

EGGS ARE SCARCE IN TOWN

FARMERS TOO BUSY IN FIELDS TO COME TO MARKET.

NORTH NEBRASKA HUSKING BEE

Wives and Daughters are Working Shoulder to Shoulder With the Farmers Themselves and the Few Hired Men Who Can be Found.

Eggs were a scarce article in Norfolk during the last few days of the week just ended. Farmers have been so busy in the fields that they have taken no time out for town visiting and, requiring something substantial to eat, they have placed eggs on their menu three times a day, in the place of meat. As a result, the people of the city have been crying for the white eggshells with yellow centers, and merchants have been unable to supply the demand even at twenty-five cents per dozen.

Farmers are so very busy in the fields that they are taking no time out for anything that is not strictly business. Wives and daughters are working like men in the husking bee and the few jewels of hired men who can be found are getting good pay.

The weather has remained ideal for the out of door work and the corn-husking is proceeding with all possible speed.

FRIDAY FACTS.

G. W. Littell of Pierce was in the city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Greene drove to Pierce during the day.

Andrew McGinnis has gone to Wyoming on a business trip.

Gus Jaekle of Pilger was in the city on business this morning.

L. D. Lauderhill of Tilden was down on business yesterday.

J. H. Conley was a passenger for Bloomfield Friday morning.

Louis Deede of Humphrey was over last night to take in the show.

F. E. Winter came down from Creigh to visit between trans.

Miss Edith Feyerherm of Stanton is visiting Miss Glendora Evans.

H. J. Billerbeck of Osmond was a business visitor during the day.

J. Havener was a city visitor yesterday afternoon from Winside.

Joe Daniels was in the city visiting yesterday afternoon from Madison.

Congressman-elect Boyd of Neligh was in the city yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Doolittle of Wisner was in the city visiting friends during the day.

F. D. Finch of Bloomfield was in Norfolk Friday on his way to Lynch.

Mrs. L. Prichard of Meadow Grove is visiting Mrs. Rudat for a few days.

J. A. Duncan and J. D. Duncan, Jr., of Wayne were in the city on business.

Mrs. M. D. Wheeler went to Omaha on the morning train for a short visit.

A. F. Miller of Center, Neb., was in the city between trains Friday morning.

Phillip Sheets and wife came down from Meadow Grove on a short business trip.

Louis Haase of Basile Mills arrived in the city to attend the funeral of Aug. Haase.

Miss Emma Johnson and Mrs. C. Moony of Wisner were in the city visiting yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Pierce of Winnetoon arrived in the city to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Horn.

Miss Mabel Dick and Clara Anderson leave tomorrow for Thayer to visit with Miss Madeline Stein over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Melcher of Stanton were in the city yesterday on a visit to their sons Ed. and Frank Melcher of this city.

County Surveyor Thatch of Madison was in the city Thursday giving the contractors levels for the new ditch that is being dug west of town.

J. C. Gates, advance agent for the "Hidden Hand" company, which appears here soon at the Auditorium, is in the city making arrangements for the show.

John Mellen, traveling passenger agent for the Chicago & Northwestern, is in the city.

Jesse Beemer has accepted a position with Anthes & Smith in the grocery department, formerly held by L. C. Allen.

Paul Karo of Lyons is in the city visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Karo.

John R. Hays has gone to Missouri for a visit with his mother. He will be absent for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Smith from Fort Madison, Iowa, are here to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. A. N. Anthes.

S. Beck has returned from Long Pine, where he contracted for a heating plant to be installed in the school building at that place.

The Kaffee Klatch enjoyed a pleasant meeting with Mrs. D. Baum yesterday afternoon.

"His Highness the Bey" company left on train No. 102 for the east in their two private cars.

Miss Thorngate, who has been elected as teacher of mathematics in the Norfolk high school, arrives next week from Ord, where she has been teaching in the high school.

