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## NEWS ITEMIZED

News of O'Neill as Caught by the "Kids."

## INTERESTING NOTES

General Interest Published While News Is Still News.

of Bennett, Neb., is in the week.

Golden had business in Stuart evening.

molly, of Omaha, is visiting in this city.

Seett went down to Omaha morning.

House, of Blackbird, was a caller Tuesday.

ing is on the turf again this week to the skill of Dr. Gilligan.

alt by 100 pounds or ton.

O'NEILL GROCERY CO.

ven left last week for Lincoln goes to enter the Nebraska

mpson has sold his standard-

Thrift, to parties in Still-

rich.

Humphrey, an Omaha real

aler, had business in this city

ay.

DeYarman last week sold his

onian stallion, Coramont, to

ties.

will be Easter services at the

church at 11 A. M. All are cor-

erited.

Helie Westfall, of Strawberry

is, is visiting friends and rela-

and near O'Neill.

Riggs went down to Omaha the

week. Tom Campbell acted

aster in his absence.

Snyder returned last Saturday

from Omaha and other eastern

here he had been on business.

Weeks, O'Neill's rustling real

dealer, is now comfortably lo-

an office over the Holt County

as Birmingham was in Omaha

attending the State Lumber

meeting. He returned Friday

Weeks Lamoureux, who has been

the past week the guest of

anche Dale, returned to her

Boyd county Tuesday.

crackers, cakes, soda biscuits,

lemons and bananas always on

37-2 O'NEILL GROCERY CO.

riollette was dealing out cigars,

thing else one might desire, last

the strength of a new boy

wed at his home last Thursday.

plete line of garden seeds in

no blue grass seed. All new and

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al meetings are being held at

church every night. Evange-

D. W. Forbes, of the Citizens State Bank, of Butte, and W. T. Wills, an attorney of the same city, were in O'Neill Tuesday and favored this office with a pleasant call.

Fred Herre, who will be remembered by many of our old citizens as an old O'Neill boy, was visiting friends in this city yesterday. Fred is now located at Hooper and is doing well, a fact we are pleased to note.

Mrs. S. C. Sample and daughter, Alice, of Butte, have been in O'Neill the past few days the guest of Mrs. Ed Gallagher. They leave in the morning for the world's fair city, where they expect to visit a month or two.

C. P. DeLance arrived in this city Sunday evening and visited his family Sunday and Monday. Chan informs us that he is well pleased with his new location and expects to remove his family there in a few weeks.

It is with pleasure THE FRONTIER this week calls the attention of its readers to the enlarged ad of our popular blacksmith, Emil Sniggs. Mr. Sniggs is a wide-awake business man and understands the value of printers' ink.

Frank Anderson, who runs an extensive cattle ranch on Dry creek, last week received from Lincoln a herd of fifty thoroughbred Galloway cattle. They are beauties, collectively and individually, and without doubt the finest aggregation of bovines that ever came into the county.

Ed. F. Gallagher and his sister, Mrs. T. Birmingham, left last Friday morning for Darlington, Wis., being called there by a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of their father. A telegram from there stated that he died last Sunday and was buried Tuesday. He was over 80 years old.

Will Kinkaid resigned the position he has held in Mann's store the past five months and left this morning for Sioux City where he will visit for a few days, and then go to Valentine where he has accepted a position in a general store. Will is a steady and industrious young man and we wish him success.

Frank Mills has been appointed supervisor of Green Valley township, vice, S. J. Doud, resigned. Frank is a competent, intelligent man, of many years residence in Holt county, and the Graphic predicts that he will represent his township in a manner satisfactory to his constituents.—Graphic.

Elmer Merriman returned Saturday night from Omaha, where he went to purchase some new machinery for his bottling works, and get a few new ideas on the work. As soon as his machinery arrives he will proceed to manufacture delicious temperance beverages in the latest and most approved style.

