

THE WAYNE REPUBLICAN.

"He that tooteth not his own horn, his horn shall not be tooted."

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ANNOUNCEMENT:

Wall Paper! Wall Paper!! Beautiful and attractive designs! Ingrains, tapastries, varnished gilt-plates! In price, from 5 cents to \$2.50 per roll.
Window Shades, Alabastine, Cementico, Wall Finish.

Music Department

Sheet Music, Guitars, Mandolins, Violins, all Kinds of Strings.
Hear the wonderful Victor and Monarch Talking Machines sold from \$12 to \$15.
General agency for the Hardman piano. The Hardman added to our Weber, Ludwig, gives us the finest list in pianos to be had.
We also have Mas-on-Hamlin and Chicago Cottage Organs.

JONES' BOOK STORE.

Wall Paper, Window Shades, Sheet Music, Planos, Organs.

Grand Easter Opening.

Commencing today, March 26th., and continuing throughout the week, we will have on tables for your inspection, the most complete line of pattern hats, street hats,—untrimmed dress and street shapes—ever exhibited in Wayne.

Our line of trimmings and drapings are certainly the daintiest the market affords.

Mrs. Wilson and Miss Fern McKinley will preside at the Opening, and will gladly show you the line even though you may not be contemplating a purchase.

Miss McKinley, who is an experienced and accomplished Trimmer from St. Louis, will remain with us during the entire season, acting as our head Trimmer.

Come in Ladies, one and all and see our line of patterns and any goods in other departments, as all are most complete. Remember—beginning with today and continuing the remainder of the week.

Wilson Bros.

A Most Liberal Offer.

Our farm readers should take advantage of the unprecedented club offer we make this year, which includes with this paper, the Iowa Home and its special Farmers' Institute editions, and the Poultry Farmer. These three publications are the best in their class and should be in every home. To them we add, for local county and general news, our own paper, and make the price of the four only \$1.25. Never before was such superior reading matter offered for so small an amount of money. The three papers named, which we publish with our own, are well known throughout the west and commend themselves to the reader's favorable attention upon mere mention. The Iowa Home is the great agricultural and livestock paper of the west. The Poultry Farmer is the most practical paper for the farmer, while

The Special Farmers Institute Editions are the most practical publications for the promotion of good farming ever published. Take advantage of this great offer, as it will hold good for a short time only. Samples of these papers may be examined by calling at this office. Taken separately the regular price of these papers would be \$2.00.

Farm Loans at Lowest Rates Going!

For choice farm loans, sums of \$1,500 up to \$5,000, with 2 1/2 per cent. cash commissions, with option to pay 500 or more, and of any year. Total cost not over 5 per cent. straight. See F. M. SKELLEN & CO., Over post-office.

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.

NEWS AND COMMENT.

Miscellaneous Matters Relating to People and Towns Not Far Away.

W. R. Johnson and family came up from Wayne the last of the week to take possession of their farm east of town purchased last fall from P. J. Johnson. The Gazette greets the Johnson family welcome to our midst. —Wausa Gazette.

Tom Holtz, who for many years has been connected with the Wayne Herald, resigned his position and Monday of this week began work in a grocery store of that city. His many friends here wish him success in his new vocation. —Cedar County News.

Miss Gertrude Weber of Wayne is a guest at the L. J. Hoile home this week. A prominent Cedar county farmer informed the Advocate this week that there will be any amount of corn replanted this year on account of poor seed, and he advises farmers to thoroughly test their seed before planting time. —Laurel Advocate.

And one by one the heads of the Democratic aspirants for presidential nomination fall under the dreadful ax of the Commoner's chief. Strange to say none of their names commence with the second letter of the alphabet that letter undoubtedly being surrounded with sacred memories. —Fullerton News-Journal.

A. N. Swanson visited friends and relatives at Wayne Saturday and Sunday. Galen Hathaway is home from Wayne for a few days' visit with relatives and friends. Henry Lorge bought a fine team of black Normans last Saturday from D. L. Strickland at Wayne. The team will weigh 3000 pounds and are just in their prime. We understand the consideration was about \$350. The span has elicited much admiration from lovers of horses. —Randolph Times.

Mrs. Nation made the principal part of a circus of herself at the F. E. & M. V. depot. They do not use the ladies' waiting room in winter, and York gentlemen have never been found guilty of annoying ladies in the common waiting room with improper conduct or conversation. But Mrs. Nation went into the ladies' room and proceeded to build a fire in the stove, all the while roasting the agent until he felt that there was only one place in the universe where there was a woman, and country for her. He made the mistake that place. —York Republican.

Miss Jennie Bayer of Wayne spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. D. K. Hancock and family. —Pender Republican.

In jumping over a ditch in his bog pen one day last week, John Shannon struck on a board containing a nail which penetrated nearly through his foot, and laid him up for several days at the home of his father in Wayne. The latter came up and took his place as stock buyer. —Carroll Index.

The Emerson Enterprise gets out a paper on each side of the street which is the county line and the product of the new office is named Dakota County Record. Long head in Emerson on one newspaper man's shoulders, the other long headed man left suddenly to avoid the plutocratic tendencies of Brother Cobb.

Grocery Grafters Around.

Look out for a visit from the annual fakers who sell groceries "direct to the farmers" from a "big" Chicago house. They always start the order at sugar at a low price, 4 cents in this case, but if you order nothing else your sugar never comes, and if you do not order enough other stuff with your sugar your order is promptly torn up. However, if you buy a nice lot of tea at 80 or 90 cents, and a nice lot of coffee at 45 cents, spices, baking powder, extracts, etc., on which they double the cost price in every instance, you get your goods. You get a saving of about 65 cents on your sugar, you pay this back on the first two dollars worth of other items and from then on you are

fixing yourself so you will not feel good until the whole bill of goods is gone and forgotten. They are high priced men, selling a limited quantity of goods, drawing big salaries and paying high living expenses besides livery hire, they make it all off of you, dear friend, the minute you listen to their living, oily tongues. The editor of the REPUBLICAN has an accurate knowledge of groceries from actual experience in handling them and advises farmers to buy of home merchants, not because of their being advertisers possibly now, but because of it being money in the farmer's pockets. The local grocer would cheerfully duplicate the bill with better goods at the same price or the same goods at a lower one as he makes his good profits always off of the things you touch 45 cent coffee and 80 cent teas. Then he only asks his money back and a slight margin when he weighs up sugar that costs always too much we think, but a whole lot too much if we buy a high priced lot of stuff to save about 65 cents on one sack. These folks are doing business in Northern Iowa and will be in Nebraska in a short time, no doubt.

To Cure LaGrippe in 48 Hours.

No remedy equals Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup for this terrible and fatal disease. If taken thoroughly and in time, it will cure a case in 48 hours, and for the cough that follows La Grippe it never fails to give relief. Price, 25c and 50c. Sold by E. J. Raymond.

Mrs. T. Steen is in Fremont visiting friends and relatives.

Miss C. M. White came in from Norfolk Monday for a visit with Wayne friends.

Our pretty girls are playing basket ball all the nice days and later in the season will easily defeat any team in the state.

Jones' Bookstore has a large and attractive stock of wall paper, window shades and wall finish. They furnish the right goods at the right price.

Exceptional Opportunities.

To visit all points of the Great West for pleasure, education or business.

The Union Pacific is authorized the following excursion rates: Twenty-five Dollars from Missouri River Points to California, Oregon and Washington points every day during March and April.

Phenomenally low rates to the Pacific Coast and intermediate points. Single trip Colonist's tickets open to all during the coming spring and summer.

Special round trip excursion rates will be sold to the Pacific Coast at less than one cent per mile. Choice of routes returning.

People identified with local interests at various points en route will show you every attention. It will be to your advantage to make inquiry in regard to these low rates to the Pacific coast before deciding on the trip.

Call or address postal card to E. L. LOMAX, G. P. & T. A. (mar) Omaha, Nebraska.

Grand Opening of

Easter

Millinery

COMMENCING

Tuesday, March 25

and continuing throughout the week at which time we will display the largest and latest line of pattern hats ever shown in this city. We have spent two weeks in Chicago studying the latest Parisian styles, and made selections that we know cannot fail to please the most fastidious. Come in and look them over even if you do not contemplate making a purchase, as it is always a pleasure to show our goods. Remember the date. The place is

BAYER MILLINERY PARLORS

WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

We Sell

Garden Seeds,
Garden Rakes,
Hoes,
Spades,
Grass Seed,
Spading Forks,
Wheelbarrows,

Paint,
Oil,
Varnish,
Enamels,
Paint Brushes,
White Wash Brushes,
Calcomine,

Coal Oil,
Gasoline,
Electric Lamps,
Lanterns,
Oil Stoves,
Gasoline Stoves,
Lantern Globes.

We have added a full line of Bicycle sundries and repairs. High grade Bicycles for almost a song. We have a 5-hole Steel Range for \$25.00. Stoves taken down and stored. We have Occosite Enamel Ware, the prettiest and best. We have a full line of Wood Pumps and Pumps. See our Churns and Wash Machines. May Health & Milligan Paint, De Kalb Hog and Poultry Fence.

CRAVEN BROS.

The canal bills will have hard work getting through congress this year.

Wayne is the only town in the country with a genuine case of bigamy to try. All you fellows with just ordinary cases, go away back and sit down.

The ship subsidy after passing the Senate is sweating some at the thought of tackling the House. If it passes the House—well it hasn't passed it yet.

Turkey has refused to pay the bill some \$70,000 demanded of that country to indemnify the ones who put up the ransom for Miss Stone. Uncle Sam may have to get out his sole leather strap and use it on little Turkey.

The pops object to being swallowed up by the democrats. The democrats should grease 'em well first and then they will not know where the gastronomic feat is taking place and not like Jonah—they will never get back in three days.

What about Prince Henry? He is gone and with him no longer the subject of scare heads in the daily papers we might not know except through the memory of his visit that he had ever been here. Queer, isn't it, we thought we saw imperial tendencies in our people a few days ago and everything is so quiet now!

