

Seismic Records Are All Broken.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 2.—Professor Stetting, of the Russian physical observatory, and secretary of the International Seismic Commission, is busily classifying the observations telegraphed to him from all quarters of the globe.

The lateral displacement of the earth's crust during the Italian earthquake, amounting 1.2 millimeters, is the greatest on record since the introduction of seismography. The absence of premonitory shocks is attributed to atmospheric conditions, but this is not definitely established.

THURSDAY TIDINGS.

Miss Gladys Weaver left at noon for a visit in Neligh.

W. J. Stadelman left at noon for Kearney on a business trip.

Elair DuVal who has been visiting his friend, Roy Lunkart, returned home today.

Mrs. A. C. Williams and little daughter of Meadow Grove were in Norfolk.

Ralph Lunkart left Thursday noon for a short visit in Tilden before going to Columbus for a visit.

Albert Leyman and Mr. Martenz, the latter the Lutheran teacher at Stanton, have returned home after a short visit in Norfolk.

Drs. Salter and Tashjean this morning grafted skin onto W. H. Shippee's finger which was amputated Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamm of Roseoe, Mo., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Clark. Two brothers of Mrs. Clark, Frank and Wellington Hamm, are also guests at the Clark home.

Miss Amelia Wilde and Miss Emma Neitzke have gone to Milwaukee where Miss Wilde will make her home in the future, Miss Neitzke will spend two or three months in Milwaukee.

Miss Emma Dominiskey, a sister of Mrs. R. J. Eccles of this city, died yesterday morning in Chicago. Miss Dominiskey had been ill with an attack of the grip. She was known in Norfolk, having spent last summer in this city on a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Eccles went to St. Paul, Neb., Thursday to attend the funeral.

A neighborhood row will be aired in police court at 2 o'clock next Monday, when Mrs. George Meister and her twelve-year-old little boy appear to answer to the charge of assault and battery filed by Abram White. Mr. White claims that he was assaulted with frozen chunks of earth. The throwing of ashes in the alley way is one of the matters of dispute. Mrs. Meister claims that whatever disturbance there was was precipitated by Mr. White.

Miss Eleanor Carpenter of Murray, who spent the Christmas holidays at the hospital with Mr. and Mrs. Mont Robb, returned home at noon.

Among the day's out of town visitors in Norfolk were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson, Pierce; La Rue Brozhamer, Chadron; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey W. Pitzer, Stanton; Thomas C. Thomson, Emerson; L. F. Hoese, Hartington; C. O. Oline, Sholes; Miss Ida Oline, Mrs. S. W. Lightner, Lynch; Frank Weaver, Wakefield; Harry Engel, Plainview; J. F. Rosenberger, Hartington; Mrs. W. L. Hoyer, Battle Creek; Lamer Sirek, Verdigris; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burns, Humphrey; F. H. Guenther, Dallas, S. D.; S. Abraham, Pierce; E. S. Gilliam, Niobrara; Lewis Jones, Monroe; J. T. Stone, C. B. Holland, Dallas, S. D.

Paul Wetzel was on the sick list yesterday.

City Clerk Ed Harter is suffering from a severe cold.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwede, a daughter.

A low now uses the building recently placed back of his feed store by George Stalcup for a warehouse. It has been completed and will be occupied by H. A. Haley.

The funeral of Mrs. Carl Braasen will be held from the Congregational church Friday, January 1, at 1 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Carl Martin of St. Johannes church, assisted by Rev. Edwin Booth of the Congregational church.

The marriage of Elmer C. Byerly of Chadron and Miss Jennie Alta Wheeler of Norfolk takes place at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wheeler, in The Heights. Rev. Edwin Booth, Jr., of the First Congregational church, officiates at the wedding.

The transfer of W. E. McDonald, for two years past wire chief of the Norfolk district of the Nebraska Telephone company, to the Omaha offices of the company, has led to a number of promotions. W. F. Perdue, the new wire chief, was promoted from assistant wire chief. The new assistant wire chief in the district is Frank Hamilton, formerly district inspector. E. L. Minton is the new district inspector. G. F. McDonald, formerly assistant wire chief, went to Schuyler some time ago.

