## O'NEILL, HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA, DECEMBER 24, 1896.

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Items of Interest Told As They Are Told to Us.

WHEN AND HOW IT HAPPENED

Local Happenings Portrayed For General Edification and Amusement.

What a day for turkeys-tomorrow.

Joe Hunter was in from Willowdale

N. C. Johnson was up from Swan last

A. J. Clark was up from Inman yesterday. Nels P. Gibson, of Minneola was

caller this morning. Thomas Carlon was in Ewing Mon-

day on legal business. O. O. Snyder had business in Sloux

City Monday and Tuesday. Hez Chambers was down from

Atkinson last Friday. Presents for the young, and the old, the great, and the small, at Corrigan's.

Dr. Gilligan spent a few days the first of the week on his farm near Jackson. Toys, toys, toys until you can't rest and then some! At Corrigan's drug

John McNichols was down from Atkinson last Friday, visiting his many friends here.

See Corrigan's stock of holiday goods and you will be pleased. Buy, and you will be satisfied.

The public schools closed yesterday, and teachers and pupils will enjoy a two

Times are not hard when the citizens of O'Neill can put up \$100 to see a boxing entertainment.

For holiday goods go to Corrigan's. He has the finest line of goods ever brought to the county.

J. E. Kearns arrived from Chicago last night, and will spend the holidays with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Testman. Harry Dowling started Sunday morn-

ing for Chicago where he will spend the holidays with his uncle and family. For teeth or photos go to Dr.

Corbett's parlors, 28rd to 80th of each Photographs 75 cents per

The O'Neill dancing club will give a social dance at the rink Wednesday evening, Dec. 30, 1896. invitation is extended to all.

Will Lowrie, who is a student in the stirred up during their sojourn. state university at Lincoln, returned home Saturday evening to eat Christmas dinner with his parents.

Malaga grapes, bananas, Mexican oranges, figs, maple sugar, etc. fine fresh goods.

O'NEILL GROCERY Co.

Joe Horrisky arrived home Monday evening from South Dakota, where he has been employed the past six months. He is looking hale and hearty.

Postoffice Inspector Swift was in the city last week checking up Postmaster Doyle. It is unnecessary to say that he found everything in good shape.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleaning the blood. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. Morris & Co.

Monday, and by paying his subscription, furnished us with the necessary "lucre" to buy a few Christmas turkeys.

WANTED-Lady or gentleman to represent a well established house. Salary \$50 per month and expenses. Address box 86, Ainsworth, Neb.

Do you appreciate a first class article of buckwheat flour? We have it. Try a sack. Also maple syrup to match. O'NEILL GROCERY CO.

It is a fixed and immutable law that have pure, rich and abundant blood.

The Daughters of Rebekah upheld their reputation as entertainers at the party given by them last Friday evening. The affair was an enjoyable one

After hearing some friends continusizes for sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Bentley has a new baker and is putting out a superior quality of breadpies and cakes. Everything is first

"What beautiful toys and presents, and so cheap!" These exclamations are heard as the people gaze upon the toys at Corrigan's. Go and see them. 28 8

Matt Coffey, who has spent the past four years in Butte City, Mont., arrived home last Friday evening, and will visit with his parents here for a few months.

O. M. Quigley, of Parker, S. D., formerly of the Hebron Register, is in the city this week, and has assisted us in getting ont this edition of THE

Don't fail to read our advertisement his week if you want to buy anything in dry goods, clothing, shoes, blankets, underwear, etc. We will save you lots ot money. J. P. MANN.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small, but effective—such are the qualities of little pills. Morris & Co.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. Morris & Co.

R. R. Dickson left yesterday morning for Osage, Is., to attend the funeral of his father, who died at 10:80 Tuesday morning at a hospital in Chicago, to which place he went a couple of months ago for medical treatment.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. Morris & Co.

We have opened up a bakery in connection with the "Little Gem" restaurant, and are now prepared to furnish the public with first-class bread, pies, cakes, cookies, or anything in the baking line at the lowest prices.

HATFIELD & THOMPSON.

A special train carrying the officials of the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley railroad, went west Tuesday afternoon. The officers spent about an hour in this city, and while here were visited by several of our representative business men, who conferred with them upon matters of mutual interest.

J. H. and Frank Welton spent the first of the week visiting old friends and bunting in the vicinity of their old stamping ground on Brush creek. They are just the particular sort of boys that heartfly enjoy a romp through the jungles and canons, and we trust the feathered tribe will be promiscuously

State Journal: The Denver Times recently contained an interesting article calling attention to the intimate relationship existing between that city and Duluth. It was emphasized that by building less than 300 miles of railroad between Julesburg and O'Neill, a shorter outlet for Denver products would be formed. This railroad would develop a large tract of Nebraska land, and would be a good thing all around. Congressman Towne is at the head of the

Exchange: It has been shown by analysis that a young lady weighing 150 pounds is composed of 96 pounds of wind, when Harry got in a few good water, 8 pounds white of egg, a little less than a pound of pure glue, 844 pounds of fat, 81 pounds of phosphate of lime, 8 ounces of sugar and starch, 7 ounces of phosphate of magnesia, and a H. C. Uhler of Emmet, was a caller little ordinary table salt. Think of it young man. That beautiful young lady few minutes to the satisfaction of all. including hoge and chickens. Look whom you worship as a pillar of unadulterated sweetness, don't contain three ounces of sugar.

