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LOCAL MATTERS.

Have The Frontier print it for you. Have your house papered by M. F. Cronin.

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Dill pickles, fifteen cents a dozen at C. C. Reka.

Who wants some red top seed, cheap?—Con Keys. 43-1

Dill pickles, fifteen cents a dozen at C. C. Reka. 43-2

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W. T. Hayes was down from Atkinson last Monday.

Mrs. Fred Kemper of Creston, is in the city visiting her parents.

For Sale—Three hundred bushel of choice millet seed.—J. D. Kelley. 43-5

Dr. Corbett, Dentist, in O'Neill 2nd, 3rd and 4th Mondays, 4 days each week.

Wanted—At once, competent girl for house work; good wages.—Mrs. H. P. Dowling. 39-tf

If you are figuring on having your house papered, see M. F. Cronin and he will figure with you.

David B. Grosvenor returned last evening from a couple of weeks visit with relatives in Chicago.

For sale—200 bushels of millet seed, 40 bushels of flax seed. Four miles northwest of O'Neill.—W. J. Gray.

Twenty-five head of horses wanted to pasture. Address John Grutch, O'Neill, Neb., R. F. D. No. 1. 41-tf

John Bennett was down from Chadron last Saturday visiting his old O'Neill patrons and taking orders for clothes.

Last Tuesday Judge Malone issued a marriage license to Ralph B. Price, of Thayer, Neb., and Miss Katie Gallagher, of Page.

Mrs. Harrington departed the first of the week for Seattle, Wash., on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Morrow, and family.

Orville Harrison of Blackbird, was a caller at these headquarters last Monday, renewing his subscription to this household necessity.

Lost—Set of garnet rosary beads, strung on gold chain with gold cross attached bearing initials "A. C." Reward. Call at Frontier office.

N. V. Cole and wife of Michigan City, Ind., arrived in O'Neill Tuesday night for a visit at the home of Mr. Cole's brother, F. B. Cole, of this city.

There will be a dance at the opera-house next Wednesday night, April 24. Music by the harp orchestra of Sioux City, Iowa. Everybody invited.

Jack Harrington says that Hans Kautzman, formerly editor of the Beacon Light, of this city, is now working on a newspaper in Caldwell, Idaho.

For Sale—If taken within thirty days, I will sell my residence property in O'Neill at a much less figure than it is actually worth. Call on S. J. Weekes. 42-tf

We notice by the Neligh Register, of last week, that on April 8, a marriage license was issued to Joseph P. Shaner of Page, and Mrs. Ida May Weekes, of O'Neill.

I am selling flour cheap because flour is plenty and feed is scarce and I cannot buy feed separate. Every sack of flour warranted as good as is made in Nebraska.—Con Keys. 43-1

George Graham left Monday morning for Omaha where he will visit friends for a couple of weeks before proceeding to Los Angeles, California, where he expects to remain for about a year.

Sioux City Journal, April 16, D. Stannard, of O'Neill, Neb., arrival in the city yesterday with his 5-year-old pacer, Speed On, by Shade on, 2-08 $\frac{1}{2}$. Speed On has been given to "Tuck" Conly to train.

It is rumored in O'Neill that Clare Kimball, one of the important witnesses in the Atkinson hog stealing case, has shaken the dust of Holt county from his shoes and departed for points unknown.

John O'Donnell left for Seattle, Washington, last Monday morning where he expects to make his future home. John has many friends in O'Neill, who wish him prosperity in his new home.

Plainview News: Weaver Larson shipped his household goods, etc., to O'Neill, Monday afternoon. Some time ago Mr. Larson purchased a farm near that place and his family will join him in their new home next week. Their many friends here wish them success.

The ball given in the new hall at Emmet Friday night was a success socially and financially. Among the spectators were Mayor Mike Lyons and wife, and their friend, Mrs. Peck, who leads some important organizations in Atkinson.

John Ryan left for Anaconda, Mont., last Monday morning where he will visit relatives for a time and possibly remain, providing he finds a suitable location. Should he decide to locate in the west, his O'Neill friends will wish him success in his new home.

