

MONDAY MENTION.

Mrs. S. K. Long was a Stanton visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Steinkraus, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to her home in Plainview today.

J. F. Boyd of Oakdale, candidate for district judge on the republican ticket, was in the city over Sunday.

C. H. Wunner, who went to his home in Stanton on sick leave, has returned to his duties as clerk in the store of Baum Bros.

Although Mrs. S. K. Long now has her residence on South Fourth street she still has office rooms in the Cotton block.

Mrs. Minnie Brawn of Battle Creek, who has been the guest of Miss Pearl Reese the past week, returned home yesterday.

Dr. P. H. Salter is planning to leave for Chicago tomorrow, where he will spend two weeks taking a short post graduate course.

Mrs. Zache, sister of Chas. Jauch of Bazile Mills, was in the city bidding her friends goodbye previous to her departure for her home in Juneau, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Young of Stanton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt Saturday. They were enroute to Meadow Grove, where Mr. Young spoke that evening.

Norfolk people will be gratified to know that neither L. C. Mittelstadt of this city nor W. O. Toliver, who formerly resided here, suffered any loss by reason of the fire at Laurel, an account of which appears in another column.

Vail's candy kitchen and lunch room has been very nicely fixed up recently. The walls have been repapered and a fine partition has been placed between the storeroom and ice cream or lunch parlor. The proprietor expects to do more in the restaurant and lunch line hereafter.

W. W. Roberts, who for almost nine years has been connected with the Home Fire Insurance company and has proven himself to be one of the best and most popular insurance men in the state, has accepted a position with the Continental Insurance company as special agent for the north half of the state.

The union temperance service which was held at the First Congregational church last night will be repeated next Sunday night. The service was quite well attended, the quality of weather being considered, but it was the opinion of those there that the services merited a much larger attendance and therefore the decision that it should be repeated.

I. M. Macy, the photographer, has recently purchased a bill of goods under rather novel conditions that indicate a firm conviction by at least one wholesale house and its representative that McKinley will be re-elected. He purchased from the traveling representative of Robert Dempster & Co., of Omaha \$40 worth of card stock, to be paid for if McKinley is elected. If Bryan is elected no bill for the goods will be rendered.

Funeral services of the late Garrett McDonald were held in the Congregational church at Pierce Friday. Deceased passed away Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock after suffering from incurable rheumatism for nine years. The immediate cause of his death was consumption, which followed an attack of the grippe in April, 1899. He was a young man of many excellent qualities and well thought of by his many friends both in Pierce and elsewhere in north Nebraska.

The Knights of the Maccabees are to give a dance at the Marquardt hall Wednesday night. The Bohmert orchestra will furnish the music, which is a sufficient guarantee that this feature will be all that could be desired. Those having the entertainment in charge expect a large number of visitors from neighboring towns and there will undoubtedly be a good attendance from Norfolk and vicinity. They expect to make it one of the best amusement events of the season.

The ground in the vicinity of Norfolk has been thoroughly soaked since Saturday, almost three inches of water having fallen. October has been a dry month until the last few days, when the rain god seems to have been endeavoring to make up for lost time and the prospects are that the total precipitation for the month will be more than the average. This morning the clouds broke away, with every appearance of a general clear-up, but the barometer was very low and the weather bureau predicted more precipitation, so that the rainfall may be still increased before the weather settles.

J. H. Roe of Denver, and D. L. Morgan of Omaha, head men of the Singer Sewing Machine company, were here today and made some important changes in that company's business affairs. They re-established a district office in Norfolk as it was when B. S. Wyatt was here. A. E. Lawrence was placed in charge and will have jurisdiction over ten counties in northeast Nebraska. D. B. Lee will continue as local agent but the local office in Thompson's store will be discontinued or combined with the district office which will be opened in the room recently vacated by the Norfolk Shoe company in the Martin building.

That the Innes band may entertain

the people of Norfolk and vicinity on Thanksgiving night, November 29, it is necessary that Manager Spear guarantee a certain amount of business to the company and he has decided to ask the people of Norfolk for a voluntary expression on this point. During this week therefore blank lists will be left at Leonard's drug store and the music-loving people of Norfolk are requested to call there and indicate how many seats they desire. This guarantee must be made not later than November 1st, so that the company may govern itself accordingly. Manager Spear expects that other towns will contribute to the guarantee but of necessity expects the larger part of it from Norfolk people. It is strongly rumored that a carload of people will be brought up from Albion to the entertainment and other towns will also help swell the crowd. It will be the leading musical event of the season and Norfolk people should not only make the guarantee good but should fill even the standing room of the Auditorium.

