

## Local...

Legal blanks at this office.  
John Dillon, opera house, January 12.  
Windmill and tower for sale. Call on Mrs. A. J. Meals.  
Mrs. Brockway, Laurel, is visiting friends in this city.  
Patronize home industry and smoke Full Value cigars.  
Postmaster Johnson was down from Atkinson last Tuesday.  
That popular knight of the grip, W. B. Hogan, was in town the first of the week.  
Those owing us on subscription will confer a favor upon us by calling and paying up.  
Mrs. Bird, will sing at the regular service of the Presbyterian church next Sabbath evening.  
C. H. Walrath and wife of North Bend were visiting with R. H. Jenness and family last Sunday.  
W. F. Keeley returned from the west last Friday night. He expects to go to the Klondike next month.  
Willie and Walter Laviollette returned to Omaha, where they are attending school, yesterday morning.  
B. A. Deyarman returned to Sioux City last week after spending a few days with relatives and friends here.  
Jay Fransworth, of Page, was in town Wednesday shaking hands with some of his old comrades of Company M.  
Dr. Gilligan went down to Norfolk last Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Nebraska State Medical association.  
Newt Mullendore came up from Norfolk Monday night and visited friends in the city until Wednesday morning.  
R. H. Murray was up from Page last Thursday and ordered the old reliable sent to his address the coming year.  
Miss Martha Caldwell, of Sioux City, visited Miss Mable Martin the first of the week, returning home Wednesday morning.  
C. H. Fawler of Inman is one of the many who have had their names enrolled upon The Frontier's subscription book the past week.  
Fred Pfunder came down from Valentine Saturday morning and spent New Years shaking hands with his many O'Neill friends.  
LOST—At Masquerade dance, a small white fan with purple flowers, finder will please leave at post office and receive reward.  
A. F. Rouse of Blackbird was a pleasant caller last Friday. Mr. R. will commence the New Year right. He remembered the printer.  
W. E. Hamlin has purchased the F. B. Cole & Son jewelry, watch and clock stock and will continue the business at the same place.

NO. 1167.

If you have it come and get the piano. J. P. K. a.

## TO CLEAN UP WINTER GOODS

I offer the following discounts:

- Fur overcoats - 10 per cent.
- Cloth overcoats - 25 "
- Ladies' cloaks - 20 "
- Ladies' button shoes - 25 "
- Leggins in all sizes - 20 "
- Blankets - 20 "
- Comforters - 20 "
- Dress goods - 20 "

Until Jan. 15

P. J. McMANUS

L. C. Wade has purchased the E. M. Ward residence in the eastern part of town and moved his family therein last week. Consideration \$1000.

It is reported that Captain Fisher, of Chadron and John G. Maher are organizing a regiment in this state to take to south Africa to help the Boers.

The cake walk champions, Clarence Campbell and Miss Mary McMillian have the thanks of this office for a piece of the prize cake sent us Tuesday.

Miss Alice Coykendall returned Monday evening from Los Angeles, Cal., where she has resided the past six years. She expects to remain in O'Neill.

W. M. Haynes, of Page, was a caller yesterday and left the wherewith to secure fifty-two visits of this truth expounder and knowledge disseminator.

J. B. Berry was in town Tuesday with a box full of rattles that he says were taken from the nest of rattlesnakes killed by him a couple of weeks ago.

Bessie Deyarman gave a surprise party Friday evening in honor of her friend Edna Osier of Brunswick. A large crowd was present and a good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hicks left for Springdale, Ark., last Tuesday morning, where they will visit with the family of their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Deyarman, for a few weeks.

S. H. Seaman, who spent the Holidays visiting relatives in this city, returned to his home at Ashton, S. D., last Friday morning. The Frontier will keep him posted on Holt county affairs the coming year.

The Epworth League and Christian Endeavor held a union watch meeting the last hours of the old year at the Methodist church. Exercises of a religious nature kept all who attended interested until 12 o'clock.

