

FOR SUNDAY SHOOTING

Page Citizens Again In Court.—Comes up From Justice Court.

CAN COUNTY ATTORNEY DISMISS?

Point Raised of Interest to Magistrates and Ruling Sought From the Courts.

A case has got into district court from Justice Duran Hunt's court at Page, which, if carried through, will determine a matter of much importance to magistrates all over the state.

Technically speaking, it seems that the suit is brought on the grounds of a violation of the statute relative to Sunday disturbance. The defendants named in the action are Ed Gallagher, Albert Brown and J. Darr, the complaining witness being P. Reed. The original complaint charges the defendants with, on the "2d day of September, 1906, in the County of Holt then and there, did then and there, hunt and shoot, contrary to the form of the statute made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the state of Nebraska."

The suit went through the justice process at different dates before coming to the district court. A jury trial was had in justice court but no verdict arrived at and the jury discharged. Attorney M. J. Abbott of Page appeared for the defense and raised objections and asked for dismissal at various stages. Adjudgment was taken from time to time, the defendants entering into recognizance, with James Mullen as surety, in the sum of \$100. The day last set for hearing, it appears from the transcript of proceedings, defendants failed to appear and the justice declared the bond forfeited and assessed the costs to defendants, \$24.50.

The point raised and on which it is proposed to push the case, grows out of the defendants' attorney filing a dismissal with the justice of the action purporting to be from the county attorney. In as much as the county attorney had not appeared in court at any time the justice refused to take cognizance of the dismissal and held to his ruling that the bond was forfeited.

Now it appears that H. M. Uttley, formerly one of the prominent statutory lawyers of the state, but who has not been in practice in recent years, has been retained by the complaining witness to push the case through the courts and get a ruling.

Mr. Uttley says he proposes to see "if the county attorney has the power of the czar of Russia." He takes the position that a county attorney cannot sit in his office and write out a dismissal of a criminal action without having ever appeared in court or officially being connected with the case, as is claimed in this instance.

It is a matter of interest to the magistrates as similar instances have come up before and they would like a ruling defining their powers in administering the laws.

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Notice to Debtors.

All persons indebted to me must call and settle the same by October 15, and save costs. S. S. Woolverton. 15-2

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Her hair not to curl,
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With your calico girl,
You will think you have been to a dance.

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OBITUARY

Remains of Harry Weekes Laid to Rest Last Saturday.

The remains of Harry Weekes were brought home from Omaha last Friday where he died at St. Joseph hospital from lockjaw, caused by an accidental gunshot wound in the hand, which accident occurred at his home two miles south of this city, during the field trials. The wound did not seem to be a serious one and appeared to be doing nicely until a week ago last Tuesday when symptoms of lockjaw developed and Dr. Gilligan was called. He was taken to Omaha Wednesday morning by his brother, S. J. Weekes of this city and on the same evening two operations were performed by Drs. Allison, Crummer and Dwyer. He died last Thursday at 12:30 p. m.

The deceased was born in Blackhawk county, Iowa, September 10, 1873. Died in Omaha September 27, 1906, age 33 years, 17 days. He came to this county with his parents in April, 1879. He was united in marriage with Miss Ida May Mangle at Page, Neb., in May, 1892. From this union seven children were born, six of whom are living. Beside the widow and six children, the other near relatives of the deceased that are living are his mother and father; two sisters, Mrs. Frank Martin of O'Neill and Mrs. Maude Curl of Los Angeles, California; two brothers, James S. Weekes of Lincoln, Neb., and S. J. Weekes, of this city.

Harry Weekes grew up from childhood in this county and had the respect and confidence of all who knew him. He was industerious, a hard worker and generous to a fault. His death was a great shock to his many friends and the citizens of this community in general.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Saturday, Rev. Abbott officiating. The funeral was one of the most largely attended that has been held in this city for some time. The manifestations of sympathy for the bereaved widow and family are evident on every hand by the citizens of this community.

In Divorce Court.

Nettie M. Jones brings suit in district court against her husband, Harvey P. Jones, for divorce on the grounds of desertion. They were married at Wauneta, Neb., in 1893, and have been living apart since 1899. There are two minor children, custody of which the plaintiff wants.

Anna L. Perry sues for divorce from her husband, A. O. Perry, on the ground of cruelty. They were married at Glenwood, Ia., in 1901. The plaintiff asks for reasonable alimony.

