

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Jessie Hanson was in the city yesterday from Wayne.

Miss Kate Stafford was a passenger or Omaha this morning.

Mrs. W. M. Witter of Superior was a Norfolk visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foster of Creighton were in Norfolk yesterday.

Miss A. Ellenwood of Stanton attended the Elks reception last night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bressler were Norfolk visitors yesterday from Clearwater.

Mrs. G. W. Sears and Mrs. Briggs went to Omaha yesterday, returning last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Kelsey of Neligh were among Norfolk's guests yesterday.

The lower floor of the Bishop block is being fitted with the new incandescent arc lights.

Hon. John R. Hays delivered the Memorial day address at Creighton Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Salter left today over the Union Pacific for a visit to her parents at Wood River.

The home of W. A. Moldenhauer on East Main street is being treated to a fresh coat of paint.

Dr. Fletcher M. Sisson spoke at Lyons on Memorial day. A monument recently erected by the G. A. R. post was unveiled.

Phil R. Walsh, roadmaster, and John Schwartz, supervisor, of the C., St. P., M. & O. railway were in Norfolk today looking after the condition of their road.

Three cases of smallpox have been discovered at Creighton. Towns very generally throughout this section of the state are getting a share of the disease.

The weeds are making a healthy growth and the person who admires a clean garden and yard finds his time pretty thoroughly occupied in keeping them down.

The Norfolk Second nine and the High nine played an interesting game of baseball on the diamond in The Heights Memorial day. The second nine winning by a score of 12 to 11.

Material for the new Main street steel bridge is being received and construction will begin about the middle of the month. It will require several weeks to complete the bridge after work begins.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitney of Omaha came up last evening to attend the Elks entertainment. They will remain over Sunday with Judge and Mrs. Powers, visiting in the meantime other friends, of whom they have many in the city.

Madison Chronicle: The Fourth of July celebration committee announces that the \$50 horse race is a sure thing, with a bar on local freemen. This purse ought to bring some good running teams here. The Stanton band and the Madison orchestra have been secured for the festivities.

Wayne Republican: The beautiful Mellor monument in the cemetery was defaced recently by some miscreant. The vandal evidently used a hatchet or like tool and hacked the beautiful granite in a shameful manner. If the persons who did this can be detected they ought to receive the full penalty for such offenses as a deterrent for others who may have the same devilish propensities.

About fifty ministers of the German Lutheran church from the North Platte district have been attending a conference in Norfolk since Thursday and will continue in session until Tuesday. The sessions have been held at Christ church. Tomorrow there will be mission services morning, afternoon and evening. The parochial teachers of the district are holding their conference in Columbus.

Battle Creek Republican: E. H. Luikart received from Omaha Wednesday night a birch bark canoe. Assisted by W. C. Day he immediately launched it upon the historic Battle creek. It is a neat little craft. It weighs only 45 pounds, but its cost, laid down at the depot, was \$63. Mr. Luikart also claims for it some historical significance, it being one of two canoes which were secured from a western tribe of Indians and exhibited at the Trans-Mississippi exposition.

John Glandt, a farmer living five miles northwest of Winside, was seriously injured in a runaway Thursday afternoon. He was driving toward home when he lost control of his team and was thrown out. One of his feet became entangled in the lines and he was dragged, face downward, a considerable distance. When the team was stopped Mr. Glandt was unconscious and badly bruised about the stomach, chest and face. He partly regained consciousness under the treatment of Dr. Muirhead, but complained of a great pain in his stomach. It is thought he has received severe internal injuries and cannot recover.

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Between Omaha and St. Paul is the "North-Western Line."

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The day train has modern broad vestibule coaches and observation buffet parlor car.

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We have the finest line at the lowest prices on the market. We can astonish you with pretty goods and low prices.

Muslin skirts with India linen knee founce, with cluster of ten tucks and 6 inch embroidered ruffle and dust ruffle, price \$1.25.

