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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.

Harry Huddleston is up from South Omaha.

M. J. Flannigan was down from Stuart Sunday.

John Brady was down from Atkinson Tuesday.

H. Nelson, of Fremont, was in O'Neill last Friday.

C. F. Hensley, of Ewing, was in the city Saturday.

Bail ties and wire always on hand at Neil Brennan's. 16-17

Choice candies, fruits and nuts at Mrs. Laura Cress'. 5-8

Miss Lizzie Cain is visiting friends at Jackson, Nebraska.

C. N. Carpenter, of York, was in O'Neill last Friday.

James Harvey, of Stuart was in O'Neill last Friday.

Don't fail to attend the dance at the rink Tuesday night.

Hunting "stubble duck" is all the rage among the O'Neill sports.

Miss Ona Skirving is now stenographer in M. F. Harrington's office.

A. L. Shannon, of Ewing, was an O'Neill visitor last Saturday.

Miss Kittie Dwyer returned from Omaha Wednesday morning.

Dick Jenness went down to Sioux City Wednesday on business.

S. J. Weekes returned from a trip to the exposition Sunday evening.

W. H. Barney and wife, of Spencer, were in O'Neill last Saturday.

Harry Dowling returned to his home at North Bend Sunday morning.

R. H. Jenness was looking after business matters at Atkinson Monday.

R. R. Dickson returned Saturday evening from a business trip to Iowa.

H. W. Bradstreet and his two sons, Nate and Will left Monday for Omaha on business.

John Tullis came up from Fremont Thursday where he has been attending the Normal.

Frank Pixley was in Omaha last week on business, and incidentally taking in the exposition.

Mrs. Richard Dwyer, (nee Kittie O'Neill) of Butte, Mont., is in the city visiting relatives.

The Epworth League will serve ice cream and cake at the old post office building Wednesday evening.

H. W. Davies was up from Ewing Monday. He is now on the road for the Deloit creamery selling cheese.

Miss Rose Mathews returned from Fremont Thursday evening, where she had been attending the normal.

Miss Bee O'Bonnell was in Omaha last week attending the exposition. She returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Dora Testman went down to Wisner Wednesday morning where she will visit relatives for two weeks.

For teeth or photos go to Dr. Corbett's parlors, 23rd to 30th of each month. Photographs \$1 per dozen.

FOR SALE—Span of four-year old mules. Call at my place two miles east of O'Neill. PETER TOOHILL.

George Mullen came up Saturday evening from David City to visit friends and relatives for a short time.

The school board will probably elect the teacher to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Thompson's resignation, this week.

Full blooded, registered Hereford bulls, cows and heifers for sale by W. C. Fawkes, 4 miles north of O'Neill. 44-45

Miss Mary Joyce, who has been attending the Fremont normal the past six weeks, returned home Friday evening.

A. C. McFarland, of the Lynch Journal, was in the city Saturday evening on his way home from the exposition.

Bentley's is the place to go for fresh fruits and fresh groceries and for crockery and glassware. They cannot be beat.

Sam Dutton, an old resident of this county, died at his home at Badger about a week ago. Mr. Dutton had a large number of acquaintances in this city, having served a couple of terms on the county board.

One of our funny exchanges gets off the following: "When the call came, to arms, the patriotic girls were the first to fall in."

Joseph Newberry and Lottie Everetts, both of Page, were married at the residence of W. T. Shively Saturday by Judge Selah.

Robert Muellor whose mysterious disappearance has caused much uneasiness among his neighbors turned up safe and sound today.

T. N. J. Hynes, arrived in O'Neill Saturday evening from Park City, Utah, and will spend a couple of months with his family here.

Mrs. R. J. Hayes and children arrived in the city Sunday evening from Butte, Mont., and will visit relatives here for a couple of weeks.

Saunders, the Omaha cigar man, was in town the first of the week and we understand he "sold" John Skirving—a fine bird dog.

John Lappan, who has been visiting friends here for the past three weeks, returned to his home in Pennsylvania Sunday morning.

Miss Nora Kelly, who has been attending the normal at Fremont for the past three months, returned home Thursday night.

