

MONDAY MENTION.

Chas. Rice returned last night from a trip to Philadelphia, Pa. S. L. Andrews of York spent Sunday at the home of C. S. Hayes. County Superintendent C. W. Crum was a city visitor yesterday. George Brechler of Madison was greeting Norfolk friends Saturday. W. C. Fry has returned from his visit to the carnival at Sioux City. Mrs. Geo. Davenport will return home tonight from her visit to Sioux City. Miss Mamie Hayes has returned from a visit to Sioux City and Cherokee, Iowa. Miss Mullin came in from her school at Meadow Grove and visited at home over Sunday. Miss Edna Stafford came in from her school at Battle Creek and visited relatives over Sunday. Frank J. Hoyer, operator at the union depot, went to Omaha this morning for a short visit. Miss Eva Dolen has gone to Okdale to take a position in the millinery store of Lindberg & Lindberg. Miss Fisher of St. Joe, Mo., arrived last night to take the position of trimmer in the Durand millinery store. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zutz returned home Saturday from a two-months visit with friends in New York and Wisconsin. Gus Marquardt returned home yesterday from Sioux City, where he has been assisting the Wayne band to make music. Elmer Alexander, Ray Hayes and Joe Powell rode their wheels to Pilger yesterday and spent the day with Clair Blakely. C. E. Rouse went to O'Neill last night with his phonograph to entertain the crowds that attend the Bryan demonstration. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Brooks came in from the Black Hills yesterday and left for their home at Bazile Mills on the noon train. W. A. Witzgman, cashier of the Meadow Grove state bank, with his family, visited at the home of G. A. Luikart over Sunday. P. Cavanaugh, the sugar broker of Omaha, is in the city to see the factory start in the morning—at least he will see it start if he gets up early enough. Rev. F. P. Wigton and wife drove down from Osmond. Mr. Wigton will go on to Lincoln for a few days and Mrs. Wigton will visit with Norfolk friends. Hon. W. J. Bryan passed through the city last night on his way to O'Neill, where he addresses the people today. A number of admirers went down to the train to meet him. E. C. Howe, general manager of the American Beet Sugar company, came in from Grand Island last night and is attending to business matters connected with the Norfolk factory. Philip Koenigstein and family, who have been visiting at the home of his brother, John Koenigstein, for two months past, left for their home in Louisville, Kentucky, today. Miss Pearl Widaman went to her school in the Cunningham district yesterday for the purpose of beginning her duties this morning. This is the second year she has taught the same school. The sugar factory was unable to start this morning as expected, owing to the non-arrival of the sugar boiler, who missed the train in New York. The start, however, will be made tomorrow morning. The Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., is arranging to give a charity ball at the Railway hall, South Norfolk, next Monday night, at which it is hoped to have a large number of charitably-inclined people. The sheep yards at the Junction are being moved onto the Gerecke 80 across the road and a little farther south than the former location. Besides moving the old pens and fixtures, many new and needed improvements are being made. The first shipment of sheep has not yet been received, but will probably arrive within a week or two. The wedding of August Lenser and Miss Alvina Eberling took place at St. Paul's Lutheran church yesterday immediately after the regular services. Following the ceremony the wedding party repaired to the home of the bride's parents six miles west of the city where a dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Lenser will live at the Eberling home for the present. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Widaman returned home Saturday from Philadelphia, Pa., where they had been attending the national G. A. R. reunion, to which Mr. Widaman was a delegate. They spent about eight days in Washington, at each place enjoying an elegant time. Mr. Widaman states that business in the east is on the boom and the whirl and noise of the factories is heard constantly. The annual missionfest of Christ Lutheran church was held in Pasewalk's grove yesterday and was attended by the largest number of people ever known at one of these picnics in this section of the state. Not only were the German people in and around Norfolk there in force, but a large number from Battle Creek, Stanton, Hadar and other points were present. Besides the dinner,

