back to her old home in Ohio where, as friends have since written me, she now lives.

While they were thus engaged in wracking the truth from the pedlar, the day dawned. The storm had subsided as rapidly as it had risen. Then the miscreant was taken to the sand hill in order to point out the place where he had buried Mr. Burton.

Approaching the spot, they found that the wind had drifted away the sand which had covered the remains, and it was now fully exposed to view. "What you saw last night in the air," said Mr. Watson to the pedlar, "was merely a mirage—a picture of the child, and the skeleton of a man. As you changed your position it appeared to sink to the ground, and in your fright, increased by the recollection of your crimes, you imagined it a real and moving form."

Julia turned from thought of the wretch who had so cruelly wronged her, to rejoicing over the prospect of again seeing her mother. Young Watson wanted to go to Ohio with Julia, and accordingly their marriage was hastened. With buoyant hearts, she and her mother left for the East, and a happy reunion of mother and child followed. It will be of interest to know that Mrs. Morris yielded to a plan to spend the remainder of her days with her daughter and husband. In another month the three left for Nebraska.

According to the promise made him, the pedlar was permitted to depart. He went north, and at Ponca expected to cross the Missouri river in a boat, and return to Wakefield by the pangs of an accusing conscience, he plodded wearily and painfully, along on foot. Within five miles of Ponca, he met a man who was returning from a trip to the little inland town of Martinsburg. The driver was impressed by the man's darting eyes and hard, twitching face of the stranger, and questioned him closely about his business-travel plans. Resemblance to the confessed murderer, who was changed by a body of citizens a number of years before, was detected, and led to the recollection of the runaway driver that Mat did not die on the improvised scaffold.

Reaching Ponca, the driver, suspicious of the stranger's manner and the fact that he had accepted a ride from an old man who was returning from a trip to the little inland town of Martinsburg. The driver was impressed by the man's darting eyes and hard, twitching face of the stranger, and questioned him closely about his business-travel plans. Resemblance to the confessed murderer, who was changed by a body of citizens a number of years before, was detected, and led to the recollection of the runaway driver that Mat did not die on the improvised scaffold.

quickly became unconscious and soon expired, despite efforts to save him. An examination of the body revealed an old scar on the neck. It was truly the body of Mat Miller.

### CONCORD

Mrs. Hovvri Anderson is editor of this department. Any useful contributions to these columns from town or country will be gladly received by her. She is also authorized to receive news or renewal subscriptions.

Carl Johnson motored to Wayne Saturday afternoon. Miss Mylet Johnson spent the week-end with friends in Laurel.

Wm. Erwin, sr., went to Omaha the first of last week to serve on the jury.

Mrs. Gust Carlson entertained at a quilting party at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stead moved from here to their new home in David City, Friday.

Mrs. C. E. Marvin and Miss Florence Jensen were passengers to Wakefield Saturday.

Mrs. John Bose and son, Alfred, and Bernard Cook were business callers in Wayne Saturday.

Miss Edna Smith and Miss Verli-Tuttle were week-end guests in the J. C. Hodge home in Laurel.

Mrs. Alice Hastic and Miss Pauline Thompson were Sunday guests at the Fred Salmon home.

Orion Thompson went to David City Friday with a truck load of household goods for W. J. Stead.

The annual yearly business meeting of the members of the Free Mission church was held Saturday afternoon.

Garfield Swanson helped finish carpentering for the Erickson Bros. Friday, and returned to his home in Wayne.

There were only forty-four pupils to attend school Monday, as the weather and roads were too bad for any of the country pupils to come in.

Junior Lansworth of Agre, Neb., returned to his home Friday after spending the past six weeks in this vicinity, assisting with the corn picking.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilger Pearson entertained about twenty of the Dorcas society in their home last Thursday afternoon. A delicious luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Worth of Dalton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Worth and sons of Wakefield, were entertained in the Harry Anderson home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson were entertained at the A. T. Sundell home Friday evening at a three-course dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Worth of Dalton.

The Roy E. Johnson family who have been under quarantine for scarlet fever, were released Tuesday and it is hoped this will be the last case of the disease during the winter.

Harold, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds, was taken to the hospital in Sioux City the first of last week where he received medical attention and is reported to be getting along quite nicely.

Maloney & Erwin have sold their general merchandise store to Ed. Staudtner, who takes possession February 1, 1925. Many customers regret seeing these girls go out of business here, and wish them success in their new undertaking.

Miss Albert Nelson entertained the members and friends of the Larkin club at her home Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. Stead.

A sumptuous supper was served at the close of the enjoyable afternoon. Her friends regret having Mrs. Stead leave here, and their best wishes for Mr. and Mrs. Stead in their new home go with them.

The best bunch of sweet peas that we know of are peace, prosperity and plenty.



## Come to Toyland The Toy Store

Christmas Day is the Children's Day of the year. No youngster will be satisfied unless he or she gets a toy. Realizing this we are offering you the best and latest toy gifts the market affords and at prices that will satisfy the most careful buyer.

### For the Girls

We have a large assortment of Dolls, imported as well as domestic. The Mama Dolls are in especially big demand this year and we have a big stock of them in different sizes and grades. Two kinds are especially good. One is a big doll, 22-in. large, with composition head and Mama voice, at \$1.39; the other is about 17-in. large, with a tin head, sleeping eyes and Mama voice, at \$1.48. Both are exceptional values.

With the dolls you can select doll furniture, doll dishes, reed or collapsible doll carriages, doll beds, and other doll accessories, and you will be sure to delight the little miss.

### For the Boys

We have mechanical trains, mechanical toys of all kinds—steam engines, air rifles, erectors, tinker toys, toy wagons, scooters, sleds and many others. An assortment of tin toys including engines, autos, telephones and others at 10c is a wonder at that price.

Then there are hundreds of toys that both boys and girls alike enjoy. Toy blocks, rubber balls, katie cars, games, books and others. Mechanical climbing monkey at 10c, an auto game at 65c, and a heavy-built horseshoe game at 98c are three outstanding values.

It would be useless to enumerate the many different toys because it cannot be done. You have to come and look around yourself. But come early and get what you want now. Don't wait and take what is left.

## Wayne Variety Store

## Postponed

On account of bad weather my farm sale has been postponed until next

## Tuesday, December 16

I will offer eight head of horses, five head of cattle and farm machinery at auction at my place five and one-half miles north and six miles west of Wayne, three miles east and two and one-half miles north of Carroll, beginning at 1 o'clock.

## Harry Lessman, Owner

D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneer Concord State Bank, Clerk

## Holiday Gifts for Everybody

Come Look at Our Holiday Goods—They will Please You.

You cannot find a better place to get just the right thing for everyone. Our stock is full of attractions to buyers who appreciate superior and really desirable gifts of the latest design and best quality.

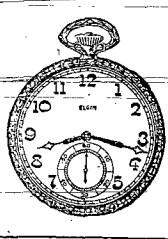


### Diamonds

We have a large assortment of diamonds—rings, fine blue white stones in latest style of white gold mountings.

### Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, French Ivory, Novelties, Etc.

It is to your interest to buy your watch from us because of the unusual value we give. Every watch is tested by an expert who knows what a good reliable watch should be. We have only the leading makes—Elgin, Waltham, Illinois, Hamilton, Bulova—of the latest and most popular designs. Wrist watches that you can depend upon for correct time.



