

## THURSDAY TIDINGS.

E. P. Weatherby went to Sioux City on business.

C. C. Gow returned from a business trip in Gregory county.

C. H. Johnson of Bloomfield, was in the city on business.

Miss Pauline Vogel is in the city visiting with her brother, Otto A. Vogel.

## South Norfolk News.

Mrs. Harry Haskinson and daughter Genevieve, left yesterday for Ne-high for a brief visit.

Word was received here a few days ago of the death of Mrs. Spencer Martin at Council Bluffs, Ia. Mrs. Martin had gone to that place to visit her husband, who was working there.

M. E. Myers and daughter Bess, of Rapid City, were here yesterday on business.

Miss Ella Turner left yesterday for a brief visit with Missouri Valley relatives.

Mrs. C. R. Kampman went to Omaha yesterday to see her husband, who is in the St. Joseph hospital there.

Alonso Van Horn of Colorado, who has been visiting his parents, left yesterday for Winnetoon, for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Charles Pearce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howarth, a daughter.

J. W. Rouse is back on rural route No. 2 after a few weeks' vacation.

Mrs. B. W. Barrett, who was operated upon a few days ago, is recovering fairly well.

Joseph Pluhacek has sold his cigar and confectionery store to Hal McCormick, who is to remodel and make improvements in the store.

Ed Dahl, Al Koyen and Frank Melcher enjoyed a successful duck hunting expedition south of town.

Mrs. Willey and Mrs. Hubert of Neligh, moved to Norfolk Wednesday and have taken the new Koro cottage on South Eighth street.

C. R. Kampman, who is in Omaha consulting physicians, is expected home Friday night. Mr. Kampman's condition is said to be serious.

The dancing party in Marquardt hall Wednesday night was a success. The music was good and a fair-sized crowd of dancers were present.

There will be a regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors Friday night. On account of the tabernacle meetings, the sessions will begin at 7 o'clock.

Carroll Logan, whose back was injured in playing football with the Norfolk team against Madison a week ago, is recovering satisfactorily. It is possible that Logan may not be in next Saturday's game.

Constable John F. Flynn was successful in halting Royce Irvin, against whom a charge of "skipping" a board bill was filed in Judge Eiseley's court. Irvin was arrested at Albion and is now in jail awaiting the action of the attorneys for Mrs. Carl Otto, who signed the complaint.

The first fall of snow brought out the largest number of duck hunters of the season. The hunters were more numerous in the afternoon, however, and the lakes and ponds near the city were surrounded by sportsmen before 4 o'clock. Ducks are numerous at many of the feeding places.

Henry Jones, who a year was a witness in a law suit in this city, and Charles Headlock of South Dakota, who is here looking for work in the cornfields, were added to the street cleaning force of Street Commissioner Leu. Both men were charged with being drunk and disorderly. Having no money, they will work out their fines.

Mrs. Mary McGhan, who drew claim No. 2373 in the Rosebud land lottery Wednesday morning, has registered for land twice before and each time she has been unlucky. The good news of her third registration was telephoned to her Wednesday afternoon by her elated daughter, Miss McGhan was greatly pleased over her mother's good luck and she did not hesitate in letting her pleasure be known.

D. L. Sullivan came to grief at South Norfolk yesterday afternoon when he gave business men in that section of the city much annoyance. A charge of offensive and disorderly conduct was filed against him and he was lodged in jail. Another charge was about to be filed against him for his efforts at passing a bad check, but he was willing to plead guilty to the first charge and he paid \$7.10 and was turned loose.

A. J. Koenigstein, chairman of the democratic arrangement committee, called a special meeting in his office Thursday afternoon for the purpose of selecting leading democrats to go to Wayne Friday afternoon and escort W. J. Bryan to this city. Mr. Bryan speaks in the Auditorium at 8:30 Friday night. Those who will go to Wayne are: Ex-Senator W. V. Allen, Ex-Senator J. F. Hale, A. J. Koenigstein and D. Rees.

