

FATHER WALSH TO OMAHA

IS CALLED BY BISHOP TO MANAGE CATHEDRAL FUND.

HE WILL LEAVE NEXT MONDAY

Having Met With Such Pronounced Success in the Work of Securing Funds for New Cathedral, Bishop Scannell Has Insisted That He Come

Next Sunday will be the last time Father Walsh, priest in the Church of the Sacred Heart in Norfolk, will spend in this city for six or eight weeks and possibly longer. He will leave on Monday morning for Omaha, where he goes to solicit funds with which to build the magnificent new Catholic cathedral at that place. He has been summoned to that work by Bishop Scannell and will have entire charge of the soliciting in Omaha until he has made a complete canvass of the city.

Although Father Walsh will not admit it, this call from Bishop Scannell is known by his friends to be a splendid compliment to his executive ability and to his tact among men. The work of soliciting in Omaha has been in progress for some years but it has never been done completely nor with the results which were deemed due to so estimable a cause. The result of this condition has been that Bishop Scannell has gone out into the state and selected the ablest manager for this work whom he could find. This was Father Thomas Walsh of Norfolk.

Some time ago Father Walsh was sent through various portions of the state on this same quest and he met with such pronounced success that the attention of the bishop was immediately attracted. It is known here that Bishop Scannell has been trying to induce Father Walsh to go to Omaha permanently but Father Walsh likes Norfolk and has made his home here so long that the move is improbable.

The bishop has issued in Omaha a circular which introduces Father Walsh to the people and asks them to make his task, unavoidably a somewhat disagreeable one, as light as possible.

Father Manning will have charge of the work here during the absence of Father Walsh. Father Walsh will begin work in Omaha on the coming Monday afternoon. He has been urged to remain there for the greater part of a year, but his friends here hope for his soon return.

WEDNESDAY FITTINGS

Olaf Anderson went to Stanton yesterday. Miss Anna Rehfeld is here from Plainview. Ralph Dutcher is here from Plainview today. W. Houston is down from Plainview on business. F. E. Davenport went to Sioux City this morning. S. S. Brown made a trip to Bone-steel Tuesday. J. L. Rynearson of Madison is in the city on business. A. Stortz came down from Creighton this morning. Grant Larson and family are guests at the Pilger home. Mr. and Mrs. Justen of Meadow Grove are in the city. L. C. Mittelstadt is in Omaha and will return on Thursday. J. A. Ballantyne returned from a trip to Sioux City and Hoskins Tuesday evening. J. F. Rieman of Pierce came down on business this morning. D. Stannard came down from O'Neill Tuesday evening on business. Roy Dye from Fort Collins, Colo., is in the city visiting with friends. Miss Virginia Pugh has returned after a short visit at her home in Tilden. John Stafford is expected up from Omaha Friday evening to attend the dance. Burt Weston drove in yesterday with Charles Von Tolge, who went to Omaha on business. C. B. Salter has gone to the Rosebud country to look after his interests in connection with his claim. Claude Killen has returned home from Sterling, Colo., where he has been connected with the sugar factory. Mrs. J. K. Smith returned to her home at Plainview Wednesday after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. M. B. Irvin. Ferdinand Koch, who had been visiting at the home of Albert Rehfeld, left this morning for Wisconsin. His home is in Jamestown, N. D. Rev. J. J. Parker of Plainview came down Tuesday afternoon to attend the meeting of the Browning club last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Durland. Miss Mabel Collamer and Miss Jessie Mitchell are expected from Sioux City for a short visit with Miss Norton and Mrs. Humphrey. They will also attend the dance Friday evening. Charles Heckman is ill. Floyd Freeland is on the sick list. The small daughter of Peter Duffy is very ill. Roy Asher has moved to Norfolk from Iman, Neb. Miss Edith Butterfield is suffering from a light attack of pneumonia. Mrs. E. O. Mount entertained a small party of intimate friends at luncheon Tuesday. Sam Paddock of Valley is taking a vacation and is spending his holidays in Norfolk. A large crowd of young people enjoyed a party at the Schroeder home, east of the city, last night. Mrs. C. S. Parker, who has been very ill, is somewhat better today. She is

