Madison Challenges Pierce. the correspondent who sent you the the past six years. article in regard to the Madison-Pierce | The coming rush, however, will ex game Sunday, June 25, notwithstand tend both west and northwest of Noring the fact the Madison team quit the folk, as the Pine Ridge lands are on diamond they were justified in doing the Norfolk-Deadwood line of the so. Our catcher denies making the Northwestern. statement that the ball knocked was a Great activity may be expected in thirty feet. In regard to playing as a result of this announcement dirty ball the Pierce first baseman de-

why he was run into. I also wish to state that we would like to meet the Pierce team at any papers from Sioux City, Omaha or Lintime either on the Norfolk diamond coin, The Norfolk News carries in this or else at Humphrey diamond with the same lineup for a game.

Yours respectfully, F. W. Baisch, Mgr.

TO FIRE THE TWO CLERKS.

Report of Sub-Committee on Day Portrait, is Received.

Washington, June 30 .- The recommendation for the dismissal at once from the government service of Am erican Consul General W. H. Michael at Calcutta, former chief clerk of the state department, and Thomas Morriwas reported to the house committee on expenditures in the state department by the investigating sub-committhe report, added two amendments. One condemned the practice of signing vouchers in blank "as not only unbusinesslike and inexcusable but as a virtual invitation to wrong-doing." The other set forth that in view of the statute of liminations and the difficulty of obtaining proof the committee deemed it "unnecessary to make any suggestions or recommendation relative to criminal prosecution of either Michael or Morrison."

Battle Creek News.

Battle Creek, Neb., June 30 .- Special to The News: A five-weeks-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Schlueter of Meadow Grove died early Friday morning. The funeral was held Saturday noon at the Lutheran church at Battle Creek and interment made at the Lutheran cemetery south of town. Rev. Mr. Bornhoeft of Tilden officiat ed. F. D. Schulz and Mr. and Mrs. William Ludwig of Beemer, relatives, were here at the funeral.

A. F. Gardels, the Battle Creek well man, went to Omaha Monday on business.

Lou Bickley was here Friday on business from Madison. The young men of the Lutheran con-

gregation at Battle Creek Heights are The deaf and dumb ball team cross-

the Battle Creek boys. The score Doty decided that an inquest was unwas 5 to 0 in favor of Battle Creek. John Dufphey was umpire. W. H. Hall arrived here Friday

week's visit at the home of his son, Dr. Warren Hall, the dentist, Fred Brechler celebrated his forty

eighth birthday Saturday in an old German-fashion way.

Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman arrived here Friday from Chicago for an extended visit with Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Bloedel at Battle Creek Heights. Mrs.

Bloedel is a daughter of the visitors. The rain storm Monday morning did considerable damage in town and vicinity. Lots of small buildings were blown to pieces and large trees broken and uprooted. W. L. Boyer was probably the heaviest loser, as one of his

large plate glass show windows was broken. The loss is about \$125. Little hail was reported from south of town. The rain was very beneficial. Miss Minnie Neuwerk visited Satur-

day and Sunday at the home of her cousin, Henry Stoltenberg, jr., near Tilden.

William Heilman arrived here Saturday from Watertown, Wis., for an extended visit with his sister, Mrs. Mary Luebke. He also is a brother of this vicinity. the well known E. G. Heilman, formerly of Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Langhoop ara week's visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Warnke, and other relatives.

Next Sunday is the annual picnic of the German Frauen-Verein at Scheerger's grove, near the mill dam. The Battle Creek band and also the string band will furnish the music. Meals et., will be sold at a small margin at the large tent. The proceeds will go for charity purposes.

Leonard Brown was here Tuesday from Meadow rGove.

While the storm was raging early Monday morning P. F. Zimmerman was sleeping in his tent. The tent was blown over and he thought he was going in a balloon to his place of birth in Grant county, Wisconsin.

Louis Dubbe arrived here Tuesday from Hartford, S. D., and is going to work with H. H. Stammerjohahn's car penter gang.

Land Rush This Fall.

