

# Weyrich & Hadraba

—PRESCRIPTIONS—

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### Farmer-Victims of Drouth Given State Road Work

Governor Bryan's Relief Plan Also Seeks Feed for Stocks; Ask for Federal Aid.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 20.—A two-fold plan to relieve unemployment and afford relief for farmers of drouth-stricken counties in northern Nebraska, was perfected today by Governor Bryan.

Departing from the usual custom of awarding highway contracts, the governor first obtained an agreement with Knox county officials whereby the county will undertake a 14-mile grading project on Highway 84, connecting Bloomfield with Center, the county seat.

He then announced plans to appeal to other citizens of the state more generously to repair with crops this year, to contribute feed for live stock in the stricken areas embracing Boyd, Cedar, Knox, Holt, Keya Paha and Rock counties. This appeal, he said, will be made about October 1, the farmers and live stock men there saying they will be able to provide their own feed until about that time.

### Give Work to Many.

The highway arrangement was announced after a conference between the governor, Senator Koster of Nebraska; John Forsythe, Knox county commissioner, and State Representative Mark Lukens of Bloomfield.

The plan, the governor explained, will afford employment to hundreds of farmers in Knox county whose crops have been damaged by drouth for two years and destroyed by grasshoppers this year, and the loss of cattle from anthrax.

Under the agreement the county will do the work entirely by hand and team labor. No one man is to receive more than one hundred dollars for his work, which is to be alternated about to afford the same opportunity to all.

### Seeks Federal Loans.

The project described by Bryan as "purely emergency" will cost about 16 thousand dollars, and is the first he said he has planned in various stricken counties to afford the same relief. Although under the supervision of the county, the work will be paid for by the state.

Governor Bryan also announced that he would personally request the federal government to extend loans from the remaining drouth relief fund to farmers of the stricken areas for the purchase of feed and seed.

In appealing to other farmers of the state for help in feeding live stock in the counties afflicted, the governor said he expected the response of Nebraskans last year to the needs of other states. More than one hundred cars of foodstuffs then were shipped out, he said.—World-Herald.

Journal Want Ads pay.

## Bargain Wednesday

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# Fetzer's

38 pair Boys' Tan and Black Calfskin Shoes—Sizes 3 1/2 to 5 1/2. All hi-grade shoes in discontinued lines. **\$1.49 pair**

58 pair Children's Strap and Oxford Styles in patent and dull leathers. Sizes 9 to 2. **\$1.98 pair**

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## Alvo News

Mrs. P. Kahler has been visiting in Kansas for the past few days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. John M. Kahler has been rather poorly during the past week but is reported as being some better at this time.

George Braun and the good wife of South Bend were visiting for the day on last Wednesday at the home of parents, Mr. Yeager and wife.

J. H. Weichel was a visitor in Omaha on last Monday and had a load of very fine hogs on the market which were delivered there by John B. Skinner.

Coatman and Skinner on Monday of last week made three trips with stock to Omaha and then finished the day by hauling cobs. Not an extra good day either.

P. J. Lynch and the good wife and their daughter, Miss Alva, were guests for the day and dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weichel on last Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Westcott and Jennie Rouse were visiting in Elmwood on last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Walsh, who is sister of Mr. Weichel.

Roy Coatman was unloading coal for John Banning on last Wednesday and thus the coal warmed Roy this time and will serve the same purpose with some one else next time.

Lee Coatman moved their household effects to Lincoln on last week and are now at home so they do not have to travel back and forth. Business in their garage is very good.

S. C. Hardnock, wife and son, who have been visiting for some time with relatives in Wood River and vicinity where they were spending a week, returned home last week and were well pleased with the very pleasant visit which they had. They, however, report the crops of corn there as being very poor.

W. H. Warner, while he has completed the threshing of the grain in this vicinity is now at the hauling of clover. A piece of excellent clover which he hulled for W. C. Timlin produced two bushels of seed to the acre which is pretty fair. Mr. Warner was also hulling for W. E. Heiler but we were not able to get the yield of this piece.

Last week the W. C. T. U. of Alvo met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart where they were entertained royally by Mrs. Stewart who is a very clever entertainer and who has the knack of making everybody enjoy themselves at her home. The ladies had a good program and also were entertained by a delightful lunch served by the pleasant hostesses.

Rev. Ruel Jackson, pastor of the Methodist church of Alvo, who has been with the good wife, taking their vacation, returned on Saturday of last week and taking the good wife to Omaha on the following Monday where she was visiting with relatives.

Miss Velma Fulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fulton, arrived home this afternoon from Peru, where she has been attending Peru state college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fishel and son, Gerald, of Geddie Rock, Nebraska, are here for a visit with their nieces, Mrs. Alice Bates and Mrs. Martin Peterson and family for a short time.

