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GALLAGHER WINS OUT

Defeats Doyle for Mayor; Clerk and Treasurer Re-elected.

SIMMONS FOR POLICE JUDGE

Councilmen Brennan, Hanley and Zimmerman Retain Their Seats. Election Results.

Mayor.....Ed F. Gallagher
Treasurer.....James F. Gallagher
Clerk.....Romaine Saunders
Police Judge.....Sheridan Simmons
Councilman, 1st ward.....T. D. Hanley
2d ward.....Neil Brennan
3d ward.....Henry Zimmerman

The above were elected by the sovereign voters of O'Neill at the municipal election on Tuesday.

Mayor D. A. Doyle was making the race for the second time on the platform on which he was elected last spring, that of the saloons being conducted more nearly in conformity with the law. The platform was put into effect and not many, even the saloon men, opposed him for a second term on those grounds. It was pretty generally acknowledged even by those opposed to his candidacy for other reasons that his administration with respect to keeping the "lid" on was satisfactory. His defeat by a majority of forty-four may not be considered a repudiation of that policy so much as an expression of grievances in other respects. He made a hard fight and his vote of 117 against 163 may be said to have been won single handed.

Mayor-elect Gallagher has previously served two terms in that capacity, making a good official. During the present campaign assurance was given that the "lid" would not be taken off were he elected. In fact there is every reason to believe that the affairs of the city will be conducted in a save and business like manner during his incumbency.

The unofficial canvass of the vote shows the following majorities:

Gallagher.....	44
Saunders.....	10
Simmons.....	40
Brennan.....	17
Hanley.....	48
Zimmerman.....	15

The vote by wards:

Mayor—	1st 2d 3d
Doyle.....	39 26 53
Gallagher (Ed F.).....	69 54 40

Treasurer—
Gallagher (J. F.).....no opposition
City Clerk—
Hodgkin.....48 34 44
Saunders.....53 35 48

Police Judge—
Hicks.....44 24 41
Simmons.....55 43 51

Councilmen, 1st, 2d, 3d—
Hanley.....75
Polk.....28
Brennan.....48
McCarthy.....31
Mellor.....38
Zimmerman.....53

O'Neill Mention.
Osmond Republican: Mr. Barnett of O'Neill, a photographer of large experience, has rented the upper story of the Republican building and will open a studio there some time next week.

Herrick, S. D., Press: Burl Martin came down from Burke Saturday to look after business for the Interstate Telephone company, and to visit his sister, Miss E. Belle Martin, and on Sunday Walter K. Martin came over from Carlack and visited over Sunday. Miss Lydia Bower, the "angel" of our office, was invited to join the party and a reunion of O'Neill people was held at the Cole hotel.

A Quick Fire or a Slow Fire?
Either is obtained on a "Monarch" Range—and so easily too. How? The Duplex Draft. An arrangement of dampers opening front and back, insuring an even fire—the simple ratchet device allowing perfect adjustment. Visitors are being "shown" at Edward & Bradford's Hardware Store, Inman, April 16 to 21. 41-2

C Downey for Insurance. Farm and stock a specialty. 38-1f

NOT GUILTY.

Jury Acquits Nicholizack of Charge of Criminal Assault.

The Nicholizack criminal assault case, that hung fire in the courts for many months and piled up some \$5,000 costs, has been finally disposed of by the jury returning a verdict of not guilty on Tuesday of this week. The case has been through district court three times. The jury in the first trial disagreed. It was again tried and the jury brought in a verdict of conviction. Then the case went to the supreme court, where it was remanded for retrial. The third trial began Tuesday of last week and ended with the verdict on Tuesday of this week.

County Attorney Mullen and John Trommershauser prosecuted the case, Mr. Dickson defending Nicholizack. All last week was spent in taking testimony. The arguments were made by the attorneys on Monday, the case going to the jury at six o'clock that evening and a verdict returned at 1:30 Tuesday afternoon.

Officials Risk Wager.

