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SILVER WARE, CUT GLASS, CHINA WARE, WATCHES, CLOCKS, and all kinds of extra fine Ladies' SILVER TOILET ARTICLES.

They make the most appropriate gift of the season and are always acceptable. Watches and rings we have in abundance. You can get any thing you want from the Midget Chatelaine Ladies' watch to the No. 18 Gents' hunting case, and at a price lower than they have ever been offered before in the city.

Engraving and Repairing of all kinds done promptly and in a first-class manner.

Every purchaser secures the opportunity to receive the wonderful 400 day clock now on exhibition in my show window. Ask for particulars.

MAJOR F. DUE.

The art features of The Designer for January, 1903 are effective to a marked degree, and are typical of the progressiveness of this popular publication, which is always the herald of up-to-date fashions and interests essentially feminine. Edited by women, it caters especially to womanly tastes. Most charming and original are the fancy costumes, and stylish and seasonable are the millinery designs, the latter being accompanied by a practical article on hat making. "In-door Exercises for Children," by Dr. Sarah A. French-Battey, and "Toilet Table Chat," are of real hygienic value, and the departments of "What Women are doing" and "helps along the way" both edited by the readers of The Designer, are helpful and decidedly novel. The literary features comprise two short stories, "At Heron's Crag," by Elizabeth Roberts Macdonald, and "Mr. Coyote," by L. O. Lennart, "The Domestic Side of the White House," by Waldon Fawcett, "The Feast of the King," by G. W. Jacobs, and a parlor comedy, "A Sudden Inspiration," by Mary Dawson. Mary Kilsyth furnishes "Attractive Corner," Josephine Yates, "Some Employment of Busy Fingers," and Ella Earle Fowler tells us what to do "When the Stocking Bag is Full," "Pencil and Paper Games," by Mrs. S. P. Carusi, supplies numerous instructive and jolly entertainments for young folks and their elders, all of which may be arranged at trifling cost. Points on Dressmaking, "Fashions and Fabrics," "Etiquette

Hints," "Book Notes," "Floriculture," "In Motherland" and "The Kitchen Kingdom" are departments some one of which will appeal to some one member of the family. The verse in this number is supplied by Florence Gertrude Ruthven. Bassett Eagle: The Newport Tigers are pushing a scheme for organizing a base ball league next spring, to be composed of teams from O'Neill, Atkinson, Stuart, Newport, Bassett, Longpine, Ainsworth, and Valentine. The plan contemplates at least one game a week a preferably on Saturday, and we have had informal talks with fans in seven of the eight towns mentioned all of whom are in favor of the scheme. As outlined, but little expense will be incurred by the towns furnishing players, and we would be pleased to hear from all parties interested in the national game. If deemed feasible we will later call a meeting of those who are willing to manage the various clubs, and a complete organization will be effected. We invite the papers in the various towns interested to give publicity to this article, and the editor of the Eagle invites correspondence on the subject. Lynch Journal: Work was begun Monday on the new bridge and has been pushed as fast as the weather would permit all week. The people of Lynch will be more than pleased when this is completed as will also the people south of the river as it will mean the shortening of their road to market by many miles.

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK

As Gleaned by the Frontier Reporter on his Daily Rounds About the Town

EVERYTHING THAT OCCURED

Is Recorded Here, If Not it Escaped the Anxious and Tireless Search of Our Reporter

Jim Selah, was up from Ewing, yesterday.

Dennis Adler of Dorsey was in town Tuesday.

J. F. Brady, was down from Atkinson, last Friday.

Have you seen the Handkerchief display at Mann's.

Have you seen the new American pearl jewelry at Mann's.

W. P. O'Brian, of Atkinson, was an O'Neill visitor last Friday.

Marion Roberts, of Read, Boyd county, made O'Neill visit Tuesday.

W. H. Livingston and P. Donnelly, of Sioux City, were in the city Tuesday.

Daniel Kelly, of Dorsey, was over Tuesday making proof on his homestead.

Are you looking for your for Christmas expensive or low priced—Go to Mann's.

W. E. Pickering of Dorsey come over to O'Neill Monday, returning Tuesday.

If you would like to see the real swell line of Holiday goods step into Gilligan & Stout's.

For silver dollars go to Cole's; they give one away with each \$10 purchase, until January 1903.

A. J. Miller of Erina, Garfield county, was in O'Neill this week, attending to legal matters.

Go to Mrs. Cress for groceries, candies and fruits and Holiday goods; warm meals at all hours.

William O. Watson, ranchman of Boyd county, came over from Read, Monday, returning Tuesday.

