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TAFT (Nab State Educational Society) **ELECTED**
New York Gives Taft a 150,000 Majority
NEBRASKA PROBABLY DEMOCRATIC



INDIANA, OHIO AND ILLINOIS ARE EARLY CONCEDED BY DEMOCRATS

Democrats Claim Kinkaid's Defeat

Valley County Gets Back Into the Fusion Column.

Davis the Only Republican on the County Ticket that Wins Out

As The Quiz goes to press Thursday noon there is no possible doubt as to the result of Tuesday's election. As usual much depended upon the result in New York, but from the very first returns received Tuesday evening it was quite apparent that New York would poll an enormous vote for Taft and this early encouragement a few hours later ripened into one of the largest republican majorities ever given by the empire state to a republican candidate. Following the conceding of New York to Taft, Democrats gained some satisfaction from reported democratic gains in Ohio and Indiana, and with the characteristic ability of their National Chairman claimed both of these states for Bryan. Later returns clearly proved that the doubtfulness of these states was without foundation and that both of them would give substantial Republican majorities. The Taft vote in the Electoral College will exceed 300.

Enterprise News.

E. C. Loomis and family attended church in the Valley today.

Red Loomis has returned from Lincoln for a few days at home. He has been hanging there, but will attend school as soon as he returns.

It is queer how the sale of the cure course tickets has fallen in this neighborhood. A few days ago everybody went and took all the neighbors, now only one man in fifty knows a lecture really is. The simple cause is the prevalence of shows, which contain a

preponderance of amusement and no instruction whatever. So long as cheap shows occupy the boards from Nov. until May the Lecture Course will have to suffer.

Frances Keating told us a story on himself that would make the natives sit up and take notice if it were seen in print, but lack of space and fear of consequences to ourself forbids its publication this week. It is funny enough to drive our hearers into convulsions (I mean convulsions) but our life is worth more than your amusement.

Several ne... went into the Ben Hur lodge Tuesday evening. A contest for new

Unofficial Result in Valley County

	President	Governor	Congress	State Senator	Representative	Co. Atty
	W. J. Bryan, Ins.	G. L. Sheldon, R.	A. C. Shaubert, Ins.	W. H. Westover, Ins.	Peter Nordness, Rep.	Charles Davis, Rep.
Noble.....	38	56	27	63	37	49
Elyria.....	35	57	25	93	28	67
Eureka.....	14	49	16	49	18	47
Granum.....	34	70	29	77	24	82
Michigan.....	35	38	35	41	35	42
Ord.....	72	38	67	43	67	42
Springdale.....	36	34	34	38	39	34
North Loup.....	162	116	166	115	162	113
Enterprise.....	49	37	54	33	49	37
Vinton.....	42	38	44	42	51	34
Liberty.....	33	39	30	41	39	40
Arcadia.....	139	100	144	93	148	90
Yale.....	37	34	37	33	35	36
Davis Creek.....	33	47	34	47	33	50
Independent.....	35	49	33	53	35	63
Ord City.....	251	215	231	234	220	252
Majority.....	1044	1045	1000	1006	938	1200

members is on and a great deal of interest is being manifested. The members are planning to put on a new play some time next month and it will certainly be a success.

Enterprise polls a larger vote than ever this year, and nearly every voter will be present to have his share in electing our next President Bill.

Ed Dow is again in Ord for a short time. He tells us that his family are enjoying the best of health in Colorado and that his daughter May has entirely recovered from her lameness.

Several young men were busy Monday clearing the chimneys and getting the stoves of the Presbyterian church ready for execution during the cold weather which is billed to follow election.

G. G. Clements is hauling material for the erection of a substantial barn on his ranch. This is a needed improvement and will be a useful addition, to the cause of Hereford Cattle and Poland China hogs.

Jake Peterson's barn is nearing completion and is making quite an imposing appearance. Mr. Peterson believes in keeping up with the times and has spared no pains in making the structure as good as the best.

Rev. Barkheimer and family are now at Thomas, Okla., where they will likely remain for some time, as Mr. Barkheimer is not yet fully decided where he will locate. We wish him success wherever his fortune may take him.

Ed Armstrong is highly pleased with his election as town clerk until the last minute it was doubtful whether the Republican or the Democratic candidate would win out. The final count however, showed Ed well in the lead. It pays to have a stand in with both parties.

Gentle reader; did you ever waken did you ever waken from your slumbers as the waning moon had just ceased to wane in the west, with apprehensive thrills and bedbugs chasing up and down your spinal column, and a dark blue odor of concentrated misery ramifying through your nostrils? Did you ever

rise from your humble cot, gracefully catching your major toe of the off foot in the covers and bumping your brow against the bureau, and then saunter forth with a gun in one hand and a club in the other, while the chill wind whistled a mournful dirge through the folds of your abbreviated wearing apparel? And when you had found the dark gentleman with the white stripe on his back, did you ever hit the dog with the first shot and get a knock out blow on the solar plexus from the unexpected discharge of the second? And did you then try to kill him with the club and notice the persistency with which he always succeeded in facing the wrong way? Did you notice also that your friends preferred to visit you over the phone for several days afterwards? If you have never noticed things you are missing half the joy of living and your friends will never say of you living or dead;

"Here lies a hero; 'Tis bad that he died, But we're glad to be told That a hero has lied."

We hear from reliable sources that there is to be a social at No. 10 on Wednesday evening the 19th, which will differ materially from the usual in both quality and quantity of entertainment furnished. The ladies are supposed to bring the usual well filled baskets and the gentlemen will perform the graceful act of shelling out quite plentifully. In anticipation of the large crowd an impersonator and elocutionist of national reputation has been secured and will afford amusement and entertainment for the evening. In fact no trouble or expense will be spared in making this an occasion to be remembered for years to come. Come out and enjoy yourself as you never have before. It will cost you nothing unless you think the entertainment the greatest surprise of your life.

At the last moment, when there was little or no chance for refutation, the Grand Island Democrat came out in a special edition denouncing Taft and Sheldon as opposed to having the members of the G. A. R. in positions of trust in the government, and also opposed to granting pensions. A copy was sent to each member of the G. A. R. in the state. Luckily, the reputation which the Democrat has earned for springing campaign falsehood is well known and the special edition had little or no effect on the vote of the state. When it comes to dirty underhanded mud slinging the Democrat has its nearest competitor the World Herald, beaten a mile.

We are in receipt of a special edition of the Grand Junction Daily News, sent by the Coe Investment Co. It is certainly a magnificent specimen of the printers art and shows, by facts and photographs, what that section of Colorado is capable of producing. If the scenery itself is half as lovely as some of the pictures it must be a heavenly place to live. But some of us must be content to remain in Nebraska a while yet, at least. We however are glad to know that some of our old friends are in such a location and doing so extensive a business.

Fred Cook left Monday for Grand Island where he will spend the winter studying at the Business and Normal College. All who have the pleasure of his acquaintance are wishing him success. The many sons

all assembled at the J. D. Cook home Sunday evening to wish their brother a pleasant trip and to help the family enjoy the good things which all had prepared for the occasion. When Mr. Cook and his eight sons all get together they look like an army ready for war.

We are pleased to be able to announce this week that Mrs. Evert Petty is well on the road to recovery. However Dr. Miller believes that this recovery is only temporary and expects to perform an operation for appendicitis as soon as his patient has recovered her strength.

Hallow-en pranksters did little or no damage in the Valley, as most of the boys who delight in such sport were attending a dance at Hejsek's and could not spare the time. Most every body kept awake to watch for trouble the greater part of the night and those who did sleep found their rest disturbed by visions of wrecked machinery and misplaced vehicles.

Will, Charles and Geo. Rowse and Will Bone arrived from the sand hills Sunday prepared for bloody warfare on the shucks and smutty nubbins of our valley cornfields. Most of them have been here before and helped in a like capacity. The only thing to be regretted is the fact that three staunch Kinkaiders and Taft men lose their votes. But methinks that ere this is printed we will find that neither of these men really needed these extra votes to insure his election.

Chester Honnold could not stand the idea of loosing his first chance to vote for a republican president and broke away from his school duties long enough to be home from Saturday until Wednesday. He is in Omaha and is learning to be an M. D. and a Ph. D. In other words a mixer of drugs and a dispenser of Physics. He brings very encouraging reports from our metropolis in regard to the outlook for the Republican ticket.

The condition of the weather during the past few weeks has been the cause of much surprise as many predicted an early snow. The democrats are enthusiastic, declaring that it means a long reign for their Prince of peace.

Many a boy and girl is having a hard struggle to get thru school just because the father or mother, "Don't like to see the young people wear glasses."

Of course this foolish prejudice is rapidly dying out as people realize what a real benefit glasses are.

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THE ORD QUIZ

By W. W. HASKELL

ORD, NEBRASKA

It's better to occupy a thatched cottage than a marble mausoleum.

The man who isn't satisfied until he is married isn't always satisfied then.

Hope has been described as a "life preserver with most of the cork out of it."

The only thing wrong with money is that there isn't enough of it to go round.

Few of us have shoulders that will not droop under the weight of imaginary troubles.

A craze for aeroplanes is developing. But that is a business which is liable to frequent drops.

Iceland is eager for home rule. In other words, its people want to be their own ice-men.

Who was it that said the new feminine hat wasn't to be bigger and more unbecoming than ever?

Every time Alfred Austin bursts into song a series of critical explosions occurs all over the world.

The proper study of mankind is man, but the most talked of one just at present is tuberculosis.

About this time paterfamilias gets stalled with questions from Young Hopeful on school subjects.

Maybe the airship will oust the warship, but it will have to take several feeds of gas or gasoline first.

The man who prides himself on always saying what he thinks seldom succeeds in saying anything any one else wants to hear.

Aeroplanes of the Wright pattern are to be on the market soon at about \$4,000 each. Take a few home to amuse the children.

The Bococtawanankes Canoe club was recently organized at Pawtuxet, R. I. Imagine a girl trying to work that name onto a sofa pillow!

Now that it has been discovered that sweet potatoes make an excellent brain food some philanthropist should work to have the price reduced.

A whistling buoy adrift is scaring mariners on the wide Atlantic. But if it only refrains from "The Merry Widow," et al., all may yet be well.

And now some one claims that a girl knows two weeks before a man even admits to himself that she is rather attractive what hour he will propose.

Though it is foretold by aeroplane manufacturers that the battleships are doomed, the scuttling of those impressive vessels will be postponed awhile.

It is easier now for stranded Britishers in this country to write home for money. The same happy condition applies to stranded Americans in England.

Will the broken-down English nobleman who marries a poor girl at home instead of an American heiress be given a annuity from the Carnegie hero fund?

Emperor Franz Joseph still enjoys his favorite pastime of hunting at Ischl, and in spite of his 78 years climbed 5,000 feet the other day and shot four stags.

Andrew Carnegie has now established a hero fund of \$1,250,000 for Scotland, with listening to bagpipe music barred as a reason for getting in the money.

The navy wants an airship which will float as well as fly. Naval experts understand that it is entirely possible to be in the air and in deep water at one and the same time.

King Edward, though a gracious sovereign, is a busy man, and probably never will find time to make a lord out of our distinguished ex-countryman, William Waldorf Astor.

The Wright brothers between them have established the fact that flight like a bird is possible, but also that it is very difficult. It requires no merely good flying machine, but a good operator. However, says the Brooklyn Eagle, once a man learns how to fly with freedom, he will have thousands of rivals. The human part of the problem is easy, and on its mechanical side it is approaching solution.

Two-thirds of the habitual inebriates under some form of public care in Great Britain are mentally defective; according to the recent report of the royal commission on the care and control of the feeble-minded. This conclusion conforms to that drawn by many thoughtful persons in America. The man who permits himself to become incapacitated through the gratification of any appetite is deficient, either mentally or morally.

With passage paid for and trunks aboard, a family of nine stayed on the wharf in New York and saw their ship sail away for France; because the wife and mother had a premonition that the ship was going down. The ship did not go down; but if it had, how eagerly that foolish premonition would have been seized upon by the superstitious to find cause and effect in what is merely coincidence! Fortunately, most of the things that our vague apprehension foresees are not there when we come to them.

The navy department has asked permission to use the Washington monument as a telegraph pole—not a common or street-disfiguring variety of pole for stringing wires on, but as a station for temporary experiments with wireless telegraphy. It is believed that from its top, 555 feet in the air, messages can be sent to warships 3,000 miles away. If this is found possible, an iron tower of the same height will be erected in Washington for a per-

NEWS OF NEBRASKA

A GENERAL RESUME OF THE HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK.

ITALIAN MUST STAND TRIAL

Pasqual Christiano Charged With Murder of Genova, at Fremont—Others Held in Bond to Appear as Witnesses.

Pasqual Christiano must stand trial in district court on the charge of murdering Tona Genova, an Italian who was killed in a fight at Fremont not long ago. Justice Dame Wednesday morning bound Christiano over to the district court and fixed his bond at \$3,000, which he was unable to give. All of the Italians who testified at the preliminary hearing and at the coroner's inquest, were ordered held by County Attorney Graham and Justice Dame announced that they would have to put up security of \$100 each. Only three of the witnesses were able to give bond. The others are locked up in jail.

The story brought out in Justice Dame's court was similar to the one which the authorities with a good deal of trouble developed at the inquest. A big knife and two crude stiletos, made from files or other pieces of steel to which the Italians had access, were exhibited to the court. These weapons were found in the vicinity of the fight and are the ones it is presumed that were used. Two of them are still bloodstained. Christiano's defense will be that the fight was a general one and that while he was injured, he took no part in it with a weapon. Christiano claims that he was unarmed.

MAY HAVE CLUE TO MURDER.

Verdict in Fritz King Case at Nebraska City.

The coroner's jury which heard the evidence of a large number of witnesses over the remains of Fritz King, whose dead body was found on the Missouri Pacific tracks at Nebraska City last Thursday morning, returned a verdict that he came to his death from causes unknown to the jury. The officers were urged to further investigate, as the evidence was not sufficient to hold anyone on the charge of murder, but the jury were satisfied that the deceased had been killed and thrown upon the track. His skull was crushed and his money all gone. He was known to have had a large sum of money on his person the night before he was killed. The officers are working upon a clue which they are confident will result in their being able to arrest one or more of the guilty parties in a few days.

Big Reward Offered.

The board of supervisors of Johnson county have offered a reward of \$500 for the capture of the man or men who took the books in the Chamberlain bank case or tesromffice of berlain bank case from the office of the sheriff in the court house at Tecumseh one night last week, and an additional \$50 for the return of the books. Every effort possible has been made to find some clue which might lead to the apprehension of the parties who purloined the books. The local officers have been hard at work and a detective from Lincoln has been in that vicinity and at Beatrice, where Chamberlain is said to have been most of the time since the books were taken, watching closely for something that would throw light on the mysterious affair.

Arrested U. P. Brakeman.

Thursday morning a brakeman named Pollock was arrested at Grand Island and taken to Omaha to answer to the charge of stealing goods from Union Pacific cars. From the reports of the company found some of the missing goods at Pollock's home. Seven men will be placed under arrest, some of them said to live in Grand Island and others are scattered along the line between Omaha and Grand Island. It is expected that discoveries will be made which will show where a large amount of missing goods of the company has been placed.

Waterworks at Sutton Burn.

At about one o'clock Wednesday morning the waterworks building at Sutton was discovered to be on fire. Prompt action was taken by the fire company, but without avail. In 20 minutes the entire building containing the pumps and machinery, and also the coal sheds adjoining, were in ruins. The loss is estimated at \$200,000 with no insurance. It is generally believed that the fire was of incendiary origin.

Victim of the Black Hand.

An Italian who gave the name of Villado Dipitti appealed to the police at Newark, N. J., Thursday, for a personal body guard to protect him from the Black Hand. Exhibiting the stumps of his arms, which had not yet healed, the man declared that members of the Black Hand had lured him from Morroth, W. Va., to a shanty in St. Michaels, Pa., where his arms were amputated. He said he was then bound and placed aboard a railroad train. He declares that the same band is preparing to amputate his legs in further vengeance for his betraying a member.

Bank Blowers Bound Over.

The preliminary examination of H. F. Brown and William Hall, who were charged with blowing up the safe and burglarizing the State bank of De-weese October 1, was held Wednesday before County Judge Palmer at Clay Center. County Attorney Slinger prosecuted and M. F. Moran of St. Joseph defended the prisoners. They were bound over to the district court. Their bonds were fixed at \$3,000, and

UNVEIL MONUMENT

SHAFT ERECTED TO MEMORY OF BENJAMIN HARRISON.

INDIANAPOLIS IN GALA ATTIRE

Vice-President Fairbanks Pays a Distinguished Tribute to the Memory of the Dead Statesman—Other News.

The Benjamin Harrison monument in University park, Indianapolis, Ind., was unveiled Tuesday afternoon, the event being attended by interesting ceremonies. Prior to the unveiling there was a parade through the business section of the city. The public schools were closed, Mayor Bookwalter having declared a half holiday. Vice President Fairbanks, president of the Harrison Monument Fund commission, presented the monument to the people. Miss Harrison, daughter of the dead statesman, pulled the cords and released the flags and four veterans of her father's regiment drew them to their positions on adjoining poles. The monument thus being unveiled those present joined in singing "America."

In speaking of the services which General Harrison had rendered the people of this country, Mr. Fairbanks said:

"In every relation of life from the beginning he set his eyes on high ideals, and whether at the bar, upon arduous field, in the senate of the United States or in the office of chief executive of the nation, he held fast to them. General Harrison possessed great natural ability and there was coupled with it a genius for labor. Whatever subject engaged his attention, whether in war, at the bar, or in the field of statesmanship, was masterly handled. He never submitted to the people's hasty or ill-considered conclusions. He both spoke and wrote out of the fullness and accuracy of knowledge which served to win for him the public confidence and to establish a firm hold upon the people."

"General Harrison commanded respect in every field in which he fought. He was a leader by common consent. His soldierly qualities in his young manhood won admiration for him among his comrades, and those above him in command. He advanced at the bar by steady and certain strides until he attained the acknowledged leadership of his profession in the entire country. He was one of the foremost members of the senate of the United States."

"As chief executive of the nation he made a record characterized by statesmanship of the highest order and by a mastery of the problems which challenged his considerations, gave to his administration place among the best the country has ever had. His occupancy of the highest office within the gift of his countrymen did not exalt them. He exalted the office. He will stand in the history of this country, when it is impartially written, as one of the nation's great presidents."

ROOSEVELT FIFTY YEARS OLD.

Many Congratulatory Messages Received at the White House.

Theodore Roosevelt, twenty-sixth President of the United States, became fifty years of age Tuesday. He began his fifty-first year by getting to his desk early and spending the day hard at work in his office, receiving such members of his cabinet as are in town at the regular semi-weekly meeting and discussing with them matters relating to their departments. Congratulatory messages poured in to the Presidents office and at the White House all day. Many foreign rulers took advantage of the opportunity to send messages of warm friendship and good will through their diplomatic representatives, who called in person to present them to the President. Many others of the White House callers were persons who came to extend their congratulations. Among these was the delegation of members of the Hungarian Republican club of New York City.

100 Cottages Burned.

The greater portion of the thickly housed summer colony at Salisbury Beach, Mass., was wiped out early Tuesday by a fire which destroyed more than 100 cottages, situated along the beach front, north of the mouth of the Merrimac river. Practically all of the houses had been abandoned for the season. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

O'Connor Saved from Jail.

By a vote of 5 to 2 the supreme court Monday, after hearing the arguments, set aside the order of District Judge George Allen, directing that Secretary of State Allen, directing that Guggenheim and business men's ticket on the official ballot for the election November 4, and rescinded Judge Allen's order committing Secretary of State Timothy O'Connor to jail for contempt of court. The rejected tickets were filed by the faction of the Republican party opposed to the leadership of United States Senator Simon Guggenheim.

Laurier Wins in Canada.

Election for the federal house of commons were held Monday throughout Canada. Of the 221 constituencies in the dominion only two, Rouville, Que., and South York, Ont., returned members by acclamation. In all the others, with the exception of five, which held their elections later, there were contests. The returns show that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the present premier, who in the last house had a majority of 66, will be re-

OURAGE IN ANTELOPE COUNTY.

Enraged Citizens Scouring Country for Strange Man.

Oakdale and the entire community is indignantly astir in an effort to capture the man who made an attempt to either assault or kidnap the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Moore, who live on a farm ten miles south of that place. If the guilty person is found he may be harshly dealt with. No description can be had of the man, as he wore a mask, and the child is unable to give any further information than that his skin was white, and that the only apparel worn by him at the time was a suit of underwear. From what the little girl is able to tell of the incident it is believed that the man was demented or temporarily deranged, as his actions, as described by her, are not those of a sane person.

The attack upon the child was made about 5 o'clock Tuesday when she was returning to her home from school, a distance of a mile and a half. She says the man came upon her suddenly, accosted her and then without warning picked her up in his arms and hurried her through a nearby cornfield, toward the Moore home. She managed to make her escape after a struggle with the fellow and succeeded in reaching the house in an exhausted condition, bordering almost on unconsciousness. The man made his escape and has not been seen since.

Hotel Burned at Sterling.

About eight o'clock Thursday evening fire destroyed the Commercial hotel at Sterling, burning the structure completely to the ground. Most of the contents, however, were saved with slight damage by water. The building was the property of Joseph Swallow. He considered it worth \$2,500, and had \$1,500 insurance. A defective fuse was the cause of the blaze, and the fire had quite a little start before discovery. The most urgent efforts were required to save the store of Charles Kirkwood adjoining, and two residences nearby, owned by Mrs. Benjamin Baker.

Robbers Secure Valuable Furs.

At the Western Fur Company, 512 South Sixteenth street, Omaha, burglars Thursday night stole \$1,200 worth of furs and \$14.50 in money. The police think that the burglars broke in the rear window, but the proprietor thinks that one of them who came up as a customer Wednesday afternoon, hid in the establishment and broke into the fur storage rooms after closing hours. The fur company was robbed of \$700 worth of furs last December.

Seventy-five Years Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, who reside near Rulo, are supposed to be the oldest married couple in the state. Mr. Jones is 97 years of age and his wife is two years older. They were married in Jackson county, Ohio, and a few days ago celebrated their seventy-fifth wedding anniversary. They have three sons living, aged respectively 68, 60 and 57 years.

The recent disastrous storms have emphasized the necessity of protection against fire, lightning and tornado. A good company for farmers to insure in is the Farmers & Merchants of Lincoln. Their policies are easy to understand and prompt settlements are made after adjustment of claims. Thousands of satisfied customers have received benefits.

Farmers should all have telephones. Write to us and learn how to get the best service for the least money. Nebraska Telephone Company, 18th and Douglas streets, Omaha. "Use the Bell."

Nebraska Notes.

Cumling county is getting out a new atlas.

Two feet of snow reported during the week at points west of Chadron.

A fine new school house is nearing completion at Irwin, Cherry county.

The Farmers' State bank has been incorporated at Altona, Wayne Co.

The Winside Tribune figures that the primary election cost Wayne county \$115 a vote.

C. W. Cutsall raised 600 bushels of potatoes on three acres up in Cherry county.

The Nebraska Telephone Company has reduced its rates between Norfolk and Madison.

If Battlingus of Valentine lost 14 stacks of grain by fire. Sparks from a passing engine.

A revival meeting at Central City gathered in during the past week about 25 converts.

Considerable diphtheria prevails in the country about Wisner. Two or three deaths are reported.

Dealers at Platte Center are paying 45 cents for new ear corn. They are offering a little more for new shelled.

William Bolts and Henry Martens are having the gas light system installed in their places of business at Scribner.

Douglas, down in Otoe county, feels quite cramped up over the little tornado that visited that place during the past week.

A farmer in Otoe county received a check the other day for \$1,038 in payment for his wheat crop on 35 acres.

For the purpose of protection against fire the Merriman village authorities have purchased a chemical fire engine at a cost of \$350.

Mike Hamming while hunting along the Elkhorn, southeast of Arlington, shot and killed a man-of-war black eagle. The bird will be mounted.

The condition of Mrs. W. P. Toohy, who was badly burned in the gas explosion at Greeley last week in which her husband, W. P. Toohy, lost his life, is improving.

The body of Alvah Richardson, who was drowned in a lake near Minnatare, Neb., October 13, was taken to Crab Orchard for burial last week.

Charles D. Meigs, reputed to be the greatest Sunday school worker in America, will deliver an address before the Sunday school convention at Table Rock, November 13.

A force has been kept busy watching the new dam at Snyder and plugging up holes as the water found its way through. But the ground is gradually getting more solid and it is be-

BAD FOR INVESTORS

ACCOUNTANTS DISCLOSE SCANDAL IN C. & M. AFFAIRS.

MILLIONS UNACCOUNTED FOR

Mystifying Tricks of Financiers Are Discovered in the Chicago Railroad Case Involving Millions of Dollars.

Ten million dollars in round figures out of a total of \$18,000,000 put up by investors for the bankrupt Chicago & Milwaukee Railway company has gone into something else besides construction, according to reports of certified accountants to the receivers appointed by Federal Judge Peter S. Grosscup. The principal feature of the accountants' reports were made public Friday. The reports show that \$8,454,000, including the floating debt, have been spent in the construction of the entire road. Outstanding against this is a total bond and certificate issue of \$16,000,000 and other debts amounting to \$2,169,000, making a total debt of \$18,169,000. The difference between this amount and the money actually expended on the road is \$9,715,000.

Only a hazy idea of the ultimate disposition of this \$9,715,000 exists outside the circle of the promoters of the company. A tremendously large amount was dissipated in the selling of bonds at extremely low prices. Until affairs are probed thoroughly the investors will not know all of the quicksands that sucked in their money.

The Wisconsin division of the road is the most striking example of extraordinary financing. The actual cost of the construction was \$2,250,000. Against this is a debt of \$13,929,805.

ECHO OF REUF CASE.

Man Who Sought to Acquit Facing Prison Sentence.

Standing in the shadow of the penitentiary, with sentence about to be passed upon him, E. A. S. Blake, the contractor convicted of attempting to bribe John M. Kelly to qualify on the jury to try Abraham Reuf and vote for Reuf's acquittal, made a full confession in court at San Francisco, Thursday. He told how, after he was arrested, Frank J. Murphy, Reuf's associate counsel, came to him and promised him \$10,000 if he would keep quiet, the amount in notes signed by Reuf being delivered to a third party to be paid to Blake immediately after he was sentenced. Beside this amount Blake declared that his wife was to receive \$100 a month while he was in the penitentiary.

When Blake was called on to rise for sentence his young wife cried, "No, not that," and began to sob hysterically. She was led from the room and after motions for a new trial and arrest of judgment had been denied, Blake said he had a statement to make as a reason why sentence should not be pronounced. This came as a complete surprise to his counsel, who were permitted to withdraw from the case. After being sworn and stating that he had not been promised immunity, Blake told of being offered \$1,000 to influence J. M. Kelly, a prospective juror, to vote for the acquittal of Reuf. He at first offered Kelly \$500, which was refused, but the offer of \$1,000 was accepted. Blake then told of the offer of \$10,000 and provision for his wife while he was in prison if he would not make a confession. The story told by Blake created a sensation in court and the case was continued two weeks.

Mrs. William Astor Dead.

Mrs. William Astor, who for thirty years has been regarded as the social leader of New York, died Friday night of heart disease at her home on Fifth avenue. For nearly four weeks Mrs. Astor, who was 82 years old, has been in a critical condition, owing to the return of a heart affection that had given her trouble for years. There is not a name in the social register so well known from one end of the land to the other as that of Mrs. Astor. Despite her advanced age she continued to hold social domination up to a year ago, when falling health compelled her to retire into comparative seclusion.

To Combat Night Riders.

The Texas and Oklahoma anti-robber thief association, in a session at Muskogee, Okla., adopted a resolution pledging its 10,000 members to assist in the arrest and prosecution of night riders. It also decided to memorialize President Roosevelt to stop the shipping of liquor into this state from Missouri and Arkansas to minor children. The association officers claim to have evidence that liquor is being shipped into the state to boys and girls 12 and 14 years old.

Further Wage Reduction.

James Tansey, president of the Fall River, Mass., textile council, has notified the union representatives that there will be a further reduction in wages in the cotton mills next month. As nearly as can be figured out the cut will amount to about 8 per cent.

Chinese to Lose Their Heads.

An edict issued Friday orders the beheading of two and severe punishment for seven other of the Chinese officers concerned in the crossing of the Tonkin border and the killing of French soldiers in Tonkin in July of this year.

Burglars Rob Store.

Burglars forced their way into the store of Corbin Brothers & Co., of Cordell, Texas, Thursday and, blowing the safe open with a charge of nitroglycerine, secured about \$100 in cash and checks to the amount of \$7,000 and escaped.

Mitchell Day in Pennsylvania.

Mitchell Day, commemorating the ending of the coal strike in 1900, was observed throughout the anthracite coal regions of Pennsylvania.

HAD HAND IN CRIME

VOLUNTARY CONFESSION BY A NIGHT RIDER.

MANY MEN ARE IMPLICATED

Not Present at the Lynching of Rankin, But Aided in Planning It, and Was a Participant in Other Outrages.

"Ted" Burton, self-confessed night rider, told a remarkable story Tuesday of night rider depredations in the vicinity of Reelfoot lake, Tenn., confessing to the part he played in the outrage which reached a culmination in the putting to death of Captain Quintin Rankin, a prominent attorney of Trenton, Tenn., on the banks of the lake and implicating men prominent in this section of the state. Of the number he declared had a part in the killing of Captain Rankin more than half are now in custody at Camp Nemo, the military base near Samburg. The confession was made to Sheriff Hains, Judge Harris, owner of a large tract of land in the Reelfoot lake district, who has suffered much at the hands of the raiders, and Mayor Cleveland Donelson of Tiptonville. The confession was made freely and voluntarily with no offers of a lessened punishment or threats, and, apparently without a qualm of conscience, he largely unfolded his story.

While Burton denies that he was present when Captain Rankin was put to death, he admits that it was through information given by him that the band congregated and secured the attorney while he stopped at the hotel at Walnut Log. According to Burton's confession, Tom and Garret Johnson, under arrest, Tom and William Wilson, under bond in connection with another raid, were the leaders of the lake band. Burton declares that the first part he played as a member of the night riders' band was when he aided in the burning of a fish dock at Samburg and several weeks later was one of a party which crossed the county line from the Reelfoot lake district into the adjoining county of Lake, and whipped Justice of the Peace Winn, an aged man.

The ringleader of the night riders, it is believed is Garrett Johnson. It is the general opinion that Johnson, if he can be made to talk, could tell more about the recent outrages than any other man under arrest. Not less than forty, who are alleged to have been connected actively with night riding are already under arrest, and enough evidence has already been collected to hang at least four men.

John F. Cockran, who was captured after a chase on the lake, has confessed that the night rider outrages have included the whipping of women. One woman was whipped for leaving her husband and another for being of ill-repute.

FUMES KILL WORKMEN.

Great Damage Results From Oil Well Fires.

Deadly fumes from Mexico's great oil well fire sixty miles from Tampico have killed more than a score of workmen during the past few days, completely blackened the white paint on the side of ships, and caused thousands of dollars damage to ranches and other neighboring interests, according to Captain Michael Henriches of the steamship City of Mexico, which reached New Orleans Tuesday night. Battling to save what they could from the wreckage American mine owners, after spending more than a million dollars finally succeeded in extinguishing the blaze, but even greater terrors than before prevailed then. When the fire was stopped the gases burst forth and laborers inhaling a bit of the stuff dropped in their tracks dead. Owners of the well have appealed to the Mexican government and several companies of soldiers have been sent to the scene.

SOLDIER IS SENTENCED.

Private Who Ran Amuck and Killed Four Gets Life Term.

Private Mike Beecham, of the First cavalry, who ran amuck at Camp Stotsenburg last May and killed four of his comrades, was sentenced to life imprisonment at Manila Wednesday by the trial court before which he appeared. The court took the view that the crime was unpremeditated and the result of a sudden fit of anger. Under the Spanish law, therefore, the court held that the circumstances in the case did not warrant the infliction of the death penalty. Beecham will probably appeal from this sentence, although the supreme court, to which his appeal must be directed, has the power to substitute the death penalty.

Boni Hearing Is Continued.

The petition of Count Boni de Castellane for a modification of the decree of divorce obtained by his wife, who was Miss Anna Gould of New York, on account of her subsequent marriage to Prince Helle de Sagan, came up in the tribunal of the Seine, Paris, Wednesday, but at the request of the defense the hearing was adjourned until November 4. This court makes this petition with the idea of giving his mother custody of his children. There is reason to believe that negotiations are under way to settle the case out of court.

Discover Will of Slayer.

The will of Manuel Silva Buisa, the man who on February 1 of last year assassinated King Carlos, has been discovered at Lisbon. It is dated June 28, evidently in anticipation of his death, and gives instructions as to how his children were to be notified of his demise. He said he had no property to leave his children other than "my name, my respect and my compassion for those who suffer. I beg that my children be brought up in the principle of liberty, equality and fraternity, for which they will soon be

I AM A MOTHER



How many American women in lonely homes to-day long for this blessing to come into their lives, and to be able to utter these words, but because of some organic derangement this happiness is denied them. Every woman interested in this subject should know that preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by the use of **LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND**. Mrs. Maggie Gilmer, of West Union, S. C., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: "I was greatly run-down in health from a weakness peculiar to my sex, when Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. It not only restored me to perfect health, but to my delight I am a mother."

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Bill Doollittle's System a Good One, But Not Attractive.

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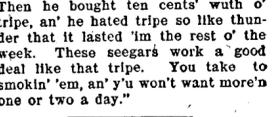
"It probably doesn't do me any good," I said; "but I'd have trouble quitting it."

"No, y'u wouldn't. Smoke this." He took from his vest pocket the fellow to the stogie in his mouth and tossed it across the table to me. "Ever hear how Bill Doollittle lived on ten cents a week?"

"I confessed that Bill's economies had never been brought to my attention."

"Wal," said Biddle, "he took dinner with a friend on Sunday, an' ate enough to last 'im 'til Wednesday. Then he bought ten cents' worth o' tripe, an' he lated tripe so like thunder that it lasted 'im the rest o' the week. These seagars work a good deal like that tripe. You take to smokin' 'em, an' y'u won't want more'n one or two a day."

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"Goodness, sonny, are you in pain?" "Naw, the pain's in me

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Now look for a return of business activity.

Bryan must be getting used to it by this time.

Orders received at the Journal office for copies of the "Third Battle."

Is it not darned strange that people in Nebraska can be fooled so easily with Bryan's fool notions? Will they never learn better?

The fellow who has been waiting for the statement that Bryan would not be a candidate four years hence is a pretty disappointed man.

But it will probably not be "three times and out" with Bryan. He will bob up serenely four years hence with another brand new paramour issue and will be fooling the people with it again.

It is a little tough to have the fair state of Nebraska go democratic but with the nation safely republican we can stand it for a couple of years. Almost any sacrifice would be better than the election of Bryan.

Probably the worst case of political ingratitude if the defeat of Sheldon by the people of Nebraska. No governor ever did more conscientious work for the right than he. All his acts were above reproach. In everything he did the thing that looked to the interests of the common people, but he was slaughtered in the house of his friends. The meanest thing that was done to him, perhaps, was the lying circular letter sent out by one Thomas, presuming to speak for the anti-saloon league, charging Sheldon with failing to sign certain temperance bills and doing things at the dictation of the Omaha breweries. This circular was mailed all over the state during the last few days of the campaign, when no denial could be generally made. Sheldon promptly denounced the circular as a lie and unsupported by the records, but the work was already done. Immediately after the election Thomas came out with an apology for the lies he had told and said he was sorry that he had been misinformed. In saying this he lied again. Such men ought to be sent to the penitentiary. Anyway, it proves that the anti-saloon league is a mere grafting institution and that its officers are there for the money they can extort from candidates.

The Causes.

The election is over and with the smoke clearing away it is apparent that the country over is more firmly than ever standing up for the principles of republicanism. In most states republicans have made gains. The one notable exception to the trend toward republicanism is Nebraska, and naturally the question arises, what caused Nebraska to slump so markedly. The answer that would come first to mind may be the fact that one of the great leaders in the presidential race was a Nebraskan. But that does not answer the question fully, for Bryan is by no means a Nebraskan idol. Three other things, to our mind, played the greater part. First of these was the folly of republicans in sending so many bankers to the state convention to formulate the platform. No matter what that convention did, its work would be, and was viewed with suspicion by the voters of the state because of the dominating influence of the bankers therein. The voters could not forget that the sub-committee which drafted the platform was composed of bankers with but one exception.

The other things that worked hard against the republicans were local option and bank guaranty. The former was worked assiduously in the towns and the latter in the country, so that the democrats got us coming and going.

On these questions the republicans were right, but they were used to our hurt just the same.



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of funds. While the democrats had unlimited money and kept speakers constantly in the field preaching their evil doctrines, the republicans were unable to meet them for want of the money necessary to do it with. That the great interests were backing the democrats financially is now certain.

We do not believe that Kin-kaid is defeated.

What better could any legislature have done than the last and what better state administration has Nebraska ever had than the last one? Yet the voters have turned the well doers out. What do you know about that?

LOCAL NEWS

Mamie Siler shipped a carload of potatoes containing 2000 bushels to the eastern markets yesterday.

The general aid society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Will Stephens next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Bossen of Arcadia and her twins, Lloyd Foster and Floyd Easterbrook were in the city last Saturday.

Dr. Bamford at the Methodist church next Sunday will speak on "The Mission of America." The public is invited.

Stanislaus Wasniak was buried from the Catholic church at Elyria today. No further particulars obtainable at this time.

Owing to the fact that there is no school this week most of the students from out of town are enjoying a visit with home folks.

We erred in saying last week that the funeral of Mrs. Theodore Baker was preached by Dr. Bamford. Rev. Halsey was the preacher in charge.

In returning my cattle to the farm Saturday evening a white-face yearling steer got into the Charlie Miller pasture and could not be gotten out. Since then it has not been found. If you know of its whereabouts please report to W. W. Haskell.

Ed. T. Dowe arrived in the city Monday evening and is spending a few days in this part of the country. Mr. Dowe sings the praises of Colorado in pretty strong terms and leads us to think that he could not possibly be induced to return to Nebraska.

While the hollowe'ners were making things lively about town last Saturday about midnight John Ramsey took a shot at a lot of them with a shotgun winging three of the boys. These proved to be Edwin Palmater, Merit Fuson and Elmer Dahlin, the latter getting the worst of the deal. The shot struck the boys as they were running away getting them in the back of the head and neck. One shot was taken from Dahlin's neck, but all the other shots will be probably carried for life by all the boys. Some disagreement is evident in the testimony concerning the circumstances of this event. Some of the boys, we are told, claim that they were going along the street with no evil intentions. One of them however, told the writer that they were in the act of running off with a wagon or had just done so. John says that he did not think the boys were so near as they were when he fired or he would have waited till they got a little farther off. As it was it was a close call for the boys hit and it is almost a miracle that none of them received serious injuries. But the public seems to uphold John in his act, at any rate people are glad that some of the hoodlum element of the city has received a jolt that they

Obituary.

Anna Margaret Madsen was born in Denmark, October 27, 1840, and was married to J. C. Nelson, November 2, 1866. Eight children were born to them, all of whom, with her husband were present at the funeral. She came to America in 1881 and to Valley county four years ago, where she has since lived in Springdale. For many years she was an invalid, the last three years being spent mostly in bed. She died October 30, aged 68 years and 3 days. The children are Nels Nelson of Fremont, Mrs. O. R. Hansen of Ord, Mrs. C. Thompson of Fremont, M. C. Nelson of Scribner, Will and James Nelson of Ord, and Andrew and Henry Nelson of Scribner. The funeral was held at the Springdale church last Sunday afternoon, Revs. Maynard and Larson officiating.

Laura Marie Arneberg was born in Fredericks Hall, Norway, on March 1, 1843. She was married to Emil Foght in 1867. With him and her children she came to America in 1881, going first to Ft. Niobrara and later in the same year to Valley county, where they resided till a few years ago, when they went to Hutchinson, Minn. Ten children were born to them the seven living being Mrs. Jorgen Moeller of Ord, H. W. Foght of Atchison, Kansas, W. E. Foght of Fallon, Mont., Mrs. A. F. Carpenter of Wathe-na, Canada, and Julia, Lucy and Mona still at home in Hutchinson, Minn. For years she was a sufferer from a weak heart. Lately her husband has been going through a siege of pneumonia, which taxed her strength but she was apparently as well as usual when last week Tuesday noon she lay down to sleep, from which she never woke. Funeral services were held at the home on account of the sickness of her husband and at the Methodist church in Hutchinson. The body was taken to Ord, arriving Saturday night. Short services were held at the home of A. M. Robbins Sunday morning, Rev. W. N. Halsey officiating.

Raymond Gass told us he was going to Elgin this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis were out of town passengers this morning.

We intended to mention Harold Parks this week but he threatened to mix with us if we did so we thought better of it.

H. W. Foght was in the city and county Sunday and Monday coming here with the remains of his mother and attending upon the burial. He returned to Atchison Tuesday.

It would be a fine thing for the humble news gatherer if the conductor on the B. & M. passenger would take another vacation as the substitute seems to know what a time table is made for.

We wonder what that electric light is for down between the depots. A person has to wait till daylight to see it as it is never lit up. Perhaps it was just put there for an ornament anyway.

Card of Thanks.
To our friends and neighbors who aided us by their sympathy and willing hands during the sickness of our wife and mother, we wish to express our full appreciation and thanks.
J. C. Nelson and children.

Rosevale Items
The ladies aid society will meet with Mrs. Adolph Asimus the second Wednesday of this month.