Constable A. W. Pinkhouse is suffering from a wound on one of his legs as the result of being bitten by a dog while serving legal papers on South Thirteenth street. The constable declares that while he was entering the yard to serve his papers, the dog sprang on him and it was with much difficulty that the canine was disconnected from the officer's leg. The constable declares his intention to have the dog executed.

The tabernacle meeting yesterday afternoon was well attended. Evangelist Hart continued his discourse on the Beatitudes. Mr. Hart said the reason the church is not more successful is that there are too many members indifferent to prayer. In the evening Mr. Hart spoke on "The Worst Thing in the World." He said the worst thing in the world is sin. The speaker declared that sin is rebellion and brings misery, sorrow and despair. "A grain of sand in the eye inflames and may ruin the eye if not removed, so does sin in the heart. It will ruin the soul if not removed."

Uncle Sam wants many teachers for service in the Philippine Islands. Among the notices for examinations to be held in the Norfolk postoffice for these tropical positions in December are those for teachers in high school science, English, mathematics, history, domestic science, agriculture, manual training, industrial work, and supervisors of school districts. Other positions open in the Philippine service are those of trained nurse and well-dresser. Positions in the civil service in the United States for which examinations are to be taken in Norfolk in December are those for foreman of steel construction work, firemen, business teacher, engineer and miller; Indian service: surveyor, general land office and laboratory aid.

## CUPID HAS TROUBLES.

Guardian of 16-Year-Old Anna Busch Gives His Consent to Marriage.

Oliver B. Woods and Miss Anna Busch were married last night after meeting with much difficulty Saturday in their attempts to assure Judge Baker at Madison that Constable A. W. Pinkhouse, who is guardian for Miss Busch, had given his full consent. Miss Busch is but 16 years old and is the daughter of Henry Busch, who recently was taken as a patient in the state hospital for insane. Her mother died only recently and the constable was appointed guardian for the girl. Four other children were taken to a children's home at Lincoln.

All Saturday the young couple waited patiently at Madison for a consent from the guardian and all day Judge Bates endeavored to communicate with the constable, but because of wire trouble, communication could not be had until late Saturday night. It was then that Judge Bates was assured that the young couple had the full consent of the guardian, but the final knot could not be tied until a written consent from that party reached Madison. This was taken to Madison by Mr. Wood Monday morning.

Oliver Wood is a prominent North-western fireman and the son of English B. G. Wood, of 1124 South Fourth street.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick of the Methodist Episcopal church.

You Can See Comet at 5 A. M.

Neligh, Neb., Oct. 24.—Special to The News: A number of people in the city are interested in the comet which blazes in the eastern sky these mornings and is best seen about 5 o'clock. The comet grows brighter as its tail develops. It is described now as long as the great dipper, according to those who are interested and have some knowledge of astronomy.

Traveling Men Property Owners.

Norfolk Council No. 120, U. C. T., enjoyed a visit from Past Grand Councilor F. W. Hawkins and Grand Junior Councilor Harry E. Moss, the next grand councilor of Nebraska. After initiation the candidates of the council enjoyed the very complimentary remarks from the visitors while they puffed away at a box of King Alfrids presented by E. E. Miller, who was detained in the Black Hills. A most interesting report was read by the committee preparing a roster of the resident traveling men of Norfolk which has taken several months to compile and which shows that in the city there are forty-one property owners and eighty-two renters.

The value of the property owned by traveling men of Norfolk is \$131,150. They pay in annual rent in Norfolk \$13,665. The expenses of the forty-one owners amount to \$40,020 and the expense of eighty-two renters is \$58,740, making a total annual expense of these 116 traveling salesmen of \$98,760.

One of the hotels in the registration country which had been holding up some of the numerous members of Norfolk council No. 120, came in for severe criticism.

At 10:30 p. m. the council adjourned to join the ladies of the U. C. T. in the G. A. R. where tables were loaded with an abundance of fine eatables after which responses were made to impromptu toasts by ten or twelve gentlemen and six of the ladies.

Heads Suffragettes Again.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 24.—Dr. Anna Howard Shaw was re-elected president of the National American Woman Suffrage association last evening.

Twenty-eight Homesteads for Norfolk.

