

NEWS AND COMMENT.

Miscellaneous Matters Relating to People and Towns Not Far Away.

Otto H. Kruger and Ed Stephens were up from Hoskins on Tuesday and while here Mr. Kruger purchased the bowling alley of Martin Redmer and the old Martin property. They returned again from Hoskins yesterday and started into business. —Winside Tribune.

Fred and Bert Williamson left yesterday for Kansas where they used to live and where they now have an uncle living. They are not decided how long they will stay. If they do well they may stay or go on to Oklahoma. —Winside Tribune.

The Lyons Sun says Will Stone of that vicinity sold a hog to E. P. Ustick that weighed 620 pounds at \$5.85 per hundred. This figures out the princely sum of \$34.27.

Word reached here Tuesday that one John Gunderson, living in the vicinity of Lyons, had been frozen to death Sunday night while within twenty feet of his residence. He was supposed to be under the influence of liquor. It was his supposition here that it was the John Gunderson who formerly lived in the McKenzie neighborhood near Bertha, and who was well known to many Tekamah citizens. A farmer from the neighborhood of this John Gunderson was in Tekamah, Tuesday, and said it was not him as he had seen him that morning before leaving home. —Tekamah Journal.

The Dixon schools have been reopened and the small pox is thought to be stamped out in that town. Nearly everybody over there has had it anyway, excepting Jonas Ecker, who was too virtuous to catch the disease. —Ponca Journal.

Ben Wilson's pet spaniel, Diamond, passed over to dog heaven this week ripe in years and rich in good works and posterity. —Coleridge Blade.

Giving wedding presents is an old custom, but it differs in different countries. Germany has a "pay wedding" at which the bride receives her guests with a basin before her, in which each person entering deposits a jewel, a silver spoon or a piece of money. In some parts of Germany the rule is that the expenses of the marriage feast shall be met by each guest paying for what he eats and drinks. The prices are placed pretty high and the young couple make a handsome profit out of their wedding—often realizing a sum sufficient to start them nicely in life. Often three hundred guests are present at such a wedding.

August Trantow returned home from Hoskins last Saturday with his bride and in the evening his home was invaded by a number of friends who came to give them a surprise party and tender their congratulations and best wishes. The visitors were given a hearty welcome and until after midnight the tide of social enjoyment flowed high. The guests brought many beautiful and useful gifts as testimonials of their high regard for the young couple whose union they came to celebrate. —Winside Chronicle.

C. B. Willey tried a law suit at Wayne last Friday in the case of H. J. Backes vs. J. W. Black. Mr. Backes is agent for a nursery firm, and last spring solicited Mr. Black for a bill of trees amounting to \$375. Before the goods were delivered Mr. Black countermanded the order, but the nursery paid no attention to Mr. Black's wishes and sometime during the fall delivered or attempted to deliver the goods, and collect the money. Attorney Willey presented Mr. Black's side of the case and won the suit. —Randolph Times.

Robt Willson has left these parts for good so he exclaimed as he went. His wife and adopted little daughter were left here. On Tuesday County Attorney Corbin, at the instigation of some of our good people who had sympathy for the child, instituted the necessary proceedings to have the child taken from Mrs. Willson, the adopted mother. While action was pending Mrs. Willson hired a livery team and skipped for Blair outthanking to take train for St. Louis. Sheriff Stapleton went down in the afternoon and returned with them on the evening train. Upon Mrs. Willson's arrival from Blair she was taken before Police Judge Shaw on charge of drunkenness to which entered a plea of guilty and was assessed fine and costs which she paid. The petition before Judge Bassmann in court requested that the Child Saving Institute of Omaha be appointed the guardian of the child and sets forth numerous reasons why Robert Willson and wife should not have the care and custody of this minor child. The court has fixed January 3rd, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m., when the will be heard. The court has ordered that the child remain in the care of Sheriff Lusk until after the hearing. The principal reason for taking the child from their custody is that they are both almost continually under the influence of liquor, their conduct during the last few months has been any thing but exemplary or creditable. If reports are true it was a disgrace to permit such conduct in a civilized community. —Tekamah Herald.

Progress of the Bear War. Philadelphia Press: As Christmas comes on the British apologetes for the

Kitchener "plan of campaign" in South Africa are not having a very comfortable time of it. Buller, curiously enough, who expected to eat his Christmas dinner in Pretoria in December, 1899, but did not, is a kind of hero with the British mob today while Kitchener, even if the comparative quiescence of the Boers' left him the leisure to dine at the old Boer capital on December 25, can hardly feel freed from all anxieties. He is far from popular at home; all Europe, whether rightly or wrongly, is execrating his reconcentrado policy; Rostand, as the dispatches show, has written a poem painting the wretchedness and misery of the Boer children in South Africa, which is intended to excite practical sympathy; and even in England's powerful organization is trying to do all it can to make up for government shortcomings in the case of the camps in which the women and children are confined. Moreover, Miss Hobhouse, the first critic of the camps, who was ruthlessly deported from South Africa with little more in the way of her belongings than "what she had on her back," is back in England with her "nerves shattered" as the result of her experience, and her relatives are threatening suit against the government. As she is related to powerful members of the nobility it is quite likely that they may give Kitchener another nasty turn, whether he be in the field, as he was last Christmas, or in the town. As things look now, the Boer war is likely to be fought more aggressively in England than it is in South Africa, and for a long time to come.

I am prepared to make loans on 10 years' time with the privilege of paying ANY AMOUNT AT ANY TIME without any conditions, restrictions or limitations whatever. Under this loan borrower has privilege of paying loan the next day after it is closed and no questions asked. Call and see me. —PHIL H. KOHL.

A Historic Grave.

When the Burlington built its road to Guernsey, Wyo., the lines were run past a grave two miles southeast of Scotts Bluff. Since the earliest inhabitants of that part of the state can remember the grave has been there, marked with an old wagon tire, on which an inscription, made with a chisel, still remains. The marking read: "Rebecca Winters, died in 1850 age forty-nine." Since the first finding of this grave and the inscription on the tire a nearby stream has been named Winter creek, the precinct in the county where the grave was located was named Winter, and more recently an irrigation ditch has been given the same name. Early settlers tried to learn the identity of Rebecca Winters, and where her relatives were but the circumstances of the woman's death on a far western prairie at a date when the red men held supreme possession of that territory were never learned until the railroad came. When it was built the roadmaster took an interest in the matter and had the grave marked by building a fence around it. A newspaper man happened along and learning the fragment of a story wrote about it. The article was published in an eastern paper but somehow it found interested readers in Salt Lake City. They were relatives of the dead woman. They wrote a letter to Roadmaster Bowen of the Burlington, thanking him for his act, and promising to send a headstone for the grave. Mrs. Winter had died enroute with her family and friends to Salt Lake City, and in later years relatives had tried to locate the place where she had been buried, but not knowing at just what place along the Platte river she had died the search was unsuccessful. The grave is but a few feet from the Burlington's right of way.

J. P. Gaertner has the largest and best selected stock of goods in northeast Nebraska and the prices can't be beat. Bring in your catalogues for comparison and see how much better you can do at home, besides saving freight. Some of the cheap department stuff is dear at any price and give me one experience you will not give it housework.

Do Your Level Best.

The world has always had, and still has, too many people who are not willing to work for what they get, and are envious of the success of others. They want the best, but what it without any special effort on their part. They are always "waiting for something to turn up." Hard, persistent toil, which is as necessary to success as cultivation, to a good crop, is as unfamiliar to them as are the formations of the moon. The most of them, perhaps all of them, imagine they work hard. They profess to believe that their lot is harder than anybody else's, that the world is always turning its rough edges to them, that thorns grow all about them. Boy, are you such a person? Then quit it. Quit it now, while you are young. Do not go through life looking for snags that never come. If you do your life will be a failure. After awhile you will become morbid and disagreeable, covetous and malicious. It was this that led to the first murder recorded in Genesis. It is this that breeds anarchy and leads to assassinations. It is this that makes life miserable for those who practice it and the ones about them. If you are not at work get to work. Take the best that is offered now and stick to it until a better job is offered.

Side Talks... ON VARIED SUBJECTS.

ANY are the wonderful tales related in regard to instincts and habits of animals by people interested in such matters, and it is no particular reflection on the truthfulness of the narrators to say that some of the stories are hard to believe.

A farmer living near this city told us of an incident coming under his personal observation which seems to demonstrate that the much-abused mule has a memory almost equal to that which tradition accords to the Indian. This story is a very simple one and has no sensational issues. The farmer in question owned a mule colt of a tender age and up to the period in which this story opens it had never been separated from its maternal ancestor. One day it became necessary to take the mator on a drive and as a matter of convenience his muleship was left at home. The stable in which the colt was incarcerated had no floor and a few boards were placed across the opening with the expectation that they would prove a sufficient barrier. The efforts to escape became so frantic, however, that the lady of the house thought it advisable to stand at the door and beat him back with a stick, a performance which was kept up during the absence of the colt's maternal guardian—about an hour. Here the incident closed in one particular but was that in that hour the little mule acquired a prejudice against the woman who acted as its jailer, and always held the grudge. The colt was sold to neighbor a few months afterward and kept by the purchaser about four years after which it was re-sold to the original owner. In the meantime it had become a quiet and dignified mule with slow gait and drooping ears and had acquired a reputation for gentleness and all around good manners. Nothing seemed to arouse the animal from its mule-like lethargy. Even the return to the scenes of its childhood failed to produce any appreciable change in demeanor. There was an expression of apparent recognition and that was all. The children could play around the mule in perfect safety. It was not one of the "kicky" kind. One day while the animal was drinking from the watering trough, to which it had been led by a little girl, the lady of the house, the mule's former jailer, appeared on the scene. Instantly a look of scorn and hatred flashed across that placid countenance, his ears elevated and wiggled in an ominous manner. With a wild lunge and a wailing squeal he broke loose from the little girl and charged after his old time enemy, who promptly retreated into the house. So it was ever afterwards. To all the other members of the family the mule was perfectly docile, but it would not tolerate the sight of the lady in question without making a tremendous fuss. All of which happened in Wayne county, Nebraska, and this is no lie.

Hotels and Trained Nurses.

