

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Mrs. M. D. Tyler has returned from a visit to Omaha. Judge J. B. Barnes was a passenger to Huntington on the early train. Miss Emma Hahn of Stuart was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Blakeman yesterday. A. N. Yost arrived in the city from Omaha last night for a visit with relatives and friends. The automobile has invaded Kearney, a traveling man having purchased one with which he expects to cover his territory. Mrs. F. Leffert of West Point, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Johnson, over Thanksgiving, returned to her home yesterday. Mrs. Isaac Powers went to Omaha on the early train and will visit her daughter, Mrs. Whitney, while Mr. Powers is absent in Oklahoma. The mason work on the foundation of the new Bishop block has been completed and the bricklayers are taking a lay off until the floor joists shall be put in. Miss Alice McKiver, who has been with the Durland Sisters, has secured the school in the George Williams district and commenced teaching yesterday. Ed Drew, traveling representative of McCord, Brady & Co. of Omaha, who has been very sick for the past three months, arrived here last night on his first trip out, since he was taken sick. Innes and his band received a most enthusiastic reception in Omaha where he has been entertaining large audiences during the past few days. He has found his popularity of exposition days largely intensified. The open meeting of the Woman's club held last evening at the home of C. C. Gow was a very enjoyable affair, 65 guests being entertained. A nice program of musical and literary numbers was rendered and dainty refreshments were served. The regular meeting of Pioneer Hook and Ladder company will be held Wednesday evening at Firemen's hall. President Kern urges all active members to be present and extends a cordial invitation to exempt and honorary members to attend. Johnnie Kent, the 15-year-old son of Nick Kent, who lives four miles southwest of the city, had the misfortune to break his left arm yesterday during recess at school. The fracture has been reduced and the young man hopes to have the use of his arm in a short time. Judges Isaac Powers and W. M. Robertson left this morning for Oklahoma City. From there they will visit Guthrie and other leading cities and places of interest in the territory. They expect to be absent about two weeks. Johnnie Kuesler accompanied them. It is said that bubble parties are the popular thing in Paris. The attendants blow bubbles made of filtered Castle soap and glycerine. Some of these bubbles last several days. At a recent social gathering in the French metropolis hundreds of bubbles kept close to the ceiling, and reflected the gaslights in ever-varying tints. James Gow and daughter of Omaha arrived today on the Union Pacific to visit his brother, John Gow, father of W. J. and C. C. Gow. The guest is 89 years of age, but still quite active and in very good health. His brother is 82 years old, and they are quite certain to enjoy the visit, with reminiscences extending over a period of 60 years or more. The Nebraska Republican association of Washington, District of Columbia, has issued invitations to a celebration of the republican victory in Nebraska to be held at the National Rifle Army hall on Friday evening next. It will undoubtedly be a joyous occasion and those who have received invitations and cannot attend will have something to regret. A new national bank is to be opened at Neligh, the institution having already been incorporated. G. W. Wattles of Omaha and the Rochester Loan and Trust company are among those largely interested in the project. The local managers will probably be W. T. Wattles of Neligh and a gentleman from Iowa. It is expected the bank will open for business March 1. The firm of Karo Bros., which succeeded A. Karo in the meat market business, has been dissolved, Paul Karo retiring. The business will hereafter be conducted in the name of Fred Karo & Co., which is a guarantee that patrons will receive the courteous treatment given in the past. Paul's intentions for the future are not definitely determined but he will remain in Norfolk for the present at least. The adjourned meeting of the fifth annual session of the commissioners and supervisors of the state of Nebraska, will be held at Aurora on December 11. This will be an important meeting as the legislative committee will present matters which are to be brought before the coming session of the legislature. The commissioners of Madison county have been invited to attend and it is likely that a portion if not all the board will be there. North Nebraska court No. 9, Trice of Ben Hur, at its regular meeting last night elected the following officers for

