

## "PREPAREDNESS"

The month of April is the beginning of preparations for tilling the soil. The Farmer, like any other business man, must know his receipts and disbursements to the penny, and to save time his bookkeeping must be simple and easy, yet accurate. A checking account is the logical answer to this need.

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### PROGRAM

#### "THE TOM THUMB WEDDING"

FIRST AND SECOND GRADES. APRIL 28, 1920.

Minister ..... Frank Forrest  
Bride ..... Frances Mahon  
Groom ..... Fred Foley  
Maid of Honor ..... Melina Circo  
Groomsman ..... William Triggs  
Father ..... Paul Clinkenbeard  
Mother ..... Dorothy Leamer  
Bridesmaids ..... Margaret Giese,  
Margaret Bargman, Ruth Graham, Louise Lowe  
Flower Girls ..... Louise Peir, Grace Hannah  
Ushers ..... Eldon Morris, Charles Mahon  
Guests .....

A One Act Playlet. Scene—Any Church.

#### "FAIRIES OF TODAY."

A Teacher ..... Florence Frederick  
Dr. Knowitall ..... Dorothy Leamer  
A Prince ..... Fred Foley  
A Princess ..... Frances Mahon  
First Fairy, Flower Fairy ..... Louise Lowe  
Second Fairy, Fern Fairy ..... Margaret Geise  
Third Fairy, Frost Fairy ..... Ruth Graham  
Fourth Fairy, Flower Fairy ..... Helen Maney  
Fifth Fairy, Cobweb Fairy ..... Gretchen Forrest  
Sixth Fairy, Moonbeam Fairy ..... Vivian Hannah  
Seventh Fairy, Butterfly Fairy ..... Margaret Bargman  
Eighth Fairy, Crystal Fairy ..... Dorothy Fueston  
Ninth Fairy, Daydream Fairy ..... Louise Peir  
Tenth Fairy, Wish Fairy ..... Helen Ostmeyer

Scene I. Schoolroom. The Fairies at School.  
Scene II. Forest, The Fairies' Graduation.  
Scene III. Schoolroom. The Fairies on Duty.

Concluding Tableau: All of Fourteen Characters Appear. Record of Marriage is Made in Marriage Register.

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## Bank of Dakota City

Dakota City, Nebraska.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 1920

Mrs. Will Powell has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.

George Gribble came up from Omaha Monday for a visit with relatives.

D. M. Neiswanger returned home Sunday from his visit in Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Prof. C. E. Simpson spent over Sunday with friends in Woodbury county, Iowa.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Miller Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Charity Hart and daughter, Miss Beulah Hart, were visitors here the past week from Sioux City.

L. E. Butts, 56 years of age, of South Sioux City, died at a Sioux City hospital Saturday of apoplexy.

There will be a regular meeting of Omadi Lodge No. 5, A. F. and A. M., Saturday evening of this week, May the 1st.

Fresh home-rendered lard for sale. Enquire of Mrs. George E. Heikes, Dakota City, Neb., route 1. Phone 70-F111.

Mrs. Helen Chesshir and two children returned to their home at Plainview Sunday, after a visit here with relatives.

W. H. Berger returned Saturday from Omaha, where he had been serving on the federal jury for the past two weeks.

Frank Mahon has leased the old Bargman pool hall. Mr. Bargman is making arrangements to move to a new location.

Miss Mary Maxwell returned Tuesday evening from New Orleans, where she had been for a week in attendance at a Red Cross convention.

Mrs. Ruth Paquin and Mrs. Alice Peasley, of Sioux City, were visitors here Tuesday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jolittle.

Frank M. Sides, who underwent an operation at a Sioux City hospital a few weeks ago for hernia, is getting along nicely and will soon be out of the hospital.

Rev. A. C. Butler, father of Mrs. S. A. Draise, spent Sunday and Monday visiting at the M. E. parsonage, returning to his home at Ponca on Tuesday morning.

