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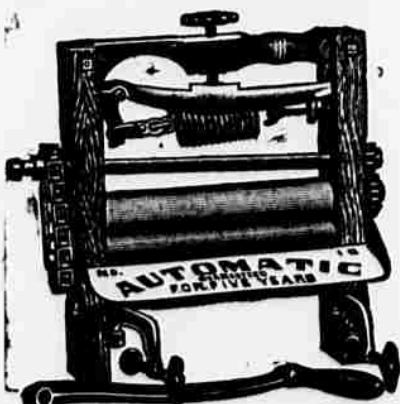
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THURSDAY TIDINGS.

Ernest Schulz, who underwent an operation Tuesday, is getting along nicely.

Norfolk lodge No. 48, I. O. O. F.,

will meet in regular session tonight at their hall. Visiting brothers are invited.

The banks have been closed all day and the postoffice the greater part of the day in observance of Washington's birthday.

There will be a special meeting of Mosaic lodge, 55, A. F. and A. M. tonight for the purpose of work. By order of the master.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haase, died last night and will be buried Saturday from St. Paul Lutheran church.

The Sovereign Visitor, the official organ of the Woodmen of the World, published in Omaha, contains a very excellent write-up of the public installation by the local lodge here on the 8th of January. The article in question occupied nearly a full column of the paper.

Wm. Hemleben returned last night from a business visit to Omaha. The Hotel Reporter of the 19th in commenting on his chicken business says that it is now reported that Mr. Hemleben might locate in Omaha and make his shipments from there. Mr. Hemleben does not affirm the report.

The Haebner-Settle company will be at the Auditorium for three nights, beginning Monday, February 26, in a series of scenic productions. The prices made by this company are those for which many people have been contending and the house will probably be filled each night. The prices are 10, 20, 25 and 30 cents.

THE NEWS is informed that contracts for growing beets for the sugar factory are coming in fairly well. March is usually the month when most of the contracts are made, and there is no reason now to believe that there will be a less acreage of beets grown than there was last year and the probabilities are that it will be larger.

Wm. Voight died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. Radenz, in Edgewater Park. He was 72 years of age, and the cause of his death was dropsy. The funeral will probably be conducted from St. Paul Lutheran church tomorrow afternoon and the remains interred in the cemetery west of that church and under its auspices.

John Daniels, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniels, who live near Hoskins, died last night of diphtheria after an illness of but a few days, aged 16 years and 10 months. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon and will be conducted by Rev. Grueber, the Lutheran minister of Hoskins. Interment will take place in the cemetery near that village.

Oscar Uhle today put into service a very elegant new delivery wagon of acknowledged strength and ease and a magnificent piano finish. One quality of the vehicle is of first importance and that is—it was made in Norfolk by a Norfolk mechanic—Chas. Lierman—and is equal, if not superior in all qualities to the manufactured wagons so commonly used. The entire work, from the canvas top to the wheels, is of home manufacture and it is a standing recommendation of Mr. Lierman's ability as a wagon-maker.

C. F. W. Marquardt has a display window in his jewelry store today very appropriate to the occasion. In it is a tree—not perhaps the identical one chopped down by the father of his country, but it might have been a lineal descendant had not the famous tree been mutilated in its early youth. A fit companion is an ancient hatchet bearing all the marks of sufficient age to entitle it to the claim of "George's own" but this claim is not made for it by Mr. Marquardt. An ancient sword is another attraction and altogether the window is one worthy of notice.

Washington's birthday is not generally being observed in Norfolk today, the only exercises of a public nature being those held in several of the school rooms this morning. These were finished at an early hour and the schools were dismissed for the balance of the day. The feature of tonight will be the dance in the Marquardt hall by the local lodge, Woodmen of the World. For this, extensive arrangements have been made and numerous invitations have been sent out. Many out of town guests are expected and a pleasant evening is anticipated.

WANTED—An apprentice to learn dressmaking. Miss MATTIE McNISH.

Snider's catsups at Box's.

Norfolk society will be pretty well represented at the Auditorium Friday evening, February 23, in the lively, interesting theatrical skit entitled "The Hushing Bee." This will be interspersed with specialties, including a cake walk by fifteen leading society people in full evening costume, a Hey Ruba dance, twentieth century belles in costumes befitting the times, and others of equally amusing character. The affair gives promise of being the social event of the season.

Bulk oysters at Glissman's.

Choice turkeys at the Palace Meat Market.

Farm land and city property for sale by G. R. Seiler.

Farm and city loans.

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RAILWAY HEARINGS.

Inter-State Commission Here the 26th and State Commission March 6.

The following letter was received by Chas. H. Johnson yesterday:

Interstate Commerce Commission, office of the secretary, Washington, Feb. 19.—Mr. Chas. H. Johnson, Norfolk, Neb.: Dear Sir—The commission is advised by Mr. T. L. Mathews, U. S. marshal, that he is unable to provide a room for the meeting of the commission in Norfolk, Neb., on the 26th of February at the hearing set for that date. Will you therefore look after the matter and make arrangements for some suitable room in which the hearing can be had. The commission will bear any reasonable expense connected therewith. A court room, if court is not in session would be preferable. Please wire me in reply. Very respectfully,

EDW. A. MOSELEY,

Secretary.