the ensuing term: B. W. Barrett, chief; O. E. Satterlee, judge; Mrs. M. D. Barrett, teacher; S. R. McFarland, scribe and keeper of tribute; Mrs. D. A. Quick, captain; Mrs. M. J. Robb, guide; Mrs. Mary O'Meara, keeper of inside guard; W. W. Hughes, keeper of outside guard. John Quick takes the position of past chief. The Norfolk lodge, Woodmen of the World, met last night and installed officers for the ensuing term. The following were installed: Thos. McNeil, C. C.; J. W. Fetter, A. L.; Geo. M. Dudley, cler.; D. V. Metcalf, banker; Dr. J. H. Mackay, physician; Wm. Winkler, escort; Frances Eiseley, watchman; Rouse, sentry. G. A. Staphenhorst was advanced to the chair of P. C. John Sanford was elected manager for three years. The show window of the Johnson Dry Goods company is a very clever holiday display and one certain to attract attention and elicit admiration. A lady is represented coming through a gate and behind her is a large Christmas bell trimmed in the greens associated with the holidays by custom. Tastily displayed are holiday goods of many kinds as well as some of the more regular goods carried by the firm. It is a good advertisement, beyond all question, and should be seen to be appreciated. Mrs. Bowser, who at one time was matron at the Norfolk hospital for the insane and who has since attained some notoriety as proprietor of the sod shanty at the Transmississippi and Greater America expositions, is now preparing to conduct a similar institution at the Buffalo exposition next year. She will erect a sod house similar to those seen on the Nebraska prairies in an early day which will be furnished as they were, and will serve meals of the substantial yet homely style so familiar to early settlers. She was very successful with her idea at the Omaha expositions and it is probable that it will be even more of a novelty at Buffalo where few have had the opportunity of being entertained in a genuine Nebraska sod shanty in the hospitable pioneer style. Apropos of the elaborate outfit of General von Waldersee in China, an American army officer is thus quoted in The Saturday Evening Post: "This is something new in campaigning. It may do well enough in China, and for a count, but it won't do for Americans. I remember what General Grant took with him on his final six days' campaign below Vicksburg. He didn't have an orderly, or a servant, or a horse. He didn't even have an overcoat, and he didn't have a camp chest. Why," continued the speaker, warming to the subject, "he didn't even take a clean shirt! I was with him, and I know. Yes, sir! General Grant's entire baggage for these six days was a toothbrush!" The officer paused a few moments, and then added, sadly: "And think what he missed in not carrying around with him an eight-room house!"

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES. T. S. Holmes of Creighton is in the city today. The front of Beeler Bros.' store is being repainted. C. P. Parish returned yesterday from a business trip to Omaha. Hon. John R. Hays was a passenger for Columbus this morning. Mrs. Frank Owen of Wayne is in the city visiting at the home of H. E. Owen. Deputy Revenue Collector Seeley of Madison paid one of his visits to Norfolk yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Butterfield left for Chicago at noon, to attend the fine stock show. Geo. H. Spear returns tonight from Des Moines, Iowa, where he has been on business. Conductor Fox has purchased the M. R. Morris residence on Tenth street and will take possession in a short time. Dr. A. B. Tashjian has gone to Chicago to remain a month and take a course at lectures in one of the leading hospitals. Dr. I. E. Scobee has gone to Omaha to attend a state meeting of osteo.aths. An effort will undoubtedly be made for more favorable laws for this school. Rev. J. J. Parker and Rev. John Jefferies went to Creighton today to assist in the ordination of Rev. Clarence Rogers of that place, which is to take place this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chapman, Miss Hattie Chapman and Mr. Mrs. P. F. Bell left last evening for Buffalo Gap to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bond, an old time friend. Mrs. Johanna Schulz died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, at the home of Ang. Voelck in Edgewater Park, of pneumonia. The deceased was 41 years of age and her home is four miles east of Pierce where the remains were taken this afternoon. The funeral will be held from her home on Friday. Mrs. Schulz was a sister-in-law of F. Schulz of this city. W. K. Ziegfeld of the Chicago Musical college acknowledges the receipt of one of Miss Nelle Gerecke's announcements in the following language: "Your very neat and elegant little announcement came to hand. Am glad to see that you are established as a vocal instructor and feel sure that you will meet with success. Your pure natural method and artistic vocalization cannot help winning favor." In their work the telephone linemen are handling a maize of wires which to the novice would seem to be hopelessly tangled and he would undoubtedly have them so very shortly if he undertook the work. The men doing the work seem to get along very rapidly and well, however. The improvements the company is making are very extensive and the service will be more complete than ever before when they have finished. The sale and oyster supper, conducted in the Jonas building yesterday by the ladies of Trinity guild was a great success, the society clearing about \$140. There was an excellent demand for their Christmas articles and nearly all were disposed of. The people were very liberal in their patronage, for which the ladies are grateful. They particularly appreciate the assistance rendered them by business men who gratuitously loaned needed furnishings and helped in other ways. A fellow named Canning, from Arlington, was taken up by the police last night and confined in the city bastille. He had been punishing liquor quite regularly during the past few days and last night it took a turn at punishing him. In fact he almost "had 'em." He was in a condition to imagine all kinds of horrors, the one most vivid and best retained in his recollection was that his wife was coming after him by telephone. He swore he heard her coming and no telephone within several feet of the jail. Very frightful things can undoubtedly be imagined by a person in his condition. He claims to be on his way to Wayne, where he says he has a brother.