The next republican state convention will be held June 18th at Lincoln, and the representation will be based on the vote for Judge Sedgewick, giving that convention 1080 votes. Wayne county will have eleven delegates. This is an early convention and is the one to nominate the state ticket. The nominees will have a long time to exploit their virtues and too long a time to run the gauntlet if their records are shady.

C. A. Chace, chairman of the republican county central committee of this county, was down in Stanton recently and says the boys down there are all enthusiastic for Aggie Axens of Stanton for state treasurer. They are sure that in Mr. Axens they have one of the cleanest and most capable men in the state for the position named and that he is absolutely free from all taint of the old gang that has so long disgraced the state offices. Wayne county ought certainly be ready to give Stanton's candidate a hearty support.

The democrats and populists by recent utterances seem to hold silver 16 to 1 and imperialism the big plank of their next campaign. If they abandon tariff reform—the only issue they have elected a president on in over forty years they will be skinned to a nicety without any extra effort on the part of the republican party. The popular sentiment is that these issues were disposed of in 1900 and while the people always have and always will hold opposite views on tariff, the republican party is going to settle that in a progressive and satisfactory way leaves very poor stuff for the antie to use in their platform indeed.

March 18th, the House of Representatives, in republican caucus agreed to report the Payne bill by a vote of 85 to 31, which bill provides for a twenty per cent reduction of duties until Dec. 1st, 1903. This bill will most undoubtedly pass the House and Senate and become a law in a very short time and is in every sense a compromise. It is not what the progressive element of the republican party had hoped would be granted to Cuba but no serious objection can be made against a cautious procedure and action like this will no doubt hasten the day of annexation of Cuba to our domain when laws can better apply than to an independent republic.

Populists and democrats adjourned their committee meeting at Lincoln the 19th without setting a date for their state convention. They didn't vote "to fuse" but will leave that to the state convention though Allen, Bryan and other machine guns of their parties advised it for the "sake of doing up the republicans." They did not do much in particular as they want to have the republicans hold their convention or set a date for it first then they will follow. You can depend that the fusionists are better at criticism than at taking a stand. They would not set a date for their state convention until they know what time the republicans set, they won't do a thing to commit themselves but after the republican party as a party of action, a party of history writing purposes set the wheels of state in motion, just watch the howls and yells of the fellows who never do anything more noble than to hold a job even if they have to get it by uniting all the rag tag elements from Coxe's army to the political crank of the third third degree.

Hon. J. J. McCarthy

A Strong Man for Congressman

For some time the friends of Hon. J. J. McCarthy, the eloquent attorney, of Ponca, who has so well served Dixon county in the state legislature for two terms, have urged that gentleman to allow his name to be used in the Third Congressional republican convention which must name a successor to John S. Robison. Mr. McCarthy has a law practice that is large, and several private interests that require considerable of his attention and it is always a question if it pays to accept political preferment and be removed from the scene of one's private interests. In watching the career of Mr. McCarthy for several years his friends have with unanimity pressed him into the breach to take the county attorneyship which he held two terms, then to fill the vacancy on the ticket caused by the death of the regular nominee and in two short weeks the campaign was made, making him Dixon county's representative over a most highly respected and able fusion nominee, the Hon. C. W. Sherman to whom was all but conceded the election. Then again in 1900 Mr. McCarthy was urged to accept the nomination and did so, undoubtedly against his own inclination, but the party felt that it needed its best representative in a year when national honor, as well as state and county honor, were at stake. Mr. McCarthy has never hesitated to come up promptly to a call from his party to do anything and everything for the furtherance of the republican principles. At this time it is a sense of those who know him best and judge his fitness to represent this congressional district by the work he has done in the past, that if nominated he would prosecute a canvass that might be characterized as a "McCarthy canvass" insuring election and giving to this district able and patriotic service. Campaign canvassing is capable of personification, we think, and venture these comparisons. A democrat sheds tears of regret that his party no longer contains a man so good and great as Jefferson and wants your vote because of his desire to perpetuate the name of one peerless democrat, a populist gets you out behind a haystack and helps incorporate your private scheme on monetary principles and you must vote for him to receive your closest conception of things great and fat enacted into laws. The professional office seeker of all parts parades the prairies of his district, kissing babies, passing out literature and putting Johnnie on the head, while he tells mamma and papa the youngster is the makin' of a handsome man and smart. Oh my! A McCarthy campaign is a stampede of the calamity howlers from the start. He is a man of strong convictions and his impulses quick to act in any case are guided by liberal education and a broad experience in the particular lines qualifying a man best to assume duties supposed to be representative in a man chosen to the national congress. He is, while an ardent party worker, a man broadened in his conception of party fealty and generous to his opponents through his understanding of human nature and his fairness and respect for honest opinion. His votes in his campaigns have always been greatly in excess of his party ticket alone gratifying but a strong testimonial in his favor and one by which we may always judge a man measured by public opinion. He can do again what he has done before. A majority in excess of the total republican vote will be pooled for the congressional nomination if that nominee is the Hon. J. J. McCarthy, no matter who is the nominee of the fusionists. Some few weeks ago THE REPUBLICAN spoke of this gentleman as a possible candidate for the nomination, but had no authority to say he would accept the same if tendered him. Now we have good authority to say that he has consented to accept the nomination if such be the sense of the convention. A number of candidates are mentioned, each county of the district, with few exceptions, has one to two candidates, and mighty good timber is represented in these chosen sons of these several communities, and it is with the especial fitness that the Dixon county gentleman could be chosen from all, that THE REPUBLICAN desires to endorse the gentleman whom we feel is in every sense a man unwavering in his opinions of what the agricultural west is in its relation to the whole Union, we feel prompted alone by a desire to see the right man nominated.

The democrats of the House of Representatives in caucus the 20th passed the Randall resolution which they will endeavor to get into the house providing that the United States should appeal to the British government to accept peace terms to the end that the war in South Africa could be ended. The Swiss resolution demanding action on the part of this and the British government was voted down and the Randall resolution so far in its appeal is a strong showing in which sentiment in the democratic party is not divided. If the Boer war could be made an issue in this

country, the democratic party or any party could well champion the cause of the Dutch colonists. Popular sentiment is strong in their favor, no doubt of it. But even if the cause of the Boers is just, it offers no reason why we should take more than a neutral stand and the Randall resolution provides for this. It was the sense of the McKinley administration that we should be cautious in going into the Spanish-American war which was clamored for regardless of party. We cautiously went into it "in humanity's name" and are yet at it in a sense that we have to stay at it to maintain the national honor. We can as humanitarians appeal to Great Britain, to accept peace terms if possible to end the Boer war that way, but we can by no means go further. The democrats have recognized this, have by the Randall resolution acknowledged the administration policy of strict neutrality and this resolution could now be given the republican as well as democratic support without being in any sense more or less than a proper expression of the United States as a people who find sentiments of justice above party lines.

The supreme court of Missouri has passed upon a petition denied in the lower courts which sought to enjoin boycotters. The court finds to grant such injunction would be to deny the right of "free speech" and "freedom of the press" to discuss things in any way the people choose. That a boycott as employed by organized labor societies is their legitimate right so they do no more than arrive at a mutual understanding to not use a boycotted article is legal.

For Sale: 6 fine building lots with trees and shrubbery. Good location. Inquire of E. R. Surber.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Brookings' Grocery for garden seeds in bulk.

Henry Beckenhauer went up to Randolph Tuesday.

Shrahan & Warnock shipped hogs to Sioux City Monday morning.

Red River Early Ohio seed potatoes for sale by P. L. Miller & Son.

Henry B. Jones and wife came home Monday from their Minneapolis trip.

All kinds bake goods and potato chips received every day at Steen's, 15 Monarch Shirts.

at Harrington's.

Pure Early Ohio seed potatoes, extra fine. EPLER & Co.

Several good farms for sale in Wayne county at reasonable prices. E. R. SURBER.

See me before buying Wayne property. I have some rare bargains. L. W. Alter.

Lewis Nelson of Winsde went to Omaha Monday afternoon with cattle of his own feeding.

T. E. Evans, Joe Taylor, Gus Lohberg and A. L. Evans were Carroll people in town Monday.

Ed. Owen and Perry & Porterfield shipped hogs and Lund & Gildersteeve 2 cars of cattle to Omaha Monday.

We have some extra fine Early Ohio seed potatoes, also garden seeds in bulk and in packages. EPLER & Co.

P. M. Corbit shipped several cars of cattle to Omaha Sunday that sold on Monday morning's market for \$6.00 per hundred. These were short fed cattle.

J. E. Owen and his grading outfit have gone to Butte, Neb., where he has the contract for grading six miles of the Verdigris extension of the F. & E.

Fred Volpp sold his meat market lot on Main street to Herman Mildner on last Saturday and it is rumored a fine two story brick will take the place of the present building.

If the nominations made for city and school officials at the recent caucuses do not suit you, there is plenty of time to put up different persons for the places and that is the way to find out whether your opinions are in accord with a majority of your fellow citizens or otherwise.

Sloan Skiles writes back from Washington that he is very well pleased with that country and has rented an improved farm only a short distance from Mark Jeffrey's. He says their stock got through all right and that they did not even lose a chicken. Ben Skiles is not particularly stuck on that country and will probably return to Nebraska before snow flies again.

If there is one thing about another of which Wayne is particularly proud it is its Normal College. Its growth has been a constant pride and to now learn that its accommodations are insufficient for the demands made upon it and that greater facilities must be provided will be good news to all. President Pile informs us that a new dormitory will be built at once and that an addition is to be added to the ladies dormitory that will considerably increase its capacity and he says that before the snow flies next fall he expects to have another brick college building erected. The new college building will be built east of the present one and with these new buildings he believes he can take care of all comers during the near future. The enrollment for the coming year promises to be far greater than at any time during the past and he is bound to see that all are properly cared for.

American steel farm and yard gates at Philleo's.

