

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. James spent New Year's in Sioux City.

E. R. Timberg of Wayne was in Norfolk yesterday.

Dr. C. A. McKim is in Tilden on professional business.

Miss Mason of Pierce is visiting with Miss Nellie Handley.

Miss Savage of Lincoln is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James.

A. J. Carleson of Bloomfield was a city visitor yesterday.

Charles Emick of Battle Mills was a city visitor over night, going to Omaha this morning.

Mrs. D. Q. Nicholson of Madison spent yesterday in the city, the guest of Mrs. C. E. Green.

Miss Henrietta Stolle came over from Madison yesterday to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Hemleben.

Mrs. Lizzie Baxter Brown of Sac City, Iowa, an old time friend of the Bridge family, is here to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. S. Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Grimsley and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber of Wayne who have been here over New Year's, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Utter, left for their homes last evening.

Revival meetings will commence in the Evangelical church, corner Sixth street and Pasewalk avenue, tomorrow evening and will continue for two weeks. Everybody is cordially invited to attend the services.

Superintendent D. C. O'Connor of this city was honored by the state teachers' association in session at Lincoln by being elected as member of the executive committee for the long term at yesterday's meeting.

A. G. Evans of Lincoln, state adjuster for the Continental Insurance company, was here today adjusting the loss that occurred on the Keyner farm, north of Hope Siding, about a week ago. The property was insured for \$1,000 and was settled in full of that amount.

C. Chamberlain, who has been living at the corner of Park avenue and Fourth street, has moved to Osmond where he will engage in the real estate business. George Staphenhorst, at present occupying the Wilde house on South Seventh street will move into the property vacated by Mr. Chamberlain.

The Elkhorn encampment, I. O. O. F., met last evening and installed its officers for the ensuing term as follows: S. R. McFarland, C. P.; S. F. Dunn, S. W.; E. R. Hayes, J. W.; Geo. N. Beels, scribe; C. F. W. Marquardt, treasurer; E. J. Shorregge, John Osterling and Mart. Kane, trustees.

R. F. Bruce, who was so severely hurt on New Year's day at his home two and a half miles northeast of the city by falling from his wagon and striking on his head, is resting comfortably. His physician reports that if no unfavorable symptoms set in by Monday he will be considered out of danger. He suffered a wound about six inches in length on his head that is very painful and somewhat serious. It is not thought that the bones of his head were fractured.

It is said that a tourist applied to Chief of Police Kane yesterday for a place to sleep and the chief told him that the city jail would be at his disposal just as soon as the body of the man who had just suicided there had been removed. It is further asserted that the chief's hospitality was far more effective than some of Judge Hayes' severest judgments as the aforesaid tourist separated the dust of Norfolk from his feet about as expeditiously as was possible. The chief is reserving the invitation for future use.

The Omaha Daily News' piano contest has assumed considerable interest during the past few days, the two leaders of the contest showing spurts of strength that have placed first one and then the other at the head of the list. Last evening Viola Kern of this city again led with a vote of 22,125, while Anna Hall of Tabor, Iowa, had a vote of 19,500. The third in the race is far below these two, being Edith Schoemaker of Nehawka, this state, who has 11,000 votes to her credit. The Norfolk friends of the leading contestant are considerably interested and consider that she has made a showing entitling her to be kept in the race. All who patronize the Omaha News should see that Viola Kern is given credit for the money they pay in and her friends will undoubtedly see to it that she is kept at or near the head of the list during the remainder of the contest.

The body of Wm. Donner who committed suicide by hanging in the city jail yesterday afternoon was removed to the undertaking rooms of Sessions & Bell shortly after the efforts of the dead man had been pronounced effective, and was there prepared for burial. The body will be taken to the family home four miles northeast of the city tomorrow morning and the burial will take place in the afternoon. County Attorney Mapes investigated the circumstances surrounding his death and it was decided that a coroner's inquest would be unnecessary as the facts very plainly showed that it was a case of self-destruction. Mrs. Donner, who has been staying with relatives in Pierce county since a week before Christmas for fear of violence, has returned, and she with other witnesses were just com-

ing in to the trial which was to have been held yesterday afternoon when news of the suicide reached them. They wanted the trial continued until today but the officers insisted that it should be held yesterday afternoon, but before the hour set had arrived the case had been taken to a higher court by the prisoner's deed.