attended by a trained nurse. Miles Howard is enjoying a vacation this week with his brother, Charles Howard, in the country. A basket social will be given at the Smith schoolhouse next Friday evening. This schoolhouse is near Hoskins. A pair of brown horses indulged in a lively tear down South Fifth street this morning. One wheel on the buggy was demolished. The saloon belonging to Don A. Cameron has been purchased by William Lathrop of Ewing, who has been conducting a saloon at that place. Every evening this week there have been a large number of young folks skating on King's pond. The ice cutting on the pond has not materially interfered with the pleasure of the young people. E. T. Fenske traded his farm four miles west of town yesterday to George Benedict for his farm in Wayne county and a consideration. The Fenske farm contained 240 acres and the Benedict place 293 acres. Mr. Fenske will rent his new farm and remove to town. The little sorrel pony which had been lost by the A. D. Potera family on Cleveland street was found by The News want columns in a single day. The pony had been taken up at the Rautenberg farm and Mr. Rautenberg sent in a want ad. to tell about it. When his paper arrived he saw that it was the same pony and the owner was found in a moment by telephone. Mrs. Otto Johnson appeared at the office of Mayor Friday Monday and begged that her husband, who is in jail, be allowed his liberty. She declared that her children are starving and that unless the city give liberty to their father and only support, the city must provide for their appetites. The mayor told Mrs. Johnson that it wasn't his fault that Johnson got in jail, and she went away. Rollin Page and Miss Nellie Plinotode, both of Orchard, were married yesterday by Rev. J. F. Poucher at the parsonage. After the ceremony dinner was served to a gathering of friends at the home of Charles Budley, a cousin of the groom. The bride and groom both came to Norfolk about three weeks ago. Mr. Page to engage in business and Miss Plinotode on a visit. They expected to get married then but did not complete arrangements until yesterday. "Norfolk will have a sugar factory next fall," according to R. Falconer of Fremont who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boshufz. "Certainly a sugar factory will pay here and can be made a big success and Leavitt is the man to make it so. With us he has just doubled his factory this year and there are enough beets ahead down there to run another month. The farmers raise beets for him because he makes money for them. We tried raising beets for the Oxnard people but we quit when they let them freeze on us in the ears and then paid us a dollar a ton for them—and that after we had a contract for \$5 a ton. At Ames they are putting through frozen beets and they seem to get the sugar out of them all right. I haven't heard of any trouble about frozen beets with the Standard people. I don't see why they won't take hold of this proposition one way or another within a few months. They will put in new machinery and make a business proposition out of them that will be a good thing for the city and the surrounding country. We think our factory is worth a good deal just for the feed that the beet pulp makes."

Mexico-St. Louis Special.

In the Latin-American republic beyond the Rio Grande lies the wonderland of present day tourists, as well as the richest field of investment that now challenges the attention of American capital and enterprise. Only a few years since Mexico was looked upon as a country too remote for the average traveler to entertain hopes of crossing its threshold; today its capital city is but sixty hours distant from St. Louis. A semi-weekly train service has been established, via the Iron Mountain route, the Texas & Pacific and the International & Great Northern, representatives of the Gould interest, and the national lines of Mexico beyond the "Laredo gateway," leaving St. Louis at 9:00 a. m. each Tuesday and Friday, and reaching the City of Mexico at 8:30 p. m. on the Thursday and Sunday following. The train will be equipped with compartment, observation and standard drawing room sleeping cars and dining car. Its remarkably speedy schedule is made possible by doing away with all changes or lay-overs, and, for the first time since the sister republics were joined together by links of glistening steel, an interchange of visits across the national boundary means simply the journey of a few hours surrounded by all the pleasurable amenities of modern travel. Much of good can be expected from these changed conditions. The people of Mexico have long evidenced an enlightened appreciation of the kindly interest of their northern neighbors in their country and its history, institutions and wonderful resources, while on our part there is an acknowledged recognition of the fact that a closer social and commercial relationship with that progressive nation is in every way desirable. The inauguration of this new train service is a step in the right direction and meets the needs of the hour. It is typical of the tireless interest shown by the roads concerned in the upbuilding of the great southwest, and will doubtless receive the hearty encouragement and support of the traveling public.