2022—J. S. Driskell, 1201 Pierce street.

3034—C. E. Doughty, 604 South Ninth.

3067—F. C. Garvey, Northwestern account department, South Norfolk.

3329—Percy Watkins, care A. J. Colwell, South Norfolk.

3347—Stella Colwell, 900 South Elitch.

3649—L. M. Beeler, 393 Norfolk avenue.

3806—James A. Ward, 1111 Madison street.

4077—Joseph Lampe, R. F. D. No. 5.

4395—George W. Plantz, 306 Prairie avenue.

Three years ago, in the Tripp county lottery, fifty-seven Norfolk people drew claims.

J. S. Driskell is a Northwestern railway employee.

C. E. Doughty is a prominent Norfolk traveling salesman.

A queer coincidence comes in the drawing of two claims for the A. J. Colwell home, by Percy Watkins and Miss Stella Colwell.

L. M. Beeler is a prominent Norfolk merchant.

George W. Plantz is night chief train dispatcher in the Northwestern railroad office.

Teachers At Neligh.

Neligh, Neb., Oct. 26.—Special to The News: County Supt. C. E. Ward has announced a meeting of the county teachers' association in the court-room in this city on next Saturday afternoon. The following are the speakers chosen for the occasion: Prof. C. H. Bright of the state normal

## BATES REGISTERED LATE.

Winner of Best Norfolk Number is Pleased With Lottery.

George Bates, who drew the lowest number of any of the Norfolk people who registered for land in the Rosebud lottery, is jubilant over his luck. Mr. Bates drew No. 268 and was surprised when he learned of his luck.

"What are you going to do with your claim," he was asked.

"Why, I'm going to keep it. I'm going out there and settle down on it," he replied with a pleased smile.

Mr. Bates was among the last Norfolk citizens who went to Gregory. He went last Friday night to register. He registered late Friday night and for this reason, his good luck has caused some surprise.

WAS EASY FOR FIREMAN.

Stranger Makes Sensational Stop of Runaway Team.

"It's easy money for me, I'm a fireman you know," said a stranger in the city yesterday afternoon, after he had stopped a runaway team in a sensational leap into the high farmer's wagon which the team was pulling.

The outfit belonged to Farmer Gall, living south of the city. The team started to run away near Seventh street and when it passed Fourth street the fireman saw it coming.

Throwing down a pair of shoes he had just purchased he ran after the team and jumped into the box of the wagon. He lost no time in checking the excited horses' progress by pulling hard on the reins. He soon had them under control and drove them back to where Gall was standing.

"Thanks," said the farmer as he climbed into his wagon.

"Not at all," said the stranger, and he soon met Chief of Police Marquardt and other Norfolk men who were more appreciative of his sensational run.

"That was a good stop, sir," said the chief.

"Oh, it's easy money for me, you know, I belong to the fire department and this is not the first time that I have stopped a runaway team."

Thieves Steal Slot Machine.

The authorities are looking for thieves who entered the Wichman store at Hadar Tuesday and carried away an "always pay" gum slot machine which contained about \$50 in 5-cent pieces. The machine is the property of H. F. Haase of Norfolk, and was placed in the store on a commission basis. The thieves entered the store through a side window, which led to the cellar, and from the basement they made their way into the main room of the store, where they picked up the machine and carried it out through the entrance they first entered.

Surveying Alley for Switch Track.

Union Pacific engineers commenced work this morning laying out and surveying the alley between Brasch and Norfolk avenues from Fifth street to the Sugar City Cereal mills, thence south to the city pumping station. The engineers reported that this surveying was the preliminary work for the laying of switch track. They did not know just when the track would be laid, but it is believed work will begin shortly after the surveyors have finished.

THE McNAMARA TRIAL.

Rapid-Fire Questions Throw Out Many Prospective Jurors.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 24.—The men of the first venire of 125 in the McNamara murder trial answered to their names when Judge Walter Bordwell opened court today. Except for nine others in the jury box all the rest had been excused, either in the rapid-fire preliminary examination by Judge Bordwell before the trial opened, or in subsequent battles between opposing counsel.

