

ATKINSON NEWS.

VERNON McDONALD, Editor.

J. M. Holmes is quite sick.
Mrs. Foot has been quite sick.
J. F. Brady returned from Chicago yesterday.
M. F. Harrington, of O'Neill, is in town today.
Mrs. Fred Swingle went to O'Neill Monday morning.
R. H. Jenness left for Omaha Monday for a few days stay.
Miss Florence McDonald returned from Fremont Sunday.
Mrs. Henry Pruss left this morning for a visit at Carroll, Ia.
Dr. J. L. McDonald returned Sunday from a short trip to Omaha.
Cyrus Sexton has been on the sick list but is now improving.
Miss Rose Merithew, of O'Neill, is visiting her Atkinson friends this week.
We had a fine rain Sunday evening, which insures a fine crop in the vicinity of Atkinson.
Mrs. R. H. Jenness and family arrived home Saturday. She reports having had a very pleasant visit.
The poster social at S. D. Orcutt's last night was quite a success. Lazelle Sturdevant carried off first prize.
The North Nebraska game and fish protective association will hold a meeting at Atkinson on Thursday evening, Aug. 19.
Mrs. F. K. Baldwin accompanied her mother to Chicago this morning. She took the children with her, which leaves "Baldy" all alone.
J. E. Allison will probably go to Humphrey, Neb., in the near future to accept the management of a lumber yard at that place.
C. J. Wilson received five young alligators from Florida and they are now on exhibition in one of the show windows of his drug store.
Miss Pearl Burleson and Miss Ina Orcutt gave a party at the home of the latter last Friday evening. All present report an exceptionally good time.
Mrs. D. G. Murphy, Miss Ethel Morse and Will Murphy started on a drive to Creighton Saturday, where they will visit two or three days before starting back.
H. S. Shutts has sold his scales that were in front of his place of business on Main street, to Nick Wedgie, who has moved them to his farm northwest of town.
James Johnson, who has been visiting with his father, Col. B. W. Johnson, returned to California Tuesday. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. B. W. Johnson, who expects to visit in that state for a while.
The gun club has received word from enough shooters to know that there will be a good list of entries in their tournament which will be held Aug. 18 and 19. The boys are making every effort to have the shoot a success, and there is no question but that it will be. Everyone interested in shooting should turn out.

Bix, in State Journal: The accident that befell O. C. Bates, of Atkinson, recalls again the history of his long literary in country journalism. It was thirty-one years ago that he founded the Northern Vindicator at Estherville, Ia., and by the originality of his writings gave it much more than a state wide reputation. He coined the word "blizzard" to designate the storms of wind and snow peculiar to that then barren and desolate region. He left Estherville the year that Samuel J. Tilden was elected president, and has since edited various papers in southern Iowa and elsewhere. He finally came to Nebraska to renew his youth, and has spoiled his prospects by falling out of a two-story window and breaking both wrists.
Monday morning, about 1 o'clock, O. C. Bates was seriously injured by falling from an open second story window of the Nightingale brick building on Main street to the plank sidewalk below, a distance of about fifteen feet. Both of his wrists were broken, his left elbow was thrown out of joint, and he was severely bruised and may be seriously injured internally, although it is impossible to tell as yet. Before retiring Sunday night Mr. Bates placed a chair up to the window and sat down where he could get the benefit of a cool breeze, telling his wife that he was going to take a smoke before he went to bed. Some time after Mrs. Bates was awakened by hearing his pipe drop to the floor, and knowing that he had gone to sleep in the chair she called and asked if he had not better go to bed. She heard the chair move as he roused in response to her call, and then heard him fall, but thought it was only to the floor until she went to the window and saw him lying on the sidewalk below. Night-watch Humpal was promptly on the scene and soon summoned assistance, and Mr. Bates was carried up to his room and Dr. Blackburn summoned at

once. Mr. Bates fell with enough force to break a two inch plank in the sidewalk where he struck, and as he is over sixty years of age and rather heavy it is a miracle that he was not killed instantly. He must have fallen through the window while he was still asleep, as he says he had no recollection of anything until he felt himself falling. Mr. Bates is a newspaper man and is quite prominently known over the state. Up to the present time he is doing as well as could be expected, and it is to be hoped that his injuries will not prove fatal and that his recovery may be speedy.

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NOTICE

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss
HOLT COUNTY.

In County Court:

Notice is hereby given that, petition having been filed in the county court of Holt county, Nebraska, for the appointment of an administrator to the estate of Louis Stuckel, deceased, late of said county, the same is set for hearing at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, the 14th day of August, 1897, at the office of the county judge, in O'Neill, in said county, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate may appear and be heard concerning said appointment.

Given under my hand and official seal this 8th day of July, 1897.

