

## NEW HOMES NOW GOING UP

Large Number of Houses Being Constructed.

A NEW STANDARD IN NORFOLK.

Period of Building Activity Never Before Approached—City is Just Entering Era of Improvement. List of Residences.

[From Saturday's Daily.]

A drive about the city just now indicates more strongly than anything else, the fact that Norfolk is entering a period of building activity never before equaled. Not only are the numbers of new homes impressive, but the general standard is above what has heretofore been known.

Among the houses going up may be mentioned that of J. H. R. Smith, on South Eighth street; Mike Enders, which has just been completed on South Eighth street; two that are planned by A. J. Durland for the Heights, on South Elth; a new cottage of Mrs. Maas on Phillip avenue; a new home on South Fifth just occupied by Wm. Ahlman; a large rooming house at South Norfolk being built by Mrs. Ferguson; the new residence of A. Teal on South Fourth and the beautiful new home of G. D. Butterfield on Norfolk avenue.

Besides these, a new Presbyterian church will soon be built at the corner of Phillip avenue and Ninth street and a great many additions are being put to residences throughout the city.

"It is not merely an era of building houses," said an architect this morning, "but it is a period of finer houses than Norfolk has seen before."

Among those who are likely to build this season are mentioned H. E. Hardy, D. J. Koenigstein, Venno Newen, Arthur Hazen, C. W. Braasch, and S. L. Gardner.

### SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

S. J. Arnett of Madison is in the city today on business.

Verne Rainey of Pierce is in the city enroute to Ainsworth.

Mrs. H. H. Mohr of Pierce was shopping in Norfolk today.

E. H. Tracy went to Ewing last night on a short business trip.

O. R. Oleson of Wisner was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. D. Wilkinson of Fremont is the guest of Mrs. T. S. Sheehan.

Fred Stafford went to Omaha today to spend Sunday with friends.

Mrs. F. W. Richardson of Battle Creek visited in Norfolk yesterday.

G. A. Besta and Sam Wilder are guests at the Oxnard over Sunday.

Miss Lillie Parker of Plainville is a guest at the home of her brother, Dr. C. S. Parker.

Vitrified brick are on the ground for a new walk in front of the Turf Exchange and restaurant.

W. L. Kern and son Oscar and daughter Lella went to Bloomfield this morning for a few days' visit.

The Eagles held a meeting and initiation Thursday night and will hold another next Friday night.

Ed Erwin will ship a carload of horses to Omaha tonight. This is the second car within two weeks.

The new wagons for the rural delivery service have arrived and are now covering the territory around Norfolk.

The postoffice will be open tomorrow from 12 to 1, instead of from 1 to 2, as has heretofore been the Sunday custom.

W. H. Clark has found the grip for which he has been advertising. It contained his painter's tools and some papers.

Mrs. J. L. Crotty, who has been spending the winter in this city with Mrs. T. S. Sheehan, returned to her home in Denver today.

Mrs. F. M. Sisson is attending a meeting of the Woman's Home missionary society at Pender. She is on the program for a paper before the society today.

W. J. Rupert, who has been firing on the O. St. P. M. & O. between here and Sioux City for some time, has been given an engine on the same road between Sioux City and Omaha, and will move his family to Sioux City.

The weather opened cold and cheerless this morning, but the bright sun effected something of a change until the afternoon became quite pleasant and agreeable. If the wind behaves itself the prospects are that tomorrow will furnish a delightful quality of spring weather.

Joe Horisky, who was so badly lacerated by the horn of a maddened cow several days ago, is quite forgetting his trouble and thinks now that there will be no scar at all. He thinks he will never be bothered again but may remove the horns just because, after all, discretion is the better part of valor.

Miss Alice Barrett entertained thirty of her young friends at the home of her parents, corner of First street and Norfolk avenue, yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6, the occasion being Miss Alice's twelfth birthday. The young folks had a merry time and when leaving time arrived were all tired but very happy.

The proprietor of the Oxnard, Mr. Bartholomew, is expected to arrive in the city today to look over his house. It is thought that he may plan to build an addition to the building as it is not large enough now to accommodate the patronage. A dozen were turned away Thursday night and five again last evening.

Rev. F. M. Sisson received a message this morning stating that Rev. A. L. Bray had died at Hot Springs, Ark., yesterday morning. The funeral will

be held at Craig at 11 o'clock Monday morning and the service will be conducted by Dr. Sisson. Mr. Bray has been sick for some time. He was pastor of the Methodist church at Bloomfield, but interment will be at Craig, because that is the home of his wife's people.

