

Extra Special Sale!

15,000 yards of Outing Flannel, Percale and Muslin, 36 inches wide, regular prices 40c and 35c per yard, all go at 24 cents per yard. 65 pairs blankets, regular price \$4.00, all go at \$2.69 per pair. All aprons on hand, regular prices \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.25, \$2.00, all go at \$1.49. Men's overcoats, suits and dress pants on this extra sale.

At Anton Toy's Store

LOCAL MATTERS.

Another slight outbreak of flu is reported from Ewing.

Chris. Sorenson, of Willowdale, was an O'Neill visitor Wednesday.

Attorney Jouvenat, of Atkinson, was an O'Neill visitor Saturday.

P. D. Mullen was a Northwestern passenger for Omaha Tuesday morning.

Oliver Conner, of Ewing, made this office a pleasant call while in the city Wednesday.

The regular February term of the district court, for Holt county, will convene Monday.

Mrs. Viola Brown made a business trip to Norfolk Monday, returning Tuesday evening.

The village of Page will have a pool hall, the village board having voted to license one.

Ernest Majors, of Chambers, was an O'Neill visitor and a pleasant caller at this office Monday.

C. H. Root, of Atkinson, in the service in France, has received his discharge and returned home.

Frank Goebel and family, residents of Stuart, for the past several years, have removed to Raeville, Neb.

George W. Mellor shipped a car of cattle to Omaha Tuesday morning. Leon Mellor accompanied the shipment.

Lowell Miller, of Page, who has been in the overseas service, has received his discharge and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mlinar have returned from Norfolk where Mr. Mlinar recently was operated upon for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tenant and family, of Atkinson, have removed to Lincoln, where they will make their future home.

P. J. McManus, who was confined to his residence the first of the week with a slight illness, is able to be about again.

The Boyd county good roads convention to have been held in Spencer Tuesday has been postponed to Tuesday, February 4.

Misses Octavia Beck and Hazel Walker returned Sunday night from Lincoln having spent the week end visiting friends.

Arthur Miller, of Atkinson, recently discharged from the service at San Antonio, Texas, spent Sunday here visiting with friends.

Mrs. Wilbur Bennett, of Ewing, who was operated upon for appendicitis in an Omaha hospital recently, is recovering and soon will be able to return home.

Miss Dollie Stearns, of Norfolk, who has been nursing influenza cases in the vicinity for several weeks, returned to Norfolk Tuesday afternoon.

George A. Coventry of the Inman firm of Watson & Coventry, general merchants, has disposed of his interests to his partner.

Miss Louise Coventry, of Inman, who has been studying as a nurse at a Norfolk hospital, was operated upon for appendicitis last week.

L. E. Puckett has purchased the A. F. Brehmer place, northwest of O'Neill, at \$55 per acre. Mr. Brehmer has removed to Bloomfield, Neb.

George Dahlstrom, of Alda, Neb., has purchased the Howard LaRue section of land, southeast of O'Neill, at \$41 per acre, and will remove thereon.

M. J. Enright left Monday morning for Omaha accompanied by his wife's uncle, Mr. Hannigan, who will remain there for a while taking treatment for his eyes.

Sergeant Wefso, Phillip Johnson and William Meyers, of Stuart, all of whom have been in service in France, have received their discharges and returned home.

Lieut. A. C. Smith, of Goose Lake, was an O'Neill visitor Wednesday. Mr. Smith will hold a public sale February 25, preparatory to removing to South Dakota.

The revival meetings at the Methodist church, Inman, have been discontinued indefinitely owing to the illness of both the regular pastor and the evangelist.

Miss Murillo Arkfeld, formerly of Inman, and Mr. Richard C. Miller, were united in marriage at Battle Creek last week, the Rev. Father Walsh officiating.

R. A. Baker, for a long time deputy in the county treasurer's office in this city, came down from Johnston, Nebraska, the first of the week for a short visit with friends.

Frank Campbell returned Saturday from Lincoln, where he was in attendance at the meeting of the state fair board as the representative of the Holt County Fair association.

The county board of supervisors, which has been in session several weeks checking up county officials, took a recess Saturday afternoon and will convene again Monday.

Mrs. George Longstaff has received word that her mother, Mrs. John Bailey, of Kansas City, who has been seriously ill, is recovering and soon will be able to be about again.

State Senator Brooks has introduced a bill to require all vehicles to be equipped with a white light in front

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Friday Evening, January 31st

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Reserved Seats, 75c; General, 50c; Children, 25c.

and a red one in the rear when on the public highways after sundown.

H. J. Porter, of Chambers, district grand master, I. O. O. F., was in O'Neill Tuesday afternoon enroute to Atkinson, where he installed officers of the local lodge Tuesday evening.

Ewing may have a \$25,000, modern hotel building. Several of the leading citizens of the town have launched the project and about one-fifth of the money already has been subscribed.

Mrs. George Miner, one of the early residents of Stuart, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Mulford, of Stuart, last week, after an extended illness. Burial was in Stuart cemetery.

Recognizing that it is practically impossible to get road workers at three dollars per day any more, the legislature is considering a measure to raise the per diem of road overseers to \$5.

The opening of the high school basketball season will be Friday night, when at the high school gymnasium both the boys' and girls' first teams will meet the like teams of the Bassett high school.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature requiring that teachers salaries be paid during periods that schools are closed because of epidemics. The present law does not make the payment of these salaries mandatory.

The legislature, because of the recent influenza epidemic, is revising and making more drastic the health laws. A new bill provides that the county superintendent, sheriff and physician shall compose the county board of health.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reifer, who will hold a sale of their effects Saturday, will remove to Omaha in the near future. Mr. Reifer has purchased a hotel and rooming house at the corner of Twenty-sixth and Farnam streets, that city.

