THIRD AND FOURTH.

TWO OF BIGGEST DAYS EVER

A Meeting of the Commercial Club Will be Held Next Week for the Purpose of Determining Definite Means of Organizing for Days.

[From Friday's Dally.] Norfolk is going to celebrate the Fourth of July this year-and the third of July as well. And it will be more than an ordinary, old fashioned Fourth of July celebration. The old fashioned guns at sunrise will be fired, all right, and so will the fire crackers all day and all night, and the hills around Norfolk will ring with the joyous spirit of the day, but there will be more to it than that. There will be speedy horses-the best horseflesh that Northern Nebraska can produceand they will make their feet fly over the new race track in this city for a pair of days. The race meeting, which had been contemplated by the horsemen some time ago, will be one of the best ever seen in this section of the state and thousands of visitors are expected for the two days

A meeting of the commercial club will be held next week, when it will be determined just what course will be taken toward raising the funds necessary for the celebration, and whether the commercial club or the horsemen will be given charge of the

Prizes in the racing events will amount to \$850 which must be raised among the Norfolk business men

"Norfolk has had no celebration for a number of years," said D. Mathewson, secretary of the commercial club, today, "and we feel that on that account this city is entitled to a royal representation from all of the towns surrounding Norfolk."

### Will Get Best Horses.

"We will have the best horses that this section of the state affords," continued Mr. Mathewson, "for it will be early in the season and the horses will not yet have started out on their circuits. The track here is in most excellent shape and the prospects now are that these will be a pair of the biggest two days that Norfolk has ever set eyes on."

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or school, substantially mounted, edges bound in cloth, printed in full celors, showing the United States, Alaska, Cuba and our island possessions. The original thirteen states, the Louisiana purchase, the Oregon territory, etc., are shown in outline, with dates when territory was acquired, and other valuable information.

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# IN HYMEN'S BOND

Verges Made One.

Mr. Herman Zitkowski and Miss Anna Verges were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 in St. Paul Lutheran church north of the eity by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Witte, and leave tomorrow for Sugar City, Col., where they will make their home

in the future. 4 o'clock, but it was not until a half wedding march played by Professor The bride was accompanied by Misses Nettie Nenow and Tena Buehnke, while the groom's men were Gustav Martz of this city and Fritz Ellert of Sugar City, Col. The bride, bridesmaids and the flower children were dressed in white, and the march was

prettily conducted. After the ceremony had been said and the newly married couple had received the congratulations of the pastor, the bridal party proceeded to the with their invited guests and there sat down to a dainty wedding dinner. Following this a reception for the young people was held until the small hours of the morning, every guest thoroughly enjoying the occasion and participating in games and other amusement. At midnight refreshments of ice cream and cake were trailing green of smilax lending cheer

to the occasion. Zitkowski will leave for their future home in Sugar City, Col., where the the world. Leach's challenge requires groom is assistant superintendent of each claimant to shoot at 2,000 clay the sugar factory.

versity at Lincoln. She will be sadly missed by a large circle of friends and shall be continuous, barring accidents. acquaintances.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Park. He entered the sugar factory the spring season begins. Paul Nord- is able to be out again. at this place several years ago, taking | wig.

his preliminary steps in the industry. From here he went to Detroit, Mich. holding a prominent position in the sugar factory there. He spent one campaign in Germany, fitting himself NORFOLK WILL CELEBRATE JULY for greater responsibilities and after another season at Detroit he went to Sugar City, Col., where he was given the position of assistant superintendent

Many beautiful gifts were presented the happy couple, silverware and cut glass predominating. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Lincoln, with whom Miss Verges lived while attending the university, and Mr. Fritz Ellert, chemist at the Sugar City factory, were out of town guests at the wedding.