The J. N. club met with Miss Mildred Knight at the home of E. Loucks last night. As a diversion after the working hour the club was favored with violin music, after which refreshments were served.

Miss Helen Reynolds entertained a small company of her little friends yesterday afternoon, in honor of her ninth birthday. Games were played, refreshments served and a good time enjoyed by all present.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church met in a social session yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Davenport. Mrs. C. E. Greene and Mrs. H. L. Snyder sang a very pleasing duet, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Norfolk avenue is being filled up with clay. The clay is used in preference to gravel now. It is said, so that in the spring the street may be plowed more easily. About eight inches of the street will have to be removed when the paving time comes.

The Catlin ladies' orchestra from Sioux City will give a concert this evening in Marquardt hall, after which a dance will be given for the benefit of the band boys. Miss Catlin, formerly leader of the girls' band in Norfolk, is director of the orchestra.

Beulah chapter No. 27 met in regular session last night. Mrs. Ellen E. Dobson, associate grand matron from Lincoln, was present and after the regular work and initiation, a very fine banquet was served in three courses, which lasted until a late hour. Mrs. Dobson goes on to Neligh today.

A number of Norfolk friends left at noon for Omaha to be guests at a house party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bucholz. Those who went were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Sol G. Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Butterfield, Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Salter, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Huse. They will return Sunday.

The street commissioner has several teams busy filling in the holes along Main street, the teams being unable to haul from the ditch because some of the elevating machinery is out of repair. A large steam traction engine is now being used instead of horses for pulling the elevating grader.

The King split log drag has been doing some very effective work on the streets yesterday and today. The mud which has been kept soft by the continued wet weather, has been puddled and turned over and smoothed out so that the streets have very much the appearance of a paved street this morning.

Chandler Owen, the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Owen of Norfolk, who was so seriously injured by attempting to board a moving train some months ago and who has lain in an Omaha hospital ever since, was operated upon yesterday by Dr. Summers and Dr. Cristie and the family has received hope that he will be able to leave the hospital after another three weeks' siege. The patient was on the operating table for an hour and a quarter and the condition of the intestines was found to be more serious than had been thought. The young man's many Norfolk friends, who have watched his long hospital suffering with much sympathy, will hope that the assurance of the surgeons may materialize. Mr. Owen was at the hospital during the operation and Mrs. Owen received word by telephone.

"His Highness the Bey" drew a large audience to the Auditorium and created a couple of hours of laughter. It is a musical comedy built for the fun of it, and with more of a plot than the majority of them can claim. Johnny Fogarty plays the role of "Jimmy" with much cleverness and kept the audience in a constant smile. Leo Kendall, as the American cigarette manufacturer, also afforded fun with dialogue and dancing. Mabel McCane, the princess, made a clever one in every way and was a favorite with the audience, while Ethel Dovey, with her winning way and artistic dancing, was also popular. The chorus was shabbily costumed and looked like a last year's hat made over. The company carries an orchestra, which gives it a handicap. But the chorus could sing, for all that. A good many of the songs scheduled on the program were not dashed up on the stage, but some of those that were sung were well taken. The jokes were wholesome, new and very rich. Few of the musical comedies running afford a better line of witticisms than was put up by Jimmy and the cigarette man and Mabel Addington in the role of "Mamie Doyle." The closing act was an exciting war scene, with a war correspondent, "Richard Hartly Davis," sending out his cable story under difficulties.

Neligh Socially.

Neligh, Neb., Nov. 10.—Special to The News: The ladies Ruboyat club of this city gave a social afternoon yesterday from 3 to 5 at the home of Mrs. Adelia Horn. It was one of the most pleasing and enjoyable gatherings held in Neligh this season. The decorations were of Chinese. There were four courses served, and in Chinese style, which consisted of:

Nippon kondate, luimono, tcha, yakitov, tsukemono, chop suey, kashi, tcha.