Official notices of the annual election of the Norfolk Commercial club, to be held in the city hall at 8 o'clock on the evening of January 8, have been mailed to members of the club by Secretary J. D. Sturgeon. With the notice is mailed a list of the sustaining members of the club to be used as a guide in voting for directors. Shares paid up in the club will permit a total of 174 votes to be cast at the election. These 174 votes are controlled by the sixty-two sustaining members or firms, representing a total of seventy contributors.

Officers for the coming year were formally installed in office last night by the Danamuse chapter, No. 25, Royal Arch Masons. The officers who took office were: Dr. J. C. Myers, high priest; J. W. McClary, king; R. L. Canote, scribe; L. C. Mittelstadt, treasurer; J. B. Maylard, secre-

tary; S. G. Dean, captain of the host; A. H. Viele, principal swordsman; E. J. Hicks, royal arch captain; George H. Burton, first veil; N. B. Dolson, second veil; J. T. Wolfkiel, third veil. The officers were installed by Andre H. Viele, past excellent high priest. I. Sonneland, who met a boyhood friend in the person of Dr. Culmsee while visiting here this week, is going to locate in Norfolk. Mr. Sonneland, an present lives in Newman Grove, but he has made arrangements to establish a clothing and gents' furnishing goods store in Norfolk within sixty or ninety days. He has leased a prominent store room in the business center of the city, but the location has not yet been announced. Mr. Sonneland has been in the clothing business for about a third of a century, having been located at Harlan, Ia., for twenty-six years.

BROKE SKULL OPEN.

Albion Man Contented That His Head Was Wrong Found to Be Right.

Albion Argus: J. A. Browder passed through a delicate operation Sunday at Council Bluffs when they took a section of his skull out. All the time he has been sick for so long, he contended that he could feel the place that was wrong in his head. He said he felt depressed. Finally the doctors consented to operate on him when he took the operating table he diagrammed the spot and the doctors marked it out. When they came to lift the section of skull they found the adhesion, just as he contended that it was there. No doubt but when he fell from the wind mill tower several years ago and came so near killing himself was the time he got the lick on the head that produced the adhesion. E. E. Browder called the folks up at Council Bluffs Monday and learned that Andrew came out of the operation all right and that he was getting along very well.

Elgin Defeats Neligh.

The Elgin high school defeated Neligh recently in a basketball game, 35 to 10.

Will Start a Horse Hospital.

It is the present intention of Dr. C. A. McKim, retiring state veterinarian, and Dr. J. C. Myers of this city to open a veterinary hospital in Norfolk in the near future.

Dr. McKim expects to return to Norfolk about the first of February, after he has relinquished his office to his Democratic successor named by Governor Shallenberger. Dr. McKim has served as state veterinarian under both the Mickey and Sheldon administrations and has become widely known through the energetic work of his department in combating dangerous diseases on a very limited appropriation.

When Dr. McKim left Norfolk to take a state office he was succeeded in his practice by Dr. Myers. It may be remembered that Norfolk gathered all the honors at the first examination for state veterinarians under the new law in 1905. Dr. McKim being with Dr. Jones, a former Norfolk resident, for first place, second place in the entire Nebraska list going to Dr. Myers, though the latter was ill at the time and was seeking merely to pass.

Norfolk's central location together with the reputation of the promoters of the new hospital, is expected to insure the success of the undertaking. Veterinary hospitals are maintained in many parts of the state.

Madison Young Ladies Assaulted.

Madison Post: Miss Pearl Elley of this city, a teacher in the city schools and one of the city's most respected young ladies, together with a friend, Miss Malone, were assaulted by a lone man in front of the Cleve Reeves residence Tuesday night about 9:30 just as they were about to enter that home on a visit to the Reeves family. The fellow was dressed, as near as we are able to learn at this time, in a black overcoat and wore a cap which was down well over his eyes. He was of rather short stature, first grabbed Miss Malone, but she tore loose from him and in the meantime he caught hold of Miss Elley. But by this time both young ladies had made a cry of alarm and those who heard it rushed to their rescue but the assailant had fled and search failed to locate him. At first it was thought that it might be one of two fellows who beat their way into town on the evening passenger but this was found not to be the case and the latest theory of Chief Kennedy is that it is some fellow living in the city. Under all circumstances he should be run to earth and given the limit of punishment.

Anti-Bryan Movement.

Lincoln, Jan. 1.—Special to The News: Revolt and insurrection may be expected to break out at any time against William J. Bryan. The anti-Bryan adherents in the legislature are becoming stronger and bolder each day. Already a large number of anti-Bryan men are on the ground.

