

A FEW FACTS!

In Regard to the Early Settlement of Wayne County.

"The Queen of the Logan Valley!"

Her Development and Present Proud Position Among the Counties of the State!

Something About Her Homes and People.

By S. Mark, Chairman and Secretary.

The Ideal Land of the Agriculturist, Stock Breeder and Planter!

Something of Interest for All!

Wayne County is a beautiful country, and one of the most fertile in the West. It is a land of rich soil and abundant water. The climate is healthy and the people are industrious and enterprising. The county is well adapted to the raising of grain and stock, and is also a good place for planting and raising fruit. The people of Wayne County are proud of their county and its progress, and are anxious to see it develop and prosper.

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The average yield of wheat in the county is about 30 bushels per acre. The average yield of corn is about 40 bushels per acre. The average yield of oats is about 20 bushels per acre. The average yield of hay is about 2 tons per acre. The average yield of stock is about 100 head per 100 acres. The average yield of fruit is about 100 bushels per acre.

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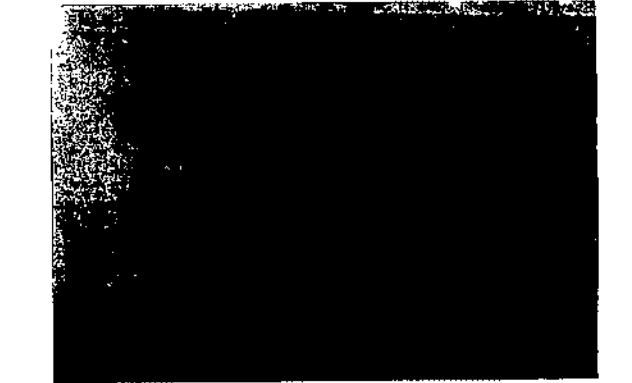
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A Typical Wayne County Farmstead.



The Nebraska Normal College, Founded in 1890.

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Table listing various goods and their prices, including Wheat, Corn, and other commodities.



SPECTACLES. EYE GLASSES, COLORED GLASSES AND GOGGLES. Properly fitted at reasonable prices by J. H. HARRINGTON, Jeweler.

Local and Miscellaneous.

News items including 'The Mackinac', 'The Mackinac Island', and 'The Mackinac Island'.

10c

Articles and notices, including 'The Mackinac Island' and 'The Mackinac Island'.

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Overcoats

Advertisement for overcoats, mentioning 'The Mackinac Island' and 'The Mackinac Island'.

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DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR HOLIDAY DISPLAY!

PRETTY GIFTS! SUITABLE GIFTS! USEFUL GIFTS! POPULAR GIFTS! EVERYBODY DELIGHTED WITH OUR DISPLAY!

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver Ware, Novelties, Etc. Gold Plated Art Novelties. All the rage in the East. We have a Full Line of them.

MINES, LEADING JEWELER.

Advertisement for Mines, Leading Jeweler, listing various jewelry items and prices.

FOR SALE

Advertisement for a property for sale.

FOR RENT

Advertisement for a property for rent.

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HOLIDAY HEADQUARTERS!

This year as for the past 7 years will be at
THE RACKET, WAYNE, NEB.

We now have ready for your inspection, the most complete line of HOLIDAY GOODS at as LOW prices as it has ever been our privilege to offer.

- DOLLS** All Sizes, all Prices from 5c to \$1.00. You will be surprised at the SIZE and QUALITY for the PRICE.
- TOYS** Everything in this line for the little ones, from a Tin Horn to Building Blocks, from Trains of Cars to Jumping Jacks.
- BOOKS** A. B. C. in Tag, SANTA CLAUS Picture Books, Fairy Tales, Book of Animals, History, and Adventure for Boys, at unheard of Prices.
- GAMES** Crokinole Boards, Checkers, Dominoes, and all the New Games, cheaper than ever.
- Fancy China** Direct from Japan, Germany and France. We buy from first hands and save you the benefit. Cups, Mugs, Plates, Berry Sets, Bon Bon Boxes, etc. etc.
- Fancy articles** Albums, Toilet Sets, etc. Too numerous to mention.
- Handkerchiefs** We have surpassed ourselves this year. A Gent's Handkerchief, large, silk embroidered Initial in center, any letter, only 15c. each. Ladies fine Enamelled handkerchiefs from 10c to 25c. Must be seen to be appreciated.
- MUFFLERS.** All kinds. Many Styles. At from 35 cents to one dollar each.

