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JOHN J. HARRINGTON.

Local...

Lumber wagon for sale cheap. O. F. Biglin. 23-3

Supervisor-elect Kramer was down from Stuart Tuesday.

Unless a cold wave strikes us, this spell of weather is liable to last.

Our albums are the finest the market can furnish.—Corrigan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Dickson were passengers for Omaha Sunday.

Two hundred head of yearling steers wanted. Write Anton Tunberg, Hooper, Neb. 25-3

W. H. Blackmer and Dr. McDonald of Atkinson were in the city the first of the week.

William Dreher of Spencer shipped a car load of turkeys from O'Neill to Chicago Friday.

Postmaster McElhaney of Dorsey was a caller Tuesday and deposited a number of coins with this department.

Smith Merrill was at Atkinson Sunday visiting an old friend, Mr. Towers, who is languishing on a bed of sickness.

Come in and examine our stock of books, toys, toilet cases, Christmas cards, work boxes, etc.—P. C. Corrigan.

J. H. Peeler, who until recently has been in charge of the Caldwell sheep ranch has brought the ward hardware store.

Charley Weed was in from the Red-bird country Tuesday and had bills printed for a turkey shoot at his place the 24th.

Arthur Barrett was passing around the cigars Tuesday in honor of a young daughter which arrived at his home Monday night.

Want best offer on the S 1/2 18-27-11, Holt county, Neb. Address owner, Lyman Waterman, 609 Bee Building, Omaha, Neb. 24-2

James Ely informs us we were mistaken last week in the item about him selling cattle. It was simple a case of misinformation.

The county board is in session this week approving official bonds and cleaning up business generally for the new officers next January.

Fred Gatz is making preparations to repair the dam in the Elkhorn where he takes out ice so that he will be in readiness at the first cold spell to fill his ice-houses.

A meeting of the Pleasant Valley Cemetery association will be held at the church on Monday, January 7, at 2 o'clock p. m. All interested are requested to attend.

The celebrated D. H. Baldwin & Co.'s pianos and organs, winners of first prize at the Paris exposition, for sale by F. B. Cole & Son, O'Neill. The best musical instruments on earth. 15-1f

Plainview News: F. W. Wieler came down from O'Neill last Friday on a short business and pleasure trip. He returned Saturday afternoon. He is still foreman of the Great Northern section at O'Neill.

J. W. Hayman, of Council Bluffs, Io., manager of the Peru Plow company, was in the city Monday, calling on there agent here in company with their traveling representative, Fred Melcher, of West Point.

The ladies of the Aid society sold \$203 worth of goods at their benefit sale last Saturday aside from the regular business of the store. They were given 8 per cent. of the sales they made and feel quite well repaid for their effort.

Bill Fallon has had a new walk built in front of his building on Fourth street—the Fahy building—and some repairs made on the interior for the accommodation of A. A. Stanton, who now occupies it with his saloon wares.

Loran Simonson was in from Agee yesterday and had his credit upon The Frontier subscription books extended to January 1, 1902. We have about one thousand other readers who would make the editor happy by doing likewise.

A merchant in a neighboring town advertised that he is crazy. He certainly must be to advertise that way. The purchasing public prefers to go to a business house conducted by a sensible business man instead of to an insane asylum.

When you want to get a sack of flour try our celebrated Uneda and for the best patent our Peerless, which can not be beaten. Also a full line of bran, shorts and ground feed. Get our prices and see the quality before buying. J. P. Gallagher. 24-3

Martin Wintermote was up from Chambers last Friday. Martin says he has lost five head of cattle from the corn stalk disease. Charles Brown lost sixteen head. Hi Hubbard four head and twenty-two head of sheep and W. H. Jeffries four head of cattle. Martin says the cause of death is an insect in the stalks. Some think that by giving the cattle plenty of water there is no danger but Mr. Wintermote says he was very careful to see his cattle had

all the water they wanted still he could not save them all. It seems to us that the only sure way to protect the cattle is to keep them out of the corn fields.

Strayed or Stolen—During the summer season from Pete Duffy's range in north Holt county, one dark grey 2-year old colt, with star in face and one white hined foot—heavy draft colt. Liberal reward will be given anyone for information as to its whereabouts by leaving word at this office. 22-1f

In the name of the state of Nebraska a case was tried in county court Monday against Conrad Reaka, proprietor of the billiard hall on Fourth street. The charges preferred was that Mr. Reaka had been breaking the laws relative to minors. Mrs. Jeanette Taylor prosecuted the case and Mr. Reaka acted as his own defense. He was found guilty and fined \$20 and costs, costs amounting to about \$30.

James Macauley died at his home in this city on Tuesday morning at 5 o'clock of pneumonia, after a week's illness. Deceased was 81 years of age and aged wife and several children survive him. Mr. Macauley was a new comer to O'Neill, coming here about two weeks previous to his death from Creighton with the intention of making his home in our city. B. M. Macauley, son of deceased, wife and two children, of Clearwater, Mrs. McGoff, a daughter, and husband of Creighton, and William Reif of Savage are in the city to attend the funeral, which occurs at 9 o'clock this morning at the Catholic church. Deceased is a native of County West Meath, Ireland; he came to America in 1848 and to Nebraska in 1879.

Holt county has had for several years the reputation of being the best cattle country in the state and is now enjoying the distinction of being a first-class sheep country. On December 11 Thomas Crow, who lives on the Niobrara, near Dorsey, shipped two car loads of lambs to the South Omaha market. He entered one car-load in a fat stock show on the 12th and succeeded in capturing first prize—\$75. Some of the best feeders and shippers in Iowa and Nebraska had entered the contest, so it will be seen that was a great victory for Mr. Crow and Holt county sheep. Both cars brought the top price, \$5.40 per hundred, which is five cents per hundred more than he received a year ago. This is the fourth consecutive year that Tom's sheep have topped the South Omaha market so he has just cause to feel good. He has 1,000 head left The Frontier congratulates Mr. Crow for his victory and the honor his flock has brought to old Holt.

