

THIRD DISTRICT REPUBLICANS

COMMITTEE HELD MEETING IN NORFOLK LAST NIGHT.

OPEN THIRD WEEK OF AUGUST

Representatives From All Counties Excepting Cedar Were Here—Outlook Seemed to Appear to Congressmen McCarthy and Committee.

A meeting of the republican congressional central committee for the Third district was held in Norfolk at the Pacific hotel parlors last evening to discuss matters leading up to the active campaign work and give the situation a pre-campaign canvass. Congressman McCarthy of Ponca was present, as was also his private secretary, Judge Fales of the same place. The campaign will not open actively until about the third week in August or the first of September, and at that time Judge Fales will be over to choose headquarters and get things in readiness for the campaign work.

The officers elected by the committee were: Judge Fales, chairman; Jack Koenigstein of this city, secretary and treasurer, and E. R. Gurney of Fremont chairman of the press bureau. The committee and the candidate were pleased with the preliminary outlook for the campaign work and confidence was expressed that the majority for McCarthy at the coming election would be larger than that he received two years ago.

Every county except Cedar was represented at the meeting, the following of the committee being present:

Geo. M. Seymour of Elgin for Antelope county.

R. F. Williams of Albion for Boone.

P. L. Rork of Tekamah for Burr.

J. K. Baker of Beemer for Cumming.

C. D. Marr of Fremont for Dodge.

A. F. Enos of Stanton, proxy for W. Young, for Stanton county.

W. L. Needham of Bloomfield for Knox.

Dr. Maxwell of Dakota City for Dakota.

Dr. O'Connell of Ponca for Dixon.

W. H. McNeill of Wayne for Wayne.

J. M. McDonald of Pender for Thurston.

W. L. Mote of Plainview for Pierce.

M. L. Rossiter of Silver Creek for Merrick.

J. A. Osborn of Genoa for Nance.

F. L. Wertz of Schuyler for Colfax.

R. G. Strothers of Monroe for Platte.

Jack Koenigstein of Norfolk for Madison.

Editor Elliott of the West Point Republican was an interested visitor at the meeting, as was also Carl Cramer of Columbus. S. R. McFarland, chairman of the Madison county central committee and Postmaster John R. Hays were present.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EXCURSION

Nebraska Will Go to San Francisco on a Special Train.

Nebraska Knights Templar are anticipating an enjoyable trip to San Francisco early in September to participate in the meeting of that organization there. Nebraska members and their families and friends will leave in a special train on September 1, visiting at Salt Lake enroute. One car of the train is to be devoted to the people of Norfolk and tributary towns and one car is expected to be filled from Fremont and vicinity. Omaha and Lincoln and other cities south of the Platte will make up the balance of the excursion. Not only will the trip out and back in such company prove enjoyable, but San Francisco promises to do the right thing during the meeting and it is expected that the lodge will be better entertained than at any previous meeting, the rumor being abroad here that the members of a certain wealthy lodge of that city have been assessed \$5,000 apiece for the entertainment of the visitors. The city will be wide open to the members and about anything they want will be as free as water.

MONDAY MENTION.

H. Kinsel and A. J. West of Wisner were in the city Saturday night for initiation into the Elks lodge.

F. J. Pratt, T. F. Tiescutter and B. W. Ryan of Humphrey were in the city Saturday to attend Elks' lodge.

Miss Leona Creal, who has been visiting Mrs. M. J. Romig for the past three weeks, left last evening with her little niece, Helen Shaw, for her home in Neligh.

Rev. C. A. Gleason, pastor of the Congregational church at West Point, is in the city, the guest of A. N. McGinnis. He has been spending his vacation with his brother in Dixon county and is now on his way home.

James R. Pain, now superintending the construction of a federal building at Hastings, was summoned by wire to return to Norfolk Saturday on inspection of the new postoffice here. Mrs. Pain, who has been ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lulkaart in this city, is better.

The militia boys of company L, together with the Madison and the Stanton companies, have practically completed arrangements to attend state encampment at David City, leaving home tomorrow morning.

C. B. Salter and Conductor Beech, who filed on claims in the Rosebud country, have returned from Bonesteel. They say that everything is quiet. Money from the government building is taken to the train every night, un-

der guard, and shipped out of town.

Frank Deuel, living seven miles from the city on rural route No. 2, has some plum trees in bearing that are producing fruit as large as a hen's egg, and the quality is very superior, as shown by the samples left at this office. They are of the large yellow variety, shaded with red.

