

Alvo Department

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C. M. Jordan and Charles Ayres shipped a car load of hogs to the South Omaha stock yards last Wednesday.

W. H. Warner is a rustling young man of some 74 summers, is assisting on the C. M. Jordan farm northeast of Alvo.

Ora Cowles of Bellevue was a visitor for a short time last week at the home of Mrs. Walter Wyatt, south of Alvo.

Edward Bade, of Dunbar, and wife were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kallmeyer in Alvo last Thursday.

Wm. Stewart and "Shorty" Taylor have been busy during the past week sinking a well for the former near Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dinges were visiting at Syracuse and attending Decoration day services at that place on last Friday.

D. B. Davis, of Elmwood, was a visitor with the family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Humpley of Alvo last Sunday.
Messieurs J. H. Stromer and A. B. Stromer were visiting in Lincoln on last Wednesday and also looking after some sheeping as well.

Walter Reeder, representing the Geo. F. Wilson Oil Company, of Elmwood, was looking after some business matters in Alvo last Thursday.
Mrs. J. A. Schaffner and father, H. S. Ough, brother Chester Ough and sister Miss Violet Ough, were spending last Friday (Decoration Day) at Lincoln.

J. W. Banning and wife were spending last Memorial day and Sunday at the home of relatives in Union, driving down to that flourishing city in his car.

Mrs. Manning, wife of the agent who has been relieving H. H. Moore while he was away, arrived a few days ago and spent a short time with her husband and a week with the members of the Alvo Woman's Reading Club met last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, where they enjoyed a most worthwhile program last Wednesday.

The members of the Modern Woodmen of America in Alvo last Thursday memorial day service at the Methodist church June 15, and will be conducted by the Rev. C. A. Norlin.

The Knights of Pythias appropriately celebrated the occasion of their memorial day last Sunday, when the services were conducted by the Rev. C. A. Norlin of the Methodist church.
The Rev. C. A. Norlin was over to University Place last Monday evening, where he went to be present at the graduation of his daughter, who was finishing her studies at the state university.

Charles Ayres, who is a very enthusiastic Mason, was in attendance at the laying of the cornerstone of the new Nebraska Masonic Home, which was held in Plattsmouth last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Foreman was in attendance at the banquet which was given by the Alumni meeting of the state university last week in Lincoln, and where she with the others enjoyed the occasion very much.

Simon Rehmeier, while at Kansas City, looked for H. H. Moore, who was also there, but just missed him as he had departed for Chicago, where he went to spend a few days before returning to Alvo.

One of the most pleasing features of the Knights of Pythias memorial was the songs by the Alvo Quartette, which is composed of Messrs. F. E. Cook, Elbert Taylor, John D. Forman and Herman L. Bornemeier.

George Hall was a visitor at the county seat and guest fohs brother Joseph H. Hall, M. D., and also attended the celebration of the laying of the cornerstone of the new building being erected at the Masonic Home.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church met last Thursday with their member, Mrs. W. L. Copple and enjoyed the afternoon most pleasantly as well as profitably in the caring for the work of the society, which is always in a line of helping the church.

B. Ben Appleman and Herman L. Bornemeier were at Plattsmouth last Tuesday in attendance at the laying of the cornerstone of the new unit of the Masonic Home of Nebraska. Mr. Appleman, who is a friend of A. B. McCarthy of Plattsmouth, remained for over night and enjoyed a longer visit with his friends.

Charles Kirkpatrick has been having some substantial improvements made at his home, which has added much to the appearance of his portion of the town, among which is the constructing of a new porch, which he has had enclosed, and has repaired the house and this time has changed the colors, which also has changed the whole appearance of the place.
Little Jakey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daugherty, who has been so very sick for some time following a case of the measles and which required that a number of teeth be extracted and later was taken to the Shumaker hospital at Lincoln, where

he has been receiving treatment and following which he is showing very marked improvement, and now promises to be restored to health again in due time.

Simon Rehmeier, the grain man, who is also an ardent Mason, having attained the 32nd degree, and is as good as Mason as he is a grain man, and that is saying a good deal, spent a number of days at Kansas City last week in attendance at the convocation of the Shriners, who were in convention there. Simon says he had a very enjoyable time while he was with the other 80,000 Masons celebrating, but, O' Boy! how he was feeling when he got home, for he had not slept during his stay there.