If the business men of O'Neill will prop up their enterprise a little and create a small fund to pay the expense of printing, THE FRONTIER will print a small folder descriptive of O'Neill and Holt county and see that they are mailed to 10,000 eastern farmers who are now renters. This is the way to advertise.

S. J. Doud, long and favorably known as one of the most enterprising farmers and worthy citizens of Holt, loaded his personal effects yesterday, and left on the midnight freight for Kansas. While regretting the removal from Western Holt of such an estimable citizen, THE Graphic, in common with his wide circle of friends, invoke for him and his, all the fortune kindly nature has to bestow upon the worthy and deserving.—Graphic.

Dr. Farrington, of the Morning Side sanitarium, specialist in woman's diseases, Rectal Diseases, Nervous diseases, Obsolete Diseases and those who have been treated a long time without permanent cure, especially solicited. Hernia cured without pain, operation or detention from business. Payment made after cured. Cancer cured with out the knife. Goitre yields to treatment. The doctor will be at the parlors of the Evans' House Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday March 28, 29 and 30. Ladies entrance to hall. First room up stairs, examination free. 37-1

Jake Hershiser was the victim of a genuine surprise party last Saturday night, at the residence of his parents west of town. It was Jake's 28th birthday, and we opine neither he or the guests will soon forget it. The evening was very pleasantly spent, as are all evenings at the Hershiser farm. About midnight the guests departed, but not before Doc Mathews, in behalf of the company, in a neat little speech, presented Mr. Hershiser with a beautiful ring as a slight token of their esteem, and wished him many happy and prosperous returns of the very important event.

Saint Patrick's day was appropriately observed and celebrated in O'Neill this year as it always is. In the evening the Academy Dramatic Company presented at the rink that popular Irish drama, "Inisfail," or the "Wanderer's Dream," to a large audience. The play was well rendered and netted the academy about \$150.

J. A. Harmon, of O'Neill, Neb., who graduated with last year's law class, visited in the city the early part of the week. Mr. Harmon was the first president of the University Democratic Club, which position, together with his genial personality won him many friends, both among the students and citizens. While in the University he took advantage of every occasion to preach good democratic doctrine, and we are pleased to say that notwithstanding the recent magnificent success of the democratic party he still indulges in the habit.—Ann Arbor Argus.

The women's polyglot petition has now been signed in more than 40 languages and has millions of names. It will be on exhibition at the world's Columbian exposition, 1893, in Chicago, from the first of May to the last of October, in the temperance department. If the names were written one under another the petition would be not less than twelve miles long. Lady Henry Somerset, of England, and Miss Francis E. Willard, of America, with a commission of white ribbon women, will go with the petition to every civilized government within two years after the world's fair.

Station agent Dobbs of O'Neill, was in Atkinson last evening, making arrangements to put on the boards at this place a "Grand Exposé of the Hidden Mysteries of Secret Societies," which will be rendered at this place about the 28th inst. by the home talent of O'Neill. This is said to be one of the most laughable and entertaining plays ever written. A dance will probably be given after the entertainment for the benefit of the Atkinson Fire Department.—Graphic.

The "Ancient Order of Hercules" is indeed a laughable and entertaining production. It is worth going many miles to witness the awful ceremonies of initiation, superintended by such stars as Grand Hiankidink Towle, Chief Custodian of Dispatches Merriman, Principal Musician Grady and Rex Thompson. All of the characters are represented by artists, but those mentioned are particularly good, and if the company decides to go up the road the good people of Atkinson may well sew an extra button on their waistbands.

Grand Opening.  
Of spring and summer millinery, Saturday, March 25, at Mrs. S. G. Nichols. 37-1

Easter Monday Ball.  
The Liberty Hose Company will give a ball on Easter Monday evening, April 3. The boys deserve a very liberal patronage, they having purchased a building in which to keep their hose cart, and the proceeds of the dance will go to pay for the same. Everybody should buy a ticket.

If you want to buy, sell or rent a farm call on or address  
35-4 S. J. WEEKES.

Florida orange groves, improved and unimproved lands for sale or exchange.  
36-2 E. H. BENEDICT.

