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ms of Interest Told As They Are Told to Us.

IEN AND HOW IT HAPPENED

l Happenings Portrayed For General Edification and Amusement.

Sanford Parker was over from Spencer onday.

G. W. Meals returned from Texas st evening.

Strap Leaved turnip seed at Bentley's. will do to sow until the 10 th. of gentle sex anyway.

It is currently reported that if Kinid is nominated for congress Judge

"Had my motion prevailed, things ght have been different."-Hazelett. e-s, Y-e-s, your grandfather might ve been an ox."-Trommershausser.

Appraisers appointed by Judge Mctcheon to assess damages along the khorn irrigation ditch filed their rert Tuesday afternoon and were dis-

Clarence Selah went out to the irrition ditch yesterday to tender the operty owners the amount of damages warded by the appraisers, that the intractors may continue work.

Our-line of fine tollet soaps was never ore complete, fine soaps at all prices examine them.

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THE FRONTIER editors are both off aty this week. King is east visiting is girl and Cronin is at Broken Bow iving the country by assisting in the omination of Kinkaid for congress.

Billy Thompson, at one time of Holt ounty, but now a Chicago capitalist, as in the city Sunday shaking hands ith numerous triends. Billy has a rge ranch in the south country that mands a visit once a year.

Doc Mathews went over to Boyd unty last week to get a congressional legation for Kinkaid and the result is the other fellows were elected. As oodoo in politics Doc may be said to a great success.

Lana Oil, buttermilk and glycerine tary of said committee. mbined, make the finest toilet soap

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The Sunday schools of the South Fork untry will hold a convention at nambers, beginning on Saturday even-August 11, with a sermon by Mrs. hite. A good program is offered and lerge attendance expected.

The two year old daughter of Mr. and rs. M. M. Sullivan died last Friday orning after an illness of about two onths. The funeral took place Satday from the Catholic church.

The street commissioner should devote day or two of his time to the distruction the Russian thistles which are growg and thriving along our side walks d fences. If let alone they will soon ke our town.

D. H. Cronin left for Broken Bow uesday evening to attend the congresonal convention. Mrs. Cronin and iss Weidenfeld, of Randolph, accomany him as far as Chadron, where they ill visit relatives for a few days.

Let the old republican barnacles who ave used the party as a means to ersonal and private ends, step down nd out. Republican reorganization is absolute necessity. The putrid carsses of decayed politicians should be aried by the better element beyond

Ralph Evans and sister Ruth returned onday night from Wayne, where they ad been visiting relatives. Miss Ruth ent down some weeks ago, and Ralph st week. He took the Short Line as r as Randolph and rode over from ere on his bicycle.

Remember when you want a sack or a n of flour that we are selling the Daisy" and G. A. R., flour at prices at you can afford to pay, and as to nality there are none to equal. See us. tions. O'NEILL GROCERY Co.

The hot sun of Tuesday cracked the ouds that hovered over our city and eated us to a shower bath. It did not ing the grain back to life but it freshed singed vegetation a little and shed the grease off of perspiring bunity. With a few more such rains vegitables will make something.

Do not fail to visit J. P. Mann's store customers the benefit of a 25 per cent. discount on anything desired from his line of summer goods. Anyone taking advantage of this sale will be sure to

Disappointed in his aspirations for governor Doc Mathews is now figuring on planting a colony of farmers in Arkansaw and electing himself governor-general. Each man will be fitted out with a kodock and a bicycle, a dog, gun and a fishing rod. The women will be fitted out with-well, probably nothing special. Everybody knows that Doe don't pay much attention to the

The horses and cattle which are permitted to run over our side walks at will, should be looked illespie will canvass the district with after by our marshal. Our side walks are being ruined in this way. Being of inch stuff and it rotten and full of knots, it is very easily broken. The council should pay attention to the material which goes into our walks, and not let the lumbermen palm off their culls and worthless lumber on the city as they have been doing. Money put into much of this stuff is practically thrown away.

Con Keys' life has been hanging in the balance the past week. He was around Monday of last week feeling as well as usual, even loading a car of hogs Tuesday morning. Not feeling well he went home and summoned Dr. Gilligan who found that his ailment was some disorder of the bowels that would necessitate an operation and accordingly rom 5 cents to 25 per cake. Call and sent for Dr. Warren, of Sioux City, who 4-1 arrived Thursday night, and on Friday morning the two doctors operated and found things as were indicated by the diagnosis. It was the opinion after the operation had been performed and the seriousness of the case discovered, that Mr. Keyes could not survive to exceed a couple of days, but thanks to an iron will, a rugged constitution and careful treatment he is recovering. Con tertainly was in the shadow of the valley.

