

Local....

Farm loans.—E. H. Benedict O'Neill, 27-6

Ralph Butler was up from Ewing Friday.

Dr. Newell was over from Lynch Wednesday.

Ed Kerwin was over from Gross, Boyd county, Monday.

Kafe King was visiting friends in Stuart the first of the week.

Sunday evening the temperature was the coldest it has been this winter.

George Ridgeway was in from Agee yesterday and "squared" with The Frontier.

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

FOR SALE—Good work horses and fresh-milch cows.—Wm Cleveh. Furner, Neb. 32tf.

P. C. Corrigan has added a clerk to his place of business. John Sullivan being lately installed.

The weather has been very cold for the past week, but we are living in hopes that it will get warmer.

Large registered Poland-China and Chester White hogs for sale cheap—J. H. McAllister, Agee, Neb. 31tf

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

Con Kerwin, who is in business at Gross, paid the metropolis of Holt county a visit last Saturday.

N. P. Bradstreet was in from the north county yesterday and left four "cart wheels" on subscription.

Magic Green Salve, cures chronic, sore legs, cuts, piles, burns, and etc. Made by Mrs. Mary Golden, O'Neill Neb. 23-3m

Joel W. T. Adams and Miss Mary Smith, both of Venus, were granted license to wed by the county court Tuesday.

FOR SALE—Large bronzed turkeys toms \$1.50 each, hens \$1 each; eggs 50c a setting in season.—J. B. Berry, Pad-dock, Neb. 31-4

FOR RENT—The Cronin farm one-half mile northeast of O'Neill. 100 acres under cultivation. For particulars call at this office. 32-3.

The gentlemen of the Presbyterian church are preparing to serve supper some time in the near future. Time and place will be announced later.

STRAYED—From my place in O'Neill January 24, grey pony stallion, weight about 750. Information wanted by Walt Keeler. 31-1f

I have now my own cigar clippings for sale at 10 cents per package, 3 for 25 cents. Clean, pure leaf, no stem, no sweepings. 32-4 O'Neill Cigar Factory.

Arthur Gwin and Mrs. J. B. Mellor went over to Lynch Tuesday to attend the wedding of George Mellor and Mrs. Just. Arthur expects to remain in Lynch a few weeks.

John Darr was in from Star last Saturday and called at these headquarters depositing a sufficient amount of the "root of all evil" to credit his subscription account to 1902. John is the oldest subscriber on the Frontier's list, having taken the paper continually since the first issue nearly twenty-one years ago. Mr. Darr says it has got to be such a part of his existence that it would be almost an impossibility to keep house without it.

Mrs. H. Snyder, of Sioux City, Iowa, mother of O. O. Snyder and her sister Mrs. M. Roberson, of Des Moines, Iowa, are in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Snyder.

WANTED—25,000 bushel of corn; 10,900 bushel ear corn and 15,000 shel-bled corn. Highest market price.—Nye & Schneider Co. Office first door north of E. K. r'n depot. 32-1

Miss Harnish returned last week from Sioux Falls, S. D., where she had been for several months past. She returned to O'Neill on account of the illness of her mother and expects to remain.

O. F. Biglin gives you something to look at upon another page of this issue which is of special interest to anybody that is going to need a "Flying Dutchman" this spring. Look at it.

Mr and Mrs J. P. Mann departed Wednesday for Chicago to be absent six weeks. Mr. Mann is interested in a wholesale establishment in Chicago and will look after his business while Mrs. Mann visits relatives.

Miss Matilda Mullen returned this week to Sun-in-awa, Wis., after a week's visit with relatives here. Miss Mullen is attending St. Clare academy preparatory to entering an order of Sisters.

Sheriff Stewart took John Nekoliczak to the institute for the feeble minded at Beatrice last week, having been committed to that institution by the county court. He is twelve years old and his parents reside south of Ewing.

O. O. Snyder and daughters, the Misses Bessie and Mabel, were in Allen last week attending the wedding of Mr. Snyder's youngest sister who was married at that place last Wednesday to a prominent young man of Sioux City.

O. O. Snyder and Dr. J. P. Gilligan went to Randolph this morning where they will institute a lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows this evening. Mr. Snyder by virtue of his office as supreme representative will be the officer in charge.

Dr. Wilcox, of the Nebraska State Dental company, finds it impossible to complete the dental work he has contracted before February 17. At request of several patients will remain until that date. Office at Mrs. Martin's, opposite the Evans hotel.

Frank Moore was down from Atkinson Saturday and remembered these headquarters. Since his retirement from the county board a couple of years ago Frank does not visit O'Neill very often but he is still the same genial, whole souled Frank who has numerous friends in O'Neill.

