

Bargain Wednesday, February 16th, 1927

Bargain Wednesday has saved you many a dollar in months past—it will do the same for you this month. Read these prices and profit thereby.

- Men's and Young Men's 3-piece Suits.....\$15
- Men's high grade English Back Overcoats, each.....\$25
- Men's English Corduroy Pants, guaranteed. Per pair.....\$4
- Men's odd Dress Coats, well made, full lined, each.....\$6
- Young Men's Overcoats, stylish make, sizes 14 to 20.....\$10
- Boys' Overcoats, big variety colors and materials. Ages 4 to 8.....\$4
- Youths' Overcoats in brown and grays. D. B. Ages 9 to 13.....\$6
- Men's Xtra Quality Fast Color Blue Overalls and Jackets. All sizes at.....\$1
- Men's Jersey Sport Sweaters. V neck, coat front. Each.....\$2
- Boys' good Wool Faced Coat Sweaters, assorted colors. Each.....\$1
- Men's good heavy Winter Union Suits specially priced at only.....\$1
- Children's Novelty Suits—Corduroy, Jersey and Wool.....\$3
- Men's Dutchess Trousers. \$1 a rip; 10c a button. Good dress grays, pair.....\$3
- Men's 36-inch Sheep Lined Coats. Fur collar. Double breasted. Only.....\$7
- Men's Wool Flannel Shirts—Best make. Regular sizes. Each.....\$2
- Boys' Knicker Suits—Double or single breasted. Real bargains at.....\$3
- Boys' Jersey Lumber Jacks—Rib bottom and cuff. Each.....\$1
- Boys' Flannel Shirts or Waists—Very good quality, color, brown. Each.....\$1
- Boys' warm Rib or Fieeced Union Suits specially priced at.....75c
- Boys' fast color Blue Bib Overalls. Sizes to 14, priced special at.....98c
- Men's all wool Black Rib Pull-Over Sweaters. Very warm. Each.....\$2



Wescott's

One Price
And No Monkey Business

Railroad Gives Views of Traffic Problems Today

Bus and Truck Makes for Less Business on Railroads and Less of Employment.

From Saturday's Daily—
Plattsmouth, Neb., Feb. 10, 26.
To the Public:
With the rapid inroads the bus and trucks are making on the income of the railroads, we feel it is time the matter be placed before the citizens of Plattsmouth and Cass county in such a way they will realize it is just as vital to their prosperity (as it is to ours) that the bus and truck be regulated in the same manner and on the same basis as the railroad.

The Burlington has been serving you for over fifty years, thru good years and bad; in good times and in adversity. The service may not have been at all times what you desired, but it has been in keeping—if not better—than the returns warranted. It has always guaranteed to get you or your merchandise to your or its destination, and ninety-nine times out of a hundred, on time.

During the time it has been serving you, it had on its payrolls in Plattsmouth and Cass county from \$18 (at the present writing) to 840 employees. Its payroll has run from \$736,416.00 for the year 1926, to \$876,456 during more prosperous years.

It pays \$56,841.00 annually in taxes in Cass county.
Out of every dollar earned it pays 43.11 per cent for labor and 33.06 per cent for material and supplies, all of which goes right back into business. In other words, 76.17 per cent of every dollar earned goes right back into business. Of the remaining 23.83 per cent, 5.75 per cent goes for taxes, leaving 18.08 per cent for depreciation, interests, etc.

Before the railroads could turn a wheel to serve you, they first had to obtain a charter to do business in the state. Next, purchase right of way, build grades and bridges, erect shops and roundhouses—all at great expense. In addition, in all towns and cities they must maintain conveniences, safety devices, etc., for the protection of the public.

To operate its trains it requires an engineer, fireman, conductor and from one to three brakemen, besides trackmen, maintenance men, dispatchers, and clerks. Compare this with their competitors in the bus and truck line. They purchase no right of way, build neither roads nor bridges. Their only tax is the license fee, which is nominal. It only requires one man to operate; he is the complete operating unit. They operate over the roadway constructed and maintained by the taxes paid by the railroad and public, and charge you on the same basis as the railroads.

