

THE NORFOLK NEWS

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has declared that he would no longer discuss national political issues except through the columns of his personal organ.

If Mr. Hearst should succeed in trading his influence in the pre-convention contest to Parker for a cabinet position the brunt of the joke will fall on those who have been led into endorsing the New York editor for the presidency.

If you have nothing else in sight for the summer, what is the matter with leasing a few acres of ground, signing up a contract, and planting sugar beets.

The Christian Science Sentinel has considered it necessary to send out a marked copy denying that Rev. Mary Baker Eddy is a descendant of Right Hon. Sir John McNeill, G. C. B., of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Things are becoming rather serious when the pupils of the schools in Missouri consider it necessary to mix themselves in a race war, the white students, boys and girls, organizing and picketing, to keep the colored pupils from entering the school-house.

The sinking of that Russian vessel with Admiral Makaroff and 700 sailors aboard was one of the most terrible of recent war calamities, and the czar's government and the Russian people generally have the sincere sympathy of Americans.

Pittsburg is to have relief from the suffocating showers of ore dust that have been stirred up by the founding and manufacturing industries there, such being the decision of the supreme court.

Readers of other papers will learn of the drowning of Admiral Makaroff and the sinking of the battleship Petropavlovsk with 700 Russians aboard today, readers of The News had the story in detail yesterday.

That the people of North Nebraska are wideawake and appreciate a good thing in the newspaper line is evidenced by the rate The News is receiving subscriptions.

You Nebraska people who have thought that the blizzard of the other day in this state was the extreme limit, are invited to direct your gaze to western Minnesota and North Dakota, where two and a half feet of snow fell and was piled into great drifts by the terrific wind that accompanied the storm.

Hon. Frank Nelson of Nebraska is a leader for the honor of representing the Third congressional dis-

trict as one of the delegates to the national republican convention, and his friends have no doubt that he will be chosen for that honorary position when the convention assembles at Columbus on May 27.

There is a brief recess just now between the time of holding municipal elections and that for the convening of state and district conventions that will open the season for the election this fall.

A Galsusha of Red Cloud has many friends in the northern part of the state who are interested in his candidacy for the position of secretary of state and are convinced that the republican party could not do better than to place his name before the people.

From this time forward north Nebraska will be devoting its best energies to producing and arranging one of the beautiful countries that lays out of doors. Other sections of the world may have pretty scenery, but there are few localities that can better arrange a pleasing combination of worth and beauty than north Nebraska during the spring and summer season.

Aroused by the mention of his name in connection with political position, ex-Supreme Judge J. J. Sullivan of Columbus has been led to declare his attitude in the matter of politics in the following expressive and emphatic language: "One might suppose from recent newspaper references to me that I am a standing postulant for public favor.

It is difficult for republicans to make any decisive pre-convention attacks on the democratic policy as it is a wide guess on what that policy will be. Judge Parker refuses to give up his opinions on national politics and Mr. Bryan has suddenly determined to close up tighter than a clam on national issues.

Arbor day is not very far distant—less than two weeks—and it is probable that people who should plant trees this spring and have spaces that would be materially improved thereby have not given the matter a moment's consideration.

is developing along the fruit line and all it now lacks is the trees, to become of value as a producer of the hardier varieties of fruits. The orchards and trees that have been planted have been doing magnificent service and their numbers should be increased.

Some farmers and land owners have not been able to figure that the growing of trees is a money-making proposition considered as a crop alone without counting on their value in the conservation of moisture, and in adding fertility to the soil and benefiting the lands in their near vicinity.

The democrats have been starting in with exaggerated statements early in the campaign, and they are being boomeranged back about as soon as they land. One of these statements is to the effect that the naval steam yacht Mayflower has been appropriated to the use of the president at a great cost to the people.

It was thirty-nine years ago today that the hand of an assassin laid low America's most famous war president, Abraham Lincoln, and there will be few persons, old enough to remember the tragedy, to whom the anniversary will not appeal with strong effect even at this remote time since Lincoln was laid low.

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TO RUN THROUGH NORFOLK

YANKTON, NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN IS REVIVED.

WILL GO SOUTH TO KANSAS CITY

Already the Privilege to Build a Bridge Over the Missouri River for the Accommodation of This Line, Has Been Granted by Congress.

The Sioux City Journal says: Again, and for about the "umpteenth" time, the Yankton, Norfolk and Southwestern railroad scheme is being revived. Alfred E. Case, of Chicago, an attorney for one set of the bondholders, who has just driven over the old right of way, arrived in Sioux City yesterday from Yankton.

When an inquiry was made of Mr. Case as to whether he had been asked to take any of the securities of the construction company, he said: "Yes, the matter has been mentioned to me, and I simply came out to look it over. The promoters talk of making two separate corporations to control the bridge at Yankton and the railroad itself, but my advice would be to have but one concern to control it all, to avoid friction and avoid one company taking any advantage of the other."

AT THE AUDITORIUM THEATER

From Shakespeare's Drama: John Griffith in "Macbeth."

When Mr. Shakespeare comes to town in Norfolk, unless he is represented by a startling or extraordinary attraction, you will find a poor house at the Auditorium. It was a slim crowd that greeted Mr. John Griffith in "Macbeth" last night.

A singular coincidence is noted in the company last night. The manager presenting Mr. Griffith is John M. Hickey. By transposing the "M" and the "H" it reads John H. Mickey—Nebraska's governor.

TO PREVENT EROSION.

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Green willow poles 18 to 20 feet long are secured in the spring, just after the ice goes out of the stream. These poles are laid on the ground near the bank 2 feet apart, with their butts all pointing toward the river. Woven fence wire is then stretched along over the poles and stapled fast to each one.

edge will catch the soil as it rolls down the declivity, causing a bank to form of just the right slope to resist erosion most effectually."

ARRANGE FOR FUTURE SERIES

Entertainment Course Closed With Everett Kemp and Another is Planned for Next Winter.

The last entertainment of the union lecture course, in which the young people's societies of several Norfolk churches were interested, was one of the best of the season. Everett Kemp, in interpretive recitals, is certainly an adept in the entertainment field and the people attending were entertained throughout.

So pleased were the patrons of the course that when it was proposed to arrange for another course of entertainment next winter there were ready responses and the movement was set on foot for a better and stronger series of entertainment than ever next season.

MODERN WOODMEN ENTERTAIN

Three Hundred People Have a Big Night of It at Neleigh as Guests of Fraternity.

Neligh, Neb., April 13.—Special to The News: A crowd of 300 people were entertained in Giesler's hall last night by the Modern Woodman lodge of this city, and one of the most enjoyable evenings of the winter season was spent by the people in attendance.

A fine spread of good things was served, and entertainment was by the "Automatic Warblers," a local organization that had their program of amusement down to a system.

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Any man, woman or child suffering from headache, biliousness or a dull, heavy feeling should take one or two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers night and morning. These famous little pills are famous because they are a tonic as well as a pill.

After this it will be the thing for all veterans of the civil war to draw on Uncle Sam for a pension. The government is beginning to get generously appreciative of the services rendered the union by the old soldiers.

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