

## SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

W. H. Buholz was an Omaha visitor yesterday.

Roy Carter of Craig is visiting with Norfolk relatives and friends.

Rev. R. Hofus of Pierce was in the city yesterday visiting friends.

Superintendent D. C. O'Connor of the city schools, went to Lincoln yesterday on business.

W. J. Weisenstein was in the city from Columbus today renewing old acquaintances.

A. C. Van Horn has returned from a four-days' visit with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Pierce, at Winnetoon.

Conductor Fox is having his residence on South Tenth street improved by the building of a handsome new porch.

Joe Wilkins is in Glenwood, Iowa, to close up his business interests preparatory to making Norfolk his permanent home.

Misses Florence Bauch and Ada Loncker returned to their home in Madison yesterday after a few days' visit with Norfolk friends.

The new crop of chestnuts are on the market and eagerly purchased by those who knew the haunt of the nut in former days and are by it reminded of old times.

John Steinbrecher, formerly of this city, is now a member of the firm of Suter & Steinbrecher, land agents and dealers in general merchandise at Denhoff, North Dakota.

Mrs. Emma Romig, mother of Max Romig of this city, came up today from Omaha where she attended the Ak-Sar-Ben ball, today to visit and will leave for her home in Neligh tonight.

Miss Hildreth Sisson, maid of honor at the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities, went to Omaha yesterday morning and from there will go to Kansas City, Mo., and then to Hammond, Oklahoma, to visit relatives. She expects to be absent until Christmas time.

A Bohemian family string band furnished some music in the city yesterday that was appreciated. Two members of the band were little boys having barely enough reach to handle the instruments they played, and yet they were very capable and provided good music.

Local hunters are not finding many chickens and it is claimed that this year's hatch was small owing to the damp and chilly weather that prevailed during the summer that rotted the eggs. It is reported that there is an abundance of teal and pintail ducks and some good bags are being made.

On his return to his home in Casper, Wyoming, from a visit with Norfolk friends, E. S. Bargelt learned that during his absence he had been placed in nomination for county clerk on the democratic ticket of his county. The county is republican in politics and he has some hesitancy about accepting the conditions of making the race.

The Norfolk High school football team left this morning at 6:30 for Randolph, where they play their first matched game of the season in competition with the football players of the Randolph High school. The team was accompanied by a number of enthusiasts and made the trip overland.

"Doc" Bixby, editor of the Daily Drift column in the State Journal, accompanied by a lady quartet, is to entertain the people of Norfolk at the Auditorium at an early date. They have been drawing good houses wherever they have appeared and those who know Mr. Bixby personally or by reputation will be glad of an opportunity to attend the entertainment.

Editor W. P. Evans of the Meadow Grove Press is in the city on business and to visit friends. He is preparing to establish a newspaper at Page in the near future, having been given good encouragement by the citizens of that town and the vicinity to go into the venture. His brother, Ray Evans, will conduct the Page business after it is established.

Rev. J. B. Clay of Hartington, district missionary of the Baptist church, is visiting Rev. Theo. Whitfield and making arrangements to move to Norfolk, which is more convenient to, and offers better facilities for his work. Rev. Mr. Clay is one of the leading ministers of the Baptist denomination in this part of the state and Norfolk people will be pleased to have him locate here.

W. C. Ahlman, G. H. Marquardt and Dan Kuhnley returned last night from Omaha where they assisted in furnishing music for the Ak-Sar-Ben carnival. Director Hugh Compton of the Wisner band accompanied them back to Norfolk. He was formerly director of the Norfolk band and has been hired for a term of years at a salary raised by the business men of Wisner to lead the band at that place. He assisted the Norfolk band in furnishing music for the carnival here.

Hampton & Hopkins' presentation of "Sandy Bottom" at the Auditorium last night drew out a fairly good house and those who attended were unanimous in their expressions of approval. It was a story of the Arkansas hills, presented in a beautiful but homely way and the cast had the aid of splendid special scenery in making the production realistic. All members of the cast

took good parts, but Eva Earle French as Mammy Lytleton, the fortune teller, was an especial favorite. The quartet singing by Messrs. Whish, Saunders, Gibson and Allen was heartily appreciated. Following the performance the male members of the cast were entertained by the Elks at a social session at the Elks club rooms which was enjoyed until an early morning hour. Several out of town Elks enjoyed the session.

