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Local....

Legal blanks at this office.

M. P. Kinkaid was in Omaha last week.

John Brady was down from Atkinson Monday.

Miss Pearl Hawk of Tilden is visiting in the city.

Newt Mullendore was up from Norfolk over Sunday.

Patronize home industry and smoke Full Value cigars.

At Hotel Evans on March 2, Dr. C. Crooks, of Fremont.

J. P. Mann departed Sunday for a business visit at Chicago.

Dr. Blackburn was down from Atkinson the first of the week.

Chas. Stout came home from Des Moines, last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Coffey of Spencer visited friends in this last week.

Sanford Dodge company, at the opera-house, Friday evening, February 23.

Henry Hobbins, of the Omaha Brewing Association, was in the city Tuesday.

L. P. Larson, of the Fremont Brewing Co., was in the city Sunday and Monday.

Frank Pixley was confined to his bed a few days last week as the result of a cold.

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

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

Sanford Dodge at the opera house Thursday and Friday night, February 22 and 23.

Rev. Kliver of Ewing was in the city over night Monday, attending the stereopticon lecture.

G. A. McCutcheon went to Sioux City Tuesday to attend head camp of the Independent Workmen.

The Frontier prints sale bills—not the cheapest—but the best. Bills that are attractive and will be read.

Hon. E. K. Valentine, of West Point, was in the city Monday in the interest of his insurance company.

Romaine Saunders of the Frontier force is confined to his home this week with an attack of tonsillitis.

Editor Eves of the Independent was at Ewing the first of the week looking after his newspaper interest there.

For Sale—A nice three-year-old Norman stallion, or will trade for stock. Henry Martfeldt, Emmet, Neb. 31-4

For Sale—Eggs for setting from Buff Plymouth Rocks. Price, \$1.25 for 15.—F. R. Bignold, Ewing, Neb. 31-4

Lee Henry of Atkinson worshiped in O'Neill Sunday, having his camera along to capture a few snap shots.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good last year's full stock Plymouth Rock roosters. Also other good stock.—J. H. McAllister, Joy, Neb. 33-1f

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

A. H. Blinco is taking a few days off from the passenger run on the Short Line to look after some property interests in southern Missouri.

The Clara Hamner Theatre company, at the opera-house Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 26, 27 and 28. Prices 15, 25, 35.

Neligh Advocate: Rev. E. G. Hutchinson, pastor of the M. E. church at O'Neill, is here assisting in the revival services at the M. E. church.

Albert O. Swift, post office inspector, is in the city today and checked up the O'Neill office. He reported everything as being in first-class shape.

Chas. A. Meals has received notice from the war department to report at Fort Leavenworth on March 1, to take the examination for West Point as alternate.

The Clara Hamner company, with an entire new repertoire of the latest successes, with specialties between the acts, at opera-house Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 26, 27 and 28.

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.

Do not fail to consult Dr. Crooks at the Hotel Evans on March 2. He successfully treats all diseases of the Nerves, Heart, Lungs, Kidney, Liver, Venereal Piles and Chronic Ailments. Consultation free.

The Independent still continues playing the baby act on the county printing deal and making itself the laughing stock of the county. Poor Eddie, probably he sees in this slap in the phiz the beginning of the end.

Dave Williams, the ever welcome comedian, is to be seen again this season with the Clara Hamner company. Dave has many friends and admirers in our city who will no doubt turn out in force at opera-house Monday night.

Dr. C. V. Crooks the well known specialist of Fremont, who is curing hundreds of people, will be in O'Neill at Hotel Evans on Friday March 2, for one day only. Do not fail to consult him. Consultation free.

Owing to a rush of work in the office and the sickness of Mr. Saunders The Frontier is a couple of days late this week and its news columns are slim. But we can assure our readers that it will be up to its usual standard next week.

The Modern Woodman society paid to beneficiaries of 1,819 deceased members last year the sum of \$3,453,550. During the past sixteen years, up to January 1, 1900, the Society has paid 7,604 death claims, aggregating \$15,199,885.