The above Associated Press dis patch, received over The News leased wire shortly before noon Friday, will bring joy to the hearts of people liv ing northwest of Norfolk. It will mean a great land rush through Norfolk this summer, to the Rosebud and Pine Ridge lands, and such another throng of humanity as was seen at the Bonesteel and the Tripp county rushes, will be witnessed.

Crops never looked better than they do now, and that fact will act as a thousands of visitors who may be

The Northwestern railroad's line from Norfolk to Tripp county, S. D. sible across Tripp county to Carter. new timecard goes into effect. At kota lands will begin October 2 at the

present the trains reach only Colome Madison, Neb., June 30 .- Sporting This is the third great land rush Editor The News: I beg to differ with that has gone through Norfolk within

fair ball as it was foul by at least the whole territory west of Norfolk, Norfolk may expect thousands o liberately blocked the runner from go- visitors, and ought to have greater ing to first, this being the reason hotel facilities at once.

> Twenty-four hours ahead of morning issue, to the people of north Nebraska and southern South Dakota, the news that another great land rush will come to this territory this summer, owing to opening of Pine Ridge and Rose bud lands.

This is the third time The News has carried president's proclamations ordering land openings in this field, to the interested territories, a day ahead of any other newspapers.

Canadian Burned at Stake.

Shawnee, Okla., June 30.-Robert Swazey, a Canadian, was burned at son, present disbursing clerk, for their the stake by Mexican bandits fiear connection with the Day portrait case. Fort Sumner, New Mexico, on June 15, according to a letter received here from Mrs. Emma Bingman, formerly of this city and a mother-in-law of the dinance. tee. The full committee, in adopting dead man. He was killed because he refused to reveal the hiding place of a large amount of money that had been left in his care by a Mexican railroad which has employed him, the letter said. Mrs. Bingman has notified the British government of the case.

Train Runs to Winner.

A new time card on the Northwestern will go into effect Sunday, when rains will be run to Winner, S. D. n Tripp county, for the first time. The trains have been running only

s far as Colome. The track has been finished to Winner for three weeks. Train No. 401, which leaves Norfolk at 1:30 p. m., will go on through to Winner, reaching there at 9:15 p. m. Returning, the train leaves Winner at

No change is made in Norfolk train schedules.

Three Men Dead in a Freight Car. Seward, Neb., June 30.-The crush

ed bodies of three men were found near the bottom of a freight car loaded with lumber here. The men are not known. They were stealing a ride and it is believed that while trying to escape the view of trainmen they were caught by the heavy bridge timber with which the car was loaded. organizing a brass band for church The lumber was shipped from a southrn state.

An examination disclosed the men ed bats here Sunday afternoon with had been dead two days. Coroner necessary. One of the men carried a timekeeper's book with the address of Mrs. Jennie Thompson, 1118 night from Iowa Falls, Ia., for one Twenty-third street, Sioux City, Ia. There were no papers on the others which would lead to identification.

Like Heat from a Fire.

Fairfax, S. D., June 30 .- Special to The News: Hot south winds Thursday, presumably from the fierce prairie fire that swept over a part of Holt county, Neb., near Lynch, caused the temperature here to reach 106 during the afternoon. Some thermometers reached as high as 110.

Cooler winds toward evening, with a threatened shower, relieved the uneasiness caused by the excessive heat.

Ewing, Neb., June 30,-Special to The News: The heat here yesterday reached 104. The hot wind was the worst since 1894, but corn is not in a condition to be damaged by it.

Gregory, S D., June 30 .- Special to The News: Another fine rain fell here Wednesday night, which was apparently general over this and Tripp county. Fully an inch and a half fell in

Corn is in the finest condition in the history of the county. While we have ney?" not suffered from drouth at any time rived here Saturday from Schuyler for this season, small grain has been fired some by heat and winds, but prospects are that it will yield a fair average Judge Eiseley, "let me tell this mycrop.

Norfolk Not a Register Point.

Norfolk will not be a registration point in the forthcoming opening of Rosebud and Pine Ridge lands. The registration points are: Cham-

berlain, Dallas, Gregory and Rapid tober 21. Monday is the first day of the registration.