Trained nurses are not welcome guests in New York hotels, and in fact in many they are expressly forbidden to appear in the dining rooms in their uniforms. The hotel keepers object to their presence in their working dresses because any indication of the existence of disease in a hotel is disadvantageous. Under these circumstances they are compelled to go through as much preliminary labor before they go to formal dinner as if they had been invited under the rule on the part of the hotel proprietors is admitted, as in some of the large hotels up town occupied chiefly by families there are frequently 10 or 12 trained nurses employed. The sight of so many would not be reassuring to guests. —New York Sun.

Do Not Drink While Eating.

Liquids at meals if taken too often or too carelessly are liable to dilute the gastric juices. Take no liquid of any kind when food is in the mouth. Take as little as possible till the close of the meal. The digestive agents themselves being fluids, it is reasonable to suppose that an excess of liquids taken with the food will have a tendency to dilute and thereby weaken the digestive juices. —Ladies' Home Journal.

Philadelphia Felice Dupletty.

It was during the natural history hour. "Give me," asked the teacher, "an example of the alleged deceitful character of the cat." "In restaurants it is sometimes said to pass itself off for a rabbit," answered the head boy. —Philadelphia Times.

Diving Rods.

The only trustworthy diving rod that has ever been made is fortunately cheap. It has a steel head and a wooden handle and is shaped something like an anchor. Any man who wants one should go to a hardware store and ask for a pickax. —Youth's Companion.

A Fool forms an alliance with the straws driven by the wind; a wise man forms an alliance with the wind.

Chicago News.

The first savings bank in the United States was established in 1810.

The divorce courts would not be so well patronized if men and women paid more attention to home furnishings. Call on J. P. Gaertner and see how cheaply you can put a lot of new things in your house.

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BOOK AND MUSIC STORE

Will continue to be headquarters for

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

New consignment of the celebrated Chickering Bros' make just received. Call and see them.

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THE HANDY FOLDING RULE.

An Old Standby of the Mechanic in Greater Demand Than Ever.

"There are about a million different kinds of rules," said a dealer in hardware and tools, "the rules being something of well nigh universal use in one form or another in pretty much all trades, but here's one old standby that we sell more of now than ever, this being the folding rule.

"There are plenty of rules that fold, the commonly known two foot rule being a familiar example, but this particular old rule that I speak of is known by name as the folding rule.

"It is made in foot long sections, in various lengths, ranging from two to ten feet and over ten, if required, but three feet, five feet, any number of feet, the rule, whatever its total length, folds up completely into a bundle a foot long. The slats are thin and folded up, and even a ten foot rule takes up little room. It can be quite conveniently carried in the pocket.

"Lots of people use folding rules—plumbers, for instance, in measuring pipes, and in measuring places for erections of the arms with a tape. Two men are required, but one man can measure with a folding rule as far as the rule can reach, and with such a rule he can, single handed, measure around corners or in the angles of wall and ceiling or in any other bend or crevice. We sell lots of them nowadays to electricians, who use them in measuring for wiring houses, and we sell them to various other users, the six foot rule being the one most commonly sold.

"Such rules, of whatever length, are sold by the foot, at 8 cents a foot." —New York Sun.

TIME CARDS

(NOVEMBER 1901)

8:30 A. M.	Norfolk Passenger	9:40 A. M.
9:00 P. M.	Black Hills Passenger	6:40 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	Freight and Passenger	7:25 P. M.
WEEKLY	WAYNE & BLOOMFIELD	WEST
8:45 A. M.	Passenger	6:45 A. M.
7:50 P. M.	Passenger	7:15 P. M.

T. W. MORAN, Agent.

Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

To the creditors, heirs, legatees and all persons interested in the estate of Morris Wadsworth, deceased:

On reading the petition of Morris Wadsworth, executor of said estate, availing a final settlement and allowance of his accounts filed in this court on October 30, 1897, and December 8, 1901, for allowance to him for fees and extraordinary services and for his discharge as such executor. It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear in the county court to be held in and for said county, on the first day of December, A. D. 1901, 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 Republican, a weekly newspaper printed in said county for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

E. HUNTER, County Judge

ON THE PINNACLE OF FAME

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is not merely a name, it is a reputation. It is the highest honor that can be bestowed upon a man. It is the result of a life of noble deeds and high character. It is the goal of every man's ambition. It is the reward of a life of service to humanity. It is the crown of glory. It is the mark of a great man. It is the sign of a noble soul. It is the proof of a great mind. It is the evidence of a great heart. It is the result of a life of struggle and sacrifice. It is the reward of a life of courage and valor. It is the mark of a great leader. It is the sign of a noble warrior. It is the proof of a great hero. It is the evidence of a great man. It is the result of a life of service to humanity. It is the reward of a life of struggle and sacrifice. It is the reward of a life of courage and valor. It is the mark of a great leader. It is the sign of a noble warrior. It is the proof of a great hero. It is the evidence of a great man. It is the result of a life of service to humanity. It is the reward of a life of struggle and sacrifice.

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You got the best there is and got it right. During

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Books, Stationery and Musical Instruments.

DON'T BUY A PIANO

Or ORGAN without seeing what I can do for you. I keep a display of instruments in my piano parlors over Olmsteads hardware store. The very best instruments can be bought of me for less money than some charge for inferior makes.

D. K. HERN.

Holiday Offer.

A money saver for you

We will give ten per cent off on all our Dinner Sets from now to the FIRST OF JANUARY. Our stock is complete and first class. NOW is your chance to get a bargain.

J. W. EPLER & CO., - - GROCERS.

Some Coffees are Glazed with a cheap coating. If glazing helps coffee why aren't the high-priced Mochas and Javas glazed also?

Lion Coffee

is not glazed. It is perfectly pure and has a delicious flavor.

Public Sales.

January 6, W. H. Hiltner.
January 7, D. D. Clark.
January 8, Chas. Madson.
January 9, Peter Baker.
January 10, George Palmer.
January 14, W. E. Bruner.
January 15, A. Harper.
January 20, Porter.
February 11, Ed Schulthels.
February 12, Jos. Stiner.

For sale.—a four room house, 12 lots orchard of 50 trees, in west part of town. Inquire of Miss Wilkinson at her shop, opposite the postoffice.

A Big Reduction Sale

ON ALL OUR

STOVES and RANGES

—UP TO—
JANUARY 1.

Here is an opportunity for any one who desires to make a very useful holiday gift to save money on their purchase.



OTTO VOGET

Our goods are here, a complete fall and winter stock of all kinds of Dry Goods, Ladies' and Men's Furnishing Goods, Hats and Shoes for all sizes of people. Everything you wish in the Grocery line. In fact we are prepared to take care of your trade in a manner that will be pleasing to you. Bring in your butter and try **Aug. Piepenstock.**

WANTS

Are always supplied here in a satisfactory manner, as we are the leading dealers in

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

And always have what you need and sell it at reasonable prices. Special Winter Goods and all staple articles in endless variety at our store.

THE GERMAN STORE.

Bargain Sale.

Great sacrifice prices on winter millinery, ribbons, laces, velvets, silks, veils, kid gloves, corsets, etc. Large variety of fine trimmed hats, plain and draped street hats.

FINE DRESSMAKING and tailor made suits a specialty. Guaranteed to fit. Prices from \$3.00 to \$4.00. Accordon plated skirts made here from 15 to 20 cents per yard.—Located opposite the postoffice.

MISS WILKINSON.

Do you smoke or chew?

This question is not intended to be impertinent, but if you do, either or both you will find the very best things for your consolation and satisfaction at

H. B. Roosa's Fair Store.

Just drop in—right on Main street. He also handles quite a line of notions, including Tinware, Cutlery, Pipes, etc. Some prices here that will interest you.

The Wayne Republican

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EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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A CHANGE.

With this issue the undersigned retires from the proprietorship and editorial management of the Wayne Republican, having sold out to Messrs. W. H. Gibson and Chas. S. Lewis, two experienced and energetic newspaper men of republican persuasion. It is, of course, a source of quite general surprise to most people that we have chosen to sell out so soon, as it is well known that this paper is one of the substantial business enterprises of the city, and on a profitable basis. As a matter of fact we have concluded to quit the newspaper business entirely and embark in another line which we anticipate will be more congenial and, possibly, more remunerative. It is needless to add that we will enjoy a certain savage pleasure in going to the printer and pounding down his rates on advertising and job work when we happen to need anything in that line.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to subscribers and patrons in general who have stood by us so well, and we hope they appreciate the fact that we have tried to get out a good, newsy paper. We earnestly commend our successors to your good graces and have no doubt they will more than keep up the standard if given proper encouragement. As strangers they will need your co-operation, assistance and support, but will be in position to compensate for it in every particular. This paper has the circulation and standing which makes it the best medium for advertisers, and the job equipments and facilities of the office are superior to anything in the county.

We fully feel that we have tried to use people right, as gauged by their conduct toward us, exemplifying the modernized Golden Rule. To the other publishers of the city we extend thanks for numerous courtesies, and feel that our relations have been as pleasant and as cordial as often exists among competitors.

Hoping that readers and patrons in general may suffer an occasional kind thought for the Irish editor who resided briefly in this vicinity, we remain yours most cordially,
DENNIS O'LEARY

CLAIMS ARE GROWING.

Under the treaty of peace with Spain the United States agreed to indemnify its own citizens for any damage sustained in Cuba as the result of the conflict in that island. It was not anticipated when the treaty was negotiated that the claims would exceed a few million dollars and consequently no limit was specified. This was an unfortunate omission, for thus far the claims filed foot up to a total of more than \$600,000,000 and new demands are presented every day.

The chairman of the Spanish claims commission, Hon. William E. Chandler, has called attention to the fact that this is almost the only instance in which the amount of claims has not been fixed by a limitation. The failure to do this cannot now be remedied and consequently the commission will be called upon to consider claims which probably have little or no foundation, but which take up time and involve expense in their consideration. It appears, moreover, that there was blundering on the part of congress in the legislature creating the claims commission, which is without power to do things now found to be essential, particularly in the matter of obtaining alleged claims. It is stated that the Spanish government has volunteered its aid to defeat baseless claims by supplying whatever evidence it may have in its possession with respect to them, but the commission is unable to avail itself of the offer. This is a matter which congress can correct and will doubtless do so. There is no doubt that of the claims already filed there are many that cannot be proven, but the mistakes that have been made in connection with this matter are likely to be very expensive.—Omaha Bee.