The Live Baby Had Grown.
The live baby which H. D. Richardson gave away last Christmas and which he procured from Bert Kitzel and which was won by Carl Johnson, has become notorious and has grown so goodly proportions by this time. He is engaged in the dairy business at this time and is working on the farm of Carl Johnson, where he milks one cow, besides rooting around at other times. The live baby was at that time a pig, but now a hog, and a good sized one, but he had not forgotten his early training received from his former owners, for he sucks the cow.

The Free Movies
The business men who have in hand the entertainment of the people of Alvo, will present on Saturday, June 14, the "Man Who Would Not Die" while the funny will be "Todd of the Times." Don't miss it because it is free.

Marked and Decorated the Graves.
There was no gathering for Decoration Day for Alvo, but a committee of which Arthur Dinges was chairman, marked the graves of the soldiers who sleep in the beautiful cemetery at Alvo, those of the Civil war being Wm. Linch, Joe Mullen, Alex Skyles, Wesley Bird, L. W. Friend and Rev. E. L. Uptekrove, while the ones of the World war are Ray Parriss, Dan Donnelly and I. Prouty.

A Worth While Dog.
John Foreman, who is a chicken fancier and of which he has a lot of them, noticed the action of his dog which is a splendid animal, who kept barking about a pile of wood which was near the chicken house, and about which the chickens were scratching and basking in the sun. After the dog had barked there for some time, Mr. Foreman went to see what was the matter and removing the wood he dog snatched a weasel, while another got away. The dog seemed to know that the animals were only waiting to get at the chickens.

Alvo Feeling a Bit Chesty.
Elmwood has a ball team of which they are justly proud, and they should be for they have lost only two games this season, the first to Ashland, while the latter was won by Alvo. Now, this has put a lot of pep in the Alvo team and they are looking for more worlds to conquer, or in other words, are looking for other ball teams to vanquish. They have not as yet challenged Lincoln, but there is no telling what they may do soon.

Children's Day Exercises.
The celebration of Children's Day at the Methodist church by a very appropriate program which the ladies of the church had prepared, was given by the children and enjoyed by a large number of people who were gathered to celebrate the event.

Married at Council Bluffs.
On last Wednesday at Council Bluffs was celebrated the wedding of Miss Lydia Newkirk of Alvo and Mr. Clarence Veeders, and on their return to their home here they were entertained during the evening by a crowd of their young friends, both boys and girls, who gave them a charivari which was well worth while, for they made the evening hideous with the eternal din, until the groom came across with the treats, when they wished the newlyweds a peaceful journey through life.

Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.
Last Monday being the fourth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dinges, they celebrated the occasion very beautifully by a six o'clock dinner at their home. The occasion was made more enjoyable as it marked the wedding of a sister of Mrs. Dinges, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nyden of Havelock, were present as well. Those to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. George Bray and daughter, Miss Venus, of Syracuse; S. L. Dinges and wife of Unadilla; parents of Mr. Dinges, and a brother, George Dinges, and Miss Marie Gallagher of Havelock. The wedding occurred just one year after the discharge of Arthur Dinges from the World War.

TWENTY-FIVE PAS-TORS BODYGUARD AT THE FUNERAL

Methodist Church Filled to Overflowing at Last Rites For Bishop Homer Clyde Stuntz.

Last rites for Bishop Homer C. Stuntz of the Nebraska and Iowa district, were held Friday afternoon at the First Methodist church in Omaha in the presence of more than 1,000 persons. Men and women in all walks of life crowded into the church until every pew was taken in the gallery as well as the church proper. Flowers of all colors and kinds were banked at the altar of the church before which the flag-draped casket was placed.

After the reading of the scriptures by Rev. G. T. Notsen of Sioux City, Bishop Thomas C. Nicholson of Chicago gave an address in eulogy of the late bishop. He said that in a possession at this time he said, was a letter received from Bishop Stuntz 24 hours after the death of the bishop. In this letter, he said, was the same keenness, even judgment and comprehensive interest in the general conference. No indication of illness was apparent, he said.