Postoffice was played and a guessing contest of foreign countries were the features of the afternoon. Mrs. Hodge was the winner of the first prize. Over fifty guests were present.

TO DISMISS VON BUELOW.

Emperor William is Said to be About to Discharge His Chancellor.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—It is believed here that what is known as a "chancellor crisis" is imminent. Leading newspapers assert that Emperor William contemplates the appointment of Count von Moltke, chief of the general staff, as Prince Buelow's successor.

A strong court camarilla, led by Prince Phillip von Eulenburg, who aided the emperor in writing "The Song to Aegir," is working against the present chancellor. The report that Buelow will retire is rendered the more probable on account of the condition of his health, which will hardly permit him to take part in the heated debates expected in the course of the coming session of the reichstag.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF WEEK

ELECTION HAS INTERFERED WITH USUAL CALENDAR.

BUT NEXT WEEK WILL BE BUSY

There Have Been a Few Parties During the Past Week and They Have Been Pleasant, But the Normal Number Was Reduced by Voting.

Election seems to have interfered to some extent with things of a social nature in Norfolk during the past week. There have not been the usual number of parties, but next week promises to restore the normal whirl. There have been a few pleasant parties on the calendar but the number has been small on account of the ball battle which took all the attention of the men who would otherwise have been playing cards at euchre parties. The social gathies have, in fact, been reduced by a large majority in the voting process.

Pleasures of Week.

A reception was held last night at the home of Dr. O. R. Meredith for Rev. J. L. Stein, pastor of the Christian church. Mr. Stein lives at Wakefield, preaching here every other Sunday. Mr. Stein came over with him from Wakefield yesterday to meet church members at the reception.

Miss Mira Dorsey entertained about twenty of her young friends at a birthday party, the little hostess being six years old yesterday. Out of door games were the amusement features afforded during the afternoon, after which a birthday supper was served. Miss Mira was the recipient of many handsome presents.

The concert and dance given by the Mabel Claire Catlin orchestra last night for the benefit of the band boys drew a large crowd, and was greatly enjoyed by all attending, the music furnished by the orchestra being very good. The people of Norfolk are anxious to see the band succeed, and are willing to do anything to help along the movement.

On Wednesday evening of this week twenty-five friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lnerode came in a body and surprised them, the occasion being their twenty-sixth wedding anniversary. Mr. Lnerode had retired for the night and Mrs. Lnerode had gone to lodge, so that it was a complete surprise to both of them. The ladies brought delicious refreshments with them, and as a token of their regard the friends presented Mr. and Mrs. Lnerode with a beautiful chair. Every one enjoyed the evening greatly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bucholz of Omaha are entertaining a few Norfolk friends at a week end house party. The guests are Mr. and Mrs. Sol G. Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Butterfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds, Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Salter and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Huse. They went to Omaha in the private car of Mr. Reynolds on Friday afternoon and will return Sunday. On Friday evening they were guests at a theater party for the performance of Maxine Elliott and on Saturday Mrs. Bucholz entertained Omaha friends for the Norfolk visitors.

Ladies of the Congregational church gave a New England dinner in the parlors of the church Friday evening and the affair was very well patronized. The baked beans, ham, coffee, pumpkin pies and other New England delicacies were all delicious and made a "hit" with the guests. During the dinner a fuse in the electric lights blew out so that the parlors were in darkness for a time but this simply added merriment to the occasion. After the dinner, an informal program was rendered in the church. Mr. Ahlmann played a piano solo. Mr. Solomon sang a solo, Julius Hulff played a violin solo. Miss May Durland sang a solo. Mrs. Erskine gave a reading. Miss Nell Dingman sang a solo. Miss Marian Gow played a violin solo and Mrs. C. E. Greene sang. Every number was well received. The ladies cleared about \$40.

Weddings.

