

CHANGES MADE IN TICKET

W. H. BRIDGE WITHDRAWS FROM COUNCILMANIC RACE.

CORYELL WILL MAKE THE RUN

R. E. Bowden, an Old Soldier Who Moved Here From Holt County and Who Has Full Set of Instruments, Named for City Engineer.

W. H. Bridge has declined the republican nomination for councilman from the Second ward and the city central committee has substituted the name of F. O. Coryell. Mr. Bridge's resignation from the ticket was accepted at a meeting of the republican central committee held last evening at A. H. Klossan's store. Mr. Bridge declined the nomination for the reason that both he and the Third ward candidate, J. H. Lough, were connected with the same institution, the Sugar City Cereal mills. The committee also took action placing the name of R. E. Bowden on the city ticket as a candidate for city engineer. Mr. Bowden has been a resident of Norfolk for some time past and has had experience as a surveyor.

He is an old soldier who moved here from Holt county. He has a full set of surveying instruments and is a thoroughly efficient engineer.

Still Insist on Durland.

Norfolk democrats Friday afternoon were still inclined to insist that C. B. Durland would be persuaded to accept the democratic nomination for mayor. Mr. Durland's name would encounter no opposition in the convention, but he has told his friends that he can not accept the nomination. Poor health is one of the reasons assigned.

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

John Elliott of Lincoln is in Norfolk.

John Werner of Hoskins is in the city today.

Rev. Mr. Gruber of Hoskins was here yesterday.

Dr. H. T. Holden was in Hoskins Friday afternoon.

The Misses Tanney of Pierce are Norfolk visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fechner were in from Stanton yesterday.

Dr. R. C. Simmons is in Winslow today.

J. Angele of Monroe was here yesterday.

S. Beck returned yesterday from Omaha.

C. S. Smith of Madison is in the city today.

J. A. Ballantyne was in Hoskins yesterday.

W. Wiers of Butte spent yesterday in Norfolk.

Nels Lyngen of Carroll was in Norfolk yesterday.

R. L. Burns of Scribner was in Norfolk over night.

L. D. Brueggeman was a Laurel visitor yesterday.

John Jordan, Jr., was in from Emerson yesterday.

J. W. Smith of Yankton was a South Dakota visitor in the city yesterday.

George C. Stevenson is up from Madison today.

W. Berlin of Hartington was in Norfolk yesterday.

Cris L. Anderson spent yesterday visiting in Omaha.

Mrs. J. D. Sturgeon and sister are visiting at Creighton.

W. A. Bonney is home from a business trip to Chambers.

Miss M. A. Morgan of Fairfax was in Norfolk this morning.

H. M. Scott of Plainview spent yesterday in Norfolk.

Miss Idelle Taylor of Battle Creek was in Norfolk yesterday.

U. D. Mathews of Madison was a Norfolk visitor yesterday.

M. Schitz of Platte Center was in Norfolk last evening.

Evert Carrick of Columbus is visiting his brother, Frank Carrick.

M. J. Kirman of Wayne was in Norfolk for a few hours yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Jenal of Bloomfield is visiting her sister, Miss Minnie Maas.

Mrs. Kirk Ball, who has been visiting relatives in Norfolk returned home at noon.

Miss Lizzie Peters returned yesterday noon from a visit with friends at Stanton.

Mrs. Sarah E. Fitch of Selling, Okla., is in Norfolk on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Low.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Dana of Creighton are in Norfolk, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark.

C. B. Durland left at noon for Plainview to spend Sunday at the home of his brother, G. F. Durland.

Mike Mullen returned home from Albion last night.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter Mable, who have been visiting at the home of George Johnson, returned to their home in Fremont yesterday.

Christopher Anderson returned home from Omaha last night where he has been on business.

Mrs. Will Beck and two sons went to Neligh yesterday to visit with Mrs. Beck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Kost have moved from Fourth street to Eleventh.

Miss Dora Dorsey is on the sick list. Mr. Smith has moved from Pierce street to First street.

Charley Darnell gave up his position in the round house today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams have moved into their new home lately vacated by Mr. Kost on Fourth street.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lavelle is quite ill.

Mrs. John Krantz has returned from a week's visit with friends at Neligh.

A. H. Winder, who is in Tilden on business, returned to Norfolk over night.

Superintendent C. H. Reynolds of the Northwestern left on the early train for Lincoln.

