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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.

Horses for sale. E. H. BENEDICT. Frank Phillips was in from Star Tuesday.

Dan Radcliffe was down from Stuart last Friday.

Bail ties and wire always on hand at Neil Brennan's. 16-1f

Fred Gatz has again put his sign in THE FRONTIER.

Orion Porter, of Fairfax, S. D., was in O'Neill Monday.

Ira J. Burselon jr. was down from Atkinson Saturday.

W. S. Garcelon, of Long Pine, was in the city last Friday.

The Atkinson schools are having their spring vacation this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson last Thursday evening, a son.

Wm. Fallon went to Sioux City last Saturday with a couple of cars of hogs.

Dr. Withers, Omaha painless dentist, will be in O'Neill April 2, 4 and 5. 36-4

G. C. Hatfield speaks to the people through an add in THE FRONTIER this week.

Judge Kinkaid returned from Bassett this morning where he has been holding court.

Rev. M. F. Sheehan went down to Omaha Monday morning, returning Tuesday.

Prof. Cross, of Atkinson, was in the city yesterday. We acknowledge a pleasant call.

F. K. Baldwin, station agent of the F. E. & M. V. at Atkinson, was in the city Monday.

The citizens of Norfolk donated \$150 to the World-Herald fund for the starving Cubans.

Miss Altie Welton left yesterday morning for Niobrara, where she expects to spend the summer.

Ora Bowen, one of the teachers in the Atkinson schools, is in the city this week visiting friends.

Mrs. A. O. Perry, who visited friends in this city last week, returned to her home at Butte Saturday.

Insure your city and farm property with B. McGreevy. Losses promptly settled and paid in gold. 34-1f

Mrs. Sackett, mother of W. W. Sackett, of Chambers, is quite sick at the home of her son.

G. Spooner, of Amelia, who is foreman of McGinnis' ranch near that place, is reported seriously ill.

J. C. Morrow is in Norfolk attending the annual meeting of the North Nebraska Teachers' Association.

Theo Gardiner, of Lawrence, Kansas, special agent for the National Insurance company, was in the city Tuesday.

For teeth or photos go to Dr. Corbett's parlors, 20th to 30th of each month. Photographs \$1 per dozen.

For sale, a good roll top desk, 4 feet wide, 7 large drawers, only \$12.50 39-1f J. P. MANN.

Full blooded, registered, Hereford bulls, cows and heifers, for sale by W. C. Fawkes, 4 miles north of O'Neill. 37-4

If you want a good light go to J. P. Mann's and see the best lamp ever made for kerosene. Something new and wonderful. 39-4

G. Grothe and son, W. F., of Emmet, made this office a business visit today. Mr. G. paid his subscription up to April 1, '99.

Mrs. Pettyjohn, who was reported so seriously ill last week is recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. Gilligan.

The young man operated on a short time ago by Dr. Trueblood for varicocele went home cured after a weeks detention.

A. T. Potter went down to Omaha this morning where he will visit for a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. G. C. Hazlett.

Anyone desiring to purchase a well-bred 4-year old mare can get a big bargain by enquiring at this office. Will sell dirt cheap for cash.

For rent, 320 acre farm, six miles from O'Neill, fair buildings, good pasture, farm land and hay. Call on A. B. Newell, O'Neill, Neb.

Several of the young people went out to attend the closing exercises of the Coyne school, north of town, last Friday night.

James Earley brought to this city Tuesday an eight inch trout which he caught in the Eagle which runs through his farm. It was a beauty.

Drucilla Bussart of Pleasant Valley, Laura Stein of Turner, and Lillian Golden of O'Neill, are new pupils enrolled at the Conservatory of Music.

Miss Mary Nollkamper, of Turner, and Miss Gertrude Woodruff, of this city, are the new scholars enrolled at the O'Neill conservatory of music.

J. P. Gilligan Co., the popular druggists, have something to say to the people of Holt county on the wall paper question in this issue. Don't overlook it.

Miss Tess Harrington went down to Sioux City last Friday morning, where she is receiving medical treatment. We understand that she is rapidly recovering.

E. K. Valentine, of West Point, was in the city Tuesday on business before the United States land office. Val is an old typo, and always calls around to see the prints.

