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The candidacy of C. O. Whedon for Senator Burkett's shoes has not started any prairie fires in this section of the state.

A sewer system for O'Neill means a modern hotel building before the year 1911 passes into history. Vote for the sewer bonds.

The democratic syndicate are beginning to realize that the proceeds from the printing of the scavenger tax list will not go very far as a mortgage raiser.

A state job that pays a salary of \$2,000 per year and about \$25 per month for expenses, and then to be able to devote about half of your time to your private business is what most people would call a public snap.

Governor Hughes of New York has been appointed as associate justice of the United States court, and has notified President Taft that he will accept the appointment. Probably no appointment made by President Taft since his induction into office will give more general satisfaction to the people of the United States.

The election of a democrat to congress from a Massachusetts district by six thousand majority, in a district that had given six thousand republican majority two years ago, should be a warning to senators and congressmen that the present tariff bill is not satisfactory to the people at large. The people want a revision downward.

The Butte Gazette has started on volume 19. The Gazette has always been a good country weekly but never better than it has been during the past four years under the management of Mrs. Armstrong. That the quality of the paper she is publishing is appreciated by the business men of Butte is evidenced by the liberal advertising patronage the paper receives.

Jim Dahman's proclamation in favor of the removal of the capital from Lincoln to some more central portion of the state has aroused considerable enthusiasm in the cities of Hastings, Grand Island and Kearney, all of whom believe they are located in the most desirable portion of the state for the seat of government, should the people of Nebraska decide to change headquarters.

Inman Items.

Mr. Lee Conger marketed two loads of hogs in Page on Tuesday of last week.

C. O. Brewer had business at the county court in O'Neill last Saturday.

Miss Anna Gores was over to Page last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. Clifford Smith came down from Chadron Sunday to spend the day with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith.

Mrs. Simmerman of Carrol, Nebraska, is here visiting with her son, Mr. W. F. Simmerman and family.

Fred Ermer of Chambers was an Inman visitor last Saturday.

Beryl Conger has been suffering this week with blood poison in his hand.

Lewis Schwink came down from Stuart Sunday for a short visit with relatives of this place.

Mr. Wilbur Hancock finished a successful term of school near Chambers last Friday, and returned home Saturday.

Miss June Hancock came down from O'Neill on Arbor day to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hancock.

Miss Malissa Scott and her brother Archie of Ferra Haut county Indiana are here to spend the summer with their aunt, Mrs. Ralph Clark.

Miss Lena Gallagher went up to O'Neill Sunday to have an infection of blood poison in her hand treated. A cut from a piece of tin causing the trouble.

Mr. John J. Walsh, wife and son of O'Neill, were Inman visitors Sunday. Jack is head clerk in the grocery department of J. P. Mann and company's store.

S. J. Rokosz and wife living northwest of O'Neill were in Inman Sunday and drove out to the Zobruski home southwest of town. Mr. Rokosz is lately from Chicago, but is now an enthusiastic Holt County farmer.

The teachers of the Inman school for the ensuing year are as follows: Mr. John P. Cunningham as principal, Miss Butler of Ewing for the Intermediate grades, and Miss Johnson of Atkinson for the Primary grades.

Mr. Clifford Van Valkenburg and sister Grace, went to Ewing last week to visit with their uncle George Knifer, they returned Tuesday and spent the rest of the week with friends here, before leaving the following Monday for Petz, Colorado where they will make their home.

Paddock.

Albert Rakowsky and father were visiting at J. B. Berry's Sunday evening.

C. T. Allen from Page, was in this vicinity looking after business interest.

Grandma Ross from Spencer is in the neighborhood visiting friends and relatives.

Geo. Bricker and family attended Sunday school, at Redbird Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynes were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Crawford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowry and daughter, Joe, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamilton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crawford and daughter, Effie, were shopping in Spencer Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawford, Mrs. Kilcoin and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith were Spencer visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith visited at Rev. Miller's and called on their daughter, Mary, at F. Crawford's, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Iren Mason a graduate nurse from Omaha, who is holding down a homestead and incidentally getting a much needed rest, was visiting the Misses Berry one day last week.

H. S. Prouty was buying cattle in this neighborhood this week. There seems to be a scarcity of that kind of cattle, or the farmers are not disposed to sell at this time of the year.

Edward Nelson received a shipment of 1200 Jack pine trees which he will put out on his homestead. Trust they will all grow as they will be quite and ornamental tree in these parts, for very few are grown here.

Sunday, Chloe, Elva Claude and J. B. Berry were pleasantly intetained at H. S. Prouty's. The day was spent in social conversation and music. A most elegant dinner was served at noon which did the hostess much credit.

Mrs. Floyd Crawford was quite sick the first of last week, Dr. Keep from Spencer being in attendance. He has several patients in the neighborhood, Mrs. George Clyde, Mrs. Chas. Hoyer and Rev. Miller, whom we are glad to report are much better.