James, Patrick and Hugh Donahue, who have been attending the Fremont Normal the past term, returned home Saturday evening.

When you wish to advertise do it with people in O'Neill and who spend their money here. It is the only way to make a live town.

Morris Cavanaugh, one of Holt's prosperous farmers and cattle men, sold \$1,800 worth of steers to Sioux City buyers last week.

Miss Leonia Skirving, who has been visiting friends at Osceola, Neb., and Omaha, the past six weeks, returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Deyrman and daughters expect to leave Monday for Omaha where they will visit the exposition for about ten days.

In recognition of the attendance of teachers at the M. E. church, Rev. Crews, on next Sunday, will preach a sermon to the teachers.

Any one wanting a good, heavy work horse for a month, for his keeping, can be accommodated by calling on R. H. Jenness, at the land office.

John Skirving returned from Lincoln and Omaha Sunday evening where he had been attending the republican convention and the exposition.

On our bargain counter we have all kinds of useful household articles, which we are selling at prices that can't be beat. Mrs. Laura Cress. 5-8

In order to live up things in O'Neill, the boys will give a harvest ball at the rink on Tuesday night. A good time is assured and the best of music.

Seventy-five pairs of fine Oxford (selected) at half price and 20 per cent. discount on balance of stock of Oxfords until closed out. J. P. MANN.

While riding horseback Tuesday, John Erb, son of M. L. Erb, living northwest of this city, was thrown from the horse, injuring his arm quite badly.

The other morning we received a card announcing the marriage of Prof. E. H. Whelan and Miss Susie Quilty. They will be at home in O'Neill after September 1.

The sage of the Gordon Journal propounds the following question: "Can a war tax of thirty per cent. on marriage certificates be termed a discrimination against infant industries?"

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. Cilligan Co.

Thousands of persons have been cured of piles by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals promptly and cures eczema and all skin diseases. It gives immediate relief.—J. P. Cilligan.

Fred Hebert, who has been employed on the Independent for the past two months, returned to Sioux City Monday morning where he has secured a position in the Journal job rooms.

Miss Maggie Coffey, who has been a student at the Fremont normal the past three months, returned home Saturday evening. Miss Coffey will teach school in the Coin district this winter.

Gordon Journal: A Kansas weekly paper states among its local items: "Mrs. Jones called this morning and laid a dozen eggs on our table." There is no telling what a Kansas woman wouldn't do when she is in the right humor.

Hot time in the town Tuesday night when the boys give their grand harvest ball at the rink and the best music that can be got has been secured. So all come and help make a good time.

Veronica McCarthy entertained a number of her little playmates at a birthday party given at her home on Benton street last Monday evening, it being her sixth birthday anniversary.

Bob Moore, of La Fayette, Indiana, says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles.—J. P. Cilligan.

A very painful accident occurred to Rob Morrison Monday afternoon, while threshing west of town. In trying to fix the machine in some manner the concaves caught his hand bruising it quite badly.

Exchange: An Oklahoma girl advertised for a husband and got him. The advertisement and wedding outfit cost \$11, and within a year he died and left her \$5,000 life insurance. It pays to advertise.

Miss Stella Shively who has been visiting relatives at Council Bluffs for the past three months, returned home Saturday evening. She was accompanied by her sister, Bertha, who will visit with her parents.

Exchange: If you drop your arm carelessly around the waist of a pretty school ma'am and resist the temptation to cautiously contract the muscles of the forearm, you may be safe in assuming that you have strong will power.

Charles Stout went down to Omaha last Monday morning to see the exposition. He can now tell you all about the Midway, but very little about the exposition proper, which is conclusive proof as to where he spent his time.

A. F. Hauser, the evangelist, will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning and evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and hear Brother Hauser. Morning service at 10:30; evening service at 8:00.

The Holt county school teachers have full possession of O'Neill this week. The "devil" says that some of them are young and beautiful while others are—but as we will need his services a few weeks longer we will not finish his remarks.

Exchange: We have often wondered if it were necessary for the girl who reads the declaration of independence to be half powder, and the orator to be half shot in order to fire the blood with patriotism at a Fourth of July celebration.