Those neither absent nor tardy at school the past month were Elmer Hallock, Hazel and Ed Ledger, Roy and Norma

Swanson, Walter May, Grace Cunningham, John, Jessie and Herman Hurlbert.

Ona and Theda Nelson came up Friday evening from their school duties at St. Paul to spend Sunday at home. Ona returned Monday morning.

John Hurlbert visited with Chester Hallock Saturday.

Hutchins & Anderson have sold quite a few new buggies in this locality.

Nellie Hallock went to Burwell Tuesday via the mail route.

Mrs. Robert Ledger has been quite sick but is better at present.

Tuesday was election day and we are sure that William was elected.

Misses Opal and Lillie Ferguson were visitors at school Tuesday.

Clair Beebe has a new carriage.

A quiet little wedding took place Tuesday evening, Oct. 27, 1905, at the residence of the bride's parents in this city, when our young friend, Lou M. Williams the energetic carrier on R. F. D. No. 3, was united in wedlock to Miss Ella N. Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Foster, the ceremony taking place at 8 o'clock, Rev. J. O. Hawk officiating, only the immediate families being present. The young people rather stole the march on their host of friends here, who while expecting cupid's work to culminate in the uniting of their lives at an early date, yet were unprepared for the surprise on the evening mentioned. Howbeit, all will unite with the Northwestern in wishing them all the joys of a happy married life and prosperity unlimited.—Loup City Northwestern.

To Foots Post G. A. R. No. 40, the G. A. R. Circle and all other friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, we extend our sincere thanks. Theo. Baker, Harry Baker, Jessie Baker, Alice Bridges, Marguerite Clements, Ben. Baker, Edna Baker.

Tuberculosis Exhibition.
New York:—By November 15th the greatest exhibition on tuberculosis that has ever been gathered will be opened to the public in New York City. The exhibit, which formed part of the International Congress on Tuberculosis, will be shown under the auspices of the Tuberculosis Committee of the Charity Organization Society, and the Department of Health.

The exhibition consists of charts, photographs, maps, models, diagrams, and all sorts of paraphernalia that have to do with the prevention, study or treatment of tuberculosis. Exhibits are shown from 15 different countries, and from 200 associations and individuals. All in all, the exhibition includes nearly 5,000 items. It will take 50,000 square feet of floor space and 110,000 square feet of wall space for the display of the exhibition. Ten special cars and over 1,200 packing cases are required to transport it.

During its three weeks stay in Washington the exhibit was viewed by fully 200,000 people. The exhibit of the Charity Organization Society, which forms but one small unit of this entire exhibition, has been viewed by over a half-million people in New York City. From these figures, and a comparison with the attendance of similar exhibitions, it is estimated by the authorities in charge of the present exhibit, that probably over a million people will see this educational display while it is in New York City.

The exhibit, as it will be shown in New York City, is unique, not only in the fact that it is the greatest of its kind ever

gathered together, but also, because this demonstration, collected for a purely educational purpose, is used to illustrate the dangers of only one disease. The entire exhibition publishes and carries but one message, that consumption can be cured, and that the cure for the disease is fresh air, rest and wholesome food. These simple facts are emphasized in every conceivable way.

Charts and diagrams show the fearful ravages of tuberculosis in various parts of the world. In the German exhibit a series of small painted wooden pillars and blocks of different heights, demonstrate the comparative mortality from consumption in various groups of the people. The United States Census Bureau shows the deaths from tuberculosis in a unique way, indicating by a flash of electric light that some one is dying from tuberculosis in the United States every two minutes and thirty seconds; 23 every hour, and 548 every day.

Some of the most interesting exhibits are those showing the treatment of tuberculosis. One fact is emphasized, however, in every sanatorium, "shack," or dwelling-house offered as a means of treating consumption, and that is that the patient must have an abundance of fresh air. Every model of buildings shown is designed to give a maximum amount of fresh air to the patient both day and night. Balconies, houses, tents and groups of buildings of every sort show this phase of the campaign against tuberculosis.

The numerous means to spread the "fresh air rest and wholesome food" are shown in pamphlets, books, photographs and small exhibits. Hundreds of tons of literature are being prepared for free distribution at the coming election. Everyone who attends will be able to receive information on any side of the tuberculosis question in any of the American or European languages.

Among the individual exhibits, which will be shown in New York are eight, which recently received prizes from the International Congress on Tuberculosis, ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$100. Besides these, 44 of the exhibits to be shown were recipients of gold medals, and 43 of silver ones.

The exhibition will remain in New York City for one month. At the end of that time, it will be broken up into several units, the various states, countries, and individuals who have contributed to it taking their respective parts with them. It is probable, however, that part of the exhibition will be shown in several other large cities of the country.

The Gallery Answered Martha.
Of the Dublin gallery boys a famous baritone in his reminiscences tells some good stories—one of "Faust" in which he played Valentine.

After the duel Martha, who rushed in at the head of the crowd, raised Valentine's head and held him in her arms during the first part of the scene and cried out in evident alarm:

"Oh, what shall I do?"
There was a deathlike stillness in the house, which was interrupted by a voice from the gallery calling out: "Unbutton his waistkit!"

A Knock-turn.
When J. A. MacNeill Whistler lived in Chelsea, England, his peculiarities soon made him a familiar figure even among the bargemen, who got to know him as the artist of their beloved Thames. One afternoon, while sauntering along the embankment, Whistler was confronted by a man who had one eye most effectively blackened. The artist stopped and inquired, "What's the matter, my good fellow?" The man touched his hat, "Oh, nothing, sir—merely a knock-turn in blue and green."



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A Pretty Fancy Is the Legend of Its Fairy Origin.

Once upon a time there lived in China two orphan brothers. The elder brother, not satisfied with having inherited the larger share of the parental estate, seized the most valuable part of the younger's, leaving him but a few acres of rocky, unfruitful soil.

The younger brother bore the greediness of the elder one until he was finally overcome with poverty and hunger. Then, in great despair, he threw himself upon the ground and lay there sobbing and bewailing his cruel fate.

Suddenly he heard a sweet voice calling his name. Opening his eyes, he saw a fairy bending over him, who bade him arise, saying: "Thy patience and forbearance have been noticed, and now great shall be thy reward. Thou shalt find riches and fame beneath the soil where thy head but a moment ago rested. To reach the treasure will be no easy task, but be patient and persevering. Rest not until thou hast found that which shall cause thee to be honored and loved for a thousand generations."

Then the fairy vanished, and the young man rubbed his eyes and looked about him. His rocky ground was still there, and he was jubilant with a newborn courage and hope. With resolute will he applied himself to the task of finding the buried treasure.

For many days he dug faithfully, and finally he found a flower bulb. Believing in the fairy's promise, he planted the bulb and nourished it until from it there grew a flower more delicately sweet and fair than had ever before been seen.

Hundreds of people came to see the new flower. Other bulbs sprang from its roots, and the young man's name and his bulb patch soon became famous. Riches and honor came to him because, strange as it may seem, the flower would not grow in any other part of China, and thousands came to buy from him.

He named his treasure the "Shuey Sen Fah," or flower of the water fairy, a name that it has ever since borne, though in common parlance it is known simply as the Chinese lily.

Guided by a Spider.
A spider was the direct cause of most serious loss and injury to the Dutch nation at the time of the attack upon Holland by France in the year 1794. A French prisoner at Utrecht, who had spent some of his long, lonely hours in studying the habits of spiders on the walls of his cell, was able by watching them to forecast the coming of rain or of frost. At a time when a sudden thaw raised the prospects of the Dutch and seemed to destroy the prisoner's hope of rescue by his countrymen his humble friends upon the wall gave him sure signs of a renewal of the frost. Upon this he managed to send a message to assure the French generals that within a few days their troops would be able to pass over the frozen waters, a prediction that was soon fulfilled, and so it came to pass that a spider was responsible for the release of Quartermaster Disjonval and for the conquest of the Dutch.

He Complied.
A distinguished Belgian lady, says a German paper, wrote the following note to the famous cellist, Servais: "We give next Thursday a banquet, followed by a reception and ball. M. de Z. and I shall be most happy to see you with us. Cordially. BARONESS DE Z. P. S.—Do not forget to send your violoncello." The baroness had not long to wait for the artist's reply. It ran as follows: "My Dear Baroness—A pressing engagement necessitates my leaving Brussels immediately, so I am forced, though with great regret, to decline your very kind invitation for Thursday. Sincerely, SERVAIS. P. S.—In accordance with your wish am sending you my violoncello."

Feminine Curiosity.
"Mr. Dolley, won't you let me look at your watch a little while?" "Certainly, Miss Flypp. Do you want to consult the time?" "No," replied the girl as she opened it and examined its case and works. "I was curious to see if water tarnished gold or had any effect on the watch's delicate mechanism." "Water? What do you mean?" "Well, Mr. Hunker told me you were in the habit of soaking your watch. What is the object of s' treatment, Mr. Dolley?"



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Norm Parks was in the city Monday.

Emil Collins was at North Loup Monday.

Frank Pointkowski went to South Dakota Monday.

W. W. Franklin went to St. Paul Monday morning.

Mrs. Hoffmaster and daughter went to Greeley Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Lawrence Masin is visiting in York. She went there Monday.

Mrs. Emmett Collins was in North Loup between trains Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Stewart and family went to St. Paul Friday morning.

Attorneys Robbins, Ed. Clements and Davis were in Grand Island Friday.

Frank Serhen was in Burwell the first of the week returning Monday morning.

Frank Meyers returned to his home in St. Paul Monday morning after a short visit here.

Miss Chunn was visiting at St. Paul the latter part of last week returning home Monday evening.

Mrs. Smith of Central Iowa arrived Saturday evening for a visit with a daughter in Mira Valley.

The twins are too cute for anything. See them in "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" at the Ord Opera house on Nov. 10.

Mrs. Otis Paiste, who has been visiting her parents in this city, returned to her home at Lincoln Monday.

Fred Loomis is now a student of agriculture at the state farm. He took up his labors there the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nyrie, who have been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Maddox in this city, returned to their home in Kansas Monday.

Mrs. Marion Crosby is back home after submitting to an operation at the Methodist hospital in Omaha. She is doing as well as could be expected.

Manager Wentworth is particularly fortunate securing a return engagement of the Hoyt Theatre success "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" for Tuesday, Nov. 10.

Mrs. Gilchrist, Miss Gilchrist and Mrs. Walker started on the return trip to their homes at Los Angeles, California Friday morning. They had been called here by the death of a relative.

The daily papers report a falling off in travel for a few days before the election. This is certainly the case here as travelers have been almost as scarce as chicken teeth the last few days.

Frank Norman was in Grand Island Monday looking up some supplies for the Calumet. They are doing such a rushing business there now that they can't wait for the runners to order their goods for them.

Oakes & Gilson will bring the great Hoyt Theatre comedy here Tuesday, Nov. 10. This play has been seen in all the leading cities and by the same cast which appears here. It is high class comedy full of life and action and sparkling with lines of wit. It is one of the most brilliant from the playwright's pen and should receive the patronage of the best class of theatre goers of our city.

The man who married an actress and introduces her to his spinster sister as the governess, gets into all sorts of trouble, especially when the wife finds he is the fond parent of twins, aged 17 years. A maid servant with detective proclivities and a "clue in her head," a German friend who is nursing a secret sorrow and is looking for some one to "put sweet flowers on his grave," and many other characters make "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" the funniest play seen in years. It will be presented here Tuesday, Nov. 10 at the Ord theatre.

Election night the Laurel Club entertained by giving a "Hallowe'en" party at the home of Mrs. J. R. Williams. Ghostly things were strewn about the house and the guests were paraded about in their ghostly attire, being shown ghostly things and given several wiled treats. Later on they were permitted to remove their masks and were served refreshments. After the feast they were each asked to write something about their right-hand neighbor, which created some amusement. As a fitting finale they were taken to the attic and had their fortunes told in due style. Altogether the affair was a very pleasant and agreeable one, though it was hard to keep the men from running down town to see how

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Yesterday morning we arrived at the B. & M. depot just as the train pulled in, and the first we noticed was Mr. Howe step out followed by a dozen or more schoolmaams, goodlooking ones too. They all boarded the train for Lincoln where they are attending the state teachers meeting. We have always thought teaching school was about the last occupation we wanted to undertake but the sight of Mr. Howe surrounded by that bunch of good looking schoolmaams has completely changed our mind, and we intend to go to teaching as soon as we can find any one to teach. And if we should ever attain to prominence in our chosen profession we will credit it all to the inspiration we received back in old Nebraska at a lonely railroad station in the little town of Ord.

NOTICE.
All parties having wire stretchers belonging to us please return.
Ord Mercantile Co.

That beautiful and charming little actress Belle Rosa will be seen again this season as "Juno Joyce" in "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" and will be gladly welcomed by her many friends in this city Tuesday Nov. 10. Miss Rosa is wearing some swell gowns this year and she will sing and dance her way right into the hearts of those who have not seen her, while those who have seen her have not forgotten.

Miss Rosa is young and has risen rapidly in her chosen profession, until she is now a great favorite from coast to coast. Sparkling and scintillating like a sunbeam, her audiences watch every graceful movement—she smiles and they smile, she laughs, they laugh, she sings, they hang upon every word, and when the last note dies away they are, as she leaves them, in smiles or tears. The entire company supporting Miss Rosa are a galaxy of stars radiating about her as their central orb. Would there were more "Belle Rosas" in this dreary old world, more light and brilliancy and happiness.

The pernicious activity of the saloon keepers on election day will, according to a lot of their solid supporters, cost them the right to run saloons in Ord next year. This much is now settled, so say several of the men who are in a position to know.

At Haskell's calf sale last Saturday an average of \$18.00 was gotten for the whole lot of suckers.

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THE ORD QUIZ

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W. C. PARSONS, City Editor.

ORD, VALLEY COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

Home made mince-meat. Ready for sale. Mrs. S. A. Mason. 32-1t

Dr. Taylor went to Scotia Monday morning.

Harry Cook came up from Scotia last night.

Owen Connel of Scotia came to this city last evening.

Tom Sorenson went to Cotesfield Monday morning.

Miss Schuman was a passenger to Lincoln the early part of this week.

Mrs. Likely has been visiting down the line of late. She returned home last evening.

J. D. Cook and son went to Grand Island Monday morning where the latter expects to enter business school.

Owing to the teachers not being here to respond to rollcall the children are having a vacation for the last three days of this week.

Sam Vanscoy of North Platte is in the city for a visit with friends and relatives here. His mother had been down the road visiting and he accompanied her home.

J. P. Hamilton went to Scotia Monday morning after a brief visit here. After prolonging his visit for a short time there he will return to his home at Cedar Bluffs.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a mothers meeting at the home of Mrs. Flora Nel-on, Thursday, November 12 at two o'clock. Refreshments will be served. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Narcissus Parnell is doing considerable work in the improvement line on her boarding house in the eastern part of town. A new roof will be put on the building and other improvements added.

It was quite a surprise on Rev. Pons at Turtle Creek last Friday evening when about a dozen young people from his Sunday school class called at the parsonage and said they were going to stay a while. The young ladies served refreshments and the evening was enjoyed by all.

Do not class "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" with the general run of farce comedies and rough "horse play" which tour the country. Remember this is a New York success, one which stood the test for ten months in the most critical theatrical center of the world. Messrs. Oakes & Gilson pay an enormous royalty and have the sole right to present the play this season. It will be at the Ord opera house

Wednesday morning A. M. Mutter, Frank Vodehnal, Ed. Watson and Mike Sheridan departed for South Dakota, where they will look over the land that recently fell to them through the Tripp county land drawing. They expect to be absent from Ord for about three weeks, and they took Jim Bradt, who is pretty well acquainted with the lay of the land in that country, along to help them in making their selection. We are hoping that a good piece of property will fall to the lot of each of them.

The following parties were made happy by purchasing a Majestic Range at Bailey & Detweiler's store during the range exhibit last week: Chas. Hiner, Harry Tatlow, C. Palmatier, John Koupal, Aug. Behrendt, H. M. Timmerman, W. W. Ward, A. F. Barber, D. B. Smith, C. E. Hackel, O. E. Moorman, C. P. Cappell, B. H. Alvord, T. O. Lambdin, Joel Townsend, E. W. Brinley, D. M. Ross, L. G. Payzant, W. B. Casler, Chas. Urban.

We acknowledge receipt of a copy of the Grand Junction Daily News sent us undoubtedly by Clarence Coe. The paper contains many pages of boom literature and is evidently gotten out for the purpose of advertising the fruit industries of that part of the universe. A page advertisement in its columns tells us that the Coe Investment Company is doing a thriving business, a statement of which we are of course pleased to hear.

Albert McMinder tells us that he has the reason for the defeat of A. Norman pretty well figured out and he thinks it was brought about by the combined efforts of a bunch of unscrupulous sports and a newspaper man. There is no mistake about it says Albert. "Norman was 'doped' and I can prove it by no less an authority than T. Rockhold."

T. G. Bartlett, who has been visiting the Collins in this city, went to North Loup Saturday morning to prolong his visit there, after which he will return to his home at St. Paul.

Mrs. Chris Vesper, an old time resident of these parts, came up from the soldiers home at Grand Island last evening and went on up to Burwell for a visit there.

Mr. A. C. Johnson came in Tuesday evening in time to vote and was off on the B. & M. early next morning.

Fred Trimble is out on the home farm this week enjoying the vacation that the Ord school is taking.

Rev. R. D. McCance will preach morning and evening at the Christian church next Sunday.

W. A. Austin was a passenger to Olean Monday morning.

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Winter Will Soon Be Here

We can help you to get ready quick
With a small Expense

Dress Goods in all Shades and Styles from 25 cts. a yard and up.	Outing flannels we have too many to describe and they are from 5 cents up.	Men's Shirts in silk, wool, corduroy, cotton, work and drill, 35 cents up.	Carpets, linoleum, rugs, oil cloths. Sears & Roebuck can't touch them.	Linings Satin, Silk, fancy and plain, Heather-bloom, sa t e e n etc.
Hosiery in wool Fleece, F ay, Everwear and cotton.	Ladies Skirts in all the newest weaves and styles.	Over shoes in every style and price, quality guaranteed.	Ladies' and children's coats. The best market affords.	Hair Switches, and pompadours to match any color of hair.
A n up-to-date line of mens' and boys' col-lars.	Our 5 and 10 cent department have 50 cent values.	Duck coats in corduroy, sheep skin lined, leather and duck.	25 cents will buy some of the best china now you ever saw for 75c.	Hats and Caps. The price and style to suit everybody.
Corsets, a new line just arrived.	Clothing. A big line at a little price.	Leggins, Gaiters, in all kinds and colors.	Sewing machines of all kinds, \$14 and up.	Bags and purses from 10 cents up to \$5.00
Gloves, long, and any color and kind.	Trunks Suit Cases in all qualities.	Fancy Neckwear you only have to see to buy.	Belts just in, the swellest you ever saw.	Calicoes, Percales, ginghams, from 5 cents up.
Silks in the latest fads.	Shoes for everybody.	Men's Fur overcoats a big line.	Groceries always a full fresh stock	Cloakings, all the new things.
Fancy neck wear and combs in all the new things.	Handkerchiefs, beautiful, expensive and cheap. From 1 cent up.	Wrappers, house Dresser, Kimono, Dressing sacks, Aprons all ready to wear at a small cost.	Underwear for the ladies, men, children, babies in union suits or two piece 1 n wool, fleece and gauze.	Knit wear in Scarfs, Fascinators, Jackets, Toques, Mittens and Booties. Skirts, sweaters mufflers, etc.

We want your Eggs Chickens Cream and Potatoes, highest prices paid for them

The Peoples Store Mamie Siler, Prop.

Arcadia News Notes

O. H. Hagemeter has just finished his new barn.

Mrs. J. L. Owen visited in Loup City the first of last week.

Lillian Duryea is spending the week with friends in mason City and Ansley.

Attorney Norman was over from the county seat last Friday afternoon.

Ford Curtis of Ansley made his regular visit in this city Sunday and Monday.

Russell Lant of Marion, this state, is here visiting with his brother, W. E. Lant.

Allie Duryea left Monday for Dunning to look after his claim near that place and visit relatives.

County Clerk Sorenson was in this city Monday. He was distributing ballots in the precincts in this vicinity.

Dr. A. E. Hanna of Ansley was over on professional business last Saturday. He was accompanied by Perry Foster.

H. H. Gusner and family have moved their household goods back to Arcadia and will make their home here indefinitely.

Mesdames Walter Sorenson and J. P. Cooper entertained the Kensington club at the home of the former last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. N. Greenlee of Mason City visited the family of her son, W. F. Greenlee, in this place a few days the first of the week.

Fred Bennett visited his parents and other relatives in this vicinity last week, returning to his home near Pleasanton Monday.

Charley and Ralph Hollingshead left Saturday morning for Lincoln where they will take a business course in the state university.

Mrs. P. W. Round entertained at euchre Monday evening in honor of Mr. Round's birthday. An exceptionally pleasant evening was spent.

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Poplar Grove People.
Mary Krikac is on the sick list.

J. C. Meese was on our streets last Sunday.

Lewis Smolk returned from Omaha one day last week.

Jake Beehrle purchased a fine hog from Jos. Waldmann last Monday.

This is fine husking weather and all hands are taking advantage of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wencil Misko and Mr. and Mrs. V. Kokes and son attended the wedding Tuesday.

It did us much good to see Father Nemeo among us once more. It will be remembered that he was once our resident priest, but has been removed to another parish.

Mr. Sedlacek and Miss Parkos were united in marriage at the church last Tuesday. Father Nemeo assisted by Father Kroupa performed the ceremony. May they live a long and happy life.

Les. Trout who now makes his home in Grand Island, canvassed our neighborhood last week. He is now working for a grocery firm in Omaha. Mr. Trout has had the misfortune of getting badly crippled up by paralysis, rendering half of his body almost useless.

Another resident has passed to the great beyond. Mr. John Lola who has lived among us for a number of years died last Wednesday after about a month of sickness and was buried at church last Friday, Father Kroupa officiating. He leaves a wife and four sons to mourn his departure.

Pleasant Valley News.
School is closed for vacation through November.

Mrs. Tom Bivens is very low with typhoid fever.

Will Bouma and James Emory are picking corn for T. S. Kepner.

Who ever saw nicer weather for corn picking or nicer corn to pick?

Arthur Braden was one of the lucky ones in the land drawing at O'Neil.

Mrs. C. M. Bossen is spending a week with friends and relatives in Ord.

Mrs. W. E. Burdick sustained a severe sprain to her crippled limb last Friday.

Election passed off quite lively at the schoolhouse, there being 74 votes polled. The demopops took the lead in this pre-

Real Estate Transfers.
Nels Nygren to Arcadia church, \$1, part 8-17-15.
Charles A. Dudley to Hattie I. Dudley, \$2200, e2 sw4 and w2 se4 18-17-16.
Jacob Peterson to R. F. Peterson to R. F. Pierce, \$500, pt sw 4 ne4 24-18-15.
Vencel Sedlacek to James J. Sedlacek, \$1, w2 ne4 24-18-14.
John R. Sharp to Rudolph Sorenson, \$2600, lots 1, 2 and 3 blk 16 Haskell's add to Ord.
Anna Kosmata to John Kosmata, \$2800, sw4 24-19-16 160 acres.
Mary I. Coffin to O. R. Hanson, \$4750, se4 se4 18 and n2 nw4 22-19-13.
Lincoln Land Co. to Jacob Johnson, \$50, lot 20 blk 6 Elyria.
William L. D. Able to Thomas B. Aylor, \$11,500, part of 28-19-14.
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OF A THIEF.

Lord Explains How He

While before I reform-

the man who spent much

ly life in jail, "I had an

ance that shook my faith in

human nature. Going uptown one

night on the street cars, I extracted

from a man's pocket a letter and

\$50. I hadn't wanted the letter,

but it was so tangled up with the

bills that I couldn't help taking

it too. After I once got it out of

the man's pocket I couldn't very

back, so I kept it. Un-

I read it.

It was a pathetic letter. Even

a heart of stone couldn't hold out

against an appeal of that kind. It

had been written by a woman who

evidently had some claim on the

man. She was in deep trouble. The

letter related in touching simplicity

a story of sickness, want and

death. The writer implored the

man to aid her and her family, and

it was clear that the \$50 I had re-

lieved him of had been scraped to-

gether to send to her.

"Well, with that \$50 in my pocket

and that woman's letter on the

mind I put through the most miser-

able night of my existence. I

hadn't much of a conscience left,

but what little bit I had was hard

at work. Even when I dropped off

to sleep I was tormented with

dreams of that poor woman. By

morning the strain had told on me.

I couldn't stand it to keep that

money in my possession another

hour. The man's address was on

the letter, and I wrote to him, in-

cluding the \$50 and the letter that

had brought me to that softened

state. I did even more than that.

I inclosed \$5 of my own. I told

the man that I was about as low as

they make 'em, but I wasn't low

enough to keep money that had

been meant for those poor souls.

"For obvious reasons I did not

give my name and address. I was

satisfied with doing good. I did

not want to be thanked. I wanted

no notoriety. On account of my

obscure position it was impossible

for the man to communicate with

me if he had wished to do so. How-

ever, I did hear from him again,

just a week before I went out of

business for good. It was what I

heard then that made me doubt all

mankind.

"I learned that the letter was a

kind of financial life preserver. The

man always carried it wrapped up

with whatever cash he happened to

have on hand. A sister-in-law of

his out in Indiana wrote a fresh

copy and mailed it to him every

week so it would always look nice

and new and prevent suspicion of

its being a fake. You see, that fel-

low reckoned the chances were ten

to one on even the most hardened

FACTORY READERS.

Cuban Cigarmakers Are Entertained

While They Work.

Work in a Cuban cigar factory of

the best class is agreeably spiced

with entertainment. According to

the Cuba Review and Bulletin, not

only does every cigarmaker have

plenty of light and air, a leather

covered chair to sit on and the

privilege of keeping his hat on

while he works, but he is entertain-

ed meanwhile with serial stories

and newspapers, song and discus-

sion.

The factory reader sits at the

rear of the workroom, enthroned

upon an elevated stand. He is paid

from the private funds of the cigar-

makers, the cost to each man rang-

ing from 10 to 15 cents a week.

This covers the cost of the books,

novels and newspapers, as well as a

salary of \$39 which is paid the

president of the reading committee

to make up for the time he is sup-

posed to lose from his work while

engaged in counting votes or mak-

ing the weekly collection.

The readers earn from \$40 to

\$60 a week, reading for a period of

three or four hours a day. As a

rule, each factory has two readers,

and newspapers are taken up in the

morning and books or serial stories

in the afternoon.

The selection of the book or serial

story to be read is an interesting

feature. It takes the character of

a political election, each man vot-

ing for the book he wants. The

president of the reading committee

counts the votes and announces the

winning book, which is forthwith

bought and placed in its turn to be

read.

Those who cannot read or write

are yet kept informed in this way

on public questions and are able to

discuss intelligently problems of

national and municipal interest.

They seem to be well informed on

scientific discoveries and other mat-

ters.

Electric Fish of the Nile.

The electric fish of the Nile, of

which the Egyptians made pic-

tures thousands of years ago and

which still inhabit the waters of

that river, are provided with an

electrical organ that incloses the

whole body. It is situated in the

skin and when viewed with a

microscope is seen to be composed

of about 2,000,000 beautifully

formed little disks superposed

upon connected rows of minute

compartments in which are the ter-

minals of nerves. The shock is

produced by an intense current

which traverses the entire organ

from the head to the tail of the

fish, returning through the sur-

roundings. It stuns small fish in

the neighborhood. A naturalist

likens its action to that of a self

loading and self discharging gun.

ART GLASS WINDOWS.

Why Lead is Used For Binding the

Pieces Together.

In the making of art glass win-

dows one of the most important

things is the lead used for binding

the different sized pieces of glass

together. If two pieces of glass of

different color or tint are placed

side by side and viewed from the

dark, the light passing through the

glass into the spectator's eyes, the

effect will be very unsatisfactory.

Like magic this changes when a

strip of lead is laid between the two

pieces, each being luminous with its

own individual color, yet blending

beautifully with its neighbor.

It is customary for the art glass

painter to make colored sketches

for windows, drawn to one-half or

one inch scale. After these sketches

have been accepted as satisfactory,

if it is for a figure window, he

makes a full size cartoon on paper

in crayon, showing all lights and

shadows as well as the outlines.

Early Italian painters used smooth

whitewashed boards for this pur-

pose, but now it is done on so called

eggshell surface paper.

The full sized drawing is laid on

a thin and a heavy sheet of detail

paper. Between the design and mid-

dle, as well as the lower paper,

there are thin sheets of blackened

paper. All these are fastened to

the drawing table with thumb tacks.

Then all the lines are run over with

a finely pointed ivory pencil. When

done the drawing appears on the

thin as well as on the thick paper,

the former being the working draw-

ing for the leader, while the latter

is cut up by the glass cutter for his

patterns to cut the glass to correct

size and shape. If the paper were

cut with an ordinary knife or scis-

sors the glass with the lead would

work out too large. To allow room

for the lead a two bladed knife, with

the blades set nearly one-eighth of

an inch (the thickness of the core

or heart of the lead) was formerly

used, but the cutting is now done

with three bladed scissors.

When the various kinds of glass

have been cut the pieces are set

together with came or glazier's lead.

These are strands of lead with a

groove on either side. The artisan

who sets the pieces of glass together

does this on the outline tracing or

working drawing by first placing

each piece in its proper position.

He nails a straight edge along the

edge of his work table nearest him,

along which he places a strand

or border lead, pressing the glass

into the groove of the same and

keeping the glass temporarily in

place with wire nails tacked into the

table. These he draws out and then

places the inside lead and tacks

them alongside the next piece of

glass, and so on to the finish.

WANT COLUMN

CARPET WEAVING—I will receive

orders for weaving at home. Prices

12 cents for hit and miss and 15

cents for striped work. Mrs. O. A.

Fales.

FOR SALE—two nearly new heaters.

Will Stewart.

REGISTERED—Duroc-Jersey boars

for sale. Eleven fine shoats. Prices

reasonable. Independent phone M24.

J. J. Beehrle. 3F 31pd.

FOR SALE—my four-hole Joliet corn

sheller, cheap. P. Peterson.

FOR BEST BARGAINS IN LAND

and Ord property. Sale and exchange.

See G. W. Newbecker.

HOUSES—To rent. B. L. Staple.

FOR SALE—A steam boiler for heating

plant, power 1000 feet. Been used

two years, as good as new, will sell

cheap. L. D. Bailey & Sons. 151f

FOR SALE—My house in west part of

town. One or three lots. John K.

Jensen. 16-1f

FOR SALE or TRADE—In the edge of

town, three acres of nice rich ground

with room home and new

barn. Thirty five bearing fruit trees

on place. Will trade for a farm. L.

D. Bailey & Sons. 4.

FOR RENT CHEAP—4-room cottage

on the hill. Water in the house. Mrs.

Coombs.

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres good

farm land, 8 1/2 miles from Ord, good

improvements. price \$34.00 per acre

F. Skolli.

STRAYED—Buckskin pony and small

bay colt. L. H. Calkins.

FOR RENT—Good six room cottage.

Mrs. N. H. Parks.

FOUND—Child's black kid mitten with

fur top. Get it at the Quiz office.

FOR RENT—Five room house north of

Danish church. George Benn, Farm-

ers' phone M 14. 32-1f.

WALTZ OF THE OSTRICH.

The Big Bird Shows Its Good Spirit

by Strenuous Dancing.

The so called waltzing perform-

ance of the ostrich is familiar to

all in South Africa, but few out-

siders have ever heard of it. It

consists of a rapid whirling move-

ment, sometimes one way, some-

times another, the wings spread out

and alternately elevated and de-

pressed. It is a fascinating sight

when indulged in by a large flock.

First one bird will dart forward

and begin the circular movements.

Another will follow and then oth-

ers until the entire flock is careen-

ing around in the mad whirl. Some

will continue until they drop ex-

hausted or, apparently becoming

giddy, stumble and fall.

The dance is seen in all its glory

only when a considerable number

of birds are together. It often

takes place among only a few, but

is never so intense or prolonged as

when the flock is large.

A BLUE X CROSS on this card means that your subscription is in arrears and needs your attention.

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Dworak's Grand Opening Day

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16th, 1908

It is with pride that I throw open the doors of my new corner store and bid the public a most hearty welcome. It is the goal toward which I have been striving for years and now having attained it, I wish all of our friends, patrons and the general public to visit my new store next Monday. New goods have been constantly arriving for the past 30 days and many new lines have been added, among which are

An Elegant Line of Furniture.

Which you will find on the second floor. In this line you will find extra good values. We have but one price throughout and here the price will surely sell the goods, and we invite comparison of our prices. By all means visit our furniture department. Right in connection with this line we have a nice variety of rugs and linoleum in 12ft width.

Fancy and Staple Groceries

We have a reputation in this department that is enjoyed by few and made only by careful attention at all times to seeing that the stock is in first class condition. If you observe cleanliness in your dress, most assuredly that the things you eat be clean. We have a genuine swiss cheese that weighed 167 pounds cut now and will be pleased to serve you as long as it lasts. The largest cheese ever in Ord. Our delivery service to any part of the city is prompt. Try us.

Our China Department

Has just been filled to the overflowing with fancy dishes and imported chinaware. One of the latest patterns in every day ware is a beauty. It is a treat to see all the new things in this department and is worth the time of any one to look them over, especially lovers of nice china. We have the finest line of chinaware in Ord no exceptions.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

Ladies and mens shoes in fancy tan and wine colors as well as the staple black for dress. High cut laceboots for winter and work shoes of every description Little Red School House Shoes for boys and girls the kind that don't rip. Besides this we have warm lined shoes, GermOn sox, felt boots and sheep wanigans. Winter will soon be asking you what you have done with your summer wages. Be prepared, BUY NOW.

The Dry Goods Section

Has been replenished in all details and we are in position to show you one of the nicest lines in town. New dress patterns in fancy mohair and silk taffetas. Calicoes at 5 cents a yard and up, flannel-ettes at a dime. Ladies and Misses scarfs, mufflers, sweaters. Ask to see the new leggins for the baby.

Trunks, Valises and Suit Cases.

Is another new line just added which you will also find on the 2nd floor. If you in tend to travel or need anything in this line look it over before buying elsewhere and that is all we ask.

Ladies and Misses Skirts

An elegant line of the celebrated Schuerman Bros Ladies and Misses Skirts which needs no introduction. These skirts sell on their merits. We have all the latest and noblest things in this line. A brand new line to select from which will please you to examine.

In addition to the above we have numerous other lines which time and space do not allow us to go into detail. Mens Fur Coats, duck and sheep skin lined, corduroys, comforts and blankets of every description. All kinds of mens, ladies and childrens underwear. A superb line of mens and boys caps.

—We are at all times ready to buy all kinds of produce at the highest market price.—

Refreshments served. We have by special endeavor secured the services of a representative of McCord-Brady & Company of Omaha, who will demonstrate their line of goods which you will find at all times at our store.

Music all Afternoon and Evening

Drop in. We will be pleased to see you and take pleasure in showing you our new store, of which we are very proud.

I have been in the mercantile business continuously for over twenty years and while I have had an elegant trade at the Blue Front, I hope to make new acquaintances and new customers and assure you that at all times you will be treated courteously and dealt with squarely. That is my way of doing business.

And now I wish to take this way of thanking all of my old customers most heartily for the liberal support you have given me and I am confident you will continue with me at the new place where we will be better able than ever to attend your wants, and especially do I wish to thank those who have dealt with me since I opened up in business here--for over twenty years. Without your patronage I would have been unable to build this store and if by continuing to give you good goods at honest prices, I can in part show my appreciation I will do so. You will always find a welcome at my store.

Established 1888

F. J. DWORAK

Telephone 34

Timber Supply of the United States.

"We are now cutting timber from the forests of the United States at the rate of 500 feet board measure a year for every man, woman and child. In Europe they use only 60 board feet." Few statements could be made which would better convince the average man that this country leads the world in the demand for timber. It is made by Treadwell Cleaveland, Jr., in a circular which treats of the conservation of the forests, soil, water and all the other great natural resources, which has just been published by the United States Forest Service. In speaking further of the consumption of timber in this country, Mr. Cleaveland says: "At this rate, in thirty years all our remaining virgin timber will be cut. Meantime the forests which have been cut over are generally in a bad way for want of care; they will produce only inferior second growth. We are clearly on the verge of a timber famine. "This is not due to necessity, for the forests are one of the renewable resources. Rightly used, they go on producing crop after crop indefinitely. The countries of Europe know this, and Japan knows it; and their forests are becoming with time not less, but more, productive. We probably still possess sufficient forest lands to grow wood enough at home to supply our own needs. If we are not blind, or wilfully wasteful, we may yet preserve our forest independence and with it the fourth of our great industries. Present wastes in lumber production are enormous. Take

of annual cut. In 1907 it is estimated that only one-half of all the yellow pine cut during the season was used, and that the other half, amounting to 8,000,000 cords, was wasted. Such waste is typical. Mr. R. A. Long in his address on 'Forest Conservation' at the conference of governors last spring, pointed out that 20 per cent of the yellow pine was simply left in the woods—a waste which represents the timber growing on 300,000 acres. The rest of the waste takes place at the mill. Of course, it would never do to speak of the material rejected at the mill as waste unless this material could be turned to use by some better and more thorough form of utilization. But in many cases we know, and in many other cases we have excellent reason to believe, that most, if not all, of this material could be used with profit. It is simply a question of intelligent investigation and, more than all, of having the will to economize. But there are other ways to conserve the forests besides cutting in half the present waste of forest products. The forests may be made to produce three or four times as rapidly as they do at present. This is true of both the virgin forests and the cut-over lands. Virgin forests are often fully stocked with first class timber, but this stock has been laid in very slowly, on account of the wasteful competition which is carried on constantly between the rival trees. Then, too, in the virgin forest there are very many trees that have reached maturity and stopped growing, and these occupy space which, if held by

regards the cut-over land, severe cutting, followed by fire, has checked growth so seriously that in most cases reproduction is both poor and slow, while in many other cases there is no true forest reproduction at all at present, and there is but little hope for the future." **Joining Corn Association.** Hundreds of farmers in all parts of the United States are showing their interest in the movement to produce more and better corn and in the National Corn Exposition, by sending in memberships to the National Corn Growers' Association. This association inspired the National Corn Show. It is composed of corn growers in all parts of the United States, who send \$1 membership fee to the secretary, and this year they receive an admission to the corn show at Omaha on the membership ticket. Corn growers from the following states have sent in memberships recently: Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Mississippi, Nebraska, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas and Wisconsin. Several memberships have been received from England, Mexico, Canada and other foreign countries. **Ord Market--Top Prices**
New Potatoes, \$40
Butter, 17c.
Eggs, 20c.
Hens, 6c
Springs, 6c
Hogs, \$5.15
Oats, 39c

Rosevale Items
Theda Nelson seems to have lost his grip since he came back from school. His team ran away in the corn field Saturday cutting one horse quite badly. Mable Hallock came home from Burwell Friday, returning to her school duties there Sunday. Mrs. Genie Hallock was at Ord Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham and little daughter called at Turner's Sunday. Villa Obert visited at home Sunday. There is a case of scarlet fever reported at Westside, the school being closed on that account. Mr. Ferguson and family visited at Mr. Leboer's Sunday. The teacher and pupils had a vacation Tuesday on account of election. Villa Obert is residing in Rosevale at present. Tompson Kipling was a visitor at Jim Heitz's Saturday and Sunday. Nellie Hallock is in Ord this week. Chester Hallock visited with John Hurlbert Tuesday. Quite a number of people have commenced husking corn in this valley. Messrs. Turner, Hurlbert, Hallock and Swanson are shipping hogs from Ericson to Omaha this week. The Ord Roller Mills still give 100 pounds of good flour for three bushels of good wheat. Quite a saving to you farmers

North Loup News

Miss Lona Barber returned last Wednesday evening from a two week visit with her brother Dan at Atchafalaya. Mrs. Amos Redland and Mrs. C. N. Thorngate visited in Scotia last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Strong and Miss Louise Goodrich came Thursday evening from Boulder, Colorado, for a visit here with A. J. Jones, family. Mrs. John Sears a former resident of this place died last Wednesday at Cotesfield and the body was shipped to Colorado to be interred beside her husband. Mrs. Louise Mayo, Fannie and Merrill McClellan went to Cotesfield Thursday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Sears. A. C. Jones was called to Pawnee City Saturday afternoon by a message announcing the serious illness of her sister. J. B. Clement returned Friday to his work at Washington D. C. C. A. Hager of Ord was in town Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wellman went to Ord Thursday returning Friday morning. The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watts was celebrated Saturday evening at their home in the southern part of the village. I. J. Thelin and family visited relatives in Ord over Sunday. The post office rooms were treated to a coat of plaster the first of the week, which improves appearances considerably. James Trimble came up from Omaha Saturday evening for a few days visit at home. Mr. and Mrs. Clark came up from Elba Monday for a few days visit. Will Jones was down from Burwell Monday. Nordall Eystad is enjoying a visit from his father. Mr. Stearns, a nephew of A. Shephard, accompanied by his wife, came

a visit in California. A copy of the Elgerton, Mo. Journal, received from Orin Curtis announces that he has purchased a half interest in a meat market and lunch counter. Orin's friends here wish him success in his new business. Joe Clark was an Elba visitor Thursday and Friday. The Omaha Elevator people built a new cement walk along their property near the depot the first of this week. Davis & Burdick were the builders. **Too Late for Last Week.** Miss Belle Thorngate came up from St. Paul, Friday night to spend a few days at home, returning to her school work Monday morning. Miss Love and a friend came up from Cotesfield, Thursday night to hear the Jubilee Singers. Will Weber was an Ord visitor Saturday. A party of young folks enjoyed themselves Hollow'een night at the home of Lula Jackson. The Jubilee Singers attracted a large crowd Thursday evening of last week, and all were as usual very much pleased with the entertainment. The second number on the lecture course was Denton Crowl, who gave his imitation of Sam Jones on "Philosophy, Facts and Fun" Wednesday evening of this week. It is needless to say the audience was more than pleased with this number. Rev. D. C. Williams of the Mira Valley and North Loup Presbyterian churches, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Saturday morning, while the pastor Rev. Shaw was in Burwell. Mrs. Alma Sweet came Mon-

Davis and other friends and relatives. Rev. Fye of Elba was in town between trains Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Krebbs and Miss Myrtle Krebbs were over from Scotia Sunday. N. D. Negley was a Burwell visitor Saturday and Sunday. L. L. Clements and daughter Stella came home Friday from the western part of the state, where Mr. Clements has sugar beet interests. Earl Lunden came over from Scotia Saturday, and was the guest of Paul Jones until Monday. Geo. Johnson made a trip to Ord Saturday via automobile. Mr. Park of Boulder Colorado was in town last week looking after some business interests here. Fred Bell brought a load of candidates down from Ord Monday. Geo. Smith and E. A. Hutchins were in Ord Monday between trains. Mr. De Long visited Scotia Monday. Mrs. Chaffee took a bad fall Monday, down near the depot, which resulted in a broken arm. Avis Daily was up from Scotia the latter part of last week visiting Miss Meizaecker. Mrs. Finch and daughter Marie visited relatives in Elba Tuesday. Stella and Ethel Clement entertained a jolly crowd of young people Hollow'een in honor of Miss Alice White. Ross Brown came down from

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By W. W. HASKELL

ORD, NEBRASKA

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

The More Important Events Here and There Boiled Down for Busy Readers

Political.

