

**OLD WOOD TO BURN
OLD BOOKS TO READ
OLD FRIENDS TO TRUST**

TO YOU, OLD FRIENDS, WHO HAVE WEATHERED THE STORMS OF THESE EVENTFUL YEARS, WHOSE ABIDING GOODWILL HAS EVER BEEN A SILVER LINING TO THE DARKEST CLOUD—OUR CORDIAL GREETINGS TO YOU ALL, AND MAY PROSPEROUS AND CONTENTED DAYS MAKE BRIGHT THE COMING YEAR.

J. C. HORISKEY.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Attorney Alex Searl was down from Atkinson Wednesday.

Arnold Longstaff arrived home Saturday evening for the holidays.

J. D. Cronin left this morning on a business trip to Sioux City, Iowa.

The Frontier wishes all its readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. LaPage of Lincoln, spent the holidays with relatives in this city.

Miss Fern Hubbard, who is attending the state university, arrived home last week to spend the holidays.

Cletas Morrissy left last Thursday morning for Shullsburg, Wisconsin, to spend the holidays with the home folks.

Miss Genevieve Biglin came up from Sioux City last Thursday evening to spend the holidays with the home folks.

J. P. Protivinsky, who is operating a flouring mill at Dodge, Nebr., came last Thursday evening to spend the holidays.

Ira H. Moss of Atkinson, clerk of the district court elect, was attending to business matters in this city last Wednesday.

Miss Mary McCarthy, who is attending business college at Omaha, came home last Friday to spend the Christmas vacation.

Walter Stein left this morning for Rochester, Minn., where he goes to consult the Mayo Brothers regarding the condition of his health.

Miss Mary Lorge came up from Randolph last Saturday evening and spent Sunday and Monday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cronin.

Miss Margaret Donohoe, who is one of the teachers in the Omaha public schools, arrived in the city the latter part of last week to spend the holidays with home folks.

John Harrington of Douglas, Wyoming, arrived in the city last Friday morning to spend the holidays visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Harrington.

The Misses Viola and Catherine Shoemaker of Stanton, Nebr., are

spending the holidays in this city at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Yantzi.

W. B. Barnard of Casper Wyo., arrived in the city the latter part of last week to spend the holidays with home folks. "Mink" is now engaged in the real estate and insurance business at Casper and is doing nicely.

Frank O'Donnell, who is attending Creighton College of Law, arrived in the city last Thursday evening to spend Christmas visiting at the home of his mother. He returned to Omaha Wednesday morning to resume his studies.

Lawrence Chapman, who is now connected with an insurance company with headquarters in Denver, Colorado, arrived in the city the latter part of last week to spend the holidays visiting home folks. Lawrence is looking hale, hearty and prosperous.

Al Souser, who has been at Walton, Wyoming, the past year, returned home last Thursday morning and will spend the winter here. He says that things are very quiet in Wyoming at the present time and that there are hundreds of men without employment in that section.

In extending his subscription to this household necessity S. J. B. Johnson of Fairmont, Minn., for many years a resident of this city and an employee of the McGinnis Creamery Co., says that they like their new home very much but still think of this city and their many friends here and eagerly look forward to the weekly visits of The Frontier.

Judge R. R. Dickson was in Lincoln the first of the week, where he attended the annual meeting of the state bar association, and accompanied by several of the district judges of the state, attended a meeting called by the governor to discuss matters to be submitted by the governor to the coming session of the legislature.

George Harrington, who has been engaged in the real estate business at Gordon the past year, came down last Friday to spend Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Harrington. He returned to Gordon Wednesday evening where he will close up his business affairs and will

return home and enter the office of his father and study law.

Mrs. Sarah J. Bressler, mother of George W. Bressler, died at the home of her son in this city last Tuesday morning, of ailments due to advanced years, at the age of 90 years. Deceased was born in Pennsylvania, but had been a resident of this state for a number of years, for the past ten making her home with her son in this county. The body was shipped to Wisner, the old family home, this morning for interment.

A few of our readers have remitted their subscription during the past three weeks but there are hundreds of others whom we would be pleased to see extend their subscriptions. To any person \$2.00 is not a very large amount, but we have several hundred who are owing us \$2.00 and more and it means quite a sum to us. Do not wait for us to send you a statement but send in your remittance at once and we will gladly return receipt.