Picture molding and carpet paper at Philleo's.

Mrs. Taylor Steen and daughter were passengers west Saturday.

We sell cedar or moth proof carpet paper. PHILLEO & SON.

Hugh Gibson came over from Dixon Monday returning Tuesday.

Otto Vogel, Jr., went down to Norfolk Tuesday on a business trip.

John E. Surber and wife were visiting over Sunday with relatives in Wayne.

Charles Reynolds went to Pullerton Saturday to visit with his folks for a few days.

Ed. Samuelson has accepted a position with J. W. McGinty, the implement dealer.

"Pat" O'Connell was down on the Platte the first of the week pursuing the wily duck.

Red-seeded German millet seed makes more hay and better feed, at Philleo & son's.

Mrs. L. B. Palmer visited at the home of her son George in Sioux City during the past week.

Lawn, garden and field fencing made by the American Steel & Wire Co. For sale by Philleo & Son, Agents.

The sale of furniture at the F. L. Neeley residence was well attended Saturday. Prices were good and bidding was spirited.

James Elliott, who has been in the employ of Wm. Piepenstock for some time past, will soon remove with his family to Oklahoma to live.

August Piepenstock is reported no better and grave fears are entertained that he will not recover if a change for the better does not occur soon.

Miss Lulu Neibardt, formerly a well-known Wayne young lady, has resigned her position in the Baneroff schools to accept a principalship in the Brainard, Minn., schools.

I. W. Alter went to Grand Island Tuesday to attend the monthly meeting of the grand trustees of the A. O. U. W., of which he is a member and one of the trustees.

Notice the statement of the condition of the Citizens Bank of Wayne in this issue. This is a statement the officers may justly feel proud of and depositors are placing their deposits as well as their confidence in a worthy institution.

Mrs. F. F. Wheeler sold some of her household goods Saturday and goes to Sioux City to live for a short time, but will eventually join her husband in South Africa where he is now, but owing to the unsettled condition of affairs in that country she will stay in Sioux City until advised to continue on her journey.

A Militia Company.

Wayne boys are organizing a militia company and hold a meeting this week as soon as they are advised of the action of the Adjutant General of Nebraska upon certain matters concerning the organization. Capt. J. H. Brown of Wakefield is the prime mover in the matter and the idea was not long in gaining headway. Forty-five are the minimum number required under the law and this number was easily secured, however the company will not be increased in numbers above forty-five, at least for the present. Officers will be elected probably this week, suitable quarters to drill in will be secured, if possible, and as high a degree of proficiency will be attained as soon as possible. They do not receive guns and uniforms until mustered in which will be some time this coming summer if they work hard. They will be a company in the third regiment as will the band just organized at Wakefield. We all are very much pleased to have these military organizations, and we all will feel quite as proud of them as the girls will. Work hard, boys, the girls are partial to boys in pretty uniforms.

Transfer, Storage, Etc.

Will store all kinds of furniture, stoves, etc., for any length of time, return your stoves when you need them in the fall, ship your furniture for you to any part of the country. Will clean up all kinds of rubbish on short notice. Transfer baggage promptly. Office east side Main street. Phone 44.

THE CHURCHES.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve their annual Easter dinner and supper, Saturday of this week, in the Davies building, south of the book store. Proceeds for benefit of Parsonage fund. Everyone invited to come and help us, and get a good square meal for 25 cents.

St. Mary's Catholic church, Holy Week services: Wednesday evening, confession 7:30 p. m.

Holy Thursday, Mass 8 a. m. Good Friday, Way of the Cross, 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

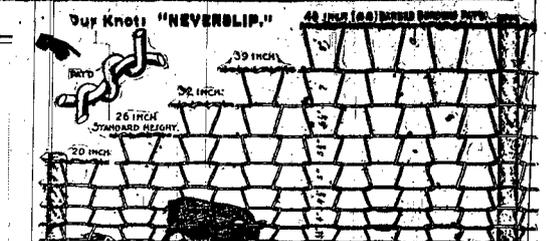
Saturday morning, Confessions. Easter Sunday, Mass 10:30 a. m. Choir will render Stearn's Mass in 'E. Flat.' Prof. Davies, Director.

The services at the Baptist church next Sunday will be appropriate to Easter. In the evening the Sunday school will hold its annual Easter exercises. All are cordially invited.

At St. Paul's English Lutheran church on Good Friday there will be a service at 2 p. m. The crucifixion of Christ and preparatory service.

On Easter Sunday at 11 a. m. there will be confirmation and reception of members and the holy communion. In the evening the services will be by the Sunday school. Everybody invited to these services.

Beatrice Barbed Border...



Woven Wire Farm Field and Hog Fence. The FARMER'S FRIEND. The best and most practical woven wire fence made.

Barbed Borders. Top and Bottom. or Smooth Top With Barbed Bottom. OTTO VOGET'S HARDWARE

North Nebr. Teachers Association.

The meeting of teachers under the above caption by which the organization is known, April 2, 3 and 4 at Norfolk is an annual meeting and like those held in other years will be of greatest profit and pleasure to those in attendance. Our genial county superintendent, C. H. Bright, is working hard to make this county's part of it a success and our county teachers are also industriously working on their parts in the program which will be of more than ordinary interest. Rev. Geo. E. Taylor of Pierce, Dr. F. N. Sanderson of Fremont, Mrs. Jennie Keyser of Omaha, Hawley Smith, the humorous lecturer, all will address the assembly. The Columbus High School orchestra and a large party from the Wayne Normal will be present. School boards should give a vacation permitting teachers to attend, which is recommended by our superintendent and the state superintendent.

A New Lecture Course for Wayne.

An entertainment course of four numbers, consisting of three lectures and one musical, will be given at the Baptist church in the near future, April 10 and 15, and May 1 and 6 are the dates. The course will open with an illustrated scientific lecture by Prof. F. M. Gregg of the Wayne Normal. Prof. Gregg is well known to our citizens as an entertaining speaker and a clever scientist. He will explain and illustrate wireless telegraphy, as well as many other wonders of modern science.

Wakefield News.

Henry Crane has bought the bowling alley. Rev. White is reported on the sick list. The Swedish Lutheran people are preparing to put up a fine new parsonage. They will also build a large new church.

The brick work and plastering on Edwards & Bradford's new hardware store is completed. They expect to occupy the building about the 1st of May.

Wakefield is to have a new photograph gallery, a gentleman from Harrington having purchased J. W. Childs' fixtures and good will. He will have his gallery over C. F. Howard's jewelry store.

The Wakefield High School will give an entertainment at the Auditorium next Friday night, March 25. A fine program is being arranged. Proceeds will be used for the purchase of new books for the library.

Mrs. E. F. Powell was badly frightened Monday noon. She got a piece of chicken bone in her throat and could not get it out. At this writing the bone has worked down and it is thought no serious results will follow.

Thursday evening last, between 5 and 6 o'clock Frank Crane's boy, aged about 12 years, was watering a horse and tied the strap to his leg. The horse became frightened and dragged the boy about 400 yards before he was stopped. The boy was badly bruised, but no bones were broken and it is expected that he will be around again all right.

Concord News.

Wm. Eliason, Regular Correspondent, cloudy, damp weather. Paul Lehman of Dixon, was in town Friday. Clemens Erlander is clerking in Olson's store. Gedfrid Larsen has started to work on the railroad.

Eufemia Erlander is taking violin lessons of Isaac Brannaman. Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Lika's took dinner with Kemp's Sunday. Chas. and Esther Johnson took dinner with Frank Carlsen Sunday. The farmers, after working a couple of days, have again concluded to rest. John Erickson intends to put up a new house and barn in the near future. Otto Lehman has again concluded to farm. He intends to farm north of Dixon. J. C. Myers of Dixon, died Monday

Julius Grosse & Co.

228, Boston Block, Minneapolis. We call your attention to our new circular of February, 1st. of this year, of fine farms and land in Hennepin, Anoka, Isanti, Wright, Scherburne, Heavens, Eaton, and Carver counties, all in Minnesota. Special! Anoka, Wright, and Isanti counties which you will find the best grain and stock farms, and the cheapest. You will find particulars in our Circular. You can buy farms, fine improved, from \$15 per acre up, and produce more in value than where you have to pay \$30 and 50 per acre. We prove it, our Circular contains 110 farms, all in fine running order, and we sell them very fast. We sold lately a fine 400 acre farm to Ole Grandquist; L. P. Larson bought a 120 acre farm; Andrew Grandquist bought a 200 acre farm; Marshall Anderson bought a 115 acre farm; Pete Paulson bought an 80 acre farm and Albert Anderson bought a 100 acre farm, all in Anoka and Isanti counties. The above mentioned gentlemen lived in Wayne co., Nebraska, and they are very well satisfied. Please write to them and they will tell you the beauty of the country. Please write for Circular and we will send you some.

Respectfully, JULIUS GROSSE & Co.

Carroll News.

Judge Moses of Wayne, was in town one day last week. The new elevator now looms up in fine shape, and is rapidly approaching completion.

Hancock & Olmstead commence work this week on a new house and barn for Herman Honey.

Although not connected to his house, R. V. West has been on the invalid list the past week.

The infant child of Henry Barford is very ill, and will probably pass away before this letter is printed. Confirmation services were held in St. Paul's Lutheran church last Sunday, two girls constituting the class. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Grovjohn on Monday morning, and "Grandpa" Adam, Elder of Stanton, who came up on Sunday went

home happy. U. S. G. Young, the marshal, last Saturday sold his house and lot to Aug. Lohberg, but announces his determination to either buy another home or build one at once.

Mrs. John R. Manning was taken seriously ill on Tuesday last week, and is still confined to her bed. She does not rally from her first severe attack as readily as her friends hoped for.

W. R. Olmstead, who received a telegram last week announcing that his father was very low, has since received intelligence that he is much better and hopes are now entertained for his speedy recovery.