Supervisor R. J. Marsh expects to start a dray and transfer line in O'Neill about February 15. He has purchased a new wagon, which has arrived and they all say it is one of the neatest things in that line issued. The Frontier hopes that Bob will be as successful in his new vocation as he has been in politics.

The editor received the box of "Beacon Light" cigars promised him by Ham Kautzman a couple of months ago and they have been so good that all except three have gone up in smoke. Art Mullen, one of Ham's particular friends, smoked the first one out of the box and he says they are O. K. The homely phiz of the six-foot ex-editor adorns the cover of the box and we are of the opinion that Ham must have given the artist a couple of thousand, "Beacon Lights" for the cut for he has really made the old man fairly good looking. But the cigars are all right and if he desires to favor the pencil pushers of this sheet with another box they will be accepted with thanks and we will guar-

antee not to give as many away as we did out of the last box. Be a good fellow and send them along.

FOR RENT—An improved farm of 240 acres adjoining O'Neill, Neb., running water, fine pasture and meadow; about 60 acres under cultivation. Enquire of Thomas Carlon, Quincy building, Denver, Col. 32tf

O'Neill, Jan 28—Advertised letters: J. C. Maher, C. W. Hvatt, W. Gill. Nettie Berger, Mrs. Annie Welch-Curnan, Mrs. Laura Welch, Lizzie Howerton, Charles Stuart. In calling for above say "advertised." If not called for in two weeks will be sent to dead letter office.—D. H. Cronin, Postmaster.

William Glish sold his farm about nine miles northwest of O'Neill last week to Dave Heeb for \$500 and on Monday Billie bought the old Ed Mc-Bride place, three miles northwest of town, for \$600. This is one of the best real estate deals made in O'Neill for months as the latter place is easily worth \$1,200.

A great many persons are taking advantage of the liberal terms offered by T. V. Golden of O'Neill in making farm loans, and are obtaining money with which to extend their business and purchase more land. If you want to get a loan, write Mr. Golden, and he will furnish you the money in any amount, by furnishing good security. 29-5

The Christian Endeavor will hold a social at the home of Mrs. I. R. Smith, two miles southwest of O'Neill on Friday evening, February 8. All who are desirous of attending are requested to be at the Presbyterian church at seven o'clock when teams and hay racks will be in waiting to convey them to the scene of action. Everybody invited and a good time in store for all who attend.

Dominick McCaffrey and son arrived in O'Neill Monday night from Pittsburg, Pa., and expect to make this country their future home. Dominick says the last offers great allurements to the young and unsophisticated, but the chances for saving money are not nearly as good there as in the expansive prairies of Nebraska. He expects to build on his farm in the south country and as soon as his residence is completed Mrs. McCaffrey will join him. The Frontier hopes his residence in this county will be both pleasant and profitable.

The following jury has been drawn for the next term of the district court which convenes in the city March 4, 1901, jury March 5: Gay Davidson, Ewing; John Henton, Sheridan; Pat Kennedy, Swan; Fred Stanton, Willowdale; B. A. Goree, Inman; Ole Torske, Sand Creek; Matt Mecale, of Shields; John Coffey, Grattan; U. Hoyer, Scott; W. Stewart, Verdigris; Daniel Sullivan, Grattan; Thomas Carney, Shamrock; J. J. Natchman, Saratoga; S. S. Wilde Stuart; L. G. Lambert, Lake; James Donnelly, 1st ward O'Neill; Robert Rumsey, Dustin; Charles Bigler, Rock Falls; Nick Wedige, Stuart; M. Gonderinger, Sheridan; William Sawyer, Verdigris; J. C. Clark, Cleveland; Jacob Hahn, Atkinson; Anthony Walsh, Emmet.

The mating of December and May has long been considered by the paragraphers as their special "meat" and was always worth a few plunks to space writers. But when two Decem-bers meet its hard to tell how much space the wise men of the east would devote to them. A case like the latter was filed in the district court last week when Mrs. Frank Leitner sued for absolute divorce from her husband Frank Leitner, \$300 alimony, \$250 attorney's fees and \$35 per month pending the adjudication of the suit. Mrs. Leitner is 68 years old and the defendant in the divorce suit is 71. They were married sixteen years ago this month, she being his second wife and he her third husband. It is probably a good thing for the welfare of this country that cases like the above are the exception, not the rule.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the county clerk until 12 o'clock, m., February 19, 1901, for the furnishing of the material necessary in constructing a fire-proof vault and building, the same according to plans and specifications on file with the county clerk. Also bids will be received at the same time and place for carpenter work to be done reconstructing court room as per plans on file. Bidders will be required to give bond for faithful performance of contract. The county board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated this 5th day of February, 1901.
John S. Leis,
County Clerk of Holt county, Neb.

DETECTIVES WANTED—Bright, honest and reliable young men wanted to act in the secret service.
Address P. O. box 250, Lincoln, Neb.