Two years ago Judge Witten, superintendent of the Tripp county draw- band did not abuse her, but gave the ing, told a News man that if Norfolk attorneys trouble in telling how he had applied, it would have been des- abused the son, although she was not ignated a registration point. This present during the fight. year when application was made, answer came that it had not lately been the policy of the government to designate registration points in states other | Coryell, W. R. Hoffman, Charles Pilthan those in which the lands were to be opened.

no stone unturned in its effort to se- tiff. cure a registration point for Norfolk this time, but the effort was fruitless It is estimated that about 100,000 people will pass through Norfolk for the opening. .

The land to be opened is Mellette county, in the Rosebud, and Bennett Mrs. Bertha Lenz, 700 South Third county, in Pine Ridge. Mellette coun-street, Rev. J. P. Mueller officiating. ty is the northern half of what forly west of the northern half of Tripp attended by his brother, John Woersouth half of Meyer county.

is being extended as rapidly as pos- the registration plan heretofore fol- South Dakota, where they will visit down and kills the small chickens and S. D., the edge of the lands to be Dakota lands will begin August 14 at return they will make their home at to have a great liking for that pastime. thrown open on the Rosebud reserva- the towns of Bismarck, Minot, Plaza, Norfolk. tion. The first train to reach Winner Garrison and Rider, North Dakota. will be next Sunday night, when a The registration for the South Da-

three weeks.

oo hard for his feet, found refuge and ple will make Norfolk their home. a good seat on the steps of a hotel Thursday night. There was "nothing doing" in the police line and the aged patrolman yawned several times while he conversed with a friend who was seated by his side. Herbert Hauptli, bookkeeper of the Citizens National from a visit with Missouri Valley bank, who had been working in the friends and relatives. bank until after 11 o'clock, passed the seated officer, the latter saying "good evening" very sleepily.

Not forgetting that Livingston had a dislike for anyone who owned a bicycle. Hauptli replied to the officer's greeting and when a few feet away stepped on one pedal of his bicycle and coasted for a few feet with the afd of the coaster brake, thinking to swing into the saddle and ride home, when he reached the street.

No sconer had his foot touched the pedal, however, when he was halted by strom. Livingston, who called him back to where the officer sat. Mr. Hauptli wondered what was wrong, returned and was surprised when the officer charged him with riding a bicycle on the sidewalk contrary to the city or-

It was useless to argue the technical point as to whether or not a man is guilty of riding a bicycle when only one foot is on the pedal, so Mr. Hauptli agreed to "report for arrest in the morning. Livingston at first insisted upon tak

ing the banker's bicycle as surety for his appearance in police court, but Constable Finkhouse interfered and Livingston allowed the man finally to take his wheel home. When daybreak came Constable

Finkhouse drove six tough looking rooks from the city. There is a band of tramps camping east of town, who said. They were unmolested by Of afternoon. ficer Livingston.

FAMILY ROW IN COURT.

Jury Disagrees and Woodruff Case Must Be Tried Again.

'We, the jury in the case of Charles | tion. Hamilton versus G. W. Woodruff, are unable to agree."

This is the word brought into Judge C. F. Eiseley's office by J. S. Mathewson, foreman of a jury which heard the testimony in the case. It took up new addition to the Grant school is of the jurors held out for acquittal and on the construction of the first floor. two held against Woodruff, it is said. Woodruff was charged with assault ing his stepson several times, but declared he did not do it until the young Omaha. man had ordered him to take off his glasses and threatened to "do him up."

Mrs. Woodruff, who was called as a of having dinhtheria on four occasions which ended with scarlet fever and non-speech. She admitted the boy does not realize what he does at times but that his speech returned to him after several years' study at an insti-

"My wife and I were married twice," said Woodruff, "but there never has been any trouble between us. Even while the divorce proceedings were going on we lived in the same house together."

There was some humor created in the court when Attorney O. S. Spillman of Pierce cross-questioned Mrs. Woodruff. Spillman is Woodruff's atthe suspicions of the plaintiff's witness.

