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Saving The Penny

Once upon a time a man lost a penny through a crack in the window sill. Like most of us it hurt him to think that he had lost a penny. After trying for a long while to get it back by his own efforts, broken the window pane, bruised his fingers, and wasted a lot of time and effort, a friend, "I came along. Said his friend "I can get that for you and save you a penny." And the friend proceeded to upart the window sill and recovered the penny. The man was pleased at the thought of having saved his penny. But,—his "friend" (.) charged him \$2.00 for labor. "Well, well" said the man, "it seems to me I have been penny wise and dollar foolish." With my material bill and your labor I have paid out \$3.50 to save one penny. And I think I have learned a lesson which will save me money in other cases like this in the future.

Now folks, this man who lost the penny is no different from you or me. And the friend is no different from anyone else who is trying to sell his wares. Just the other day I drove to Davenport and back, a distance of thirty miles, in order to buy a list of articles for my wife. Among this list were picnic hams double hams, double part wool blankets for \$2.79, a sack of flour for \$1.80, some work shirts for 59c, and other little items like soap, coffee, and crackers. I got these articles and when I came home I found the Walcott Community News on the table. The first thing I read was that Walcott and the surrounding country side is a good community, and because I have lived here all my life I agreed to this 100 percent. I turned the page and when I looked over the advertisements I began to study my dealings for that day. I had driven my car thirty miles, and statistics show that it costs four cents per mile to drive any car. I spent three hours of my own time and paid for the articles purchased a total of \$7.59. Driving the car cost me \$1.20 and any man's time is worth 25c per hour working at home. This is 75c for my time. The least I could figure my entire bill was \$9.54. Sharpening my pencil and turning over my piece of paper I took the prices advertised in the Walcott Community Club news. Lo and behold, the total was actually less than the cash I had paid in Davenport. Instead of paying \$7.59 I could have duplicated my purchases in Walcott at \$7.14, or a total saving considering my time and car expense of \$2.40. "Well, well," I said to my good wife, who was frying some darn tough picnic ham, "it seems that I have been penny wise and dollar foolish." I have been making these trips to save money twenty times a year.

WHAT HOME BREW DOES

Somebody sent the editor of the Porktown Gazette a few bottles of home brew. The same day he received for publication, a wedding announcement and a notice of an auction sale. Here were the results as printed in paper: William Smith and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my farm a mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses on her and two white calves, before a background of farm implements too numerous too mention in the presence of about 70 guests including two milch cows, six mules and one bob sled. Reverend Jackson tied the nuptial knot with 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal couple left on an extended trip with terms to suit the purchasers. They will be at home to their friends with one good buggy and a few kitchen utensils after ten months from date of sale to responsible parties and some fifty chickens.—Scandia (Kan.) Journal.

And at this rate I have been losing at the rate of \$50 to \$60 per year.

Now folks, we do not blame anyone for trying to save a penny. At the same time we do not blame anyone for being like the friend who got a job saving the penny. We are through tearing down window sills to save a penny. We are through throwing \$50 per year away. Our Walcott advertisers are merchants, gargages, barber shops, harness maker, hotels, butchers painters and plumbers, and all the others have assured us that they will meet competition, quality for quality, and dollar for dollar. And if they don't we want you to report the case to the Community News.

If there is ever a time
We're not in line,
Call us.

NEWS ITEMS

Ed. Grau, is recuperating from operation at St Lukes Hospital Davenport.

Henry Stoltenberg, former resident laid to rest Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tank, are parents of a son, Wayne Donald.

Mrs. Catherine Harder, celebrated her 89th birthday.

We are wondering what powers Otto Kurtz has, over wild fowl to have them fly in to his own backyard, where he shot an 8 lb Canadian goose on Saturday.

Louis (Ike) Kock, says that two can live as cheap as one ask (Ike) for the answer.

HUNTING SEASON

The Hunting season will soon be with us, and farmers are urged to make every hunter live up to the law. Know the man who hunts on your farm, if he is a real "sportsman" he will ask permission before he hunts. If every farmer will make the hunter live up to this, it will help our game birds. Give them a chance.