Arthur Coykendall sends from Washington an account of an enthusiastic ratification of Nebraska republican which occurred in that city. Also a clipping from the Washington Post describing the meeting. The Nebraska residents of the national capital have organized a Nebraska Republican club and Arthur is taking an active part in the club work. The Post says the leading oratorical forces of the republican party were present at the jubilation meeting to celebrate the victory in Nebraska on November 6. Among the speakers were Senator Hanna, Senator Thurston, Representative Charles H. Geosover of Ohio, C. E. Littlefield of Maine, David Mercer and E. J. Burkett of Nebraska, Governor Richards of Wyoming, Assistant Secretary J. H. Brigham of the Agriculture department and Binger Hermann, commissioner of the general land office. The hall was crowded to the fullest extent of its seating and standing capacity. Arthur says it was the most enthusiastic meeting he ever attended. Each seat was decorated with a flag, under which was fastened to the staff a badge with these words printed, "The flag for Nebraska: Nebraska for the flag." One thousand people were in attendance and enthusiasm carried them off their feet several times.

Private Sale. I will sell at private sale, over Frank Campbell's Implement house, all of my goods consisting of, carpets, matting, dresser, bedsted, five good rocking chairs, dining chairs, easel, pictures, screen, two center tables, hamper, stools German heater No. 15, couch, and other useful articles. Everything new. Suitable for useful Christmas presents. Dr. Kinslow.

You can purchase a good serviceable rocking chair for a Christmas gift to your brother or sister neighbor or friend and they will always remember you. O. F. Biglin. 23-3

Holiday Rates. Excursion tickets on the F. E. & M. V. Ry. will be sold on December 22, 23, 24, 25 and 31, 1900 and January 1, 1901, to points within 200 miles of O'Neill at one fare for round trip. Tickets good returning until and including January 2, 1901. E. R. Adams, Agent.

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Until May 1 Dr. Corbett will be in O'Neill from the 16th to 30th of each month. Teeth or photographs.

I have the largest stock of Christmas goods ever brought to the west.—Corrigan.

HYMENIAL.

On December 15 Mr. Earl F. McGreen and Miss Birdie Hart, both of Stuart were joined in marriage at the county judge's office.

Tuesday evening at the county judge's office Mr. A. Fairchild and Miss Cora Newman were joined in marriage. Both are from Dorsey.

Sunday afternoon at the home of the groom's uncle, Silas Smith, in this city, Mr. Sidney J. Smith and Miss Effie Wolfe were married, Rev. O. E. Beckes officiating. The groom is the son of I. R. Smith, well known to the people of this community, and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wolfe, equally well known to our readers.

On the 16th inst. Mr. H. B. Dixon, colored, of Francis and Mrs. Susan Yonston, colored, of Valentine, were married by County Judge Selah. The groom was 59 years of age and the bride 37. Mr. Dixon resides south of O'Neill just across the county line in Wheeler county. He came up to O'Neill Saturday and met his bride here Sunday, she coming down from Valentine that morning, and they were married at the county judge's office in the presence of a few inquisitive spectators.

We can sell you a buggy at prices that will please you. Call and see. O. F. Biglin. 23-3

School Entertainment. The Philomatheon Debating society of the high school will render the following program at the opera-house on Saturday evening, December 22:

PART I. Introductory remarks by the chairman, Miss Mamie O'Donnell.

Song.....Chorus
Sketch—Christmas Tidings.....
.....Miss Arlie Holden
Declamation—Clarence's Dream.....
.....Mr. John J. O'Fallon

Duet—Selected—Misses Lettie Gillespie and Ruth Evans.

Biography—Marcus Pallus Cicero.....
.....Mr. John J. Hagerly
Declamation—Death of Leonidas.....
.....Miss Bessie B. DeYarman

Trio—March King Neptune—piano, Miss Maggie McGreevy; clarinet, Mr. John McGreevy; cornet, Mr. George M. Henry.

PART II. Instrumental solo, Miss Jennie Trueblood
Essay—Perpetual Motion.....
.....Miss Sara Brennan
Duet—Selected—Misses Nellie and Rose O'Fallon.

Debate—Resolved, That on moral principles a lie can never be sanctioned—
Aff. Mr. Joe Sullivan; neg. Miss Colista R. Payne.

Song.....Chorus
An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged.

I keep all kinds of huskers' supplies. Now is the time to get your pick. Neil Brennan. 16-1f

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"Trust your father's judgment of your men friends rather than your own at first," writes Helen Watterson Moody to girls, in the December Ladies' Home Journal. "The gay, witty, responsive young man who will probably most attract you, will not be the one who will be likely to have his serious consideration and respect. Talk over your men friends with your father, and see what healthy, unemotional, sane 'man-standards' he will set up for you. I really think if a girl could have but one counselor in her love affairs, it would better be her father than any one else. A man's mind is a great tonic to the somewhat diluted intellect of a girl in her first sentimental experiences."

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J. BENTLEY.

Seasonable Things for the Winter and Holiday Buyers

As usual, the O'Neill Grocery is filled with tempting and wholesome table supplies besides having an endless variety of holiday nic-nacs and goodies. Apples, oranges, lemons, cranberries, grapes, dates, figs, nuts of all kinds, the largest and nicest assortment of candies in the city; and for vegetables we have everything the market affords. Fresh oysters all the time.

Attention is also called to a special holiday line of China, glassware and lamps, which by all means you should see if thinking of buying.

J. P. GALLAGHER