

TUESDAY TOPICS.

C. B. Burrows was a visitor to Omaha yesterday.

Frank Lenser was up from Madison over Sunday.

Danford Taylor of Battle Creek was a city visitor today.

H. E. and D. M. Owen, were Omaha visitors yesterday.

W. E. Spencer has gone to Grand Island on business.

Miss Cleland was a Sunday visitor in Norfolk from Pierce.

Wm. Parkinson was a Norfolk visitor from Madison today.

D. Shannon of Hoskins had business in Norfolk yesterday.

Miss Edna Britton of Wayne visited in Norfolk over Sunday.

Lloyd Cunningham of Wayne was a city visitor yesterday.

C. P. Michael returned this morning from a business trip to Pierce.

Dr. C. A. McKim had veterinary business in Meadow Grove today.

R. H. James and A. L. Howser were city visitors yesterday from Wayne.

E. G. Heilman and M. D. Tyler were passengers for Madison this morning.

F. W. Melcher was a visitor in the Sugar City yesterday from West Point.

W. H. Wigton, of the Des Moines insurance company, is in the city from Omaha.

Miss Kerhow went to Fremont Sunday to visit her parents, returning yesterday.

F. P. Williams, the insurance man, is home from Aurora and is confined to his home with sickness.

Bert Eberhart and Miss Jessie Townsend were married at West Point yesterday by Rev. F. W. Leavitt.

Dr. A. Bear went to Omaha on the 11 o'clock train to attend the meeting of the State Medical association.

C. W. LeMont has gone on an extended visit to relatives and friends and expects to go as far as Wisconsin before returning.

G. A. Luikart and C. D. Jenkins were Norfolk representatives at the dollar banquet of the Peter Cooper club at Omaha last night.

Dr. H. T. Holden expects his mother, Mrs. M. E. Holden and sister, Miss Holden, to arrive tonight from Omaha and make him a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Bullock who have been visiting at the home of their son, E. A. Bullock, returned today to their home in Harlan, Iowa.

Miss Nora Conway, one of the clerks in the Johnson Dry Goods company's store, has been very sick and her father was called down from Nebraska Sunday to see her.

W. E. Alexander came in from Utah today for the purpose of riding the goat at Damascus commandery tonight, and incidentally to visit his family.

Myron A. Miller of Kirksville, Mo., arrived last evening to accept the position of jeweler at the Hayes jewelry and music house. Mrs. Miller is located at Schuyler, where she practices osteopathy.

Chief of Police W. H. Widaman expects to leave tomorrow morning for Beatrice to attend the state G. A. R. encampment. M. H. Roberts will probably attend also.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Snyder left on the noon train for Piqua, Ohio, the home of Mrs. Snyder's parents. Mr. Snyder will visit two weeks while Mrs. Snyder will remain about three months.

Commissioner J. J. Hughes came down from Battle Creek yesterday and this morning, in company with Commissioner H. W. Winter, went over to Madison where they will hold a meeting of the board.

Madison Star: The band met at the armory Wednesday night for rehearsal, and from the quality of music produced at that time we venture the assertion that Madison will soon possess one of the best bands in the state.

The carpenters expect to complete their work on the new Catholic church today and the building will be ready for the dedicatory services Sunday with the exception of putting in the furniture and adding a few finishing touches.

Miss Edith Morrow left on the noon train for Fremont. From there she will go to Woodburn, Iowa to make a short visit to relatives and friends and will then return to Fremont and attend the summer normal school, returning home about September.

J. W. Edwards has nearly completed a very convenient and substantial barn at the rear of his blacksmith shop. He never learned the carpenter trade nor laid claim to much merit in that line, in fact this is the first building ever erected by him. He now thinks, however, that he is about qualified to join the union and work at the trade.

Battle Creek Republican: John Sanders of the firm of Sanders Bros., who bought the Battle Creek mill property, was in town over night Wednesday. He informed us that the machinery for the Battle Creek mill had been purchased of the Edward P. Allis Co., of Milwaukee, and that it would soon be upon the ground. Mr. Sanders made inquiries about carpenters and intimated that a force would be employed in the course of two or three weeks to work

upon the mill building. He expects to move with his family from Ewing to this place before the work is begun.

Dr. P. H. Salter went to Ewing last night to look after Guy Hall, a young man from Scribner who was found on the railroad track a short distance from the station in an unconscious condition. The young man is suffering from concussion of the brain, caused by a fall. He evidently remained all of Sunday night in the condition in which he was found.

The excursionists who passed through the city last evening on their way to Hot Springs were members of the A. O. U. W. instead of Odd Fellows as stated in this paper. They were on their way to attend grand lodge. Quite a number of people went to the depot to see them pass through, but the excursionists were pretty generally in bed and not much was to be seen of the party.

It has been suggested as possible that the floating body recovered from the Platte river near Louisville, might be that of Joe Younger, the tailor who recently disappeared from here. But the description does not accord very well with what Mr. Younger was when he was last seen here. The body found is described as that of a man about 50 years of age, five feet and six inches high, hair a little gray and a light moustache. The police at Omaha were inclined to believe it was the body of Henry J. Newman, a lady's tailor who recently disappeared from that city, but they could not identify it as Newman.