J. C. Cantwell, a hustling real estate agent of Page, was looking after business interests in O'Neill Friday last.

William Alpress, of Read, Boyd county, was in town this week attending to business before the local land office.

W. R. Patrick, an attorney of South Omaha, was in the city Monday looking after matters before the district court.

Mrs. J. M. Morgan was called to Atkinson the first of the week on account of the serious illness of her brother.

George Bowen, of Hampton, Neb., and Miss Myrtle Michael, of Page, were united in marriage by Judge Morgan last Wednesday.

Those indebted to us on subscription are requested to call and pay their indebtedness before January 1. Start the New Year right.

Step in and see our immense Holiday display, if you see what you like have us put it away for you.

A Newyear present of \$100 in gold will be given by P. J. McManus. Each purchase of \$5 or the same amount on account, gives the customer an opportunity to receive the above.

Mrs. J. B. O'Sullivan and daughters, the Misses Gertrude and Grace, left Tuesday morning for Minneapolis, Minn., where they will spend the winter visiting with Mrs. O'Sullivan's parents.

Every \$5 you pay on account at P. J. McManus will give you the opportunity to share in his grand New Years Gift \$100 in gold. Pay early and receive full instructions.

Michael Lyons, the Emmet, land man, was in the city Tuesday looking after the interests of his numerous clients. Mr. Lyons is of the opinion that business in the real estate line will be quite lively as soon as spring opens up.

Estray—Taken up at my place three and one-half miles northeast of O'Neill on or about November 2, 1902, one dark bay pony mare, weight about 800, little white on left hind foot. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

Attorney J. A. Douglas, of Bassett, was in the city Monday attending court. Jim was elected to the legislature by the republicans of Rock and Brown counties at the last election and will leave for Lincoln to participate in the deliberations of the legislative session about January 1. The Frontier predicts that Jim will be one of the best looking as well as one of the most useful members of the next house.

Go to Lockard when in need of jewelry, kodaks or phonographs. A large stock always on hand and prices right.

Note the prices quoted in another column. If low prices sell the goods we are bound to dispose of our stock.

Judge J. F. Boyd, of Neligh, is holding court here this week having exchanged with Judge Westover. No cases of importance have yet been tried.

Buggies, buggies, buggies—A car load of the nicest and best that ever came to O'Neill; if you want a snap now is your chance to call and get your pick.

L. M. Disney, of Monmouth, Ill., owner of the old Jackson ranch, arrived in the city Sunday evening to spend a few days looking after business interests in this section.

Our holiday trade during the past two weeks has been very gratifying but we are determined to sell more goods this season than ever before. Call and get a silver dollar.

For the Holidays. Call and see the simplicity of the kodak and the abolishment of the darkroom. Wm. M. Lockard, the Jeweler, Headquarters for watches, clocks, jewelry, kodaks and phonographs.

W. W. Bethea was a pleasant caller at these headquarters Monday. Bill was up to attend court, being on the regular panel, but was excused and returned home that afternoon. He reports everything in a prosperous condition in Deloit.

The Royal Highlanders will hold a regular meeting next Monday evening 15 at which time a class of new members will be initiated. The initiation will be followed by a musical and social meeting. All members are requested to be present.

T. D. Harrington, one of the most prosperous farmers in this vicinity was a pleasant caller Tuesday, renewing his subscription to The Frontier. Mr. Harrington says he could not keep house without the weekly arrival of this disseminator of local happenings.

Miss Rosa Hudspeth, the talented ditress of the Stuart Ledger, was in the city Saturday and favored this office with a short fraternal call. Miss Hudspeth has secured the service of a lady "typo" and her journalistic pathway is not strewn with as many thorns as when the "horrid men," slung slugs and expectorated in the coal scuttle.

Thomas J. Griffin, a merchant tailor from Boston, Mass., arrived in the city last Saturday evening and will open up a tailor shop in the Mrs. Martin building opposite the Evans hotel. O'Neill is already supplied with a first class shop but they say competition is the life of trade and during these prosperous republican times there will be plenty of work to keep them all busy.

Neligh Leader: The game of football at O'Neill on Thanksgiving between the high school team of that place and the Neligh high school eleven was won by the latter by a score of 6 to 5. There was a large attendance of O'Neill people and the rooters were out in force, it being almost impossible to keep rooters and coaches outside the sidelines. Home duties prevented an attendance from Neligh and the boys went unattended. Owing to the lateness of the train the game was delayed until late in the afternoon. In the evening a banquet was given the Neligh boys, and they returned home more than pleased with their reception and treatment by the O'Neill high school.

