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## Get Together Banquet.

The Republicans of this state are to have a big dollar dinner at the Rome Hotel, in Omaha, Monday evening, June 22nd. Senator William S. Kenyon of Iowa, and Hon. Frank M. Currie of Broken Bow will be the speakers of the evening. Hon. A. C. Epperson of Clay Center will preside. Senator Kenyon is so well and favorably known, in a national way, that introductory remarks seem unnecessary. He is a thorough going republican of the progressive type, a fluent and forceful talker, and an acknowledged leader in national politics.

State Senator Currie, has long been in the councils of his party, and is a man whom the republicans of this state are justly proud.

Officers of County Committees and Republican Clubs are urged to attend this meeting. The dinner is a state wide affair and it is hoped that every county in the state will be represented. Requests for reservations should be sent in at the earliest possible date to Mr. Clinton Brome, Brandeis Theatre Building, Omaha.

Inability to secure good amusements for the Fourth caused the committee having in charge the Fourth of July celebration in this city to call it off and the residents of O'Neill will help some of our neighboring towns to celebrate the glorious Fourth.

Senator John A. Robertson has decided to file as a candidate for reelection to the senate from this district, subject to the approval of the democratic electors at the primary. Senator Robertson represented this district at the last session, and while a member of the minority, made a very creditable record.

Senator J. H. Kemp of Fullerton has filed for the republican nomination for governor subject to the approval of the republican voters at the primary election next August. Senator Kemp has been a member of the Nebraska state senate during the past two sessions and during the last session was president of that body. He is an able man, clean morally and politically, a splendid orator and would make an ideal candidate for the republicans at the election this fall. With a candidate like Senator Kemp there would be no doubt but what the republicans would redeem the state from democratic rule at the coming election.

Richard L. Metcalfe has shied his Panama into the ring and is a full-fledged candidate for the democratic nomination for governor. Prior to the entrance of Mr. Metcalfe in the race it looked to us as if Mr. Berge had a cinch on the nomination, but with Burge and Metcalfe representing one branch of democracy and Morehead the other, for Maher will probably drop out of the fight and leave the governor a clear field as the representative of wet democracy, we believe that it gives Morehead much the best of the fight and he will undoubtedly win the nomination in a walk. But the nomination comes a long ways from the election.

## Junior Normal Items.

The eighth session of the O'Neill Junior Normal opened last Monday with 166 students enrolled which is about 30 more than were enrolled on the first day of last year's session. This enrollment includes those who are in just for the teachers' institute.

Both faculty and students are very appreciative of the new public school building in which the Junior Normal sessions are held. It is one of the finest buildings in north Nebraska having very commodious rooms that are well lighted and ventilated. The people of O'Neill are to be congratulated for the successful manner in which the board of education has had the new building erected. It seems that everything that could be done to make the building comfortable and pleasant has been done and a building modern in every respect is the result.

The members of the faculty are as follows: C. N. Walton, Superintendent of the Wahoo Schools, Principal; Minnie B. Miller, County Superintendent of Holt county, Registrar; F. H. Price, Superintendent of Neligh Schools; R. V. Garrett, Superintendent of Scribner Schools; E. D. Lundak, Superintendent of Wakefield Schools; E. C. Nyrop, Superintendent of Ewing Schools; Miss

Percie Cass, Primary teacher Neligh, Nebraska; Miss Mame Mullen, High school teacher, O'Neill. \*\*\*

**Jake McCaley Deputy Postmaster.**  
Winner (S. D.) Advocate: J. T. McCaley has accepted the position of deputy postmaster of the Winner office and begins work next Monday. Mr. McCaley has been one of the efficient clerks in the M. H. Beck store the past year, and has a host of friends who will be glad to learn of his appointment.

**For an Impaired Appetite.**  
To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says: "They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels." For sale by all dealers.

