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What are you going to buy for Thanksgiving—turkey or a new automobile?

Pity the poor husband whose vote cast for Cox is held up to him by his Harding wife.

Harding is the latest president of the "I-knew-him-when" club. It is national in scope.

We shall now learn something of the relative strength of party ties and matrimonial ties.

You can always estimate the swelling of a man's head by the amount of free advice he offers.

Weather prophets say we are going to have an open winter. It is already open to criticism.

The honeymoon endures indefinitely if the years bring him the privilege of calling her mother.

President Wilson paid no more attention to Bill Bryan's advice than if Bill was still in the cabinet.

You may not believe it, but there are several movie stars in this country who have never been divorced.

The wall from cotton and wheat farmers reminds us that price reductions, like the tariff, is a local issue.

After all, the arrangement is fair enough. The price of coal gives one cold feet, but makes him hot under the collar.

Timber waste each year in the United States could provide 40,000 tons of paper, 300 tons of resin, 600,000 gallons of turpentine.

It is high time to propose an armistice with the weather man. At least, we would like a cessation of hostilities until January or February.

If the Rev. Mr. Watkins needs a slogan for his party, he might use that the governor of North Carolina said to the governor of South Carolina.

"This is a problem that staggers humanity!" shrieks an orator. Well, let us stagger. Mighty few things can ever arouse our interest nowadays.

Others can do as they please but personally we never expect to carry our money in a beaded bag as long as we've got a hip pocket with a button flap.

Eve may have been content with a fig leaf in winter, but when summer came, she probably made Adam kill something or other to provide her a fur neckpiece.

The costliest melting pots in the world today are the basement furnace and the living room grate. Dumping in coal at \$20 per ton is certainly burning up money.

Judge Kenasaw Mountain Landis, the man who fined Rockefeller \$20,000,000, is the new czar of baseball. Gee whiz! but the players will be up against it next season.

It is claimed that a second Charlie Chaplin has been discovered. Ministering saints, protect us. One Charlie Chaplin is an elegant sufficiency, past, present and future.

According to folks who have been around the federal building during the past ten days, there is no particular glory in going from Omaha to Kansas City for defiance of the Volstead act.

CHOICE

Jonathan Apples!

I have a car of choice Idaho Johnathan apples on the Burlington track, at Plattsmouth Friday and Saturday ONLY!

Come to the car and make your arrangements for securing these delicious apples!

Drs. Mack & Mach, The Dentists

The largest and best equipped dental offices in Omaha. Experts in charge of all work. Lady attendant. Moderate Prices. Porcelain fillings just like tooth. Instruments carefully sterilized after using.

THIRD FLOOR, PAXTON BLOCK, OMAHA

MANLEY STORE IS HIT BY ROBBERS

Store of Theodore Harms Raided Last Night and Quite a Quantity of Goods Taken by Visitors.

From Thursday's Daily. While the business men of Manley have been fortunate in the way of escaping from the series of robberies that have been visited on the different towns of the county in the past, the blow has been felt and last evening the store of Theodore Harms at that place was entered and goods amounting to the neighborhood of \$1,000 was taken.

The burglars broke the glass out of the front door of the store and were able to unfasten the Yale lock and secure access to the store. Among the articles taken there were quite a few blankets, sweaters and several ladies' union suits and four green and black winter caps, together with a large quantity of shoes.

The robbery was not discovered until this morning and gave whoever committed the crime an ample opportunity of making their getaway from the scene of the robbery.

It seems as though the small towns will have to adopt a method of patrolling their streets at night and the employment of a night watchman in all of the towns of the county seems to be necessary if any check is to be made in these visitations. The robberies occurring in all parts of the county makes it impossible to handle the matter except through local effort on the part of the residents of the various towns to get a line on the robbers.

