

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Mrs. Baker of Genoa is visiting friends in the city. Mrs. F. W. Teal was a passenger for Omaha yesterday. L. V. Brainard was in the metropolis yesterday from Neligh. Dr. P. H. Salter made a professional visit to Laurel yesterday. W. J. Jones was a city visitor yesterday from the county seat. Morris Mayer returned last night from an extended business trip. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Braasch Monday afternoon. Mrs. M. C. Walker has gone to Rochester, Minn., with her parents. County Attorney Burt Mapes was a passenger for Madison this morning. H. L. Johnson and Frank Mittelstadt of Stanton were Norfolk visitors Monday. Deputy Revenue Collector Carl T. Seeley was in the city from Madison today. Messrs. W. M. Robertson and M. D. Tyler were passengers for Lincoln today. Otto Zuelow and niece, Miss Agnes Zuelow, were passengers today for Omaha. Editor W. E. Powers of the Pierce Leader had business in the city this morning. W. R. Hoffman expects to leave in a few days for Chicago, to purchase a stock of furniture. F. J. Ryder of New York is here visiting his brothers, Rev. H. E. Ryder and H. Ryder. Lute Simms of Neligh went to work today as an attendant at the Norfolk hospital for the insane. Two new beer vaults are being erected near the Creighton branch of the F. E. & M. V., north of Main street. Adam Kost has commenced the erection of a cottage on South Fifth street on lots near the residence of C. W. Braasch. The new carpet for the Odd Fellows hall has arrived and the room is being cleaned today so that the carpet can be laid tomorrow. E. A. Amarine is erecting a new house on South Eleventh street on a vacant lot adjoining the residence property of D. J. Koenigstein. Dr. Young, assistant physician, and M. C. Walker, steward, assumed charge of their respective duties at the Norfolk hospital for the insane today. The ladies of the Missionary society of the M. E. church served tea last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Westervelt on Madison avenue. Frank Keenan and his company with their special scenery arrived in the city today and will present "A Poor Relation" at the Auditorium tonight. The windows of the merchants who deal in valentines are decorated with gorgeous and comic creations for the benefit of the lover and the joker. The first street man to operate in Norfolk for some time was this afternoon selling merchandise on Main street near Fourth. He succeeded in attracting quite a crowd. H. Hulbert, whose home is in Bennett, this state, but who has been spending the past few months in northwestern Iowa, is here today visiting his son, of the Citizens National bank. W. J. Barnes, formerly proprietor of the Stanton hotel, has purchased the 80 acres of land one and one half miles southwest of the city, which has been farmed by Roy Hight, from Mrs. Mathewson. The consideration was \$3,500. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Elkhorn Building and Savings association was held last night and the old officers were re-elected. The stockholders were well satisfied with the showing of the business of the association during the past year. The weather editor of the Fremont Tribune claims to have seen several flocks of geese making for the cool climate of the north Tuesday. He is convinced that the back bone, neck and several other members of wintners' anatomy have been successfully broken. The sick list in Norfolk continues to grow, although fortunately the people are not afflicted by small pox, scarlet fever or other disease of that nature. The most serious complaint seems to be pneumonia. The physicians are kept quite constantly busy, one doctor reporting that he had answered 19 calls yesterday. Elmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Beeler, is the latest to be sick with pneumonia. The interior of the Citizens National bank is undergoing some radical improvements. The counter, which formerly extended front to the north windows, has been moved back and now joins the west wall, thus giving more room in front for customers. A new and handsome oxidized copper railing surmounts the counter, which is to be newly finished. The walls are to be newly papered and the woodwork painted. Three gangs of workmen are engaged in making repairs and improvements on the line of the Union Pacific railway in and about Norfolk. They are the bridge, carpenter and pile driver gangs. The timbers in the bridges south of town are being tested and if found defective,

are replaced with new ones, piles are being driven where necessary and stone rippapping is being put in to protect the river banks from washing. Besides this the depot is being thoroughly renovated. Patrons of the road are well pleased to see this spirit of enterprise on the part of the company.

WANTED—Representative in every county in Nebraska. Man or woman. Good pay, steady employment. L. H. WATTS, 592 Karback blk., Omaha, Neb.

