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### Items

George I. Staples is the only person who is authorized to collect money due this office. In every case the party paying money is entitled to and should insist upon receiving a printed receipt. R. C. DUNN, Publisher.

Nelson's photos please the people. Good gingham, 9c per yard, at A. E. Allen & Co.'s.

If you want to sell your farm see McMillan & Stanley. 7-tfc

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weeks on Monday.

P. A. Anderson was in Minneapolis on potato business Monday.

The Dorcas society will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. C. A. Jack.

If you want to buy a farm call and see Robt. H. King, for he has the best at right prices. 6-tfc

Miss Ida May Schmidt, who is teaching in Greenbush, was a guest of Miss Eva Ross over Sunday.

For quick results list your farms for sale with Fox & Hatch Land Co. Office in Townsend block, Princeton. 7-tfc

Hon. Henry Rines, speaker of the house of representatives, passed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dunn.

Don't forget to pay your personal property taxes before March 1 and thus avoid an additional amount of 10 per cent penalty.

The list of taxes and penalties on real property remaining delinquent on January 1, 1913, appears in this number of the Union.

O. B. Newton calls attention to his large stock of groceries in this week's issue of the Union. Advertisement appears on another page.

A dance will be given in the M. W. A. hall, Spencer Brook, on Saturday evening, February 22. Good music. Everyone welcome.

Four hundred sample corsets, worth up to \$5, will go at 69 cents, and a lot worth up to \$1, at 39 cents. Mark's Great Bargain Store. 8-tfc

A farmers' co-operative creamery was organized at Isanti last week. The farmers are getting wise to the fact that it pays to own their own creameries.

George Sloane, editor of the Wabikon Enterprise, permits the village band boys to rehearse in his office and, marvelous as it may seem, no type has so far been pried.

Mr. Locker, the well-known Sunday school worker, delivered very able addresses at the Methodist and Congregational churches last Sunday and special musical programs of a high class were presented.

E. F. Harrington and Virgil Winsor will go into the real estate business at Foley and open their office at once. They are both reliable young men and there is no apparent reason why they should not succeed.

A card party was given by Mrs. C. A. Jack to about a dozen ladies at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Jack to her guests and the afternoon was passed in a most pleasant manner.

The choir of the Princeton Methodist church will give a concert in the M. W. A. hall, Spencer Brook, tomorrow evening. The choir will be directed by Mrs. C. A. Caley. Admission, 25 cents. Everyone is invited to this concert.

A meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, February 18, at 8 o'clock, in school house No. 4, town of Greenbush, for the purpose of organizing a farmers' shipping company and considering other things which may come up. Experienced men will be there to address the meeting. Farmers are requested to attend.

John Lindblom visited friends in Minneapolis the fore part of the week.

Attorney Chas. Keith left yesterday for Minneapolis and Brainerd on a business trip.

The new embroideries, the finest ever shown here, on display now at A. E. Allen & Co.'s.

E. L. McMillan went to Minneapolis this morning and does not expect to return until Monday.

Your last chance to get a suit worth from \$15 to \$20 for only \$10 at Mark's Great Bargain Store. 8-tfc

G. H. Pennison is here from Minot, N. D., where he is employed by the Great Northern road, and will return tomorrow.

Mrs. S. P. Skahen returned yesterday from a few days' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Welch, in Minneapolis.

Millard Howard did not succeed in shooting any rabbits on Sunday but he "saw" large numbers of quail and prairie chickens.

The Caley Hardware company carries another interesting ad on Tubular separators. Farmers and dairymen should not fail to read it.

F. T. Kettelhardt left on Monday for Minneapolis to assist in his son's store during his sickness. William is laid up in consequence of a sprained leg.

An alarm was turned in from Arthur Cahill's on the north side on Saturday night but it proved to be only a fire in the woodbox and little damage resulted.

Dr. J. F. Kothman, optometrist, will be in town on Friday and Saturday, February 21 and 22. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Office at Commercial hotel. 38-tfc

The teacher and pupils of the school in district 4, Greenbush, will give a program and basket social tomorrow evening. Ladies are requested to bring baskets.

United States civil service examinations for numerous positions in the government service will be held this spring. For further particulars see notice displayed in the postoffice.

In a letter to the Union O. J. Thorsen, who is now located at Sanders, Idaho, says he is getting along nicely and asks to be remembered to his many Princeton friends.

W. M. Todd, the insurance adjuster representing the companies in which Sheriff Shockley had his house and furniture insured, was here yesterday and everything was adjusted to Mr. Shockley's satisfaction.