For cleanliness, economy and comfort the Retort Oak has no equal as a heater. See them at Hamstreet's.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

Reasons Why Voters Should Cast Their Ballots for W. W. Young. It is with genuine pleasure that The News addresses its readers soliciting their support for the subject of this sketch, W. W. Young of Stanton, the republican nominee for state senator.

Some among us had the honor of Mr. Young's acquaintance previous to his nomination. Others have since met him in person or have been permitted to listen to one of his masterful addresses. Others may not have done so and, owing to the size of the district and the short time intervening before the election may not be able to do so. Those who have made his acquaintance or heard him speak appreciate his ability to creditably fill the position of state senator. It is to those who have not read this article is particularly addressed, and to them we say unhesitatingly that no more capable or deserving man ever stood before the voters of the Eleventh senatorial district as the nominee of any party soliciting your support.

Physically he is an excellent specimen of robust American manhood, commanding in appearance and dignified in bearing. Mentally he is equally strong, thinks and acts readily and with decision, and grasps ideas readily and clearly.

The coming session of the legislature of Nebraska will be one of unusual importance. The work to be done calls for men of brains and perception. The election of two United States senators, though important, is but one of the many important acts which that body will be called upon to perform. Work of importance to the state and which rises above politics must be done. The state must be re-districted for congressional, judicial and legislative purposes. There are laws to be made, matters of utmost importance to the state must receive their consideration and action. It is to the direct interest of every citizen that this district be well represented, as it will be with Mr. Young as its senator.

His opponent may possess some clerical ability, so does Mr. Young. More than this, he is an orator, a statesman and a scholar, who possesses a clear and penetrating vision. As senator his voice will be heard on all subjects of importance calling for oral discussion. In framing laws, in council chambers, wherever there is important work to do, wherever brains and sagacity are required, he is sure to be in demand. Such men as he always command the respect of their associates and are never "pigeon holed" and heard of only when a ballot is cast and then by a simple year or nay.

Elect W. W. Young and no senatorial district in the state will be more ably represented than the Eleventh. No constituency will have greater cause to be proud of their representative in the upper house of the state legislature than will we of the Eleventh.

Sewing Machine Contest.

The judges' account of the vote cast October 22 to 9 a. m. for the respective candidates in J. D. Sturgeon's Colored Porters' Sewing Machine Contest:

We the undersigned judges appointed to count the votes cast in the above named contest hereby certify that the votes cast to date are as listed below:

- Al Johnson 216
Dave Shores 197
P. F. SPRECHER,
OSCAR UHLE,
Judges.

Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice October 22, 1900:

James Backer, Wm. Blair, August Burnhard, Mrs. Carson Brown, Elmer Ellis, Geo. Gardner, Sam Harrison, Dan Hall, Mr. Hoes, James Innes, J. D. Kelly, Frieda Kirch, Maymie Lund, Mrs. Carrie Luecke, Master Henry Matheny, C. E. Mewharter, Gus Markotau (package), Sallis A. Rice, Miss Mary Spear, Wm. Wilkinson, Chas. Wheeler.

If not called for in 30 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

Parties calling for any of the above please say advertised.

P. F. SPRECHER, P. M.

CHAS. CROUCH KILLED.

Brakeman Dragged for Blocks and Body Frightfully Mangled at Sioux City. To Be Buried in Norfolk.

Charles Crouch, who formerly resided in Norfolk, lost his life Saturday night about 10 o'clock while working in the yards of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad at Sioux City. Mrs. Crouch was formerly Miss Annie Apfel, who has a sister employed in the steam laundry. The deceased also has a brother in Norfolk. The remains will be brought here for interment. The Sioux City Tribune of last evening contains the following account of the accident:

"It is thought a brake chain gave way when Crouch threw his weight against the wheel, causing him to fall between two cars. He was ground to pieces.

"The crew had started from the Milwaukee passenger station with the switch engine, backing and drawing two box cars behind it. They were going to the Linseed Oil works to set a car on a switch. After the switch at the linseed plant had been thrown and the car placed, the body of Crouch was found as the engine started back. He was lying on the track and was mangled and crushed in an unrecognizable manner.

