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PUT OUT YOUR FLAG, BUB!

## No Flag Floats Over House of Knowledge

It is with deep regret that we note the lack of patriotism shown by the school district of our city, as upon passing the buildings one does not see any trace of the national colors. Despite the fact that the teachers and school board members see Old Glory displayed before their eyes on the various business houses and residences of the city they have not taken the pains to place a flag of any description on the buildings.

If there is not a flag included in the furnishings of the schools we are certain that the tax payers would not object to spending a few dollars in order to see the flag floating over the school buildings. However we take pleasure in noting the fact that the construction company that is erecting our new high school building have set a good example by giving the flag a space on the exterior of their tool house.

## Keep Children off the Streets

During our haste to criticize the drivers of autos regarding the supposed disrespect with which they hold the safety of the lives of the people who traverse the city streets, it would be well for said critics to consider the manner in which they fail to co-operate with drivers of cars.

On passing through the streets one cannot help note the number of boys that select the public streets for places in which to amuse themselves at base ball and other games.

In spite of the fact that drivers sound a warning the youngsters continue to be absorbed in their favorite pastime, many times going so far as to "chase" the ball directly across the street in front of a car, or right toward an approaching car.

Parents should consider that public streets are not the proper place for children to play ball, and should forbid them playing there. If they do not see fit to forbid them using the streets as public play grounds, then they cannot expect to hold auto drivers responsible for accidents.

## Kansas City Market

Kansas City Stock Yards, April 9—Cattle receipts were 11,000 today, 9,000 less than on last Monday, market 10 to 20 higher, following a rise of 15 to 35 cents after Tuesday last week, a long string of good steers at \$12 to \$12.40, including pulp feeds. Hog receipts today were 9,500, market 15 to 25 higher, following an advance of 40 cents last week, top \$16.10. Sheep and lamb receipts 8,000, market 15 to 25 higher, lambs \$15.30, ewes \$12.75, both new high records.

## BEEF CATTLE

The limit on strictly prime natives has been raised to \$13, though none that good were here today. Fair to good natives sold at \$11 to \$12, light steers without much flesh \$10 to \$11. About 75 cars of pulp fed steers were here, sales mostly at \$11.50 to \$12.40. In the quarantine division seven cars from Holdenville, Oklahoma, sold at \$9.65 to \$10, weights from 913 to 980 lbs. and some Arkansas steers weighing 990 lbs sold at \$9.50. Cows and heifers sold a quarter higher in some cases, heavy cows up to \$10.50, yearling heifers and steers worth up to \$12, bulls \$10, veals \$13. Buyers have shown keen desire for all grades especially steers with weight, since the middle of last week.

## STOCKS AND FEEDERS

Prices broke around 50 cents the first of last week, and the accumulation of the first few days was worked off pretty close on that basis, a few sales after Wednesday a shade stronger. The break was believed to be temporary, and so it proved to be, sales today around 25 higher than the close of last week, stock steers mostly \$8 to \$9, feeders \$9 to \$10, exceptions higher in each class.

## HOGS

Fifteen higher at the start and 25 higher at the finish described the hog market today, the lower end of the bulk of sales getting the full advance. Prime heavy hogs sold up to \$16.10, medium weights \$16.05, lights \$15.85, bulk of sales \$15.60, to \$16.05. Big advance in wheat and provisions since Friday furnished part of the stimulation in the hog market today, together with the natural bullish outlook on futures. Receipts fell below estimates at most points, and nothing more than light supplies are considered possible balance of this month. Farm activity will not hold receipts down as much as when prices were one half what they are now, although the supreme importance of raising a large crop if possible is pretty generally understood.

## SHEEP AND LAMBS

The market got out of a rut today, most of the lambs at \$15 to \$15.30, with heavy northern lambs, 86 lbs., at \$15, ewes from the Ft. Collins district at \$12.75, yearlings worth \$14, wethers \$13, clipped lambs around \$12.50. Lack of a pelts shuts spring lambs out of their usual premium this spring, and they are being kept at home until they grow some wool. Goats are scarce, but clipped Angoras are worth up to \$7.50, unclipped \$9, kids \$10.50. Moderate receipts and stronger prices are the forecast.