A very pretty wedding occurred on Wednesday morning at the Catholic church when Miss Anna Carberry and Henry Kennedy were united in marriage by Father Walsh. Promptly at 9 o'clock to the strains of the wedding march the bridal party entered the church. Miss Nannie Carberry, sister of the bride, and Will Kennedy, brother of the groom, stood at the altar with the bridal couple. The bride was gowned in tan colored silk, the groom was in black. After the ceremony the party returned to the home of the bride where a wedding breakfast was served to the immediate family and a few relatives. Those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greene, Mrs. John Greene, and Miss Anna Donahue from Creighton and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Donahue of South Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy left on the 1 o'clock train on a short wedding trip, after which they will return to Sioux City and be at home after December 1. Both these young people have lived in Norfolk for years and have many friends here who wish them much happiness and prosperity.

At 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Catholic church occurred the wedding of John Hennessey and Miss Dessa McComb, both young people of Norfolk. Father Walsh performed the

ceremony. An interesting feature connected with the wedding was the fact that the bride and groom, who had intended to take the noon train from Wayne, where they will reside, missed their train, although they stood on the platform prepared to start on the journey. They had come to the station and were chatting with friends before the train left. Suddenly the cars started to move away and although the bride and groom made a desperate effort to climb on the cars, the railroad crew refused to permit the risk of boarding the moving train and the locomotive kept on going. The couple then took a carriage and drove to Wayne.

Clubs.

Six young ladies met at the home of Miss Edith Barrett last night and formed the O. M. C. club. The meetings will be held every other week.

The Wednesday club held their regular meeting with Mrs. C. E. Greene this week. The scheduled program was carried out, two interesting papers being read and discussed.

Twelve ladies met with Mrs. Dave Baum on Thursday afternoon and organized the Koffee Klatch for the coming year's work. They will meet once in every three weeks. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent and at 5:30 a supper was served.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon of this week in the parlors of the Congregational church. A very interesting program was carried out: A paper on the civil war by Mrs. C. H. Brake. A talk on the death of Lincoln by Mrs. H. C. Matrau; finances of the government at the close of the war by Mrs. H. E. Owen; the purchase of Alaska, by Mrs. W. A. Vigers; literature of the old south, by Mrs. Warren Dickover; and the effects of the war on southern womanhood, by Mrs. F. G. Coryell. The next meeting will be held in the parlors of the church on next Monday afternoon.

Coming Events.

The Presbyterian ladies will give a chicken pie dinner in the Pacific block Saturday noon.

The West Side Whist club may meet on Monday night, though it is impossible yet to announce it definitely.

The woman's club will hold its regular meeting Monday afternoon in the parlors of the Congregational church at 2:30.

The Elks will entertain at a dancing party on Friday evening. All Elks and their ladies are invited. Collins' harp orchestra will furnish music.

L. C. Mittelstadt and Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Mittelstadt will give two dinner parties during the coming week, one on Tuesday evening and one on Thursday evening, in the home of L. C. Mittelstadt, corner Koeningstein avenue and Twelfth street.

Quinsy, Sprains and Swellings Cured.

"In November, 1901, I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right," says Mrs. L. Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings. For sale by Leonard the druggist.

Band Clears Neal Sum.

The Mabel Claire Catlin concert company gave a very entertaining band concert at Marquardt hall, after which a dance was given, the music being furnished by the ladies' orchestra. There was a good attendance at the dance, about 100 people being present. The dance was given for the benefit of the new band which was recently organized, and the boys received a very neat sum as their percentage of the receipts. Miss Catlin, the leader of the ladies orchestra, will be remembered as the one who organized the ladies' band at this place about two years ago.

The band boys will give a big dance in Marquardt's hall Thanksgiving, and expect to give a ball about every two weeks during the winter, as they intend to raise money for running expenses in this manner in preference to the popular subscription idea.

DEATH OF ELGIN MAN.

Old Settler Succumbs to Long Siege of Tumor at Brain Base.

