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#### O'NEILL, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1902.

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ARREST WILL BARNETT

Hires Horses With Intent to Steal

and is Landed in County Jail

# VERDICT FOR M. CROSS

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Jury Grants Contention of the Plaintiffs in Suit of Michaels Cross vs. Richard Cross.

HARD FOUGHT LEGAL BATTLE

Deeds Executed by Timothy Cross to Richard and Anna to be Set Aside and Equitable Division Made of Froperty.

fluence was brought to bear in securing said deeds.

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Some forty witnesses were examined the field: and a day spent in presenting the arguments on either side. The case was called on Thursday of last week and the verdict announced Tuesday morning of this week.

Judge M. P. Kinkaid and Arthur the plaintiff and M. F. Harrington nan; Third ward, A. B. Newell. and E. H. Whelan, both of O'Neill, for defendants. Mr. Whelan was not present at the trial. Mr. Harrington presented a strong and able plea in behalf of his clients in his well known style.

Judge Kinkaid examined the witnesses and presented the argument for the plaintiff. On the cross examination the judge displayed great tact in eliciting answers suitable to the point aimed at and expounded law in the argument that carried conviction to the judge and jury.

The testimony brought out that Timothy Cross, deceased, father of plaintiff and defendants, had owned two quarter sections of land near Atkinson, now valued at \$1,800 each, and a business block in Atkinson valued death was induced to deed this property to defendants. The prayer of the plaintiff was to have the deeds set aside and equitable division made of the property.

In the case of the Keefe book com- fullest extent possible. He wishes to plaintiffs were given a judgment for \$20. The defendant had offered to settle for \$50 before the trial. The jury was dismissed this morning and court adjourned for a week, when some equity matters will come up.

CAMPAIGN BEGINS Opposing Elements In the City Election At Werk.

The Frontier's article calling attention to the spring election last week has produced unexpected results. Opposing elements have risen up and there promises to be something doing yet before the polls close.

No effort had been made up to Friday-evening last to put a ticket in the field and City Clerk Gallagher had about concluded to let the elec-The verdict in the case of Michael tion go by default. He sought legal Cross vs. Richard and Anna Cross was advice as to whether the old board a victory for the plaintiff. The jury would hold over and was informed arrived at their verdict at 10 o'clock that it would, but that it was his Tuesday evening after being out from duty to call an election and would lay 7:30. It was really a treble victory himself liable by not doing so. The for the plaintiff as three cases were petitions were then prepared for the incorporated in the trial, there being nomination of the old board. In the three separate properties and three meantime a number of citizens had deeds involved in the controversy. assembled themselves at A. F. Mul-The jury returned three verdicts to len's office and prepared petitions for the effect that Timothy Cross was of the nomination of M. D. Long for unsound mind when he made the mayor and Frank Pixley for clerk. deeds to defendants; that undue in- Soon after the petitions of the old board had been passed around the

Long-Pixley ticket appeared on the The trial of the case was one of the street and signers enough secured for quire of J. C. Olsen. most warmly contested cases ever be- placing them on the ticket. There fore the district court of Holt county. are, then, the following candidates in

For mayor-Ed. F. Gallagher, present incumbent, and M. D. Long. For clerk-J. F. Gallagher, present incumbent, and Frank Pixley.

For treasurer-No nomination.

Councilmen-First ward, O. O. F. Mullen of O'Neill and Alex Searl Snyder, long term; M. M. Sullivan, of Atkinson were the attorneys for short term; Second ward, Neil Bren-What the issue is the candidates sayeth not.

New Brand Book. Ex-Senator Mutz of Springview has copyrighted and is publishing a brand for the stock counties book of north Nebraska. He wishes to record the brand of every stockman who has 10 head of cattle or 20 head of horses or more. Return postal cards have been printed and will be sent to each stockman to is no record of brands outside of Lincoln and the question of estrays and thefts have puzzled the most thorough men up to this time. Mr. Mutz has been a practical stockman for many years and no man is better qualified than he to do this work. We believe at \$3,000. Timothy Cross before his that his books are a solution to the referee case in county court.

question and it bespeaks for him the hearty endorsement of every stockman. Mr. Mutz says he has no intention of opposing any association, but wishes to co-operate with them to the

pany against R. R. Dickson the record every brand whether it is Lockard, at P. C. Corrigan's drug recorded at Lincoln or not and he store especially desires to reach every new

