

very interesting and the people of the church are well pleased with their new minister.

The four-year-old son of W. H. Carly ate some rat cake Saturday that he found lying on the floor and as consequence was a very sick child. Dr. Holden was called to attend him, and it is reported that he is now getting along very nicely.

Miss Laura Gregg who is one of the organizers of the National Suffrage association, spoke at the Baptist church yesterday, both morning and evening, to good audiences. She is a fine speaker and entertained very successfully those who attended the services. The pastor, Rev. W. H. Eaton was in Creighton on church business.

The Young Men's Christian league held a very interesting meeting yesterday afternoon in G. A. R. hall. A temporary organization has been effected and these meetings will be a regular feature in the future. It is proposed by the league to have an attractive and entertaining place in which the young men may meet and spend their idle moments.

The weather today has been decidedly disagreeable, in contrast with that which has prevailed during the past few weeks. A heavy fog, almost a drizzle, settled down over the landscape early this morning and continued to afflict mankind throughout the day. It was feared that it would take a cold and result in a snow storm or blizzard but it has not thus far. Rain and colder is promised, however, and it is feared that a spell of bad weather may follow.

Dennis Murphy, an ex-member of the First Nebraska, got into bad company Saturday and became so boisterous that he was taken up under the charge of disorderly conduct and this morning was assessed a fine of \$2 and costs. Murphy has an honorable discharge and undoubtedly made a good soldier. His friends will probably be sorry to learn that he has enlisted for the purpose of downing old King Alcohol, as it is a feat seemingly impossible of accomplishment.

Those having in hand the work of forming the Norfolk Public Library association report very satisfactory progress and a meeting will soon be called for the purpose of hearing the reports of the committees. Many people may not now realize what a benefit this movement will be to Norfolk, but when they do they can lay a large share of the credit to Mayor Simpson, who has not only talked in favor of it for years but is now performing some excellent work in the interest of the plan.

The new Thirteenth street bridge is the subject of much favorable comment on the part of those who use it. The work is nicely done in every particular and the approaches are well planned and arranged, making it one of the finest places to cross the river in this section of the state. It is also located at a place where the travel is large and the structure will be much used, not only by farmers but by those who are compelled to make the drive between Norfolk and Madison. The thanks of these travelers are due to the county commissioners and to the tax-payers, who foot the bills.

Saturday evening two men from different directions approached a horse tied in front of Hall's barber shop, and both claimed the ownership of the animal. Both individuals were considerably the worse for frequent indulgences in the flowing bowl, and each one knew that he owned that horse. One claimed that he had raised the horse from a colt and the other gave the name of the man he had bought him from. The situation began to get quite warm and a crowd of spectators gathered around expecting to see a fight, which was promised by each in loud language if the other did not go along about his business. Finally just as the two claimants were bracing up to enforce their demands with their fists, one of them discovered that the horse was not his after all, and the contest was over. Then the two started off arm in arm to pledge their friendship over a bar.

The News is arranging to issue a souvenir Thanksgiving number on the order of the special editions that have heretofore been issued from this office, with the one material difference that it will be the largest paper ever published in Norfolk. It will contain statistics of value concerning Norfolk and this section of the state and will have a very fine and artistic full page illustrated cover. By reason of the increased circulation that will be given this issue of THE NEWS, advertisers will find it of exceptional value in reaching the public and of lasting benefit, because the paper will be of such a character that it will be preserved a long time for reference. Reservations of advertising space are now being made, and those who want preferred positions should place their orders at once. Extra copies of the paper will be sold for 5 cents each.

It is not because THE NEWS wishes to appear arbitrary in the matter, but because it believes in fair treatment and has certain duties and hours for the performance of them that it demands that church and society announcements intended for publication be handed in before noon of the day on which publication is desired. Many papers have adopted a rule that such announcements

should be paid for, but THE NEWS is pleased to publish them, provided they are of reasonable length and handed in on time. Subscribers to the paper expect it to be delivered at certain hours, a feat impossible of accomplishment unless copy is in on time. The ordinary minister would dislike very much to delay his sermon, nor would he, for the convenience of one or more late arrivals, and if he is conscientious in the practice of the golden rule he would be very much averse to causing a paper inconvenience and delay with notices. This subject has before been mentioned but as there seems to be a misunderstanding of the rule attention is again directed to it. If those concerned will kindly bear it in mind no one will be inconvenienced, and no one need feel slighted if their notices are refused after noon.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

M. C. Hazen had business in Hartington yesterday.

Chas. Rice paid a business trip to Scribner today.