STUTZKE IS FINED \$25

LAD WHO HELPED SET FIRE TO BARN AT SOUTH NORFOLK.

HE DISAPPEARED WHEN NEEDED

The Boy Who Said, "Hello, Jack," to County Attorney Koenigstein in the Postoffice Yesterday, Arrested in College, is Convicted.

Ernest Stutzke was arrested and fined \$25 and costs yesterday afternoon on the charge of attempting to burn L. H. Brown's barn and eight months after he had appeared as a witness against Earl Fairbanks and Burt Luke in the same case. At that time he was state's witness and as such was promised immunity by County Attorney Koenigstein. When the case was brought to trial in the district court Stutzke was not brought on the witness stand and the charge against the two other boys was changed from a felony to a misdemeanor and the boys let go with a \$25 fine. The county attorney declares that he could not find his witness when he wanted him for trial and for that reason took this change of action.

While he had heard of the return of the Stutzke boy, who is but eighteen years old, several weeks ago he did not get hold of him until Tuesday. At noon a boy in the postoffice called out "Hello, Jack," to County Attorney Koenigstein. It was not until he returned to his office that he could place the boy who was none other than Ernest Stutzke. He immediately made a search for him and found that he was attending the business college. The boy returned home from Sioux City several days before Christmas and has been attending the college since January 15.

The Original Case.

It will be remembered that young Stutzke was the lad who, in Judge Eiseley's court last spring, told of the actions of the trio, himself, Fairbanks, and Luke, in setting fire to the barn at the Junction for fun. He told how they planned the blaze and how they worked to avoid the eyes of the policeman. Because of his youth he was allowed immunity on the ground that he would turn state's evidence.

THURSDAY TIDINGS.

W. B. Hight has gone to Omaha. T. Long has gone to Columbus on business. Irvin Gerecke went to Madison Wednesday morning. Burt Mapes made a business trip to Madison Wednesday. William H. Bridge went to Omaha on business Wednesday. E. E. Melcher is confined to his home with an attack of the grip. Miss Dickey Livingstone is confined to her home with sickness. St. Eden, station agent at Fairfax, came down yesterday on business. Mrs. E. E. Miller entertained a small party of friends at dinner last evening. Harry Brown has accepted a position as baggage man at the Junction. Rev. W. J. Turner has gone to Lincoln to attend a meeting of ministers. Arthur Sims is on the sick list at the home of his parents on South Eighth street. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams have gone to Moberly, Mo., to visit with Mrs. Adams' parents. Arthur McCormick is sick with the whooping cough at the home of his parents on South Ninth street. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Case of Plainview stopped over night in Norfolk while on their way to Wood Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Remondler have returned to Plainview after visiting for several days with friends in the city. Judge Levi McGee and wife and daughter Gertrude of Rapid City, S. D., arrived Wednesday noon to visit with Warren DeKeyser. Conductor A. M. Leach left yesterday to meet Mrs. J. K. Hutcheson, who is at Phoenix, Ariz., and will bring home her husband's body. Joseph Dedinger and Miss Christine Pollack of Hartington were married there yesterday afternoon and arrived in Norfolk today for a visit at the home of the groom's brother, N. J. Dedinger. Superintendent C. H. Reynolds of the Chicago & Northwestern and his wife, in company with Dr. P. H. Salter and wife and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Huse left for Lincoln this noon on an inspection tour. Several of the grades of the Lincoln school enjoyed a skating party at King's pond last evening. H. C. Meyers, living three miles north of the city, lost a valuable horse Tuesday through lung fever. Guy Livingstone is acting as watchman at the Junction in the place of his father, who has gone to Neligh for a few days. At the meeting of Elkhorn Encampment No. 27 of the I. O. O. F. Wednesday evening Will Custer and Ralph Blood were initiated. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gow and Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Holden have issued invitations for a 6 o'clock dinner to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gow February 16. A meeting of the policy holders of the Elkhorn Valley Life and Accident Insurance company has been called for March 6. The meeting is to be held in Norfolk. E. Black of Creighton was in the city this morning on his way to Wayne to take his son Milton home. Milton Black has been attending the normal but is now seriously ill with rheumatism. The brick work on the new wing of

