

The Big Clearing Sale

At P. J. McManus' has moved a large quantity of merchandise, and many articles have been sold for much less than it would take to replace them today. One more week of opportunity.

Don't miss this opportunity to buy ladies' suits and dresses, men's overcoats, duck coats and sweaters.

P. J. McManus

LOCAL MATTERS.

Father Cassidy was in Omaha several days last week.

P. C. Kelly returned to his duties at Casper, Wyoming, Sunday.

Ed Peterson is erecting a garage on his premises in the southeast part of the city.

J. B. Ryan returned home Monday night from a week's visit and business trip to Omaha.

C. L. Shanner, the electrician of Page, was looking after business in the county seat Wednesday.

Wallace French and W. S. Stewart, of Page, were transacting business in O'Neill the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Knobs returned Thursday from a three week's visit with relatives at Coleridge.

Tom Connolly was a guest at the Pete Nelson home nine miles south of Chambers last Sunday.

Miss Helen Connolly came up from her school at Brunswick and spent Sunday with relatives.

The O'Neill checker club did not go to Orchard Wednesday as was intended, but are arranging to go at a later date.

Word received this morning from Mrs. Roy Warner who accompanied Roy to the hospital in Omaha, states that Roy submitted to an operation on his leg Saturday afternoon. Dr. Dwyer scraped the bone and Roy is getting along nicely.

Edward T. Adams, of Chambers, has been appointed receiver for the defunct South Fork State Bank at Chambers.

Erwin Eager drove up from Fremont last Thursday and is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eager.

Dr. A. H. Corbett and sister, Mrs. Wm. Swigart, returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in western Pennsylvania.

Ed Donohoe dropped in from Columbus Monday for a short visit with his children, and left the following morning for Omaha.

County Judge Malone issued a marriage license last Friday to Stanley Wytaske and Miss Elizabeth Zarneck, both of Opportunity.

Petersburg Index: A. D. Duffy was a Saturday evening passenger for O'Neill for a visit with relatives, returning home Monday morning.

E. Bachman, of Stuart, received a broken right arm when he was thrown from his wagon last Saturday by the unexpected starting of his team.

B. H. French, of Page, was the winner of the first prize for the best ears of white corn at the State Annual Corn Show recently held at Lincoln.

J. H. Shultz left Wednesday for Ewing, Norfolk and Pilger on business, from there he goes to Mt. Airy, Iowa, to visit his brother, John, and from there to Chicago to visit his niece, Mrs. Lina Carlson. He will be absent about thirty days.

Judge R. R. Dickson went over to Bristow Monday and appointed Lucian L. Cook, of Spencer, receiver for the defunct American Exchange bank at Bristow.

Following a short session of the district court held here last Saturday, the court was adjourned sine die. The next term of court will convene on March 12th.

Lewis Wrede arrived here a short time before Christmas from western Canada and will spend the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wrede, Sr.

Atkinson Graphic: A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Findlay, January 3. A baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baum December 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Young returned home last Sunday from a month's visit with a son in New York state. They also visited another son in Fremont on the return trip.

Rita Present, Pianist, will be at St. Mary's Academy, Friday evening at eight o'clock, February 2. Admission 50c. The pianist is reported to be very fine. Everybody invited.

Chas. Daugherty, the mail carrier who was one of the participants in the collision of cars at the fair ground corner last Thursday, asks us to make a correction in regard to the accident. He says that he did not run into the car driven by Mrs. M. P. Sullivan, but that Mrs. Sullivan's car struck the front wheel of his car, breaking the wishbone of his car.

Mrs. Dominick McDermott came home Tuesday night from Tulare, South Dakota, where she has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Lawry for the past six weeks.

Francis Welsh, Monday, suffered a refracture of his arm that was broken early last fall while practicing foot ball. He was practicing basket ball when the latter accident occurred.

Mrs. M. Bridges and son Edw. drove over to Mitchell, South Dakota, Thursday where they were called by the serious illness of their son and brother, John, who is now recovering nicely.

