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Yours truly **J. P. MANN**

LOCAL MATTERS.

E. J. Mack was up from Inman Tuesday.
 C. C. Pond of Ewing was in town Tuesday.
 J. F. O'Donnell went to Omaha on business Monday.
 Price Stevenson of Middle Branch was in the city Monday.
 A number of mild cases of small pox are reported from Page.
 Miss Bessie Snyder went to Lincoln Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with friends.
 "Instability" is the subject for the Presbyterian Pulpit next Sabbath evening.
 The O'Neill foot ball team went to Valentine last night to play the Valentine eleven today.
 E. E. Hunter and family, R. W. Mood, Bert Gray and Frank Clyde, all of Page, were in the city Monday.
 Deputy County Clerk Harnish and wife spent Saturday and Sunday at their claim some forty miles southwest.
 J. B. Mellor has been making some improvements around his home among which is the equipment of a bathroom.
 C. Q. Bragg, E. A. Dalsy, John Baik and William Price were a party from Buywell in the city on land business Tuesday.
 Rev. M. F. Cassidy was a passenger for Omaha on Monday, going down to attend the funeral of an aged priest of his acquaintance.
 Norfolk News: Emil Zimmerman, whose home is at O'Neill and who has been working in a drug store at Spencer, has arrived in Norfolk to attend the business college.
 With dressed turkey close around 20 cents a pound, sugar 50 cents higher and no pumpkins on the market the Thanksgiving dinner this year is the usual expensive luxury.
 Col. John G. Maher was up from Lincoln the fore part of the week for the first time since the great democratic calamity. He was accompanied by his brother Ed of Platte Center.
 Dr. B. T. Trueblood was called to Lincoln Friday last by the serious illness of his daughter. He returned Tuesday, having left his daughter under the care of Lincoln physicians. The doctor says she is not yet out of danger's way, however, but expects her to get along all right.

F. B. Smith of Sioux City, a brother of G. W., Sundayed in O'Neill. Mr. Smith has recently moved to Sioux City from Peoria, is on the road in a commercial way, O'Neill being in his territory.
 D. J. Cronin was at Stuart Monday. Mr. Cronin says there was a big prairie fire raging north of town when he got there and everybody was out fighting fire. There was some hay burned but no buildings.
 O. F. Biglin has taken advantage of the "breathing spell" after the harvest rush and is fixing up around his implement and furniture house. He has had the allies at the side and rear graded up and leveled off.
 The remains of Captain R. F. Cross, who died on a train near Rochester, N. Y., last week, were interred at Atkinson Saturday last, the funeral being conducted by the Knights of Columbus. A number of O'Neill people were in attendance.
 While giving an exhibition of his strength in attempting to lift a heavy weight at Atkinson last Sunday, William Lierman of Amelia sustained internal injuries which may prove fatal. Dr. Douglas was called out of church to attend the injured man.
 Yesterday morning the county treasurer's office received a check from the Northwestern railroad for the full amount of that road's taxes for this year. The check was drawn for \$14,613.34. This amount for Holt county alone gives some idea of what the railroads pay in taxes in this state.
 A Klondike social will be given on Friday evening, November 25, at the home of C. B. Scott, under the auspices of class No. 5 of the Presbyterian Sunday school. You are requested to come prepared for gold digging and other fortunes for misfortunes that may befall you. A good musical program will be rendered, and lunch served for 15 cents. The public are invited.
 John McManus made the discovery the other day that pocketknives were being stolen from his store. The matter was traced up and the culprit located in the person of a young man of the neighborhood who is considered a trifle unbalanced mentally. The young man was in the habit of making calls at the hardware store and watching for opportunities to take knives from the show case. Seventeen

