

Information is being scattered over the country that prices are coming down, that meat is taking a tumble and that the good house wife can have something to show for her money. Just why this should be is not agreed upon. Some say it is the fault of the bumper corn crop and some lay it to the democratic party. When the doctors can agree as to what made prices go up we might be able to tell why they came down—if they do.

Up to date there have been but eighteen players killed on the football field this year. Those that received broked bones and dislocations amount to but a paltry four hundred and twenty one according to the best information obtainable. This at first reading is enough to make anyone shudder but it is in reality a very fine showing for football since there were more than twice as many deaths and injuries last year. The new rules are much better than the old ones but there is still room for improvement and the thanksgiving games are yet to be heard from.

Now that the attractions have been secured for the chautauqua next year it is in order for everyone to put the shoulder to the wheel and make it a success. Here-to-fore we have had no choice in the selection of the talent which appeared on the chautauqua platform but this year our own board of directors made the selection and it goes without saying that it will be the best array of talent ever presented to a Webster county audience. We know for think we do which is the same thing what is best for our local needs. We ought to know what will please us better than some stranger who is not acquainted with us. It is an assured fact that the talent for next year will be excellent in every respect and will be well worth anyone's time and money.

In order that a town or city may make a substantial and steady growth it must have factories so as to induce people to make there home there. People will flock where there is employment. City or public work will give employment to but few men, and that only a portion of the year. The question of securing factories and other sources of employment must be agitated and inducements held out to either the citizens or outsiders to investigate the possibilities of successfully operating plants here. As a starter, we would suggest the feasibility of someone putting in a pickle and canning factory. We feel sure that our farmers would see the benefits such an institution would be to them as well as to the town.

Now that the democratic party will have control of the house the entire country is asking what will be done. From the opinions expressed by many of the leaders in the party it seems that whatever change is made will be done gradually so as to permit the country to adjust itself to new

conditions. The tariff as a matter of course will draw the attention of the legislators from the beginning but the old theory of free trade will hardly be substituted on the spur of the moment. One thing is certain and that is that the robber high tariff will be a thing of the past. Infant industries may need assistance but when those infants grow to be gigantic trusts and delegated with lordly money powers it is time to let them shift for themselves. John D. is surely able to hold his own without any tariff on oil and if we may believe what we hear about the sugar trust and others they are in need of no protection from the wage-earner.

The fact is that it is time for the people to take a hand. No one understands the tariff schedules except the men who draw them up and those men seem to be the ones connected with the large industries.

A Letter From H. W. Vincent.
 OMAHA, CURA, 11-3, 1910.

Kind friends I thought I would write you a few lines. We are all well and getting along fine. We had a nice trip over here. There were none of us sick on the water. We got in St. Louis laid there all day and seen part of the town. Left there the 18th and arrived in New Orleans the 19. Laid there till Saturday, we left the wharf at 12:30 o'clock and arrived in Havana Monday. We had a nice trip. I saw a good many flying fish and one sea turtle.

We left Havana that night and traveled all night and all next day. We went four hundred and forty three miles on the Cuban road. Havana has got some nice buildings in it. I saw the Maine as she lies in the harbor. We went close to Morro castle as we went in and dropped anchor close to the Maine. The boat I came over in was 400 feet long and 60 feet wide and drew twenty-two feet of water.

Well I like some of this country and some I don't. I think I will get some land at a place called Galis about fifty miles from where I am now. It is a nice country around there and you can get land for 25 to 30 dollars an acre according to the location. It is one mile from the railroad. Part is timber and part is prairie land with grass on it from 3 feet to ten feet high. The prairie is rolling a little. The timber land is level with good drainage to it.

I saw nice gardens down there. They had green beans and lettuce and cucumbers for supper that night. There is lots of fruit here, oranges, lemons, bananas and grape fruit. Grape fruit looks like an orange, but is larger. I planted corn yesterday. I was out hunting and killed a Cuban bear. Well I will close for this time.

Yours truly,
 H. W. Vincent.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Monday the faces of those who entered the postoffice showed a much surprised look and then a look of bewilderment. One could see that people thought for one brief minute that they had entered the wrong building. All this was caused because postmaster Hacker had changed the inside of the office a little. The east end of the fixtures was swung around in a line with the south side thus giving more light and commodious quarters for sorting and handling the mail. This arrangement is so much better than the other that we are tempted to ask why it was not done sooner. We could

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have suggested the change—if someone had told us how to do it.