"The bishop was a man of great personality," said Bishop Nicholson. "He was incapable of playing any trick or any pettiness. He was a human, had a keen wit and was a gracious and an engaging conversationalist. Perhaps the most noticeable thing about him was his ability to gather young people around him. When I was of the faculty of Cornell college and he was pastor there, Bishop Stuntz was the idol of the students. He knew personally and by name every student on the campus. The bishop made the college town a recruiting place for missionaries."

"The bishop was a great evangelist. He walked and talked with God. He had the faith of everyone because he believed that to lose faith in humanity was to lose faith in God. Everywhere the bishop went he became a man of adaptability. He was a successful man at a job anywhere. Perhaps the only criticism anyone ever made of Bishop Stuntz was that his interests were so scattered. There has never walked in the shoes of any Methodist minister in America, a true American than Bishop Stuntz. He was an unqualified believer in fundamental religion."

Bishop Titus Lowe of Singapore, formerly associated with Bishop Stuntz as pastor here, spoke for the board of foreign missions of the church.

"When I was in India," said Mr. Lowe, "there were men who marveled and wondered at the way in which Bishop Stuntz could grasp religious and political problems of the country. His ability was known everywhere, even into the far flung. While in the Philippines, Bishop Stuntz made a record for himself and the country that has never been equalled. He cleaned out the squalor there and drove opium users away. Everywhere the bishop went the echo of evangelistic work was heard."

At the bishop's funeral, fraternity dominated his personality. His was the kind of democracy that was high. His brain was the type that juggled with problems until they cleared. The bishop was a lover of God. He was swept out of himself when he prayed in fact he swept all of us out of ourselves and we would forget the man. "Love for children was remarkable in Bishop Stuntz. I have seen him play with the children on the floor of my home lying flat on his back and allowing the children to pull his hair and mustache."

But we must all be called some time. It was only 20 months ago that the man who called Bishop Stuntz to India passed away and other prelates have gone before him. He will walk in heaven with the great men and when he meets his Master he will be told that his work has been well done."

A biographical sketch was given by Dr. C. C. Gissell of the Methodist area office. Dr. J. E. Wagner made the announcements. A quartet from the church choir sang the bishop's favorite hymns.

As the casket was taken from the Iowa and Nebraska areas numbering more than 25 acted as honorary pallbearers and formed a bodyguard. Active pallbearers were Rev. Arthur Atack, Rev. M. Allen Keith, Rev. F. E. Pfoutz of Plattsmouth, Rev. E. L. Baker of Fremont, Rev. George D. Roberts of Glenwood, Rev. J. O. Corder of Missouri Valley, Iowa; Rev. R. Burton Sheppard of Council Bluffs.

SIMMONS' MOTHER HASN'T BEEN TOLD

Condemed Man's Attorneys Make Renewed Efforts Before Governor and the Board of Pardons.

The aged mother of Walter Ray Simmons does not know her son is to be electrocuted at the Nebraska penitentiary June 10, unless a reprieve is issued by Governor Bryan or the board of pardons and paroles, according to Josiah Coombs of Spencer, attorney in the case. Mr. Coombs came to Lincoln Friday in connection with the Simmons case. He found that Judge Holmes had filed a request with the governor for a reprieve so that one such application is now lodged with the governor as well as with the board and there need be no deadlock in regard to whether the board or the governor

should act if the request is granted. Mr. Coombs denied, as did Judge Holmes, the charge that any truth in the counter affidavit said to have been obtained by County Attorney Wallace of Boyd county, stating that William Wabs said Harlan B. Black said he was to have \$500 if Simmons' sentence was commuted.

"But Simmons, a brother," said Mr. Coombs, "has borrowed money to pay expenses in this case and he has furnished less than enough to do that. It cost us \$300 to take testimony in Boyd county, including \$70 for transcribing the testimony. We paid witness fees and I ran a car 100 miles to get witnesses. My car was broken and I had to pay \$20 expenses for repairs out of my own pocket. Bert Simmons is telegraph operator at Junction City, Ore., for the Southern Pacific road. He is in debt and had to borrow what he could to pay for the trip to this case. His sister is unable to help much if any. The aged parents of Simmons are supported by their children. The mother has never been told of her son's conviction and sentence of death."

Mr. Coombs came to Lincoln to ascertain the contents of counter affidavits brought here by County Attorney Wallace. He met the county attorney at the capitol and a short conference was held.

