

MILK AND CREAM GO UP TOO

MILK IN NORFOLK HENCEFORTH IS 6C PER QUART.

CREAM JUMPS TO TWENTY-FOUR

More Prosperity Has Arrived for Mr. Nebraska Farmer Around Norfolk. He Could Get Enough for Butter-Fat to Beat Old Milk Price.

Milk has joined the upward procession. First it was wheat, then interest rates, then meat, now milk, all cost more this fall than they did last week and in times past sold milk at five cents a quart have added an extra penny to their charge. Milk was advanced this week in Norfolk from five to six cents. The price of cream was pushed up from twenty cents to twenty-four cents.

The milk retailers explain that the advance results from the great creamery business that is growing up in the northwest. Conditions are such, it is said, that if the price of milk did not go up farmers would cease bringing milk to town, preferring to realize a greater profit in selling butter-fat to the creameries and making one or two trips a week instead of the daily journey to town with fresh milk.

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Frank Flynn has been in Battle Creek.

H. F. Barnhart is in Knox county on legal business.

M. C. Hazen was in Madison Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. P. Bovee of Enola was in Norfolk Wednesday.

C. E. Stitt of Lincoln is visiting with his brother, J. C. Stitt.

Mrs. Everitt Pettit of Battle Creek spent Wednesday in Norfolk.

John Bohm of Sioux City is visiting his uncle, E. S. Schorgee.

Mrs. E. O. Mount arrived home at noon after a visit to Hot Springs, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Raymer have moved from 1,000, Norfolk avenue to 307 North Eleventh street.

Former Senator W. V. Allen was in Norfolk Wednesday, returning from Center to Madison.

Mrs. T. Donahue and daughter of Creighton visited at the home of M. J. Kennedy over night, returning from a visit to Omaha.

H. J. Twombly and mother of Chicago, who own the Mast block in this city, are in Norfolk on a visit connected with local business interests.

Miss Melita Taylor of Blair, grand warden of the Rebecca assembly, who has been on a tour of inspection in northeast Nebraska, visited during the day with Mrs. C. J. Lintecum.

Mrs. W. H. Gentle of Creston, Ia., who has been in Norfolk on a visit with her son, B. C. Gentle, returned home at noon. She was accompanied by her son, George Gentle of Spokane, Wash., who has also been visiting in Norfolk.

Chief of Police John F. Flynn, who owns a farm in Gregory county, discarded the duties of chief for a few days to take the noon train to Gregory county where the threshing day is a hand on his South Dakota farm. Special Officer Van Horn was on duty Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner returned yesterday from a short visit to Creighton. They were accompanied home by Mr. Wagner's sister, Mrs. Fricke of Creighton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clements formerly of Perry, Ia., but on their way to their new home in Ontario, Cal., are in Norfolk for a short visit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Clements are accompanied by their daughters, Misses Violet and Emma Clements and will leave Thursday to visit their son, Sheriff J. J. Clements, at Madison.

Among the day's out of town visitors in Norfolk were: Charles Morrissey, Fairfax, S. D.; J. B. Moran, Madison; Miss Sarah Keenan, Fairfax, S. D.; E. O. Lewis, Falls City; Misses Lena and Emma Cizek, Osmo; Mrs. Mary Cizek, Crete; R. Bueckner, Blue Hill; R. H. Smith, Pierce; R. E. Buchmaster, Clyde Ely, Creighton; Rev. H. W. Fricke, Madison; C. Goede, Glenville; Rev. W. L. Scheelling, Brewster; O. Hale, Atkinson; C. S. Garbin, Beemer; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brooks, Winnetoon; George Vanauker, Beemer; Miss Hawkins, Fullerton; H. J. Binghamer, Creighton; Miss Ethel Storms, Fullerton; J. C. Clark, Stanton; W. H. Avery, Tilden.

P. F. Bell and Dr. G. A. Young were out Monday enjoying their first chicken hunt since the season opened on the fifteenth.