It is not always safe to risk a wager on your memory. To this a city official will attest, as thereby he lost a crisp five-dollar bill the other evening. A bunch of city officials were assembled in the council chamber Monday evening when the conversation reverted to the political history of the town. One official told how he had won a box of cigars some years ago in a contest for the office of mayor between O. F. Biglin and A. U. Morris. That there had ever been such a contest was disputed by another official, who claimed that the only time Dr. Morris had ever made the race for mayor was when the organization of the town was changed from village to city. Dr. Morris wanted the honor of being the first mayor of O'Neill, but was defeated by eight votes by John McBride. He then announced, the disputing official claimed, that it was his first and last venture in politics. With the memory of the box of cigars he had one when yet not a voter still vividly before him the official who had related the story of his wager fished out a five-dollar bill and asked the other to cover it. The other hesitated, saying he did not like to deliberately steal a man's money, but finally produced a five and the wager was made. The ancient records were then produced but no record of the canvass of the votes could be found. Much weighty oral evidence was produced to disprove that Morris and Biglin have ever been opposing candidates and it was just about agreed that the one who had proposed the bet had lost when he, who had been digging into the records the while, exclaimed: "Hold on there; here we have it." The record was then read showing that Morris and Biglin had been opposing candidates in 1892, the latter being elected by something over thirty majority. That settled it. The memory of that box of cigars won the official \$5.

Whitney Divorce Case.

Randolph Times: The Whitney divorce case tried in Holt county recently, and now before the supreme court, is attracting attention in Nebraska. Reports of the filing of the brief of G. W. Wiltse of this city, have appeared in the Omaha and Lincoln papers. Nellie Whitney secured a divorce and \$6,500 alimony from George D. Whitney in Holt county after her case was dismissed in Cedar county. The most unique ground of her petition alleges that she did not have suitable clothing to appear in society and was therefore deprived of the joys and triumphs of a social career. The de-

fendant introduced evidence to show that his wife had the custody of the family pocket book and the income from lands to the extent of \$750 a year, with house and water rent, and some other expenses paid. Another point on which defendant places hope of victory in the supreme court is that his wife, on advice of her attorney, Mike Harrington, moved to O'Neill and in three days or before gaining a legal residence, began divorce proceedings in Holt county. The case has been stubbornly fought and a reversal is looked for from the supreme court.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Frontier for job work.

R. R. Dickson had business at Ne-ligh Tuesday.

Rev. G. F. Mead was a passenger for Omaha Tuesday.

The Frontier has a stock of good typewriting paper.

A package of flower seeds free to each customer at the Racket Store. 41-f

John Deere 3 lever Disc with wooden boxes beats all, at Neil Brennan's. 40-2

Dr. Gilligan departed this morning on a brief business trip to Lincoln and Omaha.

Mrs. O. O. Snyder was a Northwest-ern passenger for Lincoln this morning.

John McNichols and Frank Mann came down from Atkinson this morning.

Quintin and Blanche Deaver were up from Omaha this week on a visit with friends.

There will be preaching services at the Episcopal church next Sunday. Rev. Wells will preach.

Miss Alice Coykendall started yesterday via Omaha for Douglas, Wyo., where she expects to remain.

2000 packages of flower seeds to be given away at the Racket Store, one package to each customer. 41-1f

The Rev. T. W. Bowen's subject for next Sabbath evening will be "The Relation of the Sun to the Gospel."

Miss Florence Zink went to Norfolk today to attend the meeting of the Northeast Nebraska Teachers' association.

W. K. Hodgkin returned Tuesday from Omaha, where he had been for some weeks taking further medical treatment.

J. C. Morrow, who recently sold his lumber yard at Spencer, intending to go to Clipper, Wash., was an O'Neill visitor this week.

W. J. O'Connor, Jack Thomas and Frank Leahy were at Norfolk over Sunday, the two latter being taken into the Eagle lodge.