E. A. Hitchcock has a number of heirlooms to which he attaches more than ordinary value. One is a cameo profile of his father made in Europe about 75 years ago and the possessor alleges that the features of his father are very perfectly delineated. He also has a hair chain made from his father's hair at the same time. Another valued memento is a copy of the Ulster County, New York, Gazette bearing the date of January 4, 1800, and therefore just 102 years old today. The paper contains a long account of the doings of the American congress and also devotes considerable space to the death of General George Washington, the inside pages being dressed in mourning for the deceased president. An advertisement appearing in the paper is unique, viewed from a present day standpoint. It reads: "For sale: the one-half of a saw mill with convenient place for building lying in the town of Rochester. By the mill is an inexhaustible quantity of pinewood—And also a stout, healthy, active negro wench. Any person inclined to purchase may know the particulars by applying to John Schoonmaker, jun., at Rochester. November 13, 1799."

Corn wanted at the sheep ranch.

A Big Cut in Price.

The Nebraska State Journal has reduced its price to subscribers outside of Lincoln and suburbs from \$7.50 to \$5.00 per year, including the big Sunday paper, or \$4.00 per year without Sunday. The price of the Sunday issue will be \$1.50 per year.

By this action it is presenting its state readers with thousands of dollars, but the result will be thousands of new subscribers, thus enlarging its usefulness and adding to its value as an advertising medium. Instead of any lessening in the effort to make it a first class state paper, the Journal will be improved in every department, making it the best newspaper in the state for Nebraskans. It is published at the state capital, which has always been the center of things political and social of a state nature. The Journal's state telegraphic service excels that of all competitors which, with its complete associated press reports and special telegraph service from Washington, make it the paper for Nebraskans people.

A. L. Bixby's department is one of the most widely read in the west, and the fair and unprejudiced editorial treatment of all state matters has made the Journal thousands of warm friends.

This big reduction in price which now makes the six week day papers eight cents a week, and the seven day paper ten cents a week, will make the Journal the most widely read paper throughout Nebraska.

Why not put your name on the list? Send your order to the Nebraska State Journal, Lincoln, Nebraska.

A Cut in the Rates to Buffalo via the Illinois Central.

As the closing day (October 31) of the wonderful Pan-American exposition draws near, the railroad rates have been reduced so much that the Illinois Central is enabled to offer excursion tickets to Buffalo at rates considerably less than half fare.

Tickets will be on sale during the remainder of October, and will be limited to leave Buffalo returning, for such trains as reach Chicago on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, not later than midnight of the sixth day, including date of sale. These six-day tickets will not be accepted in sleeping cars.

Tickets bearing limits of fifteen and twenty days will be on sale every day until October 31 at corresponding rates.

For a circular giving rates to Buffalo from principal Illinois Central stations, and a beautifully illustrated booklet descriptive of the "Rainbow City," address J. F. MERRY, Asst. Genl. Pass. Agent, Dubuque, Iowa.

Women and Jewels.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at Asa K. Leonard's.

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MONDAY MENTION.

Walter King was home from Pierce over Sunday.

Engene Austin of Pierce visited at home over Sunday.

Judge W. M. Robertson went to Lincoln on the noon train.

Judge J. B. Barnes was a passenger for Lincoln this morning.

Mrs. E. Tanner of Battle Creek was a Norfolk visitor yesterday.

A. C. Johnson of Meadow Grove is transacting business in the city today.

Miss Nina Walker left yesterday for Peru to attend the state normal school.

Kimball Barnes went to Lincoln Saturday to resume his studies in the university.

Willis McBride of Madison spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. H. McBride in The Heights.

E. A. Bullock was a passenger for Sioux City this morning, to look after his business interests.

Heman Walker, Clyde Hayes and Norris Huse returned to Lincoln yesterday to take up their university work.

Will Buckendorf, operator for the F. E. & M. V. at West End, visited relatives and friends in Norfolk over Sunday.

The remains of Wm. Donner, who committed suicide in the city jail on Friday, were buried in Prospect Hill cemetery yesterday.

Dr. F. F. Teal returned Saturday night from Omaha and will remain closing up the affairs of the hospital until about the 15th. Mrs. Teal and the baby remained in Omaha.

Elgin claims the distinction of being the smallest town in the state with a school cadet battalion. It is drilled by Earnest Nyrop who was a volunteer during the late war with Spain.