F. M. Brittel formerly of this city, but late of Hubbard, Iowa, purchased the E. P. Hicks meat market and took charge of the same January 1. Mr. Brittel at one time ran the Gatz market and is therefore no stranger to the people of O'Neill. We wish for him success.

Some trouble which occurred last week between Jim Shanner and Elgy Sargent's boys at Page last week generated a degree of heat that caused the elder Shanner to seek relief for his boy in county court. Mr. Shanner, however, withdrew his case before going to trial.

Judge Westover came down from Rushville Monday to confer with Judge Harrington and set the dates for the terms of court in this district the ensuing year. The Judge naturally feels considerably elated over the vote he received throughout the district. He informed us that he had selected his niece as his official stenographer.

Fred Raymond left for Alliance last Thursday night, where he has purchased a grocery store and in which city he expects to make his future home. During their short residence in this city Mr. and Mrs. Raymond made many friends who regret to see them leave but wish prosperity and happiness in their new home.

John Dillon and his excellent company will appear at O'Neill, Opera House Friday evening January, 12, 1900, in his latest success, "Bartlett's Road to Seltzerville." It has been a number of years since Mr. Dillon appeared here, and is sure to draw a large audience, as he is a great favorite in O'Neill.

The masquerade ball given by the fire department ladies last Monday night was a pleasant affair and largely attended. Some of the costumes were very pretty and some the reverse. The prize event of the evening, the cake walk, was pulled off just before midnight and was won by Clarence Campbell and Miss Mary McMillian.

"Bartlett's Road to Seltzerville," Mr. Dillon's new play is delighting large audiences everywhere. The play is a series of exciting laughable incidents that have their beginning on the wedding morn of Hiram Jolly, bachelor, played by Mr. Dillon. Bartlett's Road proves to be the road to happiness for the various pairs of lovers in the play and "all ends happily," as a good play should. Mr. Dillon is immense as Hiram Jolly.

The Independent order of Odd Fellows, under the supervision of O. O. Snyder, grand master of Nebraska, instituted lodge No. 237 at Stuart last Thursday night December 28, assisted by twenty-five brothers from O'Neill, fifteen from Atkinson and twenty-two from Newport. The new lodge starts out with a membership of twenty-seven. A Banquet was tendered the visiting brothers, and a royal good time was had by all who attended.

The ninety days' sentence pronounced by Justice Slattery against the chaps who worked the city two weeks ago was quickly served. They are now at large to continue their disreputable work after spending ten days, in jail. Thus again is given an example of the uselessness of the law in misdemeanor cases. The system in vogue with our county board, which allows no fee to officers for prosecuting such chaps, makes of the code one gigantic force.

G. C. Hazellet returned to Omaha Sunday after spending the Christmas season in the city and incidentally furthering the plans for the Klondike expedition, which will start for the fields of gold the latter part of the present month. There will be some fifteen or twenty men in the party and they will be equipped so as to get out the gold-laden dirt in great quantities. Messrs. Hazellet and Meals staked out a number of claims in the Copper river country during their prospecting tour last year.

Following are the terms of court for the Fifteenth judicial district as set by Judges Westover and Harrington last Monday: Holt, February 5, July 12; November 12, July 19. Cherry, March 12, July 13; December 3, July 4. Sheridan, April 2, July 3; December 17, July 18. Box Butte, March 19, July 20; September 24, July 25. Sioux, April 16, July 17; September 17, July 18. Dawes, equity, January 14, February 26, July 27; November 19, July 20. Boyd, May 1, July 2; September 3, July 4. Rock, March 6, July 7; December 10, July 11. Brown, March 26, July 27; November 26, July 27. Keya Paha, May 14, July 15; September 10, July 11.

