

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Master B. Anderson came down from Tilden today to enter the high school. Superintendent and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds returned today from a trip up the new F. E. & M. V. extension as far as Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Emery left today for their home in Chicago, after a visit with Mrs. Emery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gerecke.

Miss Lottie Pilger and brother, Carl, who have been visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Bertha Pilger, for a few days, left today for Plainview.

Rev. W. J. Turner, pastor of the First Congregational church, has returned from Young county, Ohio, where he has been visiting and attending bible school for the past month.

The barber shop of Hartford & Kuhnley is now established in its new location formerly occupied by the grocery store of M. H. Collamer. The shop was moved from the Pacific block.

A display of three handsome water colors has been placed in the window of Asa K. Leonard's drug store. They are the work of Miss Elizabeth Sharpless and are especially fine.

Cecil, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Taylor, is very sick with typhoid fever at the home of his parents on South Eighth street. His condition is serious, but it is hoped that his strong constitution will pull him through.

The Norfolk E. & L. association has sold two houses within the past two weeks. Of the 19 houses taken by the company at the time of the crash several years ago, but two remain. All the others have been sold off gradually.

A Tilden minister who is about to change pastorates, publishes a card requesting creditors to present their accounts that he may settle them before he departs. It is a business proposition that at times has been neglected by ministers of the gospel.

The first meeting of the Ladies guild of Trinity church was held yesterday and the question of time for the annual sale and dinner of the society being presented, it was decided to hold the sale and dinner the first week in December, as has been the custom.

School will begin Monday, and while the board of education is busy preparing the buildings and making countless other arrangements for the opening, the teachers are also engaged in preliminaries, mothers are fixing up the wearing apparel of the children and some of the scholars themselves are engaged in brushing up their memories over what they have previously learned. It is an annual event that elicits more or less attention from everyone.

It is announced that the night school of the Norfolk Business college will open on September 29. This college has, since its establishment in the city, been developing and advancing, until those who were skeptical of its success on the start are now realizing that it has a field to fill and is accommodating itself to the situation very nicely. Norfolk and surrounding country have an institution giving business training that is worthy of patronage and is getting it.

Tracy & Durland report the following real estate sales since August 20: 160 acres 6 miles northeast of Creighton to Wm. H. Sanders, \$3500; 150 acres 3 miles northwest of Norfolk to I. G. Westervelt, \$5600; 160 acres 8 miles north of Battle Creek to Geo. Scheidel of Platte Center, \$2500; 160 acres 8 miles north of Madison to Chas. Dittberner, \$4000; 160 acres 12 miles southwest of Plainview to Louis Anderson of Verona, \$2500; 3200 acres 6 miles north of Pierce to Chas. W. Grunke, of Boemer, \$9000; 1320 acres 8 miles northeast of Creighton to W. S. Gilman of Sioux City, \$16,500; 160 acres near Aberdeen, S. D., to A. W. Hunt, \$900.

MONDAY MENTION.

Bank Examiner Rush of Omaha was in the city yesterday. John R. Hays has gone to Center to attend a session of court. H. E. Hardy has gone to St. Paul and Minneapolis on business. Chris Anderson left yesterday for a hunting trip in Wisconsin. Judge Jackson passed through the city this noon on his way from Neligh to Center. E. C. Harris of Chadron passed through Norfolk yesterday on his way to Omaha. E. W. Guernsey of Winside passed through the city this noon on his way home from the west. An addition is being built to the depot hotel at South Norfolk. It will be used for a new lunch counter. Rev. Franklin Baker of the Second Congregational church has gone to Kansas City for a few days' visit. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Carlstrom of Sioux City are guests at the home of Mrs. Carlstrom's father, Fred Nordwig. Judge Boyd of Neligh passed through the city at noon enroute to Center, where he will hold a term of court. Heman Walker came up from Lincoln last night to spend a few days at home before resuming his university course. Marvin Kryger is in the city advertising the Neligh carnival which is to be given Tuesday, Wednesday and