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## An Old Fashioned Christmas Program

By Marjorie Howe Dixon



A simple fireplace arrangement will make a pleasant and suitable background for the Christmas program herein suggested for the school room. The selections to be read, or acted, group themselves naturally about the hearth. Children love to "dress up" and may do so for the singing of the carols, as well as for the acting.

The Christmas carols suggested are old favorites. Others may be substituted or acted where the teacher finds it advisable. The program will be briefly as follows:

1. Christmas music, "It came upon the midnight clear."
  2. Selections from show drama by Whittier.
  3. From "A Christmas Carol" by Dickens, the scene "Bob Cratchit's Christmas."
  4. "Twas the Night Before Christmas."
  5. Christmas music, "Holy Night, Silent Night."
- Costumes for the Christmas music are similar to those used for the Dickens sketch. The first verse of the old hymn "It came upon the midnight clear" is as follows:
- It came upon the midnight clear,  
That glorious song of old,  
The angels bending near the earth,  
Their wondrous story told;  
Peace on the earth, good will to men,  
From heaven's all gracious King,  
The world in solemn stillness lay,  
To hear the angels sing.
- Other Christmas songs may be added here or instrumental music.
- "Snow-Bound," a Winter Idyl by John Greenleaf Whittier, should be

appropriately announced. Two small pieces or harolds might do this, or one of the members of the cast might come before the curtain and give the title.

The copy of Snow-Bound at hand shows an excellent picture of the fireplace in Whittier's home, which would assist in constituting the stage set for the first part, and the girls could take up the part starting with:

"Shut in from all the world without,  
We sat the clean-wintered hearth  
Different actors for the program are suggested in the lines:

"We spent the time with stories old,  
Wrought puzzles out, and riddles told  
Or stammered from our school book  
The 'A's,' etc."

The aunt and uncle could be given, but perhaps not in full, and the "master of the district school."

"Another guest" could be omitted to advantage and the poem taken up at this point:

"At last the great glow crumbling  
Low,  
Sent out a dull and ruttler glow,  
and finish with the description of the Doctor.

If any slight changes are necessary for the stage, instrumental music could come next, before the youthful pages announce: "A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens, Slave Throat."

A reader for the descriptive parts will be necessary and he can sit at one side of the stage in front of the

curtain. For it would never do to omit. Then up rose Mrs. Cratchit, Bob Cratchit's wife, dressed out but poorly in a two-colored gown, but brave in ribbons which are cheap and make a goodly show for six pence," etc.

The first action will be shown in pantomime, with the reader gives the first long paragraph. Mrs. Cratchit's first line starts, "What has ever got your precious father, then."

The dialogue continues in a lively manner until the reader takes up the tale with "Bob's voice was tremulous as he told them this, and continues with the Christmas dinner, the actors performing in pantomime."

"The dialogue starts again with 'A Merry Christmas to us all, my dear, God bless us!'"

The parts of Scrooge and the Spirit seem necessary to the story and can be acted by two children or read by the reader. A last paragraph seems to close the pretty little episode nicely with "Scrooge had his eye upon them, and especially on Tiny Tim, until the last."

The next selection on the program can be omitted, especially if the school room giving this program, this old favorite has been done to death. If it hasn't been given for some time a very small child might try it and win his share of applause.

More music might be added to the last part of the program. The song suggested, "Holy Night, Silent Night," would be a happy finish as a sort of benediction, leaving a pleasant and yet reverent thought to carry away home.

It is hoped that "A pleasant evening will be had by all."  
Sunday morning will find folks rather sleepy, but refreshed with some hot coffee and toast, they will make the effort, I am sure, to attend church as usual.

After Sunday dinner will arrive that regrettable hour—the departure. But happy memories at least will remain, and for every one, those will linger in thought for many days, perhaps years, pretty pictures and incidents of their joyous Christmas house party.

## Great Sea Drama Is On At The Crystal

Having viewed the year's biggest dramas and spectacles dealing with adventure on land, local playgoers are curiously awaiting the initial showing of what is regarded as the greatest sea drama ever filmed.

Frank Lloyd's production of "The Sea Hawk," a First National Picture, adapted from Rafael Sabatini's celebrated novel of the same title, will be shown at the Crystal theatre on three nights beginning tonight.

"The Sea Hawk" for five years one of the best sellers on the popular fiction shelf, and dealing with English knights and swash-bucklers and Barbary corsairs, has provided a gigantic background for its many vivid scenes.

Four gigantic sea-going vessels of the sixteenth century, exact in every detail and manned by over a thousand sailors, corsairs, galley slaves and officers, participate in much of the action, several naval battles, during which ships ram into each other head on, then lash themselves together, while their crews engage in hand to hand combat, are said to be but a few of the unique and highly exciting scenes of the production.

Having to do with the life of Sir Oliver Trevelyan as a Spanish prisoner at the oars of the galleon, his escape and final elevation to the command of a Moorish galleon and all of the habo's corsairs, "The Sea Hawk" reveals many bits of historical facts never visualized before, and there is said to be many thrills and heart throbs in the episodes depicting the struggles of the late English knight to convince his sweetheart of his innocence of the murder of her brother, and to regain his lost standing among his countrymen, and in the favor of Asad, ruler of Algiers.

The sea scenes are said to be the most unique and the biggest in physical action, although they do not overshadow the gorgeousness of the early English scenes and the quaint Oriental beauty of the Algerian scenes.

More than \$85,000 in costumes were designed and executed for the members of "The Sea Hawk" cast that the details of early fashion might not be neglected.

## Surveying Drainage Ditch at Wakefield

Wakefield, Neb., Dec. 4.—Surveying for the big drainage ditch project to drain the lowlands of the Logan district in Dixon county, which carried recently by a large majority, will begin here soon so that the ditches may be located and construction work begun early in the spring. There will be two main ditches, one on each side of the Logan creek. The one on the north side will begin about four miles west of Concord and extend to Wakefield, while the one on the south side will start about four miles west of Wakefield and join the other here.

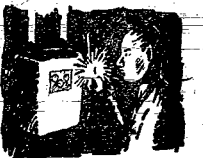
## Indian Raises Best Corn

Emerson, Neb., Dec. 5.—Joseph Payer, an Indian farmer living on the Winnebago reservation south of Emerson, has the distinction of raising the best corn in Thurston county.

His field of 50 acres, producing 40 bushels to the acre shows the highest test to be reported to date. This is the third consecutive year that Mr. Payer has led in the production of corn.

## To Have Community Program

Emerson, Neb., Dec. 5.—A meeting of the Woman's club it was decided to hold a community Christmas tree at the opera house. The cooperation of the community club has been assured the ladies. Other organizations will join in the movement.



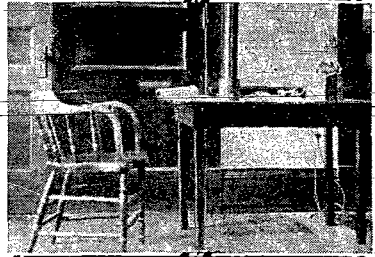
As long as people hunt for gas leaks with matches there will be a need for explosion and fire insurance.

## A. T. Cavanaugh District Agent

Wayne, Nebraska  
Phone 320

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## Shocking!