Merry Christmas to all our Friends!

THE RACKET.

WAYNE REPUBLICAN.

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Telephone Exchange.

The Iowa and Nebraska Telephone Company has put into the city one of the most complete exchanges found anywhere. Its service is not just an ornament as well as a blessing to the city and its people. It is less than two months since the company began the service of its lines for the exchange and today there are over 400 phones in use, and the company has orders for many more. The same company has its lines extending to all of the leading towns of Northeast Nebraska and into Western Iowa, Southern Minnesota and South Dakota, so that we are enabled to do business with or talk to our friends whenever inclination or necessity demands.



The Abner Building, Republican Office in the basement.

Stock and Grain Shipments.

The number of cars of cattle and hogs shipped in and out of the county, and also the aggregate shipments are somewhat difficult to arrive at definitely, but we believe the following figures to be a fairly correct for the year ending Dec. 31, 1912:

WAYNE.	CARS
Cattle shipped in	276
Cattle and hogs out	397
Grain out	176
Hog out	116
WYBESBORO.	CARS
Cattle in	131
Cattle out	178
Hog out	75
Grain out	75
GARFIELD.	CARS
Cattle in	90
Cattle out	92
Hog out	212
Grain out	212
Hog out	2

HOBKINS.

Cattle in 1912 85
Cattle out 85
Hog out 40
Grain out 40
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A Grand total of 684 cars of cattle received, and 8281 cars of cattle shipped, and you note to the margin of the world. It should be remembered that Waynesboro, located in Deane County, just north of the Wayne line, is a large shipping point, and that a large part of her shipments go to and out of Wayne; that Waver and Dodge on the Elkhorn are points that receive and ship a great deal from the south part of the county; and that a large part of the stock in the other points that get quite a share of the shipments of the county. It is absolutely safe to say these points all put together will add fully 500 more cars to our shipments, bringing the grand total of shipments of the stock grain and hogs up to 8281 cars. This is a stupendous job any county containing less than 30,000 acres and 10,000 people ought to be proud of.

Various Questions From Write-ups.

In addition to the other notices mentioned in Wayne, there is a large of Ben Bur, and one of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

The first marriage in the county was that of Mrs. E. J. Myers to Miss Sarah Myers, May 14, 1871. The next was that of Philip Granger.

The first officers elected after the organization were:

County Clerk - C. E. Haines
County Treasurer - John Davies
County Judge - M. R. Crowford
County Sup. - R. B. Crawford
Coroner - Nicholas Allen, ad. 1872

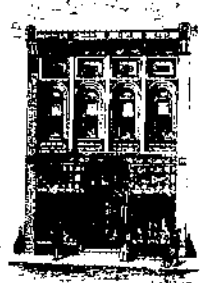
Surveyor - George Scott
Sheriff - A. D. Alley
Comptroller - Christy Erskine
W. K. Dorrance and L. H. Hester

The first claims allowed were to T. J. Weis for 50¢ for transcribing the list, and to C. E. and Geo. Hunter 5¢ each as judges of election.

The first bid was for building the court house in LaPorte, the Logan near the present residence of Gov. Charles. The first salary of County Judge was \$20 per annum; of the Clerk \$100, while the County Superintendent received \$4 per day.

The first county bonds for building a courthouse at LaPorte, were authorized at an election held Feb. 24, 1874. At that time were cast of which 24 were for bonds, and 50 against. The contract for the erection of courthouse was let May 18, 1874, to John P. Wall of Sioux City, for \$7,953. Wall failed to fulfill, and the contract was after awarded to Joe Leach and James H. Sawyer for \$10,000.

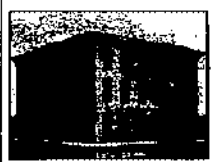
The \$15,000 bonds were sold to J. J. King of Cornsieg, Iowa, at 95¢, the bonds ran 10 years, and bore 10 per cent interest, payable semi-annually.



Safe belonging to E. B. Gumbard & Co.

At the species for a section, J. J. W. Fox having two bullets in his pocket, pulled out the wrong one, and voted for C. O. Richardson for county auditor, instead of for an opponent whose name appeared for the auditing vote on the bond proposition.

