

The WARSAW GATE CITY

WARSAW, Ill., May 19.—Married, May 15, at 2 p. m., at the home of Rev. H. B. McElree, in Keokuk, Miss Viola Bullard and Mrs. Russell Hurley, both of this city, the Rev. Mr. McElree officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bullard and a capable young lady who has many charming qualities and possesses a host of friends. The groom is a son of Mr. Abe Hurley and is employed in the Standard Oil garage at Keokuk and is a most estimable young man. Many and hearty are the congratulations extended this young couple.

Albert Elbe, better known as "Happy," returned home Saturday after four years' service in the army. The greater part of this time was spent at Hawaiian island, where he was stationed.

On Saturday, May 15, a little son came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kamps, on East Main street.

A Stahmer was a visitor at the home of Prof. William Erdmann for several days the past week.

The Warsaw high school seniors presented their play, "At the End of the Rainbow," Friday evening, May 14, under the direction of Miss Bash, assisted by Edgar Hamburger. They showed to a crowded house, all liking their parts well.

Mrs. Walter Kraeling returned

home Friday from Chicago where she was called by the death of her sister, Mrs. Bue Bonness.

The McMahan-Trautvetter case came to a close Friday, Mr. E. R. McMahan, of Hamilton, winning, and he was awarded the custody of Maxine McMahan, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McMahan, who both passed away last winter with the flu and pneumonia.

Miss Maggie Ayres, of Carthage, came Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. Mary Parker.

Misses Emily, Katharine and Adalra Kraushaar and Walter Stracke attend a music recital at Keokuk Friday evening in the Y. W. C. A. auditorium. Mrs. Ella Marder's pupils taking part in this recital.

Mrs. Edward Ketting entertained the Matrons' club of the O. E. S. on Tuesday at a 1 o'clock luncheon, with Mrs. Grant Lutman as assisting hostess.

Several days ago Mrs. Wiemer Barth, while going through the yard, was struck in the eye by a peach tree limb, causing her to lose the sight of the eye. Her daughter, Sister Louise, of Davenport, was called home to assist in taking care of her.

Mrs. A. Post, of Keokuk, is here spending the week with Mrs. Emil Wilde.

PRICES ARE BEING OUT ON ALL LINES

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are able to curtail their consumption of necessities. If prices generally go down too far, however, there is danger of a rebound. But I do not believe prices will go clear back to the former level. I think the limit of high prices has been reached and passed."

Only on Overstocked Goods.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 19.—Although practically all leading department stores here are offering some lines of goods at cut prices, merchants declare permanent reductions are not yet in sight. Sales on overstocked articles due to a backward season are quite general. Merchants unanimously agree general retail prices cannot drop until reductions are quoted by wholesalers, which they claim have not yet materialized.

J. E. Miller, mayor of Lincoln, and head of a large department store, declared the present agitation if continued will smash the small retailers. "There can be no reduction of retail prices until the primary market falls," he said. "It takes a brave man to predict what will happen."

Dull Buying.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The drop in prices was attributed to "dull buying" by Joseph Appel, of Wanamakers, the first store here to announce a drastic price cut.

"When buying is dull there is certain to be a surplus of materials and a surplus of materials is certain to make for a reduction in prices," he said.

Garments manufacturers agreed with this statement, saying that a survey of the garment market would show only minimum purchases.

The cloth market in New York reported trading exceptionally quiet.

The slump has not hit the food market yet, according to statements of grocers today, but they indicated that they expected a slight decline.

"I think it is not unsafe to predict that this is shown by the way the public has stopped buying in the mercantile line. At least there has come an end of the upward movement swing when everybody tried to outdo his neighbor in extravagance."

The action of the federal reserve board in raising discount prices has had an effect. There is also some indication that speculation is being discouraged. This should leave more cash and credit for the man engaged in legitimate enterprise.

The nation-wide railroad congestion is the most important factor in the price situation in the opinion of many government officials. It is causing a shortage of commodities in some districts and an over-surplus in others.

There are indications that the housing situation is returning to a sound basis, according to reports here.

Important developments in connection with the price situation were expected to come today from the meeting here of grain dealers for a conference with Julius H. Barnes, head of the United States grain corporation. They were to discuss extension of the government wheat price guarantee beyond June 1, when it expires and the present law.

Factories Overstocked.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 19.—Local merchants say price cutting here is caused by manufacturers becoming overstocked and unable to move their products because of the tangled railroad situation. A big millinery establishment here placed more than a million dollars worth of women's hats and trimmings on sale today at a thirty percent reduction.

Refusal of People to Buy.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 19.—Refusal of the people to buy anything except what they absolutely must have, eventually will force down prices, in the opinion of local merchants today.

