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Items of Interest Told As They Are Told to Us.

Local Happenings Portrayed For General Edification and Amusement.

W. E. Scott was in the city Monday. The grip is a very fashionable ailment.

L. S. Angel was over from Spencer Go to Mrs. Cress' for choice candies

John Brady was down from Atkinson claims. Monday.

Attorney Johnson was down from Stuart Monday.

The county board counted the county funds last week. Dr. A. T. Blackburn was down from

Atkinson yesterday. Mrs. C. E. Hall has resigned her posi-

tion in Mann's store. Postmaster O. B. Long, of Scotville,

was in this city Sunday. D. Dunning, of Creighton, was an

O'Neill visitor last Saturday. D. E. Horton was a Ewing representative in O'Neill Wednesday.

J. E. Allison, the popular Atkinson banker, was in O'Neill Tuesday.

Joe Dennis, Silas Rohr and A. S. Eby

were down from Dustin Tuesday For good flour, feed, or corn meal, go

to Keyes' Flour and Feed Store. 30-4

When you want fresh oysters and a good square meal go to Mrs. Cress' 31.2 F. J. Manchester and J. Mulligan, of

Amelia, were registered at the Evans last Friday. Miss Effle Adams returned to Neligh

Monday morning. where she is attending Yates college. The bachelors of the whist club entersined their friends at the Evans last

aturday evening. county Tuesday morning, where he was

called to attend Mr. Lamoureux. Leo Loggerwell was down from Celia Monday. While in the city he ordered

THE FRONTIER sent to his address. Mrs. Cress will leave this evening for

Charles a Pratt and Miss Mattie V last week by County Judge McCutchan.

For teeth or photos go to Dr Corbett's parlors, 23rd to 30th of each. month, Photographs 75 cents per

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

wife, of O'Neill, were in the city the fore part of the week attending the Murphy-Linter wedding. The Ladies Working Society will meet

with Mrs. Meals Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 10th and with Mrs. Price Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mills desire to thank their friends for assistance rendered during the sickness, death and burial of their little daughter.

Miss One Skirving has accepted a po sition in the dry goods department of J. P. Mann's store. Miss Ona will make a valuable acquisition to the force.

There is a fortune awaiting some man who will build a good hotel in O'Neill. As Donald McLean said, "We want a new hotel, but the old hotel man."

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs Mills died last Monday evening and was buried Wednesday, the remains being moted to the position of night foreman interred in the Protestant cemetery.

Editor Kautzman is confined to the house this week on account of injuries received from a fall on the pavement last week. Ice is very treacherous.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small, but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Morris & Co.

C. W. Hagensick is at Grand Island this week as a delegate to the State Camp Modern Woodmen of America,

The length of life may be increased by be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. Morris & Co

W. Krotter, H. Shank, D. Hall and W. Gill were looking after the interests of Stuart before the supervisors Tuesday on the Grand Rapids bridge case.

Nute Mullendore is now news agent on the Short Line, having purchased the business from George Blino. In a few WHEN AND HOW IT HAPPENED days he will be able to serve a "ham and," in good style.

> 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.

Chadron Journal: Judge Kinkaid is numbered among those who are financially interested in the Ragged Top gold camp. He was in Deadwood last week, the county jail. and while there purchased several

Mr. and Mrs. J. Coykendall started Monday morning for Manchester, Ia., where they go to visit Mrs. Coykendall's only sister, whom she has not seen for fifteen years. They will be absent until spring.

Charlie Merithew is confined to the house this week with the grip, and Sam Thompson is doing the baking. Meantime Dr. Gilligan is kept busy day and night, and the people are praying for Merithews' speedy recovery.

Now is the season when you want a good gun and want it cheap. I have a line of guns that cannot be beaten anywhere and am going to sell them cheap. Come early and get first choice. I also have hunting coats and sell them cheap. NEIL BRENNAN.

We understand that Mr. Lamoureux. father of Mrs. Sanford Parker, died at his home in Keya Paha county last evening, and that the remains will be brought to this city for burial. The funeral will be in charge of the Masonic lodge.