James Crowley, one of the most prosperous farmers in Grattan township, was a pleasant caller last week and left \$1.50 on subscription.

The pupils of the O'Neill schools are enjoying a vacation this week, and most of the teachers are attending the annual meeting of the North Nebraska teachers' Association at Norfolk.

The ladies aid of the M. E. church will have a chicken pie dinner and 6 o'clock lunch on Tuesday, April 5. Good eating promised and plenty of it. Dinner, 25 cents; lunch, 15 cents.

A drawing class for children is now organized, the same being under the tutorage of Mrs. C. J. Schubert. Ten lessons for \$1. Enquire at the O'Neill Conservatory of Music.

A torpid liver robs you of ambition and ruins your health. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the liver, cure constipation and all stomach and liver troubles.—J. P. Gilligan Co.

John McBride returned to Park City, Utah, Monday morning. Mrs. McBride has improved considerably the past two weeks and it is hoped that in a short time she will be around again.

Your attention is called to the new advertisement of Neil Brennan in this issue. Neil is a patriotic, public-spirited man and a firm believer in advertising. Go and see his immense stock.

If you are interested in pretty silks take a look at our east window. It will give you a good idea of the very latest patterns to be found this spring and also of the extent of our stock. J. P. MANN

Children like it, it saves their lives. We mean One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, and all throat and lung troubles.—J. P. Gilligan Co.

The blooded pig which we lost three weeks ago is again confined in the pen which we built for it and our desires of someday becoming the possessor of a good herd of porkers may yet be realized.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher, of Zanesville, O., suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—J. P. Gilligan Co.

Miss Gertie Fort came down from Stuart Saturday morning and visited friends in this city over Sunday. Monday morning she left for Minneapolis where she will spend the summer visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Della Tudor Parnell, mother of the late Charles Stewart Parnell, died in Avondale Ireland, last Sunday, as the result of burns received the day before from the ignition of her clothing while sitting before the fire.

Mrs. Almada Nicker, wife of Captain Nicker, of Dixon, Neb., died at that place on March 25, and was buried at Page last Sunday. She was 19 years old and was a sister of Winfield Haynes, living northeast of this city.

It behooves all taxpayers to support the citizens' ticket in the approaching municipal election. They owe allegiance to no political party or bosses for their nominations and will give the people a good business administration.

Sullivan Mercantile Company has opened up a branch store at Spencer, Boyd county, with L. Stearns as manager. Mr. Sullivan says their business there is far better than he expected it would be. He has received from there 15,000 dozen eggs, which is certainly a very good showing for the first month's business in that line.

It is a great leap from the old-fashioned doses of blue-mass and nauseous physics to the pleasant little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure constipation, sick headache and biliousness.—J. P. Gilligan Co.

The last issue of the Atkinson Plain Dealer was edited by the pupils of the Atkinson high school. The edition was a very creditable one and demonstrates that the schools of our sister city contain some promising young journalists.

The farmer, the mechanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly, and is a well known cure for piles.—J. P. Gilligan Co.

Some papers down the line say that a pretty Kentucky girl who has published a book is selling it herself, and kisses every man who buys a copy. We believe the osculating female could sell a few dozen in this city providing she looked sweet.

Miss Flora Lowrie went down to Norfolk yesterday morning where she will enter the contest for the oratorical medal as the representative of the O'Neill high school. The contest will be held this evening. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Anna.

Az Perry was in town Monday. He returned from Omaha Saturday evening and says the road is a sure go. The incorporators expect to have the proposed route between Atkinson and Butte surveyed next week. They will then be better able to estimate the cost. Az went up to Atkinson Monday night.

Our spring stock is now complete and is a sight worth seeing. We carry the largest and most complete stock in the county of dry goods, boots, shoes, hats and groceries. Call and get our prices before purchasing elsewhere. We will save you money. 39-3 SULLIVAN MERCANTILE CO.