[SEAL] G. A. MCCUTCHAN,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO REDEEM.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified, that on the eighth day of November, 1886, H. Emerson purchased at public tax sale for the delinquent taxes for the year 1884, the land described below situated in Holt county, Nebraska, viz:

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 17, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Frank Akin.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 5, 30 range 11, taxed in name of John Barrett.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 12, 30 range 11, taxed in name of John Skirving.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22, 30 range 11, taxed in name of C. A. Whiting.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 35, 30 range 11, taxed in name of H. M. Dalley.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 3, 30 range 11, taxed in name of M. J. G. Sumner.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 6, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Robert H. James.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 13, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Union Trust Co.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21, 30 range 11, taxed in name of L. C. Edwards.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 23, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Nelson Hartson.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 24, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Nelson Hartson.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 27, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Tim Dwyer.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 28, 30 range 11, taxed in name of M. P. Brennan.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 33, 30 range 11, taxed in name of William F. Wiley.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 11, 30 range 12, taxed in name of Francis C. Worley.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 6, 30 range 12, taxed in name of Annie A. Keeley.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 12, 30 range 12, taxed in name of H. Hannehan.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 13, 30 range 12, taxed in name of John McBride.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 19, 30 range 12, taxed in name of O. S. Bartholomew.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 30, 30 range 12, taxed in name of Union Trust Co.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 27, 30 range 12, taxed in name of J. P. O'Donnell.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 28, 30 range 12, taxed in name of P. J. Vaughn.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ and NW $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 17, 30 range 12, taxed in name of Thomas Cleary.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21, 30 range 12, taxed in name of Annie Jennings.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22, 30 range 12, taxed in name of Annie Gallagher.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 4, 30 range 13, taxed in name of Union Trust Co.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 14, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 15, 30 range 13, taxed in name of Frank Westerschell.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21, 30 range 13, taxed in name of J. M. Whisenand.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 23, 30 range 13, taxed in name of E. Henderson.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 6, 30 range 14, taxed in name of J. W. Gould.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 11, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Henry T. Nichols.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 14, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Danford Taylor.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 14, 30 range 14, taxed in name of H. Fullerton.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 18, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Edward R. Sliser.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 23, 30 range 14, taxed in name of W. H. Weeks.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Thaddeus Weeks.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 25, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Mrs. Brakey.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 26, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Adonias W. Miller.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 30, 30 range 14, taxed in name of Hiram Beebe.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 24, 30 range 14, taxed in name of John Reymeyer.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 3, 30 range 10, taxed in name of Alliance Trust Co.

N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 2, 30 range 10, taxed in name of W. W. Whitehill.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 4, 30 range 10, taxed in name of Union Trust Co.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 21, 30 range 10, taxed in name of Col. and U. S. Mtg. Co.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 10, 30 range 10, taxed in name of J. W. Lockhart.

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 13, 30 range 10, taxed in name of Joseph Jackson.

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22, 30 range 10, taxed in name of William Adams.

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Nellie Edwards.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 24, 30 range 11, taxed in name of D. L. Pond.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 35, 30 range 11, taxed in name of Jacob Kosick.

The tax sale certificates covering all of above described land have been sold and assigned to the undersigned, T. C. Cannon, who is the present owner and holder thereof. The time of redemption from each of said tax sales will expire on the eighth day of November, 1897.

33 T. C. CANNON.

In the district court of Holt county, Nebraska.
John J. McCafferty, Neil Brennan, J. P. Mann, M. P. Kinkaid, Henry Waterman, Administrator of the estate of Barrett Scott, deceased, Plaintiffs.
vs.
N. B. Bisbee and Cargill Graham, Defendants.
Cargill Graham, one of the above named defendants, will take notice that on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1897, John J. McCafferty, Neil Brennan, J. P. Mann, M. P. Kinkaid, and Henry Waterman, administrators of the estate of Barrett Scott, deceased, filed their petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against N. B. Bisbee and Cargill Graham, defendants, the object and prayer of which petition is to recover judgment (and enforce the payment thereof) on one certain promissory note given and made by said defendants for the sum of \$250.00, dated May 18, 1892, due six months after date to draw interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum; that there is now due on said note the sum of \$296.75 for which plaintiffs ask judgment; that since the beginning of said action plaintiffs caused to be issued out of said court an order of attachment against the lands, tenements, goods, chattels, stocks and credits and what might be owing to said Cargill Graham in Holt county aforesaid and caused in connection with said order of attachment one Charles Knapp therein said Holt county to be notified or garnished to appear in said court 20th day of July, A. D. 1897, and there answer all questions propounded to him touching the property of said Cargill Graham in said Knapp's possession or under his control, the object being to reach and obtain an order from the court requiring said Knapp to pay upon the judgment which plaintiffs seek to recover the amount he agreed to pay as the purchase price for one quarter section of land situated in Holt county, which land in fact belongs to said Cargill Graham and the purchase price of which is to be paid to said Charles Knapp by said Charles Knapp, or to be paid to some third person for the benefit of said Cargill Graham. You, Cargill Graham, are required to answer said petition on or before the 16th day of August, A. D. 1897.

