THE CO-OPERATORS' DEPARTMENT.

By the Christian Corporation.

If a selfish corporation is wise, an unselfish corporation is wiser.

A Populist colony, co-operative, is being formed in Wisconsin to occupy iand adjoining Marinette county. Any person of adult age who will agree to the constitution and by-laws and will abstain from alcoholic drink and the use of vulgar, profane and scandalous lan-guage and work in peace and harmony with the members of the colony for six months shall be accepted as a qualified

What are life insurance societies for? To equalize losses. The fraternal corporatiun we have organized will be a far better insurance for all its members, because when one dies his family continues a part of the greater family of brothers and sisters, and all the young, old, sick or unfortunate members are cared for by the corporation. They have left them all the social, educational and fraternal benefits of the organization which makes

A theoretical socialist, an alleged believer in industrial equality and human brotherhood, when asked by the writer if he would join us in the plan adopted, answered that he would not. He failed to see any moral obligation to mass our means and live by the requirements of love. He did not recognize the self-denying, organizing law of life. He had, in spite of his professions, an unconscious regard for property stronger than his ire to organize as one body, under industrial equality and help humanity. Such a collectivist must be at heart an individualist, a lover of property more than he is a lover of men.

The Shakers adopt the same style of dress. The Amana community sisters all wear the Amana blue calico. The Quakers dress in drab, and clothing of an un-changing fashion. The Dunkers and Salvation Army sisters wear bonnets devoid of beauty and of monotonous rigidity of style. We do not believe in any such de-struction of individuality and disregard of beauty. We love the good, the true and the beautitul, as does the Being who made the stars, the flowers and human hearts. Variety enriches life. We shall aim to value all that is good, that conduces to happiness, at its true worth, and avoid narrowness, repression of God-given individuality. At the same time we shall try to measure good in its true relations and proportions, not exalting the ornamental above that which is necessary for comfort or health.

President Eyestone has called the next meeting of the members of the Christian Corporation for Thursday, February 14th. We understand it to be a meeting of members and those who wish to sign the constitution and become members. Come out to the weekly local meeting next Monday evening, brethren. A committee will be appointed then to meet President Eyestone at the Erickson place Wednesday morning, February 13th, to investigate location; and he also suggested that we select a committee on entertainment. If we can flud a place to get together let us, by all means, gather about a common table, wives and children and all, and all get acquainted more perfectly by breaking bread toether. It will be just what we need to give us a vivid impression that we are in interests and mutual service one family. We can arrange it somehow and waste no money either. Let us make it a delightful occasion.

never was in such a relation before. It state of Nebraska. is a tie of interest for stronger than binds together ordinary selfish corporations, fraternal societies, so-called brotherhoods, church members, or that of property-divided, selfish natural brothers. Brothers and Sisters Griswold, Croyle, Clark, Reeves, Keene, Ross and Eyestone and the others who I know are coming with us, are felt to be an abiding part of myself. Their burdens are my burdens, their needs my needs, their cares my cares, and their good is my good. I want to see all members of this new body nourished, developed, cared for as I would care for myself and family. Each in his or her individual self possesses peculiar or distinguishing gifts of mind and spirit, with bodily powers to communicate and exchange such gifts with one another and all, which makes the cultivation of the varying personalities or individuali- his or her personal or domestic effects. ties of common interest and a common Brother Doty of Valentine, writing

under date of Jan 31st, asks a question which many others may wish answered. We shall communize our capital, land, the means of production and distribution. We shall choose our directors and labor superintendents and work under the direction of those of our number whom we are of opinion know best how to direct to secure greatest results in the different departments of labor. We shall also vote what share of the common yearly product shall be added to our capital or common holdings to save labor or minister to our natural needs and pleasures, as in the buildings or manufacturing plant, machines, tools, horses, cattle, &c., and in beautifying buildings and grounds, providing baths, a gymnasium, and healthful mental and physical recreation. We shall also vote how much we shall expend yearly in spreading the truth in the outside selfish world to save others (and so ourselves more perfectly) as we are being saved. But all the balance of our common product will be equally divided and each individual and family will have unrestricted opportunity to make such use of his or their share (an ample share, we shall make it) as accords with varying individual and family tastes. The greatest possible cultivation and development of ten per cent of the voting members in of the individual that we may all be most blessed and enriched by educating. training and perfecting each and every ones individual faculties, tustes, powers, divine possibilities, it is the purpose of our organization. There will need to be, and will be, more real individual freedom or room in an organization like ours, than we now have in the selfish, flercely competitive and despotic world where monopoly rules and the weak and unorganized are robbed and enslaved. CONSTITUTION.

