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Sanford Parker was over from Spencer Monday.

Mrs. Lee Hewitt, of Ewing, was in the city Tuesday night, the guest of Patrick Clear's family.

The Misses Kate and Mattie Mann gave a very pleasant little dancing party last Saturday night.

Rev. C. H. Burleigh, of Atkinson, will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday, morning and evening.

Joe Mann came over from Spencer Sunday, returning Monday, accompanied by her sister, Miss Kate.

Harry Mathews passed through O'Neill Tuesday night on his way home from the St. Louis convention.

Miss Maud Gillespie went down to Neligh Wednesday morning to attend the normal school during the summer.

Senator Jewett, of Broken Bow, was in the city last Sunday. Mr. Jewett is a candidate for the nomination for state treasurer.

Mrs. W. J. Dobbs is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. H. J. Hascombe, of Alhambra, California, who arrived in the city last week.

Twenty-eight more woodmen of George Washington lodge, Boyd county, were taken to Omaha Friday for cutting government timber.

The Short Line will sell one-fare excursion tickets, to any point on their line, July 3 and 4, good returning until and including July 5.

A music holder belonging to the band was lost at the entertainment Wednesday evening at McCafferty's hall. Fluder will please leave same at this office.

Sam Barnard has leased the Thompson restaurant building and will thoroughly renovate it. He will be glad to see his many friends who need anything in his line.

The chairman of the republican senatorial delegation writes THE FRONTIER that the name of A. C. Parnell, on the delegation, should have read, A. C. Powell.

Miss Lawrence's class recital at the opera-house Tuesday evening was very successful and highly appreciated by the audience. A number of her Ewing class were on the program.

Miss Teresa Spittler, of Ewing, visited in the city Tuesday and Wednesday, the guest of Mrs. J. J. King. She went to Atkinson Wednesday evening for a week's visit with friends.

Mrs. Gibbons arrived in O'Neill last Tuesday from Montana. She came for the purpose of looking after some business matters. Mrs. Gibbons says the family are doing nicely in their new home.

Stuart Ledger: The selection of John Skirving as chairman of the county central committee was a happy thought. He is especially qualified for doing effective campaign work. He is gifted in that direction.

During the wind storm here Friday night two box cars granted themselves the right of way east and went on a little excursion. Propelled by the strong wind they jumped from the siding to the main track and started down the road. One of them stopped at Stafford and the other at Ewing, twenty miles away.

R. E. French, custodian of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter, and H. Williams, of Kearney, were in the city last Friday to assist Garfield Chapter No. 45 in conferring the Royal Arch degree upon a trio of candidates. After the work of initiation the lodge partook of a banquet at the Hotel Evans.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "James Russell Airdrie has purchased from his cousin, John Russell, of Holt county, Neb., his estate at Eastfield in the Parish of New Monkland, Lanarkshire. The estate has been in the possession of the Russell family for three centuries and has descended regularly from father to son."

The Boston Comic Opera Company of eighteen people will be at the opera-house, Monday evening, June 29, in Mascot, a guaranteed attraction. Elegant wardrobe and special scenery. Do not fail to see them. They will arrive Sunday night. Seats on sale at the usual place. Sale opens Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Doors open at 8; curtain rises at 9.

The F. E. and M. V. road served notice on the board of supervisors this week calling attention to the law which says that they cannot make a tax levy of more than 15 mills for all purposes. Heretofore it has been the custom to make a levy of that amount in addition to the township levies, which was also done this year. The road will probably take the matter into court and some of the supervisors are of the opinion that it will win.

Tom Campbell opened up his saloon in the Critic building Monday. The rooms have been nicely refitted inside and make very inviting quarters.

Elmer Allison was down from Atkinson Monday. Mr. Allison says Atkinson republicans are well pleased with the nomination of McKinley and will organize a McKinley club at once. This is something O'Neill ought to do.

The entertainment given by the ladies of the Catholic church at McCafferty's hall, last evening, was a very pleasant affair. One of the pleasing features was the merchants' carnival parade which took place about 8:30. Some of the banners were very pretty, but owing to a strong wind which was blowing the procession could not start until late and the banners had to be carried so low that it was almost impossible for the spectators to get a good view of them. Taken all through it was a very unique and interesting entertainment. The banners will be used in the parade on July 4.

Walt Mason: A man at O'Neill, whose name has escaped us, after a severe struggle, has invented a contrivance that will fill a long felt want. It is a tobacco box with a time lock on it. The prime object of the inventor was to produce an affair that would assist the tobacco-user to swear off, and it is easy to see how correctly he figured. But this new tobacco box will be a boon in other ways. The man who keeps a supply of tobacco on hand knows how annoying it is to have ladies and gentlemen approaching him every half hour, saying: "Give me a chew." When the chronic tobacco borrower approaches you for a chew, you can flash out your glittering box, with its patent lock, and say: "I'd gladly accommodate you, but this blazed box won't open until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning; if you will wait until then, I'll give you a chew."