"I have the best corn crop this year that I have had in thirty years," said a farmer in Norfolk yesterday, "and frost tonight couldn't phase it."

Carl Schneider, the Winside saloon man recently arrested on a charge of selling liquor without a license, has been bound over to the district court.

The Norfolk Brownies have changed their Sunday arrangements, their latest plans contemplating a Sunday visit to West Point. West Point has a fast nine.

George Younger, who has been employed in a drug store at Stanton, has a place in the Leonard drug store, succeeding Floyd Hull who has gone to Rapid City to work.

Many Catholic clergymen in north Nebraska are planning to attend the laying of the cornerstone of the new cathedral in Omaha October 6. More

than twenty bishops and 400 priests expect to take part. Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, will deliver the dedicatory sermon.

Wednesday was the big fast day of the Jewish year. Tuesday was an important day in the festivities attendant upon the celebration of the Jewish New Year, it being the day of atonement, which precedes the big fast day. "Business conditions in northern Nebraska could not be better," said a commercial traveler in Norfolk yesterday. "In the southern part of the state crops have been pretty well burned out, but things in this northern part never looked finer."

One of the best of the merry, jingling, mirth provoking musical comedy hits, "Two Merry Tramps," will be the attraction at the Auditorium tonight. A company of eighteen farceurs, including a chorus of exceptionally pretty girls, is promised. Popular prices prevail.

Frank Donner and Miss Elsie Mueller will be married on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Christ Lutheran church. The wedding will be preceded by a reception given at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. William Donner, three miles north of the city. The reception will occur at 10 o'clock in the morning.

O. A. H. Bruce, writing in the Creighton News, is anxious to see some movement started to collect Creighton's past history and put it in readable form. Mr. Bruce wants the high school students of Creighton encouraged to look up the history of the early school days of that town.

After traveling 4,000 miles this summer over the United States and Canada, C. S. Hayes is of the opinion that Nebraska is the garden spot of the earth. He prefers the fertile valley of the Elkhorn to the old rock land of Vermont where stones seem to grow every year, no matter how many are hauled away.

A Tilden business man in Norfolk said that the merchants of that city had hoped for a speech from E. A. Bullock of Norfolk at next Monday's festival which will be given to the farmers of the Tilden trade territory. Mr. Bullock was compelled, however, on account of pressing business, to decline the invitation.

When Governor Sheldon announced the completion of his military staff this week a number of north Nebraska names were included in the list of "colonels." Among the aides-de-camp who hold the rank of colonel are C. H. Cornell of Valentine, E. L. Meyers of Newport, Fred Nelson of Bancroft and H. P. Shumway of Wakefield.

Leo Gildea and Miss Marie Johnson of Norfolk surprised their friends Monday by a trip to Madison, where they were married during the afternoon. The young people returned to Norfolk Monday evening and for the present are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. John Gildea, the groom's parents. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Swan Johnson. The groom is with the Northwestern as a fireman.

Bill boards not only serve to hide ugly patches along business streets of a city but they may even be an absolute protection to the public. A new bill board has been erected on Norfolk avenue east of the Nordwig harness store and affords protection from an old basement covered by an old plank flooring. Complaint regarding this vacant lot had been made to the city authorities by Mr. Nordwig, who characterized the place as unsafe, especially for children who often ran across it.

The business men of Tilden have arranged for a day of free entertainment to people living within Tilden territory, next Monday. There will be amusements, speeches and other attractions worth while. All entertainment and refreshments will be given free by the merchants of the town. This plan is carried out by the enterprising merchants of Tilden every year and as a result they have come into closer touch with the farmers of that territory and mutual interests are benefited.

The Northwestern railroad has had some figures compiled by the passenger department from statements received from sixty agents in Nebraska which show that the corn crop of the northern part of the state is practically assured, says an Omaha report. From a compilation of these figures it is found that the section of Nebraska through which the Northwestern travels is assured of 90 per cent of last year's corn crop. Last year's crop was exceptional, and to get 90 per cent this year is considered a splendid showing in consideration of the fact that all crops in Nebraska had a late start this year.