The failure to buy at existing prices has forced some dealers here to cut the estimates of their department heads fifty percent.

Detroit Stands Pat.

DETROIT, Mich., May 19.—Detroit merchants stood pat in the face of widespread price reductions in other sections.

The manager of one large department store here, said the eastern stores were "cutting prices because they were overstocked."

May Cut Bread Price.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 19.—Milwaukee has started war on the high cost of living.

Large department stores have cut prices twenty-five percent. Now local bakers have banded together to devise ways of cutting bread and pastry prices.

Outlaw Switchmen Demand Hearing.

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board hearing demands for a billion-dollar wage advance for two million railroad workers.

E. T. Whittier, on behalf of the railroad managers, was expected to continue presenting statistics and other data of wage advances in the last seven years.

The railroads favor a sliding scale dependent upon the cost of living for railroad employees, Whittier said.

More than 100,000,000 cut roses are sold annually in the United States.

The Carthage GATE CITY

Harry Diffenderfer, son of Mary and Harry Diffenderfer, passed away at his home in this city Sunday evening at 11:30 o'clock after several months' illness. He was born in 1888, in Fort Scott, Kas., and came to Illinois when a boy, and has spent several years in this city. He graduated from the high school and taught school for a few years and then took up the position as city mail carrier, which he held for several years. He was a member of the Methodist church of this city and a member of the fire department. He leaves surviving his mother and sisters, Mrs. Mabel Treuhart, of near Burnside, and Pearl, at home, and one brother, Dewey, at home. A sister, Mrs. Jurgens, preceded him in death about one year ago. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2:30, the Rev. Mr. Ferris, of the M. E. church, conducting the services, with interment at Moss Ridge cemetery.

mittee will meet on Friday of this week to lay plans for the development of this organization, and it is expected that an assistant adviser will be employed at an early date to take charge of a part of the work of the farm bureau office.

FIGHTING FORCES FROM CALIFORNIA

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this state, incomplete returns indicated today.

Senator Hiram Johnson and Herbert Hoover were running a close race for second place, the returns showed.

Three Democratic Conventions.

[By Harold D. Jacobs, United Press Staff Correspondent.]

NEW YORK, May 19.—While republicans were still trying to determine just what happened in yesterday's Pennsylvania primary, democrats were holding three important state conventions today.

Glee Club Concert.

The boys' and girls' glee clubs of Carthage college gave a concert at the Trinity Lutheran church of this city Monday evening. The program was very good and a large crowd attended. The following program was rendered:

Recessional (De Koven)—Girls' and boys' glee clubs.

Gipsy Life (Schumann)—Girls' glee club.

The Clang of the Forge (Rodney)—Boys' glee club.

Duet, Hunting Song (Buller)—Albert Nicholas, Edgar Lundberg.

(a) Sleepy Time (Collins) (b) Dolly (Chadwick)—Girls' glee club.

Quartet song—Kerry Court—Mary Carey, the Rose of Tralee, Lucille Pearce; Mrs. Carey, Mary's mother, Imogene Hill; Pat Magee, in love with Mary, Donald Strickler; Old Magee, Pat's father, Edgar Lundberg.

(a) The Miller's Wooing (Fanning)—Girls' glee club.

Doan Ye Cry, Ma Honey (Noll); De Coppah Moon (Shelley)—Boys' glee club.

Sing, Smile, Sleep (Gounod); Says Jane (Forsythe)—Girls' glee club.

Daybreak (Fanning)—Girls' and boys' glee clubs.

Leslie Hastings, Lucille Pearce and Marchand Hill were the accompanists.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Harper returned home Monday after a two weeks' honeymoon, which was spent in Missouri and Arkansas.

Following the Lead.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 19.—Price reductions ranging from 15 to 50 percent were made by many of the large stores here today following the lead of stores in other cities.

Weather Forecast.

For Keokuk and vicinity: Partly cloudy, with local showers tonight or Thursday; cooler Thursday.

For Iowa: Partly cloudy, with local showers tonight or Thursday; cooler Thursday.

For Missouri: Partly cloudy, with local thundershowers tonight or Thursday; cooler Thursday in north-west portion.

For Illinois: Partly cloudy, with showers tonight or Thursday; cooler Thursday in north portion.

Local Observations.

May 18, 7 p. m., 29.74 69 SE Pctly 19, 7 a. m., 29.84 59 SW Clear

River stage at 7 a. m., 10.1 feet; change in twenty-four hours, fall of six tenths of a foot.

Mean temperature yesterday, 62; highest, 72; lowest, 54; lowest last night, 54.

Relative humidity: 7 a. m., 78; 12 m., 56; 7 p. m., 60.

CARL E. HADLEY, Observer.