### A Poem.

To Mrs. H. C. Lulow, in memory of her husband, who died May 1, 1905:

Dearest, sister grieve thee not, For the one that's gone before. Think thee of his heavenly welcome

Over on the other shore. Though the parting causes anguish There will be a glad awakening

And you'll meet your loved again. God will help you, dearest sister, If in Him you put your trust:

Bind your broken heart and lead you To a world that's pure and just. And the dear one who has left you, Will be surely waiting there

And again you'll be united In that land so bright and fair. We, your friends, my dearest sister

Shed our tears in sympathy And we'll pray our heavenly Father That your cross may lighter be; And your patient love and toiling

For the dear departed one glory Till the race of life is run.

PAUL WETZEL SERIOUSLY ILL.

-A Friend.

Norfolk Young Man Suffers From

Acute Attack of Appendicitis. pany at Ames., Neb. has arrived in age was established." Norfolk and is very seriously ill with an acute attack of appendicitis. He another "that we should hire a comcame home Monday night, feeling ill. petent engineer and determine what During the night he was attacked can be done. He can map out the with acute pains and the case has ditches needed and if we can't dig developed into a very sharp case of them all one year, we can dig as many appendicitis today.

### TO AID THOSE CROSSING RIVER

Men and Teams Will be Stationed at Thirteenth Street.

Farmers living on the south side of adjoining the bridge.

ing up to the approach of the bridge sugar and other articles in the wagon | ple, be used. the river had completely overturned Mr. Herman Zitkowski and Miss Anna his vehicles. He was assisted out by lation and the fact that the sewerage Burr Taft, who did not learn the name.

the river at the Thirteenth street heavy load.

Very Low Excursion Rates to Denver, The wedding hour had been set at Colerado Springs and Pueblo, via the Northwestern line, will be in effect hour later that the bridal party en- from all stations January 7, 8 and 9. tered the church to the strains of the 1905, with favorable return limits, en account of annual conventions, Na-Nimmer the teacher of the parochial tional Live Stock and Wool Growers' school. They were preceded by the associations. Two fast trains through little Fisher boy and Dederman girl to Colorado daily, only one night. For who strewed flowers along the aisle. full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

## TABBARD INN SWINDLERS

Two Men Brought Back to Fremont Today, Locked Up.

Fremont, Neb., May 20 .- Special to The News: Two men, Morton and Rutger, who were wanted here for a swindle in connection with the Tabbard Inn library, were brought here today from Logan, Iowa, by Sheriff Verges home on North Tenth street Bauman. They are now in the coun-

## TO SHOOT 2,000 TARGETS.

Remarkable Wager to be Won Soon at Bonesteel.

Bonesteel, S. D., May 20 .- In accordance with a challenge issued by Le-Roy Leach, a marksman of this place, served. The house was decorated the it is expected that a meeting will be held at Omaha on Saturday forenoon of this week to determine which of a Friday at 1 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. number of claimants is really entitled to rank as the champion rifle shot of discs, 21/2 inches in diameter, same to Both of the young people are well be shot with 22-short solid ball carknown here. The bride is the daugh- tridges at a measured distance of 15 ter of the late Dr. F. Verges. She feet, targets to be thrown straight up spent her childhood days at the home by hand, shooting to be done before of an uncle in Germany, not coming three disinterested judges, of whom to Norfolk until after the death of W. D. Townsend, of Omaha, shall be her father. Since arriving in Nebras- one, he to choose two associate judgka she has taken a course of study es, whose decision shall be final in of a year and a half in the state uni- all matters pertaining to the contest. Lake Wednesday. The shooting, the challenge provided,

If anybody has any harness repair-Mrs. August Zitkowski of Edgewater ing to do, let him bring it in before nearly two weeks but is better and

DEFINITE STEPS ARE TAKEN TO-WARD THIS END.

CONSULT AN OMAHA ENGINEER

The City Council's Action Last Night in Appointing a Committee to Investigate the Cost of Sewerage, Will Porarily. Meet With Hearty Approval,

[From Friday's Daily ] The action of the city council last night in appointing a committee to telephone today to Andrew Rosewater, civil engineer of Omaha, regarding day at the home of their daughter, the cost of investigating the condi- Mrs. Clarence Pratt. tions of Norfolk with regard to sewerage, will meet with the hearty approval of the citizens of the city, as and the latter was appointed adminis-And the heart seems rent in twain | ward advancement which Norfolk has long needed. The commercial club, represented by Secretary Mathewson. made the proposition to the city council that steps be taken and the coun- no relatives or friends, the body was cil readily appointed a committee with instructions to telephone to Mr. Rosewater today.