American make, 7-jewel movement, good, heavy, screw back, American make, i-jewel movement, good, heavy, screw back, embezzeled silverine case; guaranteed to run and keep good time for one year or your money refunded. The newest things in jewelry novelties. Watch and clock repairing. Metal engraving. You can't beat us on prices or goods. WESELL THE GOODS BECAUSE WE MAKE THE PRICES

Watch for \$4

### STANTON & DUE

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MINOR MENTION Seed spelt for sale. F. M. Harrison | call on Elkhorn Valley Bank. 13tf Emil Sniggs had business at Ewing

yesterday. Seed wheat and oats for sale.-S. F.

McNichols.

Brennan's is headquarters for all kinds of lamp's. 26tf

For Sale-House and two lots. En-

J. G. Wendell and family have moved to Atkinson.

Sam Dietrich went to Fremont on business Wednesday.

For Sale. All my household goods. Call at residence.-R. H. Jenness.

Teeth or photographs at Corbett's, 16th to 39th of each month. 39tf.

For Sale-Biulding 12x16 feet, also pump and piping. Enquire of A. E. Gwin.

hospital.

Get the best and purest deoderized gasoline for your stoves and lamps at Brennans.

Mrs. G. C. Hazlett and children of Omaha are spending the Easter season in O'Neill.

Judge Westover, M. F. Harrington collect brands and other data. There and E. S. Eves were passengers for Omaha vesterday.

> evening from a visit in the southern and eastern part of the state.

Sheriff Hall was at Inman and Page vesterday subpoenaing witnesses in the

I have a few cows and heifers and two span of mares to sell cheap for cash or on time.-Den Hunt.

Call and see our new line of jewelry. All repairing guaranteed.-W. M.

For farm loans, on reasonable terms

The talk of the town-those new patterns in wall paper. At Gilligan & and Stout's, the druggists. 36-tf Miss Ruth Evans, who is attending Brownell Hall at Omaha, is spending Spelts, a friend and classmate, is visiting here with her.

WANTED-To buy a section of land. Deeded or homestead with flowing well or running water and sufficient outside range for stock .-Perry Randell, Stormsburg, Neb.,

day evening, April 5, to be held at the of their many friends. Episcopal church. Every one in-

terested is urged to be present. Mont., are spending a fortnight with ing their calves. Jim Lahey has lost their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. five cows already while John Burner Mrs. John Sullivan went to Omaha T. A. Pickering of O'Neill. They has had four splendid milk cows sucreturning home.

> Rev. Hyden of Atkinson, who has been supplying the pulpit here at intervals during the winter, has accepted a call to become the regular and permant pastor and is now giving the work here his undivided attention.

dist church will be rendered on Sun- of which was that his good optic was day morning. An interesting and gradually becoming effected. It was Mrs. R. R. Dickson returned Friday impressive program, with special extended to the public.

> Norfolk is in the city hearing a re- operation be performed. Mr. Beck feree case wherein Gearge Roeburg heroically faced the inevitable, had of Page is alleging bankruptcy, the unruly member removed, and Several witness have been callec and now he says he feels all right. the case has been in progress the past two days.

EARLY CONVENTION Nebraska Republicans Will Nominate Ticket June 18. The republican state central com-

mittee at their meeting in Lincoln last week fixed an unusually early date for the nominating convention. The convention is called to meet in Lincoln June 18 at 2 p. m. The matter of selecting a chairman was deferred by the committee until a later date, the matter being referred to the executive committee. The ratio of representation was fixed at one delegate at large from each county and one for each 100 votes or major fraction north of Atkinson but afterward thereof cast for Judge Sedgwick at the 1961 election. This will make a convention of 1,103 members. Holt who has lately been cowboying in the county is given a delegation of fifteen and Boyd eight.

