

# Union Department

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## FARMING-- The Basic Industry!

The business of farming is the basic industry upon which all of the industries of the world depend. Of course, even the very life of the people of the world depends upon the production of food.

When the farmer raises no crops, the banks of the country have no money, the merchant's business is poor, the manufacturer has little demand for his goods and the whole world is topsy-turvy.

Farming is the greatest business in the world. This bank lends every encouragement possible to farmers. It appreciates that its prosperity depends upon the prosperity of the farmer.

## Bank of Union UNION - NEBRASKA

E. W. Keedy and wife visited in Omaha last Sunday, driving up in their car.  
Fred Clarke was called to Omaha last Saturday to look after some matters of business.  
H. H. Becker was busy last week sawing lumber at the home of M. R. Jay over near the river.  
Mrs. Nancy McNamee was looking after some business matters in Nebraska City last Monday.  
Vern Gish and Charles Hathaway delivered corn to the McCarthy & Sturm elevator last Wednesday.  
Ardon Thieman and Will Reynolds delivered hogs last Monday to the Nebraska City live stock market.  
Benedict Elbe, of Council Bluffs, was a visitor at the home of Herman Fahrlander during the past week.  
Miss Jessie Todd was looking after some business matters and visiting with friends at Nebraska City on last Saturday.  
Messrs. Lloyd and Ed Lewis were visiting with friends and looking after some business in Union on last Thursday.  
Jay Austin went to Lincoln last

Monday where he visited and looked after some business matters for a short time.  
Peter Spangler and Val Gobelman delivered wheat, corn and oats to the elevator of McCarthy & Sturm last Monday.  
John Hoback recently sold 500 bushels of corn in the field to Wilbur Stites, and has some thousand bushels still in the field.  
Say things are not cheap? A. L. Becker is selling 1 1/2-inch brass trimmed work harness for \$80, which sold last year at \$125.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cross were attending services at the Presbyterian church in Plattsmouth last Sunday, driving over in their auto.  
Clifton Clarke, who is employed in Omaha, was a visitor in Union over the week end, returning to the metropolis Sunday afternoon.  
Durwood Lynde and wife spent Washington's birthday at the home of Mrs. Lynde's parents, L. J. Hall and wife, at Nebraska City.  
Mrs. Frank Pinkle and sons, Leo and John, were looking after some business matters in Nebraska City

### Twenty-Two Young Men!

The Wesleyan Glee Club, of Lincoln, will give an entertainment at the M. W. A. hall in Union on—

**FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 25TH**

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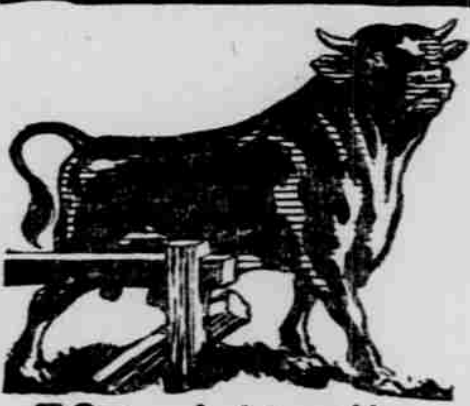
That's the way to look at painting—as an investment, not an expense. Look around you at the houses going to rack and ruin. What is doing it? The weather. There is only one defense against weather and that is paint. But paint, like weather, is of many kinds. Beware of the fair weather paint. It does not protect, it only deceives. Buy a paint that has proved its staying power.