Rev. and Mrs. Dewitt from Gross are visiting their son Wm. of this place, arriving Saturday. Rev. Dewitt conducting preaching service in the Fay schoolhouse Sunday afternoon. They were entertained at Mr. J. W. Crawford's Monday for dinner, leaving for Gross in the afternoon.

Monday night Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Witherax entertained a large number of their friends in their new house at cards and dancing. All departed at a late hour expressing themselves as having spent a very enjoyable evening. Those in attendance from here were the Misses Berry and brothers.

Gus Rakowsky and family accompanied by his father, arrived in Spencer on Tuesday and moved at once to their farm (the Herman Staner place). F. W. Crawford, C. N. Lowry and Claude Berry all brought out loads for

him. Rakowsky had the misfortune to lose a horse on his way here from Spencer.

Methodist Church Items.

Class meeting at the Methodist Church every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, led by Mrs. O. O. Snyder. This most helpful service ought to be much more joyfully supported.

Next Sunday morning, in connection with the morning service, our brother, O. O. Snyder will read a paper, descriptive of the great Laymen's Convention held in Omaha, March 17-20. This was one of seventy five interdenominational gatherings that mark the beginning of a new era of missionary activity among the Christian churches of America. So far as possible, the Christian laymen of O'Neill ought to hear that paper. It will interest and stir you up as you have not been stirred in a long time. Everybody is welcome.

In the evening, at 8 o'clock, the pastor will preach, taking for his subject, "An Easy Yoke and a Light Burden". To this, as to all services of our church, we most cordially invite everybody.

Sunday school at the close of our morning service, to which we invite all our friends to tarry for a while and study with us the word of God.

Junior League service Sunday afternoon, to which we cordially invite all of the boys and girls.

Epworth League service Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. An interesting and helpful service conducted by and for the young people, to which everybody is cordially invited.

Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. This is one of the best services of our church, and all of our friends are invited to come in and worship with us.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet in the class room Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All ladies are invited to meet with us.

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Now, how is this vast hoard protected?

First of all, the whole mint is embedded in a solid concrete foundation about three feet deep. Concrete, as every one knows, is one of the strongest of all known substances and the most impervious to drilling or wear. Then on the interior, where the vaults are placed, within this concrete protection, comes a solid armor of battleship steel six inches thick, so strong that an expert working on it a week could scarcely make an impression, much less penetrate it by hand tools.

The vaults themselves are sunken deeply below the ground. Descending several flights of stairs and passing by doors guarded by a fearsome array of rifles for use by the night guards, a long, fairly wide corridor of solid concrete masonry shows the entrances to the six vaults, one for the silver already referred to, one for all kinds of coinage, but mostly for gold, and the remaining four for the gold, silver and nickel bullion. The bronze bullion lies in another room by itself, but as a few dollars' worth of this substance makes an uncomfortably heavy load it is not thought necessary to surround it with the minute safeguards used in the case of the precious metals.

The vaults themselves have a double combination. That to the outer door is known by the cashier only and that to the inner door by the custodian of the vaults only. To enter a vault both men have to be together, and it is a rule of the department that both shall stay together till the inspection or other object for which the huge safe is opened is accomplished.

Entering one of these great cages after five minutes' working at the combination, one finds himself in a huge room partitioned off in fifteen compartments by steel gratings of the strongest kind. A straight passage six feet wide and the height of the chamber goes down the length of the room from the door. At the entrance are stored the bronze coins, the cents, about \$50,000 worth of them, but the amount varies from day to day. Next come the more precious nickel coins, of which the value usually totals about \$300,000.

Beyond these-storage places a steel grating door in the passage itself has to be opened and then still another to get completely to the end of the room. All along, the length of this passageway, from the entrance to the vault to the end, are the compartments for the coins, separated from the passageway by exactly the same kind of gratings as those which divide the way itself into sections.

The bottom, the sides and the top of this vault are lined with steel plates, and about the entire vault is the three foot protection of concrete. Within the vault itself are the separate compartments, each locked. These compartments are examined shortly after the end of the fiscal year and are then sealed by the examiners, so that any entrance to them would be impossible without the breakage of the seals. In each compartment devoted to the storage of gold the coin is stored first in bags which contain \$5,000 each in half eagles, eagles or double eagles, and then these bags are arranged twenty on a shelf. Each shelf has thus \$100,000 on it. The shelves are arranged in rows downward, ten from top to bottom of the compartment, each row having thus \$1,000,000 in gold in it.

Electricity lights the entire section of each vault, and the electric current is so arranged that if it were possible for the vaults to be tampered with the electricity would immediately give notice outside that something was wrong.

A detachment of guards every night is stationed at the entrance to the stairways leading to the corridor, which gives access to the vaults themselves. Their orders are to shoot down any one attempting an entry.

For the protection of the mint from fire a well drilled fire brigade has charge of the extinguishing apparatus. There are thirty-one fire alarm stations located in the corridors and rooms throughout the building.

At night every fifteen minutes thirty-one watchmen ring a signal notifying the watch in the telephone room that all is well. All these men carry revolvers during the night watch. If the signal from any watchman was not heard at the right time an instant alarm would be sounded.—Philadelphia Record.

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