the customary program of speaking, singing, music and amusements was carried out. The Christian Science lecture at the Congregational church last evening was fairly well attended by people of all denominations as well as other people. E. A. Kimball, the speaker, was introduced to the audience by Geo. N. Beels, first reader of First Church of Christ, Scientist, in a few well chosen words, and the lecture was ably presented and listened to with marked attention. The speaker made no effort to convert sinners nor to exhort a change of views, but simply to bear witness to his faith. A. G. Storrs, superintendent of telephone exchanges, was in the city about an hour Saturday on his way from Wayne. While here he looked over the switch board and made up a list of the things needed in order to make the proposed necessary additions to the exchange facilities. These will arrive in a few days and the change made to meet the existing conditions until the new board arrives. As soon as the temporary improvement is effected Miss Anna Lebnow will be put on as assistant day operator. Norfolk has been remarkably fortunate in regard to fires lately. There has not been an alarm turned in for many weeks and no one is anxious to break the record. The season, however, is approaching when a greater degree of caution will have to be observed in order to prevent them, and it will be the part of wisdom if people will make a careful examination of flues and surroundings when they put up their heaters. Inflammable material about homes and places of business should be taken care of and placed out of danger of sparks and matches. F. Warrant, supervisor of the Royal Union Mutual Life Insurance company, is advertising for bids on a suitable site for an opera house. This is being done so that if the deal goes through there shall be no time lost after sufficient business is secured to warrant putting up the building. Mr. Warrant reports that the latter is progressing fairly well, but that he is very anxious to hasten as rapidly as possible so that it can be closed and the building started before cold weather comes on. By having propositions on locations for a site, by the time the business is in hand he will be all ready to push the work of construction as fast as men and material can be gotten together. Manager G. T. Sprecher made a search Saturday night for the break in the telephone line between this place and Battle Creek, but was unable to locate it. He went out again yesterday morning and finally discovered it between two insulators on one pole about two miles from the Kent bridge. The insulators kept the wire up and made the break exceedingly difficult to locate, but he soon had it in working condition after it was found. The break was evidently made by a rifle bullet of .33 calibre, as the hole directly behind would indicate. Someone had apparently been shooting at the insulator, but missed it and cut the wire. As it is an offense punishable by imprisonment in the state penitentiary, people should have a care how they shoot or otherwise mutilate telephone or telegraph property. Mr. Jefferies, pastor of the Second Congregational church, left home this morning to attend the International Congregational council, which meets in Boston this week. As with all Congregational organizations, it has no legislative power. It is a purely deliberative body and meets to discuss theological, educational and social questions. The previous meeting was held in 1891 in London. Its sessions open in Tremont temple on Wednesday evening with addresses of welcome from the governor of the state and mayor of the city, with a reply by President Angell of Ann Arbor university, Michigan, who is also president of the council. The sessions continue until Wednesday evening, the 28th. On his way home Mr. Jefferies will visit some of his many friends in Michigan. During his absence the preaching services of the church will be suspended. The others will be held as usual. TUESDAY TOPICS. W. E. Bishop of Pierce is in the city today. John R. Hays had business in Omaha yesterday. Mrs. C. S. A. Bargelt is visiting friends in Pender. Rev. G. H. Main was a passenger for Pender Monday. Born, yesterday afternoon, to Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Birchard, a son. Mrs. H. Spearing is still very low at her home in South Norfolk. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Durland drove down from Plainview today. Telephone No. 153 has been placed in the Clifton hotel at the Junction. Rev. Corey and wife of Stanton were visitors in the Sugar City yesterday. Wm. Carrabine has accepted the position of chief cook at the Pacific hotel. Miss Josie Hagey returned last evening from an extended visit to friends in Lincoln. C. B. Burrows went to Madison this morning, where he will remain a week or ten days. Madam Schlect is preparing to remove her dress cutting school to the