The wife and eight year old daughter of one of the first cotton seeders, Mr. Darrin, was burned to death by a portable stove which was left in the kitchen of the same family, which led to the destruction by a fire, killing on child and just a few years ago another son was killed by lightning.



The home of Mrs. J. J. W. Fox.

Whoever also has a good land, and a open house, while Carroll and Heston, each have 500 acres of land.

Santa Claus at the BOOKSTORE

Till * Christmas!



OF ALL KINDS



All of the NEW TOYS on the Market.

Bohemian Glass Ware, Fine Art Pottery.

Opal Toilet Articles, Celluloid Presents, Banquet Lamps, Vases, MEDALLIONS of all kinds, Rose Bowls, Trays of every description, Trinket Boxes,

American * Enamelled * Ware.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Toilet Articles of all kinds, Wooden,

Meal and Glass Ware Presents, White Enamelled Ware.

All the Useful Presents To make 'em all Happy.

Yours for a Merry Christmas,

ROBERT UTTER.

It might not be amiss to say here that William Sommers, J. P. Gentry, and W. P. Abner, W. C. Miller and John S. Adams, Jr. are about the only real business men here, have continued steadily to business here without a change in the firm name, from the time the business was started, though it would be a mistake since business was about about two years, but succeeded business again at the old stand afterwards. We know of no others of which this one is said.

In our write up giving a list of local new houses we overlooked the photo graphic gallery, that a one of the best in the west, with C. M. Graves as the artist.

There may be and probably are quite a lot to the "war" in the town and if so we trust our readers will gladly overlook them, remembering that it is quite difficult to find out everything. We believe that as a whole the facts presented can be relied on as extra precaution has been taken to get at the exact truth as far as it is possible. If you want to send in articles or letters of the county's past and present, there is no way that you can do it in a more direct and condensed form than by sending them a copy of this issue of the REPUBLICAN. It is the most accessible place and easiest to get up the way's paper and delivery next persons will appreciate it. About 1,000 copies will be sent out and our advertisers will reap the benefit of this large edition.

Plenty of it to Loan on Farms at Lowest rate of Interest.
MONEY
A. J. Ferguson, Over First Nat'l Bank, WAYNE, NEB.

BRUCE ROOSA, THE FAIR STORE MAN

Toys for the Children, Fine Cigars for the Gentlemen, Pipes of every description for all Smokers, and Christmas Candy for Everybody AND OF HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS A LINE SELDOM EQUALLED AND NEVER SURPASSED IN THE CITY.

Christmas Presents.

The German Store

Is The LEADING GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE

Not Only of the City but of Northeast Nebraska.

We are selling **PRICES THAT ARE RIGHT.**

On everything in Fall and Winter goods. Our stock is complete and all your wants can be supplied by us.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry taken in exchange for goods at cash prices.

Furchner, Duerig & Co

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Christmas Goods, Toys, Dolls, Trains, Tree Decorations, Candy, Nuts, etc., etc.

Also CIGARETTES, Cigar Store.

THE NATION'S SOLONS

SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Our National Law Makers and What They Are Doing For the Good of the Country

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FOR ROSTALVINS BANKS

National Board of Trade Warns Dis-

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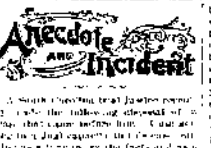
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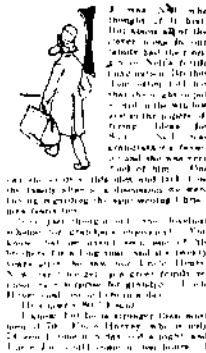


It is the first day of the year... The year is a long one... The year is a long one...

How the year goes after the new year... The year is a long one... The year is a long one...

How the year goes after the new year... The year is a long one... The year is a long one...

A CHRISTMAS REUNION



It was a long time since... The year is a long one... The year is a long one...

How the year goes after the new year... The year is a long one... The year is a long one...

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GRANDMOTHER UNDER THE MISTLETOE



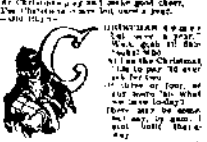
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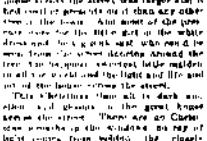
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ACROSS THE STREET



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