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SANS WHISKERS

Interest Told As They Are Told to Us.

HOW IT HAPPENED

Things Portrayed For General Satisfaction and Amusement.

Delah was in Ewing Tuesday.

of Bassett was in the city

cream baking powder—the made.

tt, of Atkinson, was a visit Monday.

more, of Ewing, transacted his city Tuesday.

ey Ryan has been numbered ck the past week.

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and Jake Herberiser made ip to Butte last week.

le and wife visited in O'Neill Saturday of last week.

ood, second-hand organ for r cash. J. H. Riggs.

ews came up from Stuttgart t to fix up a little unsettled

tick and J. M. Kingedy, of had business in the city

kaid and Reporter King are holding court. They went light.

corn, bran and all kinds of O'Neill Flour & Feed Co., anager. 38-1f

tramps occupy the county appropriated some property ith felonious intent.

upon scientific authority of a thousandth part of a astronomical calculation an error of 200,000,000,000 stance of a star.

will furnish you all kinds carload lots or in small e can also furnish you and gasoline by the gallon et his prices before buying 15f

go papers are not slow to ege of the change in mail ch enables them to reach ts on even date with Ne. The Inter Ocean and had representatives in the

of the primary department to give an entertainment on Wednesday, November all admission fee of fifteen e charged, the proceeds to d in procuring some much apparatus.

rs of the Presbyterian Sun- ill give a concert next Sun- Dr. Sixton, synodical will preach in the morning port address in the evening. ome. The program is well d promises to be well given.

ing of the Niobrara River and Power Company last e following officers were resident, J. P. Mann; first t, E. L. Cash; second vice- H. Walrath; treasurer, G. secretary, John McHugh. mmittee: G. C. Hazlet, B. d and John McHugh.

ble interest is being taken erspichorean devotees in the given Thanksgiving night— 9—by the Spencer orchestra ra house in this city. The this combination of talent all former residents of Holt his way of visiting the city, attempting to make any f of the entertainment. All s expenses and a general oth of which will undoubt-

heartlessly pursues Scott to rs of the penitentiary. Last pt bitterly because Judge ad the sentence as light as e are thankful that we are d of a disposition like that nding from McHugh's bony ge Robinson was a disinter- so the prosecution said, and rested sentenced Scott to a e that in his judgment, as a person, he thought just. e should teach the Sun man e himself is somewhat rather than that Robinson p the situation.

cream baking powder—the made.

A. L. Morse, C. Walruth, J. M. Stewart and Ben Sherwood, of Atkinson, were circulating about the hub Tuesday.

Mike Flannigan came down from Hot Springs Monday and visited a day in O'Neill. He was on his way to Minneapolis.

Ray Coleman and Lottie Stockett, both of Phoenix, secured marriage license of County Judge McCutcheon, Tuesday, also Robert Inglis and Maud Kirkendall, of Stuart.

D. L. Cramer, of Ewing, was in O'Neill Monday. Mr. Cramer has disposed of his mercantile business in Ewing and expects to remove from the county. D. L. was among Ewing's first settlers.

Mrs. Trueblood recently bought one of those justly popular (where best known) McPhail pianos of J. H. Riggs agent. If you think of buying be sure and see Riggs. 20-1

Rev. D. W. Rosenkrans, of Dorsey, was in town Monday and speaking of the destitution in his locality says there is some but it is being looked after at present. However, they may need help later on.

The two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad, who reside about four miles east of this city, died last Saturday morning of spinal meningitis, and was buried in the cemetery at Inman Sunday.

Mrs. Selah returned Monday night from a week's visit with her parents at their home in the southern part of the state, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, who, we are pleased to note, is improving.

On account of a lack of space this week we are obliged to defer publication of an obituary notice of Mrs. Desiah Sanders, who died November 5, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Hodgkin, at Leonie. More extended notice will appear next week.

Died, at the residence of his son Martin, about seven miles northwest of this city, on Monday morning, November 19, 1894, Stephen Welsh, aged 98 years. The funeral took place Wednesday morning from the Catholic church and the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

Joe Davis returned from Omaha Tuesday evening where he had been visiting his sister, Miss Katie Davis the noted actress, who played in Omaha last week. Miss Davis is an actress of national reputation and is at present a member of Pauline Hall's company, from whom she receives a salary of \$150 per week.

Last Saturday morning the 10 year-old daughter of John Berger, who lives about ten miles north of this city, while playing near the stove accidentally set her clothing on fire. When she noticed her clothing burning she rushed outside and before her parents could extinguish the flames she was so badly burned that she died in a few hours.

Our sister city of Ewing, not to be behind the times, has organized an irrigation company. The purpose of the company is to tap the South Fork about five miles west of Ewing and run in a southeasterly course along the foot hills to Cache Creek. The main ditch will be in the neighborhood of ten miles long and capable of irrigating 10,000 acres. The incorporators are: John Drayton, A. A. Ege, Wm. Ferris, J. D. Selah, J. A. Trommershauser, G. H. Benson, O. C. Wallace, L. A. Combs and W. E. Bailey.