Additional returns, place Missouri in the Taft column.

It is now reported that the next congress will have 217 republicans and 174 democrats.

Speaker Cannon says he is grateful for the vigorous work that has been rendered.

Though defeated in the nation Mr. Bryan finds much consolation in the Nebraska vote.

Indiana democrats have gained the governor and seven congressmen.

Uncle Joe Cannon will probably be re-elected speaker.

Jamieson, elected to congress from Iowa, is an editor at Shenandoah.

Mr. Bryan continues in good health and good spirit notwithstanding his defeat.

Speaker Cannon is said to be wearing a smile these days that won't come off.

In Roosevelt's election district, Oyster Bay, Taft got 233, Bryan 144, Hughes 200 and Chandler 127.

General.

Taft will have over 300 in the electoral college.

One of the most important of industries developed in recent years is the production of sugar from sugar beets.

More or less desultory work was done on sugar beets as far back as 1857. In 1892 only six factories were in operation in this country.

The British colonial office, recently offered President Roosevelt the freedom of the government shooting preserves.

The seventy-fourth anniversary of the birth of the dowager empress of China was celebrated, and the event was made the greatest day of the festivities in honor of the visiting American battleships under Rear Admiral Emory.

Eugene W. Chafin, presidential candidate of the prohibition party, after scanning the election returns made a statement concluding as follows: "The democratic-Bryan party is dead. The fight from now on will be between the prohibition party and the whisky republican party and we will elect a prohibition president in 1912."

Wreckage picked up in the North sea confirms the fears that the steamer Yarmouth foundered while crossing the Hook of Holland to Harwich. The Yarmouth was a channel freighter, belonging to the Great Eastern Railroad company.

Burlington crop reports from the Alliance and Sterling division, covering the northeast parts of Nebraska and Colorado, are that the corn yield is good.

Judge Taft in an address to the Cincinnati Commercial club sounded the keynote of his administration.

Democrats gain nine votes in the lower house of congress.

W. J. Bryan discussing the election, says Nebraska is the bright spot and expresses the hope that the incoming administration will redeem pledges of the platform.

Over 1,000 teachers attended the annual banquet of the state teachers' association at Lincoln.

A distinguished Frenchman gave a dinner to Wilbur Wright, at which the American aviator was presented with two gold medals.

Tomas Estrada Palma, the first president of the Cuban republic, is dead.

Mr. Bryan sent this to Mr. Taft: "Hon William H. Taft, Cincinnati, O.: Please accept congratulations and best wishes for the success of your administration."

The Times says: From an excellent authority the New York Times learned yesterday that President Roosevelt plans to leave New York on March 13, nine days after the inauguration, by the North-German Lloyd liner, Koenig Albert for Naples, via Gibraltar, where the liner is due on March 25.

David F. Stauffer of Schuyler, Neb.; L. B. Dunlap and D. W. Hurst of Ames, James W. Nelson and A. R. Zumwalt, both of Ames, Ia., have been appointed veterinary inspectors in connection with the bureau of animal industry.

Stockholders of the Northern Pacific railroad were given an extra dividend of \$11.26 a share.

The new bill of lading designed by the Interstate Commerce commission is now in effect on all roads east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio rivers.

It is said that good weather hurt Mr. Bryan's chances in several states. At Richmond, Va., Winston Green, a negro youth, was electrocuted in the state penitentiary for attempted criminal assault upon a young white girl of Chesterfield county. After his conviction he made a full confession.

John D. Rockefeller had to stand in line in a Sixth avenue tailor shop for forty minutes before he had a chance to deposit his ballot.

Fire in a Philadelphia lumber yard did damage amounting to \$750,000 and blocked railroad and traction lines for several blocks.

One death by asphyxiation, the dismissal of all schools heated with natural gas and cold meats as the result of no fuel was the result in St. Joseph of the breaking rear Leavenworth, Kan., of a natural gas main with which St. Joseph is supplied.

Mummy island, about eight miles from Cordova, has been selected as the site for the navy wireless station to be established on the Alaskan coast to close communication between the coastal wireless station of the navy and the military Alaskan telegraph system.

Governor Patterson of Tennessee has announced that he has sufficient evidence to convict all members of the gang of night riders that hung Captain Rankin.

Speaker Cannon, in answer to Methodist bishops, denies being responsible for the defeat of the Littlefield bill.

Belgium is to assume sovereignty over the Congo which has been annexed by treaty on the 15th of November.

Railroads are publishing booklet advertising the National Corn exposition to be held in Omaha December 9 to 19.

Governor Guild of Massachusetts was seized with a severe attack of gastritis. As this is the third dangerous illness experienced by the governor within a year there is considerable anxiety over his condition.

John W. Hutchinson, the last of the famous Hutchinson family, whose temperance and abolition songs before the civil war and during that conflict made their names known throughout the country, died at his home, High Rock, in Lynn, Mass. He was 87 years of age.

The president went to his home at Oyster Bay to vote.

A Halloween prank had a tragic ending in the death here at George town hospital of Frank Kretzmer, a young merchant of Rockville, Md., as the result of wounds said to have been inflicted by Nicholas Offutt, also of Rockville. Offutt claimed, it is said, that Kretzmer had insulted his little sister by pulling her mask from her face when she entered his store with several youngsters in Halloween garb and played childish pranks. Offutt disappeared immediately after the shooting.

An item of \$2,606,119 for barracks and quarters at coast artillery posts will be included in the estimates of appropriations to be sent to congress this year by the war department.

Much interest has been aroused over the report that Secretary Wilson has been offered the presidency of the Colorado State Agricultural college and would resign to accept it. Secretary Wilson is now in Iowa. His son, Jasper Wilson, said the report was untrue.

Beautiful memorial services, attended by a brilliant assemblage of representatives of all branches of official life in Washington, were held in memory of the late Freiherr Speck von Sternburg, German ambassador to the United States, who died at Heidelberg Aug. 23. President and Mrs. Roosevelt, members of his cabinet, diplomatic representatives of all nations, members of the supreme court of the United States, high officials of the government and officers of the army, navy and marine corps, many of whom were accompanied by their wives, were present.

At the commencement of the present year the number of pensioners on the official insurance lists of the German empire for invalidism, old age, and sickness amounted to 978,960, of whom 841,992 were invalid pensioners, 20,081 sick pensioners, and 116,887 old-age pensioners. The sum paid to pensioners in 1907 is estimated at 172,000,000 marks, and since the existence of the institution at 1,328,000,000 marks.

In order that the prominent Americans who have taken passage on the steamer Mongolla may learn the result of the election in the United States, the departure of the vessel was held one day at Tokio.

The Chinese officials paid their welcome to the American fleet.

Henri Farman's aeroplane made a twenty mile trip from Mourmelon to Rheims in twenty minutes.

The latest sensation reported concerning the Duke of the Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins is that the couple will marry privately and unknown to the public in order to escape the curiosity of the crowd.

Mrs. William Astor, who for thirty years has been regarded as the social leader of New York, died on the 31st of heart disease at her home on Fifth avenue. For nearly four weeks Mrs. Astor, who was eighty-two years old, has been in a critical condition.

General Solicitor W. R. Begg of the Great Northern railroad confirmed the shortage of \$50,000 in the accounts of A. J. Gordon of Spokane, Wash., formerly general counsel of the Great Northern at Spokane.

Brigadier General Frederick Funston voted in his home precinct in Tola, Kas., for the first time in fourteen years.

At New York, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was sworn as a member of the November grand jury before Judge Mulqueen in the court of general sessions. The court will consider 428 complaints.

At Friedrichshafen, Count Zeppelin made a successful trip in his new airship around Lake Constance. He was accompanied by several women, including Duchess Vera of Wurtemberg and his own daughter. The airship was aloft for one hour.

Apparently in good health, and in the act of making a medical examination, Dr. Edwin S. Hutchins dropped dead of heart failure beside the operating table in his office at Spokane, Wash.

The general opinion is that Chancellor von Buelow will be forced to retire.

C. A. Ralston, night watchman at Weeping Water, Neb., was shot and instantly killed by one of two men thought to be Manley bank robbers.

Judge Taft issued a statement regarding his attitude toward labor.

Orders have been given that the British squadron under the command of Rear Admiral Sir Percy Scott proceed to South America on the completion of its South African program.

Hon. Thomas Cozway, former premier of Manitoba and members of the railway commission of Canada, died at his home in Ottawa.

SENATE DEMOCRATIC

RETURNS FROM SENATORIAL DISTRICTS SHOW 20 DEMOCRATS.

HOUSE IS ALSO DEMOCRATIC

Reports Indicate That the Republicans Will Be Outnumbered.

Returns from every senatorial district in Nebraska show that the complexion of the next state senate will be decidedly democratic.

The republicans have assembled only thirteen members, while the democrats have twenty. It is not thought it will be necessary for one of the republicans to resign in favor of a democrat because of the number 13, however.

Following will be the senatorial roster: First district—J. R. Cain..... R

Second district—T. J. Majors..... R

Third district—S. H. Buck..... D

Fourth district—W. B. Banning..... D

Fifth district—Alex Lavery..... R

Sixth district—E. E. Howell..... D

Seventh district—F. T. Ransom..... D

Eighth district—Nick Fritz..... D

Ninth district—J. D. Hatfield..... D

Tenth district—W. D. Haller..... R

Eleventh district—C. A. Randall..... R

Twelfth district—Frank J. Henry..... D

Thirteenth district—J. A. Donahue..... D

Fourteenth district—J. L. Meyers..... R

Fifteenth district—J. A. Allen, Jr..... D

Sixteenth district—E. F. Bodinson..... D

Seventeenth district—J. H. Burnham..... R

Eighteenth district—E. L. King..... R

Nineteenth district—G. W. Fuller..... D

Twentieth district—J. E. Miller..... D

Twenty-first district—Jacob Klein..... D

Twenty-second district—F. W. Bartos..... D

Twenty-third district—Smith Ketchum..... D

Twenty-fourth district—Herman Diers..... D

Twenty-fifth district—R. G. Brown..... D

Twenty-sixth district—O. R. Besse..... D

Twenty-seventh district—W. L. Tibbets..... R

Twenty-eighth district—A. G. Warren..... R

Twenty-ninth district—John C. Garlin..... R

Thirtieth district—L. L. Raymond..... R

The lower house of the legislature this winter will be largely democratic.

The republicans had 69 of the 130 members two years ago and this condition will be reversed this winter.

It is possible that the democrats may even have a greater advantage in the house. The following members have been elected, according to reports received up to Thursday evening:

E. W. Roberts, republican, Phelps.

John Snyder, democrat, Harlan.

R. A. Clark, democrat, Richardson.

Henry Geddes, democrat, Richardson.

Otto Kotouc, democrat, Richardson.

J. G. O'Connell, republican, Johnson.

G. W. Leight, democrat, Otoe.

E. J. Siedman, democrat, Otoe.

C. E. Noyes, republican, Cass.

D. Smith, republican, Cass.

M. T. Harrison, republican, float.

P. G. Boland, democrat, Douglas.

J. P. Connolly, democrat, Douglas.

J. Howard, democrat, Douglas.

W. S. Shoemaker, democrat, Douglas.

W. Butt, democrat, Douglas.

R. H. Holmes, democrat, Douglas.

J. P. Kraus, democrat, Douglas.

W. F. Stoether, democrat, Douglas.

W. P. Thomas, democrat, Douglas.

H. D. Schrettinger, republican, Washington.

B. F. Griffin, republican, float.

Charles Griffin, democrat, Dodge.

W. J. McVicker, democrat, Dodge.

S. Saberson, republican, Dixon.

G. W. Fannon, republican, Antelope.

Mr. Young, democrat, Madison.

J. W. Weems, democrat, float.

W. A. Rothsack, republican, Colfax.

E. H. Haisel, republican, Saunders.

Frank Donezell, democrat, Saunders.

C. A. Ritchie, democrat, Seward.

Henry Schele, democrat, Seward.

Cyrus Black, republican, Lancaster.

J. W. Blystone, republican, Lancaster.

E. W. Brown, republican, Lancaster.

Fred Humphrey, democrat, Lancaster.

C. E. Groves, democrat, Lancaster.

John Chad, democrat, Saline.

J. H. Hospodski, democrat, Saline.

F. O. Ellis, republican, float.

P. A. Murphy, democrat, Fillmore.

H. M. Swan, democrat, Fillmore.

J. G. Hokes, democrat, Merrick.

R. W. Boyd, democrat, Hamilton.

L. N. Evans, democrat, Hamilton.

D. N. Nettleton, republican, Clay.

J. E. Cooperick, democrat, Clay.

F. J. Cropper, democrat, Adams.

Eric Johnson, republican, float.

A Few Suggestions.

"There is fretfulness, a mizzling, drizzling rain of discomforting remark; there is grumbling, a northeast snowstorm that never clears; there is scolding, the thunder storm with lightning and hail. All these are worse than useless; they are positive sins by whomsoever indulged—sins as great and real as many that are shuddered at in polite society. All these are for the most part but the venting of our

sulting from dyspepsia, overtaxed nerves or general ill health."—Mrs. Beecher Stowe.

Professor's Sarcasm.

Prof. Jowett's comments on the young men of Balliol, Oxford, often took the form of crushing sarcasm. "The college, Mr. X—, thinks highly of you," he once said; "perhaps, too highly; but not half so highly as we

W. J. Taylor, democrat, Custer and Logan.

E. A. Brown, democrat, Sherman.

G. W. Barrett, republican, Buffalo.

H. J. Worthington, democrat, Dawson.

J. P. England, democrat, Kearney.

Messages From Bryan and Taft.

Cincinnati.—"Please accept congratulations and best wishes for the success of your administration."

"W. J. BRYAN."

"I thank you sincerely for your cordial and courteous telegram of congratulation and good wishes."

"WILLIAM H. TAFT."

These messages were exchanged Thursday between Lincoln, Neb., and Cincinnati.

The message from Mr. Bryan came while Judge Taft was addressing the general conference of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church.

He received the message on his return to his residence and answered it at once.

Indiana Divided.

Indianapolis, Ind.—A radical change in Indiana's representation in the national house of representatives was the most striking feature of the election.

The latest unofficial returns complete give the democratic party eleven members and the republicans two.

This is a gain of seven for the democrats, the former representation being nine republican and four democratic members.

William H. Taft carried the state for president, according to incomplete returns, by about 8,000.

Thomas R. Marshall and the entire democratic ticket are probably elected by a plurality around 15,000.

As the returns come slowly rolling in Marshall's plurality increases, while the vote on the republican national ticket decreases.

Taft Gets Iowa by 70,000.

Des Moines, Ia.—More complete returns received indicate that Taft's plurality in Iowa will pass the 70,000 mark.

The estimate is based on practically complete returns from two-thirds of the counties and it will probably be ascertained by complete returns. This plurality of 70,000 is 6,000 more than was given to McKinley in 1896 and is more than a normal republican plurality.

Governor Cummins, for United States senator, has won by an overwhelming majority. In no complete returns from nearly every county in the state indicate his election over Lacey by at least 25,000.

The complexion of the next Iowa legislature will be progressive republican.

Heavy Majority for New Plan.

Out of a total vote of 7,249 (official), 356 of which had to be thrown out because the ballots were unmarked, the proposition to change Lincoln's form of municipal government to a commission plan carried at Tuesday's election by a vote of 5,128 to 1,765.

This vote does not change the government in Lincoln, but is simply a "straw vote," as it were, to establish the people's wish.

The charter revision committee of the city council will now prepare a new charter, to be submitted to the legislature this fall for ratification, carrying out the details of the commission plan.

Should the charter pass the legislature, the commission form of government will not be in use until next April.

Was Happy Evening for Miss Helen Taft.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Helen Taft, a daughter of the next president of the United States, received the news of her father's election at a front window of the North American building.

In view of thousands of cheering men and women gathered to hear the returns.

Cheer after cheer rose in her honor. Leaning out of the window she waved her handkerchief in reply, turning from time to time to her companions, ten of her classmates at Bryn Mawr.

She sent a telegram of congratulation to her father.

The news from New York state indicating her father's splendid majority there, caused her to exclaim: "Isn't it splendid!" She said, turning to her girl friends and slapping her hands.

It was one long, happy evening for the next young lady of the White House.

The Next Congress.

Chicago—According to returns from all congressional districts in the United States the next national house of representatives will consist of 215 republicans and 176 democrats.

The present membership of the house of representatives is 123 republicans and 166 democrats, and there are two vacancies.

Republicans Now Claim Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Okla.—The official returns are awaited to show the exact state of affairs in Oklahoma. Creager, republican, claims the Third by 1,000.

Morgan in the Second has apparently defeated his democratic rival. Republican Chairman Morris still claims the state for Taft.

LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF TAFT



TAFT FAR IN LEAD

REPORTS ALL SHOW HEAVY REPUBLICAN VOTE

THEY NOW HAVE 327 VOTES

Fairview Statesman Discusses the Results of the National Election.

New York—Late developments in the situation surprised the political leaders of both big parties and the result may be a vindication of the judgment of Chairman Hitchcock, who declared that Taft would receive 325 votes in the electoral college.

Returns indicate that he is practically assured of 327 votes.

Another surprise was the close vote in Maryland, which is claimed for Taft by the margin of 136 votes only.

The democrats do not concede the loss of this state and will be satisfied with nothing short of the official count.

Conceding Maryland to Taft and figuring Missouri as the one still doubtful state, Bryan has 156 members in the electoral college assured him.

Judge Taft's plurality in the state of New York, according to corrected returns, is 203,495, more than 18,000 in excess of President Roosevelt's plurality of four years ago.

Governor Charles E. Hughes was re-elected in New York by 11,005. The returns between president and governor indicate a heavy splitting of tickets.

The proportion of scratched ballots was about the same in the up-state districts as in Greater New York.

Vote in Electoral College.

States voting for Taft:

California..... 7

Connecticut..... 7

Delaware..... 3

Idaho..... 3

Illinois..... 27

Indiana..... 15

Iowa..... 13

Kansas..... 10

Maine..... 5

Maryland..... 8

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Steps Out

With this issue the writer, after nearly eleven years of service, severs his connection with the Quiz, and, as is the custom, desires to thank the many readers and customers of the paper for the kindness and consideration that they have shown him during that time.

We are mighty glad, since Shallenburger is elected, that the legislature is also democratic. This will give the democrats a free hand and we shall see what we shall see.

Large table showing election results for various offices: President, Governor, Lieut. Governor, Sec. State, Auditor, State Treas., State Superint'dt., Attorney General, Com'ss'r, Railway Com'ss'r, Congressman, Representative, State Senator, County Atty. Columns include candidate names and vote counts for various townships.

When Norm Parks took charge of the Burwell Tribune we were sure he would make it go well. This he has done even beyond our expectations.

When Missouri surprised the country four years ago by voting for Roosevelt, the country was surprised enough. It was thought that Missouri had done well enough, though it at the same time elected the democratic state ticket.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Stroup and daughter are visiting here. H. P. Eastman is up from Lincoln on a visit. The Methodist Ladies will have a chicken pie dinner and supper on Saturday, November 21.

Dr. Ludington was at St. Paul Monday. Frank Bower boarded the cars for Elba Monday morning. Mr. J. S. Collison was a passenger to St. Paul Monday morning.

Will James of Burwell passed through the city on his way to North Loup Monday. Geo. Bloomer departed Tuesday morning for Cedar Bluffs after a brief visit here.

L. E. Branson of Cedar Rapids Iowa bought a ticket for the return trip Monday morning. He had been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

H. A. Hill of the Grand Island Marble Company was in the city on a business mission the latter part of last week. He returned home Monday morning. Dr. Driver, the next speaker on the lecture course, will not be here on the 16th, but instead will appear on the 20th of November.

Mrs. Styer Dead. Mrs. Mary C. Styer, who for many years was a resident of Ord, died on November fifth at the home of her son, Edward Ballou in New York City, after a short illness.

Died, at his home in North Loup Saturday morning, November 7th, William Henry Burgess, aged 78 years, 4 months, 24 days.

Mr. Burgess enlisted and served in the War of the Rebellion and was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic. He was a good citizen, thoughtful and sympathetic, upright in his dealings and beloved by all his neighbors.

Mr. H. W. Winterbotham of David City, whose visit to Ord we mentioned a couple of weeks ago, returned to Ord Tuesday evening and has taken a position with the Cornell hardware. He has a number of old neighbors living in these parts so he will feel at home from the start.

Teachers Attention! The Ord division of the Reading Circle will hold its initial meeting in the court room at Ord at 2:00 p. m. sharp on Saturday, November 21.

Round Table. Topic: Discipline. How secured, how maintained, devices used. Questions and discussions on local school problems.

Enterprise News. Russell Hamilton was cheated out of his first chance to vote for a republican president by being taken severely ill on election day.

ARCADIA NEWS. T. P. Owens of Comstock was in the city on business Saturday. Mrs. H. O. Cooley and son Parle were visiting with relatives in this place a few days last week.

Fackler & Sutton. The Place to buy the Best in Foods. We now have in stock smoked halibut, blotters and salt fish, mackerel, white fish, herring etc. Also canned shrimps, lobster and cove oysters.

The United States Government. will water 60,000 acres of fertile land in the famous Grand Valley of Colorado. Actual construction on this large irrigation project will begin in a few weeks.

The Coe Investment Co. Grand Junction, Colo. NEW AMERICAN STEEL FRAME SCALE. sets complete above the ground; is eight inches high. All the foundation it needs is under end sills and under beam box.

Card of Thanks. Our friends and neighbors have been very kind to our mother and us during her sickness and death and we wish to thank them all for their sympathy and kindness.

FOR SALE O. I. C. male hogs. T. D. Lickly 33 ft. He Can't See Her. get wet, so, like a little gallant, he loans her his Umbrella. She ought to have one of her own - everyone ought to have one when they cost so little and mean so much to health and the preservation of clothing.

PIERCE, The Jeweler. Illustration of a woman holding an umbrella.

Will Bryan run for president again? If Johnson of Minnesota does not, yes. The returns from the state election were not so bad after all, but they are bad enough with Sheldon defeated. Many northern people have moved into Missouri during the last decade, and these are having a marked effect in redeeming that great state from democracy.

Remember the bazaar and good time that the Catholic people will give you at the Bohemian Hall on the afternoon and evening of November 21. The cold snap caught the stand pipe for the sprinkler wagon Monday and burst it. The result was that water was flowing freely for a long time.

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Mr. Williams and family visited with relatives in Arcadia the fore part of the week. They returned to their home at Ord Monday. Rev. C. D. Williams and wife of North Loup accompanied by Miss Clara Williams of Washington, Kan., visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Thompson in this city.

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Bow Back kitchen chair for.....	\$.68
6 ft extension dining table for.....	4.75
Full size iron beds for.....	2.88
Cotton top mattress for.....	2.88
Woven wire springs for.....	2.25
Metallie steel couch for.....	4.75
Metallie steel davenport for.....	6.38
Kitchen Cabinets for.....	5.00
Good big wide cupboard for.....	6.00

This will jutt give you an idea of some of the prices. We carry a complete line and can sell you anything you want.

Sewing Machines

At \$14.50, 20.00, 25.00
27.50, 30.00 and 33.00
If you want the best buy the
New Home.

Carpet Department

Including Ingrain carpets by the yard. Carpet size rugs, linoleum and matting. We have \$2000.00 worth of these goods for you to select from. Just come in and look. That's all we ask.

Sanitary cotton Ingrain carpet, per yard.....	\$.83
Half wool and half cotton, per yard.....	.45
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Real heavy all wool, per yard.....	.78
Carpet size rugs, Ingrain, in sizes 6x9, 7-6x9, 9x9, 9x10-6, 8-3x10-6, 9x12, 10-6x12, 12x12, 12x15.	
Brussels rugs 7-6x8, 8-3x10-6, 10-5x12, 9x12, 10-6x13-6, 11-3x12.	
60 carpet size rugs for you to select from ranging in price from \$6.88 to \$45.00	
LINOLEUM	
6 foot wide.....	per square yard \$.50
12 foot wide.....	per square yard .60
6 foot Granite Inlaid.....	per square yard .75
6 foot Tiling Inlaid.....	per square yard 1.10

Clothing Department

\$7,000 to select from, can surely please you both as to fit, style and price. For people that want the best we have the Addler Line that has a national reputation of being the best there is. These Goods are all made by high class city Merchant Tailors. We have these splendid stylish suits at \$15.00, to 22.50, but we have other good suits at \$7.50, 10.00 and 12.00

OVER COATS: We have an especially nice line of overcoats this season. By far the best assortment we have ever had. You will not go wrong if you come here to buy your overcoat. We have a dandy all-wool Kersey Coat 44 inches long at \$10.00.

FUR OVER COATS: Now is the time to buy. Look this list over, Compare Prices. Our Coats are just as good, but the prices are from \$1.00 to 5.00 less than at other stores.

Plain Black Dog \$15.00, Calf Skin \$24.00, Plain Black horsehide \$18.75, Plain Black Galloway \$20.00 Coon Skin Coats at \$10.00 and \$15.00

Dress Goods Department

We have a splendid line of all the new stylish dress goods and have a particularly strong line of nice black goods.

We have some very pretty goods in the new shades of grey. Black satin is again in high style for dresses and we have a beautiful piece 36 inches wide at \$1.50 a yd. Satin finish silks are all the go now and we have just received some pretty new styles in these goods.

Millinery Department

If you are in need of anything in this line you will make a material saving if you buy it here. We have a real good trimmer and can save you from \$1.00 to \$2.00 on a nice hat.

Shoe Department

Looks like we sell about all the shoes there is sold here because we have to keep ordering all the time. QUEEN QUALITY shoes for women..... \$3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00

W. L. DOUGLAS shoes for men..... \$3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00

SELZ ROYAL BLUE shoes for men..... \$3.00, 3.50 and 3.00

Childrens' shoes that are built for wear.

Mens' high cut shoes at \$3.75 and \$5.00 are good value.

Over shoes and warm shoes of all kinds.

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Including coats, suits, skirts and rain coats. Another shipment of womens' stylish coats and skirts just received. We have had the best sale on these goods that we have ever had. The reason, RIGHT GOODS, RIGHT STYLES, RIGHT PRICES.

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THE ORD QUIZ

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ORD, VALLEY COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

Elgin Clason spent Sunday at Taylor.

Mr. Mickelson was at St. Paul Monday.

D. L. Williams was at Cotesfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. W. Brown were at North Loup Friday.

Miss Helen Barnes who has been visiting at Scotia returned home Monday evening.

Miss Barba Ambrose is in the city this week, as the guest of her brother, John Ambrose.

Robert Johnson came up from North Loup Monday evening. Court is in session, you know.

Harry Cook and Owen Conway of Scotia made their regular trip to this city Monday evening.

Dora Jensen returned to her home at Hampton Monday morning after a visit with friends in this city.

Lewis Ponchohar, who has been doing the mason work on the Gruber residence at St. Paul, is back at his home in this city again.

Clarence Perry and Eddie Kniep were among the Greeleyites who came up to attend the dance at the Ord opera house Monday night.

The Franklin Comedy Company which was holding forth at the Burwell opera house last week, passed through town Monday morning to continue their search for suckers at

The teaching force of the Ord schools got back all right Saturday evening. They had been for a three days stay at the state capital, where they attended a meeting of the state teachers association. About 3500 teachers of Nebraska were present. Among other noted speakers who addressed the meeting was one William Jennings Bryan, who will no doubt be remembered by some of our readers as being rather prominently connected with national politics for some time past.

M. A. Pardue was in the city Friday with a smile all over his face. He declared that he had been reading the World Herald and, as he put it, got his hide full every night of the prospects of Bryan's election, till he was scared that Bryan would be elected. Now he thinks that if the democrats have nothing better than Bryan to put up for a presidential candidate, they had better hire some republican to run for them.

Oscar Luse is at Omaha this week looking after holiday purchases and during his absence E. C. Brink is in charge of the City Pharmacy. Mrs. Luse accompanied her husband on this trip to have her eyes examined and treated by an Omaha specialist.

The Danish Lutheran people will hold services at the Episcopal church on Monday, November 23, at 1:30, in the afternoon. Rev. Højbjerg of Nysted will conduct the services. All are cordially invited to come out to this meeting. John Fogt.

James Peterson who for the past eight months has been employed as clothier in the Chapin store has resigned his position, and accepted a similar one at Crawford, Nebraska, leaving here last Wednesday morning.

Mr. H. N. Hansen started for

Mr. Westburg went to Grand Island Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kandell of Colby Kansas are in the city as guests of the Collins family.

Chas. Manchester was visiting in the city the latter part of last week. He returned to his home at North Loup the early part of this week.

E. O. Bartlett was in the city Monday night. He had been to North Loup to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Burgess. After the funeral he came up to Ord and spent the night with his kinsfolks, the Collinsses.

O. E. Moorman has moved into a house in the southeast part of the city somewhere in the vicinity of Mr. Gagagan's residence. J. C. Chatfield who has but recently returned from Washington will occupy the premises on the sand flats that Mr. Moorman vacated, until the first of March when he will be on his farm at Rosevale.

Charles A. McMasters and family were here over Sunday, coming Saturday night and returning Tuesday morning. They are located at Twin Falls, Idaho, where Mr. McMasters has large interests. He is one of the loud shouters for Idaho and thinks that there is no place like it. They were the guests of the Williams and Mortensen families while here.

District court convened at Ord Tuesday with a rather small list of cases to try. Legal business is steadily on the decrease in these parts. One of the lawyers of the city accounts for it on the ground that this is a farming community and not enough of diversity of interests. With most of our interests centered around one great industry there is not occasion for much conflict of interests, which means that we are getting along without

The other day a big eagle was seen perched near the barn on the J. M. May farm at the Big Bend and Sidney Warner made a sneak on the bird and brought him down at the first shot as it rose in flight. The bird proved to be a beauty and one of unusual size. The spread of his wings are over seven feet. Sidney very kindly sent his prize to the Quiz office and Miss Cosa promptly appropriated it and will soon have his eagleship mounted in the most imposing pose possible for her to provide.

The weather has been very favorable for corn husking and our farmers have made great progress in the work. Some are getting pretty well through already.

An ordinance ought to be passed prohibiting the use of roller skates on the walks of the city. Great damage is being done to our walks by this means.

That gray team of Dr. Bundy's always looks sleek and fat in spite of the fast and continual driving they are subject to. The doctor must be a good hostler as well as a good doctor.

Alonzo Farrand and wife were visiting in the city a short time last week. They returned to their home at Taylor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holden of Central City were in the city over Sunday visiting their relatives the Bradt family.

John Thurston, who has been visiting at the Charles Bals ranch went on his way again Friday morning.

Fifteen or twenty young fellows were up from Greeley to attend the dance Monday evening.

Mrs. Thalles returned to North Loup Monday morning after a visit in this vicinity.

J. C. Work was a passenger

Dr. Ludington bought a ticket for Grand Island Tuesday morning.

A crossing is being put in east of the Firkins corner. A considerable grade is to be overcome at this point and to do so a few steps were planned at first, but it was finally decided to make it an incline, which is better we think.

The young people of the city gave a masked ball at the Bohemian National Hall last Monday evening. A large crowd was present and an enjoyable evening was spent by those present. Nearly all were masqued and the costumes were certainly grotesque enough to strike the fancy of all. Lillian Carlson won first prize, dressed as a cowboy girl, Clayton Burke winning first gentleman's prize, as a turk, and Ralph Harris winning the consolation prize attired as a good sized farmer.

Advices from G. G. Clement, the big Hereford breeder at Ord, Nebr., and who took the leading premiums of the two big Colorado fairs, state that at Douglas, Wyo., he swept the field, taking 93 premiums, 46 of which were first, and champions. The West feels honored in having such a prominent breeder visit us and those who desire to build up their herds will certainly try to secure some of these prize winners.—Ranch & Range, Denver.

Work has begun on the new Catholic church. The trenches for the foundation were dug and Tuesday they were to commence the concrete foundations, but the weather was too cold to tackle so particular a job, so this was postponed. The building will be 30x60 feet and a neat edifice, though not a very costly one. It is located just south of W. H. H. Ramsey's residence. It is expected that the work can be pushed right along rapidly so that it will be ready for use in a

John Lane a half-brother of Sam Gilroy arrived on the B. & M. Tuesday evening intent on walking in on the Gilroys and taking the whole family by surprise. However, we believe the surprise was on him as Mr. Gilroy had moved to the country without his knowledge, so he was obliged to put up at a hotel and wait till morning, as none of the liverymen were at all anxious to tackle the job of driving him out through eight or ten miles of hills over an unknown road that night.

Frank Johnson was a passenger to Omaha Friday morning.

C. Rydeberg was a passenger to Grand Island Tuesday.

Winter Term Opens November 30. Beginning classes will be organized at this time, and you should plan to enter on this date.

The ST. PAUL COLLEGE offers the cost training in Commercial and Normal courses. Endorsed by the state superintendent.

More students from our school occupy bank positions in this section of the state than from any other two schools.

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Our rates are reasonable and the quality the highest. Text books rented.

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G. G. Clements, Sec'y.

Tuesday Afternoon Session.

1:30 How to maintain soil fertility,

Mr. C. G. Marshall, Lincoln.

2:30 Poultry on the farm,

Mrs. O. J. Wortman, Ashland

3:30 Short talk on the value of windbreaks, Mr. Marshall.

Evening Session.

7:30 Social life on the farm,

Mrs. Wortman.

8:30 Growing small fruit for the home, Mr. Marshall.

Wednesday

Afternoon session.

1:30 Tillage of the soil and cultivation of small grain.

Mr. O. Hull, Alma.

2:30 Corn, alfalfa and the hog,

Hou. B. P. Brown, Lincoln.

3:30 Judging demonstration with hogs, Mr. Hull.

Evening session.

3:30 The farm horse, O. Hull.

3:30 The value of knowing how and why.

Mr. Brown.

These meetings are held under the auspices of the University of Nebraska and the Ord Farmers' Insti-

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Pairs of Glasses

Fitted in one family since coming to Ord.

The first Pair fitted in the fall of 1901 the 9th Pair in the first week of this month.

This is one of the most highly respected families of Valley, noted for their good judgment and rigid Honesty.

Not only that but there are numerous families in which you will find 4 to 8 pair of "Parkins Glasses."

This Proves to My Mind and it seems to me should bear great weight with you, that Parins method of examining the eye and Parkins System of fitting glasses so they LOOK RIGHT, FEEL RIGHT and Give the Best results are just What You are looking for.

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of the Well-Informed of the World has always been for a simple, pleasant and efficient laxative remedy of known value; a laxative which physicians could sanction for family use because its component parts are known to them to be wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, acceptable to the system and gentle, yet prompt, in action.

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TOO MUCH FOR YANKEE.

English Munchausen Had Shade the Better of Fellow Romancer.

The Cape Cod man and the Londoner were traveling on the same train together from Liverpool to the capital.

"Yes," said the Yankee, "we do have considerable fog out our way. I've seen it so thick that the land-ladies of our summer boardin' houses could ladle it out and use it instead of whipped egg for the heavy part of the froatin' island."

"We 'ave 'em, too, in London," said his traveling companion, "but our climate is too dry to permit of our eatin' it. We burn so much soft coal, you see, the fog gets packed full of soot. The only thing we really can do with it is to cut it up into blocks and use it instead of peat when we want a quick fire."

And the Yankee took out the little American flag he wore in his button-hole and put it away in his wallet.—Judge.

FOR THE LADY OF THE AUTO.



Expressman—I don't know whether this comes here. The address is indistinct.

Housemaid—I guess it's all right. It's either a new tire for the auto, or a new hat for the missus!

Uncle Zeb's Preference. Uncle Zebulon was on a visit to his nephew in the big city and the two had gone to a restaurant for dinner. They had given their order and were waiting for it to be filled when the younger man, who had been glancing at a paper that lay on the table, said:

"By the way, uncle, did you ever have cerebro-spinal meningitis?" "No," replied Uncle Zebulon, after a few moments' mental struggle with the question, "and I don't want any. I'd rather have fried liver and bacon any day."

The Little Girl and the Donkey. The four-year-old daughter of a Washington man not long ago saw a donkey for the first time. She talked to her father a good deal touching the unusual sight. It was a "dear donkey," it was a "lovely donkey," etc., etc. Soon the child exhausted her stock of adjectives.

"And so you liked the donkey, did you?" asked the fond parent.

"Oh, so much, daddy!" returned the youngster. "That is, I liked him pretty well. But I didn't like to hear him donk."—Lippincott's.

Poor Old Bird.

I see there's a new baby hippopotamus at the zoo. What are you laughing at, Johnnie?

Johnnie (who is almost as bright as he looks)—"I was just laughin' to think of the stork carryin' a hippopotamus!—Exchange.

EAGER TO WORK

Health Regained by Right Food.

The average healthy man or woman is usually eager to be busy at some useful task or employment.

But let dyspepsia or indigestion get hold of one, and all endeavor becomes a burden.

"An year ago, after recovering from an operation," writes a Mich. lady, "my stomach and nerves began to give me much trouble.

"At times my appetite was voracious, but when indulged, indigestion followed. Other times I had no appetite whatever. The food I took did not nourish me, and I grew weaker than ever.

"I lost interest in everything, and wanted to be alone. I had always had good nerves, but now the merest trifles would upset me and bring on a violent headache. Walking across the room was an effort and prescribed exercise was out of the question.

"I had seen Grape-Nuts advertised, but did not believe what I read, at the time. At last when it seemed as if I were literally starving, I began to eat Grape-Nuts.

"I had not been able to work for a year, but now after two months on Grape-Nuts I am eager to be at work again. My stomach gives me no trouble now, my nerves are steady as a rock, and interest in life and ambition have come back with the return to health."

There's a Reason.

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NEWS OF NEBRASKA

A GENERAL RESUME OF THE EVENTS OF A WEEK.

REVENUE LAW IS HELD VALID

Not Unconstitutional Because It Taxes Net Credits—Supreme Court Says

Constitution Makers Did Not Have Gross Credits in Mind.

The revenue law of Nebraska, which permits, under the interpretation of the supreme court, a taxpayer to deduct his bona fide debts from his gross credits, is not unconstitutional or in conflict with section 9, article 9, of the constitution. This is the holding of the supreme court on a motion for a rehearing in the case of the Scandinavian Mutual Aid association vs. Kearney county, the latter being defendant and appellant.

Because the present revenue law provides for the assessment of net credits rather than gross credits, the defendant alleged that it is unconstitutional, the constitution providing for a tax by valuation so that every person shall pay a tax in proportion to the value of his property, the value to be ascertained in such manner as the legislature shall direct. The defendant urged that allowing debts to be set off or deducted from gross credits in effect permits such portion of the gross credits as equalled the taxpayer's debts to be released from assessment and taxation and results in levying taxes unequal upon the taxable property in the state.

Such a construction of the constitution was never contemplated by its framers, says the court. If the taxpayers were not allowed to offset bona fide debts from gross credits, it would result in compelling him to pay taxes in some instances of many times the value of the net worth of the taxpayer. It would result in requiring every bank to pay taxes upon several times the value of its capital stock and would practically result in bankrupting many of the financial and manufacturing institutions of the state.

RICES BECOME RECONCILED.

Woman's Husband Will Not Sue for Divorce.

Irving Rice and his wife, Abbie Rice, star witness in the Dr. Rustin murder case at Omaha, have become reconciled and Mr. Rice announces that at the close of the trial of Charles E. Davis, charged with killing Dr. Rustin, they will go to some place where they are not known and begin life anew. Mrs. Rice is held in jail as a witness in default of bail, but it is likely her husband will be able to secure her release. Thursday when he called she refused his offers of reconciliation but last Thursday night he visited her again and together they went over their old love letters and other mementoes of their honeymoon days, the old love was rekindled and she promised to share his home again.

Captain Mostyn allowed Rice to see his wife in the matron's department in the presence of Officer Riggleman. The couple had a long talk, which led to an understanding, there were words of endearment, a few kisses, some tears and Mrs. Rice declared that she is now ready and willing to abandon the old life and live with her husband again.

Rice will proceed with his plans for getting her out on bond and as soon as she is out of her present trouble they will leave for parts unknown to forget the past and commence life anew.

