

# THE FRONTIER.

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## LOCAL MATTERS.

J. W. Brentson of Mineola was an O'Neill visitor yesterday.

Calmer Simonson of Agee was in the city yesterday transacting business.

James Beachamp of Meek was in the city Friday and had his name added to our list.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Selah at the home of her father, W. E. Conklin, a girl, on last Friday.

Charles Kohler of Page was a caller at this office last Friday and had his name added to The Frontier's list.

Thomas Nolan left for Lincoln last Monday where he will take the state examination for admission to the bar.

Harry Dowling of Harlan, Iowa, was in the city the first of the week looking after his business interests in this vicinity.

Miss Ireneia Biglin and Miss Margaret Dorsey left the first of the week for Wayne, where they will attend the State Normal.

Samuel Beaver left last Monday morning for Sioux City, Iowa, to attend the annual encampment of the Iowa G. A. R.

The second Monday in June is the time for holding the annual school meeting, according to the new law passed last winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips, who live northeast of this city, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home on June 1st.

Davis Brothers are just completing a new six room residence for Charles McKinney on his farm north of the city, occupied by J. H. Shultz.

The next regular term of the district court will convene in this city next Monday. Several cases of importance is on the docket for trial at this term.

Miss Laura Beula, who has been teaching elocution and physical culture in St. Mary's Academy the past year, left last Monday morning for her home in Waupon, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Snyder went down to Allen last Saturday morning to attend the funeral of Mr. Snyder's brother-in-law, C. E. Warner, who died at that place last Friday afternoon.

Pauline Koskovich, who was engaged in the millinery business here about a year ago, was married at Randolph, Neb., last Monday to August F. Singer, a druggist of Greenville, Iowa.

The barn on the farm of William Boedecker was struck by lightning during the heavy rain storm last Thursday night and the barn and two cows were burned. Mr. Boedecker carried \$600 insurance on the barn and cattle.

From present indications Holt county will harvest the largest small grain crop in her history. Winter

wheat is especially fine. Some of our readers tell us that they have winter wheat they firmly believe will yield 40 bushels to the acre or better.

U. G. Conn, president of the Wayne State Normal, is in the city today to address the Holt county teachers institute now in session here.

Attorney D. L. Jouvemat of Atkinson transacted legal business in this city Tuesday. He also ordered this disseminator of current events sent to his address for the ensuing year.

Clyde Fitch, who was employed in the Phelan barber shop here a couple of years ago, met with an accident in Missouri Valley, Iowa, a couple of weeks ago which resulted in his death. He fell under a train and had both legs taken off, and lived only a few hours afterwards.

A ball team representing this city went up to Gordon last Saturday and played the team Monday and Tuesday. The first game was won by O'Neill with a score of 9 to 4. We have failed to learn what the score of Tuesday's game was. On Wednesday they played at Long Pine and emerged with the short end of a 14 to 2 score.

Sheriff Grady took R. L. Donnell, the old gentleman who was picked up by Mr. Metcalf on the old Trussell ranch last week, to the insane asylum at Norfolk Wednesday afternoon. The local officials have been unable to find out anything regarding the old gentleman or where he came from.

O. F. Biglin received a telegram last Monday announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. Mary Biglin at Scranton, Pa., at the advanced age of eighty-seven years. Mrs. Biglin was a former resident of this county, living on a farm about five miles southwest of this city, but returned to Pennsylvania about twenty-six years ago, where she had since made her home.

The Holt County Teachers Institute is in session in this city this week and O'Neill is filled with Holt county's charming teachers. According to an O'Neill young man, who is supposed, from his varied experience to be able to speak with authority, the members of the present institute are better looking than those who have attended sessions of the institute in recent years.

William Gumb, one of the pioneer residents of Wyoming township and one of the largest stockmen of the southwestern portion of the county, was an O'Neill visitor last Tuesday. Mr. Gumb says that all the ponds and lakes in that portion of the county are now filled with water again, the first time in several years and that this year Holt county will harvest one of the largest hay crops in her history.

