

**Rubbers,
Overshoes,
Felt Boots,
Felt Shoes,
Felt Slippers,
Leggins.
All Sizes and
Kinds.**

**Davenport Bros.,
THE NORFOLK
SHOE MEN.**

Holiday buyers will miss it if they don't see Chas. H. Johnson's Mammoth Stock before making their purchases.

He carries goods that would make suitable gifts to anyone and is selling regardless of profits.

He has the latest and most stylish furniture, nothing second-hand or shop-worn.

A full and complete assortment of dishes, from a complete dinner set to a pin tray. Plates and crockery of most beautiful designs. Statuettes, pictures and almost anything that would enhance the beauty of a home.

A large assortment of handsome lamps, with more on the way.

Beautiful rugs and carpets in a handsome array.

He is making prices that are selling, and is almost too busy to talk, but the goods speak for him.

Not only is the main store room full, but up stairs and in the back room are goods enough to stock several ordinary stores.

Chas. H. Johnson.

THOMPSON'S CASH GROCERY.

SWEET POTATOES,
NAVAL ORANGES,
ALMERIA GRAPES,
HEINZ'S MINCE MEAT,
CABBAGE,
ONIONS,
BALDWIN AND
GREENING APPLES,
and in fact everything in
STAPLE AND
FANCY GROCERIES.

Thompson's Cash Grocery.

The Weather.
Conditions of the weather as recorded for the 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. today:
Maximum temperature..... 55
Minimum temperature..... 35
Average..... 45
Precipitation..... .00
Total precipitation for month..... .02
Snowfall..... .00
Barometer..... 29.00
Forecast for Nebraska: Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Cooler Saturday and in west portion tonight.

FRIDAY FACTS.

A number of young people enjoyed the weekly dance at the Norfolk hospital for the insane last night.

The public schools close this afternoon for a two-weeks' vacation. Appropriate holiday exercises have been planned for most of the rooms.

The Fair store company has closed a lease for the Bishop block for a term of five years and expects to occupy it as soon as it can be completed.

Last evening was the time for a regular meeting of the city council, but a sufficient number of aldermen were not present to constitute a quorum and no business was transacted.

Revival services will commence on the 26th at the German Evangelical church, with preaching each evening at 7.30. The pastor, Rev. G. A. Rekow, hopes to have the assistance of the presiding elder, Rev. Schell, during at least a portion of the time.

Although the weather bureau forecasts fair weather the chances in this vicinity seem to favor a storm. The barometer dropped from 29.62 yesterday to an even 29 this morning—a fall of half an inch—and if something doesn't happen there will be cause for slander against the said barometer.

F. L. Culver has sold his residence property on Madison avenue, just east of Fourth street, to I. G. Westervelt, who expects to move into it about the first of the year. The property is known

as the old Blackman cottage and was partially destroyed by fire about a year ago when occupied by W. O. Hall as a residence. Mr. Culver had it fixed up in fine shape, thinking to make it his home, but this transfer of the property will change his plans.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Durland last evening the Bachelor Girls very pleasantly entertained a company of young bachelors. The evening was spent with cards and other amusements and the young ladies proved to the satisfaction of the young gentlemen their ability to prepare and serve dainty refreshments.

The recognition services at the First Baptist church last evening were largely attended and Pastor Herbert E. Ryder was given a warm welcome to Norfolk and the west, which he is not likely to soon forget. Addresses were made by Ex Mayor J. E. Simpson, Superintendent D. J. O'Connor of the public schools, Rev. J. J. Parker of the First Congregational church, Rev. G. H. Main of the First Methodist church, Rev. John Jefferies of the Second Congregational, Rev. S. F. Sharpless of the First Presbyterian, Dr. F. M. Sisson, presiding elder of the Norfolk district, M. E. Hughes of the Y. M. C. L. Rev. Mr. Ryder responded to the greeting in a happy manner and the meeting then took the form of an informal social reception. Choice and liberal refreshments were served by the ladies of the church. The event was a magnificent success in every particular.

Black Hills gold grape and leaf rings at Marquardt's, the jeweler.

A six-page noiseless slate, for school children, given away with every pair of shoes at Spencer & Ovelman's.

Go to McCoy's cash feed store for your flour and feed. Jonas building Phone 121.

This paper will receive sealed offers, "time or cash" for the residence, known as the Latimer property in The Heights, for ten days.

Don't fail to give Parish your order for fine candy and nuts for Christmas.

Holly at Schorregge's.

Given away with each pair of shoes—a six-page noiseless slate at Spencer & Ovelman's shoe store.

PERSONAL.

Editor Enos of the Stanton Picket is in the city.