Chinese to Be Deported.

Liu Sung, alias Leo Sue, the Chinaman under orders for deportation at Omaha left for San Francisco Friday morning under charge of United States Marshal W. P. Warner. Liu Sung was ordered deported about a year ago, but took an appeal in the case, which appeal was denied by the circuit court of appeals. Pending the decision of the circuit court of appeals the Chinaman jumped his bonds and was located a few months ago at Rock Springs, Wyo. He was brought back to Omaha by Immigration Inspector Mansfield and has since been confined in the Douglas county jail.

Little Child Badly Scalded.

As a result of the spilling of a pail of boiling water Willard, the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Howe, of Fremont, was badly scalded Tuesday. Mrs. Howe was engaged in washing at the time the accident occurred and the baby was playing upon the floor. In some manner the child caught hold of a pail of hot water which stood on a stand a few feet above the floor and pulled it over upon himself.

State Is Reimbursed.

Governor Sheldon has received from the government \$5,175 for the care of members of the Grand Island soldiers home and \$2,550 for the Milford home, being at the rate of \$100 a year for each member maintained in the homes. The payment is for the quarter ending September 30. There were 207 in the Grand Island home and 102 in the Milford home. The money goes into the general fund of the state. The state built and maintains the homes, but the general government gives the state \$100 a year for members of the homes.

Requisition Is Issued.

A requisition was issued by Governor Sheldon for the return of Walter Williams from Denver to Phelps county to answer to the charge of grand larceny preferred by G. L. Gates, who alleges that Williams stole a suit case and clothing value at \$130.

Fire Near Arborville.

The seven-room farm house belonging to Elmer Land, west of Arborville, burned down Sunday. A defective flue was the cause. Part of the contents

MAN ROBBED AT ASHLAND.

A. L. Snavely of Omaha Waylaid and Slugged.

A. L. Snavely of Omaha was assaulted and robbed near the Burlington station at Ashland early Friday morning. He left train No. 13 and started to walk to a hotel in the business part of the city, when he was accosted by a stranger in regard to the way. Suddenly the stranger leaped upon Mr. Snavely, who is an elderly man, knocked him to the ground and robbed him of \$130. Snavely's cries were drowned by the noise of the train starting and pulling out of the station. A razor and a memorandum book were picked up which may serve as clues.

Officer Granger has notified the surrounding towns. Several persons left the same train and were about a block or two away on their way home but owing to the noise did not hear Snavely's struggle and cries for help.

Was Buried Unidentified.

The unfortunate man who was found murdered and thrown in the river a couple of weeks ago was buried at Valentine Friday, unidentified and as such a mystery as ever. Although hundreds of people have viewed the remains, and the pictures and description of the man have been sent everywhere, not a trace of anything that could be used as a clue has been discovered. Sheriff Rosseter has received scores of letters from people that have relatives or friends missing but the man here does not prove to be the one they are looking for. The only one good piece of evidence there is on the home made pocketbook that was found on the body. It is made from a piece of plain black calico, hemmed on a machine and has very likely been made by some woman, relative of the dead man. A reward of \$1,000 has been offered by the governor, county and citizens, in hope it would be an inducement for some detective to work on the case.

Jansen Saloon Held Up.

A daring holdup and robbery took place at Jansen Friday, when two men entered the saloon of a man named Pette. Both wore masks and each carried a revolver. Two men were in the saloon with Pette. At the point of the revolvers all were ordered to throw up their hands. One man near the back door managed to get out and ran in search of the marshal. Before the officer arrived the highwaymen had succeeded in securing about \$30 in cash. As soon as they got the money they hastily left and the last seen of them they were running down the tracks toward the railroad yards.

The Cornerstone Laid.

The cornerstone of the Presbyterian church of North Platte was laid Thursday afternoon in the presence of a great crowd of people. Rev. T. B. Greenlee, Omaha, and J. C. Irwin, Wood River, former pastors, delivered addresses. Rev. J. F. Seibert of the Lutheran church presented the greetings of the local churches, and the other pastors had part in the services. The Presbyterian church was organized in 1878 with ten members and the first building was erected in 1878. The new church will be of pressed brick and will cost \$20,000 exclusive of furnishings. It will be the best one in the city.

The recent disastrous storms have emphasized the necessity of protection against fire, lightning and tornado. A good company for farmers to insure in is the Farmers & Merchants of Lincoln. Their policies are easy to understand and prompt settlements are made after adjustment of claims. Thousands of satisfied customers have received benefits.

Farmers should all have telephones. Write to us and learn how to get the best service for the least money. Nebraska Telephone Company, 16th and Douglas streets, Omaha. "Use the Bell."

Nebraska Notes.

A second attempt was made to burglarize Morris & Son's store at Central City.

A new engine for the electric light plant at Adams has been purchased in Kansas City.

Boone county delinquent tax list occupies but a column and a half space in the paper.

Christensen's grocery store at Fremont was burglarized some time during Wednesday night.

A carload of new machinery for the new Trans-Mississippi elevator at Kearney has been received.

The Modern Woodmen at Clay Center are putting on the play, "A Modern Woodman," in five acts.

A new elevator is being built at Ogallala.

Farmers generally are singing the early morning song of the thumping car against the sounding bell.

A new bridge will be built at Milford over the creek between the business part of the town and the depot.

Cairo is reveling in quite a building boom, a fine business block and a new building for the Odd Fellows being among the new improvements.

John Witt, of Dodge county, has sued the Bankers' Life association for \$237.85, amount he claims due him as premium paid in advance.

Norfolk is complaining about a turkey famine.

J. W. Leach had Earnest Peterson arrested at Fremont on the charge of cruelty to a dumb animal.

Leo McDaniels, of Nebraska City, was badly bitten by his pet dog on Wednesday. One finger was cut through from the bast of the nail to the tip.

The outcome of the election will not change the Dodge county board of supervisors. All present members of the board whose terms expire in January were candidates for re-election and all were re-elected.

In a suit filed in the district court of Cass county in which Paul W. Horbach and others sought to recover possession of stocks of the Beatrice Electric company, E. J. Sullivan, the First National bank and the Union State bank were named as defendants.

A movement is on at Surprise to erect a large brick or concrete building to be used as a public hall.

The plan is to build it by the stockholder's share, to be held at \$25 each, and anyone who wishes may purchase as many shares as he or she wishes. The cost of the building will be about

PROF. ELIOT RESIGNS

HEAD OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY FOR MANY YEARS.

HAS REACHED THE AGE OF 75

Resignation Not Caused by Ill Health But a Desire to Inject New and Greater Energy Into Management of Institution.

Cambridge, Mass.—In an informal talk to a large gathering of Harvard students, who serenaded him at his residence, and at a football mass meeting Thursday, President Charles W. Eliot discussed his resignation, which was announced Wednesday and spoke also regarding the selection of his successor.

He said: "Yesterday I was asked to talk upon reason for my resignation but I refused. Tonight I think I should like to say a few words to you about this subject.

"Now, I am not sick, I am not tired, and I am in good health so far as I am aware. My faculties and my health are still good and I am glad to say it. My resignation is meant to precede the time when they may cease to be so.

"When a man has reached the age of 75 years it is time to look for rest and retirement. Dr. Arnold of Rugby used to say that a man was no longer fitted to be head master of a public school when he could no longer go up two steps at a time. Now I can still do that.

"I do not like to have my coming retirement spoke of with regret. It is touching to find that feeling, but I think it is something to be looked forward to with hope. We must all get set to work to find some younger and active man to take his place. He can be found. We shall find him. We need a man who will take up this extremely laborious and extremely influential position with untiring energy and carry this university to a higher plane than it now occupies."

New Cure for Tuberculosis.

Chicago.—Remarkable results in curing tuberculosis of the bones, demonstrated in a five weeks' trial at the Home for Destitute Crippled Children, turned the attention to a treatment discovered by Dr. Emil Beck of this city. The treatment, which promises to bring relief to a large percentage of sufferers from this form of the great white plague, is simplicity itself and consists for the most part in filling the cavity caused by the disease with a metallic salt, bismuth sublimate, combined with a basis of vaseline.

The discovery was incidental to an X-ray photograph of a little invalid. The solution was applied to fix the outline of a tubercular abscess, and being left in the cavity proved a healing agent. Dr. Beck told his discovery to Drs. John Ridler and Waldo Blanchard at the Home for Destitute Crippled Children and in five weeks' trial twenty out of forty crippled children were cured by this treatment. The formula contains thirty grains of bismuth sublimate combined with fifty grams of vaseline. The paste so formed is solid at the temperature of the body, but if a fever is induced will run out of the cavity. As the healing continues the mixture is absorbed.

Medical men estimate that fully 50 per cent of all the crippled children are suffering from tubercular disorders.

New Coins Minted.

Washington.—The mints of Philadelphia, San Francisco and Denver Thursday began coining a new \$5 gold piece struck on a different plan from any heretofore coined in the world.

It follows an idea expressed to President Roosevelt by Dr. William Sturgis Bigelow of Boston that to permit the coins being piled to a uniform height a high or strong relief might be obtained by depressing the design below the field or face of the coin instead of raising it above, as usual in all coinage operations.

This would provide a flat field and a uniform thickness, the flat surface taking the wear and protecting the relief, the shape of the depression following the outline of the relief. The same design will be used on the \$20 piece and all will bear the "In God We Trust" motto.

Civic Federation Meeting.

New York.—The national civic federation, it is announced, will hold its annual meeting in this city December 14 and 15. At the same time the women's department of the federation will meet. The first day, according to the program, will be devoted to discussions of "trade agreements among employer and employees as a means of promoting industrial prosperity." On the second day "Industrial Insurance," "Employers' Liability," and "The Salary Loan Evil" will be discussed. The annual banquet of the federation will be held on the evening of December 14.

Mills Go On Full Time.

Pawtucket, R. I.—The thread mills of the J. and P. Coats company in this city, employing 2,500 hands, will resume full time working schedule on Saturday next, according to an announcement posted in the mills Thursday. The mills have been running on short time since the financial depression last fall.

County Option Beaten in So. Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—County option was defeated in South Dakota by about 7,000 majority on a rather tight vote.

Oil Trust Cases Are Postponed.

New York.—It was announced Friday at the office of the Standard Oil company that word had been received from United States District Attorney Randolph at Memphis that the federal suits against the Standard of Indiana, scheduled for trial November 9 at Jackson, Tenn., were postponed.

Steamed Goes Down With 200.

Amoy.—Between 200 and 300 Chinese are believed to have been drowned by the sinking of a small steamship en route from Amoy to

PERFECT HEALTH.

After Years of Backache, Dizziness and Kidney Disorders.



Mrs. H. C. Richmond, of Northwood, Iowa, says: "For years I was a martyr to kidney trouble, backache, dizzy spells, headaches and a terrible hearing-down pain. I used one remedy after another without benefit. Finally I used a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and the backache ceased. Encouraged, I kept on, and by the time I had used three boxes not a sign of the trouble remained. My health is perfect."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

LAUGH WAS ON THE DEACON.

Statement Might Be True, But Certainly Was Unhappily Expressed.

"I regret to say," remarked Deacon French, at the last meeting of the Squashville Political Debate club, "that this club has been degenerating ever since I became a member of it."

The deacon paused and flushed as he saw a slight smile on the faces of his fellow members.

"What I mean to say is," he continued, with some haste, "that ever since I joined this club I've noticed a gradual but decided change for the worse."

BOY KEPT SCRATCHING.

Eczema Lasted 7 Years—Face Was All Raw—Skin Specialists Failed, But Cuticura Effected Cure.

"When my little boy was six weeks old an eruption broke out on his face. I took him to a doctor, but his face kept on getting worse until it got so bad that no one could look at him. His whole face was one crust and must have been very painful. He scratched day and night until his face was raw. Then I took him to all the best specialists in skin diseases but they could not do much for him. The eczema got on his arms and legs and we could not get a night's sleep in months. I got a set of Cuticura Remedies and he felt relieved the first time I used them. I gave the Cuticura Remedies a good trial and gradually the eczema healed all up. He is now seven years old and I think the trouble will never return. Mrs. John G. Klumpp, 80 Niagara St., Newark, N. J., Oct. 17 and 22, 1907."

All the Fault of the Cow.

A South side woman went to a butcher shop the other day to get a roast of beef. The butcher is a little old man inclined to be cranky. He began to cut the roast. She thought he was sawing off too much bone.

"That roast will have too much bone in it, I fear," she said.

The butcher stopped and sighed.

"Madam," he said, "that's the cow's fault. These cows would be in awful shape if they had to run around without bones."

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We are the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 18 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDEN, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by all Druggists. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

By the Hurricane Route.

"He's long wanted to leave the country," says a Billville exchange, "but he never could afford the railroad fare, but just as he had given up all hope a hurricane came along and gave him and his house free transportation. It was providential and he pulled through at last."—Atlanta Constitution.

In Chicago.

Ella—That man slipped on my foot.

Stella—Why don't you put ashes on it?

Strong Winds and Sand Storms

cause granulation of the eyelids. PETTIT'S EYE SALVE soothes and quickly relieves. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Advocates of corporal punishment

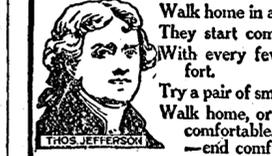
evidently believe that an occasional spanking makes children smart.

Smokers have to call for Lewis' Single Binder cigar to get it. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Marriage is a contract, but there are lots of contract jumpers.

Mrs. Winslow's Sooling Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures colic. 25c a bottle.

When a man is short he usually has a long face.



Walk home in almost any new shoes—They start comfortable. With every few steps they lose comfort. Try a pair of smart White House Shoes. Walk home, or anywhere—they start comfortable. Continue comfortable—end comfortable—stay graceful.

FOR MEN, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. FOR WOMEN, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Bestor Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for youngsters. Ask your dealer for them. THE BROWN SHOE CO., Makers ST. LOUIS

EXCELLENT WEATHER AND MAGNIFICENT CROPS

REPORTS FROM WESTERN CANADA ARE VERY ENCOURAGING.

"A correspondent writes the Winnipeg (Man.) Free Press: 'The Pincher Creek district (Southern Alberta), the original home of fall wheat, where it has been grown without failure, dry seasons and wet, for about 25 years, is excelling itself this year. The yield and quality are both phenomenal, as has been the weather for its harvesting. Forty bushels is a common yield, and many fields go up to 50, 60 and over, and most of it No. 1 Northern. Even last year, which was less favorable, similar yields were in some cases obtained, but owing to the season the quality was not so good. It is probably safe to say that the average yield from the Old Man's River to the boundary will be 47 or 48 bushels per acre, and mostly No. 1 Northern. One man has just made a net profit from his crop of \$19.55 per acre, or little less than the selling price of land. Land here is too cheap at present, when a crop or two will pay for it, and a failure almost unknown. Nor is the district dependent on wheat, all other crops do well, also stock and dairying, and there is a large market for the doors in the mining towns up the Crow's Nest Pass, and in British Columbia, for the abundant hay of the district, and poultry, pork, and garden truck. Coal is near and cheap. Jim Hill has an eye on its advantages, and has invested here, and is bringing the Great Northern Railroad soon, when other lines will follow."

The wheat, oat and barley crop in other parts of Western Canada show splendid yields and will make the farmers of that country (and many of them are Americans) rich. The Canadian Government Agent for this district advises us that he will be pleased to give information to all who desire it about the new land regulations by which a settler may now secure 160 acres in addition to his 160 homestead acres, at \$3.00 an acre, and also how to reach these lands into which railroads are being extended. It might be interesting to read what is said of that country by the Editor of the Marshall (Minn.) News-Messenger, who made a trip through portions of it in July, 1908. "Passing through more than three thousand miles of Western Canada's agricultural lands, touring the northern and southern farming belts of the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, with numerous drives through the great grain fields, we were made to realize, not only the magnificence of the crops, but the magnitude, in measures, of the vast territory opening, and to be opened to farming immigration. There are hundreds of thousands of farmers there, and millions of acres under cultivation, but there is room for millions more, and other millions of acreage available. We could see in Western Canada in soil, product, topography or climate, little that is different from Minnesota, and with meeting at every point many business men and farmers who went there from this state, it was difficult to realize one was beyond the boundary of the country."

A Mere Cipher. Bertha—Bertie, you are simply impossible. Bertie—Nothing is impossible. Bertha—That's what I said.

Help! Murder!

"Why did you knock Jones down?" "We were talking about the frequency of Brown's jag."

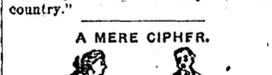
"Well?" "Well, great Scott! he referred to Brown's present drunk as 'the current bun.'"—Boston Transcript.

WE SELL GUNS AND TRAPS CHEAP & by Furs & Hides. Write for catalog 105 N. W. Hyde & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

A boy never looks in a mirror to see if his face is clean after washing it; he looks at the dirt on the towel.

Those Tired, Aching Feet of Yours get Allen's Foot-Powder. See at your Druggist's Write A. S. Quinced, 105 N. W. Hyde & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

It takes a truthful man to tell a lie big enough to attract attention.



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WANT COLUMN

CARPET WEAVING—I will receive orders for weaving at home. Prices 12-14 cents for hit and miss and 15 cents for striped work. Mrs. C. A. Felce.

FOR SALE—two nearly new heaters. Will Stewart.

REGISTERED—Duroc-Jersey boars for sale. Eleven fine shoats. Prices reasonable. Independent phone M24. J. J. Beehrle. 31 31pd.

FOR SALE—my four-hole Joliet corn sheller, ch. exp. P. Peterson.

FOR BEST BARGAINS IN LAND and Ord property. Sale and exchange. See G. W. Newbecker.

HOUSES—To rent. B. L. Staple.

FOR SALE—A steam boiler for heating plant, power 1000 feet. Been used two years, as good as new, will sell cheap. L. D. Bailey & Sons. 151f

FOR SALE—My house in west part of town. One or three lots. John K. Jensen. 161f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—In the edge of town, three acres of nice rich ground with seven room house and new barn. Thirty five bearing fruit trees on place. Will trade for a farm. L. D. Bailey & Sons. 4-

FOR RENT CHEAP—4-room cottage on the hill. Water in the house. Mrs. Coombs.

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land, 8 1/2 miles from Ord, good improvements. price \$34.00 per acre F. Skolli.

STRAYED—Buckskin pony and small bay colt. L. H. Calkins.

FOR RENT—Good six room cottage. Mrs. N. H. Parks.

FOUND—Child's black kid mitten with fur top. Get it at the Quiz office.

FOR RENT—Five room house north of Danish church. George Benn, Farmers' phone M 14.

STRAYED—A small bird pup bitch, white with black ears. T. L. Williams. 33-2f.

FOR SALE—Poland China boars. See Ed. Gadd on the McNutt farm. 34-4f

FOR SALE—Fresh home grown sage Mrs. J. O. Smith. 30 1

CRAFTY TOM BYRNES.

How He Kept an Unseen Eye on a Newspaper Reporter.

When Thomas Byrnes was the celebrated police inspector of the New York detective force he occupied a queer set of rooms in one corner of the old marble police headquarters in Mulberry street. It was always a place of mystery. The inspector sat at a flat table at one end of the room. It was frequently covered with papers. On the walls, in glass cases, were odds and ends of criminology—bits of rope that had hanged notorious murderers, black caps, revolvers that had figured in infamous cases and other depressing objects. One day the inspector left a new reporter at his table and went into another room. He was gone half an hour. When he came back the reporter said:

"Inspector, did you have me watched while you were gone?"

"No. Why?"

"There are some pretty interesting papers on your desk, aren't there?"

"Nothing of any great value. Why do you ask?"

"What was to prevent my reading some of those letters and getting a mighty good story for my paper?" asked the reporter.

"Two reasons," answered the inspector. "In the first place, I never leave a scrap of paper on my desk that the whole world is not welcome to read; secondly, you could not have touched a sheet without my knowing it. Look at that penholder," pointing to a cheap affair laid carelessly across a bundle of papers. "Notice the direction in which it points. One end points at that doorknob and the other at that black cap. Now, you never would have noticed that, but I did before leaving the room, and if you had touched a single paper you would have displaced that penholder, and I would have known it."

It Served a Purpose.

At the top of the stairway in the Grigson dwelling there was a board that emitted a loud creak whenever anybody stepped on it. Mr. Grigson was always intending to "have the thing fixed," but never did it, and by common consent the members of the family usually stepped over it, particularly when the head of the family had gone to bed. One night, very late, just as Mr. Grigson was dropping off to sleep, somebody stepped on that board, and it gave forth its customary loud protest.

"There you go again!" he angrily called out. "That's you this time, John! Pretty time of night for you to be getting to bed!"

John, the eldest son, made no response, but instead there was a rush and a jump down the stairs that brought the whole household into the hall just in time to hear the front door slam. A hurried investigation disclosed a bag of valuables which a frightened burglar had left.

The board still squeaks.—Youth's Companion.

THE MALIGNED BARBER.

A Defense of the Meek and Lowly Tonsorial Artist.

The professional humorist has a few jokes which have survived the fall of dynasties and the crash of worlds and which will pursue their triumphant career until Gabriel appears with his official announcement, "Time is, time was, but time shall be no more!"

One of these jokes relates to the loquacity of barbers. Because of the industrious professional humorist the tonsorial artist has to live down a worldwide reputation for idle, superfluous and unprofitable conversation.

Have you ever seen a barber who talked too much? The Gazette never has.

When you go into the temple of the barber to have an operation performed upon your aching whiskers you will find him and his associates attending to their work quietly and industriously. If they are not busy they will all go quietly to their chairs, treating you with pleasant courtesy, but not volunteering any conversation. If you insist upon discussing the living issues of the day while your alfalfa is being mown you will probably have an attentive listener, but there will be no debate. The barber who is making your face look human will let you do the talking.

Many worthy old men and women who shave themselves or don't shave at all have a deep seated idea that a barber shop is a wicked sort of place, where people read sporting papers and tell yellow stories and exchange spavined jokes. This is also entirely erroneous. Pink papers are no longer seen in first rate barber shops, and the customer given to vulgar language would soon be made to understand that his patronage was not wanted at such a place.

There are low down barber shops, just as there are low down drug stores, hotels and grocery stores. But in the places of the better class the atmosphere is always good and clean, and the proprietors, being decent and respectable themselves, do not want the money—or the conversation—of those who are not decent and respectable.

So much for men who have been misrepresented and maligned by jay humorists.—Emporia Gazette.

The Dish She Missed.

A story is told of an Englishwoman who visited Washington and was taken to luncheon in the capitol restaurant by a senator who she knew. When her friends afterward asked her how she enjoyed the luncheon she said: "I enjoyed everything, but I was disappointed because there was no terrapin. I have heard so much of your American terrapin, and I really wanted to try it. I think I ate a little of everything they brought on except one thing. It was something dark and fat looking, served in a small dish. It looked rather dreadful, so I did not try it. I was waiting for the terrapin, but there was none."

"Why," said one of the American friends, "that dark, fat looking stuff was terrapin!"

The Englishwoman looked very much disappointed.

"Really?" she said. "Was it really? Was that terrapin? I'm so sorry I didn't try it. I fancied they'd bring it on whole, roasted, like goose."

Beware of the Talk Wire Girl.

"You know that red headed cashier that had the nerve to complain of me to the boss the other day," said the girl at the telephone desk. "Well, I got even with him, all right. He isn't married, but he's got a best girl. Her father owns a shoe factory over in Jersey and rich—my! Well, she called him up the other afternoon at her usual time. 'Is Mr. Smith there?' she asks in her most romanticist voice. 'Yes,' I answers, just as honeylike as she. 'It's his wife wants him, isn't it?' With that Miss Girl hung up with such a jerk my ear hurt. Smith goes around wondering why she does not call him up. Every time he dares he says to me, 'Has any one called me on the phone, Miss Limit?' And I look as innocent as a kid and shake my head. 'No,' I tell you, us telephone girls can turn 'joy to the bride' into 'nothin' doin'' any time we please. Me for us."—New York Times.

Perplexed.

A Frenchman in conversation with a friend said: "I am going to leave my hotel. I paid my bill yesterday and asked the landlord, 'Do I owe you anything?' He said, 'You are square.' 'That's strange,' said I; 'I have lived long and never knew I was square before.' Then, as I was going away, he shook my hand, saying, 'I hope you'll be round again soon.' I said, 'I thought you said I was square.' He laughed and replied, 'When I said I hoped you'd be round again soon I meant I hoped you wouldn't be long.' English is a difficult language."

FARM LOANS

AT

Five Per Cent

Claude A. Davis

HER REMORSE.

The Story of a Gold Coin and an Obliging Young Man.

"Will somebody tell me how I can pay back \$5 which I lawfully owe?" wailed the wife of a United States senator at a supper given the other night in Washington. "I shall willingly give another \$5 for a helpful suggestion. I had to go to the capitol last week, and so I went in a herdic. I dropped my nickel in the place assigned, and no sooner had I done so than I gasped, for I suddenly realized that my nickel was a five dollar gold piece which my husband had given me the year of our marriage. I had always kept it in my purse for sentiment, and then you know it is wise to have \$5 on hand anyway. I told the driver, and he said he could not help it; that I would have to ride to the end of the line, where the cash box could be opened. I almost was in tears as I explained that I could not do it, that I had to meet my husband and that I was in an awful hurry.

"I looked so miserable that a nice looking young man across the way told me to cheer up. He would ride to the end and collect the gold. Thereupon he handed me a new five dollar gold piece with a bow which Chesterfield might have envied. My grateful outburst was cut short by having to scramble out of the herdic. Imagine my horror when I got home, in turning my purse upside down, to have the missing gold piece tumble in my lap. I was overcome with horror. I was mortified beyond measure by the conduct of my husband, who laughed brutally and said that for a new kind of skin game it was not bad. But think of that poor young man, his ideal of women shattered, out \$5, for I have no more idea where to find him than I have now to locate a new comet, and the cynical way he will henceforth look at all gray haired old ladies in trouble—oh, it is awful!"—New York Press.

Points d'Angleterre Lane.

Louis XIV., by the advice of his minister, Colbert, encouraged lace-making in France. The Venetians, who had hitherto monopolized the art, issued decrees forbidding their craftsmen to leave the republic under heavy penalties, but in spite of this the "points de France" soon equaled the "points de Venise." The origin of the name "points d'Angleterre" is curious. In 1662 the English parliament forbade the import of foreign lace, but flax grown in England was not fine enough for the best lace, for which there was a great demand at the court of Charles II., so the merchants "bought up the choicest laces of the Brussels market, smuggled them over to England and sold them under the name of 'points d'Angleterre.'"

Shut Him Up.

The owner of a few houses in one of London's poverty stricken streets had difficulty at times in getting his rents in or tenants out. One Monday morning he called at a house where the tenant was a bit behind and, as usual, had to swallow the old, old story of "only just started work." In the afternoon the property owner went to see a big cricket match between two prominent clubs, and who should he meet on the ground but his backward tenant. "What's the meaning of this?" said the irate landlord. "You can't pay your rent, and yet you can afford to attend cricket matches."

"I couldn't 'ave come at all," was the cool reply. "if I adn't sold the back door for firewood!"—London Scraps.

CLEAN-UP SALE

At the L. C. Hunter place, eight miles west of Ord commencing at 10 o'clock, on

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 17

- 38 Head of Cattle
 - 17 milch cows
 - 8 yearling steers 2 yrs old
 - 13 calves
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 - 1 driving team
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- Grain
 - 2400 bushels of corn
 - 200 bushels of corn
 - 10 tons prairie hay
 - 10 tons alfalfa hay
- Machinery
 - A full kit of farm machinery most of it in good shape
 - 2 wagons
 - 1 wagon and rack
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 - 1 double buggy harness
 - 1 cream separator
 - 5 dozen chickens

A Free Lunch at Noon

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Road Notice

To whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section 16, township 13 range 14 running thence north to a point 18 rods south of the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 9 thence angling northeast to a point 17 rods east of the northwest corner of the said southwest quarter section 9, thence in a northeasterly direction following canyon to a point about 10 rods south of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 4 thence in a slightly northwest direction to the top of hill thence in a northeasterly direction around head of canyon, thence in a northeasterly direction to a fence dividing cultivated fields from prairie and following this fence to southeast corner of southwest quarter of northwest quarter of section 33 19-14 thence on quarter section line until it connects with main traveled road and terminating in Valley county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the location of said road, and all objections and claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 15th day of January, 1908, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Ord, Nebraska the 9 day of November, 1908.
Rudolph Sorensen, County Clerk

STOCK FARM FOR SALE 1120 Acres

East half section 22, south half 23 northeast 27, southwest 26, northwest 35 all in township 21, range 14.

On account of having too much other business to look after I will sell my stock farm of 7 quarters. Located 12 miles from Ord.

All black soil with clay subsoil. 350 acres under plow, including 90 acres alfalfa. All fenced and cross fenced, 4 pastures, 2 of them hog tight, 3 wells and windmills with unfailing water, large reservoir, large frame house three years old, corrals, hog house, cribs, granaries, farm scales and every thing needed except barn. Abundance of alfalfa and wild grass meadow. Stocked with practically full blood Herefords and Poland-Chinas. School house, store, postoffice and preaching place quarter of mile from land. Telephones to Ord and Burwell. Rural routes from Ord and Burwell come to farm.

I will take small farm or good city property in part payment.

There is on the place about \$12,000 worth of cattle, horses, hogs and other personal property which purchaser may take or not.

Price \$25.00 per acre.
W. W. Haskell, Ord, Nebraska.

Burlington Time Card

East bound passenger leaves	6:45 a. m.
East bound freight leaves:	
Monday and Wednesday (stock days)	11:45 a. m.
Tuesday and Thursday (via Ericson)	6:30 a. m.
Friday and Saturday	9:00 a. m.
West bound passenger arrives	6:25 p. m.
West bound freight arrives	3:00 p. m.

Union Pacific Time Table

East bound passenger leaves	7:15 a. m.
East bound mixed leaves	12:45 p. m.
Passenger for the east arrives	5:40 p. m.
Mixed from the east arrives	11:50 a. m.



WINTER Journeys

Winter Tourist Rates

Daily low excursion rates after November 20th to Southern Cuban resorts. Daily now in effect to Southern California. Lower yet homeseekers' excursion rates, first and third Tuesdays, to the South and southwest

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Road Notice

To whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road as follows: Commencing at a point on the county line between Valley county and Sherman county where the public road now located, running east and west on said county line now terminated, which is at or near the North west corner of section 5, township 16, north range 13, west of the 6th P. M., said proposed road to run thence east along said county line two miles, more or less to the southeast corner of section 33, in township 17, range 13, in Valley county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the location of said road, and all objections and claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 20th day of December, 1908, or said road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Ord, Nebraska, this 20th day of October, 1908.
Rudolph Sorensen, County Clerk.

Road Notice

To whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road as follows: Commencing at about 35 rods west of the northeast corner of the north-east quarter of section 33, township 19, range 15, and running thence south 80 or 85 rods, thence east about 85 rods to the east line of section 33. And also vacating that part of the east line of said north-east quarter, running from the termination of this road north to the corner and west to where this road commences, in Valley county state of Nebraska, has reported in favor of the location of said road, and all objections and claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 20th day of December, 1908, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Ord, Nebraska, this 20th day of Oct. 1908.
Rudolph Sorensen, County Clerk.

Notice for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Nebraska, Valley county, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of John Prince deceased:

Whereas, Katie Prince of said county, has filed in my office her petition praying that letters of administration with the will annexed upon the estate of John Prince deceased, late of said county, may be issued to Vincent Kokes of Ord in said county, whereupon, I have appointed the 12 day of November, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office in said county, as the time and place of hearing said petition, at which time and place all persons interested may appear and show cause why said letters should not be granted as prayed for in said petition.

It is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate of the pendency of the petition, and the time and place set for hearing the same, for three weeks successively previous to the day set for said hearing.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1908.
(Seal) H. Gudmundson, County Judge.
Clements Bros. Atty's for Petitioner.

Notice for Presentation of Claims.

In the county court of said county, State of Nebraska, Valley County, ss. In the matter of the estate of Mary Hinesh, deceased.
Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against Mary Hinesh late of Valley county, deceased, that the time fixed for filing claims against said estate is six months from the 1st day of October, 1907. All such persons are required to present their claims with the vouchers, at the office of the judge of said county, at his office therein, on or before the 1st day of April, 1908, and all claims so filed will be heard before the said judge on the 2nd day of April 1909, at ten o'clock a. m.
Dated at Ord, Nebraska, this 7th day of September, 1908.
Clemens Bros. Attys.

The Oldest Golfers.

The Royal Blackheath Golf club is the oldest golf club in England and it also claims to be the oldest existing golf club in the world. It was founded by James I. in 1603. For two or three centuries before that time golf had been a popular game in Scotland, but there is no record of any club having been established prior to the Blackheath club.

In 1457 the Scottish parliament passed an act enjoining that "fute ball and golfe be utterly cryt downe and nocht usit." A similar act was passed in May, 1491.

The Royal and Ancient Golf club at St. Andrews is one of the most famous in the kingdom. It was instituted in 1754, a silver cup having been played for in May of that year. In 1834 William IV. became patron of the club and approved of its being in future styled "The Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews" and presented a gold medal to be played for annually.

A Job Lot.

One of the best improved quarter sections in Mira Valley for \$65 per acre.

A fine tract of pasture land, black soil, good grass and running water, fenced, at \$12 per acre.

Good 400-acre farm, improved 300 acres plowed, to exchange for good quarter section near Ord.

Small farm adjoining Ord to exchange for good quarter section farther out, and pay difference.

Good 4-room house, with barn and city water, for rent at \$8.

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25 THURSDAY NOVEMBER 25
The Day Before Thanksgiving

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Hints to Farmers . . .

Now is the time that you realize on your season's work; as you sell your grain and stock, place your money on an open account with this bank. Pay your bills by check which makes the best kind of a receipt and avoids the worry and danger attending the carrying money in your pocket. Our commodious offices are always at your disposal and we invite you to call and make use of them.

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Miss Maxine Elliott



Miss Elliott, wife of Nat C. Goodwin, is to be seen in a new production next season. The play is from the pen of Henry V. Esmond, the English dramatist, and is to be called "Under the Greenwood Tree." The character to be assumed by Miss Elliott is that of a well born English woman, who, wearying of the conventionalities of her leisurely existence, becomes a sort of amateur gypsy and lives in a caravan. While her camp is fixed on a private estate, the owner thereof comes upon it, and a romance is the result.

A MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

Origin of the Doleful Messages From the Baker.

A story told by Dr. Robertson Nicoll in the British Weekly of the man who saw in a dream his own epitaph written upon a tombstone recalls the shocks and thrills which the good people of Reading experienced when that Berkshire town was younger. Mysterious messages were conveyed to the townspeople, inscribed upon their bread. One old lady found upon the bottom of her loaf a death's head and cross-bones. So terrified was she at what she regarded as a terrible omen that she took to her bed and died. Another person found on his bread the words "Died Sept. 20," with the year fortunately missing, while to a third came the word "Resurgam." This latter cryptic message was submitted to a wise man, who inferred that nothing occult was implied, but that it was the baker's way of politely intimating that bread might rise in price. These and like mysteries threw the whole town into a panic.

Light came unexpectedly. The first step carried the investigators to the hallowed acre about St. Giles' church; the second led them to a baker's oven. Alterations at the church had necessitated the removal of several large tombstones of a date too ancient to admit of their being claimed by kinsfolk of the dead. Now, the church warden at the time was the town's chief baker, and he looked with longing upon those fine flat stones, for his oven sadly needed a new bottom. The desire to possess them grew irresistibly upon him, and, winking at scruples and parochial duty, he at last carried the treasures at dead of night to his bakehouse. There they were built into the oven. But, a murder will out, so will graven memorials of the dead. The stones were accidentally fixed with their inscription upward to print their story upon the bread which the unjust parochial steward baked and sold.

A Practical Rotation.

"I suppose you follow a system of rotation in your agricultural operations," casually observed the high browed graduate of the modern agricultural college. "Follow what kind of a system?" inquired honest, hard handed Uncle Ezra. "A scheme of rotation. That is, take that large field there. You put that to one purpose one year, another purpose the next year, and still different the third year, and so on."

"Oh, yes, I see your meanin'." Well, sir, last year we used the proceeds of that field to give Elizabeth her musical education; this year the proceeds went to pay boot in a horse trade that I had the honor of engineering, and next year I intend that field shall give me a trip down to the city and build a new concrete smokehouse. After that I'm countin' on lettin' the youngest boy, Henry Absalom, farm the field on shares to kinder get his hands into the work." —Puck.

How the Oak Will Grow.

There are trees which would seem to substantiate the theory of some scientists that there is no reason why a tree should ever die unless destroyed by unfavorable conditions or accident. The oak, for example, will live as a sapling for ages until given opportunity for growth. There is an old saying to the effect that if a pine forest is cut down an oak forest will grow, and this is said to be literally true. Many of the acorns carried into the pine woods by birds and squirrels are left to sprout in the ground. As the tiny saplings grow browsing natives of the forest shades nibble off their tender leaves. Again and again new leaves are put forth, only to serve as food for hungry deer or moose or other marauding creatures. And so, hidden from sunlight, deprived, as it would appear, of every essential of life, the little plants live on, and when at last the pines are felled and the sunlight reaches them they begin their era of growth.

NEWS FROM FATHERLAND

Brief Resumé of the Most Important Happenings in the German Empire.

The German government has asked for a third peace conference at the Hague. The main purpose of such a conference would be to negotiate treaties for the protection of private property.

Certain parties in Serbia have been planning a union of all the people speaking their language. This would require a pretty bad political shake-up in that corner of the world, and the government of Austria-Hungary, anticipating serious trouble in Herzegovina, ordered a number of war vessels on the Danube to be ready for action.

"Peace on Earth." This is the motto on a banner presented by the American delegation to the German delegation at the interparliamentary convention in Berlin. Congressman Richard Barthold of Missouri made the presentation speech, emphasizing the friendly relations between the United States and Germany and recalling that as far back as the time of the Revolutionary War King Friedrich of Prussia sent George Washington a sword bearing the inscription, "From the Oldest to the Greatest Warrior."

Statistics for the year 1906 have been published, showing the birth rate, mortality, etc., in Prussia. The mortality was 18.04 per 1,000 inhabitants, or a trifle less than in 1905. On the other hand the birthrate was a little higher, giving a net increase of 600,000 for the Kingdom. The mortality of infants was much smaller than before. Of all the cities having at least 100,000 inhabitants, Schoneberg had the lowest rate of mortality, namely 10.73. In Gilsenkirchen the rate of increase of births over the death rate was 31.04 per 1,000.

The rumors prevailing regarding the existence of profitable diamond fields in German Southwest Africa are about to receive confirmation. The colonial secretary, Herr von Dernburg, will, on his return from Africa, present the kaiser with a gold casket full of diamonds from the German colonies. The casket, which has been manufactured by a Cape Town jeweler, is five inches long and two inches wide. The lid of the box is inset with seven large diamonds arranged according to the constellation of the Southern Cross.

That the result of the bitter fight between the warring factions of Germany's great socialist party in the convention at Nuremberg merely postpones the final settlement of the issues at stake is the conviction of many party leaders. The north German, or radical wing, secured a majority in support of the resolution forbidding socialist members of national or state parliaments to participate in votes in governmental budgets. This promises to prolong the most serious crisis which the organization has yet undergone. It is considered doubtful whether Herr Bebel, whose health has been seriously affected by the strain of the convention, will be able to continue active leadership much longer.

Among the statistics just published by the railway department are interesting figures concerning the export and import of beer from and to Berlin. Until 1906 the consumption of the national beverage at railway stations steadily rose; since then it has steadily fallen, and this tendency continues to show itself. Four liters per annum is the decrease in the Berlin railway district alone, chiefly in the Munich and Pilsen sorts. With regard to Berlin white beer, its consumption and export has steadily declined for some years. It is practically a dying industry. A somewhat similar tale comes from Munich, the German beer city par excellence. The inhabitants of Munich last year drank eight liters per head less than in 1906 and twelve liters less than in 1905. On the other hand, the consumption of tea in cafes and restaurants is making large strides.

That Germany may not lose the \$250,000 promised by Andrew Carnegie to the Robert Koch fund for fighting tuberculosis the kaiser has donated \$25,000 out of his own pocket to the fund, and that in spite of the fact that he is rather hard pressed for money. Some time ago Mr. Carnegie promised the above named amount to the fund on condition that an equal amount be raised in Germany within six months. "It has been noticed," says a Berlin paper, "that nearly all of Carnegie's gifts have had a string to them, and the crafty old Scotchman was probably already rubbing his hands in glee at having had a chance to appear generous without any cost to himself, when the money came in rather slowly and it looked as if it would be impossible to raise the amount within the time limit. The kaiser's gift will put an end to his rejoicing, for the amount still missing will soon be made up by Jewish bankers and other matadors with itching buttonholes, who are never slow to seize an opportunity that may result in the coveted title or decoration."

The successor to Baron von Sternberg as German ambassador to the United States, according to the Tageblatt, will probably be Baron Mumm von Schwarzenstein, the present ambassador at Tokio.

The German newspapers gave full reports of the proceedings of the interparliamentary congress in Berlin, but still the public at large did not take much interest in the affair.

It is said that De Fontenay, French consul general at Budapest, is working for the establishment of a Hungarian

No less than 225 perfectly qualified persons applied for admission to the Stockholm technical high school, but only 125 can be accommodated.

L. M. Ericsson & Co.'s factories in Stockholm have been discharging men from time to time until there remains only 1,000 out of 1,500.

Prince Bernadotte has altered an old building on his estate Malmojo, Grodninge, changing it into a hall for religious meetings. The prince dedicated the building himself, taking for his text the transfiguration of Christ. So many people were present that only half of them could be accommodated in the building.