Conductor R. F. Canote went to Valentine on the noon train to attend to business matters.

Mrs. Frank Klug and Mrs. Albert Pilger of Stanton were visiting in Norfolk yesterday.

Attorney H. F. Barnhart has just returned from Magnet where he defended a man charged with assault. He won the case.

Deputy County Clerk S. R. McFarland was in Norfolk Friday morning on his way from Madison to spend Sunday with his mother in Lynch.

Dr. G. A. Young, superintendent of the insane hospital, went to Lincoln on the early train to look after the hospital appropriations, and will return tonight.

John Quick returned last night from a trip to Iowa, near Des Moines, where he was called by the death of his brother-in-law. Mr. Quick says that, while there is some mud here in Nebraska, people of this section can thank their lucky stars that they do not live in Iowa. He says that the roads are like putty, horses sinking to their knees in the gummy clay. A spring wagon containing more than two persons can not be drawn over the roads by a team of horses. He says that no amount of money could induce him to return to Iowa.

Ike Kost is moving into the Bruce house on South Eleventh street.

Mrs. J. H. Van Horn, who had been ill with bronchial trouble, is somewhat improved in condition.

Percy Spence, living near Stanton, visited Norfolk to purchase a bill of lumber for a large barn that he is to erect.

George B. Christoph returned yesterday from Kansas City and Leavenworth, Kan. He attended the W. O. W. convention at Leavenworth as a delegate from the Norfolk lodge.

The first entertainment at Maurice, S. D., for this season was given by Miss Laura Engelka and Norfolk people were among the guests. After an inviting repast the guests took a stroll over her claim and then repaired to the home of Mrs. C. E. Muffly, formerly of Norfolk, where a dainty luncheon was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis, Mrs. C. E. Muffly and Miss Engelka.

House roll No. 398, introduced in the legislature by Representative Alderson of this county, appropriating \$100,000 for a woman's dormitory, furnishings for same and live stock barn, has been recommended to pass carrying \$98,000. On motion of Shubert of Richardson \$2,000 was stricken from a provision of \$7,000 in a bill for a barn, making it \$5,000.

The night prowler, whose actions have been alarming Norfolk, is believed to have been seen on several occasions at the Junction. He is described as a man of about thirty-five years, with a recently acquired aversion to barber shops. Offer Livingston, on night duty at the Junction, caught sight of the individual about 2 o'clock Friday morning. The prowler took to his feet, however, and escaped.

While Policeman Livingston was on his beat yesterday morning at 2 o'clock he came across a suspicious looking person at the Dingman corner on Third street, whom he thought might be the would be burglar who has been entering so many homes at the Junction. Upon seeing the officer the man started to run east to Second street, where he disappeared, being too swift for the officer.

L. M. Dean has moved from his farm eight miles southeast of the city, where he had resided for the past ten years, to Warnerville. Mr. Dean thinks that he may decide a little later to go to California.

Harry Lodor has just returned from an extended trip. He has been through sixteen states, but says that there is no prettier country anywhere to be found than in northern Nebraska or the Rosebud of South Dakota.

E. E. E. Ridgeway of South Omaha, editor and publisher of the Midwest Eagle, a fraternal paper devoted to the interests of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, is in the city and will meet with the Norfolk aerie Sunday afternoon. He thinks that Norfolk is one of the best towns in Nebraska.

The work of laying the Norfolk sewer system will be resumed as soon as the frost leaves the ground sufficiently to permit trench digging. This, with warm weather, should occur in about a week. Cold weather might delay work until April. J. B. Martin, representative of Contractor Herrick and superintendent in charge of the local construction work, is in Norfolk. He expects to issue a call for men within the next few days and is confident of being able to continue the laying of the sewer pipes by the first of next month. Additional pipe will be here within the next few days. One and three-fourths miles of fifteen-inch pipe remain to be laid. This will give about two months' employment to fifty or sixty men. The pipe still to be placed will be a continuation of the present construction up South First street with extensions up Park and Madison avenues to Seventh street.

Dangers of the Grip.

The greatest danger from the grip is of its resulting in pneumonia. We have never known this to occur, however, when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. It relieves the lungs, opens the secretions, allays the cough and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Millions of people have used it with the most satisfactory results. For sale by Leonard the druggist.

