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LOCAL MATTERS.

Mrs. Anna Harrington is visiting relatives at Bonesteel.

C. W. Moss of Atkinson, was in the city Saturday on business.

Tom Strong has purchased the Emmet garage from Beckwith brothers.

B. A. Powell of Opportunity, was an O'Neill business visitor the first of the week.

Joe Mann arrived from Chicago Saturday for a short visit with O'Neill friends.

Edward Jennings has returned to Atkinson after a year's residence at Canon City, Colo.

Miss Kathleen Tenborg of Emmet, will teach in the Hays Springs city schools this winter.

Miss Mae Hammond left Tuesday morning for Omaha to attend the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities.

F. C. Cowden is in the city for a few days, looking after his extensive Holt county interests.

J. M. Hunter returned Friday morning of last week from a short business trip to Valentine.

The tri-state press association will be in session at Sioux City Friday and Saturday of this week.

Wink Wade and Will Graves caught a string of large catfish down the river Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meyers of Ewing, will remove to Gresham, York county, in the near future.

Will Froelich and John Mullen returned Sunday evening from a week visit at Omaha and Lincoln.

Atkinson has completed its new water system and now has ample pressure for fire protection.

There were so many accidents in Page last week that the Reporter had to run a special accident column.

Miss Irene Biglin was hostess to the Martez club Monday evening.

Mrs. Patrick Hartly won the honors at auction.

The Misses Ethel and Edith Lundstrom of Chambers, have gone to Douglas, Wyoming, where they will teach school.

Miss Helen Campbell and Miss Catherine Douglas of Atkinson will attend school at Sacred Heart academy, Omaha.

The Misses Dorothy Thomas and Sophia Wefso of Stuart, have enrolled at the Methodist hospital at Omaha as student nurses.

Charles Hammers of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. James Pace, and his sister, Mrs. John L. Quig, during the county fair.

Miss Elizabeth O'Malley returned the first of the week from a several weeks vacation spent in the anti-hay fever climate of Wisconsin.

The fall term of district court for Keya Paha county will convene at Springview next Monday, with Judge Robert R. Dickson presiding.

The government is making extensive improvements at Ewing. Postmaster Garry Benson is having the postoffice building painted.

Anton Toy was passing around the cigars Monday, the occasion being the arrival of an eleven pound boy at the Toy residence Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Loebe of Osmond, have resumed management of the Highland Inn at Spencer, operated by them up to two years ago.

Harold Hammond and John Phalin, who are making a tour of the west, have arrived at Los Angeles, according to advices received by relatives.

The Reverend S. J. Rasmussen of Amelia has removed to Emmet, where he will preside as pastor of the Methodist church the coming conference year.

William Fallon, jr., returned the first of the week from the Madison county fair with Last Chance, which

captured three races at that place last week.

The percentage of foreign-born white population in Holt county is 7.9 as compared with 11 in 1910, according to the report of the bureau of census.

Mrs. Jacob Frane, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Fullerton of Atkinson, this summer, has returned to her home at Reedy, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wrede were called to Tama City, Iowa, the first of the week by announcement of the serious illness of their son-in-law, Joseph Rubencamp.

Stuart is to have a public hospital, the first one to be established in Holt county. The residence of R. E. Chittick has been leased for the purpose by Dr. F. L. Wilson.

Last Saturday was Constitution Day. Celebrations commemorating the adoption of the constitution of the United States 134 years ago were held in many communities.

David William, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holcomb of Chambers, died Friday, September 9, after a short illness. The funeral was the following Saturday.

Mary, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cuddy of Emmet, was operated on for appendicitis at Norfolk recently and is recovering rapidly from the operation.

Paul Kubitschek, who has been the guest of his brother, Dr. F. J. Kubitschek for several months, returned to his studies at Creighton medical college Wednesday morning.

Lady Bagdad, the classy stepper belonging to Sheriff Duffy and Frank Froelich, was entered at the Omaha race meet last week but failed to capture any of the prizes.