List your property with E. H. Benedict. 36-2

If you want to buy, sell or rent a farm call on or address  
35-4 S. J. WEEKES.

When in need of furniture of any description be sure and call at Biglin's furniture depot. They have just received a car load of fine furniture and are selling it at prices that will astonish you. Parlor sets, bedroom sets, rocking chairs, and in fact any and all kinds of furniture. Give them a call. 34-5

Parties desiring to buy, rent, lease or look at lands owned by the Union Trust company, of Omaha, call on or address Wm. Buttler, their agent, office of E. W. Adams, O'Neill, Neb. 36-4

For plows, harrows, cultivators, check rowers, seeders, and in fact any and all kinds of machinery, go to Biglin's. He carries the largest stock in the city, and his prices are sure to suit. 34-5

Attention, Farmers!

The Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley railway company will make half tariff rate on seed wheat shipped from any point on their line in Nebraska to O'Neill. The wheat must be for seeding purposes only, and charges must be prepaid. W. J. DONNS, Agent.

O'Neill Market Report.

The following is a correct market report for this week:

Hogs, \$ 100 lbs. ....	\$6.80	Wheat .....	\$ .50
Steers .....	5.50	Oats .....	.35
Pat cows .....	1.50	Barley .....	.35
Butter .....	.18	Bookwheat .....	.45
Eggs .....	.10	Ear corn .....	.35
Potatoes, \$ bu. ....	.45	Shelled .....	.35

Gone to Rest.  
Died, Mrs. A. T. Potter at the residence of her daughter in O'Neill, Neb., March 18, 1893, in the 60th year of her age.

Mrs. Potter was born in Hector, Schuyler county, New York, where she lived until after her marriage in 1854. In 1855 she removed with her husband and one child to Juneau, Dodge county, Wisconsin; thence, in 1868, they removed to Boone, Io., and into Nebraska in 1881. Four children were born to them—two sons and two daughters—three of whom survive her. Mrs. Potter was the child of Christian parents and early yielded to religious impressions, and at the age of 18 entered into covenant with God through faith in Jesus Christ and the confession of his name. She was through all her life faithful to that covenant and she found a continued strength and comfort in the promise and help of God. In all her sorrows she preserved quiet and patience and came out of the quiet afflictions in a sweetness of disposition and firmness of faith that made her presence a delight to all about her. In the afflictions of others she was a most sympathizing helper, ever ready to sacrifice herself for others. She was a ministering angel wherever she was. A quiet and patient sufferer for many months, she ever abrank from complaining, or any expression that would distress others. And when at last the final hour came, she gently fell into the slumber of death. Lovely and beautiful in her life she was so in death. It was not with sorrow of those without hope that her loved ones and her friends consigned her to the last resting place. Her future was now the paradise of God. Sadly as her helpful and ever cheering presence will be missed by those left behind, there is joy in the thought of her happy presence with the Lord.

The funeral services were held in the parlors of the Evans house Monday afternoon at 2:30. The following relatives were present from abroad: Fred Potter, son, from Glendille, Mont.; Rev. J. E. Chapin, brother-in-law, Neenah, Wis.; Mrs. D. C. Van Astraed, sister, and Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Crossett, brother-in-law and sister. The funeral occurred at 3 o'clock and the remains were followed to the grave by a large circle of friends and relatives. THE FRONTIER extends its sympathy to the relatives and friends. \*.\*

The City Election.  
Interest in city politics has warmed up a little since our last issue, although there is not as much interest manifested as in prior elections. Although there are but one or two nominations filed with the city clerk up to date, and by the way this is the last day, it is authoritatively announced that Thos. Carlson and R. R. Dickson will oppose each other for the mayoralty. There is no question of public policy before the people and the contest for this office will probably not go beyond that of good-natured rivalry. They are both good men for the position and the race will be a close one. For city clerk George Clark and N. Martin are in the field. David Adams is the only candidate for city treasurer heard from up to date. Ben DeYarman seems to have no opposition for alderman in the First ward and Fred Gatz is meeting with the same success in the Second, while Sam Wagers seems to have brought peace in the bloody Third. We understand he will have no opposition.

