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## THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Readable Paragraphs of Local Interest by the "Man About Town."

### SECRETS WEISPERED TO US

General Items of Interest Published While News Is Still News.

O'Neill will not celebrate.

O'Neill should have a ball team.

It rains here about the right time.

J. A. Hudson, of Lincoln, is in the city.

County board met Tuesday to equalize things.

Cottage for rent. Enquire of W. D. Mathews.

Charlie Odell arrived in the city Monday evening.

Doc Richmond, of Atkinson, was in the city Tuesday.

Wanted, a fresh milch cow young and gentle. Inquire at this office.

Castor, Machine oil for sale. 48-2m O'NEILL GROCERY CO.

Howard Miller was in O'Neill Friday on his way home from the convention.

A. W. Dodge, of Ray, was in the city last week and made this office a pleasant call.

Children's day was appropriately observed by the Presbyterian society in this city.

The Kensington party was entertained last Friday evening by Mrs. Ed. F. Gallagher.

C. Selah and wife went down to Omaha yesterday morning for a few days visit.

There is some talk of organizing a ball team in O'Neill to play at Spencer on the Fourth.

W. E. Scott, one of Atkinson's most promising young attorneys, was on our streets Monday.

Speaking of fine yards reminds us that there are none in the city more beautiful than Wm. Laviollette's.

Albert Blinco, formerly of the F. E. depot force, is now employed by Agent Firebaugh of the Short Line.

Three Italian musicians were in the city Tuesday evening discoursing sweet strains at a rake off per strain.

W. B. Lower, representing the World-Herald, was in the city Monday, and made this office a pleasant call.

Only a few days more to get cabinet photos at Austin's gallery for \$3 per doz. Now is the time to save a dollar.

The court house will present a neat appearance when the painters and paper hangers have completed their work.

Jesse Mellor left this morning for his old home in Ohio where he will visit the old folks for a month or six weeks.

Wanted, a boy to strip tobacco and learn the cigar maker's trade.

O'NEILL CIGAR FACTORY.

Mrs. S. C. Sample and daughter Alice, left O'Neill Tuesday evening for Butte, where they will make their future home.

The finny tribe is suffering this year. Fish never were so plentiful before and they are being captured in large numbers.

John Freed, a prosperous farmer living near Atkinson, was in the city Monday and called for a few moments at this office.

A. J. Spindler, one of the most prosperous farmers of this county, residing at Turner, was in the city Tuesday and called at this office.

Come to the grand dinner, from 12 m. to 2 p. m. on the 17th inst., at the Gibbons building. Ice cream and strawberries in the evening.

Rev. J. W. Bates will hold Episcopal services in the Masonic hall over McCafferty's on next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

We keep a nice line of fancy crackers and cakes, such as snowflake wafers, oat meal wafers, "Bents" water crackers jumbles etc.

O'NEILL GROCERY CO.

This section was blessed with a soaking rain last night. While the country was not suffering particularly the rain was needed, and is worth lots of money.

Ho! everyone that hungers. Get your dinner at the Gibbons building two doors south of the postoffice, Friday, June 17. Ice cream and strawberries in the evening.

Agent Firebaugh and Kid King had the good fortune to spend Sunday on Mr. Hershiser's farm, fishing with the boys. A more hospitable family never cast their lines on these prairies.

John Murphy this week sold his residence property to Thos. Kearns, of Park City, Utah; consideration \$1,500.

Fred Fox was over from Creighton last week, and spent a few days in this city. Fred has numerous friends here who are always glad to see him.

Scottville has arranged a large and entertaining program for the Fourth. They will spread the eagle in McWhorter's grove.

Graphic: Lessinger's chunk of alliance harmony that he is nursing in O'Neill seems to act like a fly blister plaster on the bowels of the Sun and Tribune.

THE FRONTIER is this week publishing in pamphlet form plans and specifications for O'Neill's system of water works. It is to be a first class system and completed by October 10.

Thomas Kearns, of Park City, Utah, has purchased the school section northwest of O'Neill, and will build large sheds, fences, etc., and invest a considerable sum of money in sheep.

Democrat: The grand alliance rally took place to-day as advertised and was a grand success in all but enthusiasm and attendance. A half dozen men, two boys and George Butler composed the audience.

Mrs. R. A. Folsom was in the city yesterday doing missionary work for "Tabetha Home," of Lincoln, a resort for orphans and deaconesses. We should judge from her recommendations that she is entitled to the confidence of the public.

Messrs. Bean, Bowden and Irish, of Iowa, old-time acquaintances of our fellow townsman, Geo. W. Jones, arrived in the city Tuesday on their way to Turtle Creek. They are looking up a location for a sheep ranch.