The 12th regiment, formerly stationed at Fort Niobrara, were in the battle of Santiago, Cuba, and according to a letter received by the Valentine Republican from one of its members, 57 of that regiment were killed in the fight and 108 wounded.

Norfolk Journal: Three boys without means of support, were locked up last night by Officer Kale. They claimed to be trying to get to their homes near O'Neill, having been down in Texas. They were given their breakfast this morning and sent on their way.

C. M. Thompson, of Corning, Ia., has been in the city for the past two weeks looking up a business location and has about decided to locate in Ewing. Mr. Thompson is a pleasant appearing gentleman and will be a valuable addition to the business interests of our suburban town.

Wausa Enterprise: Prof. C. J. Malone, who has been attending college in Wayne the past two months, returned Wednesday evening. He left again Thursday for his former home, Inman Neb., where he will join Mrs. Malone and expects to visit there a couple of weeks before school begins.

Exchange: The question has been asked us the difference between a rooster, Uncle Sam and an old maid. This might be a good question for a query box at the institute, but it is said the rooster says, "Cock-a-doodle-do," Uncle Sam sings, "Yankee-doodle-do," and the old maid says, "any-dude-el-do."

A. R. Wertz was in from Star Tuesday and favored this office with a pleasant call. Mr. Wertz has been a resident of this county for several years and says that he has never seen crops look as good in the northeastern part of Holt as they do this year. This is the case in all parts of the county. It is a garden spot.

James F. Gallagher took in the Trans-Mississippi exposition last week. Jim says it is a thing of beauty and a joy forever and that Nebraska has more beautiful women than he ever dreamed of. As he is authority on all such questions it is not necessary to receive confirmatory reports from Midway sightseers.

James Donahue, of this city, won the gold medal in the oratorical contest at the Fremont normal last Tuesday, over a field of six, some of whom were graduates of schools of oratory. This is quite an honor to Mr. Donahue and the news of his victory was received joyously by his numerous friends in and around O'Neill.

A traveling space writer was in O'Neill last week and wrote up the city (?) and its business men and left town with a nice little stake in his pocket. We noticed that he managed to get a little coin out of some of our business men who have not done any legitimate advertising in the O'Neill papers for a year or two. But then strangers can always find suckers.

Miss Cora Thompson, of Ord, Neb., who last year so acceptably filled the position of assistant principal of the O'Neill schools and who was elected to the same position for the ensuing year, has tendered her resignation to the board on account of ill health. Her many friends in O'Neill regret to see her leave the city and hope that she will soon regain her health.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHugh will leave some time next month for Sioux City, Ia., where they expect to make their future home. John has been a resident of this city for the past eight years and during that time has been one of our most progressive citizens and we regret to see him leave the city, but wish him and his estimable wife unbounded prosperity in their new home.

Truth: A Kansas farmer who could not get harvest hands put this notice on the fence: "Harvest hands wanted. Hire girl pretty and genial. Cabinet organ music in the evening. Pie three times a day. Three spoonfuls of sugar with each cup of coffee. Hammocks, feather beds or leather divan at your option for sleeping. Three hours' rest at noon. Come one: come all."

E. M. Grady, who for the past ten years has been engaged in the jewelry business in this city, will leave in the morning for Waterloo, Iowa, where he expects to make his future home. Ed, in addition to being one of the finest workmen in the state, is a jolly, whole-souled man and it is with regret that we see him leave O'Neill. We trust that prosperity will attend him in his new home.

Exchange: A Cedar Rapids, Iowa, girl writes to a Clinton friend concerning a mutual friend who is in the Forty-ninth: "I got a nice long letter from John. He is getting along splendidly. He has been assigned to the guard house for five days. Says it is a pretty hot place, but then you know he never shirks his duty. Ma and I are actually proud to hear of his promotion."

Fremont Tribune: An Atchison girl ties sand paper to her ankles to give her a \$12 silk-shirt rustle when she walks. This is mentioned in the interests of Fremont men who have been paying for \$12 skirts under the impression that they were a necessary part of women's garb. Something good can even come out of Kansas. This example of domestic economy is unimpeachable evidence of it.