Who wouldn't be a farmer? There is just one trouble, only the farmers know how to farm. There are thousands who would like to quit the towns and cities and emigrate to the country, and possess themselves of broad fertile fields, and proceed to make two blades of this, that or the other of grass grow where one or none grew before, but this proposition presents, that it takes from two to twenty years to learn how to farm (some folks never learn), and within such a period bankruptcy might occur several times over. But if all of us cannot be farmers, all can admire the horny-handed sons of toil and rejoice with him in his present great prosperity. He is the bulwark of the nation and the salt of the earth.

How many of our readers can tell us what the stripes on the barber pole signify? You see the pole with its stripes and you know there is a barber shop back of the pole, but here the knowledge of the average person ceases. In the early days barbers did the bleeding for the community and surgeons were not as plentiful as now. The first thing thought necessary, way down to the time of George Washington's death, was that any patient should be bled. Taphim, and take a few ounces of blood from him, no matter how weak he might be. When Washington was at the last gasp, the fools bled him. Well, the red stripes on a barber pole mean the red ribbon bandages that barbers bound over the wounds caused by bleeding people. That's all. When they got through with a phlegmatic man, of full habit and had tapped him like a hard maple tree in February, he was patched up and bandaged, till his arms, legs and trunk looked like a much-garbered log.

The quiet fidelity with which a woman will dishwash her life away for her husband and children is a marvel of endurance. Here is the servitude of women heaviest, no sooner is her work done than it requires to be done again.

Men take jobs, work on them, finish them, and they are over for good and all. The prospect of ending them and drawing pay for the labor is alluring, but no such allotments are held out for the wife. She washes Monday after Monday the same garments until there is nothing more of them to wash, then they are replaced by others of new material just like them, and the rubbing and wringing goes on forever. She mends the stockings with tireless fidelity, the same holes meeting her gaze week after week, for if there is a "damned" place in a sock "he" invariably puts his irrepressible toe through it. Every morning the rooms are put in order, only to be in the wildest disorder by the time night falls. There are no jobs each one different, no terms, no pay. The same socks, the same washing, the same room every time.

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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.

Red Cloud, 11-15, 1910
 Board of county Commissioners of Webster county met pursuant to adjournment. Members present L. F. Schmidt, Geo. W. Hummel, J. G. Overman, G. Ohmstede and T. J. Chaplin Chairman of said Board.

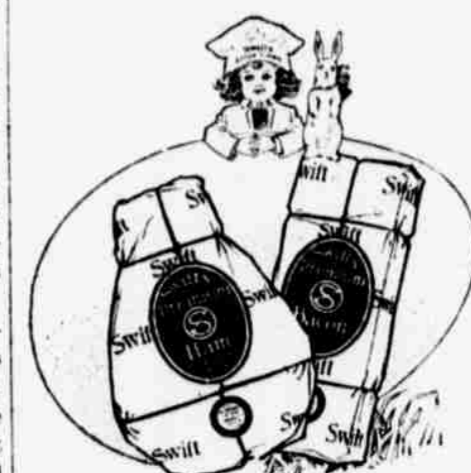
In the matter of the public road about 2 3/4 miles north of Inavale. The chairman appointed J. G. Overman, G. W. Hummel and G. Ohmstede as a committee to investigate said road and report to board at their next meeting as to what can be done toward making a permanent road at said place.

Moved and seconded that the following claims be and is hereby allowed, and clerk authorized and instructed to draw warrants on the poor farm fund in payment of same. Carried.

Elmer Wilson	100 00
John Konechny	73 56
George Johnson	12 28
Hardware & Implement Co.	50 00
J. J. Garber	6 00
E. W. Ross	2 50
E. W. Copley	4 00
Total	218 34

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J. C. Mitchell

Moved and seconded that Elmer Wilson be and is hereby appointed superintendent of the poor farm from March 1, 1911, to March 1, 1912 at a salary of \$600.00. Motion carried. On motion board adjourned to Nov. 16, 1910. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. In the matter of the erroneous assessment of part of the South West quarter 35 2-11 consisting of 5 acres assessed in the name of Eliza Kellogg and the taxes on said land being \$2.88 for the year 1908, paid by Ed Kellogg. It was moved and seconded that the county treasurer be and is hereby authorized and instructed the said amount of \$2.88 to the said Ed Kellogg. Motion carried.

Now comes Vance Sorgerson before the board in the matter of Ole Anderson (Continued to last page)