

The Frontier

Published by D. H. CRONIN.
ROMAINE SAUNDERS, Assistant Editor
and Manager.

\$150 the Year. 75 Cents Six Months
Official paper of O'Neill and Holt county.

ADVERTISING RATES:
Display advertisements on pages 4, 5 and 8
are charged for on a basis of 50 cents an inch
one column width per month; on page 1 the
charge is \$1 an inch per month. Local ad-
vertisements, 5 cents per line each insertion.
Address the office or the publisher.



Germany seems to want to get into a scrap some where. When a nation, like an individual, gets where they are spoiling for a fight some one bobs up who is able to give it to them.

Printers' Ink thinks retail advertising has had as much to do with the development of our industries as the protective tariff, and its effect has been to expand every line of trade and business, and to stimulate advertising where it was not dreamed of before.

A topic to be discussed at a conference of one of the leading religious denominations is whether or not Christians should smoke. An exchange remarks that it is reasonable to suppose that some self-styled Christians will smoke in the sweet bye and bye.

Lawson seems to create no special stampede in the west. There is more of a disposition to criticize than to encourage him. He offers the people no solution of the problem of how to relieve themselves of the filchings of "the system"—that is, none but a silly one. It appears that Mr. Lawson has been properly cognomened "Frenzied."

It is announced that the Standard Oil company has given the American Tin-Plate company an order for 2,000,000 boxes of tinplate, the price of which will be more than \$5,000,000 and is beyond doubt the largest order ever placed for tin. It doesn't look as if Frenzied Lawson was going to put the Standard out of business right away.

C. J. Malone of Inman is being mentioned by his friends as an ideal candidate for county judge upon the republican ticket at the coming election. The Frontier does not know whether Mr. Malone would become a candidate for county judge or not, but in our opinion the party could nominate no better man for this responsible position and we believe his nomination would be equivalent to an election.

W. S. Grimes of Chambers, for four years a member of the county board, is being mentioned by South Fork people as an ideal candidate for county judge.

W. S. is a loyal citizen and a good man, and should he enter the race he would be a credit to the county.

It is as senseless as it is unjust to require a man to comply with a law that he has no means of knowing to exist. Every session of the legislature turns out a batch of new laws and only copies enough of them are made available to supply a few lawyers.

While there is a hue and cry against law breaking and lawlessness there is no provision to acquaint the citizens with the laws. The way to create respect for the laws is to make them available. New laws should be published in two papers in each county.

Attention to the in-
tobacco and
Frontier
a Ne-
getting
the

BETTER RIGHT THAN RICH

The Independent tries to argue itself into the belief that the stealing of the tax list was justifiable. Any one who can read plain English can see it was the plain intent of the board of supervisors to have the delinquent tax list published in this paper. The Frontier goes into a great many more Holt county and Nebraska homes than any other paper published in the county. It would give the notice of the pending suit against property owners the widest possible circulation, and for this reason if no other, the supervisors, acting as the representatives of the people, designated this paper as the medium to circulate notice of the pending suit. But in steps a pettifogging barister as czar and lord and nullifies the will of the people.

The Frontier would infinitely rather be right than to possess all the spoils with which the gang of pirates have enriched themselves; it would rather have the confidence of the people than the gold that comes contaminated through the channels feeding the system of hold-up and plunder; it would rather never have a cent's worth of county business than to obtain it by highhanded stealing and dishonor.

THE LAND GRABBERS.

A study of the delinquent tax list of Holt county is interesting. A few years ago a band of hitherto respected and applauded leaders of reform organized themselves into what became popularly known as the land grabbing syndicate. They put up the talk that they were going to make the non-residents pay their taxes or lose their land. The members of the syndicate were all the while giving out the impression that they were contributing their just share to the support of the government by paying their taxes and professed great indignation that land owners living out of the state did not keep their taxes paid up. The tax list discloses that every one of those chaps who were engaged in the land grabbing business and making such a fuss about people not paying their taxes owe the county hundreds and some of them thousands of dollars taxes. No man is to be blamed if he is unable to pay his taxes. The land syndicate were not only robbing people of their lands, but have shirked their taxes when they were able to pay to an extent that tens of thousands of dollars are withheld from the county treasury, and the taxes of those who pay are kept that much higher in consequence.

E. M. Pollard, a republican of Cass county, was elected to congress over his democratic opponent by a majority of 3,000 down in the First district at a special election held Tuesday. A vacancy was caused in the First by the election of E. J. Burkett as United States senator. Mayor Brown of Lincoln, who was the opposing candidate, says he was defeated because he insisted on his friends staying at home and not voting. This is the first time to our knowledge of a defeated candidate claiming he purposely defeated himself.

