

LOCAL MATTERS

J. B. Ryan had business at Emmet yesterday.

M. O. Howard of Page was in the city yesterday.

H. A. Trowbridge of Page was in the city yesterday.

Bring in your tickets on rocking chair.—O. C. Reka. 19-1

Wanted—At the New Meat Market some good fat cattle. 12-1f

John Mathis of Atkinson was an O'Neill visitor Monday.

Mrs. E. H. Whelan arrived home Tuesday from Sioux City.

New FREE deal on leather covered rocking chair—C. C. Reka 18-2

C. J. Milligan was over from Sioux City the first of the week.

Mark Howard and R. E. Gallagher were up from Page Monday.

County Attorney E. H. Whelan went to Omaha on business yesterday.

J. B. Berry was in yesterday from the Niobrara with a load of large fat swine.

Dan Davis was down this week from Ainsworth visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. J. Hyde of the Dewey hotel went to Wood Lake Tuesday for a brief visit.

Will pay the highest market price for hides and poultry.—The New Meat Market. 19-4

James Potter of Garfield county made final proof at the land office here yesterday.

Frank Valla and Pat Connolly are building a large hay barn near the Northwestern stock yards.

Mrs. E. H. Whelan returned Tuesday night from a three week's visit with friends in Sioux City.

George McColeen, one of the bustling real estate dealers of Page, was an O'Neill visitor Saturday last.

O. W. Baker has moved to town from the Dry Creek country and has engaged in the real estate business with Donohoe & McKenna.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMahon of Lincoln are visiting at the home of Mr. McMahon's sister, Mrs. C. E. Hall.

P. J. Donohoe, prosecuting attorney of Gregory county, S. D., was in the city the first of the week visiting relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Hammond arrived home Tuesday from an absence of six weeks at Portland, Ore., and other north-west coast points.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Weinrich of New York are visiting at the home of their son, Gustav Weinrich, four miles north of O'Neill.

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Services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening. Rev. H. H. Grane of Edgemont, S. D., will preach.

If you enjoy a good comedy with a few pathos, see Chas. A. Gordinier and his company in "Big Jim" at the opera house next Monday night.

H. B. Hubbard of Agee, who had a sale about a year ago and has been away until recently, will move to O'Neill this fall and make his home here for the winter.

J. A. Combes, Will and Al Mohr and Wm. Brown came over from Spencer yesterday in an auto, expecting last evening to start out south to do some duck shooting.

Mrs. S. A. Merrill was called to Calone, S. D., Tuesday to attend her sister who is seriously ill with typhoid fever. Her husband died a few months ago from the same disease.

J. J. Spellman of Scranton, Pa., who has been visiting his cousins, Miss Mayme and Patrick Welsh, the past three months, returned to his home at Scranton, Pa., Monday afternoon.

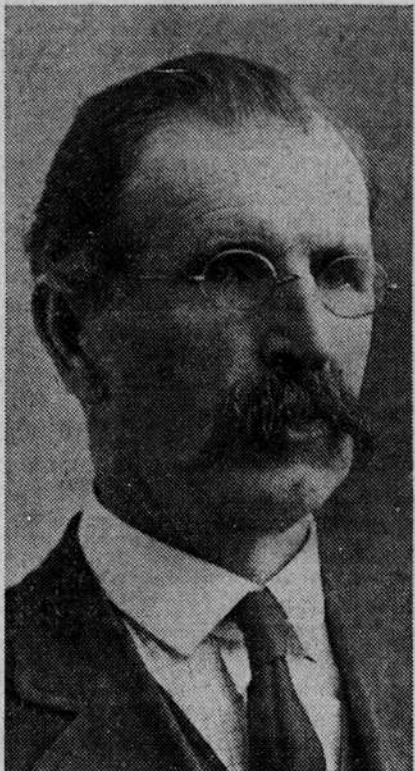
Martin Bazelman went to Ewing yesterday to attend the wedding of his wife's sister, Angela Vandernick to Gottlieb Bauer. Mrs. Bazelman went down last week to help prepare for the event.

It is reported that the house at the McClure ranch down in McClure township was burned Tuesday. The ranch is occupied by a renter, Mr. McClure having moved to Ewing a few months ago.