**Butte Votes \$50,000.00 Bonds.**  
Butte Gazette: Railroad bonds carried, 180 for and 68 against.

The citizens of Butte are jubilant over the result and gave vent to their feelings Tuesday evening by a display of fireworks, while our band played lively patriotic airs and many shouted victory from every street corner. We are proud of our loyal citizens. They are proud of our town. They are proud of our town regardless of personal feelings.

"Never give up" is Butte's motto and to win has always been our good fortune because of her determination.

## Call For Progressive Convention.

A mass convention of the progressive voters of Holt county is hereby called for the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the 13th day of June, 1914, at the Court House in O'Neill for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention and transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. In view of the fact that the Progressive Party has no regular precinct organizations the persons attending the convention will be at liberty to determine whether to endorse candidates for County nominations for the August primaries. The convention will be a mass convention to which we invite all those who are in sympathy with us.

Charles Kirkland,  
Chairman.

## Meeting of the Holt County Fair Association.

Meeting called to order by the president, E. F. Gallagher, and minutes of last meeting read and approved. J. P. Golden elected temporary secretary.

Order of business, election of officers.

J. M. Hunter nominated for president. No other nominations and Hunter elected unanimously.

Clyde C. Mather nominated for vice-president. No other nominations and Mather elected.

Chas. E. Hall nominated for secretary-treasurer. No other nominations and Hall elected.

The following were elected as members of the board of directors.

E. F. Barnes, Atkinson.  
Sam Riley, Amelia.  
E. J. Mullally, Chambers.  
O. K. Wright, Ewing.  
J. B. Anderson, Page.  
Wm. Gannon, Inman.  
Ward Brayton, Stuart.  
Fred Richter, Scottville.  
John Nelson, Atkinson.

The secretary was instructed to procure premium lists from nearby county fair associations.

On motion meeting was adjourned.  
J. P. Golden,  
Secretary Protem.

## Save the Trees.

Many complaints have been received during the last few days concerning the condition of elm, hackberry and poplar trees. Information secured by Secretary J. R. Duncan of the state Horticultural society indicate that many of these trees are dying.

The drought last season weakened the trees. So the damage inflicted by borers has much greater effect. The trees, when in vigorous condition, are able to withstand these attacks.

To destroy borers already in the tree insert a little carbon bi-sulphide in the burrows. To prevent eggs being laid it is a good plan to coat the tree from the ground up to the height of six or seven feet with a mixture prepared as follows: To a gallon of soft soap add half a gallon of hot water and a half pint of carbolic acid. Stir thoroughly, and let stand overnight. In the morning dilute with eight gallons of water and apply with a whitewash brush. Apply as often as is necessary to keep the bark moist from the middle of May until the last of July.

In order to assist the trees in the fight against insects thoroughly soak the ground about the roots. Set a drain tile on and about six feet from the trunk of the tree on either side and keep the same filled with water until the ground is soaked. Wetting the surface of the ground is useless. Soak up the soil where the roots feed.

## Former Inman Man Kills His Wife.

Frank Judd, an employe of the Omaha railroad at Norfolk, killed his wife by choking her to death at their home in Norfolk last Tuesday morning.

Jealousy of his wife, who was sixteen years younger than Judd, caused trouble of long standing in the Judd household. On the night preceding the tragedy the couple quarrelled all right. In the early morning hours Judd seized his wife by the throat as they lay in bed and choked her. When he released his grip on her throat she was dead. Judd then called up the police station and told of his crime and waited for the officers to go for him.

Judd was of a jealous, morose disposition. He was about 45 years of age while his wife was about thirty. They were married at Inman where they resided for a few years, but have been away from there for about eight years.

Frank Judd was the son of Phillip Judd, who was one of the pioneer residents of this county, living on the banks of the Elkhorn river about four miles this side of Inman. His father had been confined in the insane asylum at Norfolk and was insane at the time of his death, although at that time he was not an inmate of the asylum. Frank Judd was a member of Company M, Third Nebraska, enlisting in the company in this city and served therein until the company was mustered out of the service. As a boy he served time in the state reformatory school. The parents of his wife were former residents of Inman, but left there several years ago.

