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Local...

Miss Nellie Daly visited Spencer last Saturday.

George Mellor was over from Lynch Tuesday.

Elmer Merriman was in from Middle Branch yesterday.

J. P. Mann returned Friday from his Texas trip.

John Deirks of Ewing had business in O'Neill Friday last.

Visiting cards just like an engraving 50c for 50 at The Frontier.

Miss Clara Zimmerman visited at Spencer the first of the week.

Come in and get your Dutch Uncle riding cultivators at Biglins. 38-1f

Rev. F. M. Cassidy went to Omaha Monday, returning Wednesday.

FOR SALE—\$45 saddle, and bridle, Sell reasonable. C. A. Meals, O'Neill.

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

William Butler and John Trommer-shauser of Ewing were in the city Monday.

The Dewey hog waterer is the best in the market, call and see them at Biglins. 43-1f

Joe Mann was down from Atkinson Monday. Joe has his store now under way in Atkinson.

A procession of fourteen loads of hogs and five loads of corn pulled in from the north country Wednesday.

A big lot of remnants in wall paper at Gilligan & Stout's. Come early and get the best selections. 38-1f

Call and see the Dutch Girl disc, she is a beauty and worth her weight in gold. 38-1f O. F. Biglin.

James Shea lost thirty head of hogs last week. Mr. Shea says they simply died and he does not know the cause.

When you want good goods buy the Moline plows, cultivator, harrows, discs and corn planters. O. F. Biglin. 38-1f

Neil Brennan has the finest line of stoves ever seen in this section of the country. Call and see him before you purchase. 28-1f

Captain R. F. Cross, the late Company M commander, is in O'Neill on a visit. Captain Cross is studying medicine in Omaha.

N. Gwin, a former resident of O'Neill—one of the early comers—was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Gwin now reside at Laurel.

A. Merrill has purchased another stallion, a thoroughbred trotter and brother to the famous Seaboard Onward. Will stand during season.

Pat Ward went to Chicago with a train of cattle for Mack & Dietrick Monday. Pat will visit in the Windy City for a time before returning.

Dr. Crooks is coming. Hundreds of people who had given up all hope of ever being benefited, do not fail to consult him at the Evans hotel on May 10.

Miss Mary and Richard Nalty, sister and nephew of Mrs. P. C. Corrigan, who had been visiting in O'Neill, departed Tuesday for their home at Monroe, Wis.

Dr. C. V. Crooks, the well known specialist of Fremont, Nebr., will again be in O'Neill at the Evans hotel on Thursday, May 10, for the one day only. Consultation free.

Winner Chronicle: Frank Graves was here the last of last week mingling with old friends. He has located in Holt county in the cattle business with his brother Oliver, his address being O'Neill.

Editor Corey of the Chambers Bugle was a Frontier visitor Friday. Editor Corey is giving the people of Chambers a bright paper. He tells us South Fork people think that they will soon have a railroad.

Editor Combs of the Spencer Advocate was in the city over night Monday, going to Lincoln with the Holt county delegation Tuesday to the republican state convention. Editor Combs was a delegate from Boyd county.

Lynch Journal: P. F. Ward and C. A. Meals, the late appointed cadet to the West Point military academy, came in from O'Neill Wednesday to help drive the fat cattle to O'Neill.

We are requested to again remind our readers of the K. P. ball next Monday evening.

The proceeds of the play Monday evening, and the bazar together, amounted to over two hundred and seventy dollars.

The county treasury force is kept busy just now receiving and depositing tax money. The receipts, Deputy Donohoe says, average about \$1,000 a day.

A message from Jenness at Lincoln states that Deitrich was nominated for governor by the republican convention. Delegates to Philadelphia are Thurston, Rosewater, McClay and Earhart.

J. M. Morse of Peoria, Ill., was in the city this week looking after interests in Holt county. Mr. Morse has been a reader of The Frontier for several years and called an I renewed while in town.

Lynch Journal: This morning Mr. Deitrich started to O'Neill with 300 head of cattle from the feed yard's. These with 100 head from Spencer will be shipped to Omaha, making the first shipment of the Ditch Co's Boyd county fed cattle.

The Holt county Sunday school association will meet in O'Neill the 23d and 28d of May. A program will be arranged on Tuesday at 3 p. m. in the county superintendent's office. H. R. Henry, President.

Judge Selah has issued marriage license to John E. Lewis of Rock county and Miss May Brown of Omaha—ceremony by Rev. E. Grant Hutchinson; Ed Bright of Middle Branch to Miss Mabel Brewer of Venus; Otto Domera of Phoenix to Miss Maud Walker of Atkinson.