William Laviolette came up from North Bend last Sunday night to spend a few days visiting old-time friends and to look after business matters. Bill says that farming

## JORDAN'S STORE NEWS

The philosopher said, go west young man, go west. I did go west, but didn't see anything that looked as good to me as O'Neill. So I have decided to put in a Hardware and Furniture store here at O'Neill. Not the biggest store in O'Neill, but I intend to make it the best, and will at all times keep a complete stock of everything in my line.

I have cut my expenses down to a minimum and will sell for cash, and by doing so can certainly sell you the goods right. My motto will be not all that I can get, for my goods, but all I can give you for your money.

Harry G. Jordan.

South side Douglas Street in Ogden Hotel Building.

## COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES ST. MARY'S ACADEMY

June 16, 1915.

PIANO SEXTETTE—"Tyrolienne"..... Ravina  
First Piano, Misses Loretta Higgins, Agnes Hughes.  
Second Piano, Misses Ethel Kasper, Irma Fisher.  
Third Piano, Misses Neoma O'Kief, Bridget Carr.

CHORUS—"Greeting to Spring"..... Johan Strauss  
St. Mary's Choral Class.

SALUTATORY..... Miss Helen Mullen  
PIANO DUO—"Grand Caprice Hongrois"..... Ketterer  
Piano A., Miss Shirley Engle.  
Piano B., Miss Marguerite Maneman.

VOCAL SOLO—"Voices of the Woods"..... A. Rubenstein  
Miss Bridget Carr.

SEXTETTE..... "Overture D' Oberin"  
First Piano, Misses Shirley Engle, Loretta Higgins.  
Second Piano, Misses Marguerite Haneman, Helen Mullen.  
Third Piano, Misses Ethel Kasper, Neoma O'Kief.

VALEDICTORY..... Miss Mae D. Hammond  
CONFERRING OF HONORS..... by Very Rev. M. F. Cassidy  
ADDRESS..... by Rev. Wm. Quinlan, S. J. of Creighton University

### Senior Class of 1915.

Bessie M. Armstrong, O'Neill, Neb., A. Lucile Berigan, O'Neill, Neb., Bridget E. Carr, Stafford, Neb., Shirley A. Engle, Norfolk, Neb., Irma A. Fisher, Wahoo, Neb., Rose M. Gregor, O'Neill, Neb., Marguerite M. Haneman, Ewing, Neb., Loretta M. Higgins, Platte Center, Neb., Agnes V. Hughes, Battle Creek, Neb., Mae D. Hammond, O'Neill, Neb., Hilda C. Hirsch, O'Neill, Neb., Maude H. Jones, Lusk, Wyoming, Mae E. Keip, O'Neill, Neb., Ethel B. Kasper, Wahoo, Neb., Helen E. Keber, Clearwater, Neb., Esther S. Kelleher, Tilden, Neb., Anna A. Magirl, O'Neill, Neb., Ursula M. McHugh, O'Neill, Neb., Helen V. Mullen, O'Neill, Neb., Ruth M. O'Malley, Creighton, Neb., Neoma M. O'Kief, Woodlake, Neb., Agnes D. Viquain, Springview, Neb.

### Eighth Grade Graduates, Class of 1915.

Helen C. Biglin, O'Neill, Neb., Grace H. Campbell, O'Neill, Neb., Hester R. Carmichael, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Grace M. Cattier, Martin, S. D., Loretta B. Cronin, O'Neill, Neb., Gretna M. Dolan, O'Neill, Neb., Arthur J. Hammond, O'Neill, Neb., Theresa C. Harrington, O'Neill, Neb., Ina E. Hirsch, O'Neill, Neb., Veronica E. Kirscht, Calhan, Colorado, Clara A. Martin, Joy, Neb., Catherine P. Morrison, O'Neill, Neb., Bessie F. McLeod, O'Neill, Neb., Marie M. Seidell, Chadron, Neb., Mary G. Smith, O'Neill, Neb., Mayren N. Thomas, O'Neill, Neb., Agnes C. Tierney, O'Neill, Neb., Leota M. Tomjack, Ewing, Neb., Helen I. Townsend, Page, Neb., Anselm T. Whelan, O'Neill, Neb.

operations are considerably backward in that section of the state also on account of the extreme wet weather, but from appearances they did not have near as much rain there last week as there was in this section of the state.