Mrs. M. H. Wilson of Oakdale was a city visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pierre of Wisner are in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. J. L. Knesel of Battle Creek was shopping in the city yesterday.

Clyde Hayes returned this noon from Lincoln to spend his holiday vacation.

Miss Anna McNeil is expected home from the Fremont normal school tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seymour expect to leave tomorrow for York to spend Christmas.

Miss Lucy Williams will go to Omaha tomorrow noon to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

W. C. Eddy expects to leave tomorrow for Worcester, Mass., to visit with his mother until the first of February.

C. D. Mallen of Omaha, secretary of the Columbia Fire insurance company, was in the city yesterday looking up business for his company.

C. E. Doughty and Ethel and Lorin expect to leave in the morning for Belle Plain, Iowa, to spend the holidays. Mr. Doughty will visit Chicago before returning to Norfolk.

Mrs. James Smith of Plainview is visiting at the home of J. S. Morrow. Mrs. Smith was employed in the hotel there at the time of the fire and lost most of her wardrobe in the flames but was thankful to escape with her life.

Order your holly and mistletoe for Christmas at Parish.

A Handsome Stock.

Chas. H. Johnson's store is filled to overflowing with beautiful furniture of late pattern; handsome china and novelties. His stock is the most complete and the choicest ever shown in Norfolk and must be seen before a conception can be formed of its extent. A vast quantity of goods are packed away and will probably not be opened before Christmas but there is enough on display to afford a choice to the most fastidious. Mr. Johnson's prices are most reasonable and he has something fine for everyone, be they rich or poor. His business is one that would grace a city many times the size of Norfolk.

New apple cider at Parish's.

Owen Bros. have several fresh milch cows for sale.

Public Sale.

The old Catholic church building—dimensions 28 by 50 by 17 feet—of Norfolk, Neb., will be offered for sale Saturday, December 22, at 2.30 p. m. at the corner of Madison avenue and Sixth street to the highest bidder on the following terms:

For all cash a discount of 5 per cent interest, approved security.

The library association reserves the right to make one bid.

D. C. O'Connor,

Secretary.

Malaga grapes just received at Parish's.

STOLE A DOZEN CATTLE.

**Yards of H. E. Glissman Raided
Wednesday Night.**

RECOVERS THEM AT PILGER.

Thief Had Killed the Bunch for Omaha, but Shipment was Delayed and Meantime the Thief Made His Escape—Daley Wanted a Lady's Coat and Got 20 Days.

Twelve head of cattle were taken from the feed lots of H. E. Glissman, south of town, some time during Wednesday night by an unknown person and driven away.

The thief took the animals to Pilger and put them in the railroad stockyards there while he billed them to Omaha and endeavored to secure a car for their shipment. No car was available at once and meantime Mr. Glissman received information of their whereabouts and went down on the freight. He found no difficulty whatever in identifying the cattle as his and they were driven home.

While this exchange of intelligence and identification was taking place the thief had been alarmed and made his escape.

An effort will be made to apprehend him and bring him to justice, and as he will be readily identified by the station agent at Pilger this will probably not be extremely difficult.

A rage for thievery seems to have struck this part of the state with a vengeance and it is probable that no effort will be spared to mete out a liberal punishment to all who can be apprehended.

Flynn Declared Guilty.

The trial of Harry Flynn on the charge of petty larceny took place this morning in the court of Judge Hayes before a jury. Several witnesses were examined and the jury returned a verdict of guilty. The court assessed a fine of \$5 against the prisoner, and the costs brought the total amount to something more than \$31. Flynn and his counsel are thinking of appealing the case. If this is not done and the fine and costs not paid, the prisoner will probably be sent to Madison and turned over to Sheriff Losley until the sentence shall be satisfied.

For Stealing a Lady's Coat.

A fellow giving the name of James Daley was detected in the act of removing a lady's coat from in front of Beeler Bros.' store last evening about 7 o'clock and was detained by one of the gentlemen interested until Officer Kane could be notified. The officer soon appeared on the scene and placed Daley in the city jail. This morning he was given a hearing by Judge Hayes and was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail. He will probably be taken to Madison tonight.

Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National bank of Norfolk, Nebraska, will be held in the directors' room of said bank, on Tuesday, January 8, 1901, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors.

G. A. LUICKART,

President.

Norfolk, Nebraska, Dec. 7, 1900.

Fine gold watches, chains, charms, jewelry, gold pens, pocket books, gold spectacles, gold fountain pens at Marquardt's, the jeweler.

Everyone should drink Mellowrich coffee. It is without an equal.

A large number of Christmas trees now on hand at Schorregge's at a low price.