Wm. Tracy of Harvard was a city visitor yesterday.

G. B. Gatlin was in the city yesterday from Scribner.

A. G. Witmer left this morning for his regular trip east.

Dr. Hamilton of Coleridge was in this metropolis yesterday.

Miss Fairbanks of Neligh is visiting with Mrs. M. W. Case.

M. Cohen of Fremont had business in the Sugar City yesterday.

Attorney Guy R. Wilbur of Wayne was in the city over night.

Ned Edwards departed last evening for his home in Ainsworth.

Miss Mabel Stevens has gone to Mis-souri Valley for a few days.

C. F. Way of Coleridge transacted business in Norfolk yesterday.

H. T. Sonnenschein of West Point had business in this city today.

Dr. J. H. Mackay had professional business north of Pierce yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. L. Iles returned this morning from her trip to Sioux Falls, S. D.

Mrs. F. Storey was in the city from Pierce yesterday doing some shopping.

Editor and Mrs. W. E. Powers of Pierce were Norfolk visitors yesterday.

J. Troutman came in on the morning train from a trip in the interests of his firm.

Mrs. O. J. Johnson is enjoying a visit from her father, Mr. Leffert of West Point.

Judge J. B. Barnes and Attorney D. J. Koenigstein had professional business in Wayne yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Martin of Denver, Col., is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Westervelt.

Henry Klinkerfuse of Le Mars, Iowa, representing Gordon & Ferguson of St. Paul, Minn., is in the city today on business.

Miss Howell of Neligh was in the city yesterday visiting her brother, H. G. Howell, on her way home from a visit to friends in Plainview.

Mrs. Geo. D. Butterfield of Creighton and Miss Ada Butterfield of this city went to Omaha yesterday and will return this evening.

The asylum orchestra has been secured to furnish the music for the dance to be given by the Early Hour club in the Mast hall Friday evening.

Harley Widaman was one of the fortunate gamblers who succeeded in killing a brant last night out of the numerous flocks circling over the city.

A number of young ladies, composing the Monday club of Wayne, were in the city this morning on their way to Stanton to attend a reception to be given by Miss Chase at her home in that city this evening.

J. B. Maylard has been elected secretary of the Durland Trust company. He has been doing the work or this office for some time and the granting to him of the honors is but a just recognition of his efficient and valuable services.

Pierce Leader: Mrs. Ziesche and the children left yesterday morning for Hooper, Mr. Ziesche moving his household goods to Norfolk the same day. The cigar factory will be moved to the latter place the latter part of next week.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will give their first annual ball at Marquardt's hall tomorrow evening. They cordially invite everybody to participate in the amusement. Tickets are on sale at Hardy's coal office and at the drug store of J. L. Hershiser, South Norfolk.

Your Thanksgiving will not be complete unless you have an advertisement in the edition of THE NEWS to be issued on that day and a copy to read. It will be all the more enjoyable if you arrange to send a copy to a number of your friends. Now is the time to make your wants known.

The rain promised by the weather bureau fell almost continuously last night and has kept at it to a considerable extent during the day, turning the dust and dirt into mud of pronounced sticking quality. The weather promised for tomorrow will probably be an improvement over that which prevailed today.

B. Meyers of Omaha has rented the vacant building east of Bryant's drug store and is putting in a new grocery. Although the grocery business is pretty thoroughly represented in the city it is

probable that Mr. Myer will receive his share of the trade. His store makes an even dozen that handle groceries exclusively or in part, not counting the one at the Junction.

John Koenigstein is filling in with dirt under the walk in front of the Pacific block on Main street, his intention being to put in a permanent walk of some kind next spring. The dirt is now being put in so that it may have an opportunity to settle and become firm during the winter. After the dirt is put in the walks will be temporarily repaired for the winter.

The masons employed on the new Catholic church yesterday began laying the walls above the stone foundation. The pressed brick being used for the outside is of fine quality and will give the building a fine appearance when it is completed. The brick are a deep red and are being laid in mortar of like color. When the wall is up and the trimmings of pink limestone are in place there is no question but that the new church will be one of the handsomest buildings in town.