A legislative measure pending in the state senate provides that incorporated towns and villages in counties under township organization may retain one-half of all money collected therein for road purposes, to be used as a street fund.

O'Neill will have another picture show, starting about the middle of February. Frank Campbell, who has charge of the K. C. hall, will be in charge of the new venture and announces that only a high grade of pictures will be shown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Roth, who recently disposed of their farm and household effects, left Tuesday enroute to their new home at Wellesley, Ontario. They however will not go di-

rect but will spend some time visiting friends on the way.

Edward Reardon, of Alliance, who has just returned from overseas, arrived in the city Saturday evening for a short visit with his brother, H. J. Reardon. He left Tuesday morning to visit Omaha relatives.

A legislative measure that will bring joy to the hearts of owners and operators of automobiles and tractors is one recently introduced to require dealers in these necessities of life to carry in stock repairs for the particular machines they handle.

W. H. Long of the sales department of the Chevrolet Motor company of Minnesota was an O'Neill visitor Monday, looking for a representative to handle the Chevrolet in this territory. Any one interested should apply to the company at Minneapolis.

An amendment to the road laws is pending in the legislature to permit county boards in counties of 10,000 and more inhabitants to lay out, construct and improve any roads within the county. They at present have not this authority except on designated roads.

Vincent Krziza, of Stuart, will return to Europe to witness the re-assembling of the partitioned kingdom of Poland. Mr. Krziza has disposed of his effect and left last week for Chicago to meet his son, Joseph From Chicago he will go to New York to procure passports.

The Rev. George Longstaff and Mrs. Longstaff will be "at home" to all their friends on Monday, February 3rd from 3 o'clock to 6 o'clock, p. m., and again immediately after the concert at the Royal Theatre in the evening. The occasion being their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Another effort is being made in the legislature to hand county office incumbents a couple of extra years on the salary roll. A bill pending extends the terms of clerks of the district court, county commissioners and supervisors and county assessors to 1922, and for four year terms after that.

County Agent Lancaster now has a downtown office and in the future will be found in the front office room of the building occupied by County Attorney Chapman. The county agent and the county board decided upon the removal of the agent's office from the courthouse that it might be more accessible to the farmers.

William B. Barnard arrived here Friday night from San Antonio, Texas, where he has been in the service for some time, but has been discharged. "Mink" is, as yet, undecided where he will locate, but will remain

here for a couple of weeks visiting with his folks and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenna now are cosily installed in their new bungalow, recently completed, at the corner of Second and Douglas streets.

A bill has been introduced in the house of representatives at Lincoln to permit the investment of the state school funds in liberty bonds at par. The bill would permit those who have traded blue sky for liberty bonds, and others to whom the ownership of such bonds is distasteful, to get rid of them.

A bill now before the state senate requires that persons selling automobiles, either new or secondhand, must deliver to the purchaser a bill of sale attested by the county treasurer. This will be a check both on the sale of stolen cars and the operation of cars under other than the owner's license number.

Judge John Grooch, sr., of Rock Falls township is visiting O'Neill friends and relatives for a few days. Judge Grooch and Otto Cleivish were tied at the recent election for justice of the peace of the township and on Mr. Cleivish's relinquishing his 50 per cent claim to the honors Mr. Grooch assumed the duties of the position.

County Judge C. J. Malone qualified in the hiking test for boy scouts Sunday. To become a first-class scout the candidate is required to make a ten mile hike, observing the scenery, etc., along the road. The judge, who has always been a good scout, hiked to Emmet Sunday and rode back on the afternoon train. He now is entitled to be called a first-class scout.

Wednesday was carnation day, so named to commemorate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the birth of William McKinley, twenty-fifth president of the United States, by the Carnation League of America. The carnation was the martyred president's favorite flower. McKinley's birthday was fittingly observed in many of the cities and towns of the country and in the public schools generally.

A post card received at this office from Captain T. V. Golden of the American expeditionary forces, son of John Golden formerly of O'Neill, states that the detachment of the army of occupation to which he is assigned has left Mondorf-Les-Bains, Luxem-

burg, and now is in Germany. "We are having one of those December snows that makes us all homesick. It is close to Christmas and I guess we are entitled to be homesick," he says in closing.

County Agent Lancaster and Mrs. Lancaster returned Friday evening from Lincoln where they had been in attendance at the conference of county agents the past week. About sixty agents were in attendance at the meeting. Thursday a meeting of the state farm bureau, with delegates from each county, was held, Representative Bethea and D. D. Miles, of Dorsey, representing Holt county. The annual banquet for the county agents and delegates to the farm bureau convention was held at the Lincoln hotel Thursday evening, Senator D. H. Cronin being one of the guests of honor.

The local fuel administration has received notice that zone restrictions on anthracite coal, except stove and chestnut sizes, have been removed and that hard coal may be shipped into the state from Pennsylvania. Zone restrictions, prices and margins on bituminous coal and coke will be suspended February 1, subject to reinstatement if necessary. This includes mine prices, wholesale and retail margins and prices, and purchasing agents commissions. After that date dealers may purchase bituminous coal and coke from any mine or in any market to which they have access. Smokeless coal cannot be bought or shipped from docks without a permit.

County Superintendent Miss Anna Donohoe returned Saturday from Lincoln, where she was in attendance at the annual meeting of county superintendents of public instruction. The meeting was addressed by Governor McKelvie and several of the members of the legislature and educational legislation discussed. In his address Governor McKelvie favored the enactment of legislation prohibiting the teaching of any foreign language in private or graded schools below the high school and also advocated that teachers in all schools be required to be possessed of the qualifications required of teachers in the public schools. He is opposed to the unqualified abolishment of private and parochial schools.



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