The Convention.

Pursuant to call, the republican delegated convention for Holt county assembled at the court-house auditorium in O'Neill on Saturday, July 28, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. The convention was formally called to order by Chairman McBride of the county central committee and the call read by Clyde King, secre-

The election of temporary officers of er introduced. Makes the skin soft as the convention was made by selecting state convention. lvet, just the thing for oily skin. Try Frank Phillips as president and Geo. A. rinur, secretary.

W. E. Scott moved to appoint a committee of three on order of business.

Moved by S. D. Orcutt that a committee of five be appointed on credentials. Adopted.

L. C. Chapman moved to appoint a committee of five on credentials. Motion prevailed.

G. C. Hazelet moved the appointment of a committee of three on permanent organization. Carried.

The chair was instructed to appoint the several committees, which were named as follows:

Order of business-W. E. Scott, J. T. Roll, J. A. Rice.

Credentials-S. D. Orcutt, Neil Brennan. Claud Eisley, Joseph Hunter, H.

S. Trussell. Resolutions-L. C. Chapman, J. W.

Wertz, J. M. Alderson, J. B. Freeland. Permanent organization-G. C. Hazeet, Frank Dobney, John Inglis.

On motion convention adjourned to

1:30 P. M. Convention assembled pursuant to order of adjournment.

Committee on order of business re ported as follows: 1. Report of committee on creden-

2. Permanent organization.

3. Selection of delegates to congressional convention.

4. Selection of delegates to state 5. Selection of delegates to senator-

ial convention. 6. Nomination of candidates for representatives.

7. Nomination of candidate for county attorney.

8. Selection of county central committee. 9. Report of committee on resolu-

10. Any other proper business. W. E. Scott, J. L. ROLL, J. A. RIGE,

Con mittee.

Mr. Chairman-We, you on credentials, find the gates entitled to se

as on those dates he intends giving his Orcutt, L. O. Bartley, J. F. Brady, eral assembly of Nebraska. Frank Moore, Del Akin, H. A. Allen, H. Fullerton.

Conley-D. Eisley, James Gibson, James Sagosa.

Chambers-J. M. Alderson, C. Farrion, P. E. Robertson.

Deloit-R. Groff. Dustin-Alex Searl, Wm. Bentley. Emmet-H. C. Whler, Alex Waring.

Ewing-L. S. Butler, J. D. Selah, W. E. Bailey, J A. Wood, A. A. Ege, J. H. Roll, E. A. Chase,

Fairview-L. P. Roy, Robert Right. Francis-G. H. Dunham, C.

Grattan-Eli Hershiser, E. Thompson, Inman-Henery Haines, J. J. Haloran,

Hazelet, H. C. McEvoney, James De-Skirving, I. R. Smith, C. E. Hall, O. E. ful lines. Davidson, James Harnish.

Paddock-R. E. Bowden, A. L. Rouse, W. S. Griffith.

Pleasantview-Wm. Bokhof, Geo.

Rock Falls-Wm. Clevish, L. C. Hardin. Steel Creek-N. Carson, B. Binkerd.

J. B. Freeland, F. W. Phillips. Saratoga-Frank Emmerson, C. E.

Stuart-J. A. Rice, J. W. Wertz, Wm. Castte, Frank Dobney, J. N. Hovey, A. H. Strohm, G. C. Whitney. Scott-O. B. Long, W. J. Sprague.

Sand Creek-N. Zinck, John Inglis. Sheilds-Thos Simonson, H. A. Polk, Sheridan-Charles Moultin, S. Scrip. Verdigris-James Cronk, R. Sizer, C. H. Houchkirk, D. C. Harrison.

Willowdale-J. M. Hunton, C. W. Tullis, B. Tard.

Wyoming-C. W. Moss, F. A. Austin. Signed by the committee. The committee on organization re-

mously adopted. A committee of three, consisting of of the United States in calling out fed-

W. E. Scott, H. C. McEvoney and Leroy eral troops to quell riot and insurrection Butler was appointed by the chair to in Chicago and other places. select twelve delegates to attend the congressional convention.

mittee of three was appointed to select with alarm the growing evil of intemdelegates to the senatorial convention.