Notice, Organization of Teacher's Reading Circle.

The teachers of O'Neill and vicinity are requested to meet with their local manager, Professor Mote, Saturday, October 6th, at two o'clock, in the high school room for the purpose of organizing a reading circle and to adopt plans for promoting the work of such circle to the best advantage.
Florence E. Zink, Co. Supt.

China Wedding.

Last Tuesday, October 2, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Downey celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary. While the invitations were limited to relatives they had a full house and a general good time. The presents were numerous and very nice, the largest package being a barrel full of beautiful china ware.

Get your typewriter paper of The Frontier.

A LAND OFFICE BUSINESS

Last Quarter a Strenuous One on Officials of Local Land Office.

RECEIPTS EXCEED THE MAXIMUM

Quarterly Report to the Department Shows Up Well.—Lands Yet Subject to Entry In District.

During the quarter ending September 3 the United States land office here made an excellent showing. The receipts of the office run a few dollars above the maximum, the total being \$4,453.51. The officials of the office have been very busy, Receiver Parker saying it was one of the hardest summer's work he ever put in.

From a recapitulation of the business for the quarter, these figures are obtained:

	No.	Acres.	Am't.
Commuted homestead.....10	1033 40	\$1231 98	
Commuted Ft. Randall homestead.....7	905 06	741 18	
Excess homestead.....1	9 35	11 69	
Public sales.....4	360 49	450 02	
Original homesteads.....81	29854 37	800 00	
Commission.....		318 00	
Proofs.....95	14687 35	353 91	
Commuted, Ponca Sioux.....1	190	4 00	
Final proof, Ponca Sioux.....9	1346 88	33 25	
Transcript records.....		1 70	
Testimony in contest cases.....		362 40	
Testimony in final proofs.....		118 18	
Cancellation notices.....		15 00	
Township plats.....		12 00	
Total.....		\$4,453 51	

Other figures that give some idea of the extent of the work during the last quarter are sixty-five contest cases started, twenty-seven of which were tried, 103 final proofs set for hearing and ninety-five relinquishments made. In addition to this there were 114 of what are known as "commissioner's letters" received and attended to, each letter meaning about a half an hour's work. Notwithstanding a great volume of business, the officials have the affairs of the office well up-to-date, and this without the aid of the usual assistant.

There are now 60,920 acres of public lands in the O'Neill district subject to homestead entry, by counties as follows:

Loup.....	26,920
Gardfield.....	7,000
Wheeler.....	4,280
Rock.....	6,400
Holt.....	16,320
Total.....	60,920

Rummage Sale.

There will be a Rummage sale held in the Reka building, 2 doors south of the postoffice, on Friday and Saturday the 12 and 13 of October. Although rummage sales have been quite popular in other parts of the world, there has not yet been one in O'Neill. And as the ladies' of the Presbyterian church are rummaging their brains for something new and novel, we would like all who are interested to rummage their attics and closets to donate something to make this sale a success. Anything that you have no further use for but may be of use to some one else will be gladly received. A committee of ladies will visit you during the week and if you will signify your willingness to donate, a wagon will call for the goods on Wednesday, the 10th.

This rummage sale will be a splendid thing for everybody, not only will it offer opportunity for splendid bargains but it will give housewives a chance to clean out of closets and attics a whole lot of things which have accumulated from year to year. Things too good to be thrown away but which will never be used again by the present owner.

Gather these together ready to give to the committee and you will relieve your storeroom and greatly oblige them.

Phoenix Pick-Ups

Wilber Kirkland was out from town Sunday.

Sam Abdnor was a caller at Henry Wabb's Sunday.

Mabel Keller and Ella are attending school in Atkinson.

Isabella McKathnie left last week for Montana to visit relatives.

L. G. Coburn and family called at Mr. Finks Saturday afternoon.

Bertha Coleman is staying at Ray Coburn's and attending school.

C. E. Howe came out from O'Neill Friday, and remained until Sunday.

The threshers expect to finish up threshing for this neighborhood this week.

Mary and Emma Bartels returned to Spencer Sunday after an extended visit here.

Otto Nelson and family and C. E. Howe visited at Ben Kinney's Saturday evening.

Dr. Lewis was down from the Rosebud last week and purchased some hogs from Ray Coburn.