Attend the Y. M. C. L. social in the Mast block tonight. A short program of recitations and music, including graphophone selections has been arranged and refreshments will be served. Admission is but 15 cents including all the pleasures of the evening.

Gold headed canes make nice Christmas presents. At Marquardt's, the jeweler.

Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Norfolk National bank of Norfolk, Nebraska, will be held in the directors' room of said bank, on Tuesday, January 8, 1901, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., for the election of directors.

W. H. BUCHOLZ, President.

Van Horn's ice cream is the best. Quantities supplied at any time. Small orders delivered for Christmas.

Mellowrich coffee sells rapidly, consequently the supply is always fresh. For sale by A. J. Bohnert, agent.

Houses for sale. T. E. O'DONNELL.

Discount Sale at The Fair Store. In order to reduce our stock on the dry goods side we will give a 10 per cent discount on each dollar purchase.

Farm and city loans.

THE DUKLAND TRUST CO.

We make loans on real estate at lowest rates. Elkhorn Building and Savings association. T. E. O'DONNELL Sec.

Good farms to trade for town property.

G. R. SEILER.

Sturgeon is the piano man.

Fine selection of gold rings, plain, en-

graved and stone setting at Marquardt's, the jeweler.

Every one that wants good flour, feed or hay should go to McCoy's cash feed store. Phone 121.

Farm land and city property for sale by G. R. Seiler.

Finest holly and mistletoe for Christmas at Parish's.

A large number of Christmas trees now on hand at Schorregge's at a low price.

Best quality silver-plated ware and sterling silver spoons at Marquardt's, the jeweler.

BATTLE CREEK. Fred Miller drove to Norfolk Monday, on business.

Gottlieb Zibbel was visiting with relatives at Norfolk Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Tanner drove down to Norfolk Tuesday on a visit.

F. J. Hale and ladies drove to Norfolk Tuesday to do Christmas shopping.

Herman Tegler has occupied a clerk's position with W. B. Fuerst during the holidays.

Miss Martha Hedman was visiting with friends in Norfolk the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Chas. Fenske, who has been sick for about two weeks, is reported a little better at this writing.

Sam Schneider and Wm. Sutherland drove to Norfolk Sunday to visit with Chas. Rice and family.

Jacob and John Knapp of Green Garden were over here Tuesday and Wednesday, on business.

Fred Kohl of Kalamazoo precinct and his son Albert of Grove precinct were here on business Wednesday.

Miss Maggie O'Neill will be home Saturday from Sioux City, where she has taken a course in stenography.

A. M. Lovelan, one of our implement dealers, was selling corn Friday on his place eight miles south of town.

We have seen a side issue to the report of County Superintendent Crum. It is very interesting if you read both of them.

Miss Clara Warneke returned home Wednesday from a three weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. B. Langhoop, at Fremont.

J. E. Hale returned home Wednesday from Norfolk, where he was keeping books for the sugar factory during their campaign.

Henry Haase of West Point, was visiting here the latter part of last week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Jost, and other relatives.

Some of our farmers are losing hogs right along and also cattle on account of the stalks and black leg. One near town lost 17 head of that disease.

Battle Creek and vicinity are overstocked at the present time with fruit tree, and life insurance agents, and lodge organizers. Times seem to be good.

Herman Hogrefe and Fred Schereger bought 103 head of cattle, mostly feeders, two years old, of House and Nichols of Norfolk, Monday. Consideration not stated.

The masquerade ball at Warnerville last Friday was well attended by the Battle Creek boys. Some of them even got into a fight over there and claimed to have had an awful good time.

Ed. Hayden and family of Cody, Neb., who are visiting here with the Barnes families, went to Ponca Saturday for a short visit at his old home and from there they will go to Oregon with the intention to locate.

P. H. Ingoldby bought three acres of land east of the section house through Maas & Brechler from the Town Lot company. The consideration was \$300. Pat is going to seed it down and will have a nice little pasture.

C. F. Montross of the Battle Creek Republican and F. E. Martin of the Battle Creek Enterprise were Norfolk visitors Tuesday. We were informed by authentic authority that they were walking on the sidewalk there hooked together.

E. H. Luikart and J. L. Knesel made a business trip by team to Boyd county last week. Mr. Luikart informs us that there are great opportunities for young men wanting a piece of land. They also met our friend Judge W. A. Goble up there, who claimed to be doing very well.

A whole delegation of young Virginians boarded the train for Grayson county, Va., Tuesday, for a visit, and to tell their country men what a great state Nebraska is, even if McKinley carried the last election. They will come back and will know how to vote next time.

Hon. P. F. Zimmerman, representative-elect, is relieved of "isms," has thrown his cane away and Wednesday boarded the train for Chicago to see the McCormick people.

