

**NORFOLK NOW HAS A BAND**

**A WOMAN'S BAND THAT WILL BE HARD TO BEAT.**

**SIXTEEN YOUNG LADIES IN IT**

**Miss M. C. Catlin of Lincoln Has Arrived to Train the New Organization and Their First Event Will be Thursday—Need Instruments.**

Norfolk, after a long period of inactive years in this line, has a band. It is a band of young women and its name is the "Norfolk Ladies Band." The organization promises to be a real, live, actual fact and to play to beat the ears.

Miss M. C. Catlin, formerly of Lincoln and who has made a specialty of band and orchestra instruments, has organized the aggregation, which is to be composed of sixteen local girls.

With a little assistance from the city they expect to have their instruments here within a week or so and they will no doubt meet with encouragement.

A ladies' band is a novelty and a thing of beauty when well trained and neatly uniformed. Miss Catlin has the experience as well as the training and is capable of producing for Norfolk an organization of which the city may be proud.

The new band will give a dance and ladies' sale at Marquardt hall Thursday night for the purpose of raising a fund with which to purchase instruments.

**WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.**

D. W. Bliss was down from Tilden. W. E. Kelsor was up from Wisner. E. H. Luskart was in the city from Tilden on business. W. H. Blackman of Tekamah was in the city. O. S. Trigg of Alliance was a city visitor yesterday.

Miss E. Lundstrom was over from Wayne yesterday. P. L. McFadden was down from Bonesteel, S. D., yesterday. H. E. Remondier of Madison had business in Norfolk yesterday. James Roselborough of Tilden had business in the city yesterday. Mrs. G. F. Bilzer went to Sioux City this morning to visit with her son, E. P. Hummel, for about a week. J. R. Manning of Wayne, candidate for commissioner of public lands and buildings before the republican state convention, was in the city yesterday interviewing his friends.

Rev. J. J. Parler of Plainview returned to his home today after a visit of a few days in Norfolk. He is completing the arrangements for the dedication of the new Congregational church there which will take place on Tuesday, May 24. Rev. J. E. Tuttle, D. D., of Lincoln, will preach the dedicatory sermon and other prominent state workers will be present. Rev. W. J. Turner of this city will assist at the services.

Friends of Gus Marquardt in this city, who had been given hope for his recovery, will be grieved to learn that he has been returned to the hospital and is still in a critical condition.

The two recitals announced by Mr. Ludwig Koenigstein for the 17th and 19th are attracting much comment among music lovers. Mr. Koenigstein's recitals always please his audiences and the two this spring promise to be better than ever.

A new fire escape is being installed upon the Marquardt block today. This about finished the work in Norfolk, as required by law on tall structures. Every building that is high enough is now equipped with a device upon which panic stricken persons may get away.

The concert to be given in this city at the Auditorium on Friday night by the glee club of the University of Nebraska promises to be one of the best things in a musical way that Norfolk has had an opportunity to hear for some time. The young men are all well trained and have excellent voices. A number of the choruses are personally known in the city by former university students.

to again think of Norfolk as a place of meeting this year. As the tournament is to be held in August there is not too much time to begin the preliminary arrangements and the meeting tonight should definitely determine whether Norfolk wants it again or not.

Charlie Dugan, Scott Holbrook and Jo Phillips have gone to Bonesteel. Judge J. D. Selah of Ewing was in Norfolk Tuesday and Wednesday on business and paid The News office a brief visit.

C. H. Brown of Humboldt, Ia., and John Early of Sturgis, S. D., were in the city to inspect the new machinery recently installed at the Sugar City Cereal mills.

Mrs. Robert Roland and two sons of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, and Miss Mable Stevens of Council Bluffs, Ia., are guests of Mrs. Andrew Teal.

Dr. A. F. Conery of Neligh passed through the city today on his way to Omaha where he will enter the Presbyterian hospital for treatment. He was accompanied by his nurse, Miss Belle Retherham. Dr. Conery has been afflicted with an abscess of the lungs and is now suffering with tuberculosis of the stomach, but expects to fully recover his health under the treatment of Dr. C. C. Allison of the hospital staff. Dr. A. Bear of this city was called to Neligh several times to see Dr. Conery.