J. A. RICKART, Market Cor.

## THE GIRL

By IZOLA FORRESTER.

"I don't see how on earth you can wedge another one in here. We're packed like sardines, now."

Claire gave her skirts a little shake to fill in every last available inch of space on the back seat of the coach.

"Oh, nonsense," laughed Lewis. "Here, Miss Rickard, just swing up beside me. There's room for you between Ben and me."

Old Ben made room for her graciously, and picked up his reins, whip in one hand, waiting the starter's signal in front of the Mountain View hotel. "Gwen was to sit there, Lewis," complained Claire anxiously.

"Gwen wants to ride inside," replied Lewis quietly. "Everybody ready? We're off!"

"Do you know her—Miss Rickard?" asked the girl next to Claire.

"I know she's perfectly impossible," returned Claire. "Wonder what Gwen thinks? She's been dropping poor old Lewis over the edge of emotional chasms for days, and it serves her right. They're just as good as engaged, and she's been absolutely hypnotized by Wayne Ivesson."

Inside the coach Gwen Arnold sat with Ivesson. For five weeks he had been a guest at the hotel, a slender, scholarly looking youngster who spent most of his time reading on the broad porches or riding the mountain paths. "It is wonderful to have you all to myself," Ivesson said as the coach swung down into the first gully.

"You call this alone?" laughed Gwen teasingly, wondering who the girl was up on the box.

"Who is she?" asked Ivesson, almost as if he had caught her thought. She was not a guest at the hotel, and seemed more like a mountain type.

"Lewis knows her. Odd, isn't it?"

"Lewis has lived up here for three years," she answered, resentfully.

"Ever heard this trip was dangerous?" piped up an old gentleman. "Used to be ten years ago. Almost sure to find a bandit."

"Really?" Gwen leaned forward eagerly. "I haven't carried a gun in years," went on the old gentleman cheerfully, "but I've got one along today. That boy on the box is carrying money over to the Cuddyhoe outfit to pay off the men their quarterly wages. Got it from the express office. And it's some risk to get it through even today."

"Who has it—the driver or—Mr. Stevens?" asked Gwen.

"Stevens. He's a friend of the superintendent down here and the foreman over there. Haven't got any valuables along, have you?"

Wayne laughed and took out his watch and purse.

"Shall we take an inventory to help along the highwayman when we meet him?" he asked. "Let us give everything to Miss Crandall, and no one would ever be brave enough to hold her up."

Up on the box, Lewis and his two companions watched the gulch as it slipped and widened, narrowed up again and plunged ahead, a gash in the heart of the mountain. When the coach swung down into the Devil's Kettle, it seemed to rock alarmingly, and stopped with a jerk that sent the horses almost on their haunches.

Inside the coach, the people started to rise, but found themselves neatly covered by a revolver held by Wayne Ivesson. His face, usually rather pale, was flushed and his eyes were keen.

"Stay where you are, all of you," he commanded. "Miss Crandall, may I trouble you for the handbag, please?"

Everything of value had been obligingly slipped into Gwen's brown seal handbag, and she hesitated, her eyes flashing into his. Outside, an older man on horseback stood with leveled rifle by the coach.

"Hands up, all of you," he called. "Come on, kid. It's all right."

And Wayne slipped down from the coach, but stopped, for the old gentleman held a revolver at his head.

"Got you this trip," he said pleasantly. "Sit still, ladies. All right, Lewis!"

Lewis suddenly felt the touch of steel in his hand. Old Ben had somehow crumpled down at the bandit's first warning shot, but the girl was in his place, holding the reins. At the voice from the rear of the coach, the man on horseback wheeled his horse and started on a headlong gallop down the gulch road, but Lewis fired after him, bringing the horse to his knees, and he lay motionless with his rider under him.