N. B.—Mr. P. F. Zimmerman did not go to Chicago; in his place he sent his partner, Mr. Chas. Lampert.

Gottlieb Preuss drove over to Madison Tuesday. He is a little hot because the county treasurer informed him that there is \$63 taxes to be paid yet on his place here near the river, known as the Goodman farm. The taxes run from the year of 1876. His abstract, which he got of a Madison abstracter, shows nothing against it.

EMBROIDERIES!

Novelties in beautiful hand embroidered pieces for

XMAS

ALL TRIMMED HATS at HALF PRICE!

J. & E. DURLANDS

To Close Out

I will sell at a Great Sacrifice my entire line of

**Battenberg and
Mexican Drawn Work
in Doilies and
Lunch Cloths.
Sofa Pillow Tops
in all the
Latest Designs.**

Our Street Hats, Children's Hats in Plain and Trimmed, Misses' and Children's Caps, Children's and Infants' Hoods, at

HALF PRICE.

One lot Ladies' Trimmed Hats, your choice, \$1.48.
Discount on all Trimmed Hats.

MISS E. J. BENDER

One Block East of Postoffice.

**FREE Handsome
Holiday Spoon**

The cut shows an elegant Coffee Spoon that is

well in design and sure to please. On the front appears the open fireplace and a stocking, without which no Christmas is complete. The tree loaded with good things is distinctly seen above the narrow part of the handle, on which appears in plain letters the words "Merry Christmas." In the gold bowl we see old Santa Claus with his flowing locks and his grey beard, swinging his whip threateningly over the back of his fleet reindeer. Altogether it is a most beautiful article suitable for a holiday present for one's self or a friend. The collection of handsome spoons has assumed in many localities the proportion of a hugefad and this spoon is good enough to place beside any of them.

This spoon is the most suitable Christmas gift you could make to ladies, Sunday school children, or children in the public or day schools; church fairs often use several hundred of them.

OUR GREAT OFFER.
Notwithstanding the fact that the spoons are of superior quality and fine finish, by making arrangements with the manufacturer to use a large quantity, we get them at a figure that will enable us to make you a Christmas present of one FREE if you buy Three Dollars worth of goods or more at our store before December 31st. Remember the place.

DR. C. F. W. MARQUARDT,

**Jeweler and Optician,
NORFOLK, - - NEBRASKA.**

Several Snaps!

5-room House, 8 h St., corner lot, 45x122, easy terms..... **\$700**

5-room House, lot, 66x132, 12th St., city water..... **\$800**

320 acres 7 miles ne. in Stanton Co., good improvements,..... **\$5000**

280 acres 8 mi. s. southeast in Stanton Co., fine improvements, house cost \$1,500.00. Per acre, until January 1, 1901..... **\$31.00**

160 acres 1 mile from Meadow Grove, fair buildings, 100 acres cultivated, balance hay and pasture, springs and running water, excellent farm..... **\$30.00**

160 acres 3 miles north of Hadar, 80 acres under cultivation, fair buildings, one-half cash, balance at 6 per cent..... **\$2000**

TRACY & DURLAND.

Remember,

When purchasing your Christmas gifts, that

CHRISTOPH,
The Druggist,

has the Finest Assortment in the city of

Medallions.

Albums.

Toilet Sets.

Gold Plated

Novelties.

Ebonyware.

Dolls.

and a Fine Assortment of

Palmer's

Christmas

Packaged

Perfumes.



**Bargain...
Sale of**

**Fashionable
Millinery**

For this week only, all of our

READY-TO-WEAR

STREET HATS.

ALL OUR

CHILDREN'S

STREET HATS.

Go in this sale at the one low price of

49c.

each. Former price marked in plain figures on each hat, was 57c up to \$2.38. All new, seasonable goods.

**Inskeep's
Millinery.**

For Plumbing, Steam Fitting, Pumps, Tanks
Wind Mills

And all work in this line call on

W. H. RISH.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

First door South of THE DAILY NEWS Office.

B. MEYERS

Invites you to Compare Prices.

Tomatoes, per can.....	8c
Pears, per can.....	8c
Corn, per can.....	8c
Java Coffee, best, per lb.....	15c
Oat Meal, per lb.....	2 1/2c
Soap, 10 bars.....	25c
1/2 pound can Baking Powder.....	20c
Best Prunes, per lb.....	8c
Blueing.....	4c
Soda, per lb.....	3 1/2c
Starob, per lb.....	3 1/2c
Crackers, per lb.....	7 1/2c
Clothes Lines.....	9c
Lye, per can.....	4c