Peter Doran, of Omaha, and Miss Lizzie Boyd, of this city, were married Tuesday morning at St. Patrick's church in this city. Father Cassidy officiating. Although Mr. Doran is a stranger to us we are informed that he is a worthy young man and very popular where he is known. Miss Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boyd, has resided in this city since childhood and has many admirers among her acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Doran in a short time will settle down to housekeeping in South Omaha. THE FRONTIER extends congratulations.

Doc Mathews has started a newspaper in Stuttgart, and calls it the Free Press. The junior member of this firm has been more or less connected with Doc in the newspaper business since '87, or since he started the Free Press in O'Neill, about that time, which paper enjoyed a prosperous and spirited career for over a year and then died because it wanted to and not of necessity, and it seems a little strange that we are not now interested with him in the publication of his new venture. However, our absence in the flesh will in no wise interfere with Doc getting out the best country weekly in Arkansas, which he will no doubt do. As a newspaper man Doc doesn't ask odds of anybody and wouldn't take them if offered. This will be the only republican paper in that congressional district, which, Mr. Mathews says, is not hopelessly democratic.

Dr. Price's cream baking powder—a pure grape cream of tartar powder.

Miss Julia Howard died last Friday at the home of her mother in this city, of consumption. The remains were taken to Fremont Sunday and interred, beside those of her father. Miss Howard was a long, though patient sufferer. After the real nature of her malady became known she spent some months in Denver hoping to gain relief from the mountain air, but growing gradually worse she returned last spring to spend her remaining days among those near and dear to her, and when the end came it came gently, as those who watched beside her say that the passing was like one who draws the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams. THE FRONTIER extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.

Dr. Corbett, the dentist, wishes to call attention to the fact that he is extracting teeth without pain by the use of "Odontunder," the most successful of all local anesthetics. No going to sleep. Also gas for those who wish it. The very best teeth at \$8.00 per set. Special attention paid to the preservation of the natural teeth. Gold crowns, pivot teeth and bridge work a specialty. Also proprietor of the leading photograph gallery of Northwest Nebraska. Photographs at hard time prices as follows: \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 per dozen. Larger sizes quoted upon application. Views, exterior or interior made at any time. All negatives preserved so that duplicates may be made as wanted. Picture of any size enlarged in crayon. Sepia crayon, water colors or a combination of them all. Office and gallery No. 425 East Douglas St. O'Neill, Neb. 20-4

Notice.

There will be a meeting of the wool growers of Holt county, at O'Neill, Saturday, November 24, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of organizing a wool growers' association. All interested are requested to attend.

J. E. WHITE,
W. B. COOPER,
W. S. GRIFFITH,
FRANK PHILLIPS,
Committee.

WHEN YOUR SHIP COMES IN

Remember that we are always headquarters for fresh groceries, flour, feed and queensware, and regardless of what the man "who spoils a good mechanic, or farmer, to make a poor merchant" says, we are in a position to make you prices that will make

A SILVER DOLLAR

go farther than ever before, and will quote a few of our many bargains, feeling sure that you will find it to your interest to call and see our stock when in need of a supply:

DRIED FRUITS.

California peaches,	10 pounds for	\$1.00
Raisin cured grapes,	20 "	1.00
Silver prunes,	8 "	1.00
Cleaned currants,	20 "	1.00
Germ'n pl'd cherries 7 1/2 "	"	1.00
L. M. Raisins	16 "	1.00

CEREALS.

California breakfast food 2 packages	25c	
Cracked hominy, 30 pounds for	\$1.00	
Homeline	6 "	25c
Quail oats, two packages for	25	
Kiln dried oat meal 25 pounds for	\$1.00	
Cracked wheat two packages	25c	
Flapjack flour "	25	
Buckwheat flour per pound	3 1/2	
Special prices on flour and feed in large lots.		

CANNED FRUITS.

California grapes	per can	12 1/2c
Green gages	"	15
Peaches	"	15
Apricots	"	15

CANNED VEGETABLES.

Beatrice tomatoes, solid pack 10 for	\$1.00	
" Corn,	" 10 "	1.00
String beans,	" 12 "	1.00
Marrowfat peas	" 13 "	1.00
Early June peas,	" 9 "	1.00

CANNED FISH.

1 lb can salmon per can	12 1/2c
1 " mackerel "	12 1/2
1 " clams "	12 1/2

SYRUP.