At the meeting of the bankers association of group six at Ainsworth last Thursday S. J. Weekes, cashier of the O'Neill National of this city, was elected president of the association for the ensuing year. The next meeting of the association will be held at Valentine next June. The O'Neill delegation that attended the Ainsworth meeting returned Friday and report having had a splendid meeting at Ainsworth and a very agreeable time.

Prof. G. E. Condra, of the State University, was in the city Wednesday and addressed the Holt county teachers institute Wednesday morning. In the afternoon Prof. Condra exhibited the moving picture films of Nebraska resources to a crowded house in the Royal Theatre. Before leaving Prof. Condra said he would return to this county some time during the summer and take some pictures of Holt county scenes which would be placed in the film for display in eastern states.

Frank A. Anderson of Holdrege, Neb., Grand Master Workman of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, will be in O'Neill on Thursday evening, June 17, and will address the members of the order of this county and such others as care to attend. Mr. Anderson is making a tour of the state and the meeting here will be attended by members of the order from the different towns of the county. Whether you are a member of the order or not you will be welcome to attend the meeting.

Arthur McKay, Lew Reimers and Brandt Anson were all out in a boat on the Elkhorn Sunday looking for a lost sow and pigs, when they met with an accident says a Ewing correspondent of the Norfolk Daily News. They were going down the river when their boat ran into a wire stretched across the stream and turned turtle

throwing them all into the water. Fortunately they were near the shore and made their escape to land with only a few minor bruises and scratches. The boat was secured but the oars, two caps, a pair of rubber boots and a new pair of gloves were lost in the raging waters.

Johannes Schwarz, aged fifty-nine of Chambers, and Miss Charlotte Stockman, aged sixty-five of Bloomington, Ill., were united in marriage by County Judge Carlon at the county court room last Wednesday afternoon. The lady was master of ceremonies and was very careful to secure a certificate of her marriage from the court so that she could show that she was really married. She was also solicitous regarding the legality of the marriage and asked if the marriage by the court was as legal as it would have been had they been married by a minister. The court informed her that she was very much married and that it was as legal as if the ceremony had been performed by a minister. When she left the court room she said they might decide to have a ceremony performed by a minister also.

**WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST**  
For week beginning Wednesday, June 9, 1915. For Upper Mississippi Valley and Plains States: Showers are probable about the 11th and again on the 15th. The cool spell at the beginning of the period will quickly give way to warmer weather, and a short period of cool night temperatures will set in about the 11th, alternating with warm weather until the end of the period.

**The Cost of Bridges.**  
Nebraska Farmer: By planning to build its own steel bridges, Seward county has brought the bridge trust to its knees. The county has been building its own wooden bridges and doing its own repair work, but it has not erected any steel bridges. Last winter the county board decided to build five new steel bridges and advertised for bids. All the bids were

rejected, because they were considered unreasonably high, and the board at once planned to buy the materials and construct the bridges itself, under the supervision of a bridge superintendent. Then the trust "came across." The branch of the trust to which this part of the country has apparently been assigned, offered to build the bridges for about \$10,000 less than its former bid, or a little more than one third the price previously named. By this offer the county gets the bridges cheaper than it could build them itself. Bridge men say the company will not make anything on the contract, but "we should worry" is the attitude of the county board. This incident contains a broad hint to county boards in other counties where the bridge trust has fattened at the expense of the taxpayers.