Cambrie skirt with India linen knee founce, three rows lace insertion, extra ruffle on founce, tucked and edged with 3 inch lace; dust ruffle, price \$1.50. Same style with embroidery, same price.

Very handsomely trimmed skirts, \$3.00, \$4.50 and \$5.

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Good gowns, 50c up. See our assortment for 98c.

Handsomely trimmed French hand made gowns, \$6.87 up.

Ladies' hemstitched drawers, 25c up. Children's drawers, 10c up.

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Good Advice.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heartburn, Waterbrash, Gnawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth. Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Prize Almanac. Asa. K. Leonard.

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We are closing out our entire line of queensware, tinware, hardware, lamps, notions, etc., regardless of cost.

If you are needing anything in this line don't let this opportunity pass. We have a nice white semi-porcelain English ware, none better on the market, 36 piece set for \$4.25, worth \$6.00; 60 piece set, same ware, for \$5.50, worth \$8.12 piece set for \$9.50, worth \$12.00.

A fine line of ladies' belts, combs, etc. Remember, everything goes at away down prices, so don't wait too long.

GOSHEN, Ill. Genesee Pure Food Co. Le Roy, N. Y.: Dear Sirs—Some days since a package of your Grain-O preparation was left at my office. I took it home and gave it a trial, and I have to say I was very much pleased with it as a substitute for coffee. We have always used the best Java and Mocha in our family, but I am free to say I like the Grain-O as well as the best coffee I ever drank.

Respectfully yours, A. C. JACKSON, M. D.

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MONDAY MENTION.

Ray Hayes spent Sunday in Madison. Peter Backes is a city visitor from Lindsay.

G. S. Harris of Hooper was in the city yesterday.

H. J. Billerbeck was in town today from Osmond.

P. J. Ackes was in the city from Stanton Saturday.

Miss Marie Bley spent Sunday with friends in Madison.

J. R. Gibbons of Wayne was a Norfolk guest Saturday.

T. Shannon of Hoskins had business in Norfolk Saturday.

F. G. Harris was a Sunday visitor in Norfolk from O'Neill.

Mayor D. J. Koenigstein had business in Madison today.

Rev. Father Walsh was a passenger for Chicago yesterday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hough were down from Pierce yesterday.

Prof. U. S. Conn of Wayne was in Norfolk over Saturday night.

Miss Lyda Wagner of Randolph was shopping in Norfolk this morning.

Smallpox has invaded Holt county and has several victims at O'Neill.

H. L. Whitney and daughter returned to their home in Omaha yesterday.

Dr. F. W. Kiesau and wife left today for Waukon, Iowa, to visit relatives.

Norris Huse is home from the university at Lincoln for the summer vacation.

Corn and potatoes were totally ruined in portions of Holt county by the recent frosts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Westervelt of Meadow Grove spent Sunday with Norfolk relatives and friends.

The roof timbers are being laid on the new Stortz block and it will soon be ready for finishing the interior.

The picnic season has opened up a little, and two or three parties enjoyed an outing at the Yellow Banks yesterday.

Mrs. H. L. Whitney and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds will go to Madison this evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. Willis McBride.

The county commissioners met in Madison today as a board of equalization and will remain in session Tuesday and Wednesday.

Hon. John R. Hays delivered an address to the graduating class of Neligh High school Saturday evening. Mrs. Hays accompanied him to that city.

Although there was a slight shower Saturday, farmers and gardeners are complaining that crops, especially those not well rooted, are in need of rain.

Sol. G. Mayer departed yesterday for New York City where he will be married on the 15th. He expects to be absent from Norfolk for several weeks.

Conductor J. K. Hutcheon of the F. E. & M. V. has been transferred to the run between Oskdale and Scribner and will move his family to Oskdale, leaving this evening.

Mrs. Andrew Billerbeck is in the city from Osmond. She states that it is reported there that Norfolk is quarantined and that trains cannot run. This is but one of the many exaggerated reports returned to Norfolk and is absolutely without foundation.

