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NEWS SANS WHISKERS

Items of Interest Told As They Are Told to Us.

WHEN AND HOW IT HAPPENED

Local Happenings Portrayed For General Edification and Amusement.

Carl Crocker was up from Ewing last Tuesday.

Prof. Cross was down from Atkinson last Monday.

Jake Herahiser was up from Norfolk Sunday.

Editor Biglin was in Sioux City Monday.

Editor Eves was down from Atkinson last Monday.

J. A. Rice, of Stuart, was an O'Neill visitor Monday.

Dick Johnson, of Stuart, was in the city last Monday.

A. C. College, of Le Mars, Ia., is in the city this week.

John Stewart, of Atkinson, was in the city last Friday.

Joe Mann was over from Spencer the first day of the week.

Ralph Evans returned from Long Pine Tuesday morning.

Rev. Gorst, of Neligh, preached in the M. E. church last Sunday.

H. W. McClure was up from Sioux City the first of the week.

Court Reporter Maher, of Chadron, was in O'Neill last Monday.

Mrs. D. H. Cronin returned from Randolph Monday evening.

R. H. Jenness passed through O'Neill Monday enroute to Omaha.

Miss Martha Smith returned from her visit to the country last Sunday.

Miss Rose Merithew visited friends in Atkinson several days last week.

Court adjourned yesterday until the regular fall term, commencing Sept. 30.

Billie Davis went over to Spencer Monday to assist in painting Joe Mann's store.

Frank Moore was in town Tuesday on business before the board of supervisors.

N. D. O'Brien, formerly of Atkinson but late of Chicago, was in O'Neill Tuesday.

Miss Mary Lorge, of Randolph, niece of Mrs. D. H. Cronin, is in the city visiting.

Mrs. F. K. Baldwin and daughter, of Atkinson, were trading in O'Neill Monday.

Messrs. Harry Dowling, Jim O'Donnell and Guy Hamilton Sundayed at Long-Pine.

Dr. Withers, Omaha painless dentist, at O'Neill again August 25 and 26, Office at Evans' hotel.

Mrs. Emma Walker went to Stuart Thursday night, from which place she will go to Bonesteel, S. D.

If you want dental work done by an experienced dentist, and at Omaha prices, wait for Dr. Withers.

Thomas Waldron was a caller last Saturday and ordered THE FRONTIER sent to his address in the future.

Judge Westover and Reporter Maher, who have been holding court here for several days, returned home last night.

We sell good flour, corn meal, graham, bran, shorts, corn, oats, etc., at gold standard prices.

LOST—On Wednesday, August 4, in O'Neill, a package of money. Finder returning same to this office will receive suitable reward.

Chadron Recorder: Miss Bee O'Donnell, niece of Roadmaster O'Donnell of this city, is visiting her uncle and Mrs. Jas. Finnegan this week.

Mrs. Thomas Shively came up from Norfolk Friday evening to attend the funeral of Louis Herahiser Saturday. She returned home Monday morning.

The Misses Nina and Grace Ryan returned last Friday morning from Deadwood, S. D., where they had been visiting relatives the past two months.

DeWitt C. Clark, city clerk of Le Mars, Ia., was in the city Monday and Tuesday on business before the land office. He returned home Wednesday morning.

John Davidson, of Dorsey, who has been visiting in England for the past two months, arrived home Monday evening. He brought a number of his O'Neill friends souvenirs from the old country in the shape of genuine black-thorn shillalabs.

16 to 20 is all I can be here during August. In September it will be by my old dates, 23 to 30. A. H. CORBETT.

Remember Dr. Withers' dates. He will make a set of teeth for \$5, extract teeth without pain, do all kinds of filling and crown work at very reasonable rates.

J. C. Livingston returned to his home at Newton, Ia., Tuesday morning after a two week's visit with his nephew, Frank Bain. Mr. Livingston is well pleased with Holt county.

C. G. Perkins, of Onawa, Ia., father of Mrs. E. I. Herahiser, arrived in the city last Friday evening and visited his daughter over Sunday. He returned home Monday morning.

Two picked nines will contest for supremacy on the ball grounds next Friday afternoon. Game will be called at 4 o'clock and it promises to be an exciting and interesting one.

Chadron Recorder: Miss Tess Harrington, of O'Neill, sister of M. F. Harrington, the celebrated criminal lawyer of that city, came up Monday morning and is visiting with Mrs. J. W. Finnegan.

You may hunt the world over and you will not find another medicine equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. It is pleasant, safe and reliable. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Reports from the O'Neillites up at Long Pine are to the effect that they are having a high old time. Sir Isaac Walton, W. T. Evans, has distinguished himself by catching thirty-two trout, and he didn't seine 'em either.

The marshal put in a public drinking fountain at the First National bank corner last Saturday. This is something that has been needed for a long time, and is greatly appreciated by the thirty on these hot days.

