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LADIES CLOAKS, SUITS, DRESSES

Our first shipment of Fall and Winter Cloaks, Suits and Dresses has arrived and will be followed by other shipments. Look for our advertisement next week.

The Home of Good Mdse.

P. J. McMANUS

LOCAL MATTERS

C. W. Moss was down from Atkinson last Tuesday.

C. A. Townsend of Page was an O'Neill visitor last Tuesday.

Parnell Golden took in the state fair at Lincoln a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mulligan of King, Cherry county, arrived in the city last week for a visit with relatives and friends.

D. J. Harrington came down from his South Dakota farm last Sunday morning for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Dora Alberts, who has been home on a three weeks visit, left Sunday morning for Omaha to finish her course at Boyles College.

The seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Carney died last Wednesday and was buried this morning, interment in the Catholic cemetery.

M. F. London of Tripp county, S. D., and Miss Mary Rhode of this county were granted a marriage license by County Judge Carlon last Tuesday.

Mrs. A. P. Brooks and daughter, Miss Kittle, left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives and friends at Mrs. Brooks' old home at Hancock, Michigan.

Lt. O. E. Meredith left last Saturday for Ft. Sheridan, Ill., after a three weeks at the home of his parents here. Mrs. Meredith will remain for a few weeks longer.

Fred C. Linniger and Miss Eunice McCoy, both of Stuart, was united in marriage by County Judge Carlon at the county court room in this city last Thursday afternoon.

Jesse T. Briles, aged 47, and Miss Mary S. Brooks, aged 31, both of Phoenix, were united in marriage by County Judge Carlon at the county court room last Tuesday afternoon.

L. G. Gillespie and J. B. Ryan of

this city have been drawn as jurors for the September term of federal court, which will be held in Norfolk commencing September 15th.

Plow fire guards around your farm. Don't take any chances of a prairie fire coming along and burning you out. Remember the old adage: "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

The Gibbons barber shop had three different owners last week. Thursday afternoon George Gibbons sold the shop to C. E. Hall and on Friday Mr. Hall sold it to Sam Arnold, proprietor of the laundry, who is still the owner.

The village board of Atkinson the first of the week over-ruled the remonstrance filed against the issuing of saloon licenses and issued the licenses. The remonstrators then filed notice of an appeal to the district court and the matter will have to be threshed out there.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Mullen came over from Creighton last Saturday and will spend a few weeks visiting relatives in this city. The Doctor has given up the practice of dentistry and is now engaged in writing life insurance and is meeting splendid success in that line of work.

The annual meeting of the Northeast Nebraska Dental Society was held at Norfolk last Tuesday and was well attended. Dr. M. E. Pettibone of this city was elected secretary of the society for the ensuing year and Norfolk was selected as the place for holding the annual meeting again next year.

Mayor Gaynor of New York City died at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning on the steamer Baltic in mid ocean. He left New York on September 4th for a twenty day vacation in Europe. He failed to receive the democratic nomination for re-election as mayor and was an independent candidate for re-election.

Judge Carlon is doing a rushing

business in the matrimonial line these days and those for whom the general Judge is tying the nuptial knot are not all residents of this county. Tuesday morning he performed the ceremony that united for life Roy Emery Syfert and Miss Alke P. Jenkins, both of Ainsworth, Nebr.

Jr P. Gallagher was up in Cherry county last week on a hunting trip and says that he had the best time looking the elusive bass that he has had for several years. Conditions were just right for angling and Jim says that for the first time in his career as a welder of the rod and line he secured all the fish he wanted.

A prairie fire in the country northeast of this city last Friday afternoon destroyed about fifty stacks of hay and we understand burned through one forty acre corn field. From the information we have been able to secure the fire was started by the back fire of an automobile and burned fiercely for several hours before it was extinguished. We have been unable to learn the names of those who lost hay in the fire.

William Dickerson of Atkinson was in the city visiting old time friends last Tuesday. Mr. Dickerson is one of the pioneers of the county and says he always enjoys a visit to this city where he can meet many of the old time settlers and swap yarns about pioneer days in the county when the grasshoppers and horse thieves levied semi-annual tribute upon the residents of this section.

Do not meddle with a business you know nothing of unless you commence at the bottom of the ladder and round after round, work towards the top. For if you are successful enough to reach the top round you will find plenty to applaud and assist. But he who commences at the top of the ladder finds it an easy matter to descend, and oftentimes with great rapidity. And when he has reached the bottom he will find hundreds there waiting to kick him.

A farmers wife living near Lincoln brought some butter and eggs to town one day during the recent hot spell and accidentally let the butter fall on the cement walk and before she could pick it up it had melted, and in her haste to recover it, two or three eggs dropped out of her basket and smashed in to the melted butter and were fried to a beautiful brown in a few seconds, and then the authorities immediately fined this poor woman for running a restaurant on the street without a license.