The Sioux City Journal of yesterday, in its "Prosperity Notes" says: J. W. Ransom, of Norfolk, Neb., has ordered a roller awning eighty-three feet long of the Sioux City Tent and Awning company. This is the largest awning ever made in Sioux City.

On Wednesday, at the close of the regular prayer meeting of the Baptist church, the monthly business meeting will be held. A large attendance is requested as there is important business on hand. The Sunday school picnic will be held on Thursday, June 13, in Taft's grove. An invitation is extended to all the parents and friends of the church.

The Y. M. C. A. organizations of North Platte and Grand Island will have reason to kindly remember Miss Helen Gould of New York, each having received a handsome Stella music box, with 88 discs, each one capable of producing a different tune, from that lady. The Grand Island selection of music is different from that of North Platte so that by interchanging the organizations will have a wide variety of music.

Battle Creek Republican: Freights No. 27 and No. 23 got affairs tangled up Tuesday morning. No. 27, through some error, took on a refrigerator car at Norfolk and went through with it to Meadow Grove. There it was discovered that the car contained a quantity of perishable goods that should have been delivered at Norfolk and Battle Creek. No. 27 brought the car back to Battle Creek and a switch engine was sent up from Norfolk to take it back to that place. The crews of both freights were disposed to d— things generally.

Dr. P. H. Daxler, a resident physician of Columbus, had a traveling eye specialist, Dr. M. Newman, who has been making headquarters in that city, and Dr. Charles White, a magnetic healer, arrested last Friday, charging them with practicing medicine without first obtaining the necessary certificate from the state board. Dr. Newman was bound over to district court in the sum of \$200, although he made defense, asserting that he does not practice medi-

cine, but simply fits glasses and that he had a number of diplomas on which a certificate could be had for the asking. The case of Dr. White was continued until this afternoon.

Madison Chronicle: W. H. Speece of Missouri is in the city. Mr. Speece is the father of the young man who was convicted of stealing hogs with two others at Battle Creek last spring and is taking steps looking forward to having his son's sentence commuted. Several of those who were interested in the prosecution, taking into consideration that Speece was sent up for his first offense and that he has a young wife and child, have signified their willingness to sign a petition for his liberation.

Wayne Herald: A band of gypsy beggars done Wayne Saturday, and some of the citizens, too, and now the talk is never have your fortune told unless you believe in free silver. There were a number of silverites who are now minus quarters, halves and dollars. A woman in the outfit claimed to be a fortune teller. She would approach one whom she took to be dead easy and proceed to tell him more than he knew. When becoming interested the fortune teller would request them to put a coin in their hand and close it. After making a lot of false motions and gibbering in Buffalo language the victim was told to open his hand and was at once relieved of his dollar, the current price of fortune telling, after which the sucker became a Buffalo.

His Only Cannondam.

The old pilot of the little steamer Maid of the Mist, which used to carry passengers quite up to the foot of the falls of Niagara until the mist from the falling waters drenched the clothing of every one on board, used to perpetuate one solitary cannondam each trip. It always commenced and ended the same.

Moving his hand along the sides of the pliothosue and examining the wood-work minutely, he would look up mysteriously and remark:

"I say, stranger, do you know what this boat is made of?"

"Made of? Why, pine and oak, isn't she?"

"No, sir."

"Hemlock?"

"No."

"Isn't cedar, is it?"

"Oh, no!"

And then the old pilot's eyes twinkled and his mouth whistled a crazy tune.

"Well, iron perhaps?"

"No."

"What in thunder is she made of, then?"

"She's Maid of the Mist, stranger; Maid of the Mist."

Then the pilot accepted his morning cigar.

He Was Very Charitable.

An amusing story is told in connection with a well known bazaar held a short time ago. Among the features of the entertainment was a refreshment stall, to which charitable donors contributed supplies, thus enabling all the takers to represent clear profits.

The lady in charge requested a gift for this purpose from a well known and wealthy gentleman in the city, but one not famous for "parting." To her surprise she received next day a note to the effect that he was sending her a sirloin of beef and "two" ox tongues.