T. F. Birmingham returned last Thursday night from Galena, Ill., where he was called a couple of weeks previous to attend the funeral of his brother. Genevive Birmingham, one of his deceased brother's children returned with him and will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Birmingham in this city.

The stereopticon lecture given at the Methodist church by the Sunday school missionaries Monday evening was largely attended and much enjoyed. The views were illustrative of the life of Christ and were very good. The missionaries departed Tuesday for Ewing, exhibiting there in the evening.

Rev. N. S. Lowrie went to Norfolk Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Presbyterian board of missions, of which he is chairman. At this meeting the board will plan for another years work. The past year over \$4,000 was used by the board in missionary work, and more is expected to be used this year.

O. O. Snyder, grand Master of the I. O. O. F. for the jurisdiction of Nebraska left for Fullerton, Neb., yesterday morning to attend a funeral of a member of the Fullerton lodge who was killed in Manila last summer and whose remains have just reached Nebraska. All the grand officers will be in attendance.

James Ryan will have a public sale at his place five and one-half miles west of O'Neill Tuesday, March 6, 1900, at 10 a. m. The following stock will be disposed of: 15 head of three year old steers; 75 head of two year old steers; 20 head of yearling steers; 75 head of cows and heifers, with calf; 15 head of yearling heifers; 2 high grade Herford bulls; 3 span of draft horses; 1 span three year old colts; 1 driving team; 3 saddle horses and a lot of farm machinery and household goods. T. F. Malloy will cry the sale.

Modern Woodmen of this city may be interested in knowing that the first death of a member of their society occurred July 14, 1884, in Davenport, Iowa, Mr. Ab. Myer. The second Woodman to die was Cephas Hurley, of Whiteside county, Ill., on November 14, 1884, and the third was W. H. Beker, of Rockford, Ill., who died December 22, 1884. On all except the first death the Woodman society paid the full amount called for by the benefit certificate. One assessment on the entire membership in July, 1883, did not realize quite \$1,000. Now one assessment on the entire membership realize \$350,000, approximately.

A boy was sent after a pail of water says an exchange. It was necessary to prime the pump each time and give a dozen or more strokes at the handle to start the water. He poured in the priming and pumped out as much as he poured in. Then he stopped to rest and the prime ran down again. After two or three hours of alternate pumping and resting he concluded it did not pay to pump, and then quite in disgust. The story reminds us of the merchant who advertised a few weeks, then stopped a while and allowed the people to forget him and his business before he advertised again, and concluded that it did not pay to advertise. The fact is that the pump had lost its priming while he rested.

SUPERVISOR DOINGS

(Official Report.)

Supervisors office, Jan. 9, 1900

Board met in regular session and was called to order by county clerk.

Wm. P. Simar and John Coffey were appointed a committee on credentials to report whether B. W. Postlewait, W. W. Bethea and M. Keefe have qualified as supervisors.

Committee reports as follows: We find that B. W. Postlewait of dist. No. 2, W. W. Bethea of dist. No. 4 and M. Keefe for dist. No. 6, were duly elected supervisors for their respective districts and have qualified by filing their bond in the county judges office, said bonds have been duly approved by the said judge.

W. P. Simar,
John Coffey.

Report adopted. Board proceeded to elect a chairman, and Mr. Fritchhoff receiving five votes was declared elected.

Chair appointed Bethea, Cooper and Keefe a committee on rules.

Committee on rules report as follows: We recommend the adoption of the rules governing the board last year, with the exception of rule twelve which shall read as follows: No question shall be reconsidered unless all members of the board are present, and a majority of them shall vote in the affirmative, and no question shall at any time be reconsidered more than once without the unanimous consent of the board.

The following members were appointed on committee.

Judicial and legal affairs, court house and jail expenses: John Coffey, W. W. Bethea and W. P. Simar.

Printing and supplies: B. W. Postlewait, Cooper and Simar.

Finance and official bonds: W. B. Cooper, Coffey and Bethea.