The people of this city and vicinity will have an opportunity next Tuesday evening of hearing one of Ireland's young patriots tell the story of her wrongs at the hands of Great Britain. The speaker will be Peter Golden of Macroom, county Cork, Ireland, a cousin of the late heroic Lord Mayor MacSwiney. Mr. Golden is making a tour of this country appealing for the moral support of the people of the United States in their struggle for freedom. He is said to be a very gifted orator and the people of this city are promised a rare treat.

THE FAMILY ALBUM OF OUR GOVERNMENT

Interesting Pictures Take Place of Many Words In Series of Popular Booklets.

For five consecutive months there has been mailed to many homes throughout this community a series of illustrated articles on the activities and achievements of the different departments of the United States Government. The writers of this series of stories have succeeded admirably in keeping away from the old stereotyped style of government articles, and in showing in a fascinating way how each of the various factors of our government serves the individual man, woman and child.

The illustrations have been very effective in holding the interest. Their range makes this series a family of the government departments and has added greatly to the eagerness with which the articles are being received by children and those of foreign birth as well as by fullfledged citizens. Thus far this collection has comprised the Declaration of Independence; The World's Biggest Job—The Presidency; The Department of State; The Post Office Department; The World's Foremost Engineer—The Department of the Interior. Each of these stories has been prepared after a most careful survey and original research which has brought the account of the ever-changing functions of each department up to the minute.

Farm Near Page For Sale

320 acres, 100 acres broke, balance hay land. This is unimproved, described as North 1/2 of Section 18, Township 29, Range 9. Asking \$37.50 per acre, but look it over, and let me know what it is worth to you, as I must sell. This is only 6 miles north of Page.

D. Linahan, Owner
3310 Myrtle Avenue, Omaha, Nebr.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES.

There were 218 applicants for teacher's examination, November 20th November 24th, the Amelia school, District No. 228, Misses Alta White and Mildred Riley teachers, gave an entertainment which consisted of a program and pie social which netted them \$28.70 to be used in improving the interior of the school rooms.

A very interesting basket ball game was played December 11 in the gymnasium of the O'Neill High School between Chambers and O'Neill teams. In the girls' game the decision was given to Chambers and the boys' game to O'Neill.

Districts No. 53, 13, and 18, Misses Louise French, Grace Searles, and Bessie Frost teachers, had programs and box socials recently, net proceeds \$40.00, \$60.55, and \$19.50 respectively, same to be applied on equipment for their schools.

Last week the Domestic Science class of the Ewing Public School commenced serving hot lunches at noon to the teachers and students. The price of lunch is from 15c to 30c.

The Parent-Teachers' Society of Ewing held their first meeting recently. More than one hundred people were present. This is a splendid organization and cannot fail to bring the teacher and parent to a better understanding, thereby securing co-operation which will undoubtedly secure better results in school work.

Chambers school has closed for two weeks. A new heating plant is being installed in the new building.

The European Relief Council, Herbert Hoover, National Chairman, is planning a drive to secure \$33,000,000 in America for the relief of the thousands of starving children in Europe—innocent victims of the war. Ten dollars will provide the coat, boots and stockings, and one hot meal a day for one child this winter. Now is the opportune time for teachers to stimulate

in the children that spirit of sharing with other children who are less fortunate than themselves. Socials may be given, also contributions given by each child in order to secure money for this worthy cause. Any money sent me will be forwarded to the proper person for distribution.

A number of pupils in our schools have earned Diplomas of Honor for perfect attendance. Any one earning two Diplomas of Honor may secure a beautiful "Punctuality" pin with safety clasp if they will mail the two diplomas to the county superintendent.

This office supplies perfect spelling booklets to teachers for use in their schools, also perfect spelling pins.

Several teachers in the county have failed to send me their preliminary report which is among the set of blanks mailed from this office to each teacher in the county.

Friday evening, December 17th, the Ewing girls' basket ball team and the boys' basket ball team played the return game in the O'Neill High School gymnasium. It was one of the most interesting games of the season. A large and enthusiastic audience was present. The score was as follows: Girls: Ewing 17, O'Neill 16. Boys: Ewing 21, O'Neill 24.

ANNA DONOHOE,
County Superintendent.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the O'Neill National Bank will be held in the banking rooms of said bank in O'Neill, Nebraska, between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. on January 11, 1921, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

S. J. WEEKES
President.

IRELAND!

