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ONLY A SHORT TIME NOW REMAINS FOR TO DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IN. I AM READY TO WAIT ON YOU WITH A LINE OF HOLIDAY NOVELTIES AND XMAS GIFTS THAT WILL MAKE SUITABLE GIFTS FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, EVEN FOR THE BABY. COME EARLY AND SEE MY DISPLAY OF XMAS GOODS AND ANYTHING I DO NOT HAVE IN STOCK IT WILL BE A PLEASURE FOR ME TO ORDER IT FOR YOU AND HAVE IT HERE ON TIME. COME EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH.

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Ladies Furs
Kid Gloves
Silk Lined Gloves
Silk Under Skirts
Fancy Hosiery
Pair Blankets
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Sleeping Socks in Xmas Boxes

ACCEPTABLE PRESENTS

Fancy Handkerchiefs
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Embroidered Pillow Cases
Sofa Pillows
Embroidered Towels
Fancy Turkish Towels
Table Linen
Felt Sofa Pillow Covers

ACCEPTABLE PRESENTS

Pennants of All Kinds
Fancy Linens
Table Covers
Purses of All Kinds
Vanity Bags
Comfy Slippers for Men
Comfy Slippers for Ladies
Comfy Slippers for Children

MORE NICE GIFTS

Neck Ties for Men
Men's Silk Sox
Men's Silk Tie, Cuff Buttons and Pin in Fancy Box

MORE NICE GIFTS

Child's Fur Sets
Ladies' Lace Caps
Auto Veils
Whist Cards in Leather Case

MORE NICE GIFTS

Playing Cards in Leather Cases
Drinking Cups in Fancy Cases
Manicure Sets in Leather Case
Large Ivory Mirrors

MORE NICE GIFTS

Cut Glass of All Kinds
Beautiful China Pieces
New Line of Swell Pictures

I HAVE MANY ARTICLES IN STOCK, THAT ARE NOT NAMED IN ABOVE AD, THAT WOULD MAKE VERY DESIRABLE XMAS GIFTS

J. P. GALLAGHER

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sullivan, of Lincoln, arrived in the city last Sunday night to attend the funeral of Mr. Sullivan's mother, Mrs. Paul Sullivan.

John Hoff, who has been confined in the county jail here since last August, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in district court last Saturday and was given an indeterminate sentence in the penitentiary of from one to ten years. Hoff shot and killed George Purnell in the home of Thomas Marren in Atkinson on the 19th day of last August over a quarrel regarding some liquor that Hoff accused Purnell of taking.

John Sullivan and his daughters, Miss Mary and Agnes, came from Lincoln last Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Paul Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan is a brother of Paul Sullivan.

Mrs. Conrad Wetlaufer left last week for Ontario, Canada, where she will spend the winter visiting her mother and relatives. It has been twenty-nine years since Mrs. Wetlaufer left her Canadian home and she is anticipating a very pleasant visit this winter.

A letter received by a friend from Allen Nesbit, who left last week for Riverton, Wyoming, where he will enter the lumber business, announces that things are booming in that little city and he looks for a good business the coming year. He is now busy having buildings and sheds erected for the Birmingham-Nesbit Lumber Co., of which company he is secretary and manager. The president of the company is Thomas Birmingham of this city, who was engaged in the lumber business here for over a quarter of a century, selling out his interests in the Galena Lumber Company of this city something over two years ago. Mr. Birmingham knows the lumber business like a book and he is of the opinion that the company will do a splendid business in the Wyoming town that they have located in.

In District Court.

District court convened in this city last Monday morning, with Judge Dickson upon the bench.

The first case taken up was that of

the State of Nebraska against John J. Hall, charged with stabbing Willis Hopkins on the streets of Ewing last June from the result of which Hopkins died on July 10.

For the trial of this case Judge Dickson instructed Sheriff Grady to call a special venire of twenty-five men so that there would be sufficient tailsmen on hand from which to select a jury.

Practically all of Monday was spent in selecting a jury, the regular panel being exhausted and twenty of the twenty-five tailsmen examined before a jury was secured. The opening statements of counsel for the state and for the defense was made Monday afternoon and court then adjourned until Tuesday morning when the examination of witnesses commenced.

The case has progressed very rapidly and the examination of witnesses was completed this afternoon and argument of counsel will be started this morning. M. F. Harrington and J. A. Donohoe are counsel for the defendant, while A. F. Mullen is assisting County Attorney Hodgkin in the prosecution. Twenty-six witnesses were called and testified for the state, while the defense used eighteen.