### MONDAY MENTION.

John R. Hays was in Hot Springs over Sunday.

S. O. Campbell is in the city from Madison today.

Mrs. C. L. Ransom of Omaha is the guest of Mrs. J. Baum.

C. D. Jenkins has gone to Omaha and will be absent several days.

Mrs. C. C. Ball went to Long Pine last evening to visit with her mother.

Dr. C. A. McKim was called to Bloomfield today on state veterinary work.

Mrs. J. F. Poucher will leave tomorrow for a visit with her parents at Tekamah.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bishop left Saturday noon for their home in New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. F. M. Sisson returned today from Pender, where she attended a meeting of missionaries.

W. H. Bradley and family of Larchwood, Iowa, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw.

Rev. J. F. Poucher went to Craig today to attend the funeral of the late Rev. A. L. Bray, who died at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Daily Nebraskan: Roy Pierce, who has been confined so long with purpura, is now convalescing but will not be in school any more this year.

Dr. Louis Schlesinger, the spiritualistic medium, leaves tonight for Neligh. He will be gone to various towns for several days before returning to Norfolk.

Frank Twiss, clerk at the Oxnard, leaves this evening for a few days' visit in Chadron with Ed Stevens. W. H. Pfeider will fill the position during his absence.

Frank Ambrose, a harpist who has made Norfolk his headquarters for a number of years, left at noon today for Omaha and will go from there to Denver. He may take a trip down to Mexico and from there to his old home in Italy before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Weatherby entertained a large company of friends at their home on the corner of Koenigstein avenue and Thirteenth street, Saturday night. Six-handed euchre was the feature of the evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. E. Greene and Mrs. G. B. Salter, and the shouting prize by Mr. Bullock.

W. W. Roberts is already receiving a large amount of correspondence relating to base ball, among which are not a few letters asking for games on certain dates. The Wayne college team has asked for a game here on the first of June. Mr. Roberts thinks that the challengers are quite likely to be accommodated. The proper spirit is awakening in Norfolk and nothing will suffice to satisfy the cravings of the fans like a good team and plenty of games.

Battle Creek Republican: July 21, 22 and 23 are dates that Norfolk people write in red ink. On those dates the eleventh annual tournament of the State V. L. Firemen's association will be held in that city, and it is an event extraordinary. Norfolk never does anything on the half-way plan, and we judge from their liberal advertising that this affair will be on the way and a half plan. Some neat button badges have been put out for advertising purposes.

A crowd of children of South Norfolk have for some time past been disturbing the people by ringing door bells, throwing corn on the windows, and otherwise playing annoying pranks. Last night this sort of "fun" became rather tootame and they turned their attention to the church, where they almost succeeded in breaking up a meeting. This action is a serious of vengeance against the laws of the state and those who have been guilty of it should have a care that they are not prosecuted. Some of them are known, and prosecutions are very likely to take place if there is not an immediate cessation of this sort of disturbance.

FOR SALE.—Barré Plymouth Rock eggs, \$1 per setting.

H. J. CAULFIELD, 313 North 9th.

### SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP.

Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, editor of the Enterprise, Shortsville, N. Y. "This is the honest truth. I at times kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy, and when the coughing spell would come on at night I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. To say that the remedy acted as a most agreeable surprise is putting it very mildly. I had no idea that it would or could knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose, but it did, and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe, and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had bid me adieu." For sale by the Kiebau Drug Co.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Fine light work a specialty at Paul Nordwig's harness shop.

Dr. W. I. Seymour coming.

## RURAL ROUTES' NEW TIME

Will Have Morning Service After May 1.

ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS.

Farmers Petitioned for it—They Must Patronize the Service—Inspectors Will See That the Rural Routes are Treated Right.

[From Tuesday's Daily.]

Under instruction of the postoffice department at Washington, the time schedule on the rural free delivery routes from this city, has been changed from afternoon to morning, and beginning with May 1 the carriers will leave the office at 7:30 o'clock a. m.

This change is made at petition of the patrons on all of the routes. Route 1 which was slated to be carried after noon, beginning with yesterday, will continue with the morning service straight through.

A late announcement from the post office department at Washington, that there was to be instituted a rigid inspection of rural mail delivery routes, and that all routes not up to the requirements would be abandoned, has caused something of a flurry.

A route of ordinary proportions should handle each month between 5,000 and 6,000 pieces of mail. Some reach as high as 10,000 in more thickly settled communities, but many others fall down to an average of about 2,000.