For Sale—A church organ in good condition, can also be used as a school or cottage organ. Inquire at G. W. Smith's Temple of Music. 35-1f

Baby girls were added to the homes of J. E. and Lulu Connaughton and Orin and Della Harrison this week. Both families reside in the country.

Miss Belle Martin is home from Her-rick, S. D., arriving Monday accom-panied by Ope Chambers of the Her-rick Press, who returned home today.

Whats the use of tying up your stove grates with wire, get the name of stove, manufacturers, and bring it to Bennan's. We can get it for you. 40-2

Make me an offer for my 160 acres of land, W1, NE1, NW1, sec. 15-25-15, in Swan township. Address G. N. Burg-hardt, 1529 Lafayette st., Denver, Colorado. 40-1

W. D. McNally severed his connec-tion with the Snyder lumber yard last week and on Tuesday departed with his family for Pierce county, where they move onto a farm.

E. E. Halstead was over from Ponca the first of the week to attend a meeting of the officials of the Fidelity bank, of which Mr. Halstead is president and financial head.

At the conclusion of the Nicholizack trial, district court took an adjourn-ment until today, when the case of the county against the bondsmen of the Elkhorn Valley bank was called.

The Y. P. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will hold their regular meeting at 6:30 next Sunday evening. Subject "Our Pledge and How To Keep It." Bessie Jones, Leader. All invited to attend.

Will La Violette went to Columbus Wednesday, where he will teach music. Will is an accomplished musician that students of the devine art in any town might be glad to have as an instructor.

Mrs. Mary Tundauder (nee Stesca) died Sunday at her home in Atkinson, the remains being brought to O'Neill, for interment on Tuesday, the funeral being held at the Catholic church. The deceased's parents live north of O'Neill.

Harry, the three-year-old son of Jacob and Fannie Erb, living near Joy postoffice, died Thursday last of scarletina. The funeral was held on Saturday at the Mennonite church in that neighborhood.

Nicholas Grass, one of the old settlers in Iowa township, died suddenly on Sunday, April 1, of heart disease; age sixty-three years. The funeral was held Tuesday at four o'clock at the Catholic church in this city.

Fairfield Colson has filed a petition in the district court for legal separation from his wife, Elzora Colson. The couple were married, says the petition, at Newburg, Maine, in 1861. They have been living apart since 1903.

A quantity of household goods for sale, chairs, bureaus, dishes, etc. Call at the Kirmen place, two blocks east of Fidelity band, or enquire of John McCabe, at Mrs. A. Cassidy place 5 1/2 miles east of O'Neill. 41-1pd

A snow storm was predicted by the weather department for Wednesday. It arrived a day early at O'Neill, although those who were trying to break in and capture a seat on the city council could not realize it until evening.

Rev. Dr. Caldwell is looking after his affairs here again after being away most of the winter, during which time he has been engaged in ministerial work at Valentine, this state, and looking after personal matters in Chicago.

I have 900 sacks of good flour that I am very anxious to sell. I keep posted on prices and will sell cheaper than any, and will make good every sack, as I have done for the past 10 years. You take no risk buying of me. — Con Keys. 41-1pd

Wanted: Gentleman or lady with good reference, to travel by rail or rig, for a firm of \$250,000 capital. Salary \$1,072 per year and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, O'Neill, Neb.

Miss Ada Mills arrived home the first of the week from Omaha, where she has been attending business college during the winter, completing a course in stenography. Miss Mills has resumed her former position in R. R. Dickson's law office.

Dr. G. M. Berry went to Norfolk today to attend a meeting of north Nebraska dentists, he being on the program for a talk on "Somnoforme." Dr. G. L. Mullen and Dr. J. W. McLaren, dentists well known in O'Neill, are also on the program.

David Babcock, living down the river, was a passenger this morning for Inman, where he went on a trade whereby he may dispose of his property south of the Northwestern depot here, known as the Englehaupt place, for a blacksmith shop in that town.

