

At the annual meeting of the Commercial club held last evening in the First State bank new officers were elected for the ensuing year. They are: President, Dr. J. R. Truscott; vice president, Otto Pritz; secretary, Theo. Smogard; treasurer, P. P. Idsvoog. The executive committee is composed of L. P. Larson, O. G. Arneson and J. C. Thingelstad; and a road committee composed of Theo. Smogard, L. P. Larson and Ole Bakken was elected. Several matters of importance to the village was discussed principally that of grain markets and a farmer's institute. It seems that the elevators here are not paying as high a price for grain as some of the neighboring towns, and especially is this true of the line elevators in regard to flax. Yesterday's market price for flax at the farmer's elevator was \$1.82 while the line houses were paying \$1.63. They received a raise at noon yesterday to \$1.77. Jos. Buchheit was appointed to look into the market question. Jos. Buchheit, F. G. Lewis and P. P. Idsvoog were appointed to ascertain the advisability of holding a farmers' institute here this winter.

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