"From an investigation it seems that Crouch fell between the two cars near Pierce street, for parts of his lantern were found not far from the depot. The body was caught on the brake beam in such a way that it was dragged for the entire six blocks. It remained secure until a strip of the clothing caught in the frog of the switch and tore it loose. Parts of the man's body were found along the entire distance. The remains were taken to Westcott's undertaking rooms after Coroner Wade had been called. Crouch was comparatively young and came to Sioux City from Omaha about two years ago with his wife, whom he had just married. They lived at Seventh and Morgan streets and the news of the fearful death of Crouch prostrated his wife."

The coroner's jury returned a verdict, after a session of three hours, exonerating the railroad company from any blame in connection with the death. From the testimony of the men employed on the train at the time it was ascertained that one of the cars had a defective brake beam, and it is possible that Crouch came to his death by means of it. Evidence was introduced showing that he must have fallen from the top of one of the cars at Second and Pierce streets and was dragged over six blocks along the ties. His hat, lantern, a shoe and pieces of flesh were found on Pierce street.

Miss Apfel went over to Sioux City this morning in response to a message announcing that her sister had been prostrated by the shock. The remains are to be brought to Norfolk tomorrow or Thursday and the funeral held here.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Niel Horriskey is on the sick list at the home of his parents.

F. L. Miller of Des Moines, Iowa, is in the city enroute to Schuyler.

Miss Idelle E. Taylor of Battle Creek was a Sunday visitor in Norfolk.

A. J. Durland returned last night from his business trip to Knox county.

Mrs. Walter Ellis and son from Des Moines, Iowa, are visiting Mrs. J. K. Boas.

Miss Rose Hughes of Battle Creek visited with Miss Kate McNeil over Sunday.

Miss Maud Dingman, who is teaching at Meadow Grove, was home over Sunday.

Paul Stanton went to Omaha this morning to take the position of bell boy in the Her Grand.

Miss Lillian Dingman of Council Bluffs, Iowa, is visiting her cousin, Miss Nellie Dingman.

The total rainfall since Saturday was 2.96 inches, lacking but four-hundredths of an inch of reaching the three inch mark.

G. W. Martin, an old and respected resident of Norfolk, died quite suddenly late this afternoon, after a few days' sickness.

Mrs. R. A. Stewart entertained a company of ladies today at 1 o'clock luncheon in honor of Miss Etta Stewart of Mercer, Pa.

The Woman's Relief Corps will serve their usual chicken pie dinner on election day; also supper and lunches until late in the evening.

L. U. McKee, general agent for the National Life and Trust company of Des Moines, Iowa, is in the city in the interests of his company.

W. H. Wigton of Omaha was in the city today on his way to Plainview to settle a death loss for the Des Moines insurance company with which he is connected.

The mother of Mrs. Jas. Covert of this city, died at her home in Ewing last Friday and was buried Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Covert, who attended the funeral, have not yet returned.

A company of nine young ladies, who met with Miss Laura Durland, organized a Bachelor Girls' club with Miss Lillian Luikart as president. They will meet each Saturday evening and will discuss

late books. This week's meeting will be with Miss Edith Morrow.

A thoroughbred Shorthorn cow, weighing 2,670 pounds and measuring six feet in height, passed through the city today over the Union Pacific, enroute from Denver to Minneapolis. The animal belongs to the International Stock Food company and is being used for advertising purposes. It is said to be the largest cow in the world.

Louis Buckendorf, who has been attending at the bedside of his son, William, in a St. Paul hospital, returned to Norfolk today, having left the young man very much recovered from his attack of typhoid, with the prospects of being out in a short time. Mr. Buckendorf's niece, Miss Lena Kohl-morgen of Minneapolis, accompanied him home for a visit.

Miss Nelle Gerecke has returned from a week's tour with the Hamilton Concert company, composed of Mrs. Hamilton, pianist, of Coleridge; Alf Larson, violinist and who also plays the clarinet, of Alta, Iowa, and Miss Gerecke as vocalist. Their tour took in the towns of Bancroft, Tekamah, Blair, Fullerton, Wisner and Stanton. Miss Gerecke has decided to open a studio for voice culture at home and give the people of Norfolk and vicinity the benefit of her musical education.

