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GEO. D. DAYTON, President. GEO. W. WILSON, Vice-Pres. GEO. O. MOORE, Cash.

CAPITAL PAID UP, 50,000.

STATE BANK OF WORTHINGTON

WORTHINGTON, NOBLES COUNTY, MINN.

Started as a Private Bank in 1873.

Incorporated as a State Bank in 1893.

Among the Stock-holders are:

Ed. Wilson, A. H. Palm, John Dean, Geo. W. Wilson, H. E. Torrance, Will Humiston, Geo. D. Dayton, J. P. Moulton, Mrs. C. W. Smith, Geo. O. Moore, Dr. Cheney, John H. Scott, R. B. Beeson, Azom Forbes, Fred Humiston.



The Directors are:

R. B. Beeson, H. E. Torrance, Dr. Cheney, Fred Humiston, Geo. O. Moore, Geo. W. Wilson, Geo. D. Dayton.

The Bank is under charge of the State Examiner and will be governed by the laws of the State of Minnesota. It will

LOAN MONEY

Only approved securities, and will aim to accommodate the public within the bounds of conservative Banking. Persons having funds loose will find here a safe place to deposit, where they can get interest on Certificates of deposit at 4 per cent.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN

To writing Insurance against fires, cyclones and tornadoes in only the best companies. We have a set of abstract books prepared at great expense, and can furnish correct, neat abstracts, promptly at very reasonable charges.

We sell exchange on New York, St. Paul or Minneapolis, and make collections on any point.

Wall Paper!

I have just received a complete line of

Wall Paper

All new goods.

The Latest Patterns,
Choicest Styles,
Lowest Prices.

See what I can offer you.

Respectfully,

H. M. PALM.

Walking Shoes!

Are in demand now, because Spring is here, and with it comes the Walking Season. Our Shoe department is an habitual record breaker, but this year we will make them shake a leg to keep in sight of us. Our stock of Ladies Oxford ties excels anything we have carried in stock before. Trash finds no place here. Our stock is first-class, containing nothing but Oxford Ties and Shoes which are excellent both in shape and quality. Shoes which fit the foot satisfies the eye. We do not claim to sell at cost and below cost, but we claim to sell as low as the lowest.

WANTED: Butter, Eggs and Grain.

The Swedish Mercantile Co

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE WORTHINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FEBRUARY, 1894.

Teachers	Grade.	Enrollment.	Average daily attendance.	Percentage of attendance.	Percentage of punctuality.	Weather absent nor tardy.	No. of visitors.
Miss Bateman	1	97	31.81	93.57	99.33	16	4
Miss Covey	2	45	42.62	95.17	99.33	29	4
Miss Kennedy	3	42	40.98	97.23	99.67	25	4
Miss Nishit	4	50	47.89	96.31	99.84	31	5
Miss Humiston	5	51	48.27	95.33	99.83	26	5
Miss Hyland	6	50	49.47	97.61	99.79	28	4
Miss Webb	7	44	42.24	96.69	99.37	28	1
Miss Barry	8	48	45.57	96.97	99.82	28	2
Miss Rogers	9	54	52.92	96.96	99.65	28	2

The total enrollment for the month was 425; the enrollment for February, 1893 was 339. The Banner for Punctuality goes to the Second Grade, Miss Covey, teacher. The best percentage of attendance occurred in the Sixth Grade, Miss Hyland, teacher. This month is the first in the second term of our school year. Early in the month the promotions occurred—the number of pupils belonging in many rooms was greater than could be reasonably accommodated, and some of the assignments were more from necessity than merit; but the changes were made as wisely as possible and seem to have given general satisfaction. The crowded condition has obliged us to refuse to admit some who would have been tuition-pupils. All classes are now well started in their new work, and the general spirit of "business" is very pleasing.

Last week was the week designated by the Board of Education for admitting beginners to the First Grade. About 17 were enrolled; and Miss Bateman says that they average, unusually well in promise of ability to do good work.

But not as many have come as were expected; again, a very large number are absent from among our former pupils. This arises largely from fear of contracting scarlet fever at school. Our doctors say that the scare is doing much more harm than all the sickness at present within our limits. The danger in all cases is much overestimated—consult your physician and see if he does not say so. Then, in several cases, there is a laughable side to these absences—children kept out, supposedly for the above reason, are paddling in the mud, hunting diligently for an attack of pneumonia. These absences are interfering very much with our work; they will prevent many a scholar's going forward with his own class. Let me urge parents to consider the question carefully before detaining their children even for a half-day, except in case of actual and considerable illness. The pupil present at every class gets more out of his schooling, gets it easier and is surer of regular advancement.

Weather Report.

Following is the report for the month of Feb. 1894:
Monthly mean temperature, 14.16 degrees.
Mean maximum temperature, 21, degrees.
Mean minimum temperature, 6.61 degrees.
Highest temperature 41 degrees; date, 26th.
Lowest temperature, 14 degrees; date, 19th.
Monthly range of temperature, 15.89 degrees.
Greatest daily range of temperature, 25 degrees; dates 10th, 15th, 22nd.
Least daily range of temperature 1 degree, date, 9th.
Prevailing direction of wind South, 7 days; N. W. 7 days.
Number of clear days, 22.
Number of partly cloudy days, 5.
Number of cloudy days, 1.
Almost no precipitation; 6.75 in. snow at beginning of month, $\frac{1}{2}$ in. fall on 12th, and traces on seven other days; about 1.5 in., mainly ice, at end of month.

Moon Halos 15th, 18th.
Auroras 22nd, 23rd.
Sun Dogs 4th.