Mr. Warrant has ordered the seats and scenery for the new opera house, to be delivered December 20. When it arrives he will have a competent stage carpenter come and oversee the work of placing them. On account of the rain the masons did not work today, but the helpers were employed in removing the accumulated rubbish and preparing the space underneath the stage for the carpenters. Besides the dressing rooms, there will be a room for the musicians under the stage and also a furnace for heating.

Ed Weber of Winside and his partner, Wm. Dinkle, were arrested last evening and locked in the city jail. This morning they were brought before his honor, Police Judge Hayes. The former was arraigned on the charge of drunkenness and was fined \$10 and costs, amounting in all to \$16.10. Having no money he was committed to jail until the judgment of the court should be satisfied.

Dinkle was charged with disorderly conduct and his hearing was continued. He was let out on bail, a friend going his bond for an appearance.

On account of the dance tomorrow evening the executive committee of the fire department has seen fit to change their night of meeting from Wednesday and will consequently meet this evening.

All members of the committee are requested to be present. Members of the department are also urged to attend as it is the desire of the committee to choose the best and most active material for the formation of the various subordinate committees. Remember, the meeting will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at Fireman's hall in the city building.

Since the value of horses is rising there is a notable revival of the horse-thief movement and many losses are reported from various points in this section of the state. A fine team was stolen last week from Kruger Bros. of Bloomfield and they offer a reward of \$125 for the arrest and conviction of the thief or thieves and the return of the property. At Monroe a horse that was tied to a hitching post was taken Saturday night, also a set of harness and other articles and Platte county offers a reward of \$50 for the arrest and conviction of the thief.

Last night Norfolk was a sort of sportsmen's paradise or would have been could the game have been located otherwise than by sound. Large flocks of geese coming down from the north were confused by the electric lights and circled about over the city at no great height. The noise they made fired the spirit in the breasts of several who own a shot gun and many shots were heard about the city. With nothing but sound to direct their aim it is doubtful if many of the birds fell as victims to the gunners. The flight of the birds is taken as an indication of an approaching cold snap.

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WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

A. J. Dunlevy of Tilden was a city visitor yesterday.

H. G. Correll of Plainview was a city visitor yesterday.

H. Geartner of Randolph was in the city last evening.

Mrs. McBride went to Plainview yesterday to visit friends.

Miss Brown of Fremont is visiting with Mrs. Ed. Murphy.

Father Fitzgerald of Wayne is the guest of Father Walsh today.

H. Hughes of Winside was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Provitz of Stanton were a city visitors yesterday.

Attorney A. W. Gross was a city visitor from Madison yesterday.

The Browning club met last evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stewart.

Mrs. Hine and mother of Waverly are guests at the home of Miss Mason.

Judge J. B. Barnes returned this morning from a professional trip to Tekamah.

Dr. Stevenson, the physician at the hospital for the insane, had business in Omaha yesterday.

Thos. H. Wilhelm, traveling freight agent of the C. R. I. & P. railway, was in the city last night.

G. T. Sprecker, manager of the local telephone office, went to Madison again today on telephone business.

The Kindergarten club was entertained in royal style at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bucholz last evening.

Joe Daniels will raffle off a \$15 amber pipe on Christmas. Tickets are being given with each dollar paid in trade.

A gang of twenty railroad laborers went west today over the Union Pacific to work on the extensions and improvements now going on.

Wm. Leggett, who has been visiting here for the past two months, left today for St. Paul, Minn., where he has a position awaiting him.

Mrs. Lee Brubaker of Laramie, Wyoming, is here visiting at the home of her father-in-law, Martin Brubaker.

Arthur Zeigler, an employe of the F. E. & M. V. company, got two of his fingers taken off last night while coupling an engine in the round house.

C. W. Braasch returned last evening from Omaha, where he had accompanied his wife and daughter. Mrs. Braasch and daughter will remain several days yet.

H. C. Denney, superintendent of toll lines for the Nebraska Telephone company, went to Pierce this morning to look after the construction of the new line.

Miss Ethel Fink of Madison, who has been visiting Miss Irene Juneman the past week, was called home last night by a telegram announcing her mother's sickness.

Miss Lizzie Fischer and Mr. C. M. Hartman will be married at 9 o'clock this evening in the Pacific hotel parlors. A number of guests have been invited to attend.

The team of A. Karo started to run away this morning on Main street but was stopped by bystanders in front of the Western Union office before it had gained much headway. No damage was done.

The county clerk, treasurer and judge, being the officers who fill vacancies, have appointed Wm. Smith, the newly elected commissioner from the First district, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of commissioner Johnson of that district.

