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LOCAL MATTERS.

For farm loans see Lyman Waterman, O'Neill. 38-8
 Joe Mann had business at Atkinson Monday.
 Jack Hershiser was up from Norfolk this week.
 G. C. Krotter of Stuart was in the city Sunday.
 John Carr was up from Stafford over night Monday.
 Pat O'Donnell was in Atkinson and vicinity Tuesday.
 Roy Townsend had business at Ewing Tuesday.
 Art Cowperthwaite had business at Inman yesterday.
 Clate Messener is having a severe pull with the grip.
 Duck season is here. Get your ammunition at Golden & Hodgkin's.
 Full line of garden and field seeds at Golden & Hodgkin's. 39-2
 J. N. Trommershauser and E. L. Davies were up from Ewing Monday.
 Lots for sale or exchange in all parts of the city.—E. H. Benedict. 39-6
 W. R. Currie, secretary to Judge Kinkaid, arrived in town Saturday last.
 E. E. Adams of Chambers was a Northwestern passenger Tuesday for Neligh.
 Clark Maher of Platte Center was looking after his interests in this section the first of the week.

Mrs. F. George of Mitchell, S. D., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Davidson.

Mrs. Gilligan went to Lincoln Friday last to spend a short time with the senator at the capital city.

The medical men report some considerable sickness around town but no serious or dangerous outbreaks.

For Rent—My farm eight miles northwest of O'Neill. Enquire of Robert Marsh, sr. 39-3

The Rev. T. W. Bowen will preach next Sunday evening on "A Scriptural View of Divine Punishment."

American steel hog fencing 20c per rod at Golden & Hodgkin's. Think it over. 39-1f

Dr. Corbett will be in his dental office and gallery from the 23d to 30th of each month. 17-1f

Allen News: Ray Saberson quit his best girl in O'Neill long enough to say howdy-do to his Allen friends, this week.

John Sullivan arrived in the city Sunday from Anaconda, Mont., and will spend a fortnight with relatives and friends.

Laurence Simonson was in from Agee yesterday with a car load of hogs which he and a neighbor shipped to South Omaha.

Lloyd Gillespie and family have taken up their residence in the Third ward, occupying the Corbett house in the southwest section.

C. E. McMahon, who has been here for some weeks visiting with his sister, Mrs. C. E. Hall, and family, departed Monday night for Nevada.

The family of Mrs. Grutsch extend their heartfelt thanks to their friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them in their hour of affliction and bereavement.

W. W. Frost, a special agent of the United States census bureau, was in town Monday and Tuesday gathering information concerning the industries of the town.

Dr. Corbett has just returned from his eastern trip with a new appliance whereby he can now extract or even fill aching teeth WITHOUT PAIN. March 23 to 30th. 38-2

Guy Hamilton writes from Leavenworth, Wash., that he likes what he has seen of that state and says he has the offer of a place with a milling and banking company at Leavenworth. Rafe King is engaged in the mercantile business there and doing a flourishing business, J. J. King is practicing law and prospering, he writes.

Ed Loy departed Tuesday for Nevada, Mo., to visit for a fortnight with his parents. His brother Dave is driving the dray during Ed's absence.

L. C. Wade is able to be out again after a protracted illness. He came home last week from Omaha, having been treated by specialists there.

The local markets yesterday were:—Hogs, \$4.65; corn—shelled, 42c; ear, 41c; oats, 22c; wheat, 90c; rye, 63c; potatoes, 25c@30c; eggs, 12c; butter, 20c.

Licenses to wed have been granted to the following: A. J. Hahn to Milie M. Isenhart, both of Stuart; William Arnholt to Lillian Freezer, both of Atkinson.

Wild water fowl have begun the annual migration north, the crowing of the prairie cocks is heard and the robins are nesting again. It is the general belief that these things indicate the opening of spring.

The heavy fall of snow last week followed by several days' rain has caused an immense volume of water in the Elkhorn river. The stream has widened out over the flats alone its banks but has caused no damage that we have learned of.

Lynch Journal: Rev. Sharpless, Presbyterian missionary for this section of Nebraska, came up from Norfolk last Friday. He expect to leave this state soon for Duluth, Minnesota, where he has accepted a pastorate of the Second Presbyterian church of that city. Rev. Sharpless has many friends in this vicinity who regret to see him leave but wish him well in his new field.

METHODS TO GET MONEY

Farmers Have Ways to Get Ahead of the Stock Buyers.

EXPERIENCES IN THE MARKETS

What the Dealers in Hoofs and Horns Occasionally Run Against.—Ways of "Plugging" the Weights.