H. T. Opsahl, science instructor in the Barnesville (Iowa) high school, converted the chair shown above into an "amateur electric chair" to shock naughty pupils. Now the professor is facing an assault charge.

## A Yuletide House Party

By Marjorie Howe Dixon

Christmas arriving as it does this year on Thursday, a house party might well be arranged to start Wednesday morning with the arrival of the guests. Since no Christmas would be complete now without "Good Fellowship" being included, the very first suggestion would be to plan to distribute one's baskets that afternoon.

The children will enjoy their Christmas ever so much more for having planned a happy Christmas for their friends.

After luncheon the hostess might let the children help her arrange the baskets—each thing in the party providing one. Dainty ribbons, colored tissue paper and greeting cards will assist in making the recipients feel that they are not forgotten at Christmas time.

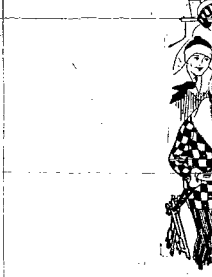
After these entrusted with the delivery of the baskets have returned, and dinner has been disposed of, then will come the important event of the Christmas tree.

Some families prefer to give their presents from the tree, others prefer the pleasant illusion of allowing Santa to fill stockings, to be enjoyed Christmas morning. It might be arranged to give each of the group a small present, especially an amusing one, from the tree Christmas Eve.

Then stockings must be hung in place, and he for an early sleep, for the youngsters will certainly rise early in the morning.

Christmas morning will arrive with shouts of glee as pajamas fly for the fireplace and its fat stockings. The grown-ups will enjoy the revel too, and all will be more than busy till breakfast.

Perhaps a bit reluctantly the kiddies will lay aside their new toys and reassess to get ready for church. But think how nice it will be to come back to them later!



Christmas dinner is always a very special event. The afternoon will need no planning, for after such a hearty meal, there will be naps for the little folks, and quite possibly some of the grown-ups will want to slip away for a little rest. The older children will be busy rehearsing for their tableaux in the evening.

An impromptu play could be arranged instead of the tableau if the spirit so moves. In any case the more spontaneous and informally costum-

ed, the more fun it will be for all. Very light refreshments will be plenty after the bounteous dinner, and then will come the evening's performance. If a play is given, it will probably fill the entire evening. If a tableau, then dancing can follow, with cakes and fruit punch for a pleasant interlude.

Since Saturday night will be a grand ball—a cotillion, a happy occasion for the youngsters will be the making of favors.

Friday, if that kind of a day, may offer out door diversions—skating, sleighing, and coasting. But if the weather be stormy, and the entire group be compelled to stay in, the cotillion favors can be made by the kiddies, and card tables supplied for grown-ups. An impromptu concert would be enjoyable for Friday evening. Of course all the Christmas music that can be found, must be brought out, and the evening should be completed with the singing of Christmas Carols.

Saturday morning might lend itself to outdoor sports and games in the afternoon. But either way, time must be reserved for the decoration of the ball room for the dance.



It can be easily imagined that dinner Saturday evening will be a sketchy affair with the thoughts of the most of the group on the coming ball. Such an excuse to dress, after dinner! Upstairs corridors will be affixed figures in kimonos, making wild dashes for opposite rooms.

Presently the hostess will emerge, to be ready to receive the guests arriving for the evening's festivities. Music will be heard, and the house guests, too, will appear. The favors for the cotillion, having all been made at home, will receive more than their usual share of appreciation.

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## CRYSTAL

Tonight—Thursday  
MILTON SILLS  
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"THE SEA HAWK"  
A mighty picture. Don't wait until the last day to see it. It starts tonight.  
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FRIDAY  
MILTON SILLS  
—in—  
"THE SEA HAWK"  
Come early and get a good seat.  
SATURDAY  
MILTON SILLS  
—in—  
"THE SEA HAWK"  
Matinee Saturday at 3:00.  
It must be big or we would not play it three days. Again we warn you do not wait until the last day.  
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Monday and Tuesday  
BUCK JONES  
—in—  
"BIG DAN"  
Box Seats.  
Admission 10c and 25c

Coming Next Wednesday  
and Thursday  
Tom Mix in "A Mile a Minute Romeo."  
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Matinee Every Saturday  
Doors open at 2:30.  
Show starts at 3:00  
One show only in afternoon.

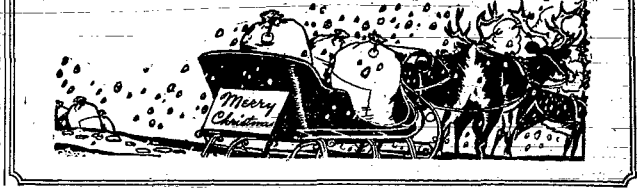


## Holiday Merchandise

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**LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

F. S. Berry made a business trip to Sioux City Friday.

Dr. C. A. McMaster, dentist, of Lee phoned; residence 297. Of H. E. Simon was here from Wednesday Friday to transact business.

Pres. U. S. Conn went to Sioux City Friday afternoon to spend a day.

Judge A. A. Welch and W. E. Ellis were in Pierce on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher were in Sioux City from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Smith left Saturday morning for Rochester, Minn.

Let me see your digging walls, cinders, cess pools. Call Ellis Miller. Phone No. 25613X.

Mc and Mrs. H. B. James returned Friday from Sioux City where they had gone Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Piepenstock arrived home last Thursday evening from St. Joseph, Mo.

Your friends can buy anything you can give them except your photograph. Craven's Studio, 2024 Jack Livinghouse, who came here from California to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. H. C. Lyons, went to Omaha Friday afternoon on business.

My system of handling farm loans saves you time and I deliver the money promptly on the date you need the cash. Lowest rate and the least cost for all applicants. Phone or write to John H. Roper, Dodge, Nebraska. 414.

Mrs. Mary Brittain arrived home Friday from a trip to Rochester and Minneapolis, Minn. She received treatments for her health at Rochester. She visited her daughter, Mrs. Edna Stewart at Minneapolis.

Miscellaneous knowledge only, is of slight value. A business education will always enable you to get a position. Let the N. B. T. school, Sioux City, prepare you for your first step to success and happiness. Write today.

A heated furnace pipe was responsible for the calling of the fire department to the A. L. Snyder residence near the school house last Thursday at noon. No damage was done.

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Homor Wheaton, the old time chinower, wants to inform men with long hair and stubby beards that he is installing a barber shop again under the First National bank building and men's and children's patronage are invited. Most people know how Homer's work always pleased. He promises to treat you just the same as before and welcomes you back. d11t

**Appears at Hoskins In Music Program**

Norfolk News, Dec. 5: The concert given Wednesday by Hoskins Craven and Samuel W. Alstead in the evangelical church at Charles provided a success for the young people. The church was filled to capacity by a very appreciative audience of music lovers.

Miss Craven, pianist, who is a member of the Norfolk Conservatory of Music faculty, showed a wonderful technique and interpretative ability.

In the violinistic field Mr. Alstead exhibited real tone and ability. He has been associated with the Moller violin school of Lincoln until this year.

**PEN POINTERS**

The more trouble people have the more they seem to want to borrow.

Man wants but little here below, but the average man never seems to have enough.

A New York bootblack saved \$10,000 in five years. Shining success.

