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Local...

Martin Cronin was up from Ewing Sunday.

Will Harmon, of Orchard, was an visitor yesterday.

Miss Bessie Snyder is visiting relatives in Sioux City.

Joe Mann was over from Spencer the latter part of last week.

Tom Hopkins has left O'Neill and returned to Le Mars, Ia.

Miss Martha Smith has resigned her position with P. J. McManus.

O'Neill will play ball with Neligh Friday on the latter's grounds.

Sheriff Stewart and wife visited the exposition at Omaha last week.

J. B. Mellor is visiting his brother George in Boyd county this week.

Atkinson and O'Neill will play ball on our home ground next Tuesday.

Miss Ina Orcutt, of Atkinson, visited friends in O'Neill the first of the week.

E. H. Benedict has first-class Building and Loan stock for sale or can make you a loan. 46-1f

For teeth and photos, go to Dr. Corbett's parlors 23rd to 30th, of each month. 30f

We understand that Long Pine parties are planning on putting in a mill at Paddock.

Mrs. H. P. Jones and son went to Ewing Tuesday to spend a week with her parents.

Miss Agnes Squires returned Sunday evening from a week's visit with her parents at Neligh.

Mrs. J. F. Linaberg, of Norfolk, is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Eisele.

E. W. Nelson, deputy commissioner of public lands and buildings, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. E. R. Adams returned last Saturday evening after a protracted visit with relatives at Erie, Pa.

Clean up the back alleys and cess pools and thereby do away with a fruitful source of disease.

Ladies wishing sewing done by the day, please call at Mrs. Dunbar's, in the western part of the city.

Miss Bee O'Donnell left for Chadron last Saturday evening to spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

J. F. Gunthorpe was in the city over Sunday, returning to his work on the Osmond Republican Monday.

Fremont Tribune: Very Rev. Dean Cassidy, of O'Neill, officiated at St. Patrick's church Sunday evening.

Two cars of Indians passed through the city Sunday to participate in the Greater American exposition at Omaha.

The republican county central committee is called to meet in this city on August 9. A full attendance is desired.

Clark Hough, wife and daughter, of Correctionville, Iowa, are visiting old friends in and around O'Neill this week.

Mrs. John Skirving and daughter, Miss Leonia, left last Friday morning for Duluth, Minn., for a few days of recreation.

T. V. Golden returned from Annapolis, Md., last Saturday evening, to which city he accompanied his son Parnell ten days ago.

Harvey Bentley came down from Stuart Monday for a few days' rest, he being slightly under the weather from overwork.

A fine line of buggies and carriages, fully warranted throughout. Call and see them if you want a good bargain. Neil Brennan.

Fred K. Baldwin, formerly station agent at Atkinson, but now representing the Pierce roller mills, was in O'Neill yesterday.

Miss Lorena Broghammer, who had been visiting in this city about two weeks, returned to her home at Chadron last Saturday evening.

The Frontier received words of praise from all sides last week on account of our wrap-up of the fire. You get all the news in the old reliable Frontier.

W. E. Dunbar, of Awtonna, Minn., was in the city the first of the week visiting his son, W. W. Dunbar, express messenger on the Pacific Short Line.

A free and easy expectoration is produced by a few doses of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP, in all cases of hoarseness, sore throat, or difficulty in breathing. Price 25 and 50 cts. P. C. Corrigan.

Dr's. McDonald and Blackburn, of Atkinson, were in O'Neill yesterday in their official capacity as members of the pension board.

BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT gives instant relief in cases of bleeding, burns, bruises, scalds, cuts, etc. Price 25 and 50 cts. P. C. Corrigan.

The children of the Presbyterian Sunday school enjoyed themselves at a picnic in Mr. Gallagher's beautiful grove, about two miles east of town, yesterday afternoon.

It pays to get your buggies where you know goods are always as represented. Neil Brennan's guarantee is always good and his line of goods the best. See him before buying. 31f

For the benefit of the lovers of base ball, the Short Line will run an excursion to Sioux City next Sunday, where a game will be played by the O'Neill and Sioux City teams.