Exchange: One young lady of Jolin, Kan., refuses to pay her election bet The proposition was made by her because she was so sure Bryan would be elected that she agreed to stand on her head five minutes if McKinley was elected, provided a certain young man would do likewise if Bryan was elected. She had been telling her friends what to have good sound health, one must fun it would be to hold the watch and make "Chawley" stand on his head for There is no shorter nor surer route than five minutes, but since the election she by a course of DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. has been very quiet, and now declines to pay the wager.

Silas Purdy and Gus Shrader, of Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for throughout and their friends will long the employ of the F. E. & M. V. railremember it as one of the events of the road, charging them with stealing coal to O'Neill Thursday morning and taken If you have loss of appetite, constipaally praising Chamberlain's Colic, Chol- before Judge McCutchan for trial. A era and Diarrhœa remedy, Curtis Fleck, continuance was taken until Friday nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy of Anaheim, California, purchased a morning, when the case against Purdy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric bottle of it for his own use, and is now was tried to a jury in county court. as enthusiastic over its wonderful work The jury found him not guilty, and the and strength are guaranted by its use. against Shrader.

Plattemouth News: It is pretty cortain that there will be a change in the form of the Australian ballot in Nebraska before many more elections are held. And there should be. The average man needs a towel tied about his head when he goes into the voting booth that he may concentrate all of his mental faculties on the puzzle. The form used in Iowa is very simple. When the voter desires to cast a straight an open porous nature. In arid reballot he has only to mark a cross in a gions where the common sage of the circle at the head, each party having a plaint flourishes, there in the same soils separate column. A still greater improvement would be for each party to have an emblem and print it at the head of the ticket. In this way a child could vote as intelligently as a man.

The damage case of Mrs. Gallagher against the city of O'Neill was tried to an arbitration board consisting of M. D. Long, John J. Kelly and Chas. Wilcox, the first of the week. R. R. Dickson and Judge Roberts represented the plaintiff, while City Attorney Carlon looked after the interest of the city. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous The plaintiff alleged that in June, 1895, while coming from church, one Sunday morning, she fell on the sidewalk near Mann's store, on account of a defect in the walk, and received injuries which confined her to her bed for about aine weeks, and claimed permanent injury to her back. Some time last summ she brought suit against the city for \$1,000 damage for said injuries. Shortly before court convened, both parties agreed to submit the case to arbitration, and it was tried last week, the board deciding for the city. City Attorney Carlon is making an enviable record for himself by his management, and the care he takes in guarding the city's interests. He has looked after the interests of the tax payers of this city in three damage cases, and in these ases has been pitted against some of ablest attorneys in the northwest. but notwithstanding this fact he secured the verdict in each case. It is conceded by nearly all attorneys that it is very hard to prevent a person from ecuring a verdict against a corporation or municipality in a suit for damages, and Mr. Carlon's victories must be very gratifying to him and his many friends.

The boxing entertainment came off on schedule time at the opera house last Saturday evening, and the contestants were greeted with a crowded benee. "little" fellows, Ed Graham and Geo. Parnell donned the gloves for a three round friendly "go." It was rather tame, as Parnell, while he is the larger man, is no match for Graham, who could hop around and tap him when and where he pleased. With proper training, however, we believe that Parnell would be able to hold his own with whole surface of the field will suffice. of the important bouts was a six r sorap" between Harry Gillespie Tracy Gwin for a purse. Guy Hamilton was bottle holdlooked after Tracy. Dominick Mo-Caffrey was selected as referee. The boys showed the crowd a good time, and put up a good article of "scrap." Gwin was the aggressor all through the fight, and several times crowded Gillesgood ducks and dodges, and got out of the way. He kept away and let Gwin It should be cut as soon as the first force matters until he was nearly out of few purple blossoms are to be seen over ones that scored several points to his credit. The referee declared it a draw have become woody or toughly fibrous and divided the purse; the decision giving general satisfaction. Sam time the whole plant will be eaten with Thompson and Ed Graham then enter- avidity by your stock. In the arid retained each other and the crowd for a gions all farm stock is fattened upon it, thoroughly enjoyed by the "sports," very quick on his feet, likewise with his The quickest and surest remedy is to a man to show what he can do unless he has someone who can make it fairly interesting for him. But there is no question but what he could make some should go up against them.

### Did You Ever

Atkinson, were arrested by Sheriff your troubles? If not get a bottle now Hamilton last Thursday on a warrant and get relief. This medicine has been sworn out by Fred Hans, a detective in found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all female complaints. exerting a wonderful direct influence in from the company. They were brought giving strength and tone to the organs. tion, headache, fainting spells, or are Bitters is the medicine you need. Health as anyone can be. The 25 and 50 cent company then dismissed the case Fifty cents and \$1.00 at P. C. Corrigan's

ALYALPA CULTURE. WARRINGTON, D. O., Dec. 15, 1896. came duly, and is now reached in due course of business.

