

PACKING PLANT A WINNER

FORMER NORFOLK BOY MANAGER OF ONE IN ILLINOIS.

A SUGGESTION FOR NORFOLK

Jacksonville Plant Has Had Six Successful Years and is Organized Better and Stronger Than Ever Before. "Bud" Powers is Manager.

The success of I. Powers, Jr., formerly of Norfolk and known by this city as "Bud" Powers, in establishing a meat packing house at Jacksonville, Ill., not far from Chicago, gives suggestion of what might be done in Norfolk with the old sugar factory buildings. Jacksonville is about the same distance from Chicago that Norfolk is from Omaha or Sioux City. This is a better stock producing country than Illinois. If the proposition can be made to pay there, why can't it be made to pay in Norfolk?

The following clipping from the Jacksonville Herald, tells of the venture:

The Jacksonville Meat company has been re-organized upon broader lines, and is laying large plans for the future. The business of the plant is expected to be doubled by the addition of a poultry and produce department; the plant itself will be substantially enlarged, and five salesmen will be put on the road to handle its goods. Messrs. A. B. McCue, of the produce department of Swift & Co., and I. Powers, superintendent of the branch houses of Swift & Co., in the western territory, have put additional capital into the company and will give it the valuable addition of their long experience in the produce and packing business.

The present plant employs twenty-two men and it is expected that under the new order fifty men will be used. The improvements in the plant itself comprise new ice machinery, new engines and an enlarged chill room, with such other additions as may be required from time to time.

The executive department of the company will consist of I. Powers, general manager; A. B. McCue, manager of the produce and poultry department; Robert Smith, superintendent of the packing house; J. J. Schaefer, manager of the Smith market, West State street; Harry Dorward, manager Dorward market, West State street; Carl Schaefer, manager Schaefer market, South Main street; A. R. Runkle, manager Wiegand market, East State street; J. J. Wintler, manager Junction market. Two men will be added to the book-keeping department, one of whom is Louis Lippert, of Chicago, and of the five traveling men one will be Herbert S. Sheehan of Chicago.

The Jacksonville Meat company was organized six years ago and has had a very successful career. The establishment has been of great value especially to the farmers of this community, giving them a home market for the products of their farms, and also furnishing at all times to the consumers abundant supplies of fresh killed meats. With the added capital and increased facilities for handling all kinds of butcher stock, produce and poultry the business of the company will undoubtedly assume large proportions and become a source of considerable income to this part of the state.

Mr. I. Powers, who becomes general manager of the company, is a thoroughly experienced and capable man, and with a very pleasant gentleman. His associate, Mr. McCue, is also well able to care for his particular department, while Mr. Smith has already proven himself a capable manager of the packing house. The company shops will remain under the same management as at present, which will be agreeable to all who have dealings with them.

The reorganized company starts out under favorable auspices, and the Journal tenders best wishes for a prosperous career and increased business.

FRIDAY FACTS.

Judge Cones was in the city yesterday.

A. L. Patrick of Omaha is in the city.

R. B. McFadon of Chadron is in the city today.

Mrs. A. Barnes of Cherokee, Iowa, is in the city.

Mrs. Ellie Sones of Quimby, Iowa, is in the city.

Sam Dunn of Bonesteel was in the city over night.

G. P. Hush of Battle Creek was in town last night.

Miss Upton of Orange, N. J., is in the city, a guest of Miss Willis.

Mrs. F. A. Long and daughter of Madison was in the city over night.

Mrs. C. H. Swallow and children were in the city today from Humphrey.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Ben White of Omaha are visiting at the camp of Burt Mapes.

Miss Valley Garlinger, who spent her vacation from the postoffice at Excelsior Springs, Mo., has returned.

John Tannehill, who was today elected delegate from the district to attend the Epworth league convention at Denver, will leave about July 3.

