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### MONDAY MENTION.

C. W. Potter of Pierce was in Norfolk yesterday.

E. A. Crum is in the city from Creighton.

J. M. Shickley was in town today from Geneva.

C. F. Faes was in the city yesterday from Madison.

J. H. Conley is visiting with Battle Creek friends.

Chas. B. Boughn of Randolph was a city visitor today.

Lidia Bruggeman is still very low with appendicitis.

Ed. O'Shea and sister were in town yesterday from Madison.

Born, this morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biggs, a daughter.

Alma will hold a street fair and carnival on October 4, 5 and 6.

Mrs. L. M. Beeler has returned from a visit with friends at Oakdale.

Albert Billerbeck of Osmond was in the city today, enroute to Humphrey.

Robert Bailey has gone to Hamburg, Iowa, to keep a stand at a county fair.

W. H. Dexter and C. E. Doughty went to Elgin this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Yost of Omaha are visiting relatives and friends in the city.

J. J. Goodrich left today for an extended visit in Boston and Worcester Mass.

S. M. Gorbie and family of Meadow Grove are visiting at the home of J. L. Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins left this morning for Denver, Col., where they will visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gerecke of Stanton came up yesterday to attend Mrs. Parker's funeral.

L. R. Prichard of Meadow Grove Sunday in the city and greeted Norfolk friends.

Supt. and Mrs. Crum came up from Madison yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Parker.

Walter Bailey has gone to Dodge where he will run a stand at the reunion to be held there.

D. W. Greene and Mr. Pickes are registered at the Evans, Hot Springs, S. D., from Norfolk.

Miss Nellie Seymour is taking a two weeks' vacation from her duties at the Star clothing store.

Chas. Nordwig, V. A. Nenow and Ed. Walter departed this noon for Horsehoe lake for a three days' outing.

Mrs. O. J. Johnson will leave tomorrow for a visit with relatives and friends at West Point and Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kuhl and children will leave tomorrow for a week's outing at Jackson's lake, near the Yellow Banks.

The Sunday school of the German Evangelical church will hold its annual picnic in Pasewalk's grove next Thursday afternoon.

Clarence Reed of Red Cloud, who served in the war with Spain, has been granted a pension of \$30 per month by the government.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Durland are having a delightful time at Southold, Long Island, according to a letter received by Norfolk friends.

The Ladies Missionary society of the First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. G. B. Salter tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Huston spent Sunday with her brother at this place and left this morning to visit at Schuyler, the former home of the family.

A. H. Kiesau is improving his drug store. The prescription department is being enlarged and a cellar is being dug underneath the store.

Chas. Madsen is taking a week's vacation from his duties at Christoph's drug store and is visiting his brother in Missouri Valley, Iowa.

The time of arrival of the Union Pacific passenger from the south changes tonight from 9:05 to 8:50. This brings it in 15 minutes earlier.

Miss Margaret Horiaky returned last evening over the Union Pacific, after an eight months' visit with her sister, Kate, and brother, Joe, at Pocatello, Idaho.

Miss Verana Nenow and Miss Lottie Sidler, of the Johnson Dry Goods company, are enjoying a vacation. Robert Johnson is helping in the store during their absence.

Frank Benecke of Chadron, an ex-member of company H, Second Nebraska, is visiting S. E. Brackett and Carl Ellis. He will leave for Omaha tomorrow morning.

Mrs. P. F. Sprecher and Mrs. H. E. Hardy left this morning for Columbus where they will join their sister, Mrs. Landers, and go to Denver and Manitou Springs, Col., and Salt Lake City, Utah.

A business meeting of company L, Second regiment, will be held at the armory tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. Members of the company from Pierce and Stanton are expected to be present.

The people of Tilden have raised \$100 to give a reception to the returning soldier boys of the First, who call that their home, as well as all Tilden boys who enlisted for service in the Spanish war.

Hugo Asmus has accepted a position

in the drug store of A. H. Kiesau. Walter Braash, who has been helping Mr. Kiesau, will leave on the 1st of September to attend a pharmaceutical school at Des Moines, Iowa.

Frank Griffith of Blair was brought to the hospital for insane at this place Saturday by Sheriff Winke of Washington county. Griffith is a carpenter by trade and his mind has become unbalanced through excessive drinking.

