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AMBITION WILL WIN A MAXWELL

Big Opening and Special Starting Offer Made in This Issue. Five Minutes Reading Will Thoroughly Inform You All Questions Cheerfully Answered

START EARLY IT LASTS ONLY EIGHT WEEKS.

The bars are down, the way is clear. Realization need no longer make way for anticipation. You have long wished for an automobile, and if you don't have one within the next eight weeks without cost to you, it is so! your own fault. If your desire is equalled by your ambition, and you will devote only a part of your time to THE NORTHWESTERN's exceptional offer, you can have one of the most dependable cars made. The offer lasts only eight weeks and you can surely see the advantage in an early start without referring to the old adage of the "early bird."

What? You say there will be others? Certainly! But this is where self confidence plays the winning hand. Believe in yourself and you will win. There is a law which gives you the things you want, if your whole soul is in the matter. "Ask and you shall receive."

Considering that there is an element of chance, you are absolutely assured of pay for your time by our offer to pay ten per cent cash commission to all contestants who fail to win a prize and who make a cash report each week. Could you ask for a more liberal offer? Surely not. The manner in which votes will be issued and how to start is explained in an advertisement on another page in this issue. Read it over, and if there are still some things you do not understand, just call up phone red 138, and you will receive an explanation of anything you do not understand.

SPECIAL PRIZE OFFER

A set of silver knives and forks will be given to the contestant who turns in the most money on subscriptions up to and inclusive of Wednesday, Oct. 21, 6 p. m. Mail reports bearing a post mark of the town from where mailed on or before the above mentioned date will count in on this special prize offer. This offer does not interfere in any way with the issuing of votes.

THE PRIZES

In selecting our prizes, we have endeavored to pick out the things which are of interest to everyone. You will agree with us in saying we did well in selecting a 1915 fully equipped electric lighted and electric started five passenger MAXWELL. In addition to this we have purchased a better finished car than the regular stock car at a greater cost. We have been fortunate in securing an elegantly finished show car which has just double the number of finishing applications, applied to the regular stock car. This insures a more lasting luster. So you see that whoever gets this prize car will have a better car than can be bought a little later on. The MAXWELL has well been called the Monarch of all medium priced cars. The fine thing about the MAXWELL is the fact that it "takes you there" quickly and comfortably. There is no hill too steep or no sand too deep for the justly famous MAXWELL.

In selecting a \$100 list value diamond as second prize we feel that we have chosen a gift which will not only be a source of pride to the winner, but a prize which will always have an increasing cash value, a prize upon which cash may be realized in needful times.

A business college scholarship

or a phonograph will be given as third prize.

For the last two prizes we have decided to give two high grade watches, and the winners may have their choice of either Elgin or Waltham movements. A watch is your most valuable piece of personal property, and it is well known that you may question a man's politics, his religion, or his antecedents, and not have a fight on your hands but when you question the veracity of his time piece, you have "started something."

Five prizes in all make a truly generous list of gifts, but it must be remembered that we have not stopped here. The contest is going to last only the short period of eight weeks, and still we are going to give a cash commission of ten per cent to any contestants who fail to win a prize and who make a cash report each week from start to finish. This makes it impossible for any one to lose a penny no matter how much time they put in.

FOR MEN TOO

Our contest is not for women only, but men are eligible as well. When you figure it, down to a business basis, you can see that any man can well afford to enter the contest, for the winner of the car will be getting the same as about \$125 per week for their time while the winners of the smaller prizes will be getting well paid. The commission offer protects one and all who enter.

DETAILS

It is almost impossible to give the details of a proposition like this so that everyone will understand them, and we want everyone to feel at liberty to call at the NORTHWESTERN office at once and interview the Contest Manager about the things they do not understand. If it is impossible for you to call at the NORTHWESTERN office, call phone red 138 and ask for contest manager, or address The Contest Department of THE NORTHWESTERN, Loup City, Nebr. Necessary working supplies will be gladly sent out upon request.

The vaudeville entertainment given at the Dreamland by Gallup and Yeager, Monday evening, was good enough to deserve a better house than was given them and was pronounced first class by those in attendance.

Think Harvard Murderer is a Notorious Forger

Latest reports from various cities of the state indicate that the Harvard murderer and suicide had been engaged in the work of securing blank checks from the offices of grain and lumber companies and afterward forging and passing them. At Milford and Lincoln checks were stolen and at Lincoln some of them were passed at business houses. It is now believed the man was a smooth forger and that he may have been surprised by Mr. Trout at the Harvard elevator early in the morning while at work on the safe and that the murder followed an attempt of the manager to prevent his escape. Various numbered checks were found in the bandit's suit case by county attorney Corey and it is said one of the checks was made out ready to negotiate. With new evidence accumulating daily the identity of the man may yet be learned.—Aurora Sun.