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last Monday, going down on the train.  
Hear the Glee Club at the Woodman Hall Friday evening, February 25th.  
Lemuel Barritt was visiting with the home folks and others friends in Union over Sunday.  
Messrs. Ruel and Stephen Taylor shelled and delivered their corn to the Farmers elevator last Monday.  
C. F. Harris and wife were looking after some business matters in Nebraska City last Monday, making the trip on the train and returning home with Miss Mary Becker and mother in their car.  
Just before leaving for his new home in the west, A. J. Loveless purchased a Red truck of the Willis garage, which he drove overland.  
Misses Edith Frans and Verna Harris visited over Sunday at their homes in Union, returning to their work at Nehawka Monday morning.  
Mrs. K. D. Clarke, of Weeping Water visited friends and relatives in Union over Sunday and returned to her home Monday morning on the early train.  
While Joe Banning was visiting at the home of his brother, John, near Lindsay from Friday until Monday, Mrs. Banning looked after business at the store.  
Mrs. Davis Fries and Miss Bernice Ballot, of Sioux City, were visitors at the home of Robert Willis for the past week, returning home last Saturday.  
Mrs. Lillian Carraber of Plattsmouth, who is employed in the Masonic home at that place, was a visitor with friends in Union Wednesday last week.  
Uncle Eli Eaton, who has been sick for the greater part of the winter, was down town Monday for the first time this year, and says he is feeling a little better.  
King Clarke of Omaha was looking after some business matters in Union last Saturday and visiting at the home of her parents, C. W. Clarke and wife of this place.  
Nelson Martin sold a phonograph a few days ago which went to Nehawka. Nels has the agency for a fine instrument and is a ruster when it comes to selling the same.  
Installation services will be held at the Baptist church Thursday evening, March 3. There will be speakers from home and abroad. Everybody cordially invited.  
George K. Staats, of Plattsmouth, who has been in the postal service in the country sent for the past nearly twenty years, was a visitor with friends in Union last Monday.  
A. O. Pearsley shelled and delivered his corn crop the fore part of last week to the Farmers elevator, receiving the prevailing price of 46 cents per bushel for the same.  
Fry, J. Clugger, of Plattsmouth, was looking after some business matters near Sciota last Monday, making the purchase of a hog from one of the farmers in that neighborhood.  
James Lewis will depart today for the northern portion of the state, where he expects to make his home during the summer in the neighborhood of Coleridge, where he resided last season.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Todd and Miss Jessie Todd, of this place, attended the funeral of the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Todd, of Plattsmouth, last Monday afternoon, driving up in their auto.  
"Bud" Lindsay is working at the Willis garage thus allowing E. E. Moore to spend some time assisting with the work at the shop of A. L. Becker, and between the two men, they are keeping up the work at both places.  
During the absence of L. G. Todd in Plattsmouth last Monday, W. H. Porter looked after affairs at the elevator, and with the assistance of J. C. Snaeveley, the two made an excellent team for the work.  
Wayne Lewis, who is engaged in the barber business at Plattsmouth, accompanied by his wife, were over Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merritt, returning to their home in the county seat last Monday morning.  
The specialist, Dr. Loughridge, of Omaha, who is handling the case of Matt McQuinn, and who is a man of much experience with such cases, expresses his confidence that Mr. McQuinn will recover, which is pleasing news to his many friends.  
G. W. Edminton, who has moved to near Murray, was a visitor in Union last Monday. George Shrader has moved to the place which Mr. Edminton just vacated, while C. A. Lee moved to the home of Mr. Shrader, having formerly lived on the Glen Perry place.  
Mrs. Mable Reynolds, who has been confined to her home during the past two weeks with an attack of la grippe, has won out in her struggle with the malady and is again able to look after business at the Farmers store, where she has been missed.  
Charles Bowdish, of Omaha, was in Union last Thursday and Friday, closing up some land transactions with a number of people in and near Union who have purchased land of him in Colorado during the past few months, and whose purchases have in every instance proved highly profitable to the buyers.  
There is a pretty good movement of corn to market at this time, and with the improvement of the roads, it is expected to increase. The price at this time is 46 cents, and with a fairly generous supply of cars the grain is moving rapidly. This is relieving business conditions and helping to restore trade relations. While everyone is desirous of receiving better returns there is a tendency among the farmers to make the best of the situation.

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Miss Angie McCarroll, who is teaching at Syracuse, was a visitor at the home of her parents on last Sunday.  
Waley Miller, for many years a resident of this vicinity, but who is now making his home near Walthill, was a visitor in Union a few days last week, leaving Sunday for his home in the northern part of the state.  
Miss Mary Becker accompanied her mother, Mrs. A. L. Becker, to Nebraska City one day this week, where the latter is receiving chiropractic treatments for rheumatism, from which she has been troubled for some time.  
W. H. Porter demonstrated the fact that a man can do things himself when he is unable to secure assistance, by dressing two large hogs last Friday, making the sausage and rendering the lard. We declare "Bill" is a pretty handy man.

**A Worth While Practice**  
It has been the habit of the faculty to provide something outside of the regular course of studies for the students of the high school from time to time, and in line with this policy last week they secured Dr. C. M. Swab for an instructive and entertaining talk on the subject of "Personality." Dr. Swab made his theme applicable to the student as well as the man of affairs in the business world. The practice of having such talks at intervals is a good one and is proving popular with the students as well as productive of much good.