The chair named J. M. Hunter Neil use our best endeavor in all legal ways The chair named J. M. Hunter, Neil to abate or check this growing evil. Brennan and Frank Moore, as such com-

Skirving moved to take a recess of 20 minutes, which was agreed to.

Committee to select delegates to the congressional convention reported the following names:

John McBride, John Wertz, H. C. Mc-Evony, D. H. Cronin, L. C. Chapman, H. A. Allen, S. D. Orcutt, Geo. A. Mc-Arthur, L. S. Butler, J. A. Trommershauser, J. M. Alderson, W. E. Scott. The report was unanimously ratified

by the convention. The delegates to the state convention, as named by the committee and ratified

by the convention, are: John Skirving (chairman), Frank Dobney, Elmer Allison, John Brady, to secure his nomination. Neil Brennan, G. C. Hazelet, Clyde King, James De Yarman, William Griffith James Selah, D. Eiseley.

The delegates to the senatorial convention, as named by the select committee were unanimously endorsed as follows: D. C. Harrison (chairman), C. E. Farrion, Jake Hershizer, Jake Roll, Frank chairman of county central committee. Phillips, A. J. Clark, J. A. Rice, C. W.

Moss, John Inglis, Wm. Clevish. Convention then proceeded to nominate a candidate for county attorney.

J. M. Hunter named J. L. Roll, of Ewing, and he was nominated without a dissenting voice.

The nominations for representatives wakened considerable interest and friendly rivalry. L. C. Chapman, in a few well chosen words, nominated John A. Trommershausser, of Ewing. J. M. Hunter nominated W. S. Griffith, of Paddock. J. P. Roy named J. M. Alderson, of Chambers. These nominations were all duly seconded.

On motion of Orcutt, convention proceeded to an informal ballot for representatives, with the following result: Alderson 49; Griffith 53; Trommershausser 52; West 1; Moss 1.

First formal hallot was: Trommer russer 47; Grimtin 50, elved a majority of all the votes can,

man, B. E. Sturdevant, J. E. Allison, H. nominees of the convention for repre-Friday and Saturday, August 10 and 11, Chambers, Geo. A. McArthur, S. D. sentives in the lower house of the gen-

The committee on resolutions then reported as follows:

The republicans of Holt county, Ne-braska, in convention assembled, de-

That it was the republican party that took labor from the auction block and made it honorable, and that basing its economic doctrines on the maintainance of an American standard of wages for American producers, is today the proper party for all working men. We pledge ourselves in the future as in the past to such care for the interests and rights of all classes of our people that law and order will be maintained; that labor will be assured of its just reward, unrobbed by inonopolies and trusts, and industry secure from danger shall again be free secure from danger shall again be free to resume its activity, beneficent alike to employer and wage earner.

We earnestly advocate such legislation McClure—S. H. Trussell, L. H. Bell.
O'Neill—1st w—John McBride, G. C.

as will secure the peaceful adjustment and arbitration of differences arising from time to time between employers and em-Yarman. 2dw-Neil Brennan, J. L. italists and all others who refuse to Hershiser, E. J. Mack. 3d w-John settle such difference along such peace-

The wanton distruction of property, whether private, corporate or public, should be prevented and mob violence suppressed at all hazards. We stand for law and order, for the punishment of crime and for the lawful redress of all

We favor the largest possible use of silver as money that is consistent with the permanent maintainance of equal do not desire monometallism either of gold or silver, and we pledge ourselves to continue to work for bimetalism to be brought about by all fit means within

the power of the government.

We believe that the present financial distress prevading all sections of this country, demands wise legislative action to restore confidence in all business circles, to promote industry, revive commerce and rebuild our languishing man-

ufactories. We believe that the history of the present congress plainly shows that the democratic party is incompetent and that it is impossible for this country to e prosperous under democratic misrule. We believe that the future prosperity of our beloved land depends upon the restoration to power of that good old reported in favor of making the temporary all truly progressive ideas and the only organization permant. Report unani- safe custodian of our country's interests. Believing in rendering honor when due, we endorse the action of the press