Misses Mann Entertain.
The Misses Kate and Mattie Mann entertained the clerks of J. P. Mann's store at their home in this city Tuesday evening. Miss Kate Mann takes charge of her brother's store here during the proprietor's absence and the party was tendered the clerks in honor of the new, but temporary, management.

Seven o'clock dinner was served and the evening pleasantly spent in dancing and sociability. It is needless to say that under such supervision as the Misses Mann the dinner was a most delicious spread and the entertainment very enjoyable. Mrs. J. P. Mann presided at the piano while the guests performed the light fantasies of the dance.

It was a very pleasant party and the clerks of one of the best country stores in Nebraska were highly pleased with the introduction of their new superintendent.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mann; Misses Bee O'Donnell, Lizzie O'Malley, Clara Zimmerman and Grace Gordon; Messrs. Pat Gallagher, Rafe King, Dan Harrington, Lyons Mullen and William Armstrong.

FOR SALE—160-acre farm 5 miles northwest of O'Neill; buildings new. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. For particulars address or see the owner.—S. E. Bellamy, O'Neill. 30-4p

Progress in Japan.
The progress Japan is making in every department of scientific improvement is awakening the interest and admiration of the world. The first telegraph in that empire was built in 1869 between Yokohama and Tokio by British engineers. There are now 144,570 miles of line in the telegraph service, with 1,267 offices in Japan proper and 112 in Formosa. In 1899 15,275,623 domestic and 224,000 foreign messages were transmitted.

Em et Items.
The school in district number 141 has been closed the past week on account of mumps... Rev. Hossman is holding a series of protracted meeting in the Bright Hope school house... J. W. Hitchcock is visiting relatives at Itasca, ... Mrs. Charles Hubby is visiting friends and relatives north of here... B. Ashton was an O'Neill visitor last Thursday... Mr. Jones, of Fountain Valley, attended church at Bright Hope school house Sunday evening.

A letter from Will Meals, a member of the Holt county Alaskan party, to a friend in O'Neill, says they were to sail the 3d inst. from Seattle. The party is supplied with fourteen tons of hay, six tons of groceries, twenty sleds, hydrolic outfit, ten head of cattle and eight tons of feed. They go fixed for business and The Frontier hopes they will get what they go after.

Explorer's Death Is a Loss.
The death of the Hon. David Carnegie, in West Africa, from a wound of a poisoned arrow, is a distinct loss to science. Although only 30, this young gentleman was already known as a distinguished explorer. He conducted explorations into Central Australia in 1898-99, and expected to be able to make in the course of the next few years some valuable discoveries in West Africa, where he was assistant resident commissioner.

Little Martha Olsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Olsen, was in the hands of Dr. Gilligan the first of the week, the trouble being a cut on the head to the depth of the skull, caused by a fall. The doctor stitched up the wound, which operation Martha underwent without a whimper.

The senatorial situation is unchanged and the end seems no nearer than at the beginning. The leading republicans size up as follows: D. E. Thompson, 34; Mickeljohn, 28; Currie, 17; Rose-water 18.

Swiss Wine Is Cheap.
So abundant has been the grape crop this year that Swiss wine is exceedingly cheap, and at a public sale of wines the other day large quantities of sound wine were sold at 25 centimes per liter, or less than half a cent per glass.

The Frontier is so much engrossed with work in the mechanical department that the news part has had to be neglected somewhat.

Strayed or Stolen—From the Mullihan place near Poddock, four steers and one heifer, all branded 7 on right hip. Reward for information leading to recovery.—G. W. Derby. 30-1f

Twenty five washing machines worth \$5 each we will close out at \$2.50 each half price. This is a snap. Call at once at Sullivan's Store, O'Neill. 31-3

WANTED—First-class cook at Hotel Woods, Spencer, Neb., at once. Good wages and steady work to cook with good recommendations. 31-2

Bear Got the Apples.
A Maine man has a tame bear, which he trained from a cub, until it can be handled like a dog. One of its traits is an extreme fondness for apples. One day this bear saw a wagon approaching, and he smelled apples. Waiting until the team was at the top of a steep hill, the bear sprang out in front of the horses. Of course they immediately ran away, and as the wagon bumped and lurched, the road for a quarter mile was strewn with apples. Then the shrewd bear had a gorgeous feast, and was doubtless very much surprised next day when he got a sound thrashing. That was because his master was presented with a bill for ten bushels of apples, and had to pay it.

Tax Payers, Grattan Twp.—Notice!
I will be at the Elborn Valley bank on and after Jan 20 to collect all taxes for Grattan township—P. J. Handlev, collector. 30-1f

A Certificate Worth Millions.
From the whirl of gossip in the financial center comes a little story of the contents of the strong tin box belonging to William L. Elkins. In the bottom of it there is a single certificate of stock of the Standard Oil company, which has not been touched for years. The certificate calls for 10,000 shares, which at the present market figure represents a face value of more than \$8,000,000. Twenty-five years ago the Belmont oil works, which belonged to Mr. Elkins, were absorbed by the Standard Oil company, and the 10,000 share certificate formed a part of the price paid.—Philadelphia Record.