O'Neill Frontier: Barney Hynes returned last night from a three months' visit among the scenes of his childhood in Ireland. He was accompanied home by John Carton, who stopped off at Norfolk yesterday for a couple of days visit with his daughter and who is expected home this afternoon. Barney says that life under King Edward's rule would be most obnoxious to him now after having enjoyed about twenty-six years of freedom under the stars and stripes. He enjoyed his trip immensely and says he hopes to make it again in a couple of years for he says with a wink, "there is always the satisfaction of knowing that you can jar loose at any moment and return to the land of the free and the home of the brave." He brought the editor a genuine black-thorn stick cut in the hills of Galway for which he has our thanks. His nephew, Mathews Hynes, accompanied him and expects to become a citizen of free America.

SEIZE BAD POST CARDS

WAVE OF INDECENT CARDS HAS REACHED NORFOLK.

ARE SENT TO WASHINGTON

The Norfolk Postoffice Has Begun to Be Bothered With Obscene Post Cards, All of Which Are Destroyed. Has Become Chicago Pest.

The indecent post card nuisance, which has been bothering postoffice people in Chicago for some weeks, has swept westward until the edge of the wave is just lapping up against Norfolk. A few of this class of post cards have been confiscated in the Norfolk postoffice and sent to Washington, where they are destroyed.

The postal officials have the right to seize and destroy any obscene pictures or other matter sent through the mails. It might go hard with the senders if they were found out.

There is a large class of rather vulgar post cards which can hardly be said to be obscene, and many of these continue to go through the mails.

It is said that the suggestive and indecent post cards in Chicago have filled bushel baskets when confiscated at the postoffice.

HELPS SMALL CREAMERIES.

New Rates in Nebraska Will Benefit Norfolk Industry.

Norfolk as a creamery center will be benefited by the schedule of cream rates announced by the state railway commission this week. The rates are placed on a mileage basis and replace the old special rates.

Short haul tariffs are reduced and long haul tariffs altered and subjected to some increase. While Norfolk will benefit by the new rates as against Omaha competition the new schedule will still not be quite as favorable as the Norfolk and other north Nebraska creameries had hoped for. Thus under the new schedule a ten gallon can is transported 120 miles for 28 cents and 240 miles for 38 cents. This, it is pointed out, is an improvement over the old schedule but still means that after ten gallons of cream has been shipped to Norfolk at a cost of 28 cents it cost only 10 cents more to send it on to Omaha. But the difference formerly was less.

What is thought to be the chief merit of the new schedule is that shipments can be made to any town from any other town and the same rate will be effective in each combination. The rates are strictly on the mileage basis. There will be no special rates to Omaha, Lincoln and other cities with centralizing creameries. The commission announced that there will be 810,000 combinations that can be made under the new schedule. Under the special rates in effect now, 357 stations have the benefit of the specials. Under the new distance tariff, each station has the advantage of the rates.

The following table will show the effect of the rates on the Northwestern railroad into Omaha on ten-gallon cans of cream:

Stations.	Miles.	Present.	Special rate.	New rate
Irvington	14	15	15	15
DeBolt	20	15	15	15
Arlington	28	15	17	17
Fremont	36	18	19	19
Nickerson	45	20	20	20
Hooper	53	23	22	22
Scribner	60	25	22	22
Srowell	65	27	23	23
West Point	73	27	24	24
Norfolk	117	31	28	28
O'Neill	192	36	34	34
Valentine	306	39	46	46
Gordon	396	50	54	54

PUMPKINS IN STREET

Charlie Groesbeck Says the City Ought to Take Some Action.

Pumpkins grow in the city street near Nebraska avenue and Eighth street.

Pumpkins growing in a city street is not a condition of affairs likely to appeal to municipal pride but Charlie Groesbeck bears solemn testimony to the flourishing health of the pumpkins. And other Nebraska avenue residents complain of a hay fever epidemic that seems hovering over the neighborhood on account of an evident over supply of weeds.