Congress is also taking a brief holiday.

Sampson and Schley should have their attention called to an incident in Iowa legal history known as the "Jones County Calf Case."

It is the young, vigorous, able, honest, magnetic leader, like President Roosevelt and Governor Cummings, of Iowa, who play havoc with the ranks of the opposition.

THE INNS OF NORWAY

PLAIN AND WHOLESOME AND WITHOUT ANY FRILLS.

The Meals Are Formidable Affairs, and Salmon Is Always Served, Guests Are Expected to Eat Heartily and to Wait on Themselves.

At intervals of eight or ten miles along the public highway, usually in connection with the skyway stations, are inns where the traveler will invariably find the comforts if not the luxuries of life—plenty of food and shelter, bed and board. There is no upholstered furniture or velvet carpets or eggshell china, but always neat lace curtains at every window, sometimes in the windows of the stables.

A luxurious American will have to deny himself much that he is accustomed to at home and will encounter experiences and customs that are new and novel to him. But if he is reasonable in his requirements and behaves himself like a gentleman he will always meet with a hospitable although a homely welcome. The Norwegian hotel keepers measure our appetites by their own and give you so much to eat, particularly at the noon dinner, that you are stupid and sleepy all the rest of the day and snooze in your carriage when you ought to be admiring the scenery.

There is no style about the hotels, and the service is poor. The household work is all done by the landlord and his wife and daughters. There are no electric bells, and if you want anything you usually have to hunt for it and help yourself. It is the custom of the country for the travelers to make themselves at home, and you are sometimes compelled to look after your own luggage or it is liable to be left. But you will recover it again after a time. The people are honest, considerate and unselfish, but unpretentious in their hospitality. There are no locks on their doors, for none is needed. Burglars and thieves are absolutely unknown.

The bedrooms are barren of ornaments and easy chairs that we are accustomed to at home. There are no carpets and no rugs on the floor. All the appurtenances are plain and substantial, without any effort at show and very little idea of convenience. The beds are good, but usually the only cover is a comfortable seven or eight inches thick and as heavy and unwieldy as a feather bed. You can't tuck it in at the bottom or at the sides, and it is always sliding off to the floor. It is too much covering for an ordinary sleeper, and when the nights are warm, as they often are, you are compelled to choose between a chill and suffocation.

The pillows are another nuisance. There are usually a bolster of feathers about the size of a barrel and a little bit of a 4 by 9 pillow on each of two thick, with pretty trimmings upon it. The big pillow is too big, and the little one is too small, and you solve the dilemma by rolling up your overcoat into a ball and using that instead. There is plenty of fresh, heavy, home-made linen—large, square towels that have been woven under the same roof during the long winter days.

The breakfast is abundant and often terrifying. You are at first confronted with five or six different kinds of cheese, an equal variety of cold meats, tinned fish, smoked herring and salmon, cold boiled ham, three or four kinds of cold sausage, strips of dried reindeer meat and half a dozen different jams and preserved fruits. You are expected to partake freely of that sort of provender and usually do so until you learn by experience that dried fish, boiled eggs, veal cutlets and other hot food will soon follow if you are patient. The coffee is usually good, and there is always an abundance of rich, thick cream. There is no warm bread, but five or six kinds of cold baked bread from wheat, rye and oat flour, besides the national "matbrod," which no Norwegian table is ever without.

The dinner is a formidable affair after the fashion of the ordinary European table d'hote, with soup, fish, roast, spiced, preserves and pudding, while for supper you get the same assortment of cheese, cold meats, fish, sausage and preserves that you have had for breakfast and two or three hot dishes. Fish is the staff of life and salmon the mainstay. It is served in some form at every meal, fried at breakfast and supper and boiled for dinner, with strips of cold smoked salmon of a deep rich color on the side at all meals.

The lakes and rivers are well stocked with salmon trout, which are caught in nets and kept alive in tanks until they are needed. You enjoy them the first five or six meals, but after you have had them seventeen or eighteen times in succession they begin to lose their relish. Beer is the ordinary beverage. Everybody drinks it. Claret and Rhine wine can be had at the larger hotels, but never any whiskey, brandy or other strong liquors. Local options prevail throughout Norway, and in the country districts the sale of spirituous liquors is forbidden.—W. E. Curtis in Chicago Record-Herald.

Half and Half.

"Have you suffered much from tooth-ache?" asked the dentist.

"A little," answered the young woman in the chair, "but not much. My teeth, I suspect, are like mamma's. She has never had anything done to hers, and she hasn't an unsound tooth in her head."

"How are your father's teeth?"

"Poor papa! His are all gone. They never were anything but mere shells."

"Well," said the dentist, breaking it to her as gently as he could, "it's very evident that you inherit your upper jaw from your mother and your lower jaw from your father."—Chicago Tribune.

An Alphabetical Ad.

The Schoolmaster has discovered this alphabetical advertisement in an issue of the London Times in 1842: "To widowers and single gentlemen—Wanted by a lady a situation to superintend the household and preside at table. She is Agreeable, Becoming, Careful, Desirable, English, Frivolous, Generous, Honest, Industrious, Judicious, Keen, Lively, Merry, Natty, Obedient, Philosophic, Quiet, Regular, Sociable, Tactful, Useful, Vivacious, Womanly, Xanthippish, Youthful, Zealous, etc. Address: X. Y. Z. Simmons' Library, Edgewood Road."

Historian Maclay claims vindication by the findings of the court of inquiry. If he was posing as a low down liar and mule head, he has been vindicated most emphatically.

Stops the cough and Works off the Cold
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25cts.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

16 houses and lots for sale—from \$400 up—E. J. SURBER

List your property with Phil H. Kohl, if you wish to dispose of it.

The coal man, the ice man, and Walker, the Rex stock food man, are all happy now. Everything is coming their way.

The wind it blewed,
The snow it snowed,
But they used Rex food
For it was gude.

Cow for sale—I have for sale a good milk cow. Will be fresh early in December.—E. J. NANGLE.

Do not envy your neighbor; use Rex Stock Food and you'll be happy too.

A Steinway piano for sale at a bargain at Horn's piano parlors.

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Steen's is the place to buy your Christmas candles.

We have just put in a large line of perfumes and toilet articles and invite you to purchase a bottle for yourself and friends. Perfume is a very acceptable Christmas gift.—D. S. McVicker.

Don't freeze.—Get your blankets now at Ahern's.

A Steinway piano for sale at a bargain at Horn's piano parlors.

You might be a poet
And nobody know it,
But stock that get Rex Food show it

Welker, the Rex stock food man, wishes his many customers a Merry Christmas, a prosperous New Year, and many re-orders.

Hallelujah to REX, the King of Stock Foods; all sing.

Some new furniture would gladden the hearts of your wife and children, and therefore would make a most appropriate present. Call at Gaertner's and see what he can do for you in this line.

The wind it blewed,
The snow it snowed,
But they used Rex food
For it was gude.

A Steinway piano for sale at a bargain at Horn's piano parlors.

It takes sense to make dollars, and it shows good sense when a feeder adds to his dollars by using Rex Stock Food.

Getting Nostalgic.

The Pelican—I didn't know you had to use an opera glass to read by!

The Crane—Yes; my bill is so long it was either that or hold my newspaper right up to the end of it.—Philadelphia Press.

An Idler.



The Bird—Talk about birds having an easy time! Why, that fellow doesn't even have to sing for a living.—New York Journal.

When Pa Begins to Snore.

My pa's got sompin in his nose that's fassened time to stay.

That all the neighbors wishes he would lose or give away—

Some sort of roller in affair, like bulls has in their throats!

Or like a big balshorn, except it never plays no notes.

Ma says it's sleepin on his back; he says it is ketar.

But you can bet your bloomin life whatever it may are.

It's there fur doin bizness, an it does it, too, fur sure.

As all the neighborhood kin tell when pa begins to snore!

Ma says if she'd 'a' ever knowed that he was sich a frigit.

A-try'n to clear the liver out an rize the dead at night.

She'd never have consented fur to be his lovin wife.

An share his sorrens in his joys an lead a sleepless life.

It's hard on me, the same as her, fur when I git an sleep

An dream I'm a hunter bold out in the forest deep

I feel my hair a-risin up to hear a lion roar

An then wake up in fright to hear it's pa begun to snore!

Ma says that some day when we git to heaven after while,

Where every prospect's goin to please an only ma be rize.

If people there is jes the same as people here below,

She can't imagine how she's goin to bear the load of sin

she thinks that at the usual time up there amongst the blest

The angels'll be broken off their sweet salacious

an tumble round awhile an then git up an walk the door.

An wish he'd never bin redeemed when pa begins to snore!

—Denver Post.

Some folks tries so hard ter be happy in dis worl dey gets miserable tryin.

Happiness is alims what you ain't lookin fer it.—Atlanta Constitution.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We thank you for the courtesies of the past year and respectfully ask for an extension of the same during 1902.

Always your obedient servant

RAYMOND, THE DRUGGIST.

Physicians.

J. J. WILLIAMS,

Physician and Surgeon,
Office over Wayne National bank.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

H. G. LEISENRING,

Physician and Surgeon
Office over the State Bank
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

F. M. THOMAS,

Osteopathic Physician,
Graduate of the American school of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo.
In office over Orth's drugstore. Except Tuesday and Friday when in Windsor. No knife! No drugs!
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

Lawyers.

E. R. LUNDBURG,

Attorney at Law,
(Office with A. A. Welch.)
Bankruptcy and general law practice. Insurance written and collections given prompt attention.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

A. A. WELCH,

Attorney at Law
Office over Citizens Bank. Legal business entrusted to us will receive careful attention.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

Dentists.

T. B. HECKERT,

Dentist,
Office over P. L. Miller's Grocery, on Main Street.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

Lodges.

Wayne Lodge No. 120.

A. F. & A. M.

Meets the second and fourth Friday evening of each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.
A. A. WELCH, W. M.

Veterinary.

W. D. HAMMOND

Veterinary Surgeon
Office at Jones' livery barn.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

Meat Markets.

ROB & FORTNER,

Meat Market
On Second street one-half block west of Main. Fresh and salt meats, poultry and fish.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

J. H. GOLL,

City Meat Market
Fresh and salt meats constantly on hand. Fish and oysters in season.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

Real Estate.