The fishing season does not seem likely to close in this vicinity until the law says it shall end, as there is as much interest, apparently as ever in these dog days in the chase after the members of the finny tribe, and scores of disciples are out each day trying for a nibble of the few fish remaining.

Lincoln Journal: Trainmaster Roach and General Superintendent C. C. Hughes of the Northwestern at Norfolk, were in the city Friday evening. Superintendent Hughes was shown about the city by General Agent McGinnis and a review of the business now being handled by the Northwestern for Lincoln patrons was considered. In the end Mr. Hughes said he thought Lincoln deserved better service from the Northwestern, and he said he had no doubt it would be given to this city in the near future.

This is the first time during an otherwise cool and wet summer that there has been any positive demand for the use of the lawn water, and for several days more city water has undoubtedly been used than during the entire preceding season. Not only has it been considered necessary to wet the lawns and gardens to make them grow, but there has been a demand for the refreshing coolness that a liberal sprinkling of water will bring and the dust has shown a tendency to rise and envelop things that have been suppressed by the same means.

OLLIE CAGLE IS AT HOME

DEPARTED WELL AND STRONG; RETURNS WEAK AND WOUNDED.

THOUGHT TO BE BETTER TODAY

The probabilities are that the young man who was injured in the State Firemen's tournament may recover, but to what extent is not yet known. The young man who was injured in the State Firemen's tournament may recover, but to what extent is not yet known. The young man who was injured in the State Firemen's tournament may recover, but to what extent is not yet known.

A Pathetic Spectacle. Grand, indeed, must his homecoming have seemed to him, where he has been raised and among his many friends, with whom he grew to manhood, and with whom he spent many a happy hour in childhood. The Ollie Cagle of today is not the Ollie Cagle of a little over a week ago. When he left his happy and commodious home at that time, Ollie Cagle was a picture of health, a young man who was robust and in the pink of condition. Saturday he returned a different man—feeble, poor in appearance and suffering intensely. Sympathy was spontaneous at the sight as he stepped from that train. But he is better today and his friends are more encouraged.

SCOTT TAKEN TO MADISON.

Man Charged With Striking Cagle Locked in County Jail.

Joseph Scott, who was arrested and brought to Norfolk from York for the alleged assaulting of Ollie Cagle, has been taken to Madison and lodged in the county jail there for safe keeping. He was handcuffed for the trip.

"This is all I have about this business, men," he said to the officers, as he was placed in the iron cage.

W. W. Wait, his brother-in-law, who came to furnish bond, feels confident that it will be proven that Scott is not the man. "I have a number of witnesses who will swear to the fact that it was not Scott who struck the man," said Mr. Wait.

Friends at York, by telephone offered bond.

Concerning the character of Scott, who was brought back to Norfolk, a dispatch from York says:

York, Neb., Aug. 15.—Joseph Scott, a member of the York fire department who participated in the contests at Norfolk, was a much surprised boy when the chief of police of Norfolk arrived in York and placed him under arrest, charging him with assault.

A graver and more serious charge hangs over Scott if the young man who is now at the point of death at Norfolk should die.

Joseph Scott has lived in York nearly all his life and his parents are highly respected. He is now employed at the Dowerie-Wright foundry. This is the first time Scott has been placed under arrest.

It is alleged that Scott, with other firemen, while celebrating the victories met a young man who was assisting a woman through the crowded streets and knocked him down on the cement pavement, striking his head in such a manner that the skull is fractured near the base of the brain. Scott is not vicious and his many friends are surprised to learn of the trouble.

Ten Inning Game.

The Pilger and Stanton ball teams had an interesting ball game at the former town that took ten innings to decide. The Pilger team making five runs in the tenth that made the score 14 to 9. The batteries were: Pilger, Swartz and Larink; Stanton, Nicholson and Person; umpire, Anderson. Pilger got 15 hits and made five errors; Stanton took nine hits and made four errors.

MILITIA LEAVES TUESDAY

COMPANY GETS MARCHING ORDER FOR ENCAMPMENT.

ARE GOING TO DAVID CITY

Notice Has Been Received, Also, That Dr. Frank H. Nicholson, Relative of Norfolk Family, is Made Major of First Regiment.