The first plans and specifications for a new postoffice at Trelleborg required an outlay of almost \$100,000. The government rejected the plans and called for new plans, which will keep the cost down at about \$50,000. The building is to be used for the foreign mails when the German-Swedish car ferry line is started.

NORWAY.

A man from Drammen shot 162 white grouse (ryper) in one day.

Several dozen wild reindeer have been shot in the mountains of southwestern Norway.

About 30 persons are attending the lectures at the private theological seminary in Kristiania.

The contributions to the independent theological seminary in Kristiania, amount to about \$31,000.

Consul Petersen-Wright and wife celebrated their silver wedding by donating a piece of ground to their home city, Forgrund, the land to be turned into a public park. At the same time they also gave hundreds of dollars to charitable concerns.

The Berlin National Zeitung states that all the powers are friendly disposed towards the proposition made by Norway to make Spitsbergen the object of an international conference. Some powers have not yet answered the Norwegian note, but it is practically certain that such a conference will be held.

A constitution has been drafted for the independent theological seminary and the Free Church of Norway. But it is proposed to give such a great power to the "church council," the highest authority, that some of the ministers threaten to withdraw from the new organization in case the constitution is adopted in its present form.

There were once four churches in London that were dedicated to King St. Olaf of Norway, and three of the buildings are still standing. One of them is close to London bridge. His popularity in London was due chiefly to the fact that in the year 1008 he won a great battle against the Danes. The Danish army was fighting from London bridge, throwing all sorts of missiles down on the Norwegian ships. But the Norwegians finally succeeded in breaking the pier and pulling down the bridge, so that the Danes fell into the Thames and were drowned.

The Free Church people of Norway became so disgusted with the strain of infidelity running thru the theological department of the university of Norway that they found it necessary to establish a private divinity school of their own. The school was formally opened a few days ago in rented quarters which are located close to the university. There are five large lecture rooms. Only one single student had been admitted, but more were expected later on. It is said that many who would have to attend the school are afraid that such attendance might be in their way when they have finished their studies and apply for positions as pastors in the state church of Norway.

Ex-Premier Lovland is still agitating the language problem. He is strongly in favor of pure Norwegian. Some of his strongest arguments are given below: The language is really what makes a nation. A people loses its language loses itself and becomes a mere appendix to another people. To find out what the language of a people is, one must walk about in town and country and listen to the everyday talk of the people—what they speak in their houses and barns, in fields and forests, among the business men and the laborers in the streets, what you hear there is the language of the people. The spoken language is a nation's language. The spoken language is the foundation of the written language. But is our ordinary book-language the language of the Norwegian people. Not one out of ten uses our written language as his spoken language. It is argued against us that there are so many dialects in our country. It is said that our spoken language cannot be a basis for a written language because we have so many dialects. Yes, there have always been many dialects in our thinly populated country, and once upon a time some one hit upon the notion of taking a Danish dialect—the Sjælland dialect—as a written language for Norway! A dialect was taken from a foreign country and made the "national language" of Norway. This is no mere talk, it is an historical fact. Our "national language" is based on a Sjælland dialect.

A Swedish newspaper complains that the condition of the seamen in the Norwegian merchant marine is wretched. But at the same time there are many Swedes who are glad to serve as sailors on Norwegian vessels.

The Norwegian government has ordered 10,200 tons of steel rails and fish plates from a Belgian firm. The deal involves an expenditure of about \$250,000.

A new hall for religious gatherings has just been dedicated at Bjerkreim, near Stavanger. It has a seating

NEWS FROM SCANDINAVIA

Principal Events That Have Transpired in the Old Countries Within a Week or So.

DENMARK.

The crops were good this year, but rainy weather interfered with the harvest work. For weeks in succession there was not a rainless day in some localities, and the grain sprouted badly. The fertile farms on the islands suffered the most, while in the sandy districts in Jylland the loss will be smaller.

About a year ago a Copenhagen store clerk was knocked down and robbed of \$2,500 which he was carrying to the bank. The police never caught the robber. But the other day he reported the matter himself and put himself in charge of the police.

The people of Iceland, though the population of the island is only about 80,000, are bound to have a complete university of their own, so that their young men will no longer need to go abroad for an education. So far the school has only a theological, a normal and a law department. But its friends are working incessantly to make it a modern university.

About 700 persons who are interested in the defense of Denmark held a meeting at Svendborg, General Madsen and Count Frijs spoke against the plan of defenses favored by the rigsdag, and advocated the building of fortifications against invasions of Copenhagen by land.

SWEDEN.

The mountains around Kiruna were covered with snow Sept. 7.

King Gustaf killed two moose in one day in the Lysta forests.

The gunboat Svensksund has returned from its trip to Spitsbergen.

The medical association of Sweden will be one hundred years old Oct. 25.

It is estimated that the farmers of Norway sell milk for about \$8,000,000 a year.

The population of Stockholm has not increased during the past few months.

About 500,000 pounds of sugar has been imported to Malmö since the first of March.

The second track of the railroad between Upsala and Marata is ready for public traffic.

The General Telephone Company of Sweden is to construct a telephone system in Constantinople.

Mrs. Kristine Lundstrom, the oldest inhabitant of Norrkärne, died at the age of 100 years and 9 months.

A Lind, a Stockholm engineer, has made an airship motor which he claims to be a record-breaker in point of lightness.

Malmö exported over 1,000 tons of lingon (red berries) during the month of August, as against 19 tons for the same month last year.

Anti-military pamphlets of a radical kind were distributed during the night while the conscripts were gathering for enlistment at Ystad.

Central Sweden had the first night frost of the season Sept. 5. In certain parts of Varmland the ground was white as snow in the morning.

The bookbinders' strike in Stockholm is responsible for a lack of necessary school books. The books are ready for binding, but there is no one to bind them.

Even Persson of Hagastad, a twenty-one-year-old man, died as a result of toothache. For days he suffered so that he could not do his work, and when he finally received medical treatment apparition had set in and nothing could save his life.

The plates of the torpedo chaser Vale stood the strain remarkably well when that craft was grounded a few weeks ago. The plates were made at the Degerfors iron works, and the materials used in them were produced on the basis of a series of experiments.

Eugene Lefebures, a French Egyptologist of the very highest rank, died a short while ago at Algiers. He left a large collection of manuscripts, and these have been sent to Prof. E. Anderson, a Swedish Egyptologist, for publication. The selection confers great honor upon the latter as a scholar of high standing.

The organ of the officers of the German army recently contained an able and sympathetic write-up of the Swedish army, which is said to be efficient and of considerable fighting capacity. In this connection the paper states that Germany would not have permitted the fortification of the Aland islands by Russia.

The government will need eighteen sleeping cars for traffic on the Swedish-German car ferry line, and all of them must be ready by June 1, 1909. Bids for the construction of the cars have been received from eight Swedish factories, but they are so high that no orders have been placed. The cars may be had cheaper in Germany, but the government is naturally anxious to favor the home industries, and the Swedish manufacturers will be asked for new bids.

The king has granted permission to the city of Kjeffinge to borrow \$40,000 for the purchase of the Kjeffinge mill and other real estate. The loan is to be paid in 40 annual installments.

The volunteer rifle clubs of the Island of Gottland constitute one-sixth of the grown male population. No other part of Sweden can point to a similar record.

From the beginning of the year to the close of August 4,370 persons emigrated from Sweden, as compared with 11,774 for the same period last year.

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GOT IN ALL THE NEWS.

Cummings Killed a Lot of Ads. and Raised a Row.

When Amos Cummings was managing editor of the New York Sun, many years ago, an important news story came in late one night and was sent to the composing room with "must" written above it, which meant that on no account must the news be left out of the paper. A few minutes after the copy boy returned to the editorial rooms and reported that the foreman had said that two columns of other news would have to be killed if the "must" story was to get in. Cummings took the copy from the boy and went himself to the composing room. He demanded an explanation. The foreman told him that there was a pressure of advertisements that night and that they had usurped some of the space usually given to news.

"What shall I kill?" asked the foreman.

"Kill two columns of advertisements and print all the news," ordered Cummings, and it was done.

The next day there was trouble around the Sun office. A hurried meeting of the stockholders was called, and it was a stormy one. Some of the stockholders wanted to have Cummings discharged, but Charles A. Dana stood up for him, and as Dana owned the greater part of the stock his voice was all powerful. After the meeting Mr. Dana walked out of his office and straight to Cummings' desk. He put his hand affectionately on the managing editor's shoulder and said:

"Amos, you have my permission to throw out advertisements to make room for the news whenever in your opinion it is necessary. We are publishing a newspaper, not an advertising poster."

Shortly afterward an improvement was made in the presses so that two or more pages could be added to the paper at the last moment if necessary.

Millais and Newman.

The author of the life of Millais tells the following anecdote: When Cardinal Newman came to sit to the artist for his portrait, he asked where he was to pose.

"Oh, your eminence, on that eminence, if you please," answered Sir John, pointing to the models' dais, and, seeing him hesitating, added, "Come, jump up, you dear old boy."

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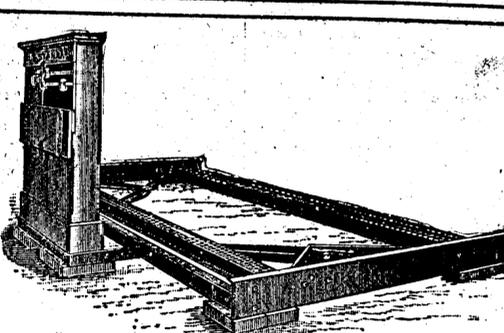
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THE ORD QUIZ

By W. W. HASKELL

ORD, NEBRASKA

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

The More Important Events Here and There Boiled Down for Busy Readers

Political.

John Motley Morehead, a republican, who was elected to congress in a North Carolina district, regrets his success.

Five hundred farmers, members of the grange, visited the president.

The tariff revisers discussed duties on imported wines and liquors.

Three Kansans were elected governors of many states in the election—Herbert S. Hadley in Missouri; W. M. Stubbs in Kansas, and James H. Brady in Idaho.

Seventy days were required to get a second Reef jury. There are sixty more indictments upon which to try the man. Time is money, and San Francisco is spending a good deal on Reef.

Democratic members of the house ways and means committee seek to have the tariff on barytes raised. Allegations are made that the death of former Senator Carmack was the result of a deliberate plot to assassinate him.

The Nebraska Railway commission ordered the attorney general to proceed against the Western Union Telegraph company for issuing franks to a number of Nebraskans, some of them politicians.

Under no circumstances will the president be a candidate for Thomas C. Platt's seat in the senate.

That president Roosevelt may be the successor of Senator Platt in the senate is considered by many in Washington as not at all improbable. Those who regard this as possible declare that they have assurance from the president himself, that he would not be entirely averse to the acceptance of the senatorial office under conditions as they will be after the 4th of March.

Nebraska democrats, discussing the future of Mr. Bryan, are still divided on about the same lines as before the election, his admirers still pinning their faith to him.

General.

Park theater in Brooklyn was totally destroyed by fire within an hour after the audience had left the house.

Vice President-elect Sherman and other leading political men of the nation were at Hot Springs for a conference with President-elect Taft.

Ex-Sheriff John D. Sharpe has been arrested in Nashville charged with being accessory to the murder of former Senator Carmack.

Postmaster General Meyer in his report on the postal finances advocates rural parcels post to help pay for this service.

An explosion of a glazing mill near Kansas City caused the injury of a number of passengers in a Kansas City Southern train standing near.

The question of war or peace in the Balkans is said to depend upon the tenor of the note to be issued by Austria.

Both liberals and conservatives are confident of success in the Cuban election.

Venezuela has completed preparations for the threatened blockade of her seaports by Holland.

The government will carry the Standard oil case to the supreme court. Assistant Forester W. L. Hall says a lumber famine is coming in the near future.

Over three hundred perished in a mine explosion in Germany.

B. C. Wilson, representative-elect from the Osceola district, announced that he would be a candidate for speaker.

Mr. Wilson is president of the National bank at Stromsburg and was state bank examiner during Governor Holcomb's term.

A distinguished Frenchman gave a dinner to Wilbur Wright, at which the American aviator was presented with two gold medals.

Charles Pool of Johnson county is said to be slated for speaker of the lower house of the Nebraska assembly.

The delegates from the Flint Glass Workers' association were excluded by the American Federation of Labor at Denver after a lively debate.

President Campers of the American Federation of Labor delivered his annual report to the convention at Denver.

The Reichstag gave Emperor William severe censure in the course of a debate on interpellations with respect to the published interview of the emperor in England.

The Methodist committee on foreign missions has decided to ask the conference to raise \$1,500,000 next year.

An insane man with a fancied grievance against persons in power made an unsuccessful effort to assassinate Postmaster E. M. Morgan of New York City and then committed suicide.

President Roosevelt sent his congratulations on the sixty-seventh anniversary of the birth of King Edward.

Former Senator Carmack of Tennessee was shot and instantly killed at Nashville by Robin Cooper. The fight grew out of a political quarrel.

The ticket in Missouri is split and it will require the official returns to decide the entire state ticket below governor.

The federal court of appeals has decided that the American Tobacco company is a combination in restraint of trade.

The United States court of appeals at New York refused to admit Charles W. Morse to bail pending application for a new trial.

There is a possibility that Hepburn has, after all, been elected to congress from Iowa. The vote is very close and there will be a recount.

By running away of a freight train on the Union Pacific west of Cheyenne there was a collision, in which nine men were killed and three seriously injured. Three of the victims were Chinese.

The United States circuit court of appeals overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of the government against the Standard Oil company. The case will be taken to the United States supreme court.

Secretary Root will probably be elected United States senator to succeed Thomas C. Platt.

Victorien Sardou dean of French dramatists, died in Paris Sunday. He was 77 years old.

Complete official returns from Maryland show that Taft gets two electoral votes in that state and Bryan six.

Gossip has it that Roosevelt is to succeed Platt as United States senator from New York.

Over 500,000 more men will be working in American factories by December 1.

Unofficial returns indicate that Mr. Bryan's majority in Nebraska will be 4,500.

Seven people were burned to death in a house near Swan Lake, Iowa.

The circuit court of appeals at Chicago granted a temporary order restraining Interstate Commerce commission from putting reduced freight rate from Atlantic seaboard to Omaha and Kansas City into effect.

Railroads of the west which were forced by the legislature of the western states to accept a reduction of 2 cents per mile for passenger fares are again uniting to make 2 cents the minimum as well as the maximum after January 1.

Governor Sheldon of Nebraska is seriously considering causing an extra session of the legislature to pass a county option bill after having sent messages to members of the present legislature asking their position on the subject.

Washington.

The formal opening of the army war college was signalized by an important address by Secretary Root, popularly known as "the father" of the institution. On account of the limited capacity of the lecture hall in which the exercises were held, the attendance was limited.

"Secretary Taft's religious faith is purely his own private concern, and not a matter for general discussion and political discrimination," says President Roosevelt in a letter to J. C. Martin of Dayton, O., in which he answers numerous correspondents. The president says he deferred the publication of the letter until now to avoid any agitation likely to influence the election.

Important recommendations for improving Mare Island strait and for the approaches thereto are contained in the report of the board of engineer officers of the army and navy and an estimate is made of \$1,767,000 for the work, this amount to include a self-contained and self-propelling dredge which will require about \$15,000 per year to maintain.

What may be the final chapter in the story of the fight against racing in the District of Columbia is recorded in the dismissal by the district court of appeals of the appeal of William Davis, the New York bookmaker, convicted in the spring of 1906 of getting up a gaming table by making books at the Benning race course. Although sentenced to serve two hours in the district jail it is unlikely that Davis will be brought here to carry out the sentence, as bookmaking apparently is a sport of the past in the district.

The tariff commission have commenced on their work of revision.

Foreign.

The German Reichstag, after further exciting debate concerning the interview with Kaiser Wilhelm in a London paper, refused to adopt a formal address to the emperor calling his attention to the possible effect of his utterances on foreign relations of the empire.

The burial of Victorien Sardou was accomplished at Paris with general public mourning.

A man selected by lot to kill King Manuel of Portugal committed suicide instead.

Calcutta, India, is terrorized by an outbreak of political crimes.

Personal.

William D. Cornish, second vice president of the Union Pacific railroad, died suddenly in Chicago.

William Hayward, secretary of the national republican committee, was given a rousing welcome home at Nebraska City, Neb., on his return from Chicago.

Indications from Washington are that Mr. Cannon will be re-elected speaker without much opposition.

Crawford Kennedy of Albion, Neb., who traveled 18,000 miles with Taft special train distributing buttons and tracts, has returned home.

Judge Taft and Chairman Hitchcock went over the work of the campaign. Mr. Hitchcock stated that no promises or pledges had been made in exchange for personal services or contributions.

The postmaster general announced that the president has decided to remove George M. Stewart, postmaster of Seattle, Wash., as the result of an investigation of charges that he solicited campaign contributions.

Colonel Ludlow, commandant at Fort Hamilton, denies stories that officers' quarters at the post have been the scene of orgies.

Federal officials emphatically deny the report that a lake has been found under the proposed site of the Gatun locks of the Panama canal.

Judge Taft will make a trip to Brooklyn and address the Prison Martyr's Monument association.

Michael Waters, known as king of Honeshurry, an island off the coast

NEBRASKA POINTERS

STATE NEWS AND NOTES IN CONDENSED FORM.

THE PRESS, PULPIT AND PUBLIC

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Reader Throughout Nebraska.

In a fight near Lexington Dave Fisher was killed by Emery Matthews.

The body of Miss Wersell, who succumbed in Omaha, was sent to Cumming county for burial.

I Hampen, a farmer of Hayes county, committed suicide on account of domestic difficulties. He leaves two daughters.

In Seventy-seven counties in Nebraska the socialists cast a total of 1,343 votes and the prohibitionists 3,253 votes on electors.

Trenmore Cone of Wahoo has decided to become a candidate for the chief clerkship of the Nebraska house of representatives.

In the village election at Cambridge, voting on the issuance of \$25,000 bonds for a system of waterworks, the proposition carried by 190 to 47.

Governor Sheldon has allowed requisition for John Bedford, under arrest at Beatrice and wanted in Henry county, Ill., for alleged murder.

There has been so much nightly mischief perpetrated at Norfolk lately by boys that the city authorities have determined to rigidly enforce the curfew law.

Alfred Werner, a stranger, was arrested in Ogallala by Sheriff Beal on the charge of forging the name of Mr. Kealen, living near Big Springs. He languishes in jail.

Omaha shippers are disturbed over what is termed the sudden enforcement by the railroads of a provision regarding shipments by Rule 27 of the western classification.

Miss Helmina Beckard of Utica, Neb., has returned from Germany, where she has been studying for some time, and has registered for work in the Peru State Normal.

Sheriff Fischer of Otoe county arrested suspect and held him in jail until he confessed to stealing a horse at Ashland and taking it to Greenwood, where he sold it for \$9.

W. O. Forde, about 45 years of age, traveling for the Ross B. Currier Piano company of Lincoln, dropped dead of heart failure in the office of the Grand Central hotel in Broken Bow.

In looking into the affairs of one of the inmates at the poor farm in Otoe county it has been found that he was possessed of some \$3,000 in real estate and some personal property.

Dr. C. P. Fall, a prominent Beatrice democratic politician denies the report that he is after the appointment of superintendent of the feeble minded institution to succeed Dr. Osborn.

Judge Burlock of York county has circulated a petition on which are names of republican leaders and prominent business men petitioning Governor Sheldon to call an extra session of the Nebraska state legislature.

George Robertson, who for four years has been manager of the Mark M. Coad stock ranch at Fremont, has resigned his position to accept another with the Greeley Horse Importing company at Greeley, Iowa.

It is reported that Governor Sheldon expended \$10,000 more during the last two years than his salary amounts to. In other words it cost him \$10,000 in cash to hold the office of governor and perform the duties of that office as he thought they should be.

Miss Emma Paulus, living at the family home, eight miles northwest of Harvard, shot herself with a rifle, and is not expected to recover. Miss Paulus is the eldest child and only daughter of the late Peter Paulus, who early in the summer of this year shot himself at the same home. Soon after her father's death, Miss Paulus's mind gave way and she was taken to the Hastings asylum.

Samuel Bowers, a farmer living near North Platte, has been arrested by the deputy United States marshal from Omaha, on an indictment from the federal grand jury charging him with intent to defraud the government by making a false declaration in affidavit for pension. Mr. Bowers has resided in Lincoln for over twenty years, and has sustained a good reputation. His indictment has occasioned much surprise.

Perry A. Yeast of Hyanolis, Grant county, was taken to the Hall county jail at Grand Island and turned over to the authorities there to begin his three months' term of imprisonment for his complicity in land frauds in Banner and one or two other western Nebraska counties. Yeast was convicted in the United States district court last spring of dabbling in soldiers' declaratory statements and procuring fraudulent land filings after a trial lasting several days.

A distressing accident happened at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst, living near Taylor. The adult members of the family were in the barn milking when one of the children was burned to death in the house.

A charitable inclined woman at Nebraska City went to the home of a poor family, the members of which were ill and had neither food or medicine in the house. The good Samaritan found a mother who had been sick for weeks lying on a bed made of rags, neglected and starving children without a crumb. Succor was at once furnished.

It was not discovered until Monday morning, when W. E. Smith, jeweler at Grand Island, went to work on the watches in the store for repair that someone had entered the store on Saturday night and stripped the watch rack of eighteen timepieces. The police have no clue.

The preliminary hearing of the four young men who broke into a Burlington freight car at the depot in Plattsmouth and stole some clothing belonging to William Baird, the superintendent of the Burlington shops there, was

NEBRASKA NEWS AND NOTES

Items of Greater or Lesser Importance Over the State.

Chicken thieves have of late been numerous in Otoe county.

The big flouring mill at Pierce burned last week. The loss is \$75,000.

A. W. Taylor, an Omaha carpenter, fell from an eight-story building and died from his injuries.

Omaha is making big preparations for the corn show in December. Railroads will give reduced rates.

I. Hampen, a farmer of Hayes Center, committed suicide on account of domestic difficulty. He leaves two daughters.

William and Joseph Pearson brought to Ponca two large catsfish. One measured four feet and seven inches and weighed eighty-nine pounds and the other weighed seventy-two pounds and measured four feet and two inches.

Magnus Anderson of Bertrand is erecting a new building for the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' lodge No. 188. It is to be a two-story structure, the contract price being \$15,000.

Elmer Lewis was killed in the railroad yards at Ravenna. He had just come in on a freight train and stepped off from the caboose. A switch engine going in the opposite direction struck him.

The day set for the doings in the matter of the Young Men's Christian association at Columbus, November 22, has been called off, as they were not ready, and it will be held the first week in December.

Vaclav Bohaty, aged forty-nine, a farmer residing about six miles northeast of David City, was adjudged a dipsomaniac by the board of insanity commissioners and taken to the hospital at Lincoln by sheriff West.

If arrangements go as planned, Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Holdsworth, two ardent Bryan women of Valley, will haul Mrs. Ramsey and Mrs. Kennedy, equally ardent Taft women, in a pushcart from the postoffice corner to the opera house.

In district court at Plattsmouth Judge H. D. Travis sentenced James Smith, colored, to serve five years in the state penitentiary. Smith was convicted of entering and stealing from the home of Mrs. Jennie Schildknecht of that city.

"Move to town and live off the income from the farm. Roosevelt will take care of the children." This was the substance of a note to his wife found in the pocket of Ira Best, a well-to-do farmer, 34 years old, who committed suicide by hanging himself in the barn on his farm, eighteen miles northwest of Schuyler. He is believed to have been temporarily insane.

A monster cement bridge is being erected across South Table creek at the foot of Central avenue in Nebraska City to take the place of the steel one which was carried away by a storm and high water. This is the first bridge of this kind to be put in that county and if it is satisfactory the commission expects to put in many more.

A twenty-mile walk is what is coming to E. A. Meltondorf of Valentine as a result of a bet on Bryan. A wager was made between him and George Christopher of Simeon that if Bryan was elected Christopher was to walk in and notify Mr. Meltondorf, and in case of Taft being elected Meltondorf was to walk out and notify Mr. Christopher.

Mrs. August Mueller of Richardson county was killed and her husband probably fatally injured when a buggy in which they were riding was run into by an automobile. The driver of the automobile sought to stop the machine and partly succeeded but Mueller's horse plunged wildly, throwing the occupants under the buggy and the automobile.

A suit for damages in the sum of \$625 has been filed in the county court against the Union Pacific by the Blue Springs Farmers Elevator company. Plaintiffs allege that last June they sent a car of wheat to a grain firm in Omaha. When the car reached its destination there was a shortage of 720 bushels, which had either been lost or stolen.

While performing his duties as night watchman at the mill of the T. B. Hord Alfalfa Meal company in Central City, Sherman Grubb had an exciting experience with some robbers, and as a result carries a bullet wound in his left hand. He encountered two men stealing cement, the outcome of which was above related. The would-be robbers escaped.

As the result of a shooting affray near Alliance, Lizzie Braner is in the hospital, fatally wounded, and her brother, Charles Braner, who did the shooting, and her sweetheart, Frank Augustine, are in the county jail. Braner objected to the attentions of Augustine to his sister, and when the young couple went riding the brother followed them. Miss Braner was wearing the fur coat of her escort, and, mistaking her for the man, Braner shot her at short range. Discovering his mistake, he fired at short range at Augustine, but injured him only slightly.

The impressive ceremonies attending the laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple theater in McCook were held last week by the officers of the grand lodge and the masonic lodge of that city. Preceding the ceremony a parade was given.

The body of Gottlieb Eisenmann was brought to Nebraska City from Arapahoe, Okla., for interment. He was found dead in a well with several pigs. He was a hermit and lived alone and it is thought that he went in search of the missing pigs and fell into the unused well and was not found for some time.

Information was received in Beatrice concerning the arrest of John Bedford, who is in jail there awaiting the arrival of an officer from Illinois, and states that he is charged with murdering a farmer in that state.

A. L. Snavely of Omaha was assaulted at Ashland after leaving Burlington train No. 13 and robbed of \$130. He was accosted by a stranger in regard to the way to the hotel, and in a moment was set upon and thrown to the ground. Mr. Snavely

THE STATE CAPITAL

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO ALL CITIZENS.

ESTIMATES FOR THE BIENNIUM

Thirty Departments and State Institutions Report What is Needed for the Next Two Years.

Thirty departments of the state and state institutions have made their estimates of appropriations needed for the coming biennium. These estimates have been filed with the state auditor and will be reported to the state legislature for action. Those reporting show an increase over the appropriation of two years ago from \$2,039,615 to \$2,722,166, or almost \$700,000. This increase is due to a large extent to the need or desire of new buildings.

One new building is asked for at the Nebraska School for the Deaf at Omaha, to cost \$50,000, and to include an auditorium, library, museum, domestic science room and dormitory.

The Soldiers' home at Grand Island wants an administration building to cost \$15,000 and an addition to the brick hospital kitchen to cost \$3,000.

The Home for the Friendless at Lincoln asks for a boys' cottage and school building to cost \$25,000 and a \$35,000 men's cottage is wanted at the Hospital for the Insane at Norfolk.

Two \$5,000 items in the estimate of the Industrial School for Boys at Kearney provide for a new barn and equipment for the trade department. Superintendent Osborn of the Institute for Feeble Minded Youth at Beatrice asks for a \$100,000 cottage furnished and complete and a horse barn and a boiler house costing \$50,000.

The Normal school at Kearney wants one new wing to the building costing \$50,000 and a chapel and gymnasium with equipment costing \$50,000.

The Hospital for the Insane at Lincoln wants a \$50,000 building for men, a \$6,000 ice and cold storage plant and \$5,000 for repairing a reservoir and building a standpipe.

The Insurance department estimates that it will have a deficiency of \$2,000 by April 1, 1909.

The Peru State Normal wants a \$50,000 new building for an administration building and enlarging the library.

The National Corn Show.

Saturday, December 12, has been designated as Governors' day at the National Corn Show in Omaha. Conditional acceptances have been received from Governor Sheldon, Governor Hoch (Kansas), Governor Cummins (Iowa), Governor Brooks (Wyoming), Governor Johnson (Minnesota), and Governor Crawford (South Dakota). Invitations have been extended to all the governors, and it is expected that many acceptances will be received. It is also the intention of the exposition management to invite Hon. William J. Bryan to deliver an address on Governors' day.

Shallenberger Sees Applicants.

Governor-elect Shallenberger was here and then went to Seward. He held a meeting with prospective appointees at Lincoln during his visit. Lee Herdman of Omaha was in town, but not for the purpose of interfering in the matter of appointments, he said.

GOVERNOR TO PICK JUDGES.

Nineteen Men Willing to Accept One of Four Places.

Four additional judges of the supreme court will be appointed by Governor Sheldon within two or three weeks. The appointments are to be made soon after the state canvassing board ascertains the result of the submission of the constitutional amendment increasing the number of judges from three to seven. The amendment has undoubtedly carried, but the state canvassing board cannot officially act until November 23.

Within ten days thereafter the governor shall issue a proclamation declaring the amendment to be a part of the constitution. The present court commission of six members is serving at the pleasure of the court and can be displaced any time to give way for four judges. The amendment increases the salary of judges of the supreme court from \$2,500 to \$4,500 a year. Two of the judges appointed by the governor will serve till their successors are elected next fall and two will serve until 1911. Nineteen names have been presented to the governor for his consideration in making the appointments. In the list there are four democrats.

Many Out for Judgeships.

These names have been filed with the governor: J. L. Root, Plattsmouth; E. R. Duffe, Omaha; Jacob Fawcett, Omaha; John M. Ragan, Hastings; Lincoln Frost, Lincoln; S. P. Davidson, Tecumseh; R. E. Evans, Dakota City; E. E. Good, Wahoo; B. F. Good, Wahoo; James A. Douglas, Bassett; H. M. Grimes, Lincoln county; North Platte; John J. Sullivan, Columbus; Judge Sedgwick, York; J. S. Hoagland, North Platte; George Loomis, Fremont; A. C. Epperson, Clay Center.

Bridgeport a County Seat.

Governor Sheldon issue a proclamation that officially completes the new county of Morrill, a county created by the division of the county of Cheyenne. The governor has designated Bridgeport as a temporary county seat until a permanent seat is chosen by the voters. He has called an election for the selection of county officers December 22. The Burlington railroad already has a line running north and south through Bridgeport and the Union Pacific has also

RETURNS ARE STILL COMING.

Exact Conditions Cannot Be Known for the Present.

The Journal of Friday says: Official returns from all but four counties now in the office of the secretary of state indicate the election of two democratic state officers, Garrett for lieutenant governor and Cowgill for railway commissioner, but the exact result cannot be known until Douglas county, one of the missing reports, is heard from. Unofficial reports from Omaha indicate the defeat of Railway Commissioner Williams. The other counties not heard from officially are Holt, Pierce and Richardson.

With four counties missing Hopewell for lieutenant governor has 108,790 and Garrett has 107,196. The majority of 1,594 for Hopewell may be wiped out in the missing counties.

With four counties missing the returns give Williams 110,029. Cowgill has 108,752. If the reports from Douglas county are correct the plurality of 1,277 for Williams will be wiped out.

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Road Acts Sore Still.

Ord readers will notice Ord was up to its old tricks, that of turning down republican candidates even though the city is—or ought to be—overwhelmingly republican. We believe the time has come when North Loup and Arcadia ought to call a halt to such proceedings. Ord dominates the nominations and then in the elections turns down the men they nominate and we for one, are getting tired of the whole thing, and say the Ord voters ought to be taught a lesson they will not soon forget.

Without being told you would know that this is from Rood's North Loup Loyalist. If the complaint were only that Ord did not roll up its usual republican majority we would accept the criticism and point to all the other republican towns of the county to show that they did likewise. But when the Loyalist says that Ord dominates the nominations Rood knows that the statement is not true. Ord did not dominate the nominations under the old convention system, and of course could not and does not under the present primary election system.

Furthermore Rood's suggestion that North Loup and Arcadia join forces against Ord and teach her a lesson is unnecessary for North Loup and Arcadia have all along acted in pretty perfect unison.

The discussion of the recent republican slump in the vote is not at all pleasant to us, but since the Loyalist has brought the matter up we presume that we may be pardoned for going into the facts a little, for the inference in Rood's threat is that Ord supports her own candidates and not those from other towns.

Ord and Ord township gave Taft a majority of 70 and Mortensen, the home candidate a majority of 55, falling by 15 votes to support the home man.

North Loup gave Taft a majority of 47 and the local democratic candidate 71 majority, or a present of 118 republican votes to a local democrat. Arcadia gave Taft 40 majority and Kinsey, the local candidate, a majority of 103, a gain of 83. So on the score of supporting home candidates Ord is the only one to plead not guilty, while North Loup is the worst of the bunch. And to make the matter worse it must be remembered that the questions of saloons and bank guaranty figured very largely in the votes against the Arcadia and Ord candidates, but no such questions entered into the actions of the North Loup voters.

We might suggest that Arcadia and Ord ought to "teach" North Loup something, but we shall not do it and are not at all in favor of doing any such thing.

County Option Dead.

James C. Dahlman, mayor of Omaha and one of the democratic bosses of Nebraska, has this sweet morsel of information to hand to his prohibition friends who united with Elmer Thomas, Walter Moise and the regular Liquor interests in electing Ashton C. Shallenberger governor of Nebraska:

"County option is effectively defeated. Shallenberger ran on an anti-county option platform and he will carry out the planks of that platform, I think. But whether the governor stands by his pledges or not the legislature will and the legislature is strongly against county option. So I repeat county option in Nebraska is a dead letter for at least two years."

It will be noted that Dahlman qualifies his prediction that Shallenberger will carry out his pledges and this recalls the fact that before the election Dahlman denounced Shallenberger as a "four-flusher."

Liquor interests in Omaha do not try to conceal their joy at Shallenberger's election. Prominent liquor men assert they are not afraid that Shallenberger will go back on his pledge to them to oppose county option. They know he pledged equal support to the anti-saloon league but insist that he had his fingers crossed at the time and he will be found on the side of the saloon as opposed to prohibitionists and the churches that helped the saloons to elect him.

—Omaha Bee.

A Word from Kinkaid

O'Neill, Nebr., Nov. 10, 1908.
Editor Quiz:
Just a line to advise you and your valuable paper as a matter of news that with all the counties of the 6th district heard from I have a majority of 2500 or over, which relatively speaking is the best run I have made for congress. Please do me the favor to express my hearty thanks for the good vote given me. Thanking you for the favor, I remain,
Very truly yours,
M. P. Kinkaid.

A Beautiful Silk Flag.

"Do you want a beautiful silk flag 2x3 feet? Up-to-date: 46 stars: made of fine twilled silk beautifully. A nice Christmas present or a souvenir for the home."
Send \$1.60 and you will receive the Daily and Sunday Journal three months and one of these flags. Address The Kansas Herald, 214 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

It was known all along that

the railroads, the saloons, the brewers, the anti-saloon league

George Pierce Meets Sudden Death

Near Spelts.

Yesterday morning George Pierce came to a sudden end. He had been in town the night before, coming in on a railroad velocipede from Sumter, where he is staying temporarily. He was acting for the regular section man, so we are told, which accounted for his having the railway velocipede. He spent the night in the city, where we do not know, but he did not stay at the transit house so the land lord says. He was in Milburn's saloon between 5:30 and 6:00 in the morning. He must have started home about 6:30, as he was overtaken by the train that leaves Ord at 6:45.

The first to know of his death were Chris Heleberg and Howard Mason, section men going to their work and leaving Ord at 7:00 in the morning. They found him by the railroad track about a half a mile west of the Spelts siding.

They examined the man and found him dead, so they left him there and sent word to his wife and coroner Bundy. The official responded as soon as possible and went to the scene. The Quiz man and others also went out to look at the gruesome affair.

The man lay near the rails, dead, with a severe cut just back of his right ear and only some minor abrasions of the skin. His neck was evidently dislocated. He was found lying on his face and only a mere spot of blood had been lost. Marks showed where he had slid some distance before stopping.

What happened to him was very apparent. Some two or three rods up the track the wreck of his velocipede began, also the marks it had made in the course of its destruction. The ground was not much disturbed, but some of the rail spikes were loosened, torn up or broken squarely off. The machine was made into kindling wood and fragments. One of the wheels was found near the north fence, another near the south fence and the third had been carried nearly half a mile down the track.

On the dead man's person was considerable money and two flasks of whiskey with the seals unbroken. He had with him a small box of tools, which of course were scattered, and a lantern. Whether or not this was lighted is of course not known. His hat was found some way up the track.

For some reason he evidently did not hear the train till it was upon him and surely the train men did not see him and were unaware that they had struck anything for they did not stop. This was considered a mystery till it was learned that it was their custom to eat their breakfast here as they sped along over a long level stretch of country with only three crossings and these used only by a few people.

After viewing the remains, looking over the circumstances at the scene of the accident and taking such testimony as they could the coroner's jury returned to Ord and the dead man was taken to his wife at Sumter. It must have been a terrible ordeal for the wife and mother to endure this shock.

The jury consists of D. B. Huff, F. J. Bell, J. H. Luke, H. Gudmundsen, S. A. Stacy and W. T. Keith. They held another session this forenoon and adjourned till this evening when they will have the trainmen as witnesses.

Not many new facts were brought out thus far but that the man was known to have taken a few drinks, where but he was last night has not yet been discovered. This the jury will try to find out.

George Pierce was born 39 years ago in Wisconsin. When about 8 years old he came to Valley county with his parents and lived most of the time in Springdale. He was married five years ago to a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Miller of Sumter and a little son and daughter are the fruit of the marriage.

The tragic death of the man is a great shock to the community and sympathy is freely expressed for the widow and orphaned children.

Warren Martz dropped into the city last Thursday evening for a visit with relatives and friends. He is the son of D. J. Martz, one of the pioneer lawyers of this city, and went away with that lawyer some fifteen or twenty years ago, going to Oklahoma. Warren has been roading for fifteen years and that means of course he will stay with the job—till he gets into the fatal wreck. Once a railroad is always a railroad. Warren has changed a good deal and everybody had to be told who he was, though he knew about it all the old residents here met. His uncle, S. H. Martz, came in and took him to the Rosevale neighborhood.

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Dwork's Corner Store was

thrown open to the public Monday and all day long, there was a crowd of people there to inspect the premises. If a good many came who did not buy Mr. Dwork had no objection. He is justly proud of the store and was glad to have his friends come in and look it over. But there were lots of goods sold too. It has taken a good many years of patient work to build up to a place where a store like this could be had and the people of Ord and vicinity join in congratulating Mr. Dwork and in hoping that he will continue to prosper in his new business home.

Lafe Paist and wife are taking a day off to day to visit at the home of the man who used to run the "One-Hoss store at the south east corner of the chain fence."

Monday, November, 16th Judge Gudmundsen issued a marriage license to Mr. Raymond J. Hoagland and Miss Essie Kemp, Wednesday, November 18th.

Howard C. Albers and Miss Orpha Maud Martin were married by Rev. Halsey on October 28.

John Sedlacek and Miss Mary E. Parks were married November 4, 1908.

Miss Fern Davis is assisting at the J. T. Johanson pharmacy.

Sam McClellan is in the city today on business.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Modern residence, eight rooms and basement, two lots, good location. W. A. Curry. 34

FARM for rent. See George Newbaker. 34

FOR BEST BARGAINS IN LAND and Ord property, sale and exchange, see G. W. Newbaker.

HOULES for rent. R. L. Staple.

FOR SALE—A steam boiler for heating plant, power 1000 feet. Been used two years, as good as new, will sell cheap. L. D. Bailey & Sons. 15-1t

FOR SALE—My house in west part of town, one or three lots. John K. Jensen. 16-1t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—In the edge of town, three acres of nice level ground with new seven room house and new barn. This is a fine bearing fruit tree on place. Will trade for a farm. L. D. Bailey and Sons. 4

STRAYED—A small bird pup, white with black ears. T. L. W. Rams. 33-2t

FOR SALE—Poland Chicks. See Ed Gued on the McNair farm. 34-1t

FOR SALE—O. I. C. mals. See F. D. Liskly. 33-1t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent. Mrs. F. W. Weaver. 34

"The People Rule."

Now that the national political question is again settled, let's go to business. I offer you a 320-acre farm, 220 acres plowed, 10 acres good native timber, balance grass land, 1-4 mile to school, 10 to good railroad town, for \$2000, half cash, half in five years, at six per cent.

Or, a whole section of grass land, fenced, watered by never failing spring stream across it, all good clay soil, well grassed, for \$12 per acre, on easy terms. You do not know of any good pasture land at so low a price. Only seven miles from Ord.

Or, 120-acre tract close to Ord, practically all level, now in alfalfa and wild grass, but fit for cultivation, without improvements, for \$55 per acre. To enable buyer to improve it, will ask for but \$1500 cash, balance on easy terms, at 6 per cent interest.

Or, if the last tract is too big, will sell you a tract about half that size for the same price.

These are all at bargain prices, and worth more than is asked for them. Let me show you.

J. H. CAPRON, Ord.

Sheriff Sale

In the district court in and for Valley county, Nebraska.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by Rudolph Sorenson, Clerk of the district court of Valley county, Nebraska, upon a judgment and decree of foreclosure rendered in said court in favor of the Central Building and Loan Association, plaintiff, and against William P. Burdick, and Zephia Burdick, defendants, I have levied said order of sale upon the following described property as the property of said defendants, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 2 in block 15, in 1st addition to Arcadia, Nebraska, and will on the 21st day of December, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m. of the said day, at the south front door of the court house in the city of Ord, sell said real estate to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the judgment. The amount due thereon, by the aggregate being the sum of \$575.70, and interest thereon, from the 4th day of April, 1908, at 10 per cent and costs secured, and accruing now, amounting to \$28.19 and such as may hereafter accrue.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1908.