It's a good thing men don't know as much about women as they try to make women think they do.

Carelessness is merely the advance agent for disaster.

Why not raise taxes so we can loan the allies enough money to pay us the interest on former loans?

The reason for so many arguments is that it doesn't take any ambition to start them.

Germany accepted peace C. O. D. But she thought it meant call off debts.

**Box Social.** Program and box social will be held at the school six miles south of Wayne in district 26 on Thursday, Dec. 18, at 8 o'clock. Ladies are asked to bring boxes, and men, pocketbooks. Emily Harsham, teacher. d413

**Early Days In Two Counties.**

From the Wayne Herald for Dec. 12, 1895:

Prof. File gave lectures in Schuyler and Leigh.

Dr. G. Norman of Fremont was located in Wayne.

A class in business will be organized at the college.

Carl Furbush sent to Plankton, S. D. on business.

Prof. Conn lectured at Gayville and Vermillion, S. D.

Guest Johnson of Wakefield, went to Texas to visit his two sons.

George Bush returned from Chicago where he had been on business.

Senator Brewster went to Denver to look after some mining interests.

The Baptist church will celebrate its anniversary Dec. 17 with a large party.

George Childs has installed a new pair of scales at the lumber office in Wakefield.

K. P. Williams has traded his farm east of Allen for a restaurant in Wayne and will move here.

The annual meeting of the Northeast Nebraska Poultry association will be held in Wayne Dec. 18 to 20.

The teachers' classes and scientific classes of the college have prepared their term creations which will be delivered soon.

Louie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morgan has moved from Wayne to Missouri, died after a short illness with diphtheria.

William Fisk moved from Wakefield to Sioux City and took his household goods there by wagon. Dr. Rowse will occupy the Fisk residence.

The Junior Epworth League of the Methodist church has a program for benefit of the Mothers' Jewels' Home in York and the sum received was \$17.40.

The Pleasant Hour Whist club will meet once a week during the winter. Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams entertained them last week and County Treasurer and Mrs. F. H. Kohl will entertain this week.

A masquerade ball will be held by the club northwest of town at the Wayne opera house Jan. 3. The committee in charge is George Rohrer, John Harder, H. J. Leiders, Charles Stahnek and August Jacobson.

The L. S. C. will have a program at the J. M. Cherry residence with Miss Beswick and G. E. Franch in charge. J. M. Cherry, Mrs. File, Mrs. Seibert, Mr. Theobald and Miss Dorman will take part in the program.

A series of entertainments is being given at the Presbyterian church for benefit of the public schools. Scenes from all parts of the world are shown by projection lantern on a large screen. In order that people may decide whether or not they wish to spend their money for the entertainments the first fifteen minutes of the program will be free. Tickets will then be sold to those who wish to see more of the pictures.

Considerable rivalry has been stirred up lately in an endeavor to determine what county in the United States is the most fertile. A statement of the products of the various counties was published recently and gave the first honors to Lancaster county, Pennsylvania. Esley Moore of Jacksonville, Ill., states that he knows Lancaster county and he thinks Wayne county is more fertile. Products in Pennsylvania bring higher prices because of being closer to markets and land there is sold for from \$75 to \$200 an acre while in Wayne county it is from \$26 to \$20 an acre. Mr. Moore still contends that Wayne county is the most fertile in the country.

From Ponca Journal Dec. 9, 1886: Rudolph Schopke of Emerson, lost a calf during the storm last week in the stomach of which was found a live toad in a recently healthy condition. It is thought that the calf swallowed the toad while drinking at the creek.

LINCOLN Baitley and Mr. Rahn called at this office on Saturday. Lincoln recently killed a family of wild cats on his farm. One of them, which was soon placed in the museum of Indian and antediluvian curiosities, measures 2 1/2 feet long and has a most venomous looking countenance.

The Advance, published at Bartlett, Wheeler county, says that the contract has been let for the grading and bridging of one-half of the recently surveyed line from Sioux City to North Platte. This is the same line that was surveyed through Martinsburg to Ponca a few weeks ago. If the information is correct, work will without doubt be commenced along the whole line when spring opens.

Wayne Herald: A gentleman of long experience in stock raising, who visited the western part of this state and saw the sod houses, expressed his surprise that the sod was not also extensively used here for building stock sheds. The expense would be practically nothing except the labor, and the sheds would be more comfortable and nearly as durable as those built of lumber. It would be worth while for farmers generally to give this some consideration.



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**Fifteen Are Naturalized.**

Staufen, Neb., Dec. 4.—Naturalization papers were granted to fifteen men living in Stanton county by Judge A. A. Welch of Wayne. There were thirty applicants, but half of them were unable to answer satisfactorily the questions asked, not having sufficient knowledge of the constitution and the law making bodies of our country. The following were successful applicants: Arthur A. Schulz and Anton Krejer of Stanton; Frank Truhlar, Frank Urbanek, Rudolph F. Pondany, James L. Dytreych and Vaclav Dytrech of Clarkson; Frank Machacek, Hugo Busch and Joseph Kahis of Leigh; Ernest Long and Carl Long of Madison; Herman Killebman of Filger; Chris Jensen of Winser; and John Smidj of Howell.

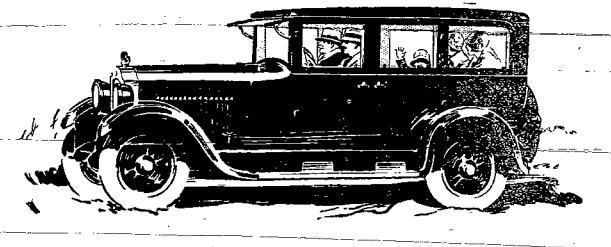
**Saw the President**



C. F. Monroe, director agriculture extension service of New Mexico, C. E. W. Creel, University of Nevada, and Will Peterson, Utah farm expert, discussed the nation's farm problems with President Coolidge.

Try a Wayne Herald want ad.

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# Santa Claus and the Pioneers

By Marjorie Howe Dixon

It was necessary for Santa Claus to watch his step in those days—something less than one hundred years ago—when he was making his first visits to the children of the pioneers shut up in the wilderness cabins of our northern states. Only reluctantly did suspicion give way to welcome. Those grave men and women of the pathfinder race were slow to admit that Santa's garments did not smell too strongly of incense and that his jolly red face was not a mask hiding more sinister features. But the children welcomed him. No doubt the tears and warnings of the grown ups added one more pleasant thrill to those whispered tales of that strange night traveler who drove reindeers instead of oxen, and carried a pack from which he distributed enchanting gifts to those boys and girls whose high standards of conduct made them worthy objects

of his benevolence. Standards were high in those days and it is recorded that sometimes there was little besides a stout switch to greet young eager eyes on Christmas morning. Thought flies away from such a painful scene and prefers to picture a cabin, before Christmas, dimly lighted by the flames of the hearth, children sound asleep in trundle beds and mother and father working quickly and quietly at their homelike toys and amusements. Doubtless in most cases the picture would not be complete without the disapproving presence of grandfather, grandmother or man in arms, busy at some pioneer handicraft, but not too busy to reprove the evildness of such ways with seriously applied texts and the dimly and earnest warnings of still earlier days.