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WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Dr. F. A. Long was over from Madison yesterday.

H. G. Correll is in the city today from Plainview.

Ed Reynolds was a city visitor yesterday from Wayne.

Miss Bess Darnell of Creighton was a city visitor this morning.

E. D. Currin of Albion had business in the Sugar City yesterday.

John Schindler of Stanton was a Sugar City visitor yesterday.

Geo. T. Bennet of Harvard transacted business yesterday in Norfolk.

A. J. Durland returned yesterday from his trip to Knox county.

H. Halderson of Newman Grove was a visitor to Norfolk yesterday.

E. M. Huntington has gone on a business trip to Fort Dodge, Iowa.

John Quick returned yesterday from a trip to Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Aug. Piepenstock was a visitor in this metropolis yesterday from Wayne.

Miss Anna Reikofski of Battle Creek is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Stapenhorst.

Mrs. Jas. Gildea is confined to her home with quite a severe attack of sickness.

W. E. Alexander departs for the west tonight. He will remove his family to Cheyenne, Wyo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Young and Mrs. H. E. Mason were city visitors yesterday from Stanton.

John Zwight is in the city from Mankato, Minn., visiting old friends and acquaintances.

The new Catholic church is being wired for electric lights and the bells are being put in position in the belfry.

Representatives of the De Voe paint company are putting some large and attractive signs on a number of the business blocks.

Lonis Dudley has purchased of Mrs. McBride the house on Third street now occupied by A. Hitchcock and will take possession tomorrow.

Al Bigelow of this city, now staying with his brother in South Dakota, was among a number of Nebraska old soldiers recently granted pensions.

There were several persons hunting men today to perform labor but the demand is greater than the supply and a number of good jobs went begging.

Miss Minnie Verges has received word that her brother and sister started from Germany on the 5th and expects them to arrive here on Friday or Saturday.

The city is endeavoring to put in some new stone crosswalks but it is a hard matter to find men to do the work. Nearly everyone who wants employment has it at good wages.

The I. O. O. F. hall is now equipped with an electric light dimmer, a new attachment by which the power of the lights to which it is attached may be reduced as would be done by turning down a lamp. It is the only thing of the kind in Norfolk.

In the absence of Rev. Main of the M. E. church Rev. J. J. Parker will conduct services in that church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and there will be no morning services in the First Congregational church. The Congregational Sunday school will be held as usual at 12:15 in the Congregational church.

The congressional central committee of the populist and democratic parties met in the city this afternoon, the former at the Pacific hotel and the latter at the Oxnard. Two congressional conventions were called to meet in this city on Tuesday, June 26, at 2:30 p. m. The populists will meet at the opera house and the democrats at Marquardt's hall.

R. D. Scott, editor of the Battle Creek Enterprise, was in Norfolk yesterday for the first time in many weeks and was warmly congratulated by his friends on his recovery from his recent sickness. Mr. Scott is rather thin and weak but states that he feels better than he has for two years past. His friends hope that his strength and vigor may speedily return.

J. Gildea has singed eyebrows and moustache, but is thankful that his head still remains on his shoulders. The burned hair was the result of coal oil being poured on coals that were hot. The explosion that followed sent cooking utensils and stove lids flying. Mr. Gildea was quite fortunate in being some distance from the stove at the moment of the explosion.

The fifteenth annual meeting of the Nebraska Funeral Directors and Embalmers' association will be held in the city of Lincoln, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 12, 13 and 14, 1900. Meetings and school will be held in the Funke theatre, a very comfortable and commodious room and convenient to headquarters. Secretary P. F. Bell of this city is issuing and distributing circulars in regard to the meeting.

The Woman's club held its last meeting of the year with Mrs. C. H. Reynolds on Monday and chose the following officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. A. J. Durland was re-elected president, Mrs. J. C. Aid was also re-elected vice president. Mrs. W. G. Baker was another officer who will serve another year, she being re-elected corresponding

secretary. Mrs. C. H. Reynolds was elected recording secretary and Mrs. C. C. Gow, treasurer.

J. E. Simpson returned home last night. He met his son during the state convention at Lincoln and accompanied him to his home at Orleans. He took a trip across to Oxford and reports the country between Norfolk and that place as in a most flourishing condition. He saw some especially large and beautiful fields of alfalfa which will be ready to cut for their first crop within a few days. The towns in that part of the state are making substantial improvements and the farmers are prosperous and happy.

Bishop Williams of the Protestant Episcopal church conducted very impressive services at Trinity church last evening when a class of three, consisting of Miss Georgia Harvey Roy Luikart and Eugene Huse, was given the rite of confirmation. After the ceremony the bishop gave a very pleasing discourse, much of which was directed to the members of the class. The services were well attended, as was also the reception held for the bishop at the rectory afterwards. The reception was very informal, allowing parishioners and friends of the church to greet the bishop. Bishop Williams was a guest at the rectory during his stay and departed this noon.

Pierce Call: A