

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Miss Hartley is home to spend Sunday. W. Smith was up from Pilger yesterday. H. A. Fries was over from Madison yesterday. Peter Backes was in town from Lindsay yesterday. E. M. Malone of Columbus is a Norfolk visitor today. S. S. Joyce was a Norfolk guest over night from Gordon. E. E. Peterson was a Norfolk visitor over night from Elgin. Fresh cherries are on the market at Omaha for \$1 a pound. Mrs. R. R. Dickinson was in the city yesterday from O'Neill. J. M. Haglin of Bloomfield was a Norfolk visitor yesterday. J. K. Hatcheson of South Norfolk is very sick with rheumatism. A. S. Blanchard and F. A. Dearborn were visitors from Wayne yesterday. Russell Thompson is reported as recovering from his attack of scarlet fever. Mrs. H. E. Jennison of Omaha is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. T. Holden. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mote of Plainview were Norfolk visitors over night, returning home this morning. C. J. Stockwell has returned from Yankton, S. D., where he went to attend the funeral of his brother. Mrs. O. B. Walker has returned to her home in South Norfolk after a month's visit with her sister in Sioux City. The Inskeep millinery store is being moved today into the building recently vacated by Michael's photograph gallery. Mrs. G. F. Durland and two children arrived from Wayne last night and will spend Sunday with Norfolk relatives. C. S. Bargelt of Leed, S. D., is visiting Norfolk relatives, en route to the state of Washington to look over the country. Col. S. S. Cotton is building two cottages on Philip avenue, between Third and Fourth streets. Myron Colamer expects to occupy one of them about the first of May. Rev. G. A. Munro of Columbus came in last evening and is the guest of Dr. A. J. Johnson. He will preach in the First Congregational church tomorrow morning at 10:45 and in the evening at 8. Dallas Brunson is just completing a large new addition to his livery barn on South Third street. The building is 40 by 46 feet, and will be of advantage in handling Mr. Brunson's increasing business. A Wayne woman wanted a black skirt so badly that she concluded to appropriate one from her neighbor's line about as dusk fell. She was not aware that the owner was watching and is probably now considering how she can return it gracefully. W. H. Dexter has accepted a position as traveling salesman with Tollerton & Stetson, wholesale grocers of Sioux City. His territory will be in the western part of Nebraska and eastern Wyoming. He will depart tomorrow night for his first trip over the territory. It is stated that the Christian Science meeting, at 10:30 tomorrow in Orr's hall, is the result of an effort to unite all Christian Scientists in this field into one body, all former meetings being disbanded, and the church heretofore existing having filed its articles of dissolution with the county clerk. G. M. Thompson has sold his stock of groceries to Braasch & Zuelow, has stored his fixtures, and the building he has occupied is being placed in readiness for occupancy by Hoffman & Smith with their stock of furniture and undertaking goods. Mr. Thompson will office with Mapes & Hazen while closing up his accounts and attending to other business matters in connection with the store. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Morrow entertained a large number of friends last evening in honor of their son, Joseph Gerald Morrow, and his bride, lately married at Rocky Ford, Col. The reception was informal but very pleasant, the hours being from 8 to 10 and from 9 to 11. Mr. and Mrs. Morrow and the young couple received their friends in the front parlor and they were afterward given the freedom of the house, an opportunity being thus afforded for Norfolk friends to meet the popular groom and become acquainted with his bride. Punch was served in the back parlor and a nice collection of gifts from the friends of the couple here were displayed. In the dining room dainty refreshments were served and each guest was presented with a choice carnation. The evening was very enjoyably spent in social conversation, the making of acquaintances and in extending congratulations to Mr. Morrow and his bride. A Good Thing. German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boscchee, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does,

the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boscchee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cts. Get Green's Prize Almanac. Asa. K. Leonard.

The Norfolk Nursery Sells seed potatoes—pure Early Ohio, Six Weeks Early Triumph and Early Peach Blows. Also ash, box elders, elm and maple, 8 to 12 feet high. Cherry, apple, plum trees, and small fruit plants, forest trees, seedlings, rose bushes, flowering shrubs and evergreens. Call on or address, E. D. Hammond, Norfolk, Nebraska.

MONDAY MENTION.