Norfolk is supposed to have a weed ordinance in the making and it can't be made too soon for Nebraska avenue citizens.

And then there are the pumpkins which ought to be harvested.

Niobrara Shakespearean Club.

Niobrara, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: Niobrara is a literary town. The Shakespearean club has elected the following officers for the year: Mrs. Sarah A. Houston, president; Frank Thompson, vice president; Miss Alice Wadsworth, treasurer; Miss Helen Whipple, secretary. The meeting was held at the home of Miss Harriet Draper. This club was formed in 1899, has twenty-five members and has read a dozen Shakespearean plays.

URIAH HOLLOWETER DIES

Old Landmark of Southern Brown County Succumbs Suddenly. Ainsworth, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: Uriah Holloweter, an old landmark in southern Brown and in Blaine and Loup counties, was buried yesterday in a cemetery near

his former home on the Calamus. Mr. Holloweter was born in Ohio in 1828 and came to Nebraska in 1882, settling in Loup county. He was a surveyor by profession and many settlers since then have profited by his skill and experience. He was the father of eleven stalwart sons and daughters, all living and nearly all in Brown county. Mrs. Minnie Lewis lives in Gregory, S. D. He had a wide acquaintance and was generally esteemed for his worth as a man and as a surveyor. For some years he has not followed his profession, feeling that his age was a bar to the best work in that line. He was sick but a few hours. His wife died some thirty years ago.

BIG BUNCH OF DENTISTS

MOST SUCCESSFUL MEETING IN THEIR HISTORY.

MULLEN IS MADE PRESIDENT

The Northeastern Nebraska Dental Association Will Not Merge Into the State Association—Next Meeting in Norfolk One Year Hence.

G. M. Mullen, Creighton, president, H. Thomsen, West Point, vice president.

C. S. Parker, Norfolk, secretary, H. J. Cole, Norfolk, treasurer.

The Northeast Nebraska Dental association held the most successful meeting in its history in Norfolk Tuesday. Twenty-three dentists from this section of the state were present.

The Northeast Nebraska Dental association will not merge its identity into the state plan of group organizations for the present year at least. The plan of reorganizing the society was put over until next year, the success of this year's meeting and program making the dentists of this part of the state unwilling to experiment with the new plan until it had been tested.

The next meeting of the society will be held in Norfolk next September, the plan of annual meetings having been adopted at the gathering in this city last winter.

Officers for the coming year were chosen at the business meeting Tuesday evening. Dr. Cole of this city being chosen as treasurer and Dr. Parker re-elected as secretary.

An informal banquet served at the Oxnard at 7 o'clock in the evening furnished a pleasant feature of the session. The regular meetings were held in Marquardt hall. There were no toasts at the banquet, the affair being entirely informal.

The dentists in attendance at the convention from away were: Dr. A. Corbett, Atkinson; Dr. F. W. Slabaugh, Omaha; Dr. P. T. Barber, Omaha; Dr. C. E. Klopp, Stanton; Dr. Clark, Stanton; Dr. J. F. Daly, Wisner; Dr. Hansen, Pilger; Dr. H. Thomsen, West Point; Dr. H. F. King, Fremont; Dr. Condon, Humphrey; Dr. Tergarden, Neligh; Dr. J. F. McLaran, Springfield; Dr. Thomas, Pierce; Dr. Walden, Lynch; Dr. G. M. Mullen, Creighton; Dr. C. E. Brown, Emerson; Dr. C. Sitzer, Albion; Dr. Eby, Hartington; Dr. Matzen, Columbus; Dr. W. H. Mullen, Bloomfield.

Cuming County Democrats.

West Point, Neb., Sept. 17.—Special to The News: The democrats of Cuming county have selected their county central committee as follows: West Point, First ward, J. A. Stahl; Second ward, William Gentrup; Third ward, Charles Carsten; Bancroft, A. G. Zuhke; Cleveland, M. Tyrrell; Grant, John Albers; Blaine, By. Emley; Wisner, George F. Kenower; Beemer, D. H. Albers; Logan, J. J. Byrne; Neligh, William Zuhke; Garfield, W. F. Keller; Sherman, Conrad Gerken; St. Charles, Wm. Olgmueller; Elkhorn, A. Schuler; Monterey, J. Kreikemeler; Cuming, H. G. Paradies; Blismarck, A. Leutheuser; Lincoln, J. Pakarek.