E. R. SURBER,

Leading Agency in Northeast Nebraska for
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance
Office over Wayne-National bank.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

Bonded Abstracter

I. W. ALTER,

Writes insurance and makes collections. Office opposite Love hotel.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

Miscellaneous.

PROF. R. DURRIN,

Marble and Granite Works,
Handles all kinds of marble and granite, and turns out monumental work in an artistic manner.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

Barber.

CHAS. SHAW,

Located in the Boyd hotel building. Good bath room in connection. Your patronage solicited.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

Palace Livery Stable

STRAHAN & WARNOCK,

On Second Street, one-half block east of Boyd House.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

Photographer

C. M. CRAVEN,

E. CUNNINGHAM,
Rates reasonable, satisfaction or no trade. Office in Republican building.
WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

Auctioneer

E. CUNNINGHAM,

Card ads, like these, only 50 cts per month. It's worth that just to keep your name before the people.

JUST THE THING!

GET A

\$15.00

SEWING MACHINE

(Guaranteed for 25 Years)

for your WIFE as a

Useful, Durable Present.

FOR SALE BY

E. P. OLMSTED.

THE REPUBLICAN

If the best advertising medium in north-west Nebraska. Our list is open to the inspection of our readers at all times.

HE SAVED THE SCOW

A CLEVER BIT OF STRATEGY IN AN ENGINEERING JOB.

How a Young American Engineer Brought His Spirit of Invention to Aid in Solving a Wreck Problem in South America.

It is easy enough for an engineer to show ability in New York or in other big towns where he can get about all the tools and conveniences ever devised. It is when an engineer finds himself in the wilds of a jungle or up in the mountains, hundreds of miles from civilization, that his own natural ingenuity and invention count," said a veteran engineer to a youngster who had been admitted to the ranks of the Engineers' club.

"Down in Sargham, Dutch Guiana, where the arrival of a sailing schooner causes a sensation, where a mail steamer enters the muddy harbor once in two weeks to carry two hours to get rid of its mail and to take on a few passengers, there was once a young American engineer who showed that he had the proper spirit of invention to advance him to the front ranks of the profession. Like all the best inventors, his was the simplest one, and it was one that was widely talked about among the profession to the credit of the inventor.

"To understand the story properly you need a brilliant insight into Sargham and its habits. Here Indians may be seen on the streets wearing only a breechcloth. The white population is so scarce that all are thrown together as if in one large family, Englishmen, Americans, Germans, Dutchmen and Frenchmen all combining together and forming clubs and societies to keep themselves from dying of sheer loneliness.

"In this primitive town there was a man who held the splendid monopoly of owning a large scow. That, up there, is not a particularly small thing to be proud of, but the value of even a scow depends entirely upon where the scow is and what it will cost to replace it. This particular scow had been built by American ship carpenters sent especially from the United States in great expense. There was not another scow in the entire harbor, and about all of the heavy river work to be done for the city and plantations and mining companies was done by this one vessel. Its loss, therefore, would have been not only a severe one for the owner, who had it monopoly of the business in those days, but it would have been little short of a national calamity.

"One day, while the scow was anchored in mid-stream, one of those smashing black squalls for which the tropics are famous broke over the river, and for twenty minutes you could not see ten feet away or hear a man shouting at your elbow. When the storm finally abated, the scow was not to be seen, and it was found she had gone down, deck load and all. To most of us there seemed about as much chance of raising the vessel as much chance of raising the dead. There would be to raise an ocean steamer sunk in the middle of the Atlantic.

"It was about this time that the young engineer took a hand in the problem. He asked the dimensions of the scow and the depth of the water. He then went to the owner and announced that if the owner would provide him with five men he would raise the scow for a certain sum of money. The bargain was made, though the contractor refused to say how he would go about the job.

"Now, you must know that aside from the ebb and flood tide, which alternate every six hours, there is also what is known as a spring tide. This comes with the full of the moon, and it has the effect of making a higher flood tide than any during the month. The opposite of the spring tide is the neap tide, and with the effect that at no other time during the month is the ebb tide so low as it is at that time. The difference in the height of water between the ebb and neap tide and the flood at spring tide is considerable.

"The engineer waited until neap tide. On that day he towed a number of logs down the river. These he anchored over the scow and sent men below to fasten chains to one side of the scow, and these he fastened to the logs on the surface. Then he waited patiently. As the spring tide approached he towed other logs down the river until he had enough to make quite a raft, and on the day of the highest tide all the logs were tied together and fastened. The tide rose steadily, and the more it rose the more the raft went down under the strain of the pull on the chains. At last, just as it seemed that the raft was unequal to the occasion, it was seen to bob up suddenly, and a moment later there was a commotion in the water, and the scow appeared. What had happened, of course, was this: The chains pulling upward on one side of the scow tilted it more and more until the deck began to slide off, and finally, when the stones had slid in to the river, the scow came up under its own buoyancy. The remainder was simple. The vessel was towed to the shore, where it was hauled up on the sand, and when the water receded logs bored into the hull caused the scow to empty. Later the logs were plugged up again, and the old ship was as good as still."—New York Times.

George Was Slow.
She—If you could have one wish, George, who would it be?
He—It would be that—that—that—oh, if I only dared tell you what it would be!

She—Oh, please go on! Do tell me!
He—I dare not. But, oh, if only I could!

She—Well, why don't you? What do you suppose I brought the winking subject up for?
—London Tit-Bits.

Log Cabin maple syrup at C. R. Witter's.

Our line of trimmed hats at half price.—Bayer Sisters.

Father Webber was a passenger for Dixon this afternoon.

Heinz's mince meat in bulk—the best on earth.—at Witter's.

All trimmed hats, going at from \$1.00 to \$3.00.—Bayer Sisters.

When buying your candles, nuts and everything else in our line, just try McVicker's Bakery.

THE PIONEER'S QUERY.

He Wanted to Know Why America Was Discovered.

"Three or four of us were hunting together one fall in northern Michigan," said the Chicago druggist, "and the whole house was cramped by telling him that I was Christopher Columbus. I didn't get him right, and he used to stand with open mouth and look at me as if I was the biggest elephant on earth. During the three weeks of our stay he never addressed me directly, not even about the weather, and always fought shy of being alone in my company. I came out ahead of the party, and the old man had to row me 30 miles in a boat. This was an all day's job, and not a word passed between us. It was not until I had landed and paid him that he made bold to brace up and inquire:

"So you are the man who discovered America?"

"I am," I briefly replied.

"He said no more, and I turned away, and I had gone fully 80 rods when he jumped up on a log and shouted after me:

"Say, now, but what was your objection?"

"Anxious Querist.

It was a feminine voice that came over the telephone wire this time.

"Is this the home forecaster?"

"Yes, ma'am. Can I do anything for you?"

"Yes, sir. I would like to have you tell me how much longer this humidity is going to last."

"Pardon me, but why do you wish to know that?"

"Because I washed my hair a week ago and I want to find out how much longer I've got to wait for it to dry."—Chicago Tribune.

The Tolly of Wisdom.

"It seems to me that poets make a whole lot of absurd declarations and manage to have them accepted as words of wisdom. Here, for instance, is this line, 'It's folly to be wise.' How can any man with ordinary sense believe that?"

"Well, I don't know. There may be a good deal in it, after all. It is claimed, you know, that only intellectual people have hay fever."—Chicago Record-Herald.

In Town.

"VIEWING THE RIGHTS OF A GREAT CITY."—Chicago News.

Applied Knowledge.

"Swell ferment and give its definition to the teacher."

"Pee-nee-ent to work," responded a diminutive maiden.

"Now place it in a sentence, so that I may be sure you understand its meaning," said the teacher.

"In the summer I would rather play out-of-doors than ferment in the school-house," returned the small scholar.—Wisconsin Journal of Education.

Intellectual.

"They say the capital, indicating the dish before them, 'was a very learned man.'"

"Indeed?" replied the other, helping himself for the third time. "Then this is truly what the white men call an intellectual feast."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Without Mixing Matters.

"I am afraid," said the European, "that your country is going to the deuce."

"I suppose," said the Chinaman, "that that is your delicate way of intimating that it is going to the 'foreign devil.'"—Washington Star.

His Style of Culture.

Nell—Maud married a man of culture.

Bess—Why, I was under the impression she married a farmer.

Nell—So she did, but isn't a farmer a man of agriculture?—Chicago News.

Two Girls.

"A quarrel with Fred? You had better telegraph that you are sorry."

"A telegraph would look as if I was in an awful hurry."—Brooklyn Life.

Very fancy No. 1 mackerel at Witter's.

Mrs. Chas. Beebe was a Sioux City visitor Friday.

Sam Williamson, of Carroll, was in town Saturday.

Prof. F. S. Wolfe was a business visitor at Wakefield Saturday afternoon.

Chauncey Childs was in town Friday enroute to Carroll to spend the holiday.

Chas. Hayes went up the branch Friday evening, returning Saturday afternoon.

Miss Anna Lund departed Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives in Illinois.

Miss Edith Stocking left Saturday morning for her home at North Bend to spend the holidays.

Miss Kittie Lieth left Saturday to spend the holiday vacation with relatives and friends at Hooper.

A. G. Parker and wife will occupy the Puller residence during the temporary absence of the family.

Miss Nina Criss is expecting her friend, Mrs. W. Taylor of Omaha, to arrive this afternoon for a visit.

D. Dysart and wife, of Winside, were among the out of town people doing holiday shopping in town Friday.

Dr. Scruggs, of Winside, was a professional visitor in this city Thursday.

Anton Jorgenson bought 160 acres, located seven miles west of town, of Andrew Christensen recently. The consideration was \$8,400.

The Winside Tribune had quite a graphic description of the weather last week which we would be glad to reproduce only for lack of space.

A good horse and large tract of land in the west part of town for sale— inquire of Miss Wilkinson at her millinery shop opposite the post office.

Clinton Reitz, of Sioux City, arrived last Friday for a few days' visit at the Ahern home. He will return to Sioux City tonight with his aunt, Miss Sullivan.

Richard Davies is now general agent for the New York Life Insurance Co. for several western states so he writes to his brother Sam. His headquarters are at Salt Lake City.

The habit some men have of treating others with suspicion without adequate cause may be creditable to their financial acumen, but shows little of the true element of manhood.