The same morning the lady happened to go to her butcher (who was also the butcher of Mr. X.), and after giving him a large order for her stall, asked him if he would like himself to give anything.

"I should very much, ma'am," replied the worthy tradesman, "but I yesterday gave to Mr. X., at his request for this purpose, a sirloin of beef and three ox tongues."

"Net gain to Mr. X.: One ox tongue and a clean reputation for charity!"—London Standard.

A Cable With a History.

The cable of the Western Union Telegraph company which runs under Lake Champlain from Ticonderoga to Larrabee Point has something of a history. It was made in Europe and was first used in connecting opposite shores of the Red sea. From there it was brought to Hilton Head, where it was used in connecting that place with Tybee Island, near Beaufort, S. C. At the close of the civil war it was taken up and carried to New York city, where it remained for several years in the company storehouse before it was placed where it now is.

Foiled the Crowd.

Some people will go to great trouble and expense to perpetrate a joke. The other day two well known society men hired a closed carriage and decorated it with bows of white ribbon and flowers and other paraphernalia belonging to a well appointed wedding.

On each side was hung a placard announcing that the occupants were just married.

It attracted great attention, and when it pulled up in front of the Galt House a few days ago a large crowd had collected.

Some Mistake.

"What does she say?" asked the crafty politician who had referred the committee to his wife for information as to his intentions.

"She refuses to talk," replied the spokesman of the committee.

"Then it wasn't my wife you met, gentlemen," he rejoined, with great positiveness. "It was somebody else."—Chicago Tribune.

Wifely Constancy.

"I have been married for 15 years, and my wife never fails to meet me at the door."

"Wonderful!"

"Yes. She's afraid I might go in without wiping my feet."—Chicago Times-Herald.



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TUESDAY TOPICS.

A. Edwards was in town from Tilden last night.

John B. Barnes, Jr., is visiting friends in Lincoln.

Mosaic lodge A. F. and A. M. will meet tonight.

B. King of Missouri Valley is visiting Norfolk friends.

Mrs. Harwood of Fullerton was a city visitor yesterday.

George Heller went to Madison this morning on business.

W. O. Harman of Wakefield was a city visitor over night.

F. L. Putney of Tilden was a Norfolk visitor over night.

S. Jacks and S. Herp of Hastings were in the city over night.

G. T. Sprecher went to Omaha this morning for a few days' business trip.

Michael Ambroz, Sam Botsford and Pat Stanton were in the city over night from Tilden.

Wm. M. Robertson went to Lincoln yesterday noon for business in the supreme court.

Robert Utter is in southern Iowa for a short time traveling for a school supply house.

Dr. R. A. Mittelstadt, brother of L. C. Mittelstadt, of Omaha, will locate as dentist in the Bishop block.

Henry Coffene is today moving his family to Council Bluffs, Iowa, which will be his headquarters hereafter.

A. N. Gerecke expects to begin moving his household effects into the A. H. Kiesau house on North Tenth street tomorrow.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. H. A. Rowe returned Sunday evening from Columbus, where she attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. F. C. Turner.

Ed Marquardt was before police court yesterday, charged with disorderly conduct and was assessed the usual fine for such offense. The fine was paid by the farmer by whom he is employed and the prisoner was discharged.

The first peaches and plums of the season are to be placed on the Omaha market tomorrow, a carload of the fruit being on the way from California. Like other first fruit they are likely to be green, tasteless and of little power to satisfy the appetite of the true fruit lover.

Manager G. T. Sprecher of the Nebraska Telephone company yesterday closed a contract in the southern part of Wayne county to construct a line from Altoona to Wisner, a distance of 12 miles. At the same time he closed contracts with six farmers along the route, to place instruments in their homes.

A letter from the miners who left last week for Sheridan, Wyoming, states that they arrived safely at their destination Friday and expected to leave for the scene of their summer's work yesterday. The writer tells of having met several former residents of Norfolk who now make their home in that part of the country.