Farm Bureau Membership Campaign.

The farm bureau and the Illinois Agricultural association membership drive closed last week with a total of 1,388 members secured during the four weeks of the campaign. This gives Hancock county the strongest farm bureau in this section of the state, which speaks well for the work of the officers of the local organization.

Had it not been for the unfavorable weather conditions and muddy roads, the membership list would undoubtedly have been above 2,000, because these conditions made it impossible to work all the territory during the campaign. It is the plan of the local leaders to see as many of the men who were not signed during the campaign as possible, and every farmer who has not been invited to join should see the director in his workshop or go to the farm bureau office at Carthage.

Following is a list of the townships and the number of members in each: Appanoose, 76; Augusta, 92; Bear Creek, 41; Carthage, 82; Chil, 124; Dallas, 59; Durham, 108; Fountain Green, 98; Hancock, 71; Harmony, 66; La Harpe, 108; Montebello, 96; Nauvoo, 6; Pilot Grove, 11; Pontonau, 53; Prairie, 80; Rock Creek, 108; Rocky Run, 70; Sonora, 105; St. Albans, 48; St. Marys, 63; Walker, 70; Warsaw, 14; Wilcox, 46; Wythe, 75.

The farm bureau executive com-

The Weather

(U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.)

River Bulletin.

Flood stage, Stage, Ch'ge, Rain			
St. Paul	14	7.4	-0.1
La Crosse	12	7.0	..
Dubuque	18	8.4	..
Davenport	15	7.9	-0.2
Keokuk	14	10.1	-0.6
St. Louis	30	27.0	..
Keokukburg	..	7.4	-0.3

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Chicago Cash Grain.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, \$2.07; No. 3 spring, \$2.00@2.01; Corn—No. 2 yellow, \$2.00@2.01; No. 3 yellow, \$1.99@2.00; No. 4 yellow, \$1.98; No. 2 white, \$2.00@2.01; No. 3 white, \$1.99@2.00; Oats—No. 3 white, \$1.09@1.11½; No. 4 white, \$1.08½.

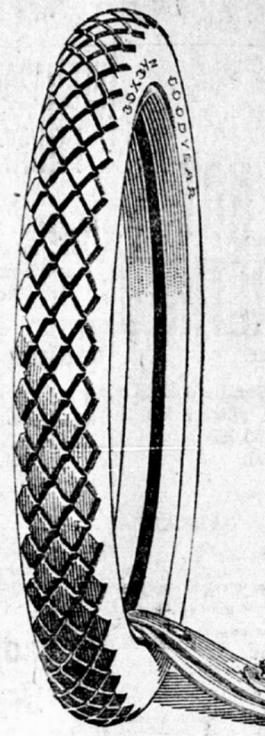
Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Hogs—Receipts, 20,000 head. Market 15 to 25c higher. Bulk, \$12.75@14.50; butchers, \$13.40@14.70; packing, \$11.65@13.75; light, \$12.60@14.50; pigs, \$12.00@13.75; roughs, \$11.65@12.35.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,000 head. Market steady to strong. Beef, \$9.75@13.65; butchers' stock, \$7.75@13.50; canners and cutters, \$6.25@13.50; stockers and feeders, \$7.50@11.75; cows, \$9.75@13.65; calves, \$10.50@13.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000 head. Market slow and unevenly lower. Lambs, \$11.00@14.75; ewes, \$9.00@11.50.

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GOOD YEAR

Late Market Quotations

St. Louis Cash Grain, Close.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 19.—Corn—No. 2 white, \$2.09; No. 3 white, \$2.06; No. 4 white, \$1.97; May, \$1.95; July, \$1.71; September, \$1.59½.

Oats—No. 3 white, \$1.12½@1.13; No. 4 white, \$1.11; May, new, \$1.12; old, \$1.10½.

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St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head. Market steady. Native beef steers, \$10.00@15.25; yearling steers and heifers, \$9.00@13.65; cows, \$7.50@11.25; stockers and feeders, \$7.00@11.00; calves, \$7.00@10.50; cows and heifers, \$6.50@9.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head. Market 10 to 25c lower. Mixed and butchers, \$12.50@14.25; good to heavy, \$14.00@14.50; rough, \$11.25@11.55; light, \$13.50@14.60; pigs, \$10.00@15.50; bulk, \$14.25@14.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,500 head. Market steady. Ewes, \$3.00@11.00; lambs, \$15.00@20.00.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head. Market steady. Native steers, \$10.50@12.75; cows and heifers, \$4.75@13.25; stockers and feeders, \$7.50@12.00; calves, \$7.50@13.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000 head. Market 10 to 20c higher. Bulk, \$13.50@14.30; heavy, \$13.40@14.00; medium, \$13.75@14.40; light, \$13.65@14.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,500 head. Market steady. Lambs, \$17.00@18.00; ewes, \$9.50@15.50; stockers and feeders, \$14.00@16.00; grass wethers, \$10.50@12.00.