OUR FAITH.

We believe in God our infinite father. in Christ, our perfect brother, and in the law of equalizing love, expressed in the command, "Thou shalt love thy neighoor as thyself."

OUR PHILOSOPHY.

We hold these truths to be self-evident That all men created have a right to live and to share equally the abundant natural provisions for a happy existence; that the earth is theirs by common in-heritance, for use only, and not for spe-ulation: that because it is the inexhaustible source of values no equal value can be offered for it, or a part of it, and that therefore no just title of absolute ownership is acquired in it; that it must be-long without possible alienation of title to all fudividuals of all generations. We hold that the individuals of the race are interdependent, each needing all and having the power to serve all; that each individual differs in his wants and capabilities from all others, differs not simply in degree, and that he is as much needed by the body politic; as is each member of the human body, to constitute a perfect whole; we hold that self-interest, the good of the individual, is so bound up with society interests, or the interests of all other individuals, that it cannot be preserved apart, that individuals cannot look out for their own interests only, as in the present business and political struggle, without insecurity and immense loss; we hold that there can be no clashing of interests between members of a bealthful, naturally organized society, and that in proportion to its numbers through organic unity, will be the measure of individual service, benefits and enjoyments. We hold that each member of society should be equally nourished, equally exercised according to his abilty, and receive equal honor for equal ex-OUR PURPOSES.

Therefore, in order to open the door of opportunity to every individual, to provide employment and secure to the isborer the full product of his toil, to banish the "fear of want," and provide a competency for old age, to establish the brotherhood of man and make possible full obedience to the Divine command, "love thy neighbor as thyself," this corporation is created.

ART. 1.—SEC. 1. The objects of this association shall be to purchase land, erect buildings, institute agricultural, mining, mechanical, manufacturing, and mer-chandising industries, establish schools. libraries and institutions of art and science, and in short operate and maintain any enterprise achievable by united effort which may encourage and foster the highest forms of human welfare and

the highest forms of human welfare and of personal freedom.

ART. 2.—Sec. 1. This corporation is organized under article 40 of chapter 16, compiled statutes of Nebraska, 1893; with the intention of providing a social organization for socially, or in common, holding or owning all "means of production and distribution" possessed by its members, the purpose being to substitute the principle of collective or social ownership for that of private ownership in ership for that of private ownership in such "means of production and distribu-tion," meaning by these terms all land, labor and capital, in whatsoever form, used by said corporation in the production and distribution of wealth. Its originators holding that only by such means, supplemented by the co-operative effort of all members and such substitution of the co-operative and substitution of the co-operativ the co-operative system with equal prowith its absorption of all product in in-terest, rent and net profits, can the great and noble ends set forth above be obtained.

NAME, LOCATION.

I feel a new, heart-deep brotherly interest in these who have joined our Corporation or added themselves together.

Ars. 3.—Sec. 1. This corporation shall be known as the "Christian Corporation," and located in the county of Lancaster,

MEMBERSHIP.

ART. 1 .- SEC. 1. Classification :- The membership of this association shall be divided into two classes, as follows: (1) General members.

(2) Dependent members. SEC. 2. Any person, male or female, of

legal age and good moral character, who is willing to diligently work to carry out the objects of the association as above set forth shall be eligible to general membership in this association upon the following conditions: A .- He shall affirm his belief in the

teachings of Christ. B.-Subscribe to the constitution, by-

laws and preamble. C .- Surrender all his possessions to the

corporation of whatsoever kind, except D.-Shall pass a satisfactory examination in the principles of co-operation.

E.—He shall receive seven-eighths of all

SEC. 3. Dependent members:-All members of the families of general members under 18 years of age, and all other members depending upon such general members for support shall be classed as dependent members, and entitled to a home in the community and an opportunity to work.

OFFICERS.

ART. 1 .- SEC. 1. The general members shall annually elect from their number the following officers, to-wit:

President, vice-president, clerk (secretary), treasurer, auditor, and also a board of six directors, or more, who shall be severally heads of the different departments of labor. No person shall hold the same office for two consecutive terms except upon the choice of three-fourths of all the voters. The president of the corporation shall be president of the board of directors, and in case of a tie vote he shall cast the deciding vote.