Elgin, Neb., Nov. 10.—Special to The News: B. G. Neasen, an old settler in Elgin, died at his home here at 10:30 o'clock last night as the result of a tumor at the base of the brain. He had been affected by the disease for about two years but his condition did not become serious until three weeks ago, when the disease became serious and consulted the best surgeons but was told that nothing could save his life and so he returned to Elgin last Friday night, accompanied by a trained nurse, and prepared for the end.

Mr. Neasen came to Elgin from Indiana in 1880 and has lived here since. For a long time he was a partner in the general merchandise business of Galley & Neasen but later he retired from that and has been engaged in live stock business for some time past.

He was a jovial man, well liked by all who knew him. He is survived by a wife and three children. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World and of the Royal Neighbors.

The funeral will be held in Elgin Sunday.

OLD FEUD ENDS IN MURDER

GRAND ISLAND LIVERYMAN KILLS IN SELF DEFENSE.

QUARREL AT THE CARD TABLE

Then the Two Men Clinch and Finally Wallage, Securing Free Arm, Draws Gun and Fires Bullet into the Heart of Hillis—Was in Billiard Hall.

Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 10.—Special to The News: J. F. Wallage, a liveryman, early today shot and killed William H. Hillis in the card room of a basement billiard hall.

The shooting took place shortly after midnight and there is evidence that it was done in self defense.

Wallage, Hillis and several others were in a pitch game when suddenly Hillis, according to witnesses, attacked Wallage with a beer bottle. In the scrimmage that resulted, Wallage managed to secure a revolver from his pocket and to get him arm free, then shooting Hillis in the back. The bullet entered Hillis' heart.

Hillis, it is claimed, always blamed Wallage for urging Mrs. Hillis to secure a divorce, which was granted at the last session of the district court.

Wallage telephoned the sheriff after the shooting and gave himself up. Two witnesses were also detained by the sheriff.

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Miss Grace Matrau goes to Stuart to spend Sunday.

Miss Nell Cate of Pierce spent Friday night in the city.

S. Oldenburg of Hoskins was in the city Saturday on business.

J. Dignan made a business trip to Pilger on the early morning train.

Sheriff Clements was over from Madison on a short business trip.

Mrs. Pettitt of Warnerville was in town yesterday afternoon visiting.

F. A. Beeler returned from a short business trip to Chicago last night.

M. D. Tyler was a passenger for Madison, where he went on business.

John and Fred Ziemer of Hoskins were business visitors in the city today.

Miss Hattie Lnerode went to Omaha Saturday morning for a few days visit.

W. D. Weygant stopped in the city last night enroute north from Clearwater.

Wm. Zulauf came down from Pierce for a short visit in the city between trains.

Mrs. De Grotto of Madison was a city visitor for a while yesterday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Beard of Stanton are expected to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Napper.

M. Reeves of Madison was a business visitor in the city from the county seat during the forenoon.

Miss Jewel of Stanton arrived in the city at noon and will spend Sunday with Miss Maude Tannehill.

Mrs. Oliver Cunningham is very sick at her home southwest of Norfolk, between here and Madison.

Adam Pilger and wife drove up from Stanton yesterday and spent the day visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. George Hanks of Creighton arrived in the city last night for a few days' visit at the home of W. H. Clark.

Misses Fannie and Mary Steele of Foster came down Friday morning to spend the day with Miss Jane Durland.

J. C. Osburn and Misses Bell and Zina Osburn of Meadow Grove were in the city visiting friends, between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bradford of Glenwood, Iowa, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bradford's sister, Mrs. H. C. Matrau.

Paul Karo and children returned to their home in Lyons after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Karo.

Misses Pearl Farlin and Eva Horshaw are visiting in the city from Madison.

E. M. A. A. and A. H. Slatery are three Black Hills men in the city from Chadron.

H. O. Philbrick of Coleridge was a business visitor in the city during the afternoon.

Joe Daniels, who has been in the city visiting the past few days, has returned to his home.