Mrs. Stoutenborough of Plattsmouth, ex-president of the Nebraska federation of women's clubs, is announced to lecture before the federation of women's clubs at Wayne on the afternoon and evening of December 5. Norfolk club ladies are invited.

The late Vice President Hobart was a tax-payer of Nebraska, he having for five years owned a cottage in Lincoln. The property was offered to the state as a building site for a governor's mansion when the state board was receiving bids, for a consideration of \$8,500.

The Ladies of the Maccabees state that their ball, to be given this evening at Marquardt's hall is not a public affair, but that the guests have been selected by invitations. THE NEWS with pleasure corrects the impression that a cordial invitation was extended to all.

The back wall of the new opera house is now within five feet of being high enough for the roof, the stairways to the balcony are being laid and the other work is progressing most satisfactorily. The floors of the rooms under the stage will be composed of cement and the broken brick preparatory to its construction are being put in.

The Plano Manufacturing company has leased the Rome Miller building, first door west of the American express office, where will be established a branch office, from which the business of that company in the north half of Nebraska will be handled. W. H. Blakeman will be the manager of the business at this place.

C. C. Compton, traveling freight agent of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, visited his former Colorado friend, F. W. Juneman, yesterday. While here he looked over the sugar factory, in which he takes considerable interest, as

there are several factories under course of erection along the line of railway represented by him in Colorado.

About 30 or 35 of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brubaker called at their home last evening in a body and gave them a genuine surprise. The visitors brought along large baskets well filled with things which bring comfort to the inner man, and after an evening enjoyably spent the contents of the baskets were brought out and an elegant supper was served.

Receiver H. G. Whitmore of the First National bank of Neligh has brought suit against C. A. Reimers, one of the stock holders. The petitioner alleges that shortly before the bank closed its doors the defendant connived with Charles B. Alder, president, to have the stock owned by the former cancelled and issued to the latter. Now the plaintiff asks the court to set aside the cancellation and transfer and render judgment against the defendant for \$13,000, together with interest and costs.

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WILL ASSIST COMMISSION.

C. A. Fuller Returns From Chicago Where He Gave Testimony on Freight Rates.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Chester A. Fuller, returned from Chicago yesterday, where he went to give testimony before a sub-committee of the industrial commission concerning freight rates.

The impression seems to prevail that Mr. Fuller was appearing before the inter-state commerce commission on the case started by C. H. Johnson. This is not the fact, and Mr. Fuller's testimony has no connection with that case.

The committee before which he gave his testimony is composed of Senator Mallory of Florida, Representative Lorimer of Illinois, Chas. J. Harris of North Carolina, Allen J. Kennedy of Washington, D. C., and Eugene H. Conger of Grand Rapids, Mich.

The industrial commission, of which these gentlemen form a part, was appointed by the president to examine into subjects relating to the social condition of the country and is gathering testimony in reference to the relations existing between capital and labor, the financial conditions of the people and concerning transportation with a view to preparing statistics and making recommendations to congress in regard to suitable legislation to regulate all such matters with justice to all.

Mr. Fuller heard the evidence of several witnesses and was with the committee while they were taking testimony for more than half a day. The testimony is taken in detail with the aid of short hand reporters and the figures will undoubtedly be valuable statistical information.

He was before the committee giving his testimony for about an hour, and was treated very courteously. At the close of the testimony of each witness Mr. Lorimer very cordially thanked them for appearing.

Mr. Fuller states that there were many complaints of a similar nature to those made by him and he believes that the report of the commission will undoubtedly result in strengthening the power of the inter-state commerce commission to deal with such cases.

Best canned goods at the Norfolk Cash store.

NATIONAL GRANGE GROWING

Thirty-Five Thousand New Members. Next Meeting at Washington.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Nov. 22.—Washington has been selected as the place where the next annual convention of the National Grange will be held.

The morning session was principally devoted to the report of the executive committee through its chairman, J. J. Woodman. The books of the secretary and treasurer show there is now more than \$50,000 to the credit of the National Grange. There was an increase of \$10,000 last year in the funds and 35,000 new members. Touchy trusts, the chairman said every effort should be made to crush them out, for they could not be controlled.