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### LOCAL NEWS

from Thursday's Daily—  
Dr. L. B. Bacon of Pacific Junction was among the visitors here Wednesday to take advantage of the tree bridge over the Missouri river.

Attorney H. H. Kuppinger and Attorney Walter Johnson of Omaha were in the city today where they were called to look after some legal matters.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Tritsch and son, Maynard, of near Louisville, were in the city for a short time today looking after some matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Younker and daughter, of Glenwood, were in the city Wednesday for a few hours visiting old friends and looking after some business matters.

Mrs. E. H. Westcott was at Elmwood today where she was called on some matters in connection with her work as state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Carl Lincoln and Ray Honeywell, well known residents of near Pacific Junction were in the city Wednesday to spend a few hours visiting some matters and looking after some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rebal and children departed last evening for western Minnesota where they will spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ceibel, the former a brother of Mrs. Rebal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ellwell of Kimball, Nebraska, were here Wednesday for the day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson, former classmates at the state university. Mrs. Ellwell is also a cousin of Dr. R. P. Westover of this city.

from Friday's Daily—  
Attorney Carl Ganz of Alvo was in the city for a short time today, attending to some matters in the county court.

William McLennan, Elmwood banker, was in the city for a short time today to look after some matters in the county court.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long and son, of Aurora, Illinois, are here for a short visit with the old time friends and enjoying a short vacation.

from Saturday's Daily—  
Matthew Thilman of Murdock was here today for a few hours looking after some matters of business and visiting with friends.

Judge C. L. Gray was in Union today to mingle with the old friends at the Old Settler's reunion of which he was one of the founders.

Deputy Sheriff Rex Young was at Union today where he was assisting in the polling of the Old Settler's picnic and helping out in handling the traffic.

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### Moved Horseshoe Court.

The horseshoe court which has been very popular between the blacksmith shop and the store building of Wm. Stewart has been removed and is now located in the basement of the Berkhurst and Son store while during the forenoon the sun gets at the east end of the court, it is a most pleasant place to play during the afternoon.

### Writes from Honolulu.

Phillip Coatman, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Coatman, who is stationed at Honolulu in the Sandwich Islands with the government of the United States, as mechanic in the air service, writes very interestingly to the parents and friends here. Phillip passed his first examination in the mechanical service with honors and also was selected to take the position of the foreman during his temporary absence which is very flattering. Phillip describes the landscape as being very beautiful and also tells of a young man attached to the air service station who made a glider which he was able to keep aloft for seven hours and which looks very fine. Phillip is enjoying himself, some two thousand miles from his native shore.

### School Year To Open.

The school year for the year 1931 and 1932 will begin on August 31. This will enable the school to have a good vacation at the mid-winter and still complete their work by the time the warm weather comes in the spring. Also as has been in the past should some sickness close the school for a period, they still have an opportunity to get out in time.

### Dorotha Coatman Still Poorly.

Miss Dorotha Coatman who has been in poor health for the greater portion of the summer still remains poorly, not feeling the best from the infection of her lungs. Her grandfather, H. A. Ingwersen of Armour, South Dakota, was visiting in Alvo, coming to visit the granddaughter and the remainder of the Coatman family.

### Visited in Kearney.

Last week one day, Charles Godbey and wife went to Lincoln where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dickerson and the kiddies, they all going to Kearney where they visited for a few days with relatives and returned home arriving Sunday, after having enjoyed the visit greatly.

### Many Attend Picnic.

What is known as the Bushberry picnic, was celebrated on Sunday, September 16th, by some three hundred people, who as has been their practice in the past to gather some Sunday in August for an annual picnic and get-together. There were games, visiting and speaking and with one feature which in never fail to have was good eats and plenty of them.

### THREE HELD BY BANDITS

Crown Point, Ind.—Two young men held up A. G. Johnson, manager of the Palace Theater in Crown Point, early Monday and then kidnaped him, his wife, and the operator of the theater and took about \$650 in cash and three diamond rings belonging to Mrs. Johnson and valued at \$600.