Omaha Live Stock.

OMAHA, Neb., May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500 head. Market 5 to 15c higher. Steers, \$8.00@12.75; cows and heifers, \$6.00@11.00; calves, \$9.00@11.50; bulls and stags, \$6.00@10.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000 head. Mar-

ket 15 to 25c lower. Bulk, \$13.85@14.00; top, \$14.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,500 head. Market steady. Lambs, \$11.00@17.50; ewes, \$2.00@9.50.

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Butter—Creamery extras, 56½¢; creamery standards, 56½¢; dairy firsts, 53½¢@56½¢; dairy seconds, 47¢@50¢.

Eggs—Ordinary firsts, 37¢@38¢; firsts, 41¢@42¢.

Cheese—Twins, 25½¢; Young Americas, 29¢.

Potatoes—Receipts, 7 cars; Wisconsin and Minnesota, per cwt., \$7.95@7.60.

Live poultry—Fowls, 37¢; ducks, 35¢; geese, 20¢; turkeys, 35¢.

New York Produce.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Flour—Quiet unchanged.

Pork—Dull. Mess, \$42.00@43.00.

Lard—Easier. Middle west spot, \$20.45@20.55.

Sugar—Firm. Raws, \$22.07@22.57.

Refined—Firm. Granulated, \$20.53@23.00.

Coffee Rio No. 7 on spot, 15½¢.

Santos No. 4, 23¼¢@24¼¢.

Tallow—Weak. City, 12½¢; special, 13¼¢.

Hay—Weaker. No. 1, \$2.90@3.00; No. 3, \$2.45@2.75; clover, nominal.

Dressed poultry—Weak. Turkeys, 50¢@56¢; chickens, 38¢@43¢; fowls, 20¢@42¢; ducks, 32¢@33¢.

Live poultry—Firm. Geese, 20¢@22¢; ducks, 23¢@25¢; fowls, 42¢; turkeys, 30¢; roosters, 25¢; chickens, broilers, 50¢@55¢.

Cheese—Firm. State milk common to special, 20¢@22¢; skims common to special, 5¢@22¢.

Butter—Easier. Receipts, 7,452.

Creamery extras, 62¼¢@63¢; dairy firsts, 45¢@62¢; imitation creamery firsts, nominal.

Eggs—Firm. Receipts, 27,534. Near by white fancy, 53¢; nearby mixed fancy, 46¢@50¢; fresh, 44¢@50¢.

Rye, Barley and Seed.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Rye—No. 2, \$2.18½.

Barley—\$1.71 to \$1.86.

Timothy seed—\$10.60 to \$11.50.

Clover seed—\$25.00 to \$35.00.

Pork—Nominal.

Horses and Mules.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 18.—Horses—The opening witnessed fair action, although it was apparent that demand was again limited and it is doubtful if orders on hand exceed the small supply available.

Demand at present appears to show a preference for the larger grade of horse chunks and loggers coming in for most favor. Trade on the small southerners has fallen off. Horse quotations:

Good to choice drafts, \$140@265

Eastern chunks, 140@215

Farm mares, top grades, 120@240

Farm mares, fair to good, 80@225

Choice southern horses, 140@190

Fair to good southern horses, 120@160

Fair to medium southerners, 60@100

Plain southern horses, 20@50

Plugs, 20@45

Mules—Of the 100 mules available approximately 75 percent were made up of holdovers from the dull action of last week. Trade has fallen off to a very small volume and prices are weak. Mule quotations:

16 to 17 hands, \$185@250

15 to 15½ hands, 100@240

15 hands, 90@190

14 to 14½ hands, 80@140

13 to 13½ hands, 40@90

Liberty Bond Market.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Liberty bonds were quoted today as follows:

3½s, 90.20; 1st 4s, 83.60; 2nd 4s, 82.20; 1st 4½s, 84.52; 2nd 4½s, 82.30; 3rd 4½s, 86.44; 4th 4½s, 82.68; Victory 3½s, 94.94; Victory 4½s, 95.00.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Money on call, 7 per cent; six months, 8½ per cent.

Mercantile paper, 7½ per cent.

Bar silver, London, 58¼¢; New York, 99¼¢.

Demand sterling, \$3.81¼.

Pleads Not Guilty.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.]

NEW YORK, May 19.—"Nick" Arnstein, alleged "master mind" in the \$5,000,000 bond plot, pleaded not guilty to charges of stealing bonds and receiving stolen securities when arraigned in general sessions court here today.