"I do not know why the county attorney wants to put in on this," said Mr. Coombs. "He had an opportunity to be present at the taking of depositions by us at Butte but he did not enter the room. Neither did the attorney general send a representative or make an appearance but Wallace was about the building most of the time and evidently in touch with what we were doing in the open."

Mr. Coombs said it was true that Bert Simmons sent \$250 to him for expenses and that a banker tried to hold the money on account. "I settled with the banker in the matter of an attempt to foreclose on the building, and I got the \$250," he said.

Secretary of State Pool, Attorney General Spillman and Governor Bryan, composing the board of pardons, will endeavor to read the testimony presented by Judge Holmes. If it is found to be of value a reprieve will be issued by the board or the governor by June 10 for a period of thirty days so that the board can advertise and hold a formal hearing on Simmons' renewed application for commutation of the death sentence. If the board can make a decision prior to June 10 and finds nothing new in the testimony deserving of investigation Simmons will go to the electric chair June 10 under the provisions of a reprieve issued by the governor May 22.

MRS. BARCLAY POORLY

From Saturday's Daily—
Mrs. William Barclay has for the past few days been in quite serious condition as the result of a very severe cold that she contracted and which has proven very stubborn and in the last few days has made it necessary for her to keep confined to her bed. Her condition is still very serious it is stated by the members of the family.

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MEMORIAL DAY IS OBSERVED AT NE-HAWKA LAST WEEK

Impressive Services Are Held to Honor the Memory of the Boys of 1861 to 1865.

Memorial Day was fittingly observed in Nehawka last Friday, just like Nehawka does everything else which she attempts for her record has been one of success. Her auditorium stands for what a town can do when she attempts anything with the people behind the proposition, and we shall have another illustration in the successful oil well in the course of a few months. True, they are meeting with some difficulties, but they will win out in the end.

Memorial Day was observed by the closing of the business houses during the hours from ten to twelve. A firing squad went to the beautiful Mt. Pleasant cemetery, where a salute was fired over the sixteen veterans of the Civil War rest, and fired over the resting place of their mortal remains where sixteen little girls had decorated with beautiful flowers, each little Miss having a Civil War hero of her own to decorate.

When the salute was fired two buglers who had come from Nebraska City and were furnishing a portion of the program of the day, being in the adjacent woodland, furnished the echo to the guns of the firing squad, by their bugles which made a most impressive incident fittingly illustrating the results in this time of peace of the sacrifices of the boys of '61 to '65. In town the program was most fittingly carried out in the program which was put over. With the entire city appropriately decorated, the address which was made by the Rev. Bradley of the Christian church, was given in the auditorium and which was listened to by a crowded house, there not being room for more to enter.

Rev. Bradley gave an address which who heard say could not be surpassed for its patriotism and eloquence, and is seldom equalled. There was a most imposing parade of the Legion boys, and songs by the high school glee club, and in all the day was most fittingly celebrated. Fortunate in Nehawka that none of her sons were lost in the late World War, and the only soldier dead in their cemetery is the boys of the Civil War, which number sixteen.

There are in Nehawka three boys who served in the Spanish-American war: R. H. Chapman, Will Kruger and Alpha Bell, two of whom served in both the Spanish-American and the World wars, they being Alpha Bell and Will Kruger. The Legion Post of Nehawka is composed of boys from Union, Murray and Nehawka, all taking part in the program, which marked the observance of Memorial Day.

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GIVES EXHIBITION OF TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT

C. J. Connett, Former Trainmaster of the Omaha Division of the "Q" Writes of Showing.

From Thursday's Daily—
A very interesting story of the development of railroad transportation in the northwest was held at St. Paul, Minnesota, recently by the Great Northern railroad and which was told very interestingly by C. J. Connett, former trainmaster of the Omaha division of the "Q" in a letter to Superintendent William Baird of the local shops.

For the purpose of demonstrating the progress that has been made in the railroad rolling stock and the conveniences of travel for the public, the Great Northern had on exhibition the first train ever operated in Minnesota which was on the St. Paul & Pacific railroad, the former of the present Great Northern railroad.

The pioneer railroad operated between St. Paul, which in that time (1862) boasted a population of 10,331, and St. Anthony, later Minneapolis, and which then had a population of 2,564. The train would leave St. Paul at 8 a. m. and at 8:45 would arrive at St. Anthony, a distance of ten miles away, making a running time of forty-five minutes.