From the evidence of witnesses on both sides there does not appear to be much controversy regarding the facts in the case. It appears that Hall feared Hopkins as the latter had made threats that he would lick Hall. About the only controversy among the witnesses is as to the number of blows struck. It appears that on June 27th, the day of the stabbing, Hall and Hopkins were both in Ewing, and met on the side walk. Hopkins accused Hall of talking about him and after a few words struck Hall. He struck him three or four times, different witnesses differing as to the number of times Hopkins struck him, some testifying that it was four or five times. During this time Hall stabbed Hopkins with a knife. One of the witnesses testified he seen the knife in Hall's hand and seen him strike at Hopkins with the knife, but did not see him when he secured the knife.

The defendant was placed upon the stand and swore that he feared Hopkins as the latter had made threats that he would lick him. He said that on the day of the trouble he was in Ewing on business. That he was visiting with some friends on the street and had his knife out and was whittling a stick that he held in his hand. He started down the street to see a party, still whittling the stick. When he reached the street crossing on the alley where the trouble occurred Hopkins came across the street, accosting him and accusing him of lying about him and hit him. He said that he did not know what became of the knife after that. One of Hall's sons testified that his father was partly down on the ground when he struck at Hopkins with the knife, but other witnesses testified that the men

were both on their feet when the cutting was done.

Arguments in the case will be made tomorrow and the case will be submitted to the jury some time in the afternoon. Following are the names and postoffice addresses of the jurors trying the case: John S. Bowers, Swan; A. J. Dexter, Atkinson; J. K. Ernest, O'Neill; W. J. Gray, O'Neill; Christian Henckle, Phoenix; Fred Hitchcock, Atkinson; Bruno Jacobs, Star; G. D. Janzing, O'Neill; P. A. Lundberg, O'Neill; S. L. Lofquist, Stuart; W. L. Metcalf, Ewing; Ferdinand Seibert, Atkinson.

Supervisors' Proceedings.

O'Neill, Neb., Nov. 24, 1914, 10 a. m. Board met pursuant to adjournment, Sievers, Fauquier, Stuart and Sullivan being present. No quorum being present board adjourned until 1 o'clock, p. m.

Th. D. Sievers, Chairman.
S. F. McNichols, County Clerk.
O'Neill, Neb., Nov. 24, 1914, 1 p. m. Board met pursuant to adjournment all members present except Hubbell. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion board took up the matter of the Saratoga township petition, asking that the township be divided. Upon motion petition was referred to the County Attorney.

Upon motion the following claims

were allowed against the general fund:

Anton Batenhorst\$500.00

Against the road fund:

L. W. Roberts\$234.00

Upon motion board adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Th. D. Sievers, Chairman.
S. F. McNichols, County Clerk.
O'Neill, Neb., Nov. 25, 1914, 9 a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, all members present except Hubbell. Upon motion the board again took up the Saratoga township petition. Upon motion the petition was laid over until November 27, 1914.

Upon motion the board took up the matter of auditing claims against Holt county.

Upon motion board adjourned until 1 o'clock, p. m.

Th. D. Sievers, Chairman.
S. F. McNichols, County Clerk.
O'Neill, Neb., Nov. 25, 1914, 1 p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, all members present except Hubbell. Upon motion board continued auditing claims against Holt county.

Upon motion the following claims were allowed against the general fund of Holt county:

Huse Publishing Co.\$ 25.00

Huse Publishing Co. 1.00

Huse Publishing Co. 40.00

Huse Publishing Co. 32.25

Huse Publishing Co. 1.40

Huse Publishing Co. 20.00

Huse Publishing Co. 1.70

Huse Publishing Co. 1.00

Huse Publishing Co. 25.00

Huse Publishing Co. 48.90

Huse Publishing Co. 243.50

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co.... 27.50

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co. .. 44.50

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co. .. 25.00

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co. . . 4.50

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co. . . 125.00

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co.... 30.50

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co. . . 48.50

Klopp Bartlett Printing Co. . . 44.50

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Christmas Gifts

We are unquestionably the best equipped we ever have been for the holiday season. It is impossible to tell you through the newspapers all of the splendid display of Christmas goods we have this year; it is equally impossible for you to fail to find just what you want for presents if you look over our magnificent assortment, and if you don't know what you want it is our business to assist you in making selections.

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AND ALL ARE OFFERED AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

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Toilet Sets	Candies	Mirrors	Books
Perfumes	Cigars	Fountain Pens	Smoking Sets
Etc.	Etc.	Etc.	Etc.

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