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The Palace Shoe Store

The Weather.

Forecast for Nebraska: Snow tonight and Saturday. Probably heavy and high northeast winds.

FRIDAY FACTS.

Miss Alice Barrett is quite sick with tonsillitis.

Members of the Norfolk lodge Knights of Pythias, of which the late G. W. Hills of Warnerville was a member, joined the funeral cortege here and escorted it to Prospect Hill cemetery, where interment took place.

Fremont Tribune: Walt Reynolds, advertising manager of the Tribune, has just disposed of his paper at Madison, the Chronicle, to Fred D. Wright, who has been operating it under a lease contract for nearly a year past. Mr.

Wright was in the city yesterday and the deal was closed up.

Manager Geo. H. Spear of the Auditorium was remembering his friends with fragrant Havanas this morning because of the arrival at his home on South Tenth street of a handsome baby daughter yesterday afternoon, an attraction—to him—that "A Thoroughbred Tramp" cannot hope to equal.

The regular meeting of Beulah chapter No. 40, order of Eastern Star, was held last night, and after the meeting adjournment was taken to the Kaufmann restaurant where an oyster supper was enjoyed. The supper was given by the lodge as a farewell to Mrs. J. C. Aid who will leave for Omaha next week to make that city her home. She has been active in the interests of the lodge for a number of years and her departure from the city is cause for regret to the members.

Elmer Walters' "A Thoroughbred Tramp" is the attraction at the Auditorium tonight, the company arriving this afternoon from the south over the Union Pacific. The company played at the Boyd in Omaha Wednesday evening and from here goes to Sioux City, where it has an engagement at the Grand. This is one of the companies on his books that Manager Spear has no hesitancy in recommending to the people of Norfolk as a splendid attraction. The play is one of the kind that has always been a favorite with the play-goers of Norfolk. T. Rush Thompson, P. E., is a tramp who is always present at interesting climaxes and makes his presence undesirable to the villain at opportune moments, and there is an abundance of amusing incidents worked in that keeps the audience good natured. The seat sale has been good and it is probable that there will be a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt entertained a company of about 40 friends at their handsome home on Norfolk avenue last evening. When an entertainment is given at the Rainbolt home it goes without saying that it is a success in every detail, and the party last evening was no exception to the rule. The reception rooms, where warmth, hospitality and comradeship prevailed, were prettily decorated with cut flowers, while electric lights shed a pleasing brilliancy over the scene. Progressive six-handed euchre occupied the attention of the guests from 8:30 to 11:30, after which elaborate refreshments were served in courses. When an accounting of the score had been taken, it was found that Mr. Darius Mathewson had progressed the greatest number of times among the gentlemen, and Mrs. Warrick had outdistanced the other ladies. Both received appropriate prizes as rewards for their skill.

Car Pennsylvania "Scranton" hard coal (egg of furnace size) on track at Hardy's.

House to rent—corner Park avenue and Fifth street. W. W. ROBERTS.

Rummage Sale.

The Ladies guild of Trinity church will have a rummage sale in the Stitt & White plumbing shop, next door to the Ahlman bicycle store, today and tomorrow. Second hand furniture, clothing, and other goods at your own prices.

THE NEW FAD.—Shoestring belts, all shades, at Davenport's.

Robert Utter has just received direct from the factory a carload of wooden ware, consisting of hobby horses, doll cabs, sleds, game boards, carts, etc., which have been opened up in the room in the Pacific block, first door east of the postoffice. All of these goods will be sold at wholesale prices. We have added a big line of toys, fancy goods, novelties and lamps. The public is invited to call and see them for bargains.

FOR RENT.—House in the Heights. S. G. DEAN.

WARNERVILLE.

The Omaha Elevator company shipped a car of hogs to South Omaha Tuesday.

Mrs. A. E. Quinn of Tremont, Ill., is here looking after her farm north of town.

Mrs. F. A. Killmer, who has been seriously ill for the past week is reported better.

Charlie Castleman has recently trapped three beavers in the Elkhorn river, the largest weighing 56 pounds.

W. Clayton has leased the Jackson farm three miles south of town and will take possession about the first of January.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Speece, who removed to Iowa several years ago, are here renewing acquaintance with their old neighbors.

If you wish to engage in a good paying business, call and see me. Team and wagon all the capital required. JAMES GILDEA, 169 South Tenth street.

Twenty Per Cent Discount on sample line of cloth and hair brushes, at Christoph's.

Bids for State Printing.