A Much Wanted Man. George Jenkinson, a former resident of this county, but for some time residing on a farm two miles east of Newman Grove, Madison county, and owned by C. H. Sheldon of this city, it seems, is a much wanted man just now by the bankers and loan agents of Madison, Lindsay and Newman Grove. After mortgaging his stock and grain three times and then disposing of it he departed for parts unknown. The mortgages called for about 400 head of cattle, 200 head of hogs, besides horses, farm machinery and grain. The sheriff found only twenty-four head of cattle, twenty-three hogs and the machinery. It is said he left his wife without either warning or money. It is estimated that he got away with about \$3,000. McAllister & Cornelius are representing Mr. Sheldon's interests as attorneys, and in company with Sheriff Byrnes visited the premises last week and made secure what property was left in sight. Now a replevin suit has been commenced in the district court of Madison county by the Flato Commission company against George Jenkinson and John C. Byrnes. The defendant, it is alleged, made and delivered to plaintiff a promissory note for \$1,000 payable November 16, 1900, a chattel mortgage on 550 bushels of wheat, an undivided two-thirds interest of 120 acres corn and sheds on the north half of 36-24-4. The property is now being held by Sheriff Byrnes of this county. Judgement for possession of property and one hundred dollars damage for wrongful detention of possession is asked, and the end is not yet.—Columbus Journal.

Recognized It. A telephone joke in which a couple of country school ma'ams were the principals has recently come to light. One of the ladies lives in Norfolk and the other in Battle Creek. Recently the Battle Creek lady visited her Norfolk friend and upon returning home missed her umbrella, which she supposed had been left at her friend's home. She concluded to telephone down and learn if her supposition was correct. The following conversation ensued: "Hello!" "Hello!" "Did I leave my umbrella at your house?" "I believe you did—wait a minute. Is this it?" The Battle Creek lady responded, "It looks like it," and rang off.

Hammond, Louisiana, An Ideal Health and Winter Resort. The passenger department of the Illinois Central Railroad company has just issued a new edition of "Hammond, Louisiana, as a Winter Resort," a beautiful illustrated folder showing a few of the winter attractions in and about Hammond, copies of which will be mailed free, on application to the undersigned.

For those in good or moderate circumstances, no point in the south offers such inducements. The climate is unsurpassed. The artesian water excellent. Society almost entirely northern, and the hotel and boarding house accommodations far superior to any town of its size in the north, and at moderate rates. J. F. MERRY, A. S. Gen. Pass. Agt., Ill. Cent. R. R., Dubuque, Iowa.

Letter List. List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice February 4, 1901: Etta Bridge, E. C. Cole, Mrs. Ida Clark, M. Denny, B. W. A. Davis, S. E. Hamlett, Prof. N. H. Hammett, Nellie Hayes, George Knapp, Julius Kirschbaum, Will C. Miller, Max Millard, E. Mabe, John Olson, W. C. Sharp, Lillie Scranton, Arthur Sanders, Will I. Williams.

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.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Genessee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.: Gentlemen—Our family realize so much from the use of Grain-O that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all, but Grain-O I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain. Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

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A MUSICAL TREAT.