DEATH OF MRS. ADAM. The following account of the death of Mrs. Adam is taken from the Fitzgerald, (Ga.) Leader, date of June 18:

Died, in this city last Friday evening, Mrs. Mae Adam, aged 43 years. The death of this lovable and amiable woman falls with crushing weight on those who know her best and loved her most. Scarcely a week previous her aged and invalid mother died and was buried. We are not fully advised as to the cause of her death, but from her husband we learn it was heart disease, caused by constant care of her mother and loss of sleep, together with her journey to and from the depot through the hot sun the day before she was taken sick. We deeply sympathize with the family in their sorrow, trusting that God's hovering angel will watch over them with healing wing. The funeral took place Saturday afternoon, the services being conducted by Rev. Watson.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING. In the interest of schools, and to secure correct and prompt reports, I desire to call your attention to certain dates and legal provisions which may aid you in your duties:

IMPORTANT DATES. School census from June 19 to 29, 1896. Annual meeting, Monday, June 29, '96. School year begins Monday, July 13, '96. New officers assume charge on July 13. Officers' acceptance filed by July 9.

IMPORTANT REPORTS, FOUR IN ALL. First—Director's report, itemized and complete, must be read and passed on at the annual meeting and sent or delivered at once to the county superintendent in order to give him time to finish his state report before the required legal date. Totals under "receipts" and "expenditures" must balance.

Second—Census report must contain the names of all persons between five and twenty-one years, whether married or single. Carelessness in taking this report lessens your amount of state money.

Third—duplicate certificate of taxes levied should be sent to the county superintendent.

Fourth—The certificate of tax levied would better be signed at close of annual meeting and delivered or mailed at once to the county clerk, or to the county superintendent, who will deliver it to the county clerk.

The school law says that the district treasurer "shall present to the district at each annual meeting a report in writing" of all moneys received and disbursed, and read the same at that time. The director, treasurer and moderator should meet before the annual meeting and compare records of all orders issued.

According to law all schools should be closed during the Teachers' Institute, which will begin July 20 and continue two weeks. All who teach in the county during the year are required to attend unless excused on account of attending some summer school or normal school at the time of the institute. School officers are cordially invited to attend.

Those desiring to be transferred to nearer district for school purposes for the ensuing year must fill out the transfer blank and send to the county superintendent not later than the date of the

annual meeting. The director can furnish blank or it can be had at this office. Respectfully,
W. R. JACKSON,
County Superintendent.

SMALL FRUITS AND BIRDS. Such might have been the title to 1896 volume of the reports of the Nebraska State Horticultural Society which has just reached this office.

The present volume is the third issued under the plan of giving, each year, all the information obtainable on some one or more topics.

The articles in this number treat of some of the three subjects, "The Small Fruits," "Irrigation as applied to Fruits" or "The Birds of Nebraska."

Some of the leading articles may be briefly mentioned, in order that an idea may be given of the very valuable and really interesting matter that has been gathered together for this volume.

Under the topic "Small Fruits" are papers on "Preparation of Soil for Orchard and Garden Work" by Peter Youngers, jr.; "Growing Small Fruits by Irrigation," by J. W. Stevenson; "The Botany of the Strawberry," by Prof. Charles E. Bessey; "The Botany of the Bush Fruits," by Prof. Fred W. Card, with many other valuable contributions.

Under the head "Irrigation" are papers by some of the most practical men in the state, and under both the heads mentioned is much valuable discussion.

Perhaps the most attractive paper ever issued by any of the state societies is the exhaustive one on "The Birds of Nebraska," by Prof. Lawrence Bruner, of the University of Nebraska. Professor Bruner has been a careful and enthusiastic observer of birds in the state for twenty-five years, and the hundred and thirty pages of his part of this report are entirely filled with notes upon the 416 species and sub-species which he has taken, or which has been reported by reliable observers.

In the whole of America north of Mexico are found only 780 species, from which it will be seen that with birds, as with plants, Nebraska is peculiarly favored in the number native to her. It is likely that no other state has as many species.

The state pays for the printing of the volume, which contains 800 pages, and is bound in cloth. It is sent prepaid, upon receipt of 15 cents. Of the reports sent out by the society the following may be had upon receipt of the amount named:

1885-6—General matter, 150 pages, 6 cents.

1894—The Apple, 800 pages, 15 cents.

1895—The Plum, Cherry and Grape, 400 pages, 15 cents.

1896—The Small Fruits and Birds, 300 pages, 15 cents.

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THE PROGRAM:

- National salute at sunrise.
- 10 a. m. reception of delegates.
- 10:30. Grand parade headed by O'Neill silver cornet band, followed by the Columbian chariot, civic societies, citizens in carriages and O'Neill fire department.
- 11:00. Music by the glee club.
- 11:15. Address of welcome by Mayor Murphy.
- Reading Declaration of Independence.
- Oration of the day by Gen. Kelley.
- Dinner.
- 1:30. Calthumpian parade.
- SPORTS.
- Foot race, 100 yards, free for all, first prize \$3, second \$2.
- Boys' race under 16 years, 100 yards, first prize \$1, second 50 cents.
- Girls' race, free for all, 50 yards, first prize \$3, second \$2.
- Bicycle race, single dash 2 miles, first prize diamond pin, second \$5 bicycle pants, third cyclometer. L. A. W. rules to govern.
- Tug of war: Ten men, all to be selected from one township. Rope to be paid for out of money, \$10.
- Egg race, first prize \$2, second \$1.
- Wheelbarrow race \$1.
- Back race \$1.
- No entrance fee will be charged for any of the above contests, but all contestants are required to give their names to Ed. F. Gallagher, superintendent of sports, before 12 o'clock noon.
- 7:30 Bicycle parade.
- 9:00 The grandest display of fireworks ever witnessed in O'Neill.

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