**FIREMEN WOULD COME**

**TOURNAMENT LAST YEAR CREATED FAVORABLE IMPRESSION.**

**LIKE NORFOLK TOURNAMENT**

**Definite Opinion of Members of the Board of Control to be Received by Wednesday Night, When a Meeting Will be Held.**

That the Nebraska state volunteer firemen feel unusually clever toward Norfolk is evidenced by the fact that they are desirous of coming here with their annual tournament again this summer, and that Norfolk people feel cordial toward the firemen is shown by the fact that the announcement that Norfolk might have the tournament again has aroused enthusiasm among a number of the business men who appreciate how much good to the town and the business interests of the city resulted from the tournament last year.

Those who visited Norfolk last year were well entertained and it is the opinion of some of the firemen that a larger number than before would attend the tournament if it was held here this season.

Al. Marks, of Stanton, a prominent member of the association, was in the city Saturday in company with G. A. Eberly of that town, and he expressed the opinion that if Norfolk wanted the tournament again this summer, a majority of the board would be favorable to again choosing this city. The matter will need to be decided upon at once as the tournament will be held in August.

It is proposed to take the matter up at the department meeting Wednesday night, and it is desired that business men interested should be present and if it is determined that Norfolk can and will entertain the firemen again, the board of control will be so notified and will be invited to set the annual event for Norfolk again this year.

Inasmuch as this event is eagerly solicited by a number of the larger cities of the state, the compliment expressed in the desire to locate the tournament here again for a second time, is one that is flattering indeed to Norfolk.

It is expected to have a definite answer from members of the board of control by Wednesday night so that the local firemen and the business men can take immediate action on the matter.

got back the crafty craft. Miss Pohlman sat on the bank in the heat of the sun, drying out quite thoroughly, before the return trip down stream was made.

**Picnic at Yellowbanks.**  
The senior class of the Norfolk high school will go to the Yellowbanks tomorrow to look for botanical specimens and enjoy a day's outing.

For township plows—flag or wheel scrapers—elevating graders—cutting edges for road machines, or repairs of any kind, write Stroud & Co., Omaha, Neb.

**Peter Juhl Dead.**  
Peter Juhl, who has been suffering from heart trouble for a long time, died this morning at his home two and a half miles west of the city, leaving a wife and a number of small children to mourn his loss. Mrs. Juhl is a daughter of Julius Wiebert. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

**Surprise Party.**  
Friends perpetrated a surprise party upon Harry L. Renhe last night, making a jolly affair of it with games and other amusements.

Below is a list of sales of pianos and organs made by the Sturgeon Music Co., the Norfolk piano men, since the commencement of their opening sale. At the close of this sale we will give away absolutely free to some two of our customers a \$300 piano and a \$75 organ. If you are going to purchase an instrument soon it will pay you to get in on this scheme. Don't forget about it, the time will soon expire.