J. D. Sturgeon's Concert Saturday Evening Was so Considered by Those Attending—A 15-days' Tour.

J. D. Sturgeon gave his Norfolk friends a rare musical treat Saturday night when he invited them to his store room in the Pacific block to hear a sample of the concerts he is to give throughout north Nebraska during the next two weeks. The room was seated with chairs and the audience of nearly 300 people attending taxed the accommodations to the utmost. All who went were highly entertained and many expressed the wish that Mr. Sturgeon might give a public concert of the same character in Norfolk in the near future. The entertainment was opened with a very nicely worded announcement by Miss Roxie Sturgeon who delivered it in an entertaining manner, explaining the objects of the tour and introducing those taking part. It became apparent early in the evening that there was a pleasing affinity between the audience and the performers that successfully overcame all formality and caused the evening to pass most enjoyably. Mrs. Helen Hamilton, the pianist, proved to be an artist possessing a natural ability that had been highly cultivated. She was vivacious, had splendid execution and thrilled the audience with the tones produced by her magic touch. Her interpretation of Brillantes Variations and Tannhauser March were particularly pleasing and for an encore on the former she sang "Coming Through the Rye" in a manner that indicated a splendid vocal talent. Miss Nelle Gerecke, the vocalist, whose pleasing and cultivated voice has frequently been admired by a Norfolk audience, was at her best and was compelled to respond to several encores during the rendition of the program. Miss Gerecke improves with each public appearance and her friends are justified in the belief that faras awaits her. Certain it is that few singers who have appeared before a Norfolk audience have given equal satisfaction. The self-playing organ was a great novelty and rendered some popular music in an entertaining fashion, but it did not prove as popular as the numbers by Miss Gerecke and Mrs. Hamilton. It rendered better music, however, than many who claim to have some ability on the piano and organ. The people of the towns fortunate enough to have secured a date for Mr. Sturgeon's concert will find that in every way it is a high class and appropriate entertainment and the tour should be a magnificent success. The concert is first given this evening at Battle Creek.

Opinion of One Auditor. Norfolk, February 4.—My Dear Mr. Sturgeon: I want to thank you for the treat you gave the people of Norfolk on last Saturday evening. I congratulate you heartily on the certainly very high class entertainment provided. I would speak particularly of the splendid execution by Mrs. Helen Hamilton on the piano. I have heard that Tannhauser March many times by skilled musicians but never before have I heard it as it was interpreted by Mrs. Hamilton at your concert—she excelled them all.

I was also pleased with the charming manner with which Miss Nelle Gerecke rendered her selections. She has a voice of sweetness and power, well trained, used in such a delightfully gracious and unassuming manner that lent an added charm to the beauty of the songs. Her rendering of the songs "Love in Springtime" and "For all Eternity" is especially to be commended. Again I thank you for providing such a musical feast and I wish you all success. You are at liberty to use this letter as you think best. Cordially HERBERT E. RYDER, Pastor of First Baptist Church.

THURSDAY TIDINGS. W. E. Reed was in Norfolk from Madison Tuesday. J. D. Tickter of Neligh was in Norfolk yesterday. C. C. Gow paid a business visit to Foster yesterday. Judge Barnes was a passenger for Neligh last night. L. E. Holms was a city visitor yesterday from Wahoo. T. F. Memminger is a city visitor today from Madison. F. D. Preece was in the city Tuesday from Battle Creek. Mrs. Richardson of Battle Creek was a city visitor yesterday. Norfolk lodge, Royal Arcanum, meets tonight in regular session. F. T. Richmond of Bloomfield had business in Norfolk Tuesday. Arthur Carrick is up from Ames for a short visit with his mother. N. A. Rainbolt left last night on a business trip to Rapid City, S. D. H. A. Wilmerding has gone to Flushing, Long Island, to visit his parents. Otho Johnson is sick with pneumonia at his home on West Madison avenue. Sheriff George W. Losey is in the city today from Madison on official business. Fred Wichman has purchased the

