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WHO ARE THE EIGHT TO WED?

THAT IS THE QUESTION WHICH IS PUZZLING NOW.

ARE PLANNING THEIR TRIPS

The Leap Year Club Has Not Decided to Announce all of the Names, but the Silent Detective Knows Every Single One Intending to Marry.

[From Saturday's Daily] "I'd like to know," suggested Curious Cora when she had rustled into the midst of the assembled Leap Year girls last night, "how on earth that newspaper ever found out about all of those eight weddings that are going to be held in June. Who told? Fess up. Cheer up, girls, who told?"

That's what puzzled the whole bunch. And just who constitute the eight young women who are to pack their trousseaus for the matrimonial month of June this season, is a question that has been making life miserable to more than a hundred gossips in the city during the past few days.

"Who are the eight?" ask the inquisitively inclined. "Where did you get that data?" continuing, they inquire.

But since they are unknown to more than three women in the city of Norfolk and not even that many girls who ought to be next to every approaching wedding, there have been few answers to the riddle.

One of the weddings is going to happen on South Fourth street. A second will take place on North Ninth. A third, and this will really start the procession, is coming off at a very swell home on the north side of Norfolk avenue, near its western terminal. A fourth which hasn't been positively set is going to happen a little farther up the street and there will be another just this side and on the same side of the street. That makes six. Then there will be a seventh down on The Heights, which makes all but one. And the eighth—the ending eighth, which has been so much of a puzzle to the best of them—well, the eighth may be announced next week, providing the announcement is released by the Leap Year club. The secretary knows and the bride and the groom, besides, but for seven more days the public can't know who they are.

The Trips.

The question of the wedding trips has been agitating the minds of the sixteen that are to leave their single days. Some of them have been making inquiry at the railroad offices as to how the country up west is looking at this season of the year; others are planning to take in the world's fair enroute; a couple are going east and still another pair would venture to the southland. Not all will go away at all—some of them will go right to housekeeping and will make their honeymoon perpetual.

Engaged Girls.

Some of the engagement rings which have been hidden in the jewel box on top of the dresser, are coming out with the summer's sun and are sparkling in the moonlight, now that they are given a chance. There is one engagement ring in town which the wearer says isn't an engagement ring at all, and she is quite aggressive with young men who are willing to take her word for it.

The boating season draws nigh and some of the girls who are alleged to be engaged to absent men, are taking advantage of the opportunities which the boating on the Northfork affords.

During the week one girl who had been promised a canoe ride for many moons, was invited to go out on the river. "I'd like to," she replied, "but you see, I've just announced my wedding for the first of June, and I'm afraid I can't go."

DEATH OF FRANK O'SHEA.

Prominent and Respected Citizen of Newman Grove.

Last Thursday morning at 6:15 o'clock the spirit of Frank O'Shea passed to the great beyond where we are told there is neither sorrow nor death. Frank was taken with a peculiar illness last fall and while he was not bedfast at first nor his physical condition seemingly injured, yet his mind weakened as time passed.

After first positively assuring themselves it was best, Frank was taken by his brothers to the St. Bernard hospital at Omaha where it was hoped he might regain his mental strength, but all that loving hands and the best of medical skill in Omaha could do failed to help the patient.

As time went on he gradually grew worse and the best and most skilled physicians were summoned but to no

avail, and some differed as to the cause of his failing condition.

Hopeless as his case seemed his relatives on May 4 took him to Norfolk to Dr. Salter's sanitarium under the care of Dr. Mackay of that place. Dr. Mackay expressed hopes of the patient's recovery while the three brothers and one sister were constantly at his bedside, anxiously waiting for a change for the better until the angel of death closed his lips and eased all earthly pain.

His death, of course, is felt most keenly by his relatives, but the news was a piercing sting to the hearts of his intimate friends in Newman Grove. He was a favorite among us all and his departure to that mysterious land has cast a shadow of gloom which time alone can remove. Frank was kind to all and possessed a forgiving spirit that few entertain. If any wrong act or deed was committed when in company with others he was first to censure self. While Frank has left us, his many noble deeds remain in our hearts.