The report comes from the south-western part of the county of a dis-astrous prairie fire Tuesday night. The reflection of the fire was plainly visible in the heavens here. The Frontier has not learned who suffered loss, but it is reported that much damage was done.

The Woman's Christian Temper-ance Union will hold their next reg-ular meeting at the home of Mrs. Conklin on Wednesday, April 11, at 3:00 o'clock p. m. Subject for discus-sion, "Good Literature." All mem-bers are urgently requested to come and bring their friends.

The first annual meeting of the stockholder's of the Fidelity bank was called at the bank at 5 p. m., Tuesday, April 3. The following officers were elected: President, E. E. Halstead; vice-president, O. F. Biglin; cashier, David B. Grosvenor; Directors—E. E. Halstead, O. F. Biglin, E. H. Halstead, F. J. Dishner and David B. Grosvenor.

The Seniors of the public school gave a reception in honor of the Juniors, last Friday evening, at the home of Miss Millard—Friday being Junior day. The Seniors proved themselves equal to the occasion. Mr. Dwyer, Miss Kay and Miss Moore were invited, the two latter attending. Mr. Dwyer, being unable to attend, sent his regrets. After many old time stories were told, supper was served, which was heartily enjoyed by all. The evening will be long remembered and cherished by those who were present.

Quite an important business change occurred yesterday, when Frank Pixley and T. D. Hanley bought the P. C. Corrigan drug store. Mr. Corrigan has been in the drug business in O'Neill for over twenty years and he has felt for some time that he would like to retire from active business. Messrs. Pixley and Hanley are well known O'Neill men, Mr. Hanley having lived here all his life and Mr. Pixley having been the druggist in the store in which he becomes part owner for a number of years. That they will make it a success goes without saying.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The many friends of Quintin and Blanche Deaver are glad to welcome them again to O'Neill, where they are spending their spring vacation.

Superintendent Dwyer is giving test examinations in the several grades in order to determine the relation-ship between the different classes.

Since the beginning of the second semester the seniors, with Miss Moore as their able instructor, have taken up German, making five studies in their course.

The Seniors have begun prepara-tions for commencement, which oc-curs in a few weeks. The year has been an exceptionally pleasant one, and they are sorry to see it draw to a close.

The Eagle Literary society is pre-paring a Longfellow program for their next meeting on Friday afternoon, April sixth. Special pains have been taken to make the program both in-teresting and instructive.

An interesting debate was given in the high school on Monday afternoon on the question "Resolved that Immi-gration is Detrimental to the United States." Much time and energy were spent on the study and presentation of the question and the public battle promises to be exciting.

On last Friday morning the mem-bers of the high school were very much surprised on entering the general-as-sembly room to find it decorated with the Juniors' colors, blue and white. Great respect was shown the Juniors throughout the day and in the even-ing they were entertained by the Senior class. The goodfellowship reigned in the high school together with the school-spirit manifested on Juniors day, is certainly to be en-couraged.

The result of the third-quarter ex-aminations are as follows:

- xii. Bessie Roberts, first; Edna Howe and Lucile Meredith, second.
- xi. Gerald Harrington, first; Ber-nard McGreevy, second.
- x. Fred Ward, first; Goldie Martin and Fred Finch, second.
- ix. Ruth Meredith, first; Willie McGreevy, second.
- viii. Mary Howe, first; Delta Bow-en second.
- vii. Mable Meredith, first; George Whitney, second.
- vi. Gladys Miles, first; Nellie Hiatt second.
- v. Genevieve Hemingway, first; John Davidson, second.
- iv. Guy Hemingway, first; Mildred Champ, second.
- iii. Charles McNally and Derelle Smith, first; Charles Gatz and Con-stance Bennett, second.
- ii. Arlo Hiatt, first; Mable Roden-wald, second.

MINOR MENTION.

