

INTERESTING SERVICES.

Rev. Jeffries Discourses to the Veterans of Norfolk.

PARKER ADDRESSES GRADUATES.

The Morning Service About "The Causes, the Cost and Results of the Civil War" - In the Evening the Story of Joseph is Told to the High School Class of '99 - Union Services.

From Monday's Daily: Yesterday morning by invitation the old soldiers and their friends thronged the Second Congregational church. A large representation both of Matthewson post, G. A. R., and the Woman's Relief Corps were present.

Rev. J. Jeffries spoke on "The Causes, the Cost and Results of the Civil War." He gave a very earnest, practical discussion of the question. As to the causes, they were deeply rooted way back in English history and had their foundation in the antipathies of Cavalier and Puritan.

The question of slavery was the incident which brought this quarrel to a focus. The cost of the war in loss of life was frightful but the shedding of blood seemed to be inevitable in great national epochs like that of the '60s.

He briefly summed up the results of the war as not only the unification of a great people but thought the experience and training then gained were a necessity to fit us for the larger work of helping oppressed humanity in other lands, which the past year had been so gloriously begun.

The address was listened to with evident appreciation by the old veterans who had assembled.

Class Address.

The shower which prevailed at the hour of service prevented many from attending. Nevertheless the Congregational church was well filled last evening. The occasion was the annual address to the graduating class of the High school given by Rev. J. J. Parker. The class of '99 as a body occupied seats in the front of the chancel. On the platform were the pastors, Rev. Jeffries of the Second Congregational church, Rev. W. H. Eaton of the Baptist, Rev. J. B. Van Fleet of Trinity Episcopal and Rev. F. P. Wigton of the Presbyterian.

Mr. Parker took the life of Joseph as the embodiment of a successful career and very graphically portrayed the qualities which made him great and helped him to win.

Joseph's was an interesting character. He appeals to men because of the tragic elements in his career. He had his "ups and downs." His individuality was generous and attractive. He was buoyant, courageous, hopeful, self-poised and resourceful. He was successful and success always does and always ought to, on right lines, win emulation and admiration. He became the ruler of Egypt. That meant in a land dominated by castes and traditions that he was a great man—he had to be to overcome such obstacles. The man who succeeds in any age is the man who has the qualities that insure success.

The speaker spoke further of other qualities possessed by Joseph. He was always cheerful, faithful in his duties and he had a natural aptitude for public affairs. His prudence and foresight forestalled the years of famine so that he was ready for them when they came.

Mr. Parker emphasized the fact that these qualities didn't reveal themselves all at once. "You can't grow fruit in a day." He served his apprenticeship in all of them.

Then he used his success to help others. His brothers, father and the people. He had not only ability but character rooted in love of God. Religion is not to be considered surplus baggage or an annex but an essential part of life if you are to be winners.

In closing Rev. Parker briefly addressed the class urging them to make their present progress only a stepping stone to more strenuous endeavor and to apply to their lives the story of Joseph.

FRIDAY FACTS.

Bob Appleby of Stanton was in Norfolk today.

W. H. Leamy, the Plainview attorney, is in the city.

John Dineen of Platte Center was in the city today.

Douglass Cones, the Pierce attorney, was in town last evening.

The well that is being bored by the city has reached a depth of 810 feet.

Congressman Robinson of Madison was greeting friends in the city today.

W. W. Brown and M. L. Sullivan of Meadow Grove were in town this noon.

The next meeting of the Nebraska Liquor Dealers association will be held in this city.

Another carload of eggs will be shipped from the cold storage to Lowell, Mass., tomorrow.

S. K. Dexter arrived from Lowell, Mass., yesterday. Mr. Dexter came by way of the Canadian Pacific.

The sociable to be held by the Ladies guild of the Episcopal church tonight will be at the home of Mrs. A. D. Cole.

A new office building going up on the lot west of Rice's saloon is being erected by Dr. Verges, who will occupy it as an office.

S. G. Dean, Sr., arrived last evening from Knox county, Ill., and will spend the summer with his son, S. G. Dean, in this city.

The Sugar City Cereal mills shipped another car—300 cases—of cereals to Denver last night. This makes the second car that has gone to Denver within a month.