G. A. Luikart has declined the nomination as state senator from the Eleventh district. Under the law governing declarations he filed notice today that he will not be a candidate, with the county clerks of Madison, Stanton, Pierce and Wayne counties. Before the nomination was given him by the democratic and populist conventions, he announced that he could not make the race, and he has not changed his mind. To a News reporter he stated that while willing and anxious at all times to serve the interests of Norfolk, and while he would at this time particularly have been willing to serve in the legislature for one session if possible, he is obliged to decline for the reason that his business affairs make it out of the question for him to be absent for the three months that the legislature will be in session. The democratic and populist senatorial committees have been notified of his action, and it now devolves upon them to place another candidate in the field.

THE NEWS office is responsible for a large patronage for Postmaster Hays' stamp department this month and the deal is perhaps a record breaker for Norfolk and will help to make the business of the postoffice show big figures for the month. Jacob Jaskalek of Omaha, grandmaster workman of the A. O. U. W. of Nebraska, has undertaken to address to each member of the order in the jurisdiction a circular letter asking his assistance toward meeting a 25 per cent increase in membership and placing Nebraska at the head of the list in number of members of any separate grand jurisdiction in the country. The Workman mailing list is being used for the purpose and THE NEWS has a large extra force employed at folding the circulars, placing them in envelopes and stamping and mailing them. There are 30,000 members and 30,000 one-cent stamps are required, which means the expenditure of \$300 at one time in cash for the necessary stamps. The "licking" and placing of that number of stamps is no small task, let alone the preparation of the circulars for mailing.

## MONDAY MENTION.

Wm. Ahlman drove to Pierce today.

Miss Mullen was a visitor in Omaha Saturday.

Miss Kathryn Sisson was visiting in Omaha Saturday.

Miss Margaret Allen of Girard, Kan., is visiting with Mrs. C. E. Green.

Dr. P. H. Salter left this morning for a ten days' stay in Chicago.

Miss Annie McBride went to Omaha Saturday to attend a matinee.

J. B. Davis was in the city today on his way home to Neligh from Pierce.

Herman Ahlman and Fred Ahlman of Pierce were visitors in Norfolk today.

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weitz of South Second street.

Misses Barnes and Arnett of Madison spent Sunday at the home of Peter Barnes in this city.

J. H. Conley expects to leave the last of the week for Wisconsin, where he goes on land business.

Mrs. Geo. D. Butterfield and little daughter left this morning for a month's visit at Davenport, Iowa.

Vance Anderson and Frank Lundvall of Neligh were in the city yesterday on their way to Omaha.

Clifford Robin of the electric light works, went to Neligh yesterday morning to spend the day with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blakeman returned Saturday from the Ak-Sar-Ben carnival and a visit with Omaha friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ahlman and daughter, Elsie, attended the dedication of the new Lutheran church at Hadar yesterday.

E. W. Krause came up from West Point Saturday evening to look after farm interests nine miles north of the city. He returned to West Point yesterday afternoon.

General Manager E. C. Howe of the American Beet Sugar company arrived in the city last evening to consult with Manager J. N. Bundick concerning the interests of the Norfolk factory.

Mrs. F. W. Koerber and Mrs. Fred Linerode have gone to Omaha to attend the grand lodge Degree of Honor, the former as member of the finance committee and latter as delegate from Norfolk lodge.

A fine new German Lutheran church at Hadar was dedicated yesterday by appropriate exercises in the presence of a large audience. A number from Norfolk and vicinity attended the dedication ceremony.

The Norfolk football team hopes that when Columbus visits here next Saturday the players will be pupils of the high school rather than anyone who can be secured from the town or vicinity, as at Randolph. If Columbus does not come with a team of heavy weight

players picked up regardless of the school an interesting game is in prospect.

One of the prettiest days of the fall season was yesterday and there were few who remained in the house, having an opportunity of an excuse for being out of doors. The sun was almost too warm, but otherwise the day was perfect.

Emil Winter of Madison, who is administering the affairs of the county clerk's office in an able manner, was in the city over night attending to business and meeting friends. Mr. Winter is perhaps the youngest man who has ever held this office, but the manner in which he is conducting the business of the county would indicate that age is not an imperative requisite to the holding of that position.

Tilden Citizen: The Citizen has been importuned for the past two weeks to print a set of rules for the guidance of light-weight wife beaters—men of Clint Beatty's avoirdupois, for instance—to all of which requests the Citizen must reply that the heavy weight class now has the precedence in the public eye and the exchanges that come to this office. If the necessity should arise, however, this paper will try to be equal to the occasion.

Genoa Times: Eight hundred men and 500 teams are at work on the grade along the line of the Spalding extension. Owen Bros. have the contract to do the grading and are under bonds to complete the work in forty days. As an inducement for them to hustle the railway company has promised a bonus of \$100 a day for every day the work is completed under the time specified. Nearly every train passing up the Cedar Rapids branch in the morning is loaded with men and material.