The reformers or prohibitionists on Friday evening nominated H. V. Garwood, J. H. Beach and C. E. Jones for trustees; and on Sunday evening at the Methodist church, Rev. Carter made a very fervent appeal to his flock to give them support.

The Philleo Bros. sold five sulky plows, a farm wagon, two cultivators and two hay rakes to one man one day last week, who took them all out in a string, making quite a procession, and two of our amateur artists took snap shot views of the same.

The M. B. A. lodge of this town had a special meeting Saturday evening, when they took in twelve new members. The lodge is said to be in a very flourishing condition, and will give a grand supper on the second Thursday evening in April, to which the families of members will be invited.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Henry Crane has bought the bowling alley.

Rev. White is reported on the sick list.

The Swedish Lutheran people are preparing to put up a fine new parsonage. They will also build a large new church.

The brick work and plastering on Edwards & Bradford's new hardware store is completed. They expect to occupy the building about the 1st of May.

Wakefield is to have a new photograph gallery, a gentleman from Harrington having purchased J. W. Childs' fixtures and good will. He will have his gallery over C. F. Howard's jewelry store.

The Wakefield High School will give an entertainment at the Auditorium next Friday night, March 25. A fine program is being arranged. Proceeds will be used for the purchase of new books for the library.

Mrs. E. F. Powell was badly frightened Monday noon. She got a piece of chicken bone in her throat and could not get it out. At this writing the bone has worked down and it is thought no serious results will follow.

Thursday evening last, between 5 and 6 o'clock Frank Crane's boy, aged about 12 years, was watering a horse and tied the strap to his leg. The horse became frightened and dragged the boy about 400 yards before he was stopped. The boy was badly bruised, but no bones were broken and it is expected that he will be around again all right.

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forenoon and was buried in the Concord cemetery on Tuesday.

Mr. J. Brady and wife, of Omaha, traveling by Byrne & Hammer, were in town Saturday.

Andrew Eliason has bought some good horses lately. He intends to make things fly this summer.

Peter Westberg and son, August, have gone to Omaha where they have work. His wife will follow as soon as possible.

The citizens of Concord have taken the first steps for incorporating a meeting was called Monday and the opinion was unanimous for incorporating. R. O. Mitchell, Dave Paul and Kass Alexander were appointed a committee to carry the work to a successful close.

High School Notes.

Frank Girton returned to school this week.

The pupils received their term standings last Monday.

Next week is spring vacation and the pupils will all be glad to have a chance to take a rest.

Blanche Gaertner has a very bad looking eye this week as a result of an injury which was received while playing basketball.

The senior class have begun to prepare for commencement which will be held in June. There will be a class of eighteen graduates this year.

The eighth grade rendered a very good program in the high school room last Wednesday morning, and it was enjoyed very well by high school pupils.

Prof. Crabtree, state inspector of high schools, visited our schools yesterday. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the present condition of the schools.

A beginners class will be formed in each of the primary rooms on Monday, April 7. All beginners wishing to enter school this spring should present themselves at that date.

Miss Reba Nangle had charge of the fourth and fifth grades at the Ward building last week, but being unable to substitute longer, the school was dismissed as Miss Anna Weaver has not sufficiently recovered from the effect of the measles to be able to resume her work.

M. S. Davies Invites you to call At his Book Store Look carefully Over his stock of Wall Paper, and Once seeing them You will no doubt Agree that they are The finest, as well As the lowest priced Line, ever offered In Wayne.

We buy Wall Paper by the Ton of the Largest Factories in the United States. We will extend to you the same advantage—if you want part of our discount profit the only way to get it is to place your order with

M. S. DAVIES.

Advertisement for piano with text: 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

Getting Ready for Spring.

Everybody feels after the winter season is past that they must make some arrangements for spring. It is like commencing all over again what you finished last year. Farmers are now looking up their machinery and finding out how they are fixed for seed. Merchants are getting ready for spring trade and right here we wish to remark that we are ready and in better shape than ever before. Now, if you will take a little time before work opens up and look us up you will save a number of dollars this spring in getting ready for the summer work. After you get to work you will be in too big a hurry to look into our business and will continue to buy your clothing where you have been. Remember we have everything men and boys wear, and the best made. You don't have to pay as much as you have been paying at other stores and get better goods. Look at our Bull Dog shirts for fifty cents. See our plow shoes for one and a quarter, and one and a half dollars. Try on a pair of our overalls at sixty-five cents and you will be convinced that you can save at least ten per cent. Next week we will tell you some store news that will surprise you. If you are not trading here, get in line with the crowd for this store is going to be even more popular this year than last. We have more clothing, better clothing and lower prices than any store in Wayne. Why not try us?

This is the only place you can buy the Pure Gum Snag Proof Boots. Price \$4.00. This is the only place in Wayne you can find a complete stock of Men's and Boy's shoes. Price lower than elsewhere. Why not trade here.

The Two Johns, Speak German and Swede!!!

Easter Millinery Opening,

--Beginning--

MARCH 29th, 1902,

and continuing one week. Fine Display of PATTERN HATS and STREET HATS. The most beautiful and up-to-date MILLINERY in Wayne, Nebraska, where you will find an extensive line to pick from, and fine Trimmed hats at remarkably low prices. You will find BARGAINS at

Miss H. Wilkinson's.

American FIELD and HOG FENCING.

There is no fencing that equals it in strength, weight and durability. We can furnish "American" Steel Gates to match this fence. Examine these good and you will admit their superior quality. We supply splicers and heavy stretchers for putting up fence.

PHILLO & SON, Agents.

WALL PAPER!

Over 1000 Samples of Wall Paper from Alfred Peats of Chicago and Almskog & Johnson Sioux City from 5 cents to \$1.60 per double roll. Will sell any paper at 20 per cent discount from list price until May 1st, 1902.

Call and see 'em, 1st. door south of Baptist church.

W. C. BONHAM

The Markets.	
Wheat	47
Corn	47
Oats	45
Barley	45
Flax	41
Hogs	1.43
Butter	5.65
Eggs	20
Potatoes	1.00

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Ahern came home from Chicago Sunday.

Early Ohio seed potatoes at Brookings' Grocery.

Dr. J. C. Clark will be in Wayne, Tuesday, May 13th.

Miss Wilkinson was a passenger from the west Monday afternoon.

Judge Moses leaves today for Ohio to attend to some business matters.

Don't fail to see what Bayer Sisters have to tell you in this issue.

I have a snap, 1 section, well improved, at \$30. Must be sold before April 10th. E. R. SURBER.

FOR SALE—Pure Seed Potatoes at Everingham's, 1 mile west and 1/2 mile north of Wayne.

E. B. Chichester spent Sunday at Hartington, visiting his daughter, Mrs. P. F. Panabaker.

FOR SALE: Two Dozen Plymouth Rock Chickens. Inquire of—MRS. H. CLAYBAUGH.

Farmers—I am Agent for the Farm Mutual of Lincoln.

GRANT MEARS.

Insure your property in the Continental of New York.

E. R. SURBER, Agent.

Rubber Boots at Corner Shoe Store. Three different grades. Come and buy our best one. It's a winner.

Parties wishing Out Flowers for Easter can save the express by ordering of us. Order early. EPLER & CO.

Floresheim Shoes, every pair warranted, at HARRINGTON'S, The Leading Clothier.

Don't buy your low shoes until you see what Corner Shoe Store has in that line this spring. Part of them will be here in less than a week.

Very fine Easter Opening to be at Ahern's. Their ad is an interesting description of it that you will read with pleasure and profit.

Schroff's Bon Bous and Chocolates made by the celebrated Boston candy maker, Schroff, for sale only by P. L. Miller & Son.

Married at the M. E. parsonage Wednesday forenoon, March 26th, Ed. Doland and Miss Pearl Thompson, both of this county.

Having sold my business to Volpp Bros. I request all those that are indebted to me to soon settle their accounts with me. J. H. GOILL.

Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet on Thursday afternoon at Mrs. J. W. Mason's. Tea and Talk at 4:30. A special invitation is extended to the gentlemen.

FOR SALE—Residence property on lot 12, block 24, three blocks west of Main, on Second street. Owned by Mrs. H. C. Cunningham, 619 West Third street, Sioux City, Iowa.

I have the Goodyear property for sale. This is one of the best properties in Wayne and would just suit party desiring to move to town. Prices reasonable. Call soon. E. R. SURBER.

The latest rumor has it that the Sons of Hermann will erect a two story brick on the present site of Volpp's meat market, the lower room to be rented and the upper to be used for a lodge room.

The cheapest and best loan is E. R. Surber's straight 5 per cent loan, with option to pay any or all at the end of any year. Also makes ten-year loans, with option to pay amount at any time. Office over Wayne Nat. Bank. 114

Dorr and Ray Carroll, former Wayne lads, are interested in the development of a coal mine in the Minot, North Dakota country. They have struck a good vein of the black diamonds and are mining it and find ready sale at good prices for their output.

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 after one experience you would not give it house room.

F. L. Mettlen, a member of Winside's enterprising firm of Mettlen Bros. was a Wayne visitor Friday. This office acknowledges a pleasant chat and we understand they were old residents of this place until locating in their present business at Winside where they are doing very well.

Judge F. D. Falco, of Ponca, was in Wayne a few days ago on a little legal business and dropped in to chat with our society editor. The subject of what shade would probably predominate in gentleman's shirt-waists was just about to be raised when the subject turned upon politics and the judge proudly stated that Ponca had three tickets in the field for city election, and feels as big over it as Wayne does with the only genuine bigamy case in the state. The socialists, republicans, and democrats are all in the field and will make things lively for a few days, "wet and dry" attachments, etc. are factors in the scrap and it is no one-sided race. The judge had to admit our superior claims to sleepwalkers, however, and was gone. Judge Falco is a fine fellow—takes to politics like a duck does to water, though his majority up there last fall was close to 600.

Business Dress!



H. S. & M.

Don't get the idea that it makes no difference how you dress for business. No man who amounts to anything can afford to be badly dressed.