New South Dakota Fruit.

Pierre, S. D., Sept. 17.—Professor Hansen, the Luther Burbank of South Dakota, has produced a cross between the Sioux sand cherry and the California blue plum, which he deems a perfect fruit and one which he believes will become immensely popular. This is the first year it has fruited and the fruit has all of the deliciousness of the blue plum together with the spicy springliness of the sand cherry, without any of the acidity of the latter. He has but a few plants of this cross, but is preparing to propagate the largest number possible and it is his opinion that a few years hence the gardens of the state can be provided with the long sought South Dakota fruit.

Bower-McCoid.

Ainsworth, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: Thomas S. Bower and Mrs. Fannie McCoid were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baker. The groom is in the windmill business in Ainsworth and the bride has been one of the most prominent teachers in Brown county for a number of years.

McLean Saloon Robbed.

McLean, Neb., Sept. 18.—During the absence of the proprietor, William Feddern, in Sioux City, the back door to the McLean saloon was forced open and nearly \$70 extracted from the cash box. The robbery took place while the boy in charge of the saloon was at supper. The sheriff was called from Pierce.

DEATH IN STORM ON THE ROSEBUD

TWO KNOWN DEAD, TWO OTHER VICTIMS REPORTED.

WERE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

HENRY COSS, AGED HOMESTEADER NEAR DIXON, DEAD.

PHILIP PHILLIPI IS KILLED

Two Are Known to Have Been Killed and Two Others Are Reported Dead on Rosebud as a Result of the Terrible Electrical Storm.

Gregory, S. D., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: At least two Rosebud settlers met instant death in the terrific electrical storm which swept the northwest Monday evening, and an unconfirmed report says that two others were killed.

The dead: HENRY COSS, aged homesteader ten miles northeast of Dixon.

PHILIP PHILLIPI, aged 20, residing six miles southeast of Gregory.

Two others, reports of whose deaths are not yet confirmed, are: A young girl at Lamoureux, new town in Tripp county.

Ex-soldier named Shultz, near Burke.

Coss Was Hauling Corn. Henry Coss, the aged homesteader living ten miles northeast of Dixon, was killed by lightning while hauling corn to his logs. He leaves an aged wife. His children reside in the east.

Phillipi Was in Barn. Phillip Phillipi, the young farmer of twenty years who was killed six miles southeast of Gregory, was tying his horses in the barn. His father and brother had just stepped outside on their way to the house.

Other Reports. An unconfirmed report reaches here that a young girl was killed by the lightning in Lamoureux, the new Tripp county town. There is neither telephone nor telegraph communication with Lamoureux.

It has also been impossible to verify the report that Shultz, an ex-soldier near Burke, was struck by the lightning and killed.

HOT DAY AFTER STORM

92 in Norfolk—Rain Was General and Helps Fall Wheat.

The rain of Monday night was general over the northwest. It extended as far west as Newport, at least, and north into Bonesteel and the Rosebud. It will be of great benefit to fall wheat and will aid fall plowing. A very hot day followed the storm, the mercury climbing in Norfolk to 92.

Niobrara, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: A heavy rain fell here Monday night which was one of the greatest of the year. It will be of much benefit to the fall wheat.

Butte, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: A hard rain visited this part of the country Monday night, putting the ground in excellent condition for fall plowing.

TWO COACHES ARE MASHED

PASSENGER CARS MADE INTO KINDLING WOOD.

An Extra Freight Train Ran Into Two Passenger Coaches in the Northwestern Yards at Long Pine, Demolishing Both of the Coaches. Long Pine, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: An extra freight train ran into two Northwestern passenger coaches in the yards here in the night. The two coaches were completely demolished. Nobody was injured.