Mrs. Noonan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Sullivan, and Mrs. J. O'Neill, daughter of Mr. Hanley, living northeast of this city, arrived here Saturday from Butte City, Montana, and will visit for a few months with their parents.

We embrace this opportunity to warn brother publishers to beware of an institution known as Arkel Advertising Agency, doing business at 358 Dearborn street, Chicago. They are no good, and cash should be required to accompany their orders.

The contract for digging the mill race has been let to Jack Meals, who now has a force of men on the grounds and says he will have it completed in thirty days. The race will be a trifle over two miles long, and on an average two and one-half feet deep.

John McHugh, John Weeks and W. D. Mathews will attend the Chicago convention. That is they will be in Chicago and will probably get near enough the wigwag to see its roof. We will meet his sister who comes from Canada. John will probably meet some one else's sister, and Doc will keep tabs.

The manufacturers' exhibition now being held at the Coliseum in Omaha is proof positive that Nebraska is not merely an agricultural state. No Nebraskan can spend an hour or two examining the exhibits and witness the process of manufacture without being proud of the state.

Graphic: THE FRONTIER is now besieged by the allied forces of opposition newspapers. "Cannon to right of it, cannon to left of it, cannon in front of it," belches and thunders, firmly it stands and well, smiling at the shot and shell, vomited from the mouth of hell, charged with alliance blunders.

John Murphy, who has been in Park City, Utah, the past six months returned home Sunday morning, to make arrangements for removing his family there, which he expects to do about the first of July. He was accompanied by Thomas Kearns who will visit his parents, northeast of this city, for a few weeks.

I. R. Smith, Ed. Mills, G. W. Triggs, J. P. Mann, Doc Wells, John Winn, Charlie Metz, Billie Gallagher and Pat Gibbons were in the party that left O'Neill last Friday evening for Spencer to be on hand at the ball game, horse race and take in the dance at the Northwestern Saturday night. They report a very enjoyable time.

W. D. Mathews left O'Neill last Friday morning for Fremont and this office has heard nothing from him up to date. It is thought he has located a senatorial boom in Omaha and will capture it before his return, to fill a long felt want up in this country.

P. S.—Doc returned last night, says he has the boom all right and is loaded for bear. We are inclined to the opinion that if his blunderbuss is charged that way he will have a Golden opportunity to get it off next fall.

Fourth of July sale of ladies' fine Oxford Ties at L. J. Dwyer's. 48-2

Loup City North Western: The Baby Brass Band gave two excellent entertainments in the opera house, Monday evening, June 20. The little folks are grand. Every character was represented in a most becoming manner. The band consists of father, mother and four small children. The last evening entertainment was played to a crowded house and from start to finish was greeted with rounds of applause.

THE FRONTIER is indeed sorry to be called upon to chronicle the death of C. H. Young of Dorsey, which occurred Sunday. Mr. Young had been a resident of this county for about seven years, at the time of his death being employed in the flouring mill of Menzie & Parker at Dorsey. Deceased was 25 years of age. The funeral occurred Tuesday in O'Neill. THE FRONTIER extends its sympathy to the family of the deceased.

Johnnie Weeks expects to attend the greatest show on earth at Chicago next week. He will return as far as Omaha on the 3d, where he will be met by Jack Hazelet. They expect to shoot fire-crackers and drink red soda water at that place on the Fourth. If there were any pretty girls in Omaha we would feel called upon to admonish them to keep in the shadow of their paternal roof as we are not prepared to guarantee that the boys would not steal them.

Amelia Journal: C. W. Moss of Sunnyside came tearing into our sanctum this morning June 4th at 2:40 gal.—It's very happy yez look this mornin', Mr. Moss, An' why be the cause av it? Says I. "It's a bye; and the neighbors do be tellin' me the child is the very image of his father." Says he.—Well, says I, Oi wouldn't be atther moinden' a little thing loik that. What's the harum in his resemblin' ay yez if the child's only healthy? Says he, "I want a pair of No. 11 boots." But we failed to learn whether Mr. Moss wanted the boots for himself or the boy.

Democrat: Last Sunday Tommy Gaffeny, son of B. Gaffeny of this place, met with a very painful accident. He in company with his brother Burt and two or three other boys were hunting in the vicinity of Emmet. Burt was handling the "Zulu" and in some manner the gun was discharged, five of the heavy shot lodging in Tom's legs. As he was only about twenty feet from the gun the shot were buried to such a depth that they have not yet been extracted, and one that lodged in the ankle causing considerable pain. The boy was brought home on the delayed passenger train Sunday night.