These Hart, Schaffner & Marx Sack Suits

are business-like in appearance, and in quality, and price they're such as business men can approve and buy with satisfaction. We want every business man and every man not in business to see them.

Price \$10. \$12. \$14. \$15. Harrington's,

Bayer Sisters' ad. (See 1st page).

W. A. Ivory, dentist, over 1st Nat'l. See Roy Surber for straight five per cent loans.

Henry Classman was up from Wakefield Friday.

A good city property for sale. Inquire of J. H. Goll.

Lou. Cochran of Wakefield, was visiting friends here last Thursday.

Miss Wilkinson, our popular Milliner has an ad this week announcing an Easter Sale.

Doctor Richards, the Omaha oculist, will examine eyes free at Jones' Book Store, Wednesday, April, 23rd.

See E. R. Surber for cheap lands in Boyd county, Nebr., and in South Dakota.

Longley Hats spring styles are all in, at HARRINGTON'S, The Leading Clothier.

George Thorp of Carroll called last week and extended his subscription a year and took a couple of our matchless clubbing offers.

Adolph Kethwick and Henry Schlurs of Carroll were very pleasant callers at the REPUBLICAN office while in Wayne Friday on business.

Mr. Kinzer who purchased the O. P. Anderson farm four miles northeast of town, arrived with his household goods and machinery last Thursday.

We have just received a new line of English decorated dinner sets. We have 10 different decorations. Call and see them. Prices are away down. P. L. MILLER & SON.

Fence! The best at wholesale price. Hog and chicken fence direct from factory. Time given, stretchers furnished. Write to W. L. ROBINSON, Special Agt., Carroll, Nebraska.

L. B. Palmer dropped in a few days ago and saved a half a dollar on our combination, the Sioux City Journal and REPUBLICAN, both dollar papers—each a year for \$1.50.

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.

The best of everything in staple groceries at Brookings', the old reliable grocery opposite the postoffice. We have good potatoes, and cabbage, and beans—try them for a cold weather dinner. A fine line of canned goods and dried fruits. 524

Hart, Schaffner & Marx new spring suits now open at HARRINGTON'S, The Leading Clothier.

O. P. Anderson who left last week for Sultan, Wash., where he expects to locate if the country suits him, ordered a couple of our clubbing combinations before leaving old Nebraska. His son and a daughter live near Sultan and like it quite well. We are sorry to have them leave here, but feel they will do well in their western home and if they should decide to return their welcome here will be most hearty. The Andersons were old settlers here and we certainly would wish they would stay.

The rooms of Dr. J. C. Clark, the eye specialist from Sioux City, were crowded Monday again, as usual upon the doctors visit here. Although the day was rainy and the roads muddy the people came to see this popular and most successful Eye Specialist, and many had to wait until late to get waited upon. Some of the town people gave their places to those from the country and the doctor waited upon 23 persons Monday. Mr. Wm. M. Roberts, who lives eight miles west, was in with his daughter Elsie. Mr. Roberts says: "My daughter was cross eyed and suffered greatly from headache and nervousness. One year ago we consulted Dr. J. C. Clark of Sioux City, who prescribed glasses for her which have relieved her headache entirely and her eyes are perfectly straight now, wear- ing her glasses. We are more than pleased with Dr. Clark's treatment and can cheerfully recommend him." Dr. Clark's next visit here will be Tuesday, May 12th.

See Wilson Bros. Easter ad.

Samuel Bryant spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Wm. Vincent was at Omaha Monday with cattle.

R. Q. Warnock did business at Norfolk Tuesday.

J. C. Carstens came in from the west Monday afternoon.

Give Steen your order for Ice Cream for your Easter Dinner.

A baby girl came on Monday to bless the home of D. A. Jones.

Guy R. Wilbur and W. M. Wright were doing business at Winside Monday.

Mesdames William Worthing and Charles Fisher went over to Sioux City Monday afternoon.

The German Medicine Company are holding down the boards at the opera house this week to good sized audiences.

John, the 11 year-old adopted son of T. E. Hill, fell from a pile of baled hay Saturday afternoon and severely injured his left arm.

See Miss Wilkinson's ad. The pretty styles of the world's millinery markets on exhibition in her parlors. You would miss half the satisfaction if you did not see them.

A Sunday School was organized in Dixon last Sunday by S. S. Missionary E. B. Young, who reports it having good promise of being a better success than the half dozen previous schools have had.

J. W. Nichols and family returned to Wayne this morning from Colorado. Mr. Nichols did not find that country up to his expectations and made up his mind Nebraska was a pretty good state to live in and consequently returned.

The various feeders who have been selling fat cattle of late find small room for complaint. In most all cases they have received considerable above the market price for the corn fed, and some of them find themselves with a lot of fine fat hogs on hand that are worth about 6 cents per pound and these hogs represent a good many dollars of profit over and above all expenses.

Golden Wedding.

Monday being the fiftieth anniversary of Judge and Mrs. Moses' wedded life a number of lady friends of Mrs. Moses took her unawares during the afternoon and had an unusually pleasant time. The surprise was planned and successfully carried out by Mrs. Piregry, who celebrated her golden wedding 8 years ago, but whose vivacity and energy age cannot dim. During the afternoon she read an original poem composed for the occasion, which was enjoyed by all. The ladies presented Mrs. Moses with a beautiful fruit dish as a souvenir of the affair. At 5:30 supper was served and covers for the following ladies were laid: Mesdames Moses, Piregry, Rogers, Horton, Fisher, Hunter, Dean, King, Chase, Miller and Cunningham.

SEED WHEAT Cleaned at the Wayne Roller Mills. It will cost you nothing. Remember that you produce better wheat and more of it if you sow clean seed. 7 WEBER BROS.

Wakefield Nursery

I have a first-class Nursery Stock growing on my grounds here at Wakefield. Why send away for stock when you can get it cheaper and better at a home nursery? Gurneys trees are always reliable.

Prices Apples, 5 to 6 ft., \$11 per 100. Cherries, 4 to 5 ft., \$8.50 per 10. Plums, 4 to 5 ft., \$8 per 10. Currants, 2 years old 35 cents per 10. WAKEFIELD NURSERY, Wakefield, Nebraska.

E. R. Surber writes a new life insurance policy that is cheaper than any ever written before.

W. H. Brown

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

Fire in Town!

Who knows but what it will be your loss next? Come and get your property insured in a good, reliable company. GRANT MEARS, Agent.

Love Hotel Now Open.

W. F. Neiland has arranged to open the Love Hotel March 20th. The well established high character of this house will be maintained by Mr. Neiland, who invites the public to call on him.

Clean Up!

I am now prepared to haul rubbish and clean up for Spring, and will do draying of all kinds. Leave orders at E. P. Olmsted. All work guaranteed. R. H. JOHNSON.

Brush up

Our line of BRUSHES is all new and strictly up to date.

Brushes for the TEETH COMPLEXION HANDS BATH CLOTHES HAIR SHAVING HAT PAINT VARNISH

Prices lowest Quality the best

You can't miss it if you come to

Raymond's Drugstore.

SEED POTATOES

Another car just received which will be sold at a moderate price. Call early and place your order.

RALPH RUNDELL.

The German Store....

WE SELL PANTS RIGHT.

Discard Those Old Ones

They are too heavy for these spring days. Get some of our goods. Stout ones for heavy work, fine ones for dress occasions, the right ones for the right place always, and don't forget that we save you some money on everything you buy of us. We do not offer poor goods at any price.

Yours Truly, Furchner, Duerig & Co.

Now Is The Time

To make use of a good Watch or Clock We carry the best of each at the lowest price. Let us talk with you about a watch. Spectacles fitted.

Welch-Jeweler, Wayne.

In Java

Natives do not give coffee with a cheap and impure coating. They have too high a regard for health as well as for the naturally delicious flavor of their popular berry. The very American drinkers who give their postage coffees do not draw to mind their high priced Mocha and Java.

Lisa Coffee

NEW MOVE FOR PEACE

BOER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS GO TO SEE KITCHENER.

It is believed their only mission can be an effort to stop the Boer War without further effusion of blood—Other Items.

A dispatch from Pretoria says: Acting President Schalkbarger, F. W. Reitz, ex-secretary of state for the Transvaal, and Commandant Lucas Meyer and Krogh, with their secretaries and attendants, arrived here Saturday, March 22, at 2:05 o'clock p. m., on a special train from Balmoral, about fifty miles east of here. They came into Balmoral under a flag of truce.

Upon arriving here Mr. Schalkbarger and his party drove immediately to Lord Kitchener's headquarters, where he had an interview with the British general. The Boers afterwards proceeded to the railroad station and remained for Krogh, whence they will go out under a safe conduct.

For a week past Mr. Schalkbarger and his colleagues have been stationed at Rhenoster Kop, north of Balmoral, where they have been closely pressed by British columns. Dispatch riders entered Balmoral Friday night and notified the British of the approach of Mr. Schalkbarger and his party. It is reported that the Boer position at Rhenoster Kop had become almost hopeless, and that Mr. Schalkbarger once narrowly escaped capture.

The news that the wandering Boer "government" had entered the British lines is regarded in London as having but one meaning, namely, that another attempt is being made to negotiate peace. The fact that the censor is lighting the news of this movement is accepted as confirmation of this opinion.

Nothing is actually known of the intentions of Messrs. Schalkbarger, Reitz, Meyer and Krogh. It is possible they have only sought permission to traverse the British lines in order to consult with Mr. Steyn and the Boer generals, De Wet and De la Rey. But whatever their object, the news has been welcomed in London as pointing to the possibility of peace.

Some correspondence which was seized a short time ago when Mr. Steyn narrowly escaped capture proved that he and Mr. Schalkbarger were anxious to conclude peace. No extravagant hopes, however, are being built on the outcome of the movements of Mr. Schalkbarger and his companions, chiefly because it is feared that De la Rey, in the flush of his recent success, will refuse to be a party to any negotiations.

