

PROMOTE CIVIC BEAUTY.

Much was Accomplished by the Norfolk Committee.

HOW OMAHA WOMEN WORKED IT

Vacant Lots Converted Into Vegetable and Flower Gardens that Formerly Were Strongholds For Weeds and Rubbish.

Under the influence of the civic beauty committee of the Commercial club there has been a noticeable change in the appearance of property, public and private, in Norfolk this season. Lawns and gardens that were permitted to go to weeds last season have been given careful attention, the parking along the streets has been a thing of ornament and beauty, streets and alleys have been kept cleaner and neater, and other notable improvements have taken place. It is not known, outside of the offering of prizes, what method the committee has pursued, but it has been very successful and a ride through the streets presents a panoramic view of lawns, parks and gardens of which any city might be proud. The work that might be done by such a committee, however, is not completed, in fact is scarcely begun. The question of civic beauty and neatness is one that is pertinent and every city is attempting something along that line in one way or another.

The work of the committee here has furnished evidence that something should have been attempted long ago, but the duties of such a committee might profitably be enlarged and there might be funds placed at their disposal, either to pay them for their time or to promote other schemes and to employ men to carry them out. The trees should be kept trimmed and should be protected. All vacant ground should be converted to some profitable use that would prevent it from growing weeds and add to the general appearance of the city.

In Omaha the city improvement committee of the Woman's club this year undertook to prevent a recurrence of the weed-grown and generally disorderly condition of the vacant lots of that city so they took up the maintenance of Pin-gree gardens. The lots were let out to families desiring to care for such gardens in return for their produce and a professional gardener was employed to oversee the work. In aid of the work 2,310 packages of garden seeds were procured from the department of agriculture and the county commissioners gave 45 bushels of potatoes for seed. The gardens were laid out uniformly and the entire crop was given to the family doing the cultivating with the exception of one row of potatoes which the committee required for seed with which to start next year's work. The committee also bought potatoes and corn which were planted for next year's seed. In all seeds were provided 155 families, in 72 of which there were 353 children. The Bee says of the success of the plan:

"At a meeting of the committee held last week reports were made of the progress of the work and the women feel more than gratified with the success of their undertaking. The very favorable season and the good care of the gardens has produced a most abundant crop of everything, providing plenty of vegetables for the gardeners all summer and promising something for the winter. "The resignation of the superintendent several weeks ago has left the supervision of the work to the women, who have each taken different lots, for which they are responsible. "There is one lot of which the committee is especially proud, and which, while it will not yield the material results that the others promise, they feel will in the end be the most profitable of all and will eventually accomplish their original intention of stimulating an interest in the beautifying of the city. This is the lot at the corner of Eighteenth and Harney streets next to the public library. Formerly occupied by unsightly billboards, rubbish and weeds, it has been converted into a flower garden. Superintendent W. R. Adams of the city parks laid out the flowers and greens that were provided by the florists and others interested; the firemen of No. 3 engine house across the street cared for the flowers and seen that they are not disturbed; the Anchor Fence company inclosed the lot with an ornamental iron fence and Mayor Moores, together with many of the other city officials, have given support and displayed an interest that promise much for the future and has greatly encouraged the women in their work for city improvement."

Improving City Grounds. The grounds at the city waterworks station are beginning to show their former beauty. A neat fence now encloses the small park in front of the building, a green sward has been started and the place begins to look as though some one had an interest in it outside of putting in his time there and drawing his salary. When Mr. Voorhees was superintendent of the system the grounds at the station were one of the prettiest spots in the city, with a fine green lawn, in the center of which was a sparkling fountain, and all the surroundings were kept neat, clean and attractive. After the city acquired the

property the idea of beauty at the station seemed to be lost sight of, and for a number of years the place was a disgrace to the city. The grounds were unkempt, pigs and chickens ran at will through the premises and in and out of the station, the fountain was abandoned; and the use of a broom seemed to be unknown. The start that has been made toward improving the situation is most commendable and should be encouraged. The waterworks station should be one place where visitors could be taken and shown a plant, building and grounds to be proud of.

Hummer-Bobb. Married, by Rev. Mr. Klopp, Thursday, August 7, at the home of the bride's parents three miles east of the city, Miss Florence Bobb and Mr. Edwin Hummer. The wedding took place at high noon, after which an elegant dinner was served.

The bride was dressed in pure white, with white roses in her hair and at her breast, and she carried a bouquet of the same flowers. The groom was dressed in conventional black.

The bride needs no introduction. She is not only known in Stanton county, where she has lived, but she is also known in the adjoining counties. She is an honest, upright, true woman, loved and honored by all who know her. Miss Bobb has taught school in Stanton county for 11 years with marked success. She has been teaching in district No. 37, in the southern part of the county, for the past seven years and the district was not at all ready to give her up yet. But Mr. Hummer insisted and gained his prize.

The groom is a stranger to most of the people in this section. His home is in Iowa City, Iowa, where he is engaged in stock business and is also interested in a telephone company. Many friends will join in wishing them a long and happy life together.