Henry Heberer from Auburn, Frontier county, Wis., has purchased the meat market of Herman Naegel, at the corner of Third and Main. Mr. Heberer assumed control of the business several days ago.

Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Keiper came down from Pierce Saturday and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt. They will remain in Norfolk until Wednesday morning when they will leave for California to spend the winter.

W. F. Payne, traveling for the Sleepy Eye Milling Co. in Nebraska, left today for Omaha, Council Bluffs and St. Louis. Mrs. Payne will remain here with her parents a couple of weeks longer, when she will go to St. Louis to join her husband.

A number of people were startled by a shot Sunday morning about 1 o'clock and visions of burglars, murders, hold-ups, etc., flitted through the brains of some. It is explained, however, that it was merely the night watch taking a shot at a cur dog.

The city schools were opened again this morning after a vacation of two weeks. Most of the teachers attended the state association meeting at Lincoln last week, and some of them returned Saturday, the remainder reaching the city last evening.

A series of revival meetings was begun at the M. E. church last evening, in which the pastor, Rev. J. F. Poucher, is assisted by Dr. Sisson. The music was by a chorus choir and was inspiring. Great interest was manifested in the meeting, which promises to continue through the series.

C. J. Chapman and family left yesterday for their new home in California. A large portion of the Junction people, all counted among their friends, went to the train to bid them farewell and wish them success and pleasure in their new home. Their departure caused genuine regret among hundreds of people in the city.

A successful St. Louis merchant says that any man who can afford to open a store can advertise. "Advertise" is his advice, "even if you can take but two inches of space in the leading newspaper. Fill your two inches in a way to make them a feature of the paper. Make your ad a daily bulletin of your business—a news item from your store."

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move onto his newly acquired possessions the coming spring. Upon this point he has not fully determined, so he informs the agricultural reporter.

Verdigre Citizen: It's a common occurrence now-a-days to see the officers' car rolling into Verdigre. It was here again last Monday at which time the necessary instructions were given for the construction of side tracks to hold the material that will be used in the extension. Enough side track will be constructed to hold at least 250 cars. One of the officials informed us, if we could tell him how early the frost would be out of the ground in the spring, he could tell us when they would begin construction.

Creighton Courier: James Vandenberg presented us with a fine bouquet of pansies Tuesday which were grown out doors in his garden this winter under some potato vines which had been covered up with snow and during the thaw last week the flowers came out in full bloom. This is a fact that is worthy of notice as it is something very uncommon for Nebraska. You have probably heard of tropical scenes of southern California, but that state is not in it with Nebraska where the thermometer stands at twenty below and the flower gardens are in full bloom.

Andrew Carnegie has extended his public library benefactions to the city of Fremont and has offered that place \$15,000 for a public library building providing the council will pledge itself by resolution to support the library at a cost of not less than \$1,500 a year and promise a suitable site for the building. A very handsome and useful building can be erected for that amount and Fremont people should consider themselves fortunate that they are permitted to accept such a proposition. If Mr. Carnegie will but look into the needs of Norfolk it is not doubted that this city would be ready to devote 10 per cent of a donation to the maintenance of a public library.

A clever little swindle has been worked with some success at Atchison, Kansas, which is likely to be operated in other cities and states until newspaper publicity makes it unprofitable. The "con" man provides himself with a quantity of old fashioned pennies that are worth but a few cents; then gets circulars printed purporting to come from an established eastern coin dealer, quoting values of from \$10 to \$500 on pennies of those years; he next sends the circulars to merchants, who preserve them for future reference. A few days after the merchant has received the circular a strange farmer enters his place of business, makes a small purchase and empties a lot of old coins from his pocketbook. The merchant, remembering the circular, finds one quoted to be worth \$500 and after some dickering takes advantage of the old farmer's ignorance by buying it for \$10. The farmer disappears with his gain of \$9.99 and the merchant in time discovers that he has been "worked."

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Geo. S. Bridge returned to Chicago Sunday.

C. S. Smith was over from the county seat Sunday.

E. L. Rühle of Creighton was in the city Sunday.

J. W. Maher of Humphrey was in the city yesterday.

R. L. Carney left today for a business trip to St. Louis.

Robert Bridge left for Fremont on the noon train yesterday.