Captain Chester A. Fuller, company L, Second Regiment, Nebraska National guard, has received orders for the marching of the Norfolk soldiers to the state encampment. The company will leave Norfolk at 6:20 o'clock Tuesday morning. They will ride over the Chicago & Northwestern railroad.

Notice was also received that Dr. Frank H. Nicholson of St. Paul, Neb., a cousin of the Salters of Norfolk, has been promoted from assistant surgeon of the Second regiment to surgeon of the First regiment with the rank of major. He was popular with the Second regiment.

Company L soldier baseball players were defeated in a game at Wayne, 12 to 3. Wayne ran in professionals from Sioux City, Wakefield and other towns. The Norfolk boys played snappy ball.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Earl Blakeman left on the noon train for eastern Iowa to spend his vacation with relatives.

Mrs. Matt Shafter and daughters, Hattie and Bertha, left for Chicago for a three weeks' visit.

Mr. Albert and family and August Buholtz of Plainview were guests at the C. O. Laubach home on First street yesterday.

County surveyor W. H. Lowe left on the noon train for Pierce where he will lay out an addition to that progressive and hustling town.

Miss Ada Isom was in the city from Allen.

Mrs. May Doane was a city visitor from Bonesteel.

R. A. Roberts was up from Albion yesterday.

J. G. Willis was a Norfolk visitor from West Point.

Mrs. D. M. Baker of Wayne visited in Norfolk yesterday.

Mrs. Beatrice Johnson was a Norfolk visitor from Colver.

A. M. Day and M. D. Day of Osmond were visitors in Norfolk yesterday.

J. A. Williams came down from Pierce on the early morning train.

Ralph Raasch has gone to Hot Springs, S. D., for an outing of three weeks.

Fred H. Free of Plainview was in the city this morning attending to business and meeting former friends.

Henry B. Allen of Madison, one of the lucky holders of numbers in the Rosebud drawing, was in the city over night.

Presiding Elder F. M. Sisson, providing his strength will permit, will be taken tomorrow to Omaha for an operation in a hospital there for the gall stones from which he has been so seriously suffering recently.

Conductor J. C. Aid, who some time ago removed his family to Council Bluffs to meet the conditions of his run, has now returned to Norfolk and has gone to housekeeping at South Norfolk.

Mrs. Hood has gone to Central City to nurse a typhoid fever patient of Dr. Hoagland, who is practicing at Grand Island.

Eli Doughty of Lake City, Iowa, came in last night for a short visit at the home of his cousin, C. E. Doughty. His daughter Ethel, who has been visiting here the past ten days, returned with him when he left at noon. Lorin Doughty accompanied them home for a week's visit.

C. E. Hartford, Chas. Fayles, Jack Koenigstein, Harry Ward and Harry Loder returned this morning from a fishing trip and outing at the Yellow Banks of two days. They report that the rain was heavier out there and came at an opportune time for that section of the country and was greatly appreciated by the farmers.

Lloyd Cole, little son of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Cole, suffering on a rusty nail and being stepped severely from the resultant pain. The wound was at first feared to be a dangerous one and two surgeons were required to open it and extract the poison. He is resting more easily today.

A very delightful informal gathering of friends at the home of Miss Laura Durland, North Ninth street, gave pleasure plus to a few last evening. A progressive walking stunt was the order of the evening, the young folk taking advantage of the moonlight for a promenade of several miles. Through the clever management of Mr. Ed Mapes of Middletown, N. Y., the line of marchers were headed into Leonard's for a surprise. Like a summer garden, tiny tables dotting the large room and adorned with dainty daisies, the place for refreshment afforded a jolly half hour. Offenhausen's excellent gramophone records were a feature of this particular part of the program. The Sundae were arranged as a complete surprise to Miss Laura Durland as well as to the persons promenading.

The new dress of type in which The News today appears wholly for the first time, comes as another marked improvement in the paper which will without doubt meet cordial appreciation on the part of readers. The new dress is much smaller and more condensed than the old, thus giving the readers more news matter in the given space. It is another step toward a more metropolitan basis. To give all of the news of the day in the briefest, concise form possible; to provide the northwest with the very latest Associated Press dispatches, thus discounting other papers for this territory; to give markets a day ahead of other papers; to give the news of the northwest, quickly and in detail; to be altogether brisk, brief, clean up-to-the-

minute and complete, a daily visitor that is welcome—that is the aim of The News. And it hopes to continue to improve a little bit every day of its life, aided by a cordial support through the northwest.

