

## A WEEK'S LOCAL DOINGS

### Nebraskans In Evidence at the Big Chicago Convention.

### ARE ALREADY FOR THE FOURTH

Program of Sports Prepared for the National Holiday, One Week From Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Snyder and son returned Sunday evening from Chicago, where they had been attending the republican national convention. Mr. Snyder says it was the greatest gathering he ever seen and the demand for tickets of admission was five times greater than the supply. The Nebraska delegation managed to take care of all from this state, by the use of a little diplomacy. They had three Nebraska citizens appointed sergeant at arms and they had charge of three of the entrances. When the supply of tickets were exhausted they sent the Nebraskans to the doors presided over by representatives of the Golden rod state and they were soon upon the inside. Dr. Wilson, of this city, was one of the official sergeant at arms from this state.

A complaint in Justice Golden's court against A. J. Hull of Conley township was dismissed by the defendant paying \$300 to the complaining witness, Melvin Woodard of Wausa, Nebr., and all costs. The complaint charged that the defendant had obtained that sum of money from Woodard by false pretense. He sold the relinquishment to 480 acres of land in Conley township last December. Woodard did not see what he was getting at the time. Coming over here to file on the same a short time ago he discovered the claim bought was nothing but sandhills, whereas he claimed Hull sold him the relinquishment to good land. Hull paid him back the \$300 and all the costs in the case.

E. C. Bishop of Lincoln, deputy state superintendent of public instruction, was in O'Neill Tuesday visiting the Junior Normal. Mr. Bishop says the O'Neill Normal is the best in the state, in point of attendance and he seemed to be of the opinion that its location here would be permanent. Mr. Bishop is a candidate for nomination for state superintendent, subject to the action of the republican electors at the September primaries.

### Program for the Fourth.

The fourth will not go by default in O'Neill. What the moving spirits behind it term a "home celebration" will be held at the fair grounds. It is not to be understood by the term "home celebration" that nobody but O'Neill people are wanted, because the celebration is open and free to everybody and all are invited to come. The term is rather to distinguish it from more pretentious claims and the understanding that nothing will be omitted that is advertised.

The celebration will consist largely of a ball game and races which will be given at the fair grounds. The following program, subject to additions, has been outlined:

- One half mile trot, best three in five, purse \$50, divided \$35 and \$15.
  - Driving horse race, owners up; two in three. Purse \$35; dividad \$20 and \$15.
  - One half mile running race, best two in three, purse \$30, divided \$20 and \$10.
  - Three hundred yard dash; purse \$10.
  - Tug of war contest, eight on a side, purse \$20.
  - Ball game, O'Neill vs. Peelers, purse \$35.
  - Boys' dog race, three, two and one, all comers in harness, purse \$6.
  - Mens' foot race, 100 yards, purse \$5.
  - Boys' foot race, 15 years and under, two and one; purse \$5.
  - Fat mens' race, 200 pounds and over, 50 yards; purse \$3.
- Many other attractions during the afternoon, and a big dance in the evening.

**July 4th DANCE**  
Afternoon & Evening at the  
**Welcome Rink**  
Will have a stand at the rink  
**W. W. WYANT**

# HUISKAMP SHOES

## Shoes that Wear



## Shoes at... Right prices

### TO FIT ALL FEET & EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED

## DRESS GOODS

Are you going to have a new dress for the Fourth? If so, see what I have to show you in the dress goods line, and I assure you your dress will be a pretty one.

### See my line of Ladies' Oxfords & Shoes

O'NEILL, NEB.

J. P. GALLAGHER

### LOCAL MATTERS

Base ball Sunday afternoon. Dr. Berry went to Valentine Tuesday evening.

Ed F. and Mrs. Gallagher departed Sunday for Darlington, Wis.

For Rent or Sale—New house, neatly finished. See R. H. Parker.

John Carson and Fred Wolf were in from the Dorsey country Tuesday.

Dr. Corbett, Dentist, in O'Neill August 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27.

Jerry Kelly was a passenger for Omaha Sunday to be gone a few days.

The American Bloomers vs. Emmet at the ball park next Sunday afternoon.

On the Ainsworth diamond last Saturday Ainsworth defeated Stuart, 12 to 5.

I have lots of good flour, warranted to make good bread. \$2.25 a hundred.—Con Keys.

The Bloomer Girls and Emmet at the ball grounds next Sunday afternoon, June 28.

I have a lot of grain, flax meal and flour now for sale. Worth the money.—Con Keys.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hancock moved into their new residence on east Douglas street, last Tuesday.

Mose Elliott was in from the north country Tuesday. Everything looks fine in his section, he says.

