

HIGH DIVE IS THRILLER

RECKLESS RUSSELL WHIZZES OFF INTO SPACE.

AND LIGHTS IN WATER TANK

Quick as Cat Man and Bicycle Flash Down the Plank and Off Into the Atmosphere—Wheel and Rider Separate, the Man Dropping Safely.

Reckless Harry Russell's high dive is a thriller. He did it Thursday night and it made several thousand people gasp.

It was near 11 o'clock when the one-legged man shot through space. He in a tank of water and came up smiling instead of dead. It wouldn't have surprised the crowd if he had been converted by the dive into a corpse. But he wasn't. He was merely transferred from the platform into a water tank—and he is ready to do the stunt again tonight.

Owing to scarcity of carpenters for building the scaffold, Russell's platform was not completed until late in the day. Hundreds of people came down town after dark to see the feat. And they got their money's worth.

A helper mounted the ladder and carried Russell's nery bicycle up to the top of the incline. One-legged Russell, garbed in the proper shade of brilliant tights, climbed up the ladder and walked up the incline with the aid of a crutch. When he was all ready lights were turned on around the water tank. A spicler assured the crowd of the man's peril. Russell gave the signal that he was coming, and then he came.

Seating himself on the bicycle, Russell lifts his foot from the platform. A streak shot down the incline, a human missile dropped through the air, there was a splash in the tank below and one-legged Reckless Harry Russell was out of the water, his day's work done.

As quick as a cat the bicycle flashed down the long inclined plank. It was so quick in its descent that the crowd had little time to realize that the feat for which hundreds had been eagerly waiting, was all done and over.

Striking a horizontal stretch of track at the end of the incline, wheel and one-legged rider were tossed upwards a trifle into the air upon leaving the scaffold. Then bicycle and rider parted company, the iron wheel dropping straight down into a net and Russell flying forward in his descent. In midair he turned a half somersault so that he would strike the water with his head and hands. Twisting his frame into just the proper angle, he slipped into the water's surface and then, by a convex movement, instantly slipped out again. People right around the tank got wet and, their eyes full, missed seeing just what happened to the water.

The point from which the leap was made is about thirty-five feet high. The point from which the bicycle originally starts on its downward flight is about sixty-five feet from the ground. The incline down which the wheels whiz is some sixty feet.

The sixty-five feet of height at the start, the sixty feet of incline streaking, the separation of wheel and man and then the accurate and altogether safe skimming of the man into three feet of water forms a stunt sensational enough to satisfy the most fastidious, and one which makes the crowd's heart stand still for one-half second, during which all of this process takes place.

The only disappointment manifested among the hundreds of spectators was here and there a regret that the worst had not happened; that their gloomiest hopes of seeing the man miss the water tank, had not come true.

Five minutes after the dive was done the throng of many hundreds of persons had dispersed. Instantly their curiosity had been satisfied, the crowd went home and to bed. It was as though a sudden rain storm had come up, so quickly was the street cleared of its people.

Boy's Life Saved.

My little boy, four years old, had a severe attack of dysentery. We had two physicians; both of them gave him up. We then gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured him and believe that saved his life—William H. Stroling, Carbon Hill, Ala. There is no doubt but this remedy saves the lives of many children each year. Give it with castor oil according to the plain printed directions and a cure is certain. For sale by Leonard the druggist.

TOMMY SULLIVAN WANTS FIGHT

Lightweight Boxer Would Like to Meet Billy King.

Bonesteel, S. D., Aug. 5.—Sporting editor The News: I see Billy King of Lincoln says he can not get on with any of the 138-pound men in Omaha. Well, I saw Tommy Sullivan fight two private fights in one week last week and knock out his men. He has won seven fights the last month in South Dakota and Nebraska and has a better reputation than any man who has been in Omaha in a few years, and is real lightweight champion of the northwest and Nebraska.