Norfolk is, it is generally conceded, stationed throughout the city. As a is essential and it is becoming more so every day.

Even today there is scarcely a cellar in the city which has not more or less water in it, due to the surface Shall shine the brightest star in moisture of the past several rainy days. With a sewerage system this could be drained off at once, without creating disease and without the added inconvenience that is manifest.

"I would be glad to give \$50 to have sewerage run along in front of my house," said a Norfolk resident today. "Besides the increased health Paul Wetzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. that it would assure, I consider that L. Wetzel of this city, who had been the value of my property would be inemployed for the Ames Sugar com- creased \$100 the moment the sewer-

"I have always contended," said as possible and later dig more."

### HOW NORTH PLATTE DID IT.

Sewerage System There Has Been Constructed, Cost \$30,000.

The fact that a city of less than 5, the Elkhorn river who desire to 000 population may vote bonds for a reach Norfolk on Saturday, may do sewerage system, contrary to the forso by driving to the Thirteenth street mer belief in Norfolk, is of vital imbridge, where men and teams have portance to the citizens of the city, been ordered by the county commis- as the new interpretation of the law sioners to be present and assist all makes it possible for Norfolk to vote in crossing the stream. The bridge is bonds for such a much-needed system safe and the teams have been provid- here. In former years it was thought ed for assisting travelers through the that the Nebraska statutes prohibited high water which has covered the road the voting of sewerage bonds in a city of less than 5,000 population but Yesterday afternoon a farmer driv- a recent interpretation of the law by attorneys here proves that the former suffered a loss and a ducking from theory was erroneous and that the the capsizing of his wagon. Groceries, bonds could, with the vote of the peo-

were floated away. The current of North Platte is a model little city of Nebraska, with less than 5,000 popu system has proven a vast success there, should be encouragement to the Although it is possible to cross people of Norfolk in contemplating such a system for this city. At North street bridge, it is not practicable to Platte a bond of \$30,000 for sewerage attempt to cross the stream with a was voted, the cost to each lot with a front of sixty-six feet being \$25 to

The plans and specifications were made by Andrew Rosewater, of Omaha, and these items were included in the cost of \$30,000. The interest on the bonds of \$30,000 amounts to \$1,200 at four percent per annum, so that the cost, by taxation, is not great.

It was pointed out in North Platte by the committee in charge of the work, that the sewerage meant a very great deal toward the health of the city at large. The riddance of house waste does much toward overcoming such diseases as typhoid, malaria, and many others.

The sewerage system in North Platte is large enough for a city of 22,000 population. Property values have increased on account of the installation of the sewer, health has been benefited in general, and the expense to each individual, in the long run, has been decreased.

Many Norfolk business men, who had not been aware before of the fact that the state law allows the voting of bonds in a city of this size, are highly elated over that possibility, as they consider it a long needed and long looked-for opportunity in Norfolk.

### Battle Creek. Wm. Britton was a visitor here Mon

day from Tilden. Henry Stolle was here from Mead-

ow Grove Monday.

Ralph Simmons was a business visitor to Humphrey Saturday.

Henry Reif, jr., has accepted a position in a barber shop at Verdigre. George Boyer, who has been west for several years, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Probst have left Battle Creek for Stanton to make their home.

Shine Osborn shipped two carloads of stock cattle to his ranch near Wood

G. W. Day of Jefferson, lowa, is visiting at the home of his son, Station Agent W. C. Day. Dr. Munson has been very sick for

Maas & Brechler shipped two car-

loads of cattle from their ranch near Inman to Chicago Monday.

Henry Feldstein was here on business Wednesday from Long Pine. Harry is an old timer of Madison.