S. J. Arnett of Madison spent Sunday in Norfolk. J. W. Ranson made a business visit to Sioux City today. John R. Spellman of Stanton was in the city over night. S. Friedman of Madison was a Sunday visitor in Norfolk. J. A. Hathaway of Neligh was a Norfolk visitor over night. D. F. Sidler is very sick at his home on South Eighth street. H. D. Buehner is building a new house on South Third street. Mrs. G. F. Durland and children returned to her home in Plainview today. A son of J. W. Cunningham is very sick with pneumonia at his home on South Second street. Gov. Shaw of Iowa arrived in the city from the east at noon, and is the guest of Col. Cotton while in the city. Mrs. E. Hammond of Plainview is here with her husband, who came down to attend the bankers' convention. Hon. M. E. Shultz, of Beatrice, grand master workman of the A. O. U. W., was in the city over night. He was on his way home from Oakdale. M. Coad of South Omaha, W. A. Witzigman of Meadow Grove and E. H. Luikart of Battle Creek were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Luikart over Sunday and are attending the bankers' convention. Evangelist Daly and wife will speak tonight, and each night this week in the Second Congregational church, at the Junction. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. This is Arbor day and a more perfect day for celebrating by the planting of trees and shrubbery could scarcely be found. If the day is not properly observed it is certainly no fault of the weather. Superintendent and Mrs. F. F. Teal of the Norfolk hospital for the insane were treated to a surprise last Friday evening by the officers and employees of the institution, the occasion being in honor of their first wedding anniversary. Dr. and Mrs. Teal were away when the arrangements were being made and upon their return found their dining room filled with guests, and supper ready to serve. After supper the evening was pleasantly spent, dancing being a leading amusement. During the evening the doctor and his wife were presented with a handsome water color picture, the gift of their self-invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chapman, relatives of Mr. Mrs. Teal, were guests from the city. Carl F. Brummond, aged 44 years, died Saturday morning at his home six and one-half miles east of the city, from rheumatism of the heart, developing from inflammatory rheumatism with which he has been suffering. The funeral was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock from the house, the pastor of the German Evangelical church officiating. The remains were interred in the cemetery east of the city joining the Christ Lutheran cemetery on the south. The deceased leaves a wife to mourn his loss. He was also a brother of H. Brummond of this city. Mr. Brummond was one of the pioneer settlers of this section of the country, coming here with his father in the early sixties. By frugal industry he has established himself financially and in his death is recognized the removal of one of the prominent agriculturists of this part of the state. A large audience was entertained Saturday night at the Auditorium by Chas. H. Boyle in the "Star Boarder." The program was one calculated to excite the risibilities of the audience and that the company was remarkably successful in doing so was evidenced by the frequent and hearty waves of laughter that overspread the features of those attending. Mr. Boyle was an especial favorite and was an entire entertainer in himself. As Chauncey Depot he was easily the "star" boarder as well as star entertainer. The program was cleverly arranged to avoid encores but on several occasions the audience insisted upon its supposed rights and effected a recall. The jokes and tricks were mostly new and pleasing, with an absence of the low comedy verging on the vulgar. It was a well satisfied audience and should, from all outward evidence, have added several pounds of avoirdupois to its weight.

COMMISSIONERS' DOINGS.