He started out as Tommy Sullivan of Norfolk four years ago and won the championship of Nebraska and still holds it. He has boxed since in the east and west and in Canada and Aus-

tralia has boxed such men as Aurella Herrera, Eddie Hanlon, Jabez White, Spike Roberson, Buddy Ryan, Young Corbett, Dave Barry, Rubie Ferris, Billy Rhodes, Jo Gans, losing to Gans only after a hard fight.

He has fought 128 battles and will still meet Billy King for the championship of Nebraska, Clarence Forbes or any of them through The Norfolk News.

A sporting man and Norfolk man, Joe Humphrey.

PILGER BEATS NORFOLK.

An Interesting Game Was Played Here Saturday Afternoon.

Pilger defeated the Norfolk Browns here Saturday in one of the best games seen in Norfolk this season. The score was 6 to 1. The Norfolk boys out-played the big Pilger team in many ways. Up to the sixth inning the score stood two to nothing in Norfolk's favor. In the sixth the Pilger team managed to tie the score by bunting their hits and on an error. In the seventh they ran in four more scores. Two doubles and two singles with two errors did the work.

Schwartz outpitched Haak in the respect that he struck out more men and did not allow so many to walk. Haak pitched a very good game and did not lose his head at any time.

Table with columns: Norfolk, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Lists players like Hoffman, Reynolds, Quener, Haak, Landers, Glissman, Hight, Bruuggeman, Schelly.

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Summary: Left on bases: Pilger 5, Norfolk 5; two-base hits, Vanancher, B. Montgomery, Landers, Schelly; three-base hit, Haak; sacrifice hit, Haak; stolen bases, Hopper, Hoffman, Landers, Bruuggeman; double plays, Quener to Reynolds to Bruuggeman, Quener to Bruuggeman; bases on balls off Schwartz 1, off Haak 3; struck out by Schwartz 8, by Haak 4. Time, 1:55. Umpire, Howe.

W. M. RAINBOLT TO LEAVE CITY

Will Become Secretary of New Trust Company in Omaha.

W. M. Rainbolt will leave Norfolk the latter part of the month to become connected with a new trust company that is being formed in Omaha and which will be known as the Peters Trust company. Mr. Rainbolt will be secretary of the new company, which will be organized about September 1. Mr. and Mrs. Rainbolt will leave Norfolk about August 20 for their new home in Omaha.

The Peters Trust company will do a general trust business. The company is being organized by R. C. Peters of the loan investment firm of R. C. Peters & Co. Mr. Peters will be president of the new company.

W. M. Rainbolt was connected with the Norfolk National bank for some three years past as assistant cashier. His position in the bank was recently resigned to permit other business engagements.

HAIL STORM NEAR HERE

A STRIP THREE OR FOUR MILES WIDE IS STRUCK.

CORN STRIPPED, OATS POUNDED

A Hail Storm Raged Seven Miles South of Norfolk Sunday Afternoon. Stones an Inch and a half in Diameter Fell at Times.

[From Monday's Daily.] A severe hail storm seven miles south of Norfolk cut down corn and oats through a strip about a mile wide and three or four miles long at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Following were the farmers who suffered losses: Messrs. F. C. Davis, Schilling, N. P. Rowlett, J. R. Davis, Linn, Lynde, Purdy, Garrett and Lowder.

Stripped Corn; Hurt Oats. Corn was badly stripped and oats were almost destroyed. It was estimated Monday that about ten or twelve bushels of oats to the acre might be saved.

The hail raged for fifteen minutes and stones an inch and a half in diameter fell at times. This is the first hail storm of the season to strike near Norfolk.

FOUND PURSE CONTAINING \$60

Brakeman Frank Sanders Makes Quick Return to Owner.

Brakeman Frank E. Sanders, running north of Norfolk on the Northwestern road, yesterday found a purse containing \$60 and belonging to N. H. Johnston of Lincoln. The purse was returned to the owner and out of it came a \$5 bill as a token of appreciation for the act.