The National Grange elected officers as follows: Master, Aaron Jones, South Bend, Ind.; overseer, Obadiah Gardner, Maine; lecturer, N. J. Bachelder, East Andover, N. H.; steward, J. A. Newcome, Golden, Colo.; treasurer, Mrs. E. S. McDowell, Columbus, O.; secretary, John Trimble, Washington.

KILLED BIG FLOCK OF SHEEP

Herders Warned Not to Bring Any More of Them Into Colorado.

DENVER, Nov. 22.—A special from Craig, Colo., says that last week 3,000 sheep were driven from Wyoming into Routt county to the range, 40 miles northwest of Craig. Fifty masked men captured the herders and then proceeded to kill the entire flock. The herders were warned not to bring any more sheep into Colorado and were released. These are the first sheep that have been brought into this section for several years.

FIREMEN'S DOINGS.

Preparing to Take Care of the Association Meeting Next January.

The executive committee of the fire department, formed for the purpose of preparing for the state firemen's association which meets in this city next January, met on the 16th and organized.

The committee consists of Messrs. H. W. Wintner, C. E. Hartford, H. A. Pasewalk, W. L. Kern, Ed. Grant, H. Klug, G. A. Stapenhorst, S. E. Brackett, E. R. Alexander, T. E. Moolick, H. C. Truman, W. A. Hemleben and F. W. Juneman.

The committee organized with C. E. Hartford, chairman; H. A. Pasewalk, assistant chairman; W. L. Kern, secretary, and the department treasurer of the committee.

Messrs. Hartford, Wintner and Pasewalk were named as a committee to appoint the various subordinate committees and the meeting adjourned.

The department met in special session again last evening and was called to order by President Hartford. The secretary read the names of the executive committee appointed at a previous meeting.

On motion J. L. Decker was named as a member of the committee in place of W. A. Hemleben.

The secretary was instructed to notify the absent members of the executive committee of their appointment, by postal card.

On motion the date for the holiday ball, planned for at a previous meeting was left with the committee on hand.

The department adjourned and the executive committee on the association meeting was called to order at 9:30 by Chairman Hartford.

On motion the committee declared itself in readiness to receive the report of the special committee on the appointment of subordinate committees which was read as follows:

"NORFOLK, Nov. 17.—The committee met at the Pacific hotel parlor at 8 p. m. for the purpose of appointing the various committees for the Nebraska State Volunteer Firemen's association to be held here January 16, 1900. Following committees were appointed:

"On hotel and banquet—C. E. Hartford, H. W. Wintner, H. A. Pasewalk.

"Committee on toasts—Burt Mapes, C. E. Hartford, H. H. Patterson, C. A. Fuller.

"On opera—H. H. Patterson, M. D. Tyler, Jack Koenigstein.

"Printing souvenirs and badges—Ed Grant, Henry Klug, F. K. Fulton.

"Decoration—W. L. Kern, Wm. Klug, Ed Grant, Chas. Learman, E. R. Hayes, E. R. Alexander.

"Reception—J. J. Clements, H. H. Patterson, R. H. Reynolds, W. A. Hemleben, S. E. Brackett, Otto Zaslows, G. A. Stapenhorst, J. H. Conley, Geo. Jackson, John Krantz, Fred Sidler, Otto Buckle, H. C. Truman, E. R. Alexander, Arthur Koenigstein, Dan Smith, Jack Vandorn, J. P. Wright, C. R. Campman, Geo. Heller.

"On entertainment—C. E. Hartford, H. W. Wintner, A. Degner, R. H. Reynolds, J. J. Clements, Paul Karo, Dan Smith, T. E. Moolick, F. W. Juneman, J. W. Edwards, Rudolph Blatt, Ed. Grant, Henry Klug, J. H. Conley, J. A. Rainey, Eli Rasley, H. C. Matrau, W. L. Kern, C. R. Campman, C. A. Fuller, J. L. Decker, R. Chrischilla.

"On music—W. L. Kern, S. R. McFarland, H. A. Pasewalk, C. A. Fuller.

"Purchasing committee—C. E. Hartford, H. W. Wintner, H. A. Pasewalk, W. L. Kern.

"On program—H. W. Wintner, C. E. Hartford, W. L. Kern, G. A. Stapenhorst, Paul Karo, S. E. Brackett, H. C. Truman, M. Moolick."

On motion J. L. Decker was chosen as assistant secretary of the executive committee.

On motion the report of the special committee on choosing the subordinate committees was adopted and the executive committee adjourned until November 29.

"Apples"—"Apples."

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