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## Have You Enough Money For CHRISTMAS?

We wish to call your attention to this again as a year ago we had same question and am glad to say a number have saved the past year and now have a nice sum for Christmas.

If you have not enough to meet your wishes this year, it is time to think about next year. We will start for the 1916 Christmas Club December 27, and will be glad to help you have your Christmas money by December 10, 1916.

If you save a nickel one week and ten cents the next, fifteen the next and so on for fifty weeks you will have \$63.75 for your Christmas spending.

The 2c a week plan gives you \$25.50.

We will be ready to start December 27, and you can be ready any time during the week.

**The Wa-Keeney State Bank**  
Wa-Keeney, Kansas.

## Saturday Night



## The Web of Destiny CHAPTER 11

Also a Keystone Comedy

10 and 15 Cents

7:30 P. M. Two Shows 9 P. M.

Watch For New Garden Opening  
**GARDEN THEATER**

## Men's Meeting At 3 o'clock



EVANGELIST LAYFIELD

## Saturday Afternoon in Presbyterian Church

Meetings close Saturday Evening.

Everybody welcome

## Dictagrams

A reader of a recent dictagram concerning the word "garage" says it ought to be spelled and defined. "Garage, a place to keep cars." Anyway, this seems to be the car age.

Uncle Heck says he is becoming sick and tired of all this public muck and gush about the coming White House wedding. Dozens of little court house marriages are taking place almost every day in the week. Nearly all of them are of greater social and economic importance to the people at large and yet about all the publicity any of them ever get is a three or four line notice in a little country weekly.

An Illinois citizen held various offices for a total of 126 years. He died recently at the age of 78. Otherwise he might have made a record as a public servant.

As a boy I heard the people telling the story of an inveterate smoker who made a tedious and more or less profane search for his pipe—only to find it in his mouth. The story is not so funny now as it seemed to be when I first heard it. Just the other day I had quite a hunt for my speck—couldn't see them for quite a spell although they were right where they would be the most useful when looking for lost articles.

At Lake Odessa, Michigan, recently I visited a milk condensary and watched the process of boiling, canning and sealing and also saw the labeling machine. It was all very interesting but the most striking fact, if it is a fact, which I learned in this connection had nothing to do with the process of making and canning condensed milk. I was told that this factory is only one of the several located in different parts of the country, making various brands, and yet controlled by Hire, the root beer millionaire.

No, I didn't see any root beer or any other kind. I was visiting in Iona county which is under local option law. However, the adjoining county of Kent, in which is the large city of Grand Rapids, is a wide open county and of course there is considerable traffic across the county line. I was told that the road between Saranac in one county and Lowell in the other was becoming notable for the number of auto accidents happening along the line, and all because of the drunken drivers.

I told those Michiganese that national prohibition would make that road a great deal safer driving and some of them admitted that prohibition is on the way, but when I told them that equal suffrage also is coming I got into trouble. Luckily, I happened to think of that old proverb about leaving a certain class of individuals to their own way of thinking. I shut up and got away without a fight.

Some of the Wolverine weather prophets were predicting a hard win-

## MARGARET SWIGGETT

Bonded Abstracter

Insurance

Farm Loans

Wa-Keeney, Kansas

(Register of Deeds of Trego County Eight Consecutive Years)

## Xmas is Coming

And many of you will wonder what to buy your friends for Xmas gifts. Let me show you my line of

## NEW JEWEL-R-Y

It's the most liked by everybody, the most appropriate and the most lasting, from a silver thimble to a diamond ring.

Ask for my new catalogue Filled with suggestions and with bargains

**A. S. TREGER** Wa-Keeney, Kansas

## PULLMAN A SYNONYM FOR LUXURY

\$740 f. o. b. Factory

Synonymous of luxury, comfort and sturdiness in railway travel for more than half a century, the name Pullman has today an equal significance in the motoring world. It was in 1864 that George Mortimer Pullman built the first Pullman railway car at a cost of \$18,000.

With an ambition to produce an automobile worthy of that name, the manufacturers of the Pullman automobile have for many years been perfecting their product to a high standard of excellence. Their first model cost far more than the first Pullman Palace car—for nothing was adopted that did not measure up to their ideals of perfection in motor car construction. Each year has seen added improvements and refinements and a general trend in price reduction resulting from the elimination of experimental work, the wiping out of original overhead expenses, and from wider manufacturing experience.

In response to a popular demand for a low-priced car of quality, last year, the company brought out the famous Pullman for \$740. It was an instantaneous success. Nothing like it has ever been offered before. Nothing approaching it has been produced since. There was an immediate effort by some manufacturers to duplicate the Pullman price and standard. But an examination of the specifications of these cars, their size and body capacity, finish and general construction leaves the Pullman standing in a class by itself.

For 1916 the Pullman Company have gone beyond its expectations. Superior as last year's model was, the new car has set another new standard in size, roominess and mechanical superiority, and at the same price—\$740.

**E. HILLMAN & H. REICHARD**  
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## MONUMENTS

From time immemorial it has been the costume of the people to erect a monument for their dead as a symbol of love and affection. But a monument badly selected, poorly executed and of inferior material is worse than an unmarked grave. Therefore you want the very best.

Our Mr. Richmond's 45 years experience in monument business gives him that positive knowledge to help you select what is best and he will advise you what will be most suitable for your cemetery lot.

We have erected some of the best and largest monuments in your cemetery and it is a great pleasure to have among our costumers some of the best people in your community.