Creighton Courier: Fred Manke, living about ten miles northeast of Creighton met a terrible death yesterday afternoon in a runaway. His father and himself were hitching up a team of colts and while his father was holding the team Fred put his foot on the hub to get into the wagon, when the team suddenly jumped knocking the old gentleman down and running over him. As the team jumped Fred's foot slipped into the wheel breaking his leg in several places and fracturing his skull, which resulted in instant death. He was a man of about 28 years and leaves a wife and two children.

A large force of men commenced this morning to excavate the ditches and lay the gas mains for the Norfolk Light and Fuel company. The work was commenced from the power plant at the corner of Norfolk avenue and Seventh street and is proceeding west on Norfolk avenue, the larger mains being laid to the residence portion of the city west of the tracks. Part of the excavating was done by team and the work is progressing rapidly and satisfactory so that it is hoped to have the mains and pipes ready to furnish the gas as soon as the power house is completed and the machinery installed to manufacture it. Work on the building is also being rushed and everything is now favorable for customers to be furnished with gas for cooking and lighting purposes at an early date.

The State Federation of Womans' clubs will be held in Columbus Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The local club has prepared for a splendid entertainment of visitors and a program of unusual excellence has been arranged. The new opera house will be used for the meetings. This is splendidly lighted by day and by night, will seat 800 people, all opera chairs, and has perfect acoustic effects. Columbus people will join with the club members in entertaining their guests. The Norfolk Woman's club will be presented at the federation meeting by Mrs. J. H. Oxnam and Mrs. John R. Hays, the latter going on the credentials of Mrs. M. A. McMillan, president of the club, who is unable to attend. The delegates leave for Columbus in the morning and will be accompanied by other members of the local club.

## 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.

National Convention of the Christian Church, Omaha, Nebr.,

October 15-23.

For above convention the Union Pacific has made a rate of one fair for the round trip. Tickets on sale October 15-18-18. For full information call on J. B. Elseffer.

## A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures coughs, colds and all lung troubles of the severest nature, removing as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which is rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boschee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cents. Get Green's special almanac. Asa K. Leonard.

## TUESDAY TOPICS.

Miss Maggie Dennis was down from Battle Creek yesterday.

George Adams of Niobrara was a visitor in Norfolk yesterday.

Mrs. L. M. Beeler returned last night from a visit with friends in Omaha.

Mrs. Meyers and children were Norfolk visitors from Stanton yesterday.

Mrs. F. W. Janeman of Madison was visiting with Norfolk friends yesterday.

Ira Hull was up from Beemer to visit Norfolk relatives and friends over Sunday.

Mrs. DeWitt, Miss Baird and Miss Clark were in the city yesterday from Stanton.

E. R. Gurney, banker at Winside, passed through the city today enroute to West Point.

Mrs. Henry Thurber of Missouri Valley is a guest of Mrs. Wm. Thurber of South Norfolk.

The Wednesday club will meet with Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in the ladies' parlors of the M. E. church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Lena Denninger of Green Garden, who has been visiting Miss Otella Pilger, returned to her home yesterday.

Mr. McDowell has resigned his position in Hall's barber shop and will return to his former home in Harlan, Iowa.

Patrons of the Auditorium and others having business on North Fourth street will be pleased to know that the plank walk leading in that direction is being repaired.

Hastings people certainly drew a lucky consignment of weather for street fair purposes and if it has not been successful other circumstances have certainly been to blame.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davenport will entertain the West Side Whist club Thursday evening. This will be the first meeting of the year and the members anticipate that it will be the opening of a pleasant season.

New oak pews are being placed in Trinity church today. They were manufactured at Yankton, S. D., and are modern and comfortable. The seats formerly used have been placed in Johannes Lutheran church on West Main street.

This has been another of those ideal Indian summer days and the person who has been kept to the house by duties or other circumstances has had something to regret in that he had not been able to get out and make the most of the weather.

A. T. Pettit and family left this morning for Seattle, Washington, expecting to make their home on the coast in the future. They have many friends in Norfolk who will be sorry of their removal but will wish them prosperity in their new home.

The ministers of Hastings swooped down on two gambling houses of that city while they were in operation last night, confiscated a lot of gambling devices and arrested a number of men. The sheriff and deputies, with a number of detectives, assisted in the raid.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davenport are preparing to move to Sioux City where Mr. Davenport will have charge of the livery barn of his brother, Chief of Police Davenport. Mr. Davenport was here from Sioux City over Sunday arranging for their removal to that city. He returned yesterday and Mrs. Davenport will remain a few days longer to supervise the packing of their household goods.