## Atkinson Trimmed Again.

O'Neill 4.  
Atkinson 1.

The above score was the result of the second ball game between O'Neill and Atkinson, played upon the Atkinson grounds last Sunday afternoon. The day was a miserable one for a ball game the wind blowing almost a gale and the dirt blowing across the diamond made it almost impossible for the players to see the ball at times, but notwithstanding the handicap of the wind the spectators seen a good ball game, fairly free from errors.

Kirkland was on the mound for Atkinson and twirled a fair game, allowing the O'Neill boys but seven hits, but six of them came in three innings and spelled defeat for Atkinson. Three of the O'Neill boys retired by the strike-out route. Dr. Townsend was on the receiving end for Atkinson and, although he has not caught a ball game for several years, proved to the boys that he was still on the job and could throw to second with any of them.

Lintt was on the mound for O'Neill and during most of the game was not compelled to exert himself. In the sixth inning three errors, two of them made by himself, got him into a hole and he proceeded to extricate himself by fanning the next two men up, allowing two Atkinson boys to expire, one on second and another on third. In the ninth inning, with a man on third and two out he again struck out the last batter for the third out. In addition to pitching a good game he secured two three base hits, which is hitting some for a pitcher. Eddie Alberts was on the receiving end for O'Neill and, as usual, caught a good game. Score by innings was as follows:

O'Neill . . . 0 1 1 0 2 0 0 0 4  
Atkinson . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1  
Hits: O'Neill 7; Atkinson 4  
Struck out: Kirkland 3; Lintt 6; Errors: O'Neill 3; Atkinson 2. Batteries: O'Neill, Lintt and Alberts; Atkinson, Kirkland and Townsend.

## Dr. Caldwell Remembers O'Neill.

Mr. Cronin and my Friends of Holt County: The memory of your numerous courtesies, during the three years and more I lived among you, makes me feel that I should report concerning myself, and tell you something of the interesting city where I am now living as pastor and also where is to be the Great Exposition of 1915. For seven years after leaving O'Neill, I was pastor in the northern part of the state, and last October was honored by being made Moderator of the Synod of your state. This brought me into ill deserved notice, so I was called to the Westminster Presbyterian Church of this city, after I had supplied them a month, and they knew that I was only a little less than 75 years old. It was surprising that they should have called so immature and inexperienced a young fellow, but so it was, and I came and find the "Lines are fallen to me in pleasant places." I have a large and pleasant church, well located in the center of the residence portion of the city.

The climate here is ideal. It is never hot nor cold as we were accustomed to in Nebraska. The mercury is never below 30, and almost never above 80 degrees. I was here a month in January and February, and we had frost but once during that time, and no ice nor snow were seen. Hence Calla lilies, geraniums, roses and all varieties of flowers were either growing wild in the suburbs or abounded in the parks and gardens on all sides. In February, men were go-

ing through the parks with slippers and in their shirt sleeves as in Nebraska they might be doing in June, and with the same comfort. In fact the climate here is that of May and September there nearly all the year. The mean temperature is 57 in winter and 60 in summer, so little is the change.

The people are the most cosmopolitan I have ever met, though I am quite familiar with Boston and New York and spent 28 years as pastor in Chicago. On my arrival, Hawaiians removed my goods from the car to the house, Japs cleaned the house and windows for us, a Chinaman did the laundry work, till we changed to a Frenchman. A German is our banker, a Scotchman is our grocer, an Irish woman comes and cleans the house every week, and we are patronizing every one but Americans. My church membership includes, English, Scotch, Irish, German and Holland people, and it is not our fault that we have not representatives of every other nationality. But of course in the church, the Americans predominate.

Except Washington this is by far the cleanest of American cities, for like Washington all our streets are of asphalt pavement, and so are swept by the winds and washed by the rain.