C. M. Blackmar, president of the First National bank of Whitewater, Wis., and Joseph Cushing, a banker of the same place, are in town. They are old time friends of C. S. Bridge and Chas. Alexander.

W. H. Clemons, president of the Fremont normal, was visiting friends in the city today. He was on his way to Tilden, where he delivers an address before the graduating class of the High school this evening.

The address to the graduating class of '99 of the Norfolk High school will be given at the Congregational church next Sunday evening by Rev. J. J. Parker. It will be a union service and the pastors of the other churches will participate in it.

The storm last evening is reported very heavy in the vicinity of Pierce. Today it has been bright and sunny with a rising temperature and a prospect for more showers tonight. It is growing warmer and crops of all kind are jumping forward by leaps and bounds.

A dispatch from Omaha received this afternoon states that 80 editors from Wisconsin will invade the precincts of this municipality this evening, on their way to Hot Springs, S. D. They will arrive over the Elkhorn at 7 o'clock and will only remain long enough for supper.

D. Rees has received notice of his appointment by Gov. Poynter as steward at the Norfolk hospital for insane, and he will enter upon the discharge of his new duties, June 1. Mr. Rees is a good business man, having been for a number years one of the firm of Brasch & Rees and under his care the stewardship of the hospital will be well managed. Mr. C. D. Jenkins, the retiring steward, has made many friends during his term of office, who will hope that he may so arrange his affairs that he will still remain a resident of the city.

A happy surprise was sprung on the pastor of the Second Congregational church and his family last evening. A crowd of their friends called on them with an abundance of ice cream and cake and spent a delightful time, but before leaving presented Mr. Jeffries with a purse with which to buy various articles. Such surprises do much to strengthen the hands and faith of the pastor. Mr. Chapman made the presentation on behalf of the people and Mr. Jeffries responded happily. He has just completed his third year as pastor of the church.

The entertainment given at the Congregational church last evening was well attended notwithstanding the unpropitious weather which prevailed at the time. About \$20 was realized. The readings of Miss Esther Mason were of an unusual meritorious order being given with a freedom and naturalness of manner which demonstrated marked power as an impersonator. Miss Mason's friends have a right to feel proud of her ability and can well be sanguine of her success in the future. All the other parts were well executed and the evening proved a very delightful one to all who were present. At the close of the entertainment the ladies of the society served refreshments to all those who had so kindly assisted them to make the evening a success.

This afternoon the different committees appointed by Matthewson post, G. A. R., visited the public schools and the exercises held in the various departments were of a patriotic character. The children sang the national hymns, gave recitations and readings, while the veterans told them in language eloquent and pathetic something of their struggles and trials in those years when they marched weary miles and fought "like heroes long and well" in order that the union might be preserved. References were frequent to the younger generation

as well, of heroes who at Santiago, Manila and elsewhere during the past year have demonstrated their love for the flag. The children were enthusiastic over their remarks and showed their appreciation by frequent outbursts of applause.

The News received its information yesterday concerning the issuance of warrants for the arrest of seven young men in connection with the scandal which has been agitating the public mind for some time, from Fred H. Free, the attorney who caused the issuance of the warrants, and who certainly was in position to know the facts. The names of the parties implicated was printed just as Mr. Free gave them. This morning Mr. Free states that no warrant has been issued for the arrest of Paul Karo. In the latest phase of the affair, THE NEWS of course regrets extremely that the name of Mr. Karo was connected with it in the report published yesterday. But it still does not see how it could have obtained more reliable information than from the attorney who filed the information in the case and who unquestionably knew the names of all the defendants. As to why Mr. Free gave the name of Mr. Karo with the others for publication, he only is in position to explain.