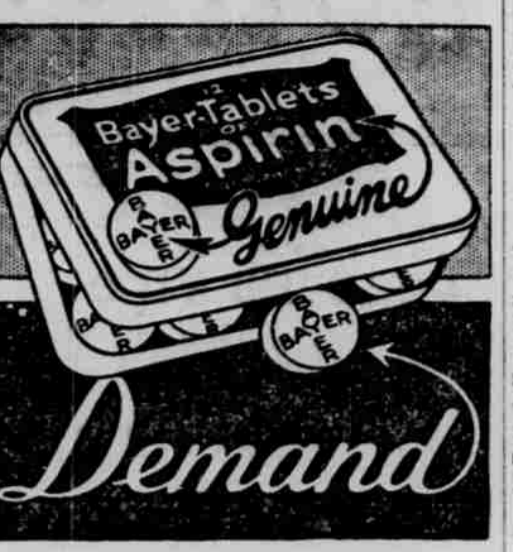
Afterwards, the men, both of whom were armed, ordered the three into a sedan on which there were no license plates. Then they were driven to Highland, Ind., about two and a half miles south of Hammond, and released.

### MASONALD RENEWS BUDGET CONFERENCE

London, Aug. 17.—Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald resumed conference with chief cabinet members Monday to formulate plans for saving approximately \$500,000,000 so that the national budget may be balanced. Outside was a crowd so large police had to keep it in order. Most of the throng were tourists from the British provinces, but there was a generous sprinkling of Americans.

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### OMAHAN TO FACE CHARGES

Omaha—Deputy County Attorney Yeager Monday night said he had prepared a complaint charging William Baker of Omaha with obtaining money under false pretenses. The complaint will be filed Tuesday morning, Yeager said.

Baker was arrested Monday after he had been named by Fred Therin, also of Omaha, as the man whom he paid \$50 for "protection" from a liquor raid. Therin was one of approximately 200 Omahans arrested in a citywide drive against alleged liquor resorts. The raiding started Saturday and continued until late Sunday.

County Attorney Henry Beal and Yeager conferred on the case and decided Baker could not be charged with bribery or blackmail. Of Baker, Detective Chief Paul Sutton said, "I don't know Baker and never heard his name mentioned until Therin made the charge. I since have learned of his reputation."

### 'HOPPERS AS BAIT

A Fremont, Ohio, firm has written to Lincoln inquiring as to the use of grasshoppers as bait in bass fishing. The communication was received by the American Legion headquarters and "Hard Boiled" Hank is invited to send specimens of the "hoppers to the Ohio firm with all plans and specifications. If the Ohio firm can use the Nebraska grasshoppers, they can have millions of them and removing them from the state and not a protest uttered even by Governor Bryan or Attorney General Sorenson. Local fishermen have used grasshoppers for bait for years and find them excellent. The fish having a great appetite for the insects, so come on Ohio and get your 'hoppers."

### U. S. TO QUIT IMPORTER'S DISAPPEARANCE AT SEA

New York, Aug. 19.—An inquiry into the disappearance of Hisashi Fujimori, Japanese importer, from the liner Belgenland between Halifax and New York last Friday, was ordered by United States Attorney George Z. Medlie Wednesday.

## 3 Million a Day

Said Crime Cost in United States

Wickersham Report Lists 'Staggering Total for President Hoover'

—Dry Cost High

Washington, Aug. 21.—The Wickersham commission places the annual cost of crime in this country at beyond a thousand million dollars.

Its latest report reached no lump-sum estimate but contained a series of staggering statistics which even in their conceded incompleteness showed a tremendous toll taken yearly by criminality.

Prohibition was named by the 657-page document, made public today after resting for at least a week on President Hoover's bookshelves, as a heavy contributor to this high cost.

It was estimated that \$34,228,559, or two-thirds of all the government funds appropriated for the administration of federal criminal justice during the year 1929-30, were expended toward prohibition enforcement alone.

In Nebraska the cost was given as \$63,816; in Iowa, \$78,923; in South Dakota, \$75,509; in Wyoming, \$19,620.

### Over 3 Million Daily.

Stunning almost every page of the report were scores of other certified and estimated figures dealing with both the annual direct and indirect cost of crime. Totalled they reached well above the \$1,119,790,000 mark, or more than three million dollars a day.

Here are some of the major findings:

- Hundreds of investigators, delving into the records of three hundred cities of more than 25 thousand population, found annual expenditures to combat crime were more than 247 million dollars.
- Cites Fraud Losses. Investigation into the activities of the 48 states found expenditures of approximately \$51,729,000 annually upon penal and correctional institutions and parole.
- The federal government was shown to contribute about \$52,786,000 annually to criminal justice, of which prohibition gets 66 per cent, the anti-narcotic and motor vehicle theft laws 19.8 per cent and all other criminal laws but 2.2 per cent.
- More than 10 million dollars is paid each year in the larger cities for crime protective services; more than 68 million dollars is lost annually through known fraudulent uses of the mails; known forgeries account for another 40 million dollars; theft of insured property annually totals more than \$47,747,000 while 106 million dollars more is contributed for crime insurance.
- Can't List "Buckets." Goldthwaite H. Dorr and Sidney P. Simpson of the New York bar, who engineered the study, for the commission, asserted these figures were but fragmentary. It was "wholly impossible," they added, to make an accurate estimate of the total economic cost of criminality in the United States.
- It was pointed out that the limitations of time and funds had balked even an estimate upon such huge levies as those extracted by organized bootlegging, extortion, racketeering, thefts of uninsured property, fraudulent bankruptcies, bucket shops and confidence games, ranging from the sale of "good bricks" to fixing fights and races.
- However, the findings actually set down in statistical form were said by the entire commission to "strikingly confirm the accuracy of the general belief that crimes impose a tremendous economic burden on the community."