County Judge McCutchan last week granted a marriage license to Francis A. Smith, of Plano, Ia., and Mary A. Mann, of Caladonia, Ia. They were married Saturday morning in the tent by Rev. F. J. Gortz, one of the Free Methodist ministers.

Will O'Connor returned from Sioux City Tuesday evening, where he has been the past three weeks receiving treatment for his eye. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he will suffer no ill effects from the accident which befell him a few weeks ago.

Charles Moulton, who lives about seven miles south of Atkinson, brought into our office last Saturday as fine a sample of millet as we have seen for a long time. It stands about four feet high and is well headed out. And the beauty of it is, he has a lot of it.

Louis, the two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herahiser, died last Thursday evening after an illness of about two weeks with cholera infantum. The funeral was held Saturday and was attended by a large number of the friends of the family, several coming up from Norfolk.

State Journal: There is a fine opening in the Klondyke country for young women, but they must be practical and wholesome young people. A miner describes the needs of Alaska as fewer mosquitoes, a better climate and more women who can chop wood and fry meat.

"Last summer one of our grand-children was sick with a severe bowel trouble," says Mrs. E. G. Gregory, of Fredericktown, Mo. "Our doctor's remedy had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief." For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

What has become of all the people who were having sale bills printed and were leaving the country? We have not printed a sale bill for over a year, and have not seen any posted up. It looks to a man up a tree, as though the people had made up their minds that Holt county was a good place to live in.

Just because of a two line local that appeared in last week's FRONTIER, a young lady of this city don't like us any more. Well, such is the life of a news paper man. If you do give 'em a local they get mad, and if you don't give 'em a local their madder. We suppose we'll have to stand it, but it's mighty herrowin' to our constitution.

Fremont Tribune: About sixty persons were present at the Holt county picnic, which was held in Hawthorne's grove Saturday, and spent a delightful day. It was decided to hold a picnic annually to keep the ties of friendship closer. J. B. Archard was elected president and J. H. Riggs secretary. The vice presidents were re-elected.

TEACHERS, DON'T FAIL!! To call upon Herahiser & Gilligan and see their new line of tablets and school supplies. The prices are right.

CHEAPER THAN EVER! Tablets and other school supplies. Just what you need for the institute, at Herahiser & Gilligan's.

Pres. Clemmens, of the Fremont Normal college, will lecture to the teachers at the court-house on the evening of August 18; and Pres. Beattie, of the Nebraska State Normal, will lecture on the 19th. These men rank among the leaders in educational thought in Nebraska, and all friends of education should not fail to hear them.

H. A. Allen passed through O'Neill Monday on his way to Ewing. He is doing a good deal of driving over the county, and he says the people are all of one mind—clean the court-house of the pop "ring" that now occupies it. And that is just what the republicans propose doing, and they are going to do it by putting up the best men the party affords.

Before making your fall purchases get prices on all kinds of goods at the Sullivan Mercantile and Commission company's store. We are the only house in Nebraska that handles dry goods, boots, shoes and clothing on commission, and we sell everything for cash. Call at our store and we will convince you that our prices are right.

SULLIVAN MERCANTILE AND COMMISSION CO. 5-3

The Holt County Agricultural and Fair association will hold its annual fair in this city on October 4, 5, 6 and 7. The officers of the association will spare no pains or expense to make this the best fair ever held in the county, and they should be encouraged by the farmers. A good fair will do more to advance and bring into prominence the resources of this county than any other agency, and the officers of the association should be given a helping hand.

The hitherto invincible kid nine met their Waterloo on the diamond last Sunday afternoon at the hands of a picked up nine. They were slated to play the court-house "gang," but only a few of the boys appeared, so the vacancies were filled by outsiders. Notwithstanding the fact that the umpire, John Weekes, was intimidated before the game commenced by a threat to lock him up in the cooler all night if the kids were defeated, he had to decide the game in favor of the big fellows at the ratio of 22 to 6.

A lady in Beaver Falls, Pa., heard a peculiar noise on the back porch of her residence and went out to investigate, says the World-Herald. She found that her son, aged 7, had inserted the tube of a bicycle pump in the mouth of her 1-year old boy and was filling him full of wind as fast as he could work the pump handle. The infant was unconscious, and its little stomach was inflated like a balloon. The mother pulled the tube from the child's mouth, and the air followed with a sharp sound like the exhaust of an air brake on a railway train. The baby recovered.

In the case of O. O. Snyder, receiver, vs. the Quincy National Bank wherein Mr. Snyder sought to recover money on notes sent here for collection by the Quincy Bank, he compelled the Quincy Bank to make a complete showing in open court of all the notes bought of the Holt County Bank, and while a part of the notes they held are listed as a part of the assets of the Holt County Bank they satisfied the court that they had bought and paid for every note held by them and fully exonerated the Quincy Bank in the matter.