F. Girard of Norfolk was here advertising the locomotive firemen's pic nic to be held at Neligh on May 27. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown have

returned to their home near Meadow Grove from a trip to the Pacific coast. Carl Schulz has quit his position in J. R. Gardels' harness shop and C.

E. Flores is belping in the shop tem-

Battle Creek will celebrate the glorious Fourth, also. A sum of \$350 has already been subscribed to the necessary fund.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKnight of Meadow Grove were visiting here Sun-Ludwig Kerbel and sister, Mrs. An-

nie Severa drove to Madison Tuesday

it is the beginning of a new step to- tratrix of her busband's estate by county Judge Bates. An old man inmate of the county poor farm, supposed to be Jacob Bozman, died Saturday and as he had

state university Monday. Twelve carloads of cattle and hogs were shipped from here to Omaha the getting too large for cess pools to be first of the week. The shippers were as follows: J. A. Moore, Herm. Homatter of health, a sewerage system grefe, M. J. Hughes, L. B. Baker, Henry Tomhagen, Henry Massman, Chas. Praeuner and Charles Schroeder.

### Whooping Cough.

This is a very dangerous disease unless properly treated. Statistics show that there are more deaths from it than from scarlet fever. All danger may be avoided, however, by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It liquifies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, keeps the cough loose, and makes the paroxysms of coughing less frequent and less severe. It has been used in many epidemics of this disease with perfect success. For sale by Leonard the druggist

### Skinner Bound Over,

to The News: In a hearing before County Judge Rogers, Wm. N. Skinner, president of the Citizens State bank of this place, was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$600, charged with assault with intent to commit great bodily injury on the person of Chas, E. Lear, a prominent attorney. The penalty upon conviction under this charge is from one to five years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

The assault was committed nearly two weeks ago. Mr. Lear's nose was broken in three places and he was otherwise badly bruised about the foundation for the feeling-that Norface and head. For several days it was feared that serious injury would result from the contusions but his physician now reports danger of complications past.

The trouble seems to be the outgrowth of the damage case of Wilson vs. Skinner for breach of contract. Skinner and he seems to have con- establishment of it. sidered this his only remedy.

The case was stubbornly contested. County Attorney Duval and R. L. W. S. Hedrick of Osceola, Iowa, Senof this place handled the defense.

## DIG WAY OUT OF JAIL.

Two Robbers at Nebraska City Crawl

Out With Radiator's Aid. Nebraska City, Neb., May 22.-Guy Applegate and William Roberts have escaped from jail here and no trace can be found of them. They were under a two years' sentence to be served in the penitentiary for robbing a country store.

They dug a hole in the wall with a piece of radiator.

# THEIR FOURTEENTH CHILD BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson of Norfolk Parents of Another.

The fourteenth child of a Roosevelt family was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson on South Second street yesterday afternoon, and is doing well. Of the fourteen children born to Mr. and Mrs. Richardson but four have survived, the other ten having died in infancy. The mother of Mrs. Richardson was the mother of sixteen children altogether, making an even thirty for the mother and daughter of this family. Yesterday's arrival was a son. Mr. Richardson was janitor at the Bishop block during the winter.

## BARKER NOT RELIGIOUS.

Man in Nebraska Prison Sentenced to Hang, Doesn't Want it.

Lincoln, Neb., May 23. -- Mother Wheaton, the prison evangelist, called at the penitentiary last night and had sentenced to hang June 16. She sugunbroken.

## G. A. R. CAMPFIRE.

Meeting is Brought to a Close at Grand Island.

Grand Island, Neb., May 20 .- The grand army meeting here closed last night with a rousing camp fire, at which Commander Blackmar made a Mr. Stevenson. "The conditions for

ceived by the old soldiers. The membership is now 4,707.

COME TO NORFOLK.

IS TO SURVEY FOR SEWERAGE

The Offer of Andrew Rosewater, Civil Engineer of Omaha, to Come to Norfolk for \$100 and Make All Preliminary Charts, Has Been Accepted.