We have here a great number of Mexican refugees, originally American, English, Scotch and of other nationalities. They differ as others do, as to the policy of President Wilson, some criticising him most severely, and others most heartily endorsing his methods. I find those whose interests are in Mexico City and the southern part of the state, have more sympathy with Huerta and those from the northern part of Mexico most heartily endorse the President's policy. But the theme most talked of here now is the Panama Exposition of 1915. It will not be as immense as the World's Fair at Chicago, but in other respects will be more satisfactory I have no doubt. Living in Chicago at the time, and spending upon an average one day a week on the grounds for six months, I felt I did not see half I wished to see.

But here in a more compact space and with more carefully selected objects of interest, I believe this will be the most satisfactorily of all the exhibitions and fairs of the world's history. Every possible arrangement has been made to make the grounds fronting upon the Bay attractive and Mr. McLaren, one of my members, who has been in full charge of our parks for thirty years is doing all possible, assisted by his almost equally skilful son and 500 workmen to make the grounds as nearly perfect as is possible. With the natural advantages and the skill of these men, I have no doubt all will think the landscape is worth coming to see and study. The buildings will not be as large, but will be equally attractive. So everyone must plan to come to our Fair next year, and get a liberal education from seeing, in less than a month's time. I hope I may see all Holt county here. Mrs. Caldwell will, as well as myself, be delighted to see you all at our home. Differing from most of my neighbors or politically, or both, I never have found kinder neighbors, or truer friends, than the people of Holt county. The Grady's, Donohoes, Cronins, Gallagher's, O'Donnells, Brennans, Campbells, Murrays, Harringtons, with Father Cassidy, who has not only built a splendid church but hundreds of splendid characters in the men and women he has trained the last 30 years, will live in my grateful and affectionate remembrance as long as any of my own church or political party. For most eight years I have kept these friends fresh in my memory and heart. The people of Kellar neighborhood, and the churches and school houses East and North where I often preached, with scores of those with whom I used to worship there, in O'Neill, have engraved their names and memory upon my heart. Hence this letter, that is fit for the waste basket if not for the press.

J. M. Caldwell.  
630 Haight St., San Francisco  
California, May 25, 1914.

## Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it if you apply Chamberlain's Liniment. W. A. Lockhard, Holmer City, N. Y., writes, "Last spring I suffered from rheumatism with terrible pains in my arms and shoulders. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and the first application relieved me. By using one bottle of it I was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers.

Supervisors' Proceedings.

O'Neill, Neb., May 26, 1914, 10 a. m. Board met, all members present except Sullivan. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Board took up the matter of Lee Hanks damage case for road damages, Mr. Hanks being represented by W. E. Scott. On motion action was held up until 1 o'clock, p. m. On motion board adjourned until 1 o'clock p. m. Th. D. Sievers, Chairman.

# Bob Lee!

Is a fine big Spanish Jack with big bone and lots of quality. He is a black with tan markings and weighs about 1,000 pounds.

## LYON

Is known to most of the breeders of this community as a good individual. He is a pure bred Percheron horse, jet black in color and weighs 1,800 pounds.

These animals will make the season at the John Hickey farm. The fee for a living colt from either of these animals is \$12.50.

## HICKEY & CARNEY

Owners.

S. F. McNichols, County Clerk.  
O'Neill, Neb., May 26, 1914, 1 p. m.  
Board met, all members present. On motion the following official bonds were approved: Ernest R. Zink, township treasurer. John P. Cook, road overseer.

Mr. Chairman: It appearing to the board that in the matter of establishment of a road petitioned for by John J. Harley and R. Ballentine and others known as road No. 234, that not enough of damages were allowed to John J. Harley to pay for the land and to construct the fence made necessary by the establishment of said road. Therefore, I move that the action of the board of Jan. 4 1914, allowing John J. Harley the sum of \$125.00 damages be rescinded and that the county clerk be instructed to cancel the warrant for that amount. And I further move that the John J. Harley be allowed the sum of \$175.00 for the establishment of said road.