ASSAILED BY THE MOROS. Single Corps Detachment Attacked Near Parana-Parana, Mindanao.

Ortig, Gen. Geo. W. Davis, stationed at Zamboanga, island of Mindanao, reports that a detachment of the signal corps, consisting of seventeen men, has been attacked by 200 Moros near Parana-Parana, Mindanao. One of the signal corps men was killed. The Moros captured the transportation of the detachment, including four pack mules.

The United States transport Buford has arrived at Manila. She had on board a detachment of the Twenty-seventh infantry, a squadron of the Eleventh cavalry and fifty pack mules.

There have been four more cases of cholera, and two more deaths from the plague are reported. The health authorities believe that their rigid precautions have averted an epidemic.

As Gen. Chaffee did not want the men of the Third infantry to run the risk of cholera as a result of contact with the city, that regiment has already been taken aboard the United States transport Grant, which will sail for San Francisco one week ahead of her scheduled time.

CONFESSES FORGERY. Pittsburg Man Arrested While Coming Out of Church.

As he was walking out of a church at Wilkinsburg, Pa., Sunday, Lewis Strayer, an insurance agent, was arrested on a charge of forgery and using the mails for fraudulent purposes. He confessed to having forged at least one check, and the detectives think he is one of the leaders of a gang who have literally flooded that city and New York with bogus checks for small amounts ranging from \$15 to \$25. When arrested he confessed to giving a forged check for \$15.50 to a Wilkinsburg merchant on Saturday.

At an executive committee meeting of the National Loom Fixers' Union at New Bedford, Mass., the principal business transacted was to vote to authorize the Loom Fixers' Union of Lowell to use its own discretion in the matter of striking.

Mool Spinners May Strike. At a meeting of the Mule Spinners' union at Lewiston, it was voted to demand an advance in wages of 10 per cent., to go into effect March 31. Unless the demand is granted a general strike may follow.

Husband and Wife Killed. Louis Chamberlain and his wife, who lived at McDonald station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, in Pennsylvania, were struck by a train and killed. The couple had been visiting and were on their way home when the accident occurred.

Girl Burned to Death. At Pottsville, Pa., a small station on the Middle and Ohio Railroad, Grace Aiken, 17 years old, was burned to death Monday. The girl's clothing caught fire from a stove.

Valuable Horses Burned. The hunting stable of P. E. Collier at Eatontown, N. J., and sixteen valuable hunting horses were burned Monday, the total loss being about \$100,000. Among the horses burned was Mr. Collier's \$10,000 hunter, Greenfield. It is believed the fire was of incendiary origin.

President's Day. April 9 has been set apart as president's day at the Columbian exposition. The feature of the day will be the presentation to Maj. Jenkins by his former chief of the rough riders of a beautiful sword from South Carolinians.

UNCLE SAM'S MAILS.

Used to Further a Scheme to Defraud.

Charles L. Graham, president of the People's Publishing Company, Philadelphia, William B. Holloway, former manager of the company, and George X. Clement, former assistant manager, were Friday held in \$2,000 bail each for trial on the charge of using the mails to cheat and defraud. The charge was preferred by Postoffice Inspector Holden, who testified at the hearing that the People's Publishing Company had for a long time past been making a practice of securing agents for the sale of alleged worthless stocks. He said they employed canvassers and general agents to dispose of their publications.

It is alleged that the sum of \$800 is asked for from the agents, with the understanding that it is to be used as a deposit as an expression of good faith for the year's time. At the expiration of the year, if the agreement is found to be unsatisfactory, the deposit money is to be returned.

According to letters received by the postoffice authorities from alleged victims, the books they receive are worthless for canvassing. Lewis R. Holloway was arrested at Cincinnati by the United States marshal, charged with using the mails to defraud. The complaint was made by J. W. Fulton of Columbus, O., who says Holloway obtained from him \$800 in payment for an outfit as salesman for the People's Publishing Company. Fulton alleges that he has been defrauded by representations sent him through the mail by Holloway. The postoffice inspectors have a number of complaints from other persons of experiences similar to that of Fulton.

MRS. FRENCH KILLED.

Aged and Eccentric Boston Woman Falls Down Elevator Shaft.

Mrs. Julia B. French of Boston, wealthy, eccentric and fancies throughout the country because of her many and varied lawsuits, was found in her Back Bay residence Thursday afternoon. Her body, badly disfigured, lay on top of the elevator, which was on the basement floor, and had evidently been there three or four days. Medical Examiner Draper reported the death as due to an accident. Mrs. French, who was 70 years of age and lived alone, apparently fell from the third floor in the will of the elevator canopy. Mrs. French is said to have had more lawsuits brought against her and had more cases pending in court than any other person appearing in public.

BIG FLOOD AT BANGOR.

Two Spans of the Maine Central Railroad Bridge Destroyed. The flood disaster which has long been feared in the Penobscot came at Bangor, Me., late Thursday night, when a great mass of ice and logs swept down the Maine Central Railroad bridge, carrying out its middle pier and letting two spans into the river. The mass swept on against the wooden toll bridge, carrying away the middle span. Basements of stores in the business section were flooded and goods worth thousands of dollars were ruined. There is a stretch of solid and broken ice below the city extending six miles to Bangor. Should it hold where it is and the upper jam come down upon it, fully half of Bangor's business area would be under water.

STEALS A FORTUNE.

Bookkeeper for Indianapolis Live Stock Firm Is Shot. Arthur J. Simpson, a bookkeeper for the Warmen-Black-Chamberlain Company, live stock commission brokers, was arrested at Indianapolis Friday charged with forgery. The amount alleged in the affidavit as fraudulently obtained by Simpson is \$4,688. Detectives who have been working on the case said they understood from members of the firm that Simpson's shortage is anywhere from \$30,000 to \$70,000. Simpson is highly connected and has a wife and several children.

Crew Likely Perished. An unknown barge stranded near Bridgehampton, on the north shore of Long Island Thursday night, and went to pieces. The Meoxox station life saving crew went to the wrecked vessel Friday morning, but could find no signs of life there. It is believed all on board were lost.

Ballplayer Sent to Jail. Michael Doulin, a former member of the Baltimore baseball club, pleaded guilty to two indictments charging him with assaulting and striking Miss Minnie Fields, an actress, and Ernest M. Slayton, in front of the local theater on the night of March 12. He was sentenced to serve six months in jail and to pay a fine of \$250.

Congressman Hull at Work. Chairman Hull, of the committee on military affairs, having returned after an absence of some weeks at home, the military appropriation bill on Friday was ordered reported by the committee. It carries \$90,905,549, as against estimates of \$101,905,549, and appropriations of last year of \$115,724,049.

McGowan to Meet Yanger. Sam McGowan of Cincinnati, manager for Terry McGivern, announced that he has agreed to match McGivern against Ben Yanger of Chicago, the fight to take place some time in May. It is expected that it will take place in Louisville.

Gilbert Was High Gun. Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Ia., was high gun with 141 out of a possible 150 in ten fifteen-foot events at the Lincoln Gun Club, Indianapolis tournament, Ed Hike of Dayton, O., was second with 140.

Ernie to Fight McFadden. Frank Ernie of Buffalo and George McFadden of New York have signed articles to fight before the Southern Athletic Club of Louisville on April 14, for the lightweight championship of the world.

Scottie Is Convicted. The trial of the three officials of the Vatican who were charged with thefts from the Vatican treasury aggregating \$16,000 was concluded at Rome Saturday. The official named Scottie was convicted and sentenced to eight years' imprisonment.

Rhodes Makes Gain. Cecil Rhodes at Cape Town, passed a better night than he was wont to pass in his condition Friday. Rhodes' physicians have promised, if possible, he shall sail for England next week.

IMPORTANT BILLS PASSED.

War Revenue Repeal and to Protect President.

Two important measures were disposed of by the senate Saturday, the bill for the repeal of the war revenue taxes and that for the protection of the president of the United States.

The revenue bill was passed without revision, and after only one short speech. Senator Filburn embraced the opportunity afforded by the bill's consideration to protest against the repeal of the duty of 10 cents a pound upon tea.

The bill for the protection of the president was under discussion during the greater part of the session. Senator Patterson of Colorado made an extended speech in opposition to it, and Senator Fairbanks supported it. All amendments to the measure were rejected, and it was passed by a vote of 52 to 15.

The bill provides that any person within the United States who shall willfully and maliciously kill the president or any officer of whom the duties of president may devolve, or any sovereign of a foreign country, or attempt to kill any of the persons named, shall suffer death; that any person who shall aid, abet, advise or counsel the killing of any of the persons named, or shall conspire to accomplish their death, shall be imprisoned not exceeding twenty years; that any person who shall threaten to kill or advise or counsel another to kill the president or any officer on whom the duties of president may devolve shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten years; that any person who shall willfully aid in the escape of any person guilty of any of the offenses mentioned, shall be deemed an accomplice and shall be punished as a principal.

The secretary of war is directed to detail from the regular army a guard of officers and men to protect the president without any unnecessary display and the secretary is authorized to make regulations as to the dress, arms and equipment of such guard.

PART OF FLOOD FREED.

Big Gorge Above Chamberlain Seems to Be Still Unbroken. During Thursday night the water in the Missouri River at Chamberlain began rising rapidly, until about 5 o'clock Friday morning, the increase being about nine feet. Since then the water has fallen about one foot. River authorities contend that this indicates that there was more than one gorge, and only part of the flood has been turned loose, as the total depth of the river is yet three-foot lower than it has been right along at Pierre.

The river is running very heavy with ice, and more water will be necessary to carry it out without danger of forming further obstructions.

LEAVES HER \$6,000,000.

New York Man's Estate Goes to Girl He Took From Wreck. Frank Conger of Brooklyn, who died suddenly a few days ago in a Detroit hotel, bequeathed to his adopted daughter, Olga Stewart Conger, whom he took from the arms of her dead mother a few years ago in a Lake Shore Railroad wreck at Hamilton, N. Y., an estate of \$6,000,000. The girl is now 14 years old.