Waochter farm five miles northeast of the city. Miss Mattie Davenport is expected home tonight from her visit to friends in Sioux City. Harry Matrau came up from Wisner to see Frank Keenan in "A Poor Relation" last night. Norfolk lodge No. 46, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight for work in the initiatory and other degrees. John Ray and Alvin Low, who have been to Verdigre on cattle business, returned last evening. W. H. Johnson has gone to New York to purchase a stock of dry goods suitable for the spring season. Mrs. Burton, mother of Mrs. Geo. B. Christoph returned to her home in Waukon, Iowa, today. E. M. Huntington has recently purchased a fine new piano for his home from Chas. H. Johnson. Miss Violet Craig is here from Madison and will visit during the remainder of the week with Miss Bessie Lodge. There is a big sale of stock and personal property this afternoon at the home of Fred Kell on the Koenigstein farm four miles southeast of the city. A number of people from town are attending. Misses May and Eva Dolen have purchased a millinery store in Randolph and are now in possession, having gone to that town several days ago. The best wishes of Norfolk friends attend them in their new venture. The A. O. U. W. ball at Marquardt's hall on the evening of the 14th promises to be one of the most interesting entertainments for St. Valentine's day. Good music will be furnished and all who delight in dancing should attend. Trinity Social guild is planning for an unique entertainment in Mast's hall on the evening of the 13th and all who can appreciate a genuine good time should attend. Music will be an important part of the program, while the farce and valentine features will combine to make the occasion one of more than ordinary enjoyment. The Madison school is moving into the new building just completed and teachers and pupils are enjoying a week's vacation while the transfer is being made. Miss Edna Richardson, one of the teachers there, is here visiting the schools today and will go to Battle Creek tonight to spend the balance of her vacation with her parents. Louis Sessions received a dispatch to day from Dick Beswick, who is now in Chicago, announcing the death of Mrs. Beswick and that he would leave that city for Norfolk with his wife's body this afternoon at 5:30. He is expected to arrive here on the passenger from the east tomorrow noon and will be met at the train and the body taken to the undertaking rooms of Sessions & Bell. The funeral arrangements will not be made until Mr. Beswick arrives. The deceased has been a sufferer for many years, and had left her home six miles east of the city some time ago, hoping for benefit from treatment in eastern hospitals. Her death will be learned with sorrow by many friends in and about Norfolk, who will sincerely sympathize with Mr. Beswick in his bereavement. The first anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ryel was happily celebrated last night in their new home in South Norfolk, by a surprise visit from many of their friends, who met at the home of E. A. Wilkinson and went to the Ryel home in a body. The evening was happily spent in social conversation and playing high five, in which Mr. and Mrs. Ryel participated with keen enjoyment. At 12 o'clock a splendid supper was served to which those present did ample justice. Afterward the guests departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Ryel many happy returns of the day. Those participating were Messrs. and Mesdames John Brown, John Spellman, John Welch, J. C. Aid, M. W. Case, Fred Linerode, N. A. Wilkinson, E. A. Wilkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Finley of Missouri Valley, Iowa; the Misses Wilkinson, Mrs. Mat Robb, Mrs. T. E. Moolick, Mrs. W. J. Askins and Mrs. Tom Belt. Frank Keenan in "A Poor Relation" was given a very cordial reception by a large audience at the Auditorium last evening on the occasion of his second appearance in Norfolk. That the audience was highly entertained was evidenced by the tumultuous applause which greeted the best situations in the various acts and the laughter which the droll features occasioned. Mr. Keenan was called before the curtain after both the first and second acts and the second time he made one of his characteristic speeches, announcing his appearance in a new play next season and expressing the hope that Norfolk might be included in the route traveled. Mr. Keenan has many admirers in Norfolk and the people will certainly echo his wishes in that regard. The subdued effects in "A Poor Relation" are delightful and the play was handled with perfect success by Mr. Keenan and his company. The beauty of the piece is not so much in the acting or speeches as in the well timed pauses, appropriate hesitations and suggestions of pathos and humor in which Mr. Keenan excels. The more true to nature such a production is given the more effect it has.