We are now taking orders for monuments to be delivered next spring and we hereby respectfully solicit your patronage. Send us a postal card and we will come to see you. Our work is the best and our prices are very reasonable.

Respectively,

**Hays Monument Company**  
Hays, Kansas

ter, because the muskrats were building their winter houses high and dry. As muskrat houses are rather scarce out here on the high prairie perhaps we shall have a mild winter.

## Cockerels For Sale

Twenty nice big, strong, Blue Banded cockerels for sale. These are the stock that won first premium at the county fair two years in succession. Prices \$1 to \$3 if sold now. Call or write to C. M. Hutchison, Wa-Keeney, Kans.—Adv. 40 2t.

## Optometrist and Specialist

B. F. Brock, Optometrist and Specialist of Lawrence, Kansas will be at the American Hotel, Friday, December 17th. Conserve your eyes. Glasses carefully fitted. All work guaranteed. Please come early. Adv. 2t.

## A Thousand Razors a Week

The Ness City Razor plant soon can turn out 100,000 per year.

While he was with the Santa Fe Harmony special, on trip in Western Kansas, last week, C. A. Walker, division freight agent of the Santa Fe, visited the razor factory at Ness City.

It was a surprise to the Santa Fe officials with the party too see such a factory in a shortgrass Kansas town, far from the source of raw material, as well as a good ways removed from market. But it is there and doing a big business, Mr. Walker said. "The plant is making a safety razor that is in strong demand," the Santa Fe official said. "I was told that the present output is 1,000 razors per week, and an extension will soon be made that will enable the plant to turn out as much as 100,000 razors per year."—Hutchinson News.

## MARKET REPORT

Kansas City Stock Yards, November 30th, 1915. Cattle sold actively Monday, at steady to 10 higher prices, but the market is exactly reversed today, trade slow, and prices steady to 10 lower, receipts 14000 head. A few fairly good fed steers were included today at \$8.40 to \$8.90, but nothing was able to get above \$9.00. Top yesterday was \$9.40, and heavy steers on the Christmas order are worth around \$10. Prime beef cattle are so scarce here that the best hotel and restaurant trade is being partly served with beef shipped from Chicago. As a sample of the inconsistencies of the beef cattle trade, a Kansas shipper had two cars of good short fed steers in Chicago yesterday, having passed up Kansas City, but which nobody wanted there, and the cattle held over till today. Plain warmed up steers sell anywhere from \$6.50 to \$7.50. Butcher cattle are about steady this week, most of the cows at \$5.25 to \$5.00, medium heifers \$6.25 to \$7.50, choice heifers \$8.25 to \$9.00, bulls \$4.50 to \$5.50. Best stockers are steady today, and somewhat higher than the close last week, but bulk of the stockers and feeders are barely steady, very few stockers above \$7.00, bulk of sales \$6.00 to \$6.50, common stockers \$5.25 to \$5.75. A drove of choice white face feeders 1100 lbs. average, sold at \$7.30 yesterday, but most of the feeders sell at \$6.00 to \$6.75. The stocker and feeder market is only slightly above the low point of the year, touched last week.

Hog receipts overran the estimate today by 3000 head, total receipts 19000. The market opened steady, but light weights sold 5 to 10 lower before the close, medium weights shade lower, heavy hogs steady. Top was \$6.75, paid by packers, bulk of sales \$6.30 to \$6.70. The estimate for Wednesday's receipts at Chicago is 55000 head, which proved to be a bear argument today. The movement of provisions has been satisfactory recently, and the hog market appears safe although provision brokers are advising customers to sell, anticipating what they term the customary December break.

Sheep and lambs sold 10 higher again today, following recent advances, receipts 5000 head. Fed Western lambs sold at \$8.75 to \$9.00 today, fat yearlings \$7.50, and feeding lambs up to \$8.35, each price a new high mark for November. Fat ewes are worth up to \$5.75, wethers \$6.25. Receipts will be light here for a while, till Colorado stuff starts, although native territory is carrying more lambs on feed than for two or three seasons.

J. A. RICKART,  
Market Correspondent.

## Fire at the Bakery

The people of Ellis were called from slumber Saturday morning by the fire whistle and found the fire was in the building occupied by the Ellis Bakery. Quick work on the part of those who gathered saved, not only this building, but the rest of the buildings in the row which connects with. The fire started from the pipe of the stove in the back room and had it not been for the fact that Mr. Wallace was right there when the fire started, there would of been a different story to write. The damage to the building will amount to considerable, but it was not so bad but what business was continued as though nothing had happened.—Ellis Headlight.

## Notice to Fair Boosters

Tuesday, December 14th is the day set by the State Board of Agriculture to hold the annual election of officers for the Trego County Fair Association. Every one interested in the future of the Fair please be present at the County Clerk's office in the Court House at 2.30 p. m. December 14th.

Other business of importance will be taken up. Such as buying a site and incorporating.

Let everyone interested in the agricultural interests of the county be present.

THOS. O'TOOLE, S. J. STRAW,  
President, Secretary.

## Weather Report

Maximum and minimum temperature according to the government thermometer at Wa-Keeney, for the week ending Wednesday noon.

	MAX.	MIS.
Thursday	59	37
Friday	62	24
Saturday	48	28
Sunday	41	27
Monday	45	16
Tuesday	47	17
Wednesday	43	28

We had .18 inch of rain and melted snow last Saturday.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Notary Public.  
Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
(SEAL) A. W. GLEASON.

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