Do you know that you can get a first class business or dress suit made to order by first-class tailors at \$14.00, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00 or \$20.00. We represent two of the best houses in America and can show you over 200 samples at above prices. At these figures nearly every one can afford to wear late style, good fitting well made suits, but for those who wish cheaper we will soon be able to show a line of ready made suits from \$5.00 to \$10.00 that will be a surprise to you and convince you can buy as cheap as you can by sending away for your goods and get better fits and all-round satisfaction.

J. P. MANN.

Small boys playing with some matches started an incipient blaze in a pile of refuse, in the north part of town, last Sunday evening, that called out the fire department—or a small part of it, only about half a dozen responding to the call. And right here we want to call attention to the fact that using the fire alarm bell as a curfew bell is very bad practice. The fire alarm was turned in Sunday evening at about 8:30, and very few firemen paid any attention to it thinking it was curfew. On account of the bell being rung so often they are getting so used to hearing it that they pay no attention to it. There should be some other means provided for sounding the curfew besides ringing the fire bell. The fire bell should only be rung when there is a fire.

The Sullivan Mercantile Co. has just received the largest invoice of goods this week that has come to O'Neill for many a day. Our store is a sight worth seeing, the goods are piled in all directions. These goods are direct from the mills and manufacturers for which we are agent and we will sell them at manufacturer's prices. You can save money by getting our prices before sending away for your goods. We have all kinds of dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes, hats and caps. We handle all these goods on commission, and therefore are compelled to sell for cash, but you will save money by getting our prices on your fall bills. When in O'Neill come in and see our stock.

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The concert given by the Scandinavian Sisters at the opera-house last Friday evening was well attended and fully appreciated by all present. The singing was good, and the songs were hailed with delight as old acquaintances whom we had met several years ago, while the eloquent work by Mr. Turner brought tears to our eyes, and carried us back to "our happy boyhood days down on the farm" when we stood up in a row with our toes to a crack and read those same pieces out of McGuffey's Fourth reader. While it created joy in our hearts to once again meet those old acquaintances whom we had nearly forgotten, still the joy was not untinged with sorrow as we recalled the flight of years and thought how soon too our whiskers would be gray.

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STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION. The Nebraska State Sunday school convention will be held at Norfolk September 7-9, 1897.

Every Sunday school in the state is entitled to three delegates, including its superintendent and pastor. Entertainment will be provided for all delegates presenting proper credentials. Reduced rates of one and one-third fare have been granted by all railroads in Nebraska.

We are glad to announce that Prof. H. M. Hamill, field worker for the international committee, will be with us again this year to instruct in normal work. The program promises to be one of unusual interest to Sunday school workers in every department.

For copy of program or blank credentials, address,

E. J. WRIGHTMAN, Secretary, York, Neb.

Judge Westover held court in O'Neill three days this week. In the case of O. O. Snyder, receiver of the Holt County bank, against J. H. Huddleson, of Lincoln, Neb., to recover certain notes or money collected therefrom, Mr. Snyder scored a victory, as he gained the suit, and the following order was made by Judge Westover: "Now on this 11th day of August, 1897, this cause coming on to be heard upon the petition of the receiver and the answer of J. A. Huddleson under the order of the supreme court heretofore made in the cause, came the defendant J. A. Huddleson by E. H. Benedict his attorney and objected to the jurisdiction of the court and filed such objection in writing, and the court being fully advised in the premises does overrule such objection, to which ruling and order the defendant excepts, thereupon the cause came on for hearing upon the petition of the receiver, the answer of J. A. Huddleson and the evidence with a reporter, and the court having heard the evidence offered and produced by each party does find that J. A. Huddleson received of the assets of the Holt county bank notes and school orders of the value of fourteen hundred dollars, and the court does further find, that the said J. A. Huddleson never paid the Holt County bank for said notes and school orders any sum whatever, but that the same are still the property of said Holt County bank. The court further finds that said notes are as follows: One note given by a man named Homan, for \$600; one note given by William Knollkemper for \$500, and one note by Douglas Gandy for \$25. And school orders to the amount of \$275, all of which is the property of the Holt County bank. It is therefore considered, ordered and adjudged by the said court that the said J. A. Huddleson deliver to the receiver, O. O. Snyder, the said notes, to wit: The note of Homan for \$600, the note of William Knollkemper for \$500, and the note of Douglas Gandy for \$25, and school orders to the amount of \$275, within sixty days from this date, and that if the said J. A. Huddleson shall fail to deliver the said notes and school orders as above specified within the time therein fixed, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that the said J. A. Huddleson pay to the said O. O. Snyder, receiver of the Holt County bank, the sum of \$1400, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the 10th day of July, 1893, and that he pay the costs of this proceeding."

