

## Wabash News

Will Murfin, who is employed at South Omaha, was a visitor at home last Sunday, returning in time to resume his work in the packing house Monday morning.

Leslie Bothwell and Bert Barden were in Weeping Water last Tuesday, where they were securing materials with which to make repairs on the home of Mr. Bothwell and his mother.

Ralph Dorr, with his force of employees, has been getting some forty acres of ground ready for the seeding of wheat, and since the recent rains has found the ground works nicely.

With the aid of Frank Colbert and his faithful team and Bert Barden, Leslie Bothwell was harvesting his potato crop and said he would have plenty for their home use, and of fine quality at that.

**Schools Open, Ten Enrolled**  
The Wabash schools, with ten students and Miss Hulda Schlaphof as the teacher, gathered on Monday of last week to begin their annual work in pursuit of knowledge. This is one less than last year, when there were eleven students. This will be offset however, by the return to school of one pupil who is now sick and unable to present the first week.

**Visited in the West**  
John C. Browne was spending sev-

eral days in the western part of the state, being for a time at Wauneta, where he called on his son, Will L. Browne and enjoyed a very fine visit. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Stromer and husband and their daughter, which made a party of four and they enjoyed the time which they spent there very pleasantly. While Mr. Browne was away, business at the elevator was looked after by Ira Helms.

**Recalls Days of Activity Here**  
Bert Austin, who was born at Des Moines, Iowa, where he spent his boyhood days, coming to Cass county in 1870, to reside here continuously for the past 65 years, recalls to mind the days when Wabash was the leading town of this part of the county and had bright prospects of further expansion. Then came the changing times, and while he has seen the business slip away and many of the inhabitants move elsewhere, he has continued on as a faithful resident of the town. He came to Wabash, as related above, in 1870, but later resided in Murdock for a time, where he was in business following the founding of that town.

Despite the changing times, Bert likes to recall the "good old days" of the nineteenth century, when conditions were as good or better than now, and people were able to make a living for themselves even in the hardest times, without having to resort to a dole or relief job. In those days people raised and produced more

## Miss Minnesota



Mildred Barrett

Petite, brown-haired Mildred Barrett was selected as Miss Minnesota to represent that state at the national beauty contest at Atlantic City. She is a resident of Marshall, Minn.

## PERHAPS HE WAS HUNGRY

Blair, Neb.—An unidentified motorist, said by witnesses to have been sane and sober, held a score of restaurant loungers breathless here Friday night when he:

Ordered and ate six fried eggs and all the trimmings, asking for more bread and butter, potatoes and other incidentals.

Then, he asked for a bowl of bread and milk, repeating and eating this order four times.

For dessert he had one-fourth of a cherry pie covered with a large dipper of ice cream. This was followed by a double size portion of malted milk and topped with a pint of vanilla ice cream.

Apparently still hungry, the stranger bought three candy bars and drove off into the night.

## P. E. O. TO YELLOWSTONE

Gothenburg, Neb.—A delegation of seventy Nebraska members of the P. E. O. sisterhood, headed by Mrs. Anna Loutzenheiser of Gothenburg, state president, will attend the supreme chapter convention at Yellowstone park Sept. 10 to 13. Among members of the delegation will be Mrs. Anna Mead of Omaha, Mrs. Marie Williams of Lincoln, Mrs. Bertha Clark Hughes of Omaha, Mrs. Helen M. Drake of Beatrice, Miss Lula Wolford of Lincoln, Mrs. Elizabeth Robertson of Beatrice, Mrs. Nellie Grant of Kearney, Mrs. Josephine Wadell of Beatrice, and Miss Rose M. Owens, Mrs. Lulah T. Andrews, Mrs. Viola Cameron and Mrs. Emma Gilbert of Omaha.

## SOUTHERN VETERANS MARCH

Amarillo, Tex.—Shouting their rebel yells and waving faded gray campaign hats vigorously in the air, veterans of the confederacy brought their forty-fifth annual reunion to an end here with a grand parade. More than 40,000 spectators saw remnants of Gen. Robert E. Lee's dwindling force march in ranks, many of them perhaps for the last time.

The United States marine band and six others in the long procession blared forth the southland's beloved "Dixie," and the old soldiers, despite their age, responded with lusty yells as they jerked their campaign hats from their heads and waved. Six survivors of Nathan Bedford Forrest's famous cavalry rode their horses.

## SAYS TEACHERS SCARCE

Kearney, Neb.—Would be school teachers were plentiful all over Nebraska two years ago; today they are scarce, declares Superintendent Harry A. Burke of the Kearney schools. All staff vacancies have been filled satisfactorily here, he said.

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of the things they consumed and were not so dependent on the complex system of distribution and modern luxuries that have been built up. While everything was going good and there was a continued credit expansion everything seemed to work fine, but when the break came and our credit relations, on which the bulk of business was being done, broke down, the exact opposite has been the case. Bert prefers the simple life of the old days as affording greatest security for the man who earns his living by the sweat of his brow.

## Health Improving

William Langhorst, who has been at Excelsior Springs, Mo., taking treatment for his health, writes to friends in Wabash that he is improving and is well pleased with the place and the people there with whom he has come in contact, all of whom are very friendly and anxious to do everything possible for his comfort and enjoyment.

"See it before you buy it."

## California's Suntain Champion



This brunette beauty, Miss Elinor Pihl of Pasadena, Cal., triumphed over her blond rivals for the title of "suntain champion of California" at a contest at Lake Arrowhead.

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