A railroad employs men in proportion to the business they do. If we have no business we cannot employ help; we have no use for it. The more business we do, the more men we employ. The more men we employ, the more business this community does. If the bus and truck get the business it means loss to the entire city and community so when we do not prosper, you also are the loser.

Some say, "Well, the bus gets me there sooner than the train. I can get my business transacted and get back home in good time." But, did you ever stop to think that without the railroad you might not have the business, so it resolves itself into what the Good Book says—"No man can live

unto himself." We must work together for the good of all. We leave it to you to do what you think is for the best interest of Plattsmouth and Cass county.

WM. BAIRD,
Shop Supt.

RECOVERING FROM ACCIDENT

From Saturday's Daily—
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Coryell of this city have received word from their daughter, Mrs. F. L. Curley, of near Blair, who was one of the victims of the auto accident a few days ago near DeSota that resulted in the death of Mrs. Alex Hitchman.
Mrs. Curley has been at the hospital recovering from the effects of her injury and is now feeling somewhat better, altho she still feels the effects of the injury and to which is added her grief at the death of her close friend, Mrs. Hitchman.
Mrs. Curley was pinned beneath the car and had her back badly bruised and a severe scalp wound that has troubled her a great deal and also suffered a severe shock of her nerves. Mrs. Curley had her head and shoulders pinned beneath the car and it seemed, hours she states before enough men could be brought to the scene of the accident to move the car and permit the release of the ladies who were pinned under the overturned automobile. In the nature of the accident, however, the members of the party feeling fortunate that they suffered no more severe injuries than they did.
Mrs. Curley gives a story of the accident that gives the particular of the affair. When Mrs. Hitchman came around the curve at the DeSota hill she had to turn out to avoid a car standing along the roadside and the car struck the soft ground outside of the gravel and the car refused to be held in the road, crashing into a small bank and overturning.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY QUIET

From Saturday's Daily—
The anniversary of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, civil war president of the United States was not observed to any extent in the city as far as closing or features of the day was concerned.

The anniversary of this day has been one of the holidays that the legislature has designated as being one in which the courts and county offices could legally transact business and accordingly the Cass county court house was open for business as usual.

The banks of the city also remained open as usual and aside from the display of the flags in the streets standards it was merely Saturday to the average person instead of the anniversary of one man whose strength of character and determination had kept the union of states together and not permitted two nations to raise on this continent.

The United States and the whole world owes much to the life of Abraham Lincoln, the man of sorrows and whose life of sacrifice and disappointments was closed by the bullet of the assassin.

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Dr. John A. Griffin
Dentist
Office Hours: 9-12; 1-5.
Sundays and evenings
by appointment only.
PHONE 229
Soennichsen Building

Bargain Wednesday!

- 3-piece Living Room Suite.....\$119.00
- 4-piece Bed Room Suite.....99.00
- Simmons Beds, full size, brown finish, each... 6.90
- 9x12 Congoleum Rugs, new Spring patterns... 11.95
- 9x12 Congoleum Art Squares, with two small rugs FREE. The three for..... 9.65
- 9x12 Axminster Rugs, at..... 39.50
- Seven Victrolas (Terms).....\$25.00 to 75.00
- \$600 Story & Clark Piano (Terms)..... 250.00

MATTRESS REDUCTIONS

- \$25 best grade Felt Mattress, for.....\$ 18.00
- \$12.50 Mattress, priced at..... 8.50
- \$10 Mattress, now only..... 6.90

Ghrist & Ghrist

Plattsmouth, Nebraska
118-122 So. 6th St. Telephone 645

RECEIVES SAD NEWS

From Saturday's Daily—
This morning a message was received here announcing the death of Mrs. Barbara Heiser at Bakerfield, California, the sad news coming to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gobelman, Mrs. Heiser being a sister of Mr. Gobelman and daughter of Chris Gobelman of this city.

The death came as a great shock to the relatives here as they had not known of the illness of Mrs. Heiser until the sad news of the death came here.

Mrs. Heiser was fifty-three years of age and formerly resided in Montana, going to California three years ago and has since made her home at Bakerfield. She is survived by the husband as well as the relatives in this city.