**Services Sunday at M. E. Church**  
The Rev. A. C. Honham of Council Bluffs, Iowa, will deliver a discourse at the Methodist church Sunday morning, February 27 at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to this service. Other services of the church will also be held.

**Business Getting Better.**  
A. L. Becker, the merchant, and C. W. Clarke the hotel man, as well as many others, are saying that the business matters are assuming better conditions and that trade is increasing. We think we also notice more people and more trading, the roads are getting better to travel and there are more people shelling and delivering grain, even at the lower prices, and are getting in condition for the coming spring work. At the place of business of Frank Bauer, that gentleman is so busy that he does not have time to tell us the news now. Go to it, gentlemen, we are for you and hope business may greatly increase.

**Mrs. M. J. Burbee Better.**  
Mr. Herbert Burbee went to Omaha last Wednesday and accompanied his mother home after her stay of two weeks in the hospital there. Mrs. Burbee is making very satisfactory improvement and is gaining in strength since arriving home.

**Orchestra Getting in Condition.**  
The Union orchestra, composed of a number of local musicians were over to Nehawka last week practicing and this week will furnish music for a dance given at that place. The personnel of the orchestra is Ellis LaRue, trap drummer; Carl Frans, banjo; Miss Bessie LaRue, piano; Deibert Irwin, violin, and Ray Clausens, saxophone. They make a fine orchestra.

**Received Bad Burn.**  
White two little children of Mrs.

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**A. L. BECKER,**  
UNION - NEBRASKA

Nellie Sheffield were playing about the house the other day one of them accidentally brought a hot poker in contact with the face of the other, giving it a very serious burn.

**Will Give a Play.**  
The L. T. K. club met with Miss Mable Harris last Tuesday and had a delightful time in a valentine party, which they gave. The pleasant hours were spent in games and music which were climaxed by delightful refreshments. They made plans for giving a playlet about the last of March which is known as the "Rosary."

**Fractured Arm Saturday**  
While engaged in sawing down an apple tree last Saturday, Roy Lee, son of A. C. Lee, who have just moved to the Geo. Shrader place, had his arm caught and broken when the tree fell, notwithstanding the fact that his father and brother were endeavoring to pull the tree away at the time. Dr. J. F. Brendel dressed the arm and the young man is getting along very nicely.

**Leg Broken Last Monday.**  
Last Monday morning when Geo. H. Shrader was endeavoring to ride a horse which was supposed to be gentle, the animal began bucking and threw Mr. Shrader off breaking his right ankle, and fracturing a number of bones in the foot. Dr. Barritt reduced the fracture and during the day and night following the injured member was giving much pain. The horse which he mounted to ride to the barn for the purpose of working, had no bridle, but only a halter, but it was supposed to be safe, as the children had rode the animal during last summer.

Now is the opportunity to hear an excellent entertainment, clean and filled with fun and good entertainment. The charges will be very low and especially wehn considered as it is a most excellent entertainment.

**Will Give Entertainment.**  
The Wesleyan Glee Club of the Wesleyan university, will give an entertainment at the M. W. A. hall in Union on Friday evening, February 25th, which will be a rare treat to the people of Union and vicinity. These are the finest of young men singers composed of about thirty fine young men voices, and will be well worth the time of any one who in any way appreciates music. The charge will be very moderate.

**Matthew McQuinn Very Serious.**  
It was deemed after a consultation last week that it was the best thing to take Mr. Matt McQuinn to a hospital in Omaha, where better facilities could be had in treating his case. He was accompanied by the family physician, Dr. J. F. Brendel, and Mrs. McQuinn, and after having been there long enough to obtain a slight rest an x-ray was taken of his side, and it was determined after a critical examination of the picture that it would require a major operation, but an incision would be necessary for the draining of his lung, which was filled greatly with puss from the infection. It was thought that it would require the removal of one of the ribs in order to get at the puss cyst. A telephone call from Omaha on Monday morning requested W. H. Marks to come as Mr. McQuinn was very serious. Thomas McQuinn however, returned home Monday afternoon, and reported the father as feeling some better. His condition is regarded as very grave, however.  
(Union continued in Monday's)

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