YOUNG MAN SPENT NIGHT ALONE IN THE WOODS

A young man by the name of Nelson, of Omaha, spent Sunday night in the woods somewhere near Weeping Water. He had come to Union Sunday morning in company with Mr. H. C. Anderson for a rabbit hunt. They had expected to come to Weeping Water, but as there was no train, they started out to hunt coming this way, and while in one of the big orchards near Nelawka, they got separated and Mr. Anderson could not find the young man so he came on to Weeping Water. Nelson showed up here before train time Monday morning, but had remained all night in the timber somewhere, he hardly knew where. He had built a fire and cooked a rabbit which helped out for the evening meal. He certainly helped to while away the long night which was pretty cool.—Weeping Water Republican.

ST. MARY'S GUILD.

From Thursday's Daily. The ladies of the St. Mary's guild were very pleasantly entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William R. Egenberger, who was assisted in entertaining and serving by Miss Anna Egenberger. The afternoon was spent in closing up the work for the Christmas and the many dainty articles that will be offered for sale there was being prepared by the ladies of the guild. At a suitable hour the members of the party were treated to very delectable refreshments that proved a very enjoyable feature of the afternoon.

CHILDREN AIDED BY THE RED CROSS

All Over the World Young Lives are Saved by the Organization Asking Your Support.

In Italy 155,000 children were kept from want and starvation thru the assistance of the American Red Cross in 1918-19.

In Serbia, during the winter of 1919-20, 150,000 war orphans and sick children were fed and relieved.

In France 200,000 children were treated in American Red Cross hospitals and dispensaries during the years 1918-19.

In Poland, during the spring and winter of 1919-20, half a million war orphans were given assistance in the way of food and clothing. Orphanages have already been established by the A. R. C. capable of caring for 800 children. During the same period 4,000 children's garments and shoes were distributed.

In France and Belgium 600 institutions and societies have been aided in caring for the children. In one year 20,000 baby outfits were furnished these children by the American Red Cross.

In Belgium the American Red Cross took 20,000 children out of the country early in the war, thus saving them from capture by the Germans.

In Albania 200 sick babies were treated weekly in the infants' hospital at Elbasan and 700 children were given clothing and schooling by the American Red Cross during the winter and spring of 1919-20.

In Montenegro last winter and spring three orphanages were established at each of which 175 children are being fed, clothed and educated.

In Roumania early in 1919, out of every 100 children born 50 died. Through the assistance of the American Red Cross conditions were so changed in Roumania that in 1920, the infant mortality rate was normal.

Isn't this a record to be proud of? Let's make it better.

The fourth annual roll call will remain open until the night of Thanksgiving day to those who haven't yet renewed their membership to do so. With the war over, the Red Cross has a program of real work ahead of it, and although the drive for funds is not as intensive as during the war, do not think the dollar or more you can contribute will not be used to good advantage, for it will.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DO THE 'AT HOME'

DANCE AND CARD PARTY AT THEIR HALL LAST EVENING PROVES PLEASANT ONE

From Thursday's Daily.

Last evening the Knights of Columbus hall was the scene of a most delightful social gathering in which the members of the order and their lady friends participated, and until a late hour the delights of the evening were continued.

The members of the Knights of Columbus have established a reputation as royal entertainers and this was fully vindicated last evening in the pleasant manner in which they held open house to their friends. This is the second entertainment of this nature that this organization has held and it proved as enjoyable as the initial dance and card party held last season at the hall.

The greater portion of the members of the party devoted themselves to dancing, the Eagle orchestra being secured for the occasion and to the tuncal music the young people tripped the measures of the dance in the auditorium on the lower floor of the building while the lodge room and ante rooms on the top floor were occupied by the other members of the party in the delights of cards.

The interest in the card games was the main feature of the evening. In the contest Mrs. L. B. Egenberger was awarded the royal prize and Mrs. J. C. Petersen, Sr., the consolation prize for the ladies and in the gentleman's contest Emmons Ptak secured the first prize and Frank Fisher the consolation. Others in the party who were fond of other games found amusement in pinochle, rummy and other card games and at these a great deal of pleasure was derived. At a suitable hour the members of the party were treated to a dainty and thoroughly enjoyable luncheon that had been prepared by the ladies of the Knights and which certainly hit the right spot with the members of the jolly party.