the insane hospital is practically finished, the roof is nearly all on and the men will be under cover within two weeks. There are thirty men at work out on the building now.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner last night in honor of the seventeenth birthday of Miss Alice Wagner. About forty friends and relatives were present, and a good time was enjoyed by all.

A good deal of thieving in a small way is reported to be going on in the streets of Norfolk during the daytime. Tuesday afternoon a robe worth \$15 was stolen from a wagon belonging to August Schultz and yesterday two axes were stolen from a wagon belonging to Ernest Raasch.

At a meeting of the Norfolk high school athletic association a high school basketball team was organized. It is believed that the boys will play good ball because of the fact that the entire team is selected from the 1905 football team, who did themselves credit on the gridiron. The following are players and officers: Will Hauptli and Lawrence Hoffman, forwards; Leo Gildea and Boyd Blakeman, guards; Carl Austin, center; Sam Erskine, manager.

That exclusive Iowa product, the Cherry sisters, are to come out of their retirement and for a week regale Iowans with one of those irresistible programs that made the trio famous from the Missouri to Gotham. Induced by the manager of a vaudeville house in an Iowa city, the Cherry sisters, who have been living on their farm near Marion, will make a farewell appearance. So peculiar is their work before the footlights that no one in the theatrical world has ever attempted to imitate the peculiar turn put on by these famous sisters. So far as can be learned the one week is all that will tempt them back to the stage where they won international renown.

As a conventional rural melodrama Uncle Josh Spruceby at the Auditorium last evening carried out its purpose. It follows closely the lines of the plays of its class which have been prevalent of recent years. There is the country girl who marries the villain from the city and whose life is ruined thereby. Through his machinations she finds her life threatened many times and is only rescued invariably in the very nick of time. When once violence begins the action becomes alarmingly rapid. The rural character, even as he might exist in Vermont, is too well known in the west for anyone to be able to sympathize and feel with the characters, who bear the brunt of the struggle in Uncle Josh Spruceby. A fair audience greeted the company and were fairly well pleased with their efforts. A number of specialties were interspersed throughout the acts.

CONDUCTOR HUTCHESON IS DEAD

Popular Trainman Succumbs at Phoenix, Arizona, Monday Morning.

A telegram was received this afternoon by A. H. Viele from Mrs. J. K. Hutcheson at Phoenix, Arizona, announcing the death of her husband, Conductor Hutcheson Monday morning. The remains have been shipped to Norfolk and the funeral will be held here, though the definite date has not yet been received. A letter concerning the funeral has been sent by Mrs. Hutcheson and will reach here before the remains. Mr. Hutcheson was about forty-six years old and had been in the employ of the Chicago and Northwestern railway here for nineteen years. He worked up until a little over a month ago when it was discovered that he was suffering from Bright's disease. He was immediately taken to Arizona in the hope that a change in climate and water might prove of benefit but he had gradually grown worse until Monday morning, when the end came. Mr. Hutcheson was a member of the Order of Railway Conductors, and was very popular among his railway associates. April 1887 was the date when Mr. Hutcheson began working for the railroad company as a brakeman. In August of 1889 he was made a freight conductor and on May 8, 1901, he was made a passenger conductor. During a large part of his railroad career he made his home in Norfolk but during the latter few years he had resided at Oakdale. He is survived by a widow and several children.