Jack Murphy, who works with the county bridge gang, had the middle finger of his left hand crushed

Wednesday. He was placing a ring on the top of a pile when the heavy hammer dropped and caught the one finger. The wound was dressed by Drs. Bear and Pilger and it is thought that amputation will be unnecessary. County Attorney Jack Koenigstein went to Madison today to try the case of State vs. Ed. Wheeler of Warnerville, who is charged with assault and battery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hasenpflug returned last night from a six weeks' visit with friends at Portland, Ore., and other prominent points along the Union Pacific road. They enjoyed a delightful trip and Mrs. Hasenpflug is much improved in health. Among the cities that they visited were Seattle, Bismark, Minneapolis, Spokane and Salt Lake. They saw Brigham Young's tomb, the Mormon tabernacle and other interesting sights at Salt Lake City. They returned over the Great Northern. While they had a pleasant time, Mr. Hasenpflug says, "I saw some nice country, but Nebraska is good enough for me." While at Spokane Mr. Hasenpflug saw B. W. Woolverton, Benjamin Lindsay, R. A. Stewart, E. Sergeant and other Nebraska citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grey of South Norfolk are entertaining a brand new son at their home. The rains have greatly interfered with building operations and work on the streets and many are hoping and watching for a spell of dry weather that will permit accomplishment in these particulars.

Ed Wheeler, a 15-year-old boy of Warnerville who was charged with assaulting a young man at Warnerville with brass knuckles, was dismissed from county court, by Judge Bates. It was charged that Wheeler

A barn was struck by lightning at the Schmerer barn during the storm. A son was welcomed to the home of Brakeman Deuel on Prairie avenue this morning. knocked out several teeth with a blow.

Another thunderstorm came growling down on this vicinity this morning between 3 and 4 o'clock, but it was mostly bluster, the precipitation being light, for which the farmers and other people are duly grateful. Showery conditions remain, however, and more precipitation may be expected.

Secretary S. C. Bassett of the Nebraska state fair and exposition which is to be held in Lincoln from September 1 to 8, has sent out premium lists, speed programs and other information regarding the thirty-seventh annual show. Splendid premiums are offered and a large number of classes are open for the display of anything from an ear of corn to a thrashing machine. The state fair increases in interest and importance each year and the coming fair will undoubtedly be up to the usual high standard and better.

A number of citizens of Wheeler county are interested in the construction of an electric line from Elgin to Ericson, forming a connecting link between the Northwestern and the Burlington. A meeting was held recently for the purpose of organization and a committee of three was appointed to find the cost of construction and maintenance of the proposed line. Another meeting will be held to hear the report of the committee. Power, it is believed, could be furnished from the Cedar river. All were in favor of voting bonds for the project.

Fred Treneohl, arrested at instance of Sam McKiver, was not, as stated, put in jail. He was allowed freedom until tomorrow morning. McKiver was compelled to go home and get security to advance for the cost of the trial before the matter would be taken care of by the court. This is not the first time McKiver has been in police court. He is having trouble with somebody more or less all of the time. Two years ago he figured in an episode in which a little boy of the city ran away and stayed at McKiver's house all night. McKiver was the apple man and the police were forced to search for some time before they finally located the lad.

Interesting reports from the storm district continue to come in, and in many portions it is shown that it was one of the most violent since this country has been settled. One farmer living west of Norfolk states that the water falling in the short duration of the storm was far greater than any single rainstorm he had ever known in twenty years. Five inches of water was precipitated in an hour and the water rose to a height of four or five feet on his windmill tower. A tank partly filled with water was floated from its position a distance of a mile. Where the hail took effect every growing thing has been cut down and the fields that a few days ago were waving a wealth of grain are now as level as a floor, every vestige of the crops being pounded level with the ground. It is estimated by some that at least three thousand acres of crops have been ruined in northeastern Nebraska, meaning a loss of perhaps 60,000 bushels of grain. All fruit and foliage was cut from the trees and devastation is complete in the worst stricken parts. It is considered that the corn may recover, but at best it will be but a partial crop. Some of the small grain may likewise produce a partial crop, but at the present time the destruction seems complete.

If anybody has any harness repairing to do, let him bring it in before the spring season begins. Paul Nordwig.

MAY KILL ELECTION CALL

THE SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE FIRST DISTRICT.

FOR BURKETT'S SUCCESSOR

Because There is No Session of Congress Before the Regular General Election, the Call May be Illegal. News of the State.

Lincoln, Neb., June 24.—There has developed in the First congressional district, where war over the congressional nomination was waged so strongly, the possibility that the call for a special election to name Burkett's successor may be illegal, on account of the fact that there will be no session of congress before the general and regular election in the state.

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

S. B. Smith of Red Wing is in the city.

J. N. Siren of Tilden was in town this morning.

O. P. Rodden of Bristow was in the city over night.

Mrs. H. F. Hilburn of Orchard is visiting in the city.

