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EIGHT MEN ENGAGE IN THE ROW.

Grafters Tantalize a Young Foreigner Until the Passengers Could Stand it no Longer—Chief Widaman has a Place for Them if They Appear Here Again.

From Wednesday's Daily.

The following account of a fight which took place on one of the trains, running out from Norfolk, was taken from the Sioux City Tribune of last evening.

Chief of Police Widaman says he has had knowledge of this class of fellows being around here and has been watching their actions, seeking for an excuse to arrest them. It is expected that they will appear here tomorrow and endeavor to get in their work on the people who will attend the circus, in which case they will certainly be arrested. Chief Widaman and his assistants are preparing to meet all emergencies and take care of all grafters and gamblers that may try to ply their vocation tomorrow and that there will be a number of them there is not much doubt.

Following is the story as taken from the Tribune:

"John T. Cogan, A. F. Pay and W. J. Crisp of Sioux Falls, spent last night at the Garretson. They arrived from Deadwood in the afternoon, where they had assisted in the installation of a big lodge of Elks. They report a mammoth time.

"On the way to Sioux City yesterday, after leaving Norfolk, there occurred a free-for-all fight, in which some eight men engaged and the other passengers made a hasty escape into other cars fearing some 'gun plays.' Mr. Cogan says the Sioux Falls men were in the smoking car playing whist, when at Norfolk five 'grafters' got on who were going to a big picnic at Dixon, Neb., today. On the car was a young Italian boy with a couple of valises, and the tough quintet, for some reason, began picking on him. They pretended that they were going to throw him out of the window and did push him half way out. They went through his pockets and valises and tormented the lad until he began to cry. The brakeman, who was in the car, laughed at the proceedings, while the other passengers got angry at the big burlesque because of their bullying ways. Finally the uproar became so loud and the boy so troubled that Mr. Pay went to the brakeman and threatened to report him if he did not compel the 'grafters' to behave themselves. One of the 'tin horns' overheard the remark and threatened to whip Mr. Pay. At this juncture a stalwart German, who had been about on the verge of interfering on behalf of the boy, said something in the lad's defense. Here the grafter threatened to slap the German's mouth if he didn't 'shut up' and finally did so. He had scarcely delivered his slap, however, until he was tangled up with the seats and then sprawling in the aisle of the car. The German had hit him a terrific blow. The other crooks came to the aid of their companion, and several men, who were with the German, mixed in the melee. It was a hot fight which followed and the other passengers, fearing some shooting, ran into other cars. Conductor Gary came in, having been hunted up by one of the outraged passengers, and endeavored to get the men quieted down. This was finally accomplished, but no effort was made to have the disturbers punished. The South Dakota law empowers a railway conductor to make arrests in cases of this kind and the South Dakotans asked the conductor of the train if he could not arrest the men. He seemed to think it was too much of an undertaking.

"The grafters got off before the train reached Emerson. Here a detective of the Omaha railroad interviewed the young Italian boy, who cried and affirmed that the men had taken \$25 of his money. The detective telegraphed back to have the men arrested."

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.
 S. C. Fairchild of Oakdale was in the city yesterday.

D. M. Dauphin of Tilden was a city visitor yesterday.

C. S. Hayes made a business visit to Stanton today.

C. B. Durland had business in Meadow Grove yesterday.

Nelson Barber returned today to his home in Fullerton.

Superintendent D. C. O'Connor made a trip to Central City today.

Ed Brasch came down from Tilden yesterday and visited with his parents.

Arthur Ahlman returned today from Dixon where he won first prize in a bicycle race.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mills of Burlington, Wis., are visiting at the home of Herman Gerecke.

County Attorney M. D. Tyler returned last evening from his visit to his old home in Indiana.

Workmen are engaged today in erecting the hitching posts on Fifth street recently provided for by the city.

Miss Luella Remy returned yesterday from a visit to her home in Answorth and the Long Pine chautauqua.

Olive Dorpham of Newman Grove

took carbolic acid in place of medicine. The prompt action of the physicians saved her life.

Mrs. Geo. Spear and daughter, Miss Grace, returned last evening from Columbus, where they have been visiting friends for several weeks.

About 25 friends of Mrs. C. E. Inman surprised her last evening at her home southeast of the city, the occasion being her 37th birthday. The time was pleasantly employed with cards, social conversation and refreshments.