J. M. Flannigan, the corpulent and good natured banker of Stuart, was an O'Neill visitor last Friday.

On Tuesday Judge Malone issued license to wed to John Pruss and Miss Mary Forman, both of Emmet.

The Valentine ball team has at last won a ball game. They defeated Bassett last Saturday by a score of 5 to 3.

Prof. N. C. Abbott will give his illustrated lecture upon the Philippines at the opera house tomorrow (Friday) evening.

Peter Johnson of Chicago visited a few days last week and this at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Benson, a mile east of town.

See Miss Waddell, the left handed pitching "phenom," with American Bloomers at the ball park next Sunday afternoon.

Those interested in school matters should not forget the annual school meeting, which will be held next Monday afternoon.

The Burlington passenger changes time again next Monday morning and will leave here at 7 o'clock, instead of 8 o'clock, as at present.

John Dwyer returned from Omaha Sunday evening where he had been attending the commencement exercises of Creighton University, from which his son, John, and Robert Magirl graduated last week.

Earl B. Gaddis of Harvard, Nebr., and Miss Mabel A. Wilson of Emmet were granted a marriage license by June Malone, last Tuesday.

Gerald and George Harrington and Hugh Birmingham returned from Omaha last Saturday where they have been attending school the past year.

Miss Anna McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCarthy of Dry Creek, returned last week from Bloomfield, where she taught school the past year.

The high school team and a team of "pick ups" played an interesting ball game last Sunday afternoon. The score stood 5 to 4 in favor of the school boys.

R. M. Chapman and son, Ralph, of Minneapolis, arrived in the city last Sunday evening for a short visit with Mr. Chapman's brother, L. C. Chapman, and family.

E. B. Metcalf of Hornick, Iowa, a cousin of M. D. Price, stopped in O'Neill for a day the first of the week on his way home from a trip to the western part of the state.

Mrs. Thomas Kane of Chadron visited at the home of her husband's parents here a few days last week. She returned home Sunday, accompanied by Miss Mildred Kane.

Wanted—A good hustler in every town to sell our perfect water filters, retailing from \$1.50 to \$8; 100 per cent profit to agents; exclusive territory.—Seneca Filter Co., Seneca, Mo. 1-4

Rev. W. V. Dailey of Niagara University, Niagara Falls, N. Y., arrived in the city the first of the week and will spend the summer here visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Dailey, and other relatives.

There will be a dance at the Welcome Skating rink on the afternoon and evening of July 4th. Will also run a stand at the rink, afternoon and evening.—W. W. Wyant. 1-2

Prof. Wm. LaViolette arrived home Thursday last to spend the summer. Will, as he is familiarly known here, is teaching music at St. Thomas college in St. Paul which position he has occupied since graduating there nearly two years ago.

The lovers of good base ball do not want to miss the game next Sunday afternoon on the local diamond. It promises to be a close and exciting game. Hugh Coyne will probably twirl for Emmet, and Miss Waddell, the celebrated lady south paw, will officiate for the Bloomers.

Nina Oliver has filed a petition in district court praying for a divorce from Charles Oliver, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment and non support. She also asks for the custody of three minor children and reasonable alimony. They were married at Wheeler, S. D., on November 25, 1897, but for the past four years have been residents of Stuart, this county.

Selling a rotten or a partially rotten egg, or an incubator egg, means a \$10 to \$100 fine if the law is enforced, says an exchange. It also means staying in jail until the money is raised to pay the fine. Such is the interpretation placed on the Nebraska pure food law by J. H. Rushton and James A. Clark of Omaha, and Morris friend of Lincoln, a committee appointed by the Nebraska Butter and Egg Association to assist Food Commissioner Johnson in enforcing the law.

### Minor Mention.

Surely young men and women can not now say they have no chance, as the Grand Island Business and Normal College of Grand Island, Nebr., has just announced that 250 young men and 250 young women of good character from the farms and villages will be admitted at the college and allowed to graduate without the payment of one cent. They will then be placed in positions in banks and business houses and allowed to pay the college monthly out of their wages. This school is a leader among business colleges and any one interested should write for the catalogue.

Ray Parnell, against whom a case stood in this county alleging complicity in the Ferguson ranch raid near Atkinson, was shot and killed near Lusk, Wyo., last Wednesday. The exact particulars of the affair are hard to get, but it looks like it was a case of cold blooded murder. Ray started for a ranch near Lusk with two companions horseback. The next seen of him he was found dead by the roadside, a bullet hole in his head. The remains were brought to Atkinson for burial. The same day he was killed, William Wellar charged with complicity in the Atkinson affair, entered a plea of guilty and was given a term of one year in the penitentiary.