WILL REMEDY SWITCHING

THE UNION PACIFIC AND OMAHA ROADS PROMPT TO ACT.

MEN MUST TAKE OWN RISKS

Orders Are Issued From the Officials of Two Railroads Announcing That Employees Will be Responsible for Violating Ordinance.

By themselves taking the initiative the railroad companies have probably forestalled action by the council on the Norfolk avenue switching nuisance. The Norfolk Commercial club at their meeting this week started a movement for the protection of Norfolk avenue travel from needless and dangerous switching. A committee was appointed to bring the matter before the city council but the appointment of the committee is believed to have been negated by action on the part of the companies along the same lines.

Following the reopening of the agitation over objectionable features of Norfolk avenue switching the following order was sent to Norfolk from Omaha by Superintendent W. R. Cahill of the Union Pacific:

"Omaha, Neb.—Train Men and Engine Bulletin: As much of the switching as possible at Norfolk should be done at north end so as to avoid danger at Main street crossing south of the depot. The practice of kicking cars over the crossing must be discontinued as much as possible. Train and engine men will be liable to arrest for violation of these rules and it will be up to the party at fault to settle their own cases.

"W. R. Cahill."

A similar order was also sent to Norfolk from Omaha by Superintendent F. E. Nicoles of the Minneapolis & Omaha line. The train crews were at once informed of the orders by Agent C. W. Landers.

Directors of the Commercial club said that the orders of the railroad companies, if enforced, would meet the requirements of the Norfolk avenue crossing situation. Sol Mayer, who heads the committee from the club on the matter, said that the action by the roads embodied what the club had sought for and apparently rendered action by the council unnecessary at this time.

Officers of the Northwestern will also be conferred with at once to ascertain what steps that road will take to render the Norfolk avenue crossing less dangerous.

FRIDAY FACTS.

J. H. Farlin is up from Madison.

H. Zahn of Pierce was in Norfolk yesterday.

C. J. Patten of Naper was in Norfolk yesterday.

F. Phillip of Hoskins was in Norfolk yesterday.

L. M. Jewitt of Plainview is in Norfolk today.

Will Anderson of Humphrey is in Norfolk today.

J. A. Reynolds of Creighton is in Norfolk today.

Miss Otella Pilger is home from a Lincoln visit.

E. P. Olmsted returned yesterday from Bristow.

H. M. Davis of Coleridge was in Norfolk yesterday.

W. P. Cowan of Stanton was in Norfolk yesterday.

J. O. Johnson came down from Niobrara yesterday.

Father Alberts was in Madison yesterday afternoon.

J. R. Duff was a Pierce visitor in Norfolk yesterday.

J. Van Norman of Pierce is a Norfolk visitor today.

O. G. Ritchie of Coleridge came to Norfolk yesterday.

Dr. O. R. Meredith was in Stanton yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gow will leave Saturday for Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Merritt of Creighton are in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Moyer were up from Madison yesterday.

Mrs. Walter McClary of Martinsburg was in Norfolk yesterday.

Attorney O. A. Williams of Neligh was in Norfolk yesterday.

Mrs. E. Wolfe of Battle Creek was a Norfolk visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Furley of Ewing were in Norfolk yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Oelke were Pierce visitors in Norfolk yesterday.

John Witzigman of Battle Creek visited Norfolk friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Justice came in from Meadow Grove yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Noger of Creighton spent yesterday in Norfolk.

Mrs. Myron D. Karr of Columbus is the guest of Mrs. D. K. Tindall.

Peter Barnes of Spencer attended the races and carnival Thursday.

Mrs. O. F. Garmong of Fairfax stopped in Norfolk this morning.

Frank Lambert was down from Foster Friday.

Dr. C. S. Parker has returned from Minneapolis.

I. L. Huffman of Newman Grove was a Friday visitor in Norfolk.

Miss Nora Junge and sister Osmond were carnival visitors today.

Mrs. L. J. Uller and son Rex of Emerson are guests at the home of F. H. Scott.