A. Sutto, Sheriff.

ARCADIA NEWS

Miss May Freeman and Frank Casteel surprised their many friends by driving to Ord Monday, where they were quietly married by County Judge Gudmundsen. The young people are well liked by all who know them. Mr. Casteel has been employed in the barber shops of this city for some time, and is a young man of sterling qualities and good habits, being the youngest son of Mrs. Eva Casteel. His bride is an accomplished young lady, who but recently moved here from Wyoming with her parents, and has made friends with all her acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Casteel left here Wednesday morning for Central Kansas, where Mr. Casteel will engage in the barber business. The best wishes and congratulations of all will follow them in their new home.

Mrs. John Wall and Mrs. Eva Casteel left here Wednesday for Lincoln, where they will spend a few days. Mrs. Wall expects to return home the latter part of the week, but Mrs. Casteel will go on to Kansas City, Missouri, and from there she will take a trip through different parts of Kansas visiting with relatives and will probably locate in that state.

Mrs. A. Russell entertained the reading club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. O. Rettenmayer entertained the Kensington club at her residence last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. R. R. Robinson, who was here visiting her parents, was called home the latter part of last week by the illness of her husband.

M. L. Fries and H. S. Kinsey were east bound passengers Tuesday morning.

John Wall was in the county seat the latter part of last week attending to some business matters.

Miss Eva B. Schuman was over from Ord a few days last week.

H. C. Cheney left for his home in Emmerson, Iowa, last Thursday morning, having spent several days in this part of the country looking after his farming interests and visiting with friends.

Mrs. Emma Riesland, Mrs. J. H. Hollingshead and Miss Brydie Riesland were visiting in North Loup last Saturday.

J. W. Christian was attending to business matters in Ord a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kinsey from a week's sojourn in Omaha and Lincoln last Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. A. Burgett is slowly recovering from her illness and it is thought that she will be up and around again within another week.

This city seems to be in for a

siege of mumps. Men, women and children are alike afflicted and very few families have escaped representation on the list.

George Schmidt, who went to the northwestern part of the state last fall is home on a visit. He seems to like his new location fine and intends to farm in that section next year.

Chas. Partridge is renovating his living quarters at the Hotel Ord having a force of paper hangers and plasterers at work this week.

Rosevale Items

Mrs. Botts was up from Mira Valley visiting Mrs. Will May from Sunday till Wednesday.

Frank Hallock and family visited at Kipping's Sunday.

Mr. McEachran of Ord stopped over night at Joe Nelson's. He was on his way home from Dakota.

The Swanson family visited at Clair Beebe's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson called at Pigman's Monday.

Mesdames Botts and May were visitors at school Monday.

Villa Obert spent Sunday at home.

Ethel May is home for the present.

Floyd Smith is husking corn for Mr. Martz.

Ed Kipping is putting up a new house.

John Petortia and Francis Rusek were married at the County Judge's office and by that official on October 19.

Ord Market—Top Prices

New Potatoes, \$4.00
Butter, 17c.
Eggs, 20c.
Hens, 7c
Springs, 6c
Hogs, \$5.15
Oats, 40c
Corn, 45c
Wheat, 85c

WALTZ OF THE OSTRICH.

The Big Bird Shows Its Good Spirit by Strenuous Dancing.

The so called waltzing performance of the ostrich is familiar to all in South Africa, but few outsiders have ever heard of it. It consists of a rapid whirling movement, sometimes one way, sometimes another, the wings spread out and alternately elevated and depressed. It is a fascinating sight when indulged in by a large flock.

First one bird will dart forward and begin the circular movements. Another will follow and then others until the entire flock is careering around in the mad whirl. Some will continue until they drop exhausted or, apparently becoming giddy, stumble and fall.

The dance is seen in all its glory only when a considerable number of birds are together. It often takes place among only a few, but is never so intense or prolonged as when the flock is large.

Chicks only a month or two old engage in the amusement, though they are rather clumsy and sometimes stumble, particularly when they are reversing. As they grow older they perform several complete turns with great facility, though even adult birds sometimes stumble and break their legs in falling.

This gay behavior is no doubt instinctive, and, as with other instincts, it is perfected by experience. Ostrich chicks begin the whirl even when reared away from their ostrich parents and without having seen the performance. The South Africans have the following theory of the significance of this playful activity:

The wild ostrich can protect itself against lions and leopards in no other way than by flight. When chased by a beast of prey the ostrich, starting to run, twists and turns in a curious fashion and jerks so quickly from side to side that no beast would be likely to have time to set himself for a spring in one direction before the bird had changed its course.

Ostriches thus pursued have been seen to stop at full speed; turn as if pivoted and flee again in almost the opposite direction. Probably no other animal can do this.

The South Africans believe that the instinctive waltzing movement of the ostrich is useful in perfecting the bird in the art of suddenly twisting and turning, which is most likely to assist it to elude its natural enemies, the larger carnivora.

—New York Sun.

A Story of Dr. Mitchell.

The following anecdote is told of Dr. Weir Mitchell: While on one of his foreign trips he decided to consult a very eminent German specialist regarding a nervous disease of his own of long standing. The two men had never met before, so he sent up his card as "Mr. Mitchell of Philadelphia" and was received by the German under this title. The physician examined him very carefully and then said, "My dear sir, do you say you come from Philadelphia?"

The doctor was forced to admit the inquiry.

"Well," said the physician, "have you consulted Dr. S. Weir Mitchell of that city?"

The doctor said that he had.

"And he couldn't help you?"

"No," was the answer.

"Then," said the doctor, removing his spectacles with an air of finality, "I'm afraid I can't do anything for you."

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Referee Sale

In the district Court in and for Valley County, Nebraska.

No. 10 is hereby given that the undersigned duly appointed referee by the district court of Valley County, Nebraska in action pending therein wherein Clarence C. Bower plaintiff and Sernis M. Bower et al. are defendants. After an examination of the premises in question, reported to said district court, on the 10th day of November, 1908, that said premises could not be divided without great prejudice to the owners thereof, that said report was duly approved by the court, and on said day an order of sale was issued, directing this referee to sell said premises as upon execution of sale, and the authority in me as referee, and having taken the bond required by law, will on Monday, the 21st day of December, 1908, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the south front door of the court house in the city of Ord, Nebraska, offer for sale and sell said real estate, viz:

The south halves of the northwest quarter of section 34, in township 17 north, range 14 west of the 6th P. M. in Valley County, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash. Said sale will remain open one hour.

H. Gudmundsen, Referee.

THE ORD QUIZ

W. W. HASKELL, Editor and Owner
W. C. PARSONS, City Editor.

ORD, VALLEY COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

Sheriff Sutton was at North Loup Monday.

J. A. Rice was a passenger to Lincoln Friday.

Harry Bratley went to Elba Friday morning.

Fred Lund of Scotia was in the city over Sunday.

Mr. Renolds went to Grand Island Friday morning.

Dick Lysinger went to Grand Island Saturday morning.

Bud O'Bryan was a passenger to St. Paul Friday morning.

The Robbins twins were passengers to Lincoln Friday.

Miss Fern Cunningham went to Burwell Saturday night.

Thomas Flinton returned to Doupian Saturday morning.

Oscar Luse got back Friday night from his trip to Omaha.

Mrs. Wagner returned home from York Thursday evening.

Harry Klingingsmith returned to North Loup Saturday morning.

Mrs. Housel returned to Stockholm Friday after a visit here.

F. F. Carlson returned to his home in Lancaster county Saturday.

Mrs. Stover returned Friday evening from a short visit out of town.

C. R. Newbecker of Taylor was doing business in the city Saturday.

Miss Chinn returned home Saturday evening from a short stay at St. Paul.

Mr. Sargent of Elyria was in the city a short time Saturday transacting business.

J. T. Nelson went to his North Loup home Saturday after a short stay here.

Miss Carrie Smith was a passenger up the road over the B. & M. Saturday night.

Mrs. Girard returned Friday of last week from a visit with her mother in Holt county.

A Mr. Enger of Dakota came Saturday evening for a visit with his uncle Oscar Enger of Elm Creek.

The dance given at the Wentworth hall Friday night by the Danish Brotherhood was well attended, and all report a good time.

We regret that we were unable last week to publish all of our correspondence, considerable of it coming in late, and more out on account of lack of room.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Tinker were passengers to Grand Island Friday. After continuing their visit there for a short time they will return to their Kansas home.

The Schultz sale at the Clason pavilion was pulled off Saturday according to schedule. Everything did pretty well though all records were far from being broken.

The dance at the Bohemian National hall last Thursday evening, we are informed, was well attended, and a general good time was reported. This was an exclusive affair of the turners.

Gus Hipner who has been employed in the Stars meat market for some time past, has resigned his position there and gone to Hastings for a more or less extended stay and may locate there.

The Rebekahs gave an old time social at their lodge rooms Friday night. Each member brought a basket filled with good things to eat and after the regular routine of lodge work a fine lunch was served.

The Quiz shop has just completed a new directory for the Ord Independent Telephone Co. and they are now ready for distribution. The new list contains many new names. You will help the company's service greatly if you get one of these books and look up the number before calling central.

A unique dancing party will be given at the Wentworth opera house this Thursday evening. About two score of the young ladies of the city, with nearly as many more of the married ones, have clubbed together and sent out invitations to the gentlemen. The usual course of affairs will not be observed at this party, as it is to be a leap-year party in every sense, the ladies being obliged to ask the gentlemen for dances. We notice the young ladies have been wearing their smiles for the past week.

Monday evening a little before six o'clock Ored Olson's team took a scare at something or other over about the north west corner of the square and came down the north side at break-neck speed, circled around and took a post out from under the porch in front of the saloon next to the Ramsey pool hall, bumped into a saddle horse tied to the chain opposite Sershen Bros. with such force as to take the animal off its feet, and then ran a couple of blocks down Main street towards Kaiser town. They turned at the Howard corner and went a block north then turned west ran back of the Methodist church into the back yard of the parsonage. This proved to be too quiet a place for them and they turned so quickly that they put the wagon bottom side up so that the burrs ran off and lost all the wheels. They then ran across the street and took a few palings off of Dahlin's yard fence, when one of them became entangled in the harness and they had to stop. No damage was done to the harness and the horses were uninjured but the wagon was scattered to the four corners of the earth.

The Freeman Lewin residence narrowly escaped destruction by fire last Saturday evening. It seems one of the boys was lying on the bed smoking a cubeb cigarette, as boys sometime will, and dropped some fire on the bed. He left not knowing he had started a fire. Mrs. Lewin was away at the time, but fortunately returned in a few minutes and found the bedding on fire. The blaze was extinguished, but not before the bed had been ruined. Had it not been for her timely return a serious fire would certainly have resulted.—Comstock News.

Walk up straight, young man—up straight! Don't feel that, do you? Walking, take a lively gait—Worth a fancy to you. People judge you by the way you are walking day by day.

Walk up straight, young man—up straight! Practice self denial. Only those are counted great who have stood the trial first unto yourself, of grace. Others then will honor you.

Walk up straight, young man—up straight! In the things you're doing. Quit your staying out too late. Swearing, smoking, chewing. People unbeknown to you Judge you by the things you do.

Things got mixed up some at this shop last week. The sudden and unexpected departure of Mr. Parsons and the change of line up resulting therefrom may be cited in explanation of the fact. Several assignments made him before his departure were duly written by him—and the copy found on his desk after his departure and after the paper was out. Curt was a little excited too or he would have hung his stuff on the copy hook.

Tuesday morning Arthur Clements and Bud Auble left Ord via the Burlington Route, their destination being points in Old Mexico. Their intention was to look over the mining proposition of that country which is reported as being very valuable. If the proposition comes up to their expectations they will undoubtedly make an investment.

Eugene Moore, in the My Boy Jack Co. played to a good sized house here last Thursday evening. The show was the best we have had here so far this season and from what we have heard gave the best of satisfaction to all who witnessed the performance. From here they went to Burwell for a one night stand.

In St. Paul a year or two ago the saloons went strongly into politics the same as they did here at the last election, and what was the result? The anti-saloon people overcame a wet majority of nearly fifty, and the town went dry by a majority of thirteen votes.

Mr. Chas. Giel of St. Paul was in the city over Sunday as the guest of Mr. Chess Chinn and daughter. He returned on the freight Monday.

Ray Hoagland came up on the Burlington from Sutton Tuesday evening. He has been employed there as operator for the Burlington.

Everet Bacon, who is employed in one of the Burwell banks, returned Monday evening from a short stay in Omaha.

If you are in need of any old papers call at the Quiz office, as we have a good supply on hand at the present writing.

Mrs. Kendall, who is visiting in this vicinity from Kansas, was a passenger to North Loup Monday morning.

Mr. Trimble who has been here visiting his brother's family near Olean has decided to locate in this vicinity.

Mrs. Adam Smith boarded the train for Parsons, Kansas, Monday morning.

The Dowark store was formally opened to the public last Monday.

Mr. Hansen of St. Paul visited in this vicinity Sunday.

District Court adjourned Saturday until Monday, December 7 at 1:30 p. m.

W. E. Chapin Sr. came up to Ord Monday evening for a visit at the Chapin home.

Frank Vopat has already commenced the shipment of popcorn from several near-by towns receiving a car load from Burwell this week.

Remember the chicken pie dinner and supper that the Methodist ladies will give at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Saturday afternoon and evening.

Norm Parks was in the city yesterday. He will leave for California Saturday or Monday at the latest. He will return to the job he left at Long Beach several years ago.

The social which was to have been given by the Epworth League at the Robbins home, has been postponed till some later date on account of its conflicting with the lecture course date.

Mrs. Evert Petty was brought to the city Tuesday afternoon and is now being cared for under the parental roof. She stood the trip all right and as soon as her strength is sufficiently recovered she will go away for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Meda Bessie of Springfield, Idaho, and her niece, Miss Meda Bessie of Wisconsin, are here on a visit at the home of Mrs. Anna Bailey and other relatives. The visiting ladies are on their way from Idaho to Wisconsin swapping visits and stopped here en route, arriving last Thursday night.

In the trial of Sam Dumond for selling liquor to an habitual drunkard Sam was able to prove by City Marshal Heuck and others that Phair was not addicted to the use of intoxicants. Heuck swore that he never saw Phair drunk, which is probably true. Our marshal frequently has his head turned the other way.

Tomorrow night is the Driver lecture at the Bohemian hall. It will be a solid but an entertaining one. By the way every member on the course this year looks like a winner. We believe that this is the best course ever put on in Ord, and there are six numbers instead of five. Get your ticket for the season.

The Union Pacific sends out a neat little pamphlet showing the estimated crop yields of the state by counties and a comparison of the figures in the little booklet makes pretty interesting reading. During 1908 it is claimed that there was 25,307 acres of winter wheat harvested in Valley county and that the average yield per acre was 18 bu. making a total of 328,991 bu. raised in the county. Spring wheat averaged 16 bu. per acre, but there was but 1,317 acres in the county making a total of 21,072 bu. raised in the county. The oats crop was not very encouraging an average of 23,737 yielding a total production of 427,266 bu. Of the 89 counties reported in the schedule there are but 15 that lead Valley county in the matter of corn production to the acre and not one of these 15 succeeded in leading us any better than a 2 bu. to the acre average. The corn acreage in the county was 72,858 and yielded 38 bu. to the acre making a total of 2,788,604 bu. Just size this corn crop at the present market price and your dollar mark will crawl up into the seven figure column. Irish potatoes in the county yielded 65 bu. to the acre, millet yielded two ton to the acre, alfalfa went three ton to the acre and there were 13,482 acres that were harvested. Valley has pretty good cause to swell over the figures when they are compared with some of the older counties of the state, localities where land values are listed much higher.

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Mr. and Mrs. Blaha went to Wisner this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Hallock were at Scotia yesterday.

Attorneys Norman and Oleson are at North Loup today.

Otto Heuck came on the passenger Tuesday evening.

Plenty of fat geese for your Thanksgiving dinner. James Nay.

Mrs. Manasil and son were passengers to St. Paul this morning.

Mr. Meisel, engineer at the electric light plant, went to Chicago, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers returned to their Greeley home this morning after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Spethman returned home to the Island yesterday morning after a short visit with the Likely family.

Plenty of money for farm loans, at lowest rates, ready when you are, and payable at Ord. See J. H. Capron, Ord.

The Epworth League social as announced last week will be postponed on account of the Lecture. Look for the date announced later.

Archie Bradt shipped a pure bred hog to Colorado the other day. We didn't know Archie was in the hog business, but he tells us he has some good ones.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frank Thursday night. This is the first daughter in a family of boys, and she will be specially prized no doubt.

Editor W. C. Parsons was down to Ord Sunday night to see his family, returning to Burwell on the freight Monday. He reports things looking well to him at Burwell, but he cannot take his family up because he can get no house to live in.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stanton last Friday night. The young lady is destined to be a beautiful and winning one in spite of the unfortunate handicap of being born on Friday and the 13th of the month.

There is one discordant note among the singers of the praises of the Tripp country, and that is from the throat of A. M. Mutter. He bears down hard on the fact that the best lands are taken by the Indians and that it will be impossible for a decent man to live there till the Indians are killed off. He declares he would not live there for the whole country.

My family has been in quarantine more than the 35 days prescribed by law. The house and clothing has been thoroughly fumigated according to law, by a competent physician. Therefore I expect to occupy my pulpit at Elyria next Sunday, November 22, morning and evening and you are all invited to the church services. H. H. Berry.

A. M. Mutter, James Bradt, F. M. Vodehnal, Ed. Watson and Mike Sheridan returned from their trip to Tripp county last Saturday evening, whither they went to pick out some good claims. They bring back a good report of that promised land though of course the Indians have the best claims and have chosen them so as to surround the remaining good ones in many cases. Those having any kind of a small number will get good farms if they do not make mistakes in locating.

Listen. Looking facts IN THE FACE is the way the WISE ones act.

Those who look another way at the trials of today, but add to the suffering of tomorrow.

If you are having trouble with your watch, if you do not know what to buy don't delay, but come in and ask us.

We will tell you what you ought to do—you may do it if you like.

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Our exhibition of Autumn and Winter Dress Fabrics is attractive for two reasons:—1. This is a wonderful season for beautiful dress fabrics. 2. Here are the most beautiful fabrics that can be obtained at their prices.

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All the best approved weaves in all the lovely new colors, light and dark—as well as the friendly old staple shades. All at lower cost for value than we have ever offered.

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Broadcloths
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Panamas
Always popular and this year more than ever. These are the sturdy, service-giving grades that look well enough for state occasions and wear well enough for rough weather. Great values at \$1.50 to \$1.50.

Cashmeres
Everyone will be glad to know that this soft, grace-giving fabric is coming into high regard, with this year's clinging draped costumes. We have the prettiest colors and textures at the least price, \$1.50 to \$1.25.

Serges
This serviceable fabric is coming into renewed favor. But the weave and color must be right—as these are. The quality at each price will astonish and delight you, \$3.85 to \$1.50.

The Bailey's Department Store

Cash or trade paid for Poultry, Cream, Butter and Eggs.

Hints to Farmers

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- Pay your bills by check which makes the best kind of a receipt and avoids the worry and danger attending the carrying money in your pocket.
- Our commodious offices are always at your disposal and we invite you to call and make use of them.

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Various fancy and useful articles for sale, various amusements all afternoon. In the evening the choir will render duets and other songs. The children will give a drama in three acts entitled, "In the Forest" and other humorous selections. No admission in the afternoon. It will be an afternoon and evening of pleasure and free for all. Don't miss it. Come and enjoy yourself. Everything is being done to make it a success. Tell your friends about it. Admission to the entertainment in the evening 25 cents, children 10 cents.

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One of the first symptoms of many eye troubles is a feeling of drowsiness while doing near work.

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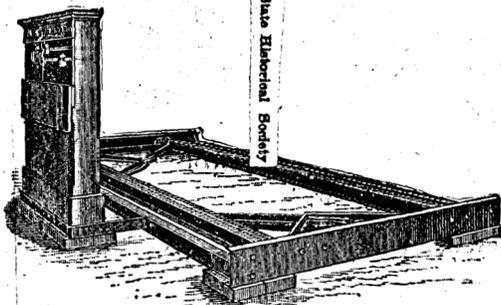
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NEW AMERICAN STEEL FRAME SCALE

sets complete above the ground; is eight inches high. All the foundation it needs is under end sills and under beam box. This scale differs from all others, it is in a class by itself. It has no rigid cast iron bearings, the platform swings and hangs on eight steel faced clevises. This makes our scale more durable. Anyone familiar with the working of a scale, can readily understand that it will keep its accuracy longer than any other pitless scale made. For the sides of our scale frame we use 4 inch I beams where others use light angles or gas pipe. The neck for beam box on our scale is made of steel. Where others use wook we use a steel channel on each end of scale for platform sills to rest on; this channel hangs on two clevises. Others bolt the bearings rigid to the platform sills, and these rest on knife edge. Beside, our pitless scale in every way is made heavier than other makes. The pivots in our scale are all tool steel, made as hard as glass, and hinge in steel faced clevises and swing so there is no wear on the knife edge. Make yourself familiar with other makes of scales, so you see and understand, and we know you will buy the New American



Enterprise News.

Pied Last Week.

Mrs. L. W. Roe and children returned to St. Paul Monday.

Miss Alice Armstrong visited a while Monday at A. Ward's.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Peterson visited at Jake Peterson's Sunday.

The Ben Hurs continued their good work by taking in several new members Tuesday night.

Earnest Rahlmeyer is hauling lumber and other material for a new barn which is now in the process of construction.

Chas. Mars sustained a sprained wrist while casting his vote on election day and for a while fears were entertained that he might recover.

Andy Cook is trying to build a new house but is having some difficulty in finding carpenters. Everybody seems to be busy, but if he cares to wait until the husking is over he will have plenty of help.

James Nethery visited with Ed. Armstrong and family from Sunday until Wednesday. While he did not tell us, we guess he has a proposition in view that will offer him a better opportunity for advancement than the one he recently held. We predict success for him.

District court called a number of our farmers from the corn fields last week. Whenever a man really feels a desire to get out a work, a session of court is likely to land on the solar plexus of his ambition. Charley Purcell thinks the jury business should be turned over to bums and dry goods box statesmen.

How many stakes can be driven down on a plot of ground fifteen feet square allowing no two stakes to be nearer than one and one half feet. This problem has been acknowledged as a puzzle for twenty years and I

have not yet found a person who could give a solution. I will offer one dollar cash to the first person sending in a correct solution. This offer is good until further notice and requires a carefully written proof and a diagram to illustrate same, both in ink.

Prank Psota finished husking for Loomis Saturday and is working for Fred Boesler this week. He averaged about 80 bushels which he thinks is good enough for this year. Hundred bushel huskers are not as plentiful as they were a few years ago. Last year a fellow in Howard county named Joe Forst averaged 130 bu. per day for over a week, making 163 bu. as his best day's record. Unless crop conditions change the hundred bushel husker has seen his best days. They are only to be found in connection with 50 cu. corn and that is a hard thing to find this year. Fifty bushel corn is hard to find with a fifty cent price.

Some people would dilapidate the patience of a saint. There are some things some people do in some places which fill all decent people with disgust, and it shall be our purpose to exploit these short comings whenever a time and expediency dictate. We are not fond of telling of our friends shortcomings, but if we don't somebody else will and we can bear the blame or take the glory as well as anybody.

This week if we had time we would devote a few moments to the man who makes a hog of the public highway. You all know him. He is always found in the middle of the road and like all "middle of the roaders" he puts this position before life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. He has forgotten that there is anyone else on earth but himself. The man with a wagon can compel observance of the laws of etiquette but the light rids and wheelmen must suffer.

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We now have in stock smoked halibut, bloaters and salt fish, mackerel, white fish, herring etc. Also canned shrimps, lobster and coxo oysters.

New dates 10 cents, new figs 10 and 20 cents. New English Walnuts 20 cents. New choice evaporated peaches 10 cents, the fanciest 12 1/2 cents.

Some are enjoying buckwheat cakes these crisp mornings. So may you if you buy a sack, 50 cents, of our Wright's Old Fashioned pure buckwheat.

Ripe olives in cans 25 cents.

Sound hand-picked Winesap and Gano apples in barrels, \$3.50.

Come or Phone 31

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While I am not speaking in my own behalf I know of several instances when I have been compelled to get off and wait for one of these road specimens to pass and the only thanks I got for it was a scowl or a muttered cuss word. On one occasion the traveled road was over a rod wide and there was room enough for two teams to pass comfortably. Instead of keeping to the right as a decent man should have done he turned to the left and literally crowded me out of the road. Some day some one will get hurt. The law gives a wheel the same privileges as any other vehicle and those who insist on overlooking this fact will some day get what is coming to them. Any decent wheelman will do all he can to prevent scaring horses and is glad to do so when he thinks such consideration will be appreciated, but a few encounters with a road hog will dull a man's manners.

ARCADIA NEWS

P. W. Round was a passenger to Loup City Monday morning.

Mrs. P. W. Round is spending the week visiting with the family of her daughter, Mrs. H. O. Cooley, of St. Paul.

H. H. Bristol has resigned his position as manager of the Barstow elevator at this place and a Mr. Reynolds arrived from Western, this state, Saturday to take his place.

Mr. Mary A. Reed and granddaughter arrived last week from Kearney and will spend a month or more in this city and vicinity.

The people of this vicinity were greatly shocked to learn of the death of the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Culley at Loup City one day last week. The young lady was well known here and numbered her friends by her acquaintances.

Mrs. J. W. Landers arrived here Monday noon by way of the Ansley-Arcadia stage for a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Walter Sorenson and Mrs. J. P. Cooper and other relatives.

John Wall was attending to some legal business in Comstock the first of the week.

George Slocum was in town last Saturday on business, returning to his home in Comstock in the evening.

D. M. Ross and wife left for Mr. Ross's old home in Indiana, going by way of the Union Pacific from North Loup. It has been over eighteen years since Mr. Ross left his home in that state to try his fortune in the west and his visit will no doubt be full of interest and pleasure.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Moore died early Sunday morning. It had been ailing for some time but was not thought to be any worse Saturday evening than usual, but upon awakening Sunday morning its mother found that the little one had passed away.

Mrs. James Riddle was a passenger to Comstock Saturday evening where she spent Sunday with her husband, who is employed in the flouring mills.

Lillian Duryea and Grace Jones were in Loup City Saturday.

ROSEVALE ITEMS.

Mrs. Frank Hallock went to Ord Wednesday on business.

Kinkaiders are busy burning fireguards of late on the dry cedar.

Mr. Stanton living east of Rosevale is quite sick. Dr. Shepherd was called out Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dan Smith is out from Ord renewing acquaintances in this vicinity.

A fine eleven pound boy arrived at Win Ober's Friday morning. Mother and babe are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Willet and daughter visited with Mrs. Galino Sunday.

Mrs. Rosie Kipling visited at Frank Hallocks a few days recently.

Dr. Clason made a flying trip to E. Hulbert's last Wednesday evening.

Floyd Chatfield was a visitor at school one day last week.

Mr. Galino was taking pictures in Rosevale the first of the week.

Miss Ethel May visited at the Wittie home over by Burwell Wednesday.

Mr. George Doran and lady passed through this valley Sunday.

R. W. Phair returned to his home at York Friday morning. He had been here attending the late session of court.

Springdale News

Contributed by Springdale School

Wayne Stanton is absent from school this week.

Dave Arnold is shucking for his brother Charles.

Chas. Turner shipped hogs Monday from Spotts.

Claude Rathbun was a North Loup visitor Saturday.

C. C. Haught is building a new machine shed this week.

G. A. McLain was at L. W. Seerley's Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Portis Sundayed at the Chas. Turner home.

W. N. Hawkins called on L. W. Seerley Sunday evening.

O. M. Seerley of Ord was at his Springdale farm Monday.

Choir practice was held at C. C. Haught's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLain were at the J. H. McLain home Sunday.

W. D. Long is one of the fortunate farmers who has his corn in the crib.

Marie McLain was at the home of her cousin Clara McLain Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Haught and son Virgil visited at C. C. Haught's Sunday.

Mr. Beckwith from Ord is shucking corn for Geo. McLain. He began Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haught of North Loup spent Sunday at the C. C. Haught home.

Reggie McLain of Spring Creek spent Sunday at the home of his cousin, Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McLain from Ord spent Sunday at the home of their son, John.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmore Gray and daughter visited at the C. C. Haught home Sunday.

Ed Timmerman returned to his school duties after a two weeks turn in the cornfield.

Dow Harris and Sam Perkins, Jr. are doing the husking act for George Hubbard at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Polsen visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Hubbard and son, Maurice were south bound passengers via the Union Pacific Monday.

Rev. Maynard, Mott Rathbun and Will Stanton enjoyed a pleasant outing Tuesday. They were off on a big hunt.

Bryan Portis was at the W. L. Smith home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Moul were pleasant visitors at the same household.

Geo. McLain has finished his new barn. Improvements certainly spell thrift and prosperity wherever they are erected.

The school was more than pleased to greet Veri Arnold last Wednesday morning. He has had quite a long pull in the cornfield.

The school board have made arrangements to make the school house more comfortable by having it banked where the foundation is bad.

The beginners reading has made fair progress. They now are familiar with thirty five words, their own names, know all the letters in the alphabet and the figures from one to ten.

L. W. Seerley is on the sick list this week. A short time ago he fell from a wagon injuring his side. Inflammation has set in and his condition is quite serious. We are hoping that he may soon be himself again.

S. N. Arnold is a warm exponent of the theory of running your work and not letting your work run you. He always plans to have his work done in good season. He finished shucking his corn a week ago Saturday.

Mrs. Duncan McRae is on the sick list again. For some time she has been the victim of a severe cold and there are indications of typhoid fever. These good people have had more than their share of sickness and we hope that we may announce next week that Mrs. McRae is better.

Dear Readers: For the past two weeks our notes have failed to appear in the news columns of the Quiz. We really feel ashamed of ourselves for deserting Mr. Haskell in this cruel way but with Thanksgiving staring us in the face naturally we begin to think of the people to whom our thanks are due. On the above list we found the name of W. W. Haskell, the editor of the Quiz. Therefore we decided to make the joy bells ring in our hearts by rendering

Haskell's, by contributing a good news column from Springdale. To the other country schools of Valley county we wish to say that we feel it our duty to send in our mite of news to the Quiz every week. But you ask why we are under any obligations to Mr. Haskell. What has he done that our thanks should be due to him? Just pause one moment, pupils of Valley county. Go back with us to those times in the history of your schools when you were planning to raise money for a school library, pictures or other school improvements. You desired as large a crowd as possible so that the receipts would be large. How did you do this? About two or three weeks before your notable function came off didn't you mail or hand the dear editor, (what a fine fellow he was then) a neatly written manuscript announcing the great three-ring circus you were to have in your knowledge factory on a certain Friday night? Maybe he printed a few bills for you. If he charged you anything it was for nothing more than cost of the stock. You appealed to his sympathies to help the good work along and he graciously did it. As to the former favor he charged that to the town pump. Did it ever occur to you that space in a newspaper costs money? By donating the space in his paper Mr. Haskell helped to make your school entertainments a success. Now don't you think it is almost time to show your appreciation for past favors by returning the compliment. It would be a very small matter for the pupils of every country school in Valley county to gather a few items of interest on a certain day of each week and send them to the Quiz office. With such a volume of county correspondence as this wouldn't Mr. Haskell wear the "smile that won't scrub off"? We will watch with interest for the next few weeks to see the number of schools in Valley county that will join us in making Mr. Haskell smile as he did before the democrats possessed the land of promise. Stationery and postage will be furnished by him on application. Get them at once.

Twenty two perfect attendance certificates were issued for the school month ending November 6. Those to be recommended for their regular attendance are Andrew McLain, Harley Smith, Roy Hansen, Mary Valosek, Lella Arnold, Otto Smith, Annie Thompson, Clara McLain, Chris Peterson, Amy Haught, Jessie VanWie, Pearl Thompson, Perry Timmerman, Elmer Hanson, Jennie Turner, Hans Peterson, Elvina Thompson, Albert Haught, Willie Valosek, Willie Klanscey, Jessie and Flossie Haught.

Pleasant Valley News.

Where are you going to eat your Thanksgiving turkey? Royal and Curtis Hughes are husking corn for Fred Boyce.

J. P. Braden has been having trouble with the well on his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Slocum of Comstock visited at Bossen's last Sunday.

Mrs. Kepner and Miss Nellie Hughes visited the Nels Pierson family at St. Paul last week.

The Hughes boys took the lead in getting their corn out, having finished Wednesday the 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kepner and Rev. Shuman's family from Ord and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holcomb of Arcadia visited at I. S. Kepner's last Sunday.

Ida Items.

Iva Brechbill visited Stella Sharpe Saturday.

Veda Haines spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sharp.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hart Friday.

Ethel Meyers is recovering nicely from an attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and family spent Sunday at the Brechbill home.

Mrs. Bergrude, who has been visiting friends here has returned to her sister's at Elyria.

Miss Smith taught school last Saturday so as to have the Friday after Thanksgiving to spend at home.

Mrs. Herbst spent a few days the first of the week with Mrs. Hart. Mrs. Smith White of Burwell is now caring for the mother and babe.

Herman Grunkemeyer had a run-away in Burwell Sunday. His team became frightened at an automobile, broke loose from the buggy and did considerable

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Height 4 ft 7 1/2 inches in length 5 ft 5 inches in depth 2 ft 3 inches in 7 1/2 octaves, full metal frame, three strings to bass. Bushed tuning pin, French capstan repeating action. Good quality felt in hammers, nickle action brackets, extra heavy case, carved pillow trusses, case handsomely polished.

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A famous Netzwow piano furnished the music for Dworak's Grand Opening. How did you like it?

YOURS

The City Pharmacy

O. P. LUSE, Ph. G.

ORD, NEBR.

brused some and one of the horses was badly injured by the broken neck yoke.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brockus spent Sunday at the Goodenow home, a last visit before their departure for California where they will spend the winter.

District 41.

B. R. Hackel has a new colt.

Claude Dent is husking corn for Mr. Mason.

The school is quite pleased with the new flag.

W. S. King and family visited at A. King's Sunday.

C. M. King is having his new house plastered.

Dan McEachran has returned from a visit to Tripp county.

Mrs. John Bell visited Wednesday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Mason.

Harriet Eastburn is keeping house for her father while Mrs. Eastburn is in Omaha.

The eighth grade has been reviewing decimals, and promiscuous problems in fractions.

W. H. Harrison contemplates a visit to Oklahoma soon to find a better location than Nebraska affords.

The language classes have been much interested in the story of the Pilgrims and have written some excellent compositions.

Rev. Caldwell preached a missionary sermon at the U. B. church Sunday. A collection of about \$30 was taken for foreign missions.

The entertainment given by the school district number six was well attended. The proceeds of the supper will be used to purchase some pictures for the school.

The Y. P. C. U. held its November social at the Drew Thompson home. On account of busy times not a large crowd

attended, but those present had a fine time.

Mrs. Eastburn accompanied her sister Mrs. Linsley to Omaha Thursday.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Ord Nebr., for the week ending tomorrow.

Mr. Chas. Crismore

Letters will be sent to the dead letter office. Parties claiming any of the above please say they were "advised." A. M. Conrod, Postmaster.

At noon last week Thursday two farms of that week's issue were pried at the very beginning of the run. In consequence we were compelled to make these pages up again on a few minutes notice with nothing at hand. The result was somewhat disastrous to the paper. Among the things that went into the junk were most of our local correspondence which of course had to be left out until this week. Even newspaper men have troubles.

There was certainly no shortage of Ord fellows in the city Tuesday night. Along with the crowd we noticed County Attorney H. E. Olsson, Attorney E. P. Clements, E. E. Maddox, business manager of the Ord Mercantile Co., and Warren Draper, proprietor of a restaurant. The boys were all behaving themselves pretty well and they have our permission to visit us again at any time. -Burwell Tribune.

Mrs. W. C. Parsons and son went up to Burwell last Saturday night to spend Sunday with the Tribune man and help get acquainted in that city.

J. A. Ollis Jr. was transacting business at different points down the line last week. He returned home Saturday evening.

The United States Government

will water 60,000 acres of fertile land in the famous

Grand Valley of Colorado

Actual construction on this large irrigation project will begin in a few weeks.

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Write us for particulars in regard to small tracts on easy terms.

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THE ORD QUIZ

By W. W. HASKELL

ORD, NEBRASKA

At last count there were 1,318,000 persons in India dependent on state aid.

The Australian government will erect five wireless stations along its coast.

Tattooed portraits of the last six French presidents were found on the skin of a burglar named Bertin arrested in Paris.

Game grows scarcer as the country fills up but hunters continue to shoot themselves and one another, every fall, in the same old way.

Step by step, slowly and painfully, the crescent of Mohammed is being pushed off the map of Europe, as a symbol of governmental power.

Let it be said to the everlasting credit of the English suffragettes that they have not attempted to win by making use of the hatpin as a weapon.

A fleet of aeroplanes raining down explosives on a hostile navy is asserted to be one of the possibilities of future wars. Perhaps explosives and perhaps aeroplanes.

A large painting, representing the seven bishops who were committed to the tower of London in 1688, has been presented to the archbishop of Canterbury for Lambeth palace.

An unhappy New Jersey husband complained in court that his wife had hit him with a dog. Evidently she was either out of breath or unable to make a more biting retort.

Passengers by the trans-Siberian express now reach Peking from London in 16 days, the North Chinese railway having been induced to run the trains by night as well as by day.

The house shown to tourists at the ancient palace of the Capulets of Verona, which is associated with the story of Romeo and Juliet, has been completely destroyed by fire.

The latest experiments confirm early hopes of the success of the wireless telephone. Talking through a man's hat, at long range, is going to be the merest commonplace.

As long as German bankers can be found who leave \$7,000,000 fortunes to the encouragement of science the eminence of the German nation in the scientific field is not likely to be lost.

An expedition organized in Boston by George M. Boynton will explore the great unknown regions of the southern watershed of the Amazon river between the fourth and tenth parallels.

An educational institution has gained, its faculty declares, by the elimination of its "co-eds." "Co-education seems to be falling on parlous times. It may be that the feminine contingent, far from being grateful for the concession, are now no longer willing to be the "Co."

Charolles, a small town 30 miles from Mâcon, in France, has recently been visited by a shower of sulphur. The roofs, gardens, fields, vineyards, rivers and ponds were covered with a yellow dust, and for some time the peasants in the fields were troubled by a sulphurous blinding odor which made breathing difficult.

The manager of one of the Atlantic steamship lines is trying to do away with the rivalry among the lines and to arrange a schedule of sailing from the chief European ports which will give a daily service and insure to each company a fair share of business. He says the plan will be much more profitable than the present system. It looks as if it would be more satisfactory to passengers also, and seems a sensible arrangement.

The meanest kind of swindler has been operating to such an extent in Brooklyn lately that the detectives have been put on his trail. Police slang calls him a "craps puller." He reads the death notices in the newspapers, calls upon the family of the dead person, represents himself as a florist. The swindler usually manages to collect in advance. That's the last seen or heard of him and, of course, no flowers are delivered.

The Youth's Companion lately called attention to the kindness and courtesy of the princess of Wales on the occasion of having accidentally run over a dog. It is a pleasure to record a similar course of conduct on the part of the count of Turin, brother of the duke of the Abruzzi. His automobile wrecked a peasant's cart. The peasant wrote to him and called his attention to the fact that he had been on the wrong side of the street, and asked for \$20 to repair the damage. The count at once acknowledged his fault, apologized for it, and sent \$100 instead of \$20.

Prof. William Frear of the Pennsylvania State college discussed in Harrisburg the 83 kinds of breakfast foods that he recently tested for the government. "Most of them were very good," said Prof. Frear.

Now comes a distinguished law professor testifying that no book contains more or better material for the student of corporation law than the Bible. There have been finer and more comprehensive tributes to the greatest of all books than this, but it is interesting to see their number further increased.

American typewriting machines have only German competitors in Europe. At a recent display at Grenoble, France, they carried off all the honors. Their use is increasing every day abroad.

London rioting suffragettes are attracting attention and creating a sensation. But they are not convincing the judges of their qualifications to participate in orderly government. We are half persuaded, says the Pittsburg Dispatch, to go over to the Massachusetts.

NEWS OF NEBRASKA

ITEMS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE OVER THE STATE.

THE PRESS, PULPIT AND PUBLIC

What is Going On Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska.

A rear-end collision of Burlington freight trains a half mile east of Sutton Saturday morning caused the death of Fireman Charles F. Quick and the severe injury of brakeman Jacob Mohler. Twelve cars of freight were derailed and burned. One engine was demolished.

West bound freight train No. 73 backed to take a grade west of town and as the caboose neared a curve in a cut east of town an extra freight, coming at great speed, struck and plowed through five cars.

Fireman Quick, who was killed was on the engine of the extra. It was at first reported that a tank of oil had exploded and that this caused the fire, but the story was unfounded. The fire of the engine box and the stoves in the caboose are credited with the flames that destroyed the twelve cars and their contents. The loss will reach many thousands of dollars.

Closing Game of the Season. Nebraska's great football team will close its successful season of 1908 in a game with the famous Carlisle Indians at Lincoln, Wednesday, December 2. In meeting the Carlisle players, the Cornhuskers will go against one of the strongest football eleven in the United States. For years the red men have been rated among the best eleven in the east. Last year they defeated Harvard, West Point, Chicago, and Minnesota. This season they have won all but one game.

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A one-hundred-horsepower engine has been unloaded at Stromsburg for installment in the mill at that place.

The Rest Room society of Fairbury has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Mrs. Ed Cowles, president; Mrs. Ed Brown, vice-president; Mrs. L. A. Crabb, secretary; Mrs. Fred Shepherd, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Ward, vice-president of first ward; Mrs. Thad Shepherd, vice-president of second ward; Mrs. Josie Hatfield, vice-president third ward; Mrs. A. J. ...