Bids will be received by the State Printing Board until Monday, December 22, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon at the office of Secretary of State for sundry and miscellaneous printing, including the

house and senate bills for the legislature of 1903. Samples of the work may be had by applying to the Secretary of State. Bids must be accompanied by a bond in double the amount of the probable cost of the work to be performed. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

STATE PRINTING BOARD. Lincoln, Nebraska, December 10, 1902.

Notice of Removal.

Notice is given to my customers and friends that I have removed my harness shop to the corner of Norfolk avenue and Third street, in the old Neagle building, where I am better prepared than ever to attend to their wants in the harness and saddlery line. Old and new customers are cordially invited to call. PAUL NORDWIG.

Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of the Norfolk National bank of Norfolk, Nebraska, for the election of directors, will be held at its banking house, Tuesday, January 13, 1903, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day. Norfolk, Nebr., Dec. 12, 1902. W. H. BUCHOLZ, President.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

John Tannehill visited the school Wednesday.

The latest common expression is, "You may be excused."

High School Notes now has contributors in each class.

Wednesday was an exceptional day—only one pupil was sent home.

The laboratory was turned into a kitchen and dining room Wednesday.

All pupils do not feel as badly over being sent out of class as one of the freshmen.

Dr. P. H. Salter, member of the board of education, called Monday to note the progress of the school.

Last Friday's program was postponed for two weeks because six of the freshmen were unable to learn their pieces.

It is reported that a senior class party will be held in the near future at the home of Miss Nannie Stafford at the Junction.

The seniors have taken up a study of agriculture and it is alleged that they are showing more aptitude for that than any of their other studies.

Mr. McCoy has discovered a new species of insanity—that caused by giggling. Some of them are now trying to estimate the number of high school girls who are showing symptoms of mental aberration.

Written excuses are now required from parents or guardians for all cases of tardiness and it is rumored that the school board may appoint guardians whose duty it shall be to take pupils from and return them to school.

An entertainment will be given Friday evening, December 19, in the high school room by the seventh grades. The program will consist of music, recitations and singing. In connection with this will be a very fine art exhibit, part belonging to the schools and some loaned; and a bazaar, where fancy articles and candies will be sold. An admittance fee of five cents to school children and 10 cents to "grownups" will be charged. The proceeds are to be applied on a school library. Don't forget the date—December 19.

Much criticism, just and unjust, has been directed at the freshmen, but they certainly gave good cause for censure Wednesday afternoon, when the school became almost unmanageable. The instructor in charge of the assembly room had occasion to leave it for a few minutes and immediately disorder was king. A teacher, noting the condition of affairs, put the school on its honor to refrain from such confusion. To this strong appeal—the only one that should be necessary to ladies and gentlemen—the upper classes responded to a certain extent; but the freshmen class—the kindergarten of the High school—took it as a license for greater disorder and evidenced its inability to take part in the self-government scheme which has been under consideration for some time, and the development of the school has been retarded.

Present Free

With two or more dollars' worth of goods purchased at Wm. B. Vall's, the jeweler and optician.

Holiday goods at Schorregge's.

To Insurance Agents. Notice is hereby given to insurance agents doing business in the city of Norfolk that under the state law you are required to pay an insurance fee of \$5.00 per annum for the benefit of the fire department, therefore those who have not paid this fee are requested to do so at once. Those who have not paid by December 17 will be called upon by a collector.

W. L. KERN, President, H. W. WINTER, Treasurer, Norfolk Fire Department.

Sturgeon is the piano man.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

One fare for the round trip between all stations on the Union Pacific within a distance of 200 miles, minimum 50 cents.

Dates of sale: December 24, 25 and 31, 1902, and January 1, 1903.

Return limit: January 2, 1903.

PERSONAL.

W. C. Roland has returned from a trip to Omaha.

T. E. McNeil went to Creighton yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Warwick of Tilden were visitors in Norfolk yesterday.

Mrs. Benedict and Miss Baird of Stanton were Norfolk visitors yesterday.

Mr. Denny of the telephone office went to Neligh last night on business.

Burt Mapes and W. M. Robertson made the round trip to Omaha yesterday.

Superintendent D. C. O'Connor returned from a trip to Omaha last night.

Mrs. J. A. Mullen and Miss Alice Mullen returned last night from a visit to Omaha.

Postmaster Hays was able to be at the office a short time yesterday afternoon.

Manager Bundick of the sugar factory was called to Omaha this morning on business.

Mrs. Will Higginbotham of Emerson is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry of South Norfolk.

Misses Mellie Bridge and Ruth Birchard went to Omaha today to visit over Sunday with Ruth and Carrie Harding.

Mrs. Behrens, who has been visiting relatives and friends here for some time, left yesterday noon for her home in Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. S. E. Hall left yesterday for Beemer, where she will spend the balance of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Deutcher.