Dr. Homer Newell returned last week from his studies in Chicago and will remain in O'Neill for a short time until he decides where he will locate. Dr. Newell has in view three places, Johnston, Brown county; Lynch, Boyd county, where he was last year, and some point in Indiana.

Piles are not only most painful but also very dangerous, as the inflamed nodules are very apt to take on malignant action and cancer of the rectum is produced. They should be cured. Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment will cure the most obstinate cases. Price, 50c cents in bottles. Tubes, 75c P. C. Corrigan

Norfolk News: Herman C. Sattler of this city and Miss Annie Carton of O'Neill were united in marriage last evening at the Catholic parsonage by Rev. Thomas Walsh, the wedding being a very quiet affair. Mr. and Mrs. Sattler will for the present board at the Oxnard hotel, but will begin housekeeping as soon as arrangements can be made.

Davis & Hoxie yesterday removed the boiler from the old electric light house and loaded the same on a car. The boiler weighs in the neighborhood of six tons. A wagon was run beneath it and the boiler lowered to the wagon and drawn out by means of block and tackle. It is expected the whole plant will be loaded and shipped by the first of next week.

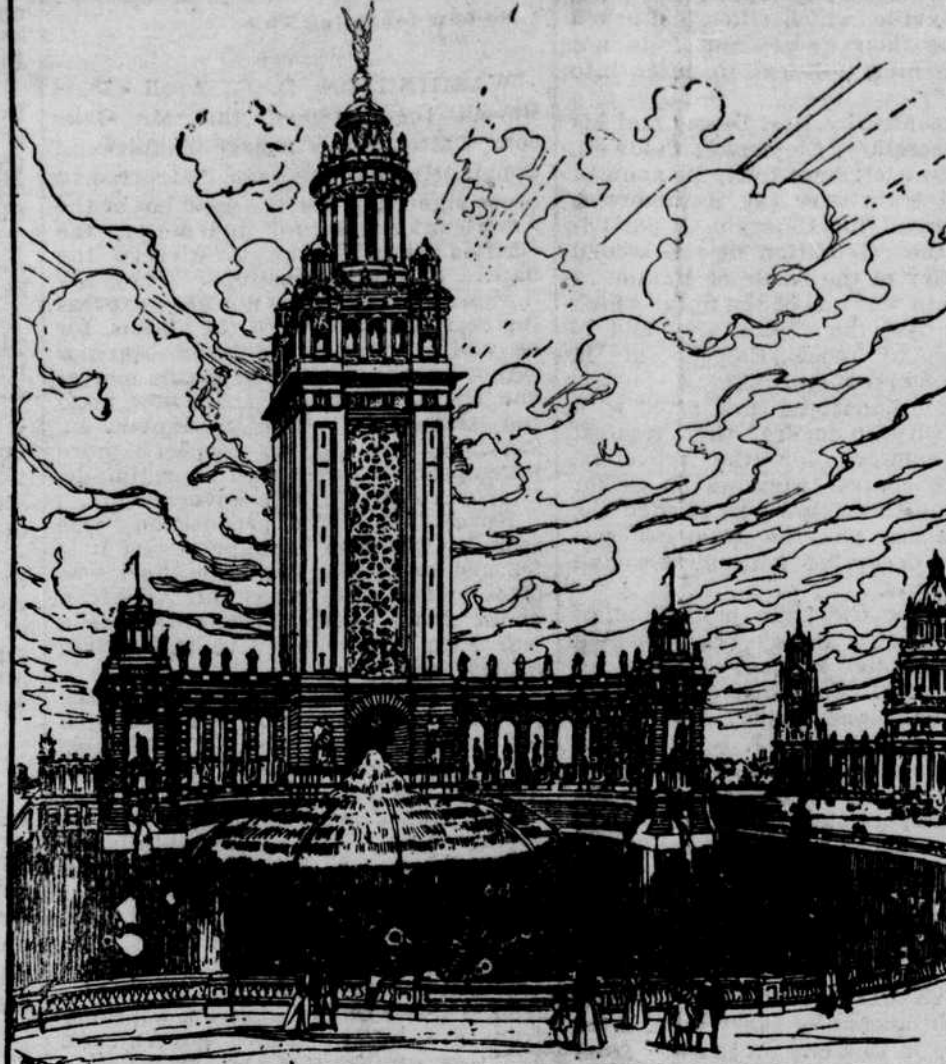
Don't despair because you have a weak constitution. The vitalizing principle of Herbine will assuredly strengthen it. In every drop of Herbine there is life. There is stimulating, regenerating power, unequalled in the whole range of medicinal preparations. Price, 50 cents P. C. Corrigan.