DEVILS LAKE LANDS.

Little Interest Being Taken in the Ft. Totten Registration.

DEVILS LAKE, N. D., Aug. 16.—The registration for the Ft. Totten lands is not developing nearly the interest that was expected. The total registration to date is only a little more than 3,800 and it is believed that at the close not more than 10,000 will have registered.

So far the Great Northern has made no special rates which lured for any time and is not running popular excursions. Many who paid big prices for concessions are discouraged, while hotel and restaurant keepers who dreamed of fortunes quickly made, have given up hope of paying the extra help they brought from Minneapolis and Duluth to help them through the rush which has not appeared.

Exorbitant prices are still charged for everything. Lodging is held at \$1 in all blocks and rooming houses. Meals are advertised low, but it is hardly possible to get a meal on which one can subsist for five hours for less than 50c. The barbers are also in for advancing prices for their work, and the hair cut and shave which formerly went for 35c is now bringing 50c and 65c.

CAGLE SITTING UP TODAY

PIERCE PEOPLE DEMAND THAT THE GUILTY MAN SUFFER.

HE MAY BE LEFT IN BAD SHAPE

It is feared that he may be left in an unfortunate condition for the rest of his life—Trial of Joseph Scott Comes Next Friday.

PIERCE, Neb., Aug. 16.—Special to The News: Since arriving at his home one mile north of here, Ollie Cagle, the young man who was slugged at Norfolk during the tournament, rests much easier and is about in the same condition as yesterday, although the unfortunate boy has eaten quite freely and has been up and around. He is perfectly rational most of the time and the pain through his head does not seem to trouble him as much as during the first few days at Norfolk.

His improvement is accounted for by the fact that he is among pleasant surroundings and friends, who constantly call upon him. Yesterday he was feeling considerably better and sat under the shady grove at his home. He is by no means out of danger for he is liable to have a relapse at any moment, for the blow which he received upon the head is perilous and may cause him to be in an unfortunate condition for life.

What a lamentable and sad fact it is for such a man as Ollie Cagle to be the innocent victim of some desperate character as the one who struck him! What a pity for Ollie Cagle, a young man who has always borne a most flattering reputation, to be made the victim of a brute who has not the manhood to acknowledge his guilt!

Ollie Cagle was and is a gentleman in every respect of the word and never did anyone an injustice, never thought of harming a soul and this blow which he received must be accounted for. Someone will sooner or later come to the understanding that he is not to be treated with gloves and when the day of trial comes, Ollie Cagle will have his time, for the guilty will have to suffer to the full extent of the law.

It is announced by the authorities in Norfolk that the preliminary hearing of Joseph Scott, charged with assaulting Cagle, will probably be held at Madison on Friday of this week. Cagle being alive, the charge will be made an "assault to do great bodily harm," which will be sufficient to bind the prisoner over to the district court.

You will be glad to know that the fall term of the Omaha Commercial college, of which Rohrbough Brothers are proprietors, will open Sept. 1. If you have not decided what school you are going to attend, we would advise you to send for free advertising literature. This is the largest and best equipped commercial school in Nebraska.

IN STATE CONFERENCE

LUTHERAN MINISTERS IN BIENNIAL SESSION.

PAROCHIAL TEACHERS MEET ALSO

Conference Begins Today and Will Continue for a Week—Delegates Represent the Churches Under the Missouri Synod in Nebraska.

BATTLE CREEK, Neb., Aug. 17.—Special to The News: The state conference of the Missouri synod German Lutheran church began here today, with a large number of ministers and teachers in attendance. This conference is held every two years. It was held in Battle Creek formerly, meeting here twelve years ago, and a session was held in Norfolk several years ago. The conference will continue a week, during which time various matters of interest and importance to the church will be considered, and there will be preaching services by some of the leading ministers.

The teachers of the parochial schools of the same denomination will meet in conference at the same time and place. Battle Creek Lutherans have made preparations for their entertainment while here.

Two hundred and fifty delegates to the conference are expected and nearly half that number arrived in the city last evening to be present at the opening session today.

BEES CHARMED BY MUSIC

CRAWLED INTO CHURCH ORGAN DURING MISSIONFEST.

INCIDENT OCCURRED AT HADAR

No One Was Stung During the Spell Which Seemed to Creep Over the Insects—Miss Dorothy Bauer Was Playing at the Time.