Conger left no natural heirs. The will states the girl, whose income will be \$500,000 a year, was the daughter of Rev. E. T. Stewart and wife of Rochester, N. Y., both of whom were killed on March 8, 1890, in a wreck.

MILES MUST GO.

The Head of the Army Is Likely to Be Forced to Retire. The statements made Friday by Gen. Miles before the senate committee on military affairs were discussed by the president Saturday with a number of his callers. There is little doubt these statements will ultimately lead to Miles' retirement by the president. In discussing the matter with callers, among whom were senators and representatives, the president took the position that the lieutenant general of the army should entertain towards his superiors the same respect that he would expect and demand from his subordinates.

HUSBAND CHOKED HER.

Washington, Ind., Woman Shoots and Kills Cruel Spouse. During a quarrel at the supper table Liberty Kempf, a well known business man of Washington, Ind., choked his wife. The woman managed to get a revolver and fired five shots at her husband, one bullet penetrating the brain. Kempf died in a few moments. The wife told her story to the police and has not yet been arrested.

Times Grows Impatient. The London Times, in an editorial Saturday morning, assumes that at the cabinet meeting of Friday the question of enforcing the crimes act was again discussed, and expresses impatience with the government's timorosity in dealing with the growing power of the United Irish League.

Dressmakers Organize. Two hundred dressmakers from Chicago and the surrounding states met in Chicago Saturday and organized the National Dressmakers' Association for mutual protection and trade advancement.

To Be "Alice Roosevelt." Emperor William has directed that the torpedo boat now used as a guardship at Wilhelmshaven shall be renamed "Alice Roosevelt."

To Censor All Messages. The Western Union Company is in receipt of the following advice, dated Panama, March 20: "The Colombian government notifies us consular and diplomatic messages must be subjected to censorship."

\$300,000 New York Fire. Handman, Peck & Co., sugar manufacturers of New York, suffered a loss of \$300,000 by the destruction by fire of their plant located at West Forty-eighth Street and the North River.

Klumpff Is Released. William Klumpff, arrested and held in custody on suspicion of complicity in the murder of his wife, who died from poison taken in a headache powder at Lowell, Mich., two weeks ago, has been released, no case having been found against him.

Join the Rebel Army. Advice from Canton, China, says it is credibly reported there that the vice roy has received telegrams from Lung Chin, on the Annam border, alleging that the whole of Marshal Su's troops have deserted and joined the rebels.

STATE OF NEBRASKA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

Willard Smith of Filley Plots Vengeance and Loses His Life—Secures Package of Money Demanded, but Falls Before Gunfire of Watchers.

P. T. Lewellen, one of the leading business men of Filley, received a letter recently directing him to place \$150 in a package and put the parcel in the side room off the vestibule of the Methodist church promptly at 7:35 the next night. The writer said among other things that if Lewellen failed to do as ordered, the writer would burn his store and stock, which are valued at \$15,000, and that he would also poison the stock upon his farm. Arrangements were made and at the exact time the package of money was deposited as the letter directed and four heavy men who had been selected watched the coming of the man who was suddenly to become the target of their firearms, with which they were amply provided.

A few minutes before 8 o'clock the watchmen saw a man approaching the church entrance alone. He opened the church door and grabbed the package. Although he was called upon to stop, he made a break for liberty but did not get far. A shot fired by Frank Shadley brought him to the ground and he lay motionless. The watchmen hurried to his side. The dead man proved to be Willard Smith, a prominent young man about 20 years of age, who resided with his parents a mile and a half from Filley, and who has always borne a high reputation, as have his people. No motive for the killing was ascertained. A young man was in no way restricted in financial affairs.

FALL WHEAT IS ALL RIGHT. Farmers Around Pieter Glad to See Green Blades.

After two days of strong wind in the vicinity of Pieter, the wheat crop is all right. The stubble is covered by a greater portion of the time, a fine shower of rain and considerable hail fell, containing with light showers for hours. The moisture will be of inestimable value to the fall wheat, which during the last few days has been in a state of time for being sown. A report showing the actual business transacted by each company in this state will soon be issued by the state auditing department. It will show all classes of insurance to be in a healthy condition, with less loss incurred than in any other business.

Carlie Was Crooked. Some months ago a man and woman calling themselves J. W. Carlie and wife appeared at Bloomington and the man engaged in business. Later a brother of Carlie's appeared from Albers, Ind., and stated Carlie had abandoned a wife and two children in death by drowning and eloped with the woman who was with him at Bloomington. He also stated that the man had forged the name of his mother to papers on which he had secured several thousand dollars. Carlie turned over all his property to his brother and returned to his home in Albers, and had disappeared with the woman who had been living with him in Bloomington.

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His Skull Flattens Bullet. H. J. Nelson, a farmer of Rock Creek township, Saunders County, attempted to take his life recently by firing a bullet into his forehead. The ball flattened on striking his skull and caused a bad wound, but the doctors say he will recover.

Three Arrested for Robbery. John Riley, George Lytle and Charles Adams are the names given by three men arrested by the police at Grand Island a few days ago on a charge of the robbery of a jewelry store of Danneberg, who lost \$700 in jewelry and \$10 in cash.

DROWN IN THE PLATTE.

Mrs. Rima and Niece Lose Lives Near Schuyler.

In attempting to pass a trestle while crossing the Platte River bridge a few days since, a team driven by Mrs. Henry Rima of Butler County, accompanied by her niece, Amanda Rima, aged 12, and a young child, named the bridge descended to the bank of the stream as soon as possible and were at times within ten feet of the drowning waters, but were unable to effect a rescue. The bodies were not altogether lost sight of until nearly to the railroad bridge, a mile down stream, and of the bodies of the child and the young man, who had seen one body pass under the bridge. A vigilante lookout was maintained by nearly 100 people until midnight, but without avail.

Mrs. Rima was about 24 years of age and leaves a husband and a 3-year-old child. Her niece, Rima's brother's child, living with them. The horses benefited their escape.

PROMINENT MEN SEE GHOST.

Spirit Form of Young Woman Is Unconventional and Wears Black.

The spirit form of a young woman is walking the streets of Albia. The ghost has credentials in the vigorous affirmation of such men as ex-Congressman Stallenberger, now home on a visit; Editor H. S. Wetherald of the Albia Journal; Frank Griggley, jewelry dealer; and the recently deceased Wiley Schwartz, a deacon in the Methodist church. The Albia ghost is remarkable in that instead of being garbed in proverbial white, it walks about clothed in deep black. She exudes from the depths of some dark alley and makes past lone paths of the city at night. She is said to have passed Griggley's. He chased it and it fled. He turned about and it pursued him, which so excited his nerves that he did the foolish thing. Schwartz sojourned in the story and was chased from prayer meeting soon afterwards.

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GREAT VESSELS BURN

MILLION DOLLARS' LOSS BY FIRE AT HOBOKEN, N. J.

Phoenix Company's Great Dock Swept Away—Steamer British Queen Destroyed—With a Vast Quantity of Freight—Lighters and Piers Damaged.

Raging flames licked up \$1,000,000 worth of steamship property in Hoboken, N. J., Tuesday night within three hours. They destroyed the 300-foot pier of the Phoenix Steamship Company, parts of two other piers, the steamer British Queen and a vast amount of freight. Half a dozen men jumped into the sea from the deck of the British Queen. They were believed to be safe, however. Chief Engineer Scott of the steamer and a sailor of the name of Jansen are believed to have been burned to death. Eight or more persons were badly burned and are in hospitals.

While the flames swept through great piles of cotton and wool in bales, the red piles of opium and ivory reaction upon and about the Hudson river, a band of twenty-five Chinamen fled from the peril of fire only to encounter the muzzles of a score of revolvers. Officers of the federal government, fearing that the Chinamen, who composed part of the crew of one of the honored vessels, might take advantage of the opportunity of the explosion to violate the opium act, advanced at, headed off the fleeing men and, after scaring them nearly to death, dragged them to jail until they can be returned to their ship.

The estimated losses in detail are: Cotton, \$300,000; British Queen, \$400,000; other lighters, \$250,000; seven lighters damaged to extent of \$50,000.

Fire Sweeps Several Docks. The docks of the fire were the Sixth and Seventh streets. Together there are the docks and basins of the Phoenix line, the Holland-American line and the Barber line. The Phoenix line pier was a wooden structure, covered with a frame shed. On this were many bales of hay and cotton. How the fire started is not known. Some declare that it was started by the British Queen, which was in the basin between the Phoenix line dock and the Holland-American dock; others that it had its origin at the end of the pier.

The flames burst out quickly, driving the stevedores and sailors from the British Queen to the street, for the vessel was being unloaded. The vessel had been made fast to the pier and could not be moved. Hay and cotton and other water craft which lay alongside of her, some of them holding such inflammable stuff as oil, oak, quickly caught fire.

The captain of the lighter Towanda saved himself, his wife and his child by pushing a cotton bale into the water, placing his family and himself upon it and paddling his strange life raft into the river.

Steamer from China on Fire. From the Phoenix line pier the flames spread by the pier of the Barber line and then to the steamer Heathburn of this company, newly arrived from Hongkong with a cargo of tea. Among the crew of the steamer Heathburn were the thirty-two Chinamen, who scamped to the pier for safety and were later located by the fire department.

The captain and his children were not burned. His wife and children were, but were rescued by the mate.

The Holland-American line docks are along those of the Barber line. They caught fire, but were only slightly damaged. The company's big steamer Maas was towed out into the river as soon as the lighter was damaged.

First by Many Fireboats. The fire was fought by Hoboken and Jersey City fire engines and from the water side by two and New York fire department boats. Employees of the Holland-American and Bremen steamship lines assisted these forces, as did the crew of the United States ship Ports mouth, lying at the pier next above the Phoenix line. The vessel is in use by the navy as a training ship and is in command of Lieut. Davenport. It was through their efforts that the Towanda's captain and his family were saved.

