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COLUMBUS, NEBRASKA, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 1911.

WHOLE NUMBER 2,057.

SERIES "Y"

Begins
May 5, 1911
Try a few Shares

BECHER, HOCKENBERGER &
CHAMBERS

COLUMBUS MARKETS.

Wheat	70
White Corn	25
Yellow Corn	20
Hogs, top	\$5.10 to \$5.45

MANY YEARS AGO

Prices of the Journal, May 1, 1878
Sixteen persons arrived here Monday from Austria, and will probably locate in this county.

Nearly all the corn for this season's crop will have to be planted by the end of this week, "if it don't rain."

D. Snyder of Stearns Prairie leaves us a sample of rye in full head taken from a forty acre field of the same kind. Rye in full head on the 29th day of April, certainly gives evidence of a very healthy and rapid growth.

Part of the lumber for the Silver Creek Loop bridge has arrived, and work began on Monday. The bridge will be located about two miles above the mouth of the Beaver. Silver Creek is a tributary, as she expects a great accession to her trade with Boone county and the western portion of Platte when the bridge is completed.

After July 1st Albion is to have a daily mail from Columbus. This will be a great improvement on the present arrangement. It is wonderful the growth in the amount of mail matter in that direction in the last two years. We congratulate our friends all along the line on their close connection with the rest of the civilized world.

Methodist Church Notice.

The morning sermon subject will be "Burdens and Burden-Bearers." Sunday school meets at noon. Epworth League meets at 7 p. m. The leader is Miss Rena Turner. Subject for the evening sermon is "The Unfulfilling of Our Towers." Special anthems by the choir. CHAS. WAYNE RAY, Pastor.

For Sale.

Expecting to move back to Wisconsin in the near future. I offer my residence for sale. Same consists of one lot size 66x132 and new eight room house with furnace and electric light. For further information and price call on or write me.

ROBERT NEUMERGER.

Marriage Licenses.

George L. Joster, Lindsay, 29
Mabel L. Daoy, Lindsay, 26
Ernest Schaefer, Columbus, 27
Martha Durkop, Columbus, 23
Carl F. Grossnicklaus, Platte Center, 29
Minnie C. Peterson, Platte Center, 22

All the latest shades and styles in

WALL PAPER

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D. C. KAVANAUGH

Our old friend "Hoot" Long of Boone county, near St. Edward, was in the city Tuesday on his way to Omaha. For something like forty years Mr. Long has been a tiller of Boone county soil, but recently has rented his farm land and sold off his stock, etc. He may return from Omaha in an automobile, which will be somewhat of a change compared to the old ox team which brought him over about the same trail many years ago. In the early days "Hoot" was reckoned one of the very best "cornfield fiddlers" in all this region, and many pleasant evenings were enjoyed by the old guard at John Haber's livery barn when he would walk all the way from Boone county beside that ox team, and he never failed to bring along that "good old fiddle." Talk about music. We seldom hear "Turkey in the Straw," and then times that made your feet move whether you wanted them to or not. Back in those days "Hoot" was also a foot racer, a ball player and a mighty fine all-around boy. His old friends here are pleased to know that he is now taking life easy, and during the summer will take his family for a sight seeing tour through the west.

Thursday afternoon Coroner Gass held an inquest over George T. Mayboro who was killed by No. 11 last Tuesday morning. No new facts were brought out and the testimony of the trainmen was to the effect that Mayboro had been given ample warning and did not heed it. After the inquest Mr. Mayboro's car was started to its destination, being in charge of Sam McFarland of this city, who was employed by the railroad company. Friday evening S. S. Swickard of Esburg, Ore., arrived here to take charge of Mayboro's body and arrange for having it shipped to Oregon and also look after his boy, who was found in the car Wednesday morning. The boy was not informed of his father's death, until just before they were preparing to continue their journey, he having been under the impression that his father had been left and would join him in a day or two. Besides the son who was accompanying him, Mayboro leaves a wife and two daughters, the latter having made the trip from Michigan to Oregon during the reduced rates of last month.