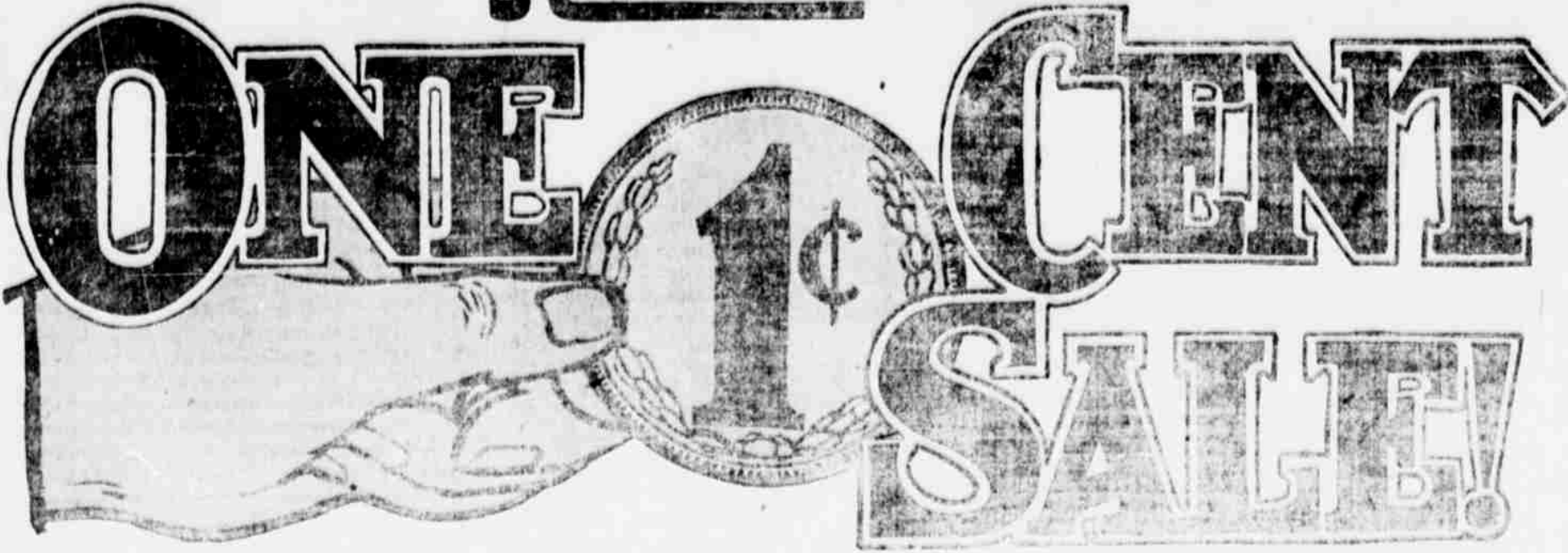
It had all happened so suddenly that the girls and women had watched the scene in silent horror. Claire was first to note the surprising change in the girl on the box. Her hat was off. She was short-haired and boyish, and was on the ground laughing and talking while Wayne was bound hand and foot.

Gwen waited, white faced and troubled. Finally Lewis came to her side and she laid her hand impulsively on his coat sleeve—such a little motion, but it betrayed to him all of her thoughts. He laid one hand over it closely.

"Well, girlie, I'm sorry you ran into this. We've been expecting it for months. We came prepared. There were two of the sheriff's men with me, Baker on the inside, as the old man, and young Carter outside with me, dressed as the girl. Were you jealous, dear?"

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## The Plan

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Violet Dule Cold Cream.....2 for 51c  
Violet Dule Vanishing Cream.....2 for 51c  
Violet Dule Shampoo Crystals.....2 for 26c  
Violet Dule Talcum.....2 for 26c  
Beuti Face Powder.....2 for 26c  
Harmony Liquid Shampoo.....2 for 51c  
Trailing Arbutus Perfume.....2 oz for 51c  
Powder Puffs.....2 for 26c  
Rexall Tooth Paste.....2 for 26c

## RUBBER GOODS

Two quart American Beauty Hot water Bottle.....2 for \$1.51  
Stork Nurfers.....2 for 26c  
Sunshine Rubber Gloves.....2 pair for 36c

## STATIONERY

Normandi Linen.....2 for 41c  
Tangara Fabric.....2 for 41c  
Sorority Linen.....2 for 36c  
Lord Baltimore Linen.....2 for 26c  
Assorted Thumb Tacks.....2 doz for 11c  
Pencil Clips.....2 for 6c  
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## INAAVALE

Curt Daily now drives a Ford.

