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## Abraham Lincoln

COME—See great things—

Lincoln's birth in a snowswept cabin—  
Why they named him Abe—  
As a youth—courageous, daring—  
As a woodchopper in the wilderness—  
As the rail-splitter—  
Hardy pioneers fighting fierce elements—  
As a Mississippi River boatman—  
How he met Anne Rutledge—  
The love of Abraham for Anne Rutledge—  
How Lincoln became a lawyer—  
Lincoln's first speech—  
How Mary Todd decided to marry him at first meeting—  
How she predicted his election—  
ALL THESE THINGS AND MORE IN THE GREATEST ENTERTAINMENT THE SCREEN HAS EVER GIVEN!

Why Lincoln grew a beard—  
The famous debate between Douglas, the little giant and Abe Lincoln, the son of the backwoods—  
Lincoln's and Douglas' rivalry for the hand of Mary Todd—  
The secret political meetings in the home of Lincoln—  
Lincoln's nomination for Presidency—  
Lincoln's election—  
The pillowcase fight with his two sons at home—  
His Gettysburg address—  
Lee and Grant—  
Lincoln's Famous Cabinet—  
Ford's theatre—

## "ROYAL"

Sunday and Monday, May 3rd and 4th  
MATINEE, MONDAY, 4:00 P. M.

I never expected to see Lincoln—living, walking, talking, as he seemed in your picture.—Dr. Nellie Hoper Barrett.

"It touches the heart and fires the imagination."—Edwin Markham, (The Poet)

### LOCAL NEWS.

F. J. Dishner was in Stuart Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Griffith has been quite ill at her home near Meek.

J. F. O'Donnell and John Miskimins drove over to Springview today.

J. B. Ryan and Guy Cole, of Emmet, were in Newport Wednesday.

George Forhardt, of Atkinson, was transacting business in O'Neill Wednesday.

A nice rain consisting of .35 of an inch of moisture fell over this part of Nebraska Monday night.

Peter Albertus came up from Wisner, Nebraska, Tuesday, to look after his farm south of Opportunity.

Alfred Pierson, of Lake Preston, South Dakota, spent Sunday at the J. C. Harnish home in this city.

Jerome McGiveny, of Sioux City, and James Dorrie, of Omaha, were guests of J. B. Ryan Thursday.

Mrs. J. P. Gilligan received a severe scalp wound Monday morning when she fell on the basement steps. She was confined to her bed several days from the effects of the fall.

Ed. Donohue, of Omaha, spent the week-end at the Margaret Brennan home in this city, with his children.

Dr. L. A. Burgess and Dr. A. H. Corbett were in Norfolk Sunday and Monday attending a dental study club.

E. N. Purcell went to Fremont Wednesday morning to attend a meeting of the poultry dealers of the state.

The Woman's Working Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Elmer Surber Thursday, May 7th.

Mrs. W. H. Starlin arrived in O'Neill on Tuesday of last week from Whitten, South Dakota, and will make her home here in the future.

The O'Neill Encampment initiated a class of twelve into their order Friday evening. Ten of the twelve new members were from Page. Another class will be initiated some time during May.

J. H. Menkes, residing about ten miles east of O'Neill, fell from a load of hay Saturday evening and fractured his elbow. Dr. Carter and Dr. Gilligan set the member with the aid of the Xray.

Past Grand Master J. C. Harnish will go to Chadron, Nebraska, next Tuesday and hold a special session of the grand lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

O'Neill high school defeated Page here Monday afternoon by a score of 7 to 4. The game was one of the county high school baseball series.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, of Omaha, were visiting with former O'Neill friends today. Mr. Smith was the Burlington agent here a number of years ago.

Twin girls, Mary Louise and Margaret Ellen, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reka Saturday, at their home on the corner of Adams and Second streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Davis and family came up from Sioux City Tuesday evening and will spend the week-end at the home of Mr. Davis' mother, Mrs. Chas. Davis.

P. C. Donohue returned home from Bassett Tuesday. P. C. says that the actors and animals for the Perry Brothers Shows are now arriving in Bassett. The show will begin their campaign May 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Calwell, and daughter, Ana Mae, of Crawford, Nebraska, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Calwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Purcell. They expect to remain here for a couple of weeks.

Miss Anna Harrington left Monday morning for Omaha to attend the graduation exercises on April 30th, of her daughter, Miss Mamie, who has completed a three-year training as a nurse from St. Catherine's hospital.

