

### BUYS WYOMING RANCH

**Harry B. Boardman of Glencoe Purchases Famous IXL Ranch, Scene of Many Historic Indian Battles**

Harry B. Boardman, 385 Washington avenue, Glencoe, has recently purchased the famous IXL ranch in Wyoming, near Dayton. The ranch has been in operation since 1892, and is one of the best known ranches in the west. It was formerly owned by J. B. Milward of England. The name "IXL" is used because the land where the buildings stand was originally owned by a captain in the Ninth (IX) Lancers (L), an English regiment.

The ranch is situated on the bank of the Tongue river, facing the Big Horn mountains and the entrance to the majestic Tongue River Canyon. Half way up the mountains, at the edge of it, is the boundary of the Big Horn National Forest, which consists of 1,136,000 acres of unfenced mountainous country, and to the east are the many-colored plains with the Wolf mountains in the distance.

The country around the ranch was the scene of some of the worst Indian battles in history. About 40 miles north, in the Crow Indian Reservation, Montana, is where Gen. George A. Custer and his command were killed by the Indians on June 25, 1876. There are places on the IXL where Indian graves, arrow heads, U. S. Army equipment, and relics of all kinds are still to be found. Other points of historic interest within convenient reach of the ranch are Yellowstone Park, Devil's Tower, Medicine Wheel, Fetterman Massacre and Wagon Box Fight.

The IXL is what cowboys term a "Dude" ranch, because it takes a limited number of paying guests throughout the year, offering them a

place where they can do the things they've always dreamed of doing, finding romance and adventure in the varied ranch life. Wild rides after cattle, exploring of canyon trails and mysterious caves, camping and fishing trips, nights around lonely campfires, and horseback riding, await the guests, and those who wish for "local color" may help punch and brand cattle, wrangle horses, stack hay, etc.

Mrs. Laird Bell, 1352 Tower road, Mrs. Edwin Clark, 909 Mount Pleasant court, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dammann, Jr., 853 Prospect avenue, all of Winnetka, return this week from a motor trip to Asheville, N. C.

Henry Stein of 812 Lloyd place will return Sunday to Dartmouth college after having spent a ten-day vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Stein.

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Bonds and Securities	705,342.13
Bank Premises and Fixtures	35,098.00
Cash and due from Other Banks	286,644.14
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	\$1,524,540.00

### LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided Profits	20,461.10
Deposits	1,373,283.51
Reserves	15,795.39
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	\$1,524,540.00

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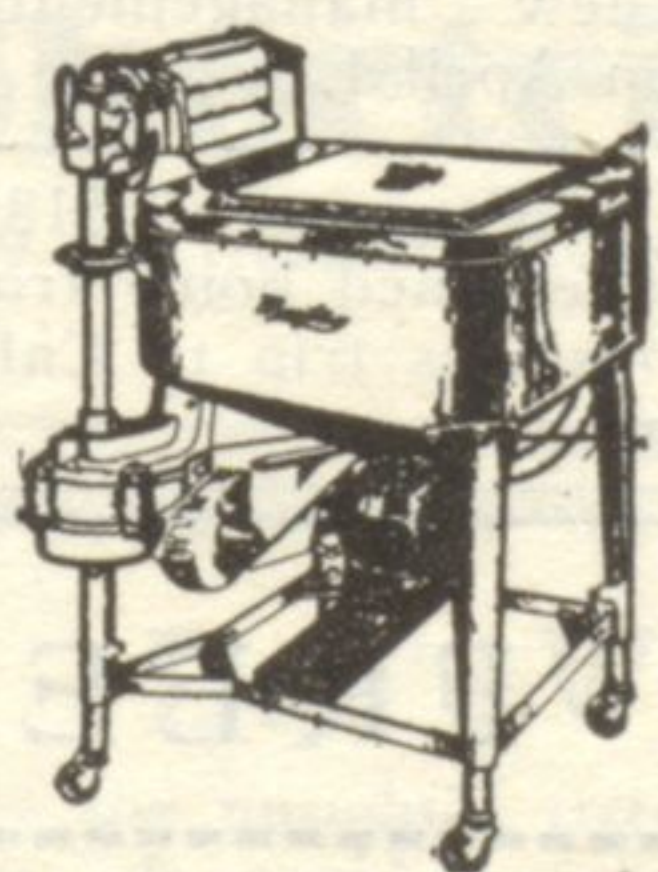
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