### Oiled Streets.

Blair Pilot: Whatever our views may be in regard to Blair's oiled streets they are certainly performing one function which was not on the bill board at the time the oiled street agitation was rife. Several months after the application of the oil it was noticed that the big trees which for many years have been sources of shade to the business district as well as a menace to the upper windows and roofs of the business houses, were dying. Whether or not they had already begun to die is not recorded but the application of the oil did not tend to preserve their health, be it good or otherwise. Therefore the mandate has gone forth from the city dads that all such trees shall be cut down, to the end that human life and property shall not be endangered by reason of their fall during the next period of zephyrs. And right here we want to commend those city dads for the action taken in felling the old trees most of which have been in a process of slow death for some time, and hasten to add that their predecessors builded better than they knew when they poured oil, not on the troubled waters, but on Blair's dusty streets. They may not have settled the dust question any better than the oil has settled the dust but they have hastened the downfall of the trees which after all were but of doubtful value. Blair will now present a more citified appearance rather than resembling an ancient New England village. Now if that pavement get's put down and a sewer system installed we will not be so far behind the other towns of our size after all.

### Galloway Cattle.

Twenty-five head of full blood cows and heifers for sale, or to let on shares for three years to responsible party, having good accommodations for keeping them. Best of references required. Also two extra good young bulls for sale, yearling and two-year-old. For particulars Address James A. Mullen, Horsefoot P. O., Rock County, Nebraska. (20 miles southwest of Long Pine.) 52-2

### Sioux City-O'Neill Auto Route.

Wayne Herald: As an aftermath of the meeting held in Allen a few weeks ago to promote an automobile route from Sioux City to O'Neill, and one from Sioux City to Norfolk, delegations from northeast Nebraska towns gathered in Wayne yesterday afternoon as previously arranged, to hear and act upon reports of committees chosen to select the most feasible lines. Definite headway was made. The committees' reports, fixing proposed routes, were adopted, and suitable markings determined.

The meeting, held in the city hall, with towns of Wakefield, Hoskins, Emerson, Wayne, Norfolk, Allen, Laurel, Randolph and Belden represented, was called to order by W. S. Hart of Allen. E. Cunningham of Wayne was elected chairman, and E. W. Huse of Wayne secretary.

Following preliminary explanations, W. S. Hart, in behalf of the committee chosen to select the route from Sioux City to O'Neill, reported in favor of a line touching Jackson, Vista, Allen, Dixon, Laurel, Belden, Randolph, Plainview, and from thence to O'Neill. A motion to accept and adopt the report excited some discussion as to the permanency of the decision. Mr. Parish, secretary of the Norfolk commercial club, opposed the proposed route, speaking in favor of a route that would touch Norfolk. Finally a vote was taken, each town represented being entitled to one vote, with the understanding that approval meant definite location of the route. The motion was carried with one dissenting vote.

Then followed a report on the proposed Sioux City route, presented by Fred S. Berry. The report proposed a line touching Dakota City, Homer, Emerson, Wakefield, Wayne, Winside, Hoskins, and then on to Norfolk, and was adopted by a vote of five to three.

These reports out of the way, the question of properly marking the two routes was considered and discussed. A motion prevailed to mark the Sioux City-Norfolk route with a six-inch circle around telephone polls, with a ten-inch white mark underneath and eight feet from the ground. A motion carried to mark the Sioux City-O'Neill route with a six-inch white circle above eight inches of blue, eight feet from the ground. Included in the motion for marking each route was provision for danger signals, indicating the direction of danger. Danger signals are to be painted on white boards, using four inch letters. Towns touched by each route agree to look after the markings according to the understanding of the meeting.

The business for which the meeting had been called having been transacted an adjournment was taken.

**A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE LOAN** company will be in this locality to inspect loans within ten days. Money ready when loan is accepted and papers drawn. Have your application ready. L. G. Gillespie, Agent. 51-1f

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