

## FRIDAY FACTS.

**Mr. and Mrs. John Krueger** and family have gone to Wisconsin for an extended visit.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. August Stetzen, a daughter.

Mrs. Hans Vogt is at Tilden visiting with relatives.

Miss Adeline Moratz of Hoskins was a visitor in the city.

Mrs. W. S. O'Brien went to Madison to visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Groesbeck and children returned from a visit with relatives at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buchholz and son Arden of Omaha spent the night in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds and family have gone to Wisconsin to spend two weeks at a lake resort.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Beebe are now comfortably settled in their new home on East Norfolk avenue. The house is of the most modern type.

Another home was added to Street Commissioner Lee's force and is making good headway in the cleaning up of the objectionable weeds along the streets.

Ed Brueggeman placed in position in front of the Nebraska National bank building the second Ad club cluster light which will be in operation this evening.

William McIntyre, the former Northwestern roundhouse employee who was injured in falling from a moving train, is now reported to be suffering from a fractured skull. Besides this he has two ugly scalp wounds.

There were twenty losses to corn cribs, wind mills and barns on farms in this vicinity during the recent wind storm. All these twenty losses, says one insurance man, are to be adjusted by insurance companies.

A regular meeting of the Ad club will be held this evening in the office of the Norfolk Light and Power company. All members are requested to be in attendance. Much important business is to be transacted and arrangements for the ball game and a new entertainment will be discussed.

So satisfied is the Ad club with their entertainments given at the Lyric Wednesday evening that they have arranged with the Crystal theater **MANAGEMENT** to give two entertainments next Wednesday and Thursday. The feature of these entertainments will be the daylight curtain which will be exhibited for the first time in this city.

Otto Laubsch and Miss Anna Frommer went to Madison Thursday morning and at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon they were united in marriage by Judge Bates. The young couple will make their home with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Laubsch, 306 South First street. Mr. Laubsch is employed as a clerk in his father's hardware store.

Herbert Hauptli, the Norfolk young man who was seized by Policeman Livingston the other night when he had put his foot on the pedal of his bicycle to start home, will not be prosecuted. The action of Officer Livingston was repudiated by authorities "higher up" in the administration and instructions were issued to Chief of Police Marquardt to drop the case.

Secretary A. W. Hawkins of the Commercial club has gone to Neligh to attend a meeting of secretaries of the Northeast Nebraska Racing circuit of which he is local secretary. P. M. Barrett, secretary of the entire circuit, will also attend the meeting. Mr. Hawkins is scheduled to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Nebraska Publicity league which meets in Omaha Monday. Mr. Hawkins is a member of the committee.

Scout Master A. O. Hazen is busy getting together all members of the Norfolk boy scout organization. Mr. Hazen has made arrangements for a mass meeting of the boy scouts for next Tuesday night, when it will be decided whether or not the boys shall go into encampment this summer. The meeting will be held at the home of Scout Harold Anderson. The reorganization of a patrol is also to be a feature of the evening's meeting. The boys all are equipped with uniforms and staves and all are in good condition to enjoy a few weeks' camping.

**Battle Creek Boys Pay Fine of \$35.** Battle Creek, Neb., July 7.—Special to The News: The boys who set a dog on fire about three weeks ago were fined \$35 and costs by Justice Newkirk. County Attorney Nichols prosecuted and Attorney Barnard of Norfolk defended. The fine and costs were paid at once.

Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Bornhoeft were here Sunday from Tilden attending the Frauen-Verein picnic.

Bernard Risk arrived here Wednesday from Cheyenne, Wyo.

Members of the Lutheran church will hold their quarterly business meeting Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Miller of Omaha visited here the forepart of the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Risk.

Mrs. Peter Boes visited the forepart of this week at the home of her cousin, Mrs. James House, near Tilden.

Mike Plouzek, accompanied by his family, was here the latter part of last week visiting his parents and other relatives. Some years ago he was in business here, but now is an employee in the Union Pacific railroad office at Omaha.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Hall went to Pilgrim Monday to spend the Fourth with relatives at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Seiffert went to Schuyler Monday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. Langhoop.

Mrs. Herman Hogrefe returned Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives at Lakewood, Minn.

Fred Werner was here Wednesday on business from Meadow Grove.

Mrs. Carl Balofsky was a Norfolk visitor Wednesday.

Martin Wiesman arrived here Wednesday from St. Paul, Minn., for an extended visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuerst, and other relatives.

William Nicolay, Jr., who has been

down to Beemer about five months, arrived home Wednesday.

The work on the waterworks will begin this week. Nearly all the material has arrived. All the mains are spread and the large engine for the power house is here also.

## Prisoner Bites a Policeman.

George Wheeler, who has been special policeman for the past three days, is recovering from a wound on his hand as the result of being bitten by a drunken prisoner whom he arrested a few days ago. The wound had swollen badly and for a time it was believed the hand was infected. Mr. Wheeler had just put the prisoner in his cell and was locking the barred door, when the prisoner jumped at him and commenced gnawing at his hand. The front teeth were well imbedded in the fleshy part of the hand.