Immediate payment of bank deposits in case of failure will be the fighting issue. Bryan and his followers demand immediate payment. The opposing faction is for "prompt" payment. The period of one year is held to be prompt by those legislators. Dr. P. L. Hall, for years a Bryan adherent and the vice chairman of the national committee, is the prophet of the opposition.

Clark of Richardson county, leading candidate for speaker of the house, is said to be anti-Bryan. Pool of Johnson county is favorable while H. R. Henry of Holt county is regarded as neutral.

For the presidency program of the senate Frank Ransom of Omaha, J. A. Ollis of Valley county and G. W. Tibbits of Hastings are the leading candidates.

Bryan demands an open caucus and

the appointment of the house committees by the caucus instead of the speaker. It is claimed that a "Bryan kitchen cabinet," composed of prominent Democrats, has been organized and these will direct the fight. Senator Whitte, of Cedar, arrived to day. He probably will be the Republican leader of the senate minority.

Elgin Farmer First Killed.

Elgin, Neb., Jan. 1.—Special to The News: J. B. Couch, a farmer living a mile and a half from Elgin, was killed this morning by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. Couch was alone at the time and was crawling through a fence on his own farm when the gun became entangled in the fence. The gun had been broken and the shell was apparently thrown out of the breach as it exploded.

The charge lodged in the left side, killing the man almost instantly. Couch was after a dog at the time of the accident.

Couch leaves no insurance for his widow and five small children and the family is only fairly well-to-do.

The gun after the accident was found hanging on the fence. An inquest will be held as soon as the authorities arrive.

The victim was a man of about forty and had lived near Elgin for a number of years. He had a reputation of being an industrious worker.

Auto Scare; Arm Broken.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 2.—Special to The News: A boy about ten years old, son of C. P. Nelson, living just south of town, sustained a broken arm. While on a load of hay driving a team he met an automobile being driven by Tony Weidner. The horses became frightened and started to run and the boy thought he could save himself by jumping, but fell and broke his arm. The other damages were not great.

Wayne Normal Notes.

Wayne, Neb., Jan. 2.—Special to The News: An enrollment of 700 students marks the beginning of the first winter term at the Wayne normal.

Mrs. Pile is home from her European trip.

LAND AT \$127.50 AN ACRE.

Deal at Oakland Brings Record Price in County.

Oakland, Jan. 1.—A deal was closed here whereby D. L. Preston becomes the owner of the L. L. Young farm lands of 200 acres four miles east of town, the consideration being \$127.50 per acre, the highest price yet paid for land in this vicinity. Mr. Young was born and reared here, but on account of his wife's health will remove to Nampa, Idaho, where he has already bought land.

Weds Sweetheart of Boyhood.

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 1.—After waiting thirty-three years for the sweetheart of his school days to become his bride, Yale T. Hatch of Highmore, S. D., was rewarded late yesterday afternoon, when he was married to Mrs. Emma M. Beam of Des Moines, Justice of the Peace Harry W. Pitkin officiating.

While going to school in Pennsylvania college Hatch met and loved a little lassie, but after he had returned to the west was married to another man, and Hatch's heart was about broken when he returned to Pennsylvania and found that he had lost his sweetheart.

A few days ago he learned that Mrs. Beam resided in Des Moines and was a widow. Receiving a reply to his letter, it was quickly agreed that the two old-time sweethearts should meet in Sioux City and be married. Mr. Hatch is 75 years old, while his bride is in the fifties.

Childless Wife Defended.

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 2.—Modern woman was defended by Mrs. Charlotte P. Gilman of New York, in an address before the meeting of the American Sociological society. She declared economic and industrial conditions in the home, not the desire of woman for the high life, were the causes of race suicide.

Conditions in the poor home and those in the rich both work against the growth of the nation, Mrs. Gilman said. In the former case the wife, overworked, dreads maternity; in the latter the training which the wife has received renders her incapable of caring for her children.

"The industrial conditions of the modern home," said Mrs. Gilman, "are such as to delay and often prevent marriage. Since 'home' is supposed to arise only from marriage, it looks as if the situation were suicidal. So far, not seeing these things, we have merely followed our world-old habit of blaming the woman. She used to be contented with those conditions, we say—she ought to be now—back to nature! Woman refuses to go back—home refuses to go forward—and marriage waits."