A colony of honey bees charmed by the music of a church organ was the peculiar spectacle that was witnessed at Hadar during the missionfest of Sunday afternoon.

Early in the day, while Miss Dorothy Bauer was playing, the bees began to enter the instrument. She struck at the insects with a handkerchief, but they were persistent little creatures and kept on moving inside.

When the missionfest had ended the organ was opened and the colony of honey-makers was found within. They were apparently charmed by the music. Today they were transferred to a patent hive. No one was stung by the bees, so much were they affected.

The story was brought to Norfolk by August Raasch, Jr.

Notice.

Norfolk, Neb., July 21, 1904.—Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 25th day of August, 1904, at 8 o'clock p. m., there will be held a special meeting of the city council, of the city of Norfolk, Nebraska, at the city hall, for the purpose of making a special assessment of taxes for the year 1904, upon the real estate and in the amounts set forth below, for the payment of expenses of new sidewalks, repairs of sidewalks and cleaning sidewalks.

Haase's Suburban Lots. South half of lot 6, block 6, new sidewalk, \$53.60.

Bear's Addition. Lot 1, block 1, new sidewalk, \$79.21.

Collamer's Addition. Lot 12, block 1, sidewalk repairs, \$2.70.

Dorsey Place Addition. Lot 2, block 5, sidewalk repairs, \$2.50.

Lot 3, block 5, sidewalk repairs, \$3.25.

Lot 14, block 5, sidewalk repairs, \$1.25.

Lot 13, block 5, sidewalk repairs, \$1.90.

Lot 12, block 5, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 11, block 5, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 10, block 5, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 9, block 5, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 12, block 3, new sidewalk, \$25.31.

Lot 13, block 3, new sidewalk, \$25.31.

Lot 11, block 2, mowing weeds, 50 cents.

Lot 10, block 2, mowing weeds, 50 cents.

Lot 13, block 2, mowing weeds, 50 cents.

Lot 14, block 2, mowing weeds, 50 cents.

Dederman's First Addition. Lot 6, block 2, 75 cents.

Lot 7, block 2, \$1.00.

Koenigstein's Addition. Lot 10, block 8, sidewalk repairs, \$2.00.

Lot 9, block 5, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 7, block 3, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

Lot 8, block 3, sidewalk repairs, \$1.00.

Lot 14, block 7, sidewalk repairs, \$8.50.

Lot 1, block 3, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

West 22 feet of lot 3, block 2, sidewalk repairs, \$2.25.

Lot 9, block 5, sidewalk repairs, \$3.25.

Lot 5, block 2, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 4, block 2, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 3, block 2, cleaning sidewalks, 50 cents.

Koenigstein's Second Addition. Lot 14, block 8, sidewalk repairs, \$2.00.

Lots 4 and 5, block 7, sidewalk repairs, \$1.50.

Lot 3, block 7, sidewalk repairs, 30 cents.

Lots 12 and 13, block 8, sidewalk repairs, \$1.00.

Lots 13 and 14, block 2, sidewalk repairs, \$3.75.

Lot 15, block 2, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

Lot 16, block 2, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

Lot 10, block 3, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

Lot 4, block 5, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

Lot 15, block 4, sidewalk repairs, 90 cents.

Lot 14, block 4, sidewalk repairs, 45 cents.

Lot 13, block 4, sidewalk repairs, 45 cents.

Koenigstein's Third Addition. Lot 9, block 7, sidewalk repairs, \$1.25.

Lot 8, block 1, sidewalk repairs, \$1.00.

Lot 12, block 1, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 9, block 7, sidewalk repairs, \$15.00.

Miller's Addition. South half of lot 2, \$2.30.

Lot 3, \$2.75.

Mathewson's Addition. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, block 8, sidewalk repairs, \$10.74.

Lot 9, block 2, sidewalk repairs, \$2.00.

Lot 6, block 1, sidewalk repairs, \$1.00.

Lot 5, block 1, sidewalk repairs, 50 cents.

Lot 4, block 1, sidewalk repairs, 75 cents.

Lot 1, block 1, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 2, block 1, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 3, block 1, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 4, block 1, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 5, block 1, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 6, block 1, cleaning sidewalks, 25 cents.

Lot 3, block 2, cleaning sidewalks, 50 cents.

Lot 4, block 2, cleaning sidewalks, 50 cents.

Lot 5, block 2, cleaning sidewalks, 50 cents.

Pasewalk's Addition. East one-half of lot