James Ryan died at his home seven miles west Wednesday evening. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at the Catholic church. Members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen will attend in a body. Mr. Ryan had been in poor health for a long time. The lateness of the hour prevents us giving a more extended notice this week.

Weather Observer Cole furnishes The Frontier some interesting statistics on the rainfall since January 1. The first month of the year there was neither snow nor rain; February record .95 inch of moisture; March .65 inch; April 5.47 inches. During the month of April, Mr. Cole says, there was the greatest amount of rain of any single month since he has been keeping record. In April a year ago the fall was but 1.14 inches, or 4.33 less than this year.

Ewing Advocate: Martin Bazelman, son of one O'Neill prominent business man, and Miss Monica Vandernick, of Ewing, were united in marriage Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at Catholic church in Ewing. A large number of friends of the couple extend sincere congratulations. A dance in honor of the happy couple was given at the home of the bride's parents last night which was largely attended by friends of the parties.

ELECTRIC TOWER AT THE PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.



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The dignified and stately beauty of the great Electric Tower, which will form the conspicuous centerpiece of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo May 1 to Nov. 1, 1901, will command the rapt admiration of every visitor. The entire exterior of the 350 foot high tower will be studded with electric lights.

Children who are weak, trefful or troublesome should be given a few doses of White's Cream Nermifuge. They will then become strong, healthy and active, have rosy cheeks, bright eyes, will be happy and laughing all the day long. Price, 25 cents P. C. Corrigan

Neligh Leader: It is stated that Kay Bros. of Ewing will race Walt Hall's horse, Burtwood, the coming season. He has already been entered in a number of the prominent eastern races, so far \$3,000 having been paid out as entrance money. They will be accompanied on the circuit by Mr. Hall, who shares in the winnings. The horse has no record but is considered very fast, and unless he goes wrong will win many of the events and in fast time. During the absence of Mr. Hall his wife will remain in this city.

Nebraska congressmen have received word that there is a scarcity of applicants for positions as cadets in the revenue cutter service, and that examinations may be held wherever there is a civil service examining board, the dates being May 17 to 19. Cadets draw \$500 per year and one ration per day. Applicants must be between eighteen and twenty five years of age and at least five feet three inches in height. While there is on rush for revenue service cadship the application for places at West Point are numerous.

Mr. John D. Kelly and Miss Mary A. Harrington were united in marriage at the Catholic church in this city Tuesday morning. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelly, who reside five miles northeast of O'Neill. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harrington of this city. A wedding dinner was held at the home of the bride's parents. The young couple received many presents from their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly are two splendid young people and The Frontier extends congratulations and wishes them much happiness.

A friend of The Frontier brings back from Omaha a good story illustrative of bump of importance of W. R. Butler, at one time attorney for Holt county. He was sitting in front of the Merchants hotel one evening among a party of traveling men. They were relating experiences in different towns in this territory when Stuart was mentioned. One of the men said: "A funny thing happened the last time I was in that town. Myself and a friend had purchased a couple of bottles of beer and while waiting for the train to pull out thought we would take a drink. I carefully pulled a cork and was just in the act of taking a pull at the bottle when a strong arm reached over my shoulder, seized the bottle and threw it down on the rails. At first I thought the man was a friend of my companion and had played the cruel trick as a joke, but when I looked at my friend I saw this was not the case. I asked the man what he meant by that kind of familiarity. He straightened up, threw back his shoulders, inflated his chest and said, 'I want you to understand that I am the prosecuting attorney of Holt county' that took away my breath. I hardly knew what I was up against, but when I finally collected my scattered senses I told him in language properly

punctuated that aside from being a jack-ass I didn't care a tinker's profanity what his other profession might be; that I was just about to open another bottle and if he didn't consider Stuart climate beneficial for convalescents it would be well for him to hold himself aloof. For officiousness it beat anything I ever saw."

There is complaint among hog raisers that a great number of swine are dying. The cause seems not to be understood nor how to prevent this loss of the farmers' best paying line of stock. Until recently such a thing as disease and loss among hogs was scarcely known in this section and it may be that the importation of animals into the country together with increased herds in that line of industry and the crowding together and less care to healthful conditions, thereby necessarily entailed has brought on this condition, which as yet seems to be at the starting point. The Bureau of Agriculture and Live Stock at Lincoln analyze diseases of animals and prescribe remedies. They charge nothing for their service and only require the carcass, or part thereof, of an animal to work on. It pays the farmers of a community to go to the trouble of sending in one carcass rather than lose year after year their whole herds. A number could club together and send in with but little expense to each.