Right now is a good time to think about our quail and pheasants for this winter, Let's protect them. The only time they need any real help is in the winter during Heavy Snow periods. Get that boy of your's to build a corn shock near their roosting place, let a few hills of corn stand without husking. Throw a pile of brush in some odd corner, near cover. They'll repay you a thousand times in the destruction of obnoxious weeds and insects.

The Walcott Game Preserve members stand ready to help you in working out a cover project, or feeding station for our birds, Won't you help,

Any family or farmer who receives this weekly is entitled to three inches of advertisement (Free) What have you to sell buy or what have you.

QUILTING PARTY

A quilting party was held at the home of H. H. Schneckloth, Thursday October 19th. Those present were: Mrs. Gus Frederick, Mrs. Albert Roehlk Mrs. Sr. Meyer, Mrs. Chas Ball, Wm. Roehlk, Mrs. Theo Meyer, Mrs. Hugo Meyer, Mrs. Julia Wiese, Miss Anna Berg.

The following were among those attended the "Home Coming" football game in Iowa City Saturday: H. P. Soenke, Harry Banze, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schneckloth, Dr. and Mrs. L. V. Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Meyer, Harvey Wiese, Jim Paustian, C. A. Knaack, Barney Meyer, P. Dietz, Wallace Andresen Ren Knaack, Don Knaack, Warren Russin, Phil Dietz, Jr.

AIMA MATER

Prof: "A fool can ask a question that ten wise men couldn't answer."

Soph: "I suppose that's the reason so many of us flunk."

Theres a girl who wears a dress the color of her gentlman's friends hair whenever she goes out. She needs advice, she has a date with a baldheaded man tonite.

CONSTANCY

Well, one thing stuck by us through the depression—our creditors.

Fanny—"Did I ever show you where I cut my hip,

Sheik—"No, I wish you would"

Fanny—"All right. We'll drive over that way now."

Deacon Miller wants to retract his vote for Prohibition on the grounds that he was drunk at the time.

The 10 o'clock special a young lady, finding herself stranded in Robbinsdale a few weeks ago, asked deacon Callahan where she might spend the night.

Didja ever notice how you learn to like the feller you have done a friend- turn, and how your hate grows for the feller you've injured?

Y'know when I wuz a kid my mother told me hatt rosy cheeks wuz allus a sign of good health. But I saw a girl last Saturday that shure looked a lot healthier on one side than she did on the other.

The Missus sez I get egotistikal. Some folks wuz over to our place the other night and ast me if any of our family had ever made a brilliyunt marriage. I sed, yes, my wife did.

Ellvina and I went to "Doc" (some local doctor) to ask about a good health food for her. He sed, "Why Missus Lucifer, the secret of good health lies in eatin' a lot of onions." Ellvina then ast him how anybody could keep onion eatin' a secret.

I overheard (a local bachelor) a-sayin' to one of his married friends that sometimes he yearned fer the peace and comfort of married life. His married friend sed, "Well you nothin' on me,—"

DO YOU KNOW THAT—

There are something like 318,000 gasoline stations in the United States.

More than 29,577 miles of state highways were surfaced during 1932.

Our state highway sustems now include some 360,000 miles.

More than half of the people of Canada are under the age of 25.

Joe: I had my nose broken in three places.

In Case of Fire

Call

Ken 8233-M-1 Bell Phone

or

Walcott Central on
Farmer Line

Walcott Co-operative Co.