M. Sullivan was in Norfolk over night from Beemer.

C. T. Peterson was in the city today from Plainview.

John R. Hays returned last night from a trip to Omaha.

S. C. Blakeman of Battle Creek was in the city over night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Moore of Creighton were in the city today.

H. Hasenpflug is quite ill at his home on North Seventh street.

E. S. Maggie of the Nebraska Telephone company is in the city.

Miss Otelia Pilger has gone to Stanton for a visit with friends.

W. L. Kirk of the Creighton News was in the city this morning enroute to Sioux City.

R. E. Williams went to Omaha this morning to spend Sunday with parents and friends.

William Darlington, city mail carrier, returned to work this morning after a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Elizabeth Cockroft of Ossining, N. Y., arrived yesterday to be maid of honor at the Rainbolt-Wellis wedding.

Miss Genevieve Stafford is home from Omaha where she attended the Sacred Heart academy during the past year.

W. P. Bushnell of Kansas City is visiting friends in Norfolk. This is the first time he has been here in three years.

Martin Kolterman who has made Norfolk his home for the past four years, left this morning for Shelby, Iowa, where he will reside in the future.

Mrs. Charles Stitt left today for Burlington, Iowa, where she will remain during the summer, visiting Mr. Stitt and attending a conservatory of music.

Miss Bernice Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitney of Omaha, is in the city, visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Powers.

D. C. Ressegure and son Eugene of Madison were in the city over night and took the early train to Algona, Iowa, to visit a son and brother who is quite ill.

Mrs. J. W. Humphrey returned last night from a two months' trip to Excelsior Springs, Mo. She feels much benefited by the trip. She was met at Omaha by her son, Graham.

Mrs. L. M. Keene, jr., of Fremont arrived in the city today to visit a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClary, and to attend the Rainbolt-Wellis wedding next Wednesday. Mr. Keene will arrive Tuesday.

Sisters Marae and Damien arrived at noon from Chicago for a two-weeks' visit with the Horiskey family. Sister Marae will be remembered as Miss Maggie Horiskey, who left home about five years ago. She is now a member of the Dominican sisterhood.

Dr. H. J. White, formerly postmaster at Bassett and a Norfolk Elk, has moved to Springview, Neb.

A meeting of the West Side Hose company is called by President Jonas for June 26. "Come or pay a fine," says the announcement.

Mrs. E. P. Weatherby was hostess at a delightful 1 o'clock luncheon this afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Shoemaker of Omaha.

George Krotter, of the Krotter Lumber company, met with a bad runaway accident near Bonesteel this week, as a result of which his team were fatally injured and his buggy shattered. He was bruised.

Norfolk people are reasonably sure of the delicacies for the table that may be made from currants. The bushes are loaded and the fruit is ripening beautifully. With the waning of the strawberry crop this will be the next to demand attention from the housewife.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be somewhere for Norfolkans to go, who desire recreation in a park. John Freythal has made arrangements with the Stanton band—one of the finest bands in the state—to make music for the occasion and will open his park to the public, east of town. Ice cream will be served on the grounds.

Plainview News: During the electrical storm of Tuesday evening, lightning struck near the W. G. Wooley farm residence seven miles west of

town. The shock stunned Mr. and Mrs. Wooley and their daughter, rendering them unconscious for several minutes. They had a close call, indeed, and we are pleased to note that they were not seriously injured.

Pierce Leader: William Zulauf came up from Norfolk Saturday evening to look after his business affairs and for a brief visit with his family, returning the next day. He is now living temporarily at that place and training his young horse, King Woodford, on the race tracks, so that he will have him in shape to race later on. Mr. Zulauf is also handling the sorrel mare which Woods Cones has had here for several months. She is said to be quite speedy and may be entered in some of the races there on the third and fourth.

Announcements have been received in Norfolk from Dr. George W. Wilkinson of the marriage of his daughter, Lisle, to Mr. Robert L. Cheney at Leslie, S. D., on Wednesday, June 14. Mr. and Mrs. Cheney will make that their home. The bride has lived in Norfolk for a number of years and has a great many friends in the city. Dr. Wilkinson is one of the pioneer settlers of northeast Nebraska, having formerly lived in Dakota City, where the bride is well known. The bride visited in Norfolk during the spring just past, and a number of parties were given for her at that time.