A trio of young men from the country, belonging to a threshing gang, who gave the names of Wittenburg, Kruger and Mabes, were up before police court yesterday on charge of fighting and disturbing the peace. Each pleaded guilty and the fines and costs assessed amounted to \$10.10 apiece, which was paid by a mutual friend and the disturbers dismissed. From the most reliable accounts obtainable it seems that owing to the rain the young men had a day off and had come to town to have a good time. As with many other men, both young and old, their conception of a good time was to fill up on booze, and this they did in quite a thorough manner. In H. Loder's place they got into a dispute, which finally ended in a fight, in which it is generally believed that knives were used, one of the combatants having quite a bad cut on the hand and another a cut and bruise on the head. After the melee a common jack-knife was picked up and placed in Chief Widaman's hands, but at the trial neither of the participants would claim it, so it probably could not be proven who used a knife. One of the men, however, was confident that he knows and can prove who did the cutting and it may be possible that a criminal action will be commenced.

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Mrs. C. E. Green is sick with malaria. A. H. Bohanon of Madison was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. Barnett was a passenger for Council Bluffs today.

The front of T. E. Odiorne's office is being nicely repainted.

Leland Dean went to Omaha yesterday to visit with Wm. Braasch.

Dr. Frank Salter was called to Pierce yesterday to consult on an important case.

Dr. P. H. Salter left for Chicago yesterday for a two-weeks' post graduate course.

The front of the Koenigstein block, including the postoffice, is being repainted.

E. A. Lundburg of Wayne was a visitor in the city yesterday on political business.

The daughter of Henry Kennedy, living south of the Junction, is reported quite sick.

The West Side Whist club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Utter tomorrow evening.

Rev. A. M. McIntosh of Laurel passed through the city today on his way home from Madison.

J. W. Bash, an old creamery man of this county, died very suddenly Monday evening at his home in Madison.

It is reported that Mrs. Bernard Grant, who is spending the winter with her daughter in Salt Lake City, Utah, is very sick.

There will be a special meeting of Beulah chapter, Order Eastern Star, tomorrow evening. Members are requested to attend.

E. P. Weatherly was a passenger for Omaha today and will return Friday with Mrs. Weatherly and Mrs. Shoemaker, who have been visiting in Des Moines.

Gottlieb Heckman was up before police court charged with disorderly conduct and was given the customary fine which, with costs, amounted to about \$10.

Fields Brewer, who had his leg broken Saturday night while wrestling, was this morning removed to the home of Fred Krantz, two and one half miles southwest of the city.

Gordon Journal: The prettiest thing seen on a Nebraska prairie at this season of the year, unless it be a Sheridan county school ma'am, is a cottonwood tree, clad in its golden autumn suit.

A son of Wm. Kaul of Madison was thrown from a horse Friday and had his wrist broken. A son of Paul Peterson of the same place had his collar bone broken by a kick from a horse.

Henry Shoupka, living 14 miles out of Columbus was married last Wednesday

and dropped dead Saturday. He was a member of Company K, of the Fighting First, and saw service in the Philippines.

The guarantee lists for the Innes band are being quite readily signed by Norfolk people and it now looks as though there would be little difficulty in getting the amount of patronage necessary pledged.

Dr. Ludington of Omaha, a warm personal friend of C. D. Jenkins, and who went on a hunting trip with him this fall, has been appointed to a position as surgeon in the army and will go to Manila.

J. F. Boyd of Oakdale, candidate for district judge on the republican ticket, was in the city over night, while enroute to Pierce. Mr. Boyd is greatly encouraged over the prospects of his election and looks forward to the results with confidence.

Hon. Geo. D. Meiklejohn, assistant secretary of war, is to address the people of Norfolk and vicinity on the evening of October 31, at the Auditorium. Mr. Meiklejohn is a pleasant and interesting speaker and will undoubtedly be greeted by a large audience.

The News was in error last evening in reporting that the fight of Monday was in Geo. Heller's saloon. As a matter of fact the fight occurred in H. Loder's Trocadero, and the item was given to the reporter incorrectly. This correction is made in justice to Mr. Heller, who has never had trouble of this character in his place since he has been running a saloon here.