The train was pulled by the locomotive "William Crooks," which was built at Plattsmouth, N. J., in 1861, and which was sent by rail to La Crosse, Wisconsin, and from there transported by boat to St. Paul and arrived there in September, 1861. The rest of the railroad equipment did not arrive until in June, 1862. On June 28, 1862, the first train was run over the line, consisting of the locomotive, which was a wood burner and the tender carrying two cords of wood, a tiny combination baggage car and smoker and a day coach. It frequently happened that the supply of fuel would run out and the train crew be pressed into service to rustle wood along the right of way for the locomotive.

The modern Great Northern railroad has 8,251 miles of track and employs over 30,000 men on its system, which shows the onward march of progress. The Oriental Limited,

the crack train of the railroad, was used in connection with the pioneer train to show the progress of railroad work and this great locomotive of the 2500 series was larger than several of the tiny ones of the early days, and the all steel coach equipment with the new style Pullman, parlor and dining cars were certainly a great showing of what the last half century has developed in railroad.

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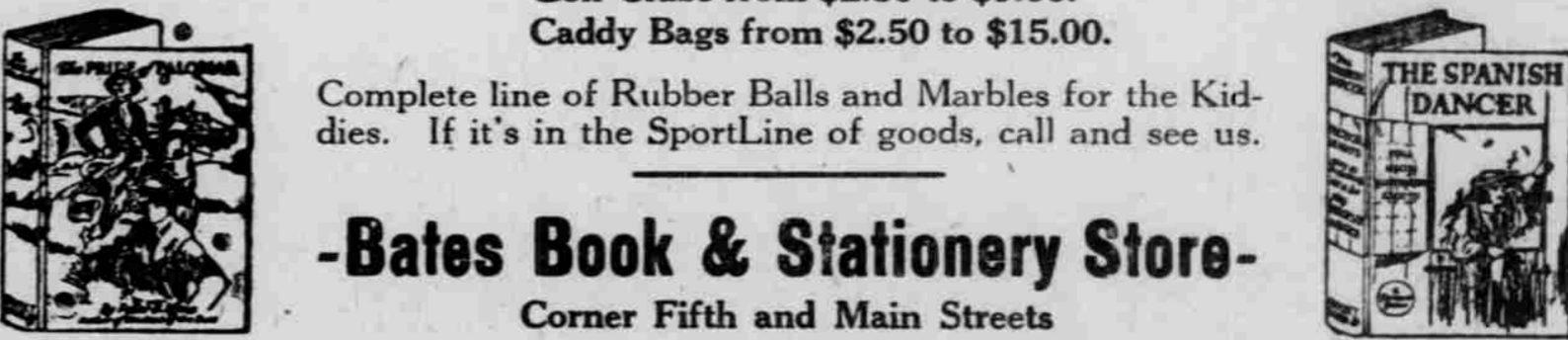
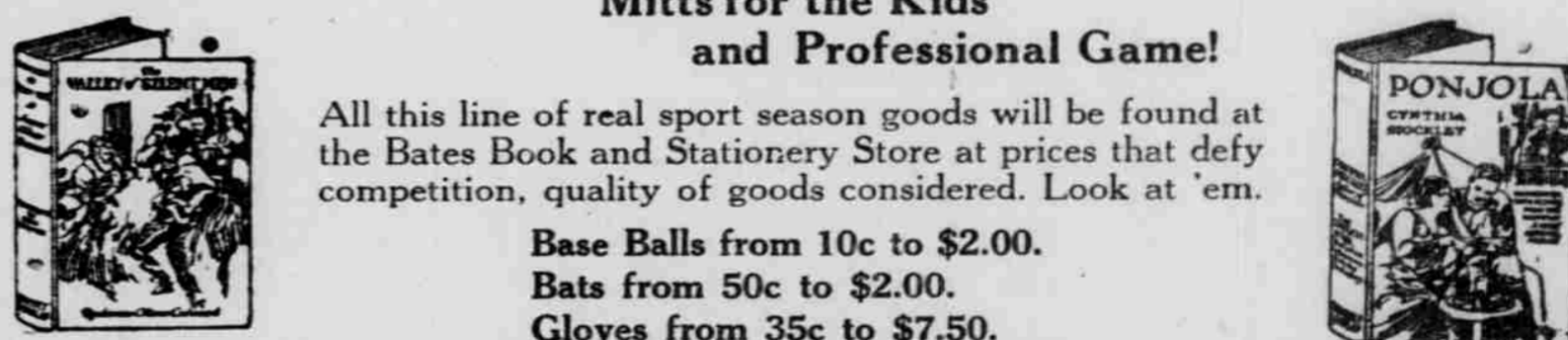
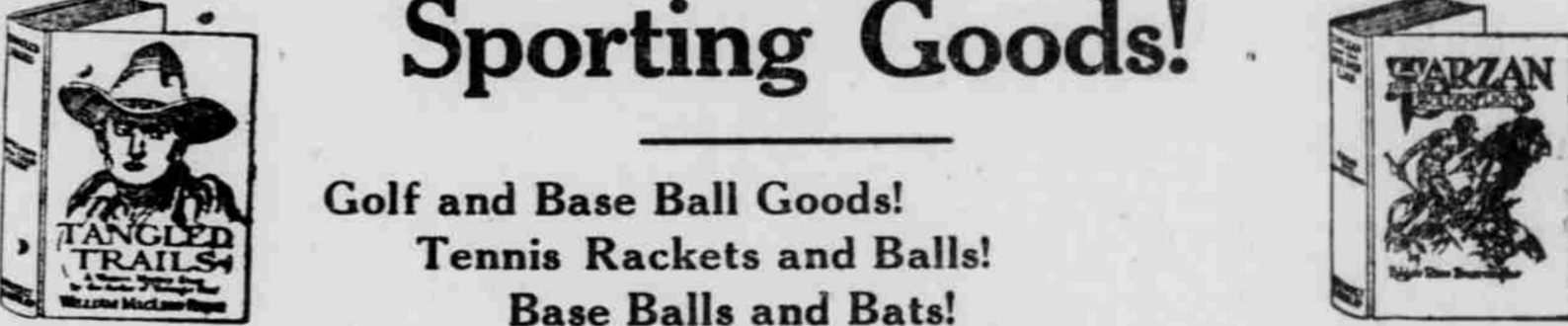
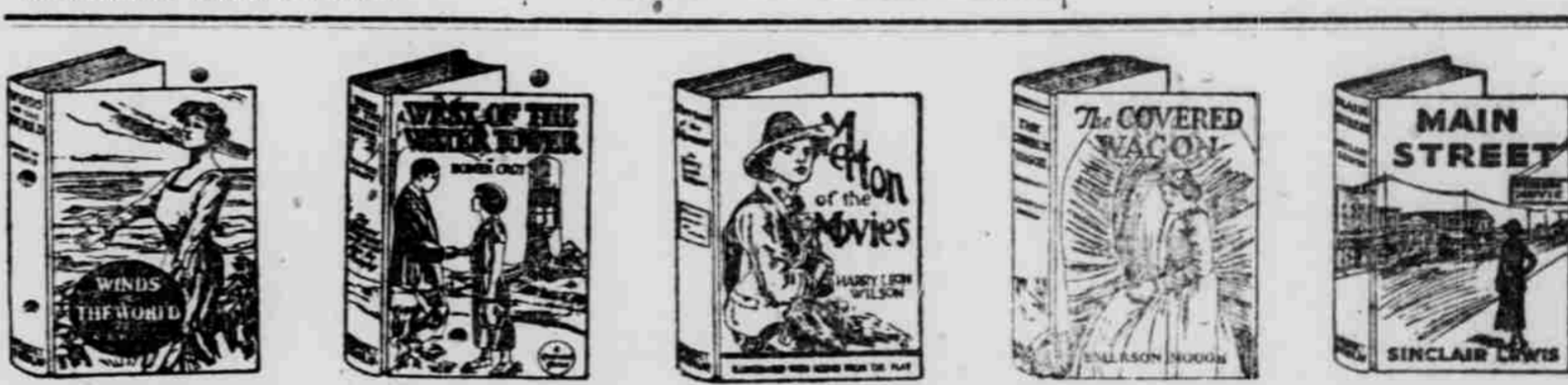
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