Among the Madison delegation were Monroe Smith, Andrew Spence, Fred Aistadt, Lou Bickley, Mr. Davis and Fred Gegner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Breitinger of West Point will be in Norfolk over

Sunday, the guests of Mrs. Charles Rudat and Mrs. Carl Assmus.

Misses Gena and Hattie Berge of Verdel visited in Norfolk yesterday.

Orin Porter and Carl Porter of Fairfax came down from South Dakota yesterday.

Miss Elsie Dobbins of Hoskins is the guest of Miss Edith Estabrook.

Hugh McGrogan and M. Cunningham of Wisner were in Norfolk for the Thursday races.

W. T. Evans and Miss Ruth Evans were among the O'Neill visitors in Norfolk yesterday.

Misses Margaret Lund and Bertha Richardson of Battle Creek were Norfolk visitors Thursday.

Dr. D. K. Tindall will leave Monday for Omaha and Lincoln, spending several days at the Epworth assembly at Lincoln.

Miss Helen Tanner of Battle Creek, Miss Frances Brechelson of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mrs. E. Tanner of Battle Creek were visitors in Norfolk yesterday.

Sheriff J. J. Clements and daughter, Miss Winnifred Clements, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith were up from Madison Thursday for the second day of the Norfolk races.

Misses Mabel Wilson, Mae E. Campbell, Katherine Van Gilder, Mary C. Morrow, Grace Ryan, Anna Clark, Margaret McCarthy and Rose Fallon were among the young ladies from O'Neill who spent yesterday in Norfolk.

Charles P. Youngs, formerly of Norfolk but now of Osmond, came to Norfolk to visit old friends and take in the races. Mr. Youngs says Norfolk has improved very materially in a year and a half. He is well pleased with his farm near Osmond.

Herman Ocheltree of Omaha stopped in Norfolk on his way to Wyoming, calling on R. E. Williams with whom he has an acquaintance dating back to the time when they were both in the accounting department of the Union Pacific in Omaha.

Miss Mabel Catlin and her friend, Miss Starr, who have been visiting here, started on the early train for their claims in Stanley county, S. D. They will ride from Dallas to their claims on ponies, a distance of two hundred and fourteen miles.

Attorney and Mrs. Arthur F. Mullen of O'Neill have gone to the Jamestown exposition.

Norfolk and north Nebraska will be well represented at the big Epworth assembly now gathering in Lincoln.

Dr. D. K. Tindall will speak next Sunday morning at the First Methodist church, conducting regular services.

E. P. Weatherly moved this week into his new home, formerly the Morris Mayer property. His former residence is occupied by A. L. Killian.

Miss Jessie Drebert has given up her position as stenographer in the office of Dr. P. H. Salter to resume her music instruction. Miss Drebert's place in Dr. Salter's office has been taken by Miss Anna Fair.

Rome Miller, formerly of Norfolk, has at last turned over the Her Grand hotel in Omaha to its owner, P. E. Her. Mr. Miller has transferred to the new Rome hotel, said to be a magnificent institution of 250 rooms.

There is some advantage in being tall. Fred Boche, with his seven feet of stature, towered above the crowd that watched Reckless Russell's dive and was in no way troubled about getting a good view of the performance. The crowd jostled against him, but the giant was unmolested by the jamming. He had a good viewpoint wherever he chose to stand.

Miss Nannie Curtis, the silver-tongued orator of Sherman, Texas, will speak at the Methodist church Thursday and Friday evenings, August 8 and 9, and at the Baptist church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Miss Curtis comes under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. of Norfolk and temperance will be her theme. It is hoped much good will result from this series of lectures.

Herman Boche, down in the Madison county jail, is in better health, although he thought he had appendicitis the other day. A physician summoned, however, pronounced Boche's illness to be merely a minor ailment. Apparently the man charged with the murder of Frank Jarner is also in somewhat better spirits. No attempts at suicide or further evidences of insanity have been reported from the Madison county jail. Save for the appendicitis scare there has been no break in the even tenor of Boche's life in the last few weeks following the successive attempts at suicide.