"Nebraska weather," said a resident of Norfolk who has lived here more than 14 years, "has a way of being very persistent. It is characteristic of this climate to display a great deal of energy in a given direction, on the principal, I suppose, of 'what's worth doing at all, is worth doing well.' When we have a cold season it continues for a long while with scarcely any let up, but keeps pegging away until north winds become so familiar that it is hard to realize that there is any other point of the compass. In the same way when it is dry and windy as it has been some seasons it has seemed as if moisture was unknown here but when the blessed rain comes the same law holds true. With the warmer weather each day these frequent rains are grand for the country and practically insure immense crops. On the whole," said he, as he parted company from THE NEWS representative, "I think the man who makes his home in this section is a most fortunate man. There is seldom a failure of crops and the climate is much more congenial and healthy than it is either further east or south." The truth of his remarks is being verified every day by the incoming home seekers from those sections who are delighted with the Nebraska prairies, their wonderful fertility and the genial spirit of the people. The tide of prosperity which is so undeniably sweeping over the country, nowhere is making more changes for the better than in northeastern Nebraska. Norfolk is bound to share in this onward march of progress and development, on a much larger scale than its people are aware. The man located here either on the farm or in business is most happily situated. The man who isn't will be wise to investigate the possibilities and prospects of this section. Stand up for Norfolk and Nebraska!

Admiral Dewey's Route. Admiral Dewey has covered 800 miles of his journey homeward. When the Olympia has had necessary repairs made at Hong Kong, which will require about two weeks' time, it will turn its prow southeastward and go down to Singapore on the equator, a little jaunt of 1,700 miles. Around the Malay peninsula and up to Penang is 450 miles; then comes a splendid voyage of 1,800 miles across the Indian ocean to Colombo, and a longer one yet of some 2,500 miles more to Aden—this on the assumption that the admiral will take the shortest route to the Suez. From Aden through the Red Sea and canal to Port Said will add some 1,500 miles more to his log. Through the Mediterranean, with perhaps a stop for fireworks at Malta, will add say 2,000 miles more; to Gibraltar, and to New York 3,000 more; an inside total of 13,750 miles to get the hero home.—Omaha Bee.

Teacher's Institute. The Madison County Teachers Institute will be held at Norfolk, June 9 at 8 o'clock a. m., to June 17 at 4 o'clock p. m. All persons desiring to teach in this county the coming year must be in attendance.

The 9th and 10th will be devoted to the regular teachers examination. I desire that all teachers whose certificates expire the coming year, make arrangements for their renewal at this time. All grades above 81 will be renewed if attended to at this time. All applicants for examination at later dates will confer a favor on this office by appearing the third Friday and Saturday of July, October, January and April and not at other times. Remember these dates.

It will pay young persons who may expect to teach within a few years to attend the institute and get an insight into the work and to take the examination which will enable them to discover their weak points and strengthen them. Teachers will do well to urge all advanced pupils to take advantage of this opportunity.

Patrons of the schools are cordially invited to attend as much of the institute as possible and particularly the lecture to be delivered by Ed Amherst Ott, the evening of June 16. Mr. Ott is one of the strongest popular lecturers on the platform. C. W. CROM, County Superintendent.

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

It rained last night.

Geo. L. Damon of Wayne was in the city.

Charles Rice went to Omaha this morning.

E. C. Stephens left for Colorado Springs yesterday.

Geo. Barry of Battle Creek was in town this morning.

Robert Peyton, the Creighton banker, was in town today.

D. C. Giffert of West Point spent the morning in Norfolk.

Dr. P. H. Salter was called to Meadow Grove this morning.

Miss Emma Schroeder of Hoskins was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. P. Stafford visited Creighton between trains yesterday.

Rev. C. W. Brinstad of Fremont was the guest of Pastor Eaton yesterday.

T. M. Hull and wife were at Battle Creek, where they enjoyed a day's fishing.

Misses Edna and Kate Stafford were passengers for Omaha on the early morning train.

It is warm and sultry again today with the prospects good for more heavy showers tonight.

During last night's storm lightning struck and killed three cows belonging to Carl Schwichtenberg.

Mrs. A. Teale, who has been visiting in the south part of the state, returned home yesterday.

C. W. Landers and family of Genoa are visiting at P. F. Bell's home. They arrived last evening.

Mrs. Atlee Hart of Dakota City, who has been visiting Mrs. I. Powers, returned home this noon.

Father McNamara went to Bloomfield today to supply the place of Father Fitzgerald for a short time.

William Warneke left last night for Hot Springs, S. D., where he will seek relief from rheumatic trouble.

Mrs. George Davenport returned home from Sioux City yesterday after a two weeks visit with her son, Will.

Miss Lena Stewart left for Omaha this morning to join her aunt, Mrs. Graham, whom she will accompany to Princeton, Ind., the first of the week.