We denounce the action of the Holt county board of supervisors in passing their late treasonable resolutions regard-By motion of G. C. Hazelet, John ing the use of troops in Chicago, and we Skirving was placed at the head and further denounce as dishonest their made chairman of the state delegation. occupying their time as a county board in passing at the county's expense such A committee of five, consisting of resolutions on matters that, as a board. Elsworth Mack, H. A. Allen, L. P. Roy, was none of their business, and we G. C. Hazelett and J. A. Rice was ap- furthermore denounce as a steal the pointed to select balance of delegates to printing of their resolutions at the

On motion of D. C. Harrison a com- order and good government, and The republican party in the past has lways been in favor of a free ballot and

a fair and impartial count and we deounce as un-American and un-republican any law which tends to abridge and the absolute equality of all Convention re-called to order at 2:40 citizens before the law and give to one citizen a greater voting power than to

.We point with pride to the record made by Hon. J. S. Bartley as state treasurer and appreciate the fact that republicans of this state intend to re-nominate him without opposition.

We cordially endorse the candidacy of Hon. M. P. Kinkaid to secure the congressional nomination at the republican convention soon to be held at Broken Bow, and assure such convention that if they deem it best to nominate him they select a candidate who has the full confidence of the people and who will make a strong and earnest effort to re-deem this district. We therefore request that the delegates this day selected by the convention use all honorable efforts

JOHN WERTZ, J. M. ALDERSON, J. B. FREELAND, Committee.

The resolutions were then unaninously adopted.

Moved by Hazelet to select McBride The following precinct committeemen

were then selected:
Atkinson
Cleveland
ChambersPhillip Robins
DeloitAlex Searl
Emmet A C Purnell
Ewing A A Ege
Fairview LP Rov
Francis
Green Valley E M Ogle
Grattan Elliot Thompson
10wa N Grass
Inman A J Clark
McClure S H Trussell
O'Neill-First w H C McEvony
O'Neill-Second W E J Mack
O'Neill-Third w I R Smith
PaddockR E Bowden
Pleasantview
Rock FallsJohn Gordon
Steel Creek F W Phillips
SaratogaPeter Greeley
Stuart J N Hovey
Scott Jackson Wiley
Sand Creek
Shields H A Polk
Sheridan W S Miller
Verdigris C H Hookirk
Willowdale C W Tullis
Wyoming C W Moss
On motion convention adjourned

PRANK PHILLIPS, Pres.

IRRIGATION A Plan to Build the Big Irrigation Ditch

Through Cherry, Rock, Brown, Holt,

WANTED!

Antelope and Knox Counties. Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting held in the court-house in O'Neill, at 10 o'clock A M., on Monday, August 6, 1894, for the purpose of devising

means to irrigate our country.

A gentleman from New York, representing sufficient capital to construct the big ditch without delay and in time to irrigate the lands for next year's crop, arrived in O'Neill and is now going over the entire route of the proposed canal. He will return to O'Neill in time for and be present at this meeting. He will then tell what they are prepared to do. We want all of the farmers, all of the business men, everyone in Cherry, Rock

Brown, Holt. Antelope and Knox counties who has an interest in the future of the

Brown, Holt. Antelope and Knox counties who had country to attend the meeting.

If we accept the terms of the New York people they will commence work at once and furnish work for all the men and teams we have in the county during the coming winter.

We hope all will come to this meeting and help to make this country what it will be if irrigated—one of the most prosperous countries in the United States.

T. V. GOLDEN, Secretary.

Pat Biglin will deliver kerosene and gasoline at your residence or place of THE FRONTIER hopes they will get what business. His wagon makes the rounds they go after, but if they had only come every day. 47-tf

very painful accident while practicing on the groupds at this place. He was playing first base and had turned around get it in the right eye. It was a hot one and he went to sleep immediately and did not regain consciousness for an hour and twenty minutes. He was taken to the home of Superintendent Jackson where he was kindly cared for until Monday morning, when he left for home. George will probably keep his 'eye on the ball" in the future. It is better than to keep the ball on his eye.

Mr. Kerr, the gentleman representing an association of eastern capitalists, and who has been in correspondence with T. V. Golden, secretary of the Niobrara River Power and Irrigation company. with a view of turnishing the capital necessary for the construction of the company's big ditch, arrived in O'Neill Sunday evening last, and Monday after- lots. Price of lots range from \$8 to \$10. noon, accompanied by Mr. Golden and We, as republicans believe in law and with route. Before starting arrangements of the association, as no further indiswere made and a call issued for a mass meeting of the citizens of the several counties interested in the project, at O'Neill, next Monday, August 6, at which time a plan by which the ditch can be constructed will be submitted. THE FRONTIER hopes to see a large turn out at this meeting and expects to see as a result, arrangements perfected then which will guarantee the speedy construction of the canal. It is a matter in which we cannot afford to be narrow or niggardly. It involves our future progress as a community and our interests as individuals. It must not be permitted to lag or fail, if the means lies within our power to prevent it. Let everybody turn out, farmers, business men, everybody.