Beaver City Tribune: "Can anyone tell me why Lazarus was a beggar?" asked a teacher in one of the Sunday schools. "Why was Lazarus a beggar." she repeated sternly. "Please ma'am," replied a small boy, "he didn't advertise." And the newspaperman in the amen corner fell dead.

The program committee of the Musi cal Union are making arrangements for Dr. Gilligan returned from Keya Paha an entertainment to be given on or about February 12. The club expect this to be one of the best entertainments of the season, and are making great preparations for it. See program next

H. A. Allen, B. E. Sturdevant, C. J. Estes were granted a marriage license making a showing in favor of the Grand tracting parties, although the church field. Rapids bridge being left where it is at was filled to overflowing by those anxpresent.

Fremont Tribune: A club composed of misses between fourteen and sixteen has been a resident of O'Neill for several years of age has been organized at St. years and by her lady-like manner won of holding an irrigation fair in this city Paul for the purpose of forming an ofsensive and defensive alliance with re- life and prosperity. They left for Hot spect to matrimony. It is called The Un. Springs, their future home, Sunday eveprotected Spinsters' Club.

I have given Chamberlaine's Cough Madison Star: Dennis Murphy and Remedy a fair test and consider it one of the very best remedels for croup that I have every found. One dose has been sufficient, although I use it freely. Any cold my children contract yields very readily to this medicine. I can conscientiously recommend it for croup and colds in children-Geo. E. Wolff, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Fernandina, Fia. Sold by P. C. Corrigan.

Last Saturday we dropped into the Elkhorn Valley Bank and while there saw a \$1,000 bill. It did not look much different from a common \$1 bill, but is a rarity in this section. The bank had about \$15,000 on hand that day which we saw, and went on our way hunting the elusive news item wondering what good a bill of that size would be to an ordinary every day quill pusher.

The many friends of D. J. Carlon will be pleased to learn that he has been proat the Golden Reward mine at Deadwood, S. D., and will have a salary of \$4.00 per day. He-has been in the employ of the company less than one year. and his promotion is evidence that he is FRONTIER congratulates D. J. on his good suppers. Taken as a whole, the good fortune.

Register Harmon and Receiver Williams left Monday morning for Burwell, Neb., where they will offer for sale the old Fort Hartsuff military reservation. This tract contains about 1,200 acres, some of it very fine land, and the sale seenting Holt Camp No. 1710, of will continue from day to day, for two weeks, unless all sold sooner. The officers expect, however, that the land will ening its dangers. The majority all be taken in three or four days. ple die from lung troubles. These Clerks Dowling and Phelps are in charge their chiefs.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectatles, "but I am a surgeon and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other, "if it was in his big toe or his ieft ear DeWitt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." Morris & Co.

Maude Welton swore out a warrant for the arrest of her husband, John A. Welton, last Tuesday, alleging that she was afraid he would do her great bodily injury. He was brought before the county judge Tuesday for preliminary hearing. The judge bound him over to the district court, and fixed the bond at \$500, in default of which he is now in

Married, last Saturday evening, January 30, Earnest G. Adams to Miss Ella Davidson, Rev. E. T. George officiating. The groom is a young man who has resided here for several years, and has many friends in this city. The bride is the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Davidson, of this city, and is well known and admired by a large circle of friends. They have gone to housekeeping in the Gwinn building on Fourth street. THE FRONTIER joins hands with their many friends in wishing them ong life and prosperity.

Madison Star: At 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Catholic church, by Rev. Father Jerome, Miss Phenie Lintner and John H. Murphy, both of this city, were united in marriage. This couple is well known in our city, Miss Lintner having lived here since childhood where she has made many warm and lasting friends. Mr. Murphy has only lived in our city a few years but has numerous friends. The Star joins with their many friends wishing them a pleasant journey down the matrimonial sea.