SUPERVISE STREET CARS

RAILWAY COMMISSION BILL IS STOCK FOOD GETS HARD BLOW

Formulae on Stock Foods Must Hereafter be Published So That Farmers May Know What They Are Feeding to Their Live Stock.

Lincoln, Neb., March 15.—Special to The News: The senate this morning amended the railway commission bill and put all street railway companies under the jurisdiction of the commission.

DOORS WILL BE BARRED.

Visits of Prowler Will Cause Extra Precaution.

Norfolk doors will be securely barred tonight and Norfolk windows will be firmly fastened. Stories of the midnight prowler and rumors of attempted burglaries have alarmed the timid minded. Starting with some foundation of fact, the truth in such stories gains many interesting additions as it goes the rounds of the town gossip.

The fictitious "bogy man" is always as much feared as the real burglar and in most cases is about equally dangerous. Whether the two or three nocturnal visits made by uninvited strangers to Norfolk homes during the past few days were merely unconnected events or foreshadowed an epidemic of such occurrences, the effect is much the same. During the next few days every bark of the dog will bring alarm and every whistle of the wind will be marked with suspicion.

Norfolk from the nature of its population is a city where such alarms make quick progress. The town stretches over a wide area. Many heads of Norfolk families are railroad and traveling men, whose work keeps them away from home on many evenings. For these reasons idle rumors gain credence and home after home is barricaded for the time being against the threatening appearance of the burglar or night stroller. But these same facts are also reasons why Norfolk should enjoy the most efficient police protection possible for a city of this size.

STANTON HAS LIGHT PROBLEM

Question of Electricity and Sewer May Cause Two Tickets.

Stanton, Neb., March 15.—Special to The News: Municipal politics up to yesterday were very quiet in Stanton. Yesterday both the Picket and the Register came out for the same men: Levy Miller for mayor, Joseph Gratton for councilman in the Second ward. Mr. Miller is president of the First National bank and has been a resident of this place for almost a quarter of a century. Joseph Gratton is also well and favorably known. Both possess undoubted abilities for the position to which they aspire.

Were it not that there was some differences among the citizens on the best policy to be pursued with reference to the proposition of the city owning its own electric lights and also on the advisability of constructing a sewerage system, it is quite probable that no contest would be made. But on these questions there is some difference of opinion which may give rise to some opposition, or which may die out before Saturday evening, the date set for the convention.

PHOTOS FOR HIS CAMPAIGN.

Senator Said to Have Spent \$2,000 for Pictures for Presidential Boom.

Cincinnati, March 14.—Is Senator Foraker preparing to inaugurate a photographic campaign for his nomination at the hands of the republican party for the presidency of the United States? The unique pictorial campaign is to be launched as soon as the senator gets back from Washington, it is said.

The senator has entered into a contract with a Cincinnati photographer to make him \$2,000 worth of photographs. The order, which is already well on the way to being filled, is to be followed by other forms of pictorial work, such as lithographs, newspaper cuts and timely cartoons.

COON SKINS PAY TAXES.

Samuel Lemon of Brown County, in Norfolk, Discusses Land.

Despite the fast march of progress in northern Nebraska, trapping, hunting and fishing still flourish in the northern tier of counties. This year Samuel Lemon, a Brown county ranchman living south of Norden, pays the taxes on 1,280 acres of timber and grass land with the results of the year's accumulations of coon skins. The coons are plentiful and are easily trapped along the smaller streams. With an occasional shot at a big straying wolf and plenty of game fish at hand in the streams, Mr. Lemon maintains that natural sport has not yet been banished from Brown county.

Mr. Lemon passed through Norfolk yesterday on his way home from a business trip. He has had wide experience in farming and has lived long enough in northern Nebraska to know its worth. Back in Pennsylvania Mr. Lemon has another farm, but he rents the eastern land and makes his home on the Nebraska ranch.

"Returns from the north Nebraska farm or ranch are more satisfactory," declared Mr. Lemon yesterday, "Cattle and horse raising in our country is a profitable industry requiring little

labor. Despite the fact that we had more snow than usual horses passed through the winter on the grazing land without extra feeding. You do not have to fight for a living in northern Nebraska."

PASSENGER FARE TO BONESTEEL

Being Interstate Commerce, Rate is Three Cents for Each Mile.