> If ever men stood in their own light the farmers along the Elkhorn Irrigation company's ditch are standing in theirs when they ask for damages from the company for crossing their lands. If the company were going to damage these lands the ditch would not be constructed, for if the ditch is not a benefit it is nothing, and to construct the ditch would be the height of foolishness. Without water no crops can be raised, as this season has plainly demonstrated. It would seem as though the Almighty had visited the curse of short crops, or practically no crops, up on the people here this season to convince them of the necessity of bringing their intelligence to bear upon utilizing the waters at their command, turning them to the useful purposes of scientific agriculture, instead of letting them run in idleness to the sea. This paper is not a very firm believer in the interference of Providence in matters natural and mundane, but what else this extremly and unknown burning of all vegetation if there is not some good purpose to be served. If all things are for our good, as many reople effect to believe, then these long days of Africhn heat and desert dryness which have withered and ruined promising crops of waiving grain is not without its lesson, and that lesson must be "irrigate." But notwithstanding all this, and with poverty and distress staring them in the face, would defy Providence and attempt to obstacle they possibly can in its way.

Ewing is sinking an artesian well. to O'Neill we could have sold them 1.800 George Brion, of the Ewing ball feet of hole at a very liberal discount. team, was the victim last Saturday of a In fact we are long on hole and short on

Attention Ladies.

We have just received a large envoice to look at the crowd and failed to of that celebrated buttermilk toilet soap. notice a ball thrown in his direction by It is the finest complection man-Arch Henry. His attention was called ufactured. The fair sex went wild over to it in time for him to turn around and it in the east last season. Try a box. Only 25 cents.

O'NEILL GROCE RY CO.

For flour, corn, bran and all kinds of teed go to the O'Neill Flour & Feed Co., J.L. Mack Manager.

Important Notice. The Protestant cemetery association

of O'Neill has the following officers: Trustees: E. H. Benedict, E. H. Thompson, A. T. Potter, Mrs. John Planck, Mrs. James Harnish.

E. H. Benedict, treasurer, will give the deeds. The sexton, Henry Mills, holds the

key and will dig the graves for \$3. B. S. Gillespie, E. H. Thompson and N. S. Lowrie are a committee to sell according to size and location. People who wish lots must apply to the office

ate burials will be allowed.

N. S. LOWRIE, Secretary. Hood's pills cure all liver ills, billous ness, jaundice, indigestion, sick head-

Teachers' Institute.

The Holt county teachers' in will be held at O'Neill, Neb., oc ing August 20 and continuing two this being the time selected by the superintendent.

Gates College; Prof. A. R. Wa Ph. D., of Ewing: Prof. J. A. Stuart; and W. R. Jackson. Lectures will be given by Pres.

Instructors; Pres H K. Warren,

State Supt. Goudy, Prof. Louis P. and Prof. W. A. Clark. The schools of this county will be closed during the session of the and all those intending to teach in I county during the year are expe

attend. Institute fee, 50 cents. W. R. JACKSON, County Superintendent.

The best mutual insurance policy agains! attacks of sickness is to be found in taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Until After Election.

The present campaign is of unusual nterest to Nebraskans. Not only will a full set of state officers be elected, but a legislature will be elected that will choose a United States senator. The State Journal, located at the capital, can give you all this news more fully and more reliably than any other paper. It comes twice a week and will be sent until after election for only 25 cents. Address. STATE JOURNAL,

Lincoln, Neb.

There's Always a Reason.

It is an easy thing to account for the wonderful growth of the Daily State Journal recently. Its price has been reduced to 50 cents per month without Sunday or 65 cents with Sunday. The Journal has always been reliable and honest, printing the news without fear or favor. The people of Nebraska realize that they need a paper published at the capital, and when the price of the Jourcertain of our farmers, we regret to say, nal was reduced the subscription list grew at a phenomenal rate. The Jourstop the car of progress by placing every nal is a Nebraska paper through and through.