The shade trees in Norfolk have been putting forth an unusual growth this year and the need of trimming is again paramount. Some property owners intend that the tree branches shall not interfere with pedestrians, but the first thing they know in a season like this the heavy foliage has drooped the lower limbs until it is threatening to a short person and positively dangerous for one who is tall to pass along the walks during a dark night. A systematic campaign of trimming should be inaugurated during the coming week that the whole beauty of the city might be in evidence to Fourth of July visitors.

The battered down corn, stricken by the hail storm, has not yet had a chance to begin growing. It is reported that two hail clouds seemed to come together at the Ray corner, west of the city. "At that point," says Rural Route Carrier Rouse, "the strip of hail is divided. There is a patch pounded down on either side of the Ray farm, and it seems to join and, both clouds in one, move east. At that place the cloud seems to have been about a mile wide, and the farther east it is three miles wide."

Some farmers have begun to mow their winter wheat that was struck, and are planning to use it as hay. Some of them were so hard hit that they can't even use the crops for hay. Farmers who had rented their land and who lost everything, feel a bit discouraged as they have their land to pay for and a year yet to live without income. A number of them have been bringing in their livestock that they had on hand, deciding to sell what they had in order to realize the cash from it.

Legal Battle is on in the Chamberlain Trial.

TWO LITTLE BOYS HURT

"BOBBIE" MARQUARDT IS SHOT THROUGH THE LEGS.

ALVA BOWMAN IS RUN OVER

While at Play With Other Fellows Saturday Evening, 9-Year-Old Bobbie Marquardt is Badly Wounded With a Gun.

Little "Bobbie" Marquardt, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. A. Marquardt, was accidentally shot through the legs Saturday evening while at play with other boys. The bullet—a .22-caliber—entered the right leg, pierced it and entered the left one, lodging itself an inch and a half deep in the flesh, where it still remains. The boy is resting as easily today as could be expected.

A number of little fellows were playing together with the gun as an incident of their sport. Real bullets were being used for piercing targets. Snapped unexpectedly in the hands of Lloyd Walton, the gun sent a ball of lead into the right leg of the Marquardt youth, where it plowed completely through, later entering the left limb. He was immediately taken home and a surgeon called. Probing proved useless for extracting the bullet and it was allowed to remain undisturbed. Dr. Macomber and Dr. Tashjan had the case.

The gun belonged to August Dignan, who is said to have bought it. After the accident the Walton lad tossed the pistol into the river. The boys had been playing with bullets for some time and had been warned that there was danger in the shooting, but they failed to see that feature of it until one of them was shot Saturday.

Some of the stores handling cartridges have stopped selling them to small boys.

Dignan's parents were unaware of the fact that the boy owned a pistol. He says that the pistol was a blank-cartridge gun, for use as a toy, but loaded bullets were being tried in it.

BOY GETS RUN OVER.

Lad on Wheel Slips Under Horses' Feet and is Bruised.

Alva Bowman, little son of Bradley Bowman, was quite badly bruised by being run into Saturday night by a team belonging to W. P. Dixon. The lad was riding on his bicycle in the road when the wheel struck a brick, throwing the rider under the horses. The hoof of one of the animals struck the boy's head, cutting a gash and another hoof stepped into the middle of his neck. He was picked up and carried home, where he is resting as easily as could be expected. Dr. Holden dressed the bruises.

A DAY OF PRELIMINARIES.

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turned to her home in Spaulding on Monday.

Henry Bove started for Denver Tuesday, where he has secured a position as fireman on one of the railroads running out of the city.

A telephone message was received Monday by Mrs. O. D. Munson that the stork had left a 12-pound boy at the home of her son, Dr. H. O. Munson at Battle Creek.

At the annual school meeting Monday in district No. 16, Ernest Luehcke was re-elected treasurer and nine months school was voted. The school board has contracted with Clark Bryant of Norfolk to teach the fall term of school. In district No. 25 B. H. McGinnis was re-elected moderator and it was voted to build a barn and paint and repair the building. The board has contracted with Musa Castle, who recently arrived in this state from Ohio, to teach the fall term of school.

SON AT F. E. DAVENPORT'S.

Bouncing Boy Baby Arrived This Morning at Their Home.

A bouncing boy baby arrived this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davenport, on West Norfolk avenue.

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