Thursday of next week. He goes from here to Stanton on the same business. Miss Isabelle Nettels and E. F. Koch, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. C. C. Ilgen, left for their home in Illinois today. Frank Osborne, who has been spending his vacation at home returned to his medical studies in Chicago this morning. A train load of stock from the west passed through Norfolk this morning and was taken to Sioux City by the M. & O. S. M. Rosenthal has purchased the residence occupied by W. R. Hoffman on North Ninth street, from Henry Steffen. Miss Lota Blakely has entered upon her duties as assistant teacher to Mrs. Cora A. Beels in the Western Conservatory of Music. The Ladies Missionary society of the Congregational church will hold thank offering services in the church parlors on Tuesday a 3 o'clock. Everyone invited. Those who sold tickets for "The Christian" are requested to turn the money they collected over to some member of the committee so that an accounting may be made. The Creighton News published a very creditable daily edition during the county fair. It was of the same size as the regular edition and was full of readable news and comment. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Duffy died Saturday night at 12 o'clock at their home above Nordwig's harness shop and the funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. F. Poncher officiating. The game of quoits has worked up quite a following of enthusiasts in Norfolk this summer. A stretch west of the Queen City hotel is used for the play and at any time of the day a little crowd may be found there, diligently tossing horse shoes. Wm. Reh, blacksmith at Hadar, who has been sick for some time of stone on the bladder, has so far recovered that he was able to come to Norfolk today. He is a member of the Sons of Herman lodge and has been cared for by members of that order. Those who attended the Wayne street carnival report that there was an extra good crowd there Saturday and that the entertainment provided by the citizens are heartily enjoyed. The Collins Carnival company, the music by Reed's Sioux City band and the Carroll band were among the features of the entertainment. A fire broke out in the coal sheds at the Junction yesterday about 1 o'clock and with the strong wind blowing it might have resulted in much damage but for its early discovery and prompt extinguishment. It is supposed to have been set by a spark from an engine and a jagged hole about as large as an ordinary door was burned through the roof. An engine in the yards started an alarm but none was sounded up town and the blaze was extinguished without the aid of the up-town fire fighters. The fire at Savage Friday morning started in the coal bin of the Bradley Lumber company, and it is estimated that the total loss will reach \$75,000. On the south side of the street the buildings burned were the Bradley Lumber company, total loss; Ben Bone-steel's pool room and residence, insurance, \$1,400; William Bligh, blacksmith shop, insurance \$600. The postoffice was a total loss with the exception of a few books. On the north side, George Fannon's store, loss \$5,000, no insurance; Clark's general store and hotel, insurance \$1,500; five barns, three ice houses and a number of small buildings. Rev. Father Grant, who was at one time stationed at Norfolk, met with a very serious accident in New York City a few days ago. He was riding with friends in an automobile at a high rate of speed. As they approached a bridge, a pedestrian got into the path, the machine was turned, its control lost and the railing on the bridge struck. The passengers, two ladies among them, were thrown over the rail and fell a distance of thirty feet. The ladies were killed and Father Grant received a broken leg. The other man jumped and saved himself. The incident got two columns in New York papers.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Arthur Overton is on the sick list. Miss Etta Durland has returned from her visit to Chicago. Mrs. H. L. Kindred of Meadow Grove was a city visitor yesterday. Mrs. T. F. Memminger of Madison is visiting with Norfolk friends. Misses Rose and Lillie Fox returned yesterday from their visit to Creighton. Wm. B. Vail took an exhibit of fancy chickens to the county fair at Stanton today. Rev. Mr. Namtensel of Carroll visited with Rev. J. P. Mueller over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hayes returned last night from a visit of several days to Omaha. Guy Barnes left this morning for a few days visit with friends at St. Paul, this state. Millard Green gave a dance to a