It is this class that the government will investigate and it is up to the farmers on such routes to show why the service should not be discontinued. If the business is found to be less than it should be, in the minds of the special agents, recommendations will be made first as to what should be done to remedy the difficulty. Then if the routes do not pick up, the routes will be ordered discontinued.

In connection with the investigation, the good roads question will be carefully considered. If the routes are found to be in poor shape, and not maintained with the idea of assisting the carriers in every possible way, that fact will cut considerable figure in the recommendations of the agents.

### TUESDAY TOPICS.

Dr. A. Disbeon is in the city from Creighton.

Burt Mapes returned home this morning from Creighton.

A. T. McConnell is in the city from Fullerton.

Mrs. Myron Twiss was a visitor to Madison yesterday.

William Stewart and family are in the city from Randolph.

Mrs. J. T. Steward of Tilden was shopping in Norfolk yesterday.

The Grand Island Independent issued a splendid likeness of President Roosevelt on Saturday.

J. C. Morey was down from Pierce this morning transacting business and greeting old-time friends.

An addition is being built to the north end of the residence of N. A. Rainbolt in Koenigstein avenue.

Miss Alice Cole has completed the term of school she has been teaching at Bloomfield and is now at home.

Miss Emma Myer is here from Randolph today shopping preparatory to her marriage next week.

Mrs. E. M. Keirth and little boy from the Pine Ridge agency were in the city today shopping.

The walk in front of the postoffice needs a drain tile attachment or the filling up the hollows in which the water stands on the occasion of each rain storm.

Mr. Duncan of San Francisco, who has been so seriously ill for the past week at Mrs. Austin's, has shown a marked improvement.

Grand Island entertained President Roosevelt over Sunday and Campbell Bros. circus on Monday, giving that town excitement in variety.

The Norfolk Eighth grade examinations will be held tomorrow, at which time Superintendent Crum is expected over from Madison to conduct them.

J. B. Maylard who is now visiting in England, has remembered a number of Norfolk friends with illustrated post cards bearing cuts of worth while features in the old country.

Herman Schroeder has recently brought into the city from Wisconsin a great many fine cedar trees of the red, white and Norwegian variety. He is distributing them among his friends.

Billie Ferguson is now traveling with Campell Bros. circus. They reached Denver today for their opening performance of the season. Billie writes to his mother that he has a good place and will like the work.

The little daughter of W. A. Tawney of Osmond was fatally burned last Saturday and died Sunday. She will be buried from the Presbyterian church at Osmond, and Rev. S. F. Sharpless of this city will conduct the service.

At Springfield, Illinois, Arthur J. Koenigstein of this city was married to a young lady of that place today. After a short trip the couple will return to Norfolk and be at home on the corner of Nebraska avenue and Eighth street.

The post office is now more than a post office. It has become a thing of beauty and a joy forever by the placing in the windows of a number of pretty plants. Miss Garlinger, who presides at the money order window, is responsible for it.

The Ladies guild of Trinity church will give an informal reception to Rev. and Mrs. J. C. S. Wells tomorrow evening from 8 to 10 at the home of Col. and

Mrs. S. W. Hayes on Norfolk avenue. All people of the parish and other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wells are most cordially invited to call.

Mrs. Fred Sidler and children returned yesterday from Chicago, where they have made their home during the winter, while Mr. Sidler has been employed in the shops of the Plano Manufacturing company. He will follow in a short time and they expect to make their home in Norfolk in the future.

Cyrus Brownlee Newton, the noted humorist and comedian, is in the city and will entertain at the M. E. church tonight, under the auspices of the Norfolk schools. He visited the schools this morning and gave a few readings that showed him a remarkable delineator of character, and quite capable of furnishing endless amusement.

The town of Lynch, in Boyd county, is the latest to be stirred up over mining excitement. It has made a radical departure, however, in that neither gold, silver, coal nor oil are claimed. An investigation of the hills south of the town is said to disclose ore that assays 56 per cent lead and some copper and experts estimate that it will run about \$80 to the ton. Mr. Bowdish, a Cripple Creek miner is investigating the find and if it will warrant a company of local capitalists will be fomed to develop the property. People in this part of the country will wish Lynch no worse fortune than that the find may indeed prove valuable.

### WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

E. P. Weatherby is in Spencer on business.

W. H. Butterfield is transacting business in Lincoln.

Dr. P. H. Salter was in Lincoln yesterday on business.