It is as senseless as it is unjust to require a man to comply with a law that he has no means of knowing to exist. Every session of the legislature turns out a batch of new laws and only copies enough of them are made available to supply a few lawyers.

While there is a hue and cry against law breaking and lawlessness there is no provision to acquaint the citizens with the laws. The way to create respect for the laws is to make them available. New laws should be published in two papers in each county.

Attention to the in-
tobacco and
Frontier
a Ne-
getting
the

cent better. Undoubtedly, if the residents of that section understand its value, and utilize it to the fullest extent. For that particular section there can be nothing to compare with it, for it takes well in sandy soil, when it gets root is a good drouth register, is a prolific hay crop, is not only hardy but luxuriant, and can not be pastured down by either cattle, hogs or sheep. Moreover it is highly nutritious grass. When it gets started in the sandhill country it will immediately begin to make soil, and will prove Congressman Kinkaid's 100 per cent prediction an exceedingly mild one. The improvement will be 1,000 per cent in a very few years.

Superlative Characteristics.

Chicago Chronicle: How are we to account for Walter Scott—not the poet, but the Death Valley miner—who gave the Sante Fe road a great sum of money to haul him from Los Angeles to Chicago, with his wife and dog, in forty-five hours.

Foreigners who visit this country are amused and disgusted at the love of Americans for the superlative degree. The American who is showing a foreigner sights in this country solemnly assures him that this factory is the largest, that this steeple is the highest, that this mine is the deepest, that this road is the longest, that woman is the prettiest, that this man is the smartest and that this horse, bicycle, auto or railroad train is the fastest on earth.

The foreigner cannot understand such a feeling and does not hesitate to call it vulgar. In his country people try to do things well, but never to do them on a larger scale than anybody else. If a performance answers its purpose his countrymen are satisfied, and if it happens that someone else wants something different they are perfectly content and never think of making comparisons.

Along with this habit of speaking in the superlative degree the American is fond of doing things in the same way. Everybody in this country is trying to excel everybody else in something. There is no end of matches and contests in every conceivable field, and the proudest man in this country is somebody who has "broken the record."

What disgusts the foreigner is that this rivalry extends to the most insignificant things, and that it animates everybody from the bootblack up to the president. He has a wholesome respect for the richest man, but he cannot understand why he should take any interest in the girl who has made the greatest number of jumps over a rope, the brute who has eaten the greatest number of eggs and the corner loafer who has expectorated the farthest.

We do not mind explaining this a little to foreigners. The difference between them and us is the difference between an oppressive government and a free one. The people of Europe are governed too much. The incessant restraint placed upon them in everything they think, say and do keeps them in perpetual babyhood. When they come to this country they look around them in astonishment and ask: "Where is the government?" The next thing we hear from them is that they are claiming to make the best article and sell it the cheapest of anybody in the world. Freedom has done it.

Any national characteristic must, of course, have its ignoble and ridiculous as well as its dignified and important manifestations. This accounts for the man who can eat the most eggs or spit the farthest, and does not detract in the least from the man who has made the most money or found the greatest number of double stars.

The most striking and most universal American trait is the ambition to excel in something, and Walter Scott, of Death Valley, is simply a typical American. His fad is to be associated with the fastest things on earth. His latest freak is to contract for a fashionable coat to be made in four hours, and probably the next will be to get himself shaved in a minute and a half. He may do some foolish things, but his fast train was not one of them. It is an obvious advantage both to the Sante Fe company and to the world to know what a railroad train is capable of.

If the rest of the people were not substantially just like Walter Scott his freak journey would not attract so much attention.

Very Low Rates to Buffalo, N. Y.

Via the North-Western Line for tickets to be sold July 7, 8 and 9 with favorable return limits on account of Grand Lodge B. P. O. E. Choice of rates from Chicago. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y. 52-2

Summer Excursion Rates to Chicago and Return

North-Western Line Excursion rates will be sold to Chicago on Sep. 30, 1905, limited to October 31. Apply to North-Western R'y

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure for Lung and Throat Troubles, at P. C. Corrigan's drug store; price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

The Pacific Northwest

A complete and interesting presentation of the scenic beauty and the rich natural resources and rapid growth of the Pacific Northwest are set forth in a beautifully illustrated booklet recently issued by the Chicago & North-Western Ry., which will be sent to any address on receipt of 4c in stamps.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition with the very low excursion rates and personally conducted tours in connection therewith over the North-Western Line from Chicago and the east have created an interest in this subject never before equaled. For full particulars address W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., 215 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago. 1-2t.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one for four weeks when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders; by P. C. Corrigan, Druggist; price 50c.