THURSDAY TIDINGS. Mrs. Husted was a Winside visitor to Norfolk yesterday. Mrs. Frank Lambert was a city visitor yesterday from Osmond. Mrs. Frank Peters and Mrs. J. Zahn of Pierce were city visitors yesterday. Mrs. E. C. Harris of Chadron passed through the city today enroute to Chicago. Mrs. H. Spence and Mrs. Thos. Elliott of Madison were visitors in the city yesterday. Conductor A. J. Ryel of the F. E. & M. V. is preparing to build a five-room cottage in South Norfolk. Miss Keating and Mrs. Buckles of the Norfolk hospital for the insane were passengers for Omaha today. Wm. Buckendorf, who has been sick with typhoid at St. Paul, Minn., arrived last night for a visit with parents and friends and to recuperate his health. Philbrick & Greenwood of America Falls, Idaho, brought in 400 head of cattle today and placed them in yards near the sugar factory to be fed on beet pulp and hay. Frank Winter and Miss Anna Weich were united in marriage this morning at 10 o'clock at the Christ Lutheran church, Rev. J. P. Mueller performing the ceremony. Gordon Journal: T. M. Huntington left Sunday night for Norfolk, where he will visit his wife and then go to Omaha for a few days. He expects to take a trip to Cuba before his return and will be gone several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Morris are preparing to go to Oklahoma next week and expect to spend the winter and possibly remain there longer. Conductor Fox expects to take possession of his recently acquired property on the 15th. Randolph Republican: Charles Dewes and Miss Lizzie Siffert of Norfolk were married Wednesday by Justice Fisher at the residence of Otto Dietrich in this city. The wedding was private only the members of Mr. Dietrich's family being present. At its meeting last evening the Norfolk club decided to continue the organization and will meet regularly hereafter. An increased interest was evidenced by the members in attendance and the prospects are that the organization will become one of Norfolk's foremost social clubs. R. W. Baxter and wife and S. G. Strickland, all of Omaha, came in over the U. P. this morning in a private car and after visiting the city for a few hours, left over the M. & O. for Sioux City. Mr. Baxter is superintendent of the U. P., and Mr. Strickland is superintendent of the M. & O. Governor Dietrich has named M. C. Walker of this city as steward for the Norfolk hospital for the insane. It is probable that no position in his appointing power has the governor had a better field of applicants to select from than for the steward of the Norfolk hospital. This made a decision extremely difficult and it is probable that the selection of one would have been as satisfactory as another. There were disappointments no doubt, but there is no occasion for acrimony. A good man has been chosen and the governor's selection should be cheerfully abided by. Wedding Bells at Norfolk. Norfolk has seemed the Mecca of love's sweetest way and Eros has had festival royal over and over again this twelve months past, but just as the old year is rounding out the century that deity called again and with his every charm decked one of Norfolk's dearest and fairest maidens a bride. Surely as Miss Elsie Amus and Mr. Ludwig Koenigstein sealed their hearts' holy pledge last night in the sacred ties of matrimony, heaven's smiles and loving hearts around them blended to make them happy and auspicious to the last degree. The home of the bride was made the scene and was tastefully decorated with myrtle, smilax, ferns and white carnations, culminating in a canopy in the parlor 'neath which the happy words were spoken. Promptly at 8 o'clock Miss Metta Koenigstein began the always happy Medelssohn Wedding march, and led by the officiant, Rev. W. R. McKim, followed by Mr. Max Amus, brother of the bride, as best man, and Miss Fanny Norton, bridesmaid, and preceded by little Dorothy Rudat, ringbearer, the bride, blushing in pretty contrast to the white satin gown and crowning veil, entered the room, leaning on the arm of the happy groom. The beautiful words of the service were read with unconcealed feeling by Mr. McKim, who, with the bride and groom, has been numbered among Norfolk's young people, and have been friends in the truest sense for some eight years past. The music rendered later in the evening was above the ordinary. When such artists as Miss Gerecke, Rev. Mr. McKim, Miss Metta Koenigstein and Mrs. D. J. Koenigstein appear on the program, this is not to be wondered at. They were all at their best and the two former in particular were never heard to better advantage, as the frequent applause testified. The Bohner orchestra also discoursed sweet music throughout the evening, to which the young people kept time with many a waltz and two step. X. The bride and groom who last night joined hands are both well known young people of Norfolk. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Amus, and has lived here since early childhood. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Koenigstein, likewise pioneers of this city, and both have hundreds of friends who have known them for years and who will wish them success in their new venture. They will go to house-keeping right away in a cozy new cottage on north Eighth street, which was planned and built by the groom, and has just been completed.