number of friends in Marquardt's hall last night. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Allen of Omaha are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Weller. Clifford Roben of Neligh has accepted a position as electrician with the Norfolk Electric Light and Power company. Mrs. Elmer Burdick of Butte, Montana, is visiting her father, C. Enderley and other Norfolk relatives and friends. E. A. Lundberg was over from Wayne today meeting with some of the politicians of the Third congressional district. L. W. Haskell of Wakefield was a city visitor today and was telling some things about the political situation in his vicinity. Norfolk lodge No. 97, A. O. U. W. will meet tonight in regular session and a good attendance is desired as there is work in the degrees. E. W. Hahn has removed his family to Omaha, having accepted a position with the wholesale grocery house of Allen Bros. of that city. Mrs. Bessie Newell and her sister, Miss Mabel Cooley, are arranging to go into the millinery business at Lynch, the present terminus of the Creighton branch. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blakeman returned last night from a week's visit with friends and relatives at Lincoln, Alvo and Elmwood. They also attended the state fair. Changes in the arrangement of the post office are being made today. The money order and stamp windows will be thrown together so that they may be handled by one clerk. The boxes will be moved slightly in order to give the department more room. J. W. Gibson and W. J. Gow will have an exhibit of 28 head of fine chickens at the South Dakota state fair at Yankton. The exhibit will include pens of their fancy buff rocks, buff wyandottes, white wyandottes and buff cochin sand bantams. City Engineer W. H. Lowe has completed a plat of the site of the proposed government buildings and its surroundings and is now working on a description that cannot be shown in the plat. His entire findings will be ready to forward to the supervising architect at Washington in a day or two. Glen Wilkins is not only an excellent base ballist but he has had experience on the gridiron that entitles him to distinction in that sport. Last season he was a member of the foot ball team of the university of Iowa and his picture is presented in a late issue of Spaulding's foot ball guide with that team. Superintendent Reynolds went to Scribner last evening and this morning he joined the special train of General Manager Bidwell and General Superintendent Hughes, who are making an official inspection of the road. They went over the Albion line to Oakdale and from there they go west to the Black Hills. "Billionaire," A. J. Durland's fast track horse, took a couple of fat purses at the Knox county fair at Creighton and is now at Yankton to enter the races at the South Dakota state fair. Returning he will be at Hartington to participate in the races there and will try for the prizes to be given at the Norfolk race meet on the 22nd, 23d and 24th. Yesterday was Dr. P. H. Salter's birthday and last evening Mrs. Salter gave him a surprise by inviting a number of friends in to dinner. For a time it looked as though the joke was on the surprisers as the doctor answered a call in the country and did not reach home until after 7 o'clock. When he did come, however, a merry crowd greeted him and a pleasant evening was passed by all present. The Stanton county fair opened today at Stanton and will continue through next Friday. The association is arranging a fine exhibit of the products of that county and the stock shown will be of the extra quality that county produces. The racing events of the four days will be swift and interesting as there is a fine field of horses to enter for the excellent purses offered. A feature of the fair will be the Collins carnival attractions, including balloon ascensions, a 90-foot dive into a net, slide for life by a lady hanging by her hair, bicycle ride down a pair of stairs 50 feet high, moving pictures, Ferris wheel, steam caucous, Moorish palace, acrobatic feats, vaudeville, and other events. The Stanton fair is usually well patronized by the people of Norfolk and vicinity and there will probably be an unusually large attendance from here this year. A good but grim one is told on Justice J. H. Conley and Constable J. H. Covert, with perhaps a share of the responsibility for the transaction resting on Justice C. F. Eiseley. The latter had a judgment against a Mrs. Wamsley which he desired to have renewed. He therefore went before Justice Conley and made out the proper papers, which were given to Constable Covert to serve. The constable drove out into the country 11 miles yesterday to make the service only to learn that the defendant to the suit had been dead for five years. Another feature of the joke is that after the constable had started on his errand Justice Conley

was looking for him with the ghostly information that the party on whom the papers were to be served was in town and the drive would not have to be undertaken. The question of costs is worrying the officers some, but they think it is up to the plainiff, Justice Eiseley, to make it right for their time and expense.