Miss Mills' Relatives "Cut" Wedding.

New York, Jan. 2.—When Miss Beatrice Mills is wedded to the Earl of Granard, on January 14, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills, 2 East Sixty-ninth street, her grandfather, Darius O. Mills, will be settling down on his California estate for a winter in the balmy climate of the sunny state. With him will be an aunt of the bride, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, wife of the ambassador to the court of St. James, in which the earl of Granard is a peer. Mr. Mills and Mrs. Reid will start for California tomorrow, a fortnight before the day set for the wedding ceremony. The reason for the early departure is not explained and is causing considerable speculation.

As Seen By the Assessor.

Norfolk is a pretty safe place to live in. Revolvers, shotguns, rifles, all told, only number forty-two in this city, if the assessor is to be believed.

To the man with the flower garden there is consolation in the fact that not all of the 113,621 chickens in the county are kept by his neighbors. The assessor has counted the chickens.

The honk car that you dodge on the corner is apt to be worth about \$325.85. The assessor has figured it out.

Down in Madison at the court house the returns made by the assessors of the county have been tabulated. The figures here given represent the "actual value" and not the "assessed

value," which is only one-fifth and which is used merely in figuring taxes. Newman Grove honkers. Do Newman Grove honk artists drive better cars than the members of the Norfolk benzine fraternity? An examination of the assessor's records would indicate this. Newman Grove auto owners on an average value their cars at \$470. Norfolk is listed at three times as many cars as Newman Grove, but the average car in this city is only worth \$301.65. A car over in Tilden is worth \$300, a car in Meadow Grove \$200, while a car in Emeryck, no longer the pride of its owner's heart, is marked down to \$100.

A Dog Is Worth \$5.

Turning to the field of live stock, the average dog in the county is valued at \$5. Dog fanciers in Madison county pay regular taxes on 1,942 dogs. Of this number only 59 are listed from Norfolk precinct, where valuations were placed on 204 canines.

Norfolk Long on Music.

Norfolk, short on dogs, in the assessment if not in reality, is long on pianos. There is an instrument in every fifth house in Norfolk, 220 pianos being found in this city by the assessor. In the county there are 481 pianos with an average value of \$99.80. Norfolk pianos are worth \$97.75. Madison has 70 pianos and values them at \$95. The 43 owners of pianos in Newman Grove think their instruments are worth \$150. In Meadow Grove precinct, in outside Madison, in Grove and Warnerville no pianos were to be found.

Organs and other instruments of musical torture are more numerous. 704 being assessed with only 92 in Norfolk and 78 in Madison.

Some Sparklers Are Paste.

If you got it at the owners' valuation you could buy all the jewelry worn in Norfolk for \$2,495. You could get all the jewelry in the county for \$5,820. Madison has \$625 in jewelry, Tilden \$810 worth, Norfolk precinct \$1,000 worth of glitterers, while Newman Grove's jewelry totals up to \$550. All the jewelry in six precincts amounts to \$280 while in the fourteen remaining precincts not a single ring or sparkler could be found.

Live Stock Figures.

There are 11,415 horses in Madison county, estimated to be worth a total of \$848,710 or an average of \$74.30 for each horse. Norfolk horses are not worth so much, the average value for a horse in this city being \$46.30. Grove precinct is the banner horse precinct with 810 animals.

Then there are 511 mules in the county, with \$45,165. Mules are worth \$90 a piece, the owners said. So a mule is worth more than a horse. The assessors found 36,917 head of cattle, worth about \$19 each, 1,575 head of sheep worth about \$3.32 each, 47,301 head of hogs worth about \$8.75 apiece.

Chickens Worth a Quarter.

The chicken census of the assessors show 113,621 chickens scratching in 19 different sections of the county. The chickens are assessed at \$28,000 or at about \$24 each.

Union Bond Holders.

The bond holders live out in Union precinct, where \$800 worth of taxable bonds are held. Norfolk has \$400 worth of bonds.

Where the Hunters Live.

Despite Norfolk's disreputable reputation, there are more firearms kept in Schoolcraft precinct than in Norfolk. There are 377 weapons in the county, 42 listed from Norfolk and 39 from the precinct.

Has Only Boat.

According to the assessors there is only one boat in the county and that is at Norfolk and worth \$25.

What Is a Patent Worth?