knives have been traced up that were stolen in this way, and a part of them recovered. The young man will not be prosecuted.
 Tuesday a suit was heard in county court, Pat Welsh vs. Joseph McCaffrey. Welsh sued for the payment of 32 bushels of corn at 30 cents a bushel and one month's wages amounting to \$25. The case developed that about a year ago McCaffrey contracted 1,000 bushels of corn of Welsh at 30 cents a bushel. Welsh delivered 332 bushels, and also worked one month for McCaffrey. Later in the season the price of corn advanced materially and Welsh sold his corn on the local market. McCaffrey then refused to pay for what corn he had received and also for the month's work. The case went to court and McCaffrey set up a claim for damages alleged to have been sustained by the nonfulfillment of the contract. He was awarded a judgment of \$27.40.
Mismated Couple.
 William A. McCarthy has begun an action in the district court for the legal separation from his wife, Zula McCarthy. The couple were married in September, 1893, at the home of Frank Emerson in the northwest part of the county.
 The plaintiff alleges in his petition that "the defendant has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward the plaintiff;" had struck him divers and sundry times; was scolding and abusive; was a woman of bad and uncontrollable temper, and had finally abandoned his home. He prays for absolute divorce.
 The defendant is now in Ceder county, this state, and files an answer in which she denies "each and every allegation." She also prays for divorce and says, "the plaintiff was guilty of extreme cruelty" in an instance cited which is alleged to have occurred at their home in the presence of relatives and friends; used abusive and profane language at her, "then and there without any cause or provocation on the part of the defendant, seized the defendant by the arm, dragged her into the kitchen and jerked the defendant around a number of times in a rough and cruel manner," and said to her, "I will kick the damn belly off of you." She alleges that he then and there struck her two or three times. The further allegations are that the plaintiff is of violent and unreasonable temper; that he is the owner of

\$8,000 worth of real estate and \$8,000 worth of personal property in Holt county and has neglected and refused to supply her needs. She asks to be granted a divorce, together with alimony and attorney's fees.
Gatz-Clift Nuptials.
 A brilliant wedding was celebrated last evening at 8:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gatz in this city when their eldest daughter, Miss Velontean, was married to Mr. Fred George Clift of this city. The house was filled with guests and after the ceremony and supper a reception was held at the opera-house where the guests were entertained at dancing.
 The bride and groom stood under an arch decorated with green, pink and white in a corner of the parlor as the officiating clergyman, Rev. T. W. Bowen of the Presbyterian church, pronounced the words that made them husband and wife. Miss Ruth Evans presided at the piano and played Lohengrin's wedding march.
 The bride, gowned in white liberty silk over white taffeta, presented a charming appearance. The groom was attired in black. The flowers were chrysanthemums, roses and carnations. The dining room, parlors and hall were decorated with white, green and pink tastefully arranged in bells and other ways.
 After the wedding march the guests gathered about Mr. and Mrs. Gatz' festal board and partook of the wedding supper. The wedding cake, made especially for the occasion in Omaha, looked too delicate and beautiful to soil by mastication. After supper those of the guests who desired repaired to the opera-house, where they danced until 12. At 12 luncheon was served at the house.
 The groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Clift, and his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dickson, all of Long Pine, were the out of town guests to attend the wedding.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clift departed on the early morning train for Omaha and other eastern Nebraska points to be gone a fortnight. They will be at home to their friends in O'Neill after January 1.
 The groom is the manager of the Cash Store of this city. He is a young man of good standing in the community and has made many friends since coming to O'Neill some two years ago. The bride has lived in O'Neill since earliest childhood. She