Captain George W. Kirkman, convicted at Fort Niobrara more than a year ago of conduct unbecoming an officer and of fleeing while under arrest, and who is serving time in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., has met with a second rebuff in his efforts to gain release. Kirkman was sentenced for one term of two years and for another term of one year. He claims that he served out the one-year term at the same time he served the first year of his two-year sentence. The federal court has declared that the two sentences are consecutive and that the sentence, in fact, was for three years.

Take a Vacation.

Now is the time to take a vacation, get out into the woods, fields and mountains and visit the seashore, but do not forget to take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with you. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be obtained on railroad trains or steamships. It is too much of a risk for anyone to leave home on a journey without it. For sale by Leonard the druggist.

YOUNG MAN ADMITS SHOT HIS BROTHER

POURED CHARGE INTO HIS BACK FROM AMBUSH.

AVENGED DOMESTIC TROUBLES

YOUNG MAN AGED TWENTY-ONE ATTEMPTED TO SLAY.

ELDER BROTHER TWENTY-FOUR

Charles Niessen of Bristow Relates in Court How He Ambushed His Brother Julius and Shot at Him. Julius Will Likely Recover.

Bristow Neb., Aug. 5.—Special to The News: Charles Niessen has pleaded guilty to the charge of attempting to murder his brother Julius Niessen, while at work on the farm of Horace Heufin on the afternoon of August 1. The preliminary hearing was held before Judge Holt Saturday and the young man was bound over to the district court under bonds of \$3,000.

The story told by the young man is that from pure domestic reasons the young brother thought the older brother was giving him the worst end of little deals, and he had attempted to end these through the attempted murder. To carry his plans into action, he saddled his pony and rode to the bank of the creek, about half a mile, in a field near which his brother was working, pulled off his shoes, waded into the creek, took hiding in the cornfield, there waiting until the brother should come in range in the course of his rounds in cutting grain.

Julius Niessen is about twenty-four and Charles is twenty-one. The young man who was shot is fast recovering and is thought out of danger of blood poisoning.

Bristow, Neb., Aug. 2.—Special to The News: While at work, cutting grain on the farm of Horace Heufin, one and one-half miles from here, Julius Niessen, age about twenty-four years, was shot with a shot-gun in the back by someone from ambush about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Shots Not Fatal.

Niessen had been working in the field all day, and had just turned a corner around the field when the shot was fired but seventy or eighty feet from where he worked, from a cornfield opposite the grain field.

The shot scattered to such an extent that Niessen was not killed, the shot, however, were buried in the back of his head, arm and back. After being shot, Niessen unhitched his four horses and drove to the farmhouse of Mr. Heufin, about three-quarters of a mile from the field, where he was brought to town. Dr. Craft treated the man and picked out many shots.

Officer Investigates.

After Niessen told his story, Marshal France left for the point of the shooting and found a place where the shot had been fired from. The person who did the shooting had evidently been lying down and had changed position, as the weeds were trampled down and tracks showed the position to have been changed. The position from which the shooting is supposed to have been done was on a line with Niessen, when the corner was made.

Young Brother Arrested.

Charles Niessen, age about twenty-one years and a brother of the man shot, was brought to town and arrested on suspicion. He was found at the Niessen home. He claims he was working in a hay field when his brother was shot.

Preliminary hearing will be held, it is thought, today.

Julius, the man shot, is being cared for in town and unless blood-poison sets in the doctor thinks he will recover.

NOVEL PLEA.

Young Girl Claimant Alleges Dual Existence.