Very little money was spent on Christmas gifts. Careful calculation was required in order to stretch the "family income" or "it would include paying for a few pieces of the crude candy of the day and also perhaps pay the nearest blacksmith for shaping iron runners to fit wooden sleds and skates made by father at home. Mothers did not require such aid. When the pokeberries and the walnuts and all the other forest materials for making dyes were ready, she had thought ahead to Christmas time, and prepared the gay yarns which later she knitted into scarfs, wristlets and mittens. These same dyes put roses into the cheeks of the rug dolls, and furnished gay coats and trousers for the clumsy jumping jacks. The last seemed to have been favorite toys. Besides these there were dolls' tassels made oficorn yarns, fairsome wigs and feathers whose heads were carved hickory nuts and whose bodies were shapen of wood and wire. Indian crafts were adapted to meet the "novelty" needs. Dyeed beehive quilts made gay strings of beads, wild turkey feathers formed juvenile war bonnets, and the hands that made clumsy jumping jacks and skates showed marvelous skill in shaping small bows and arrows for the use of maybe, some future hunter of fame. The year has been unusually prosperous, these before Christmas preparations included the purchase of crackles mugs out of which the children drank on high days and holidays, but which at other times stood on shelves well out of reach of youthful hands.

A few of these things have come down to us out of that time. Here and there in an old American home, now and then behind the glass cases of museums we can see them. Especially do we find specimens of the drinking cup. The pottery is coarse, the shapes are not elegant, and the coloring is crude indeed. For example, one shows a blue man driving a blue yoke of oxen hitched to a blue plow, and the owner is admonished by a blue motto from the Book of Proverbs to "Go to the ant," etc. Another little cup has a mulberry woman, straight as a stick, carrying a mulberry pall and walking down a mulberry path, all to adorn a mulberry motto from "Poor Richard" having to do with the sad fate of those who fail to take the ant for their guide in industry. Perhaps these pious verses helped to make possible some of the compromises with conscience that those men and women found necessary. Such gifts served the needs of those children who would have fled in horror at even a dim vision of the toy automobiles and airplanes of today. Such as these would have confirmed the worst that had been said as to Christmas toys being the invention of that evil one supposed to lurk behind Santa Claus's white whiskers.

As may be guessed, other compromises with conscience were also made. We are told that now and then grandfather, who had quoted texts and scolded every step in the preparation, took possession when it came to the actual time of giving, and in the fullest possible dress of an Indian chief, distributed the gifts with Indian form. Perhaps he thought of thereby the malign influence of Santa Claus would be neutralized by the native spirit of the woods. There were families in which gift giving was approved, but to whom even such gifts as have been mentioned were impossible. All the pioneers were poor but most of all were those messengers of civilization, the pioneer preachers. In one such family the mother found it possible to give her only son nothing but an apple. This apple was procured only with much effort, but it always came, was polished till it shone, and came sent to stand in the son for all the mother would have liked to give. When times became easier and other gifts were made, the

son continued to prize most highly the red apple the mother never forgot. Then came the year when the mother had passed beyond such gift giving. The first Christmas eve after this event the young man, a country preacher in his turn, spent the night in a pioneer home just robbed of its first baby. At dawn the young preacher left for his own home, depressed with his own grief and that of his friends. He felt a special sense of loss because for the first time within his memory he would have no red apple. The cold wind blew, the snow made the trail heavy and the bare branches creaked their lonesome message. Suddenly at a log that crossed his road this young man saw a big red apple, just such an apple as his mother always gave. And there is no explanation. The presence of that apple in that spot was never explained. When that young preacher became an old man, he spoke of the event with awe. As the years went on, he found that something else had been given him besides his mother's apple. He found he had been given the certainty of love's enduring quality that strengthened him all his days.

**Notice of Sheriff's Sale.**  
By virtue of an order of sale, issued by the clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a judgment rendered in said court on the first day of December, 1923, in favor of B. N. Saunders, Receiver of Farmers' State Bank, Winside, Nebraska, and against Genl. Janssen and Emma Janssen, and each of them, I have levied upon the following real estate as the property of Emma Janssen situated in Wayne County, Nebraska, to-wit: The West Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 29, Township 23, Range 2 East of the 4th P. M., and I will on the 24th day of December, 1924, at 3 o'clock p. m., of said day at the east front door of the court house in the city of Wayne, Nebraska, sell said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution, the

amount due thereon, in the aggregate being the sum of \$2,328.15, together with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from December 1, 1923, and \$17.65 costs of suit and accruing costs.

A. W. Stephens, Sheriff of Wayne County, Nebraska. N2715

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
By virtue of an order of sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the September, 1924, term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein L. W. Ellis was plaintiff and Lucian W. Carter, Blanche M. Carter, The First National Bank of Carroll, Nebraska, C. H. Randall, receiver of said The First National Bank of Carroll, Nebraska, Evan J. Davis, J. J. Steele, County Treasurer of the County of Wayne, Nebraska, J. J. Mellick, Harry B. Jones, Frank Ul-

rich, Freda Ulrich, et al., were defendants, I will on the 22nd day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section twenty-two (22), Township twenty-seven (27) north, range two (2) east of the 6th P. M., Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$4,000 at 8 per cent interest from April 4th, 1924, and \$385 at 10 per cent interest from September 1st, 1923, and \$385 at 10 per cent interest from March 1st, 1924, and \$385 at 10 per cent interest from September 1st, 1924, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 20th day of November, 1924.  
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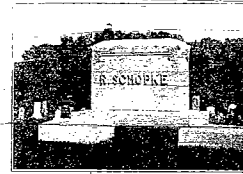
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Our Annual Sale Which has been on Since October 20 will Last Until December 20.

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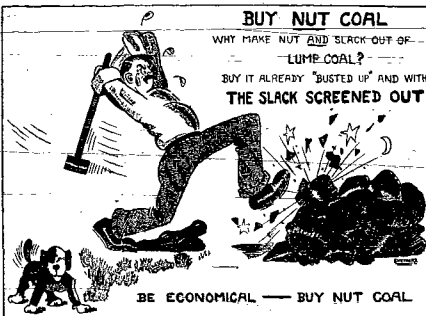
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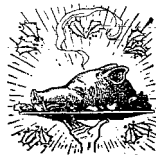
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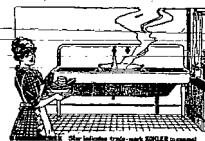
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## Culled From Herald's Exchanges for Week

Scott Millard who was sentenced to the penitentiary for the alleged rifling of the safe in the Cedar county treasurer's office, is seeking clemency from the board of pardons and paroles.

There is some consideration of the formation of a friendly chapter in Randolph.

Charles Schultz, for seventeen years car inspector for the Chicago & Northwestern at Norfolk, was instantly killed Wednesday last week when a ladder he was standing on to fill a water tank of a dining car, slipped and threw him to the ground. He was 60 years old.

Ray Whalen of Stanton, narrowly escaped being shot last week when Sheriff E. H. Boet mistook him for someone trying to get into the First National bank. A false alarm was sounded at the bank and the officers were trying to find intruders.

Woodmen to the number of about 400 met Tuesday last week in Randolph for the initiation of 102 candidates and for the address by A. B. Talbot, head consul. The drill

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contest was held in the Legion hall and Osmond team won first honors. A crowd of 200 spectators gathered from Randolph, Osmond, Plainview, Wausa, Crofton, Colaridge, Belgen, Hoskins, Magnet, Hartington, and other places. The contest was represented at the meeting were Wisner, Winside, Wakefield, Pierce, Laurel, Carroll, Sholes and Wayne. The 325 members served the banquet.