Los Angeles, July 7.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamship Santa Rosa went ashore off Point Arguello in Santa Barbara county at 3 o'clock this morning, according to wireless messages received early today at Los Angeles harbor. The Standard Oil company's barge No. 91 is on the way to render assistance. No details have been received of the damage, although the messages say the ship was on the beach.

## COOLER IN SOUTHWEST.

**Clouds and Rains Bring Relief—Hot Again in Northern Kansas.**

Kansas City, July 7.—Clouds over the southwest this morning and general rains and thunder storms last night, so lowered the temperature that none of the extreme heat of the last week will be experienced in that territory today, according to the local forecaster. Further north, in Missouri and northern Kansas, hot weather is again prevailing, with little rain in sight. The thermometer stood at 83 at St. Joseph, Mo., at 9 o'clock. At Omaha the temperature was 74 at 7 o'clock.

Neligh Boosters Have a Great Day.

Neligh, Neb., July 7.—Special to The News: The first booster advertising trip of the Neligh Commercial club was a grand success yesterday. Not an accident nor a break of any kind was there in evidence during the 100-mile journey. The start was made at 7:30 in the morning and arrived home at 6 in the evening, all expressing themselves as highly pleased with the trip and the royal entertainment accorded the boosters by the citizens of the towns visited.

The second day trip was begun at 7 o'clock this morning, passing through Elgin and Petersburg, then directly to Norfolk, where they stopped for dinner.

Ewing, Neb., July 7.—Special to The News: The Neligh boosters arrived here yesterday and made a great hit.

Speeches were made by Mr. McAllister and Mr. McKay, and Mayor Sanders of Ewing welcomed the visitors in a neat address.

## Early Potato Crop Fails.

Hotels purchased new potatoes for as high as \$8 per bushel and old ones sold at \$1.50 recently, but the price during the past two days has gone down to \$2 on new potatoes.

G. L. Carlson says:

"Early potatoes up to this time have proved a failure, but the late crop will probably be normal, providing the hot weather abates; but if it continues hot, I do not believe even the late crop will amount to much."

Early potatoes planted now with favorable weather conditions could mature a crop."

"Preserved Irish potatoes—10 cents per dish." That is what a Norfolk business man predicts will be seen some of these days if the extremely hot weather does not abate and allow some of the potatoes to grow. The government report shows a very small crop of potatoes, and investigation of the early spuds in this vicinity lines up exactly with the government's report.

When the potato vines first made the gardens look nice and green, there was fear from the potato bug. The bug was killed and the vines continued growing, but the expected hill of potatoes cannot be found. A number of gardens with excellent potato vines reaching almost to a man's hip have very few potatoes in the carefully cultivated hills. A number of the beautiful vines were pulled up minus potatoes, or in some instances about two or three potatoes no larger than small plums.

**Two Wives Ask Divorce.**

Madison, Neb., July 7.—Special to The News: Mrs. Hattie E. Lindsay of Norfolk has filed a petition in the district court of this county for a divorce against her husband, James F. Lindsay. Both parties reside at Norfolk. She charges in her petition extreme cruelty and failure on the part of her husband to provide support for herself and her two sons and two daughters, and asks the court to grant legal separation and the custody of her children.

Also Mrs. Sam E. Stamper seeks a divorce from her husband, Grover C. Stamper. Mr. and Mrs. Stamper were married in Virginia in 1908 and came to Battle Creek, Madison county, in 1909. They have no children. Some months ago Stamper was arrested on the complaint of his wife for shooting a hole in the tea pot and otherwise using a gun recklessly in the presence of his wife, and was given a jail sentence by the court, and when released from jail was told to leave the county and not return.

## Ordinance No. 369.

An ordinance amending section one of ordinance No. 330, by eliminating from said section that portion which fixes the salary of street commissioner at the sum of \$120 per annum; water commissioner at the sum of \$600.00 per annum; city attorney at the sum of \$400.00 per annum, and city engineer at the sum of \$5.00, and fixing the salary of said officers, and repealing

all parts of said ordinance in conflict with this ordinance.

Be it ordained by the mayor and council of the city of Norfolk, Nebraska.

Section 1.—That section one of ordinance No. 330 be amended by striking out of said section the following words and phrases:

"Street commissioner the sum of \$120.00 per annum to be paid monthly."

"Water commissioner the sum of \$600.00 per annum to be paid monthly."

"Police judge the sum of \$300.00 per annum to be paid monthly."

"City engineer the sum of \$5.00 per day for each day actually employed."

"City attorney the sum of \$400.00 per annum to be paid quarterly."

And that said section one as revised and amended by this ordinance be read as follows:

"Section 1.—The officers and employees of the city of Norfolk, Nebraska, shall be entitled respectively to receive the following salaries for their services, to be paid in city warrants at par, to-wit:

"Mayor the sum of \$300.00 per annum to be paid quarterly."