Boy Killed at Funeral. The 12-year-old son of Mrs. Joseph Kell of Elgin was killed Monday at the funeral of Miss Anna Jasten. When the mourners left the church to get into their buggies a team ran away. The horses were steered into a fence. Young Kell, trying to get out of their way, was trapped against a post, where the horses mortally injured him with their hoofs. He died within half an hour. A few weeks ago the boy's father was kicked on the head by a horse and died on the train on which

NEBRASKA HAPPENINGS.

State News and Notes in Condensed Form.

A new government building is to be erected at McCook, to cost \$5,750. Ed Rector, of Orchard, shot a fine specimen of the American eagle.

The new municipal plant at Fremont will soon be completed. Considerable land is changing hands throughout the state.

Nelson boasts of an automobile driver who is only twelve years old. The new electric light plant at Genoa will soon be ready to do business.

Numerous new bridges are being built in the northern part of Colfax county.

A man from Sioux City will establish new marble and granite works at Callaway.

The open season for quail opened Sunday. It continues open until the first of December.

The home of James Peacock at Burdard had a narrow escape from destruction by fire.

A wife boater at Maxwell was run out of town. He was fortunate in getting away so easily.

Congressman Boyd announced his intention to return to the practice of the law at Neligh.

According to the government reports Nebraska ranks third as a corn producing state.

Many farmers throughout the state have already finished husking. With some it was a short job.

Quite a large number of farmers in Gardiner township, Buffalo county, are losing hogs from cholera.

Cornelius Samuelson, of Wayne county, husked and cribbed one hundred and five bushels of corn in eight hours.

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STATE LEGISLATURE

COMPLETE ROLL OF UPPER AND LOWER HOUSES.

THE POLITICS AND RESIDENCE

Complete Vote by Counties for Land and Railroad Commissioner—Two Offices Very Close.

Following is the completed roll of the senate and house in the Nebraska legislature:

Members of the Senate	
1. J. R. Cain, Humboldt.....Rep.	
2. T. J. Majors, Peru.....Rep.	
3. S. H. Buck, Berlin.....Rep.	
4. W. E. Banning, Plattsmouth.....Dem.	
5. Alex. Lavery, Ashland.....Rep.	
6. E. E. Howell, Omaha.....Dem.	
7. F. E. Banning, Plattsmouth.....Dem.	
8. J. M. Tanner, South Omaha.....Dem.	
9. O. R. Thompson, Wisner.....Rep.	
10. N. P. Fritzsche, South Omaha.....Dem.	
11. Fred Volpp, Scribner.....Dem.	
12. F. J. Henry, Schuyler.....Dem.	
13. J. A. Donohoe, O'Neill.....Dem.	
14. E. L. Lewis, Newport.....Rep.	
15. L. O. Over, Ord.....Rep.	
16. L. S. Deets, Kearney.....Dem.	
17. J. H. Burrman, Beatrice.....Dem.	
18. W. F. Fuller, Seward.....Dem.	
19. J. E. Miller, Lincoln.....Dem.	
20. J. C. O'Connell, Scott's Bluff.....Rep.	
21. Jacob Klein, Beatrice.....Dem.	
22. F. W. Bartos, Wilber.....Dem.	
23. C. A. Johnson, Chester.....Rep.	
24. Herman Diers, Gresham.....Dem.	
25. J. M. Cox, Hampton.....Rep.	
26. E. E. Steedman, Red Cloud.....Rep.	
27. G. W. Fibert, Hastings.....Rep.	
28. A. G. Warren, Holdrege.....Rep.	
29. J. C. Gammill, Stockville.....Rep.	
30. H. J. Johnson, York.....Rep.	

Members of the House	
1. R. A. Clark, Falls City.....Dem.	
2. A. D. Barclay, Bookwalter.....Rep.	
3. F. R. Kraus, Lincoln.....Rep.	
4. Fred Hector, Auburn.....Dem.	
5. T. S. Keen, Auburn.....Dem.	
6. C. W. Pool, Tecumseh.....Dem.	
7. G. W. Laidig, Nebraska City.....Dem.	
8. J. P. Stedman, Nebraska City.....Dem.	
9. C. E. Hayes, Louisville.....Rep.	
10. D. Smith, Elmwood.....Rep.	
11. M. A. Bates, Plattsmouth.....Dem.	
12. J. H. Boland, Omaha.....Dem.	
13. William Butt, Omaha.....Dem.	
14. J. H. Holmes, Omaha.....Dem.	
15. J. S. Shoemaker, Omaha.....Dem.	
16. W. P. Stocker, Omaha.....Dem.	
17. J. H. Schickel, Omaha.....Dem.	
18. H. D. Schoettger, Pontanelle.....Dem.	
19. Nels Johnson, Oakland.....Rep.	
20. F. Y. Griffin, Tekamah.....Rep.	
21. W. F. Macker, Fremont.....Rep.	
22. P. Lawrence, Fremont.....Dem.	
23. Charles Graf, Bancroft.....Rep.	
24. D. C. Peterson, Hubbard.....Rep.	
25. Adam Pilger, Stanton.....Dem.	
26. S. Saberson, Ponca.....Rep.	
27. J. H. Thoms, Randolph.....Rep.	
28. J. M. Talcott, Crofton.....Dem.	
29. J. George Fannon, Neligh.....Rep.	
30. J. H. Schickel, Seward.....Rep.	
31. J. J. Young, Madison.....Dem.	
32. James Greig, Genoa.....Dem.	
33. D. H. Kraus, South Omaha.....Dem.	
34. W. A. Rothsch, Schuyler.....Rep.	
35. F. L. Hadsell, Wahoo.....Rep.	
36. Frank Dostal, Lincoln.....Rep.	
37. Joseph Dostal, David City.....Dem.	
38. J. A. Ritchie, Seward.....Rep.	
39. J. H. Schickel, Seward.....Rep.	
40. Cyrus Black, Hickman.....Rep.	
41. E. W. Brown, Lincoln.....Rep.	
42. J. W. Brown, Lincoln.....Rep.	
43. C. E. Groves, Lincoln.....Dem.	
44. Fred Humphrey, Lincoln.....Dem.	
45. J. H. Hopodsky, Wilber.....Dem.	
46. B. H. Begole, Beatrice.....Rep.	
47. J. H. Schickel, Beatrice.....Rep.	
48. C. J. McCull, Beatrice.....Rep.	
49. O. E. Ellis, Beatrice.....Rep.	
50. F. E. Williams, Beatrice.....Rep.	
51. William Gruber, Hebron.....Dem.	
52. J. P. Thurston, Jansen.....Rep.	
53. A. Murphy, Exeter.....Dem.	
54. H. N. Swan, Fremont.....Dem.	
55. W. B. Baker, Benedict.....Rep.	
56. E. Taylor, York.....Rep.	
57. J. G. Boetta, Aurora City.....Dem.	
58. R. W. Boyd, Central.....Dem.	
59. J. H. Schickel, Seward.....Rep.	
60. D. M. Nettleton, Fairfield.....Rep.	
61. J. E. Broderick, Fairfield.....Dem.	
62. J. H. Schickel, Seward.....Rep.	
63. E. F. Raines, Red Cloud.....Rep.	
64. T. J. Cooperider, Hastings.....Rep.	
65. H. Johnson, Lincoln.....Rep.	
66. J. W. Sisk, Grand Island.....Dem.	
67. F. S. West, Grand Island.....Dem.	
68. E. H. Allen, Atkinson.....Dem.	
69. L. F. Fogarty, Greely.....Dem.	
70. H. R. Henry, O'Neill.....Dem.	
71. J. H. Schickel, Seward.....Rep.	
72. E. P. Skillman, Ainsworth.....Rep.	
73. J. F. Carr, Springview.....Dem.	
74. Missing.....	
75. B. Busche, Kimball.....Rep.	
76. S. J. Botta, Ord.....Dem.	
77. E. Miller, Seward.....Dem.	
78. E. A. Brown, Loup City.....Dem.	
79. G. W. Barrett, Shelton.....Rep.	
80. A. Armstrong, Elm Creek.....Rep.	
81. H. T. Worthing, Overton.....Dem.	
82. J. D. England, Axtell.....Dem.	

Total vote in the ninety counties:	
Sheldon.....	126,975
Shallenberg.....	127,960
Hopewell.....	127,500
Hickman.....	127,480
Junkin.....	127,480
Gatewood.....	127,480
Lorton.....	127,480
Price.....	127,010
Brian.....	127,010
Bishop.....	127,010
Abbott.....	127,010
Thompson.....	127,010
Fitchery.....	126,871
Cowles.....	126,850
Williamson.....	126,850
Willis.....	126,850
Cowgill.....	126,850
Totals.....	126,977,128,940,129,491

Final Figures on Hinshaw.	
York.....	289
Hinshaw, Gilbert.....	118
Gage.....	829
Seward.....	27
Sullivan.....	24
Jefferson.....	463
Saunders.....	173
Samson.....	72
Polk.....	73
Butler.....	907
Totals.....	1,821
Hinshaw's net majority.....	851.

NEBRASKA NOTES.

The county of Kimball has registered \$5,000 high school bonds, issued under the new high school law enacted by the last legislature. Kimball county is the first in the state to issue such bonds.

James Svitek, the 15-year-old son of Anton Svitek of David City, while attempting to mount a west bound Union Pacific freight at the stock yards, fell under the train and both legs were severed below the knees.

Majorities of congressmen-elect in Nebraska are as follows: First district, Maguire, 635; Second, Hitchcock, 2,575; Third, Latta, 1,967; Fourth, Hinshaw, 856; Fifth, Norris, 20; Sixth, Kinkaid, 2,584.

Governor-elect A. C. Shallenberg has said he will appoint Dr. W. M. Baxter of Prosser in the place of Superintendent Kern of the Hastings insane asylum, and will name N. C. Abbott of Tekamah superintendent of the institute for the blind at Nebraska City.

Be True to Your Own Ideals. I would rather live on the most desolate crag—shivering with all the warm wraps of falsehood stripped off—gazing after unfound truth than sit comfortably on humane inhabited spots, where others are warm in a faith which is true to them, but which is false to me.—F. W. Robertson.

Natural Growth of New York. After eliminating the immigrant increase to the population of New York City, it is growing annually 65,800 by natural accretion.

London's Population. The population of London, 6,549,000 standing shoulder to shoulder, would form a human wall 1,800 miles long; or put on a area of 0.7 square mile or on a square having sides of 0.84 of a mile.

Have Faith in Yourself. Without a robust belief in your ability to accomplish you never will accomplish. You must believe in yourself and not depend on other to drag you to the heights to success.

GAS MAIN EXPLODES PE-RU-NA AS A LAST RESORT

A STREET IN BROOKLYN UPHEAVES WITH BLAST.

MANY LIVES REPORTED LOST

Both Workmen and Pedestrians Are Drawn into the Deadly Cavity, and Buried Under Tons of Earth.

More than twenty persons are believed to have lost their lives as a result of the explosion of a gas main at Gold and Front streets, Brooklyn Friday.

Practically the whole street from Stopping between Gold and Front streets was tumbled into a fifty-foot excavation in which fifteen or more persons were working and several persons who were walking along the street are believed to have been carried down. It is believed that every person who went into the excavation was killed instantly and some others were drowned.

Fifty tenement houses on the block are in such danger of falling into the trench that the occupants have been ordered out by the police.

The most intense excitement prevails for blocks around the scene of the accident, and the streets are filled with walking women and children who have been unable to get any word from relatives who were known to be in the vicinity when the explosion came.

At least one woman and three little girls are said by the police to have been swallowed up in the cave-in which followed the explosion. Four of the men who were buried in the cave-in are reported to have escaped by crawling through a sewer which opens into the East river.

May Wind Up Night Riding. The big deal between the American Tobacco company and the Burley Tobacco society for the 1908 and part of the 1907 crops of tobacco, which has been hanging fire for several weeks, was closed late Thursday. The price agreed on in the transaction was said to be the largest of its kind ever put through, is an average of 20 1/2 cents for the 1906 crop and 17 cents per pound for the 1907 crop.

The deal involves nearly \$8,000,000 pounds of tobacco held in the pool by the Burley Tobacco society and an outlay of something like \$14,000,000 on the part of the American Tobacco company.

According to many who are in a position to know, the sale of the pooled crop will mark the end of night riding in central and eastern Kentucky, at least for the present.

Mrs. Gunness Alive, He Says. The state rested Friday in the trial of Ray Lamphere, accused of the murder of Mrs. Belle Gunness and her three children by setting fire to her house, after the defense had finished the cross-examination of Deputy Sheriff Antless. The deputy testified to admissions alleged to have been made by Lamphere following

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Advertising is an art. More and more advertisers are seeing the importance, not only of advertising, but of the way to do it. The great advertisers spend fortunes every year in this line alone. Spending so much money for advertising they have naturally set about to see how it could be done the most effectually. And they find that it pays well to set experts at work simply to write their advertisements. With a large salary in sight these experts have brought the work of advertising down to a science, the result being a marvelous change in the manner of advertising. Realizing the necessity of educating the average advertiser who could not afford to employ experts, in the art of advertising the Chicago Tribune employed the best talent obtainable to get up a series of ten articles for the special benefit of the patrons of its columns. These articles cost the Tribune \$30,000 and the paper found them worth the money. By a special deal with the publishers of the great daily the Quiz is able to give its patrons the benefit of these articles, which will appear from time to time in these columns. We hope that our business men will read them carefully and study them with a view of getting on the right track in the matter of advertising. The first number of the series appears this week and others will follow about one each week. Cut them out and file them away for future reference. They cost you nothing and they may be made to be of great value and service to you.

Now comes the question of tariff revision, and you may look for lively times in congress. The "interests" will be on hand with money and men to prevent the reduction of tariffs where revision would come close to home. You may look too, for these interests to join forces as to make a bold and unbroken front against all reduction that will harm any one in the bunch. A pretty good policy to pursue, we think, will be to cut pretty close on all items that the trusts may be concerned in. If too much tariff is taken off it can be put back much easier than removed. The fact, anyway, that trusts are demanding this or that protection ought to be a prima facie proof that reduction should be made.

Tom Johnson, mayor of Cleveland, claims to have lost \$7,500,000 in supporting the estate of a dead brother and fighting for his ideals in municipal affairs. This looks like another case of democratic buncombe. Johnson is altogether too happy over his loss and is rushing in print too freely on the subject to arouse any feeling of credence in the mind of The Quiz. When men rush into print to tell their financial failures unprovoked and to the utter surprise of the world there is usually some sinister motive behind it or a case of insanity to investigate.

We guess the people do rule. They said they did not want Bryan for president and Bryan is going to Texas. They said that they wanted Kaiser Wilhelm to quit talking so much and the Kaiser has promised to keep mum. They said that they did not want an obstructionist as czar in the lower house of congress, and Cannon has taken a tumble to himself and promises to help pass a revised tariff.

It is a good thing that Shallenberger did not break his neck instead of his leg in that tussle with the Masonic goat. Had that happened the lieutenant-governor-elect, who is a republican, would have had to become governor. That would have been bad. No one wants the democrats to have anyone to interfere with their free hand in legislative matters.

A new broom sweeps clean. If the people of Burwell can manage to have their local paper sold every few weeks they ought to have a pretty good paper to read most of the time. Let's have the tariff revised

so. Any kind of tinkering with the tariff that is not a true revision will be bad for all concerned, for the people will not stand for any monkeywork. The tariff ought to be revised radically in many spots and if it is not done by its friends the people will turn the job over to the enemies of the tariff, and then hades will be popping.

Bryan has already announced that if the people want him to, he will run for president again in 1912. Strange how bad habit clings to a fellow.

MORE LOCALS

Frank Norman was at St. Paul yesterday.

Best selection of fur coats and right prices at Frank Misko's. Come and see for yourself. 35 2t

Mrs. C. C. Robbins went to Hastings this morning to eat Thanksgiving dinner with her daughter.

Manager Vopat says that he expects the big Dickenson seed house to be in full operation by Christmas.

The Burwell Tribune and its editor both came down to Ord this morning to celebrate Thanksgiving.

The tin siding is going on the new seed house at a rapid rate. This ought to make quite a landmark of the building on sunny days.

The Methodist ladies had a big run of business last Saturday afternoon and evening. They report an income of nearly \$70.00.

Messrs. Will Noll, Dr. Miller, Frank Vopat, S. J. W. Brown and a few others whose names are not familiar to us were out hunting Saturday.

H. G. Dye has bought the Victor Neff property and is moving into the premises. He has already put up a barn and will keep on improving the premises as fast as possible.

Having sold my feed mill I have moved my produce business 1 1/2 blocks south of the First National Bank, where I will be prepared to meet all my old patrons and as many new ones as may find it convenient to call. Paying top cash prices for poultry, butter, eggs and cream. I remain, respectfully, O. P. Cromwell.

Everybody report a good time who attended the dance at the Ord opera house last week. Perhaps the most instructive feature of the entertainment was the leap year feature of the affair which required the girls to spend the money, at any rate, this was, without doubt, greatly enjoyed by the boys, although the young ladies are strangely silent on this part of the program.

Dr. Driver appeared at the Bohemian hall last Friday night as the second number of the lecture course. He talked long and well and had a big houseful of people before him, but this writer was sleepy that night and did not get as much enthused over his talks as he did on former occasions, or as much as he hoped to. But others thought this was the best talk ever.

Willis H. Firkins arrived in the city last night for a visit with relatives. For the past 13 years he has lived in Colorado, going there when a boy, but has grown to large proportions and looks well fed in spite of the fact that Colorado has not been enjoying good crops lately. He will knock around for a few weeks perhaps, but must go back to Colorado to prove up on his claim before long.

Small boys and matches proved to be too much Wednesday for the barn on R. N. Bee's farm. Olney Green and Helen and Clyde Hutchins were playing in the barn, and the boys, boylike, thought it would be fun to start a fire. They did so, and Helen ran to the house and told what they were doing, but too late as the building was a mass of flames. The barn was a total loss. Fred Green, the tenant, lost a lot of hay and a calf. No insurance on any of the stuff.—Loyalist.

On account of the sickness of both Mr. and Mrs. Evert Petty for a long time this fall his work was getting far behind. This appealed to the neighbors and friends who made a husking bee for him and Tuesday was the time set for the thing. Fourteen teams turned out and the crowd put in a good day at the work for the unfortunate young man. At night they had 40 acres of Petty's corn in the crib. It is needless to say that Mr. Petty appreciated the kindness of his friends. It was surely a great help to him. We are glad to note in this connection that Mr. Petty's health is improving and

About the Schoolhouse Bonds.

In this issue of the Quiz will be seen a notice calling for a special election to vote on the proposition for issuing bonds to the sum of \$40,000 to build a modern schoolhouse. The school board was instructed at a recent meeting of the citizens to make the amount \$42,000, but this the board decided not necessary, as they believe that \$40,000 will be ample to build and equip the building. That there should be another school building is admitted by all. We are unable now to house all the pupils properly. Part of the recitations have to be had in the basement, which is in no way a proper place, particularly as it cannot be heated, and is dark and unhealthy. To rent rooms is impossible. So the only thing to do is to build. Even if buildings could be rented it would take more next year than now, for the attendance is steadily growing.

There will be opposition to the voting of the bonds, of course, for such propositions never meet with universal favor.

The main objections to this proposition are two, so far as we have learned them: First the proposed location; second the cost of the proposed building.

People of the east side want a building over that way, which is natural. But where could a suitable location be bought over in that part of the city? Buildings stand on every block, which would have to be condemned and paid for at a high price. To buy the Haldeman block would be a costly proposition even were there not a fine residence and an opera house thereon now. No suitable block on this side of the canyon could be bought, we presume, for less than \$15,000, which would be out of the question. Of course people would not stand for putting the building on the other side of the canyon, so there you are. On the other hand the district now owns a most ideal block.

The other objection, that the price is too high is not well taken. If we put up a half way building now another will have to be built soon, which would mean the purchase of another site at the cost of say \$20,000 for the ground alone. Then the maintenance of three buildings would be a great deal more than one good building. Business sense dictates the building of a school house that will suffice for decades to come.

Mr. Mortensen went to Lincoln last week and learned that the state will accept bonds at par drawing only 4 1/2 per cent interest with the privilege of paying them as we want to along in this way we have to have no sinking fund. A slight levy each year will pay off a few thousand of the bonds and before we realize it the bonds will be paid and no one the worse off for it.

We want to say one word more on the idea of having a school house too close by. Two decades of experience along this line has proved to us long ago that it is far better to have the building several blocks away than one block. Get the notion out of your head that you want a school house in the next block. You will wish otherwise after you get one there.

Mrs. Clarence Jeffery was in the city Saturday, returning to her home at Burwell that evening.

Messrs. Simpson and Banks of Burwell passed through town yesterday morning en-route for Scotia.

Do all your quail hunting up right away, for your license to hunt them will expire next Monday.

The Womans Club will serve oysters at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Saturday afternoon and evening December 5, the object being to start a fund for a Y. M. C. A. building.

Fay Paist was in the city over Sunday on a visit with his brother and family. Fay has just been doing time at a hospital for appendicitis, submitting to an operation some few days ago and coming out all right in short order. He will return to his labors in a Loup City Bank this week.

For about two months work on the big seed house has been delayed on account of the failure of the big timbers to arrive though they had been shipped long ago. But this stuff arrived the other day and a large force of men are at work putting the building up now. In a few days they will make a big showing if their present rate is kept up.

Baptist Church

Sermon at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Children not attending other schools are most cordially invited to meet with us. Our superintendent will welcome you. B. Y. P. U. service at 6:30 p. m. No service in the evening. The

Carnegie Library for Ord.

What do you know about that? For some time John Work has had in mind the idea of getting a Carnegie contribution for a public library in Ord. Last summer he wrote to James Bertram, private secretary for Mr. Carnegie, asking what course to pursue and in reply he was informed that Mr. Carnegie was then in Europe and as soon as he returned he would take the matter up with the great philanthropist and advise Mr. Work further. The other day Mr. Work got another letter from Mr. Bertram saying that if Ord wishes to take hold of the matter to advise him what we are willing to do. The conditions required by Mr. Carnegie are that the city furnish a suitable site and agree to raise an amount each year equal to the per cent of the amount contributed by Mr. Carnegie.

This means that if Ord will furnish the site and agree to raise \$500 a year, for instance, for maintenance Mr. Carnegie will give \$5000. If we wish to make the amount of this contribution \$10,000 we will have to put up \$1000 a year. Probably \$500 will be ample, which is the smallest amount he will give. We hope that the public will take hold of this matter and push a good thing along.

Farm Loans.

We have plenty of money to loan on farms in this and adjoining counties, at low rates. See us if you need money.

Ord State Bank.

Frank Shaffer of Omaha who has been employed in these parts for sometime past returned home yesterday morning.

A. C. Whichman of the Farwell State Bank returned home Saturday morning after attending to some business affairs in the city.

Last Saturday Mrs. H. B. Kaiser tripped and fell, hurting her face and bruising herself otherwise, but the accident did not prove serious.

Wanted Her Man.

He had an air of benevolence and prosperity and was very nicely dressed, and, moreover, he had taken a first class ticket. But he was an old gentleman, and he had taken longer to reach the station than he expected. The train was on the move, so he jumped into the nearest carriage, a third.

Down he sat beside a little girl, and presently he observed that she was glancing uncomfortably at him and looking uneasy, and it dawned upon him that he was sitting on her newspaper.

"Here," he said, pulling the paper from under him and handing it to her. "I'm sorry." The little girl did not look quite satisfied, but she said nothing till, half an hour later, the train drew up at her station.

"Please, sir," she then inquired meekly, "may I have my fried fish? It came out of the paper, and you are sitting on it."—London Mail.

Assorting the Bunch.

"It's a great help to be able to size up the men you come in contact with," said a business man to his son, "but it's more important still that you should first know yourself. For instance, a noisy bunch tacked out of their club late one night and up the street. They stopped in front of a imposing residence. After considerable discussion one of them advanced and pounded on the door. A woman stuck her head out of a second story window and demanded, none too sweetly, 'What do you want?' 'Is this the residence of Mr. Smith?' inquired the man on the steps, with an elaborate bow. 'It is. What do you want?' 'Is it possible I have the honor speakin' to Missus Smith?' 'Yes. What do you want?' 'Dear Missus Smith! Good Missus Smith! Will you—hic—come down an' pick out Mr. Smith?' The rest of us want to go home."

He Was Noncommittal.

A Philadelphian who crosses the Atlantic several times each year happened during his last visit to London to be out on the street quite early one morning. He had noticed that the reflected light gave the sun the appearance of being in the west.

To a policeman he met the Quaker City man pointed out the place from which the sunlight seemed to stream. "Ah," said he jocularly, "so the sun rises in the west in London?"

"As to that, sir," replied the officer, with great dignity, "I really can't say."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The "Pivot" Age.

When is a man old? Is it a matter of looks or feeling or age or professional custom. Waiters, for instance, are held to be old at fifty. But at that period of life statesmen, barristers, actors, bishops and judges are accounted young. Athletes of all kinds are deemed old after forty or thereabouts. The board of trade regulations say that railway men and others are old for their work at sixty. Old age pension scheme makers consider sixty-five as the pivot age on which to hang their plans. The point is certainly a very debatable one. West

Thanksgiving PRICES

In order to make room for our big Holiday stock we have gone through our now immense stock and taken all the odds and ends out and put a big slaughter price on them. You will find special prices on different goods in every department

Fur Overcoats from \$9.00 and up	Ladies' [this year's style too] long black Kersey coats from \$6.50 UP
Sewing Machines, with a 10 year guarantee \$14.00 and up	Men's good arctic overshoes 98c

WE INVITE YOUR INSPECTION ON THE REST

Bring your butter, eggs, chickens and cream and get the highest prices

Yours for a thankful Thanksgiving
The Peoples Store
MAMIE SILER, Prop.

THE HONEY IN FLOWERS.

Pits and Pockets In Which It is Carefully Concealed.

Before "the bee sucks," as Ariel put it, he must find the wonderful places where the flowers hide away their honey, to be found like the priests' hiding holes in ancient mansions by the right sort of visitor, and to keep away all intruders. In the recesses of the crown imperial lily at the center can be seen six large honey pits, one on every floral leaf, and each is brimming over with a big drop of honey and glistening like a tear drop. Shake the flower and it "weeps" as the big drops fall from it, soon to be replaced by other tears in the rapidly secreting flower. The simple folk call the flower "Job's tears."

The snowdrop is literally flowing with honey, for in swollen veins traversing its fragile whiteness are rivers of nectar. The petals of the columbine are ingeniously and elaborately designed with a view to providing good places of hiding for the honey. Each is circular, hollow, shaped like a horn. In each the honey is secreted in a round knob at which would be the mouth-piece end of the horn, and the five are arranged in a ring side by side with the honey knobs aloft. Though the honey store is obvious from without, yet the insects who would sip it must creep into the flower and penetrate with a long nose up the curving horn to the knob.

Sometimes the petals are all joined together into a tube, and the sweet nectar simply exudes from the inner side of the wall and collects at the bottom. This is the case in the dead nettle, the tube of which forms so toothsome a morsel that some children call it "suckies." The honeysuckle is similarly planned, and its sweetness is so striking as to have furnished its name.

The monkshood has quaint nectaries. If the hood be drawn back there suddenly spring into sight two objects on long stalks which are sometimes like a French horn, sometimes like a cowl or, looked at sideways, not unlike a pair of doves. Their presence within the hood has provided the nicknames Adam and Eve and Noah's Ark. Thus the honey bags are carefully tucked away and protected.—Chicago Tribune.

Shut Him Up.

The owner of a few houses in one of London's poverty stricken streets had difficulty at times in getting his rents in or tenants out. One Monday morning he called at a house where the tenant was a bit behind and, as usual, had to swallow the old, old story of "only just started work." In the afternoon the property owner went to see a big cricket match between two prominent clubs, and who should he meet on the ground but his backward tenant.

"What's the meaning of this?" said the irate landlord. "You can't pay your rent, and yet you can afford to attend cricket matches." "I couldn't 'ave come at all," was the cool reply, "if I hadn't sold the back door for firewood."—London

THE CHINESE LILY.

A Pretty Fancy Is the Legend of Its Fairy Origin.

Once upon a time there lived in China two orphan brothers. The elder brother, not satisfied with having inherited the larger share of the parental estate, seized the most valuable part of the younger's, leaving him but a few acres of rocky, unfruitful soil.

The younger brother bore the greediness of the elder one until he was finally overcome with poverty and hunger. Then, in great despair, he threw himself upon the ground and lay there sobbing and bewailing his cruel fate.

Suddenly he heard a sweet voice calling his name. Opening his eyes, he saw a fairy bending over him, who bade him arise, saying: "Thy patience and forbearance have been noticed, and now great shall be thy reward. Thou shalt find riches and fame beneath the soil where thy head but a moment ago rested. To reach the treasure will be no easy task, but be patient and persevering. Rest not until thou hast found that which shall cause thee to be honored and loved for a thousand generations."

Then the fairy vanished, and the young man rubbed his eyes and looked about him. His rocky ground was still there, and he was jubilant with a newborn courage and hope. With resolute will he applied himself to the task of finding the buried treasure.

For many days he dug faithfully, and finally he found a flower bulb. Believing in the fairy's promise, he planted the bulb and nourished it until from it there grew a flower more delicately sweet and fair than had ever before been seen.

Hundreds of people came to see the new flower. Other bulbs sprang from its roots, and the young man's name and his bulb patch soon became famous. Riches and honor came to him because, strange as it may seem, the flower would not grow in any other part of China, and thousands came to buy from him.

He named his treasure the "Shuey Seen Fah," or flower of the water fairy, a name that it has ever since borne, though in common parlance it is known simply as the Chinese Lily.

Ord Church and Lodge Directory

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OHIO CHAPTER NO. 50 R. A. M. Convocation first Tuesday of each month. John C. Work, H. Rudolph Sorenson, Secretary.

MIZPAH CHAPTER ORDER OF EASTERN STAR, ORD LODGE NO. 56. Regular meetings first and third Fridays of each month.

Burlington Time Card.
East bound passenger leaves 6:45 a. m.
East bound freight leaves:
Monday and Wednesday (stock days) 11:45 a. m.
Tuesday and Thursday 6:30 a. m. (via Eriecon)
Friday and Saturday 9:10 a. m.
West bound freight arrives 8:25 p. m.
West bound freight arrives 11:50 a. m.

Union Pacific Time Table.
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Mixed from the east arrives 11:50 a. m.

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Striking an Average.
The kitchen were not allowed in the kitchen, but nobody had ever forbidden their sniffing outside the door to catch the delicious odors which could be obtained by a close application of a small nose to a crack.
"Why, Ethel," said Mrs. Harwood, who discovered them in the entry outside the kitchen door one Sunday morning, "why are you twitching Tommy and slapping him?"
"Cause he isn't playing fair, mother," said Ethel. "He's had five smells and I've only had four, and it's my turn."
"I am, too, playing fair," asserted Tommy, his utterance smothered as he again applied his nose to the crack. "I've got an awful cold, and I can't smell half as much as she can!"
FOR SALE—Three acres southern part of town—With house, barn, chicken coop, well, partly fenced, good sand pit. Will sell for \$1500, \$1000 cash.

THE ORD QUIZ

W. W. HASKELL, Editor and Owner.

ORD, VALLEY COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

Today is Thanksgiving.

Evert Petty was at North Loup Saturday.

Mr. George Rogers went to Beatrice Saturday.

D. L. Williams was at Burwell over night Friday.

Miss Ruth Squires was a passenger to North Loup Saturday.

Mr. Heffelfinger was up from Grand Island the latter part of last week.

The Union Pacific had a work train up these parts the latter part of last week.

Fern and Mace Travis were among the passengers to Grand Island Saturday morning.

Get some of those New York hand-picked apples at my residence. E. L. Collins. 34 2t

Henry Fales has opened a short order house on the east side in the old Beran property.

Mrs. J. V. Johnson returned Saturday evening from a few weeks stay in Omaha and Iowa.

E. C. Brink returned Saturday evening from a business trip to different points down the line.

Mrs. Sowers went to Lincoln Saturday morning, being called by the serious illness of her daughter.

F. W. Compton was up from Greeley the latter part of last week. He returned home Saturday morning.

Messrs. Oscar and Jim Nay were out hunting Friday afternoon. We suppose they had the usual success.

There was a large throng of people in the city last Saturday, in spite of the fact that it was a fine day for corn husking.

W. E. Chapin Sr. returned to his home at Lincoln Saturday morning, after visiting in this city with his son for a few days.

Rev. F. W. Benjamin is getting hold of the work at the Baptist church in fine style and is preaching good stuff. You ought to hear him.

George Frye of Grand Island was in the city the latter part of last week as a guest of the Lambertson family. He returned home Friday morning.

A. C. Johnson was perambulating our streets Saturday. He came to Ord the latter part of last week, but remained only over Sunday, returning to Aurora Monday morning.

The nice weather has aided the Catholic people in getting their church building started. The foundation was put in last week, which was the thing that particularly required fine weather.

Tuesday morning Miss Cosa Haskell went to Lincoln to visit in the neighborhood. She will of course visit her sister Winifred at Sterling, where the latter is teaching, and they will "do" University Place together.

Miss Hammerstrand, who has been in the city the past few weeks as the guest of her uncle, J. S. Collison, returned to her home in Illinois, Saturday. The young lady has made many friends while in the city and it was with real regret that these saw her depart.

A. W. Pierce is keeping up the reputation of his predecessor in the manner of making window displays. Perhaps the best thing in this line is the display that greeted the eyes of passers-by Tuesday morning. The display consisted of a spread fit for any Thanksgiving dinner with silverware and cut glass, for which the store is famous, prominently in evidence.

The business of the gas company has been steadily swelling for the past year, since it began giving good service. The result is that the holding capacity of the plant has at times been taxed since the days began to shorten. The producing ability is still more than ample, but to store enough to last over night when a heavy run was on has been at times a very hard thing to do. To meet this another large compression tank, like the one standing outside the building, was purchased and will be in use this week. This will relieve the management of all uneasiness as to the supply of gas. Anytime you wanted gas it has been there. (The one brief interruption being one Monday morning when the pressure went down due to a heavy run during the previous hours. This is what got the management busy resulting in the purchase of more storage capacity.)

Teachers' Attention

The Reading Circle program for the remainder of the school year of 1908 and 1909 is as follows. The county superintendent, local manager and the executive committee insist that you come thoroughly prepared, not only for the regular lesson assignment but also to take part in Round Table discussions. The discussions chosen for Round Table work emphasize the practical side. If you have been temporarily baffled by puzzling problems which have presented themselves between meetings, whether they are included under the topic announced or not, you will be given an opportunity to present them. It is the intention to make these meetings an uplift to you. From every standpoint the benefits of a Reading Circle should be mutual. It affords a forum for the interchange of ideas on every phase of pedagogy and school management. The plan this year is to develop a "Help one another Club." Determine that you will get more than value received from each meeting and go away stronger than when you came. If each individual teacher becomes fired with a lofty ideal of this kind, our meeting may be truly pronounced an unqualified success. The responsibility rests with you, fellow teachers. Make good. Consider yourself on the program each meeting to say something. The following is the program:

Second meeting, Saturday, December 5, 1908, 2 o'clock p. m. Chapters 7-9, Stella Morris. Chapters 10-12, Myrtle Milligan. Round Table. Topic: "The School Board Problem." Five points of diplomacy required in solving.

Third meeting, Saturday, January 2, 1909, 2 o'clock p. m. Chapter 13-15, Mabel Moore. Chapter 16-18, Edwin Ward. Round Table. Topic: How to make yourself solid with your district socially. Devices you use.

Fourth meeting, Saturday, February 6, 1909, 2 o'clock p. m. Chapters 19-21, Mate Moore. Chapters 22-24, Muriel Firkins. Round Table. Topic: Library Fund. How secured, experiences, observations, original plan.

Fifth meeting, Saturday, March 6, 1909, 2 o'clock p. m. Chapters 25-28, Lelia Morman. Chapters 29-32, Grace Work. Round Table. Topics: Text book inspection. Nature? How often? Penalties? Effect. Opening Exercises. How made interesting.

Sixth Meeting, Saturday, April 3, 1909, 2 o'clock p. m. Chapters 33-34, Archie Coombs. Review of years work conducted by William Hoffman, local manager. Round Table. Devices for encouraging home reading. Traveling libraries, points pro and con.

(Cut out the above program and pin it in the index of your book.)

Respectfully submitted, Executive committee. Nellie Aldrich, chairman. Stella Morris, G. R. Mann.

Last Sunday morning Dr. Morris Bamford of the Methodist church and Rev. W. N. Halsey of the Presbyterian church played a joke on their audiences by swapping pulpits without warning. We happened to be at the Methodist church and can say that unless Dr. Bamford did mighty well the Presbyterians got the worst of the bargain in this trade. We rather like this kind of a joke sprung once in a while. It breaks the monotony and gives the preachers a chance to preach to new constituencies. Another thing that we think would be a good thing along this line is that the preacher's wives ought to swap pews with each other once in a while. They ought to be permitted to hear someone except their husbands preach occasionally and this would give them the opportunity for doing so. Both these things tend to bring the churches closer together, which is a thing devoutly to be wished.

Sunday, November 29 has been suggested as World's Temperance Sunday in the Sunday schools of the United States. The Presbyterian Sunday school plans to observe this occasion with a short exercise. The class work will occupy the time from 10 till 10:30 a. m. From 10:30 till 11 o'clock the special exercise will be held which will consist of music, responsive readings and a short address on some live temperance topic. The public is cordially invited to attend this exercise.

The Misses Azelia Seerley and Musa Lambertson were among the passengers to Burwell, Saturday evening, where they went to attend a musical given by Miss Arnold's students of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hunter left Wednesday morning for Montana, where Guy has recently purchased land, and there they will make their future home. We are wishing them success in their new home.

Coroner's Jury's Verdict

There is little new in the George Pierce case since the publication of the facts last week. The jury heard the train men last Thursday night, but they learned but little from them. These said that they were not eating their breakfast on the train, that they did not see the man or his velocipede, that they remembered hearing something unusual but did not know what they had struck, that they did not know of their killing anyone until they got to Greeley.

The whereabouts of Mr. Pierce during the night are not learned for no one who knew was willing to tell. This looks suspicious, for someone or more must know where he spent the night.

Following is the verdict of the jury:

At an inquest holden at Ord in Valley County, Nebraska, on this 18, 19 and 20 days of November A. D. 1908 before me, C. A. Bundy, coroner of said county upon the body of George W. Pierce lydead before the jurors whose names are here unto subscribed the said jurors upon their oath do say that said George W. Pierce came to his death on the morning of November 18, 1908 by being struck by locomotive engine 13 attached to passenger train, number 54 of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway Company between the hours of 6 and 8 o'clock A. M. in that day between Ord, Nebraska and Spels Siding, Valley county, Nebraska. We further find that said George W. Pierce came to his death while riding a railroad tricycle on said company's right of way at the time and place above named. In testimony whereof we have signed our names this November 20, 1908.

H. Gudmundsen.
John H. Luke.
S. A. Stacy.
Fred J. Bell.
W. T. Keith.
D. B. Hurt.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 20th of November, 1908. C. D. Bundy, Coroner.

Kind providence or some other means has sent to the city a first class printer who arrived about in time fill the gap caused by the uncerimonious departure of W. C. Parsons. The new printer who will be responsible for job, advertising and general mechanical department of the Quiz is Mr. Oscar L. Nay, late foreman of the Cheyenne, Wyo., Daily Leader, which job he quit for the strenuousness of night work was too much for him. He has been for 14 years a printer though he is a young man yet and has been most of the time in large offices. He had two years experience in the government printing service in the Philippines where he was foreman of one department. We congratulate ourselves on getting so good a man with so little hunting.

Having bought the Ord Exchange Mills I wish to say to the public that I will handle all kinds of feed and plenty of it at all times, I shall endeavor to merit your patronage by doing a square business and selling stuff at lowest possible prices.

George Pratt.

Thanksgiving service at the Elyria Baptist church Thursday evening, consisting of a praise service and a short sermon. Everyone invited to attend. Services as usual next Sunday.

News comes from Lincoln that a son is born to Prof. and Mrs. Paul Goss, formerly of our schools. This is the only son and they say the father is very proud of him.

Mr. Hamlin of Julsberg, Colorado, returned home Friday of last week after looking over the country and visiting his acquaintances in these parts.

Will Detweiler was in the city the latter part of last week. He returned to his home at Grand Island Saturday morning.

Jim Bradt started for Dakota Saturday morning.

Will Test Your Cattle

My dear Sir:—

Knowing that you are interested in the tuberculosis campaign, we wish to state that we are now in a position to test herds of cattle free of charge. We have been fortunate enough to secure some assistance from the government, the Bureau of Animal Industry having stationed two veterinarians with the Department of Animal Pathology to co-operate with us in this work. Therefore, any dairyman or farmer wishing to have his dairy or breeding stock tested should send in his name and address to the Department of Animal Pathology, Nebraska Agricultural Experiment Station, Lincoln, Nebraska, and state how many head he wants tested.

Hoping that you can give this space in your valuable paper and thereby draw attention to the importance of this work, I remain, Yours very truly,

A. T. Peters.

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The Baileys Department Store

ORD'S BIGGEST, BUSIEST AND BEST TRADING PLACE

Best selection of first class fur coats and right prices, at Frank Misko's. Come and, see for yourself.