The section of the Yankton-Omaha road between the Cuming county line and Fremont will be graded. This has been found to be the heaviest traveled road into Fremont. The road goes through Scribner and Hooper.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Franzen of Randolph celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Nov. 28. Rev. Mr. Krauss of Plainview, gave an address at the meeting of the church congregation. Rev. and Mrs. Franzen have been in Randolph twelve years.

Mrs. Florence Vrooman and J. H. Ostrander of Randolph, were married in Sioux City Tuesday last week.

New officers of the Laurel O. E. S. are: Mrs. Grace Tolles, Mrs. J. B. Larson, Mrs. Helena Mittelstadt, Mrs. E. A. O'Brien, Mrs. M. E. O'Brien, Mrs. Bessie Ankeny and Mrs. Elizabeth Sabia.

J. R. Harrington of Laurel, lost a horse last week while excavating for the new residence for Charles Ebmeier. The scraper ran against a tree root with such force that the handle of the scraper jerked from Mr. Harrington's hands and the sharp edge struck the horse and cut him badly.

Exercises for dedicating the new school building in Pierce were held last Friday in the new structure. State Superintendent, J. M. Matzen was present to give the address.

Ernest Peters traded his pool hall in Pierce to H. Leonard of Stanton. The house occupied by the Ralph Boyd family in Pierce, caught fire last week in the roof and some damage was done.

Judge Heuch of Pierce county whose term of office expires in January, has bought the radio department of the E. B. Fenske store in Pierce and took possession last week. Laurens Otto and Miss Selma Meyer of Pierce, were married at Zion Lutheran church at Pierce. Thanks giving day. They will live on a farm north of Pierce.

Sixty boys of the Norfolk high school have started practice for basketball. Games will start immediately after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rockwell of Homer, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

A district meeting of M. W. A. in Albion last week was attended by 275.

John Fleming of Hartington, died last Thursday at the age of 50 years. He was a resident of Hartington for a number of years.

Mrs. John Hand of Stanton died Nov. 29 at the age of 33 years. She leaves her husband, twin sons, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Pilger, and three brothers and three sisters. The Stanton band will give an indoor concert Dec. 18.

Harry Blackstone sold his house in Fliger to Carl Sporing and the latter will move to the property. Mrs. Ralph Titus and Mrs. C. E. Mason, both formerly of Carroll, entered last week at Fliger for the birthdays of their daughters, Jennie Titus and Gladys Mason.

S. W. Schwern of Pierce county, won first prize in old pig and Rhode Island chickens last week at the poultry show in Omaha.

Rev. W. L. Hawkins has resigned as pastor of the Wausa Swedish Mission church because of Mrs. Hawkins' ill health.

Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Dredinger of Newman Grove, formerly of Carroll, entertained all of their children on Thanksgiving.

The district Knights of Pythias meeting is to be held in Albion this Thursday.

C. F. Lampe of Pender, plans to leave after the first of the year for Germany where he will visit his mother and sisters. It was twenty-three years ago Mr. Lampe came to this country.

Mr. J. Martinson of south of Mackell, died Tuesday last week at the age of 76 years. He was a pioneer of Dixon county.

Harold Tuttle of Newcastle and Miss Florence Combs of Pender were married in Sioux City last week.

The Plainview community band, directed by Foy George, gave a concert last week. This was the first indoor concert of the season.

Wisner will hold its first community Christmas tree this year and will plan a program for Dec. 23. Members of the Community club are in charge.

Thomas Adams and Miss Alverna Berkelmer of Wisner, were married in Council Bluffs Nov. 26. They will live on a farm near Wisner.

Henry Reimert, superintendent of the Wisner light plant for three years, and Miss Christine Joslyn of Burke, S. D., were married Nov. 26 at Wisner.

Miss Josephine Lammons of Hartington and W. N. Hackney of Kansas City, national bank examiner of this district, were married Nov. 28 in Sioux City.

**Notice of Settlement.** In the county court of Wayne county, Nebraska. State of Nebraska, Wayne county, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Allen L. Jones, deceased: On reading the petition of Irving

Gaeber, administrator, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 24th day of November, 1924, and for distribution of the residue of said estate, it is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said county, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Wayne Herald, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. J. M. Cherry, County Judge. (Seal) N2713

**Notice to Creditors.** The State of Nebraska, Wayne county, ss. In the county court. In the matter of the estate of William T. Powell, deceased. To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that I will sit at the county court room in Wayne, in said county, on the 19th day of December, 1924, and on the 15th day of March, 1925, at 10

o'clock a. m., each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment, and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 19th day of December, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 19th day of December, 1924. Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 22nd day of November, 1924. J. M. Cherry, County Judge. (Seal) N2714

**Notice of Hearing.** To the Heirs, Creditors, and all persons interested in the estate of Richard D. Edwards, deceased. You and each of you are hereby notified that Louis Gubbels has filed his petition in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, alleging that said Richard D. Edwards died intestate at his residence in Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 4th day of September, 1891. At the time of his death he was seized of real estate in Wayne County, Nebraska, including the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-one (21), North Range One (1), East of the 6th P. M., and left surviving him as his sole and only heirs at law, his widow, Ann L. Edwards, and

the following named children, to-wit: Abbie Edwards, now Abbie Thomas; Hattie Edwards, now Hattie Davis; Bertha Edwards, now Bertha Davis; Ida Edwards, now Ida Thomas; Mary Edwards, now Mary Cattle; Oscar Edwards, George Edwards, and Charles Edwards. That all claims, debts and demands against said real estate have been paid in full. That said estate has never been administered in Nebraska. That said Louis Gubbels is the owner in fee simple of said Southeast quarter of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-seven (27), North Range One (1), East of the 6th P. M., in Wayne County, Nebraska, above described. Petitioner prays for a finding and decree determining the date of the death of said Richard D. Edwards, deceased, for a determination of the heirs, the degree of kinship, and the right of decedent of said real estate; and for an order barring claims of creditors, and prays for such other relief as may be proper. Said petition will be heard at the County Court room in Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 30th day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the heirs, creditors and all persons interested in said estate may appear and show cause why a decree should not be made and ordered as prayed in said

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- Fourteen Head Cattle**  
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- Sixty-five Head Hogs**  
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- Seven Ducks and Several Dozen Chickens**
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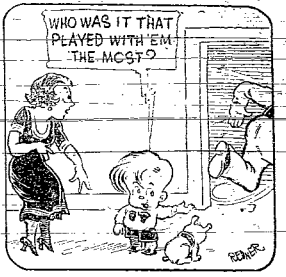
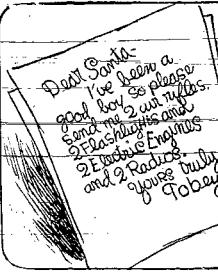
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# The NERVOUS WRECK

by E.J. Rath  
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**Begin Here Today.**  
Sally Morgan has to go 35 miles from her father's ranch to catch a train for the east. Sheriff Bob Wells, her fiancé, is unable to ride with her to the station. So "Nervous Wreck," an eccentric young customer visiting at the ranch, offers to take her to the station in his little automobile. The sheriff ridicules the suggestion, but Sally and the Wreck set out anyhow over the rough, rutted trail. The car is stuck once in the middle of the stream, and next day they run out of gasoline. As darkness falls, they see the twin lights of an approaching car. The Wreck takes a "sinker-out" of his machine—sad wails.