"Each councilman the sum of \$150.00 per annum to be paid quarterly."

"Police judge the sum of \$800.00 per annum to be paid monthly, he to devote his whole time to the city."

"City attorney the sum of \$500.00 per annum to be paid quarterly."

"City treasurer the sum of \$300.00 per annum to be paid quarterly."

"Street commissioner the sum of \$720.00 per annum payable monthly."

"Chief of police the sum of \$900.00 per annum payable monthly, he to receive no other compensation or fee or reward from any person or source for any purpose whatsoever."

"Night policeman the sum of \$720.00 per annum to be paid monthly, he to receive no other or further compensation, fee or reward from any person or source for any purpose whatsoever."

"Chief of the fire department the sum of \$720.00 per annum to be paid quarterly, to receive no other or further compensation or fee or reward from any person or source for any purpose whatsoever."

"Junction policeman the sum of \$720.00 per annum to be paid quarterly, to receive no other or further compensation or fee or reward from any person or source for any purpose whatsoever."

"City engineer the sum of \$1,500.00 per annum to be paid monthly, he to accept no other employment conflicting with his duties to the city."

"City physician the sum of \$10.00 per month payable monthly."

"Special policeman the sum of \$2.00 per day."

"All other employees shall receive such compensation for their services as may be agreed upon by resolution of the city council."

Sec. 2.—That all parts of section one of said ordinance No. 330 inconsistent and in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3.—This ordinance to take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed and approved this 12th day of June, 1911.

John Friday, Mayor.

Attest: Ed Harter, City Clerk.

Laubsch-Fommer.

Madison, Neb., July 7.—Special to The News: Otto H. Laubsch and Miss Anna K. Fommer, both of Norfolk, were married by Judge Bates in the court room.

A marriage license was issued to Theodor Thompson and Miss Elinor Kristofferson, both of Newman Grove.

Hibel-Tegel.

Ewing, Neb., July 7.—Special to The News: On July 4 Frank H. Hibel and Miss Antonia Tegel were united in matrimony at St. Peter's church, Rev. Father Rose officiating. Mr. Hibel owns a fine ranch near Goose Lake. Mrs. Hibel, who has only been in America about six months, having been born in Germany, has already many friends here. J. J. Shober and Miss Lucy Tegel acted as bridegroom and bridesmaids.

Fire Destroys Auto.

Lyons, Neb., July 7.—C. O. Swanen lost his auto while returning from the races at Tekamah. The car in some manner caught fire and was entirely consumed.

FATAL CLASHES IN STRIKE.

Street Car Men in Mexico City Stir up Disorder and Riot.

Mexico City, July 7.—Frequent clashes with fatal results marked the strike of the street car men and the strikers seem to control the situation.

The few suburban cars bring run across the cause of the trouble in most instances. Following a clash between police and rioters near the car barns in which two were killed, another riot occurred in which Gov. Granos of the federal district played a part.

To make a personal inspection, he boarded an outgoing suburban train. Soon after starting a mass of rioters was encountered. Stones were hurled through the car windows and on each side of the governor some one shouted for the crowd to set fire to the car. The governor gave orders to charge the crowd. Sabres were used. More than fifty arrests were made. Most of those arrested are sympathizers.

The strike of the cigarette makers came to an end without the company finding it necessary to make concessions. The bakers voted not to strike.

The threatened strike of telegraph messengers was dispelled by the department of communications assuring

them that they would be supplied with rain coats and granted shorter hours.

The boys continued to work.

From Vera Cruz came the news that stevedores had struck for higher wages. No disorder was reported.

According to reports received from Aguas Calientes and Mapimí the strikes of smelter men at those places were settled last night and the men returned to work today at practically the same wages they had been getting.

Ottawa Crew Defeated.

. Henley, on the Thames, July 7.—The Ottawa rowing club's eight was beaten today in the semi-final heat for the grand challenge cup by the Magdalen college crew, the present holders of the trophy. It was a grand and exciting race. The Oxonians finally obtained the lead and drew away from the Canadians when close to the winning post and won by two lengths. The time was 6 minutes 5 seconds.

Women Playing Tennis.

Kansas City, July 7.—Play in the Missouri valley women's tennis tourney is expected to reach the semi-finals in singles today and possibly the finals in doubles. The winner of a match between Miss Patience Hooker and Miss Pauline Fort will play Miss Evelyn Seavey, Missouri valley titleholder, this afternoon.

Another Bloodless Revolt.

Buenos Ayres, Argentine, July 7.—The local newspapers report another bloodless revolution in Paraguay. The garrison at Asuncion revolted and made a prisoner of President Jara, who forthwith resigned. Congress then selected Liberator Rejas, president of the senate for provisional president pending new elections.

St. Joe, Mo., July 7.—Lowering clouds throughout yesterday and last night brought no rain here and the sun shone hot again today with the mercury at 83 at 9 o'clock and indications that it would reach 100 by afternoon.

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