Frank O'Shea was born in Pike county, Mo., March 13, 1857, and died at Norfolk May 12, 1904, aged 47 years and 29 days. In the fall of 1871 he came with his parents to Madison county, locating a few miles north of Madison. In 1880 he went west, locating at Leadville, Colo., where he was later honored as foreman for a silver and lead mine. After spending a few years here he traveled through Idaho, California and other western states until the fall of 1891 when he came to Newman Grove and associated himself in the real estate business with his brother John, and where he has since made his home. During their residence here the deceased has been prosperous and accumulated considerable property.

Funeral services were held from the Catholic church at Madison Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery at that place beside those of his mother who preceded him a number of years ago. The funeral was largely attended, many coming from a distance to pay their last respects to the dead.

Deceased leaves his aged father, four brothers and one sister, Tom, Ed, and Ella residing at Madison and John and Peter at Humphrey.—Newman Grove Reporter.

BATTLE CREEK.

Battle Creek, Neb., May 26.—Special to The News: John Risk, Jr., will quit his position as clerk at Joseph Severa's store this week and John Lund will take his place.

The \$3,000 company stallion, a French percheron, died last night after an illness of twenty-eight hours of inflammation of the bowels. The main stockholders were L. G. Westerveld and William Wagner of Norfolk; August Haebner of Hadar; Roy Alvey of Meadow Grove; and F. J. Hale, Joe Osborne, Warner Daniel, T. D. Proctor, and others of Battle Creek and other surrounding towns.

Ernest Hans, the 45-year-old and only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hans, was taken ill with ear trouble about two days ago. The boy, whose parents are well known to Norfolk people, is in a very critical condition. It was found necessary by the home physician, Dr. Tanner, to take the patient to Omaha for hospital treatment, as it is thought an abscess had formed in the ear. He was accompanied by his parents.

Seventy-three carloads of stock were shipped from this place during the month of April. Is there a town of the same size in the state that can beat it?

Public schools will close Friday for the summer vacation. Al Ommerman of Norfolk was transacting business here.

A. L. Best is going to build an addition to his hotel. The addition will be 28x52 feet, two stories high.

Lambert Krbel of Tilden was visiting here at the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Severa.

Five carloads of stock were shipped from here to Omaha Monday and Henry Massman shipped two of steers.

J. R. Gardels is having his building remodelled and extended. Emil Vollberg of Wisner who was here in the saloon business four years ago, visited in Battle Creek Tuesday.

P. F. Zimmerman is sawing lumber at the E. F. Hans farm, five miles east.

Edward and Fred Fuerst started Tuesday by team to Hooker and Cherry Tuesday by team to Hooker and Cherry counties, with the intention of taking advantage of the Kinkaid homestead bill.

Democratic caucuses will be held in Battle Creek and Highland precincts Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Blank leases at The News office.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK DUE

SWEET GIRL GRADUATES NEVER LOOKED SWEETER.

SOMETHING DOING EVERY HOUR

On Friday Night of Next Week Will Come the Graduation Exercises at the Auditorium and on Saturday Will be the Alumni Banquet.

[From Saturday's Daily] Next week will be commencement week all over the state of Nebraska and the sweet girl graduates are counting the days—the hours, almost, until they shall have an opportunity to line up before the eyes of their admiring friends, and look their prettiest. It is the most important week in their lives until their wedding days come along, and it has been said by some who have had experience in both lines that the graduation makes the heart leap a trifle faster even than the wedding week.

From now on until next Saturday night there will be something doing to keep the young men and women excited, who are about to receive their diplomas from the boards of education throughout the district. The June days are coming just in time to enjoy the exercises and there will be flowers and music and music in the very air.

The beginning of the final week's work for the senior members of the high school, is tomorrow night with the baccalaureate sermon at the Congregational church and continues with a busy program from now on until the whole crowd shall have been received as full fledged members of the alumni association. The junior day program in which the school bids farewell to the departing upper classmen, is always full of interest for the members and their friends.