Scranton Republican: Martin Farrell died at his home, 340 Gibson street at 10:30 last night. For the past four months Mr. Farrell had been suffering from paralysis. He is survived by a wife and eight children. Mr. Farrell is best known because of his draying business having been engaged in that industry for the past twenty-five years in this city. Coming to Scranton when a boy, he has been a continuous resident, with the exception of twelve years that he spent at O'Neill, Neb., from which place he returned fifteen years ago. Mrs. Farrell, his mother, is reported in a dying condition.

**ATTENTION, FRIENDS OF LIBERTY.**  
You are respectfully requested to attend a meeting to be held at the court house, in O'Neill, Nebraska, on Saturday evening, the 6th of January, 1900. The object of the meeting is to consider the matter of rendering assistance to the people of the Transvaal Republic who are at present engaged in defense of their country against English invasion. Important business will be transacted and you are urgently requested to be present. Honorable M. P. Kincaid and Honorable M. F. Harrington and others are expected to address the meeting. Now is the time to show your colors.  
T. V. Golden  
Michael Slattery  
Martin Bazelman  
Committee.

**CASTORIA.**  
The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Peterson* is on every wrapper.

## A TRUNK LINE TO THE OCEAN

A business special from the Great Northern Line, which road took charge of the management of the Pacific Short Line and the Sioux City and Northern railways beginning January 1, reached O'Neill Monday evening, stopping an hour. Among the officers aboard were: W. P. Clough, vice president; F. E. Ward, general superintendent; J. M. Geuber, assistant general superintendent east division; R. I. Harrington, comptroller; L. B. Allen, division superintendent.

We are informed that the acquisition of the two roads mentioned creates a new division of the Great Northern in which are embraced the Willmar and Sioux Falls railway, the Sioux Falls and Yankton line, the Sioux City and Northern and the Pacific Short Line, the head officers of which will be J. W. Hill of St Paul, vice president, L. B. Allen, Willmar, Minn., division superintendent with division headquarters at Willmar for the present.

That portion of Donald McLean's dream which was realized in part, the Pacific Short Line, has passed into the hands of one of the largest and strongest railroad corporations in the world. What the future holds for the line we can only conjecture, but one thing is certain that if the Great Northern would gain a point by the extension of the old Short Line from O'Neill westward they certainly have the enterprise and cash to push it on. For O'Neill it opens the door to a trunk line to St Paul and Minneapolis, the head of the great lakes Duluth, West Superior, and the Pacific coast.

It has been demonstrated repeatedly in every state in the Union and in many foreign countries that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain preventive and cure for croup. It has become the universal remedy for that disease. M. V. Fisher of Liberty W. Va., only repeats what has been said around the globe when he writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for several years and always with perfect success. We believe that it is not only the best cough remedy but a sure cure for croup. It has saved the lives of my children many a time. For sale by P. C. Corrigan."

### Notice to Taxpayers of Grattan Township

I will begin the collection of taxes of Grattan township on Saturday, January 13, and will be at the Elkhorn Valley bank every Saturday on and after that date to accommodate all who wish to pay.  
P. J. Hanley,  
Treasurer of Grattan Township.

### M'CAFFREY ITEMS.

Jim McCaffrey is hauling corn from the north country.

Mrs. Lamberson, of Fremont, is visiting with her son George and family.

Mr. and Mrs. McCaffrey, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, attended the birthday party at Clark's Tuesday. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Clark's sixtieth birthday.

A vast assemblage of the village folks received a kind welcome at the McCaffrey school house Christmas night where an entertainment, was given by the school children and others who beneficently assisted. The program was thoroughly prepared James McCaffrey presided as chairman, and Miss Bea Morgan in her free and easy manner delivered clearly and distinctly the address of welcome. Mrs. George Lamberson rendered her efficient services as organist. After the program the Christmas tree was exposed to view, where Santa Claus had been with a store of presents for every one. Some very costly gifts were received, and among the most well remembered presents was Miss Ella McCaffrey who with a number of other worthy presents received a handsome gold watch. After the distribution of the Christmas presents, a dainty supper was served by Mrs. Lamberson and the Misses Morgan, Clark McCaffrey. Then all returned home feeling benefitted.