is a young woman of many accomplishments and has a large circle of friends among the young people of the community.
 The Frontier extends its sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clift and hopes their journey through life will be a happy one.
Our Envious Neighbor.
 Ewing Advocate: General Longneck and Colonel Boodle, whose headquarters are at O'Neill, got in their work on the county division proposition, and never lost a gun. . . . We wonder what O'Neill will do with their railroad they built for the people of Page and surrounding country. Why not build one for Chambers? They deserve one for their fidelity. Grattan township can easily raise bonds for the purpose. And according to County Attorney Mullen's report, the youngest child will never live to see the bonded indebtedness of O'Neill paid, so a few thousand more will make no material difference.
Township Officers
 The following are the minor officers elected in the various townships of the county:
 Atkinson—Clerk, C. E. Havens; treasurer, J. J. Stilson; constable, Charles Sweet.
 Chambers—Clerk, E. Porter; treasurer, John Wintermote; constable, W. C. Holland; justice peace, John Doherty.
 Cleveland—Clerk, Edward Haisch; treasurer, Andrew Robertson; constable, Frank Hughes.*
 Conley—Clerk, Willie Calkins; treasurer, Sam Hubbard; constable Delos Leonard.
 Deloit—Clerk, Ernest Cracher; treasurer, M. P. Savidge; constable, Frank Anderson.
 Dustin—Clerk, Ray Smith; treasurer, F. F. Wefso; constable, R. G. Rumsey.
 Emmet—Clerk, A. C. Purnell; treasurer, Henry Martfelt; constable, Jerome Maring.
 Ewing—Clerk, W. N. Dawson; treasurer, A. Shannon; constable, E. E. Chase.
 Fairview—Clerk, R. T. Ballentyne; treasurer, Barney Jones; constable, D. Sammons.
 Francis—Clerk, L. C. Grumstead; treasurer, O. P. Hanks; constable, H. C. Morrow; justice peace, C. W. Roark.

Gattan—Clerk, James Carney; treasurer, John Handley; constable, Samuel Noll.
 Green Valley—Clerk, D. L. Noziska; treasurer, D. L. Noziska; constable, Joe Dobias; justice peace, G. Slaymaker.
 Inman—Clerk, C. M. Fowler; treasurer, G. W. Green; justice peace, J. H. Logermp; constable, Frank Conrad.
 Iowa—Clerk, J. H. Eberly; treasurer, John Braddock.*
 Lake—Clerk, J. F. Coleman; treasurer, George Lambert; justice peace, L. G. Lambert; constable, F. C. Webens.
 McClure—Clerk, Howard Larne; constable, F. E. Henderson.*
 Paddock—Clerk, W. F. Kaczor; treasurer, Harry Spindler; constable, Free Bowden.
 Pleasantview—Clerk, Van Humphery; treasurer, Peter Clausen; justice peace, Will Evans; constable, Norris Henderson.
 Rock Falls—Clerk, John Gordon; treasurer, W. F. Clevis; justice peace, John Twyford; constable, J. Moler.*
 Sand Creek—Clerk, S. M. Aldridge; treasurer, J. W. Leach, constable, Frank Jensen.
 Saratoga—Clerk, R. R. Coburn; treasurer, Ames Nelson; justice peace, Peter Greeley; constable, R. E. Coburn.
 Scott—Clerk, W. M. Wilson; treasurer, J. W. Walker; constable, S. Mott.
 Shamrock—Clerk, J. S. Hoffman; treasurer, C. C. Jones.
 Sheridan—Clerk, J. H. Bacon; treasurer, Nick O'Connell; constable, John Bond.
 Shields—Clerk, Peter Donohoe; treasurer, J. J. Twyers; justice peace, James Mathews; constable, John Boshart.
 Steel Creek—Clerk, W. A. Ellis; treasurer, F. B. Pine; justice peace, J. B. Torbert; constable, R. D. Gages.
 Stuart—Clerk, D. M. Stuart; treasurer, John Robinson; constable, Henry Shald.
 Swan—Clerk, Edgar Bruner; treasurer, F. O. Kello; justice peace, J. N. Johnson; constable, Elmer Frew.
 Verdigre—Clerk, P. E. Chase; treasurer, E. H. Smith; justice peace, C. A. Townsend; constable, L. W. Stevens.
 Willowdale—Clerk, E. D. Henry; treasurer, A. A. Svisend; justice