FOR SALE—Sixty-four head of steers tops coming two-years old, on Crawford farm, twenty five miles north and east of O'Neill. Address, W. M. Martin, 31-3 Laurel, Neb.

PASTE DIAMONDS.
The X Rays the Greatest Judge of False Jew-ry.
It seems the X rays have been proved to be the greatest judge of false jewels and that conservative lapidaries will soon trust to the X rays decision rather than believe their own eyes. In fact, the marvelous rays have detected very old paste diamonds of the time of Queen Elizabeth, which had at first deceived no less than Mr. Streeter, the famous London jeweler. A real diamond, ruby and pearl when photographed under the rays leave no impression whatever on the film. It is simply non-existent, says that authority. The false stone, on the contrary, comes out as a shadowy substance, and paste leaves a well defined form of dark color. Two photographs of a lady's hand thickly covered with heavily jeweled rings showed in one by the ordinary process all the stones; in the photograph taken under the X rays there were the shadowy outlines of flesh and the deeper shading of finger bones. But in each ring was an empty space the exact shape of the jewel, which, being genuine, had been transparent to the X rays. It is wondered if the burglar and jewel thief won't now think it worth while to put those terribly inquisitive rays on the swag before risking their liberty to carry it off? Since Mr. Streeter began to experiment with this detective, many owners of splendid jewels have been to him to test their genuineness. But, alas! there will be no more romances of stolen casquets with their precious contents changed to paste by unscrupulous husbands or wives? Ouida's novel, "The Americans," marks the end of such dishonest ructions in high life.—Boston Herald.

Twenty-five washing machines worth \$5.00 each will be sold for \$2.50 each to close them out. Only half price; this is a snap. Call at Sullivan's store. 31-3

BIG CLEARING SALE
TEN DAYS ONLY
ENDING FEB. 9

20 PER CENT

discount for CASH
.. ON ALL ..

Clothing, Shoes, Dress Goods
Underwear, Carpets, Hats, Gloves, Mittens, Furnishing Goods,
and our entire line except Groceries and Domestic Dry Goods.

DISCOUNT DOES NOT APPLY TO GOODS RECEIVED
SINCE JAN. 1, NOR TO GOODS CHARGED.

EXTRA * SPECIALS:
To close odds and ends of Boys' Suits and Men's odd Pants from suits. While they last you can buy—

Boys' 2-piece suits with knee pants—	Boys' 3-piece suits with long pants for
5 yrs. worth \$2.95, for.....\$1.95	boys 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
7 yrs. worth 3.00, for..... 1.95	and 20 years old—
7 yrs. worth \$5 for..... 2.50	Worth \$2.75 for.....\$1.95
8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 yrs.,	3.00 for..... 2.25
worth \$1.50, for..... .95	3.50 for..... 2.50
worth 1.75, for..... 1.25	4.00 for..... 3.95
worth 2.00, for..... 1.50	4.50 for..... 3.25 and 3.50
worth 2.00 for..... 1.25	5.00 and 5.50 for..... 3.92
worth 2.50, for \$1.50, 1.75 and 1.95	6.50 for..... 3.95 and 4.95
\$3.00 suits for.....\$1.95 and 2.25	Men's odd pants from suits—
4.00 suits for..... 2.75	Worth \$2.00 for.....\$1.35
4.50 suits for..... 2.95	2.50 for..... 1.65
5.00 suits for..... \$3.25 and 3.50	3.00 for..... 1.95
We have over 100 suits to sell at above	3.50 for..... 2.35
prices and 150 pairs odd pants.	4.00 for..... 2.75
	4.50 for..... 2.95
	5.00 for..... 3.50

Rubber Overs for Wool Bots worth \$1.75 for \$1 PER PAIR

33 1/3 per cent discount on Ladies' Jackets. 33 1/3 per ct. dis. on men's COATS AND CLOTHING.

These are great bargains, and you will find them exactly as advertised.

J. P. MANN

a Pointer to the Head of Every Family

A NEW PRODUCT OF HOLT COUNTY
and it is worthy the notice of every purchaser of the Staff of Life. Wm. Nollkamper has now in operation a new 50-barrel Flour Mill, and is turning out the finest Flour that has ever been used by any citizen of this county. Mr. Nollkamper is an enterprising citizen of this county and it is worth the time to go and see the improvements he has made on Eagle creek. I have a stock of Nollkamper flour on hand—every sack is guaranteed. Respectfully yours,
P. J. MCMANUS.