It was with regret that the home going hour was reached and the members of the jolly party are hopeful that in the near future the Knights of Columbus may decide to entertain once more their friends from outside the city and certainly this event will be looked forward to with great pleasure.

LITTLE FLOUR MILL MAY SOON PASS OUT

Trade Commission Sees a Movement to Confine Grinding to Large Concerns Having Standard Output

Washington, Nov. 21.—A strong tendency toward concentration of the wheat flour mills in a number of the large concerns was noted by the federal trade commission in a report to congress of an investigation on the industrial made public today. The inquiry was made in connection with the general food investigation undertaken by the commission during the war. The trend toward concentration in the industry was attributed to the industrial development of the country and the demand for standardization of bands of flour from the large centers of population. This condition has largely eliminated the small capacity mill in the last decade, it was said, as the large concerns are better able to supply a uniform product. Ten of the larger milling companies, the report said, now have a productive capacity of more than half the flour consumed in this country.

Basing its figures on sales of thirty-seven companies, the commission's report shows that in the five years from 1912 to 1918, the average price of flour increased from \$4.15 to \$12.22 per barrel, or 146 per cent, while retail prices increased only 119 per cent and the farmer received an increase of 160 per cent for his wheat.

More than 12,000,000 tons of bituminous coal were produced in the U. S. during the week November 12, the geological survey estimated today in its weekly report. Had it not been that many miners were idle on armistice day, a production record for the year probably would have been made in 1919.

The soft coal output thus far this year is placed at 476,000,000 tons which is less than the production during the same period in 1918 by 38,000,000 tons, but approximately 67,000,000 tons ahead of the total of the first 270 working days of 1919. It is significant to note, the report said, that 1920 is now within 6,000,000 tons of 1917 when requirements were large and production about equalled consumption.

Anthracite production during the week ending November 13, the survey found, was 1,755,000 tons, compared with 1,415,000 tons for the preceding week.

NOTICE.

All parties having accounts or notes are requested to call and settle same at the old stand with C. K. Bestor or myself. John F. Gorder. (td & d)

IOWA VILLAGE ABOUT BURNED

Council Bluffs, Ia., Nov. 22.—McClelland, a village twelve miles northeast of this place, was nearly destroyed by fire early this morning. Only 184 of 400 houses, 175 business buildings were destroyed.