Council Meets. The city council met last evening with Mayor Gallagher, Clerk Gallagher, Councilmen Brennan, Newell, Pfund and Sniggs present.

The first order of business taken up was the matter of appointive offices. For the office of city marshal, water commissioner and street commissioner, the mayor presented the name of C. E. Hall. Vote resulted in confirmation of Hall.

For the office of city weighmaster the mayor presents name of William Gordon. Confirmation unanimous, as was also Hall's.

The appointment of night watchman was laid over until next regular meeting. Upon the matter of saloon licenses being taken up, the following motion was made by Saiggs and seconded by Brennan: That the occupation tax on saloons be raised from \$300 to \$400 for the fiscal year, to be paid quarterly in advance. The ays and nays being called, vote resulted: ays—Brennan, Pfund and Sniggs, 3; nays—Newell, 1. Motion carried.

The bonds of the following applicants for saloon licenses appeared and license ordered raised, upon payment of the \$500 state license and \$100 quarterly occupation tax to the city treasurer, William Lawiolette, Thomas Campbell, Jerry McCarthy and A. A. Stanton. Moved by Brennan and seconded by Sniggs that no license will be granted during the fiscal year for less amount than a full year, viz: \$900. Motion carried. Moved by Saiggs and seconded by Newell that the bonds for liquor license permits of P. C. Corrigan and Gilligan & Stout be approved and that permits be issued on condition that a strict registry be kept according to law of all liquors sold and given away in conformity with sections 26 and 27 of Nebraska liquor law. Upon sufficient proof of any violation of above conditions, said permits will be revoked. Motion carried.

Moved by Pfund and seconded by Brennan that the bond of Bernard McGreevy, city treasurer, be approved in the sum of \$10,000. O. E. Davidson's bond approved.

M'UTCHEON SUCCEEDS BUTLER

The resignation of William R. Butler as county attorney took effect May 2 and on that date George A. McCutcheon was chosen by the board of supervisors as Mr. Butler's successor. Mr. McCutcheon took charge of the affairs of the office at once.

In this connection we might say that Mr. Butler has, so to speak, come down off of the perch and made a report to the county board as to the condition of the affairs of the office which he held; that is, as Mr. Butler has doctored it. Previous to the filing of the statement Mr. Butler paid in \$409 of his shortage, though it is claimed by his statement that he did not owe it. The report filed was not accepted by the board as it was found to be misleading and incorrect and obviously doctored up for effect. The fact that Butler paid in \$409 is pretty certainly self convicting evidence. The report would fill a newspaper page, but with all its voluminousness it is absolutely worthless, has been rejected by the board and will never appear in their official proceedings, hence we do not publish it.

The board adjourned yesterday to convene at call of chairman for final settlement with Mr. Butler. Butler was given credit with the \$409 which he staid in since getting into trouble.

Congressional Convention.

The congressional convention for the Sixth district was held at Kearney last Thursday. While THE FRONTIER news compilers were not there, we have it direct that the convention was one of the most harmonious and satisfactory ever held in the district. Perhaps this is said so perpetually of conventions that the reader has grown to look upon it as a talk for effect. But the assurance is given that the convention was in every respect a red-letter day for the reps. in the Sixth.

Our honored citizen and worthy gentleman Judge M. P. Kinkaid was again chosen as candidate for congress, the nomination being made unanimous by acclamation, amid great enthusiasm. District delegates to the national convention are George B. Darr of Dawson county and E. J. Davenport of Cherry. The congressional central committee was made up as follows:

- Banner—S. M. Larson, Heath.
- Blaine—Peter Ericson, Brewster.
- Box Butte—L. R. Corbin, Alliance.
- Boyd—Ed Lewis, Butte.
- Brown—H. O. Paine, Ainsworth.
- Buffalo—W. F. R. Mills, Kearney.
- Cherry—A. L. Towle, Valentine.
- Cheyenne—Jas. R. McIntosh, Sidney.
- Custer—Simon Cameron, Broken Bow.
- Dawson—G. A. Eckley, Chadron.
- Denel—W. C. May, Gothenburg.
- Deuel—G. C. McAllister, Chappell.
- Garfield—T. H. Duran, Burwell.
- Grant—A. A. Record, Hvannis.
- Greeley—J. R. Hanns, Greeley.
- Holt—S. L. McDonald, Atkinson.
- Hooker—John Adams, Mullen.
- Howard—T. W. Crew, St. Paul.
- Keith—H. E. Goodall, Ggalalla.
- Keya Paha—W. E. Brown, Springview.
- Kimball—L. W. Bickle, Kimball.
- Lincoln—J. S. Hoagland, North Platte.
- Logan—R. Hoagland, Gandy.
- Loup—A. S. Moon, Taylor.
- McPherson—Will H. Daly, Tryon.
- Rock—E. L. Myers, Newport.
- Scott's Bluffs—A. B. Wood, Gering.
- Sheridan—S. H. Ladd, Gordon.
- Sherman—W. H. Conger, Loup City.
- Sioux—M. J. O'Connell, Harrison.
- Thomas—C. E. West, Theford.
- Valley—H. D. Leggett, Ord.
- Wheeler—Louis Johnson, Ericson.