The schoolma'am is the guiding star of the republic. She takes the little bantling fresh from the home nest, full of his pouts, his pets and his passions, ungovernable in many cases, a rampant, riotous little wretch whose own mother often admits she sends him to school purposely to get rid of him. The schoolma'am takes a whole carload of these little anarchists, half of whom singly and alone cannot be handled by their own mothers, and she puts them in the way of becoming useful citizens.

The first allowance under the new mothers pension act, passed at the last session of the legislature, was allowed to Mrs. Farley of Atkinson by Judge Dickson last Tuesday. From the evidence produced before the court Mrs. Farley is the mother of seven children, five of whom are living at home and she was unable to properly clothe and feed them. Judge Dickson ordered an allowance for her for three months, \$30 per month for the months of September and October and \$40 for the month of November.

Rain to the amount of 1.11 inches fell here last Tuesday night. From advices received from different parts of the county the rain was general, being much heavier in the southern part of the county where the precipitation amounted to three inches. While the rain is too late to benefit corn it will be of great help to pastures and will put the ground in excellent condition for planting fall wheat. From present indications the acreage of fall wheat will be greater in the county this fall than ever before.

Harry M. Culbertson of Long Pine was arrested on complaint of County Attorney Hodgkin charged with perjury. The complaint, which was filed in the county court on August 20, charged that Culbertson gave false evidence in the trial of a case in the district court in this city on August 2, 1913. The case in which the alleged false evidence was given was that of L. W. Arnold vs. Harry M. Culbertson, Ed. C. Engle and Nathan Arnold. Culbertson appeared in county court on September 2 and waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the district court and bond fixed at \$500, which was furnished.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lorge of Durant, Oklahoma, arrived in the city last Saturday night for a few days visit with relatives and to look after business matters. Mr. Lorge says that his section of Oklahoma has been very fortunate this season as they have had rain when it was needed and have splendid crops in that section of the state. Crops in the state as a whole though, he says are a failure and most of Texas and Kansas is in the same condition. In Kansas he says the wells are all drying up and people are having a hard time to secure water and much suffering is being caused in that state on account of a lack of water.

Anybody can soil the reputation of any individual, however pure and chaste, by uttering a suspicion that his enemies will believe and his friends never hear of. A puff of the idle wind can take a million of the seeds of the thistle and do the work of mischief which the husbandman must labor long to undo, the floating particles being too fine to be seen and too light to be stopped. Such are the seeds of slander, so easily sown, so difficult to be gathered up, and yet so pernicious in their fruits. The slanderer knows that many a mind will catch up the plague and become poisoned by his insinuation, without seeking the antidote. No reputation can refute a sneer, nor any human skill prevent mischief.

There is a growing impression that the public school may take a wider range than the mere elucidation of mathematical problems or the unfolding of natural and scientific laws. It is now held that a boy cannot too early regard himself as a citizen of the republic, and be taught along with a clear idea of such responsibility, a loyal reverence for the flag and the names that have perpetuated it. Should the first day of every school year be given over to a semi social review of public affairs, to the carrying of banners, and the singing of patriotic songs, it would be a day well spent. The Republic has had already very serious problems before it of race and of the amalgamation of nationalities. The children in the schools today must be equipped not only with education, but the loyalty to solve these problems.

Many persons feel offended because their comings and goings are not mentioned while those of others are, and wonder what the matter can be. The explanation of the matter is that the editor means to be impartial, but some escape mention. The likes and dislikes of the editor have nothing to do with it, and while it is not pretended that the editor is more than human he knows that the success of his journal depends upon his fairness and impartiality to all. It is the best way always when a notice is desired to mention it to the editor, or communicate through the postoffice, or furnish the necessary information by using the telephone. No one feels worse about any seeming neglect or partial performance of duty than the editor himself and with the assistance of our readers a newsier and better paper could be issued.

Piano Sale Next Week.
One car load of excellent pianos will be on display next week in the old post office building at O'Neill, Nebr. Special introductory sale. Prescott Music Co. 13-1-Adv. Lincoln, Nebr.

SCHOOL OPENED MONDAY.

Started With an Enrollment of 290 in the Several Grades.

The public schools of the city opened last Monday with an enrollment of 290, divided among the several grades as follows: Primary 36; second and third grades 52; third and fourth 41; fifth and sixth 38; seventh 18; eighth 25; high school 80.

Following are the teachers in the several grades and studies: Primary, Mary G. Timlin; Second and Third Grades, Kathryn Devlin; Third and Fourth, Mary Stannard; Fifth and Sixth, Lovena Adams; Seventh, Margaret Donohoe; Eighth, Mary Horiskey. High School: Normal Training and Domestic Science, Lottie Robertson; Mathematics and History, Director of Athletics, F. E. Marren; Agricultural Training and Science, C. O. Lake; Latin, English and Music Supervisor, Emma Snyder, principal; Senior English and German, C. A. Gorbv, superintendent.