Clark Guy, who has been picking corn for Lawrence Finnigan, about eight miles northwest of this city, the past month was seized with an epileptic fit last Sunday afternoon and died Tuesday morning about 9 o'clock without regaining consciousness. The remains were taken to Atkinson for burial by a sister of the deceased. About three years ago deceased was shot in the head on a ranch south of Atkinson in a quarrel over a girl and for months was not expected to live, and it is a miracle how he ever managed to live through it as the bullet, it was claimed by the physicians who attended him, passed through his brain. But while he recovered his physical strength mentally he was far from well and it is believed the effect of the shot brought on the epileptic fit in which he died. Deceased was well known in O'Neill having worked in this city during the summer of 1900 after recovering from the effects of the shooting.

GRAND OPENING!

Arrangements have been made for the reopening of the RINK, and a revival of this popular sport.

The skates to be used are of a new and very latest pattern, Peck & Snyder's Nickel-plated, 2 wheel, with rubber tires and steel tempered ball bearings.

TUESDAY DEC 16

Thus doing away with the noise, dust, etc. made with the old style pattern.

Beginning with Tuesday, Dec. 16, the RINK will be open 3 nights every week during the coming winter.

Best of order guaranteed.

ADMISSION FREE

Roller Skating Rink.

HOLIDAY RATES EAST.

Great Northern Railway Company. Special Round Trip.

Holiday rates, to points in Ontario, New York and New England, on sale Dec. 12 to 22 inclusive with final return limit of Jan. 12, 1903. For further particulars inquire of G. H. HEBERT, Agt.

Sioux City Journal: A corps of engineers during the last few days has been going over the old grade and right of way of the Atkinson and Niobrara River Railroad company, between Atkinson and Butte, Neb., and in that part of the country it is believed the engineers are in the service of either the Burlington road or the Great Western road. Should the Burlington be back of the survey it is thought the proposed line would be from Erickson, in Wheeler county, Nebraska, into Georgy county, South Dakota. The line by this course would touch O'Neill, the western terminus of the Willmar and Sioux Falls and this junction would connect up two Hill roads. The Atkinson company owns right of way the entire distance between Atkinson and Butte, a distance of thirty-two miles, and twenty-three miles of this strip is graded.

From present indications O'Neill will enjoy a good sized building boom in the spring. Hagerty & McGreevey, of the Elkhorn Valley Bank, have the plans drawn for an addition to their bank building, which, when completed, will make it one of the best buildings in the city. The new addition will have a 22-foot front on Douglas street, 29-foot front on Fourth street, and will be 79-foot long, two stories high. The building will be built in a good substantial manner with full length glass fronts. This will give the building the finest show windows in the city. A tenant has not been secured for the building as yet but Mr. Hagerty says there will be no trouble to find a tenant as four parties have already spoken to him about renting it. They expect to commence work upon the building as soon as spring opens up.

Stop reading your neighbor's paper!

Great Northern Railway W. & S. F. RY. Through daily service to Minneapolis and St. Paul with direct connections for all points in Minnesota, North Dakota and west to Pacific Coast. Through sleeping car service. Apply to any agent for rates, folders and descriptive matter.

FRED ROGERS, Genl. Pass. Agt. Cole's reliable jewelry store for the best on the market. 21-3. Horses to Winter—Will winter a limited number of horses at my place four miles north of Page. Rates \$1 per month. Alfred Anderson, Page, Neb. 21-3pd. Granite ware, Tinware, Queensware Glass ware, stationery and specialties at lowest prices at the Racket store, three doors south of post office. We have a 5c and 10c counter. Call and see us. 20-4. F. BOWEN. Lost—Black and white setter bitch head black and white and ticked body. Reward for return. J. H. McPHARLIN, O'Neill, Neb.

A CALL TO CHRISTMAS BUYERS

Our elegant line of Holiday Goods is now open for inspection. Call early and make your selections.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

And everybody who sees our Beautiful Display of Holiday Attractions is glad of it.

Come to Headquarters for Popular Presents at Popular Prices.

Our fine Holiday Stock is full of Quality, Variety, Beauty and Good Taste. It is easy to select from, supplies exactly what you want, and it would be a mistake to buy before you see it. Remember this splendid assortment contains The Right Thing for Every Person, Old Middle-Aged or Young.

GILLIGAN & SUOUT, The Druggists.

WE WILL HAVE ON DISPLAY

SATURDAY, DEC. 13

One of the finest lines of Holiday Goods that we have ever before shown. It will include

SUITABLE GIFTS

For Ladies and Gentlemen.

We have so many Articles

That we cannot mention separately

Indly Call on That Day and Look Through the different departments.

J. P. MANN.