L. Thompson, P. Sullivan, S. Fletcher and F. D. Hadley, officials of the Illinois Central railroad, were in the city last night. As the Short Line is to be sold in the near future it is thought they were looking over the road with a view to becoming bidders on the property. They returned to Sioux City this morning.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Connolly, residing south of town, on Sunday morning, March 27, '98, a son. Jim says everything is progressing nicely, except a slight inconvenience in the selection of a name to compare favorably with the dimensions of the young lad. He is the picture of his dad in every particular.

We have received a card from Elmer Williams ordering his paper changed from Fremont to David City, Neb. He has been elected cashier of the City National bank at the above place. His many friends here will be pleased to learn that he is prospering. As David City is a great base ball town, Elmer will be strictly in it.

Last Tuesday a letter was received from A. J. Meals, who is now in Alaska with G. C. Hazlett prospecting for gold. At the time the letter was written they were at Valdez, Alaska, about seven miles from the Copper river, which was their destination when they left O'Neill. He said the weather was very fine, like summer in Nebraska.

Little Harry had a picture book of animals and his father sometimes described the traits and peculiarities of those represented. One day in describing a hare, among other things he said the hare had no tail to speak of. Next day he asked: "Harry, what did I tell you about the hare yesterday?" "Oh," replied Harry, "you said he had a tail, but it wasn't to be talked about."—Ex.

Prof. Edward H. Whelan, R. S. Kelley, Miss Tillie Mullen and Miss Lavina Morrow went down to Norfolk Wednesday morning to attend the annual meeting of the North Nebraska Teachers' Association, now in session at that place. Mr. Whelan will discuss a paper on "Aims and Methods of Repressing Individuality." Miss Thompson is on the program to discuss a paper, but on account of illness she will not be able to attend the convention.

Rev. S. F. Sharpless will lecture in the Presbyterian church, Saturday evening next, at 7:30. Subject, "The Great Salvation." Sabbath morning at 10:30 Rev. Sharpless will preach, subject, "What Mean Ye by this Service?" Communion at 11:30. Sabbath evening at 7:30 "The Triumph of God's Word." A full attendance of the members and interested friends is desired, as the advisability of securing a permanent pastor for the ensuing year will be discussed.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! You can save 25 per cent. if you buy your shoes of us. We do a cash business. 39-3 SULLIVAN MERCANTILE CO.

The Knights of Pythias are arranging to give one of their old-time annual floral balls on Easter Monday and are leaving nothing undone that would tend to make the occasion a big success. Handsome bouquets and other decorations are being prepared, the best of music has been secured, and it is the intention of the order to make it the crowning event of the season. A cordial invitation is extended to the members of neighboring lodges and the public in general to aid them in the celebration of their annual jubilee.

A very pleasant scene occurred at the court house last Friday morning. On that day C. S. Handlon, the janitor, was 71 years old and the "boys" in the several offices thought it meet and proper to make him a present to show their appreciation of his services. They selected for their gift a rocking chair, which was presented to him by the spokesman of the party, who made a few suitable remarks. The recipient thanked the boys for their expressions of good will and appears since then to be about ten years younger.

The 13-year old son of Si. Buck, who lives near Ewing, had his head blown off by the accidental discharge of a shot gun yesterday. It appears that the boy was out with the hired man after hay, having with him one of the old type muzzle loaders, which he was in the habit of carrying when away from home. The gun was loaded but to ward against accidents a cap was never put on until he was ready to use it. The boy picked it up from the wagon and had the muzzle within a few inches of his face when it was discharged, blowing the whole top of his head off.

Alliance Times: Mr. Barney Ryan, the gentleman who will succeed Mr. Stewart as manager of the Alliance Grocery Co., arrived the first of the week from O'Neill. He is manager of the establishment of the same firm there, and will probably only remain here a few months until Raymond Bros. Clark Co. can make other arrangements. Mr. Ryan is a pleasant appearing gentleman, and doubtless qualified for the position in every way. He will not move his family here as his residence is to be only temporary. Banks Stewart has been with Raymond Bros. more than eighteen years and they state that it is with regret they lose him.

A delegation of the members of the Independent Workmen of America of this city consisting of Neil Brennan, C. W. Hagensick, Mike Kirwin, P. F. Thompson, T. Walmer, H. R. Henry, James McCoy and S. F. McNichols, went out to Paddock last Friday evening and assisted their brethren there in initiating nine new members. They report an enjoyable time and say that as entertainers the members of Paddock lodge, I. W. of A. are unexcelled. Everything that could possibly be done for the comfort and enjoyment of the visitors was well looked to, and the only regret expressed was that they could not remain longer with their river brethren.