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Herman Zithkoske returned from a trip to Detroit, Mich., last night. G. A. Luikart returned last night from a week's outing at Long Pine. Mrs. Way and Mrs. Kingston were city visitors yesterday from Stanton. Harry Luelcke left today for Milwaukee, Wis., to enter school for the fall term. Mrs. S. R. McFarland left on the noon train today for Lynch, Boyd county. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Day of Osmond are here to attend the Braasch-King wedding. Mrs. George Eberly and Mrs. Trent of Stanton were shopping in Norfolk yesterday. Mrs. Macdanz and Miss Roxy Schwin were Norfolk visitors yesterday from Pierce. Miss Maud Duell of Meadow Grove is in the city to attend the Braasch-King wedding tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Sol G. Mayer and baby left at noon for Lincoln for a visit with relatives and friends. Carl Verges left on the noon train for Watertown, Wis., where he will attend school during the winter. A farewell party was given at the Verges home last night for the young men who left today for Wisconsin to attend school. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Harter went to Fremont last week for a visit with the family of N. G. Moore before returning to their home in Naperville, Ill. R. B. Weller of the Chicago Lumber company is expecting the arrival of a brother today to take a position in the office and learn the lumber business. A. G. Bohnert stopped in the city yesterday to visit Norfolk friends. He was on his way to West Point where he has an engagement to play with the band of that place. Mrs. Bundick, mother of Manager J. N. Bundick, left on the noon train for her former home in Washington, D. C. Mr. Bundick accompanied her as far as Omaha. A regular business meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will be held in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. A large attendance is solicited. August Winter of San Francisco, Cal., stopped in the city over night to visit at the Verges home on North Tenth street. He is on his way to Milwaukee, Wis., to attend school. Mr. and Mrs. McCane of Wayne have arrived in the city to attend the Braasch-King wedding which takes place this evening at the home of the bride's parents on North Eleventh street. For the first time this season the dust is exerting itself as a condition to be reckoned with by tidy housewives and neat storekeepers. The wind from the north has whirled it about in a spirited manner today. Rev. W. R. McKim was called to Randolph yesterday to officiate at a funeral. He left at noon today for Atchison, Kansas, to attend a church council and on Friday will go to Salina to resume his work. The P. E. & M. V. passenger from the west was six hours late yesterday as the result of a wreck at Rapid City, S. D., where two freight trains crashed together and left a pile of debris that it took some hours to clear away. Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Birchard are expected home tonight. Mrs. Birchard from the east where she has been visiting during the summer and Mr. Birchard from Marshalltown, Iowa, where he went to meet his wife. Mr. and Mrs. L. Lessons returned at noon from their trip to Spokane, Wash., Montana, Colorado, Wyoming and other states where they have been spending the summer. They had a very enjoyable trip and vacation. While the lowlands and clay soil of this vicinity failed to produce the usual crop of water melons this season, they are being brought in from the sand hills and the higher clay lands where there is said to be a very good crop of the luscious vegetable. The weather bureau promises another of those light frosts as tonight's contribution to the temperature and those who have delicate plants exposed will no doubt be justified in anticipating a frost that will kill and take such precautionary measures as they can. The republican congressional committee is distributing celluloid toothpicks that are an attractive campaign novelty. On the pick is printed in blue a good likeness of the republican candidate and surrounding the picture and printed in red are the words: "Pick J. J. McCarthy for Congress." The Nebraska Telephone company has completed another toll circuit between this city and Columbus. This makes ten toll lines entering Norfolk and another is to be established soon.

The addition of each line adds to Norfolk's importance as a telephone center and to the duties and responsibilities attached to the telephone office at this point. It has been suggested that the people of Norfolk make a special effort to attend the Stanton county fair tomorrow, that a good delegation may represent this city on one day of the fair. Everyone who goes should wear a badge advertising the Norfolk carnival on the 22nd, 23d and 24th. A supply of these badges will be at The News office and no one should go to a neighboring fair without being properly adorned with a Norfolk badge. The Madison county fair will be held at Madison next week, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The officers of the association are preparing for the biggest and grandest attraction ever held in the county. The splendid crops of the county will be exhibited; fine stock and poultry, fruit and other produce, and manufactures will be on display. The races will be features of each day and good music will be provided. Thursday is children's day and it is hoped by the management that there will be a large attendance of little ones on that date. The Collins' carnival attractions, at Stanton this week, have likewise been engaged by the Madison management and will be a feature of the fair with their balloon ascensions, acrobatic feats and other events and entertainments. For weeks Secretary Rynearson has been engaged in placing the buildings, grounds and tracks in shape and it is anticipated that there will be a record crowd in attendance. Dr. Seymour is well known to hundreds of our readers who have had work done by him, and the fact that he will be accompanied by a noted ear, nose and throat specialist this fall, affords opportunity to all having trouble, to see the doctors without extra expense. King Ak-Sar-Ben the VIII. Parades and Carnival at Omaha Sept. 24th to Oct. 3th, 1902. Gorgeons Electrical Parade September 27th, reviewed by President Roosevelt. Daylight Parade Oct. 1st. Second Electrical Parade Oct. 2. Carnival every day. Banda Rossa will play daily. Better and grander than ever. Special rates on all railroads. THE ELKS' FAIR AT SIOUX CITY. THOUSANDS GOING TO SEE THE BIG SHOW. Teddy Roosevelt Will Be One of the Honored Guests of the Week—Hall Rates on All Railroads. The Elks' Big Fair in Sioux City and Jabour's Oriental Show and Circus, which shows in conjunction with the Fair during the week of September 22d to 27th inclusive, is a combination of stellar attractions that will doubtless crowd the town with thousands of strangers during that week. Never before have the interests of visitors been so carefully looked after as they will be during this festival week. When the Sioux City Elks decided to carry out the enterprise the first thing taken into consideration was the question of admission charges. Is a majority of towns the custom was to charge so much for each and every one of the ten different shows. After much discussion it was agreed with Mr. Jabour to make but one charge of fifty cents which would entitle the visitor to see everything in the entire aggregation. The list of attractions, including what are called the seven open-air performances, is a most extensive one, and when you consider that you see them all for fifty cents it is certainly the bargain of your life in the matter of amusements. Here is the list: Congress of Trained Wild Animals. Congress of All Nations. Beautiful Oriole. The Projectoscope. Moorish Palace. The Mexican Village. Flying Lady. Japanese Tea Garden. The Three Austin Sisters, Trapes Performers. The High Diver. The Marions—Ladder Balancers. Balloon Ascension and Leap. Seven Grunoth Sisters—Acrobats. Ladies' Military Band. Sargent's Japanese Acrobats. In addition to the shows and circuses above mentioned a handsome line of exhibits and other attractions are ranged on either side of what will be called Industrial street. This street is three blocks long and besides the interesting displays of merchants and manufacturers, there will be life-like representations of the Country Store and Post Office and many other novel and interesting sights. To this industrial street there will be a nominal charge of a cent, which, with the single admission charge to the Jabour show will entitle the visitor to see everything there is to be seen on the grounds. It is, withal, the greatest fall attraction Sioux City has ever given the people, and what is perhaps quite as attractive is the nominal sum of money required to see the whole show or shows. The railroads are doing their part, too, and during Fair week all roads leading into Sioux City will extend full rates to excursionists desiring to visit Sioux City. It is thus possible this year to get more for your money than in any previous year, and Sioux City may count on having the largest crowds this year that it has ever had in times past. The coming of President Roosevelt, who will be among the Elks' Fair visitors during that week, will in no way detract from the great crowds sure to be there. "Better hurry up" and go to Sioux City Elks' Fair week.