Frank R. Gobelman is at Milwaukee attending the International Painters convention and was reached there today by the family and notified of the death of the sister.

Owing to the distance and the fact that the funeral services are to be held at once it will be impossible for the members of the family here to attend the last services.

AN OLD TIME VEST

From Saturday's Daily—
A relic of the foxy costumes of a half century ago in old England, is in the possession of Harry Johnson, himself a native of the old country across the sea. The article is a vest of seal skin fur that was at one time a real part of the Sunday dress of the English gentlemen in the rural parts of England and which Mr. Johnson cherishes as a remembrance of his more youthful days in the old home. The vest is still in good shape and shows the excellent material of which it was made to withstand the wear and tear of the years. The vest has concealed buttons and is a heavily quilted affair that makes it warm and comfortable to wear in the chilly days, doing away with the necessity of heavier top coats.

GOOD FARM FOR SALE

If interested ask H. E. Becker or Frank A. Cloldt. f12-21w-1wd

NOTICE 8 MILE GROVE

Property owners are asked to burn all weeds along property abutting on roads and highways.
RALPH MEISINGER,
Road Overseer.

FAIRVIEW SCHOOL

You are invited to the program at Fairview school, six miles west of Myard, February 18, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Everybody welcome.
f14-21w EVELYN JACKMAN.

Your ad in the Journal will be read by 75 per cent of the buying public.

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Farm Loans

Optional Payment at Any Interest Date!

Five to Twenty Years Time!

—SEE—

Searl S. Davis

Farm Loans Insurance Investments Real Estate

FARMER FOUND DEAD IN SHED

Farragut, Ia., Feb. 11.—J. W. McMahon was found dead in a cob and coal house on the place where he was living. Mrs. McMahon went to the cob house to get fuel and found him. He had been shot with a shotgun through the left breast.
The coroner was called and after examination made report that he had accidentally shot himself while handling the gun.

Eagle School Head to Leave at Year's End

Superintendent Wayne Soper Well Known Educator to Take Advanced Educational Work

At a meeting of the board of education Monday evening, February 7th, Superintendent Wayne Soper was re-elected for another year by unanimous vote of the board and urged to continue his services in the capacity of school head for another year.

However, Mr. Soper declined to accept, and after eight years of continuous service as superintendent will step out of the position. His present plans point toward entering either Chicago University or Columbia University, New York City, for the purpose of securing his Ph. D. degree, after which he plans to enter the field of Administration and supervision instruction in university work.

Already Prof. Soper has his Master's degree from Nebraska State University and considerable graduate work towards the Ph. D. both at Nebraska State university and Chicago university. Last summer he instructed in Nebraska State university summer session and has been asked to take a similar position this coming summer. He declined that offer also in order to begin his study at Chicago or Columbia this summer.

Mr. Soper is the only superintendent our school has had since consolidation. The school has steadily advanced from "C" accreditation to a position as member of the North Central Association, the highest accreditation possible. It now ranks as Nebraska's outstanding successful Consolidated school.

There will be a flood of candidates for the position because of reputation the school has over the state. The board plans to select the best man they can get for the money they feel able to pay. He will be chosen early so that he may have opportunity to help select teachers for what vacancies may occur. Superintendent Soper will act only in an advisory capacity in that function inasmuch as he is leaving. He feels that the man who is to work with the teachers should have much to say about the ones selected.—Eagle Beacon.

CHICAGO BANDITS GET \$8,000 RAIDING GAMBLING HOUSE

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Two automobiles filled with robbers armed with a machine gun and several shotguns Thursday night raided a west side gambling house, lined up several patrons and the owner and are reported to have obtained money and jewelry valued at \$8,000.



Poultry Wanted Wednesday, Febr. 16th Plattsmouth, Nebraska

Live poultry wanted to be delivered at the Peoples Produce Station, Plattsmouth, WEDNESDAY, February 16th, one day only, for which we will pay the following—

- Cash Prices**
- Hens, per lb.....20c
- Springs, under 4 lbs., per lb.....21c
- Stags, per lb.....15c
- Old Roosters, per lb.....10c
- Ducks, per lb.....20c
- Capons, any size, per lb.....23c
- Leghorn Poultry, 5¢ lb. less

Farmers, Notice!
Although our prices may be slightly lower than others, your money is guaranteed, for we carry an account with The Farmers State Bank, of Plattsmouth, where our checks will be honored immediately.