Omaha Trade Exhibit: Freight trains are crossing the bridge at Omaha toward the east on an average of one every six minutes these days and in spite of that fact the grain in Nebraska can scarcely be moved for lack of motive power.

The Salvation Army folks are preparing to serve ice cream tomorrow afternoon, the proceeds to be used toward paying their indebtedness. Ensign Olsen will give a graphophone concert Friday evening an admission of ten cents being charged. This will also be used to pay indebtedness.

The two-years-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kling, who has been sick for some time, died this morning at the home of the parents on North Ninth street and the funeral will be held tomorrow from St. Mary's Catholic church, Rev. Father Walsh presiding. The little one was the pet of the family and the sorrow of the parents is deep.

Mr. Albert Stevens Brass died on Sunday the 15th at Beemer after much pain and suffering, age 58. He was one of the first settlers of Logan township, Canning county, coming there after his discharge from the U. S. navy, where he served two years on the rain Avenger. He leaves a large family of children. The burial service was on Tuesday and interment in Dewitt cemetery.

A merry-go-round has pitched its tent on the vacant lot south of The NEWS office and will endeavor to reap in a few of the coins drawn here by the circus tomorrow. If it has a squeaky hand-organ and a screaming engine and this paper is not issued tomorrow and the enterprises in the neighborhood suddenly suspend business the reason need not be wondered at.

Word was received here last night from Oakland, where Mrs. Salter is visiting, announcing the serious injury of Marion, the little five-years-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Salter. Mr. Salter and his brother, Dr. Frank, went to that place this morning, taking the train to West Point and from there being driven across. They telephoned up that the little girl was in a buggy, the folks preparing to go out for a drive, when the horses started and threw her out, the hind wheels of the vehicle passing over the child's abdomen. It had not been ascertained at the time the message was sent just how serious the little one's injuries were.

Sioux City Journal: Hanging to a nail in front of a Fourth street merchant's fruit store was a green object which appeared to be a live snake. Nearly all who passed the place of business would strain their necks and "rubber" at it. A closer scrutiny disclosed the fact that it was a peculiarly formed cucumber. The counterfeit head is about 2 inches in thickness, and it gradually tapers to the tail, a distance of 3 1/2 feet. There are white and green stripes the entire length of the cucumber, which add to the delusion. Men who have raised cucumbers all their lives say they never before saw such a peculiarly formed specimen. It was brought in with a lot raised in Nebraska, near Walker's island.

Road Notice to Land Owners.
 To all whom it may concern:
 The commissioner appointed to view and locate a road commencing at the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 35 in township 24 north, range 1 west of the 6th principal meridian in Madison county, Nebraska, running thence east on section line between sections 26 and 35, and 25 and 36 a distance of one mile and 66 rods, and terminating at the intersection of said section line with the public highway running from the city of Norfolk to the town of Stanton has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 7th day of October A. D. 1899, or said road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Madison, Nebraska, this 7th day of August, 1899.
E. G. HEILMAN,
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SITE IS SELECTED.

No Further Question About the Location of Norfolk's Public Building—Baptist Church Lots Chosen.

From Wednesday's Daily.

The Norfolk public building site is settled. Special Agent McDowell made his report to Assistant Secretary Taylor at Washington yesterday afternoon and the latter gentleman has decided to purchase in accord with his recommendation. The site is the one at present occupied by the Baptist church.

While there were many opinions as to the proper location, it is probable that this site has had more enthusiastic supporters than any of the others and it is believed that the majority of the people of Norfolk will heartily second the choice of Mr. McDowell. The site is very conveniently located in reference to the business interests of the city and is well located in regard to residence population. The site could hardly have been chosen on Norfolk avenue without helping some business properties to the detriment of others, which will not so much be the case now. It is probable that this decision will make Fourth a business street, a result which many have anticipated and one to be desired, as business interests will be more compactly located. In time Madison avenue may also become a business street.

The following is the report of the Sioux City Journal's Washington correspondent in regard to the deal:

"Assistant Secretary Taylor, of the treasury department, today announced he had decided to purchase the Isaac Power property at Norfolk, Neb., as the site for the new public building at that place. Mr. Taylor returned to Washington today and the report of Special Agent McDowell was presented to him this afternoon. At the same time Messrs. Bucholz, representing the Brown site on Norfolk avenue, and Hays, representing the owners of the site selected, had a conference with the secretary and Mr. McDowell, after which the secretary announced his decision. The property selected is at Madison avenue and Fourth street and will cost the government \$4,775."