B. F. and Dr. Stockwell came over from Butte Thursday, visiting here and at Atkinson until Sunday.

Otto Nilson and wife were afternoon visitors at John Hunt's, and Hugh O'Neill's at Annearr Sunday last.

Elva, Chloe and Claude Berry of Paddock, visited at L. G. Coburn's from Saturday until Sunday afternoon.

Otto Nilson accompanied by Hans Storzjohann attended the populist supervisors convention at Celia last Saturday.

ATKINSON

Miss Winona Younkia of O'Neill, was the guest of Sylvia Robertson over Sunday.

J. P. McNichols left Sunday morning for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he will take treatment for rheumatism with which he is afflicted.

Howard Miller, who came up from Battle Creek two weeks ago for an outing and was taken ill at the Brady ranch, was able to come to town Sunday and returned home on the early passenger Monday morning.

S. Scripture, one of the old settlers of Atkinson, will leave today for McLean, Neb., with his family, where he has purchased a stock of general merchandise and millinery. The Graphic wishes them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Miller were given a surprise party Wednesday evening by the members of the Royal Neighbor lodge, the occasion being their 22nd wedding anniversary. A general merry making was held after which a dainty lunch was served. All went home feeling that it was good to be a member of this order.—The Graphic.

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N. B. Coover is in Illinois in the interest of the Coover Land Co.

Mr. O. L. West has sold his farm south of town and bought a farm northwest of O'Neill.

Mrs. Ida Townsend drove to O'Neill Sunday evening to take her daughter, Berence back to the convent.

We received a basket of free-stone peaches from Mrs. E. H. Taylor which was raised on their farm and they were as a fine peaches as we ever saw.

Married, on Wednesday, Sept. 10, at Red Cloud, Neb., Mr. Burton E. Tensler of Page and Miss Nora M. Beedle of Lebanon, Kan. The happy couple will spend a short time with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Beedle; they will then visit the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tensler, at Glenwood, Ia., then start for Page, where they expect to make their future home. The bride is the daughter of a prosperous farmer and has a host of friends who will greatly miss her. The groom is well known in Page and liked by all.—The Reporter.

EWING

Prof. L. P. Sornson went to Eustis, Neb., on Tuesday, where he will start a bank.

L. E. Skidmore and Wm. Butler accompanied several carloads of cattle to Omaha the first of the week.

Mrs. Jay Gilmour and Mrs. Wm. Lathrop are visiting near Eling this week, with the former's uncle, Mr. Herb Campbell.

Mrs. E. Roy Townsend of O'Neill, was initiated in the mysteries of the O. E. S. at Ewing Wednesday evening, and refreshments followed as usual.

John Carr brought one of his horses down to Ewing Wednesday, and run a short race with J. A. Furley's sorrel, resulting in Carr's horse winning the race by a neck.—The Advocate.

STUART

Frank Fuller of Columbus Junction, Iowa, son of J. V. A. Fuller, is here on a visit with his parent.

Mrs. R. E. Chittick visited at O'Neill with her husband a couple of days this week. They came up this evening.

John Bloom, A. Chenoworth, John Robinson, John Laird, Frank Stapleton and Nels Tuton shipped a train load of cattle between them Sunday to Omaha.

Mrs. M. J. N. Haskins accompanied by her little son LeRoy, departed Wednesday morning for Ponca. She will live with her daughter, Mrs. L. N. Porter, at Wayne.—The Advocate.

Ray Items.

Jack Frost visited us the first of the week.

Mrs. Muat goes this week to Dakota to visit her daughter.

Mrs. Coombs and son of Spencer, are visiting friends here this week.

Henry and Rollie Twyford are threshing their grain this week.

Corn will be good in this section, the ears are large and well matured.

Joe Bigler is back on the farm again, after driving the stage for a week.

Our postmaster, Charles Vequist, has resigned, C. Johnson takes the office as post master.

Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Coombs and Cyril visited Monday at R. Twyford's and H. Twyford's folks.

Mrs. Thavenet returned home from Newmans Grove Monday, where she has been staying with her daughter.

Emery Thavenet was in O'Neill Monday, to do some trading, and meet his wife, she has been taking medical treatment.

Strayed.

One sorrel white face colt 1 year past, branded on left hip, 1 bright bay mare, wire cut on left shoulder and 1 large mouse colored mule.—Florence Fryer, Neligh, Neb. 16-1pd

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