Mrs. G. W. Smith, who has been in Montana the past three months, returned Saturday feeling much stronger. Master Frank, who was with her, is as healthy as a Flathead Indian.

Oakdale Sentinel: An eel 3 feet and 1 inch in length and weighing 5 1/2 pounds was caught in the mill pond with a hook and line by Willie Nicholas on Thursday.

Hon. M. P. Kinkaid and John Skirving left Tuesday morning for Kearney, to attend a meeting of the republican congressional committee which was held in that city yesterday.

Rev. C. H. Churchill, county superintendent of Boone county, was in the city last week. Mr. Churchill was formerly a resident of this county, being pastor of the Methodist church at Stuart.

Just as we go to press we learn of the sudden death of heart disease, Tuesday afternoon, of Mrs. Joe Newberry, sr., residing about twelve miles east of O'Neill. We are unable to get any particulars.

Judge Morgan, of Bassett, was in the city last Monday. The judge is a candidate for the republican nomination for district judge, and we understand is looking up his chances in the various parts of the district.

F. W. Phillips, of Star, was in town Monday and called and paid up his subscription to August 1, 1901, two years in advance. We wish that more of our readers would emulate his example. We always have time to write out receipts.

HERBINE is well adapted to the cure of fevers of all kinds, because it thoroughly cleanses the stomach and bowels of all bilious humors, and expels all impure secretions of the body. Price 50 cts. P. C. Corrigan.

To those knowing themselves indebted to me: I wish you would call and pay up. I need my money and haven't time to run after it. I can assure you I will be more careful in the future. Con Keys.

Dominick McCaffrey left for Lincoln Sunday morning where he has accepted a position in the state penitentiary. Warden Hopkins has furnished four O'Neill boys with good positions and we understand two more will be taken in as soon as desirable positions can be secured.

Norfolk Journal: The O'Neill Frontier machinery is being propelled by a new Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engine. That gives the chief of the sanctuary an opportunity to rest his feet on the desk, while the prince of darkness feeds the press, and the gasoline engine does the rest.

Where the digestion is good, and the general powers of the system in a healthy state, worms can find no habitation in the human body. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE not only destroys every worm, but corrects all derangements of the digestive-organs. Price 25 cts. P. C. Corrigan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harrington are rejoicing over the arrival of a young daughter at their home last Monday night. The mother and babe are getting along splendidly, but Jim must have been prostrated with joy as he has failed to bring around a bunch of fragrant Havanas.

The precipitation Monday night amounted to one and one-half inches. Considerable wind accompanied it and numerous O'Neillites thought of seeking shelter in cellars. We understand that hail done considerable damage to crops in the vicinity of Geo. Brodt's on the Redbird.

For Sale. 1920 acres good improved land on Elkhorn river. Just the thing for a stockman. M. Lyons, Emmett, Neb. 3-4w

John Horriskey now believes that "all is not gold that glitters," neither is a man prevented from putting up a good foot race because he feigns sickness a few hours.

Lynch Journal: John Mann and C. Ergchelt, of O'Neill, were in Lynch Wednesday looking for a lot on which to erect a building to open a general store. They had three or four locations offered them but did not decide which to take.

Billie O'Connor has resigned his position as dispenser at the elixir of life at Tom Campbell's popular resort, to accept the nightwatch's club and star, which were left without an owner by the resignation of Tom Coyne. The appointment was confirmed by the council Saturday evening.

Dan E. Finnigan, son of L. Finnigan living northeast of town, who was a member of company B, First Nebraska, was discharged at Manila, where he expects to remain and engage in business. This will be quite a disappointment to his parents, as they expected him home in a few weeks.

The Pacific Short Line will run a special excursion O'Neill to Sioux City Sunday, August 6-\$2 for the round trip. Train will leave O'Neill 6.30 a. m. arriving Sioux City 11 a. m. Returning leave Sioux City 8 p. m. The O'Neill base ball team will play the Sioux City team at Riverside Park that day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sutherland, of Tekamah, arrived in the city last Friday evening for a short visit with their daughter, Mrs. James Stout. Mr. Sutherland is editor of the Tekamah Herald, and his duties called him home Monday morning, but Mrs. Sutherland will remain here a month or more.