Herb O'Malley of Minneapolis, salesman for Occident flour, was here yesterday and called upon his friend, S. P. Skahen. Herb, who is a born wit in addition to a good salesman, expects to land a big order while here.

Mrs. Carl Olson was tendered a surprise by the Ladies' Aid society of the Swedish Lutheran church last Thursday afternoon and presented with a nice dining-room table and a few other useful articles. Mrs. Olson will shortly move to Zimmerman residence.

Before you start for Princeton to have your picture taken be sure it is the first or third Saturday or Sunday of the month, as these are the only days you will find Nelson, the famous photographer from Anoka, at his studio in Princeton. 2-tfc

Fred Warner of Northwood, Iowa, formerly of Princeton, is one of the judges at the Iowa buttermakers' convention, Cedar Rapids, this week, and his picture looms up conspicuously in the Dairy Record of February 12. Fred is making good.

Tomorrow is St. Valentine's day and the Union employees expect to receive their usual quota of the five-for-a-nickel productions. Last year something like 30 "comics" were added to our picture gallery and they made a particularly interesting display.

Professor George F. Howard, of the state agricultural extension division, will be here the early part of April and, together with County Superintendent Ewing, will visit the rural schools and talk "farming" to the pupils. Mr. Howard delivered several addresses to the pupils of the rural schools last spring.

The dwelling house occupied by Hugh Steeves on the Nate Osman place, 7 miles east of Princeton, was destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon. None of the contents of the building was saved. The fire, however, did not reach the barn, where-in was a number of cattle. Mr. Steeves carried no insurance.

Miss Beth McAdams, formerly stenographer for Robert O'King, was married on January 29 at Sioux City, Iowa, to John L. Carmody. Mr. and Mrs. Carmody will reside at Red Lake Falls, this state. The many Princeton friends of the bride heartily congratulate her and the lucky young man who won the prize.

### A CUNNING WAGER.

It Looked Like a Sure Loser, but Was Really Easy Money.

There was a queer bet, one that seemed somewhat foolhardy, made by a politician a few weeks before the election in 1906, when it was apparent that McKinley would sweep the country.

He had been approached by a man who offered to make a "majority" wager. "I'll tell you what I'll do," the politician replied. "I'll bet you \$50 that I can write down the names of thirty states that McKinley will carry."

The man snapped up the bet eagerly, and the politician wrote the list of names and gave them to a friend to keep, sealed, until the day after election.

"Now," he said, "just to show you how big a cinch McKinley has, I will bet you \$500 that I can name ten additional states that he will carry."

The man who took the first bet jumped at the second chance, feeling certain that forty states would not go Republican.

When the election was over and the votes counted the envelopes were opened. In the list of thirty states the politician had named all the solid south and the doubtful states. He lost \$50. But in the list of ten he named states that did not go Democratic in twenty years until the election of 1912. —Louisville Times.

### LAI'D THE SPECTER.

The Story of a Ghost With a Troubled Conscience.

The following well authenticated ghostly happening is recorded in Jessie Adelaide Middleton's "The Grey Ghost Book."

A lady had taken a furnished house in Suffolk, England, from a widow who had lately lost her son. One day she was sitting in the drawing room when the figure of a boy of about thirteen walked across the room, halted opposite a table on which was some china and began to weep bitterly. When she got up and hastened toward the boy to comfort him he at once vanished. As the same thing occurred repeatedly, the lady wrote to the owner of the house, seeking for some explanation. This was her answer:

"Will you kindly search the table with the china ornaments on it, and if you find sixpence in any of them put it into the poor bag in church? I gave him sixpence to put in the bag the last Sunday he went to church, and instead of putting it in he kept it to spend. He told me about it before he died, but I did not know where he had hidden it." The tenant searched and found the sixpence in a little china jug. She put it into the poor bag—and was never again visited by the apparition.

"Paying Through the Nose." "Paying through the nose" is to be indirectly swindled in a transaction or to pay an exorbitant price for a thing in consideration of long credit. A variant is "to be bored through the nose," "bored" here having the meaning of cheated, deceived.

At this instant he bores me with some trick. "Henry VIII." I. 1, 128. One that hath gulled you, that hath bored you, etc.—"Life of T. Cromwell," 1622, II, ii, 103.

And Howell in his "Instruction For Forren Travell" (1650), page 59, "had known divers Dutch gentlemen grossly gild by this cheat (the selling of forged manuscripts to young travelers in Italy), and some English bo'd also through the nose this way by paying excessive prices for them."—London Notes and Queries.

Coughing In Lieu of Oratory.