Homeseekers Excursion.

Via Great Northern Line on first and third Tuesdays each month to points north and west.

Rate, one first class fare plus \$2 return limit 21 days, stopovers allowed at intermediate points.

Full particulars may be had from any Agent Great Northern Line or Fred Rogers, G. P. A., Sioux City, Iowa. 34-4m

Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with the manufactures of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They do not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by P. C. Corrigan, druggist.

Lost—In O'Neill on July 4, 1905, a gold butterfly stick pin; head a butterfly set with a pearl. A liberal reward will be paid finder for return of same to this office.

When you want a pleasant laxative that is easy to take and certain to act, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver tablets. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.



A good round sum in the bank gives a man about the most comfortable feeling he can enjoy. There are many such depositors in



And very few of them commenced their accounts with any more money than you have. Why not do as they did. Start with what you have and keep adding to it. There's comfort in the process.

SEND YOUR LAUNDRY TO
HAMILTON'S LAUNDRY
WM. HAMMOND, Agent.
The only first class Laundry in the northwest.

Main Hall Conservatory Hall
MORNINGSIDE COLLEGE
SIOUX CITY, IOWA
A PROGRESSIVE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE with a FACULTY OF 28 MEMBERS, who have been prepared for their special departments by graduate study in the leading American and European Universities. THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED LABORATORIES in Biology (Botany and Zoology), Chemistry and Physics. A NORMAL DEPARTMENT with two-year and four-year courses for teachers. The ACADEMY has a three-year course preparing for the College. THE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC is unexcelled in the Northwest. Courses in Stenography and Typewriting. Strong Literary Societies. A SIX WEEKS SUMMER TERM. The College year opens the SECOND TUESDAY IN SEPTEMBER.
For Catalog and further information, address
Pres. W. S. Lewis, A. M., D. D., Sioux City, Ia.

Storz Brewing Co

Gold Medal Beer

ON DRAFT
and the renowned **Blue Ribbon** in quarts and pints
FOR SALE AT O'NEILL BY
WM. LAVIOLLETTE PEELER & CO
O. O. SNYDER & CO.
LUMBER, COAL
BUILDING
MATERIALS, ETC.
PHONE 32 O'NEILL, NEB.

Black Percheron - Bay Hamblet'n

Fine Jack

Three of the Best Individuals in Holt County
Will stand at my place north of town as usual this season.
TERMS—Percheron, \$12.50 to insure with special and lower rate if service is required for several mares; Hambletonian and Jack, \$8 each. Fee becomes due if mares are sold or removed from the county.
Impregator Used on All Mares not Sure.
A. Merrill, O'Neill, Nebraska

YOU CAN GET
CHATTEL MORTGAGE BLANKS
OF THE FRONTIER

LAND for SALE

I have the following land for sale in Holt County on easy terms:

se 33-30-9	w 1/2 se &
sw 12-30-10	e 1/2 sw 13-31-13
n 1/2 ne 4-30-10	n 1/2 nw,
& s 1/2 se 33-31-10	se nw.
se 20-31-10	nw ne 6-27-16
se 10-27-11	sw 11-29-16
sw 21-28-11	sw 19-30-14
	ne 23-32-16

For prices, terms, etc., on above, and other Nebraska lands, address,
E. S. ELLSWORTH, IOWA FALLS, IA

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
PATENTS
TRADE MARKS
DESIGNS
COPYRIGHTS & C.
Anyone sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. HANDBOOK on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through Munn & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the
Scientific American.
A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$3 a year; four months, \$1. Sold by all newsdealers.
MUNN & Co., 361 Broadway, New York
Branch Office, 636 F St., Washington, D. C.

H. E. Howland

LUMBER & COAL Co.

Will Sell You LUMBER Cheap
Send in your bill for estimate to 438 North 34th Street, SOUTH OMAHA, Neb. 3-6m
LA VIOLETTE BROS.
MUSIC FURNISHED FOR DANCES, PARTIES, OR OTHER PUBLIC OR PRIVATE GATHERINGS
TERMS REASONABLE O'NEILL, NEB.

One so thick in quality.
The Best for Cigars that is made.
LEWIS'
SINGLE
BINDER
STRAIGHT 5c STRAIGHT
CIGAR
G. L. LEWIS, BUFFALO, N. Y.
ORDER BY MAIL FROM THE
SINGLE BINDER BINDER