H. W. Tomlinson,  
C. A. Fauquier.

Motion carried.  
To the Honorable Board of Holt County, Nebraska.

Mr. Chairman: Having been used as a public road for more than (10) ten years, I move that the following described section line be declared a public road by usage and that the county surveyor be instructed to record and plat the same on the road records of the county, to-wit: Commencing at the northwest corner of section (2) two, township (26) twenty-six, north of range (11) eleven west, in Holt county, Nebraska, and run thence south on the section line three miles to the southwest corner of section 14, township 26, range 11, and there terminate.

C. A. Fauquier,  
D. M. Stuart.

Motion carried.  
Mr. Chairman: I move that the claim No. 753, Lee Hanks, for the sum of \$1140.00 as damages on road No. 227 be and is hereby rejected for the reason that the said Lee Hanks had sufficient notice of the establishment of said road, and failed to file his claim for damages within the proper time prescribed by law.

C. A. Fauquier,  
M. P. Sullivan.

Motion carried.  
Mr. Chairman: I move you that the road petitioned for by R. P. Woepel and others giving the road bed for one mile on the section line between section 22 and 27, in township 26, range 11, be allowed as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of section 22, township 26, range 11, west and running thence west one mile to the southwest corner of said section 22-26-11, and there terminate, the above being a consent road, all land owners having waived their claims for damages by signature in petition. Also, that we instruct the county surveyor to record and plat the same.

C. A. Fauquier,  
D. M. Stuart.

Motion carried.  
Mr. Chairman: Whereas the following described section lines having been traveled continuously for the last ten years, or more, and are now lawful public roads, but fail to show on the road books of the county, and in order to make such showing, I move you that we declare them public roads "by usage," and order the county surveyor of this county to record and plat the same in the road books as such, to-wit:

Commencing at a point (known as the second commencement of road No. 110) on the section line 8.00 chains south of the northeast corner of section (1) one, township 27, north of range 16, west in Holt county, Nebraska, thence south on section line to the northeast corner of section 13, of same township and range and there terminate.

Also, commencing at the quarter section corner north of section one, township 27, range 16, west and running east on the section line between

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## I. N. Boggs

section 1 and section 36, of township 28, range 16, to the center line of road No. 110 as now recorded, and there terminate.

J. O. Hubbell,  
M. P. Sullivan.

Motion carried.

On motion board adjourned until 9 o'clock, tomorrow morning.

Th. D. Sievers, Chairman.  
S. F. McNichols, County Clerk.

O'Neill, Neb., May 27, 1914, 9 a. m.  
Board met pursuant to adjournment all members present.

Mr. Chairman: I move that the board go as a committee of the whole to view the bridge petitioned for by Wm. Hayes and others, 1 1/2 miles south of Atkinson, and to view the change in road asked for by R. J. McAllister.

J. O. Hubbell,  
H. W. Tomlinson.

Motion carried.

Mr. Chairman: I move we reconsider an action taken by the board on March 7, 1914, as shown on page 355 of Supervisors' record "J" the same relating to a public road in section 7, township 27, range 9.

M. P. Sullivan,  
H. W. Tomlinson.

Motion carried.  
Whereas, the consideration of an act of this board of date of March 7, 1814, relating to public road in section 7, township 27, north of range 9, is now before us, and as there is now reliable information at hand, parties owning land over which the public road has traveled for years giving consent to the location of public road a recent survey of the same having been made and now on record. I move that this line of road be established by "dedication" "gift" and "usage" as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the quarter section corner north of Sec. 7, town 27, range 9, west, and running south on the quarter section line 40.00 chains to the center of section; thence south 49 degrees 10 minutes east, 66.43 chains to

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JOHN W. HIBER  
Jeweler and Optician