

NORFOLK BIFF MATCH ENDS IN A DRAW

LEWIS-DICKSON BOXING EXHIBITION RUNS FOUR ROUNDS.

After four rounds of fast biffing in the militia hall on Norfolk avenue the referee announced that Kid Dickson of Omaha and Harry Lewis of Galveston and Norfolk had fought a draw.

The fact that the biffing was limited to four rounds was not unexpected on account of the size of the crowd while the ending of the biffing in a draw is the proper form in Norfolk biffing rules.

A preliminary was given by the Housch boys, who show great ability in the fist art and fight with a vengeance from start to finish.

It was agreed that the preliminary biffing was, in fact, a faster and better article of biffing than the main con-



Harry Lewis, a Norfolk fist artist, test, which did not create any degree of enthusiasm outside of the personal following of the two chief biffers.

One of those Housch boys could be put in training and whip either man up tonight," said one fight-follower who knows a point or two.

Lewis has made his home in Norfolk for some months and has been in the fighting game for about fourteen years.

CHARLES MIX FIGHT GOES ON. Lake Andes Will Go Before the Courts Against Geddes.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 17.—Special to The News: The fight between the town of Geddes and Lake Andes for a place upon the ballots in November to make the race against Wheeler with the object of capturing the county seat of Charles Mix county from that place, will without doubt reach the courts.

The county commissioners a few days ago decided that Geddes was right fully entitled to a place upon the ballot as the competitor of Wheeler.

The people of Lake Andes have practically determined to carry the matter into the courts, where an effort will be made to secure a reversal of the action of the county commissioners and have Geddes displaced from the ballot and Lake Andes substituted.

It was decided by the county commissioners that the petitions filed by Lake Andes did not contain the signatures of 1,951 legal voters of the county, which number was fixed as a majority, but did have 1,775 signatures.

So confident do the residents of Lake Andes appear to feel of their position that they have offered to deposit the sum of \$500 or more in any reputable bank against a like sum from Geddes, to be forfeited if the Lake Andes petitions now on file in the office of the county auditor do not contain the signatures of more legal voters of Charles Mix county than do the petitions of Geddes, upon which the county commissioners rendered their decision.

The count, under the conditions proposed by the citizens of Lake Andes, shall be made by disinterested

persons, to be chosen and agreed upon by the two towns. The residents of Lake Andes are confident such a recount would prove beyond a doubt that the counting of the board was erroneous.

Wool Marketed at Belle Fourche.

Belle Fourche, S. D., Aug. 17.—The Belle Fourche wool market closed Saturday after the largest business ever done here.

PLAYED WITH RIFLE SHOT THROUGH HAND.

SON OF GUSTAVE JAHN WAS PLAYING WITH RIFLE.

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The northwestern engine was torn loose from the tender and whirled around at right angles from its course.

The Missouri cars were being taken from the union station to the round house. The other engine was hauling a long string of empties from the Northwestern freight yards.

TRIPP AUTHORITIES NAB HORSE GRABBERS SUSPECTED HORSE THIEVES FROM VALENTINE ARRESTED.

Valentine, Neb., Aug. 17.—Special to The News: In response to word from Tripp county, South Dakota, that men, who answered the description of the men who are supposed to have stolen a team and buggy from the Star livery barn, were being held there by the authorities together with the stolen team and buggy, the sheriff left for Lincoln at once to get the necessary requisition papers to bring the prisoners from Tripp county back to Valentine.

A telegram asking for a description of the stolen team and buggy was the first word that has been received of the outfit taken from the Star barn. The sheriff's description fitted the property and the men who are being held in Tripp.

The Star barn has sent a man to bring back the team and buggy. The sheriff before securing the prisoners must first present his requisition papers to Governor Crawford.

Precedent Didn't Go. Albion News: While holding evangelistic meetings over in Wheeler county H. S. Nelson and E. L. Jorgenson went out hunting and a few days ago Deputy Game Warden Hunger dropped into town and arrested them for having prairie chickens in their possession.

A Wheat Yield. Albion News: C. A. Nichols raised forty acres of wheat this year which yielded about thirty-seven and one-half bushels to the acre.

NORFOLK DEMOCRATS TRY TO SOLVE TICKET.

BERGE AND HOWARD STRONG IN LOCAL POLITICS.

"I would like to see Shallenberger the nominee, believe that Berge will be the fusion candidate and will probably vote for Dahman because of personal friendship for Jim." This was the way a prominent Norfolk Democrat stated his personal position in the three-cornered fight for the Democratic nomination.

Norfolk Democrats would probably like to see Shallenberger governor but a majority will probably vote for Berge because the "situation" seems to demand the Lincoln man.

Touching congressional politics Norfolk Democrats close to the inside say that they believe that Edgar Howard will carry the Norfolk primaries and Senator Latta the district.

Among other contests on the Democratic ticket Harry B. Fleharty of Omaha, has quite an acquaintance here and will poll the vote for attorney general.

Lincoln Star: The business men of Norfolk will make a trade-winning trip of 160 miles north on the Dallas line of the Northwestern road.

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PLAINVIEW WINS RUBBER 12 INNINGS AT O'NEILL.

Plainview, Neb., Aug. 17.—Special to The News: The Plainview Sterlings defeated O'Neill in the rubber game at O'Neill yesterday afternoon in a spectacular twelve-inning game.

RAILROAD MEN MEET WEDNESDAY EVENING.

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Monday Mentions. F. A. Beeler left for Chicago Sunday noon on business.

the guest of Miss Myrtice Doughty over Sunday.

WILBERGER WON HER IN SPITE OF PAPA.

CUPID FINALLY PREVAILED IN THIS ROMANCE.

SIXTY MILES IN AUTOMOBILE.

Miss Alma Zieme of Beaver City, Neb., Becomes Bride of Anoka Barber After Months of Patient Waiting. Were Married at Center.

Anoka, Neb., Aug. 15.—Special to The News: Cupid won. Last winter Guy Wilberger of this place was outwitted by her irate papa in an attempt to elope with Miss Alma Zieme of Beaver City, Neb.

They were married at Center, the county seat of Knox county, enroute. Wilberger is the barter here. When he left town Anoka grew up to whickers until a tramp barber came along and saved the town by shaving it.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Mrs. E. Sly returned from Long Pine Monday noon after a week's visit.

Mrs. Alice Klug went to Hadar Monday.

Mrs. E. F. Stear and daughter left Monday for Madison.

Miss Katherine Wiedenfelder left Monday morning for Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Dudley and children left Tuesday morning for a visit at Omaha and Utica, Neb.

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EXPLODING LAMP BURNS KLUG HOME.

HENRY KLUG'S RESIDENCE BURNS TO FOUNDATION.

WAS OUTSIDE THE FIRE LIMITS.

Fire Which Destroyed the Klug Home First Serious Fire in Many Months. Narrow Escape for Mrs. Klug—An Argument for City Expansion.

A kerosene lamp exploding about 8 o'clock Monday evening in the home of Henry Klug in Edgewater park started a fire which totally destroyed the Klug residence and which furnished the first serious fire of the summer.

Located in what is known as Klug's addition to Norfolk the burning home was outside of the fire district and the firemen were unable to use the city water.

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