John C. Hull of Battle Creek was a Norfolk guest Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Brown left yesterday for her home in Sac City, Iowa.

F. W. Davis was a Norfolk visitor yesterday from Madison.

C. D. Jenkins paid a visit to the county capital yesterday.

Mrs. Wilde of Humphrey was shopping in Norfolk yesterday.

Wm. Bushnell of Columbus was in Norfolk over Sunday night.

M. G. Bley of Plainview is here for a day's visit with his mother.

Miss Zimmerman of Battle Creek was a Sunday visitor in Norfolk.

Miss Ethel Duncan of Wakefield was a Norfolk visitor over night.

The Misses Johnson of Stanton visited with Mrs. Anderson yesterday.

Miss Viola Lewis was a city visitor yesterday from Meadow Grove.

Mrs. S. Stolle came over from Madison yesterday on a business trip.

Commissioner Schmidt was over from Madison today on county business.

E. N. Vail left on the noon train for a business trip to Rock Rapids, Iowa.

Albert Weis of Deadwood, S. D., was a city visitor on business yesterday.

Sigmund Schavland of Madison transacted business in Norfolk yesterday.

A. T. Burchard left yesterday noon for his home in Marshalltown, Iowa.

Ernest Schulz left this morning for New Ulm, Minn., to resume his studies.

Mrs. Herman Gerecke went to Chicago today to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Emery.

Mrs. C. E. Green went to Madison yesterday for a few days' visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. King welcomed a new boy to their home in this city yesterday morning.

"Jimmie" Hamilton was in from Sioux City over night greeting some of his Norfolk friends.

J. H. Conley has opened a real estate office in the room recently devoted to J. L. Daniels' justice of the peace business.

The Methodists of Pierce dedicated a handsome new frame church a week ago Sunday with impressive services. The new building cost \$4,193.76.

Miss Josephine Butterfield departed today for Wellesley, Mass., to re-enter Dana hall, Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Salter will accompany her as far as Chicago.

F. C. Weber yesterday moved into his home on South Seventh street recently purchased of Carl Wilde and occupied until lately by the family of George Staphenhorst.

Miss Pearl Reese of this city was honored with the position of secretary of the grammar school section at the session of the state teachers' association recently held in Lincoln.

County Superintendent C. W. Gram was chosen as president of the county superintendent's section of the state teachers' association at the meeting recently held in Lincoln. His term of office is one year.

A twentieth century idea adopted by the management of the St. Louis exposition is the decision to offer large prizes for an aerial tourney, believing that it will bring forth a contest between airships and dirigible balloons that will be of interest to the world over.

A blacksmith shop has been burglarized at Columbus and some tools and plow fixtures taken. The newspaper offices of that city should take warning. A burglar desperate enough to rob a blacksmith shop may next endeavor to secure something of value from a print shop.

A quartet of Omaha girls turned in a fire alarm, just for fun, and they took much pleasure in seeing the fire department tearing down the street on a wild goose chase. The joke was none too funny, however, when they were escorted to a cell in the city jail and informed that the minimum fine for turning in a false alarm was \$50.

The seventh semi-annual meeting of the Elkhorn Valley Medical society is being held this afternoon in the Oxnard hotel parlors with a fair attendance of physicians of the city and surrounding towns. An interesting program is up for discussion and the meeting promises to be as successful as the several previous meetings of the society held here.

Leonard Ferguson, a Fremont brakeman 23 years of age, was fatally injured in an accident at Arlington Saturday morning at 4 o'clock. His foot was caught in a frog and a car passed over him, cutting off one leg and breaking the bones of the other in two places. He died Saturday night and funeral services were announced to be held today.

The engine house of the water works

DR. PARKER



DENTIST

Mast Block.

CROWN AND BRIDGE WORK.

PLATES, \$5.00 TO \$8.00.

and electric light plant at Wayne was gutted by fire New Year's eve. The loss is estimated at more than \$1,000 while the city has been without electric lights and water service. The fire fiend could not have chosen a more vital point to attack a town. Prompt measures toward repairing the damage were taken Wednesday.

Scriber News: Raymond Langer, of West Point, was the guest of his friend, Arthur Becker, Tuesday night. Mr. Langer arrived home last week from a trip around the world, during which he crossed the Pacific ocean five times. On his homeward trip across the Atlantic the government transport on which he rode was driven out of its course 300 miles and eighteen days passed before it reached New York.