J. S. Collison was a passenger to Stromsburg Friday morning.

George Pratt has bought the Oliver Cromwell feed mill and is now in charge. Oliver will build another place suitable for the produce business on the lot adjacent to his residence and confine his attention solely to that branch of the business. This will enable him to have a place just suited to his business and as his time will not be divided with the grinding business he can of course give his customers better attention. On the other hand George Pratt will push the feed business to the limit and will let the people know that he is on the earth.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Packard of Courtland, Nebraska, and their daughter, Mrs. G. R. Price of the same place, arrived in the country last week Thursday on a visit with the Walkers. Mrs. Frank Walker is also a daughter of the Packards. They all returned home Tuesday morning. Mr. Packard says that the corn down his way will not average over 20 bushels per acre, while corn in Valley county beats anything he has seen in the state this year.

The Methodist ladies fed a lot of people last Saturday afternoon and evening, and of course they pocketed a lot of money. The ladies have undertaken to meet the expenses of the church in certain departments, hence they are working these supper events, occasionally. But it is as Mr. Hamilton of South Omaha said, who was at the dinner Saturday, these ladies give more than the money's worth.

There will be union services at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30 under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Rev. Benjamin of the Baptist church will preach and there will be special music by a union choir. By order of the vice president, Mrs. Chas. J. Nelson.

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Mrs. Howard, a cousin of the Hagers, who has been visiting here for the past few weeks, started on her way home to Albert Lea, Minn., Tuesday morning. She will however stop off at York for a visit with relatives there for a few days. On this part of her journey she was accompanied by Mrs. Hager and Lucile, who will visit there for the balance of the week.

A few of the young fellows of the city have organized a new band under the leadership of Mr. Shoenthal. It was the writer's good fortune to listen to a rehearsal of the new organization the other evening, and if noise has any thing to do with it we can heartily recommend them.

Best selection of first class fur coats and right prices at Frank Misko's. Come and see for yourself.

Open face fancy gold dial, black hands, black figures, high grade nickel movement.

The Ord Roller Mills still give 100 pounds of flour for three bushels of good wheat. Quite a saving to you farmers, even if you buy the wheat. We solicit your trade. 21-4f.

A card from Miss Emma Vandas states that she is recovering from her attack of typhoid fever. She has been sick at Cleveland, Ohio, for some weeks.

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\$11.00

Ask to see them

Fred Bell has sold his automobile to Frank Money. The deal was made Saturday.

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THE JEWELER

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THE AMERICAN HOME

Wm. A. Radford
EDITOR

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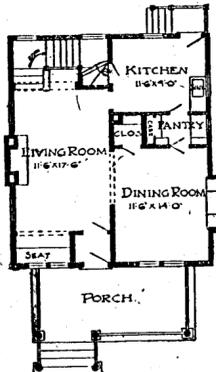
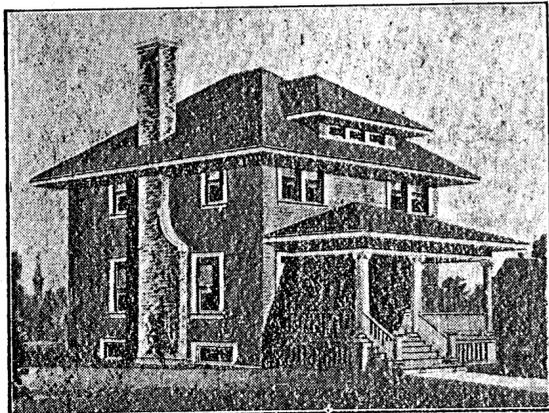
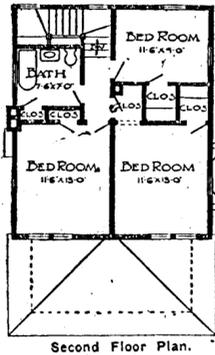
The study of stairways and the proper placing of them in dwelling houses is responsible for more suicides among architects than any other feature of the business.

Ever since two-story houses were first built stairs have occupied prominent positions, usually in front in full view of the street door, where floor space is more valuable than in any other part of the house. The front stair not only takes up valuable space on both floors but it often spoils the living room or parlor down stairs and curtains two of the best bedrooms upstairs. On the other hand, the stairway in this plan not only fills a new-felt want, but it fills the neighbors with envy and the contractor with malice because the workmanship must be so exact to please the new owner that he can never get out of it with a profit.

This stairway is a new invention which seems to overcome many difficulties. It occupies the least valuable corner in the house, which is right, because nobody stays in the stairway any longer than they can help. You sit in a dining room long enough to enjoy a good meal, you lounge in the

custom and I also recognize the fact that all changes are not improvements. But I have never heard anybody give a satisfactory reason for planting a stairway in the best part of the house. Before selecting your house plan think this over.

A great many of these square built houses with square hip roofs, cottage roofs they used to be called when I was a boy, are being built all over the country. It seems a sensible way to build a house. From the foundation to the comb of the roof it is symmetrical and it is sensible. It is characteristic of good, thrifty American ideas. It is a plan that suggests comfort and



living room until necessarily drives you to bed, and you stay in a nice front bedroom all night and part of the morning if the boss don't object, all of which goes to show the necessity and importance of dedicating the best and most valuable house space to the greatest possible service and comfort. I realize at once that it is very difficult to change an old established

stability, and it probably provides more of both than most plans.

The size of this house is 26 feet in width by 28 feet six inches in length; rather small, some builders would say, for six rooms, but after looking the plan over most people will agree that the rooms are large enough and that they are airy, well lighted, easily heated and properly connected with each other. When you have said this you have encompassed the most essential features of a good residence.

A great many houses of this design are being built of cement. Sometimes a wooden frame is erected in the usual way and an outside coating of cement used instead of wooden siding. The cement coating is plastered into expanded metal lath, or common wooden lath furred out with inch strips placed a foot apart to give the cement a solid backing with plenty of clinch room. Men accustomed to making cement have learned how to put it on so it will be permanent. They have learned how to avoid cracks and other defects of former work of this kind.

In regard to colors a brown body with white trimmings looks well. The white trimmings give it the effect of cleanliness inside as though it had a white lining. Some people prefer a reddish tinge because it makes the building look warm, it offers a sort of warm welcome as you approach the house from the street.

DECIDES TO ADMIT WOMEN.

English College of Physicians and Surgeons Takes Advance Step.

There is much joy in the ranks of women doctors and students in England at the decision of the Royal College of Surgeons to open its doors to women. The Royal College of Physicians recently came to a similar decision, and before long, when the necessary regulations have been made, it will be open to women to take the degrees of "M. R. C. S." and "L. R. C. P.," while they will also be able to attain the higher degree of Fellow. The London Express quotes a woman physician on the new order of things: "So far as I am aware, every other body in the British Isles which gives medical degrees has already admitted women. Although the College of Physicians and the College of Surgeons have refused us admission, women have been able to take their degrees elsewhere, and to practice as surgeons or physicians without troubling about these bodies. But women felt that it was unjust that they should be held at arm's length by these colleges, as a good deal of respect is paid to their degrees, and we are pleased that the colleges have at last given way."

Cheer of Famous Tenor.

And, has got the tenor, was born in Cassel, France. He was originally connected with a banking firm in Cassel, but studied music in Berlin, Milan and Vienna, and made his first appearance in 1887 in Bremen as the Pilot in "The Flying Dutchman."

Japanese Like Condensed Milk.

Condensed milk imports in Japan are increasing enormously, rising from a value of \$320,000 in 1901 to \$1,931,000 in 1907. The United States supplies 58 per cent., Great Britain 15 per cent. and Switzerland 13 per

THEY WANTED THE DISCOUNT.

Even If It Was Only a Quarter of One Per Cent.

"It is funny how a trifling discount for cash will sometimes work," relates a sales manager in System. "I had a customer in Chicago—one of the big railroaders. They hadn't been very prompt paying their bills with us. 'The man that had them before I did was selling them net 30 days. He would wait 30 or 40 days and then have to dig for his money down through the departments, tracing it up and getting a voucher through.' 'I resolved I wouldn't have similar trouble with them. The first order I sold them something was said about discount for cash.' 'Certainly,' I answered, 'quarter of one per cent. off for pay in ten days.' 'They took it. The first month they sent the check 12 or 15 days after the delivery of the goods. We sent it back. After that the check always came before the ten days were up—sometimes the eighth or ninth, but never after the tenth.' 'They were keen after that little quarter of one per cent. all right—and it was that odd fraction that caught them. I hadn't any authority to name discount, but when they asked I figured out quick that it wouldn't pay to offer two per cent. or even one per cent. They would think we wanted the money too bad. So I made a stab at the one-quarter per cent. and won.'"

American Given High Honor.

Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, neurologist, poet, essayist and novelist, has been elected to a foreign fellowship in the Royal Society of England. The election is one of the choicest distinctions to which a scientist can aspire, and it has come to only three other Americans now living, Alexander Agassiz, naturalist, and George W. Hill and S. P. Henshaw.

Oyster and Egg Omelet.

A variety of oyster omelet is scrambled eggs and oysters. Scramble eight eggs, or as many as desired, in a chafing dish with plenty of butter and a little cream. Before the eggs are done add the oysters, which have been well drained. Season with salt, pepper, black and red, and a little chopped parsley. Cook until the edges of the

FOR STUFFED EGG PLANT.

Delicacy Easy to Place on Table if Directions Are Followed.

Cut a good-sized egg plant into six parts so that the peel remains intact on one side. Make four incisions inside of each piece and fry them for one minute in boiling fat; dig out the fleshy part of the egg plant with potato scoop and fill it with any forcemeat at hand. Sprinkle the top with bread crumbs and a little clarified butter, brown well in the oven for ten minutes and serve.

Nothing is more delicious than this vegetable dish if properly cooked. A plain American forcemeat will do nicely for the egg plant.

American Forcemeat.—Place on the fire in a saucepan, for five minutes, two very finely chopped onions with an ounce of butter. Soak in water 15 minutes the crumbs of a loaf of bread; press out all the water, either with the hands or through a cloth; put the crumbs in a bowl with three whole raw eggs, a tablespoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of pepper, a tablespoonful of sage, large half teaspoonful of nutmeg, three skinned sausages and pinch of chopped parsley. Add the cooked onions and mix well together. Use the forcemeat for the egg plant.

COOKING HINTS.

When making omelets allow one tablespoonful of cream or hot water for each egg.

One cupful of sugar will sweeten one quart of any mixture which is to be served cold or frozen.

After cooking cabbage add to it, just before serving, one small half cupful of thick, sour cream. This is much better than vinegar.

To keep icing for cake from becoming "sugary," add one teaspoonful of vinegar.

New sweet potatoes will not be so hard and dry if rubbed with butter before baking.

The flavoring of shrimps is improved if boiling water is poured over them a short time before they are served. It must be drained before they are served.

When the white of an egg is beaten to a froth and added to the cream it will whip more quickly and easily.

To cut cheese smoothly, fold paraffin paper over the knife blade.

Scrap Apple Butter.

When making apple or crab jelly make apple butter of the pulp left after straining. First press it through a coarse sieve; a colander will do if the fruit has been cored previously. To four quarts of pulp use one quart of boiled cider, the kind you buy. Add two pounds (three large cups) of brown sugar and the same amount of granulated. Flavor cautiously with ground cloves and cinnamon; a quarter teaspoonful of cloves and three teaspoonfuls of cinnamon will suit the average taste. Bring the mixture to the boiling point and simmer gently half an hour, stirring frequently with a flat paddle to scrape the bottom; or, finish cooking in your hay stove. It does not require airtight sealing.

Pepper Catsup.

Take four dozen red peppers, and cut into small pieces. Grate two roots of horseradish and six good sized onions; add two tablespoonfuls of celery seed, two of mustard seed and one of salt. Put all the ingredients into a granite kettle, add vinegar and water. Let boil for ten minutes, then stir in one pound of brown sugar and let boil for one hour. Thin with a pint of vinegar before removing from the fire. An asbestos mat should be placed under the kettle. Otherwise the catsup requires frequent stirring. Always use a granite or wooden spoon. Let cool before bottling.

Cucumber Chiles.

Twelve large, ripe cucumbers, two quarts onions, one cup salt, two ounces white mustard seeds, two green peppers, one red pepper, one tablespoonful ground black pepper, vinegar to cover.

Pare and remove seeds from cucumbers, chop fine, sprinkle with salt; let stand 24 hours. Drain, add the onions and peppers, chopped fine, and the other ingredients. Cover with vinegar. Put in strip of horseradish in each jar.

An Alcohol Iron.

A tiny alcohol iron for pressing small articles—handkerchiefs, collars and ties—comes in a nickel case with a lamp and stand, that together are hardly larger than the palm of your hand. The iron is of polished nickel and has a handle covered with straw, so that no holder is required. It is convenient to use when neither gas nor electricity is handy, and the size and compactness of the whole thing makes it a most useful part of the traveling outfit.

Onion Custard Pie.

Take two large sized onions and boil until tender; after they are done, pour off the water and mince fine; add one large cup of milk, one egg well beaten, a little minced parsley, a dash of nutmeg, a little butter (melted) about the size of a walnut; line a deep pie plate with a rich pie crust, put in your custard and bake the same as any custard pie. Delicious to serve hot or cold as preferred. Salt and pepper to suit the taste.

Heavenly Hash.

One box of gelatine dissolved in one cupful of pineapple juice. Add juice of two lemons, two cupfuls of sugar and one cupful of boiling water. Stir till dissolved, then set away to cool. Cut one cupful of pineapple into small bits; also cut three dozen newly dried prunes into small pieces, and about two dozen walnuts chopped fine. Stir this well through the jelly when cold and set over night to harden. Serve with whipped cream.

NEW LIFE

Found in Charge to Right Food.

After one suffers from acid dyspepsia, sour stomach, for months and then finds the remedy is in getting the right kind of food it is something to speak out about.

A N. Y. lady and her young son had such an experience and she wants others to know how to get relief. She writes:

"For about fifteen months my little boy and myself had suffered with sour stomach. We were unable to retain much of anything we ate.

"After suffering in this way for so long I decided to consult a specialist in stomach diseases. Instead of prescribing drugs, he put us both on Grape-Nuts and we began to improve immediately.

"It was the key to a new life. I found we had been eating too much heavy food which we could not digest. In a few weeks after commencing Grape-Nuts I was able to do my housework. I wake in the morning with a clear head and feel rested and have no sour stomach. My boy sleeps well and wakes with a laugh.

"We have regained our lost weight and continue to eat Grape-Nuts for both the morning and evening meals. We are well and happy and owe it to Grape-Nuts." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

ONE KIDNEY GONE

But Cured After Doctors Said There Was No Hope.

Sylvanus O. Verrill, Milford, Me., says: "Five years ago a bad injury paralyzed me and affected my kidneys. My back hurt me terribly, and the urine was badly disordered. Doctors said my right kidney was practically dead. They said I could never walk again. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. One box made me stronger and freer from pain. I kept on using them and in three months was able to get out on crutches, and the kidney was acting better. I improved rapidly, discarded the crutches and to the wonder of my friends was soon completely cured."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



Old Gent—Are you not ashamed to stand there listening to such awful language?
The Boy—Oh course I ain't. I'm a golf caddy.

NO SKIN LEFT ON BODY.
For Six Months Baby Was Expected to Die with Eczema—Now Well—Doctor Said to Use Cuticura.

"Six months after birth my little girl broke out with eczema and I had two doctors in attendance. There was not a particle of skin left on her body, the blood oozed out just anywhere, and we had to wrap her in silk and carry her on a pillow for ten weeks. She was the most terrible sight I ever saw, and for six months I looked for her to die. I used every known remedy to alleviate her suffering, for it was terrible to witness. Dr. C. recommended the Cuticura Remedies. She will soon be three years old and has never had a sign of the dread trouble since. We used about eight cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment. James J. Smith, Durmid, Va., Oct. 14 and 22, 1906."

Edith's small friends were helping her celebrate her sixth birthday, and one embryo Prince Charming had been so devoted that seven-year-old Gladys slyly whispered to Edith's mamma that "Edith has got a bean." Mamma, who wasn't so very aged herself, felt that the role of chaperon was being prematurely thrust upon her, and explained to Gladys that small girls had little boy friends, not beans. Gladys was not to be daunted, however.

"But I have a bean," she announced "at least I had one, but he's married now. Just think, he promised faithfully to wait for me, and then he went off and married some one else. And now, with profound and tragic conviction, 'I'll never believe another man as long as I live.'"

Not Always What They Seem.
Prof. and Mrs. Hadley were on a train bound for New York, where Yale's president was to speak before a national convention. He made use of the hour and 20 minutes he spent in the train by rehearsing his speech in a low voice, using his hands to emphasize certain passages.

A kindly matron who was sitting directly behind Mr. and Mrs. Hadley, and who had been watching and listening, leaned forward and, tapping Mrs. Hadley on the shoulder, said, feelingly: "You have my sincere sympathy, my poor woman; I have one just like him at home."—Success.

Always Exciting.
"I visited E. R. Thomas and found him doing well after his motor accident," said a member of the Automobile Club of America. "Thomas, as usual, railed against our bad roads. 'He said that a friend who lived in the country had been in to see him. 'The country is all right in the summer,' Thomas admitted, 'but in the fall and winter don't you find it dull?' 'Dull?' said the other. 'No, indeed. Why, out our way some motor car or other gets stuck in the mud every night.'—Philadelphia Bulletin.

She—John, dear, the doctor says I need a change of climate.
Her Husband—All right, the weather man says it will be colder tomorrow.

With a smooth iron and Defiance Starch, you can launder your shirtwaist just as well at home as the steam laundry can; it will have the proper stiffness and finish, there will be less wear and tear of the goods, and it will be a positive pleasure to use a Starch that does not stick to the iron.

How Rows Begin.
"Hubby, I dreamed last night that you didn't love me."
"How foolish you are."
"Foolish, am I? As if I could help what I dream about!"
And the fight was on.

We must never judge of the quality of teaching by the quality of the teacher, or allow the spots to shut out the sun.—Lord Acton.

Pettit's Eye Salve for 25c.
Relieves tired, congested, inflamed and sore eyes, quickly stops eye aches. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Even the pessimist has his use in the world. He causes lots of people to be glad they are not in his class.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. Six to twelve drops.

Foot Ache—Use Allen's Foot-Powder.
Over 30,000 testimonials. Refuse imitations. Send for free trial package. A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Time isn't money, yet people are always spending it.

Color more goods brighter and truer colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors all fibers. They dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can dye without boiling. Refuse imitations. Write for free trial package. A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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DOWN MISSOURI WAY.

CANADA'S RESPECT FOR LAW AND ORDER THE SUBJECT FOR FAVORABLE COMMENT.

Those who have visited Canada are always impressed with the strict observance that is given to the laws of the country, and the order that is preserved everywhere. The editor of the Gazette, of Fulton, Nev., recently paid a visit to Western Canada. He was so impressed with the conditions that he saw everywhere, that on his return home he was inspired to write as follows: "Reverence and respect for law is a dominant characteristic of the Canadian people. Wherever one goes in Canada, whether east or west, the law is supreme. The law is obeyed because it is law, seemingly, and not because violation carries a penalty. Canada enforces the law and makes every law effective. No country is more free than Canada. In name Canada is a dependency of the British Crown. In fact, it is almost a third republic. All its taxes are voted, collected and expended by the Dominion and the provinces. The nominal head of the Government is the Governor General, appointed by the English Crown. Practically his only authority is to veto the acts of parliament, which he scarcely ever exercises. Canada gives nothing to the support of the English government or the English king. She gives England the advantage in trade regulations and tariff laws, and in return receives the protection of the British army and navy. Canada enjoys the protection without sharing in the expense.

"The sale of liquor is strictly regulated. None but hotel-keepers may obtain license to vend the stuff, and before a license can be secured an applicant must prove good character and provide twenty rooms in his tavern for the accommodation of guests. The bar-rooms close at 7 o'clock Saturday evening and remain closed until Monday morning. The schools and churches in Western Canada excite admiration. Though new, Western Canada is not godless. The finest buildings in every town are the churches. Next come the school houses."

Turning to the wheat fields of Western Canada, the editor of the Laurel (Neb.) Advocate of Sept. 17th says: "I have often thought that the reason that the characters of Charles Dickens are so impressed upon the minds of his readers is because he dwells upon them so long and describes them so minutely that by the time one has waded through his long drawn out stories they are so burned into his brain that he can never forget them. It was this way with the Canadian wheat fields. Had we only seen a few the memory of them might have worn away in time, but a long drawn out experience such as we had is sure to leave an uneffaceable impression. Never while we live shall we forget the Canadian wheat fields. They call it the granary of the British Empire, and we don't blame 'em. Nobody who has seen these wheat fields can wonder at their enthusiasm."

It is worth while to record that these fields have now been harvested, and in many cases yields as high as forty and fifty bushels per acre have been marketed, while the general average has been away above 20 bushels per acre. Oats and barley have also done well, and the profits, the prices of grains being high, have paid the entire cost of the farms of many a farmer. There is now 160 acres of land given away, in addition to the 160, acres that the homesteader may purchase at \$3.00 an acre. Particulars of this as well as the lowest railway rates will be given by the Canadian Government Agent.

THE REAL PLACE.
First Amateur Fisherman—Where is really the best place to get the best trout?
Second Ditto (confidentially)—In any first-class fish market.—Baltimore American.

WE SELL GUNS AND TRAPS CHEAP & buy Furs & Hides. Write for catalog 105. N. W. Hyde & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

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LEWIS' "SINGLE BINDER."

A hand-made cigar fresh from the table, wrapped in foil, thus keeping fresh until smoked, is the ideal made of good tobacco is the ideal smoke. The old, well cured tobacco used are so rich in quality that many who formerly smoked 10c cigars now smoke Lewis' Single Binder costs the dealer some more than other 5c cigars, but the higher price enables this factory to use extra quality tobacco. There are many imitations; don't be fooled. There is no substitute! Tell the dealer you want a Lewis' Single Binder.

An Intelligent Child.
A small boy was playing with the scissors, and his kindly old grandmother chided him.

"You mustn't play with the scissors, dear. I know a little boy like you who was playing with a pair of scissors just like that pair, and he put them in his eye and put his eye out, and he could never see anything after that."

The child listened patiently, and said, when she got through the narrative: "What was the matter with his other eye?"—Bystander.

MIX FOR RHEUMATISM
The following is a never failing remedy for rheumatism, and if followed up it will effect a complete cure of the very worst cases: "Mix one-half pint of good whiskey with one ounce of Tonic Compound and add one ounce of Syrup Sarsaparilla Compound. Take in tablespoonful doses before each meal and at bedtime." The ingredients can be procured at any drug store and easily mixed at home.

The Horological Revenge.
They were looking over their wedding presents. He pointed to a small bronze clock. "Seems to me," he said, "that I have seen that before."

"You have," she returned serenely. "You gave it to my first husband and me for a wedding present. When we divided the things after the divorce he kept the clock, and now he is sending it back to us."

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

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The Perambulating Showcase

By Herbert Kaufman.

The newspaper is a huge shop window, carried about the city and delivered daily into hundreds of thousands of homes, to be examined at the leisure of the reader. This shop window is unlike the actual plate glass showcase only in one respect—it makes display of descriptions instead of articles.

You have often been impressed by the difference between the decorations of two window-trimmers, each of whom employed the same materials for his work. The one drew your attention and held it by the grace and cleverness and art manifested in his display. The other realized so little of the possibilities in the materials placed at his disposal that unless some one called your attention to his bungling you would have gone on unconscious of its existence.

An advertiser must know that he gets his results in accordance with the skill exercised in preparing his verbal displays. He must make people stop and pause. His copy has to stand out.

He must not only make a show of things that are attractive to the eye but are attractive to the people's needs as well.

The window-trimmer must not make the mistake of thinking that the showiest stocks are the most salable. The advertiser must not make the mistake of thinking that the showiest words are the most clinching.

Windows are too few in number to be used with indiscretion. The good merchant puts those goods back of his plate glass which nine people out of ten will want after they have seen them.

The good advertiser tells about goods which nine readers out of ten will buy if they can be convinced.

Newspaper space itself is only the window, just as the showcase is but a frame for merchandise pictures. A window on a crowded street, in the best neighborhood, where prosperous persons pass continually, is more desirable than one in a cheap, sparsely settled neighborhood. An advertisement in a newspaper with the most readers and the most prosperous ones possesses a great advantage over the same copy in a medium circulating among persons who possess less means. It would be foolish for a shop to build its windows in the alleyway—and just as much so to put its advertising into newspapers which are distributed among "alley-dwellers."

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SALE

At Frank Money's Livery Barn

Having purchased an automobile with which I will do part of my livery business and thus having more horses, buggies, etc., than necessary I will offer at public auction on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28
Commencing at 2 o'clock, the following property:

- THIRTEEN HEAD OF HORSES**
- 1 white saddle horse and single driver 7 years old, gentle lady's horse.
 - 1 brown running horse and gentle single driver, city broke, 5 years old.
 - 1 roan team of geldings, 9 and 10 years old, city broke, single and double.
 - 1 chestnut sorrel gelding, gentle, single driver, wt. 1100.
 - 1 gray mare, 7 years old, gentle, broke to all harness.
 - 1 gray gelding, 7 years old, gentle, double driver.
 - 1 gray gelding, 7 years old, city broke, single and double.
 - 1 span of sorrel pointers, good drivers.
 - 1 bay gelding, 6 years old, won all the pony races in the circuit this year.
 - 1 bay gelding, 7 years old, broke to ride and drive.
 - 1 buckskin mare, broke to harness.
 - 3 carriages in good shape.
 - 3 top buggies.
 - 4 sets of harness.

In addition we will offer 1 new buggy, 1 truck and rack

FRANK MONEY
COL. LAMBERTON, Auct. V. KOKES, Clerk

HINDOO SERVANTS.

Honest? They Are Watched and Everything Looked Up.

Excellent servant as the Indian is in many respects, honesty is not one of his qualities, and he has to be strictly looked after when either money or goods are entrusted to him. A mistress cannot go into her kitchen, consult the cook as to what the meals should be and what should be ordered from the shops and leave the rest to him. She has to give him out from her locked up stores every spoonful of everything that is required for the day's cooking, else the goods would be sold outside.

The dusters, the name in India for every description of kitchen and pantry and stable towel, have to be doled out every day or every two days, the soiled ones being counted and locked up till they are given to the dhobi (washerman), who must not be allowed to keep the clothes of the household longer than is absolutely necessary or he will let them out to his friends for small sums—silk handkerchiefs for feast days, stockings and woolen undergarments in the cold weather, so that holes appear in unaccustomed places.

A khitmatgar (table servant) will be observed to wear a pair of cotton socks one day, silk ones the next, woolen ones the next, not belonging to his master—detection would be too easy in that case—but hired from some one else's dhobi at a pice (a farthing) a pair. As the house servants of course never wear shoes indoors, the stockings suffer considerably.

The cook goes to the bazaar every morning to buy meat, fish, ghee (native butter), vegetables—all the food in fact that cannot be stored, and his book is brought for inspection every day or else expenses would increase in a surprising manner. He, of course, pockets a percentage on all he spends. That is dastur, the custom of the country, and so long as it does not exceed an anna in the rupee (6 1/4 per cent) no one objects. But it is only by long experience that one gets to know proper prices, and newcomers are woefully imposed upon, 100 or 200 per cent being often charged.

The cook arranges his prices to suit the circumstances of his master, and as soon as promotion with increased pay comes up goes everything, so that a colonel's beef or mutton costs more than a major's, a major's than a captain's, a captain's than a subaltern's, though there may be no change at all in the style of living or in the number of the family.

In the civil service the same thing happens. The pay of every post in the various services is published in the official lists, and the servants know to a halfpenny what their master gets. Some ladies try to do their own marketing, but things are always much dearer for them than for the natives in the bazaar, so that there is no advantage in it, and it is besides extremely disagreeable, for the less one sees of the stalls there, particularly the meat stalls, the better—Britannia.

When Woman Arrives.

The emancipation of woman having at length worked out to a logical and symmetrical finish, the bride and her best woman waited at the altar, while the groom came up the aisle on the arm of his mother, who gave him away.

The groomsmen wore crepe de chine and carried groom roses. Three clergywomen assisted at the ceremony.

The groom's father sat in the family pew. He was dressed in wine colored silk, with ropes of pearls. The streets in the vicinity of the church were packed with a mob of onlookers, mostly men and children, prompted thither by curiosity.—Puck.

Guided by a Spider.

A spider was the direct cause of most serious loss and injury to the Dutch nation at the time of the attack upon Holland by France in the year 1794. A French prisoner at Utrecht, who had spent some of his long, lonely hours in studying the habits of spiders on the walls of his cell, was able by watching them to forecast the coming of rain or of frost. At a time when a sudden thaw raised the prospects of the Dutch and seemed to destroy the prisoner's hope of rescue by his countrymen his humble friends upon the wall gave him sure signs of a renewal of the frost. Upon this he managed to send a message to assure the French generals that with a few days their troops would be able to pass over the frozen waters, a prediction that was soon fulfilled, and so it came to pass that a spider was responsible for the release of Quartermaster Disjovyal and for the conquest of the Dutch.

Feminine Curiosity.

"Mr. Dolley, won't you let me look at your watch a little while?" "Certainly, Miss Flypp. Do you want to consult the time?" "No," replied the girl as she opened it and examined its case and works. "I was curious to see if water tarnished gold or had any effect on the watch's delicate mechanism." "Water? What do you mean?" "Well, Mr. Hunker told me you were in the habit of soaking your watch. What is the object of such treatment, Mr. Dolley?"

CRAFTY TOM BYRNES.

How He Kept an Unseen Eye on a Newspaper Reporter.

When Thomas Byrnes was the celebrated police inspector of the New York detective force he occupied a queer suit of rooms in one corner of the old marble police headquarters in Mulberry street. It was always a place of mystery. The inspector sat at a flat table at one end of the room. It was frequently covered with papers. On the walls, in glass cases, were odds and ends of criminology—bits of rope that had hanged notorious murderers, black caps, revolvers that had figured in infamous cases and other depressing objects.

One day the inspector left a newspaper reporter at his table and went into another room. He was gone half an hour. When he came back the reporter said:

"Inspector, did you have me watched while you were gone?"

"No. Why?"

"There are some pretty interesting papers on your desk, aren't there?"

"Nothing of any great value. Why do you ask?"

"What was to prevent my reading some of those letters and getting a mighty good story for my paper?" asked the reporter.

"Two reasons," answered the inspector. "In the first place, I never leave a scrap of paper on my desk that the whole world is not welcome to read; secondly, you could not have touched a sheet without my knowing it. Look at that penholder," pointing to a cheap affair laid carelessly across a bundle of papers. "Notice the direction in which it points. One end points at that doorknob and the other at that black cap. Now, you never would have noticed that, but I did before leaving the room, and if you had touched a single paper you would have displaced that penholder, and I would have known it."

It Served a Purpose.

At the top of the stairway in the Grigson dwelling there was a board that emitted a loud creak whenever anybody stepped on it. Mr. Grigson was always intending to "have the thing fixed," but never did it, and by common consent the members of the family usually stepped over it, particularly when the head of the family had gone to bed.

One night, very late, just as Mr. Grigson was dropping off to sleep, somebody stepped on that board, and it gave forth its customary loud protest.

"There you go again!" he angrily called out. "That's you this time, John! Pretty time of night for you to be getting to bed!"

John, the eldest son, made no response, but instead there was a rush and a jump down the stairs that brought the whole household into the hall just in time to hear the front door slam. A hurried investigation disclosed a bag of valuables which a frightened burglar had left.

The board still squeaks.—Youth's Companion.

The Oldest Golfers.

The Royal Blackheath Golf club is the oldest golf club in England, and it also claims to be the oldest existing golf club in the world. It was founded by James I. in 1608. For two or three centuries before that time golf had been a popular game in Scotland, but there is no record of any club having been established prior to the Blackheath club.

In 1457 the Scottish parliament passed an act enjoining that "fute ball and golfe be utterly cryit downe and nocht usit." A similar act was passed in May, 1491.

The Royal and Ancient Golf club at St. Andrews is one of the most famous in the kingdom. It was instituted in 1754, a silver cup having been played for in May of that year. In 1834 William IV. became patron of the club and approved of its being in future styled "The Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews" and presented a gold medal to be played for annually.

Inkhorn Terms.

Among other lessons this should first be learned—that we never affect any strange inkhorn terms, but to speak as is commonly received, neither seeking to be overfine nor yet living overcareless, using our speech as most men do and ordering our wits as the fewest have done. Some seek so far for outlandish English that they forget altogether their mothers' tongue. And I dare swear this—if some of their mothers were alive they were not able to tell what they say, and yet these fine English clerks will say that they speak in their mother tongue if a man should charge them with counterfeiting the king's English.—Wilson's "System of Rhetoric, 1553"

Royal Golfer.

King James II. was a fine golfer in the sense of fondness for the game, and in other senses too. He was as Duke of York who, when challenged by two English noblemen at the Scottish court to a match, the duke to take any partner whom he could find, took to his side an Edinburgh shoemaker named John Paterson. The duke and Paterson won, and the latter, being given half the stake, built for himself a house, which is to be distinguished by the record upon it in Canongate to this day.—Fry's Magazine.

OLD PARIS STREETS.

Odors and Filth of the Thoroughfares of Long Ago.

The automobile which glides noiselessly and smoothly along the well paved streets of Paris would not have had so easy a time some centuries ago. Nowadays one of the first demands civilization makes upon a community is that the paving and the sewerage shall be good. It is hardly possible for the twentieth century mind to conceive the conditions of old time streets and of the inconveniences and dangers of the public endured. Some idea of ancient Parisian thoroughfares is given in "Tighe Hopkins'" "An Idler in Old France."

Latetia, the name by which Paris was first known, is said to have come from a word meaning "mud." This derivation is inexact, but its appropriateness was practically borne out in the condition of the streets. Unpaved, rough as woodland tracks, flooded with waste waters from the houses, the roadways were populated by pigs, dogs, geese, ducks and rabbits. In 1131 Philippe, son of Louis le Gros and heir to the throne, was killed while riding in the city streets by being thrown from his horse by an abbot's pig.

"Snows and rains made the roads almost impassable, and the odor from them rose far above the housetops. It was said that on the darkest night a traveler, out of his course, might know by the stench how near he was to Paris. The mud of the streets gained an early celebrity. "It sticks like Paris mud" was a proverb of antiquity. If clothes were stained with it one was advised to "cut the piece out, for it burns whatever it touches."

In 1185 the king, standing by an open window of the palace, viewing a cart which had stuck in the mud, was so sickened by the stench that he gave orders to have the streets paved. This movement inaugurated the street department of Paris, but the effort was a feeble one. The work was begun, but at the people's expense. The king offered only a slender contribution. Taxe were levied on duelists, on candles, boots, cake and other things. But the enterprise was soon abandoned.

It was not until 1348 that any systematic care was taken of the streets and pigs denied the public ways. Even then the cleaning was confined to the highways. The smaller streets were still filled with heaps and hillocks of rotting refuse.

The germ wise minds of today may well wonder that any good of any continuance of life came out of such conditions.

DOCTORS' DILEMMAS.

The Question of Revealing the Employee's Condition.

Many dilemmas arise from the doctor's duty of keeping his patients' secrets. There was recently the much discussed case of a doctor who discovered that a signalman on a railway was in such an unsound condition that he might have been the cause of an accident. What was the doctor's duty? Was it right for him to keep the patient's secret, or should he have disclosed the fact to the directors of the company? It seemed quite clear that the signalman could have brought an action for damages against the doctor, but it is very doubtful if any jury would have let the doctor suffer in the circumstances.

Lay, legal and medical opinion differed greatly in the matter. Of course it was the doctor's duty to use all his influence to get the man voluntarily to permit him to report the case. It was urged by some that if doctors consistently disclosed the condition in such cases it would merely mean that they would not be consulted. The ailment would be concealed, and the doctor would lose the chance of treating the case properly and using the moral influence to get the patient to disclose his condition. The moral of the whole case was that employees in important positions should be frequently examined by a doctor representing the company.

The less serious problem arises—ought a doctor to disclose the condition of an employee to an employer where there is no public danger involved? An employee, for instance, may be ill or incapacitated through drink. Here the doctor must be guided entirely by the patient's consent and should, even at the risk of offending the employer, keep his patient's secret. In England the law is indefinite on the point, and the unfortunate medical man may be held guilty of contempt of court if he refuses to answer questions in the witness box, or if he does so he may have an action for damages brought against him by the patient.

In 1896 the Royal College of Physicians took the opinion of eminent counsel—Sir Edward Clarke and Mr. Horace Avory—on the question of professional secrecy, and their view was that a doctor should not reveal facts which had come to his knowledge in the course of his professional duties even where there was suspicion of a criminal offense having been committed. Mr. Justice Hawkins (afterward Lord Brampton), however, held that in very serious cases, involving the screening of criminals, it was the duty of medical men to speak out.—London Mail.

The Quiz for job printing.

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J. H. CAPRON, Ord.

Hearing on Petition for Discharge.

In the district court of the United States for the district of Nebraska. In the matter of H. W. Smith, Son, co-partners and Sierra Nevada Smith and Richard T. Smith, bankrupts.

Whereas, the above named bankrupt did on October 29, 1908 file their petition for discharge from their provable debts and said petition has been referred to me.

And whereas, Claude A. Davis, the trustee, has filed his report showing the total cash received to be \$108,775 which amount has been expended for rent and fees leaving no money with which to pay a dividend, therefore upon reading the said petition for discharge and final report of trustee it is hereby ordered that the hearing be had upon the same upon Friday, December 11, at 11 a. m. at my office in Grand Island in said district and that notice thereof be published once and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and place and show cause if any there be why the prayer of said petition should not be granted and why said estate should not be closed up at once.

Done at Grand Island, Nebraska this 24th day of November, 1908.

Bayard H. Paine, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Road Notice.

To whom it may concern:

The commissioners appointed to locate a road as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section 16, township 18 north, range 13 east, thence north to a point 13 rods south of the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 9, thence angling northeast to a point 17 rods east of the northwest corner of the said southwest quarter section 9, thence in a northeasterly direction following a canyon to a point about 10 rods north of the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 4, thence in a slightly northward direction to the top of the hill thence in a northeasterly direction around head of canyon, thence in a northerly direction to a fence and following this fence to southeast corner of southwest quarter of the west quarter of section 33 19-4 thence on quarter section line until it connects with main travelled road and terminating in Valley county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of said road, and all objections and claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 15th day of January, 1909, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Ord, Nebraska the 9 day of November, 1908.

Rudolph Sorensen, County Clerk.

Notice and Call for Special Election

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution passed and declared adopted by the board of directors of the school district of Ord Valley county, Nebraska, at a meeting held on Nov. 23, 1908, a special election of the legal voters of the school district of Ord, Valley County, Nebraska, is hereby called to be held in the court room at the court house in the city of Ord, Valley county, Nebraska, on Monday, December 29, 1908, for the purpose of voting bonds in the sum of \$40,000 to build and equip a High School building in said district. Said bonds to be of the denomination of \$1,000 each and to bear 4 1/2 per cent interest per annum, interest payable semi-annually. Principal and interest payable at the State Treasurer's office, Lincoln, Nebraska. Said bonds to run 20 years, with option of payment after one year.

The Board of Education to be empowered to levy a tax each year to provide for the payment of said bonds and interest. Polls to be open from 8 o'clock A. M. to 7 o'clock P. M. of said day.

The form of the ballot shall be as follows:

In favor of issuing \$40,000, 4 1/2 per cent 20 year bonds and authorizing the Board of Education to levy a [] tax each year for the payment of said bonds and interest on same.

Against issuing \$40,000, 4 1/2 per cent, 20 year bonds and authorizing the Board of Education to levy a [] tax each year for the payment of said bonds and interest on same.

For Peter Mortensen, Pres. A. J. Wise, Secy. Board of Education School District of Ord, Valley County, Nebraska.

Referee Sale

In the district court in and for Valley County, Nebraska.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned duly appointed referee by the district court of Valley County, Nebraska in action pending therein wherein Clarence W. Bower is plaintiff and Benjamin M. Bower et al. are defendants. After an examination on the premises in question, reported to said district court, on the 10th day of November, 1908, that said premises could not be divided without great prejudice to the owners thereof, that said report was duly approved by the court, and on said day an order of sale was issued, directing this referee to sell said premises as upon execution.

Now therefore, by virtue of said order of sale, and the authority in me vested, as referee, and having taken the oath and filed the bond required by law, I will on Monday the 21st day of December, 1908, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day at the south front door of the court house in the city of Ord, Nebraska, offer for sale and sell said real estate, viz:

The south half of the northwest quarter of section 34, in township 17 north, range 14 west of the 6 P. M. in Valley County, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash. Said sale will remain open one hour.

H. Gudmundsen, Referee

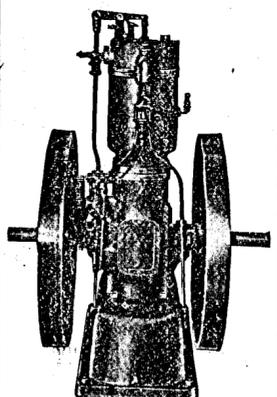
Sheriff Sale

In the district court in and for Valley county, Nebraska.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by Rudolph Sorensen, Clerk of the district court of Valley county, Nebraska, upon a judgment and decree of foreclosure rendered in said court in favor of the Occidental Building and Loan Association, plaintiff, and against William P. Burdick, and Zylphia Burdick defendants. I have levied said order of sale upon the following described property as the property of said defendants, to wit: Lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 15, in its addition to Arcadia, Nebraska, and I will on the 21st day of December, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m. of the said day, at the south front door of the court house, in the city of Ord, sell said real estate to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the judgment. The amount due thereon, in the aggregate being the sum of \$378.70, and interest thereon, from the 4th day of April, 1908 at 10 per cent and costs accrued, and accruing now, amounting to \$826.19 and such as may hereafter accrue.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1908.

A. Sutton, Sheriff. Clements Bros., Att'ys. for Plaintiff.



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