Bloomfield Monitor: The Monitor is pleased to note that Dan A. Hall, who has been working for the Singer Sewing Machine Co. for the past few years, has been promoted to the Norfolk office as manager for the company for the northwest territory. He has already taken charge of that office and expects to remove his family to that place soon. The Monitor regrets his removal, but compliments Norfolk on securing a good citizen. We wish him success.

The Norfolk Light and Fuel company and its large force of assistants are making dirt fly where the gas plant and mains are being located. Excavating and pipe laying has proceeded west from the power house past Tenth street and it was expected to begin excavating east under the railroad tracks toward the business part of the city this afternoon, making it possible to connect up with the power house from both directions as soon as the plant is ready to furnish the gas.

Fred Entenman, a German of about 40 years of age, attempted to commit suicide in the Granville hotel at Humphrey yesterday. He claims to be from West Point and gives as a reason for his attempt on his life a quarrel with a brother at Stanton. At noon yesterday Landlord Waterman went to the room occupied by Entenman and found him lying in a pool of blood with his throat cut so badly that he will probably die. It is thought that the man was not in his right mind.

Tilden Citizen: A gang of dagoes who were working near Oakdale had a payday last Saturday. The Oakdale banks declined to cash their checks without charging exchange, and Superintendent Reynolds telegraphed the Elkhorn

Valley bank to ascertain if that institution would pay face value for the company's paper. On being answered in the affirmative, the work train was sent down and for about an hour and a-half the bank officials were kept busy doling out money to the swarthy laborers.

Farmers along the proposed rural routes have offered some peculiar objections to the establishment of the service. One objection offered was that the establishment of such a service would increase the taxes, not realizing that taxes have nothing to do in the payment of the expenses of the postoffice department but that they are paid from the receipts from the sale of stamps, internal revenue collections and from other similar sources. Another objection was that the service would not last and that those who purchased mail boxes would be out that much. The one who raised this objection was reminded that the Norfolk office or any other postoffice might be abandoned by the department, but that it was not likely, nor was it liable to abandon the free rural routes that had been established by it.

## WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Joseph Sutton has accepted work with John Krantz.

Miss Chase of Battle Creek is visiting Norfolk friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hughes of Battle Creek were city visitors today.

Attorney J. V. Pierson was a city visitor from Ponca last night.

Dr. G. H. Hildebrand of Clearwater was a visitor in Norfolk yesterday.

E. H. Marsh and John Lemly were down from Battle Creek yesterday.

Attorney Fred Davis is in the city today from Madison on political business.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters and daughter were Norfolk visitors from Stanton yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Schumacher of Kauffman is visiting with her sister, Mrs. G. A. Werner.

A. H. Winder of the Norfolk Shoe company, left yesterday for a trip into Wyoming.

Dr. H. L. Scoggin is in the city from the western part of the state attending to business, and meeting old acquaintances.

The Karo meat market is now delivering to customers with a brand new delivery wagon.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will meet in the ladies' parlor tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Edith Morrow, who has been sick for some time with a threatened attack of typhoid fever, was able to be out yesterday for the first time.

The store room east of the Queen City hotel is being partitioned off for use as sleeping rooms when the regular accommodations of the hotel are found to be inadequate to care for the guests of that hostelry.

With the opening of the sugar campaign and the installing of the new gas plant Norfolk is unusually lively this fall and the demand for laborers at good wages is brisk. There are few men idle who are able and willing to work.

Andrew Stortz, who has been a resident in the vicinity of Norfolk for the past 18 years, left this morning with a carload of personal property for Creighton, where he expects to make his home in the future. The best wishes of Norfolk friends will accompany him.

The "Devil's Lane" company arrived in the city today with a large amount of special scenery and will entertain at the Auditorium tonight. A good entertainment is in prospect and there is a lively demand for reserved seats.

The weather bureau threatens to change the temperature to colder and so on some clouds, all of which program will be unsatisfactory to the people who have been very thoroughly enjoying existing weather conditions.

Walker Whiteside, who opened the Auditorium in this city and was here for a return engagement the following season, played "Hamlet" to a full house in Omaha last night. He met a favorable reception and is looked upon as a coming stage celebrity of national fame.

A force of workmen commenced this morning to put the new gravel roof on the Auditorium and it is hoped that in a few days the rains will be prevented from discoloring and ruining the interior of the building. The roof put on when the building was erected never did give satisfaction and it is expected to have one placed this time that will last and afford the necessary protection to the building.