Sheriff J. M. Kreader and wife of Dodge county were here yesterday, having brought Mrs. Emma Bixler of North Bend to the hospital for the insane. Mrs. Bixler has shown symptoms of insanity for a number of years. She has attacked her aged mother on several occasions and chased her out of the house the day before she was arrested.

Shurtz & Jenkins have a large force of extra men employed today in transferring the goods of the Fair store to the new Bishop block. It will require several days before the transfer is completely made and the goods in shape for the regular run of business, but when it is done the Fair store will occupy one of the finest and most commodious business rooms in the city. An incredible amount of goods can be stored on the six- and ten-foot decks above the shelving while the shelf room is also very extensive. The 83-foot awning, said to be the longest single awning in the state, has been received and will soon be placed in position.

Yestereay was the 25th, or silver, wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hulff and their hospitable home on South Seventh street was last evening thrown open to about 20 guests, who spent the time very enjoyably. The rooms were beautifully adorned with flowers, and during the evening delicious refreshments were served. Among the guests were Mrs. J. Lank-Mr. and Mrs. Witmann of Lincoln, old

tree and daughter Mattie of Omaha and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hulff. Several appropriate gifts were left to remind the host and hostess of the occasion, and wishes for many happy returns were expressed by those present.

Battle Creek Enterprise. Frank Ruzick, Battle Creek's energetic meat dealer, has made final application for a patent on a meat mixing machine. Mr. Ruzick has been working on this machine for some time and now has it perfected in every detail, a working model of which is now in operation at the city meat market. Mr. Ruzick believes that it will meet every requirement and can be sold for one-fourth the price ordinarily charged for machines of its nature. It is designed to be used either by hand or with power and contains every essential feature embodied in the expensive contrivances. Mr. Ruzick has already received several good offers for the patent, which is evidence that he has a good thing.

A Tobaccoless Tobacco Heart.

"You have," said a physician, "the tobacco heart." The patient made answer, "Doctor, I never smoked but once, and that was when I was a boy." This happened in Germantown. Both men laughed, and the physician prepared to examine the patient again, so as to make another diagnosis.

After a half hour of hard work the tobacco heart still seemed to resemble the man's disease, and the physician said, "What do you do for a living?" The man replied, "I am a tobacconist."

"Well, then, of course, you've got the tobacco heart, whether you're a smoker or not," said the physician. "All day long you breathe in tobacco. The dust of it fills your lungs, circulates with your blood all over your body and is digested with your food. I have had a number of cases such as yours, and I prescribe eight hours a day in the fresh air. You'll find it hard to follow this prescription. Away from the tobacco laden air of your shop you will have the uneasy, restless longing to get back to it which the smoker, after a few hours of abstinence, has for a cigar. That is strange, but you'll find it true. You have unconsciously acquired the tobacco breathing habit, and it's a habit harder, I believe, to break than the smoking habit itself."—Philadelphia Record.

Old Maryland Superstitions.

Witch Killing.—If horses are so badly bewitched that one dies, the following will deprive the witch of her power. Take the dead horse out into a field and burn the carcass beside a tree. First cut a cross in the tree, then drive a nail in at the cross. Now take your rifle, which must be loaded with a silver bullet, choose a position so that the fire is between you and the tree, and shoot over the fire at the nail. When you hit the nail, the witch will lose her power, and you cannot miss with the silver bullet.

To Sell Oneself to the Devil.—Go to the crossroads at midnight alone and play on the banjo. If you really want to sell yourself, two black dogs will appear and will dance as you play. Then you promise something fearful. Any one who thus sold himself was said to be able to outplay and outdance any competitors.

A Method For a Girl to Try Her Fortune.—Put an egg to the fire and sit an hour. The wind will howl and the dogs bark, and the man you are to marry will come in and turn the egg around. If the egg bursts, you will die (or possibly, my informant adds, you will never marry).—Baltimore Sun.

The Army in the Field.

The layman cannot easily realize the vast amount of material as to food and ammunition demanded by an army in the field. A few facts and figures as to this may aid to make it more tangi-

ble.

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