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RESOLUTIONS. At a meeting of Eden Rebekah lodge No. 41, I. O. O. F., held August 10, 1897, the following resolutions were adopted: Again an all wise and loving Father, who has said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven," has gathered into his arms another of the fairest flowers and taken from the fond parents, brother and sisters and loving friends, little Lewis Herahiser, thereby severing a heart string on earth that only His mercy can heal. Therefore fully realizing the sorrow and agony this removal has caused, and as a slight token of our friendship and love, be it

Resolved, That we as a lodge express, and do hereby tender, our beloved sister, Ada Herahiser, our heartfelt sympathy in this, her sad hour of bereavement, and would recommend her to the Father who has said, "Whom He loveth He chasteneth," and who alone can soothe her aching heart.

"He was dear to us here, they will christen him yonder; Our home has one less, but the Father's one more;

The rough way of life loses one weary pilgrim, One more walks in light on the evergreen shore.

"There, is gladness for grieving; there, welcome for weeping.

One more for the gain and one less from the cross.

One more for the singing, one less for the sighing.

One more for the crown and one less for the cross.

"Gone from the woe and the weeping of mortal,

Gone to the city where sorrow ne'er comes, Gone the dark way through the grave's gloomy portals,

Gone—but only gone home."

ALBERTA M. UTTLEY.

ROSE KINCH.

LUCIE PFUND.

COLONEL BATES INJURED. State Journal, Aug. 9: This morning about 1 o'clock, O. C. Bates fell from a second story window to the plank sidewalk below and was seriously injured, breaking both wrists and throwing his left elbow out of joint and probably injuring himself internally to such an extent that his recovery is considered very doubtful. Mr. Bates was sitting by the open window smoking when his wife retired, but before long she heard his pipe drop to the floor, and knowing he had gone to sleep she called and asked him if he had not better go to bed. She heard the chair move as he roused and then heard him fall. Mr. Bates is over sixty years of age and is a printer by trade.

NOTICE FOR REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Notice is hereby given that the republican electors of Grattan township are requested to meet in caucus in the court-house in O'Neill, at 8 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 21, 1897, for the purpose of electing four delegates to attend the republican county convention to be held at O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897.

J. L. MACK, Republican Committeeman for Grattan Township.

The electors of the First ward are requested to meet in caucus at Benedict's office Friday, August 20, at 8 p. m. for the purpose of electing three delegates to attend the republican county convention to be held in O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897.

C. W. HAGENSICK, Committeeman for First Ward.

The electors of the Second ward are requested to meet in caucus at Brennan's store Friday, August 20, at 8 p. m. for the purpose of electing three delegates to attend the republican county convention to be held in O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897.

E. S. KINCH, Committeeman for Second Ward.

The electors of the Third ward are requested to meet in caucus at the city pump house Friday, August 20, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing five delegates to attend the republican county convention to be held in O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897.

C. E. HALL, Committeeman for Third Ward.

Notice is hereby given that the republican electors of Shields township are requested to meet in caucus at school house No. 37, at 8 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 21, 1897, for the purpose of electing three delegates to attend the republican county convention to be held at O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897, and to nominate a township ticket.

H. A. POLK, Republican Committeeman for Shields Township.

Notice is hereby given that the republican committeemen in the different townships in the Sixth supervisor district are requested to call a caucus in their respective townships on Saturday, August 21, 1897, for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the republican convention for the purpose of nominating a supervisor for said district. The date of said convention to be set at some future date by the committeemen of said district.

T. B. MARINE, Chairman Sixth Supervisor District.

Notice is hereby given that the republican electors of Paddock township are requested to meet in caucus at the town hall at three o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 21, 1897, for the purpose of electing five delegates to attend the republican county convention, to be held at O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897.

R. E. BOWDEN, Republican Committeeman for Paddock Township.

Notice is hereby given that the republican electors of Steel Creek township are requested to meet in caucus at the Dorsey school house at 3 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 21, 1897, for the purpose of electing three delegates to attend the republican county convention to be held at O'Neill, Neb., on August 23, 1897, and to elect delegates to attend a convention, to be held at some future date, for the purpose of placing in nomination a supervisor for the Second district. Also to nominate a township ticket.

WILL CARSON, Republican Committeeman for Steel Creek Township.

NOTICE FARMERS. H. W. Campbell will lecture on the method of the Campbell Soil Culture at the court house in O'Neill, August 13, 1897, afternoon and evening. It is desired that all farmers attend. Come prepared to ask questions.

W. J. DOBBS, Agent F. E. and M. V. Ry.

INSTITUTE. The Holt county teachers' institute will commence in O'Neill on Monday, August 16, and continue for two weeks. The annual examination will be held on Friday, and Saturday, August 13 and 14, in the high school building. All those intending to teach this year are earnestly requested to attend.

J. C. MORROW, County Superintendent.