#### Other County Towns

Stuart Ledger: Married, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. A. Fort, in Oakland, California, Easter season at home. Miss Minnie March 11, 1902, Mr. R. D. James and Miss Allie Fort. The bride and groom horse. The officers got wind of them have always lived in Stuart and are among the leading young people of the town. Miss Fort has been in California for the last year and no one suspected when about a month ago Mr. James went west that he would return a married man. Mr. and Mrs. The cemetery association wishes to James arrived home Sunday evening announce a special meeting on Satur- and are receiving the congratulations

Ewing Advocate: Of late we have heard of quite a number of cows dying Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon of Pony, from the effects of prematurely loos-Tuesday to be treated for cancer at a will visit several points east before cumb to the ravages of this unusual by Sheriff Hall, presumably as stolen disease. A gentleman named Davis, living west of Ewing, also lost three or four animals from the same cause. .....Fred Beck returned home from Omaha last evening where he had rest William. Saturday the sheriff been for the purpose of having his went to Glenwood and Sunday night left eye removed. Mr. Beck has been arrived home with his prisoner. He Laving considerable trouble lately is now in the county jail pending a with his eyes, his suffering being at hearing, which will be had before The Easter program of the Metho- times almost unbearable, the result County Judge Morgan on April 2.

with the view of saving the good eye music and floral decorations, has been that Fred went to the Methodist hosprepared and a cordial, invitation is pital at Omaha, where he was informed by the faculty that he was in dan-Master Commissioner Wetherby of ger of going totally blind unless an

#### Public Sale.

The sale of stallions held here Sat- o'clock p. m., at Mellor and Quilty's fat cows and heifers quoted \$4.60 to Cattle-8 2-year-old heifers, 9 3-year- ers and feeders the trade was good Get your lamp oil at Brennan's for the stallions. M. T. Elliott and old heifers, 4 cows, 1 fresh and 3 will on best grades, while the market was Charles Spangler of Scottville and be soon fresh, 4 2-year-old steers, 2 15 to 25c lower on common kinds. Frank Shoemaker of Dry creek each yearling calves, 3 young calves, 4 year- Choice to extra stockers and feeders ling White Face bulls-high grade, \$4.50 to \$4.75; good to choice, \$4.00 to 4 Durham bulls, yearlings past, 1 shoat. to \$4.50 fair to good, \$3.65 to \$4.20; Horses-1 bay mare 12 years old, 1 poor to fair, \$2.50 to \$3.25.

at O'Neill. CAPTURED AT GLENWOOD, IOWA Hor.e Belonging to Mellor & Quilty Left at Haynes' Barn Where It Dies .-- Two Brothers Together.

> Some two weeks ago William and Charles Barnett, formerly living moving to Glenwood, Io., came into O'Neill from somewhere. William, vicinity of Gordon, went to the livery barn of Mellor & Quilty and hired a saddle horse. He, with his brother, struck north from O'Neill and "never came back."

> The livery men put Sheriff Hall onto the deal and inquiry was made for the man with the being in the neighborhood of Fairfax and the Barnett's got wind of the officer's desire to see them. They headed back to O'Neill and left the Mellor & Quilty horse with two others at Haynes' barn while they themselves boarded the first train east and went to Glenwood.

> The Mellor & Quilty horse died shortly after brought in from the effects of a hard ride. One of the other horses proved to be the property of a livery man at Atkinson taken in like manner as the one from O'Neill. [The third horse, a gray pony. has not been claimed and is now held property.

> Sheriff Hall learned of their departure for Glenwood and called up the sheriff at that place by phone to ar-

#### The Market

South Omaha, March 26.-Receipts of cattle for the past week fall short of week before about 2000. The market from the seller's standpoint was quite satisfactory, there being an advance on the light and handy grades of good beef of 15 to 25c. Choice 1350 to 1550 pounds beeves \$6.25 to \$6.60; 1250 to 1450 pound beeves \$5.90 to \$6.25; fair to good 1050 to 1200, \$5.50 to \$5.90; fair warmed-up On Saturday, April 5, 1902, at 2 stuff from \$4.25 to \$5.25. Good choice

#### Poor Man's Opportunity.

The Great West, published at Omaha, prints an interesting descriptive article of Holt county from the pen of our esteemed fellow-townsman, M. D. Long. The editor also adds this complimentary paragraph: "It might be added that Holt county has thousalfalfa land as is embraced in norththe investment. Holt county, Nebraska, today is a poor man's opportunity."

Head Stones for Veterans

A line from E. S. Kinch of Neligh. Frontier that the head stones for de-Stockbridge Marble company of Stockbridge, Mass. The total number sent here is nineteen.