IFrom Saturday's Daily Andrew Rosewater, civil engineer of Omaha, has been secured by the city council of Norfolk to come to this city and make a preliminary survey with regard to the establishment here of a sewerage system. In accordance with the instructions of the city council, the committee of four who were appointed at their meeting, yesterday telephoned to Mr. Rosewater ditching of the city with sewerage, thought, At the nominal fee of \$100 Mr. Rosesent to the medical department of the make blueprints and do all other prebers felt that this was more than they decided to accept the offer. It was largely through the splendid uation.

efforts of Rev. Father Thomas Walsh of this city, that the city council took up the matter of sewerage. At the city council meeting held Thursday night, Father Walsh made a most effective argument to the council, giving the reasons why Norfolk should have sewerage and pleading for the appointment of a committee to investigate the situation at least. C. E. Burnham was also present, with Secretary D. Mathewson of the Commercial club, and it was through the efforts of these three men that the matter of sewerage was brought to the attention of the city fathers.

The water in the cellars of Norfoll Springview, Neb., May 22.-Special today is a most convincing argument in favor of the establishment of a sewerage system in the city. The health of the city would be so much benefited that the cost of maintenance would be nominal, once the system was established.

> "The very respectability of the city," said one man who is a large property holder, "demands a sewerage system. If people from even eastern Iowa were to come to Norfolk and learn that there were no sewerage system here, they would at once be gin to lift their noses into the air They would feel-and with a large folk could not be sweet and clean without sewerage."

One landlord who has in the past year gone to the expense of building seven cess pools, which would naturally be good for three or four years more of service, expressed himself today as being most heartily in favor Mr. Lear was Wilson's attorney and of the sewer, and much pleased that

> in the city to the establishment of a sewer is secured.

# SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

J. E. Schairer was in the city from West Point S. H. Goodwin was here yesterday

Sheriff Clements was over from Madison vesterday.

from Madison.

Heights.

Tessie Hansen was in the city yes erday from Wayne.

E. P. Weatherby went to Neligh on business trip today. W. T. Diddock of Pender was a vis-

itor to Norfolk yesterday. A. H. Viele is making extensive improvements to his residence in The

Miss McNish of Fremont arrived in the city yesterday and is the guest of Miss Faie Burnham.

J. M. Covert went to Ewing today, for a visit over Sunday. Mrs. Covert has been there for some time.

Mrs. F. O. Arney arrived in the city today from Seattle, Wash., for a visit yet been developed. with her sister, Mrs. Claude Reed. Mrs. E. Chesney left at noon for

in a short time. Col. W. A. Strain of Creighton and his sister, Mrs. W. Davidson of Fos-

their sister, Mrs. Lewis Darnell. Mr. Darnell was one of the oldest settlers of Butler county. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Marquardt re-

turned last evening from Kansas and a talk with Frank Barker, who is are now at home in the Glissman property on Madison avenue. Mr. Margested to him that he accept religion, quardt, who has been taking treatbut Barker's indifferent attitude was ment in a hospital in Kansas, is much improved in health and his friends will be glad to welcome him back to Norfolk.

U. G. Stevenson, cashier of the Fairfax State bank, at Fairfax, S. D., was in the city today enroute home after a week's trip through the northwest, including Sioux City and Minneapolis. "Fairfax is thriving," said every prospect points to a good year. were served.

The Rosebud is fast settling, and the settlers who are moving on the land now will be permanent." The water from the recent flood

is gradually draining from the cel-OMAHA CIVIL ENGINEER WILL lars and low places and pumps may soon be worked to permanent advant-

Rev. J. F. Poucher will go to Pilger tomorrow and in the evening will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the high

school at that place, Emil Moeller has received a queer looking little bird from Germany. He is at a loss to explain whom it came from, or the nature of the bird, but is proud of the gift, just the same.

Miss lone Wallerstedt was nine years old yesterday and she celebrated the event by inviting about thirty little people to the home of her parents, where they had the jolliest kind of an afternoon.