Conductor Wm. Cooley, C. M. Forney and Sam L. Gardner boarded the west-bound passenger last evening for Atkinson where they will spend a few days fishing.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Ed O'Keere and Miss Kate Carey, which will take place at the Catholic church in this city on Wednesday, June 7.

Father Walsh goes to Chadron and other western points tomorrow, accompanying Bishop Scannell, whom he will assist in conducting a mission. During his absence Father Wall of Omaha will have charge of the Catholic church here.

Dr. A. Bear, accompanied by his daughter Robinette, left this morning for Richmond, Va., the doctor's former home. He went as a delegate to the annual national convention of railway surgeons which convenes in that city June 1st.

Stanton Register: Special agent Ed Gerecke, of the Norfolk beet sugar factory, reports that the beets in Stanton county are growing nicely and every field has a good stand. The prospects are excellent if the warm weather continues.

The healthfulness of Norfolk and vicinity is attested by the fact that during the last 40 days only one death has been reported. When it is realized that this takes in a surrounding territory of 10 miles and a population of not less than 15,000 people the statement gains strength.

The advance agent of the Alha Heyward Co., the celebrated comedian, was in the city yesterday and made arrangements for that company to play here June 16. The high character of the company is recognized by the sale of more than 100 tickets the same afternoon.

The outlook for a celebration of the Glorious Fourth is not brilliant. The fire department started out to collect a suitable fund but met with such a frost at the hands of the business men that they have given up their project. It is not now likely that Norfolk will celebrate this year.

The editor of the Culbertson Era has this to say of his town, but as far as we know now, Norfolk can lay claim to the same kind of "greatness": "Culbertson is a remarkable town in more ways than one. Her latest claim to greatness lies in the fact that she has no people who claim that their fathers were schoolmates of Admiral Dewey."

Stanton Register: A Stanton county farmer who is planting potatoes and onions in alternate rows is certainly up to date in taking precaution against drouth. He reasons that the onions will be strong enough to bring tears from the eyes of the potatoes in sufficient quantities to furnish all the moisture necessary to keep the vegetables growing.

The opera house is coming on finely. It will be ready for occupancy Monday and all who have not secured reserved seats for "Othello" should do so at once. Mr. Durland is sparing no pains to give Norfolk a first class pleasure hall where its people can be comfortably housed



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MONDAY MENTION.

Rev. Wm. McKim left for Niobrara today.

Dick Richards of Sioux City was in the city yesterday.

Carl T. Seeley and his son Ben were in the city today.

Cons. Schultz of Wakefield is visiting the Allmann boys.

Judge M. F. Kincaid of O'Neill arrived in town this noon.

Miss Nellie Schwenk returned from Stanton last evening.

County Clerk E. G. Hellman was a Sunday visitor from Madison.

Dr. W. H. Deering of Lincoln was greeting old friends in the city today.

Geo. L. Hes went to Madison and T. J. Morrow to Humphrey, this morning.

Charles Carter went to Hartington today. He will remain there, working as a barber.

C. A. Fuller, Chas. Rice and E. P. Weatherly returned from Omaha yesterday.

A big bouncing boy arrived this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hirsch.

Bob Scott, of the Battle Creek Enterprise, was in town today on his way to Creighton.

Mrs. H. L. Warner leaves for Jerseyville, Ill., tomorrow morning on a visit to her son.

Aug. Roettler and wife of Stanton visited at the home of Rev. G. Streicher yesterday.

Rev. H. Piepper of Stanton occupied the pulpit of the German Evangelical church last evening.

Mrs. Mary L. Stanton has opened up dress making rooms over Miss Wareham's millinery store and solicits the patronage of those in need of such work. S. Saunders and wife, P. F. Murray, M. M. Patton, J. B. Frynie, W. D. Funk, J. M. Kingenry, C. D. Jewel and M. R. Ellis make up a Bloomfield party here today.

The Madison County Reporter will be removed to Newman Grove this week and will be under the direct personal management of J. B. Donovan of the Madison Star.

An Indian girl was brought to the asylum this morning from Thurston county. She was quite violently insane, caused by grief over the sudden death of her father and mother.

Congressman Mercer has received assurances from the treasury department that the inspector will visit Norfolk about the middle of June and look over

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