What is a patent worth? There are four patent rights held in the county. A Norfolk man has a patent which he thinks is worth \$120. A Meadow Grove inventor has not quite so much confidence and thinks his invention worth \$60. Two patents held in Kalamazoo precinct are valued at \$200.

Twenty-three of the 122 steam engines are owned in Norfolk. The average steam engine is worth about \$200 and in the opinion of the assessors is about the most valuable thing in the county outside of a threshing machine which they value at \$250 on the average. Sixty-three threshers are listed on the books.

Seventy-four of the 134 safes in the county are in Norfolk.

Fifty-one of the 91 typewriters which elick in the county are in Norfolk offices. The typewriters are listed at about \$25.

Book Accounts.

Norfolk has book accounts paying taxes to the extent of \$27,980. Madison accounts total up \$6,195 and Battle Creek accounts \$2,780.

No Wall Street Stock.

Madison county widows and orphans are not staying awake nights for fear of the Wall street market or of the results of trust baiting. In the whole county there is only held \$690 worth of stock in outside corporations, that the assessor could discover. All of this stock is credited to Norfolk. So Norfolk people, unless they dodged the assessor, are not clipping coupons to any extent.

Eleven of the 18 billiard tables are in Norfolk, 5 in Madison, 2 in Meadow Grove.

Merchandise in Norfolk stores is assessed at \$284,975, at Newman Grove at \$141,670, at Madison at \$116,775.

The libraries and the furniture in Norfolk homes, the assessors thought were worth \$91,945, or about \$30 to a home. In Madison the total reached is only \$18,845.

Sewing Machines.

There are 2,181 sewing machines in the county, 592 of which are in Norfolk. There are watches and clocks in the

county to the number of 2,247. The average ticker is worth \$8.

There are 4,279 vehicles in the county. The assessors saw 202 in Norfolk.

Few Bicycles Found.

The bicycle club is thinning out. The assessors spotted on 36 wheels in Norfolk and only 64 in the entire county.

Vanderlip to Succeed Stillman.

New York, Jan. 1.—The intention of James Stillman to resign as president of the National City bank has been carried out, according to a report circulated today and confirmed in reliable quarters, and soon after the annual meeting on January 12, Frank A. Vanderlip, who, as ranking vice president, has been in charge of the bank during Mr. Stillman's protracted absence for the last three years, will be chosen to succeed him. Mr. Stillman is now in abroad.

Mr. Vanderlip did not care to comment on the report.

Levels Gun at Game Warden.

Neligh, Neb., Jan. 4.—Special to The News: After a continued watch over two weeks for violators of the game laws of this section of the state Deputy Game Warden R. W. Hyers of Bassett, landed Ora Keeler, a lad about seventeen years of age, in the county jail yesterday afternoon for the shooting of prairie chickens.

The young man was watched early in the morning by the deputy and about 7 o'clock in the afternoon made the arrest upon his return to town. Keeler declared, "You can't arrest me," and leveled the gun upon Mr. Hyers, who rushed in and grabbed the prisoner by the throat and marched him to jail.

In an interview by The News correspondent Mr. Hyers stated that he never in his life experienced such nerve as possessed this young man by resisting an officer and attempting to shoot.

He also stated that charges would be filed this morning, and the hearing held before County Judge Wilson. The gun and three chickens were secured from the prisoner.

The deputy stated he could file charges against the young man for resisting arrest, shooting on Sunday and the attempt of taking his life, but decided on only one charge, and that will be of killing three chickens out of season.

Jess Keeler, a brother of the lad now in jail, caused trouble late in the evening at the barn of Will Van Patter. He landed on Mr. Van Patter and it was necessary to take him home in a buggy. In phone communication late in the evening Mr. Van Patter stated he would not file any charges, but may consider the matter today.

Laurel Also After I. O. O. F. Home.

Laurel, Neb., Jan. 4.—The I. O. O. F. grand lodge of Nebraska is looking about for a site for the location of a home for Old Fellows, their widows and orphans, which they expect to erect during the coming year. The Laurel Commercial club have taken up the matter of trying to have the home located at this place, believing that no better site, considering the quality of the land, nearness to school, easy access to light and water supply, can be had for the money. Every requirement can be met that the committee asks for, and the Commercial club will put forth every effort to secure the home.

"Kid" Jensen Here.