Two applications for the inheritance tax, to be used for permanent roads, were before the board of supervisors at their meeting, held last week. Oregon township asked for \$400 for a permanent road leading to that village, the present road being in bad condition a good share of the time. Barrows township, through Supervisor Sehere, asked for \$25 for a stretch of road over which two rural mail routes pass, and which is next to impassible during rainy weather. The county board granted both of these requests, and the money will be turned over to them as soon as available. And in this connection, the board made provision for the \$800 recently appropriated for the permanent road between this city and the south approach of the Platte river bridge, which will be built during the coming summer.

A request for a government expert to supervise the building of the permanent road between this city and the Platte river bridge, has been forwarded to the Good Roads department of the department of agriculture at Washington by President Frischholz of the Commercial club. The request was filled out on a blank forwarded to Mr. Frischholz from Washington, and there were a number of questions to be answered by the chairman of the county board. This was done and the request signed by Chairman Schwarz in compliance with the rules of the department. A special request was made that Mr. Dodge, who was here for the preliminary work, be sent to superintend the construction.

Building permits were granted by the city council last Friday night to Leander Gerrard for a one story brick building on Thirteenth street, and C. L. Lund was granted a permit for a lumber shed on his plating mill. The request of contractor Parker for permission to move the Pusch and Becher, Hockenberger & Chambers buildings west to the sidewalk line of the park was also granted; as was John Branigan's permit for an electric sign at his garage on West Thirteenth street. Bonds of the city treasurer, city clerk and police judge were presented and accepted, and the council then adjourned until Friday evening, April 28, to complete the business before them.

A short program has been prepared for Patrons' day at the public schools on Friday, April 29, and will be given at the High school at 2:30 and at 3:30 in the Second ward building. A special program has also been prepared for the kindergarten department, and will be given at the High school and also at the Second ward. Much interest is being taken in Patrons' day by the parents, and the teachers and faculty are anxious that as many as can conveniently attend, will avail themselves of the opportunity of seeing what is being accomplished in the schools. The art exhibit will be open beginning with Wednesday afternoon, each afternoon for the balance of the week.

At one o'clock last Thursday the fire department was called to the Union Pacific round house, a blaze having started in a pile of kindling near the building. The fire did not gain any headway and there was no damage done.

Dr. Naumann, Dentist 13th St.
Dr. Morrow, office Lueschen building.
Baled hay for sale.—Ernst & Brock.
Ask for Peter Schmitt's unbleached flour.

Plain and fancy sewing—Miss Gragert 316 East 14th st.

Red Oxide the best barn paint on earth, at Leavy's.

Dr. C. A. Allenburger, office in new State Bank building.

Julius Philipps of Belgrade was a Columbus caller Monday.

Dr. L. P. Carstenson, Veterinarian, Infirmary, 11th and Kummer Sts.

A nice line of wedding rings just received.—Carl Froemel, Eleventh street jeweler.

Miss Minnie Glur returned Monday noon from Genoa after a few days visit with friends.

C. W. Wake of St. Edward was the guest of his mother and other Columbus relatives over Sunday.

Lonie Philipps of Belgrade was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leopol Platf, from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Beaty of Cedar Rapids, Nebraska, were guests at the home of Fred Curtis from Saturday until Tuesday.

Miss Mazie Magill returned Tuesday noon from Genoa, after spending a few days with friends, and while there assisted in the Times office.

Letter Carrier W. R. Suell represented the Columbus branch of the Letter Carriers' association at the annual state meeting, held in Lincoln last Saturday.

Recorder of deeds Jerry Carrig demonstrated that he is an expert with a book and line, when he landed a twelve pound cat fish at Haney's island Monday morning.

Leander Gerrard has commenced the construction of a one story brick building on Thirteenth street, on the lot occupied by the millinery store building which burned last winter.

Mrs. Will Hall and little daughter Ruth who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Hall's father, Paul Hagel, for the past six weeks left for their home at Norfolk Tuesday evening.

At a special meeting of the board of education last Thursday evening, Anos M. Vance of Peru, Neb., was elected principal of the high school to succeed Prof. C. E. Collet, who goes to Fairmont, as superintendent.