There was a meeting of superintendents of the F. E. & M. V. in this city yesterday to discuss various matters connected with the railroad work under their direction. General Superintendent C. C. Hughes of Omaha was present. Superintendent H. C. Mahanna was up from Fremont and Superintendent Harman was down from Chadron. All went to Bonesteel, South Dakota, to look after the work on the new extension, Superintendent C. H. Reynolds of this division accompanying them.

A woman who claims to have lost her husband in the Galveston flood is selling soap in the city. Two of her customers got to comparing stories. To one who was a cashier she is said to have stated

**Lion Coffee**

Is 15 ounces of pure coffee to the pound. Who knows how much coffee and how much stale eggs and glue—called glazing—there is in cheap coffee? Lion Coffee is all coffee—never glazed. The sealed package keeps it fresh and pure.

that the late lamented was also a cashier and that she looked to the craft for certain support. To another who was a physician she told that her lost lord was of that profession and she looked to other knights of Aesculapius to purchase her soap. Anyway, she sold the soap. The gentlemen decided that either the agent was a Mormon—or was selling soap.

## Revival of Roller Skating.

An amusement that passed out of existence in Norfolk as well as many other cities years ago is to be revived here, and that amusement is roller skating. Fred Hollingsworth and Geo. H. Spear, under the firm name of Hollingsworth & Spear, have leased the upper story of the Olney block on east Norfolk avenue which they have fitted up for a roller rink. Electric lights have been put in, skates have been received and all arrangements made for an opening tomorrow night. Invitations are being issued for the opening. Dancing until 10 o'clock is announced, after which skating will be the order of the evening. The experiment of whether or not this amusement can be revived will be watched with interest by many people in and out of Norfolk.

There are many old-time lovers of the amusement who will undoubtedly be willing to see how it seems to skate around on wheels once more and there are many who have never tried the amusement who will be pleased to have an opportunity to learn. The old building, now used by Liveryman John Krantz as a carriage repository, something like 20 years ago was a roller rink and occupied the corner on Norfolk avenue where the Cotton block has since been built. The amusement was then at its height and night after night the vicinity echoed and re-echoed with the rumbling of the skates over the hard maple floor. With the decline of the amusement the building was fitted up for an opera house which it remained until converted into its present use some years after being moved to its present location at the corner of Fourth street and Braasch avenue.

TAKEN UP.—One calf, at the yards of Philbrick & Greenwood at the factory. Owner is requested to call, pay charges and take said stray away.

This Climate Is Good. enough for anybody with weak lungs. The patient need not travel. He can get well here with the help of Allen's Lung Balm, taken frequently when coughing and shortness of breath after exercise serve notice upon him that serious pulmonary trouble is not far away. Allen's Lung Balm is free from any form of opium.

The News keeps its job department up-to-date with the latest faces of type and does its work in approved style.

If You are Scared. easily you might suppose that the pain in the lower part of your back meant kidney trouble. But being a person of sense you know it is only muscular stiffness, from cold, and that prompt treatment with Perry Davis' painkiller will prevent it from growing into lumbago. Act accordingly and you will be glad you saw this. There is but one painkiller, Perry Davis'.

Save money on your harness repairs by having Paul Nordwig do your work.

Get your buggy tops repaired and upholstered done at Nordwig's harness shop.

## Legal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Norfolk Light and Fuel company has filed its articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state of the state of Nebraska, and in the office of the county clerk of Madison county, Nebraska. The name of the corporation is Norfolk Light and Fuel company and its principal place of business is in the city of Norfolk, Nebraska. The general nature of the business is the manufacturing and furnishing of gas for lighting, heating and power purposes, carrying a full stock of gas fixtures, stoves and other appliances incident to the business, the erection and maintenance of such buildings and structures as may be deemed necessary and to purchase real estate as a site therefor, and to have such further powers as are necessary to carry on the above mentioned business successfully. The authorized capital stock is \$500,000.00, divided into 500 shares of \$100 each. \$15,000.00 is to be subscribed and fully paid when issued, and non-assessable. The balance shall be held as treasury stock, and can be issued by the officers of the corporation, the same must be fully paid when issued, and non-assessable.

The existence of the corporation is to commence on the 20th day of August A. D. 1902, and continue during the period of twenty years.

The business of the corporation shall be conducted by a board of directors not to exceed five in number, a president, secretary and treasurer.

The highest amount of indebtedness which the corporation can subject itself to, shall not be more than two-thirds of its paid up capital stock.

G. A. LUKART, President.  
H. L. SNYDER, Secretary.