Those present at the wedding were only relatives and a few most intimate friends, numbering about 45 in all. Many useful and valuable presents were received by the contracting couple. Mr. and Mrs. Hummer will go to their home in Iowa after a short visit with friends in Stanton.

A Touching Tribute. Edgar Howard, editor of the Columbus Telegram, recently lost a daughter by death, and the subsequent issue of his paper contained this farewell, through which a bereaved father's love wells:

"Dead! Yes it must be so, because upon the way my friends approach with tender touch and word, and out in the beautiful cemetery is a new-made mound, covered deep with flowers, the offerings of hearts wherein affection for my Martha did abide. And yet sometimes I cannot force belief that she is dead, because I see her in the faces of her little mates who come to offer sympathy sincere; and when I try so hard to turn my tired brain to business wants and needs, her angel face appears upon the writing-pad to win a father's eyes away from work, that it may rest upon the features of his child. And often in the night hour comes a call for "papa" in the voice I know so well, and so real are its tones that I give answer to the call, and wait expectant for her closer coming. And when she comes—oh, sweetest boon to troubled heart—she bears no mark or trace of pain on her dear face, but always a smile, of unspeakable peace—a speaking smile, whose beauty tells us true that our loved one's place in Paradise is as safe as was her earth-place in her father's heart. And so I must not, and I do not mourn for my dear dead as for a love and life gone far away forever, because my soul sense tells me we shall meet again, and tells me this is true as sense of sight informed me that I saw and recognized my child when she was here upon the earth. Goodbye, sweet heart, but not farewell, and from your place in Paradise look down upon this sorrowing soul, whose surest hope of heaven is based upon the goodness of his God in giving him to have and hold upon the earth for just a little while a Christ-like child."

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WAUSA SAW TWO GO.

Norfolk Brownies Took Both Of Them.

THE FIRST WAS A SHUT-OUT.

Visitors Given a Basket of Goos Eggs While the Locals Took Ten. In Yesterday's Game Visitors Had Better Luck but Not Enough of it.

From Monday's Daily:

Wilkins' Brownies didn't find it quite as easy to capture the second game from Wausa as they did the first and for the first four innings, with a tie-up on a square piece for the opposing teams some of the local enthusiasts displayed a considerable degree of coolness, but they did not despair and when in the fifth the Brownies chased around the diamond for a bunch of four, while the chill of the grand stand atmosphere was not overcome to any great extent the ardor of the local spectators had warmed considerably.

Galaska in the box for the locals didn't gather in the usual number of strikeouts to his credit, but he kept the visitors from finding many safe ones and when the sphere did shoot into the field it usually fell into a basket and counted naught to the man with the stick.

Agan did good service behind the bat and gathered in a couple of phenomenal catches that strayed into his neighborhood. One or two got away from him, but it is doubtful if even "Joe would have got them."

Woodie held down the second bag with his usual success; Kennedy played in the right garden and Graves was in center. Winder did the umpire stunts with very general satisfaction although he did make one or two decisions on which the grand stand didn't agree.

Rodgers in the box for the visitors did very pretty work, but his support permitted too many of those that got away to find a safe landing place. The final result was 8 to 2 in favor of the Brownies.

The chilliness of the day kept the crowd away and those who did go expressed a wish for overcoats or that the management might put a steam heating plant in the grandstand and make the meshes in front a little thicker.

By innings:
Norfolk 0 0 1 0 0 4 0 3 *—8
Wausa 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2

Saturday's Game.

A shut out against the Reds from Wausa and ten timely squares closed up by fifteen balls sent safely to the field, gave the Wilkins' bunch their easy victory in Saturday's game.

Bucklin on the slab for the locals sent an even dozen to the bench with strike outs starting them in the face, and was located only for a quintette of safeties in the nine times up.

The Brownies were changed a bit from their ordinary offices. Johnson was out of the game, playing with Randolph and Wilkins took his place on sack number 3. Kennedy shoved up from the half way station to first, Woodie covered the empty bag and Galaska filled up the gap in the gardens. McNeill started to umpire but was replaced in the second on a break, by Cheatwood who made good.

Agan got a pretty three bagger to the deep right. Jack Davey hit for as many. Kennedy did good stick work and covered his corner in good shape. Art Hayes, the new acquisition of Wausa's from Peoria, played a good evening game but couldn't keep out of trouble.

By innings:
Norfolk 3 0 0 2 1 1 3 *—10
Wausa 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Off the Bat.

Harry Welsh, who was in the box for Creighton yesterday, passed through the city this morning on his way to Omaha.

Compared with the standing of other teams, not excluding those that are at the top in the leagues, the record of the Norfolk Brownies is not one to be ashamed of. During the season they have played 36 games of which they have won 23 and lost 13, giving them a per centage of 63.9. Lately they have been winning almost everything and if they keep up the record on their western trip their percentage is likely to receive another healthy boost.

Columbus Wants House Numbers.

Do the people of Columbus want free mail delivery? They can have it at once if they want it, provided they will number the residence and business houses. The Columbus office is now entitled to a sufficient number of carriers to deliver the mail throughout the city, and Postmaster Kramer stands ready to begin the free delivery service just as soon as the citizens place the street numbers on their houses. It is up to the citizens. If they do their part the postmaster will do the rest.—Columbus Telegram.