We have seen or heard of no petition nominating a police judge, but have heard the name of E. H. Benedict favorably mentioned in that connection. Mr. Benedict would make an excellent official.

Mr. Mann's Spring Opening.

O'Neill has many business enterprises of which she is justified in feeling proud, and foremost among them is J. P. Mann's general merchandise establishment. His spring opening, which occurred last Saturday, was a complete success and was a credit to our town as well as a source of satisfaction and profit to Mr. Mann. The store room and show windows were beautifully and artistically decorated with merchandise of the latest styles and best quality fresh from the markets of the east, and every effort was made to make things pleasant and profitable for his customers.

A piano, presided over by skilled artists, lent its charm to the occasion, and its mellow tones mingling with the murmur of many voices, while perhaps not making a harmony profound, had a pleasing effect and was appreciated by the callers.

For Sale.

65 head of choice Galloway cows, in calf by registered bull. One yearling Galloway bull, also stock cattle of all ages, in numbers to suit purchasers.

Time given on bankable paper.  
FRANK ANDERSON & Co.  
37-1f O'Neill, Neb.

NO MAN'S COLUMN.

"Should auld acquaintance be forgot,  
And never brought to mind?  
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,  
And days o' crinoline?  
For crinoline, my dearest dear,  
For circling crinoline,  
We'll take a hoop of bigness yet,  
For crinoline."

One of our fashion exchanges said "bustles are a thing of the past," and then a funny man on a contemporary ironically remarked that they always were "somewhat behind."

A long suffering people in this community would call down many kinds of blessings on the head of President Grover if he would only give them a good postmaster. Give them some man who would esteem it a great favor to accommodate the patrons of his office; get up early in the morning to be courteous and obliging. One who would not keep a person standing out in the cold, dreary world, a prey to pneumonia and mad dogs, just because it happened to be 3 minutes before the legal time to throw open the front doors. Give them a man who would smile and look pleasant when they ask for their mail and not say there is nothing for them when there is, and one who will write out a postal note or a money order any time during business hours and not tell them to "come around tomorrow." In short, give them a man capable of realizing that he is the servant and not the master of the people.

"At eight they called him Willie;  
At twelve they called him Will;  
At sixteen he was Billy;  
At twenty just plain Bill.  
His mother 'Willied' him always,  
Her strong love to convince:  
His father willed him nothing,  
And he's been willed ever since."

Dame rumor has brought to the ears of this department a story of a young married man in O'Neill who last week let his amorous instincts get the better of his horse sense and lead him into trouble. It is the same old story. The woman was true to her hymeneal vows, the frate husband appeared upon the scene, the young man was summarily bounced and he's never gone back.

"A publisher who 'picked up the trade'" says the South Sioux City Democrat, "on making up the forms for the first time got a marriage and a grocer's notice sandwiched so as to read:"

"John Smith and Ida Quay were united in the holy bonds of sauerkraut which will be sold by the quart or barrel. Mr. Smith is an esteemed codfish at 10 cents a pound, while the bride has many hams for sale at a shilling a pound. Rev. Brown officiating"

"Judgment day will have come and gone,  
And days of yore come back,  
When there's a sailor on the stage  
Whose name is not 'Just Jack.'"

Last week's FRONTIER contained an article written in perfect biblical style and exceptionally bright and well-timed. That THE FRONTIER should produce an item of exceptional brilliancy is no surprise, but the style, think of it; where did they find it? That's the question that is agitating the mind of this truthful observer.—Stuart Ledger.