BATTLE CREEK. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hogrefe and sons were Norfolk visitors Friday. P. H. Ingoldis celebrated his 55th birthday Saturday. Apple-jack and cigars were free. Dr. Hildebrand of Clearwater was visiting here last Thursday with Dr. Chas. T. Haman and Rev. Warnie. Otto H. Maas transacted business in Norfolk Friday. Mr. Maas is doing quite a little in the real estate line. Dennis Connelly has moved his chop counter into the old Bates' store, formerly occupied by Macy's photo gallery. On the evening of Thanksgiving day the young folks had a well attended social hop in the Maxwell opera house. The Merry Cotton Pickers' show had a full house here Monday night. The darkies entertained our kids here O. K. Michael Zimmer and family of Newman Grove were visiting here Friday with relatives, Sam Schneider and family. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf of Hooper were spending Thanksgiving day with their daughter, Mrs. W. E. Faerst and family. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faerst were visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Wichman, and family, at Pierce, last Thursday. Now, look here! Here is another proof of prosperity. Sunday morning, born to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Montross, a new male postmaster. Maas & Haman have a wonderful display of Christmas goods on hand, and the way they show it in their store it looks like a perfect exhibition. Herman Eacher has been sick with rheumatism for the last ten days, but is better at this writing. His nephew, Joseph Maas, was helping him out during his time of disability. John S. Braisher is putting up a nice barn behind his harness shop on Main street. Herman Werer is doing the carpenter work. This of course is only on the account of McKinley's re-election. August Steffen is building a nice dwelling on southeast corner of Herman and Third streets. After completion he will occupy it himself and the upstairs of his furniture store will be used for a store house. Wm. Warneke of Norfolk who has been working here in the printing office of the Enterprise, has bought a paper in Scribner and moved there Friday. We are sorry to say that it is a democrat or pop sheet. Maybe he don't know himself. W. B. Faerst made a big change in his store building this week. He extended the front room about twenty feet and has his writing desk in the center of the store now and about ten feet high so he can see everything going on in the store. Eleven carloads of stock went out of Battle Creek Tuesday. Wm. Butterfield shipped five carloads of cattle, which he bought of T. S. Napper. Herman Hogrefe shipped three carloads of cattle of his own. Fred Faerst and George Huerman one carload of cattle each. L. B. Baker one car load of hogs. MADISON. Ernest Kilpatrick of Elgin is visiting his mother, Mrs. Julia Kilpatrick. Walter Elley accompanied the shipment of fat cattle to Chicago Saturday. A goodly number attended the Innes concert at Norfolk Thanksgiving night. Sig. Schavland is having an addition built to his dwelling. Craig & Hensley are the carpenters. Wood & Bancroft, E. T. McGehee and Malone & Elley were shippers of cattle to Chicago Saturday evening. Congressman Robinson departed for Washington on Friday last, to assume his duties in the representative hall. Gegner & Wetzel, who have the contract for painting and papering the court house, began work Wednesday. Workmen are digging post holes or the poles that will soon support live electric light wires in Madison. Sure go now. Marriage license issued November 30, to Ludwig Koenigstein, aged 29 and Elsa Dorothy Amus, aged 25, both of Norfolk. Scarlet fever seems to be on the increase, and one family is under quarantine for membranous croup, threatening diphtheria. Miss Maud Denel returned to her stenographic duties at S. O. Campbell's office Saturday, after a few days Thanksgiving visit with her parents at Meadow Grove. Mrs. T. F. Memminger very pleasantly entertained Friday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Barlow of Iowa. Mrs. Barlow is an aunt of Mrs. W. V. Allen and sister of Grandma Mott. The Fidelity Trust Co., bondsmen for Contractor Moore of the school house, who are now in charge of the building, are pushing the work to completion as rapidly as possible and it is expected the building will be ready for occupancy immediately after the holiday vacation. Mortgage record for November: Farm mortgages filed, 20; amount, \$2,885.40. Farm mortgages released, 16; amount, \$16,717.50. City mortgages filed, 18; amount, \$6,211.25. City mortgages released, 10; amount, \$17,800.00. Chattel mortgages filed, 101; amount,

\$61,047.91. Chattel mortgages released, 76; amount, \$12,115.71. Judge Bates has been somewhat annoyed by a disagreeable odor about his office of late, which refused to abate after the burning of sulphur and other modes of disinfecting. On Monday Janitor Kaul assisted by a carpenter, cut a hole in the floor in the judge's room and took therefrom a dead cat, since which time "his honor" is able to take a full breath. Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership of Karo Bros. has been dissolved. All accounts due the co-partnership up to December 1, 1900, are to be paid to Paul Karo and all debts will be settled by him. The business will be continued by Fred Karo. To those who have patronized us in the past we extend our thanks and invite a continuance of their patronage to the new firm. Dated December 4, 1900. FRED KARO, PAUL KARO.

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