D. A. Doyle yesterday bought a handsome large Percheron stallion in the country over north. The animal tipped the beam at 1910 as he stood with fine arched neck and important mein on the city scales.

C. C. Millard has been nominated by the republicans of O'Neill for city assessor. Mr. Millard assessed the city last year and gave general satisfaction. Under the new law assessors will be elected instead of appointed by the county assessor. This will add one office to be filled in each township.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CANDIDATES— WITH RECORDS OF EFFICIENT SERVICE



J. C. HARNISH, TREASURER



W. P. SIMAR, CLERK



HENRY D. GRADY, SHERIFF



DR. E. T. WILSON, CORONER

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Tyler Scriven was up from Wheeler county the first of the week, marketing a few water melons, which, although late in the season, were bought up in a hurry owing to their unusual size and fine quality.

C. M. Hunt arrived in the city Tuesday to look after his property interests five miles north of town. Mr. Hunt is now living in Denver. He says he and his wife expect to go to California to spend the winter.

"Big Jim" the new rural comedy by Chas. A. Gordinier, which will be presented at the opera house, Monday Nov. 1, is a beautiful blending of comedy and pathos. He has treated the subject in an entirely original manner.

Mrs. Dennis Kane, who was shot at her home near Emmet two weeks ago, has about recovered from the effects of the wound and is at home again. We understand that a grand jury is likely to be called to investigate the case.

William F. Mulligan has begun proceedings in the district court for divorce from his wife, Fay E. Mulligan, alleging abandonment. They were married nine years ago and according to the petition lived together only a short time.

Miles Welsh of South Omaha and Ed Quinn of Gracie, Loup county, were O'Neill visitors Monday. Mr. Welsh is an old Holt county boy and was surprised at the forward strides this portion of the state had made in the past three years, since his last visit.

The usual interest in county election and confidence in the success of particular candidates is not manifest by the speculators around town who usually gamble on election. Very few bets are being made on any candidate and in fact but little politics is heard.

John Carr, the Stafford cattle king, was in O'Neill last week on his return from a cattle buying trip in the western part of the county. Mr. Carr informed us that he bought 280 head of steers from John Robertson of Stuart for which he paid \$50 per head. This is a swell price for range cattle.

Frank Losher, Alfred Hanson and John Buoy, all of Creighton, were in the city yesterday returning from Rock county where they were looking up homesteads. They stopped here to engage a local land attorney, L. G. Gillespie, and started contest cases against entrymen on Rock county land.

Specialties consisting of singing, dancing and talking acts, trick violin playing and illustrated songs are introduced between the acts by the "Big Jim" company which will appear at the opera house, Monday, Nov. 1. Secure your seats early. The management guarantees satisfaction, or money refunded.

Lincoln item in Omaha Bee: Arthur Mullen, appointed state oil inspector by Governor Shallenberger almost a year ago and given an extra deputy by the late democratic legislature, and who has been drawing pay since his appointment, is now on the job. Mr. Mullen came in this morning from O'Neill or somewhere else, with the announcement that he has purchased the home of former Land Commissioner Eaton at Twenty-third and Garfield streets, and from now on



FLORENCE E. ZINK, SUPERINTENDENT



C. J. MALONE, COUNTY JUDGE

—at least as long as he holds his state job—he expects to live in Lincoln. He left this afternoon for Omaha, presumably to see just why the Jimocrats were not satisfied with the governor's speech at the Women's Christian Temperance union meeting and to board up any holes in the governor's fences made by that speech.

J. J. Thomas, Arthur Ryan, Tom Enright and M. H. McCarthy returned last week from a week's outing on the lakes in the southwest part of the county. The boys brought back 126 ducks, mostly mallards, but few red head and canvass back was among the bunch. They say they had a pleasant week's sport but that the duck flight was not on yet.

At the grand lodge assembly of the Odd Fellows at Lincoln last week, O. O. Snyder of this city was named on a committee of three to have in charge the erection of the Odd Fellows home at York, a building that will cost about \$65,000. The other members of the committee are Judge Hoagland of North Platte and Judge Loomis of Fremont. Mr. Snyder's selection on the committee from several hundred members of the grand lodge is a deserving compliment and proper recognition of one of O'Neill's most popular business men.