Vincent Stafford, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Stafford who was so seriously injured in an accident with asking him for figures as to the cost a delivery wagon early this week, is of coming to Norfolk for the purpose getting along very well and will be of making surveys preliminary to the up and about before long, it is

Street Commissioner Haase has water agreed to come to Norfolk, commenced a good work at the old make the surveys, outline the plans, sold storage site, making it possible for the surplus water to drain from liminary work. The city council mem- that vicinity and filling in the streets that have been washed by the flood. reasonable and at a meeting held in Another culvert or two and the openthe office of Mayor Friday last night, ing up of the ditches for a block or two will radically improve the sit-

The Beatrice Creamery company vesterday introduced a novel feature in the competition for the cream from the farmers surrounding Creighton. A banquet, with ice cream, cake and oranges, was served to the customers of that company and their families and it kept a force of waiters busy from 12 o'clock to 3 to serve the multitude in attendance. Col. W. A. Strain, the auctioneer, gave a welcoming address that was well re-

Vicious boys have been defacing the handsome stone pillars in front of Norfolk's magnificent \$100,000 federal building, and steps are being taken to apprehend the guilty parties. The appearance of one of the pillars indicates that youths have scratched it with a hage spike. Such acts are not tolerated by the United States government, and the federal building is a poor place to begin such work. It will go hard with the boys if they are caught.

Last evening the teachers of the two Lincoln buildings were hostesses. at a merry gathering of the entire teaching force of the city, with Miss Mamie Matrau, as guest of honor, Tables, beautifully decorated with cut flowers, were laid in the hall of the new Lincoln building. At each plate unique etchings served to guide the guests to their places. In a happy speech Mr. O'Connor, on behalf of the teachers, presented Miss Matrau with a beautiful cut glass fruit dish, as a token of their regard.

W. H. Peck, assistant superintendent of rallway mail service, arrived secured a judgment for \$2,000 against the city has taken steps toward the in the city yesterday from the Black Hills, where he had been to examine There is apparently no objection the new railroad between Rapid City and the Wyoming coal fields, known sewer. All who are progressive and as the Missouri River & Northwestern Wilhite appeared for the state, and who have the welfare of Norfolk at road, as well as the Burlington. The heart are delighted at the prospect of line is not yet sufficiently finished to ator W. C. Brown and W. H. Horton so desirable and so everlasting an im- permit the installation of a mail serprovement here. It will, as one man vice. Mr. Peck is from Des Moines put it, be a new era for Norfolk when and has been in the railway mail service thirty-five years. He had been at Battle Creek on this trip, where H. H. Rhyn, an old soldier, who has carried mail from the postoffice to the station for eighteen years, is still in the service. Mr. Peck left yesterday for Madison.

> Norfolk people have recently experienced the annoyance of an epidemic of summer colds that bear a strong resemblance to the grip. Responsibility for the trouble is charged to the cool and wet weather that has been experienced ever since the spring season arrived. With the accumulation of stagnant water in cellars, basements and on low grounds it is feared that worse epidemics may result unless the water is soon drained off. Conditions are favorable for typhoid and malaria, but with a few more days without rain it is hoped that the worst of it may be drained off. Sickness is increasing to some extent, but no alarming cases have

With the aid of Burr Taft's swimming horses, people have been enher home in St. Louis. She may re- abled all day today to cross the river turn to again make Norfolk her home at the Thirteenth street bridge. The water is now subsiding. Mr. Taft's team are very strong and would, it has been said, walk right out into the ter, were in the city this morning on Atlantic ocean and across just as their way to Ulysses where they will easily as though the water were solid attend the funeral of the husband of pavement. When they get tired, it is explained, they get into the wagon and rest. Yesterday proved an exciting day at the bridge, with people crossing back and forth. Ed Beels, mail carrier for the route south of the river, went across the stream in a boat, hired a light boy to drive his wagon through the water and made the trip safely. The action of the Norfolk city council in regard to repairing the bridge has been appreciated by the farmers.

## Eight Years Old.

Clare Blakeman, little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blakeman, was yesterday eight years old and a party of little friends were invited in for the afternoon to help him celebrate the speech that was enthusiastically re- a bumper crop in our part of the coun- occasion. They enjoyed games all try seemed to be never better and afternoon, and delightful refreshments