Earl Edwin Bowen, the youngest son of Judge William Bowen, formerly county judge of this county, received his Masters' Degree from the University of Nebraska on June 11th. In connection with his university work, during the past two years, Mr. Bowen has held the pastorate of the Methodist church at Normal, Nebr., which is the best student charge in the Nebraska conference. Mr. Bryan and family attend this church, which is located near their home at Fairview. Mr. Bowen and wife have been granted a month's vacation during July and they will attend the democratic national convention at Denver, and will visit other points of interest in Colorado.

John Plenny Conrad, who died at Inman last Saturday, was born January 22, 1882, in Fillmore county, Minn., and came to Holt county with his parents in 1893, where he had since made his home in and near Inman. He was married to Miss Georgina Cole of O'Neill on July 26, 1906. The deceased was 25 years of age. He leaves his wife and one child, John David, his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad, and two brothers, Wesley and Ray, and one sister, Mrs. James Thompson, besides a multitude of friends, to mourn his demise. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America, which order had charge of the funeral, which was held at Inman last Sunday.

## JUNE WEDDINGS POPULAR

### Two O'Neill Couples Wed During the Past Week.

### RANKS OF BACHELORS THINNING

### Cupid Still Busy Casting Darts and Finds Young Hearts Not Unwilling to Respond.

Wednesday morning at St. Patrick's church was solemnized the marriage of Mr. John J. Melvin of Page and Miss Mayme McCafferty of this city. Rev. Father Moore officiated at the nuptial mass.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. Joe Mann and Miss Bea Helen McCafferty, groomsmen and bridesmaid. The bride and bridesmaid were attired in beautiful white gowns, the groom and groomsmen in the usual black. A large number of friends attended the ceremony, and the young people were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents, to the value of nearly \$1,000, \$300 being in cash.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served. At 10 o'clock they took the Northwestern train for a brief honeymoon with relatives and friends at Omaha, Council Bluffs and other points, after which they will be at home at Page.

Nothing that The Frontier can say will add to the popularity and esteem of this worthy young couple. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCafferty. Her father is one of the best known citizens of the county and the family are among the oldest citizens of the community, the bride being a native of O'Neill. She is a charming young lady who has the love, esteem and best wishes of everybody at O'Neill.

Mr. Melvin is a young and thrifty merchant at Page, has clean habits and is one of the most estimable and respected young men in eastern Holt county. He formerly lived in O'Neill, where he was connected with the store of J. P. Mann & Co., later going to Page and opening a store, associated with Mr. Mann.

Good luck and much happiness is the wish of all their friends here.

### Sanders-Polk.

One of the pleasantest events of the season was the wedding which took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Polk on Wednesday evening of last week, when their youngest daughter, Miss Eunice, was united in marriage to Alfred S. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sanders, of this city.

At 9:15 the bridal party entered the parlor, which was nicely decorated with plants and flowers, to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. Floyd J. Kelly. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. S. Watson, pastor of the Methodist church, in the presence of twenty-nine relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

The bride, beautifully gowned in white silk and wearing a bridal wreath upon her head, was attended by Miss Pearl Roberts, who was also dressed in white silk. The groom, attired in the customary black, was accompanied by Robert Brittle, the best man.

After the ceremony and congratulations, a bountiful supper was served and everybody present greatly enjoyed the occasion.

Many beautiful and useful presents were received by the happy pair, consisting largely of silver, china and linen. Quite a number of the presents came from abroad.

We are informed that Mr. and Mrs. Sanders will make their home, for the present, with his parents, in the northeastern part of the city.

### Find Oil Lands.

A special from Yankton says: Just across the river in Nebraska, near Herrick, land is being rapidly acquired by lease on an oil find, and now 8,000 acres are in the hands of a hastily formed company, which is after 7,000 acres more, which it wants before boring commences. The men at the head of the project are completely satisfied they have control of an oil field and great interest is naturally being taken in every movement made by an expert oil man, who is directing everything.

The American Bloomer Girls will play the Emmet ball team upon the O'Neill diamond next Sunday afternoon. Game called at 2:30. The Bloomer: have been defeating a number of good fast teams and are said to put up a nice article of the national game. Emmet has a good team and will be re-enforced by some fast players from Atkinson. The game promises to be one well worth seeing.

## Celebrate the 4th of July at

# Ewing

- Sunrise Salute Band Concert
- A. F. Mullen, O'Neill, Orator
- Parade of the Comics
- Free Attractions by Savidge Brothers
- Ball Game by Visiting Teams
- Dance
- Afternoon and Evening



Preparations have been made for a good, old fashioned celebration, and a cordial invitation is extended to the people of O'Neill. Minor Sports and Fire Works.