Of the nine in the box, Robert Bain, Seaborn H. Manning and F. D. Green had been provisionally accepted by both sides subject to peremptory examination.

When court opened Clerk George Monroe called veniremen to fill the three vacant seats, leaving only seven veniremen outside the hall.

James B. McNamara and his brother John J. McNamara, both indicted for murder, expected as a visitor today Edward N. Nockels, secretary of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

Auto Driver to Be Prosecuted.

Chief of Police Marquardt declares that he will not let the Mashek-Dudley collision on Norfolk avenue early Sunday morning rest with a settlement between the two parties.

"I am going to file charges against Mashek for reckless driving and exceeding the automobile speed ordinance," says the chief. "It has been reported to me that Mashek was running his machine at a fast rate of speed and we have warned him on several occasions to be careful."

Mashek declared Monday that he had made a settlement with George Dudley, whose hack was damaged in the collision. "I did not see the hack," he said. "I thought my passengers wanted me to turn on Third street and I turned around to talk to them."

It is probable that the three young men who were in the automobile with Mashek at the time, will be called as witnesses. The police declare they have the names of each boy and that if Mashek does not plead guilty to the charge, the boys will have to appear as witnesses.

Work On Neligh Depot.

Neligh, Neb., Oct. 24.—Special to

The News: Work on the foundation for the new Northwestern depot at this city was started in earnest this morning. The excavation for the heating plant has been completed, and the moving of the freight portion of the old depot to the west has also been completed. It is safe to say that Neligh is going to secure a far better depot than was first anticipated. According to Foreman T. P. Way, all the help available will be secured here if possible. For the foundation and basement of the new structure there is three cars of crushed rock, two cars of sand and 100 barrels of cement on the ground. The work will be rushed to completion.

Rail Ruling Enjoined.

Washington, Oct. 24.—A temporary injunction was granted today by the United States court of commons, setting aside the Interstate Commerce commission decision in the so-called Nashville grain case. The commission's order prohibited railroads from giving to Nashville dealers rebilling and reshipping privileges not accorded to dealers at Georgia points.

TOBACCO TRUST PROTEST.

Attorney Generals Meet and File Objections With U. S. Court.

New York, Oct. 24.—In protest against the proposed dissolution plan of the American Tobacco company, the attorney generals of Virginia and North and South Carolina submitted formal objections to the judges of the United States circuit court. They charge that the plan is a bold attempt to nullify the judgment of the United States supreme court and declare the present status is more tolerable than the plan proposed.

"The plan turns loose no asset and no agency," the attorney generals set forth, "by which the American Tobacco company now maintains its absolute domination over the tobacco trade. Its avarice for power and its utter unwillingness to loosen its grip on the tobacco business is strikingly illustrated in its refusal to give up one of the least of its subsidiaries, R. P. Richardson, Jr., & Co., Inc., although that company has petitioned to be allowed to do independent business."

RODGERS AIRSHIP WRECKED.

Accident Occurs Before He Has Left Ground, Machine Hitting Hillock.

Spofford, Tex., Oct. 26.—The biplane of Capt. Rodgers, the coast to coast aviator, was wrecked near here as the aviator attempted to take the air, the smash occurring before he left the ground. The machine hit a hillock. It will take at least three days to make repairs. Rodgers was unhurt.

McNAMARA CASE DRAGGING.

But New Ruling of Court May Tend to Hasten Getting Jury.

Los Angeles, Oct. 26.—Four talesmen, subject only to peremptory challenges, one whose challenge for cause was under consideration and whose examination was incomplete, were all that were left out of a venire of 125 men summoned in the McNamara trial when court opened today. In reality, only forty-five talesmen have been examined since the trial began, the remainder having been weeded out in a preliminary examination conducted by Judge Bordwell, which went in to extra reasons, only leaving to counsel the work of finding out the state of mind of each talesman after the trial formally opened sixteen calendar days ago. Attorneys for the case figured out today that at this rate it would take about forty-two weeks to get a jury.

That apparently antagonistic theories of the state and the defense regarding qualifications for jury service may be reconciled or defined sufficiently to expedite further examination of Talesman White was considered likely today.