Upon this occasion little "roasts" which allude to the various events that have happened during the course of the year, are brought into clever play.

The commencement exercises in their real, official form, come on Friday evening at the Auditorium in this city, when the twenty-three young folk who have completed their studies in the public schools, will step out into the cold, cruel world.

On the following evening the alumni association will tender a banquet to the incoming class at Marquardt hall, which promises to be a most enjoyable affair.

Already the bookstores and the drug stores and other stores, besides, have begun to be filled with those who are searching for graduating gifts. The postoffice clerks note, too, that there is an especially heavy bunch of mail matter going through and they are reminded of Christmas.

Final examinations have been completed.

MONDAY MENTION.

J. O. Stewart of Wisner was in Norfolk.

J. A. Kline was a Sunday visitor from Neligh.

J. W. Stout was down from Plainview yesterday.

W. E. Brannon was a Sunday visitor from Wayne.

J. E. Wallick was a city visitor yesterday from Albion.

C. S. Atkinson was down from Fairfax, S. D., yesterday.

H. D. Wiggins was a Norfolk Sunday visitor from Clearwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Veigers are enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Lind, of Sioux City.

Mrs. O. J. Johnson returned Saturday from a week's visit at West Point.

Mrs. Lanly was up from Leigh yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. J. Hibben.

Judson Mallory of Neligh visited in town yesterday on his way home from a trip to Omaha.

Mrs. C. P. Parish has returned from Grand Junction, Ia., where she was called by the death of her father.

Mrs. J. C. Aid of Council Bluffs was in Norfolk yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. J. Hibben.

Miss Elizabeth Rees has resigned her position with the Norfolk schools, to accept a position in the Lincoln schools next year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bon and Mrs. H. M. Springer, Mrs. Hussong, Mrs. Brainard, Miss Brainard, Miss Nellie Clugman and C. H. Torpin were down from Oakdale yesterday to attend the Hibben funeral.

E. C. Harris passed through the city enroute home from the state convention and a business trip in the eastern part of the state, to Chadron.

George B. Christoph left yesterday for Chicago in response to a message informing him that his father was very low and likely to die in one of

offices will not tolerate the twenty hospitals of that city. His father had gone from his home in Iowa to have an operation performed.

The West Side whist club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. J. Baum tomorrow evening.

West Point Republican: Miss Ophelia Palmer and Ed. Anderson of Norfolk took out a marriage license here yesterday.

J. W. Edwards went to Cornlea, Neb., yesterday to shoe a company horse, worth \$3,500. He received \$4.00 for going, besides his expenses.

This section of the state has been getting more rain during recent weeks than the country to the southeast. The shower of this morning cooled the atmosphere in good shape.

Wayne Democrat: Next week Maguire Westland, for so long road boss on this division, will take charge of a track laying gang of 60 men, commencing work at South Sioux City, and laying 80-pound steel rails from there to Norfolk. The new track will be a big improvement, making the road bed for factor time.

Amesworth Star Journal: Word reaches the Star-Journal office that the interior department and the land department are filing on adjacent lands on all claims, entitled upon the approval of the Kinkaid bill. This will prove quite a disappointment to those who wanted to get sections and selling ranches for speculative purposes. This is as it should be.

Preston C. Brooks, a colored youth of twenty years, was taken through Norfolk Saturday noon in charge of federal officers, enroute to Omaha where he will be tried on the charge of robbing the United States mails at Fort Robinson. For some time there have been letters with money in them, missed at the fort. Friday a number of decoy letters were mailed and before the sack left town the bag was examined. The decoy letters were gone. They were found in the possession of Brooks. He will be held in Omaha a prisoner until the fall term side of the ledger.

Word has been received by relatives here that Mrs. George Gordon, an aged colored lady who lived in Norfolk for many years, is dying at her recent home in Sioux Falls, S. D., and one of her daughters, Mrs. Sadie Tobias, has gone to Sioux Falls. Mrs. Gordon is the mother of Jane Johnson and Frances Coleman, well known in Norfolk, and grandmother of Bert Gordon. Mrs. Gordon was highly respected here. Her husband is buried in the cemetery here. He was a company cook during the civil war and his grave is one of those annually decorated on May 30 by the surviving soldiers of that conflict.

