

A BASE BALL TOURNAMENT

LOVERS OF GAME HAVE BEEN TALKING ONE FOR NORFOLK.

SERIES OF GOOD GAMES CERTAIN.

Could Offer Prizes That Would Bring the Best Talent in This Section of the State in the Contest and There Would be Good Sport.

A number of business men of Norfolk have been talking up a base ball tournament to be pulled off some time next month and the proposition as presented to them has met with such favor that it is believed the plan could be put in motion with but a few hours' work by someone who would take hold of it properly and assume the management of the affair. It would be a splendid way of closing up a base ball season in a town of this size where there have been no games worth mentioning during the summer and would attract a large number of people interested in that kind of sport.

The proposition is to hold a three days tournament on dates that will not conflict with other attractions in this part of the state, and interest about four of the best country teams in north Nebraska in the game, taking it if possible from the four districts. If thirty business men will put up \$10 each it will provide a guarantee fund of \$300 to assure the purses and it is believed that there would be no difficulty in finding these thirty men who would be interested in that sort of entertainment.

F. E. Davenport is one of the enthusiastic agitators of the proposition and considers it a plan that would win out with a baseball admiring public and with the teams that would participate, and he considers that the thirty men who would stand sponsors for the entertainment would get their money back, and something in addition, from the gate receipts of a baseball hungry community, and undoubtedly many lovers of the sport would be attracted in from the surrounding towns and country.

With this \$300 as a starter it is proposed to offer some good prizes, with a nice winning for the leading team. As it is proposed to divide the money the winning team would receive \$150 for two days' play; the second best would get a purse of \$100, and the other two teams could not lose as they would receive \$25 for their one game. And good, honest playing would be promoted and encouraged, as the big purse would be well worth striving for, and an interesting contest would be the result.

The program as talked of in the rough would be to give a purse of \$75 for the first day's play—\$50 to the winning team and \$25 to the loser. On the second day the same order would prevail, with the exception that there would be two new teams lined up, the winners to receive \$50 and the losers \$25. On the third day it is proposed to have the purse \$150—\$100 to the winning team and \$50 to the losers. With this sort of a program the teams would be encouraged to try for the first place and some good sport would result in a town that has not maintained a team this season.

It is up to someone to take hold of the matter and bring it to a successful termination. There are a number of good teams in this section of the country that could undoubtedly be induced to take a try at such a purse. On the north both Plainview and Verdigris have maintained good teams; to the south there is Humphrey, with a winning team; to the east there are good teams at West Point and Stanton, and west there are a number of teams all along the line, including Tilden, Oakdale, Neligh, Clearwater and Atkinson. It is time right now to work the proposition up if Norfolk is to have the tournament before the season ends.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION

Call the Faithful to Meet at Madison on September 16—List of Delegates to Attend Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the democratic county convention of Madison county, Neb., in accordance with the motion for adjournment which prevailed at the last regular convention held in Battle Creek, Neb., May 22, 1904, is called to meet at Madison in said county on September 16, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the transaction of unfinished business, viz: The nomination of one candidate for county attorney, one candidate for county representative, and one candidate for county commissioner to represent the third district in said county, and for such other business as may properly come before said convention. All delegates from the several precincts regularly elected to the previous convention are entitled to seats in this convention.

JOHN MALONE,

Chairman County Convention.

J. H. MACKAY, Secretary Convention.

The Delegates.

List of delegates at last convention, two precincts not represented:

- Warserville, F. G. Lehman, Herman Boche, Aug. Bergman; Kalamazoo, H. Nathan, J. Nathan, John Jostes; Green Garden, N. Brochle, N. Dohman, N. Christiansen, R. Teust; Jefferson, E. H. Lulkart, J. W. Bush, T. K. Hansen, A. J. Dunlevy; Madison, M. B. Foster, J. C. Reeves, J. B. Donovan, T. F. Memminger, L. Bellings; Battle Creek, F. Hale, Fred Scherer; T. D. Preese, Owen O'Neill, M. G. Doering, H. H. Findum, N. Lund; Fairview, H. Sunderman, J. Stutz, O. Sunderman, Ernest Freudenburg; Union, John Malone, Nic Schmitt, A. Ganser, W. P. Thatch; Valley, R. McKibban, P. Bussey, John S. Craig; Schoolcraft, J. C. Osborne, S. J. Finnegan, T. C. Osborn, Thos. Lestina, Mike Nevothey, F. M. Duphey; Emerick, Wm. Walker, John Mahoney, Aug. Borgmeyer; Shell Creek, P. H. Knott, Wm. Hartwick, J. W. King, E. Denning, C. R. Hlaman;

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Permit from State Board of Health Was Received Yesterday, Making It Possible to Remove the Body—Funeral in Omaha Tomorrow.

The body of Louis Aultman, who was shot and killed by Policeman Carl Pilger in this city on the morning of August 2, just four weeks ago yesterday, and who was buried, after considerable telegraphic communication between Norfolk and Boston, in the Prospect Hill cemetery, will be shipped from this city tomorrow morning over the early Northwestern train and will be interred in a Jewish cemetery in that city tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Services will be held in the Russian Jewish church.

The remains will be removed from the grave in Prospect Hill this afternoon, a permit having been received from the state board of health yesterday afternoon. The expense of removal and transportation is borne by citizens of Norfolk.

All of the expense of burial in the Omaha cemetery will be paid by the Hebrew club of Omaha.

Aultman's body was buried in the present grave just three weeks ago last Saturday. At first it was thought the body would be sent to a medical college as it was an unclaimed body. Sam Aultman of Boston, father of the man who was killed, saw the announcement of the shooting in the Associated Press dispatches, wired to Norfolk for a description and later claimed the body as that of his son. He demanded that the remains be sent to Boston but there was no way in which to meet the expense. A compromise was made by burial in Prospect Hill.