Guy Green and his brother, George, were up from their Wheeler county ranch Monday, returning the same evening. Romaine Saunders accompanied them home and will spend a week there attempting to land some of the finny tribe from the numerous lakes in that vicinity.

Well, well and still they are coming. The editor has received a package of flower seeds from Spineless Moses. If the seeds are no more prolific than the friendship or gratitude of the before mentioned Moses we are afraid we will not have many flowers in our garden this summer.

Residence for sale: Good repair, 7 rooms and closets, nice bath room, cement walks, large cistern, furnace, fine double cellar, maple floors. One block from schools and court house, nice shade and grass. Bargain for cash. Address Box "C" O'Neill, Neb. 43-4

H. S. Daniels city attorney of Omaha was in O'Neill on business last week. Mr. Daniels has gained many favorable notices from the press of Omaha during the past ten days on account of his determination to put the lid on some of the unbridled vice at present rampant in that metropolis.

Lynch Journal: W. H. Love has sold the hotel in Lynch to Mr. Peeler of O'Neill, who will take possession the first of next week. Mr. Love has already taken possession of a hotel at Auburn where he thinks he has a better opening. We do not know Mr. Peeler but are told he is a fine fellow and we welcome him to Lynch.

An exchange says: "A Kansas banker wanted a railroad ticket and had only a \$2 bill. It required \$3 to get the ticket. He took the \$2 bill to a pawnshop and pawned it for \$1.50. On his way back to the station he met a friend, to whom he sold the pawn ticket for \$1.50. That gave him \$3. Now, who's out that dollar?"

An item overlooked in these columns last week was the canvass of the vote by the city council and determining the aldermanship of the Third ward. The election resulted in a tie vote in that ward between J. A. Cowperthwaite and James Davidson. The two candidates cast lots, the lot falling to Mr. Cowperthwaite, who will continue to serve on the board. The official count made no changes in the result of election.

The Methodist pulpit last Sunday morning was well filled by Mrs. Anna R. Simmons of Chicago, who is speaking under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. Simmons is a vigorous and able speaker. She not only holds the attention of her audience but reaches their conviction. She spoke

again at the union meeting in the Congregational Church Sunday evening.—Fayette (Iowa) Reporter.

Mrs. Anna R. Simmons, of Chicago, national lecturer and organizer of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be in O'Neill on April 22 and 23. On Monday evening the 22nd a reception will be tendered her. A program with music, short addresses and light refreshments will be the order of the evening. On Tuesday evening she will give a lecture. These entertainments will be given in the Odd Fellows hall, to which the public is cordially invited. Admission free.

Marian McGrew, of Conley township, was arrested last Thursday upon a charge of insanity filed by W. B. Cooper. He was given a hearing before the insane commission last Friday, found insane and is at present confined in the county jail. McGrew was an inmate of the Illinois State asylum for several years and escaped therefrom about three years ago. County Attorney Whelan is in correspondence with the Illinois authorities in an endeavor to have McGrew taken back by them, thus relieving this county of the expense of his incarceration in the asylums of this state.

W. F. Grothe of Emmet was a pleasant caller at these headquarters last Tuesday renewing his subscription to this household necessity for the ensuing year. Mr. Grothe has been a reader of The Frontier for over ten years and always makes his appearance at these headquarters the forepart of April each year to pay his subscription for the ensuing year. Bill says he can get more genuine enjoyment reading the paper when he knows that it is paid for. These are the kind of readers a newspaper likes to have and we hope several hundred of our readers will emulate Mr. Grothe's example.

Omaha Bee, April 17: Superintendent Lulu Kortz of Cherry county and Superintendent Florence Zink of Holt county called at the office of State Superintendent McBrien this afternoon and convinced him they were qualified under the new law for a junior normal school at Valentine and at O'Neill. Both will get the normals. The teachers were highly gratified with the enactment of the bill providing for assistance to poor school districts and each said it would result in great good for all the western counties. In Holt county about 100 districts will be helped to a seven months' term and in Cherry county about one-third of the districts will be aided.