Tuesday of this week Louis C. Seitzer filed a complaint in County Judge Isternan's court, asking that Ed Strack be placed under bonds to keep the peace. A warrant was issued for Strack, but he could not be found.

J. B. Curtis leaves this week for Oconto and Sumner, Neb., on the Calloway branch of the Union Pacific, where he has two large jobs of grading to do for the company. He will probably be in that locality for two months.

Monday of this week a special train was run from this city to Cedar Rapids, for a number who attended the funeral of the late S. S. Handley of that place. Those who went from here were Edger Howard, E. G. Brown and W. H. Benham.

A. M. Post of this city has been selected by Governor Aldrich as a member of the commission to codify the laws of the state. The salary is \$3,000 per year, and the other two members of the commission are King of Osceola and Broody of Lincoln.

Sixty days in jail, every other day on bread and water, was the sentence given Joe Mosek by Police Judge O'Brien last Friday. Joe was up for wife beating, the offense being committed on Easter Sunday, and the complaint filed by his wife.

Paul Hagel returned Thursday evening from Rochester, Minn., where he went for an operation at the Mayo Bros. hospital. While still weak from the effects of the operation, Mr. Hagel is much improved, and will soon be in his usual good health.

Mrs. C. D. Evans returned last Thursday evening from Des Moines, Iowa, where she has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George McHenry. During the present week Mrs. McHenry and baby will arrive in Columbus for a visit with friends and relatives.

The Pusch and Becher, Hockenberger & Chambers buildings, which were moved to the east side of Olive streets, are now being moved to the west side of the street, next to the park, in order to provide room for material while the new buildings are under construction.

Frank Lefflingwell and Arbie Henry, two minors, will be before Judge Ratterman Thursday of this week, as they are charged with being incorrigible. At the hearing the judge will decide whether or not they should be sent to the industrial school at Kearney.

A large delegation of Columbus Woodmen are planning to attend the meeting of the state camp meeting of the order in Fremont next Wednesday, May 3. A large delegation from Madison will pass through here and the Madison band will accompany the delegations from Columbus and Madison.

Your Expense Account

will be a small item if the monthly rent checks are omitted. Have you as yet solved the problem whereby this item of expense called "rent" can be termed a profit, and ultimately make you a home owner.

If you will take this matter up with our Secretary he will explain our method of making your rent item a profit.

The Equitable Building, Loan and Savings Association

Office with Elliott-Spice-Echols Co.

Dr. W. S. Evans, Union Block.

Dr. Vallier, Osteopath, Barber block.

Dr. Matzen, dentist, over Niewohner's.

See our new line of wall paper.—Leavy.

Dr. L. C. Voss, homeopathic physician. Both phones.

Dr. Chas. H. Campbell, oculist, and aurist, 1215 Olive street.

Dr. W. B. Neumarker, office with Dr. C. D. Evans, west side of Park.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Echols Monday of this week.

Mrs. R. G. Strother and daughter Helen, returned Monday evening from Monroe.

10c—house broom—10c

Sat. 9 to 10 a. m.

5 and 10 cent store.

Miss Rose Glur has accepted a position at the Gipe store on East Eleventh street and started to work Monday.

Mrs. Fred Blaser, jr., and children arrived Saturday evening from Omaha and will make Columbus their home.

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Mrs. Horace Peck, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Peck's sister, Mrs. Geo. Abarr for the last two weeks, left Monday for their home in New York.

Dr. A. Heintz is expected home in a few days from his extended stay in California. He started for Nebraska several days ago, and is taking in Oregon and Idaho on his return trip.

April has been an exceptionally dry month, the rainfall for this locality being but 1.74 up to the present date. The cold weather no doubt has had much to do with the deficiency in the rainfall, as usual April produces plenty of moisture.

Paul Rohland, German heavy weight champion wrestler, and Jacob Meyers, light weight champion of Nebraska, will wrestle at the Orpheus hall Saturday evening, April 29, at 8 o'clock. Rohland has been in America but nine months and has been on the mat several times, wrestling Gitch at Lincoln a few weeks ago.