**Now Go On With the Story.**  
"Don't leave this car," he commanded. "I'm going to attend to whatever has to be done. Nobody's going to get hurt. That I'm going to do something damn quick."  
He was gone again, hastening up the road toward the starting headlights.

## CHAPTER V. The Nervous Gunman.

It was a big black machine, long and sleek, with heavy, rugged runningboards, loggese on the rear, three spares, and four occupants, one of them a chauffeur in uniform. The Wreck groined the chauffeur, although he kept a furtive eye on him. "He stepped close to the side of the tonneau and addressed himself to one of the three persons who sat there.  
"I'm asking you again for a few gallons of gas," he said. "I've got to have it that's all. You can spare me some without any trouble."  
"And I'm still telling you to go to the devil," answered a heavy voice from the central figure. "We haven't got any gas to spare. And you'd better get busy and roll that fiver out of the road and let me get by. If you need any help, my driver is here."

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ver," he explained, "is looking at you over a pair of sights. He's a pretty good shot. He's nervous, too."

The man with the five-gallon can walked ahead until the Wreck halted him within half a dozen paces of the stalled car. The Wreck stepped ahead to speak to Sally. He found that she had dismounted and was standing by the roadside, beyond the beam of light.

"You crazy—"  
He placed a hand roughly across her lips.  
"Shut up," he whispered. "Stay where you are and say nothing. I'm running this."  
Sally was boiling, but she obeyed. It seemed the only way to keep him from some other wild folly.

The Wreck called to the man with the can and, as he reached the fiver, told him he would find a funnel on the floor.

"Pour that stuff into the tank, and see to it that you don't spill any of it."

It gave him a small thrill of satisfaction to find himself smartly obeyed. "Then he matched the chauffeur ahead of him, back to the big car. As he passed the gun in the road he tossed them a cheerful word of caution.

"My partner," he said, "noticed one of you didn't keep his hands in plain sight. He says he wouldn't like to have it happen again."  
The Wreck and the driver went directly to the rear of the gas-eating monster.

"How much in that tank?" demanded the Wreck.  
"About fifteen, sir."

"Pot-ecck in the bottom? You'd better hurry, you're wanting me to shoot a hole in the tank."  
"Yes, sir. We got a net-ecck."  
"Stick that can under it and let her go."

Presently the driver announced that the can was full, and the Wreck verified the statement.  
"All right. Dump it out—in the road."

The driver stared through the darkness.  
"What's it out?"—And the Wreck executed the order himself by kicking the can over.

"Now fill it again," he commanded.  
The second filling was accomplished.

"That'll do. That leaves you five gallons. It's too much for a bog, at this time. Come along with the can, now."

They made a second trip to the fiver and emptied a second dose into the tank under the car.

"Now we go back again," said the Wreck. "And when I tell you to do something, I don't want any questions asked."  
"No, sir."

Once more at the side of the big car, the Wreck ordered his servant to try and fill the five-gallon can.

"Get a tire pump on that engine?" he inquired.  
"Yes, sir."

"Rotten luxury. But it's going to save you back a lot of work. Get busy now and let the air out of those tires. All of 'em."

The driver hesitated, from bewilderment rather than insubordination. But he jumped to the task when the Wreck prodded him with the muzzle of Sally's six-shooter. The tires fastened themselves under the wheels, and with a long, shrill sigh.

"Open up that tonneau on the spares," directed the Wreck.  
The spares also sang a wain song.

"There. That'll keep you busy for a while. Come along with the can. They joined the group of sitters in the middle-of-the-road. Standing with his back to the headlights and facing the chauffeur, the Wreck contemplated his victims for a moment.

"You?" he said, suddenly, with a significant gesture of the gun. "You're the big one who didn't want to sell any gas. Stand up!"

The owner of the heavy voice rose slowly to his feet, looking slightly anxious. Most of the biligerence had departed from him.

"I've a good mind to give you a trimming," said the Wreck. "I haven't got time to do it right. I've met all kinds of hogs in my time, but you're in the blue-ribbon class. Move you don't know your gun's getting off light, but take it from me you are. If you think a fiver is funny, I'm going to give you a chance to play with it. Hunt your gun."

"Now, you just by hold of that crank and get to work, hoo!"  
The gentleman with head signs of wealth seized the crank and yanked it violently.

"Spin it," ordered the Wreck.  
He spun it—but there was no answer from the engine.

"Spin it some more."  
There was another furious spell of whirling. Sally pinched her companion.

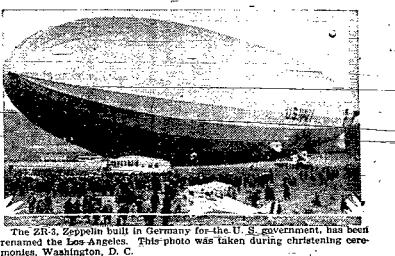
"How can he start it when you haven't turned on the ignition?" she said.

"He can't," said the Wreck. "Dog-gone it, what did you butt in for? I wanted to see him spin it!"  
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Notice.  
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charge-upon-said-Wayne-county, and all those whose circumstances are such as to require the county to provide for them such attendance and medicine whether inmates of the county poor farm or not, and all prisoners who may be in the county poor farm or not, and all prisoners who may be in the county jail during the year.  
Said physician to furnish at his own expense all medicine for persons dependent upon the county for the same, and also perform all surgical work for such persons, including the prisoners aforesaid.  
Bids to be made for so much for the year.  
The board of county commissioners have and reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
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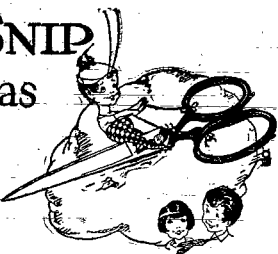
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# LICKETY-SNIP The Christmas Sprite

By Marjorie Howe Dixon



Susie Bell chuckled softly. George descended to know what she was laughing at.

"Look! Look! Isn't he perfectly cunning—his coming this way?" Susie clapped her hands.

George looked round, and saw a most adorable old dancing toward them astride a great shining pair of scissors. His quaint suit of tiny green was decorated with thin pine cones and his perky cap of cherry red—red—red—red—was snowed with a bunch of holly berries.

"Who are you, sir?" asked George. "I'm Lickety Snip, the Christmas Sprite," and with this he turned a quick handspinning of his steed, caught the scissors by the handles and dashed the Blades right merrily. "And this old boy," said he moving low, "is my good steed, Two Blades, the fastest and most cutting of all the scissors in Santa's shop."

Two Blades acknowledged the introduction by rearing on his handles and falling with a mighty thump! George and Susie Belle stood hand in hand watching this fascinating exhibition.

"We're very pleased to meet you," they chorused. "Can you do any magic?"

"Indeed we can," said Lickety Snip proudly. "You should see us with Brown Paper. We can cut round it in circles—and scoops, too, for that matter."