BABE IS CLOTHED.

Norfolk Filipino Child Has Attracted Wide Attention.

John Gamble, the colored man with a Filipino wife and a mixed-blood babe, has received no less than twenty letters from all parts of the United States offering aid to the child which was reported by Rev. Mr. McLaughlin a few weeks ago to be without clothing. Mayor Friday has also received a number of letters concerning the child, the epistles coming from all corners of the country. Mr. Gamble says that the report that the child was without clothing was groundless and says that he, being a hard-working and industrious man, is perfectly able to care for his family. He resents the notoriety that has been gained through the story.

The case was reported to The News some weeks ago by Rev. Mr. McLaughlin. Birthday Party. Fred Wagner will give a party at his home two miles south of the Junction tonight in honor of his daughter's seventeenth birthday.

Want ads—powerful, rapid workers—accomplish wonders.

Recommended by Prominent Physicians and Chemists CALUMET Baking Powder Perfect in Quality Economical in Use Moderate in Price

WILL CHARGE HIM WITH FORGERY

Henry Hasenpflug Has Ernest Manske Arrested and Jailed.

Ernest Manske was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault made by Henry Hasenpflug and his trial was set for tomorrow. It is understood that a new complaint charging him with forgery will be filed against Manske in the morning before the hearing. About two weeks ago Manske cashed a check for \$15 at W. C. Roland's store at the Junction, which was held up by the Nebraska National bank and was repudiated by Hasenpflug. At that time Manske went to Sioux City and the matter was presumably settled by all parties concerned until the difficulty of last evening when, it is alleged, Manske struck Hasenpflug in the face. Following this Hasenpflug had him arrested on the charge of assault and now declares that he will file additional charges of forgery as soon as County Attorney Koenigstein returns from Madison. Manske declares that he will plead guilty of the assault charge and settle the rest of the affair out of court with Hasenpflug.

MAY SELL SEWER BONDS TO STATE

Overtures Have Been Made to State Treasurer for Disposing of Them.

Overtures have been made to State Treasurer Mortensen with regard to the sale of the contemplated sewer bonds. If he shows a desire to take the bonds it is probable that an amendment will be made to the ordinance at the next meeting calling for such bonds as he would be willing to buy, both as regards years to run and also per cent. of interest. There is a general feeling among the members of the council that it would be better to sell such bonds to the state than to any bond broker, who would probably pay slightly below par for them and demand a stiffer rate of interest. In connection with the talk about the building of the sewer City Attorney Weatherly has made the statement that a special tax of 80 cents a running foot will be made against abutting property on those streets where the sewer runs. This tax on the sewer projected in connection with the bonds will raise in excess of \$4,000. This tax is besides that which must be borne by each property owner of the city to pay for the sewer bonds and is only borne by those, whose property is directly benefited by the sewer.

In building laterals from the main sewers afterward the tax of 80 cents a foot will be sufficient to pay for the sewer with the exception of the street crossings, which will have to be paid by the city. This will make it possible in the more thickly populated portions of the city to secure sewer connections within a couple of years for several miles of streets without issuing any more bonds. This additional expense will all be borne by property holders directly benefited and can only be put in on petition from them.

HARDWARE DEALERS TO MEET.

Annual Meeting at Lincoln Feb. 13, 14 and 15—Degner an Officer. The state hardware men will meet in their annual convention at Lincoln February 13, 14 and 15. Al Degner of Norfolk is vice president of the association. It is said that plans are being made to hold one of the most successful meetings yet known by the association.

NATIONAL LIVE STOCK COMMISSION COMPANY.