John Jensen, Manager

General Merchandise

Hardware Paints Shoes Dry Goods

Sugar 10 lbs. -----	49c
Peaches, 2 cans -----	34c
Pineapple, per can -----	19c
Crystal White Graunlated soap -----	19c
Coffee Peaberry, 5 lbs -----	85c
Tones Coffee House Vacuum packed bl -----	25c
Salted Herring, New Per Keg -----	98c
Cake Flour Swansdown pkg -----	25c
Pancake Flour, Aunt Jermima Sack -----	24c
Pancake Syrup Bottle -----	15c
Soap, Big 4, 10 bars -----	27c
Raisins 4 lbs, 25c 2 lbs -----	14c
Cornstarch, 3 pkgs. -----	21c
Chocolates Abrahams, per lb -----	23c
Toilet Paper, 6 rolls -----	23c
Matches, 6 Boxes -----	23c
Colgates Tooth Paste, 2 Tubes -----	39c
1 Brush FREE	
Neckties, \$1.00 value -----	49c
Alarm Clocks Year Guarantee -----	98c
Men's Heavy Suede Coats -----	\$3.39
Men Heavy Union Suits -----	79c
Men's Caps -----	49c
Boy's Caps -----	49c

A CO-OPERATIVE STORE
IN A CO-OPERATIVE TOWN
WE AIM TO PLEASE

We sell Walcott Bakery Bread - A Home Product

A 5c premium will be paid for corn brought to town and traded out.

See the Manager

What Is The Future of Your Home ???

You spend more time in your home than in any other place. Could paint, wall paper and varnish do anythnig to make it a better place to live in?

In most cases—Yes. Kitchen, bathroom, bedroom, halls, stairs, floor, trim; outdoors and in—how do the surfaces look? If they need protection act now. The cost will never be less; he rewards will be many.

You will enjoy your re-newed home It will be brighter, fresher, easier to keep clean. It will look better—and sell better, if need be.

When May We Call Koch & Nagel

Painters and Decorarors
Tel. Kenwood--8236 R 1

Lorenz Dietz Barber Shop

HELPFUL HINTS

Dipping fish in boiling water will aid scaling.

Mahogany can be washed with cold tea or a weak mixture of vinegar and water.

Camphor kept in the silver drawer will prevent tarnishing.

Lemon juice and salt will clean discolored ivory piano keys and knife handles.

A nail dipped into hot water can often be driven into a plaster wall without cracking it. Use as small and thin nails as possible if you want to keep your walls in good shape.

Never use soap on white silk. The soap should be dissolved in the water before laundering is begun.

SUITS

Do you need a new suit I sell 'em \$20.00 all wool suit, 100 per cent satisfaction guaranteed and you are the judge in every way. Tailor made.

One more week by request Razors sharpened 25c.

K n a a c k s
Country Club
and
Schlitz
on Draught
Lunch

WALCOTT PRODUCE CO
Dealers In
Live and Dressed
Poultry
and Eggs
Highest Prices Paid

WALCOTT BAKERY
- Pastries -
A Home Bakery
BUY WALCOTT BREAD
and Bakery Goods

Shenpolk Oil Company

Jobbers of
Oils and Gasoline

H. L. Eichner
Dealer in
Chevrolet Cars
and parts
Try Our Service Once & Use It Always

R. H. Blank
Machine Shop
and
Implements


Make it a habit,
to see Walcott First,
For all your needs,
Seldom will you have to
look elsewhsre.

TO OUR DEPOSITORS
In the end, we believe, our present policies will be to the best interects of all, both to you and to the entire community.

WALCOTT TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK

Twenty Killed Over
Week End!!!
By autos and fires.
Are you insured properly?
If not see H. P. Soenke at
once for
RELIABLE INSURANCE
at reasonable rates

Walcott Lodge
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
District Booster
Meeting
Wed. Nov. 1.
Walcott Coliseum

Dr. W.H.Fitch

Veterinarian

Andresen & Meyers

Specials for Fri. Sat. & Sunday Morning

**CORN 50 PER BU. PREMIUM IF TRADED FOR M'DSE
COME IN AND GET DETAILS**

10 lbs. C & H Cane Sugar 49c
M. A. M. or Hilo Flour 49 lb. \$1.64—5 lb. 21c

REAL VALUES IN COFFEE

Red Bag 18c lb., 3 lbs. 51c
Yellow Bag 21c lb., 3 lbs. 60c
Blue Bag 26c lb., 3 lbs. 73c
M. J. B. Jr., 19c lb.