Dastardly outrage! Introducing the ways and customs of Ireland in free America! Evicting a lone Irish widow tenant! Worse than that! Bodily throwing her from her own building, ignoring her vehement protests, even though backed by the tomahawk! The Lord Mayor orders his paid minions to fire the widow and remove the building! Her body unceremoniously placed behind the bars! A daylight exhibition of legal power! The valiant marshal and ex-sheriff do the bidding of their royal master, the city's mayor! The populace dare not say a word in defense! Widow Collins and her shanty no longer grace the Fahy corner! 'Tis well! Selah!

How customary it is for newspaper correspondents to heap maledictions upon the heads of compositors, editor and proof-reader when they discover a slight error in their communications. They allude to them as chumps, block-heads, ignoramuses and what-not? They should always be thankful that matters are not worse. They should consider that perhaps their copy was so badly written, sentences intermingled and ideas so jumbled that the famous Philadelphia lawyer would throw up the sponge in disgust. It is safe to say that if it were not for the compositor and proof-reader nine-tenths of their articles would be preserved as relics of bad-english and plebeian illiteracy.

Attorney A. R. Anstine has come back from O'Neill with a physical black eye and a legal red feather. The black eye was given him by a bank cashier whom he catichised severely on the stand for a few hours. The red feather he won by getting free his client, who was accused of embezzling from the bank.—Omaha World-Herald.

The bewhiskered so-called attorney not only got a beautiful black eye and sore mug generally, but did not get a legal red feather. That was black also, as his partner, Fuller, was bound over to trial by the district court. This man Anstine is a light weight all 'round, and thought he could insult Sam Sample when on the witness stand. Sam is a well known gentleman in all the name implies, and has more friends in his old home in Omaha than Anstine has acquaintances, and his physical resentment after court adjourned was right and proper, and an object lesson to Anstine that ought to do him good, if he has brains enough to appreciate it.

### Another Pioneer Gone.

"In the midst of life we are in death." One by one the old settlers are passing away, and it is the best ones lately that death has selected for its victims. The latest is that good old man, that courteous, honorable and obliging gentleman, known by all, loved by the people, and one who will be sadly missed—Thomas Donohoe, "Uncle Tom" as he was familiarly called by his intimate friends and those who had known long.

Mr. Donohoe was born at Longford, Ireland, Aug. 15, 1822, where he resided until 1846 when he came to America, at a time when his native country was suffering with famine and devastation, and when this country was enjoying an era of prosperity. Mr. Donohoe soon became an American. He soon removed to Pennsylvania, where he resided until he removed to O'Neill in 1877, being among the first of the Gen. O'Neill colonists. With his family he settled on the raw prairie seven miles north of town and has made of it one of the finest farms in the county. He has always been a progressive and enterprising citizen, and all unite in saying "peace to his ashes."

Mr. Donohoe has been sick about three months, and his death on Wednesday night at 10:45 o'clock while not unexpected was a severe blow to his family. The funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Catholic church. THE FRONTIER joins the many friends of the family in extending to them its sympathy in their sorrow.

The following from the pen of Walt Mason is true to life and is splendid reading for young men, whatever their avocation, and it might be well to paste it in your hat where it could be readily referred to: "When Rufus Smileworthy commenced to work for the Echo City Daily Blazer he gave promise of being a valuable man. He was young and his style of writing was rather crude, and at times he was liable to slip over, but he was a youth who had good and original ideas and the editor recognized in him the possessor of brains. In order that Rufus might improve and outgrow his faults of composition, the editor went through his copy with great care, weeding out the redundancy, tautology and grammatical lapses, so that when the articles appeared in print they were really good and attracted attention. For a time Rufus was grateful to the editor for thus pruning and trimming his effusions, but after a while his head swelled and he became impressed with the idea that the editor was jealous of him and deliberately tried to spoil his best things. 'The editor knows that I can write all around him,' he would say to his friends, 'and he is just mean enough to murder everything I compose.' As time went on and the name of Rufus acquired some local renown the swelling increased, and he fancied that he was known from the pine-clad hills of Maine to the sorrowful and somnolent Pacific, and so he let his hair grow long and tried to look dreamy, and cultivated certain eccentricities which made him a nuisance to all who knew him. He also became lazy and allowed the patient, mild eyed editor to do most of the work while he loafed and admired himself. Rufus was thoroughly convinced that the Blazer would sink into eternal night without him, so he was astonished when one day the editor told him that his services were not required any more. He knew that the editor was committing suicide, but it was not for him to protest. Was he not known and admired wherever the English language is spoken? Had not his picture been printed in the Clammyville Herald? He would attach himself to some large paper and give the world a backward twist. But to his infinite surprise, when he went to the nearest large city, and hunted up the various managing editors of the papers, and announced that he was Rufus Smileworthy, they were no more surprised than had he said his name was Jones, or Smith, or Robinson. And when he explained what a great man and marvellous writer he was the cruel managing editors told him to tackle the Congressional Record; they had no opening for him. And the star of Rufus Smileworthy went down in darkness. The Echo City Blazer still lives and makes money, but Rufus rides wearily to and fro through the vast and dusty land in freight cars, vainly seeking somebody who will recognize his surpassing ability and give him a meal ticket. There are a good many Rufus Smileworthys working on the Echo City Blazers of this western country who should soak their heads in ice water and reduce the swelling before it is everlastingly too late, or they too will soon be riding in freight cars in company with Hunger."