"Say, Mister, I'd like to know who you are before I answer your questions," said Mrs. Woodruff. "I am a gentleman," replied Attor-

ney Spillman. "Oh, you are, are you?" again said Mrs. Woodruff. "Are you his attor-

"Yes." replied the attorney "Well, that's what I wanted to know Say, court," pointing her finger at

Attorney Spillman then moved that all the testimony given by Mrs. Woodruff be stricken from the records, because he declared there was a lag against a wife testifying against her husband. Judge Eiseley ruled that Mrs. Woodruff confine herself to only City. The registration begins October that which concerned any assault upon 2 and continues three weeks, until Oc- herself by her husband, and that she must not testify against him in any trouble between stepson and father. The witness admitted that her hus-

The case must be tried over again, says Judge Eiseley. The members of the man south. the jury were: J. S. Mathewson, F. G. ger, John Oesterling, Paul Nordwig, W. H. Powers acted as court reporter. The Norfolk Commercial club left B. Mapes was attorney for the plain-

Woerner-Wichmann.

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock occurred the wedding of Miss Adelheide Wichmann and Frank Woerner full at all times. at the home of the bride's mother, The bride was attended by her sister,

Crotty-Benedict.

At Ida Grove, Ia., last Monday morn-

towns of Chamberlain, Dallas, Greg- ing, occurred the wedding of Eugene ory and Rapid City, S. D. Each of Crotty, son of Patrick Crotty of Northese registrations will continue for folk, and Miss Hattie Benedict, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Benedict, formerly of Pierce but now residing Crooks Unmolested; Arrest Bicyclist. at Ida Grove, Ia. The wedding cere-Night Patrolman Livingston, who mony was performed at the home of as complained of the pavement being the bride's parents. The young cou

South Side News. Mrs. Ethel Alexander of Sloux City was in the city on business vesterday Mrs. E. G. Edwards and two chill dren, Donald and May, arrived home

Fireman McClure, while firing up his engine in the yards yesterday, was struck on the head by a large piece of oal which rolled down from the top

of the pile. Conductor E. C. Adams, who was pulled off about nine months ago, was from the curbing on Sixth street, he reinstated and will work between Missouri Valley and Linwood.

> A number of laborers about the shops were laid off last evening owing to lack of business. Paul Kummer is visiting at the

home of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Wal-Mrs. T. G. Wood went to Missour Valley yesterday to visit with her siser, Mrs. Price, for a few days.

Miss Julia Slama is visiting friends n Missouri Valley.

relatives.

James Brennan did some work for the company at Scribner yesterday. Miss Mable Taylor was here vester day from West Point.

FRIDAY FACTS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hille, daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Weaver of Santa Monica, Cal., a son. Miss Ella Huebner of Hadar was

tion spend most of the nights in town, it is Falls, Ida., were in Norfolk yesterday

> C. R. Allen of Durant, Okla., who has been visiting in the city for a few days, left at noon for Sioux City. C. W. Baker of Omaha came up from Premont last night on a motor cycle.

He reports the roads in good condi-Misses Reha and Leha Bowker of

Misses Opal and Verna Coryell. Progress on the construction of the the entire afternoon and evening in rapid. The foundation has been com-Judge Eiseley's court Thursday. Four pleted and the workmen are now busy

G. T. Sprecher leaves Saturday for Libertyville, Ill., to attend the lectures and battery by his stepson, Charles of the Sheldon summer school for Hamilton. Woodruff admitted strik- about two weeks. During his absence Mrs. Sprecher will visit relatives in

Vern Lane of Salina, Kan., took charge of the local office of the Western Union Telegraph company, sucwitness, declared her son lost his ceeding Manager J. Burns, who goes speech some years ago as the result to Junction City, Kan., to take the managership of that office. Mrs. D. K. Tindall has been for some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. B.