Sioux City Times: Lincoln, Neb., March 29.—Attorney-General Smyth is preparing a motion to present to the supreme court for a rehearing in the Eugene Moore case. To a great extent the motion will follow the lines marked out in the dissenting opinion by Judge Sullivan, but will go further and controvert the idea that the law is unconstitutional, as declared in Commissioner Irvine's opinion. He will ask for a more full consideration of the question in the matter relating to fees, and will, to sustain his position, set out to the court that both the statutes and the constitution require the auditor to turn all the fees paid to him over to the state treasurer, that the money paid by the insurance companies was paid as the property of the state, and that by retaining it Moore was embezzling money from the state. It is expected that the motion will be presented at the next sitting of the court.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church have been busily at work for weeks preparing for a sale of fancy and useful articles, aprons, sunbonnets, underwear, etc., to be held the afternoon and evening of April 9, the last Saturday in Lent. The ladies will be pleased to receive their friends at the Ryan building, west Douglas St., on that date. Dainties for your Easter dinner can be had—dressed chicken, radishes, lettuce, jellies, pickles, pressed chicken salad, angel's food, fruit cake, and in fact any and everything that one can ask for. Strawberries, cream and cake will be served during the afternoon for twenty-five cents, also ice cream and cake for ten cents. Supper at 6 o'clock fifteen cents. Cut flowers on sale at reasonable prices. Orders for any special variety may be left with Mrs. W. T. Evans up to Thursday morning, April 7. We haven't told you half, but come and see for yourselves Saturday afternoon and evening, April 9.

A synopsis of the report of the board of inquiry in the Cuban situation will be found on our "patent insides." And while it is fairly explicit, yet it did not thoroughly court a declaration of war or fix the Maine disaster upon the Spanish government. However, Uncle Sam in behalf of suffering humanity has expressed intentions of recognizing the independence of the island, and it will only be a matter of a few days before the war cloud will cease to hover over suffering Cuba or the cowardly Spaniards will have to fight.

Dr. C. V. Crooks, the well-known specialist of the east, now located at Fremont, Neb., will be in O'Neill April 5, 7, 8 and 9. Dr. Crooks is highly recommended by all the leading physicians of the state, and has no superior in the treatment of nervous diseases, diseases of women and chronic diseases. His treatment of consumption is the best known to medical science. Piles positively cured without a knife or detention from business. Dr. J. H. Crabb, of Fremont, Neb., says: "Dr. Crooks possesses the best line of treatment of any specialist in the west. His work in Fremont has been highly successful, and I recommend him to any one needing the services of a skillful and learned physician." Do not fail to see this eminent specialist while he is in the city. In company with Dr. Crooks will be Dr. Stuckey, the most skilled and successful eye specialist that has ever visited the west. His methods of diagnosing and treating cases of ametropia are the best known to the profession. His visit will give those having eye trouble the opportunity of obtaining the services of an expert without the trouble and expense of a visit to a large city. Consultation free.

April fool frolics have started rather early in O'Neill this season and the success which has accompanied a few jokes bids fair to make them very numerous before the end of the week. A certain young man in this city who has lived almost 35 years in single blessedness was struck last week with a happy thought. He determined to fool his relatives, and especially one of his sisters who was continually joking with him on the matrimonial question, so he proceeded to the printing office and ordered a fine wedding card printed, announcing his marriage on April first to Miss—. This card he sent to the aforesaid sister, at the same time notifying his mother of the joke. The announcement was taken in earnest by the sister whom he desired to fool, and she wrote him stating that presents would be at once forwarded. His mother of course not wishing to have them invest in wedding presents when there was to be no wedding, told them that it was an April joke. It appears that then the sister decided that she would turn the tables upon him, or at least attempt to. The aforesaid young man, being in business, was in the habit of receiving express packages, and therefore was not surprised when a package came to his address Wednesday evening upon which the charges were not paid. He accepted the package, paid the charges, and upon opening it found three rotten lemons. Several friends who were aware of the joke he had played upon his relatives were present when he opened the package, and of course it is unnecessary to add that he was given the horse laugh. He had the joke neatly turned upon him, and will probably be a little leary before again attempting to fool the folks.