### STAFFORD SAYINGS.

Oscar Sandburg was in town Sunday. Grandma Shobe, is visiting at Stafford. Andro Moscow is working at Brown's. Tom Brown had business in this burg Saturday. Ed. Johnson is hauling baled hay to town. Tim Hurley spent New Year's at Stafford. School opened Tuesday, with a good attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Brobst are expected to arrive home in a few days.

Mr. Reed is here from eastern Nebr., looking over the country with a view to locating.

James O'Donnell has nearly recovered from the severe sprain received about four weeks ago.

It is well that our agent will soon leave us, before he knocks out all the boys with the gloves.

Miss Peterson arrived in town Saturday night from Lincoln, where she has been attending the State Teacher's meeting.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Wonder are recovering from injuries received in a runaway about three weeks ago.

O. Nelson and two sons, of Wasua, Nebr., are visiting with the Larson family. Mr. Nelson is a brother of Mrs. Larson, and they had not met for twenty eight years.

### Business Matters

Weedman is the man to fix your watch or clock. At Gilligan and Stout's.

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. 30-1f

Neil Brennan has the finest line of stoves ever seen in this section of the country. Call and see him before you purchase. 22-1f

M. F. Cronin has taken the agency for that well-known family medicine, TURTLE OIL. It is the best thing known for sore throat, rheumatism, and all aches and pains. 50c. Guaranteed. 17-4

The fragile babe and the growing child are strengthened by White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys worms, gets digestion at work, and so rebuilds the body. Price 25 cents. P. C. Corrigan.

WANTED—Honest man or woman to travel for large house; salary \$65 monthly and expenses, with increase; position permanent; inclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 330 Caxton bldg., Chicago.

Whoever has suffered from piles knows how painful and troublesome they are. Tablers Buckeye Pile Ointment is guaranteed to cure piles. Price 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. P. C. Corrigan.

Many a bright and happy household has been thrown into sadness and sorrow because of death of a loved one from a neglected cold. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the great cure for coughs, colds and all pulmonary ailments. Price, 25 and 50 cents. P. C. Corrigan

## OUR New York Apples

ARE FINE TRY THEM...  
Buckwheat flour Figs and dates  
Maple syrup Oranges  
Black walnuts Hickory nuts  
Hazle nuts  
All nice and fresh  
At the O'Neill Grocery.  
J. P. GALLAGHER, Prop.

### CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Peterson*  
C. H. Weedman, the Jeweler at Gilligan and Stout's is a first-class workman and respectfully solicits a share of your patronage.

WANTED—Honest man or woman to travel for large house; salary \$65 monthly and expenses, with increase; position permanent; inclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 330 Caxton bldg., Chicago.

The properties of Ballard's Snow Lintment possess a range of usefulness greater than any other remedy. A day seldom passes in every household, especially where there are children, that it is not needed. Price, 25 and 50 cents. P. C. Corrigan.

Herbine should be used to enrich and purify the blood; it cures all forms of blood disorders, is especially useful in fevers, skin eruptions, boils, pimples, blackheads, scrofula, salt rheum and every form of blood impurity; it is a safe and effectual cure. Price 50 cents. P. C. Corrigan.

Manager Martain, of the Pierso drug store informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind, and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of a grippe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. The sales are growing and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Good, young, thoroughbred Poland China and Chester White boars.  
J. H. McAllister, Joy, Neb.

**TEN DAYS**

**of Cut Prices**

- 20 per cent. discount on Overcoats
- 20 per cent. discount on Cloaks and Capes
- 10 per cent. discount on Fur Coats
- 20 per cent. discount on Collarettes and Muffs
- 20 per cent. discount on Blankets <sup>Worth over</sup> \$2 per pair
- 20 per cent. discount on Shawls
- 20 per cent. discount on Dress Skirts
- 20 per cent. discount on Ladies' and Misses' Winter Slippers.

**J. P. MANN**