Mrs. Mand Abbott in her interpretation of Dolly Fayo was very perfect and she was a close second to Mr. Keenan in popular favor. Other parts were very well handled and, on the whole, it was one of the most satisfactory plays ever given in Norfolk. BATTLE CREEK. Mrs. E. Tanner was visiting at Norfolk Friday. Prof. M. G. Doering and two sons were Norfolk visitors Saturday. Monday evening a bouncing boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Day. Vaccinating is an everyday occurrence in Battle Creek at the present time. A. M. Lovelace has been sick for about a week, but is reported better. M. L. Thomsen was up to Tilden last Thursday, looking after his business interests at that place. A. G. Moyer brought the Chas. Evans' farm in Gryve precinct, 9 miles southwest of here, Monday. Fred Echtenkamp bought 160 acres of prairie for \$2,000, in the neighborhood of Creighton, last week. Owen Wade has taken a job as stable boss in the Best livery barn, which position was vacated by Bert Cosairt. Frank Massman returned Sunday from an extended visit with relatives at St. Charles and other places in Missouri. Two young fellows from south of town were put to sleep at the city bastille Friday night. They got "tired" by over indulging. Mrs. W. A. Barnes and daughter, Ita, went to West Point Saturday, to visit her brother, James Gallon, and brother-in-law, Dan Clansay. The Battle Creek high school will be represented in the North Nebraska declamatory contest, which will be held at Norfolk on March 28. Mr. and Mrs. Ladhoff of Norfolk, both sick with influenza, have been visiting here since last week with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. A. Venable. Chas. Zimmerman of Escobol, Wis., who has been visiting here about a week with his mother, brothers and sisters, left for home again Tuesday. The opera house was packed with lovers of classical music, performed by Miss Gerecke of Norfolk and Mrs. Damlon of Chicago, Monday night. Mrs. Geo. Souvenir and children left Monday for Inman, where her husband went last week onto the Aberdeen cattle ranch, owned by Maas and Brechler. The betrothal of Gustav Warneke with Miss Emma Lindemann and Gustav Werner with Miss Clara Warneke was announced in the Lutheran church Sunday at that place. Miss Nellie O'Neill returned from Sioux City Tuesday, where she was visiting since Wednesday with her sister, Miss Maggie, who is attending college at that place. Joe Phipps, our only colored gentleman, holds a lucrative position at the Best's hotel now. Joe would like to get married, but there are poor chances for him in our town. Arthur H. Gardel shipped his household goods to Hartington Monday and the next day he and his wife left for that place on the passenger. Art has taken a position there in a hardware and implement store. Mrs. Fred T. gler, and two youngest children, returned last Thursday from a six weeks' visit with her parents at Concordia, Mo., and also Miss Lena Bredehoeft, who was visiting with an uncle near that place. Monday John Lucht shipped a carload of fat cattle and Geo. Berry two double-deck carloads of sheep. Tuesday Howard Miller Lumber company shipped one carload of hogs, Warner Daniel one carload of cattle, and Geo. Berry two carloads of sheep again. There has been quite a little work for those who wanted to work here this winter. A whole lot of timber was cut up for stove wood. Owen O'Neill alone had from 5 to 8 acres of cotton wood cleared and one man made about 150 cords of stove wood on half shares. This surely pays better than playing cards. Next Saturday, at 1:30 in the afternoon the Teachers' Local association of Battle Creek will render the following program at their meeting: Instrumental solo—Miss Alda Knesel. General discussion of chapters 9 and 10 of Pege's Theory and Practice of Teaching. Paper, Biographical Sketch of David Page—Miss Rose Hughes. Music, duet—Misses Nellie Craig and Minnie Zimmerman. Our ice harvest was finished Monday. Geo. Zimmerman is the only dealer here in this article and has filled two big houses. In one way he is the Battle Creek Croker. We don't know of any business that would give more satisfaction. In the winter, when the ice flowers cover the window panes, so you cannot peep through at all and when it is from 10 to 20 below zero out doors, the ice man will surely rub his head, smile and order an extra hot one. And on the 4th of July, when it is 100 or more in the shade, he can afford to take an extra half a dozen nice cool lagers. We can see it is a happy business, whether the weather be cold or hot.

BEGA. Mr. Wilken of Pierce was in Bega on business, Tuesday. Ed. Wilken of Chicago was visiting friends in this vicinity. John Wilson of the Wayne normal spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents. Quite a number of Bega people attended the sale at James Jansen's on Monday. Will Kennedy of Bega took in the sale at E. G. Stroms and then went to Norfolk on business. The young people's meeting was postponed Sunday evening and all attended the last of the Phillips and Nelson meetings. A number of young people from this neighborhood went to Stanton to attend a meeting of the Oxford Musical club, last Friday evening. WARNERVILLE. Fred Terry is building an addition to his house. Mrs. Charles Underwood and daughter went to Lindsay Monday, to visit friends. Charles May and Will Reed will give a dance in the hall Thursday evening, February 14. Homer Tannehill, who has been seriously ill with the pneumonia, is reported better. Harry Morris went to Oklahoma territory Tuesday, to visit his brother and to look over the country with a view of locating there, if satisfied.

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