Mr. Murphy is a brother of Mayor Murphy, of this city, and his friends in this city extend congratulations.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Frederickstown, Mo., was troubled with chronic diarrhoa for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and American but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a news paper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its continued use cured him. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Harry O. Calhoun, of Hot Springs, S. D., and Miss Zelda Baker of this city, teamsters. ious to witness the ceremony. The groom is a stranger to us, but the bride hosts of friends, who now wish her long ning.

A home talent dramatic company at Stuttgart, Ark., presented the celebrated Irish historical drama, "Robert Emmett," last week with W. D. Mathews in the title role. The local papers there give Doc. great credit for his rendition of Emmett, and say that he evidently missed his vocation, as he should be an actor. Doc. will probably throw his job press in the back yard, burn his prescription case, and organize a dramatic company. If he should decide to star it we hope that he will not neglect to visit O'Neill and allow some of his professional companions. Odie Biglin and Sam Sample et al, to witness his performance. Don't hide your light under a bushel, Doc, take the stage.

The annual ball given by the K. P.s at the rink last night, was one of the most enjoyable affairs that has taken place in this city this winter. About forty couple were present. The guests, as they arrived, were met by the reception committee, and each one presented with a buttonaire of cut flowers. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock and was continued until 3 in the morning. A bountiful supper was served at the Evans Hotel that was a credit to Mr. Evans, a valuable man to the company. THE who, by the way, is noted for serving dance will linger as a pleasant memory in the minds of those participating, while the wish will grow stronger that the boys will entertain again soon.

A few months ago, Mr. Byron Every of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted. with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle 'effected a cure. The of the office here during the absence of 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale by P. C

Incorporates the New Railroad Under the Laws of Wyoming.

LOOKS LIKE A SURE THING.

The Extension Will Bring a Boom to This Section, and O'Neill In Particular.

Sioux City Tribune: Donald McLean s still working on his Pacific Short Line project. The Salt Lake Tribune of the 26th inst. says:

"Donald McLean yesterday received from Cheyenne copies of the articles of incorporation filed with Secretary of State Charles W. Burdick there January 18, 1897, of the Wyoming Western Railway company and the Western improve-

"J. A. Van Orsdel of Laramie county, Charles Swanson of Sweetwater county, and J. G. Scott of Laramie county, are the incorporators of the railroad company, the capital of which is \$10,000,000. to build \$500 miles of road across the state; the managing directors are J. G. Hill, J. A. Van Orsdel and C. K. Bannister, the latter of Ogden.

"The Western improvement company has the same incorporators as the rail. way company, with Edward Merrill of New York and Charles Witcher of New York as directors; officers, Tom Sun, Edward Merrill, Charles Witcher. The capital stock of this company is \$10,000 .-000, and its purpose is to build and equip the railroad named in the railway incorporation's articles."

IRRIGATION NEWS.

The work of making the survey for the big ditch is now on. Thomas Berry, the engineer who will have charge of the survey, arrived last Saturday evening from Denver and left for the west end of the district Monday evening. The other members of the party, A. J. Meals, F. G. Martin, L. G. Gillespie and Wm. Mesner left last evening. Donald Campbell, the consulting engineer, wil receive 225 a day and expenses for every day actually employed. Mr. Berry will receive \$150 per month, Mr. Meals and Mr. Simer, the assistant engineers, \$75 per month and board. The other members of the party will receive \$25 per month and board, except the cook, who will be paid \$35 per month. Two teamsters and teams have also been engaged at \$2.50 per day and board for the

were married last Sunday evening at 9 The board held a meeting Monday Brook, J. R. Brown, G. W. Blake, Alex o'clock at the Presbyterian church, Rev. and J. H. Hopkins, E. F. Dowd Rushville, Neb., where she will visit Searle, J. M. Stewart and J. E. Allison, S. F. Sharpless officiating. The wed- and R. S. Hall were appointed a comof Atkinson, were in the city Tuesday. ding party consisted only of relatives mittee to procure supplies and to super-

> Upon motion J. H. Hopkins was appointed a committee to meet with the made, and it often knocks you silly just Holt County Agricultural society on February 6, to discuss the advisability that no man knoweth which is front or this fall.