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THE MEN OBEYED ORDERS

MARBLE FITTERS QUIT JOB BECAUSE INSTRUCTED.

WORK ON GOVERNMENT BUILDING

The International Marble Workers Union Would Not Allow Two of Its Members to Work With Non Union Men.

A strike of marble fitters at the new government building did not seriously interfere with the progress of that institution. It seems that two men have been here placing the marble slabs in position who belong to the International Marble Workers union. Desiring to push the work to completion a little faster two other fitters were sent here, but about the time they arrived the men already here were notified by wire from the headquarters in Rutland, Vt., that the new men did not belong to the fitters union, and ordered them out provided the new men went to work. As a consequence, when the new men commenced work the old men quit. They are making no disturbance over the matter but remain in the city waiting for their pay checks.

In conversation with a News reporter one of the strikers said: "We have no grievance against Superintendent Williams or the company he represents. The work and the pay were entirely satisfactory and we had no desire to quit, but the order came from headquarters to walk out, and it is one of the rules of the union to obey orders."

EXAMINATION FOR RURAL CARRIER

Government Will Hold One Next Saturday—Probably Means the Establishment of a New Route.

The local board of civil service examiners has been notified to hold an examination on Saturday, September 3, for the appointment of a rural route carrier and Chairman Gentle has arranged to hold such examination at the city hall for that purpose.

This is taken to mean that a fifth rural route out of Norfolk will shortly be established as there is no other object in holding such an examination, and two rural routes have recently been petitioned for and examined by the rural delivery inspector. The examination will begin at 9:30 in the morning of the day named.

While the local postoffice officials are not positively informed of the intention of the department they consider it probable that one if not two new rural routes have been reported upon favorably. It is thought that five or six applications for the position have been filed with the department and these have been notified to appear on the date set for examination.

The rural route service now pays \$720 a year for carriers and it is a position worth striving for. With four routes already established nearly \$3,000 a year are paid out from the Norfolk office to give the farmers in this vicinity their mail, and with the establishment of another route or two this expenditure will be materially increased, and the best of it is that farmers appreciate the service and those who receive it could not now be induced to go without for any small consideration. The service lacks considerably of paying the cost, but the government is for the accommodation of the people and through no other department and in no other way are so many people accommodated as through the free delivery of mail matter to the doors of the people.

Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Norfolk, Neb., August 30, 1904:

Carl Bradshaw, Frank Britz, J. A. Barrett, S. T. J. Brownfield, Mr. Walter Bander, Mr. Arthur Barrett, Miss Alva Barcofer, Miss Lillian Foster, Clyde Foster, John Garner, R. N. Harvey, Hiram C. Hart, Miss Minnie L. Koeser, Mrs. Mester Lovell, Wm. McLoronan, John Morris, Jack Mathews, G. M. Nielson, Nuttie Reynolds, Frank Tietjen, J. H. N. Tindall 2.

If not called for in fifteen days will be sent to the dead letter office.

Parties calling for any of the above please say "advertised."

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SENATORIAL CONVENTION

REPUBLICANS MEET IN NORFOLK

SEPTEMBER 15.

APPORTIONMENT ON BARNES' VOTE

Madison Gets 10, Pierce 9, Stanton 7 and Wayne 11 Votes in the Meeting for the Selection of a Candidate to the State Senate.

At the meeting of the republican central committee of the Eleventh senatorial district, held in this city yesterday, it was decided to call the convention to be held in this city on September 15, at 11 o'clock a. m., to select a candidate for the office and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Those present at the meeting were Chairman H. S. Beck of Pierce, representing his county; A. F. Enos of Stanton; J. D. King of Wayne and M. D. Tyler of this city, representing Madison county.

The district is composed of Madison, Pierce, Wayne and Stanton counties and the apportionment of representation was the same as prevailing at the state convention, based on the vote cast for Hon. J. B. Barnes for supreme judge last year.

The following is the official call for the convention:

Senatorial Convention.

The delegates to the republican senatorial convention in and for the Eleventh senatorial district of Nebraska, comprising Madison, Stanton, Pierce and Wayne counties, are requested to meet in convention at Norfolk, Nebraska, on the 15th day of September 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of senator of said district and to transact other business as may come before said convention.

Each county is entitled to one delegate for each one hundred votes or major fraction thereof, cast for Hon. J. B. Barnes in 1903, for the office of judge of the supreme court. Upon this basis the various counties are entitled to the following number of delegates: Madison county 11 Pierce county 10 Stanton county 9 Wayne county 11

It is recommended that the delegates present be empowered to cast the full vote of the delegation from such county.

H. S. BECK,

Chairman Senatorial Committee.

THURSDAY TIDINGS.

This is the first of the month and the time of usual activity among the bill collectors representing the various business interests of Norfolk.

South Fourth street, below the government building, is being graded into shape and the holes and uneven places are being leveled very cleverly.

The walk in front of the Eiseley block has been torn up and a new permanent walk will be laid in front of it to conform with the walk to be built in front of the new lumber yard.

It was Lucile, the 12-year-old daughter of Mrs. C. J. Howe of Sioux City, who was taken sick upon her return home from a two-weeks visit with Norfolk friends, and confined in a hospital where she was very low for a few days. The News was in error when it said it was Mrs. Howe herself who was sick.

The work of installing the new lumber yard on East Norfolk avenue is progressing finely and the management will be ready for business long before cold weather sets in. The office building is now ready to be veneered with its concrete stone covering, the drying sheds are being erected and the lumber stock is being installed.

The end gate in the wagon of the mill company came loose on Norfolk

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