A deep cut in the prices of ladies' Oxford Ties until July 4, at Dwyer's Boot and Shoe Store. 49-2

### WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

The Commercial association of Oporto has decided to furnish money for an exhibit from Portugal at the World's Fair. About twenty-five wine merchants have made arrangements to send exhibits.

The food fish of Wisconsin, which is one of the best fishing grounds in the Union, are to be shown in a fine exhibit at the World's Fair. The state commissioners have appropriated \$3,000 to defray the expense of preparation of the exhibit.

A cablegram from London says that the original portrait of Pocahontas, painted in 1613, has been secured for exhibition at the World's Fair. The portrait is owned by Eustace Neville Rolfe, of Leacham Hall, Norfolk, who is a descendant of John Rolfe, whom Pocahontas married.

Chief Samuels of the Horticultural department has already received donations of plants and flowers for the Exposition valued at more than \$50,000. All preparations for the care of tender plants has been made, and large consignments are expected soon from tropical countries.

The World's Fair authorities have decided to bear the expense of transportation of such works of American artists abroad as may be offered for exhibition at the Exposition, and are accepted as exhibits. This action was taken with a view of securing as complete and representative collection as possible from American artists.

Yacht clubs and yacht owners, both on the lakes and sea coast, are to be invited to be represented at Chicago by their boats during the World's Fair. The invitations are to be official, and will be accompanied by detailed information concerning the depth of water in the various canals, the size of locks, etc. It is believed that several hundred yachts will accept this invitation.

George Wilson, secretary of the World's Fair bureau of music, has returned from a two months tour of Europe in the interests of the bureau. He visited leading musicians at London, Paris, Munich, Milan, Genoa, Rome, Vienna, Prague, Dresden, Brussels and a number of other places. Mr. Wilson received assurances from musicians in all these places of cordial co-operation at the Fair.

The Wisconsin World's Fair board has decided to exhibit at the exposition two statues typifying the culture, energy and progress of the women of the state. It was the intention at first to have only one statue, but two designs were submitted which are not only of superior excellence but of merit so nearly equal that no decision between them could well be made. It was, therefore, decided to make use of both. The designers are respectively Miss Miner of Madison and Miss Mears of Oshkosh.

Thirty-five of the forty-nine states and territories in the Union have accepted the building sites assigned them on the exposition grounds, and have submitted to the construction bureau for approval the plans of the buildings they propose to erect. Nearly all the others, it is known, are about ready to take like action. Every state and territory, with perhaps three exceptions, will erect a building. Quite a number of these buildings will be reproductions of historic structures such as Independence Hall, Washington's Mt. Vernon home, old Fort Marion, etc. They will occupy the northern portion of the exposition grounds and will be surrounded by walks, lawns, shrubbery and flowers. They will be used as headquarters for state boards and visitors and as receptacles for exhibits showing state resources, etc.

Pope Leo XIII has shown the deep interest he feels in the World's Fair and in America by deciding to exhibit at the Fair some of the rare treasures of art, literature and history which the Vatican contains. Archbishop Ireland, now in Rome, has cabled this information and asked for space for the exhibit. The Vatican contains a collection of art and other treasures which cannot be duplicated and which are priceless in value. The exhibit will, no doubt, contain many of the most interesting of these treasures and will attract, perhaps, more attention than will any other one display at the Exposition. This action by the Pope will certainly tend to increase greatly the interest taken in the Fair by all Catholic countries, and thus render it a greater and more successful Exposition and one in which the world will take pride. To Hon. Thomas B. Bryan and Mrs. Potter Palmer, as well as to Archbishop Ireland, is due much credit for using their influence to effect the result mentioned.