Hi Dunn went to Riverton Monday night.

C. A. Waldo's mother is making him a visit.

Will Norris shipped stock to Kansas City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morrow autoed to Riverton Sunday.

Miss Clara Jones of Red Cloud was in Inavale Sunday.

M. E. Ladies Aid met Wednesday with Mrs. E. Smith.

Chas. Hunter and wife autoed to Hastings the first of the week.

Bernice Saunders who was quite sick Sunday is somewhat better.

Misses Dorothy Hartwell and Hazel Nesbitt were in Red Cloud Sunday.

Mrs. Will Wenderly and Mrs. Matkin were shopping in Red Cloud Monday.

Mrs. Stella Kennedy returned with her grandmother from Minden, Sunday.

Claude Conley autoed to Red Cloud Tuesday with Mrs. C. Orchard and sons.

Em. Cloud received one car of cattle, and O. Harvey received two cars Tuesday.

Mrs. Susie Daily has been quite sick this week with a cold and a gathering in her ear.

C. A. Waldo and wife autoed to Hastings Tuesday to take their daughter for medical treatment.

L. Johnson is boarding at Glenn Olsted's and looking after the business of the Farmer's Union.

Will Topham has a force of men working on the road between R. Birch's farm and Inavale this week.

A large crowd enjoyed the services in behalf of the C. W. B. M. at the Christian church Sunday night.

A large crowd attended the reading contest at the M. E. church Friday night. Each one did their part well.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hartwell autoed to Hastings Monday, with Miss Hart, well where she will continue her studies.

Don Hartwell and wife took Miss Tilley to Red Cloud Tuesday where she will be Grandma Miner's nurse and companion. They will spend the most of the summer in and near Chicago.

Dr. Nellie Maurer spent Monday in Hastings.

## BLADEN

Bert McCoy was up from Cowles Monday.

G. P. Cather made a trip to Blue Hill, Wednesday.

John Hall was down from Lawrence over Sunday.

G. G. Ross was in Campbell Thursday and Friday.

Harold Denny was down from Kearney over Sunday.

John Zopf transacted business in Hastings Tuesday.

Geo. Kral of Hastings was in town one day this week.

F. E. Crawford made a business trip to Ong Wednesday.

J. W. Whitten attended a meeting of the Masonic Lodge in Hastings Thursday.

Chas. Hogate was looking after business interests at Beatrice the first of the week.

A. M. Householder and I. V. Negley were looking over land near Otis, Colo., this week.

Miss Janet Hendricks visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Hogate, in Blue Hill Wednesday.

Mrs. H. E. Lovejoy of Inavale was a visitor at the Frank Bean home the last of the week.

Mrs. Matilda Johnson is visiting her son, Ed, this week. Mrs. Johnson now lives at Havelock.

Mrs. O. T. Moore and Mrs. D. O. Bennett attended the W. F. M. S. at Nelson the last of the week.

G. L. Marynec and family were guests at the home of Mrs. E. L. Cole of Hastings the past week.

W. A. Harrington of Lincoln spent the past week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Harrington.

Mrs. Ida McClure returned to her home at Baker City, Ore., the last of the week after a prolonged visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Britton.

## Care of Strawberries

Early April is a good time to rake straw off the strawberries. It may be piled up between the rows so that plants may be covered easily when frost threatens. This mulch will also keep the fruit off the ground and prevent decay. If the bed is an old one, the oldest plants may be removed to give the younger ones a chance to produce more fruit.

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