The following, going the rounds of the press, may not be an account of a real incident, but so far no one has questioned its accuracy: "Not long ago a farmer in Nebraska went to a buggy dealer to buy a buggy. He found one that suited him and the price was \$62. The farmer happened to remember that about a dozen years ago he had bought a buggy just like it from the same dealer for \$55, and he mentioned the fact. The dealer went to his books and found this to be true. 'But,' said the dealer, 'my books show that you did not pay cash for it, because you did not have the money. You hauled in 500 bushels of corn and gave it to me for the \$55 buggy. Now, I'll tell you what I'll do. If you are willing to bring me 500 bushels of corn I will give you the \$62 buggy, a self-binder worth \$125, a sulky plow worth \$35, and a walking plow worth \$12. In addition to this I will hand you \$16 in money."

Public Sale. I will sell at public auction at my place, seven miles north and one mile east of O'Neill, on Thursday, April 25, 1907, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

14 No. 1 Milch cows, 2 2-year old heifers, 4 yearling steers, 4 yearling heifers, 10 spring calves, 1 Short Horn bull.

1 black mare 9 years old, weight 1250, 1 bay mare 10 years old, weight 1100, 1 span of three year old colts.

2 broad sows, 20 shoats, weighing from 100 to 225 pounds each.

3 lumber wagons, 2 hay racks, 1 top buggy, 1 set blacksmith tools, 1 McCormick binder, 2 mowers, 1 hay rake, 1 hay sweep, 1 sulky plow, 1 walking plow, 1 breaking plow, 2 cultivators, 1 corn planter, 1 endgate seeder, 1 fanning mill.

1 cream separator, 1 barrel churn, 600 bushels of corn, 450 bushels of oats, 50 bushels of spelt, 1 bed room set and numerous other household articles.

Free lunch at noon. Terms: Sums of \$10 and under cash, over \$10, one year's time will be given on notes with approved security and 10 per cent interest.

Mrs. W. F. Smith, Barney Stewart, Auctioneer, Jas. F. O'Donnell, Clerk.

A hundred envelopes with your name and address printed on them for 50c at The Frontier.

E. S. GILMOUR DEAD

Dropped Dead at the Northwestern Depot this Morning.

HEART DISEASE THE CAUSE

Had Purchased a Ticket and Was Chatting With a Friend When He Fell, Dying in a Few Moments.

E. S. Gilmour, for four years county clerk of this county, and for the past year engaged in the harness business in this city, dropped dead of heart disease at the Northwestern depot at 3:05 this morning.

Mr. Gilmour intended taking the early train for Stanton, Neb., and so as to be sure and not miss the train he left home about 10:30 last night and went to the Evans hotel where he intended to get a couple of hours rest upon the lounge in the office and have Nightwatchman Kane call him in time for the train. Mr. Evans says he bid him good night about 12:45, when he retired. Mr. Kane called him about 2:40, and shortly thereafter he started for the depot reaching there a couple of minutes after 3 o'clock and purchased his ticket. The operator told him that if the train had been on time he would have missed it, to which Mr. Gilmour replied that he guessed that was about right. O. O. Snyder was at the depot, sitting inside the office near the stove, and he called to Mr. Gilmour to come inside near the fire. Mr. Gilmour stepped into the office and had stood there probably a second when he staggered, grabbed hold of the counter in an attempt to save himself, and sank to the floor. Mr. Snyder, the operator and Mr. Kane got some water and attempted to revive him but he was past all aid, as Coroner Flynn said that he probably did not live two minutes after he sank to the floor.

Mr. Gilmour's family was notified and his son, W. A., accompanied by Dr. Flynn, reached the depot about 3:30. A coroner's jury was empaneled at 5 o'clock and an inquest held. The verdict of the jury was that deceased came to his death from heart failure.

The following citizens comprised the jury: P. J. Biglin, H. Zimmerman, G. M. Berry, S. F. McNichols, J. H. Wise and Joe Horriksky.