The fire started about 8:35 o'clock and by 11:30 it was well under control.

Set Fire to Army Quarters. The British Queen, still under way, was towed out into the river by the fire department. The lighters were, by being towed to the wind and current they either twice came near setting fire to property on the New York side. Two of them finally drifted to the east shore of Governor's Island, setting fire to the new landing pier there. The army officers' quarters were greatly endangered and the soldiers stationed on the island were employed in fighting the flames.

Religious News and Notes. Trinity Lutheran congregation of Reading, Pa., celebrated the 150th anniversary of the organization of the congregation last Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Galloway-Halecomb of Missouri owns the Bible Genealogy Bible in this country. It bears the date: "Geneva, Switzerland, 1567."

St. Paul's Parish, Eastchester, N. Y., is 228 years old. Its present rector, the Rev. William Samuel Coffey, has served it for half a century.

Bishop Fowler advises the colored preachers to "cut out the big words." But sometimes the big words have a great effect upon an audience.

The Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D. D., president of the Baptist Convention of England, in the same connection.

Every Sunday at the famous Roman Catholic Church in London, the Brompton Oratory, prayers are offered up for "the welfare and success of our troops in South Africa." Fervent invocations are addressed in "St. George, Protector of England," in the same connection.

While an Epworth League meeting was in session in the lecture room of the Episcopal Methodist Episcopal Church, a candle in the pipe organ in the auditorium above was discovered to be on fire. The organ, valued at \$7,000, was entirely destroyed, as were the pulpit furnishings and the carpets.

The Rev. J. E. Rankin, who is president of Howard University, founded by Gen. O. O. Howard, has been elected to that institution since 1888 and its president for twelve years.

The Rev. Henry A. Sullivan, rector of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in Boston, administrators to the spiritual wants of the largest congregation in New England, his parishioners numbering between 8,000 and 9,000.

At Guahuala, Mexico, a visiting Canadian priest, the Rev. F. Allan Innes, has caused the law on Sunday by appearing on the street in his cassock. He was on his way to the cathedral. A policeman explained things to him.

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THOUGHTS LEFT OVER.

A man at Concord has the Western Fever and there is strong talk of quarantining him.

If that isn't an alley, why then—why the Democrat may "take something" on THE REPUBLICAN—that makes it look like an alley alleesames.

The Hartington Herald reports an epidemic of boys Nelson will probably count them all if he needs them in the majestic quest of voters. He is planning to undertake. Anyway a town that can score five brand-new boys in one week ought to name a senator and the boys ought to be named George.

Out of nearly four thousand prisoners in the Texas penitentiary not one is a printer or newspaper man, the same is true of the Nebraska penitentiary. Almost every other trade and profession including many lawyers, doctors, ministers, farmers, teachers and mechanics. A wise quill pester remarks it is probably because printers seldom get what is due them.

A good story is going the rounds on a landlord not over a thousand miles from Norfolk. A traveler stopped at a hotel for breakfast. At dinner time while he was standing outside, the landlord came out and rang the dinner bell. A small dog nearby began to howl miserably. Turning to the dog the traveling man said: "What the d—l are you howling about? You don't have to eat in here." The landlord didn't do a thing to the dog.

Noah was an advertiser. He said the ark would sail and though he did not print it in the daily papers he sailed away on time. His small handful of passengers could have been a handsome excursion load from the bunkers to hurricane deck if he had expatiated a little on the fine points of an ark excursion. Noah would have to go out of business in competition with modern advertisers. The fellow who goes into business nowadays and simply tells folks his ark is going to sail gets just about as big a load—his relation's trade, as Noah had. If your ark is going to sail do not hesitate to tell all about the fine points of the craft, the price of the ticket is not so much as the sweet assurance you can give that you will land your customers on the Ararat they fancy they want to reach. If Noah had had a newspaper to help him he would have made regular trips as it was he only made one trip. Don't be a Noah.

Assessor's Meeting.

Wayne, Neb., March 18, 1902. At a meeting of the assessors of Wayne county, on the above date, the following business was transacted:

A. T. Witter was elected Chairman and J. W. Agler, Secretary. A motion was made and carried to assess personal property the same as last year, the following being the schedule of valuations:

Telephone, for poles and one wire, per mile.....	\$80 00
Each additional wire, per mile.....	10 00
Pure Bred Jacks.....	40 00
Pure Bred Stallions.....	50 00
Grade Stallions.....	25 00
Farm Horses and Mules.....	15 00
One Year Old Colts.....	7 00
Two Year Old Colts.....	5 00
Thoroughbred Bulls.....	15 00
Thoroughbred Cows.....	8 00
Three Year Old Steers.....	8 00
Two Year Old Steers.....	5 00
One Year Old Steers.....	3 00
Common Cows.....	5 00
Two Year Old Cows.....	3 00
One Year Old Cows.....	2 00
Sheep, per head.....	40
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS BANK OF WAYNE

Charter No. 44 at Wayne in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business March 15th, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$22,838 63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	4,364 33
Other assets, Reserve.....	35 32
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures.....	8,000 50
Other Real Estate.....	2,100 00
Current expenses paid.....	41 81
Cheques and other cash items Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	66,110 13
Cash, Gold.....	5,109 00
Do, Silver.....	5,165 50
Do, Currency.....	599 70
U. S. Notes.....	219 75
Total cash on hand.....	10,524 45
Total.....	\$ 818,568 82

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 75,000 00
Surplus fund.....	15,000 00
Undivided profits.....	10,113 36
Individual deposits.....	512,558 42
Time certificates of deposit.....	92,655 44
Due to National Banks.....	239 70
Total.....	\$ 818,568 82

State of Nebraska, County of Wayne, ss: D. C. MAIN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is correct and a true copy of the report made to the State Banking board.
D. C. MAIN, Cashier.

Attest:
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OFF CAPE HORN

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We were making a fairly good run around Cape Horn into the Pacific in the whaling ship Beacon Light when one morning we sighted a brig which was sailing such an eccentric course that we knew there must be trouble aboard. She was under plain sail only, and we ran down to her to discover that she was abandoned and taking care of herself. I was one of the four men sent off in the mate's boat to board her, and when we had brought her to the wind our captain came aboard for a personal inspection. The brig was the Princess of London, outward bound, and a new craft and a fine one. We could find nothing wrong with her. She was as dry as a bone, all right aloft, with water and provisions in plenty. She had carried a crew of twelve, and there had been no sickness or mutiny. The crew had simply provisioned the boats and shoved off, leaving a staunch craft to drive about until some gale sent her to the bottom or a current carried her ashore on a rockbound coast. Her log was written up to three days before we found her, and it had nothing to say of any trouble aboard.

Here was a knotty problem to solve. That a good ship loaded with a valuable cargo should be abandoned by a full crew in midocean without seeming excuse was a puzzle beyond our ken. After a search lasting for three hours and with nothing new coming to the surface the mate and eight men were put aboard as a crew, and it was decided to sail her into a Chilean port. The salvage would pay better than looking after whales. When we got sail on her, she was found to be very fast, and those of us who made up the crew felicitated ourselves on having a regular picnic in taking her up the coast. All day long we kept a sharp lookout for the boats which had left her, but darkness fell without our having caught sight of them. Of course there had been talk and argument and speculation all day long, but never a man had hinted at anything supernatural. Sailors will tell you of haunted ships, but they are always old craft. With her paint hardly dry and her rigging not yet fully stretched it was impossible to connect the Princess with anything uncanny. A landsman would have soon looked for a ghost in a new corner cottage. There was a surprise in store for us, however.

The watches had been chosen, supper finished and the off watch sent below when the alarm came. The four men of the off watch suddenly rushed on deck from the forecabin and cried out that murder was being done in the hold of the ship. The hatches had been taken off during the captain's visit in the morning and men sent down to inspect the storage of the cargo, and the idea that anybody could be below had not occurred to any one. The watch reported cries of distress and groans of agony, and all of us except the steersman made our way into the forecabin to investigate. Almost at once we heard the cries and groans, and I can tell you that they were of a nature to take the pluck out of a man. The captain at once ordered the fore hatch removed, and I was ordered to take a lantern and go down among the cargo with him. We spent half an hour down there, climbing about and calling out, and during this time not a groan or a cry was heard from the unknown. No sooner had we given up the search, however, than they recommenced, and sail was shortened to allow the whaler to come up. Her captain came aboard and listened to the cries, and then we spent two hours bolting out cargo until the hold could be thoroughly rummaged. It was given such a close inspection that not a dead rat would have been overlooked, but no human being was found. Then the cargo was replaced and the hatch put on, and the captain gave us a piece of his mind. He was yet blasting our eyes for a lot of cowards when a man who had skulked below reported the cries again. It was a knockout for the captain and an upset for us. We stood right up and refused to stay another hour aboard the brig. In this emergency we were sent off to the whaler, the second mate and eight new men were transferred, and the craft made sail. Two hours later the brig lay to and signaled, and it was the same thing over again.

I don't believe that sailors are more superstitious than landsmen. Had this been a haunted house in a city the result would have been the same. The cries and groans brought shivers to every latener, and the new crew not only refused duty, but not another man would leave the whaler for the brig. Captain and mates affected great indignation and were brutal in their language, but nevertheless we knew that they were also under the spell. When daylight came, the brig was searched from end to end, but even as we searched we heard the strange noises. The final result was that she was abandoned again, and as she was never seen afterward she must have foundered in a gale. We reported her at Santiago, and her log was left there for the owners, and since then I have listened to a hundred different theories advanced to explain the mystery. What scared us off frightened her original crew off, but none of her boats ever made land or was picked up. There was no ghost, of course; neither was there a stowaway. The noises were not made by cargo rubbing together, by rats or by bilge water rolling about. There was no straining of timbers. If you want to know what I think, I will tell you. I believe that a swordfish struck and pierced her bottom, his sword driving clear through into the hold under some heavy box, and that he lived for several days and emitted the sounds we heard. M. QUAD.

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