Under the new two-cent passenger fare law in Nebraska, passengers between Norfolk and Bonesteel are experiencing queer conditions. It is a case of interstate commerce between Norfolk and Fairfax or Bonesteel. The interstate rate is still three cents per mile. Consequently it is necessary to buy a ticket here for Anoka, the last town in Nebraska on that trip, and then buy a new ticket for Fairfax or Bonesteel at that point. It is said to be overworking the conductors.

RIPRAPPING AT DENBY PLACE.

New Metallic Type of Riprapping is Being Used.

The Madison county board of commissioners—Messrs. Malone, Harding and Taft—were in Norfolk during the afternoon to look after the work of riprapping at the Denby place west of the city, between here and Battle Creek. A new form of metallic riprapping is being placed there and the commissioners were anxious to investigate it while it was being placed, to study its merits.

The Denby place has long been the source of trouble from water in the Elkhorn and much land has been eaten up by the river there. It is hoped that this will relieve the difficulty.

BUY BIG RANCH.

C. J. Anderson of Neligh Has Become Sole Owner of Federal.

Neligh, Neb., March 15.—Special to The News: A deal of large financial importance has recently been consummated whereby C. J. Anderson of this city becomes sole owner of the Federal ranch and stock, situated near Cody, Cherry county.

The company was capitalized at \$120,000, \$70,000 of the stock being held by Mr. Anderson, and the balance by B. J. Hoffacher and Allen Marsh, the latter of Omaha. Mr. Hoffacher will engage in the sugar business with his millionaire uncle, Claus Spreckles of San Francisco, but whether he will be located in that city is not known.

The Federal ranch consists of 6,000 acres of deeded and 7,000 acres of school land, and includes a large portion of hay meadow, something very valuable and now almost impossible to obtain in that section. On its ranches are 3,000 head of cattle and 200 head of horses.

NEW DEPOT SUGGESTION

THIS PLAN WOULD RELIEVE THE TOWN OF TRACKS.

WOULD CUT OUT SWITCHING

A Lot of Things Which Are Now Objected to, Says Resident, Could be Done Away With by Putting Depot Out in the Country, Away From Town

[From Friday's Daily.]

A new depot plan is suggested by a Norfolk citizen. It was suggested as a means of relieving the objection which many express toward having trains cross Main street. This is the plan:

Build a union depot in the Y down at South Norfolk. Tear out all tracks now crossing Norfolk avenue. Build the M. & O. track down to the Junction on the east side of the river and bring it into the Junction on the main line of the Northwestern. Swing the Union Pacific trains into the Junction from southwest of the city. Swing the Bonesteel line east of town, bending it at the sugar factory and let it run into the Junction on the M. & O. track, east of the river.

"This," says the citizen, "would relieve us of tracks across Norfolk avenue. There would be no streets to close. The industrial establishments now alongside tracks, which would be left high and dry by removal of tracks, could be turned into some other use by the industrial company, now in charge of the sugar factory building. Seventh street could be made a boulevard."

DEATH OF MRS. MILLEN.

Pneumonia Claims Victim—Children at Beside.

Mrs. Annie Milten, living on South Sixth street in Norfolk, died about 8 o'clock last evening at her home. Two sons and a daughter were at the bedside. Death was due to pneumonia and had been preceded by a week's illness. Mrs. Milten was sixty-nine years old. The funeral arrangements have not been announced.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is Both Agreeable and Effective.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has no superior for coughs, colds and croup, and the fact that it is pleasant to take and contains nothing in any way injurious has made it a favorite with mothers. Mr. W. S. Pelham, a merchant of Kirksville, Iowa, says: "For more than twenty years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been my leading remedy for all throat troubles. It is especially successful in cases of croup. Children like it and my customers who have used it will not take any other." For sale by Leonard the druggist.

THOUGHT SHE WAS SISTER

STRANGE MISSION BROUGHT MAN TO NORFOLK.

BUT HE WAS DISAPPOINTED

George L. Scherer of Amboy, Minn., Arrived in Norfolk in the Hope That Mrs. Katherine Kummetz Was His Sister—Are Related.

A man and a woman stared at each other yesterday in a Norfolk rooming house and wondered if they were brother and sister. It was a serious matter with these people, this question of blood relationship. The man had come a good many miles to solve the question, to find out whether or not a long-lost sister was living out on the Nebraska prairie.

Seeks His Sister.