### Give Omaha Costs.

The part played by the Nebraska cities studied was listed as follows: For Lincoln: Criminal police cost, \$61,332. Cost of criminal prosecution, \$7,768. Cost of criminal courts, \$11,656. Cost of penal and correctional institutions, \$10,330. Cost of probation, \$289. Total, \$99,775. Per capita, \$1.21. For Omaha: Criminal police cost, \$485,127. Cost of criminal prosecution, \$29,643. Cost of criminal courts, \$35,526. Cost of penal and correctional institutions, \$48,808. Cost of probation, \$6,437. Total, \$608,617. Per capita, \$2.84.

The figures for Omaha are for the calendar year 1929. Those for Lincoln are for 1930.—World-Herald.

### DOCTOR "NOT RESPONSIBLE"

Ogallala—Dr. W. E. Ash of Council Bluffs, Ia., specialist in nervous diseases, told county authorities here Friday night that Dr. H. J. O'Donnell is "suffering from impulsive insanity and is not responsible for his behavior."

O'Donnell pleaded guilty recently to having set fire to five buildings at Paxton, where he had established a practice in medicine. Dr. Ash also said there is nothing to be gained, Dr. Ash said, by imposing a prison sentence upon O'Donnell.

### WALKER GETS AN OVATION

Carsbad, Czechoslovakia—Broadway was never brighter than was the local theater Platz when the crowds filled it up before the curtain went up on the performance of the opera "Die Fledermaus" given in honor of Mayor Walker of New York.

When the mayor stepped into his flag draped box inside the jammed Stadttheater which was decorated with American colors, the applause was thunderous. With him was Bourgeoismeister Becker, and after the second act a toast to the mayor's health was proposed from the stage. He applauded the actors heartily and he seemed to enjoy the performance.

## Come to Plattsmouth Wednesday, Aug. 26th

Among the Bargains here are many for School Opening

### For One Hour!

10 to 11 a. m.

We will sell Men's and Boys' POLO SHIRTS in assorted colors at— **25c each**

Men's Covert Pants—Belt loops, cuff bottoms. Blue, gray—**98c**

Men's and Misses' all wool Bathing Suits—Plain colors. Sizes 34 and 36. Each—**\$1.29**

Men's Dress Straw Hats—Latest style—good for next year. Greatly reduced—**50c**

Boys' and Children's Straw Hats. A "steal" at—**5c**

Boys' Shirts—Blue cut, gray and some fancy. Full cut. Our best make. Each—**49c**

Boys' Pull-Over Sweaters—Assorted new patterns—**\$1.45**

### For One Hour!

7 to 8 p. m.

We will sell Men's Full Cut Wide-Ed \$1.00 4-IN-HAND TIES for— **45c each**

Boys' Whoopie Pants—Fast color. Elastic waist. Pair—**69c**

Boys' School Kerchiefs—Fancy border. Hemstitched. 9 for **\$1**

Boys' Sox—Just like dad's. Assorted colors. Pair—**16c**

Men's Blue Work Shirts—Two pockets, coat style. Sizes 15 to 17. A real value at—**49c**

Children's Royal Sleepers—Assorted patterns. Ages 1 to 4. Wednesday only—**39c**

### For One Hour!

1 to 2 p. m.

We will sell Kaynes WASH SUITS, sizes 1 to 6. Limited stock, at— **50c each**

Boys' Long Pants—Cuff bottom. Belt loops. Gray and brown mix. Fine for school—**\$1.47**

Boys' Golf Hose in assorted fancy patterns. Pair—**29c**

Boys' Muslin Gowns—Full cut. Ages to 16. Each—**49c**

Boys' Knicker Pants in assorted colors. 9 to 18—**69c**

Boys' Dress Caps—Assorted colors. 6 1/2 to 6 3/4. Each—**39c**

Men's Riding Breeches—Assorted whipcords, moles and cords. Sizes 30 to 40 waist. Double seat and knee. Pair—**\$2.39**

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