> relatives in and about Chicago, and letic club a close second. will visit other relatives and friends farther east before returning. Although a meeting of the firemen's running team was scheduled for Thursday night, only two of the com-

meeting was to be held. None of the Grath. The Chicago Athletic associateam members made their appearance. Ition is also looked upon as a strong The engine and tender and one box car which were badly damaged in the Olympic champion in the broad jump, wreck of M. & O. freight train No. 13 L. J. Pillivant, the crack distance run- gating conditions in Sisterville relalast Monday morning were brought ner, and E. F. F. Lindenberg, the torney and his questions soon aroused into Norfolk. An examination of the sprinter who does 440 yards in 49 1-5. and irregularities in city elections, adwreckage shows that the wreck was a

> and tender. David Richards returned from Chicago where he had been employed in of the surprises came when S. B. the switchboard department of the Wagoner of the Pittsburg Athletic as-Automatic Electrical company. Mr. sociation competing in the pole vault. Richards became ill with throat trou- cleared the bar at 12 feet 5.64 inches ble and on the advice of physicians he which is 5.64 inches better than the returned to Norfolk. He will return to Chicago to resume his duties next

September. Among the day's out-of-town visitors tempt, while Lambert of Washington in Norfolk were: H. H. Sixbey, Pil- university, St. Louis, cleared the 12 Laurel, 5. Struck out: By Siman ger; G. F. Beutler, Burke; Oscar Anderson, Newman Grove; F. J. Bender, Madison; F. A. Huston, Orchard; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kelsey, Neligh; R. V. Wilson, Butte; W. R. Stone, Butte; J. C. Bahls, Colome; C. Bernice, Gregory; Fred J. Buck, Wisner; William

Loeb. Albion. At a late hour last night Chief of Police Marquardt, Constable Finkhouse and William McCune, who searched the city for the insane man who had been frightening women and children in the residence portions of G. A. Dull of the Pittsburg Athletic the city, reported that they were un- association in the record time of 26 able to find the man. Tom Hight, who 8: %, beating the junior American rechad been working in the south part of ord of 26:23:1/6, which had been held the city, reported that he had chased by Driscol of New York. The runners

Water Commissioner Frank Carrick reports that the city is in no danger ers. Dunlap of West Spruce Street from lack of water in case of fire. The engine at the power house is pumping much water during the hot season and averages 250 gallons of water per min- the long race told upon several of the ute during the twenty-four hours. The entrants. Several had to be assisted capacity at the station is from 400 to from the field. 500 gallons per minute, says the water commissioner. The standpipe is kept

Jay birds are killing young chickens n Norfolk, and several owners of chickens who have suffered loss by the raid of the jay birds have declared merly was Meyer county. It is direct. Miss Gertrude Lenz, the groom being a war against the feathered thief. Al Stear and Herbert Wichmann repor great advertisement to the countless county. Bennett county, in the Pine ner. After the ceremony a three- that jay birds have swooped down Ridge, borders on Nebraska, being di-course supper was served by the upon their chicken yards and killed rectly west of what was formerly the bride's mother. The decorations were many small chickens. Mr. Stear has fern and pink carnations. Mr. and watched the work of the jay bird in These lands are to be opened under Mrs. Woerner left this morning for his chicken yard. "The jay bird comes lowed. The registration for the North with the groom's parents. On their then pecks out their brains. He seems and was intensely profitable. In ad-

To Advertise This Country.

Ad club are to be issued and sent all ordered printed.

The Norfolk delegate to the National Ad club convention at Boston will take ern business men. A special meeting of the Commercial club was held at toon and Chairman C. B. Cabaniss of the advertising committee and Presi dent A. L. Killian of the club brought he question up. The directors acted quickly in the matter and the pamphlets were ordered printed.

Besides this advertising for Norfolk he advertising committee was ordered o get out a thirty-two page booklet about Norfolk.

Neligh Police Court.

Neligh, Neb., July 1.-Special to The News: On complaint of Dr. A. F. Conery, Wylie Carrico, Lewis Eaton and Jake Schlack were arrested Thursday evening on the charge of using ob scene language. The trio spent the night in jail and next morning appeared before Police Judge Cassady, who read the complaint, to which they of the past two weeks injured the pleaded "not guilty." The case was continued until the afternoon to secure witnesses. The hearing in the Miss Myrtice Wilton of Sioux City afternoon convinced the court that s spending a few days with Junction they were guilty and fined them each \$7.45. Carrico and Shlack are from Meadow Grove. The relatives of the will be cut down to two. former telegraphed the Atlas bank to pay his fine, while Shlack and Eaton said that they would "lay" their fine out in jail. Judge Cassady remarked that there would be no time to lay out any fine, as the city had a rock pile them to do.