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WARNERVILLE.

Ruby Sleeper is sick with typhoid fever. John Shields has sold his farm to H. J. Morris. The price paid was \$1700. Mrs. Brohens of Portland, Oregon, is the guest of Henry Stangs and family. Miss Francis Viole of Norfolk Junction is teaching school in Maple Grove district. George Shields, who removed to Logan county, Illinois, three years ago, is visiting H. J. Morris. Conrad Wheeler returned last week from Dillon, Col., where he spent the summer with his daughter. Mrs. Fred Terry and children went to Whitewood, S. D., Wednesday, for a two weeks' visit with relatives. At the last meeting of the M. B. A. lodge I. S. Carter was elected delegate to the convention to be held at Pender September 17. Miss Etta Shields, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity for the past six weeks, returned to her home in Beason, Ill., last Friday. Complaint having been made to the county commissioners that H. Warner had fenced a public road contrary to law, they and the county attorney were here Thursday to investigate the matter. The commissioners reserved their decision until their next meeting. Attempt at Swindle. H. Richter of 1217 Dodge street thinks that he is a bit wiser than the two Fremont men who last week nibbled at the bait thrown to them by a couple of Spanish swindlers. Last May he received a letter from Spain, written by a man who claimed to be a relative, and who used the name of Richter. This man narrated the story of his life, which was one of continual success until quite recently. He had become almost the head of the famous French Panama company, when he was arrested. At the time he wrote the letter he said he was in jail and sick unto death. This Spanish Richter declared that he had a very beautiful daughter, 14 years old for whose future he was troubled. He said he had heard that the Omaha Richter was a model as a guardian and wanted him to take care of the child. The latter he had locked away \$98,000. If the Omaha man would take charge of the girl he was to have one-quarter of this fortune and the use of the remainder until the girl came of age. Richter did not answer, but the Fremont men, who had received an exactly similar letter and proposition, went to the expense of cabling about the matter. In reply they were told that they would have to forward something like \$300 to pay the passage of the girl to this country. Then they dropped the matter. Richter considers himself wiser than the Fremont men in that he did not cable or go to any expense.—Omaha News. Special Excursions East. During June, July, August and September the Union Pacific will sell tickets from Cozad, Nebraska, Penokie and Wakeeney, Kansas, and points east thereof to all points in Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin at greatly reduced rates. Information regarding rates and dates of sale will be cheerfully furnished on application to J. B. Elseffer, agent. 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 constipation, 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.

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