Views of the Live Stock Markets at South Omaha, C. A. Mallory, Mgr. South Omaha, Feb. 8.—While prices for cattle are not as high as we would like to see them, our predictions are being made good, as each week shows gain. There is no question about the demand being better, and with hogs and sheep comparatively high, we still believe cattle will sell higher; and with favorable conditions for feeding, we will not ship cattle until they are in good condition. The Omaha market is still in line on most grades, including butcher stock, and all will do better later. Stockers and feeders are strong and will also sell higher during the next few months, and we advise you to place your orders with us if in need of anything in this line. Good to choice fat steers \$14.85 to \$15.25; fair

to good \$15.00 to \$14.85. Light stockers \$3.75 to \$4.25; good to choice feeders \$4.00 to \$4.50; common cattle at the usual discount.

The hog trade is in fine shape, with an active demand for all that come, the bulk selling at \$5.55 to \$5.65, with favorable prospect during this month. It has been an established fact since times immemorial that history repeats itself and this is as good an explanation as any of the general condition existing at all sheep and lamb markets: the same old story as a few years ago: Continued heavy shipments of half fat stuff that is not fit for mutton fully thirty days in advance of the time for eastern feeders to be ready to handle much of this stuff, but the strength shown in the demand for the past two days should assure feeders that prices will respond readily with a fair marketing of the good kinds of stock and be governed accordingly. The market is fully as high as last week's close, the reaction on account of the demands of mutton buyers yesterday and today exceeding Monday's loss in values. Best lambs are selling from \$6.75 to \$7.00; fair to good \$6.00 to \$6.50; best yearlings \$5.75 to \$6.00; wethers \$5.50 to \$5.75; ewes \$5.00 to \$5.25; fair to good \$4.25 to \$4.75.

We do not look for any very decided increase in prices during the next week, as the market is not as firmly established as it appears, but is still sensitive. Eastern feeders will ship heavier during the next thirty days and as fast as they sell, will be in the market for more stuff. The only reason that the bottom did not drop clear out of the lamb market during the past two weeks, is that these people have been taking the stuff at better prices than mutton buyers would pay. We advise shipping anything that is fat and ready for market, and do not pass any of the Missouri river markets without offering your stuff for sale. These markets have been and are higher in comparison than any of the eastern markets.

During the past week we have made the following sales at Omaha and St. Joe:

480 Nebraska fed Mexican wethers and yearlings, 98, 5.75; 560 Colorado fed western ewes, 79, \$4.50; 184 Nebraska fed Mexican yearlings, 90, \$5.75; 252 Nebraska fed Mexican wethers, 102, \$5.50; 133 Colorado fed western wethers, 79, \$5.25; 102 Colorado fed western ewes, 79, \$4.50 508 Colorado fed western ewes, \$1, \$4.50. South St. Joseph: 443 Nebraska fed western yearlings, 92, \$5.85; 195 Nebraska fed western wethers, 101, \$5.55; 299 Nebraska fed western ewes, 87, \$5.00; 521 Colorado fed western ewes, 84, \$5.00; 260 Colorado fed western ewes, 84, \$5.10.

Estimate of Expenses, Madison County, Year 1906.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Items include County bridge fund, County road fund, Riprapping in streams, County institute, County printing, County attorney salary, Care of paupers, Fuel, postage and expenses, Books, stationery and supplies, Election expenses, Salary county assessor and deputies, Soldiers' relief, Poor farm expenses, County superintendent salary, County clerk's salary as clerk of the board, County commissioners' salaries, Bounty on wild animals, Jailor's fees, Jailor's salary and county officers' assistants, District court jurors, Insane fund, Aid to agricultural society, Furniture and repairs on court house, insurance on jail and court house, Battle Creek village jail bonds.

FOR SALE or will trade for good heavy work horses, dapple gray stallion 4 years old, weight 1,700. Will give a good bargain if taken soon. John H. Harding, Meadow Grove, Neb. O. R. MEREDITH, D. O. OSTEOPATH. Office, Cotton block, Ash 541, residence, 109 North Tenth street, phone Ash 542.