Susie Belle advanced timidly, clasping her fat little dimpled hands. "Don't suppose," she said, "you could 'weave' cut our a paper doll, could you?"

"A paper doll," said George. "Isn't such a much. I'd rather see him cut a kite—I will."

A dark cloud floated overhead, descending lower and lower until the little sprite suddenly jumped up and caught it.

"Here's Brown Paper," he cried.

"Now I'll make you a hole so you can climb through and watch us," for the paper cloud had fallen down all over them.

Two Blades cut a hole through quickly and then cut the sweetest little set of steps you ever saw for George and Susie Belle to climb up. George helped his sister, and then came Lickety Snip and last of all Two Blades.

"Ladies first!" cried the elf. "We're old."

And up-and-down dashed Two Blades with Lickety Snip directing him, going into funny little corners and finally ending in a grand snip. "Oh! Oh!" cried Susie Belle. "It's the most beautiful Paper Doll, and it's as big as me. I never did have such a nice big paper doll!"

George helped her fold the big doll carefully so as she could sit down beside them and watch, for Two Blades was already clashing his blades with impatience ready to be off on the next exciting excursion.

"Now for St. George and the Dragon!" shouted Lickety Snip, and off he dashed again with his trusty steed. It was almost impossible to follow, so swiftly did the strange pair dash about, into and out of corners, cutting around in all sorts of swift little twists and turns.

"What will it be, do you suppose?" asked Susie Belle. George didn't know, but in a minute he raced Lickety Snip and Two Blades.

"There, isn't he a beauty?" cried the elf, and he held up a wonderful kite in the shape of a dragon.

"Is he really nice?"

"Can we keep them for good?" cried George and Susie Belle together.

"Indeed you may!" answered Lickety Snip. And away he raced on his flashing steed until he became a tiny green speck in the distance.

George sat up on one elbow, and giving—and giving is the basis and foundation of Good Will.

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Let's make the most of the Good Will season. And having begun with the Good Will season why not make Good Will a chief commodity and multiplying asset of our lives?

Geneva Signal: Kansas is the only state that has approved the proposed child labor amendment. The vote in the legislature was 40-0. The question of approval was referred to the people in Massachusetts and it was rejected by a majority of nearly half a million. Proving surprisingly unpopular, Massachusetts already has good child labor laws and it was supposed the people of that state would be inclined to force similar laws on other states but the voters went the other way.

Albion News: The democratic party will never again assume its place of leadership in this country until it heals the wounds occasioned by the fight over religious issues that marked its 1924 national convention. Just how this act of healing is to be accomplished is a problem which the democrats must work out for themselves. Personally, we hope that it will be solved for the best interests of the country demand the presence of two major parties.

Wahoo Wasp: Many a farmer has patched up his old machinery for twenty-four years and made it do until times would be better and many a farmer's wife is wearing a coat several years out of date. Better pieces for corn and wheat mean new machinery and barns for dad, new clothes for mother and the kids, and some other things they have needed or wanted for a couple of years, and when they begin to buy that will mean better business and better times for the merchant, manufacturer and professional man.

blinked at the winter sunshine streaming across his bed.

"Why, it's Christmas! Oh Susie!" Susie rubbed her eyes and sat up in her little white bed.

"He was such a nice green elf," she said, "and Two Blades was so bright and shiny."

"I know!" George chuckled. "With had a horse like that. Merry Christmas, Susie, let's hurry and look at our stockings!"

**Road Building.**  
Ponca, Neb., Dec. 5.—With the budding of new roads, graveling, grading and other road construction work that has been done in northeastern Nebraska this year, and the completion of several projects next spring, this part of the state is experiencing more road improvement than it has for a long time previously.

At present, trucks from Coleridge, Hartington and Fordyce are hauling gravel for the state highway leading north from Fordyce to the Meridian highway bridge and with long stretches of the highway gravelled between Hartington and Fordyce and between Hartington and Wayne, which was accomplished this summer, this road in excellent condition. The Meridian highway between Ponca and Pierce has been graded and repaired extensively, a new and shorter road has been built between Masket and Ober, the highway between Ponca and Newcastle has been straightened by a stretch of new road cutting off a hill and shortening the distance and several of the townships have gravelled their streets, including Hartington, Fordyce, Coleridge and Martinsburg. Two big highway projects are un-

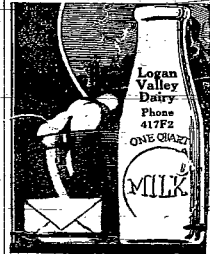
der way which probably will be completed some time next year. One is the river route highway extending from South Sioux City to Niobrara and passing through Jackson, Willis, Ponca, Newcastle, Masket, Ober, Wynot, Fordyce and Crofton. The River Route Highway association has been formed, of which George I. Parker of Newcastle is president. Both of these projects have been held and the state officials have promised aid. The other is an east and west state highway passing through the southern part of Dixon county. The routing has been decided upon, surveyors have mapped out the highway and work will begin in the spring.

**Organize Auxiliary.**  
Pilsner, Neb., Dec. 4.—A local unit of the American Legion Auxiliary was organized at a meeting here Monday evening with Mrs. Robert Larson as president.

Other officers elected were: Vice president, Mrs. C. E. Mason; secretary, Mrs. Chris Rasmussen; treasurer, Mrs. George Rasmussen; chaplain, Mrs. Rae Foy; historian, Miss Esther Jensen.

**File Composer's List.**  
Norfolk, Neb., Dec. 5.—Comiling

of a list of native composers has been started by the Nebraska Federation of Music clubs, says an announcement from Mrs. Cora A. Beels, state president. Mrs. Beels urges all composers throughout the state to send in their names and descriptions of their compositions so that Nebraska may be well represented in the "Directory of American Composers" which the National Federation of Music clubs plans to issue.



# CALL PUBLIC AUCTION

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## Tuesday, Dec. 16

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### Fourteen Head of Cattle

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### Farm Machinery, Etc.

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D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneer Farmers National Bank, Clerk

### From Other Editors

**Aurora Republicans:** The publication of income tax returns will probably be the center of a hot fight before the question is settled. It is already the subject of much controversy, and one prominent newspaper has already been brought into the courts as a result of the publication of returns. It is a delicate question and one upon which public opinion seems to be pretty well divided. The tendency seems to be, however, for the small fry, with no income taxes to pay, to lobby, and for the class which pays a tax, especially those whose taxes run into big figures, to view the publication as a meddling in private affairs. It needs no great intelligence to discover that the real end to be gained is compliance with the letter and spirit of the law regarding income taxes if publication acts as a hindrance to this, then there should be no publication; if it acts as a help, then there should be publication. There is much evidence to be considered on both sides.

**Fairbury News:** Whatever may be the official outcome of the contest over the election of Senator Brookhart by the people of the country will be interested in seeing how many votes were marked for his opponent but not counted because of a technicality. If a plurality of the ballots were marked for his opponent, the people will not be satisfied until the real winner gets his seat.

**The Season of Good Will.** Christmas will always be the season of Good Will. And that is an angel because the advent of the Savior was ushered in with an angel on earth; good will toward men," but because the advent of the Savior ushered in an era of

### FAULTY NUTRITION

Many of the ailments of grown people may be traced to faulty nutrition. Well-fed children or adults withstand weakness better than those who are indifferently nourished.

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