GOVERNMENT. ART. 6.—Sec. 1. The government of this association shall be by direct legislation, including the Initiative and Referendum and Imperative Mandate. Any measure may be initiated by the petition good standing, and be referred to a vote of the members, when a majority vote in favor of said measure shall decide in favor of its adoption, except in cases of constitutional amendment and expulsion of members, which shall require a twothirds vote of all members in good standing. All members shall be required to note on all measures of whatsoever nature that shall be put to a vote of the members. Any member failing to vote on any measure shall be disfranchised for a period of one year, provided that no member shall be disfranchised who proves it to have been an impossibility to have

ACCOUNTS.

Art. 7 .- Sec. 1. The books of the association shall be open to inspection by any member at any time.

The report of the committee, on motion

was adopted.

The following named persons voluntarially subscribed to the foregoing constitu-

tion and preamble, to-wit:
George Howard Gibson, W. J. Eyestone, S. E. Keene, C. M. Clark, C. E. Ross
H. S. Croyle, Mrs. H. S. Croyle, John C.
Griswold, Sadie Eyestone, Lottie Griswold, H. M. Reeves. Others to the number of about thirty

Others to the number of about thirty stand ready to join. The following officers were elected for one year:
President, W. J. Eyestone, of Rising City; vice-president, G. H. Gibson, of Lincoln; Secretary, S. E. Keene, of Missouri Valley, Ia.; assistant secretary, H. M. Reeves, of Lincoln; treasurer, C. E. Ross; directors, H. S. Croyle, Mrs. Sadis Eyestone, S. E. Keene and H. M. Reeves.

MILLET J. C. PEPPARD, 1400-1402 Union Ave., Kanasa City, Mo.

THE MARKETS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. Feb 4 -- WHEAT -- Was perhaps a little more firmly held to-day than yesterday, but the market was not quotably changed. Recipts of wheat to-day, 5 cars. year a to 62 cars

Car lots by sample on track. Kansas City, st the close were quoted nominally as follows: No. 2 hard, 50% & Ic No. 3 hard 49 500c. No. 4 hard 47 48c; rejected, 46c No. 2 red. 50% 0.1c; No. 3 red. 42650c. No. 4 red. 47 548c rejected

Sales by sample on track, Kansas City: No. 2 mixed corn, 12 cars 40½0, 1 car 40½0 No 3 mixed nominally. 39½@4½0 No 4 mixed, nominally 8½0 No 2 white, 2 cars 410 No 3 White nominally, the OATS-Were not wanted at all Quite

number of samples were on sale and offered at yesterday's prices but bids were % old lower and no sales were reported. Receipts of oats to-day,4 cars a year ago, 8 cars. Sales by sample on track Kansas (ity: No. 2 mixed oats, nominally, 29@ 0 No. 3 nominally, 28c: No. 4 nominally, 28c: No. 2 white oats, nominally, 31%c. No. 3 white, nominally, 31a CANE SEED-Steady 900 & 1 per 140 lbs in bulk Miller Seed—German, steady, \$1 40\triangle 1.55 per 190 lbs. Rye—Firm No 2 nominally 50c: No 3, 48c Flaxseed—Dull nominally \$1.30\triangle 1, according to billing Bran—Steady, 68\triangle 70c per cwt sacked Corn Chop—Steady,

76 79 per cwt, sacked HAY-Receipts, 25 cars: market dull and weak Timothy, fancy, \$50 choice, \$6,2850 No. 1, \$7,50,28 clover, mixed, \$5,50,38 low grade, \$6,27,50; fancy prairie, \$8,38,50; choice, \$7,27,50; No. 1, \$6,2655; No. 2, \$4,50,35,50; packing hay, \$3,50,24,50

Chicago Board of Trade. CHICAGO, Feb 4 - The following table shows the range of prices for active futures

Feb 2	Op'nd	Hift	Lo st	Feb.	Feb.
WHEAT Feb May July	493 <u>4</u> 531 <u>4</u>	49 % 53 % 54	49 % 52 % 58 %	49% 52% 53%	10% 53% 54
CORN- Feb May	41 43%	41 42%	40 % 42 %	40%	41
OATS- Feb May	28% 28%	16% 28%	16%	43 16% 28%	43% 16% 28%
PORK- Feb	9 75	9 75	975	9 75	9 60
LARD- Feb	9 9 1 6 45 6 56	6 45 6 6)	9 90 6 45 6 55	6 45 6 60	9 85 6 35 6 52%
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\$3.65 Texas and Indian steers 3.8) Texas and Indian cows. 21.70 @2 55 stockers and feeders, \$2,90@3.4) mixed, \$2@7.51.