Under a ruling already made by Judge Bordwell, a man who thinks he has a strong opinion that the Times building was destroyed through a dynamite explosion may yet serve on a jury. In the opinion of the court the opinion will not influence him so as to make him prejudiced. The court has emphasized its contention that corresponding opinion as to a gas explosion is not a bar to jury service.

At the beginning of the case, the defense took the position that belief in the dynamite theory necessarily disqualified a juror, while the state assumed a like attitude toward the gas idea. Both attitudes have simmered down to the legal provision that the court is the final judge of whether or not a juror can be fair and impartial, regardless of what opinions he may express under examination.

Aldrich Booked for Neligh.

Neligh, Neb., Oct. 26.—Special to The News: The republican central committee of Antelope county have secured Gov. C. H. Aldrich to address the people of Neligh and vicinity at the auditorium next Monday evening. This is the first republican meeting held in this city during the present campaign and it is expected that a large audience will greet the governor of this state on the above date.

Nebraska Leads in Winners.

Gregory, S. D., Oct. 26.—Nebraska has scored heavier than any other state in the opening Rosebud and Pine Ridge drawing, due to the very natural cause that more than 25 percent of the registrations came from points in Nebraska.

W. H. Page of Dallas, who drew a number below 1,000, has been among the successful ones in two previous drawings, Tripp county and Standing Rock, getting good numbers in all events. His brother also got in below 1,000 this time.

F. M. Ziebach, one of the earliest mayors of Sioux City, now United States commissioner at Winner, was among those who landed below the 2,000 mark. Mr. Ziebach states that he expects to take and hold a home-

stead. He was one of the men who established the Yankton Press and Dakotan, more than fifty years ago.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

C. H. Kelsey returned from a business trip at Neligh.

R. H. Sullivan of Meadow Grove, was here on business.

W. D. Lamb and August Anderson of Naper, were visitors in the city.

Mrs. H. B. Thomas of Seneca, Mo., formerly of this city, is here visiting with friends.

Miss Bonnie Shippee and Mrs. M. Kendall left for Crete as delegates to State Sunday School convention.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sherry, who have been visiting at the home of W. L. Walling for the past three weeks, left for their home at Chadron yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Cather and her son William, of Los Angeles, are here visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jack Koenigstein. Mrs. Cather is enroute to Ferguson Falls, Minn., where she will visit with her parents.

J. H. Logan of Ponca, is visiting his son, W. P. Logan of the Nebraska National bank. He has just returned from Rochester, Minn., where he submitted to an operation, and he is in better health now than he has been before for years. Mr. Logan has been postmaster at Ponca about seventeen years and he says when he finishes his present term he will have served eighteen years and then he proposes to retire.

A meeting of Masonic lodge No. 55 will be held tonight for work in the M. M. degree.

R. E. Reed, a farmer living southwest of town, is suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Minnie Kell has filed a petition for divorce from Albert Kell in the district court at Madison.

Monday night's crowd at the tabernacle was a fair one and Evangelist Hart gave an interesting lecture.

R. B. McKinney, who underwent an operation at Omaha several weeks ago, returned home Monday night.

Rudolph Dreesen has sold his residence on Seventh and Elm streets to Otto Eppel. Mr. Dreesen will build a new home in the near future.

The lunch stands which have found business unprofitable during the land rush are being torn down and by tonight only a few will remain standing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dart of Pilger, will move to Norfolk next week. Mr. and Mrs. Dart have rented a home on Philip avenue between Third and Fourth streets.

A. H. Viole is suffering from further trouble with his knee. The plaster of paris cast was taken off a few days ago, but it was necessary to replace it yesterday.

Cashier M. O. Snyder of the American Express company, leaves here Wednesday for Junction City, Kan., where he will act as agent for his company for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cole, who left Norfolk a week ago for Seattle, will return to Norfolk friends that they have arrived safely at the new home and that they are comfortably settled among relatives.

Reports from Kansas City have been received to the effect that W. F. Hall, who is quite ill, will not undergo an operation at this time. His condition is improved and he will be brought home next week.