FOR SALE.—Residence property on 102 1/2 block 24, three blocks west of Main, on Second street. Owned by Mrs. H. C. Cunningham, 419 West Third street, Sioux City, Iowa.

F. G. Simmons, Deputy Grand Master of the A. O. U. W., who has been doing special work here, is an old newspaper man and formerly followed this line of work at Seward, his present home.

Fred Slahn, Henry Meyer and Fred Beschen departed Wednesday on a land seeking tour in Oklahoma. They intended to be absent about two weeks and will purchase farms if suited with that country.

In referring to Frank's opening, Mac speaks of being "informed" as to the good things that were on tap. Do we understand the gentleman to say that his knowledge of the event all came second-hand?

This office keeps a list of E. Cunningham's sale dates, and we can make all arrangements. Will also take pleasure in making you satisfactory bills as cheap as any one and give you a notice of your sale in this paper.

The Nebraska friends of Representative Burkett will be pleased to hear, if the Wayne Herald is to be believed, that he has been appointed a member of a "Senate" committee. Being the first time in American history that the Senate has gone beyond its own membership for committee members, the brilliant Lincoln congressman must surely be congratulated.—Dixon Tribune.

Quite a party of Wayne people, including the families of R. C. Osborne, H. Griggs, Mark Jeffery and Henry Warner of Laurel, will leave in a few weeks for Chelan, Wash., to join the Wayne people already there. Letters from Ira Richards state they are getting along nicely. This month a party of them went out to their claims only nine miles from Chelan, and passed several nights in tents. Otis Stringer is living on a claim there.—Democrat.

A matter overlooked by us last week was the accidental death of Mrs. Nick Hansen, living seven miles southwest of Wayne. On Monday morning she drank some lye water through mistake and death resulted Tuesday afternoon. The accident was a deplorable one, and a sad blow to the husband and child.

Mrs. Hansen was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jans. The funeral was held Friday and was attended by a large number of sympathetic and sorrowing friends.

A. A. Welch has received notice that the supreme court has reversed the district court's in Lound vs. the Winside State bank. This is one of those real old chestnuts with the legal fraternity. Years ago Mr. Lound secured a verdict in the lower court for \$1,000, against the bank (C. B. French as defendant) it was taken to the supreme court and reversed. In the second trial Mr. Lound was given a verdict against French for \$1,200, now this has been reversed and a new trial ordered which will probably come up at the next spring term. Mr. Welch was attorney for the bank, vs. French, and Fuller and Barnes for Lound. Possibly plaintiff Lound will give up the chase.—Democrat.

Fresh oysters at C. R. Witter's.

W. A. Ivory, dentist, over 1st Nat'l, Seth Moseman, of Carroll, was in town Friday.

A. A. Welch was a business visitor at Norfolk Friday.

Miss Cora Moore is working at McVicker's restaurant.

Sophus Thompson is visiting in Sioux county, Iowa.

W. M. Gue, of Winside was a business visitor in town Friday.

A. B. Clark was a business visitor in Sioux City the first of the week.

H. D. Blanchard and family are expecting to move to Omaha in a few days.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. White last Wednesday.

Chas. Miller and John Boock were among the Winside visitors in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Gilford and son from near Randolph were shopping in town Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Leo McMullen and Miss Madge Salare are to be married tomorrow—so we are informed.

If you want fancy baking of any kind leave your order at Steen's and it will be handled right.

Consul Osborne's body arrived from Sampa Friday and will be laid to rest at his old home in Blair.

There will be a Christmas tree and Sunday school services at the English Lutheran church tonight.

The Misses Gertrude Boyes and Mary Gaebler, of Winside, were shopping in this city Saturday.

At the English Lutheran church there will be a Christmas sermon on Christmas morning at 10:30.

The Sunday School social given at the Terwilliger home last evening was a success and netted about \$10.

Oysters.—Do you like nice, clean large white oysters? Then buy New York extra selects at Witter's.

Prof. E. E. Mason and wife, of Stanton, are spending the holidays with Mr. Mason's parents in this city.

Miss Lulu Cook surprised her parents last evening and came home from her duties at Omaha to spend Christmas.

Miss Maude Bressler, who is attending school at Chicago came home Saturday night for a visit with her parents.

The ladies Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. J. G. Mines on Thursday afternoon.

Judge Hunter issued a marriage yesterday to Harrison H. Gray, of Sioux City, Iowa, and Miss Lulu B. Jones of Winside.

One of the Sunday school classes of the M. E. church held a delightful social at the Terwilliger home on Monday evening.

Frank Coyle, who is an operator with the Western Union at Sioux City, visited over Sunday at the home of his parents in this city.

There is talk of a matched game of basket ball between the high school girls of Randolph and the "E. and R." team of this city.

A Sunday school convention was held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon. An address was delivered by Rev. Bithell.

Fine half section one mile from Wayne—\$2,600 worth of improvements, excellent soil—at a very reasonable figure.—E. R. SURBER.

Fred Wright came home from Lincoln and Geo. Wilson from Grand Rapids, Michigan, to spend the holidays at the parental homes in the city.

Mrs. Mark Miller, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Chase, left Saturday morning for her home at Aberdeen, S. D.

Geo. Damon is taking a brief lay-off from his duties on the road and accompanied his wife and baby to Council Bluffs Friday for a holiday visit.

The Herald's list of 1901 improvements was incomplete and contained a number of inaccuracies. This paper will compile an authentic list for the first issue of 1902.

A. I. Whitaker from near Winside left last week to look over the land in New Mexico and if everything is favorable his family will follow and make their future home.

John Dahlman returned to the college at Wayne Monday noon, after an absence of two weeks. Mr. Dahlman says that he will not play football any more.—Stanton Picket.

Farm boys, either with or without commission, at a trifle lower rates than anyone else. We make both first and second mortgage loans.—E. R. SURBER (over Wayne National Bank.)

Mr. Frank Fuller and two sons departed Thursday afternoon for Washington, D. C., to spend the winter. Their route was by way of Chicago where they intended to visit for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dearborn.

We are not urging you to drink; that is your personal affair. In case you are inclined that way, however, we will always appreciate your trade, give you the best that's going and treat you right.—HERMAN MILDNER.

More oysters at Witter's.

Wm. Wright was at Winside Monday.

Ted Philbo came down from Carroll Sunday.

Guy Wilbur was a passenger west Monday.

Art Chapin of Winside was in town Monday.

Mrs. Needham, of Winside, was in town Saturday.

Robt. Carr came in from Washington Saturday afternoon.

S. E. Auker shipped out another big bunch of sheep Monday.

Fred and Jim Pile returned from their Illinois visit Saturday evening.

Miss Abbie Manning and Phil Manning were down from Carroll Monday.

Chas. H. Bright and wife of Winside, were over Sunday visitors in this city.

A young son of Dan Logan is very ill at his home in the east part of the city.

Mrs. E. D. Mitchell went to Sioux City Friday to meet her daughter, Louise.

There will be a union service at the Methodist church on next Sunday evening.

S. H. Phillips, of Winside, was in this city Monday and made us a pleasant call.

Mr. Lloyd Cunningham will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Nangle will spend Christmas with their son, Will, and family in Sioux City.

Many of the students of the Nebraska Normal are spending the holidays at their respective homes.

Miss Nina Criss returned Wednesday from a six weeks' visit at Omaha. She reports a very pleasant time.

Miss Sullivan, the dressmaker at Ahern's, leaves today for a visit during the holidays with relatives at Sioux City.

A. J. Hyatt, who recently sold out near Winside, has bought property in Randolph and moved over there this week.

Lloyd Cunningham came home from Chicago Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, David Cunningham and wife.

Arlie McBain, of York, was in the city between trains Monday afternoon on his way to Laurel for a visit with his parents.

A 10-year-old daughter of R. H. Johnson died on Saturday of membranous croup, and was buried on Sunday afternoon.

James Finn has purchased a quarter in Sac County, Iowa, and expects to move to that county next spring. He is locating in a splendid section and bought quite reasonably.

If your friend enjoys good brandy, good whiskey, or good beer it would be a good idea for you to go to Herman Milder's and buy him a case or bottle for a Christmas present.

The Treasury department Monday drew a warrant in favor of Rear Admiral Schley for \$3,334, his share of the prize money due him for the destruction of the Spanish fleet July 3rd, 1898.

John R. Hamer, of Garfield, was in town Monday doing some Christmas shopping. He lives 14 miles from Wayne and does not get to this town often. We acknowledge a pleasant call.

John Payne came home Thursday evening from attending the funeral of his brother-in-law at Clearfield, Iowa. He was accompanied by a brother, Walter, whose home is at Rockford, Illinois.

Rev. Lowery, who was being considered for the Presbyterian pastorate in this city, received a unanimous call to Holdridge and started on his work before he was voted upon by the local charge.

Mrs. John Hufford and son left Sunday for Holdridge where she will visit for several months with her parents, Judge Boght and wife. John makes a handsome widower, but we are inclined to believe he is pretty well behaved.

W. H. Gibson, one of the new publishers of this paper, arrived yesterday morning and will move into the Mitchell cottage vacated by the retiring publisher. Chas. S. Lewis who will be associated with Mr. Gibson, will arrive from Denver in a few days.

Mr. Samuel Beaver, of Kearney, and Mrs. Hannah Cunningham, of Sioux City, were married at the M. E. parsonage Saturday evening. Rev. Bithell performing the ceremony. Mrs. Cunningham was formerly a resident of Wayne and has many friends in this vicinity who wish her much joy and prosperity. Mr. Beaver is a stranger in the city but appears to be a pleasant fellow.

Boars for Sale.

Poland-China boars for sale by C. E. Gilsenrath.

Household Furniture.

The undersigned desires to sell all his household furniture at private sale within the next few days. Upright piano included in the list.

H. D. BLANCHARD.

Wisconsin beer kraut at C. R. Witter's.

A. B. Clark came home Saturday morning.

Everybody eats California celery. Witter sells it.

Miss Clara Philbo was a Sioux City visitor yesterday.

Byron Mossman and wife, of Carroll, were in town Friday.

S. B. Scase was an arrival from the east Friday evening.

If you want good celery buy California celery at Witter's.

John Rayhouser was a business visitor in Emerson Friday.