Miss Edna Morse returned from Des Moines, Iowa, Monday evening, where she has been taking a course at the Highland Park College of Pharmacy. She graduated with honors, and is the proud possessor of a sheepskin that authorizes her to compound prescriptions anywhere in the state of Iowa.

Thomas Coyne tendered his resignation as night watchman last Friday, and on Sunday morning left for Lincoln, where he has been given a position in the penitentiary by Warden Hopkins. Tom made a good officer and many O'Neillites regretted to see him leave, but wish him success in his new position.

Stuart Ledger: Deputy U. S. marshal T. L. Ackerman arrived in Stuart Tuesday from the Ponca reservation, having in charge C. D. McCracken, Thos. Sharp and E. Wilson, charged with selling liquor to the Indians. The party left for Omaha on Wednesday morning, where the prisoners will be given a hearing.

No one knows the unbearable torture, the peculiar and agonizing pain, caused by PILES, unless they have suffered from them. Many believe them incurable. This is a mistake. Proper treatment will cure them. **TABLET'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT** is an infallible cure. Price 50 cts in bottles, tubes 75 cts. P. C. Corrigan.

This may be of use to farmers and stockmen. Sprinkle lime in your stock tank and not a particle of scum will form on the water. When lime loses its strength scum will begin to form, which may be twice during the season. Wash out the tank and repeat the dose. It is cheap, not only harmless, but wholesome, keeps the water sweet and saves the live stock.

The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stockbridge, Ga., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellenwood that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

The following extract is taken from a letter received by O. O. Snyder from the manager of his yard at Osmond last Tuesday evening: "We had a very severe storm here last night. Have been piling lumber back all day. Small grain crop damaged about forty or fifty per cent. Had hail about two miles south of here. Catholic church has been moved off foundation eight feet, and many small buildings wrecked."

A gentleman in O'Neill has a "kissing bug" sent him as a curiosity by a friend, and yesterday we saw one of our most popular young society men stirring it up with a toothpick and intently watching it "kiss" the stick. When asked what he was doing he replied that he had heard the bugs were expert kissers, always landing on the lips, and he wanted to get on to their system.

Cattle Rustlers Caught.

A week ago last Saturday L. C. Wade had two head of cattle stolen from his pasture south of Emmet, but no trace of them could be found until the first of this week, when they were located in a pasture three and one-half miles southeast of Venus. The theft was traced to John and Sam Marty, two young fellows from Plainview, who were running a herd on the old John Lels ranch. They had loaded the cattle into a wagon and hauled them down there and left them without saying a word to the owner of the pasture about it.

On Tuesday morning Jim Pinkerman went down to Plainview and arrested Marty, the father of the two boys, and brought him to O'Neill the same evening, and he is now lying in the county jail awaiting a hearing.

Wednesday morning Sheriff Stewart went out to the ranch and arrested John Marty and brought him to town, and, not wishing to have the two prisoners communicate, turned him over to Marshal Horriskey to be locked up in the city jail. But he's not there now. About 8:45 p. m. he requested the marshal to take him out for a few minutes airing, which John good-naturedly did. He's sorry now, for as soon as they got outside he took a sudden shoot around the corner of the jail and down an alley, and he is enjoying the fresh air yet. Horriskey chased him for a few blocks, but was not fleet enough of foot to overtake him, so he came back and sounded the alarm, and in a few minutes a dozen people were out on the hunt, but without success, and the search had to be abandoned until morning.

Sheriff Stewart, at the time, was out in the country after a witness in the case, and on his way home he met a man on horseback about half way between here and Page, who, he is now convinced, was the escaped prisoner—mounted on one of Clark Hough's horses, which he had appropriated to his own use to facilitate his escape—but who, in the darkness he did not recognize. This morning he took the

Short Line passenger to Plainview, where he will await the young man's arrival, and will in all probability bring him back with him. The other brother, Sam, has not been located yet.

O'Neill vs. Atkinson.