A. D. Pratt, the dairyman, has just received a handsome new milk delivery wagon, which is about perfect for the business. It is built low, easy to get in and out of, and is entirely enclosed, the ends and sides being mainly glass.

Twenty-seven citizens of Coleridge have advertised for information concerning anyone caught shooting prairie chickens before September 1st. They promise to prosecute without expense to the person giving the information.

In the ball game on the Olney grounds yesterday afternoon the Norfolk nine defeated the railroad boys by a score of 17 to 12. The attendance was about 300. There will be another game next Sunday between the Norfolk and a scrub nine.

G. R. Seiler drove into a ditch, where Park avenue crosses the Union Pacific tracks, with a span of colts Saturday night. A runaway was narrowly averted with the assistance of people living in the neighborhood. The buggy was considerably damaged.

The friends of Rev. W. H. Eaton, pastor of the Baptist church, are invited to come to the church Wednesday evening at 7:45 sharp, as a communication from him will be read that, perhaps, will be a surprise to some of his many friends. All are cordially invited.

Bishop Bonacum of Lincoln has brought ejection proceedings in the Johnson county district court against the trustees now in possession of St. Andrews Catholic church at Tecumseh. In addition to the property, the bishop wants \$2,000 for rentals and damages.

Louis Haase, son of C. F. Haase, is here from Brazile Mills and will assist Herman Schroeder in running a steam thrasher. He states that a daughter arrived at his home on the 2nd. A daughter was also born to his sister, Mrs. Leonard Conrad at Hadar last week.

Miss Anna Seymour, who has been employed by the Durland Trust company, has been offered a position with the First National bank of Lincoln. She will go down and see how she likes the work. If she likes it she will remain and anyway will enjoy a vacation of a few weeks.

The trust spirit is manifest, even in small towns. At Hartley, Iowa, the seven elevator men have made a combine and one will not pay more than another for grain. The grain buyers have made as high as 6 1/2 cents per bushel on corn and one buyer cleared \$70 on a car of that grain.

Dr. and Mrs. Keiper of the hospital for insane entertained the employees of that institution and a number of invited guests Saturday evening. The evening was very pleasantly spent with dancing as the chief amusement, the music being furnished by the asylum orchestra. Choice refreshments were served and the entire affair was very enjoyable.

Pierce Leader: Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cones were serenaded by the band Monday night and numerous parties gave them more or less noisy charivaris from dark on to midnight. These popular young people, responded with refreshments and treats for all who came and were the recipients of hearty and sincere wishes for their future happiness and welfare.

The members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen of York county challenge the Fillmore county Workmen members to a tug of war across the Blue river at the fourth annual picnic of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and Degree of Honor at McCool Junction next Thursday, August 10. The winning side has the pleasure of pulling the losing side through the deep waters of the Blue.

It is expected that the Madison, Fullerton and Columbus companies of soldiers, returning from San Francisco, will arrive in Columbus at the same time, and Mayor E. D. Fitzpatrick of that place promises those who contemplate meeting the boys at Columbus, that they will find people there, ready to receive them and to join hands in giving the returning heroes the rousing, hearty welcome they deserve.

The north bound passenger on the St. Paul and Omaha road was wrecked at Tekamah yesterday morning and a fireman named F. C. Olson received injuries, from which he died a few hours later. The passenger ran through an open switch onto a siding that was occupied by a gravel train, with the engine headed south. The two engines crashed together and the one attached to the gravel train was overturned, burying Olson, who was working about it, beneath the wreckage. The other trainmen saved their lives by jumping. Two other persons, traveling men, were slightly injured.

A bold attempt was made to steal 35 head of cattle from the pasture of W. S. Cunningham, north of Tilden, last week. The pasture fence was broken down to give the appearance of a stampede, but as there were no tracks about the break, the ruse was a failure. The trail was easily discovered and was followed for 8 miles in a zig-zag course almost doubling the distance. The cattle were finally located and a horseman in the near vicinity suddenly disappeared from sight and has not since been seen. Those having cattle in pasture about Tilden will undoubtedly be more cautious in the future.