> The petition of Peter Simonson and wife praying that the boundary lines of tears will downward glance when you the district be changed so as to exclude hear the urchins calling, 'Say, where did all of section 3, township 30, range 11, from the district was taken up and upon motion rejected.

It was moved, seconded and carried. that the district treasurer be allowed 5 per cent on collections under \$2,000; when the amount exceeds that, 2 per

Board adjourned to meet March 2

NOTICE OF FILING OF TOWNSHIP PLATS.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE. O'Neill, Nebraska, Jan. 18, 1897. \The public is respectfully notified that the following townships have been sur-

veyed, to-wit: Township 35 north, range 13. Township 35 north, range 14. Township 35 north, range 14. Township 35 north, range 16. Township 35 north, range 17. Township 85 north, range

Township 85 north, range 19. all west of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in the state of Nebraska, and that the official plats of the survey of said town ships will be filed in this office on Fri day, February 19, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. office will be prepared to receive applications for the entry of lands in said townships. JOHN A. HARMON,

Register. E. WILLIAMS, Receiver.

ATTENTION, WORKMEN.

The members of O'Neill Lodge No. 153 A. O. U. W., are requested to attend a meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th, at 7:30 o'clock. Busiit is necessary that you attend.

C. L. BRIGHT, Recorder.

We Ask Your Attention For a moment only, to remind you that by taking the Pacific Short Line at O'Neill you save three hours time at Sioux City, and it doesn't cost you a

cent more. Buy your tickets to O'Neill and rebuy

An exchange says that when a man takes a cigar out of his mouth to tell the editor to stop the paper, that he can't afford it; the editor may say nothing, but he things a good deal. And when he stops his paper because he hasn't time to read it, and goes down town and whittles a dry goods box for hours: the editor may say nothing, but he thinks a good deal. And when he stops his paper because a two-line item does not suit him, and pesters his neighbors by borrowing; the editor may say nothing, but he thinks a good deal. And when some business man says advertising does not pay, and then uses the entire sidewalk displaying goods, plastering them over with such attractive cards as "I am cheap," "Buy of me," etc.; the editor may say nothing, but he thinks a good

Atkinson and Stuart are having their regular semi-annual scrap. The queeion this time is not county division, but a question as to which town is going to secure the most of the Boyd county trade. The bridge across the Niobrara river at Grand Rapide is not in good shape, and the residents of western Holt want the bridge repaired. The board about ten days ago appointed a committee consisting of Moss and Hopkins to look at the bridge and see what could be done with it. The committee reported Tuesday and recommended that the bridge be moved three miles west of its present location. The report was not accepted. A delegation was down from Stuart who desired to have the bridge moved west so as to bring it three miles nearer Stuart. A. delegation was down from Atkinson and they wanted the bridge moved east about half a mile, where it was claimed the river was narrower, and a better road could be had to the table land. but would be satisfied to leave it where it is. The board postponed action on the matter and a committee was appointed to view the bridge and the proposed locations. The board will also advertise for bids for repairing the bridge in its present location, and also for its removal and erection on the proposed cite three miles west.

A tender-hearted writer in an exchange gets off the following: "When the women all wear bloomers and their Free sample bottles at P. C. Corrigan's. skirts are laid away, when their legs are no more rumors, coyly hid from light of day, when their petticoat's forgotten, with its swishing whisking swirl, and there is less demand for cotton, I'll be sorry for the girls. I'll be forry for the lasses who at school are at their books-at the foot or head of classes-I'll be sorry for their looks; for their ma's will make their trousers, and, good heavens! don't we know who were make a holy show! It is bad enough when Willie weareth pants his mother to see the youtnful blade wearing pants which is back-if he cometh or he goeth there is quite an equal 'slack.' But your Susie! O, 'tis galling, scalding you get those pants?' You will see her youthful glowing, but by no dead certain rule can you tell if she is going or is coming home from school. There'll be trouble, you'll allow, sirs, there'll be anguish for the pa's when the daughters all wear trousers that are just revamped from ma's. I am weeping as I write this, and my tears fall like pearls till I scarce can see what I'm inditing for the poor betrousered girls."