It is really too bad that Marshal Mathews was unable to provide a room in this city for the meeting of the interstate commission. What Norfolk people are speculating over is when he ever attempted to make arrangements for a suitable room in which to hold the meeting. Mr. Johnson finds no difficulty in providing all the room necessary, and he has so telegraphed the secretary of the interstate commission.

State Board Hearing on March 6. LINCOLN, Neb., February 19.—Mr. C. H. Johnson, Norfolk, Neb.: Dear Sir—We have fixed the time for a final hearing in the case of the Norfolk Business Men's association vs. the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railway company for March 6, 1900. We would much prefer that the hearing be held at our rooms in the state capital, but if it will not be convenient for you to come, a part of the board can go to Norfolk on that date. Let us hear from you by return mail as to whether you will come here or the board shall go there.

That there may be no misunderstanding, you can read section 17 of the statute, which provides where a tentative order is made that a notice of the same shall be served on the company and they are required to show cause on or before a certain date, and if they show cause, then a date shall be set for hearing. Yours very truly,

STATE BOARD OF TRANSPORTATION,

By Secretary, J. W. Edgerton.

Secretary Fuller of the Business Men's association, in reply to the above communication, has written that it is not practicable to go to Lincoln and urges that the hearing be held here.

Box can suit you on coffee

If Your Watch Stops Go to Fritz Hoehe, in Koenigstein's drug store. He is the best and cheapest watchmaker and jeweler in town. All work warranted.

You will miss it if you don't see the Hushing Bee. It will bring back to memory days of long ago.

Fresh halibut at Glissman's.

Photographs one cent at Michael's gallery.

Two hours of fun at the Auditorium Friday evening.

THE NEWS' job department is complete in every particular.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Irvin Gerecke is quite sick.

G. J. Hahn of Stuart is in the city.

Ed Reynolds was in town yesterday from Wayne.

M. Lyons of Emmett had business in Norfolk today.

H. J. Kelley of Tilden is a visitor in the city today.

B. G. Jones of Plainview was a visitor in Norfolk yesterday.

H. G. Corell was a city visitor yesterday from Plainview.

S. W. Williamson of Neligh was a city visitor yesterday.

C. E. Burnham of Tilden is a business visitor in the city today.

Arthur Pilger is up from Madison today greeting Norfolk friends.

Dr. F. Verges is just recovering from a two-weeks' siege of the grip.

T. F. Memminger is in the city from Madison greeting old friends.

Julius Haase is down from Battle Creek visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Geo. Eberly and Mrs. J. E. Eberly of Stanton were city visitors yesterday.

John Beck is at Fremont where he has accepted a position with the railroad company.

Mrs. J. M. Cherry of Wayne is visiting at the homes of Messrs. W. J. and C. C. Cow.

Misses E. A. Coleman and Isa MacLaren of Humphrey were city visitors yesterday.

Mr. Maloney of Sioux City has accepted a position as shoemaker in the shoe store of Davenport Bros.

Mrs. Dan Metcalf and child are still very sick and for the past two days Mr. Metcalf has been giving them his entire attention.

F. H. Livingston, manager of the Woodward Stock company No. 2, is in the city to visit his son, who makes his home with his grandmother, Mrs. Hitchcock.

Telephone No. 112 will ring up Dr. F. Verges' residence and office.

Bulk oysters 35 cents at the Palace Meat Market.

Plenty of Coal at Jackson.

The people of Jackson are excited, all because an expert who examined the Riley & McBride coal mine, reported

that the coal near Jackson was equal to any Iowa coal. Riley & McBride have steadfastly refused to let anyone down the shaft, but the experts gave them the slip and succeeded in getting down, where he found a vein of coal, three feet and eight inches thick and much harder than Iowa coal. He also measured the depth of the shaft and found it to be 73 feet. The expert tried to secure an option on the mine but Messrs. Riley and McBride remarked that their fortune was in the mine and money could not buy it.

A core drill will be put in and a sample of the coal taken up and sent to the officials at Lincoln for examination and if as required by law, they will secure the \$5,000 bounty which the state pays for such discoveries.

The mine of H. C. Goodfellow, which is a couple of miles from the shaft of Riley & McBride, is a softer coal and is farther under the surface. Mrs. Goodfellow says that they had a hundred chances to lease their farm, but refuse them all.

Pumps are kept at work keeping the shaft clear from water, and with the opening of spring no one need be surprised to see several hundred men at work in the mines, and also see the old town of Jackson, which for years past has been at a standstill, become a thriving mining burg.—South Sioux City Argus.

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Will This Be His Style?

Editorial paragraphs in course of preparation by Rev. Chas. M. Sheldon: Behold, it came to pass that Corbett and Jeffries did even meet in the ring yesterday.

And lo, Jeffries girded up his loins and encompassed Corbett round about, and smote him with great potency.

And Corbett lifted up his voice and cried: "Why slugstest thou me?"

And behold, Jeffries grew exceedingly wroth, and smote his antagonist on the hip and thigh, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of by the prophet:

"Yea the boiler maker shall give the pompadour some dizzy pokes."

And it came to pass that the centurian rang the bell, and the sluggers returned to their corners, and were refreshed with locusts and wild honey.

And behold, there was much uproar in the galleries, caused by the scribes, Pharisees and hypocrites, who had put up their shakels on Jeffries.

And it was even so.—Acheson Globe.

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