A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boscche, 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

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Queries. Can a saw bunk?—Kookok Gate City. Can a chimney swallow?—St. Joe News.

Well, while your interrogation points are inserted in this great theme can a monkey wrench?

All right fellows, but we want to know, can a horse fly, a cow slip, a watch spring, a side walk, or a chocolate drop?—Clare Tribune

Along the same line of thought, would like to know, can corn stalk, butter fly, wood box, clothes line, horse shoe tobacco, cake walk or a sheep tick?—Plover Review.

After the intelligent reader has finished with these perhaps he will go on the stand and be sworn while the snake editor propounds a few he wants to know: Does a paper weight, a lamp shade, a window blind, a bicycle tire, a rose bush leave? Did you ever see the house paint, a yard measure, a door stop, a ball bat, a railroad tie, a tin horn, a hand saw, a dictionary stand, smoke stack, butter milk, steel hammer, or wire nail? Did you ever hear a tree bark, or feel a door clasp, or know of a column rule? And finally answer this propound by the Chicago Tribune: How much wood would a woodchuck chuck? If a woodchuck would chuck wood? A woodchuck would chuck as a woodchuck should. If a woodchuck could chuck wood.

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Dates of sale for above, August 1 to 15, inclusive, September 1 to 10 inclusive. Return October 31. On other days, rate will be one fare, plus \$2.00.

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Port Huron, Mich. 22 05
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BUSINESS OF THE COURTS.

A Couple of Wearies and a Wife-Beater Rounded Up.

Judge Hayes' police court was furnished with a moderate rush of business this morning and the officers were kept on the move to some extent. First there appeared a couple of woe-begone individuals, one with a smell of stale beer on his breath and the other with a crooked-up arm and a deformed foot, both appearing as though they knew no other business than that of tramping. The first gave his name as John Mar and the second as Harry Wick. The former had a little change but had lost his hat in acquiring his jag and he was allowed to keep the money to procure a new head-dress. They were then warned to leave the city and promised to do so but Mar had something left after buying a hat and could not resist the opportunity of getting another jag, with the result that he is again behind the bars.

J. McAllister again got into trouble, his wife entering the complaint and, although it is alleged that he beat and abused her, the charge read "for disturbing the peace and using threatening language." He pleaded guilty and paid the fine imposed, but had not long enjoyed his freedom when Justice Eiseley found that he had some charges of long standing against him, and got out a mittimus. The last heard of him McAllister was hustling around for money with which to pay the charges on the justice docket.

SOUTH NORFOLK NEWS.

From Saturday's Daily: Misses Frances and Edith Viele are visiting their cousins in Lincoln.

Mrs. Morey and children spent the day with Mrs. Hecroft yesterday.

Mrs. J. K. Harrington returned yesterday from a two-weeks' visit at Madison.

Misses Glennie and Bonnie Shippee went to Tilden yesterday to visit with relatives for a few days.

Miss Maude Dingman has returned from Fremont where she has been attending the normal school.

Miss Effie Ball left yesterday for Huron, S. D., to visit with Miss Jeanette Smith who formerly lived here.

Mrs. S. L. Miller has left for a ten-days' visit with her son, Chas. S. Miller, who is spending the summer at Landrau, N. D.

Fred Hollingsworth returned Thursday from St. Joseph hospital at Omaha where he underwent an operation for cataract condition of the gall and bladder caused by years of riding on engines and leaning out cab windows. The trouble has been coming on for a number of years and has kept him in poor health during that time. The doctors now say that his condition is favorable for a complete recovery.

Better Than Medicine.

Let loose all your giggles, wear dimples, sweetness, and light. You'll catch more flies with saccharine paper than you will with a threshing machine. Don't be a disgruntled old procupine or a bat or a weeping jackal or a howling hyena. Be a daisy and everybody will like you and bless you. You'll be better than a doctor around. People with bad spells on them and the dimals will cheer up, be chirky and get well. They'll think they have paid ten dollars to a scientist healer to make them believe there never was such a thing on earth as rheumatiz or cricks or stitch in the side or nooragly. You'll drive away the hypos and the grippe. A merry heart doeth good like a patent medicine at a dollar a bottle. Your name will go thundering down the ages. Victor Hugo wrote a great novel on "The Man Who Laughs." May his tribe increase. The Blue Laws are no longer in force. Let us therefore paint the whole bottom and all existence brilliant cerulean.—Exchange.

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 distasteful and their effects: such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual constiveness, palpitation of the heart, heartburn, water-brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the 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 special almanac. Asa. K. Leonard.

Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice August 12, 1902.

Mr. Arthur N. Billings, Mr. Charley Garrison, Egyptian Remedy Co., Ethyl-land Mae Gerard, Mr. John Johnson, Mr. Wm. Lang, Mr. James Simmons, Mrs. Claude W. Smith, W. A. White. If not called for in 15 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

Parties calling for any of the above please say advertised.

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