Mrs. D. M. Woods returned to her home at Dannebrog last Saturday, after a short visit with her son and daughter, O. A. Woods and Mrs. H. G. Hosier of this city.

YOUNG MAN HAS BAD ACCIDENT

Thrown From Mowing Machine Loses Two Fingers.

OTHERWISE BADLY BRUISED.

Last Saturday forenoon Fred Trimble of North Loup, aged 22 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Trimble, was mowing on his father's ranch in the hills a few miles this side of North Loup.

Something went wrong with the harness and he went around in front of the sickle bar to fix it. In doing so the horse was frightened and kicked the young man and then the team started to run.

On account of the kick the young man was unable to avoid the sickle bar and was caught by it and dragged for some distance, his clothes being engaged in the sickle guards.

Fortunately the clothing tore, or was cut loose after some distance of frightful travel, and the young man was able to gather himself together and try to save himself. He found that two fingers were cut off and of course knew that he was otherwise injured, but how badly he knew not. He realized, however, that his first necessity was to get where help could be rendered before the loss of blood caused him to fall. He hastened homeward as fast as possible and soon reached a hired man who took him home with all possible haste.

Though the loss of blood was serious he stood the shock till surgical aid could be procured, and the imminent danger was passed.

The most serious item of the young man's injuries was the loss of two fingers and the consequent bleeding, but he is considerably bruised in addition.

His mother advises us this morning that he is resting well and is doing all right, considering the nature of his injuries.—Ord Quiz.

Gov. Howell and State Candidates to Tour Through Sherman County

We are advised that Gov. Howell and other candidates on the automobile tour throughout the state will be in Hazard at 1:00 p. m. next Monday, October 12, thence to Litchfield an hour later. They arrive at Cairo from Grand Island at 9 p. m., thence to Ravenna, Sweetwater, Hazard, Litchfield, Mason City and on up to

Broken Bow. On Saturday, Oct. 17, they will be at Greeley, Scotia, North Loup and Ord. These are the points at which our people may meet them contiguous to this county. It is expected and hoped that the county candidates and as many of our people as possible will meet and join the party when it reaches the first point in this

We learn that our good friend, J. F. Bock, who moved to Iowa some months ago, is lying in a hospital in Omaha very ill with some trouble. The many friends of Mr. Bock will deeply regret his illness.

Mrs. M. Leschinski was called to Rockville Monday morning by the reported serious illness of her mother.

OHlsen-MARVEL WEDDING BELLS

Miss Frieda M. Ohlsen and Mr. Jesse H. Marvel, Married Tuesday A. M.

TAKE TOUR TO WISCONSIN.

Married—Wednesday morning, October 7, 1914, at 5:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ohlsen, Mr. Jesse H. Marvel and Miss Frieda M. Ohlsen, with Rev. F. W. Guth officiating. After congratulations and an elegant wedding breakfast, the happy couple took the B. & M. for Omaha, where they will enjoy the festivities of Ak-Sar-Ben for a few days, thence to Plattville, Wis., to visit the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Marvel. They return in about two weeks and will be at home on the groom's farm just west of Arcadia. Everyone here knows, loves and respects Jesse Marvel and his fair bride and wishes for them a long, happy and prosperous married life.

Marsel Youngquest arrived with his car of goods last Friday from Watertown, S. D., and will soon go to housekeeping on his farm in Logan township. Mrs. Youngquest, formerly Miss Minnie Lofholm, with her two children, who have been visiting at Aurora till Marsel arrived with the car, arrived home last evening. The many friends of the worthy family will be pleased to have them with us again as home people.

Mrs. Albert Lee and children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Domgard in Webster township, returned home to Broken Bow, Tuesday.

TWENTY TWO SACRIFICED

Rev. Guth Mourns the Loss of 22 Cousins Killed in Present War.

THOUSANDS OF SIMILAR CASES.

Rev. F. W. Guth, German minister here, received a letter from his good mother, Tuesday evening, who lives in Illinois, advising him of the receipt of a letter from Seltus, Germany, with the sad information of the loss of twenty-two of his cousins so far in the great war in which Germany is practically fighting for her national life in the far east. Thus the wholesale murder of men in the far east comes home to our people with sad intensity. In every town and county in our country, perhaps, comes the sad intelligence of loss of relatives in the greatest war ever in history, and the end of the conflict is far in the future. Just think of it. Only two months of the great conflict has been on and already the people of this country from ocean to ocean are in mourning over the loss of friends and relatives in the various countries engaged in war. What can we think of the future, if it continues years, which is predicted will be the case?