Some time ago, a little bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy fell into my hands, just at a time when my two-year old boy was terribly afflicted. His bowels were beyond control. We had tried many remedies, to no purpose, but the little bottle of Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy cured him.—William F. Jones, Ogleby, Ga. For sale by P. C. Corrigan, druggist.

Gordan Journal: The editor's telephone wire has got crossed with some other wire in town and for the past 18 hours we have been listening to such messages as the following: "Hello! dearie, what time you coming home to supper?" "By by, sweet heart, hurry home." "Bring home some peaches dearie, I've got ice cream for supper. Won't we have a nice time tonight." "Must be some new married couple has put in a line. We'll cut the cable within 24 hours if this thing don't stop."

Fred Valentine, of Dorsey, was arrested at Wakefield, Dixon county, by the sheriff of that county, last Monday on a warrant sworn out by County Attorney Butler on July 5, charging him with holding up Frank Willows, at Dorsey on July 2, and shooting with intent to murder. Attorney Butler went down to Wakefield Tuesday morning and brought Valentine to this city and he is now confined in the county jail awaiting a preliminary hearing which will probably be held tomorrow.

Exchange: A Nebraska female horse who was the mother of a mule colt, watched over her offspring with care and solicitude, hoping that it would finally develop into the likeness of her family; but one day when the colt was getting well-grown it turned loose a long bray, whereupon the mother explained sadly: "Alas, this is the result of fusion. I thought I could raise you for a horse but whenever you open your mouth you speak like an ass."

Moral—The result of fusion is necessarily disappointing.

A fakir billed a neighboring town with these words "I am coming!" and the people wondered what it meant. It was the talk of the town, and in a few days again appeared, "I am here—Opera house tonight." The billing had been so mysteriously done that the people flocked out to see what it meant. The admission was 25 cents. The house was filled. When nobody else could get in the fakir had the boy raise the curtain displaying a black card on an easel on which the words were plainly written, in the same bold hand. "I am gone" and he was gone forever.

Columbus Times: Any old insurance company or organization—old line, new line, stock, mutual, assessment or fraternal, that invalidates the policy by reason of enlistment of the insured in the volunteer army, should be promptly boycotted by every American in time of peace as well as war. Any fraternal organization that attempts a crusade of that kind, does not know the meaning of the word fraternity, and should be taught that loyalty and patriotism is not subservient to their craftiness, but is as far above their iniquitous teachings and example, as honesty and decency is above their conception.

A young woman entertained a young man one evening until driven to the following resort, according to an exchange: She told him to write down eleven ciphers in a line—0000000000—then to commence on the first on the left and from the right side of the cipher draw a straight line down; on the right side of the fourth make a straight line up; on the right side of the fifth make a straight line down; on the right of the seventh make a straight line up; from the right side of the eighth a mark up, and from the right side of the tenth a straight line down, then read what he had written. It worked.

Atkinson Plain Dealer: September 2nd and 3rd are going to be merry ones for the sporting fraternity of this ball-wick. The race meet that is to be held here on that occasion already gives promise of being a grand success. The secretary has already received enough assurances from the horsemen throughout the state of their intention of being here on that date to compete for the prize money and side bets, to complete one of the most attractive programs ever made out in a like event in North Nebraska. No one within a hundred miles of this place should miss this racing, as some of the speediest horses in the west will participate in the events. Our citizens have contributed handsomely to the prize money and are enthusiastic over the success of the meeting.

Exchange: A story is told that recently in Los Angeles, five prominent gentlemen of foreign birth chanced to meet. One was a Russian, one a Turk, one a Frenchman, one an American and the other an Englishman. The gentlemen became bosom friends, and finally a champagne supper was proposed. To be in keeping with the times

each was to give a toast to his native country, the one giving the best toast to be at no expense for the wine. Here are the toasts given:

The Russian—"Here's to the stars and bars of Russia, that were never pulled down."

The Turk—"Here's to the moons of Turkey whose wings were never clipped."

The Frenchman—"Here's to the cock of France whose feathers were never picked."

The American—"Here's to the stars and stripes of America, never trailed in defeat."