10 Bars Laundry Soap 25c
Palm Olive Beads for washing dainty fabrics 2 for 9c
4 lb. Jar Preserves 39c
Quart Jar Mrs. Winston's Salad Dressing 23c
55 Ounce Checker Oats, Quick or Regular pkg. 14c
4 Cans Farmer Brand Corn, No. 2 can 4 for 23c
Fancy Chocolate Cookies & Free Chance on a 15 piece
White Crystal Luncheon Set only 27c 1b

4 cans Van Camp's 19c 1 PORK & BEANS
1 HOMINY
1 KIDNEY BEANS
1 TOMATO SOUP

3 Cans Little Tot Fancy Sifted Peas 47c
25c Can Monarch Baking Powder Just to get you to try it 17c
Heavy Two-Thumb Husking Gloves \$1.47 dozen
Extra Heavy Two-Thumb Jumbo Husking Gloves 1.87 "
16 x 33 in. Bath Towels 2 for 23c
Frens. Sanitary Napkins 2 pkgs. 24c
4 Cell Imperial Hot Shot Battery \$1.09

ASK FOR YOUR TICKETS WITH EVERY PURCHASE

Horse Sale

40 HEAD OF HORSES AND COLTS

Consisting of well broke horses and a few colts ranging from 3 to ten years of age.

Matched pairs, Some single horses

At Walcott Sale Barn

For Sale or Trade

Corn, accepted on purchase of horse at 5c bu. premium

SEE

Schneckloth & Fitch

Walcott Meat Market

All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats

Old Homestead Hams and Bacon

Hy. Sambdman

Prop. Phones

Bell Ken-.8235 R3

Farmer 5

CORN STATES OIL CO.

Use our

GAS and OILS

and your troubles are over

Both Phones

Theo. Meinert, Agent

Herman Koch

Heating

Plumber and Electrician

A. WERNER & SON



SALES & SERVICE

WALCOTT, IOWA

Is your car ready for that cold snap?

OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE

Northland Winter Oil

Batteries -- Tires

Anti-Freezes - All Kinds

Low Prices on Repairs

"The Trend is Toward The Ford V8"

Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company

See Bill for your next policy. He has over two and three quarter millions in force around Walcott.

Wm. G. Fromme, Agent

WALCOTT COLISEUM Meals and Lunches

BEER ON TAP

Hallowe'en Confetti Dance

Sunday October 29th

Music by LEW GOGERTY & his orchestra
FOR A GOOD TIME DON'T MISS THIS DANCE

LEABO & NIELSEN BARBER SHOP

Pool Room in Connection
Ice Cream, Confectionery,
Tobacco, Cigars, Etc.

WALCOTT TAVERN

Beer, Lunch, Tobacco
Soft Drinks

Come in and Play Cards
Occasionally

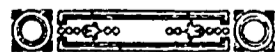
Let's Be Friends
FERD DEITZ

RADIO

Sales and Service
GUS SCHREIBER

Walcott, Iowa

Dr. L.V. Schroeder



Physician and Surgeon

Dr. H. A. Braun DENTIST

Hours 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

X-Ray Service

HARNESS SPECIALS FOR OCTOBER

1½ in Farm Harness	\$30.00
Team Bridles	\$5.00
Breast and Pole Straps	75
Hame Straps	15
1½ Halters	98

We make all our harness

All work guaranteed

Rubber Boots	\$1.98
4-Buckle Overshoes	\$ 1.48

CALL IN BEFORE PRICES
ARE ADVANCED

G. W. SAVILLE

Frank Neibuhrs MEAT MARKET

Walcott, Iowa

Home of Quality Meats
Fresh and Smoked

Smoked Hams half or whole	12c
Sugar Cured Bacon half or whole	1b

Picnic Hams 8c lb

Called

"I called a doctor last night."
"Was somebody sick?"
"Yes, he was when he saw the hand
I held."