County Judge Ingram, of Neligh, performed the marriage ceremony on January 4th, that united Morris Cavanaugh and Miss Edna L. Tweedy for life. Both parties resided near O'Neill.

Gail, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bressler was badly stunned and bruised when one of their horses fell with him while the young man doing some exhibition riding Saturday afternoon.

Inman Leader: Leo Mossman departed Saturday for Independence, Ia., where he will commence work for a construction company. Mrs. Mossman and son Robert will leave for that place in about three weeks.

A card from Mrs. Ross Haynes, of Meek, who is in Sioux City, Iowa, announces that her son Fred underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday afternoon at a Sioux City hospital and that he is recovering nicely.

Ezra Moor, who resides near Inman recently lost five head of black cattle from cornstalk disease. The cattle had been turned into the stalks in the morning and all five of them died during the afternoon of the same day.

Walter Simmons, who was to be executed at the state penitentiary on February second, for the murder of Frank Pahl, of Spencer, has been granted an extension of time in order that the supreme court may pass upon his application for a new trial.

Chambers Sun: Mrs. A. P. Noble received the sad word Wednesday that one of her sisters, Miss Maggie Troup of Harrosville, N. Y., had passed away Tuesday, January 9th. Mrs. Troup was seventy-two years old and had been in ill health for some time.

Stuart Advocate: A large force of men are busy digging trenches in the center of the streets in the business section of our town, for the electric cable that will furnish current for the new street lights. The ground is frozen very hard and progress is slow.

Gilbert McCreath is the acting mayor of the city of Atkinson during the absence of the regular mayor, A. C. Purnell, who departed on Wednesday of last week for a visit to the west coast of Florida and other places of importance along the Atlantic coast.

The village of Orchard held a special election last Saturday and voted upon the question of issuing \$60,000 bonds for the erection of a new school house. The bonds carried 240 to 24. The school district have five acres of land upon which the new building will be built.

A large four-horse team belonging to Lew Calhoun made a spectacular run in south O'Neill about two weeks ago. They ran down the sidewalk breaking off the gasoline filling pump belonging to Joe Parker and came near running over Al Beckwith and several travelmen who were coming from No. 8.

Mrs. Melvin Backes, wife of the fellow who Judge Robert R. Dickson sentenced to a term of one to ten years in the penitentiary for trying to clope with his pretty young sister-in-law early last November, applied in person to Judge Dickson last Saturday for a mother's pension, but her request was denied for the reason that she had not resided in Holt county the required two years.

The Inman Implement and Hardware company store at Inman, was robbed Friday night of several flashlight batteries, some shotgun shells, an automatic revolver and cartridges and about \$25 or \$30. The robbery was not discovered until Saturday afternoon. Entrance was gained by breaking out a window pane.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller, living in the west end of the county, are having their share of bad luck all at one time. Frank received a broken right foot on Sunday of last week when a gasoline barrel fell upon it. Three days later Mrs. Keller was badly burned upon both hands one arm and one foot with flaming hot grease.

A farewell reception and smoker was given Neal Chase, of Inman, at the Odd Fellows hall in Inman on Tuesday evening of last week. Mr. Chase has been in charge of the Bauer-Henry Lumber Co. at Inman for the past four years and has been transferred to Petersburg where he will hold a similar position with the company.

J. A. Holmes arrived here last Saturday from Casper, Wyoming, and is visiting at the home of his brother Olivette, who resides on the Lee & Prentice ranch near Amelia. Mr. Holmes is a former resident of the county and up to nine years ago made his home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Holmes who resided ten miles south of Atkinson on Holt creek.

Rev. Jones has been assigned to the pastorate of the Methodist church at Neligh. Rev. Jones has been serving as pastor of the Federated church at Brunswick though he is and has been a member of the Methodist conference. He also has served as pastor of the Methodist churches at Page and Ewing. In both of these towns and in his charge at Brunswick was successful in his work and personally popular. Rev. C. F. Steiner, formerly of this city, has been in charge of this church, but resigned to take up other work.