Harry H. Peltz has purchased the house recently vacated by Mrs. Beale Clinkenbeard, from Mrs. Charity Hart, and has moved into it, from the old Pizey residence.

Sam Keir went to Kansas City, Mo., Monday on a business trip, and also to meet his mother who is returning from San Antonio, Texas, where she spent the past winter.

Mrs. Martha E. Francisco of Royal, Neb., was granted a divorce in the district court at Neligh, Neb., last week, from Henry Francisco. The family formerly resided in this county.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will hold a bake sale in the Keir Bros. store Saturday afternoon of this week, and will have on sale all kinds of good things to eat—home-cooked, too.

Edgar Coleman, who was arrested a week ago by Sheriff George Cain and turned over to Deputy Sheriff Wm. Lord, of Philadelphia, was taken back to Pennsylvania Monday to stand trial for bigamy.

George McBeath and family expect to soon return to Dakota county from Jacksonville, Fla., where they have resided for the past few years, as his work there in a ship-building plant is about closed up.

Mrs. Mary R. McBeath is this week moving to the residence just west of the R. E. Evans home, which she recently purchased. Mr. Bordwell, of Morningside, who bought her place, will move here this week.

Mrs. E. E. Cole and little son accompanied Mrs. Cole's mother, Mrs. Lucy A. Berger here from Phillipsburg, Kan., last Thursday, where she had been visiting for the past month. Mrs. Cole returned home the same day.

County Judge McKinley officiated at the following weddings during the past week: Charley B. Breitweg and Effie J. Taplin, both of Winfield, Kas., on the 21st, and Stanley L. Iago and Mildred Bevington, both of Sioux City, on the 26th.

The Salem Ladies Aid will meet at Mrs. Adolph Bartels' home on Thursday, April 29th, at 2:30. The serving committee is Mrs. Harry Ostmeyer, Mrs. Ernest Runge, Mrs. Archie Coughtry and Mrs. Adolph Bartels. Everybody invited.

Feed dry mash to secure the maximum number of eggs, says a new circular of the Nebraska College of Agriculture called "Feed Dry Mash." The easiest way to feed dry mash is by the use of the hopper or self-feeder. The circular gives pointers on the construction of a dry mash hopper, dry mash rations, scratch feeds, etc. This is what it says about dry mash feed: It increases egg production. It is an economic feed. It produces more eggs than egg tonics. It keeps the hens in good condition. It makes pullets mature early. It should be kept before the fowls at all times. The circular will be sent free upon request.

In remitting for The Herald, Theodore E. Bliven writes from Santa Rosa, Cal., that "They are all well and happy; that the weather is fine and the crops are looking good; the show for fruit is great, if no late frosts come. Met Luther Heikes in Santa Rosa, recently and had dinner with him—certainly enjoyed the visit very much. He seemed to think California a pretty good place so far. He had been around seeing some of our big fruit and chicken ranches and thought them great. See in the last Herald of Mr. Baker's death. Mrs. Mason and family have our sympathy. One by one our old friends back there are passing away. Remember us to all our old friends."

George H. Hasse and family were down from Emerson Sunday and spent the day in the A. T. Hasse home.

Mrs. Pat Kelleher came down from Norfolk, Neb., last Thursday, for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Belle Barnett.

### 100 PER CENT AMERICAN CLUB LAUNCHED.

A representative of the National 100 per cent American club, Mr. Russell P. Howard, of Lincoln, Neb., was here Monday and Tuesday and secured a list of members as a nucleus for the organization of a local club in this place.

Membership cards and literature will be sent here as soon as his report goes in, and steps will then be taken to perfect the organization. It is hardly necessary to state what a 100 per cent American club stands for, however, as soon as the organization is completed here the aims and efforts of the organization will be fully explained.