Riders of bicycles are complaining of the activity of the man or boy who is responsible for punctures. Some of the riders of wheels are finding pins thrust through the air tube, while others are making their work more effective by slitting the rubber with a sharp knife. One Main street rider has had his tires slit three times and the action has become so decidedly monotonous and expensive that he has resolved to keep watch and the first thing the fiend with the knife or the pin is detected there will be something doing that will not be so funny, while the expense will be on the other side of the ledger.

Pierce Leader: C. A. Reimers, Jr., returned Monday afternoon from Annapolis, Maryland, where he took and successfully passed the physical examination required to enter the naval academy. Previous to this he was in Washington, D. C., and passed the mental examination at that place. He is required to report at Annapolis on the 15th of June to take up his school duties, and will remain there for four years before he can permanently go on board a ship, although every summer he will be allowed to cruise on a vessel, but must return to take up his studies at the academy in the fall. On his way home from Annapolis Chris visited with his father at Sioux Falls, S. D.

Nebraska Wins Track Meet.

Lincoln, Neb., May 23.—In one of the swiftest track meets in the history of the state, the Nebraska university defeated Minnesota yesterday afternoon by a score of 62 to 55 points. The mile record was shaved by the state of Nebraska to 4:42 1/2. The contest was alive with sensational features and the spectators got the worth of their money all the time the athletes were on the cinders.

Minnesota got both places in the 100-yard dash. Not a thing did she get in the pole vault, the shot-put or the two-mile run. Nebraska lost out on the relay race and the 100-yard dash.

Even the best married man knows a young girl he flirts with a little.

WORK OF ROBBER GANG

POSSIBLE THAT THERE IS A DEN OF THIEVES.

THIEVES CANNOT BE TRACED

Numerous Robberies Throughout the New Northwest Looks Like an Organized Effort of a Bold Gang of Bandits—Take Supplies.

The robbery of the Creighton meat market early Saturday morning or during the night preceding and the bold getaway which the intruders made with the 200 bacon, makes it seem possible and even probable that the meats were stolen for the purpose of carrying to a robbers' den at some distance from the place, and to with it keep the burglars alive.

During the past year there have been numerous robberies of one sort and another in northern Nebraska. If there has not been a very long time since the Flying Dutchman was blown and cash scattered, again the store at Foster was entered and robbed of a good deal. Then came the other bank robberies—that at Melem and that at Napier. Several stores in Norfolk have been touched for money in less large amounts during the season.

There seems to be an organized band that is doing all the work. It hasn't been a great while since there was a crowd who entered a North street bank and followed and finally captured over near Barwell. It seems likely that there is a hiding place somewhere in northern Nebraska to which the robbers invariably go to the robbery at Verdigris last winter is another case of it.

Hints that have been put on the trail have never been able to trace the thieves for any satisfactory distance and the chase has always been given up after a few hours or so of futile following.

The lack of railroads and of communication throughout the inland district of the new northwest affords an excellent place for the retreating thieves and the scarcity of human beings along some of the untraveled paths makes it quite comfortably safe for them to do these deeds.

TUESDAY TIDINGS.

A. R. Oleson was a city visitor from Wisner.

Jeremiah Lynch was a Norfolk visitor from Iowa.

Mrs. W. A. Beeble was down from Bonesteel this morning.

Mrs. G. Davis of Neligh was shopping in the city yesterday.

Miss Peters of Stanton was a visitor in Norfolk yesterday.

Ed. J. E. Simpson is much improved in health though still weak.

Frank S. Wright of Meadow Grove had business in Norfolk yesterday.

T. P. Barber of Omaha, special correspondent for the New York Herald, passed through the city from Lead City, S. D.

Prof. M. G. Deering was down from Battle Creek to attend the farewell reception given Prof. M. B. Singer at Christ Lutheran church last night.