Hogs-Receipts, 5.614; shipped yesterday 2 1:3 The market was fairly active and steady to 5c higher, closin : 10c higher The top was \$3.95 and bulk of sales \$3.90 to 13.85 against \$4 for top and \$3 00 to \$3 80 for bulk yester-

Sheep-Receipts, 1,99 no shipments The market was active and strong. The following are representative sales

The following are vepresent with Horse .- Receipts, 1:1 shipped yesterday, 54 As is usual on Saturday there was no trade

TINGLEY & BURKETT.

Attorneys-at Law, 1026 O St., Lin-

Notice of Chattel Mortgage Sale. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a chattel Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a chattel mortgage, under date of August 9, 1894, and recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Lancaster county, Nebraska, given by Edgar Erwin and Arthur Bennett, to William O'Shea, and by him assigned to the Lincoln Furniture Company upon which there is now due and payable the sum of \$72.15. Default having been made in the payment of the sum secured thereby the undersigned will sell the following described property, being a part of the property described in said mortgage, viz: One Gordon press and one new National Johher press, at the store of Humphrev Brothers, 105 North 9th Street, Lincoln, Lancaster county, Nebraska, on the 8th day of February, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day.

m. of said day. LINCOLN FURNITURE COMPANY. Notice to Non-Resident Defendants,

In the District Court in and for Lancaster county Nebraska. Nancy L. Sargent,

Plaintiff.

Carlos C. Burr. Mary E. Burr, his wife; Charlotte N. Darlington, D. B, Welch, first name unknown; S. A. Maxwell & Company. The Fiest National Bank, a corporation of Seward, Nebraska, Doc. 13-111.

Defendants.

To Charlotte N. Darlington, S. A. Maxwell & Company and D. B. Welch, first name unknown,

non-resident defendants:
You are hereby notified that on the 12th day
of December, 1894. Nancy L. Sargent, the plaintif
herein, filed her petition in the above entitled
cause of action in the District Court in and for Lancaster county, Nebraska, against the defend-ants, Carlos C. Burr, Mary E. Burr, his wife; that lotte N, Barlington, D. B. Welch, first name un-known; S. A. Maxwell & Company, The First National Bank, a corporation of Seward, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain morigage executed by the defendants, Carlos C. Burr and Mary E. Burr his wife, on the second day of June, 1890, to the plaintiff, apon the undivided one-half (½) of lot numbered sighteen (18), in block numbered eighty-five (85), in the town (now city) of Lincon in the county of Lancaster, and state of Nebraska, to secure the payment of one certain promissory note dated June the second, 1890, for the sum of fourteen hundred (\$1400) dollars due and payable on the first day of June, 1893, that there is now due upon said note and mortgage the sum of fourteen hundred (\$1400) dollars, together with interest thereon from the first day of October, 1893, and plaintiff prays for a decree that the defendant, Carlos C. Burr, be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due on said note and mortgage.

to satisty the another to answer said petition on o. before the lith day of March, 1895.

NANCY L. SARGENT, Plainter.

By John H. Grossmann, her Attorney.

Dated January 28, 1895.

Lincoln, Nebraska.

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Notice to Bridge Contractors.

The Board of County Commissioners of Furnas county, Nebraska, will receive bids until noon (12 o'clock) of the 7th day of February, 1895, for driving 24 piling under the Edison bridge. Said piles to be driven 14 feet below water. The piles to be 27 feet long and 9 inches at tip. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids to be accompanied with good and lawful bond.

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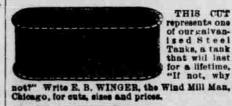
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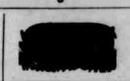
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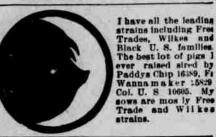
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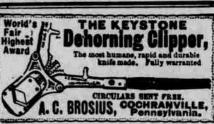


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