Miss Ellen Clare Donovan of St. Paul, Minn., who charmed O'Neill music lovers with her beautiful voice while here last winter, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Finley.

Ira Moss, clerk of the district court, went to Atkinson Friday, where he will join his brothers in a week or ten day hunting and fishing trip in southern Holt and Cherry counties.

Holt county friends have received cards announcing the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sufficool of South Bend, Indiana, Mrs. Sufficool formerly was Miss Laurene Blesh of Ewing.

Mrs. R. E. Chittick, sons Rupert and Ralph and daughter, Ethel, of Stuart, has gone to Lincoln, where Rupert will attend the university and Ralph and Ethel the Lincoln city schools.

The Hays Springs sea serpent made another public appearance last week and Prohibition Enforcement Director Rohrer may have to send a special squad into Sheridan county to subdue it.

The duck season opened last Friday, but no very large bags are being reported. Although the ducks are numerous they are not nearly so much so as the hunters, both local and from abroad.

Spencer Advocate, Sept. 15: Vern Smith, who has been visiting at O'Neill and Page, stopped over Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, before returning to his home at Herrick.

Senator James A. Donohoe, Judge J. J. Harrington and J. D. Cronin went to Norfolk Monday to attend the opening session of federal court, at which several Holt county cases come up for hearing.

The Northwestern Railroad has settled with C. S. Cooper of Lynch, for \$3,500 for the death of his wife and a daughter, who were killed when their auto collided with a train near Lynch early in August.

R. W. McGinnis and Mrs. McGinnis of Fremont and Lincoln were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sauer from Friday until Sunday afternoon. They visited the McGinnis ranch at Amelia Sunday morning.

Frank Barrett demonstrated the reasonableness of the scientific claim that frogs are better bass bait than minnows the other day by catching a four pound bass on a frog when no one was getting bites on minnows.

The nut club has dissolved its summer partnership with the whist club and moved back to its old winter quarters just north of the postoffice. Several new checkboards and books of problems have been ordered for this season's play.

Fred Seip, wife and son, of Cheyenne, Colo., and the William West family of Page, last week enjoyed a family reunion at the West residence. Mr. West and Mrs. Seip are brother and sister and it was their first meeting in twenty-four years.

Frank Harrington, Frank O'Connell, Cecil Conklin and Lee Weekes were selected as delegates from Simonson post of the American Legion to the department convention at Fremont, at a meeting of the post Friday evening. The department convention will begin September 29 and continue to and including October 1.

Holt county crop conditions according to the Nebraska state crop report is corn 104 per cent, spring wheat 80, oats 82, barley 85 and potatoes 68. The yield per acre of tame hay is given at 1.3 tons per acre, wild hay six-tenths of a ton, alfalfa 2 tons. The number of hogs in the county is estimated at 9 per cent less than last year.

Spencer, Advocate, Sept. 15: Miss Grace Keefe returned from Dayton, Ohio, last week where she had been as a delegate of St. Mary's academy of O'Neill, to the annual convention of the Catholic Students crusade, which was held at Dayton from the 8th to the 11th of August. On her return she stopped at Chicago and Sioux City to visit relatives.

Miss DeMaris Stout was pledged to Kappa Alpha Theta sorority at the conclusion of rush week at the state university, Lincoln, last week. Invi-

tations to membership in the various sororities at the University of Nebraska were issued Saturday under the direction of the Pan-Hellenic board of which Miss Margaret McPhee is chairman. Distribution was made by means of a motor corps headed by Miss Helen Harrington of this city.

The Reverend M. F. Cassidy and Miss Mame Cullen returned Tuesday evening from a several weeks visit at Denver and Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Jansen entertained at a dance last Friday night out at the Jansen country home in Shields township. Tommy Dear was the orchestra, the occasion being especially for him to practice up for the Old Fiddlers contest at the fair. Only square dances were danced, Jim Connolly and some of the rest of the boys not being up on fox trotting and other of the newfangled ones. Mrs. Tommy Ike officiating very ably as the caller and every one had a most enjoyable time.