A party of live stock buyers, farmers and others were passing observations on the peculiar and all too extensive human weakness of getting something for nothing and the means employed to get.

"I will tell you what I saw one day," put in a farmer who lives near town. "As I was coming up the road from the stock yards I noticed a team ahead of me returning from unloading hogs. When about half way up town the driver got down from his seat and dug out from under the straw a rock weighing about 100 pounds, which he heaved over the side of the wagon. Of course when he weighed up the empty wagon his check was drawn for 100 pounds more pork than the buyer got."

"Well, just the other day," spoke up another, I noticed some teams returning from the yards and the drivers were very busy scraping straw and manure out of the hind end of their wagons with their feet. Their trail looked like a manure spreader had gone over the road, and when the buyer came to cash up he paid for fully 200 pounds more pig meat than was delivered."

"I saw a funny thing one day," remarked a veteran hog buyer. "A farmer was in with a load of hogs with a sack of sand tied under his wagon. On his way up town after unloading he got out and slit the sack with his knife and of course when he weighed the wagon the sack was empty."

"Still another incident I remember," continued the hog buyer. "A fellow out east sold some cattle to a buyer here in town. The party who sold the cattle was to stand the shrinkage, that is they were not to be fed or watered from the time he started in until after they had been weighed. The day the cattle were to be delivered the buyer waited around town for his cattle to arrive, but as they did not come he started out to see where they were. About two miles out of town he found the herd quietly feeding from a mess of corn meal and several barrels of water along with the party."

Others told of those whose greediness had so over reached them that they had lost a hog or a steer in the process of "filling them up" to be weighed, and it was the opinion of all that honesty is the best policy.

Obituary.

Mrs. Anna Grutsch died at her home March 17, 1905, at the age of 79 years, 7 months and 14 days. She was born in Elsas, France, August 2, 1826, and moved to Canada in 1847, where she was married to John Grutsch in 1849. Her husband died in 1861 and left her with five small children, the oldest being only ten years of age, of which four are still living, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. McMillan of O'Neill, and her son John and daughter Mrs. Allen that have been living with her. She leaves eight grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren.

In 1855 she came to Nebraska where she settled on a homestead and has lived there since.

The funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday, March 19, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. Caldwell.

Lyman Waterman has about 250 quarter sections of land throughout the county. He has some big bargains. 38-2

The Mechale brothers from out north have bought the Weingartner restaurant.

Minor Mention

People who think publicity can be evaded by threatening to "lick" either one of The Frontier editors are mistaken. When matters get into court they are legitimate newspaper property, and those who don't want to appear before the public as offenders of "the peace and dignity of the state of Nebraska" should behave themselves.

The following figures show the county money on deposit in the various banks of the county: Ewing State, \$3,242.86; Inman State, \$1,319.53; O'Neill National, \$10,689.19; First National, O'Neill, \$12,017.74; Farmers Bank, Page, \$1,797.76; Chambers State, \$3, 250.80; Atkinson State, \$2, 848.61; First National, Atkinson, \$7, 045.85; First National, Stuart, \$9, 175.93; Citizens Bank, Stuart, \$6, 112.87.

Dr. Stephen H. Hopkins, who came here about a year ago to take charge of the Cronin ranch, has found the demand for veterinary work such that he has left the ranch and taken up his residence in O'Neill to devote his entire time to veterinary practice. During the year in which he has been a resident of this community he has had almost constant calls to treat diseased stock, finding himself unable to run a ranch and fill the calls of his profession at the same time.

Receiver Biglin says he has hopes now of paying out a larger percentage on the deposits than when he took charge of the defunct Elkhorn Valley bank's affairs some months ago and expects in the no distant future to be able to pay off at least a small portion of the deposits. The sale of the banking house and fixtures, which brought in nearly \$4,000 cash, has been followed by more cash in the way of notes being paid off. He is not able to say yet what they will realize on the bank's biggest piece of security, which is a second mortgage on a section of land in the northeast part of the county.

Last Friday B. A. Johring sold his farm northwest of O'Neill to Stanislaus Rokosz of Chicago. The transfer conveyed 160 acres deeded land and 160 acres of school land with a lease of two years. The price paid for the whole, \$6,500, makes it a little better than \$40 per acre for the deeded land. Mr. Rokosz is the gentleman who bargained for the Johring place a year ago and later decided not to buy. Recently he took up negotiations for the place again with the result that he bought. It is well improved and a desirable farm. The price paid indicates the trend of the Holt county real estate market.