Here is a tale adorned with a moral, which should be given some heed by dressmakers in particular and women in general. It is from an Emerick correspondent: "Miss Linnie Reeves, who is visiting in Gothenburg, met with a peculiar accident. While working at her trade of seamstress she drew a pin down her throat. It lodged in the upper part of the throat and remained there about ten days during which time she endured very acute pain and was unable to eat, after which she expelled the pin by a severe coughing. She is able to attend to her work again but says she will not soon use her mouth as a pin receptacle again."

The choir boys of Trinity Episcopal church, with Rev. J. R. Van Fleet, left at an early hour this morning for the Yellow Banks where they will camp out for five days, returning home Friday night. They and their outfit were hauled in a lumber wagon and one single buggy. The outfit consists of two large tents and three small ones with cooking utensils, provisions, bedding, fishing tackle and other things necessary for comfort and fun. The boys who compose the party are Harry Matrau, Fred Asmus, Merrill Queen, Charles Gerecke, Albert Reinhart, George Younger, Roy Luikart, Lorin Doughty, Eugene Huse, Spencer Butterfield and Halsey Gibson. The party is accompanied by a dog mascot for good luck. An excellent time is anticipated by the boys, as a matter of course.

A young man by the name of Harry Roberts, who has been working for H. C. Truman this summer, telephoned to C. W. Mihills' livery barn Saturday stating that he wanted the best team on hand for a three miles' drive into the country. He got the team, which was next to the best in the barn, at 6 o'clock yesterday morning and promised to be back the same day, but has not yet returned and Mr. Mihills is fearful that he has made off with the rig. It has in no wise allayed this fear to learn that he has taken his tools, with which he worked, with him. When he arrived in the city to go to work he claimed Neligh as his home and this is all Mr. Truman knows of him. He had hired teams before at Mr. Mihills' barn and there was no hesitancy about renting him one this time. It is unfair, perhaps, at this time to suppose that he has taken the team, as many things might have occurred to prevent his return.

**Trespass Law.**  
 It is said that the shooting of young prairie chickens has already commenced and some sportsmen are inclined to believe that by the time the law is out and they can legally be killed there will be but few left for those who believe in living up to the letter of the law.

The new laws passed by the late legislature, besides protecting geese, brant, ducks and other water fowl between the 1st day of May and the 1st day of September each year, provides that any hunter is liable for an action for trespass. Following is the new trespass law:  
 "It shall be unlawful for any person to go upon the premises of another person or corporation for the purpose of hunting, trapping, netting, ensnaring or killing any animal or bird at any season of the year unless by the consent of the owner or occupier of said premises or lands, and any person who shall go upon the premises or land of another in violation of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than five dollars nor more than \$100 for each offense, and shall be liable to the owner or occupier of the premises or lands in an action of trespass."

This provision makes it an easy matter for farmers and land owners to protect game should they so desire. It has been quite a task to convict men of shooting chickens but under this provision the protection of game is much simplified.

**Men Who Will Not Work.**  
 When business and railroad men read of the demands from all over the western country for help in gathering the ripened crops they can but wonder why the lazy loafers known as tramps and wandering Willies are permitted to sleep daytimes and steal at night. The Great Northern and Northern Pacific general offices are daily besieged with letters from farmers in North Dakota for harvest hands. They are wanted also in Montana. When, in addition to this, comes the information that unless these farmers can get help soon the western states will be seriously handicapped, the state of things becomes the more deplorable.

On last Thursday Assistant Superintendent Murphy counted twenty-five tons of Rest reclining in the shade of cars in the upper yards of the Cedar Rapids route. The producing capacity of this gang of bums, at the least calculation, with the wages in North Dakota and Montana at the present time, would be \$125 per day. As it is, they must draw their sustenance from others who work for a living. Every day passing freight trains carry dead freight in the way of sundry tramps who sneak in between the bumpers and ride at their pleasure. They travel in gangs large enough to control the trains, and the trainmen are powerless to interfere, knowing that it is all their lives are worth to attempt to put them off. Railroad officials confess themselves helpless to cope with the tramp proposition, and appeals to the authorities are in vain owing to the fact that the problem is difficult of solution for them. The army of Willies is larger this year than ever before and the excuse to be idle is much less. If they can steal rides to other parts of the country they can do so to the grain fields of Dakota and Montana, but it is the thought of work that induces them to veer their course when coming in sight of it.—Cedar Rapids Gazette.

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