"Kid" Jensen is back in Norfolk from the Rosebud country for a few days. Jensen was in Gregory for the O'Leary-Davis fight. He has a fight on with "Donny," a Rosebud fist artist, some time within the next few weeks. It has not been decided in just which Rosebud town the fight will take place.

Soon to Locate Land Office.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The rivalry of Gregory county towns for the location of the Mitchell land office approached white heat today when final hearing on the proposition came to hand. Five Gregory county towns are in the contest: Fairfax, Bonesteel, Burke, Gregory and Dallas, but it is said at the general land office that the fight has narrowed down to two towns, Gregory and Dallas.

It was said today at the general land office that it is practically necessary that the Mitchell land office be moved to Gregory county in order to be near the lands to be settled up.

The transfer has practically been determined upon. Which town is the bone of contention now.

Commissioner Fred Dennett has listened to each town's claims and will shortly take up the matter with Secretary of the Interior Garfield.

Representative Philo Hall accompanied the following gentlemen from Gregory to the land office, where they had an extended interview with Mr. Dennett: Joy M. Hackler, cashier of the Gregory State bank; Fred Huston, postmaster at Gregory, and Windsor Doherty, attorney at law. Senator Gamble and Congressman Hall are assisting the Gregory boomers, while Senator Kittredge and Representative Martin are said to favor the location of the new land office at Dallas.

The Dallas boomers consist of J. D. Keller, C. M. Rose, Ople Chambers and G. A. Jeffers.

Indian Superintendent Transferred.

S. A. M. Young, superintendent of the Indian school at Chamberlain, S. D., was today transferred to take charge of the Indian school at North Yakima, Wash., to succeed J. Lynch, resigned.

New Banks Authorized.

The application of Juan Stewart, Frank D. Jackson, Ernest A. Jackson, Frank Jackson and Graydon B. Jackson to organize the First National bank of Dallas, S. D., with \$25,000 capital, has been approved by the comptroller of the currency.

The following banks have been authorized to begin business. The Whitebeck National of Chamberlain, S. D.,

with \$50,000 capital; William M. Pratt, president; N. W. Eggleston, vice president; A. C. Whitbeck, cashier.

Postal Appointments.

Rural carriers appointed: Nebraska—McLenn, route 1, Douglas B. Marsh carrier; P. E. Marsh, substitute; Wausa route 2, Elmer C. Peterson carrier; J. E. Peterson, substitute.

The Boyd Contest.

The editor of the Plainview Republican has received a letter from Congressman Boyd relative to the rumored contest against Congressman-elect Latta, in which Mr. Boyd says:

"The only thing I have heard of such a course on my part are those publications in the newspapers which are being made without any authority on my part whatever, as I have never entertained or expressed the thought of pursuing such a course."

"The Honeymooners."

A capacity audience at the Auditorium Saturday evening laughed till its sides shook at Willie Dunay and the other funny people in Cohan's song-show, "The Honeymooners." What started out with a rather unpromising first act, developed in the second and third into a sparkling treat that was thoroughly enjoyed. There were a number of representative out-of-town people in the audience.

When once it gets going "The Honeymooners" moves like lightning. There's something doing every minute of the time. There's a "rah, rah, rah" tone to it that brings a snappy football game to mind.

Willie Dunay was seen for the first time in Norfolk and he was richly funny as the overgrown academy boy in love. His songs were bright and cleverly sung. He was recalled again and again in "Nothing New Beneath the Sun," "Honest, Little Girl, I'm Strong For You," "If I'm Goin' to Die, I'm Goin' to Have Some Fun," and "Chicago is My Home." It got so that he brought a hearty hand every time he merely appeared on the stage, toward the last. His facial expressions were unique and he was all the better because he wasn't made up.

Anna Wheaton, as Madeline Tiger, was a mighty pretty little girl and her dancing and singing gave her a warm spot in the heart of the audience. "Don't Go Near the Water, Daughter," was the best song she sang, and she had to sing it again and again.

Louis London, as "Sam Gaylord," was a good looking and a clever fellow, who made a hit early in the game. His "I'm a Popular Man" was the first good song on the program. Rose Gildea was rather clever in a couple of songs. William Slinger presented a true-to-nature character of the town constable. The chorus was not good looking, but it was on deck with all four feet when it came to the songs.

A new stunt was presented in one song in which, by electrical effect, the chorus girls were made to look like moving pictures. In another the chorus girls' heads shone out of the dark by reason of little electric lights carried under their bonnets.

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