NOTICE
To Joanna Coleman and — Coleman, her husband, real name unknown; Charles Greenleaf Howard and — Howard, his wife, real name unknown; Rezin W. McCombs and — McCombs, his wife, real name unknown; Hester Ann Pearson and — Pearson, her husband, real name unknown; Joseph F. Pearson and — Pearson, his wife, real name unknown; Mary Duffray and — Duffray, her husband, real name unknown; J. W. Anderson, real name unknown, and — Anderson, his wife, real name unknown; Emily E. Anderson and — Anderson, her husband, real name unknown; Hugh A. Duffray and — Duffray, his wife, real name unknown; Harry Warren and — Warren, her husband, real name unknown; Harry Lemmon and — Lemmon, her husband, real name unknown; Amanda E. Saunders and — Saunders, her husband, real name unknown; Albert D. Welton and — Welton, his wife, real name unknown; Catherine Beiler and — Beiler, her husband, real name unknown; Tacie A. Laughlin and — Laughlin, her husband, real name unknown; Edward E. Chapin and — Chapin, his wife, real name unknown; Roy M. Chapin and — Chapin, his wife, real name unknown; May E. Chapin and — Chapin, her husband, real name unknown; Forence B. Chapin and — Chapin, her husband, real name unknown; Ira Chapin and — Chapin, his wife, real name unknown; Oscar W. Laughlin and — Laughlin, his wife, real name unknown; Michael Conroy and — Conroy, his wife, real name unknown; John H. Neill and — Neill, her husband, real name unknown; E. A. Wiggenhorn, real name unknown, and — Wiggenhorn, her husband, real name unknown; Marshall D. Abbott and — Abbott, his wife, real name unknown; Morris Rose Pearson and — Pearson, her husband, real name unknown; D. Matilda Pearson and — Pearson, her husband, real name unknown; Adelska B. Pearson and — Pearson, her husband, real name unknown; Rosa B. Pearson and — Pearson, her husband, real name unknown; Stephen S. Abbott and — Abbott, his wife, real name unknown; Lewis M. Abbott and — Abbott, his wife, real name unknown; Abiliah Abbott and — Abbott, her husband, real name unknown; Dana C. Pearson and — Pearson, his wife, real name unknown; Frederick Koehers and — Koehers, his wife, real name unknown; Edna Stevenson and — Stevenson, her husband, real name unknown; Estelle Doom and — Doom, her husband, real name unknown; Belle Doom and — Doom, her husband, real name unknown; Rich, her husband, real name unknown; Marion Abbott and — Abbott, her husband, real name unknown; Emma Abbott and — Abbott, her husband, real name unknown; L. M. Abbott, real name unknown and — Abbott, his wife, real name unknown; John Brown and — Brown, his wife, real name unknown; Nancy A. Waters and — Waters, her husband, real name unknown; E. B. Coleman, real name unknown, and — Coleman, his wife, real name unknown; Helen Cecilia Lewis and — Lewis, her husband, real name unknown; Jane Dunn and — Dunn, her husband, real name unknown; Reuben A. Chapin and — Chapin, his wife, real name unknown; or if dead, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives or persons interested in the respective estates, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter (SW 1/4 NW 1/4) and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4 SW 1/4) of Section twenty-eight (28), and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter (SE 1/4 NW 1/4) and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter (NE 1/4 SE 1/4) of Section thirty (30), all in Township twelve (12) North, Range nine (9), East of the 6th P. M., except a private road sixteen (16) feet wide on the top of the block on the east side of Greenwood Creek, south from the public highway on the north side of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, following the meanderings of said creek south to all the lands and each of you who are defendants in said real estate, all in Cass county, Nebraska; and all persons claiming any interest of any kind in said real estate, or any part thereof, as well as the defendants Walter A. Laughlin, administrator of the estate of John Bergmann, deceased, and Lombard Investment Company, a corporation, defendants; that on the 28th day of July, 1920, John E. Lambert filed his petition in District Court of Cass county, Nebraska, against you and each of you, as well as Frank S. Ashcraft and Mary Spangler, his wife, and Myrtle M. Coleman, his wife, and Harvey D. Coleman and Mary E. Coleman, his wife, defendants, the object and prayer of which is to remove clouds and quiet the title to the lands and each of you who are defendants in the personal defendants and each of them, to some right, title, estate or interest in the premises, to-wit: that the defendant real estate, as herein set forth, be forever barred and enjoined from claiming any right, title, interest or any part thereof, or to said land or any part thereof; that the defendant real estate, as herein set forth, be forever barred and enjoined from claiming any right, title, interest or any part thereof may be bound and concluded by the degree herein as to all matters herein adjudicated. It is alleged in said petition that the defendants specifically named in this action each falsely claim to have some right, title, estate or interest in said real estate or some part thereof, the exact nature and extent of which claims are to the plaintiff unknown but that the same are effectual to and do cast a cloud upon the title of plaintiff to said real estate; that the defendant real estate, as herein set forth, have no right, title, interest or any part thereof, and that the plaintiff and his grantors, predecessors, assigns and assigns have been in the peaceful possession of said land, and every part of it, for more than ten years past and that the legal title thereto has become vested in Frank J. Spangler, not only by the purchase of said land, but also by the adverse possession of said land by the plaintiff and his grantors, predecessors, assigns and assigns more than ten years prior to the commencement of this action; that the defendant further alleges that the defendants J. 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