The Englishman—"Here's to the rampin', roarin' lion of Great Britain, that tore down the stars and bars of Russia, clipped the wings of Turkey, picked the feathers off the cock of France, and run like—l from the stars and stripes of the United States of America."

TEACHER'S INSTITUTE. The Holt county teachers institute is now in session in this city under the supervision of Superintendent Morrow, who is assisted by Prof. Mullen, of Fremont, Prof. White, of Stuart, and Miss Pearl Kelley, of the Peru State Normal.

Following is a list of the teachers in attendance: O'Neill—Rose Mathews, Julia E. Sullivan, C. A. Meale, Kate Sullivan, Clara Zimmerman, Tina Gatz, Carrie Hamilton, Alice Cronin, Nellie Murray, Inez Murray, Evelyn Burke, Sarah Brennan, Mary Daly, Merritt Martin, Mamie McNish, Nora O'Malley, Josie Dillon, Mamie Hynes, Maggie Hurley, Anna Donahue, Nellie Joyce, Elizabeth Cain, Mary Horiskey, Anna Coffey, Maggie Coffey, Tess O'Sullivan, Estelle Shively.

Atkinson—Matilda Nightengale, Lillie Galleher, Lillie Wheeler, Mary Neligh, Daisy Musser, Mabel Radcliffe, R. E. Slaymaker, Annie Cassidy, Ella Beamon, Maude Donnelly, Jettie Davis, Maggie Nightengale, Rose Sturdevant, Ida B. Freed, Lula Boehme, Alice Stewart.

Ewing—B. B. Butler, Lottie Mills, Georgiana Cole, Ethel M. Burlew, F. Arville Cole, Rosa Gunther, Sarah Hohmon, Horace Davies.

Stuart—Nellie Whitehead, Maude Bailey, Mary E. Murphy, Emma Dibble, Lella Whitney, Florence Zink.

Page—C. C. Singer, Amelia Bloomquist, Susie Reed, A. F. Bloomquist, Carrie A. Townsend, C. A. Townsend, Ruth Page.

Chambers—J. S. Coppock, Mrs. Nettie Earl, Grace Jeffries.

Inez—J. M. Shreve, Harry H. Jones, Little—Evangelina Lerue, Rose Lerue. Inman—Eva Smith, Katie Ryan.

Kate E. Crosby, Omaha. Mrs. C. Burgess, Francis. J. W. Noss, Amelia. Matilda Larson, Stafford. John C. Denning, Dustin. Mamie Carl, Amelia.

Win your battles against disease by curing promptly. One Minute Cough Cure produces immediate results. When taken early it prevents consumption. And in later stages it furnishes prompt relief.—J. P. Gilligan.

A man in Virginia, rode forty miles to Fairfax station, for the express purpose of getting Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and took home with him, a dozen bottles of the medicine. The druggist who relates the incident, adds, "Your remedy seems to be a general favorite wherever known." Its effects are indeed wonderful in all lung and throat troubles. Procure a bottle at P. C. Corrigan's drug store.

SPECIAL SALE.

Two days only, Saturday, Aug. 20 and Monday, Aug. 22.

Silks, Laces and Embroideries.

Silks worth 35c for.....	\$ 25	Worth 5c for.....	3c
Silks worth 50c for.....	38	Worth 6c for.....	4c
Silks worth 60c for.....	45	Worth 7c for.....	4c
Silks worth 65c for.....	49	Worth 8c for.....	5c
Silks worth 75c for.....	58	Worth 9c for.....	6c
Silks worth 85c for.....	65	Worth 10c for.....	6c
Silks worth 90c for.....	69	Worth 12c for.....	8c
Silks worth \$1.00 for.....	78	Worth 15c for.....	10c
Silks worth \$1.25 for.....	98	Worth 18c for.....	12c
Silks worth \$1.50 for.....	1 15	Worth 20c for.....	14c
The above are all choice late styles and we simply take this method to reduce stock before buying our fall goods.			
We will continue our sale on soft shirt waists for a limited time at 50 per cent. discount.			
These are very low prices for choice new goods and we have very few ches-nuts in the above lines.			

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