Bro. Wertz's compliment is a reflection on the moral character of the engineer of this department, to say nothing of the pain it gives his pride to have it even intimated that he is a stranger to the etymology and phraseology of holy writ and other ancient lore. But we forgive him. Perhaps there was some grounds for surprise at seeing an article in this department that indicated any knowledge of matters spiritual or divine, or even good; but it happened in this way: The above mentioned engineer was sick. It seemed as though all the pains which torture animate things had congregated in his system to resolve that the animal kingdom was on the verge of moral, financial and material ruin. He even grew delirious and in those waking dreams the devil and his angels gathered around his lonely couch and beat the tom-tom and filed their pitchforks and discussed the probabilities of his being too green to burn nicely. The unrighteous acts of his younger days came trooping through his feverish fancy in battalions, many of them with jags on, and respectfully saluted his satanic highness, who greeted them warmly and smiled sardonically as the little imps tugged at the bed-clothes and plucked our eyes out, and laughed a maudlin chuckle as they said, "hic 'ow you old man?" But in time his faculties returned and he opened his parched lips and asked that a bible might be brought unto him, and when it was placed in his hands he immediately commenced to read and read for three days and refused to eat or drink and could not be comforted and at the end of three days he arose and wrote the article in question; a sort of an inspiration as it were, and the engineer was transformed into a wiser, albeit a sadder Kid, who trusts this explanation will be satisfactory to the doubting brother.

District Court.

Several important cases have been tried in the district court the past week. Judge Kinkaid presided last week. One of the most important cases was the state of Nebraska vs. John C. Hayes, ex-treasurer of Grattan township, for embezzlement. The case occupied two days, and owing to the bungling manner in which it was handled by the county attorney, the jury, after being out about 10 minutes, returned a verdict of not guilty. Murphy should resign his position as he is no more qualified for county attorney than a child.

The following cases were also disposed of:

E. W. Adams vs. G. T. Bastedo, verdict for the plaintiff for \$279.35.

E. T. Montague vs. John Hoyt et al., dismissed by plaintiff.

Hiram M. Van Every vs. Charlotte M. Van Every, decree of divorce granted.

Hanna Gibbons vs. H. C. McEvony, continued by request of defendant.

P. C. Kulish vs. Henry Tienken, civil action, verdict for the plaintiff for \$3,895.07.

State of Nebraska vs. J. D. Likens, ex-treasurer of Rock county, for embezzlement, occupied three days of this week with Judge Bartow presiding. The case was left to the jury last night at 10:30, and after four hours deliberation they brought in a verdict of not guilty. There was considerable interest in the case and able counsel for both sides. Likens had been in jail about eighteen months awaiting trial. The verdict gives general satisfaction here as public sentiment was with the defendant.

The two cases of Holt county vs. A. J. Meals for embezzlement were brought up this morning and were dismissed by the county attorney. They might as well be dismissed for what good he could do in prosecuting them. The court excused the jury at noon and they will not return unless called for.

Words of Praise.

The following letter was received some time ago by Postmaster Meredith, of South Sioux city, according to the Democrat of that place. The South Soo Meredith is a brother of Joe Meredith of this place:

WASHINGTON, February 15, 1893.  
I desire officially to recognize the important service you have rendered as postmaster under the administration of President Harrison. Whatever has been accomplished in the advancement of the service has only been possible through the fidelity and zeal of those associated with the postmaster general. In making this acknowledgment of your valuable assistance I beg that in the future, whether in or out of office, you will continue your interest in the postal service and study to promote in every possible way its extension and improvement. Your friend,  
J. W. WANAMAKER,  
Postmaster General.

Three Farms For Sale.

1. The Walstrom farm, 160 acres, being the northwest quarter section 2, township 28, range 10.
2. The DeGunter farm, 160 acres, west half northwest half and northeast half northwest half and northwest half northeast half section 23, township 23, range 13 west.
3. The Simonson farm, 160 acres, northwest quarter section 10, township 3, range 11 west.

These three farms are in Holt county, well located and are good investments. The deeds are now in the hands of the mortgagee who now desires to offer either one or all of the farms at prices and terms that will suit any responsible purchaser. For full information apply to  
FRANK L. FURONSON,  
Chadron, Neb.

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