Pierce, S. D., Aug. 5.—If Miss Carrie Bingham can make her contention before the government land department stick the prairies of the west will become ideal locations for homesteaders, as all they will have to do is to make a filing, then develop a "dual entity" and let the dual part of themselves stay upon the homestead and keep their entity at work at any particular place and at any form of labor desired until the time for making final proof has come, then make the proof and get the land on the residence made by the other self. Miss Bingham made final proof on a Stanley county homestead, but an investigation of the proof by a special agent before patent would issue showed that most of the time alleged in the residence was put in teaching school in Kokomo, Ind., and the claimant was notified to show cause why the entry should not be canceled, and put up the plea that her dual entity had been upon the claim in South Dakota while in flesh she was teaching school in Indiana. The department will have to interview several mahatmas and seers on that question to get down to the bottom facts, but the chances are all against the claim getting past the department.

With such a precedent dual entities would be doing business all over the homestead country, and there would not be enough flesh and blood settlement in some localities to make a showing worthy of consideration. The real entity is what is demanded by the government these days before any land is loosened up, and the evidence in person must be pretty strong.

Serious Crime Charged.

West Point, Neb., Aug. 5.—Special to The News: Henry Mahler, a well known farmer living in the northern portion of Cuming county, is in the county jail awaiting his trial before the district court on a charge of attempted rape, the complaining witness being his own sixteen year old daughter. The man was badly intoxicated at the time of the alleged commission of the crime and claims to know nothing whatever of the circumstances. He is well to do and has heretofore borne an excellent reputation.

Notice of Incorporation.

1. The name of the company in Norfolk Pickle and Vinegar company.

2. The principal place of transacting business is Norfolk, Nebraska.

3. The general nature of the business to be transacted:

a. Pickling all kinds of fruits and vegetables.

b. The manufacture of cider, vinegar and sauer kraut.

c. The canning of all kinds of fruits and vegetables.

d. Conducting all and every kind of business in any way connected with a pickle and vinegar plant.

4. The amount of capital stock authorized is \$25,000.00, \$10,000.00 of which shall be subscribed and fully paid up before this corporation shall commence business.

5. The time of commencement is July 16, 1907, and the termination of the corporation shall be twenty years from the date of its organization.

6. The highest amount of indebtedness of this corporation shall not exceed two-thirds of the paid up capital.

7. This corporation shall be governed by a board of directors consisting of five share holders, and the following persons: C. D. Simms, C. B. Durland, Geo. R. Hodson, Wilford Standford and M. C. Bressler.

Order of Hearing of Final Account.

In the matter of the estate of Gottfried Kiesel, deceased; in the county court of Madison county, Nebraska.

Now on the 22nd day of July, 1907, came Frederic Kiesel, the administratrix with will annexed of said estate, and prays for leave to render an account as such administratrix.

It is therefore ordered that the 19th day of August, 1907, at 1 o'clock p. m. at my office in Madison, Nebraska, be fixed as the time and place for examining and allowing such account. And the heirs of said deceased, and all persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at the time and place so designated, and show cause, if such exists, why said account should not be allowed.

It is further ordered that said Frederic Kiesel, administratrix with will annexed, give notice to all persons interested in said estate by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Norfolk Weekly News-Journal, a newspaper printed and in general circulation in said county, for three weeks prior to the day set for said hearing.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 22nd day of July, A. D. 1907.

Wm. Bates,

Notice of Application for Tax Deed.

To W. H. Hatteroth:

You are hereby notified that on the 6th day of November, 1905, one A. K. Barnes purchased of the county treasurer of Madison county, Nebraska, at treasurer's tax sale for delinquent taxes for the year 1904, lot 13 in block 3, Hillside Terrace First addition to the city of Norfolk, and received therefor certificate of purchase (No. A 621), that said lot was assessed in your name for the taxes of said and subsequent years; that diligent search and inquiry has been made and you cannot be found in Madison county, Nebraska, and that said certificate of purchase has been duly assigned to J. B. Barnes, who is now in possession of said lot, and that on and after November 7, 1907, unless said lot is sooner redeemed I will apply to the county treasurer of said county for a deed to said lot.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1907.

J. B. Barnes,

Assignee of certificate of tax sale.

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