The convention authorized Judge Kinkaid to select a chairman for the congressional committee.

A brace of resolutions were adopted which have the right ring. Here they are:

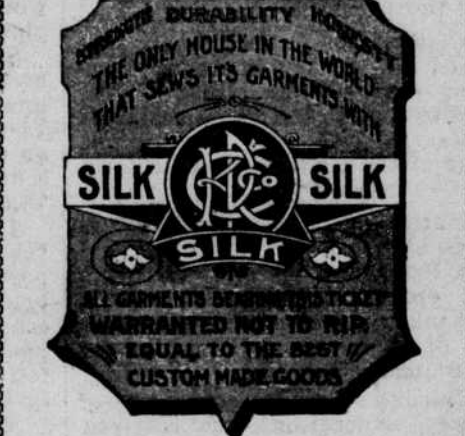
We, the republicans of the Sixth congressional district of the state of Nebraska in convention assembled, do congratulate the country on the conditions prevailing, and as a declaration of our party principles we do solemnly assert that the republican party stands for advancement and human progress; and looking to that end, we most cordially endorse the wise and patriotic administration of President McKinley, the history of whose brilliant achievements mark an epoch in the march of civilization.

Every pledge of the republican party has been faithfully redeemed by the present administration. The long, blighting, business depression, has been dispelled. Protection to American industry has been restored, universal confidence has been reawakened and permanently re-established. An unparalleled prosperity has assured every industry of steady employment at the highest pay. New fields for human enterprise and new markets for American products have been opened by

A FEW WORDS WITH YOU

You have clothing to buy. We have clothing to sell. You want the best you can get for the money. We want your trade. Other people want it also—and they send you their catalogues and samples and you send your size and money. May be they will fit; may be they won't. If not, you can exchange, but you will then have to pay express three times instead of one; and that's expensive.

If you buy from us you will pay no more, and you will see what you are buying before you pay your money. Have you ever worn this brand of clothing:



There is none better in America. They fit well; they wear well; they are not expensive. You can buy a suit of us to suit your purse, whether it be fat or lean. As low as \$5.75; as high as \$18, and every suit worth one hundred cents on the dollar any place in the land.

Ladies' Suits

We sell ladies suits, too. Nice, new, nobby, stylish, well made, good fitting, strictly up to date Tailor Made suits. \$8.50, \$10, \$12, \$15—you can't possibly buy them cheaper any place, and you can fit them without paying express two or three times.

A nice line of ladies' summer jackets, dress skirts, under skirts and misses' and children's cotton dresses just received.

J. P. MANN

American courage and statesmanship. Agriculture is encouraged by broader conditions through the establishment of new markets at home and abroad.

In testimony of the achievements of the republican party we point with special pride to the indisputable conditions now prevailing in our country. Labor is no longer seeking employment, but employment goes eagerly in quest of the laborer; and if again entrusted with power, the republican party pledges the country a continuation of the policy that has produced these highly favorable results.

Among the prominent Nebraskans present outside the district were Editor Rosewater, General Webster and Senator Thurston and wife.

Clearing Out Sale.

Our entire stock of shoes and clothing, we will close out in the next sixty days. We will give a discount of 15 per cent. on all cash sale. No discount will be given on goods sold in exchange for produce. We have the largest stock of shoes and clothing in the county and this is a chance for cash purchasers to get the full value for their money. We will do no business only for spot cash. Come and get out prices, we will guarantee to save you money when you buy goods of us. You do not have to pay the long time price, neither do you have to pay your share for the fellow that never pays. You will find it to your interest to buy your goods at a cash store. When you buy goods at the long time store you must expect to pay the long price, we don't believe in the theory to compel the man who pays spot cash for his goods to be charged the same price as the man who buys on a year's time. Therefore we believe the cash buyer should have a place to trade where he can get the value of his money and hence we propose to relieve the cash purchaser of the painful necessity of being compelled to trade at the long price store and paying long prices for his goods. We do a strictly cash business and therefore you do not have to pay these long prices.

Sullivan Mercantile Co. O'Neill Neb.

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