C. E. McCarthy of Milwaukee arrived Tuesday for a short visit with his brother, Postmaster McCarthy, and incidentally to renew acquaintance with his many Holt county friends. Although he left here in '92 the country still holds its attractions for him. He reports the potato and small grain crops of this section as much better than those of Wisconsin and says that a very late frost is all that will save the late crop of that famous potato growing district. The early crop was almost entirely a failure.

The Nebraska Agricultural Council, composed of the heads of the various farm organization in Nebraska, will hold a meeting at Omaha on October 12, to form some definite plan as to what part Nebraska agriculturalists will take in encouraging the development of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway. An almost similar meeting has also been called to meet in the rooms of the Lincoln chamber of commerce on September 28. A call for the latter meeting has been sent out by Governor McKelvie addressed to commercial clubs and farm organizations.

J. M. Miller of Inman, doesn't believe the world is flat, even if Wilber Glenn Voliva, manager of Zion City, Illinois, the religious colony founded a number of years ago by Alexander Dowie, now dead, does say so. Mr. Miller refuses to accept the theory of the earth's flatness portion of the creed laid down by Voliva and after ten years of residence at Zion City has pulled up stakes and come back to Holt county. Mrs. Miller still remains in Zion City with Voliva's flock. Several other of Voliva's teachings and edicts also were considered too strong by the Inman man, who was a great admirer of and a firm believer in Dowie, the predecessor of Voliva.

Automobile tires, rims, bulbs and tools stolen from the car of Cecil Brown at his garage here several weeks ago were recovered at Emmet by Sheriff Duffy Thursday of last week. Robert and Maynard Bailey, in whose possession they were found, were arrested and brought to O'Neill where Robert waived preliminary before Judge Frank Campbell Friday, later the same afternoon pleaded guilty before Judge Dickson and was sentenced to from one to seven years in the penitentiary. Oil cans from the Standard Oil station here and the Standard and Mutual stations at Atkinson also were recovered in the raid. All three stations had been broken into before the arrest. The two Baileys also were discovered to be wanted for breaking jail at Albany, Missouri, when they were doing time for stealing a Buick car. Maynard Bailey was turned over to the Missouri authorities.

Edward Frienchere, human fly now in the county jail awaiting transfer to the penitentiary under sentence for auto stealing, will spend a week or so more at Hotel De Duffy and incidentally complete a job of cleaning out the sparrow and pigeon nests around the cornices and in the cupola of the court house. Frienchere cheerfully gave up his turn to go to the penitentiary last week to Robert Bailey, auto accessory thief, who is afraid of moonshine and wild women and who wanted to get away from them as soon as possible according to his statement to Judge Dickson when sentenced. Frienchere requested work of the jail authorities to enable him to keep in training in his climbing stunts, and under the supervision of Harry Bowen, superintendent of the court house, has been scaling walls and running up and down the sides of the building just like a squirrel. The other day he came down one of the corners of the building head first. He has made numerous repairs to the roof and cornices of the ancient building and his industry has favorably impressed the authorities. Frienchere doesn't intend to stay in the penitentiary any longer than absolutely necessary, but says he isn't going to try to escape. It will not be necessary for Warden Fenton to stretch any nets over the prison yard to keep him in. His intention is to get out by being a model prisoner and to go straight afterward, he declares. The offense for which he is under sentence is his first one. Recommendations for leniency probably will be made to the prison authorities for him by county officials.

PLEASANT VIEW NEWS.
Mr. and Mrs. James Henry of Tecumseh, Neb., are spending a week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Snyder and family.

The Holt county giant ball team came to Page last Sunday with the intention of carrying home the one hundred dollar purse offered for that day, but the Page ball team let them take home one score while Page took eleven scores and the purse.

Frank Snyder and R. H. Murray are in O'Neill this week both being on the fair committee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ballentine are visiting friends in Iowa during Mr.

Cash Paid For Eggs

SEAL BRAND COFFEE, LB..... 45c
XCELLO CAKE FLOUR, Pkg..... 15c
QUART JAR OLIVES 85c
HONEY, Per Pound 30c
BON TON FLOUR \$2.25

J. C. Horiskey

Ballentine's vacation. Mr. Snyder is carrying the mail during their absence.