- C. F. Benton, Verdell, Neb. Farrand organ.
- N. Vanderhoof, St. Edward, Neb. Schubert piano.
- Fred Beckwith, Neligh, Neb. Farrand organ.
- A. H. Cropper, Norfolk, Neb. Farrand organ.
- C. E. Furgeson, Stuart, Neb. Newman Bros' piano.
- Minnie Foltz, Tilden, Neb. Farrand organ.
- A. E. Gore, Spencer, Neb. Schubert piano.
- D. H. Kay, Wakefield, Neb. Sturgeon organ.
- Carrie Storm, Royal, Neb. Story & Clark piano.
- Ervin Stringfellow, Oakdale, Neb. Howard piano.
- Chas. Snider, Tilden, Neb. Schubert piano.
- E. A. Walker, Stuart, Neb. Schubert piano.
- Frank Dobney, Stuart, Neb. Farrand organ.
- L. M. Caville, Fairfax, S. D. Sturgeon organ.
- Wm. F. Anderson, Fairfax, S. D. Story & Clark piano.
- Ella Hauptli, Norfolk, Neb. Farrand organ.
- W. P. Cauning, Verdell, Neb. Newman Bros' organ.
- A. M. Church, Atkinson, Neb. Farrand organ.
- H. A. Obershaw, Clouster, Neb. Farrand organ.
- Elna Halbert, Emerick, Neb. Farrand organ.
- Geo. Hunter, Oakdale, Neb. Howard piano.
- Milard Green, Norfolk, Neb. Farrand organ.
- John Browning, Clearwater, Farrand organ.
- Mary C. Oline, Monroe Story & Clark piano.
- C. W. Reed, Winside, Newman Bros' organ.
- Geo. H. Mathew, Gross, Neb. Farrand organ.
- P. Billeter, Butte, Neb. Farrand organ.
- W. B. Sherbahn, Emerson, Neb. Schubert piano.
- M. Philben, Monowi, Neb. Farrand organ.
- M. Moolich, Norfolk, Neb. Schubert piano.
- D. W. Hoar, Bonesteel, S. Dak. Erhbolt organ.
- K. L. Flisram, Bonesteel, S. Dak. Farrand organ.
- N. N. Vroman, Fairfax, S. Dak. S. & C. organ.
- J. H. Heying, Fairfax, S. Dak. Farrand organ.
- Lena Dorman, Wakefield, Neb. Sturgeon organ.
- Josepha Morten, Hartington. Newman Bros' piano.
- J. K. Elliott, Hartington. Schubert piano.
- M. E. Ely, Hartington, Neb. Schubert piano.
- Mrs. R. Lewis, Meadow Grove, Neb. W. C. organ.
- John Hoffman, Fairfax, S. Dak. S. & C. organ.
- W. M. McClintock, Verdell, Neb. Newman Bros' piano.
- Mike Philben, Monowi, Neb. Farrand organ.
- J. W. Scott, Fairfax, S. Dak. Mowfield organ.
- L. S. Willoughby, Bonesteel, S. Dak. Sturgeon organ.
- D. W. McDonald, Neligh, Neb. Newman Bros' piano.
- Ethyl Warwick, Oakdale, Neb. Howard piano.
- John Kalol, Stuart, Neb. Farrand organ.
- Noah Ross, Laurel, Neb. Newman Bros' piano.
- Mrs. B. P. Pippin, Norfolk, Neb. Schubert piano.
- J. H. Katherman, Madison, Neb. Sturgeon organ.
- Sam Lann, Bonesteel, S. Dak. Farrand organ.

**FINED FOR ILLEGAL VOTE**

**JOSEPH STOLESPART IS FOUND GUILTY IN ROCK COUNTY.**

**JUDGE OLSON MAKES HIM PAY**

**Baseball Games Held in Northern Nebraska—Oakdale Beats Gates Academy—Ainsworth Defeats Long Pine in Very Close Game—Bank Change.**

Bassett, Neb., May 9.—Special to The News: Joseph Stolspart was tried before County Judge E. Olson and found guilty of voting illegally. He was fined \$50 and costs. It is understood that the case will be appealed to the district court.

**Tea Party.**  
Mrs. Darius Mathewson gave a delightful tea to the members of the Woman's missionary society yesterday afternoon. Supper was served in four courses. Dainty cards painted by the hostess designated the places. An interesting program was given by the ladies.

**DAY UP BONESTEEL LINE**

**LINCOLN COMMERCIAL CLUB ENJOYED TRIP.**

**NORTH NEBRASKA IS THE BEST**

**Stopping at Every Town on the Road. They Were Given a Glad Hand by the Citizens of the New Northwest. Dinner at Lynch—Accident.**

The special train carrying Lincoln jobbers arrived in Norfolk from their trip up the Bonesteel line at 5:30 this morning and left shortly after for the west, so far as Long Pine. They will return during the night as far as Oakdale and go over the southern branch tomorrow, reaching Lincoln at 6:30.

They were delighted with their trip up the Bonesteel branch. It was a great day for them and opened their eyes to things they had never known existed before. Now they realize that northern Nebraska is the best part of Nebraska, after all, and that it is going to be independent before so very long.

They were given a hearty welcome at every town on the line. At Lynch they ate dinner and at Bonesteel supper. Norfolk men who accompanied the visitors up the line enjoyed every minute of the journey.