You inquire as to the culture of alfal-

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fa, saking how to successfully sow and

tions of its successful growth.

The plant flourishes best on soils of

The ground water should not come within six feet of the surface at any time; a limit insuring success in grow It the plant if from fourteen to forty feet below the surface.

The surface of an alfalfa field must e well drained, that is, rolling or sleping enough to quickly carry off all surples rain or irrigation water.

The subsoil should be an open, porous one, through which the roots of the plant can readily penetrate to the ground water below the surface. The should be, if possible, a natur plet one, but if you can irrigat ally seld this matter is of new

the will not flourish upon wet nor is situations where the water is within six feet of the tobeoils; nor will it grow to its gor upon a surface where the subimperetratable by the rects of the plant. It will not grow upon a surface without irrigation where the subsoil is made up of bein of dry sand, gravel or other materials affurding no nutriment or moissure for a depth below the surface from twelve feet to greater depth. twelve feet to greater depths. It successfully grown upon such is if you have pleasy of water to irrigate with.

Prepare the land for cowing by thorough cultivation, pulverining very mely. Sow the seed at the time you sow spring wheat in your lo Sow 26 to 30 pounds per scre, 20 weedy, now 30 pounds. Do not sow any other grain or seed with it.

saws broadcast, cover the seed a slight harrowing; a large bunch run dragged over the field in two with a deep; then, if you can, run a roller ove the field to compact its surface. This is much needed if the soil is a light one and your locality at the seeding time is

If you have the water, give the field light irrigation after the rolling. The amount of three inches in depth for the

crop should be done after each cutting, in amount three inches in depth, as before stated. Alfalfa rarely needs irrigation except in the very dry and er for Gillespie, while "Sally" Gwin hot regions of this country, but can be grown anywhere that the subsoil conditions are suited to it and the annual rainfall amounts to 12 or 15 inches. In regions where the rainfall ranges from 24 inches upwards, the plant should be cultivated upon rolling lands to insure a pie to the ropes, but Harry got in some ready draining of the surface after the

the field. If you wait until the whole field is in blossom, the stalks will then and unfit for feed, but if cut at the right Dominick McCaffrey then gave an out for the bloating of your stock when exhibition of ball punching that was first turned upon the pasture, or if they break into the fields of the plant, for after which he put the gloves on with they gorge themselves upon it at their his brother, Joe, for a two-round first feeding so that fermentation sets in "bout." For a heavy man Dominick is and runs its course with great rapidity. "dukes," as was observed by the crowd open the paunch by means of a small when he tapped Joe three times before sharp-pointed knife blade inserted in the he could get away. It is very hard for open space just in front of the hip bone and between that and the ribs on the right hand side of horned cattle. It is best to prevent such attacks by a preparatory feed of the stock for a week or of the "big boys" lay down now if he ten days before turning them into the pasture, giving them small quantities of green alfalfa at a time, and it will be well to take the stock out of the field after a short feed upon it each day for two or three days before leaving them in for all day. Very truly yours,

> CHAS. W. IRISH. Chief of Irrigation Inquiry.

NOTICE. John Lamason Post 888, G. A. R., of Page, Neb., will have a public installation of officers and a bean dinner at Page Saturday, Jan. 2, 1897. All old soldiers, and those friendly to the old soldiers, are cordially invited. The trouble will commence at 12:80. D. C. HARRISON, Adjt. W. A. BROWN,

To cure all old sores, to heal an in lent ulcer, or to speadily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witel Hazel Salve according to direct

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The old way of delivering mail by post boys compared with the moder telephone, illustrates the old tedlor methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. Morris & Co.

rigan's drug store. This place has been selected as bradquarters for all the fancy toys and Christmas goods to he distributed in this section this section. And prices-well, they are away down.

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Don't be persuaded into buying liniments without reputation or mes Chamberlain's Pain Balm costs no m and its merits have been proven by test of many years. Such letternes t following, from L. B. Bagley, Huene Cal., are constantly being received "The best remedy for pain I have ever used is Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and I say so after having used it in my family for several years." It cures rh lame back, sprains and swellings. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

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THE BEST WAY. To Sioux City is via O'Neill and th

Teacher's association to be held at Lir will sell tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip from points in Nebrasks. Call and get rates, limit of tickets, etc.

ville, Ill , says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with lagrippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but was of no avail and was given up and told 1 could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first do began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't should keep the remedy at I keep store or house without it." Get a 25 and 50 cent sizes for se free trial at Corrigan's drug store.

spectation, "but I am a surgeon and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is." retorned the other, "If it was in his big too or his ieft ear DeWitt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him.

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For the annual meeting of the st

cold than Chamberles Mr. G. Caillouette, druggist, Beavers We have used it quite it has always given or —Olagah (Ind. Ter.) C to be a certain who have need it for we have never yet

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