Bills Allowed, Assessments Adjusted and Bonds Approved. Madison, Neb., April 16, 1901.—Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present John J. Hughes, Christ Schmitt and H. W. Winter. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. On motion Chas. Young was allowed a warrant on the soldier's relief fund for \$95. Affidavit of W. L. Kearns, showing that lot 2, block 2, Edgewater Park, was assessed in 1900 as improved, whereas it was unimproved, was received. Upon investigation same was found to be correct and on motion the valuation was reduced from \$40 to \$5. Complaint having been made by Alfred Osborn that he was assessed twice on his land in 1900 and the same having been found true, on motion the clerk was instructed to reduce said assessment \$300. On motion the county treasurer was instructed to transfer from the 1899 general fund to the 1900 general fund \$700. On motion following bills were allowed: Dr. H. L. Kindred, medical attendance on Mrs. Hill, \$15, applied on personal tax \$3.04. A. E. Crooks, digging graves for Mrs. Hill and infant, \$5. Aug. Steffin, coffin for Hill infant, \$4.50. S. A. Hayes, work on road, \$7.50. J. I. Beech, nails, \$5.15. Thomas Mayhew, road work, \$16, applied on personal tax \$3.37. J. F. Neidig, 7 wolf scalps, \$14, applied on personal tax \$3.10. Herman Reiche, 1 wolf scalp, \$2. J. S. Barnes, 9 wolf scalps, \$18, applied on personal tax \$3.53. Hiram Strong, 1 wolf scalp, \$2. Schavland-Johnson Dry Goods Co., mending, etc., \$115. O'Shea & McBride, coal, \$139.80. Oscar Uhle, mdse. for sick paupers, \$31.73. W. B. Reynolds, stationery, \$7.25. C. W. Crum, salary, \$100. Phil. Bauch, clerk of board, first quarter 1901, \$100. C. W. Braasch, coal for sick paupers, \$107.15. Dr. H. T. Holden, medical attendance on C. G. Bals, \$65, applied on personal tax \$9.52. Gust. Kaul, janitor, \$35. Edwards & Bradford Lumber Co., coal, \$93.35. Chris Schavland, fees and office expenses, \$143.97. Geo. B. Christoph, disinfectant for pest house, \$6.00. F. L. Culver, house rent for pauper, Mrs. Enright, \$8, applied on personal tax. Burt Mapes, salary, \$200. Dr. P. H. Salter, attendance at pest house, \$5, applied on personal tax. Dr. Frank Salter, medical attendance, Richardson, \$13, applied on personal tax \$3.55. Norfolk Printing Co., stationery, \$6.25, applied on personal tax \$3.59. M. O. Wager, salary, superintendent poor farm, \$100. W. I. Bogen, bailiff district court, \$30, applied on personal tax \$1.99. Mrs. J. Wahl, boarding jurors, \$23, applied on personal tax \$2.42. Dr. E. Tanner, investigating death of J. Bolivski, \$11.50. Nebraska Telephone Co., rent and toll, \$10.25. H. C. Haskins, bailiff district court, \$28.30, applied on personal tax. Chr. Schavland was allowed a warrant for witness fees in case State vs. Gilt Wright \$159.00, in case State vs. Charles Park \$194.80, total \$353.80, applied on personal tax of various witnesses \$43.08, balance \$310.22. Harry Snyder making complaint that the sig. of lot 6 and lot 7, block 13, Durland's first addition, were assessed as improved for 1900, whereas they are unimproved, and the same being found true, the clerk was instructed to correct assessment accordingly. L. B. Baker made complaint that lot 8, block 15, Battle Creek, was assessed in 1883 and 1884, but that said lot was church property at that time, that the tax was paid in 1900, and asked that the tax be refunded. Claim was on motion rejected on the grounds that payment was voluntary and that the money was distributed to the various funds and beyond the reach of commissioners. On motion board adjourned to 7 o'clock. Board met pursuant to adjournment. On motion proceeded to check delinquent tax list. On motion board adjourned to 8 a. m., April 17. Board met pursuant to adjournment. On motion proceeded to check delinquent tax list. On motion board adjourned to 1 o'clock. Board met pursuant to adjournment. On motion the following bills were allowed: O. A. Coons, sealing wax, etc., \$1.60, applied on personal tax. U. D. Mathews, oil, \$11.55, applied on personal tax. Jones Bros., ink, etc., \$6.75. John J. Hughes, salary and mileage, \$94.45. Christ Schmitt, salary and mileage, \$96.15. H. W. Winter, salary and mileage, \$140.90.

Geo. W. Losey, jailor's fees, calling jurors, boarding prisoners, etc., \$337.30. On motion the following misdemeanor bills were allowed: W. H. Widaman fees in case State vs. James Daly \$5.15, in case State vs. Harry Flynn \$5.15, total \$10.30, applied on personal tax \$4.09. J. H. Conley, fees in case State vs. Harry Flynn, \$7.50, applied on personal tax. S. W. Hayes, fees in case of Harry Flynn, \$14, in case of James Daly \$3.45, and in case of Wm. Marquardt \$5.55. On motion bond of Joseph Choutka, road overseer district No. 27, was approved. On motion the following appointments were made: O. J. Anderson, road overseer district No. 3. C. A. Youngquist, road overseer district No. 21. On motion board adjourned to 7 o'clock. Board met pursuant to adjournment. On motion proceeded to check delinquent tax list. On motion board adjourned to May 14, 1901, at 1 o'clock p. m. PHIL BAUCH, County Clerk.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