Mr. Gilmour was born at Cherry Hill, Maryland, April 4, 1850, being therefor 57 years old at the time of his death. In October 1888, he came to Nebraska from Newark, Delaware, locating in Omaha, where he remained until July 3, 1889, when he moved to Ewing, which was his home and where he was engaged in the harness business until January, 1902, when he came to O'Neill to take up his duties as county clerk to which he was elected the fall before.

Deceased was very popular where he was well known and even prior to his election as county clerk was a prominent factor in the councils of the republican party. In the fall of 1900 he was nominated for representative and in the election was defeated by but two votes. His friends and the popularity acquired during that canvass secured for him in the summer of 1901 the unanimous nomination for county clerk to which office he was elected by nearly 200 majority. He served two terms as clerk, making one of the best officials that ever held that position in the county, retiring from office in January 1906, since which time he has been engaged in the harness business here. He was a man who had always enjoyed good health, until a few years ago when he suffered from a severe attack of rheumatism, since then his heart has bothered him whenever he over-exerted himself, and it is believed that in his haste to reach the depot this morning he over-exerted himself which brought on the attack that resulted in his death.

On February 4, 1875, he was united in marriage to Miss Virginia M. Graves, at Newark, Delaware, who with five sons, a sister, Miss Lou Gilmour, who has made her home with him for several years, and a brother who resides in Maryland, are left to mourn his demise. The children are: H. F. and E. P. Gilmour, of Lincoln; Will A. of O'Neill, and J. G. and L. S. of Ewing.

He was a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges of this city and the Modern Woodmen and Ancient Order of United Workmen lodges of Ewing. In the latter orders he carried \$5,000 life insurance.

Place of interment or time of the funeral has not yet been decided upon as they are awaiting the arrival of the two boys from Lincoln who will reach here this evening. The Frontier joins the numerous friends of the deceased and his family in extending to them its sympathy in their sorrow.

Educational Notes.

Any pupil finishing the Eighth grade in the country school and receiving a diploma from the county superintendent will be allowed free high school privileges in any high school in the state as provided by house bill No. 194 which has recently become a law.

There are several provisions accompanying this law which should be understood by both patrons and school boards.

The parents or guardian of any pupil desiring to take advantage of the law must make application in writing to the county superintendent on or before the second Monday in June of each year giving the number of his school district, number of pupils he wishes to send, and naming the high school grade which each pupil is to enter.

It is the duty of the county superintendent to make and deliver to the director of the board of such school district on or before the annual meeting of each year an itemized estimate of the amount necessary to pay the tuition of all pupils in that district entitled to and for whom proper application has been made for free high school privileges. The director shall then present this estimate at the annual school district meeting. The legal voters at the annual school district meeting shall determine the amount of money required for free high school education during the coming year which amount shall be in accordance with the estimate furnished by the director, and the amount of money so required shall be levied as a tax upon all taxable property of the school district.

Immediately after the annual school district meeting and not later than the first Monday in July, the district board shall make and deliver to the county superintendent and the county clerk, reports in writing of all taxes including the tax necessary for free high school education. The fund raised shall be known as the "free high school fund" and shall be paid out by the county treasurer to the treasurer of the public school district earning such tuition, at the end of each school term, upon an order signed by the moderator of the district liable for such fund.

Money remaining in this fund at the end of the school year, shall be transferred by the county treasurer, to the general fund of school district.

Note.—Parents should remember no pupil is eligible to make application for high school privileges who does not have an eighth grade diploma.

Examinations for the diplomas will be given by the county superintendent at convenient places throughout the county during the month of May.

Florence E. Zink, Co. Supt.

The Markets

South Omaha, April, 17.—Special market letter from Nye & Buchanan.

Heavy receipts in Chicago again Monday followed by a liberal run here. Tuesday had the usual effect of a decline on most kinds of killers, although it is only slight and the market is active and has a strong undertone. The shortage of cattle at St. Louis and other southern markets is increasing and we look for an increasing demand. Fleshy feeders are steady but stock cattle are dull and lower.