Otto Johnson was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Jackson on window and placed with Uncle Sam the charge of giving beer to Lyman taken to Omaha to undergo an opera- Keezer, who is not allowed the privi- in the Norfolk bank. lege of buying intoxicating liquors G. C. Losch and R. C. Losch of Idaho from saloons in this city. Johnson was taken before Judge Cassady, and after the hearing of the evidence of six witnesses he was bound over to the next term of the district court, and bail was fixed at \$100, which Johnson absolutely refused to secure. Acting County Attorney Williams stated that if he did not secure bail he would be compelled to remain in the county jail until next December. It is expected Tekamah are spending the week at that relatives of the defendant will see the home of their sorority sisters, that the \$100 is raised.

ATHLETES AT PITTSBURG.

Continuation of Friday's Events Which

Netted New Records. Pittsburg, July 1.—Thirty-two cities and thirty-seven athletic clubs are rep-

resented in today's senior events of the A. A. U. meet here. Senior athletes, besides competing for national titles, are endeavoring to outdo the juniors, who broke four records, and also have an eye to places on the team that will represent America on the quadrennial Olympic games in Stockholm next year.

Honors were carried off in the junior events yesterday by the Irish-American Athletic club of New York City, Stokes in Minneapolis, is now visiting with its old rival, the New York Ath-

The rivalry is expected to be even greater today for the former has such men entered as M. W. Sheppard, J. J. Flanagan and M. J. Sheridan, while the winged foot aggregation have such mittee were at the city hall where the men as Platt, Adams and Matt Mc competitor, having Frank C. Irons, an

serious one, especially to the engine high jump, pole vault, five-mile race and throwing of the disc. Some of the new marks are remarkable. One

previous junior American record. Dukes of New York Athletic club was second with 12 feet in his first at- Siman and Pomeroy; Laurel, Bassinfeet in two attempts and under the rules went into third place. O. Johnstone, Boston Athletic association made a new record in the running high jump with 6 feet 6.10 inches, while in throwing the discus. A. M. Muchs of the Chicago Athletic association, broke yesterday's ball game by the home the record with 123 feet 5 inches. Up to this time the discus record had brara's favor. Friday's game with been held by Bantz of Seattle, Wash.,

with 122 feet 9 inches. Probably the most exciting event was the five-mile race. It was won by circled the track twenty times. Al- 1894. most every other lap changed the lead-Athletic club took second place and F Masteron of the Mohaw Athletic club, New York, was third. The grind of

When the events closed a count of the team points showed the Irish-American Athletic of New York in first place as had been expected.

MEET IN NORFOLK NEXT.

Epworth League Convention Closes Session at Wayne.

The Norfolk district Epworth league closed a splendid three-days' session at Wayne. Thirty-two delegates from seventeen chapters were seated, and thirty leaguers were recorded as vis itors. The program was well rendered dition to the program rendered by the members of the district leagues, the lecture by Dr. Schrenkengast of Uni-Ten thousand pamphlets containing versity Place, Neb., and the drill given the address of "The Country Around by the juniors of Randolph under the

recent dinner given by the Norfolk appreciated. By unanimous choice the convention next year will meet in Nor over the country by the advertising folk, W. H. West of Randolph was committee of the Norfolk Commercial elected president: Miss Nellie Hatch club. The pamphlets have just been of Hartington, first vice president: Miss Carrie Stewart of Allen, second vice president; Miss Robertson of Madison, third vice president; Miss many of these pamphlets with him, Banks of Wausa, fourth vice presi which he will distribute among east dent: W. L. Wolfe of South Sioux City orresponding secretary; Miss Bess! Marsteller of Wayne, treasurer,

Another Booster Trip.

Wisner, Neb., July 1 .- Special to The News: West Point boosters arrived here with twenty-seven autos carrying 110 people and the West Point Little Dutch band, beesting for the races at that place.