Dated on July 6, 1897.

JOHN J. MCCAFFERTY,
NEIL BRENNAN,
J. P. MANN,
M. P. KINKAID, AND
HENRY WATERMAN,
Administrators of the estate of Barrett Scott, deceased, Plaintiffs.
By E. H. BENEDICT,
Their Attorney.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS.

Philo Drake and Adelme Drake, defendants, will take notice that C. T. Gorham, plaintiff, on the 28th day of July, 1897, filed a petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against said defendants, impleaded with the Oregon Horse and Land Co., the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a mortgage dated March 13, 1888, for \$600 and interest upon the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$), northeast quarter of the southeast quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty-one (21) and the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-two (22) in township twenty-seven (27) range sixteen (16) west of the sixth (6) P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska, given by Philo Drake and Adelme Drake to John J. Koops, trustee, and assigned to plaintiff, which mortgage was recorded in book 35 of mortgages on page 885 of the records of Holt county.

Plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants pay \$600.00 with interest at 10 per cent. from Sept. 30, 1897, and the further sum of \$90.20 for taxes paid by plaintiff with interest from Sept. 30, 1897, at 10 per cent. and that in default thereof said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 13th day of September, 1897. Dated August 2, 1897. C. T. GORHAM, Plaintiff.
C. M. HERRICK, His Attorney.

NOTICE

Seiberling Miller & Co., Perego & Moore, Daniel O'Neill, Mary Royster and Henry Royster, her husband, defendants, will take notice that Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, Connecticut, a corporation, plaintiff, has filed a petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against said defendants, impleaded with Michael O'Neill, Jr., Annie Gallagher, Andrew Gallagher, John McNeola, administrator of the estate of Michael O'Neill deceased, Patrick Hagerty, John J. McCafferty, Riley Brothers, A. M. Huddleston, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose certain mortgage dated May 7, 1894, for \$500, and interest, upon the northwest quarter of section 23 in township 30 north of range 12 west of the 6th P. M. Holt county, Nebraska, given by Michael O'Neill to the plaintiff, which mortgage was recorded in book 3, page 861, mortgage records of said county, and to have the same decreed to be a first lien and said lands sold to satisfy the same.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 31st day of August, 1897. Dated July 14, 1897. S. D. THORNTON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE

To L. C. Stott: You will take notice that on the 7th day of June, 1897, N. Martin, a justice of the peace in and for O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, in an action pending before him, which A. Castetter is plaintiff and L. C. Stott is defendant. That property of the said L. C. Stott, consisting of one sorrel mare and two white feet, one bay mare, one black horse, one bay horse and one sorrel mare, has been levied on and J. Ives, Mr. Turner, first and full name unknown, and G. A. McCutchan have been garnished under said order of attachment. Said cause was continued to the 23rd day of July, 1897, at one o'clock p. m.

Dated at O'Neill, Neb., this 28th day of June, 1897. A. CASTETTER, Plaintiff.
By E. H. BENEDICT, His Attorney.

NOTICE

O'NEILL, Neb., June 21, 1897.

The city council upon motion made the following estimate of the probable amount of money necessary for all purposes to be expended in this city during the fiscal year commencing on the first Tuesday in May, 1897:

For salaries.....	\$1600.00
For fuel.....	600.00
For repairs sidewalk.....	100.00
For printing and supplies.....	200.00
For repairing waterworks.....	300.00
	\$2700.00
For interest on waterworks bonds.....	1100.00
For interest on railroad bonds.....	1320.00
For railroad sinking fund.....	1100.00
	\$6220.00

The entire revenue of the city for the previous year, was upon motion duly considered by the council and found to be as follows:

Cash in hands of city treasurer May 1, 1897.....	\$411.59
Collected from all sources for the year ending May 1, 1897.....	\$2601.17
	\$3012.75

[SEAL] Attest N. MARTIN, City Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT O'NEILL, NEB. June 2, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver United States land office at O'Neill, Neb., on July 27, 1897.

CHRISTIAN BERGER, H. E. No. 1448, for the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7, Twp. 30 N., R. 10 W. 6th P. M. in Neb.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: P. J. Laneworth, J. H. Adison, H. A. Polk, Adolf Peterson, all of Ageo, Neb.

JOHN A. HARMON, Register.
40-4p

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT O'NEILL, NEB. June 3, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver United States land office, at O'Neill, Nebraska, on July 28, 1897, viz: JOHN LARSON, H. E. No. 1446, for the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, Twp. 31 N., R. 11 W. 6th P. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. R. McRobert, Hiram Hodgkin, Thomas Harrison, Leonard, Neb., and Andrew Johnson, of Joy, Neb. 40-4p JOHN A. HARMON, Register.

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