The city campaign has opened up with two candidates in the field for mayor—D. A. Doyle and Frank Campbell. About the only issue noticeable is the respective merits of the men, which are pretty evenly divided. It is expected that J. F. Gallagher, the present incumbent, will be the only candidate for treasurer. O. E. Davidson is out for police judge. Robert Morrison and Romaine Saunders are the candidates for clerk. For First ward alderman John Carton and Peter Kelly are in the field, nobody announced in the Second and James Davidson and J. A. Cowperthwaite in the Third. The nominations have all been made by petition, and so far as we know no nomination has been sought.

An item from Atkinson in the Norfolk News Tuesday says: Fire was discovered yesterday in the general store of Purdy & Miner. People responded to the alarm and soon the fire was out. There was considerable damage to the stock and the store is closed today until the insurance company adjusts the loss. The store and stock was well insured. No one seems to be able to give any idea as to the origin of the fire. The rooms overhead were occupied by renters, who discovered the flames. Adjoining is the postoffice and Hart's store on the east, so that a burning would have cleaned out a block. The telephone exchange is above the postoffice but no wires were damaged.

A special from Norfolk, dated March 18, to the Sioux City Tribune, says: George Brown, a farmer of Boyd county, who was driving into northern Holt county with two little children, Faye Wilson and Guy Wilson, aged 8 and 10, lost his way on the prairie in a snowstorm, wandered aimlessly about for half the night and finally, after a searching party started for him, turned up at the Coleman farm, three miles from the starting point. The children are those of William Wilson of Redbird, and were, with Mr. Brawn, being driven into Holt county to visit their uncle, Bert Wilson. It was long after midnight when they were rescued and so alarmed had farmers in that section become that, having been notified by telephone, many of them started on the search.

WHAT THE STATE DOES

Figures Showing Nebraska's Production Last Year.

WAS THE BEST IN ITS HISTORY

Total Value of Farm Products Reaches Enormous Figures.—Bank Deposits on the Increase.

From the February, 1905, bulletin of the state bureau of labor some interesting facts are obtained.

Nebraska's production, industrial and agricultural, in 1904 approximated \$500,000,000, being the highest annual output in the history of the state. The following table gives the detailed valuation of the divisions of the state's productions. At this date it is impossible to give exact figures on all items, consequently estimates are necessary on some items and the same have been obtained from the most authentic sources. The asterisk (*) denotes estimates:

Corn	\$9,455,717 90
Wheat	26,415,455 47
Oats	16,702,516 25
Barley	1,815,999 25
Rye	1,231,481 20
Hay	20,280,265 40
Potatoes	3,882,668 16
Sugar Beets	5,000,000 00
*All other soil crops	12,000,000 00
*Dairy Products	11,000,000 00
*Poultry	10,000,000 00
Live Stock	138,828,187 00
*Manufactured Products	175,000,000 00
Total	\$501,582,190 63

A tabulated statement in the bulletin shows our national bank deposits amount to \$69,107,356.25. The deposits in all state and private banks on September 1, 1904, amounted to \$40,106,866.68, making a grand total of \$109,214,222.93. The grand total of deposits in the state on November 30, 1903, was \$102,180,795.81, showing an increase of \$7,033,327.12 in nine months, which indicates an annual increase in the state's deposits of over \$9,000,000.

In a comparison of leading states in acreage and production of the principal farm crops for 1904 Nebraska ranks third in the production of corn, fourth in the production of wheat and second in the production of hay.

Veterinary Surgeon.

This is to inform my present and future patrons that I am now located in O'Neill and will give my entire attention to the veterinary practice. Diseases of all domestic animals treated. Surgical operations a specialty. Examinations free. Leave orders at Corrigan's drug store or Melior & Quilly's livery barn. Correspondence solicited.—Dr. Stephen H. Hopkins, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist. 39-2pd

Notice of Estray.

On Friday, March 17, I lost seven-teen head of hogs from my place two miles north and two miles east of Blackbird postoffice. Half of bunch were sows and a number are marked by the left ear being split. Reward for information leading to recovery.—V. Hoyer.

Atchinson Globe: Do not imagine that you have a very firm hold on your friends. Lajoie, who for eight years was the best batter in the world, and the best second baseman, fell off from his usual batting average in two games, and his friends cried: "Take him out! Take him out!"

Farm for Rent

The Carlon farm of 240 acres adjoining O'Neill. Address Thomas Carlon, fifth floor, Jacobson building, Denver, Col. 39-2

Wanted

Six good men to sow bluegrass seed at once. C. E. Keever. 39-1pd

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