Quarter section near Winside at a snap figure.—E. R. SURBER.

See W. L. Robinson, of Carroll about Lands, Farm Loans, and Insurance.

F. M. Skeen and wife are at Ponca spending a few days with their daughter.

Mrs. John Harrington was a business visitor in Sioux City yesterday afternoon.

Victor Johnson departed Tuesday morning for Oakland to spend the holidays.

C. A. Kibbey left Saturday afternoon for a visit with relatives and friends in Illinois.

A. R. Davis left yesterday morning for a two weeks visit at his home in Blenno, Iowa.

D. Abbott and two children departed Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives in Iowa.

Miss Morgan, one of the teachers, departed Saturday morning for Exeter to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Sheldon and Miss Eva Brown are enjoying a visit from their brother, a Mr. Brown, of Stanton.

Geo. Wilbur arrived home from Ann Arbor, Michigan, Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents.

George and Ben McEachan left yesterday morning for Christmas visit with relatives at Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Graves went to Omaha yesterday to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

The Musical Fortnightly club will hold its next regular meeting with Miss Hunter, January 2, 1902.

Judge Hutter issued a marriage license Monday to William B. Lewis and Miss Eva Shirts both of Winside.

Miss Edna Neiman came home from the Sacred Heart academy at Omaha Saturday night to spend the holidays.

Go to the M. E. church next Monday night and hear the lecture to be given by Dr. Crawford. Admission 10 cents.

Miss Rena Olmsted came home Friday evening from her school work at Emerson to spend the holidays under the parental roof.

Three beautiful statues arrived Monday for the Catholic church. They will be placed in the church before the Christmas services tomorrow.

Prof. Snodgrass departed yesterday morning for a few days visit with a sister at Osceola. He goes from there to attend the state teachers association at Lincoln. At that place he will be joined by his family, who have been visiting in California and they will accompany him home.

An Apology and a Settlement.

When the theater crowd was at its thickest on Broadway on Saturday night, a well set up man of medium size wearing a glossy silk hat, hurried along. In dodging through the throng the handle of the cane he carried caught the arm of one of two burly persons who were going in the same direction. He half turned as if to apologize, but before he could do one of the pair smashed his silk hat with a heavy stick.

"I beg your pardon, sir," said the man, blantly taking off his battered title. "My rudeness was unintentional."

"Putting back the damaged hat on his head, he dropped his cane and said, 'Now I propose to settle with you for a blackguard.'"

Those on the spot saw a flash of fists. The big man went flat on his back from a clean smash on the jaw.

"If you want any more, I am ready to oblige you," said the other.

The other apparently didn't. The smaller man picked up his stick, took off his damaged silk hat, brushed it and continued on his way down Broadway. And the crowd of spectators, who had gathered as if by magic, broke up with the feeling that they had seen as neat a bit of work as it would ever be their good fortune to encounter.—New York Sun.

Much of Little.

The stranger in any city half a

WOULD BE EXPENSIVE

STOPPING OF INSPECTION WOULD BE DISASTROUS.

Secretary Wilson Believes He Can Persuade Congress to Make a Part of Appropriation Means for this Work Immediately Available.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Secretary Wilson stated that discontinuance of the microscopical inspection of meats sent abroad would mean the entire suspension of exports...

COAL FAMINE GETS SERIOUS

Many Chicago Plants Will Close for Lack of Fuel. A crisis will be reached soon here of Chicago's coal famine if the cold weather continues...

Apartment building occupants suffered because of a shortage of steam, while many factories and industrial institutions perfected arrangements for closing their plants...

KILLED THREE NEGROES

An 18-year-old white boy refuses to move at their command. Welch, W. M., Wayne Deman, an 18-year-old boy, shot three negroes to death in a saloon at the mining town of Dury Friday night...

MYSTERY IS UNSOLVED.

No One Obtained Death of James R. Hart of Salt Lake. Salt Lake, Utah. The mystery of the death of James R. Hart, secretary of the Pacific Lumber Company, whose body was found burned in a shallow trench in a field on the outskirts of the city, remains unsolved...

MORE TROUBLE FOR CASTRO

Revolutionary Expedition Gathering on Island of Martinique. New York. The island of Martinique has been selected as the place of rendezvous for a revolutionary expedition against President Castro of Venezuela...

GUILTY WRECKERS PUNISHED.

Gen. Alger Is Better. Detroit. It is officially announced that in consequence of the murder of a German sailor by Gen. Alger, fifteen members of the band found guilty of the crime have been executed...

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ARE A TRAITOROUS PEOPLE.

Gen. Chaffee's Arrangement of the Philippines. Washington: "History affords no parallel of a whole people thus practically turning traitors, and in the hands of other people who ever found such unworldly powers of secrecy and dissimulation; but it is needless to say that no powerful state was ever erected or erected on such immoral and unenlightened foundations."

This statement is made by Gen. Chaffee, military governor of the Philippines, in a review of one of a number of court martial cases in the islands, the records of which have been received at the war department.

The case which brought forth this comment from Gen. Chaffee was one wherein seven natives were tried jointly on a charge of murder. The accused were soldiers in the insurgent army, and after defeat by the American army in the field abandoned even the show of open opposition such as the half formed guerrilla bands make, and took up their residence at Tay Tay, in Luzon, a place protected by an American expedition.

DEAVER SHAKES TEBAEU.

Packard Seizes Control of the Western League Team. Denver: George Tebeau has disposed of his claim to an interest in the Denver franchise of the Western League. Dr. Packard of Denver says he has bought all of Tebeau's rights and expects President Willard will announce ownership of the franchise.

IS NO FRICTION.

Mr. Payne Says He and Hanna Are the Best of Friends. Milwaukee, Wis.: Henry C. Payne, the newly appointed postmaster general, arrived in this city from the east Friday. Mr. Payne declared he had no friction in regard to his policy as postmaster general. In regard to a statement to the effect that he was to succeed M. A. Hanna as the head of the Republican party of the nation, Mr. Payne said: "There is nothing whatever in that statement."

THOROUGHLY SATISFACTORY.

Test of the Illinois and Her Batteries Off New Orleans. Washington: The navy department has received from Capt. George A. Converse, commanding the battleship Illinois, a report of the test of that vessel's batteries off New Orleans. The main and secondary batteries were fired with most satisfactory results. The damage to the ship's fitting, he says, was remarkably slight, and the few mishaps were directly attributable to a lack of proper precautions in securing the guns.

Christmas Gift for Funston.

Oakland, Cal.: A son has been born to Mrs. Frederick Funston, wife of Brig. Gen. Funston of Kansas. Mrs. Funston returned from the Philippines a few weeks ago, and has been living with her parents here since. Gen. Funston sailed from Manila for the United States last Sunday.

Gale Sweeps Lisbon.

Lisbon. A heavy gale swept over Lisbon Thursday night. A Portuguese ship was wrecked in the harbor and fifteen of the crew drowned.

Rate of Discount Raised.

Calcutta: The rate of discount of the Bank of Bengal has been increased from 4 to 5 per cent.

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FILES BILL OF EXCEPTIONS

Rear Admiral Schley Objects to Findings of Inquiry Court. Washington: Late Wednesday afternoon Rear Admiral Schley, through his counsel, filed with the secretary of the navy his bill of exceptions to the majority findings of the court of inquiry, and also a letter asking the secretary to hold a reconsideration of the objections to be filed by attorneys for Admiral Sampson to the individual opinion of Admiral Dewey.

The bill of exceptions reads as follows: Washington, Dec. 18, 1901.—To the Honorable, the Secretary of the Navy, William Scott Schley, rear admiral, U. S. N., retired, the applicant, before a court of inquiry, of which Admiral George Dewey, U. S. N., is president, and Rear Admiral Andrew E. K. Ronneham and Francis M. Ramsey, U. S. N., members, and Capt. Samuel C. Lemley, U. S. N., judge advocate general, objects to the approval of the findings of the court upon the ground that the opinion rendered and the report of facts made by the majority of the court are in conflict with the overwhelming weight of evidence, and that the majority of the court in their said opinion have ignored the testimony of the applicant, and of the whole of applicant's witnesses, and all that portion of the evidence given by witnesses, and witnesses for the government, which was favorable to the applicant, and have thus deprived him of his right to a fair trial by the laws of the land and the constitution of the United States.

ABJURES US TO REMEMBER

Berlin Paper Wants United States to Intervene in South Africa. Berlin: A curious article has appeared in the Kron Zeitung, which, although it cannot be called even a semi-official newspaper, sometimes reflects government views. The article dwells on the alleged unwillingness of the American government in South Africa, remarks that President Roosevelt is not in harmony with the bulk of public sentiment, and adds: "Americans must remember that in 1783 the nation would not have been possible except through foreign intervention. If there is any American in the world who is not an American, it must be hoped that he will see that they are under a high moral obligation to intervene in South Africa, and that they are strong enough to do so effectively."

FRIGHT KILLS WOMAN.

Hedford, Ill.: Mrs. Sarah Reddy, aged 55 years, died from fright here Thursday. She lived with her daughter, who conducts a boarding house. One of the boarders came home drunk, and when her daughter tried to order him to draw a knife. The mother ran screaming into the residence of A. J. Hedford, where she fell dead before medical assistance could reach her.

FOR NEW AGRICULTURAL BUILDING.

Washington: In accordance with authority conferred by congress last year the secretary of agriculture has had plans prepared for a new agricultural building for the department of agriculture, and Representative Mercer of Nebraska has introduced a bill appropriating \$2,000,000 for the proposed new structure.

PASSENGERS AND CREW SAVED.

San Francisco: A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange says the steamer San Blas, owned by the Pacific Mail Company, which left here Nov. 29 for Panama, was wrecked Dec. 17 off Leeward Island. The passengers and crew were saved.

BIG SNOWSTORM IN TEXAS.

St. Louis: Telegrams from Texas state the first big snowstorm of the season prevailed all over northern and northwestern Texas Monday, accompanied by very cold weather. Ranchmen fear a heavy loss of live stock in the lower and central Pan Handle sections.

ST. LOUIS FREIGHT RATES.

St. Louis: At a meeting of railroad officials, representing the Chicago and Ohio and the Ohio River lines and the eastbound lines from St. Louis, here Tuesday, it was decided to maintain the present freight rates during the year 1902.

RAISING BLOCKADE IN MAINE.