Wind Hurts Small Grain, Witten, S. D., July 1 .- Special to The News: Business changes during the past week are: DeWolfe and company purchased the C. H. West imple ment business. W. E. Bridgman pur-

chased the Witten drug store. Witten and vicinity were visited by heavy rain that gave the ground : horough soaking. The fall measured ly. one and a half inches. The hot winds small grain to a great extent, but corn

is looking well. There is considerable excitement over the selection of the saloons in town, there having been three during the past two years, and this year they

Postal Bank is Opened. Postmaster John R. Hays and Deputy Postmaster B. C. Gentle formally the fort, said he had not heard about opened the postal savings bank in this city at 8 o'clock Saturday mornand there would be plenty of work for ing. Five minutes after the bank was opened for business Aden Sheriff, a lo cal electrician, called at the deposit \$5 of his money, the first deposit made

> Mr. Hays did not expect the first day's business to be heavy.

SPRINGERS MAY MAKE UP Rumor in Denver That Suit for Di-

vorce Will Be Abandoned.

Denver, Colo., July 1. - Postpone ment of the argument for temporary alimony for Mrs. John W. Springer, wife of the wealthy banker and stock man of Denver and who was sued for divorce as an outcome of the Henwood-Von Phul difficulty, gave rise to reports that the Springers had reached an agreement and that there would be only a formal hearing when the case came up to trial. Attorneys for both

deny the report. Mrs. Springer was served with a subpoena to appear as a witness in the trial of Henwood for the murder of Sylvester L. Von Phul of St. Louis. It is stated on good authority that Mrs. Springer will fight for \$25,000 alimony, the retention of her favorite automobile and jewels and for the right to the continued use of the Springer name. Neither Mr. Springer nor his attorney would discuss the case.

Simpson Western Golf Champ. Grand Rapids, Mich., July 1.—Robert Simpson of Kenosha, Wis., winner and on a course faster than at any preone to play.

343 Indictments.

Middlebourne, W. Va., July 1.-The candidate. Principles and not men, it Tyler county grand jury, after being was announced, was the present purin session nearly three weeks, investitive to the sale of liquor, gambling The records to fall were the running journed by order of the court until July 25, after returning 343 indictments. This is said to be the largest number of indictments returned for any cause in the state.

Laurel Defeats Winside. Koehn 0 4 5 0 0 0- 9 Winside, Neb., July 1.-Special to The News: Laurel defeated Winside in a fast game of ball here to the tune of 5 and). Batteries: For Winside ger and Wyman. Errors: Winside, 5; 12; by Bassinger, 11. Umpire, Thos.

Johnson. Attendance, 250.

Niobrara Beats Monowi. Niobrara, Neb., July 1.-Special to The News: Monowi was beaten in team, the score being 15 to 8 in Nio-Creighton and Saturday's game with people who have removed to South Verdigre will probably be the best Dakota. games of the week.

company was a day behind in reaching here on account of the washout near Hoskins. Yesterday's hot wind is said to have been the worst one experienced since

The carnival is on in full blast. The

Nebraska Democrats July 25. Columbus, Neb., July 1.—At a meet

a platform at Fremont, July 25. Hoskins.

George and Dora Pahn spent Sunday with home folks at Norfolk. Mrs. John Cook and little daughter the race for secretary of state. are spending the week visiting relaives at Murray, Neb.

erer home. Carmen Crouch left Thursday for

Emerson, where he will be helper in the depot. Mrs. J. Aron and daughter Hilda arived home Thursday after a week's

visit in Magnolia, Ia. The Methodist Episcopal church held its annual children's day picnic at the Nichols grove Thursday.

A large number of friends and rela-

Norfolk" delivered by G. L. Carlson at I direction of Mrs. Yost, were especially infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Moratz, which occurred at their home

Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Moratz, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moratz and Mr. and Mrs. August Deck were Sloux City visitors Thursday.

A dozen cars from here left Friday morning to make all the neighboring towns, advertising the celebration here July 4.

Baby Drinks Whisky, Dies. Gregory Times-Advocate: Perhaps

one of the saddest deaths which has taken place in this community for a long time was the very sudden demise of the 3-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Amanson. It seems that the little fellow was playing around the home and in some manner discovered a half pint of whisky. He drank the entire contents of the bottle. His mother saw what he had done and applied restoratives, later calling in a doctor. The physician did everything that medical skill could do to save the life of the boy, but nothing proved of any avail. The doctor did not hold out any hope of recovery. The child passed away that evening, suffering great-

Dynamite for a Wharf?