Deputy Stevenson, who has been working in the interests of the Royal Highlanders here, left for his home in Madison yesterday and from there will leave for a new field of work.

Mrs. L. J. Abbott, who has been a guest at the McClary home for the past three weeks, left for her home in Lincoln on the noon train. She expects to leave soon for Georgia, to spend the winter with a daughter.

S. A. Barnes, who has been working on the railroad here during the season, will leave for his home in Ashland, Oregon, tomorrow. Mr. Barnes is developing a peach orchard near Ashland, which he believes will yield him good profits in a few years. His family remained in Oregon during the summer.

Dr. R. A. Mittlestadt, dentist, Bishop block. Telephone 147 A.

Dr. F. G. Walters. Office over Baum Bros. store. Office telephone 18—Residence 175.

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BATTLE CREEK.

Mrs. L. L. Snell of Tilden visited here last week.

Gus Diels of Fremont visited P. H. Ingoldby Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Huddle has been sick for the past three weeks.

Mrs. L. Carrabine has had her property on Depot street neatly fenced.

E. H. Luikart came over from South Sioux City on business, returning Tuesday.

The Catholics held services here Monday, Rev. Thos. Walsh of Norfolk officiating.

The two banks each received a nice little machine Monday which they call a check protector.

The creamery plant at Emerick is being moved to Meadow Grove, where it will be run next spring.

Miss Kayl of Norfolk visited Sunday with her sister, who is teaching school four miles west of town.

Gottlieb Henseleit is very sick at his home west of town and it is understood that he has few chances for recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Maher and children went to Tilden Tuesday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Maher's brother, Wm. Cossairt.

James Walton has moved from Emerick onto the Dicks' place three miles south of Battle Creek, owned by Wm. Nicolay.

John S. Braisher is selling out his harness stock and he and his wife will go along with J. S. Knesel and family to California.

On Saturday afternoon a fair will be held by the Baptist union. Christmas presents, candies, etc., will be on sale and in the evening an interesting program will be given.

Some of the sidewalks have been in bad shape for about a week on account of the snow. Our old mail carrier, Franz Rhyne, was compelled to take a shovel along one day to force his way through to the trains.

Monday Fred Schereger and Warner Daniel shipped a carload of cattle each.

Tuesday Floyd Warrick shipped a carload of cattle, L. B. Baker a car of hogs Fred Eyl a car of cattle, Howard Miller one of hogs, Spricket Osborn one of cattle and F. J. Hale a car of hogs to Omaha.

L. Braun has moved into the Knesel property in Highland park, that he recently purchased, and J. L. Knesel has moved to the Braun residence on Herman street until he and J. B. Braisher are ready to emigrate to the Pacific coast. Afterward the house will be occupied by J. R. Martin, Mr. Knesel's son-in-law.

Al Burk of Tilden drove to Norfolk Monday and on the way home saw a jack rabbit this side the Elkhorn bridge that he wanted, and got out of the buggy giving the lines to his companion who likewise got to the ground. When the gun went off the team did also, pulling the lines out of the other fellow's hands, his attention being attracted by something else. The men returned to Battle Creek where they spent the night, Mr. Burk hearing by phone that his team had reached home all right.

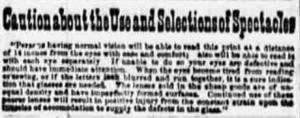
Two houses for rent.—One in Heights, "Durand's add." One at Norfolk Junction. GARDNER & SEILER.

Dr. F. G. Walters, succeeds to the practice of Dr. F. W. Kienau. Office Cotton block.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., November 29, 1902.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m. on the 15th day of January, 1903, and then opened, for the construction (except heating apparatus, electric wiring and conduits), of the U. S. Postoffice at Norfolk, Nebraska, in accordance with the drawings and specification, copies of which may be had at this office, or at the office of the Postmaster at Norfolk, Nebraska, at the discretion of the Supervising Architect.—JAMES KNOX TAYLOR, Supervising Architect.

Caution about the Use and Selection of Spectacles

Persons having normal vision will be able to read this print at a distance of 12 inches from the eye with ease and comfort. Also will be able to read it with such ease and comfort. If unable to do so your eyes are defective and should have immediate attention. We would like to see you before you buy your spectacles, or if the letters jump, blurred and run together, it is a sure indication that glasses are needed. The lenses of the spectacles should be of equal quality and have perfectly formed surfaces. Combined use of these lenses will result in positive injury from the ordinary strain upon the muscles of accommodation to supply the defect in the glass.



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THE NEWS FOR CARDS