The O'Neill team went to Atkinson last Friday morning to contest with the Atkinson boys for the championship of Holt county. About 100 O'Neillites went along to cheer the boys onward to victory. The boys won, the crowd cheered—the O'Neill crowd—and all were happy.

Considerable "chewing" was indulged in during the morning hours by a few Atkinsonites, and for a time it looked as if there would be no game, and the disappointment depicted on every countenance was evidence that the crowd did not relish the thought of not seeing a game. But finally bets were declared off and the game called for 4 o'clock. Lee Henry went into the box for Atkinson, while Zink, of Stuart, went backstop. The first O'Neillite that stepped up to the plate and lined out a single and the next man followed suit and it looked as if it was going to be a slug-ging match. But finally, after two men had crossed the plate the side was retired and the Atkinson boys tried their luck at the willow. They managed to get one score before being retired. The next two innings brought goose eggs to both teams, as did also the fourth for O'Neill, but the Atkinson boys got one score in the fourth inning, tying the game. In the fifth O'Neill got another egg while their husky opponents piled up two, making the score the first half of the sixth inning 4 to 2 in favor of Atkinson. The latter never made another score while the lads from the Emerald City plucked two in the sixth, gathered in six in the eighth and reaped three more in the ninth, winning the game by a score of 13 to 4. The feature of the game was the batting of Kiefner, for O'Neill, making a home run with two men on bases. Will Zink was also rigged out in his batting clothes, making two three-baggers. Schultz of Atkinson

was also credited with a home run. Following is the score:

O'Neill - 2 0 0 0 2 0 6 3—13
Atkinson - 1 0 0 1 2 0 0 0—4
Batteries—O'Neill, Zink, Henry and Sheeley; Atkinson, Zink, Henry and Bitney. Umpire, Haight.

Stuart Ledger: At 7 p. m. today (Friday) fire was discovered in the building north of Powell's store occupied as a residence by Chas. Gill and family. The fire started in the ceiling from a defective "thimble" and for a time there was lively work extinguishing it. A line of hose was quickly attached to the supply pipe of the N. Main street water station, but before the water reached the nozzle the businesslike little hand extinguishers had got in their work and the fire was out. Had it gotten a good start nothing could have saved the entire west side of Main street, as the wind was blowing briskly from the north.

It has been suggested to us that the typhoid fever, which is ever prevalent in O'Neill, is caused from the drainage from the cemetery reaching the wells throughout the town. It is a well known fact that such drainage is a prolific source of fevers, and the situation of our cemetery is such as to bear out the theory. We believe the time has arrived when a thorough investigation should be made, and the cause, wherever found, removed. It would be a simple matter to determine whether or not the cemetery was the fountain head, and, in the name of the citizens of O'Neill, we ask the board of health to make the experiment.

For Sale.

Two Shropshire Rams, both registered. Inquire of W. F. Purdy, Swan, Neb. 4wpd

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All suits worth \$6.50, \$6.75, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$7.75, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$8.75, at one price.	\$5.98	Suits worth \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15.00, one price.	10.95

Black Clay Worsteds, not included in the above, 10 per cent. discount.
All Boys' and Children's Suits, 20 per cent. discount.
50 pairs Men's odd Pants at half price.
Balance of stock single pants 20 per cent discount.

OUR Stock of Clothing is in first-class condition, and we make these, the lowest prices ever quoted on first-class goods, simply to reduce our large stock preparatory to receiving our Fall and Winter line. You can't appreciate this offer unless you see the goods.

Ladies' and Children's Jackets 33 1/3 per cent. Discount.

We have a handsome line of Children's Jackets in the latest styles, worth \$1.75, \$1.95 \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00; You can buy them now at \$1.17, \$1.34, \$1.50, \$1.87 and \$2.00. Also a splendid line of Misses' Jackets, heavy enough for Fall and early Winter wear.

Ladies' Dress Skirts A nice line worth from \$1.50 to \$12.00 at 20 per cent. discount.

98 cent Shoe Sale,

Of Ladies' Shoes worth from \$2.50 to \$4.00 the greatest bargain ever offered anywhere and going fast. If you don't investigate you will lose money. If you do investigate you will buy.

J. P. MANN.