BUTTER AND EGGS WANTED. Bring us your butter and eggs. We will pay more for them than you can get of anybody else and we will sell you goods cheaper than anybody else, because we do a cash business. That is how we can do it. Come and give us a trial. SULLIVAN MERCANTILE CO.

THERE ARE OTHERS. But our way to Sioux City is the best. Buy local tickets to O'Neill, Neb., and take the Pacific Short Line there. Lowest fare, shortest time. Close connections between the Black Hills and all eastern South Dakota points. No lay-over in Sioux City necessary.

FARMERS, ATTENTION! We have just been awarded the contract to furnish the U. S. navy with eggs and butter to be used in the anticipated war about to commence between the United States and Spain. Therefore we will want 2,000,000 dozen eggs and 500,000 pounds of butter in the next thirty days. Come and get our prices at the Sullivan Mercantile Co.'s store. 39-3

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

TO HELP THE CUBANS.

Last Friday Rev. N. S. Lowrie went around town with a subscription paper collecting funds to be sent to the World-Herald for the starving Cubans. He met with good success and in a short time raised \$55.80, which was forwarded to Omaha yesterday morning. Following is a list of the contributors and the amounts:

Andrew Mulligan	.....	\$5 00
Ed. Gallagher	.....	2 00
J. P. Mann	.....	2 00
S. J. Weekes	.....	2 00
N. S. Lowrie	.....	1 00
C. C. McHugh	.....	1 00
O. M. Collins	.....	1 00
Wes Evans	.....	1 00
H. McGreevey	.....	1 00
B. R. Henry	.....	1 00
J. S. Leis	.....	1 00
T. V. Golden	.....	1 00
J. M. Morrow	.....	1 00
O. O. Snyder	.....	1 00
A. T. Potter	.....	1 00
R. R. Dickson	.....	1 00
Neil Brennan	.....	1 00
J. J. Harrington	.....	1 00
F. C. Gatz	.....	1 00
Dr. Berry	.....	1 00
Dr. O'Neill	.....	1 00
Dr. Gilligan	.....	1 00
Dr. Trueblood	.....	1 00
J. J. Kelley	.....	1 00
G. F. Bazzleman	.....	1 00
Frank Campbell	.....	1 00
John McHugh	.....	1 00
John Skirving	.....	1 00
R. H. Jenness	.....	1 00
D. H. Cronin	.....	1 00
Tom Campbell	.....	1 00
W. J. Dobbs	.....	1 00
T. F. Birmingham	.....	1 00
Clarence Selah	.....	1 00
O. F. Biglin	.....	1 00
Dan J. Cronin	.....	1 00
W. R. Butler	.....	1 00
P. D. Mullen	.....	50
J. B. Donohoe	.....	50
J. J. McCafferty	.....	50
M. Price	.....	50
Ed. H. Whalen	.....	50
E. S. Kinch	.....	50
E. H. Benedict	.....	50
J. F. Mullen	.....	50
Annie Lowrie	.....	50
A. B. Newell	.....	50
J. Pfund	.....	50
C. H. Bentley	.....	50
E. P. Hicks	.....	50
M. A. Coykendall	.....	50
John Mann	.....	50
G. W. Smith	.....	50
Emil Sniggs	.....	50
Arthur Mullen	.....	50
A. J. Hammond	.....	50
C. F. Engelhaupt	.....	50
C. W. Hamilton	.....	50
James Sullivan	.....	25
C. C. Millard	.....	25
E. M. Grady	.....	25
Clyde King	.....	25
A. P. Brooks	.....	30
		\$55.80

The Sure La Grippe Cure. There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your liver, stomach and kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale at P. C. Corrigan's drug store, only 50 cents per bottle.

Free Pills. Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of constipation and sick headache. For malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25 cents per box. Sold by P. C. Corrigan, druggist.

Beats the Klondike. Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Texas, has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages, and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, bronchitis, and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at P. C. Corrigan's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.