South African Natives

Have Own Newspapers

In South Africa there are now nearly a score of newspapers entirely conducted by natives. The blacks, in fact, have the same fondness as the whites for seeing things in black and white. One of these papers has celebrated its twenty-first birthday, and it boasts a circulation of a thousand copies a week. Many of them are published in native languages, and reach a very high standard. A few contain items in English which are sometimes unconsciously amusing. In a recent report of a wedding readers were told that "Among the parents was one sugar business and a mill job."

Most of the native papers are very strong on advertisements. Pickle and sauce manufacturers are great supporters of these columns, and a good trade appears to be done by the makers of a lotion for taking the astrakhan kinks out of woolly mops of hair.

One might expect that some of these papers would show strong anti-white feeling. This, however, is not the case. Political questions are dealt with, but in the fairest and most open manner, and most of the native papers make strong appeals for a closer understanding between the black and white races.

Poland's Capital

Warsaw was the capital of the ancient kingdom of Poland, and later the chief city of the Russian province of that name. The peace settlement of 1919 re-established Poland as a sovereign state with the republican form of government, and Warsaw is the capital. It has a population of 700,000, one-third of whom are Jews. It is an important railway center and is the first place in what used to be southwestern Russia.

Friendship

In friendship, as in most matters, it is the little things that count. Not promises of eternal fidelity, but thoughtfulness about trifles assure us that our friend really cares for us. The one who knows instinctively what we would like for a gift, what subjects of conversation may be unpleasant to us, what subject we do not like to hear jested about—who, knowing, too, when we wish to be silent, humors us in our wish—that is the one with whom we love to associate. We can never retain a friend long if we are not willing to take pains to find out his peculiarities and respect them.—Exchange.

Marvels of Memory

To retain a picture in the mind with every detail clear is the highly developed gift of some painters. Turner had it to a very high degree. He could examine a ship, and then go home and paint it with every rope and spar in the correct position, though he knew nothing of ships. Another painter, Calderon, was robbed while traveling in Spain. He only caught a glimpse of the thief, but he drew such a perfect portrait of him, that the police were able to trace him by the drawn likeness.

Man's Weakness

A man who is so minded may resist many things. He can stop drinking and staying out nights. He may, as a matter of ethics and fairness, overcome the temptation to give himself the best of it.

To a considerable extent he can hold in check his disposition to give performances for the benefit of the ladies. He can break himself of the habit of talking about his children. But he always succumbs to the opportunity to give advice.—Philadelphia

Japan's Big Buddha

All of us are familiar with pictures of the mammoth figure of Buddha in Japan. It may be seen at Kamakura, a pleasant summer resort near Yokohama, which is also famous for its beaches and beautiful mountain-top views. The Daibutsu, or big Buddha, is the largest bronze casting in existence, and sits in state upon a lotus flower with a calm and peaceful expression. His eyes of pure gold seem to be absorbed in meditation. On his head are 830 curls, each 9 inches high, representing the snails which, according to legend, crawled on his head to shelter its bald surface from the sun's rays.

Taken Down

The late Lolie Fuller on her last American visit complained to a reporter about the conceit of movie stars.

"The males are the worst," she said. "A young male star in a seal-skin-lined overcoat, smoking a dollar and a half cigar, swaggered into his boss' office one day and said:

"I'll tell you, boss, how I want you to feature me on the bills. I want the names of the cast printed in the usual way in rather small type, and then in giant type—he raised his voice to a shout—'MY NAME under the word AND.'

"Why not B?" said the boss."

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Grain, Feed, Coal, Custom Grinding, Live Stock Shipping
Your local dealer in Purina Chows for live stock & poultry

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The world's highest beef price paid for Purina fed steer
Grand Champion Club Steer of the Eastern States Exposition was
was sold for \$10,202.25, a price of \$11.15 per pound.

We cannot guarantee that your cattle will sell at world's record prices, but you can put the same finish on your cattle by supplementing Purina Steer Chow with your corn and hay.

WHY NOT COME IN AND BOOK YOUR SUPPLY AT TODAY'S PRICE