Butcher Jumps Bills.

Valentine, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: Higestrom, a butcher who has been working in the shop of Stetter & Toben for the last three months, disappeared Saturday night with his wife and brother, leaving behind him unpaid bills among various merchants, amounting to quite a sum. During his stay he contracted debts and Saturday night left under the pretext of a hunting expedition to the lakes. He rented a shotgun from a hardware store and, appropriating the team and buggy of his employers, departed for some near railroad station and caught a train. He came here from Norfolk.

Pierce Personals.

Pierce, Neb., Sept. 16.—Special to The News: Albert Magdanz, teacher and lecturer in the department of animal industry at the Nebraska university, accompanied by Chris Rimmers, Jr., and Benjamin Lindsay, Jr.,



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left today for Lincoln. The latter two will enter the university.
Mrs. Thomas Chilvers and daughter, Ada, will leave shortly for a two months' visit abroad and will visit mostly in London. They will be among the first Nebraskans to ride on the new ocean vessel, Lusitania.

LIGHTNING STRIKES BOY

FRANK GARNERY, NEAR PIERCE, IS LAID OUT.

PHYSICIAN BRINGS HIM "TO"

Several Buildings on the Pierce Fair Grounds Were Demolished by the Wind and Electrical Storm—Tree Branches Broken Down.

Pierce, Neb., Sept. 17.—Special to The News: This vicinity was visited last night by a terrific rain, wind and electrical storm. Branches of trees are lying everywhere. The most violent wind, however, passed southeast of the city and several buildings on the fair grounds were demolished.

Lightning struck near the home of C. A. Garney and struck the youngest son, Frank Garnery, rendering him unconscious. The aid of a physician was necessary to bring him "to."

Girls, Valentine's The Place.

Valentine, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: Cupid has been very busy in this vicinity for the last three days, a marriage being celebrated each day. The following couples were married: J. Bennett-Gillespie; Carroll Niles; Lewis-Horback.

REQUISITIONS FOR THREE MEN

Trio Accused of Rock Island Train Robbery Are Arrested.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: Requisitions were this morning secured for the return of J. B. Baley, J. Williams and M. Rubbell, the three men accused of looting passengers on a Rock Island train two weeks ago. They are under arrest at Sioux City.

BUTTE LIGHTS AND MILL

E. E. BUSHNALL BUYS THEM FROM C. A. JOHNSON.

WHEELS WILL SOON WHIRL

People of Butte Rejoice Over the Prospects For Renewed Activity in Their Mill and Electric Light Plant, Which Have Been Idle.

Butte, Neb., Sept. 18.—Special to The News: The Butte flour mill and also the electric light plant, which are run by the same power, were purchased yesterday from C. A. Johnson of Fairfax by E. E. Bushnall. This will be a great boon to Butte as it will mean the electric lights and mill here will soon be running. Mr. Bushnall is a resident of Butte and has plenty of financial backing which assures the undertaking to be a sure go. Elmer Hamaker, an expert at the business, will have charge of the mill. Mr. Bushnall is in Omaha buying the necessary repairs for the plant. Butte people are jubilant over the prospects for the town.

HERRICK FESTIVAL.

One of New Rosebud Towns Promise to Rival Omaha.

Bonesteel, S. D., Sept. 16.—Special to The News: The citizens of Herrick have announced that they will hold a fall festival and carnival at that place on October 2, 3 and 4. They promise to rival the Ak-Sar-Ben at Omaha. These western South Dakota towns have a faculty of doing things up proper and Herrick will do credit to its undertaking.

MR. BODWELL IS APPOINTED.

Norfolk School Superintendent Honored by State Board.

E. J. Bodwell, superintendent of the Norfolk schools, has been appointed a member of the board to examine teachers for state certificates. He takes the place on the board formerly occupied by E. B. Sherman, who is now superintendent of the Kearney industrial school.

FOR SALE—Ten thoroughbred Dur-

Jersey boar pigs, one mile west of Norfolk. Obed Raasch.