Settlement with county officers: W. W. Bethea, Cooper, Coffey, Postlewait, Keefe, Simar and Fritchhoff.

Taxes and Tax titles: M. Keefe, Simar and Postlewait.

Claims: W. P. Simar, Bethea, Cooper, Coffey, Postlewait, Keefe and Fritchhoff. Moved and seconded that the chair appoint a committee of three to ascertain the wants of county officers for the ensuing year.

Mo ion carried. Chair appoints Cooper, Simar and Coffey as such committee.

Committee reports as follows: Mr. Chairman: We your committee beg leave to report that the county clerk asks for one deputy at a salary of \$700 per year and the necessary clerks at the rate of \$650 per year each.

County treasurer for one deputy at a salary of \$700 per year and the necessary clerks at a rate of \$650 per year each.

Clerk of the district court one deputy at a salary of \$800 and necessary clerks at the rate of \$650 per year.

County superintendent for a salary of \$1200 per year and one deputy at \$50 per month.

Sheriff for two deputies at \$700 per year each.

And we would respectfully recommend as follows:

That the county clerk be allowed one deputy at a salary of \$700 per year and three clerks at the rate of \$650 per year each when needed.

County treasurer one deputy at \$700 per year and two clerks at the rate of \$650 per year each when actually needed.

Clerk of the district court one deputy at a salary of \$700 per year and one clerk at the rate of \$650 per year.

County superintendent be allowed a salary of \$1200 per year and one deputy at a salary of \$600 per year.

W. B. Cooper,
Wm. P. Simar,
John Coffey.

On motion the recommendations of the committee were adopted.

Moved and seconded that E. Kline be employed as Janitor for the courthouse for the ensuing year at a salary of \$35 per month.

Motion carried. On motion board adjourned to tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

9 o'clock a. m. Jan. 10, 1900. Board met pursuant to adjournment, all members present.

Minutes were read and approved. On motion the following official bonds were approved:

W. F. Mulligan, for constable in Wyoming township.

Township Treasurer.

Peter Claussen Pleasantview.

Barney Jones Fairview.

T. V. Atkinson Swan.

Peter A Lindberg Shields.

Joshim Stein Rock Falls.

Justice of Peace.
Geo Raymer Pleasantview.
H C Knight
G C Whitney Stuart.

W C Ogle Green Valley.
D A Clausen Wyoming
L G Lambert Lake
W D Bradstreet Paddock
Joseph Thraemer Deloit
J H Torbet Steel Creek
N S Butler Iman
Bernard Hynes Saratoga
Hirman Beebe Atkinson
Township Clerk.

J S Hoffman Shamrock
John P Sullivan Grattan
Carl Jacob Ewing
George Lambert Lake
J D Grimes Chambers
Rodell Root Wyoming
Elmer Crosser Iman
John S Schneider Conley
L E Harding Rock Falls
Henry Doscher Willowdale
A S Eby Dustin
F H Mills Stuart
Joseph McCaffrey Fairview
Fred Schneider Deloit
Chas L Morse Cleveland
John Larson Paddock
Anton Prusa Green Valley
L T French Verdigris
N C Johnson Swan

Township Assessor.

W J Malloy Emmet
Joseph Schollmeyer Jr. Scott
J C Clarke Cleveland
J P Miller Paddock
Jesse Roy Fairview
Wm Snell Iowa
Wm Menish Shields
W E Conklin Frances
Wm F Clevish Rock Falls
Elias Brumbaugh Iman
J N Hovey Stuart
C F W Lehman Conley
John W Moss Wyoming
R K Cosner Dustin
Ed Coppoc Chambers
Otto Nilson Saratoga
Allen Haynes Verdigris
H W Brosious McClure
Albert Rothlieutner Lake

Road Overseer.