Battle Creek Republican: Miss Margaret Wright, the affable young lady who for several weeks ably assisted in the mechanical department at the office of this great family newspaper, left for Norfolk Sunday to accept a position in the state asylum for the insane. Capable and accomplished, Miss Wright will not be found wanting in any position, and while her many friends will miss her greatly, at the same time they feel like congratulating her upon securing such a desirable position.

Newman Grove Herald: James Nichols and Major C. A. Vickers of Madison were in this city last Saturday. The major was traveling incog. It is said he has renounced the populist idea and is preparing himself for a full membership with the grand majority, by attending the rallies and speeches of the Hon. Jim. The major's disguise is the result of a scrap with a gasoline lamp in the armory in which the major came out second best, losing his mustache and a quantity of cuticle on one side of his nose.

The Rev. Theodore Morning was installed pastor of the Presbyterian church of Madison last evening. Rev. S. F. Sharpless of this city presided and propounded the constitutional question and also delivered the charge to the new pastor. Rev. A. M. McIntosh of Laurel preached the installation sermon and Rev. Oscar Bostrom of Elgin delivered the charge to the people. A reception was given to the pastor after the installation services, which was highly enjoyed by the large assemblage that participated. The ladies decorated the church with flowers and vines, and a luncheon was served.

Final arrangements for the funeral of the late Geo. S. Martin have not yet been announced but it is probable that the remains will be interred at his old home near Omaha. Mr. Martin was 78 years of age at the time of his death and had lived in Norfolk 17 years. His death came as very much of a surprise to a number of Norfolk people, as it was not generally known that he had been sick, in fact he was not taken sick until Monday morning, and died yesterday afternoon. Besides an aged wife, the deceased leaves a family of four grown children—two sons and two daughters. One son, Chas. F. Martin and a daughter, Mrs. George Ostler, reside at Washington, near Omaha. Another daughter, Mrs. Donald Brown, lives at Rushville, and Wm. Martin, who formerly lived here, now resides at Denver, Col., where he is engineer in the Globe smelter. The three first-named children were expected here today and the latter will probably arrive tomorrow. The deceased was highly respected by all honored with his acquaintance. He was scrupulously honest and conscientious in all his business dealings. Soon after his arrival here Mr. Martin formed a partnership with B. W. Jones in the grocery business, conducting it in the building over which is the family residence. The firm was afterward dissolved and Mr. Martin continued the business for a while alone, but closed out several years ago. Recently he has not been actively engaged in business but has been supported by an income from his accumulations of a lifetime and leaves a property that will abundantly provide for the needs of his wife as long as she may live.

Had Practical Experience. In a Columbus special to the Omaha Bee a German resident of Humphrey, formerly of this county, announces his conversion to republicanism. The item says: Matt Klasson returned one day last week from a four months' trip through Europe. Mr. Klasson has been engaged in farming just over the Platte county line in Madison county the last twenty-eight years and two years ago retired and moved to town, locating at Humphrey. "You may say for me," said

Mr. Klasson, "that I went away from Nebraska a pretty good democrat, but I have returned a good republican." Continuing he said: "While traveling through Germany, Austria, France and other European countries I learned that it took more of some kinds of money to purchase tickets than it did of others, but when I presented United States money of any kind at the window there was no discount and the lowest rate was named." Mr. Klasson is an intelligent German and reasons for himself. In the community where he lived so long he says there are many others who will vote this fall for a continuance of the present administration.

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If a Woman wants to put out a fire she doesn't heap on oil and wood. She throws on water, knowing that water quenches fire. When a woman wants to get well from disease peculiar to her sex, she should not add fuel to the fire already burning her life away. She should not take worthless drugs and potions composed of harmful narcotics and opiates. They do not check the disease—they do not cure it—they simply add fuel to the fire. Bradfield's Female Regulator should be taken by every woman or girl who has the slightest suspicion of any of the ailments which afflict women. They will simply be wasting time until they take it. The Regulator is a purifying, strengthening tonic, which gets at the roots of the disease and cures the cause. It does not drug the patient, it eradicates it. It stops falling of the womb, leucorrhoea, inflammation and periodical suffering, irregular, scanty or painful menstruation; and by doing all this drives away the hundred and one ills and pains which drain health and beauty, happiness and good temper from any woman's life. It is the one remedy above all others which every woman should know about and use. \$1.00 per bottle at any drug store. Send for our free illustrated book. The Bradfield Regulator Co. Atlanta, Ga.

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