Stanton is to have three rural mail routes started on the first of February—one northeast, one north and one south. Route No. 1 will cover an area of 40 square miles and serve a population of 500, Arthur Axen will be carrier. Route No. 2 will cover 40 square miles and serve a population of 425 with James M. Mitchell as carrier. Route No. 3 will serve a population of 450, cover an area of 44 square miles and James H. Baker will be carrier.

Oren Brutaker, who holds a position as traveling insurance agent, with headquarters at Des Moines, Iowa, was given a farewell party last night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Brutaker, anticipating his departure for Des Moines today to resume his duties. Those attending had an enjoyable time with games and in visiting, and the choice refreshments served during the evening added to their pleasure in a large degree. Oren had not been home for six years until Christmas morning, when he surprised his family by making an unannounced appearance.

Month after Month

a cold clings to you. The cough seems to tear holes in the delicate tissues of the throat and lungs. You lose weight and you wonder if you are threatened with a disease you scarcely dare to name. Are you aware that even a stubborn and long neglected cold is cured with Allen's Lung Balm? Do not spend more of your life in coughing and worrying.

Help... Nature

Babies and children need proper food, rarely ever medicine. If they do not thrive on their food something is wrong. They need a little help to get their digestive machinery working properly.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

OF

COD LIVER OIL

WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES OF LIME & SODA

will generally correct this difficulty.

If you will put from one-fourth to half a teaspoonful in baby's bottle three or four times a day you will soon see a marked improvement. For larger children, from half to a teaspoonful, according to age, dissolved in their milk, if you so desire, will very soon show its great nourishing power. If the mother's milk does not nourish the baby, she needs the emulsion. It will show an effect at once both upon mother and child.

See and hear all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Career and Character of Abraham Lincoln.

An address by Joseph Choate, Ambassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his early struggles with the world—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway and may be had by sending six (6) cents in postage to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at O'Neill, Nebr., December 18, 1901.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before clerk of the district court at Madison, Nebraska, on February 1, 1902, viz: Emma J. Ferguson, H. E. No. 16565, for the w¹/₂ ne¹/₄, sec. 14, T. 23 N., R. 1 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Boyd, John Eberly, A. N. McGinnis of Warnerville, Neb., Wm. T. Ferguson, Norfolk, Neb.

S. J. WEEKS, Register.

\$4.50 to Lincoln and return via U. P. railroad January 20-22, limit January 27, 1902. Occasion—Annual meetings, State Board of Agriculture, State Dairymen association, State Improved Stock Breeders association, State Swine Breeders association, State Duroc Jersey Breeders association, State Poultry association, State Veterinary association, State Sugar Beet Growers association, State Jersey Breeders association, State Farmers institute. Inquire of J. B. Eiseffer, agent.

Perhaps You Wonder

if the tormenting cold that made last winter one long misery will be as bad this year. Certainly not, if you take Allen's Lung Balm when tickling and rawness in the throat announce the presence of the old enemy. Do not expect the cold to wear itself out. Take the right remedy in time. Allen's Lung Balm is free from opium.

Welcome as Sunshine

after a long storm is a feeling of relief when an obstinate, pitiless cold has been driven away by Allen's Lung Balm. Only people who have been cured of throat-ache and sore lungs by this remedy can quite realize what the feeling is. There is no opium in the balm; its good effect is radical and lasting. Take a bottle home today.

Stanton Picket: The purchase of the Agge Axen farm of 680 acres last Thursday by Louis Smithberger, places Mr. Smithberger among the largest land owners in Stanton county. He now has 1540 acres in one body and says he can sell a man any kind of land he wants. The purchase price was \$23,000. It is rumored that Mr. Smithberger will

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Adams entertained the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church, with a social at their home Saturday evening. The social was largely attended, and those present enjoyed an evening of games, singing and instrumental music. Refreshments were served, after which the cakes that were left were sold. The receipts of the evening were more than \$8.

Mrs. J. D. Sturgeon passed away at 8 o'clock this morning, at her home on South Ninth street, after a long and trying illness, and the funeral services will be held from the M. E. church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. G. H. Main of Omaha, formerly pastor here, preaching the sermon. He will be assisted in the service by Rev. J. F. Poucher, the present pastor. Interment will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

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