Dr. A. Desbrow of Creighton was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Tanner was in the city yesterday from Battle Creek.

E. R. Garney and H. E. Semison were here yesterday from Winside.

F. L. Estabrook shipped a car of eggs Saturday and expects to ship a couple more this week.

J. N. Bundick returned home last night from Omaha where he went on business and incidentally saw the president.

The tender young leaves of the trees were beautifully crystallized and were broken in pieces and strewn over the ground by the strong wind.

It is believed that the wheat and oats will be rather benefited than injured as this will cause them to "stool out" and form thick upon the ground.

Mrs. P. T. Birchard, Mrs. A. J. Durland and Mrs. Burt Mapes went to Omaha today to see Richard Mansfield in "Julius Caesar," at the Boyd tonight.

The coal men have had an extra force at work today replenishing the coal bins that have been permitted to dwindle with the belief that there would be no further use for coal fires in the heaters this season. It was surprising the way the rush orders rolled in.

As a result of the storm water has invaded some of the cellars of Norfolk. The cellar under the Old Fellows' building contains about three inches and about the same depth of water has appeared in the press pit in The News office.

The precipitation during the storm was very abundant and has materially added to the precipitation for the season and stands a chance of being held until the ground is receptive. The wet may be of benefit during the season and this will be about the only benefit accruing from the storm.

There are some boys in the neighborhood of Ninth street who have a large calibre revolver in their possession which they shoot around indiscriminately, taking especial delight in frightening girls and young children. The boys are known and residents of that vicinity assert that they will be prosecuted unless the practice is stopped.

A carload of Austrian laborers passed through Norfolk Monday. They were enroute to Niobrara and Bonesteel, half of them to be employed out of each place in completing the work on the extension that was built last summer. The work of repairing and completing the roadbed on the extension will be undertaken as soon as the weather will permit and the track will soon be put in the excellent condition that characterizes the Northwestern system.

Cyrus Brownlee Newton, the noted humorist and comedian, entertained a rather small but thoroughly appreciative audience at the M. E. church last night, the entertainment being under the auspices of the Norfolk schools. Those who attended were unanimous in declaring that Mr. Newton was one of the best entertainers it has been their privilege of hearing. He is most clever as a character delineator and is thoroughly the character he represents, showing remarkable versatility. His manner is easy, graceful and refined, and he can bring a laugh or a tear without apparent effort on his part. His voice is remarkably melodious and his readings furnished an evening of un-wonted pleasure to those who braved the storm of the night.

Dr. Seymour will be in Norfolk Saturday, May 2, at the Oxnard hotel.

Danger of Colds and Grip.

The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by the Kiebau Drug Co.

## INJURED IN A COLLISION.

Carl Korth Suffers a Broken Shoulder.

HE RECEIVED OTHER INJURIES.

Messrs Korth and W. L. Kern Were Run Down While Returning from the Country Last Night by Fred Schilling.

[From Tuesday's Daily.]

Returning from the country at 10 o'clock last night, W. L. Kern and Carl Korth were run over by a team driven by Fred Schilling. The accident happened between the two bridges at Hill's two miles north, on First street. The road there is narrow, with deep ditches caused by the recent overflow of the river and Schilling had a lumber wagon and was letting his horses go fast while Kern and his companion were in a single buggy. The latter got out of their buggy and led their horse into the ditch when they heard Schilling coming, but were unable to prevent the collision that followed.

The horse was stripped of his harness, knocked down and the buggy smashed. Kern and Korth were under the horse's feet and how they escaped being killed is a miracle. Kern is only slightly bruised but Korth was not so fortunate, as he had a shoulder broken and two ribs separated from the breast bone, besides being horribly bruised and scratched on various parts of the body. Mr. Korth is a man about 60 years of age and will suffer from his injuries for a long time.

Schilling lives about ten miles south and had started home with a load of flour and groceries, when he became confused by the electric lights and drove north instead of south.

### THURSDAY TIDINGS.

G. B. Gattrup is here from Scribner.

F. C. Holbert is in the city today from Plainville.

C. D. Gearhart is here on business, from Ainsworth.

Mrs. T. J. Thompson of Fairfax, S. D., is shopping in Norfolk today.

E. W. Hayes arrived in the city last night from the west and is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hayes, for a short time before leaving for his home in Indianapolis.

Otto Fuerst, a prominent citizen of Battle Creek, is in Norfolk today.

The Ladies Guild of Trinity church will meet with Mrs. J. N. Bundick tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. It will be a business meeting and a full attendance is desired.