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1st. The name of the corporation shall be The Pacific Hotel company of Norfolk, Nebraska.

2nd. The principal place of transacting its business shall be in the city of Norfolk, county of Madison, state of Nebraska.

3rd. The nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be the leasing, purchasing, operating, selling and renting of hotels and hotel properties in the city of Norfolk and elsewhere, and transacting such other business as naturally belongs to the owning and operating of hotels.

4th. The authorized capital stock of said corporation shall be twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), in shares of ten dollars (\$10.00) each, to be subscribed and paid as directed by the board of directors.

5th. This corporation shall commence doing business on the 8th day of August, 1899, and terminate on the 8th day of August, 1919.

6th. The highest amount of indebtedness to which said corporation shall at any time subject itself shall not be more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

7th. The officers of said corporation shall be a president, secretary and treasurer, who shall be chosen by the board of directors and shall hold their offices for one year.

8th. The business of the corporation shall be conducted by a board of directors, not to exceed three in number, to be elected by the stockholders, such election to take place at such time and to be conducted in such manner as shall be prescribed by the by-laws of said corporation.

9th. The first board of directors shall consist of the following persons: E. A. Bullock, H. H. Patterson and Bert Mapes.

10th. The manner of holding the meetings of the stockholders, election of officers and method of conducting the business shall be as prescribed in the by-laws to be adopted by the board of directors.

In witness whereof the undersigned have hereunto set their hands this 7th day of August, A. D. 1899.

H. H. PATTERSON,
 E. A. BULLOCK,
 DANIEL J. KOENIGSTEIN,
 E. H. TRACY,
 BERT MAPES.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss.
 County of Madison.

On this 7th day of August, 1899, before me, W. H. Bucholz, a notary public in and for said county, personally appeared the above named E. A. Bullock, H. H. Patterson, Daniel J. Koenigstein, E. H. Tracy and Bert Mapes, who are personally known to me to be the identical persons whose names are affixed to the above articles as members thereof and they severally acknowledged said instrument to be their voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand this 7th day of August, A. D. 1899.
W. H. BUCHOLZ,
 Notary Public.

[SEAL]
 My commission expires February 8, 1904.

Results of an Examination.

County Superintendent C. W. Crum has recently classified the results of an examination of Eighth grade pupils held by him in May for the purpose of ascertaining who were entitled to the benefits of the new high school attendance law, passed by the legislature. This examination is an indication of how city pupils compare with those of country schools. There were examined 104 pupils. Of these 39 were from country schools, 38 from Norfolk, 23 from Madison and four from Newman Grove. The following were the general averages of each class of pupils: Norfolk 71, Madison 69, Newman Grove 63 and country pupils 61. They were examined in spelling, writing, arithmetic, geography, grammar, physiology and history.

The general average shows that while one class of pupils excel in a certain study, another class is first in other studies. It was not necessary to examine city pupils under the new law, but it was done to establish a standard for country pupils.

The highest grade in spelling was made by Jessie Wells of district 54, near Emeric. In arithmetic by Maud Whitehorn of district 27, near Tilden. In geography by Chas. Warwick of district 18, near Meadow Grove. In grammar and history by Ross Cain of Newman Grove schools. In physiology a tie by Clara Dierks and Carrie Farrage, both of Madison schools. Forty-five pupils make an average grade of over 70 per cent. Of these 12 are Madison pupils, 20 Norfolk, one Newman Grove and 12 country. Fifty per cent of the town school pupils and 33 per cent of the country pupils examined made a grade of 70 or better.

The highest average grade was made by Ross Cain of Newman Grove. He was a country pupil in district 18 until about a year before the examination. The next highest grade was a tie between Maud Russell of Norfolk and Bertha Meneely of district 45, near Newman Grove.

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Mr. H. E. Thompson, of Milledgeville, Ga., writes: "A bad case of Scrofula broke out on the glands of my neck, which had to be lanced and caused me much suffering. I was treated for a long while, but the physicians were unable to cure me, and my condition was as bad as when I began their treatment. Many blood remedies were used, but without effect. Some one recommended S. S. S., and I began to improve as soon as I had taken a few bottles. Continuing the remedy, I was soon cured permanently, and have never had a sign of the disease to return." Swift's Specific—

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