Frank Christensen, wife and wife's mother of Omaha returned home Monday after a week's visit to the home of C. J. Petersen in Oak Creek township, the gentlemen were old friends of years standing.

C. L. McDonald and sister, Mrs. Schroll, were passengers for St. Paul Tuesday, returning home that evening.

Have You Seen Delavan's Comet

Delavan's comet is now a conspicuous object, and be so throughout October. At the present time it is so far north that it just grazes the northern horizon at about 10:30 p. m., and is visible both in the evening low down and a little west of north, and in the morning higher up and in the northeast. It appears to the eye fully as bright as a magnitude star, and has a tail several degrees in length. Though the comet appears fairly near the sun in the heavens it is actually far behind it. Its nearest approach to the earth was on Oct. 5th, but it was fully 145 million miles distant, and by the end of October it will be 169 million miles distant. It's tail, which is directed away from the sun, points away from us, so that we see it very much fore-shortened, which accounts for its apparent shortness. Though less conspicuous to the eye than some recent comets, notably Halley's, this is really a bigger affair. Had it come as near to the sun and to us as Halley's comet did, it would have appeared fully one hundred times as bright as it does now and would have rivaled Jupiter in splendor. Even in its present remote orbit, it will remain easily visible to the naked eye until the middle or end of November.—X.

Opera house, Friday night, Oct. 9, the "Two Black Bears," home talent play, 100 Loup City people taking part. Given under the auspices of the Baptist Ladies' Aid. Prices, 50c and 25c.

Miss Frieda Ohlsen was a passenger for Grand Island Monday noon to do some shopping.

Banker Carlson returned last Saturday night from a trip to Omaha.

The Blow Almost Killed Editor Brown

Don't ask this paper to sling mud, eggs or any other questionable matter at our democratic brothers during this campaign. We don't need to sling mud. Our principals will lead us to victory. If they sling eggs at you give them a bottle of milk of human kindness in return.—Custer County Republican.

On reading the above from the pen of Geo. E. Benschoter, we almost fainted, the shock was so sudden and unexpected. For

The high school pupils gave a basket supper and entertainment at the Daddow opera house last Friday evening for the benefit of the Loup City high school football team, and besides a good time

ALLIES RETIRE BEFORE GERMANS

Telegraphic Reports Are to the Effect That the Allies Are Retiring North of the Dnie.

GREAT EARTHQUAKE IN TURKEY.

The situation in Europe varies little from what it was last week. It would seem that the Germans are gaining some ground, as the French admit, but the British bulldog still snarls and shows his teeth and will not admit it. However, from dispatches received, over 200,000 men of the allied powers are prisoners in camps of their foes.

Apparently, the attempt of the allies is with intent of crushing the German right wing and if possible bring to and end this contest which for magnitude and stubbornness is without precedent in history. On the eastern frontier, the Russians seem to lead, the failure of the Austrians putting the Russian army into important advantage on the frontier. The usual reports are afloat on either side to the effect that fearful atrocities are being committed

Mrs. J. W. Burleigh returned from her visit to Omaha and points in Iowa last Saturday night, the editor, of course, going after her and returning from Omaha in the new Maxwell car purchased in that city by the editor to be given away in the coming contest, John Blaska and wife going down to the city and driving the car home. Any doubt that the car is everything claimed for it vanished in the delightful across the country ride. Some contestant is going to get a mighty fine auto in the next few weeks. Will it be you?

George Benschoter was down from Broken Bow last week, making arrangements, we understand, to start a job office in this city, and perhaps will find such golden lining to the possibilities that he may also conclude to start a third newspaper here, it is rumored. His lease on the Broken Bow Republican ended the first of this month. He returned to the Bow for a few days to finish up his affairs there.

A. L. Enderlee's good father came up from Hamilton county last Friday to visit him, returning home Tuesday of this week.

The Musical Samsons, in vaudeville three nights of last week at the Dreamland drew large houses and was very credible.

The many friends of "Uncle" Peter Jacoby will be delighted to know that he continues to make a satisfactory recovery from his recent severe illness. He was able to ride down to the barber shop one day last week, which was a quite notable achievement for one who has been so sick as he. At present there is reason to believe that he will soon be able to get about as actively as a man of his years should.—Aurora Republican.

About the first of this month, Jack Amick and John Oltman purchased the Dreamland of Ogle & Bechtold, and Tuesday of this week moved the same into the new brick building recently erected by Mr. Oltman adjoining the Loup City Mercantile Co's store. We understand the boys have the building fixed up in fine shape and will give the very best and latest of service along the picture movies. May success attend them.

The receipts of the evening showed a total of over \$35.

Tenus Biemond and wife and Mrs. Biemond's sister left Monday noon to take in a few days of Ak-Sar-Ben doings.