building recently completed by Dr. Verges. The democratic county convention will meet at Battle Creek next Saturday for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for county offices. The many Norfolk friends of Mrs. H. G. Corroll of Plainview, who has been very sick for the past few weeks, will be glad to learn that she is improving. It is reported that P. A. Shurtz has purchased the store building near the depot on First street at the Junction and that he will open a grocery there in the near future. P. O. Hedlund, secretary of the republican state central committee, who is now traveling for Cox, Jones & Cox, South Omaha commission merchants, was a city visitor this morning. The city hall and offices in the city building are receiving a thorough renovation which has been much needed for some time. The carpet in the hall has been taken up and dusted and the floors of the offices will be oiled. R. J. Cline and wife left for Kansas City yesterday, where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Cline is agent for the Nichols & Shepard Threshing Machine company, and has been stationed here the past four months. The Hastings street fair and carnival opened yesterday with imposing ceremonies and with a great crowd of people in attendance. The floral parade was a most beautiful display and the reception to the king and queen was very impressive. Manager G. T. Sprecher of the telephone exchange went to Warnerville today to replace the long-distance telephone in the Warner house. This instrument was taken out about a year ago, but there is again a demand for the service and it will accordingly be replaced. The Times-Tribune is installing a Campbell press today, on account of which no paper will be issued from that office tomorrow morning. The old press, which was sold under mortgage a few days ago, has been purchased by A. F. Enos and will be taken to Stanton for use in the Picket office. The start of the sugar factory this morning was very auspicious, and with preparations previously made the machinery moved off like clock-work while the men assumed their stations exactly as though they had been working in them for weeks. A large portion of the force are old hands at the business and under their guidance the newcomers find no difficulty in attending to their part of the work. The beets were started tumbling into the washers and cutters at the south end of the factory at a lively clatter and by noon handling of the saccharine root had attained almost the full capacity. Nothing occurring to prevent it, the force that handles the finished product hopes to take care of the first output early tomorrow morning. The start of the factory was witnessed by a number of interested spectators who took pleasure in watching the machinery begin to revolve. If the start indicates anything it means a successful and prosperous campaign for the factory. WEDNESDAY WRINKLES. L. A. Pohlman of Pierce is a city visitor today. Peter Krantz of Hoskins paid a business visit to the city yesterday. B. W. Wolverton of Pierce was a visitor in this metropolis today. Misses Pauline and Emma Newman were city visitors yesterday from Stanton. D. S. Standley, one of Tilden's leading merchants, was a city visitor yesterday. W. O. Hall's pacer "Birchwood" will start in the 2:40 race at the Stanton fair on Friday. Frank Frahm, formerly of this city, now of Omaha, is transacting business in town today. County Superintendent C. W. Crum is in the city looking after the interests of the schools. H. E. Hardy returned home last evening from a visit to Lusk, Wyoming, Omaha and other points. Harry Quick has returned from Omaha, and it is understood, has accepted a position on the road. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Glisman drove to Stanton today to attend the county fair now in session there. Jack Arnold, jeweler with Vail, returned last evening from Omaha, where he has been for several days. Mrs. Alvin Lowe and Mrs. John Ray, living west of the city, left on the early train for their visit to Eureka, Kansas. J. Horisky has purchased a home on Madison avenue, near Thirteenth street, where his family will soon be located. Geo. Stalcop, with his gang of house movers, has gone to a ranch in Stanton county to fill a large contract of moving a number of buildings. The Sugar City Cereal mills have a large force of girls at work packing 100,000 boxes of wheatling, for which there is a large and constantly growing demand. J. W. Westervelt, one of the prosperous farmers and stockmen living south of Meadow Grove, was in the city today visiting his parents and renewing old acquaintances. A handsome new book case, the gift