The train stopped at Hadar, Pierce, Foster, Plainview, Creighton, Winterton, Verdell, Niobrara, Verdell, Monowi, Lynch, Beletow, Spencer, Anoka, Fairfax and Bonesteel.

From Anoka they drove over to Butte. During the drive one of the rigs broke down, precipitating the occupants to the road, but no one was injured.

Every town made a good impression. Every town there is prosperous, growing, solid and permanent.

Sioux City jobbers are now planning to make the trip up to Bonesteel. They want the wholesale trade, they say. They think it is worth going after.



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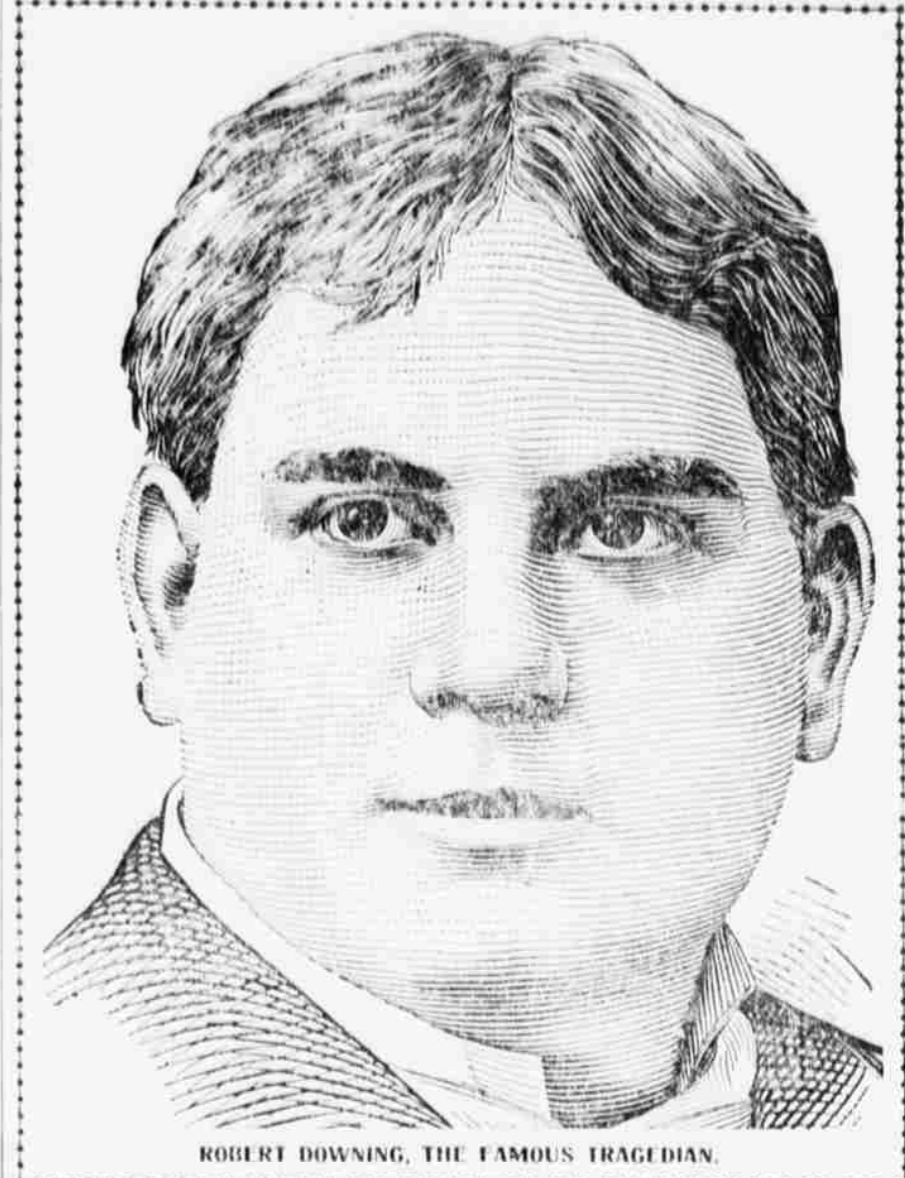
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