Considerable anxiety and excitement prevailed around the Henry Grady home in this city late Sunday afternoon when it was discovered that their two year old son, Harry was lost. Searching parties were organized in the neighborhood. Frank O'Donnell, coming into O'Neill from the east found the little fellow going north toward the Clyde King residence just before dark and restored him to his parents.

Tuesday January 9th being the date of the birthday anniversary of Ernest Odland, brother of Clarence Odland living northwest of O'Neill, a number of friends and neighbors decided to celebrate it at the Odland home and surprised him. The evening passed with games. Upon their departure the guests wished Ernest many more happy birthdays. Ernest has been visiting here for several months. His home is in South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harrington entertained twenty-five couples at a dancing party at their home, on the corner of Sixth and Benton streets, Tuesday evening. Modern and old time dances were enjoyed. A number of stunts contributed greatly to the enjoyment of the evening. Those who did not dance were entertained at cards. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Scott assisted by other members of the party furnished the music for the dance. J. B. Mellor was awarded first prize for being the best gentleman waltzer present; Mrs. C. B. Scott was voted to be the best dancer among the ladies. S. J. Weekes and Mrs. E. R. Morrison asked for a recount of the judges score card but their claim was denied upon the ground that their performance upon the floor did not justify their claim. C. B. Scott and Mrs. W. F. Finley were judged to be the lightest upon their feet. At eleven o'clock a dainty two-course luncheon was served. The large spacious living rooms were profusely decorated with pink roses, carnations and hot house plants.

Report of the Condition of

The O'Neill National Bank

As Made To The Comptroller of the Currency On December 29, 1922

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS	\$342,282.45	CAPITAL STOCK	\$ 50,000.00
This consists of notes given by our customers—mostly farmers—a very large per cent of which is secured by either chattel mortgage or other collateral.		This represents the cash paid in on original investment by the stock holders.	
OVERDRAFTS	924.02	SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS	112,571.13
This represents money due us from depositors who have checked out more money than they had on deposit. We are not proud of this item as it is against the banking department regulations to permit any one to overdraw their account.		This is a part of the earnings of the bank that have been set aside from time to time during the past twenty years as a "guarantee fund" for the further protection of our depositors or to cover any possible losses. Our surplus and undivided profits amount to more than 200 per cent of our capital stock.	
UNITED STATES BONDS	64,550.00	CIRCULATION	50,000.00
These are all gold obligations of the United States and all of which are now selling above par.		This represents the "currency" or "national bank notes" we have in circulation for which we have deposited with the Treasurer of the United States \$50,000.00 in U. S. Bonds to guarantee the redemption of these notes.	
OTHER BONDS AND SECURITIES	38,278.80	DEPOSITS	458,339.61
This consists of municipal bonds, county, township and school warrants, all worth par.		Represents money deposited in this bank by firms or individuals, a part of which is subject to check on demand and a part on time certificates of deposit running six or twelve months, on which we pay 5 per cent interest.	
BANKING HOUSE AND FIXTURES	4,468.00	BILLS PAYABLE	NONE
Consisting of bank building, vaults, safes and fixtures of all kinds, worth about double the above amount.			
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE	220,457.47		
This consists of cash in vault, and due from other banks, subject to our check, and from United States Treasurer.		TOTAL	\$670,910.74
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This Bank Carries No Indebtedness of Officers Or Stockholders

To The Depositor

NATIONAL BANKS FAIL. When they do depositors lose heavily. Why? Because deposits in National Banks are not guaranteed.

STATE BANKS FAIL. When they do depositors are paid in full. Why? Because deposits in State Banks are protected by the Depositors Guarantee Fund of the State of Nebraska.

THE NEBRASKA STATE BANK OF O'NEILL is the only Bank in O'Neill which offers you this protection.

You will protect yourself and please us by depositing your money with us. 5 per cent paid on time deposits.

Nebraska State Bank

of O'Neill, Nebraska