We quote—
Choice steers.....\$5 35@5 65
Fair to good.....5 00@5 30
Common down to.....4 25
Cows and heifers.....3 80@4 50
Fair to good.....3 25@3 75
Canners & cutters.....2 00@3 20
Veal calves.....4 50@6 50
Bulls.....2 75@4 25
Good to choice feeders.....4 00@5 10
Fair to good grades.....3 75@4 25
Stock steers.....3 75@5 00
Stock heifers.....2 25@3 50

Hogs are holding within a narrow range. Light weights are commanding a premium over heavy and this margin will probably widen. Bulk \$6.40 to \$6.47 $\frac{1}{2}$. Lambs have reached \$8.50. Clipped ewes \$5.40. Woolled ewes \$6.25. Clipped weathers running largely to yearlings \$6.50. Market strong.

OPENING OF NEW LINE AND NEW TOWNS.

Pierce, Rapid City & North-Western Ry. Completed to Wasta. Opportunity for Business and Investment.

The construction of the Pierre, Rapid City & North-Western Ry., which is now being rapidly pushed from Rapid City to Pierre, will cut an important figure in the business interest of the Black Hills and of the entire State of South Dakota. It is attracting a large amount of attention among all classes of people, traversing as it does a section of country that has hitherto been neglected by the railroads, and that is comparatively unknown. It will surprise many to know that the country through which this new line passes is really a rich agricultural country, and the knowledge of this fact is already gathering along the line



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of this railroad a large population of farmers. The line is now completed and in operation to Wasta, Pennington Co., S. D., and, as is the usual practice in such cases, the railway has established stations at different points along its completed line.

The title to the town lots has been taken in the name of the Western town lot company, which company will offer for sale within the next few days lots in each of the towns of Box Elder, Underwood and Wasta. Each of these towns are located in a good agricultural district, and it is expected that each will be the center of distribution and supply for a large section of valuable farming and grazing country. These lots will be put on the market by the Town Site company at the usual low prices to start with, and lots in any of the three towns will undoubtedly prove good investments, but particularly valuable for locations in almost any line of profession, trade or business.

Prices of business or residence lots on application to local station agent or to P. Whitney, General Town Site Agent Omaha, or to J. F. Cleveland, Commissioner, C. & N. W. Ry. Land Chicago. 43-1

Pasture Notice.

I will take a limited number of horses to pasture for the season, both wild and tame grass with running water and plenty of shade. Inquire of J. Q. Howard for terms. 41-3pd.

For Sale.

Single Combed Buff Orpington well marked and beautiful golden buff. Excellent layers. Hens weighing from 5 to 6 pounds each. Egg's \$1 for 15.—R. A. Gannon, Inman, Neb 42-4pd

Notice.

Having disposed of my business I want every one owing me to call and settle before May 1. All accounts not settled by that time will be placed in the hands of an attorney with instructions to collect.—Frank Leahy. 43-2

Astrologist.

Madame Brown of Kansas City will give life reading for a few days at Evans Hotel. It is said that her wonderful knowledge of lucky years and days have made may speculators wealthy. Street lecture Saturday at 2 p. m.

Elgin Review: O. W. Baker, of O'Neill, arrived in town on Friday for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. E. DeWitt, and with other relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Baker has disposed of his interests in O'Neill, and is about to move onto a ranch in that vicinity.

SOME BARGAINS

Real Estate

1. Residence property across street from Presbyterian church. A 6-room cottage, with baro, buggy shed and coal sheds; three large lots, rich soil; young trees, and fenced; two wells. Desirable neighborhood. Price \$1400.
 2. A partly improved quarter section 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles from O'Neill; 50 acres in cultivation; fine young grove. Land rented for 1907. Price \$22.50 an acre; one-half cash.
 3. The Bowen residence property in southeast part of town; two nice lots and cottage. \$500 cash required, or will trade for land.
 4. A good quarter section 2 miles north of Inman. \$1600, one-half cash.
 5. NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of 24-25-13, \$450—snap!
- Have other good propositions also.
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JAS. F. O'DONNELL, Cashier

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