On March 17 the city treasurer paid off the first of the water bonds voted in 1892. There were fifteen bonds issued in the denomination of \$1,000 each, bearing interest at 7 per cent. The interest is running up to nearly the amount of the principal and it seems to be incumbent on the council to re-fund the bonds at a lower rate of in-terest. On the bond paid last month there had been paid \$959.75 interest, and the other fourteen bonds are accu-mulating interest in similar amounts. The matter of refunding has been dis-cussed some by the council and it will probably be taken up definitely at an early date.

The Barnett mentioned as having rented a room for the opening of a photograph gallery in Osmond is not Fred of this city, but a brother of his who has been living at Brunswick. Fred says he likes O'Neill too well to leave it.

Notice.
I have for sale six registered 2-year-old Short Horn bulls, weighing from 900 to 1400. Price from \$60 to \$100. Must be sold.—John Miskimins. 41-1f

AGRICULTURAL CONTEST

Prizes Will Be Offered By Educa-tional Department.

READING CIRCLE COURSE CREDITS

County Superintendent Calls Atten-tion to Some Matters of Interest to Teachers.

The third and last set of questions on the Reading Circle Course will be sent out this month. Those who have done the work through correspondence from this office have a record which will be sent to the State Superintend-ent where at least 20 per cent will be allowed on certificates.

Those doing the work in an organ-ized circle will receive the same credit upon receipt of their record to this office from the secretary of such circle. Those who have done the whole amount of work planned by the state board will be allowed a credit of 30 per cent.

Teachers who subscribed for the Ne-braska Teacher last fall, have probab-ly noticed the similarity of the exami-nations from month to month. A study of these will have placed them in a favorable situation for the coming examination.

Agricultural Contest.

Holt county has been limited to twenty boys and girls as the number who may enter the Agricultural Con-test this year. So far there have been three applications, Fred and Ira Finch of O'Neill and Fred Nelson of Page.

The agriculture division of the State Contest for 1906, includes corn, pota-toes, sugar beets, and wheat. To meet the expense of providing seeds, in-struction books, printing, postage, etc., it is necessary to charge a fee of 22 cents for each contestant.

Corn Contest, 1000 kernals, entrance fee 22 cents.

Potato Contest, 10 pounds, entrance fee 22 cents.

Sugar Beet Contest, package, en-trance fee 22 cents, if entrance is made only in sugar beet contest, but free to contestants who enter either the corn or the potato contest.

Wheat Contest—No more entries will be received in the wheat contest.

Each applicant should enclose the proper amount, state which contest or contests he wishes to enter, give name, town, rural route, or street number, county, school district num-ber, grade in which classified in school and age.

Girls may enter the potato and sugar beet contests. All applications should be addressed to E. C. Bishop, Lincoln, Neb. Seed will be sent in due season for planting. The prize list will be announced later.

Any boy or girl who wishes to enter, any or all of these contests should write at once for seed. Also send me your name and address. Remember a letter to E. C. Bishop is necessary to insure your securing the seed.

Florence Zink, Co. Supt.

Notice For Bids.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the town clerk of Paddock township up to 12 o'clock noon of April 21, 1906, for the grading of road north of Blackbird between sections 14 and 15 and working road so as to be made passable south of Black-bird between sections 14 and 15, bids to be made for a specified amount per cubic yard, the whole expense not to exceed \$50.

Work south of Blackbird to be com-pleted by June 10, 1906. Bids to be filed with Edward Larson, township clerk; address, O'Neill, or call and see him at county treasurer's office.

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A carload of farm machinery arriv-ed and we will make prices. Neil Brennan. 40-2

Announcement

Having bought the John Mann Harness Shop and restocked it with new goods I invite those needing anything in the Harness line to come in and see me. A full stock of the best goods at prices that will please you. A square deal to everybody and nothing but honest goods sold. At the old stand on Douglas street.

E. S. GILMOUR

Highest Cash Price Paid for Hides

M. DOWLING, President JAS. F. O'DONNELL, Cashier

CAPITAL & SURPLUS \$55,000.00

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