Frank Vandersnick, dist No 1
Will Goree, dist No 2
S F Hibbard, dist No 3
Jesse Friend, dist No 7
Charles Christenson, dist No 9
W Wright, dist No 11
Ernest Stein, dist No 13
J P Pedrow, dist No 14
A L Davies, dist No 15
John Enright, dist No 16
M S Potter, dist No 17
Fred Tonborg, dist No 18
Charles W Morgan, dist No 19
J J Hunt, dist No 21
Geo Hallock, dist No 29
Joseph Tasler, dist No 30
C P Jonger, dist No 35
Frank Root, dist No 36
Daniel Dierks, dist No 37
Z T Miller, dist No 41
J J Davis, dist No 43
Christian M Yantze, dist No 48
C F Moorman, dist No 49
Ed Harris, dist No 51
A N Ayers, dist No 54
J S Auton, dist No 58
Thos Brown, dist No 59

The following list of names were handed in from which the clerk of the district court is to draw the jury for the next term of the district court.

Atkinson: Henry W Transue, Wallace Fullerton, Robert Bitner, Dan Cameron, Henry Bennett.

Stuart: George Hallock, John Kraemer, Frank Doney, Fred Blondin, Richard Moon.

Chambers: J D Grimes, J W Holden, N L Jones.

Conley: Scott Hough.
McClure: E J Larue.
Lake: J Hertel.

Iman: Wm Hart, Peter Ryan, Horace Bradley.

Deloit: Henry Holz, Mike Rotherham.
Ewing: S B Hannamann, E W Horton
C E Mills, Orlan Jackman.

Verdigris: Robert Gallagher, Wilson Stewart, E C Rector.

Sheridan: Nicholas O'Connell, Mike Wenner.

Green Valley: Joseph Milinar, B P Nehr.

Emmet: James O'Conner.
Frances: William Conklin.
Shamrock: J S Hoffman.
Fairview: Chris Anderson.
Wyoming: E H White.

Saratoga: Gustay Kruger,
Cleveland and Pleasantview: Frank Rekrer.

Dustin: S Dening.
Saratoga: Bernard Hynes.
Rock Falls: Peter Greely.

Steel Creek: Nickelas White.
Scott: Frank Eppenbaugh.
Paddock: W H Bedford, Ed Larson.

Shields: J A Brennan, Phillip Bausch, John Heenan.

Willowdale: C E Downey.
Iowa: J R Newberry.
Grattan: Lawrence Barrett, John Enright, B H Johring, Dennis Hanly.

O'Neill 1st ward: James Connelly,
David Stanard.
O'Neill 2nd ward: William Lakey.
O'Neill 3rd ward: Dan Davie, Thos

McLaughlan.
Mr. Chairman: Whereas it appears that no bond has been filed for justice of peace for Scott township. I move that the office of justice of peace in Scott township be declared vacant.

B W Postlewait,
W B Cooper.

Motion carried.

Mr. Chairman: I move that M T Elliot be appointed as justice of peace for Scott township.

B W Postlewait,
W B Cooper.

Motion carried.
On motion board adjourned to tomorrow morning, 9 o'clock.

9 o'clock a. m. Jan. 11, 1900.
Board met pursuant to adjournment, all members present.

Minutes of yesterdays meeting were read and approved.

Wm Lell came before the board praying that his personal tax of 1899 which appears on the tax list as unpaid be stricken, for the reason that said taxes were paid by warrant allowed on his claim against the county.

Tax committee reports that said petition should be granted, which report was adopted by the board.

Bids for the furnishing and printing stationery were opened and the bid of the Independent Publishing Company was found to be the lowest and the contract was upon the recommendation of the committee on printing awarded to said company.

Also the contract for furnishing blank books, blanks, etc. was awarded the Omaha Printing company and their bond approved, its bid being the lowest received.

Mr. Chairman: We your committee on finance submit the following estimate of expence of the County of Holt for the year 1900.

Jail, prisoners and court house	\$5,000 00
Books, stationary and printing	2,000 00
Assessors expenses	3,000 00
County officers	9,000 00
Coroners inquest and witnesses	500 00
Fuel and lights	500 00
Insane	500 00
Costs in justice court	500 00
Roads	600 00
Election	2,000 00
Court and jurors	8,000 00
Aid to Agricultural society	420 00
Miscellaneous	2,800 00
High school tuition	1,200 00
Total General Fund	\$35,920 00
Bridge fund	\$7,000 00
Judgment fund	5,000 00
Funding bond	5,000 00
Soldiers relief	800 00
County Grand Total	\$53,720 00
Also balance of Grattan township judgment	\$25 60
	\$53,745 60
	W B Cooper, B W Postlewait, W W Bethea.