Charles Viterna of Lynch, assistant cashier of the Boyd county bank, was in Norfolk this morning enroute home from St. Paul where he had been on the excursion. Mr. Viterna reports that there was an immense mob on the trip—there was no excuse for the trip aside from the rates. A snappy game was pulled off between Minneapolis and Louisville, which resulted in a shut-out for Minneapolis.

There was a contrast in the weather since Sunday, which was the hottest day of the year, the thermometer registering ninety degrees in the shade, while yesterday and today have been cool and almost chilly enough for fire and top coats.

A night blooming cereus in blossom at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brueggeman on Madison avenue last night attracted a large number of their neighbors and friends, and the blossom unfolded was one worth seeing, and the fragrance of the choicest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Wesner of 122 Third street, Council Bluffs, Iowa, have issued invitations to the marriage of their sister, Miss Nellie Grace Ferguson of that city to Mr. Edmund Ray Hayes of Norfolk, to take place on the afternoon of June 9. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes expect to be at home to their friends in Norfolk after June 13.

C. E. Hartford states that the board of control is waiting somewhat anxiously to hear from the committee that has been doing the soliciting for the proposed state firemen's tournament to be held in Norfolk this summer, and says that he is expected to report not later than Wednesday night, by which time the committee

should have completed the work. His report goes to Chairman McNeil of the board of control at Kearney.

Ewing Advocate: On Monday night, May 16, some miserable specimen of humanity broke into E. J. Spittler's butcher shop by prying open the front door, and carried away smoked meats to the value of \$10. The act was committed either by a stranger or a thing in human form. Any man acquainted with Mr. Spittler that was hungry and needed meat to eat, and no money to buy, could have got all they needed by just stating the facts to him, as he never refuses to give to those who are in need.

Fremont Tribune: The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mrs. Mary Lyons and children who left Fremont on April 15 for Walla Walla, Wash., and were lost to the husband and other relatives after coming to Fremont has been solved. A letter just received by Sheriff Rammann from Mr. Lyons conveys the information that the missing ones are in South Dakota, and that they went there direct from Fremont. It is presumed that the woman desired to establish residence in the northern state so she can secure a divorce. Lyons says that he got his information from the attorney for Mrs. Ogden. The letter in the woman in whose company Mrs. Lyons left state and two children started for Fremont, somewhere they were to go to Washington state. Mrs. Ogden is now in California.

"It strikes me," remarked a local man in the city yesterday, "that it would be in fact gain to run an examination into Norfolk at a remarkably cheap rate from the new northwest. There are hundreds and even thousands of people up on the Bonesteel branch of the Northwestern as well as west to Long Pine and Amesworth, who have been used to going through Norfolk and who would be glad to drop in for a day's outing. If we want to get acquainted with them, why not invite them down here some day? St. Paul did it last week with no possible excuse and thousands went. Eleven cars rolled out of Sioux City. Many of those towns north of Verdigris never knew Norfolk was on the map until within the past year. They used to go by river to Sioux City or overland to Yankton. Norfolk is now the place to come. Why not organize a commercial club and talk it over. Why not get together?"

The merchants of the little town of Hoskins, where there is no newspaper, are doing things which prove valuable lessons to those of cities many times larger. B. E. Fenner & Co. and P. S. Benson are getting out little newspapers of their own once a week—papers containing the news of their streets. They are holding special sales on certain things every fifth week and they are using the rural routes, paying postage on their posters and printing, besides, to let the prospective patrons know what is going on. It is needless to say that they are making it win. Their success at this venture is merely a demonstration of the fact that the same principles apply to country stores as city stores—that the same sort of human beings buy in a small town as in a large one. Messrs. Fenner and Benson of Hoskins are carrying out on a small scale at Hoskins just what the department stores of the city pay \$50,000 a year for newspaper space, to do. The special sales are leaders and they draw.

Small Blaze Suppressed.

Guy Massick discovered a small blaze creeping up on the barn of Geo. A. Staphenhorst Sunday afternoon and notified Mr. Staphenhorst, who extinguished it with a couple of buckets of water. No damage was done.

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