Burlington Agent L. F. Reector left Monday morning on an extended vacation and trip through the west. His first stop will be Denver, and from there he will go to California, Oregon and also the Big Horn basin. He expects to be gone between three and four weeks, and during his absence Relief Agent C. A. Jones is taking his place.

Tuesday evening the Columbus City band gave the last of the series of dances for the winter. The dances have been very popular, the music loving people appreciating the quality of the music furnished by the band, and the boys have fared quite well financially in the undertaking. And the encouragement given them during the winter has been well merited, and the boys will begin their series of summer concerts with a feeling that Columbus appreciates their efforts.

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An unusually large cast of the best Columbus amateur players has been very busy and are now adding the finishing touches to what is anticipated to be the most pretentious home talent production ever given here.

"The Whirl o' th' Town" is a very lively musical comedy in three acts and previous presentations in other cities, holds for it a record of being in a class by itself for excellence and high class comedy. Norfolk's people thought it superior to anything of the kind they had ever seen.

A packed house will undoubtedly greet the event here on Friday evening, inasmuch as it will add a needed benefit to the Y. M. C. A. Among those who will take part are:

Andrew Jackson Squills, the newly elected senator, S. L. Whitney; John D. Astergould, financier and lover, F. J. Housh; Lem Tucker, private secretary, A. L. Rush; Tamarack Hankinson, country detective, C. E. Shaw; Tom Quills, the prodigal son, C. A. Ross; Jim Freely, political boss, Matt Abte; Foyle Knott tramp, Fred Babcock; Arizona Pete, a bad cowboy, Grover Long; Alger-norn Snitzmoodle, duxed, Floyd Snyder; Tucker Jenkins, hired man, Fred Recktor; Hap Hazard, farm boy, H. F. Frankfurt; bellboy, Everett Welch; Indian chief, C. E. Collett; Bughouse Jake, Mr. Ross; waiter, Alex Anderson; Truly Yours Squills, the village belle, Miss Kavanagh; Agnes Watson, her friend, Margaret Steiner; Vivian Darling, the actress, Pauline Elias; Pretty Soon, a regular cutup, Irene Xanders; Miss Mandy Sparks, a coy maidenly lady, Mrs. Hoyt; manicurist, Miss Meistrick; book agent, Miss Reed; pianist, Pauline Kavanagh; city boys and girls, Margaret Nannum, Clara Reeder, Minnie Biers, Annie Elliott, Catherine Kusche, Mable Duke, Mary Kipple, Mabel Swift, Howard Whaley, A. T. Mitchell, Steve Kent, Don Faubic, Phil Hockenberger, Lester Dibble, H. R. Moffit, W. E. Hockenberger; country boys and girls, Opal Snyder, Florence McFarland, Neva Muses, Ruby Beckley, Elsie Jaeggi, Misses Pittman, Meistrick and Allness, J. Colton, Everett Welch, Harry Colton, Harry Hagel, Willard Prather, Fred Babcock, Roy Hall, George Brown; fancy dancing girls, Faye Scofield, Grace McTaggart, Ella Bucher, Helen Hagel, Clara Covert, Olga Oehrich. Besides these there will be the Indian dancers and the Fastown Screamer Band. By the way watch for the Screamers parade next Friday.

The songs are especially adapted to this merry comedy being of a catchy order and include "The Indians Ride," "Take me where there's a big brass band," "Would you if you could," "Tinkling Star," "Don't forget the number," (Miss From), "I've taken quite a fancy to you dear," "Great to be a soldier man" and others.

The author of the skit James W. Evans assisted by Mrs. Evans is here, personally directing the work and is much pleased with results so far and the excellent talent Columbus possesses. He anticipates an unusually successful and enthusiastic performance here.

Like many musical comedies there is not sufficient plot to burden the hearer, for fun and good cheer are allowed to predominate, but of the plot which does exist it concerns Squills a farmer politician who is after a sharp struggle elected to the state senate. His election is celebrated by the whole district assisted by the Fastown Band, and in the second act he gets into the "whirl o' th' town." Here his troubles magnify and his enemies test his strength so that he is glad to return to the farm which is the location of the third act.

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