Upon motion the report of committee was adopted.

(To be continued.)

THE NEW ROAD
Spencer, Neb. Feb. 16 1900.

Editor Frontier: Wednesday evening the citizens of this place were somewhat surprised by the receipt of letters and postal cards announcing the fact that A. O. Perry and party wished a mass meeting of property owners called at Spencer for the next evening, in order that eastern capitalists might submit a proposition to the people of this vicinity in regard to constructing a railroad in Boyd county. Accordingly about fifteen property owners, eight or ten visitors to the town and a number of kids assembled in the school room to hear Messrs Kerr, of New York, Dobbs and Perry, of Atkinson, unfold their plan of building a railroad from Pierce S. D. to Erickson and Cedar Rapids, Neb., and in time extending to Aberdeen S. D. thence to Winnepeg Maintoba and making close connections with eight trunk lines at various points, thus becoming a link in various railways connecting the Gulf of Mexico with Winnepeg, also a branch from Butte, Boyd county to Lynch. After much juggling of figures on a black-board and getting them figured to suit their side of the case, they placed a crude map of the proposed railroad on exhibition and Mr. Kerr explained the many benefits of a railroad to Boyd county and proved to his own satisfaction that this railroad the Atkinson & Northern (and elsewhere) would benefit the county more than any other railway. Then he explained to the dear people how busy the people of Wall street were, and what would be necessary for the people of this county to do in order to approach capitalists. He then presented them with a proposition to enjoy the privilege of the great air line from Cedar Rapids to Winnepeg. First it would be necessary to subscribe \$20,000 in capital stock to the Atkinson & Northern railroad (or any road it may be merged into) payable in installments as follows: 10 per cent upon notification that enough stock had been subscribed, 10 per cent when survey was commenced upon any part

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O'Neill Grocery

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of the line, 10 per cent when survey was completed, 10 per cent when grading was commenced, 10 per cent when tracklaying was commenced, the balance due when the first engine went over the line. Also it would be necessary to give them \$20,000 in bonds and also right away and terminal and station ground that would be required by them.

Mr. Dobbs then explained how little they were asking of the Boyd county people in the way of aid, using as an example the fact of Grattan township Holt county, giving to the Pacific Short Line \$36,000 in bonds and representing that four sections of land in Boyd county had more value than the entire township of Grattan. It was decided by the citizens present to call another meeting for Monday night to take action on the proposition as submitted by Mr. Kerr and company.

A Specator.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the late illness and death of our beloved son Claude L. Davis, and to the teachers and class mates of his school who took such an active part in his behalf.

C. L. Davis and family.

I can save you money on flour, feed, bran and shorts. Get my prices before buying. Also on corn and oats.

32-1f O'NEILL GROCERY,
J. P. Gallagher.

FOR SALE—My farm two miles northwest of O'Neill, 10 acres of hardwood timber, s. e. quarter of section 15, township 29, range 12, w. Will be sold cheap. Apply to D. Daly, Wahoo, Neb. 29-4

The properties of Ballard's Snow Liniment 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.

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.

ESTRAY—Taken up at my place in O'Neill on February 7, 1900, one red cow, dehorned, with what looks to be a wine cup brand on left hip. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. W. H. Palmer, O'Neill, Neb.

O'Neill, Feb. 12.—Letters uncalled for are at the postoffice for the following named persons: Grant Davis, Mary Keegan, A. A. Smith, Joseph Greger Lorin Beard, R. A. Ball, J. H. Riley, Bert Gray. Calling for foregoing say, "advertised"; if not called for in two weeks will be sent to dead letter office.—D. H. Cronin, postmaster.

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 la 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.