Worthington Station.
REMARKS.

Heard on the Street, and Elsewhere; Gathered by the Advance Reporter.

Joel P. Heatwole: It is a striking commentary on the glories of free trade domination that, with wheat cheaper than ever before, multitudes of men, women and children, are clamoring for bread.

Jas. Ramage: At no time since I have been with Mr. Forbes have we figured on as many good bills of lumber as we have this spring. Another favorable sign is that those who are going to put up buildings will put good ones.

T. J. Knox: Yes we have a county seat fight in Jackson county, but I hardly think the people will vote to move the location to Lakefield; it would be a hardship for many to build another court house. Our present building is as good as it ever was and is not in a dilapidated condition as our Lakefield friends would have the people believe. As yet Jackson has made no move in the matter, but of course will be heard from when the proper time comes.

List of Letters.

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Worthington, Minn., week ending Mch. 5th, 1894:

John Baird, Lee B. Gaznd, John Johnson, Rev. W. Lisk, Rev. A. A. Zabriskie, F. W. Smith, Sam Williamson, Foreign, H. A. Blewett, Miss Hina Matinson, Hannah L. Boyle, Mrs. Wm. Carroll, Miss Blanche Edwards, Miss Lida Smith.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised, and give date of this list. E. L. SWARTZ, P. M.

Cut Flowers.

Persons desiring the services of Mr. H. M. Palm the undertaker and furniture dealer to act as agent for our goods in your locality, we wish to inform the public that floral emblems of all kinds; fancy baskets of cutflowers; bouquets; cutflowers of all kinds and May's Famous One Dollar box of assorted cut flowers, can be ordered through Mr. H. M. Palm and receive our prompt attention, and at prices the same as though purchased in this city. Should you desire anything in our line, give him a call. (29-w4)

L. L. May & Co., Florists.

—Shoes, Blair & Co. Shoes.—

—Collars and Pads' Blair & Co.

—Justice court summons at the ADVANCE office.

—Get your sale bills printed at the ADVANCE office. Good work and low prices. 30 tf

A fine steam roller grist mill for sale or exchange for land, almost a new plant. Owner in other business. 31-tf M. E. LAWTON.

Constipation and sick headache positively cured by Japanese Liver Pellets. 50 pill 25 cents. RAY HUMISTON.

Notice.

Fred Wolven has sold his interest in the City Meat market to Fred Mitchell. The new firm will collect all old accounts and pay all bills.

RAILROAD LANDS.

I have the ONLY COMPLETE LIST of Railroad Land in Nobles County. I am agent for the sale of the same. Call on or write me for prices and terms. 23-tf L. B. BENNETT.

JAPANESE PILE CURE
A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of SUPPOSITORIES, Capsules of Glycerin and two Boxes of Ointment. A never-failing Cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It makes an operation with the knife or injections of carbolic acid, which are painful and seldom a permanent cure, and often resulting in death, unnecessary. Why endure this terrible disease? We guarantee 6 boxes to cure any case. You only pay for benefits received. \$1 a box, 6 for \$5. Sent by mail. Guarantees issued by our agents.
CONSTIPATION CURED, Piles Prevented. by Japanese Liver Pellets the great LIVER and STOMACH REGULATOR and BLOOD PURIFIER. Small, mild and pleasant to take, especially adapted for children's use. 50 Doses 25 cents.
GUARANTEES issued only by
Ray Humiston.

BOUND TO HAVE A CREST.

A Vulgar New York Woman's Demand Met by a Fashionable Stationer.

The modern woman of fashion does not seem to care that she is using a crest without warrant, or to know that in using one at all she is usurping a man's prerogative. "You will not find one woman in a hundred who is familiar with the rules of heraldry," said a fashionable stationer recently to a N. Y. Sun reporter. "Ladies insist on having crests embossed on their writing paper, even when I tell them that they are permitted by the usages of centuries to use only the arms. A few days ago a handsome woman came in and said: 'Mr. H— I wish you would put a crest and arms on my paper.' I knew it would be useless to argue about the crest and so I asked her: 'Have you your crest with you?' 'O, no? I haven't any,' she answered 'You can make me a nice one, can't you?' I learned that her husband was a grain dealer, so for a crest I designed a sheaf of wheat. For the arms I designed some hawk heads on a shield and she was delighted."



SPINSTER. MARRIED. WIDOW.

Women who are interested in these things should observe the regulations set down for the use of spinsters, married women and widows. A specified frame for the arms should be used by each. The spinster is required to put her family arms into a diamond frame, with very simple adornment. When a woman marries the arms of her family must be put on the same shield with the arms of her husband. The shield is impaled, the wife's arms occupying one position and the husband's the other. If she becomes a widow the frame for her arms again assumes the form of a diamond, symbolizing her unmarried state, while her arms and the arms of her deceased husband remain impaled as formerly. A certain dealer in stationery presents a copy of the rules of heraldry to each customer.

"She Writes to Me"

on the most elegant cream-laid note paper. Her delicate penmanship is made doubly attractive by the soft tint of the letter sheet, and there wafts from it just the faintest odor of the rose—it makes me think her near. She must be an heiress to lavish such paper on me. I asked her about it one day but she only laughed merrily and said: "Oh, that's some of Ray Humiston's best. It is so lovely, but not expensive." I took down the address as follows:

RAY HUMISTON'S

Stationery Department.

Farmers' Store

Union Mercantile Company.

.....DEALER IN.....

Dry Goods,
Groceries,
Hats and Caps,
Boots and Shoes.

AUG. FALK, Manager.

(WATCH THIS SPACE FOR BARGAINS.)