We guarrantee this to be the best Cough Syrup manufactured in the whole wide world. This is saying a great deal, but it is true. For consumption, coughs, colds, sore throat, sore chest, pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma, croup, whooping cough, and all diseases of the throat and lungs, we positively guarantee Ballard's Horehound Syrup to be without an equal on the whole face of the globe. In support of this statement we refer to every individual who has ever used it. and to every druggist who has eyer sold m., and that on and after such day this it. Such evidence is indisputable. Price 25 and 50 cents. Free sample boitles at P. C. Corrigan's.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant. but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels by adding strength and giving tone to ness of importance to be transacted, and the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50c and \$1 per bottle at Corrigan's.

To cure all old sores, to heal an indolent ulcer, or to speadily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. Morris & Co.

New Clothing.

And the best way to get you a Spring Suit. My new spring sample book is now ready for you to select yourself a nice Sping Suit out of 250 samples, and I will Guarantee you a Fit In exery respect, and the goods will be made up by First Class Tallors.

My new Spring Hate will be in stock this week, and then I will show you the Nobbiest and Best line ever offered to the trade of this city. Spring Gloves and Shoes are also among the prominent lines of my business, and you will see that I have the largest and best upto-date line in the county, and can fit anybody from A too EE.

I have a few things left of mu winter stook, such as rubbers, arctics, cloaks, shawls, blankets and underwear which I will seil at 20 per cent. off.

Respectfully Yours, P. J. M'MANUS.

The Holt County Agricultural and Fair Association will hold a special meeting Saturday, February 6, 1807, at 2 p. m. at R. R. Dickson's office, for the purpose of electing officers and hearing a report for year of 1896. Also arrangements for holding an irrigation convention in October will be discussed. Everybody attend this meeting.

W. J. Dobbs, Pres't. C. E. HALL, Sec'y.

What is a Garantee!

It is this. If you have a cough or cold, a tickling in the throat, which keeps you constantly coughing, or if you are afflicted with any chest, throat or lung trouble, whooping cough etc., and you use Ballard's Hoarhound Syrup as directed, giving it a fair trial, and no benefit is experienced we authorize our advertised agent to refund your mor on return of bottle. It never falls to give satisfaction. It promptly relieves bronchitis. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Clinton. Missouri,

Mr. A. L. Armstrong, an old druggist, and a prominent citizen of this enterprising town, says: "I sell some forty different kinds of cough medicines, but have never in my experience sold so much of any one article as I have of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. All who use it say it is the most perfect remedy for cough, cold, consumption, and all have ever tried." It is a specific for croup and whooping cough. It will relieve a cough in one minute. Contains no opiates. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed, when the languid exhausted feelings prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, constipation, dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottlle at P. C. Corrigan's Drug Store.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man. Are you bilious, consupated or troubled with jaundice, sick headache, bad taste in mouth, foul breath, coated tongue, dyspepsis, indigestion, hot dry skin, pain in back and between the ders, chills and fever, etc. If you have any of these symptoms, your liver is out of order, and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your liver does not act promptly. Herbine will cure any disorder of the liver, stomach or bowels. It has no equal as a liver medicine. Price 75 cents. Free trial bottle at P. C. Corrigan's.

Below Cost.

Until Feb. 15 we will sell you any overcoat, jacket or shawl in our stock

AT HALF PRICE except fur overcoats and capes.

SILK REMNANT SALE. 500 yards silk remnants in lengths from 1 to 7 yards at 331 to 50 per cent discount. A big line of 50, 65 and 75

cent silks reduced to 38 cents. All others in proportion. J. P. MANN.