San Diego, Cal., July 1.- A report vas circulated here that eighteen small sacks, probably containing explosives, were found in a pile of coal at the wharf at Fort Roscrans.

The army tug Lieutenant George M Harris was coaling at the time. Maj. George McManus, commandant at the fort, refused to discuss the matter, Lieut. F. H. Hinkle, adjutant at

An investigation is said to have been instituted.

WITH THROATS CUT.

And Mother Found Hanging From Windmill in Rear of the House.

Lockney, Tex., July 1.—Searchers found the body of Mrs. Maude Mc-Crary of Los Angeles, Cal., hanging from a windmill in the rear of a house she had been occupying here, and the bodies of her three children, with their throats cut, in some weeds near the dwelling.

St. Louis Tennis Tourney.

St. Louis, Mo., July 1.-Matches in the first round of the central states tennis tournament will begin here late this afternoon with forty-one entries in the singles. Eleven matches in the doubles are scheduled. Because of the extreme heat play will not begin during the tournament which is expected to end next Saturday, until late each

Drummond Jones, present champion in the singles, and C. S. Peters of Chicago, who with Jones holds the title in the doubles, have entered.

Jones and Peters and Jones have captured the doubles twice and another inning will entitle them to permanent ownership of the trophy.

Nebraska Progressive League Meets. Lincoln, July 1.—At a meeting here f the executive Nebraska Progressive Republican league, the committee went of the western golf championship at on record as opposed to any committhe Hinsdale club, Chicago, in 1907, is ting the league to any candidate for again the possessor of the title. Yes. the presidency in 1912 and depreciat terday afternoon under a broiling sun ing alleged utterances of members of the league in favor of a particular vious time this week, he defeated candidate. A telegram was sent to Thomas McNamara of Boston 2 up and Congressman George W. Norris of the Fifth Nebraska district disavowing on the part of the league an alleged decla-

pose of the Nebraska organization.

ration by a member in favor of a

Bartz 10: Koehn 9. In a fast six-inning game Friday afternoon the Bartz team defeated the Koehn ball team by a score of 9 to 10. The aggregation is made up of small boys and they exhibited some good ball playing. The score: Bartz4 1 2 3 0 0-10

SOUTH DAKOTA AT A GLANCE.

Tripp county's teachers' institute is to be held at Winner August 7 to 12, inclusive.

L. W. Robinson of the Yankton

Press and Dakotan, and Miss Myrtle Robinson were married at Mondovi, The government snagboat, the Mc-Pherson, is lying off Pierre in the Mis-

ging. Over 300 persons attended the picnic given in Perkins county for Iowa

souri river, doing considerable snag-

erected in Winner by Butterfield & Barnum. The annual convention of the South Dakota Jewelers' association was held in Mitchell June 28 and 29.

Neil Elliott, a Watertown jeweler,

Work has started on the two-story

brick bank and office building to be

has purchased a hardware store in Lenox, Ia., and will move there. Petitions are being circulated at ing of the democratic state central Faith asking the removal of two memcommittee, it was declared to hold the bers of the city council because they state convention for the adoption of signed vouchers for work done by

themselves for the city. Members of the G. A. R. want to be represented on the state republican cket by one of their number and have chosen Asher G. Pay of Huron to make

The region northwest of Scotland, Bonhomme county, was treated to a Miss Rose Brauer of Hadar spent sensation when Clayton Brown and several days of last week at the He- the 15-year-old daughter of a prominent farmer of the community eloped. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Osterman of Chicago have just completed an auto trip

of 1.024 miles from that city to Dead-

wood, which they made in five days

and eight hours, at an average speed of 185 miles per day. On July 19 the Modern Woodmen lodge and the business men of Woon-

socket will be hosts to probably as large a clowd as ever assembled in tives gathered at the William Moratz Woonsocket, the occasion being the home to witness the christening of the 'annual Log Rollers' picnic.