Pleasant View school opened last week with Miss Helen Townsend as teacher.

Miss Lovelle Henderson went to Breslow, last year.

A slight frost visited the valley Saturday, but did not do much damage.

CONRAD WETTLAUER.
Conrad Wettlauber, one of the old residents of Holt county, died at his residence in this city Tuesday after an extended illness. Mr. Wettlauber came to Holt county from Ontario, Canada, with his bride, whom he had married the previous Christmas at Wellesley, Canada. The young couple settled on a homestead north of this city, on which they resided until a few years ago when they removed to this city. Mr. Wettlauber was sixty-three and one-half years of age. He leaves to survive him the widow and the following children: Mrs. Margaret Yantzi of Slayton, Minn.; Mrs. Catherine Gunn of O'Neill; Mrs. Lawrence S. Murray of Rock Falls township; Mrs. Amelia Hemingway and Andrew Wettlauber of Chadron, Neb.

The funeral will be from the Presbyterian church at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning, the Reverend George Longstaff officiating.

SAMUEL HOWARD.
S. B. Howard, emigration agent for the Burlington railroad, died at his home in Omaha last Friday after a short illness, at the age of 62 years. Mr. Howard was an old time resident of this county, having homesteaded a farm south of this city in the early eighties. He lived on this place for a number of years until appointed deputy county treasurer, under Treasurer Henry, when he moved to this city. He was the fusion candidate for state treasurer in the early nineties but was defeated by Peter Mortensen, the republican candidate. Shortly after this election he went to Omaha, having been appointed assistant immigration agent of the Burlington railroad under D. Clem Deaver also formerly of this city. On the death of Mr. Deaver some six years ago Mr. Howard succeeded him as head of the department, which position he retained up to the time of his death. He was a good citizen and a faithful official and his sudden death is deeply deplored by a large number of friends in this city and county.

HOLT COUNTY FAIR
OPENED WEDNESDAY
The county fair formally opened

Wednesday afternoon with one of the best programs ever presented. From the time of the opening concert by the band, shortly after 1 o'clock until the last broncho had been ridden there was something doing all the time. Today's program will be even better and Friday's will top them all. The exhibits of livestock, grains, fruits and vegetables are as good as any of those seen at the state fair and demonstrate the varied agricultural resources of the county. A detailed account of the program and the winners of the various events each day will appear in next week's issue.

RESPIRE EXTENDED FOR MEN CONVICTED IN "WILD HORSE" CASE
Omaha, Bee, Sept. 19: United States Marshal Cronin has received a telegram from the attorney general at Washington, D. C., granting another respite of 10 days to J. Sidney Smith and Clyde Smith, who were to appear at the marshal's office yesterday to be taken to serve their respective sentences after conviction of complicity in the "wild horse" case.

J. Sidney Smith was sentenced to serve two years at Leavenworth prison and Clyde Smith to serve three months in the county jail at Grand Island. Both men had previously been given a respite of 30 days, which expired yesterday.

GOLF BAWLS.
Mike Horiskey returned Monday evening from a tour of the Minnesota golf links during which he met and defeated some of the best players of the great Swede state.

Joe Hunter has sufficiently recovered from his recent indisposition to do a little bass and trout fishing and expects soon to be well enough to finish the finals with Jim O'Donnell for the president's cup in the summer golf tournament.

Ben Grady, Art Ryan, Harry Reardon and George Agnes are in a serious argument with Pat Hartly, Straw Gallagher, Bill Biglin and Jud Cronin as to which four is the best bunch of turf diggers. They attempted to settle the dispute last Sunday, but quit with a game each. The playing off of the tie has been postponed until after the county fair.

George Harrington, Ed. O'Donnell and Doc Kubitschek stole away from the course long enough last week to go out and get a couple of ducks, but will postpone future hunting trips until stormy weather, their excuse being that the local ducks are too soft yet.

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