T. B. Campbell of Omaha, formerly a Winner, S. D., banker has accepted the position of bookkeeper in the Nebraska National bank, succeeding Daniel O'Brien, who resumes his position as traveling salesman for a tobacco house.

Mrs. Mary D. Barrett is recovering from a serious surgical operation performed Sunday, for tumor. It was said that Mrs. Barrett could hardly have lived many hours longer. Her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Maher of Denver, is here.

Otto Lindner, 1102 Blaine street, is suffering from a sprained ankle as the result of an accident in the Northwestern roundhouse. Lindner, who was employed in firing an engine, stepped on a large cinder descending from an engine and his ankle was turned.

The firemen's quartet and a large number of Norfolk fire department members have arranged to attend the celebration of the organization of the Battle Creek fire department, which takes place at Battle Creek Wednesday night. From the fact that a former Norfolk fireman has been elected chief of the Battle Creek fire fighters, the Norfolk men have taken great pride in the organization of a department in that city.

Chief of Police Marquardt acted as police judge protem Tuesday morning in the absence of Judge Eiseley, and two prisoners whom he himself had arrested pleaded guilty to being drunk and paid him \$7.50 each as their fines. "Billy" Langer, of no regular place called "home," and "Billy" Jensen, a railroad employe, were the prisoners. Langer gave the police very little trouble, but Jensen was found "dead drunk" in Pasewalk grove, from which place it required the assistance of two men and a buggy to bring him to the station.

"The judge isn't here but if you plead guilty I'll take your money," said the chief. "Guess we'll have to pay it anyway, won't we?" they asked. "Sure," was the reply, and both men paid.

DID SHE MURDER STUDENT?

Louisiana Woman May Use "Unwritten Law" as Defense for Killing.

Opelousas, La., Oct. 24.—When Mrs. Zee Rung McKee went into court this morning for the second day of her trial on the charge of having killed young Allen Garland, the Tulane student, she faced an extra panel of more than 100 talesmen from whom both defense and prosecution hoped to obtain a jury today.

Announcement that Mrs. McKee is to testify in her own defense has dou-

bled interest in the trial. The Garland and McKee families have been intimate for many years.

The prosecution has clearly indicated that it expects to be compelled to combat a plea of the "unwritten law." The state evidently intends to ask for a verdict of first degree murder which carries the death penalty in Louisiana.

Fourteen Norfolk People Draw.

Norfolk, Oct. 24.—Fourteen Norfolk people drew claims in the first 2,000 names selected in the Gregory land lottery Tuesday, according to telegraphic reports received by The News. Following is the list:

No. 445—George A. Kendall, Norfolk.

No. 964—Harvey Barnett, Norfolk.

No. 851—W. A. Pinto, Oxnard hotel, Norfolk.

No. 864—B. F. Schneider, Norfolk.

No. 884—C. E. Warner, Pacific hotel, Norfolk.

No. 805—P. W. Carlisle, Norfolk.

No. 1367—G. W. Young, 905 South Pierce, Norfolk.

No. 1069—Fred Vogel, Route No. 1, Norfolk.

No. 1654—Valma V. Light, 405 Madison avenue, Norfolk.

No. 1694—John J. Harrington, 1111 Cleveland street, Norfolk.

No. 1477—Isaac Nightingale, 420 South Fifth, Norfolk.

No. 794—Mary E. Celyn, 300 Twelfth street, Norfolk.

No. 268—George Bates, 205 North Elch street, Norfolk.

No. 254—Alma Zuchert, R. F. D. No. 5.

2373—Mary McGhan, 1202 Madison.

2866—Eugene Crotty, 1104 South Third street.

It transpired during the day that Alma Faulstich, who drew No. 65 and registered from Bonesteel, is in reality a Norfolk girl, living five miles west of this city. She has been at Bonesteel on a visit.

LAND LOTTERY'S QUEER FATE.

Man Who Drew No. 39 Was in Norfolk, Starved, Last Week.

Land lotteries shuffle the cards that are dealt to many a man, and give him a new line of trumps to start the game with.