Peter Golden of Macroom, County Cork, Ireland, and M. F. Harrington of this city, will address the people of O'Neill on Tuesday evening, January 4th. Mr. Golden came from Ireland but a couple of months ago and can tell of present day conditions in that country. He is a cousin of the heroic Lord Mayor MacSwiney, and is said to be a gifted speaker.

Don't Fail to Attend

The Deming Theatre Company has been holding down the boards at the K. C. theatre this week. This company is one of the best that has visited this city for several years and they are entitled to better patronage than they have been receiving. The leading man, leading lady and the comedian are especially strong, in fact the latter is by far the best in his line that has ever appeared in O'Neill. This company will be here the balance of the week, closing Saturday night and if you desire a good evening's entertainment do not fail to go and see them.

The county board met in regular session last Tuesday to clean up the year's business. Three members of the present board, Supervisors Schollmeyer, Rotherham and Chairman F. C. Watson retire from the board after the first of the year and will be succeeded by new men. Supervisor Schollmeyer will be succeeded by L. C. McKim of Opportunity; L. E. Skidmore of Ewing, will succeed Supervisor Rotherham, while Chairman Watson will be succeeded by S. S. Riley of Amelia. Of the new members Supervisor-elect Skidmore is the only one that has had experience as a member of the county board. He has served about ten years as a member of the county board and also served one term as county assessor. The retiring members have made good faithful servants of the people but all are happy at the thought of retiring to private life.

A Mind Reader.

Kansas City Star: "Come now! Don't look so miserable," said the photographer. "Just pretend in your own mind that you are going to get married tomorrow."

"Dad-burn the dad-burn luck!" returned the sitter, "That's precisely what I am going to!"

The text is written in popular style and gives a clear idea of the duties of the United States government departments and of the work of each of them in furthering the individual interests of every resident within the borders of the country. It is to the enterprise and community interest of the Nebraska State Bank that the distribution of this material is due.

The first folder contains the story of the Declaration of Independence, with illustrations of the scenes that are associated with the event. Next comes an article on the Presidency with unusual historical prints and portraits.

This is followed by a booklet on the Department of State with an account of its history and the part it has played in the great game of international politics. The story of the Post Office Department, which comes next, gives a most interesting and well written account of the difficulties which have been overcome in order that every remote outpost of our far-flung territory may be in constant touch with every other Post Office within our borders.

The latest article to appear is a fascinating story of the work of the Department of the Interior with unusually interesting illustrations, picturing the work of the government's engineers and of the Great National Parks, Yellowstone and Mesa Verde, which are maintained under this department's jurisdiction. This series is of very real value. Not only is it interesting and entertaining but it is educational in a high degree, and it is most timely.

We understand that it is still possible to obtain the back numbers of this series and the portfolios designed to preserve them in permanent form by making personal application during business hours.

LAND FOR SALE!

320 acres Knox County, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Verdel, rolling land, 140 acres cultivated in one field balance meadow and pasture, small stream of water in pasture and considerable timber, good productive soil, improvements are light, school house on land; price \$75 per acre, reasonable terms.

160 acres Knox County; level Missouri bottom land, located 5 miles southeast of Verdel, 7 miles northwest of Niobrara, fair set of improvements, 80 acres cultivated, balance good bottom meadow and pasture; price \$110.00 per acre, satisfactory terms.

160 acres, slightly rolling, Cedar County, 6 miles from Hartington; good set of improvements, about 140 acres cultivated; price \$200.00 per acre, easy terms.

120 acres Thayer County, 5 miles east of Hebron, the county seat; highly productive valley farm, good set of improvements; price \$150 per acre, reasonable terms.

160 acres, level land, fair set of improvements, located 2 miles from railroad town in Meager County, Montana; 80 acres cultivated, excellent soil; price \$40.00 per acre.

C. M. DALY, Owner.
O'Neill, Nebr.

A MODERN AND COMPLETE BANK

NEW YEAR'S DAY.

The Officers of The O'Neill National Bank have made many new friends during the past year.

We have also gained many new depositors and it is gratifying to know that we have been of real service to them.

For the coming year, we want to extend to those who are not our customers, the privileges of our bank, believing that we can be mutually helpful.

To our friends, patrons and citizens of the entire community, we wish A Prosperous and Happy New Year.

THE O'NEILL NATIONAL BANK
O'Neill, Nebraska.

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$130,000

This Bank Carries No Indebtedness of Officers Or Stockholders.

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COURTESY STRENGTH