of the class of '90, was installed at the High school this morning. It is a gift that will be appreciated by the classes of many future years. District court convenes in regular session at Stanton next Monday. The case of most interest which will be up for hearing will be the one in which the man Johnson will be tried for killing his half-brother Anderson. Wm. Wagner has gone to North Dakota to look at land with the idea of purchasing. He went at the solicitation of Fred Henkle, a neighbor who is agent for the land and who was here last week to look after property interests. J. C. Stitt has about completed an elevation of proposed new opera house auditorium. The drawing indicates a very handsome structure and will prove an ornament to the city. It is understood that a seating capacity of about a thousand is being planned. Editor R. D. Scott of the Battle Creek Enterprise was in the city yesterday. Mr. Scott has recently returned from a visit to his old home in Virginia where he went to recuperate his health. His friends will be pleased to learn that the trip was very beneficial and that he returns with his condition very much improved. Last night the government thermometer showed the coldest of the season, 32 degrees being reached. There was quite a heavy frost, which settled the fate of gardens and melon patches. Corn was wholly out of the way of frost and was not injured. Fires nights and mornings have now become a necessity, and stove and furnace men are crowded with rush orders. A few evenings since Carl Reiche was driving the county road grader across the tracks at the Junction, when a car which was being switched struck it, smashing the two rear wheels of the machine and otherwise damaging it. Reiche was thrown from his seat to the ground some distance away and was quite severely injured. The grader was brought up town yesterday for repairs. Dr. Frances Wood, who has lately returned from the Philippines, where she was connected with the hospital work of the Red Cross society, will lecture in this city Thursday evening, Sept. 23, under the auspices of the Woman's club. She will speak concerning the Philippines and her views gleaned from personal observations and experiences will undoubtedly be most pleasing and instructive. A Greek carnival and art entertainment will be given by the ladies of the physical culture class in Marquardt's hall next Tuesday evening, September 26, under the management of Miss Pickering. This unique entertainment will be sought after for its artistic excellence, reproducing 40 or more of the master pieces of sculpture and paintings of Greek life. An atmosphere of art pervades the entire program. When Sheriff Davenport of Sioux City was in Columbus recently he found two horses that had been stolen from Sioux City, and in the same barn the man who professed to own this team had a number of other horses, which in all probability had been stolen. It seems the thief had been making a business of hiring rigs of livery stables at towns in this section, driving them into Lincoln or Omaha and selling them. He was on his way to Lincoln when apprehended by Sheriff Davenport. While wiping the rollers on the mangle in the steam laundry this afternoon Miss Katie Walker was unfortunate enough to get her hand caught between them and her arm drawn in to the elbow. She was quickly released from her painful predicament and Dr. Hagey summoned. An examination disclosed the fact that the injury was nothing more serious than a severe and painful bruise, no bones being crushed or broken. The worst result to be feared at this time is a stiff elbow joint. A convincing argument for good roads was witnessed on the street this morning. One team was doing the work of two with perfect ease because of the smooth, hard condition of the streets are now in. The mill team, which has a record for strong and steady pulling was hauling the large mill wagon, and another hitched behind, both loaded to their full capacity with flour—the weight of which was 13,000 pounds or six and one-half tons. The team was hauling it along with apparently but little exertion under the guidance of the driver, John Decker. Half of this weight would be enough to stall a team on muddy, sandy or hilly roads. The hose race which was to have taken place between Norfolk and Stanton running teams at the Stanton fair this week has been declared off. The Norfolk boys made a proposition to run 200 yards, lay 150 feet of hose, winner to receive a purse of \$50.00 from the fair association, no one but those who had been members of the fire company for at least 30 days to be entitled to take part in the race. The Stanton team made a counter proposition to run 100 yards, lay 150 feet of hose and allow anyone living in the county to take part, both teams to use the same cart. This proposition was rejected, and there being no prospect of the two teams getting together, C. E. Hartford wrote the Stanton people this morning that when they have a team that can run a couple of hundred yards Norfolk will be ready to give them a race.

Harvey Murray, one of the most prominent attorneys in Missouri, died at Springfield, Mo., from injuries received in being thrown down a stairway by E. C. Mays, a wealthy farmer. Final returns show that Pleasant Porter, the progressive candidate, was elected president of the Creek nation by a majority of 1,000 votes, defeating ex-Chief Perryman and Second Chief McIntosh. Lieutenant General Sir General Forster Walker, who relieves Sir General William Francis Butler as commander of the British troops in South Africa, arrived at Capetown. He was given a splendid reception. During the sham battle in the Pain spectacle, "The Battle of San Juan," at the state fair ground, in Columbus, O., Charles Krag, aged 10 years, spectator, was killed. A. L. Bell of St. Mary's, Kan., has been appointed a teacher at the Hockbury Indian school, Arizona. Miss G. Vaughan, of Hutchinson, Kan., teacher at Sac and Fox agency. Mrs. B. K. Bruce, widow of the late United States Senator Bruce, has accepted the position of lady principal of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute at Tuskegee, Ala. So far as known this is the hottest summer ever experienced in London. Meteorological records go back only twenty-seven years and show a maximum of 90 degrees in the shade. Bids for the purchase from the government of the Industrial Christian home in Salt Lake City, Utah, were opened. Charles B. Titcomb of Salt Lake, for \$22,500, was the highest. The quartermaster's department has landed 430 head of horses and mules at Manila; there are 2,500 on the sea and arrangements are about completed to ship 2,400 more within a few weeks. This will supply the cavalry brigade with horses, and the army with mules for transportation.

Rev. Mr. William Moffat, D. D., LL. D., for twenty-eight years president of Brakine college, at Due West, S. C., and for many years editor of the Associated Reformed Presbyterian, is dead. At the Douglas county fair at Cambridge, Ill., lightning struck the north end of the grand stand, killing two men instantly, fatally injuring two more and seriously disabling six others. Government officials of the Russian province of Kieff recently ordered the closing of thirty synagogues and schools at Berlitcheff, center of the Jewish population of the southwest provinces. An English syndicate purchases for \$2,500,000 cash the properties of the Big Five Mining company at Ward, Colo.

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