Following is a list of the members obtained by Mr. Howard:

J. J. Eimers, Wm. P. Warner, Sidney T. Frum, D. M. Neiswanger, C. R. Young, Wilfred E. Voss, John H. Ream, J. S. Bacon, H. H. Adair, C. B. Crego, S. A. Stinson, George Barnett, G. F. Broyhill, W. H. Berger, H. R. Greer, F. E. Morris, L. R. Sanford, Cyril E. Simpson, Walter E. Miller, J. P. Rockwell, S. W. McKinley, N. D. Sanderson, J. C. Smith, B. C. Buchanan, M. E. Blessing, C. H. Maxwell, Mrs. Belle Barnett, C. R. Lowe, J. P. Rockwell was made president and Walter E. Miller secretary of the organization until a permanent organization was effected and officers elected.

### NOTICE.

To whom it may concern: There will be a meeting of the assessors of the several precincts interested, on Friday, April 30th, 1920, at Coburn Junction, in the afternoon, for the purpose of adjusting and fixing the valuation of what is known as the "Swamp Land" in Drainage districts No. 1 and 2. All persons interested are requested to be present at this meeting.

J. P. Rockwell, County Assessor.

### MATRIMONIAL VENTURES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by County Judge McKinley during the past week:

Name and Address. Age.  
Chas. B. Breitweg, Winfield, Kas. 28  
Effie J. Taplin, Winfield, Kas. 19  
Stanley L. Iago, Sioux City 27  
Mildred Bevington, Sioux City 26

### WANTED—CATTLE TO PASTURE

Seventy acres of sweet clover, and plenty of water. Call on or phone L. L. Howard, 63 F 20, Dakota City, Nebraska.

### Government Urges Better Poultry

National and state campaigns for the production of more and better livestock includes valuable aid for poultry raisers in the form of bulletins and circulars giving information gathered from extensive research and practical experience. A large number of bulletins and circulars covering about every phase of poultry raising may be obtained free from the College of Agriculture at Lincoln. A list of such publications should be obtained and those desired checked off. A few of the timely ones are: Natural and Artificial Incubation of Hen's Eggs, Baby Chicks—Their Care and Feed, Incubation, Pointers, Poultry Disease Problems, Turkey Raising, Duck Raising, Mites and Lice, Hints to the Poultry Raiser, Pointers on Culling, Preserve Eggs for Home Use.

### SALESMAN WANTED

To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address THE TODD OIL & PAINT CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

### High Schools in State Contest

Livestock judging teams from 22 high schools took part in a state contest at the College of Agriculture at Lincoln April 3. The Waverly team won first place, and Clyde Walker, a member of the Waverly team, was declared the best individual judge of livestock. The Friend team took second place, and Glenn Wright of the Aurora team won second individual honors. Trophies were given by the Nebraska Livestock Breeders' Association, a livestock commission firm and several other private companies. About 125 high school students attended the contest. They were entertained by the Lincoln Commercial Club and visited the manufacturing plants of the Hebb Motor and Nebraska Aircraft companies. The contest is staged annually for the purpose of creating greater interest among high school students in better livestock.

### FOR SALE

A Rock Island two-row stalk cutter. WILL H. ORR, Dakota City, Neb.

### College Emphasizes Simple Dress

Tight corsets, high heeled shoes, extreme styles or "fads," and over-dress, are a few phases of feminine life put under a ban by a recent circular of the University of Nebraska College of Agriculture. It says that it is not consistent to wear silk hose and oxfords with a fur coat, or a fur about the neck with a georgette dress in summer. Character is shown through dress, and it is difficult to respect yourself when dressed in rags and dirt, or to be respected by others when over-dressed. A person who is content to wear a silken gown over torn or shabby undergarments is merely giving an exhibition of some undesirable characteristic. The most artistic costumes are those which are simple in design, well proportioned, harmonious in color and consistent throughout. The circular is called "Selection in Dress," and may be obtained free. Another circular along the same line is called "Color in Clothing."

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1 can Maryland Chief Stringless Beans ..... 23c  
One 3-lb can Banner Brand Table Appricots ..... 30c  
2 cans fresh Lima Beans Succotash for ..... 35c  
3 pkgs. Toothpicks ..... 10c  
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