This is in accordance with arrangements made by the general government several years ago to furnish tomb stones for dead soldiers.

We have the cream of three lines of

FOOT, SCHULZE & CO. M. D. WELLS & CO. P. F. KIRKENDALL & CO.

west and guaranteed to give satis-faction. We have them in men's dress and work shoes, Oxfords and So Ties; ladies' dress and heavy shoes. toe slippers, etc.; and the prices are below competition. Try us! 3333

settler in the counties in which he operates. Every man should have of any one in town; he keeps the his brand recorded and should be the owner of a book. When you receive a

same and return it at once, giving the information desired. But if you have no brand hand the card to one who has or return it stating the fact.

Remember there is no charge for having your brand published.

#### Magnificient Map.

The Frontier has received, through ands and thousands of acres of as good the courtesy of Senator Millard, a magnificient map of the United eastern Nebraska and lands can be States, territories and insular possesbought there today from \$10 to \$15 sions, showing the extent of public per acre. which, when once seeded to surveys, Indian, military and forest this valuable product, will yield an reservations, railroads, canals and annual return of \$10 to \$20 an acre on other details. It was compiled by the department of the interior.

#### Dies From Appendicitis.

John J. Harrington, accompanied by Dr. Flynn, Tuesday went to Omaha | Welsh. to undergo an operation for apendformer adjutant of the O'Neill post icitis. This is the second attack of the Grand Army, informs The John has had within a few months. As The Frontier makes ready for ceased veterans buried in the O'Neill press this morning, a message comes cemeteries have been shipped by the from Omaha that Mr. Harrington died this morning.

#### Notice for Stock.

We will take cattle for season of 1902 for one dollar. Good grass, plenty of water and shade. For referance or other information call at Bazelman's lumber yard or O'Neill Grocery store. Eight miles east of O'Neill.

Spear and Schuetz. 38-4pd

#### Effects of Bad Pronounciation.

Stuart Ledger: A tall man frightcoming in and asking if we kept the mother. "Front ear." When the man of the composing room answered, "He means the "Front tear" published at These are the leading shoes of the O'Neill, the reaction brought about a complete collapse.

#### Cattle For Sale

Parties, wanting to buy young opened up a wholesale and retail flour cattle can get good native stock on and feed store in the I. R. Smith line. Owing to the bad weather hall on Friday evening, March 29, satisfactory terms of A. E. Gwin. building south of the Dewey hotel. Jno. J. Harrington Have a small bunch of good heavy feeders for sale now. Come in and see us. -S. F. McNichols, agent. Come in and see us. -S. F. McNichols, agent. The work has been delayed as nothing the funeral of Clansman John J. Harrington, E. Kline, Sectary. agent.

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he keeps the highest standard grades Ecoene oil. bought one.

For Sale-Two good driving teams, card, you should promptly fill out the buggy and harness; also two-seated carriage. Enquire of A. B. Newell, O'Neill, Neb. 37-f.

> Janitor Kline has begun the spring clean-up at the court-house yard and is making some commendable inprovements on the lawn.

A 17-jewel Walthem B. W. Ravmond twenty year guarantee, filled case, watch for \$17.50.-W. M. Locard, Corrigan's drug store. 39-tf

O. F. Biglin was in Chambers the first of the week looking after business matters pertaining to his branch implement house at that place.

For Sale-Horses at the Welsh farm four miles northwest of O'Neill; also 160 acres of land for rent.-Mrs. T. 37-4.

I have a lot of grain that I baught since the drop; can sell right. Also a lot of flour and feed of all kinds, none. Satisfaction guaranteed. 36-tf Fancy patent 90c a sack .-- Con Keys.

Mrs. Susie Campbell has sold her residence property in the western shipped to South Omaha. Five cars part of town to Mrs. Harrington, mother of the Harrington boys of this place.

William Anderson of Atkinson and Lucy Blythe of Springfield, Mo., were granted a marriage license and joined in wedlock Monday by County Judge Morgan.

Mrs. W. Boardwell, residing three miles east of O'Neill, was called to Des Moines Sunday on the sad mission ened the Ledger editor recently by of attending the funeral of her

For Sale-Two jacks and two stallions, a standard bred and a draft: sell for less money than these animals can earn this season .- J. H. McAllister, Agee, Neb. 39-2.