Miss Kathleen Doyle entertained thirty of her lady friends last Friday evening in a very pleasant manner. Progressive high five, the principle amusement of the evening, resulted in Miss Mame Grady receiving first prize, a beautiful souvenir spoon, and the all cut prize, a souvenir spoon was won by Miss Margaret Morrison. At 12:30 o'clock the tables were prettily laid and a two-course menu was served. After the refreshment hour a musical program was contributed by several of the guests and was greatly enjoyed by the friends assembled.

People in the south part of the county have taken hold of the long discussed problem of drainage in a practical way and some extensive work has been done in that line the past summer. As a result much of the surplus water will be carried off in the natural waterways. The work has been done by individual land owners as well as some by a few townships. Inman was the pioneer in the work and the things accomplished there inspires others to the same. The work is done with three capstans, long lines of cables and a huge plow resembling a snow plow of a railroad train. A great furrow is cut making a complete drainage canal some fifteen feet wide at the top and several feet deep. Four teams are hitched to each capstan and the plow

is slowly drawn through the earth by means of cables. Most of the work has been done in Inman and Chambers precincts while individuals have had drainage canals cut in other precincts. Among these are the Gallagher and Lee & Prentiss ranches. The outfit is owned and operated by a man from Minneapolis.

The following account of the wedding of Miss Anna Ottis Harrington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harrington of this city, is taken from the Humphrey Democrat:

Miss Anna Ottis Harrington of this place and Dr. H. E. Snyder of Elgin were united in marriage in St. Frances church at this place at 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning of this week. The bride was becomingly attired in white mull and with the bridal roses looked the very queen which her life characterizes her to be. She was attended by Miss Nellie Bender of Council Bluffs and Nora Condon, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Condon of this place. The groomsmen were Howard Snyder of Melette, S. D., brother of the groom, and Dan Harrington of O'Neill, Neb., brother of the bride. Wedding breakfast was served at the Ottis-Condon residence, the home of the bride, at which the bridal party and relatives of the bride and groom were present. The young couple left on the noon train for Omaha, Des Moines, Iowa, and Melette, S. D., the home of the groom's parents to spend their honeymoon, after which they will be at home at Elgin, Neb., about Dec. 1st. From childhood the bride has made her home in Humphrey, during which time she has always been held in the highest esteem by the entire community. She has high ideals and is possessed of many winning accomplishments. The groom is one of the state's rising young dentists, having been located at Elgin for the past two years. For a year before locating at Elgin he held a professorship in Creighton Dental College at Omaha. He has the honor of being president of the North Nebraska Dental Association, and also president of the Central Nebraska Odontological Society. The Democrat joins a large circle of admiring friends in extending hearty congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Snyder.

For Sale.
My black mare and stick seat surrey. Want a fresh milk cow.
W. T. Evans,
Hotel Evans.
17-4p

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Dedication Service.

The Dorsey Presbyterian church will be dedicated to God Almighty on next Sunday October 31, 1909. Rev. Dr. W. H. Kearns, Superintendent of Missions of the state of Nebraska will be present.

10 a. m.—Sunday School
11 a. m. Farewell Service.
Bible Reading—Dr. Kearns.
Sermon by Pastor.
Benediction—Dr. Kearns.
Basket Dinner.
1:30 p. m.—Half hour Devotional Service and Song—Rev. Miller.
2 p. m.—Dedication Act Sermon—Dr. Kearns.
Offering for Home Missions.
Charge to the People—Pastor.
Closing Hymn.
Benediction.

From beginning to end the choir will render special music and songs. All bills are paid and there will be no raising of money for the church building. All cordially invited.

Come with a prayer in your heart that God may bless your neighbors.

Rev. Jacobs closes up his pastoral work on that day and he leaves for his new field in Sioux county, Nebraska. Farewell services will be held also next Sunday at 8 p. m. at Blackbird Presbyterian church. All are invited.

Rev. H. Jacobs, Pastor.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters remain un-called for in the O'Neill postoffice for week ending Oct. 23, 1909:

Mrs. Frank Griffith, Ray Tinker 3, W. F. Obenhaus, M. Summers, A. E. Spencer, Mrs. Willey Murray, Mr. Gleason, Edward Jackson, Mrs. Dr. H. C. Shone, H. Young, S. Anderson, J. H. Kime, S. V. Prouditt, A. B. Fletcher, Messrs. Beeker & Wright, Wm. Brown, Mrs. Fannie O'Neill, Charlie Memmis, J. Fred Schlappe, Mrs. Ernest Goodrich, A. B. Fleteher, (package.)