Bangor, Me.: The first regular train to move west from Bangor since August 1st, was sent over the Maine Central Thursday.

ROBBERS HAVE HARD LUCK.

Shreve, O.: Robbers early Thursday blew the safe in the Farmers' Bank here. The exploded ammunition was declared to have been lying hidden in the vault, and were believed to be safe.

STATE OF NEBRASKA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

APPOINTMENT OF NEBRASKA SCHOOLS FUNDS TO THE COUNTIES AND HOW IT IS BASED—DOUGLAS GETS \$84,000 AND LANCASTER \$18,000.

The semi-annual appointment of school funds for the public schools of the state will be based on a rate per scholar of \$0.842. Douglas County, with a school population of 40,792, will receive \$34,355.51 as its share of the division, and Lancaster County, with a school population of 22,206, will receive \$18,707.69. Last year the appointment was based on a rate of \$0.814, with a total school population of 377,791. This year the population is 377,059. The following statement shows how the money will be divided among the various counties:

Table with 3 columns: County, No. of Scholars, Amount Due. Adams 7,450 8 6,276.21; Antelope 4,287 8 3,658.86; Banner 287 8 241.79; Blaine 4,136 8 3,485.92; Boone 3,374 8 2,854.95; Box Butte 1,592 8 1,351.92; Boyd 2,627 8 2,231.74; Brown 1,299 8 1,086.77; Buffalo 7,832 8 6,658.12; Burr 4,594 8 3,944.97; Butler 5,945 8 5,008.41; Cass 7,890 8 6,649.39; Chadron 4,226 8 3,595.75; Cheyenne 7,914 8 6,711.91; Cherry 1,592 8 1,351.92; Clay 1,554 8 1,309.18; Clay Center 5,930 8 5,057.77; Colfax 4,410 8 3,715.24; Cuming 5,429 8 4,601.16; Custer 7,843 8 6,667.39; Dakota 2,205 8 1,841.86; Dawson 1,827 8 1,547.29; Deuel 4,148 8 3,512.98; DeWitt 791 8 668.91; Dixon 3,882 8 3,270.42; Dodge 8,262 8 7,026.28; Douglas 40,792 8 34,355.51; Dundy 815 8 688.60; Fillmore 5,961 8 5,079.15; Franklin 3,501 8 2,984.44; Frontier 2,025 8 1,721.25; Furnas 4,217 8 3,552.94; Gage 10,506 8 8,950.85; Garfield 753 8 634.37; Gosper 1,815 8 1,529.06; Grant 205 8 172.70; Greeley 2,414 8 2,043.89; Hall 3,048 8 2,593.18; Hamilton 5,135 8 4,324.22; Harlan 3,213 8 2,738.22; Hayes 3,808 8 3,236.53; Hitchcock 1,329 8 1,129.26; Holt 4,727 8 3,982.29; Hooker 78 8 65.71; Howard 4,204 8 3,562.94; Jefferson 4,991 8 4,246.49; Jewell 3,931 8 3,340.82; Keith 493 8 417.82; Keya Paha 1,062 8 894.89; Kimball 254 8 213.98; Knox 5,477 8 4,644.14; Lancaster 22,206 8 18,707.69; Lincoln 4,633 8 3,937.63; Logan 341 8 287.28; Louisa 3,919 8 3,331.92; Madison 6,204 8 5,275.10; McPherson 139 8 117.10; Merrick 3,173 8 2,673.12; Nemaha 2,850 8 2,401.60; Nelapa 5,253 8 4,509.67; Nodwell 4,542 8 3,826.24; Otoe 7,240 8 6,099.39; Pawnee 4,204 8 3,541.69; Phelps 3,154 8 2,681.92; Pierce 4,386 8 3,722.56; Platte 6,620 8 5,577.07; Polk 4,021 8 3,387.52; Red Willow 3,440 8 2,913.81; Richardson 6,987 8 5,886.25; Rock 1,083 8 912.88; Saline 7,092 8 5,974.71; Saunders 3,197 8 2,738.22; Scotts Bluff 1,007 8 848.35; Sevier 5,737 8 4,833.18; Sheridan 1,949 8 1,641.95; Sherman 2,567 8 2,162.50; Sioux 536 8 451.56; Stanton 2,675 8 2,234.27; Thayer 5,135 8 4,324.22; Thomas 1,015 8 854.18; Thurston 2,105 8 1,773.37; Valley 2,851 8 2,401.60; Washington 4,690 8 3,925.85; Wayne 3,766 8 3,172.69; Webster 4,272 8 3,548.43; Wheeler 536 8 451.56; York 632 8 535.05; Totals 376,059 \$316,813.59

WRECK AT LINCOLN.

Train Crashes Into Switch Engine—Three Are Hurt. The second section of Burlington train No. 3 collided with a switch engine at Fourteenth Street crossing in Lincoln and several persons were seriously injured. Edward W. Allen, engineer, Lincoln, left wrist sprained and head bruised. Albert Love, Pullman car porter, lips lacerated and head bruised. S. S. Snel, Cincinnati, arm and side hurt.

TWO KILLED IN A RUNAWAY.

Team Becomes Frightened and Wags on Overtures. In Born and John Lisko, Poles, who lived on farms about nine miles north of Osceola, were both killed last week in a runaway. They were driving home from town behind a spirited team, which became frightened and ran on the main line tracks, but within the yards. Engineer Allen, of the passenger train, applied the air when he saw the obstruction ahead, but the train was still going at a good speed when the crash occurred. The two engines were damaged, but not beyond repair. The horses and the team were killed. The bodies of the two men were found in the wreckage.

BRAINARD DEPOT IN ASHES.

Fire Destroys Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley Station. About 9:30 last Friday morning the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley depot caught fire and within an hour was in ashes. Agent Maules' furniture was removed, but was damaged. The citizens turned out in numbers and, with the aid of the fire department, the fire was extinguished. The depot was a fine building, and its destruction is a great loss to the community.

DAWSON THIEVES CAUGHT.

Stranger Nursed Through Smallpox Is Suspected. Dawson has been troubled by sneak thieves and many business houses as well as private residences have been robbed. Officers discovered the main culprits. A stranger came into the town recently suffering from smallpox. The citizens feared for him and nursed him back to health. It is claimed that the thieves were the work of the stranger and officers say he was assisted by local talent.

Liquors Ordered Destroyed.

John B. Cook of Kearsaw was arrested recently on the charge of selling liquor without a license. Cook was taken to the city jail and given a hearing. He waived examination and gave bond for his appearance at the next term of the district court. Several barrels of liquor were seized and Judge Bowen ordered the same to be destroyed.

Moran Waives Examination.

James Moran was arrested at Nebraska City on the charge of grand larceny. Moran stole \$110 from Nicholas Cox in Avoca a few nights ago. Moran waives examination and is held in the city jail.

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Acting upon the advice of the board of health the schools at Pickrell, Gage County, have been closed on account of smallpox.

Third Amputation Performed.

August Peters of Shelton, whose arm was torn off in his cornshredder, was taken to the hospital at Grand Island the past week and a third amputation performed.

Heart Failure Caused by Injuries.

Mrs. Glenville of Blinnon, aged 85 years, died last Tuesday night from heart failure, caused by being injured by a cow early in the evening.

Farmer Frozen to Death.

News reached West Point the other day that a Swedish farmer named Gustav, living on the reservation in the northern portion of the county, left Bancroft in a state of intoxication and was found next morning frozen to death.

Gone to Penitentiary.

Sheriff W. D. Wheeler took Frank Work and George Walker to the state penitentiary a few days ago. Both will serve four years at hard labor, the former for grand larceny and the latter for burglary at Avoca.

Prairie Fires in Nebraska.

Disruptive prairie fires in the northeastern part of Cherry County and throughout the greater part of Keya Paha County. Thousands of acres of range have been destroyed and much hay has been burned. Several ranches have been swept away and others threatened.

Humboldt Men Go to Okla.

Vincent Marack, who drew a valuable claim in the Oklahoma "strip," left Humboldt for the new country to perfect his title. S. B. Bobst, the veteran who drew claim No. 523, also left early in the week to look after his property.

SHE FLASHED HER STAR.

Omaha Girl Starts Winter Crusade of Humane Society. The winter crusade in the interest of dumb animals has been begun by the Humane Society in Omaha, the first officer being Miss Lucy C. ...

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NEW TREATY RATIFIED.

Senate Approves Canal Pact by the Restrictive Vote of 72 to 6. By a practically unanimous vote and without opposition of any strength, the United States Senate has ratified the Hay-Paunotefo treaty. The vote was 72 for ratification and 6 against, the minority being Bacon of Georgia, Blackburn of Kentucky, Culberson of Texas, Mallory of Florida, Teller of Colorado and Tillman of South Carolina, all Democrats.

With the action of the national Senate in ratifying the Hay-Paunotefo treaty this country is at last released from restrictive treaty obligations which have fettered it for more than fifty years.

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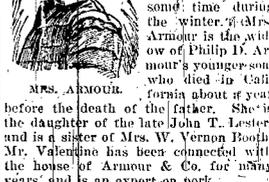
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MRS. ARMOUR TO WED.

Rich Chicago Woman Will Marry a Pork Man. Information has been made public that the rumored engagement of Mrs. P. D. Armour, Jr., and P. A. Valentine had been confirmed.



Ohio Burglars Defy Citizens and Escape with \$2,000. One of the boldest bank burglaries in the history of Ohio was that which occurred at Archbold. While their would-be captors searched the bank the desperadoes within calmly completed the looting of the vault, and then at the point of their revolvers forced a way to freedom and escaped with \$2,000.

WILLIAM LOEB, JR., MARRIED. The President's Personal Secretary Takes Up Himself a Wife. Miss Katherine Dorr of Albany, N. Y., has become the bride of William Loeb, Jr., personal secretary to President Roosevelt. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents in Albany, and was witnessed only by the families of the bride and the bridegroom.

PRICE FIXED FOR THE ISLES. Denmark Will Take \$4,500,000-A Treaty Is Completed. Secretary Hay

Congress.

MRS. BONINE IS FREED.