The Plainview Roller mills have 37-4.

urday by Rafenberg Bros, of Anita, livery barn in O'Neill: Io., resulted in the sale of three of

Frank E. Beeman of Kearney, a candidate for the republican nomination for congress in the Sixth district, stopped in the city over night Saturday, going west Sunday morning. the southwest and is a genial good fellow.

County Treasurer Dan Cronin was at Atkinson Tuesday in attendance at the sale of his brother-in-law, Pat Hayes. Despite the rain which poured down in torrents all afternoon, was sold.

March 29, 30 and forenoon of the 31st are the dates for the next regular visit of Dr. J. M. Perrigo, expert refactionist. Office at Hotel Evans. Improved instruments and methods combined with his makes his work ady.

Eight cars of cattle were loaded at the F. E. stock yards Sunday and

tive cars again on Monday. C. L. Davis the first of the week closed a contract with H. J. Abra-

ham of Omaha for the erection of a \$10,000 building in that city. Mr. Davis will go to Omaha the 10th of next month to assume charge of the work and expects to move his family there later. He also has contracts for two other smaller buildings in Omaha.

in the cable has thrown the system into temporary disuse. The telephone

company has an expert from Worthington, Min., at work repairing the can be done in stormy times.

mare gray 9 years old. Machinery-Mower, hay rake, wagon, drill, sweep, grindstone, 1 set Mr. Beeman is prominent in affairs in chain harness, 3 sets work harness, 1 road cart.

> Terms-Eight months' time at ten per cent. Under \$10 cash.

#### Mrs. Ed. Slattery. J. A. Cowperthwaite, Auctioneer. B. McGreevy, Clerk.

The ladies of the working society of choice lambs \$6.30 to \$6.50; fair to Dan says the sale was well attended the Presbyterian church have a beau- good, \$5.75 to \$6.25; light yearlings and about \$4,000 worth of property tiful silk quilt which is to be voted to \$5.60 to \$5.85; heavy, \$5.00 to \$5.00. the most popular lady, with whom Good choice wethers \$4.80 to \$5.40; you are acquainted. They have en- good ewes \$4.70 to \$5.00; fair to good velopes with blank slips enclosed. ewes \$3.85 to \$4.60. Feeding sheep You may vote as many times as you are quoted \$4.25 to \$4.75 and good wish at ten cents a vote. Enclose feeding lambs \$4.75 to \$5.60. them in the envelope and seal. Satexperience urday, March 29, a committee will be second to appointed to count the votes and de-38-2

Easter Sale.

The ladies of the Presbyterian belonged to William Frederick, a church will hold their annual Easter commission man of South Omaha who sale and exchange Saturday, March 29, was feeding in Boyd county, and three at the opera house. They have such cars belonged to B. Gross of Boyd a great variety of articles for sale AT THE RIGHT PRICES county. Mr. Frederick shipped out that they cannot mention the different things, but invite you to come and be convinced that this is the biggest best and most satisfactory sale that

they have ever held. 32-2

#### To Wool Growers.

There will be a meeting of the Holt County Woolgrowers and Sheep Breeders' association held in O'Neill, Nebraska, Tuesday, April 15, 1902. All persons interested in the

Notice

All members of the Royal Highlanders are requested to meet at the which has had to be contended with at 8 o'clock to make arrangements for Harrington. E. Kline, Sectary.

good butcher, \$3.60 to \$4.40. In stock

The receipts of hogs for past week show a decrease in numbers but an increase in weight. "It has been a seller's week throughout" and the first of this week shows a continuation of good prices, there being an advance of 5 to 10c. Heavy hogs quoted \$6.35 to \$6.60; medium and heavy, mixed, \$6.30 to \$6.45; light and medium, mixed, \$6.10 to \$6.30.

Sheep 15 to 25c higher. Good to

Nye & Buchanan Co.

1 have 300 bushels of choice potaclare the name of the fortunate toes, good for seed or table use. Will sell cheap for the next few days .- D. A. Doyle.

> A SWELL NEW LINE OF EWELR J

and a first class Watch Repairer





The telephone bells around town golden hoof are cordially invited to have been silent for a week. Trouble attend.-Frank|Emerson, secretary,