Peoples Produce Company
145 South 6th St., Plattsmouth, Neb.
HENRY KLINGER, Mgr.

Need help? You can get it quickly by placing your ad in the Journal.

Not One Day, but 'Everyday Cash Prices' at Our February

CLEAN SWEEP SALE

If you haven't been taking advantage of our low everyday prices, start now to reap the benefit of cash buying. We save you money on every purchase.

Special Bargain
Wednesday
FIG BARS
New Fresh
Stock
Pure, fresh fig filling. Fine for kiddies
Per Pound
10c

- Otoe Lima Beans—No. 2 size cans, each.....13c
- Canned Milk—Choice of any brand, can.....9c
- Oil Sardines—Fine American oil, per can.....6c
- Gallon Apples—Fine for pies. Per can.....39c
- Alaska Red Salmon. 1-lb. tall can.....29c
- Sardines—Tomato or Mustard pack.....10c
- Curfew Peaches—Lg. No. 2 1/2 size can.....25c
- Pitted Red Cherries. Gal. can.....\$1.18
- Gallon Peaches—Fine quality. Per gallon.....69c
- Oleo—Cream of Nut or Nucoa. Per lb.....25c
- Wisconsin Maid brand Oleo, per lb. only.....22c

- Syrups**
- Corn Syrup—Large gallon can for 1/2 Gallon, 23c.....45c
- White Table Syrup. Gallon can for 1/2 Gallon, 27c.....52c
- Maple Syrup—Farrrell's, 65c can for.....55c
- Relishes, Etc.**
- Ketchup—Large bottle, all brands, each. Small size, 13c.....20c
- Quart Jars Mustard for only.....21c
- Chile Sauce—Beech-nut brand, Lg. bottle.....24c
- Richelieu Dressings, 45c value, only.....38c

- Cleansers**
- Lewis Lye—Reg. 15c cans for.....12c
- Creme Oil Toilet Soap, 3 10c bars.....22c
- Pearl White or Electric Spark, 10 bars.....33c
- Olive Oil Toilet Soap—Six bars for.....25c
- FLOUR**
- PAGE'S BEST—Per 48-lb. bag.....\$1.95
Made from Turkey Wheat
Every Sack Guaranteed
- SUN KIST—Per 48-lb. bag.....\$1.95
- OMAR FLOUR—Per 48-lb. bag.....\$2.19

- Dried Fruits**
- Thompson's Seedless Raisins, bulk, per lb. 25-lb. box, \$2.55.....11c
- Prunes—Large 40-50 Santa Claras, lb. 25-lb. box, \$3.15.....14c
- Peaches—Very fancy, semi-peeled, per lb. 3 lbs. for 65c.....23c
- Apricots—Fancy new crop, per lb.....29c
- White Cooking Figs, fancy, 2 lbs. for.....25c
- Toilet Paper**
- Toilet Paper—Fine Northern Tissue, roll.....9c
- Quality Toilet Paper. 4 large rolls for.....25c

- Blue Rose Rice—Fancy, 5 lbs. for.....43c
- Swansdown Cake Flour, per pkg.....35c
- Monarch Strawberry Preserves, large jar.....25c
- Navy Beans—Hand picked, 10 lbs. for.....69c
- Morton's Salt—Plain or Iodized, Per can.....11c
- Apple Butter—Large quart jar for.....25c
- Brooms—Fine 4-tie Parlor quality, each.....37c
- Graham Crackers—2-lb. caddy for.....34c
- Matches—Blue Tips. Carton of 6 boxes.....20c
- Sugar—Best granulated, 10 lbs. for.....69c
- Golden Rod Rolled Oats, large pkg.....20c

Open Till 9 Bargain Wednesday—Many Values We Can't List!
H. M. SOENNICHSEN