Jury Acquits Washington Woman for Young Aviator's Murder.
Mrs. Lola Ida Bonine, who was charged and tried by the government for the murder of James Seymour, aviator in Washington, was acquitted. The jury was out nearly five hours. There were present when the jury handed its verdict only the officers of the court and attorneys, but outside there was a great crowd, and outside a family scene was enacted when the woman was declared to be innocent.

This episode Washington's celebrated trial. It was the most spectacular, mysterious and picturesque tragedy in the history of Washington. The story of the



MRS. LOLA IDA BONINE.

thrilling descent on the bro escape of Mrs. Bonine in the dead hours of the night, the bloody imprints on the window sill and window curtain have all been told so recently that they are fresh in the public mind.

The trial lasted almost four weeks. District Attorney Gould closed the case in a speech of one hour and forty-one minutes. Judge Anderson occupied forty-three minutes in reading his charge to the jury, and the panel deliberated over four hours.

Mrs. Bonine remained in the cellroom while the jury was deliberating. She was joined there by her husband, the two boys, her two sisters, one or two other relatives and Messrs. Douglass and Fulton, her counsel. All remained with her until Deputy Marshal Robinson sent her to the court to hear the verdict.

As she entered the court room her face betrayed her first anxiety, but she controlled that emotion almost as soon as it appeared. When the verdict had been recorded Judge Anderson informed the defendant that she was at liberty and ordered the court adjourned.



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PURCHASED SAN JUAN HILL.

U. S. Government to Transform Historic Battlefield into a Park.
A plot of ground comprising some 200 acres whereon some of the most stirring scenes in the history of the United States were enacted during the Spanish-American war is to be purchased by the government and a national park will be there laid out. The purchase includes San Juan hill, the site of the famous block house captured by the American



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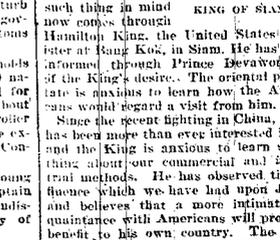
SIAM'S KING.

He May Come to America to Make Our Acquaintance.
Some day next summer, if the present program is carried out, there will sail into the harbor at San Francisco a luxuriously equipped yacht and upon it will step ashore King Chulalongkorn of Siam and his queen. For some years there have been periodical rumors that the King intended visiting America, but the first positive information that he has any such thing in mind now comes through Hamilton King, the United States minister at Bangkok, in Siam. He has been informed through Prince Devanagostha of the King's desire to come to the United States to learn how the Americans would regard a visit from him.

Since the recent fighting in China, Siam has been more than ever interested in us, and the King is anxious to learn something about our commercial and industrial methods. He has observed the influence which we have had upon Japan and believes that a more intimate acquaintance with Americans will prove of benefit to his own country. The King could depend upon a warm welcome from the American people.

G. A. R. GOES TO WASHINGTON.

Next Annual Encampment Will Be Held in Washington.
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The court martial, in the case of Col. Robert L. Meade, of the marine corps, who was tried on the charge of drunkenness, has resulted in his acquittal and he has been restored to duty at the Brooklyn navy yard.



ROSEBERRY ON THE WAR.

Britain's Former Premier Outlines His Policy to Vast Audience.
Lord Rosebery, ex-premier of Great Britain, addressed a great crowd of Liberals at Chesterfield, Derbyshire. It was the most remarkable political gathering seen in England since Gladstone was in the heyday of his fame.

Rosebery's policy, as enunciated in his speech, may be summarized thus: Prosecution of the war, but repeal of Lord Kitchener's proclamation.

Recognition of Kruger and consideration of proposals for peace offered by Boers.

Liberal amnesty for the Boers; civil rights to all taking the oath.

Liberal appropriation for rebuilding Boer homes and restoring farms.

Recognition of the war office.

Increased efficiency of the navy.

A national educational system.

Energetic inquiry into commerce and industry.

Disruption of Parliament and a new general election.

Lord Rosebery said the ministry should not promise more than it could perform. He said the Queen's speech in 1897 promised a new statutory parliament for Ireland and the reestablishment of state churches.

That speech was a model to be avoided. He advised the party not to move much faster than the mass of the nation was prepared to move, otherwise it would find itself isolated. This advice could have been better put by a better authority than himself—namely, Theodore Roosevelt, the head of the greatest democratic community in the world, who said:

"We hope to keep going by slow steps, not by bounds. We must keep our eyes on the stars, but we must also remember that our feet are on the ground."

The speaker criticized Chamberlain for his abject speech, which aroused the antagonism of Europe. He said the government has also been tactless in all its dealings. Continuing, Lord Rosebery said the war must be prosecuted, but the country must give up the "unconditional surrender" policy and treat with Kruger for peace. He protested against what he understood to be Lord Milner's policy that there should be no formal close of hostilities, but that the Boers should be hunted like the Boers until a few only remained, and then to treat them as bandits. That meant there would be no settlement in South Africa. He urged the government to study Metley, and learn from the struggle of the Netherlands against King Philip, which was carried on by the ancestors of the Boers.

There must be a regular peace, he said, and to that end he would not be deaf to any overtures from any responsible man among the Boers, especially those surrounding Mr. Kruger. They might represent an edified, possibly a discredited government, but it was the government which went to war with Great Britain. He would not have the government offer terms, but it should certainly recognize and consider overtures.

He cited the case of President Lincoln, who did not disdain any means of communication with those whom he regarded as rebels, and the efforts of Bismarck and Philip to bring about a formal peace with vanquished foes.

SCHLEY CASE UP IN CONGRESS.

Representative Wheeler Introduces Resolutions for an Inquiry.
Representative Wheeler of Kentucky has introduced a resolution in Congress to investigate the conduct of Rear Admiral Schley from the time he took command of the flying squadron up to including the destruction of the Spanish fleet, July 3, 1898. It recites the action of the court of inquiry and declares the American people desire an investigation by citizens not connected with the Navy Department.

Representative Mudd of Maryland also introduced a resolution relative to Admiral Schley as follows:

"Resolved, That the thanks of Congress and of the American people are hereby tendered to Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley and the officers and crew of the Albatross for their gallant victory over the Spanish fleet in the naval battle of Santiago de Cuba, July 3, 1898."

The tendency appears to be in the direction of fewer elections and longer official terms. Alabama has limited regular legislative sessions to one in four years, and has been followed by other states in the same period.—Topeka Journal.

If Sampson is entitled to prize money, it seems as though the law should be amended so as to allow a share to the Secretary of the Navy and the President. They had as much to do with smashing Dervera's fleet as Sampson did.—Topeka Journal.

Senator Hoar has flashes of genius yet. He advises the nation to all depart their anarchisms to one island where they could establish their ideal community under the law. At the same time the same would be brought away to some island as usual.—Buffalo News.

Prince Henry may be a brute of a drunken German, and he may not. The young man seems to have had a very good reputation among his associates before he was married, and it seems unlikely that he should have so soon fallen from grace.—Detroit Free Press.

It is easier to define anarchy than to discover anarchists. The wretch who hates all forms of government and who undertakes to erect a state where himself is the only law, who would himself might be small and numerous opportunity. The red-mouthed proclaimers of anarchy are the least dangerous of the lot.—Philadelphia Record.

"If I were a juror," said a man, "if a murder case where the woman on trial for her life presented herself in court in a Gainsborough and wreathed with feathers, well, I don't know that I should decide upon a verdict of guilty just on that account. But it would certainly do much to prejudice me against the woman."—New York Evening Sun.

The introduction of a bill in the senate to make lynching a federal offense, and providing the death penalty for participation may seem a drastic remedy, but to more so than is required. The inability or unwillingness of the States to lead with violators of the law invites the enactment of such a measure.

The best remedy is to be found in those countries. An opening is thus revealed for a twofold missionary enterprise.—New York Tribune.

In declaring that the men who desert their children should be punished with death the President of the American Humane Society may be going a trifle too far, but such a person is undoubtedly guilty of a social crime of great gravity. A man should not be allowed to desert his children, but he should never be any for deserting his wife's children. This is especially true if they are dependent upon him for their bread.—Kansas City Journal.

TO PROTECT THE PRESIDENT.

Senator Hoar of Massachusetts Father of Such a Bill.
The distinction of introducing in the Senate a bill for the protection of the President falls upon Hon. G. F. Hoar of Massachusetts. The bill provides that any person who shall within the limits of the United States or any place subject to the jurisdiction thereof, willfully kill or cause the death of the President of the United States, or any officer thereof, or who shall willfully kill or cause the death of a ruler or chief magistrate of any foreign country, shall be punished with death. That any person who shall within the limits of the United States or any place subject to the jurisdiction thereof, make an attempt on the life of the President of the United States, or any officer thereof, or who shall make an attempt on the life of a ruler or chief magistrate of any foreign country shall be punished with death. That any person who shall within the limits of the United States or any

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SOME ODD RESORTERS.

Queer Experience of a Land-Lady at the Seaside.
Eccentricities of People Who Rent Summer Outing Apartments Would Furnish Volume and Make Interesting Reading at That—Stories of Odd Lodgers.

The eccentricities of some of the people who come to my apartments would fill a small volume, remarked a seaside landlady to the present writer. Their whims and peculiarities are well-nigh incredible, and at times I hardly know how to restrain myself from laughter when interviewing my potential patrons. A fashionably dressed woman of some forty summers refused to take my best room merely because she did not like the mirror therein. She averred that it made her look "old and ugly," and I accordingly suggested that another glass should be substituted. She accompanied me from room to room inspecting the mirrors, but eventually decided that not one of them was sufficiently flattering to suit her requirements. I did not care to point out that it was her face, and not the looking-glass, which was at fault, but such was the fact, for the glass would have been cunningly contrived indeed that would have rendered her features at all attractive. Another lady expressed herself delighted with the apartments, but finally refused to take them when she learned that there were some gentlemen lodgers in the house. It seemed that she made it a rule to lodge in establishments where none but women were admitted, and undoubtedly she was in search of a nursery and not a seaside lodging-house. Such cases as this are rare, for in most instances there is a predilection in favor of male society, and one lady last season abandoned the idea of coming to me when she was informed that I had only one masculine individual who stayed four weeks at my house insisted on pasting political tracts all over the walls of his room, and it needed strenuous efforts on my part to restrain him from following similar tactics in the dining and drawing rooms. Seeing that he departed without paying for his final week's lodging, I have since that time developed a strong antipathy to folks who display a tendency to violent political bias. An old