In a week or two typewriting and stenography will be offered to a limited number of students. If any outside parties desire lessons in these subjects, Miss Robertson will organize evening classes.

Two courses of study are offered this year. The regular course is well balanced in language, science, mathematics and history, the completion of which will give admittance to college without further examination. The industrial course is a practical course for students not contemplating a college course and will give admittance to agricultural college.

Two rural schools of the county will be made associate schools of the O'Neill High, and will get an annual appropriation of \$50.00 from the state and will have the benefit of the associate supervision of county and city superintendent and agricultural instructor.

Mr. Lake, instructor in agriculture, desires to come in close touch with the farmers of the county both to learn from them and to help them develop the possibilities of the county. One or two demonstrations a month will be given Saturday to which the farmers will be invited.

A short agricultural course will be given to farmers sons who are not able to attend the whole school year.

Fair Appropriation Unsettled.

The question of the county appropriation of \$875.00 for an agricultural society was before the county board last Wednesday. For the past few years the county board have been voting the county appropriation to Chambers, as it was the only agricultural society in the county. Under the old law the voting of the county aid to agricultural societies was optional with the county board. The last legislative amended the old law and made the voting of county aid to agricultural societies mandatory upon the county board, and slightly increased the appropriation. This was done for the purpose of promoting agricultural societies in the different counties of the state with a view to increasing the product of the farms.

Acting under the new law thirty citizens of this city organized the Holt County Agricultural Society last July and filed an application with the county board for the county appropriation provided by law. The South Fork Agricultural Society of Chambers also filed an application with the county board for the appropriation. At the last meeting of the county board the latter part of last month the matter was discussed with representatives of both organizations and it was thought that a satisfactory agreement could be reached between the officers of both societies and the settlement of the matter was left to this meeting of the board.

When the board met this week the matter was taken up and when it was found that the representatives of both organizations could not agree on a settlement of the matter it was put up to the board. Attorneys representing

the Holt County Agricultural Society claim that the South Fork Fair Association had never been properly organized, as provided by law, and that they were therefore not eligible to receive the county appropriation. The matter was discussed on all sides and from all angles and the board finally decided to put the matter up to the attorney general of the state and appointed a committee of four members of the county board to go to Lincoln to interview the attorney general regarding the matter, and the members left for Lincoln this morning accompanied by Deputy County Attorney Powers. The members of the board who went to Lincoln are: Hubbell, Farquier, Sullivan and Stewart.

Katie Gerben Here Sept. 16.

No, she is not a militant suffragette nor a foot-light star; she is only one of the famous performers of the dairy world and she will be exhibited at O'Neill with the Dairy Special, at 5 o'clock, September 16. Katie Gerben, the famous Holstein from the herd of the State Agricultural school, holds a record of nearly 900 pounds of butter fat per year. Contrast this with the 125 pounds annual output of the average Nebraska cow!

It is hard to realize that some farmers are still plugging away on the old, worn-out, disproven idea of a "dual purpose cow," of producing beef and milk from the same animal. Year after year some farmers abuse themselves and their boys milking cows which yield 80 to 100 pounds of butter fat, while their neighbors and progressive farmers further east, by the importation of good, dairy strains, careful feeding and testing have been able to produce four or five times that much. "There is no question," says Professor J. H. Frandsen, of the Nebraska State Agricultural school, in the last report of the Dairymen's Association, "but that at least 200,000 cows in Nebraska today are not paying for their keep." Do you milk some of the 200,000?

Whether you think so or not, come out to the Dairy Special and hear "men who know" tell you what they are doing in other states and countries? Would you like to know how Denmark makes \$500 land, no better than Holt county soil, pay good interest? Come out then, its free. It's worth a twenty-five mile drive to see "Katie" alone.

Caught a Bad Cold.

"Last winter my son caught a very bad cold and the way he coughed was something dreadful," writes Mrs. Sarah E. Duncan, of Tipton, Iowa. We thought sure he was going into consumption. We bought just one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that one bottle stopped his cough and cured his cold completely." For sale by all dealers. Adv.

Don't overlook the exhibit of dairy cows and lectures on the dairying industry that will be given in this city next Tuesday evening.

Too late! Too late!!



If I had only saved my money

I could have accepted this offer and spent my remaining days in comfort. It is too late! too late!!

This man did not save his money, thinking a chance to use it would never come. When a splendid opportunity came he had no money and doomed himself to live in poverty for the rest of his life—blaming himself every remaining moment for his folly and drawn out misery.

You will one day have such an opportunity. Take heed. Start saving now. Come in and talk it over—today.

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