Sugar drips, per kit	65c
Vermont maple " gal.	90
New sorghum " "	50
New maple sap " jug	1.35

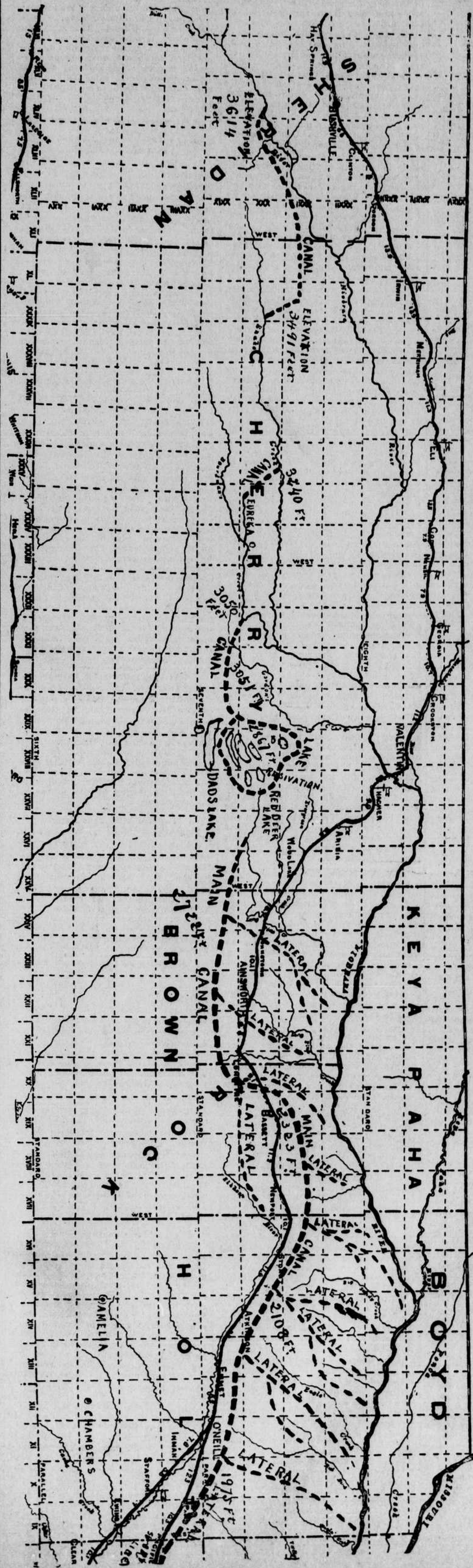
New figs, honey, dates, mince meat, jelly, cider, etc.

These are only a few of the many nice goods we have to offer at hard times prices. We have a nice line of fancy cups and saucers, mugs, etc.

O'NEILL GROCERY CO.

OUR BIG IRRIGATION DITCH.

Reservoir Covers Thirteen Thousand Acres and Will Irrigate Five Hundred Thousand Acres.



With the consent of the Niobrara River Irrigation and Power company THE FRONTIER is enabled this week to give its readers a very complete outline of the proposed canal—which is now what one might call an assured thing—and a copy of the water contract that our farmers must sign in order to secure title to moisture for irrigation purposes. The accompanying map while perhaps not strictly accurate in all of its details, is as nearly so as is possible to obtain until the permanent survey shall have been completed, which is expected to commence about December 1.

By following the outline on the map it will be noticed that the Niobrara river is tapped in western Sheridan county, at an altitude of 3614 feet, and conducted by ditch some forty miles to Snake creek, through the channel of which stream it is conducted fifty miles, or to the reservoir site. It is estimated that this reservoir will contain in the neighborhood of 18,000 acres of water thirty feet deep, a supply sufficient to easily irrigate 500,000 acres. From the reservoir it escapes via the bed of another small stream which it follows for a few miles and is then carried by the regular canal some 160 miles, or to a point north and east of O'Neill about four miles, where the altitude is only 1975 feet, giving a fall of over 1500 feet, making a water power unexcelled in the west.

As many are uninformed as to what is essential to do in order to secure water rights, we give below a copy of the contract which is necessary to sign:

CONTRACT.
This article of agreement, entered into this 15th day of 1894, by and between the Niobrara River Irrigation and Power company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of Nebraska and doing business at the city of O'Neill, in the county of Holt, in said state, party of the first part, and and his wife, of the county of in said state, party of the second part.
Witnesseth That the said party of the second part hereby covenant, and agree, to and with the party of the first part, and to and with the successors and assigns of said party, that if the party of the first part will undertake to construct, and will construct, or procure to be undertaken and constructed, the main canal and laterals of the enterprise contemplated by said party of the first part in the counties of Sheridan, Holt, Rock, Brown and Cherry, in the said state of Nebraska; that said party of the second part will take a permanent water right, subject to all the conditions and regulations of the party of the first part, on the following described property, situate and being in county, state of Nebraska, to-wit:.....
..... the same being acres and will pay therefor the sum of \$8 per acre, payable in ten years from the time when the said canal and laterals are so far completed as to enable the party of the second part to receive water upon the lands above described, with interest at 7 per cent per annum, payable annually, and will properly execute a good and sufficient mortgage on the land above described, to secure the payment of said principal and interest, and will also pay an annual rental of one dollar per acre for fuel, and for the consideration above set out; provided, the lands are so situated as to be readily watered from the said main canal or laterals.
The said party of the first part hereby undertakes to construct and build said canal and laterals, or to procure the same to be constructed and built, and to put water upon the lands described, and on the terms and for the consideration above set out; provided, the lands are so situated as to be readily watered from the said main canal or laterals.
It is mutually agreed that all the covenants and agreements herein contained shall extend to and be binding upon the successors or assigns of the party of the first part, and upon the heirs, executors, administrators and assigns of the part. of the second part.