In calling for the above please say "advertised." If not called for within fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office.
R. J. Marsh, P. M.

GALLOWAY CATTLE FOR SALE
Or on Shares.

I have 40 head of full blood Galloway cows, heifers and calves for sale on easy terms or lease on shares for a term of years. They will be let in bunches of eleven head, ten females and one male to responsible parties, who have feed and suitable accommodations for taking care of them. These cattle can be seen at Star post office in Holt county, Nebraska, on the Henry Thierolf ranch. For particulars address at once.

G. W. Hervey,
1116 No. 40 st., Omaha, Neb.

For Sale.

Complete set of post office fixtures. All quarter sawed oak; large enough for high grade Third class office. Sell at a bargain if taken in two weeks.

R. J. Marsh, P. M.
O'Neill, Neb.

For Sale.

Lewis Hohndorf of Saxony, Germany, arrived in O'Neill Monday evening and is now staying with his uncle, Fred Reichter, with whom he will make his home.

Reuben Butler was over from Gregory, S. D., the first of the week on a visit to relatives.

Clark Hough of Garfield county was in the city Monday and Tuesday.

The Live Stock Market
South Omaha, Neb., Oct. 26.—Special market letter from Standard Live Stock Commission Co.

Cornfed steers are very scarce with the medium kinds selling higher. Although cows and butcher stock held up well the past week they are still stronger again this week with an active demand for them. Speculators carried over a large number of stockers and feeders last week with values showing a 15 to 25 cents decline, but with light receipts this week they were able to dispose of their accumulated stocks and prices can be quoted a dime higher. Receipts of western rangers are becoming lighter and quality poorer, and packers find very few among them.

We quote:
Choice range beef.....\$5.25@56.25
Others down to..... 4.00
Good range cows and heifers 3.75@ 4.25
Choice corn fed beef..... 7.00@ 8.00
Comm'n to fair..... 5.00@ 6.00
Cornfed cows and heifers up to 5.00
Fair to good..... 3.25@ 4.00
Canners and cutters..... 2.25@ 3.25
Veal calves..... 4.50@ 7.00
Bulls, s. ags., etc..... 2.75@ 4.50
Prime feeding steers..... 4.40@ 5.50
Others down to..... 3.00
Stock heifers..... 2.90@ 3.75

Our hog receipts continue to show a marked decrease from the corresponding time for last year. The provision market has made a sharp advance and values are forced up in spite of the hammering of the packers. Bulk \$7.55 to \$7.65, top \$7.75.

This week is starting with the smallest sheep run we have had for a number of weeks. There is a brisk demand for all kinds and an advance of fully 15 cents.

Methodist Church Items.

There will be the usual services at the Methodist church next Sunday, beginning with the class meeting at 10 a. m. led by Mrs. O. O. Snyder. Sermon by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. The subject of our morning discourse will be, "Thy Kingdom Come." In the evening our theme will be, "A Notable Charge." To these services we most cordially invite everybody.

Sunday school at the close of our morning service, to which we would be pleased to have all who can possibly do so remain for an hour's study of God's word.

Junior League service Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to which we cordially invite all of the boys and girls.

Epworth League service Sunday evening at 6:45. To this service we especially invite all of the young people.

Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30. Our aim is to make this service interesting and helpful to all, and we are always glad to welcome our friends.

The Ladies Aid Society meets in the class room every Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to sew and all ladies are invited to meet with them.

T. S. Watson, Pastor.

D. A. Doyle was in Norfolk Tuesday on business connected with the Carey estate, of which he is administrator. Mrs. Carey has lately been committed to the Norfolk asylum.

Highest cash price paid for hides at the New Meat Market. 12-1f

OPERA HOUSE

One Night Only

Monday, Nov. 1

Gordinier Bros. present Ahus H. Gordinier's new comedy

Big Jim

With a metropolitan cast. New specialties, and all special scenery.

A STORY that some day may be Your Own

Seats now on sale at usual place