A singular fashion which prevailed among the preachers of Cromwell's time was that of coughing or hemming in the middle of a sentence in order to attract the attention of the congregation. The necessity of continually attracting the attention of the listeners could not have argued well for the brilliance of the sermons. Some authorities say that the preachers coughed merely as an ornament to speech. At any rate, when the sermons were printed, as many of them were, the coughs and hems were always indicated on the margin of the page.—St. Louis Republic.

Strange Bequests.

In his will Stephen Swain of the parish of St. Olave, Southwark, gave to John Abbott and Mary, his wife, sixpence each "to buy for each of them a halter for fear the sheriffs should not be provided," and John Aylett Stow left the sum of 5 guineas for the purchase of the picture of a viper biting the hand of his rescuer to be presented to an eminent K. C. as a reminder of "his ingratitude and insolence."—London Mail.

Altogether Different.

"After all, life is a good deal like Wall street." "In what way?" "It is all a gamble, you know." "But that doesn't make it like Wall street. In life almost every one has a chance."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Two Phases.

"I detest that Mrs. Jones. She always tells what all her clothes cost." "Well, I detest Mrs. Brown. She never will tell what she pays for anything."—Detroit Free Press.

A Pinero Club Epigram.

An epigram from Sir Arthur Pinero: "Indian clubs are good for the liver. London clubs are not."—London Standard.

The father's virtue is the child's best inheritance.—Chinese Proverb.

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### MARKET REPORT

The quotations hereunder are those prevailing on Thursday morning at the time of going to press:

POTATOES.	
Triumphs.....	50
Burbanks.....	27
Ohios.....	25
Rose.....	22

GRAIN, HAY, ETC.	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern.....	79
Wheat, No. 2 Northern.....	77
Wheat, No. 3 Northern.....	74
Oats.....	23@26
Barley.....	31@38
Flax.....	1.07@1.22
Rye.....	45@48
Beans, hand picked.....	1.75@2.00
Beans, machine run.....	1.25@1.50
Wild hay.....	4.00
Tame hay.....	7.50

LIVE STOCK	
Fat beefs, per lb.....	3c @ 6c
Calves, per lb.....	4c @ 5c
Hogs, per cwt.....	\$6.75
Sheep, per lb.....	3c @ 4c
Hens, old, per lb.....	9c @ 10
Springers, per lb.....	10c

MINNEAPOLIS.	
Wheat, No. 1 hard, 88c; No. 1 Northern, 87c; No. 2 Northern, 85c	
White Oats, 31c; No. 3, 29c.	
Rye, 58c.	
Flax, No. 1, \$1.37.	
Corn, No. 3 Yellow, 45c.	
Barley, 44c@58.	

### FARMS WANTED.

I would like to list several good farms for sale at reasonable prices in the vicinity of Princeton. If you are thinking of selling call and see me. 6-tfc Robt. H. King.

Geo. Drabant of Bogus Brook, who advertised his farm for rent in the Union recently, tells us that he received replies to the advertisement from points so distant as Missouri, and that the inquiries were numerous. Mr. Drabant has an excellent farm with substantial buildings thereon.

### A LOOK OF TERROR.

How Artist Hodler Posed His Model to Secure It.

Ferdinand Hodler's picture "Das Mutige Weib" (the courageous woman) has been much discussed in art circles, especially in Switzerland, the home of the artist.

The look of terror on the woman's face is lifelike. The story of how the artist got the facial effects, depicting fright and determination, is as follows: Four models came to his studio to sit for the picture. He asked them in turn to wear an expression such as they would have on jumping into a lifeboat from a sinking ship in a storm. Not satisfied with the results, he took them up to the flat leaded roof of his house, which is five stories high, and placed a chair on the extreme edge. The poor models were dreadfully frightened, and each in turn sat wide eyed on the forward edge of the chair, too nervous to look in any direction but straight forward.

The artist chose one of the women and took up his easel and rapidly sketched in the face and upper part of the figure, though not at all too rapidly for the sitter.—Munich Cor. New York Sun.



### "One Is Judged by the Books One Keeps"

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Our old friend, Bill Applegate, is anxious to solve the ghost mystery of the old mill site. He is of the opinion that "some reformer is playing ghost with the best of intentions." He is well aware that "many young men—and old ones too—stay in town late o' nights lapping up the stuff which steals the brains away when they should be at home." He knows that "the ghost's advice not to bum around town o' nights is good and timely," but he is desirous of learning the personality of the reformer so that he may congratulate him. So Bill intends to hover 'round the old mill site o' nights and await an opportunity to solve the mystery.