Among those who lost at the recent fire at Fairfield was Wm. Neuman, son-in-law of W. F. Moldenhauer of this city. Mr. Neuman was in the lumber business with a partner and the fire started in the alley near their yard, cleaning it out among the first of the properties destroyed. Mr. Moldenhauer went down and found Mr. Neuman considerably discouraged. They carried small insurance, and do not know whether they will re-engage in the business or not. There are other circumstances from the fire to discourage, one of which is that the yard was in the fire-limits of the town and cannot be rebuilt except at a great expense, as they will not permit frame buildings, even when covered with sheet iron.

### SOCIALLY.

[From Thursday's Daily.] Will Dine Tonight.

Miss Hattie Allibey will entertain the teachers of the Lincoln building at 6 o'clock dinner this evening.

Reception This Evening.

A reception will be held this evening for Rev. and Mrs. J. C. S. Wells, at the home of Col. and Mrs. S. W. Hayes, on Norfolk avenue.

A Delightful Afternoon.

Despite the blizzard, a score of ladies enjoyed a delightful afternoon yesterday with Mrs. E. T. Mittelstadt at her home on the corner of Koenigstein avenue and Twelfth street. Decorations were in pink and white, with roses and carnations for flowers. Each lady was presented with an American Beauty. A toothsome supper closed the afternoon.

Announcement Cards.

Cards have been received in the city from Mrs. R. M. Baker of Springfield, Ill., announcing the marriage of her daughter, Ethel, to Arthur J. Koenigstein of this city on Tuesday, April 28. The groom is in the drug business here with his father and is one of the substantial and progressive young men of the city. Mr. and Mrs. Koenigstein will make their home on North Eighth street.

FINE STOCK SALE.

C. S. Barclay & Son of Iowa, Will Hold Silver Anniversary Sale.

Messrs. C. S. Barclay & Son of West Liberty, Iowa, are advertising their twenty-fifth annual sale of Short Horn cattle which is to take place on May 26 at their farm home. The senior member of the firm is the father of Mrs. R. H. Reynolds of this city and the younger man is a brother. For thirty-five years Mr. Barclay, sr., has been engaged in the business of raising and selling fine Short Horn cattle and this is termed the "Silver Anniversary" sale of the firm. Sixty-one head of cattle are to be disposed of. The West Liberty Enterprise has this to say of the firm and its reputation: "The fame of Barclay as a Short Horn breeder is known all over the United States, and has reached the English shores. His cattle are universally of rare merit and he transacts all his business strictly upon honor. This not only applies to



the father but the son as well, who is a chip from the old block." It is assured that lovers of fine Short Horn strain will be attracted from all parts of the United States by this sale.

### BOUGHT FOR ELEVEN SONS.

Dozen Men Together Walked in Early For Supplies.

[From Thursday's Daily.]

A man with eleven big, strapping sons, formed a party that arrived in Norfolk a few mornings ago on the early train from Bonesteel. They were on their way to the mining district of Wyoming and stopped off from 6 o'clock in the morning until the Union Pacific passenger left at 11. While in the city, before the 7 o'clock whistle had blown, the dozen of them walked into a big store that had opened early by chance and bought a half hundred dollars' worth of goods. They wanted shoes for five and garments for wear, besides, so that when they left they were completely changed in appearance, and by this time the Norfolk articles are far out west.

### COURT IN KNOX COUNTY.

Ex-Judge Jackson Came Down From There Last Night.

[From Wednesday's Daily.]

Judge N. J. Jackson was in the city over night on his way home from Knox county to Neligh. The judge came into Norfolk just twenty minutes too late last night to get home on the passenger and was forced to remain over until this morning.

The case of most importance in this session of court, he said, was that against the Verdige banker who is now in jail on the charge of converting funds to his own use. The case was continued. The suit of the Norfolk National bank against Rothwell was continued.

### PRANK OF THE LIGHTNING.

Smashed Top of Piano at Home of W. W. Quivey in Pierce.

[From Thursday's Daily.]

During the electric storm at Pierce Tuesday afternoon lightning played a queer freak at the home of W. W. Quivey, ex county attorney. No signs of the stroke are visible on the outside of the house but on the interior the wall paper is badly scorched, and the next effect the bolt had was on the piano, where it split the top almost into kindling wood and left the cover unharmed. A small plaster statue on the piano was decapitated and left standing. No one was in the house at the time and the damage to the furniture was all that was done and this was not large.

### Real Estate Record.

[From Tuesday's Daily.]