Dr. R. A. Mittelstadt has discontinued his weekly trips to Winside and hereafter will be in his office on Wednesdays the same as other days.

Miss Rena Olmstead arrived home last night from Wayne to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Olmstead.

A. J. Thatch of Madison, the county surveyor who has been in the city the past few days giving the contractors on the new ditch levels, returned to his home yesterday.

Miss Alice Barrett, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. B. W. Barrett and sister, May, went to Omaha on the morning train where they will consult a surgeon in regard to an operation for Miss Alice, who suffers with appendicitis.

George Parker, who recently began farming on a small scale south of the Junction, received six very fine blooded hogs from a noted stock raiser in Washington county, Iowa, yesterday.

Leo Walters has accepted a position as switchman in the C. & N. W. railroad yards and will go on as brakeman soon.

G. W. Drullinger, who for the past four years has been employed as tinner for John Friday, today gives up his position and will with his family move to Benkelman, Neb., some time during the coming week.

Mr. Drullinger expects to go on to a ranch. He has made many friends in Norfolk who are sorry to see him leave, but who wish him success in his new undertaking.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Angie Wilkinson and Mr. Matt Schaffer, Jr., which will take place in the near future. They will occupy the home which Mr. Schaffer recently purchased on Third avenue.

Frank Perry is removing from the Croftly house on Cleveland street to the house E. Perry recently purchased from S. Hoyt on Omaha avenue.

Hugh Dick, who was recently married to Miss Bertha Ahlmann, has purchased one of the Durland houses on First street where they will begin keeping house immediately.

Walter Schultz left at noon for a few days' visit with his parents at Pierce.

Mrs. R. Ryel and daughter went to Scribner at noon to spend Sunday with Mr. Ryel, who is working out of there.

A big new sign is being painted on the Sugar City Cereal mills.

Dr. C. S. Parker leaves for Lincoln Sunday to attend a meeting of the state dental board. He will return next Thursday.

District court in Madison county, which had been called for Monday, November 12, has been postponed until December 10.

Mrs. C. D. Jenkns and daughter Gladys left yesterday for Kalamazoo, where they will make their home in the future on the farm with Cori Jenkns.

All members of the Norfolk band and all who desire to be members are earnestly requested to be present at the meeting at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at their room two doors east of the Oxnard hotel. The organization will be made complete at that time. There will also be a feature of special interest to all the beginners and young players which they cannot afford to miss.

New cement sidewalks are being laid in front of the Olney building, on the lot next to it owned by H. A. Pasewalk, in front of the Schwertfeger property and the lots just west of the old Norfolk house. When these are completed the east end of Norfolk avenue will have permanent walks on both sides of the streets, with only one board walk in the two blocks. This shows that the east end is improving as fast as the western part of the city. The old Daniels building is the only vacant structure on either side of the street between First and Second.

Faucett, Carney & Hager, the new manufacturing and wholesale firm who will take possession of the Elsiey block in the near future, have been somewhat delayed in the installing of their machinery. The elevator which was shipped some time ago has not arrived or been heard from, and until this comes and is installed they cannot put in their heavy machinery, which must be taken to the upper floors. The office fixtures were put in during the day.

"The War Correspondent" was the name of the show produced in Norfolk at the Auditorium Thursday night, instead of "His Highness the Bey." The fact that a different show had been produced than the one advertised was not made known to the theater management until after the show and it was not learned by The News until today. The show company gave the excuse to Manager Pederson that they changed their show but advertising posters had not been received because of a strike in Chicago and therefore they were forced by circumstances to use "His Highness the Bey" advertising for "The War Correspondent." New costumes, it is said, will be received by the company in Omaha Sunday night, where the show is being played under its right name. Manager Pederson declares that he resented the deception that was worked upon him, but that he was not informed of the change until after it was too late to notify the public. As it was, the public saw a show that was clever, though the lack of new costumes and of an orchestra were handicaps.

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