George L. Scherer, seventy-one years old and apparently a prosperous farmer of the north, lives at Amboy, Minn. Yesterday he was in Norfolk on a strange mission. He sought a sister whom two score years or so ago he had left behind in the mountains of Switzerland. His course in Norfolk took him to the rooming house conducted by Mrs. Katherine Kummetz south of the Pacific hotel. Mrs. Kummetz's father had been a Swiss man named Scherer.

Mrs. Kummetz Not Sister.

So these two people met, looked at one another and wondered. If they were brother and sister fifty years of time stretched between them. Then the man went to his task, asking questions of the native land. In fiction perhaps Mr. Scherer would have achieved his quest, but his journey to Norfolk was not so rewarded. He had not found the sister. Yet that Mr. Scherer and the Norfolk woman who once bore the same name are related there is no doubt. Even they can not attest the degree of relationship.

Parted Fifty Years Ago.

Nearly fifty years ago Mr. Scherer left his native Switzerland for America. A sister some thirteen years of age remained at home. In the years that passed he lost trace of her. Visiting the old country a few years ago he found that his sister had gone to the United States long before and that no word of her was obtainable at the old home. Last summer a nephew whom Mr. Scherer had raised was in Norfolk and chanced to learn Mrs. Kummetz's maiden name and something of her history. He thought that he had found his uncle's sister. The old man waited until business brought him to Omaha.

Mr. Scherer will remain in Norfolk for a day or so but he will leave the city still in ignorance as to whether his sister is living or silent among the dead.

MALICIOUS CHARGE REFUTED

Dr. Young Asks Governor Sheldon to Investigate Vicious Story.

Dr. G. A. Young, superintendent of the Norfolk hospital for the insane, has issued the following statement with regard to a charge made against him by E. W. Monroe, a former attendant, in Omaha and Lincoln newspapers:

"My attention has been called to the article in the Evening World-Herald of the 13th headed, 'Neglect Charged.' The article was written by a discredited employe shows upon its face its malicious intent and requires no reply. I have forwarded the article to Governor Sheldon, together with refutation of the contained charges, and have asked for an investigation. I am sure that the newspapers may find ready access to it in the governor's office at Lincoln. Correspondents are invited to visit the hospital and every opportunity will be given to aid in making a thorough investigation. A committee of seventeen members of the present legislature visited the hospital some six weeks ago and their favorable report bespoke no such condition as described in the article. I am responsible to Governor Sheldon for the proper conduct of this hospital and stand ready at all times to have a thorough examination made

into the affairs of the institution."

Monroe says among other things: "I resigned my position as superintendent of the violent ward at the Norfolk state insane hospital because I refused to take the responsibility of guarding, without assistance, thirty maniacal patients, some of whom I might have to kill or injure at any moment to protect myself."

He charges Dr. Young with gross negligence of the violent patients, with covering up the facts in several cases of suicides and with cutting down the number of attendants to an absurdly low figure in order to economize and thus gain prestige in his quest for the permanent position of superintendent.

"Conditions at the Norfolk institution are the worst I ever saw," Mr. Monroe declares. "I have worked in nearly a dozen insanity hospitals and have quit in each case with the best recommendations, but never did I see anything to touch the state of affairs at Norfolk."

Monroe says he was employed at the hospital on December 6 and resigned with disgust on March 1.

Funeral of Mrs. Koch.

The funeral of Mrs. Maria Koch, whose death occurred Thursday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. Rudat, in Norfolk, was held Saturday afternoon at her former home in West Point. Short services were held at the home of Mrs. Rudat in Norfolk Friday afternoon, Rev. J. P. Mueller of Christ's Lutheran church officiating. Music was furnished by the choir from the Congregational church. The services in Norfolk were attended by many friends. The remains were taken to West Point for interment. Mrs. Rudat and family and Fritz Asmus, relatives of the deceased, left for West Point Saturday to attend the services. While not extensively known here, Mrs. Koch was loved by those who did claim her acquaintance.

COMMANDERY OFFICERS.

Were Elected Friday Evening, Will be Installed May 9.

Damascus Commandery, No. 20, Knights Templar, elected officers at their Friday evening meeting. The following list was chosen: John B. Maylard, eminent commander; Charles E. Burnham, generalissimo; Ensign J. Rix, captain general; Judge John B. Barnes, prelate; Louis C. Mittelstadt, treasurer; William R. Hoffman, recorder; Andrew H. Viele, senior warden; Elias G. Dean, junior warden. The newly elected officers will be installed on May 9.

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