J. W. Peipz of Wakefield was a Norfolk guest yesterday. Geo. H. Spear went to Omaha this noon on a business trip. The Music Students' club will meet tonight with Mrs. J. W. Gibson. Mrs. F. J. Hale and daughter of Battle Creek were in the city today. G. W. Webb and E. Kohler were city visitors yesterday from Columbus. A. D. Wilkinson of Battle Creek transacted business in Norfolk yesterday. E. H. Tracy was a passenger for Ewing this morning, called there by business. Mrs. H. A. Cheney was here with her husband from Creighton to attend the bankers' meeting. Fremont entertained group three of the Nebraska Bankers association yesterday and an interesting meeting was held. H. S. Livingston of Oakland, Cal., city editor on Oakland Tribune, is in the city visiting his brother, F. H. Livingston. Mrs. Lucile Mathews and baby of Omaha are expected tonight to visit with Mrs. W. H. Buchholz and other old time friends. Mrs. B. S. Tobias and daughter of Lebanon, Mo., are expected here tonight to visit at the home of Mrs. Tobias' sister, Mrs. A. Morrison. Mrs. J. D. Haskell accompanied her husband from Wakefield to attend the bankers' meeting. They were guests at the home of Col. Cotton. R. H. Edmiston of Omaha, state agent of the Union Central Life Insurance company, is in the city on business connected with his company. The regular weekly prayer meeting of the Congregational church will be held as usual Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. E. O. Mount will lead. The 14-month-old child of George Rice, southwest of Fremont, fell upon an open pair of scissors. The blades penetrated the child's brain between the eyes and it was instantly killed. Mr. Updyke of the Updyke Grain company of Omaha and Mr. Fowler, representing the Nye Schneider company of Fremont, were in the city over night enroute home from a business trip to Verdigris. Ewing Advocate: George McCormick from near Clearwater has bought Mrs. Andrew Thiebault's place and takes possession immediately. Mr. and Mrs. Thiebault expect to locate either in Fremont or Norfolk. An effort is being made to secure the pardon of the Reimers, father and son, convicted of wrecking the Neligh bank and sentenced to serve a term of five years in the federal prison at Sioux Falls. N. D. Jackson of Neligh was in Omaha Saturday securing the names and addresses of the jurors who convicted them. Wayne Herald: The Nebraska legislature has just enacted a law that declares cockle burrs and wild sun flowers to be a public nuisance and it also makes it the duty of every land owner to destroy them between the middle of August and the first of September each year. This is a good law but will avail but little unless enforced. Similar laws in other states are inoperative just because road officers whose duty it is to destroy weeds fail to enforce the laws. So many people feel that a state law is enacted to be violated. We say, "this is the law." We are asked if it is state or federal, and if the latter it is feared but the former is often ignored. Edward E. Drew, an Omaha traveling man well known in Norfolk, having made frequent visits here, died at Calebrook, New Hampshire, last Friday. He went to San Antonio about five weeks ago, hoping that the change would benefit his health, but being disappointed, went to his old New England home, where he died. Mr. Drew was 44 years of age. For the past ten years he has been in the employ of Paxton & Gallagher and McCord & Co. He was prominent in Masonic circles, and was an officer in several traveling men's or-

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The following old song—author unknown, but probably Bixby, Mason, or someone else—is appropriate to the season and is having quite a run among the exchanges: Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma has some carpet to beat; she's got all the furniture out in the yard from the front door clean down in the street. The stove must come down and be put in the shed, and the yard must be cleaned of dead grass; for it's time to clean house, and the—is to pay—and the front windows sadly need glass. Father, dear father, come home with me now, and bring some bologna and cheese; it's 12 o'clock and there's nothing to eat—I'm so hungry I'm weak in the knees. All the dinner we have will be cold scraps and such and we'll have to eat standing up too; for the table and all are out in the yard—oh, I wish the spring cleaning was through. Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma is as mad as a Turk; she says you're a lazy old thing, and she proposes to put you to work. There's painting to do and paper to hang, and window casings to scrub; for it's house cleaning time, and you've got to come home and revel in suds and cold grub. Before you buy your wall paper see what H. C. Truman can show you for 5 cents per double roll. The Roman 2-28 1/2 by McKinney, goes more like the Abbot than any horse living. McKinney is out of a Gov. Sprague mare. Montana's dam is by Gov. Sprague mare.

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