Exhibits from the Pacific coast states for the World's Fair will be charged only half regular freight rates each way. The Transcontinental Association made a decision recently to that effect. Full tariff on the forward journey and free return are the best terms thus far offered by the other great traffic associations. California's exhibits will be fruits largely and will not be returned, hence, it was deemed reasonable that a reduction should be made on the forward journey.

The London Polytechnic has already booked more than 800 for the World's Fair tour which it has undertaken to manage for English artisans, and the number is being increased daily. These excursionists will visit the Exposition and incidentally see the sights of New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago and Niagara Falls, on a total expense, including transportation both ways, of about \$125. They will be comfortably lodged, while in Chicago, in D. L. Moody's bible institute, and in barracks on a block of ground belonging to Marshall Field, the use of which accommodations has been donated by the gentlemen named.

Fred Alm has removed his shoe shop to R. J. Dwyer's, shoe store, where he can be found at all times prepared to do all kind of repairing at reasonable rates. 48-2

J. M. Meredith is in Omaha this week on business.

Eat, drink and be merry, at the Gibbons building, Friday noon and evening.

J. C. Harnish is representing Garfield Lodge F. and A. M. at the grand Lodge in Omaha this week.

M. M. Sullivan leaves Monday morning for Chicago, where he expects to witness the nomination of Grover Cleveland—so he says.

G. W. Meals went to Omaha yesterday morning, and took with him his father, W. S. Meals, who resides near Atkinson, to have a cancer removed from his face. We trust that the operation will be successful and that Mr. Meals will soon return home in good health.

Clinton Lowrie, who has been attending school at Bellevue for the past year, returned to this city last Thursday night visit with his parents and friends during vacation. Clinton assisted in the graduating exercises at the college and the Omaha Bee speaks of him thusly: "C. W. Lowrie sang DeKoven's bass solo, 'The Armour,' in a rich though not particularly strong voice, and received a hearty round of applause which seemed to indicate that the handsome young singer and his performance were appreciated by the audience."

### \$50—Fifty Dollars Reward—\$50

I have deposited the above amount with Mayor O. F. Biglin with instructions to pay the same to any person who may find and deliver to him my gold watch and chain, recently lost, within the next thirty days. D. A. DOYLE.

I will pay the above amount upon the delivery of the watch and chain. No questions asked. O. F. BIGLIN. 49-2

### Independents Lost Cause.

Lower prices at D. L. Pond & Co. did it.

50 lb warranted flour	81 00
20 lbs ex C sugar	1 00
5 lbs coffee	1 00
17 lbs diamond rice	1 00
26 lbs rolled oat meal	1 00
18 lbs blackberries	1 00
13 lbs Cal. peaches	1 00
14 lbs val raisins	1 00
25 bars York soap	1 00
22 boxes axle grease	1 00
3-hoop pail	15 49-4

### Notice.

For the annual school district meeting. The annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 7, of Holt county, Nebraska, will be held at school house in the city of O'Neill, on Monday the 27th day of June, 1892, at two o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing two trustees for said district, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it. O. F. BIGLIN, Director.

Reynolds' Bros. ladies' fine shoes for sale by R. J. Dwyer. 48-3

Examine the fine line of Oxford Ties at R. J. Dwyer's. Cut prices until July 4.

We have just received a fine line of Fourth of July goods, consisting of all of the latest kind on the market. Call and see our fine line of fireworks, flags, etc., before purchasing. 48-3

48-3 Thompson & Son.

Call at Pfand & Wagner's and see their fine fresh stock of dry goods, and be sure and get prices before buying elsewhere. They have not the largest stock in town, but have a good assortment of goods at living prices. 48-3

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is the standard. Its many cures have won it praises from Maine to California. Every family and every traveler should be provided with it at all times. No other remedy can take its place or do its work. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Anyone wanting something in the monument and tombstone line will do well to call on me and save agents commission. I have made arrangements to have all my work done at a first class wholesale house in the east, therefore can guarantee first class work and I am willing to compete with any firm for prices and good work. Hoping to receive your patronage when in need of a mark for a dear one's grave. I remain yours truly, D. STANNARD. 48-2

Stock Cattle! We have on hand and are prepared to furnish stock cattle of all ages and in numbers to suit purchasers. Time given on approved security. Call at section 13, township 28, range 13, or address, FRANK ANDERSON CO., O'Neill, Neb. 39-1f

We will pay Sioux City prices for 150 head of thin, dry cows. FRANK ANDERSON & Co. O'Neill, Neb. 44-1f

Democratic National Convention at Chicago Illinois

One fare for the round trip tickets on sale June 17 to 20, inclusive. Limited to return July 6th. W. J. DOBBS, agt.