A delegation of Boyd county citizens met the Holt county board of supervisors Wednesday afternoon in regard to some work that they wish done on the Holt county side of the Niobrara river near the Whiting bridge.

Rev. J. A. Hutchins delivered the sermon to the members of the I. O. O. F. lodge of this city, at the Methodist church last Sunday evening. The occasion was the celebration of the 106 anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellowship.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Selah and their children, Miss Jean, and Master Clarence and Master Robert, of Bloomfield, Nebraska, are visiting here for a few days with W. E. Conklin and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hereford.

S. E. Kelley, of Neligh, was shaking hands with O'Neill friends last Wednesday. Mr. Kelley stopped in O'Neill by mistake; when the train stopped at O'Neill he thought that it was Atkinson. When he had discovered his mistake the train had gone.

The thermometer dropped to 31 degrees Tuesday night. Considerable ice was in evidence Wednesday morning. Wednesday night the temperature registered 28 degrees. The damage to the fruit crop and alfalfa vary, some who claim to know, say that very little damage has resulted from the freeze.

Inman Leader: S. P. Ormiston of Holly, Michigan, arrived in Inman last Friday for a visit with his brother-in-law, Chas. Crosser. He is on his way home from a several months' visit in California. Mr. Ormiston is an early settler of this community, coming to Holt county in 1884 and for several years was engaged in the cattle business here.

David Hite, perhaps the oldest citizen in Holt county, has already planted a large garden for himself and has assisted some of the neighbors in the planting of their plot. Mr. Hite is almost ninety-five years of age and is feeling fine. He spades his large garden and tends it with a hoe. He will not allow a team to share with him in the cultivation of his fields.

Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly, accompanied by their son, John and daughters, Miss Anna and Miss Grace, drove to Omaha Wednesday night in response to a message that their daughter, Mrs. Helen Bridges, was seriously ill and to come at once. The drive was made in nine hours. Reports from the bedside this (Thursday) morning are to the effect that Mrs. Bridges' condition is a trifle improved.

A delegation of businessmen and boosters were over from Creighton Wednesday conferring with the supervisors of this county who were in session, in regard to securing a federal road through Creighton which will connect with federal highway No. 8, eleven miles east of O'Neill. The committee secured the consent of the supervisors to have the road so designated. The six miles of road in question is now being graded and put in first class condition as a county highway.

James A. Donohue and P. J. O'Donnell drove down to Sioux City Thursday afternoon. They expect to return home Friday afternoon.

Tuesday afternoon a severe wind storm struck O'Neill from the northwest, accompanied by snow and later rain. During the wind storm the north window in the office of Court Reporter C. B. Scott, at the court house, was blown in. Glass from the window passed over Mr. Scott's head and struck Judge Dickson, who was standing near the door, piercing his coat sleeve and cutting a gash in his upper arm.

Up in Cherry county the residents are much excited over the report that the Great Northern will build its line from O'Neill to Alliance. An unconfirmed report that railroad surveyors are making preliminary surveys along the proposed route of the Great Northern west of O'Neill is having a jubilating effect among settlers along Calf Creek over in Cherry county. They have it "doped out" that the new line will run from O'Neill direct to Brownlee, keeping north of the Middle Loup river and connecting with the Burlington in the vicinity of Alliance.

Large delegations of Knights of Columbus will visit O'Neill next Sunday and take part in the initiation of a large class in the local council. A special coach will be attached to the through freight which arrives in O'Neill early in the afternoon and will bring Knights from Norfolk, Tilden, Elgin and towns east; many Knights are also expecting to drive from the nearby towns. The banquet in the evening will be furnished by the Altar Society of St. Patrick's church. Hon. John A. Harmon will officiate as toastmaster and will introduce W. C. Fraser, and Father Savage, of Omaha, who will make the principal addresses of the evening.

The Boys Scouts Sunday School class of the Methodist church have one of the best base ball teams for their age of any team in this part of the country. The team under the supervision of Rev. J. A. Hutchins, Ray Eidenmiller and Roy Griffith, went out to Joy Wednesday afternoon and defeated the Joy school team. The Scouts have played three games and have won each of them. Their standing is 1000 per cent. The boys wish to issue a challenge to play any team in the county between the ages of eleven and thirteen years. If there are any boys between these ages who think that they can play ball they can get a game by writing to the Boy Scout Class of the M. E. Sunday School.

## For Groceries and Queensware

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**Mrs. S. A. Horiskey**

Martin Peterson, of Emerson, spent Sunday with O'Neill friends.

J. J. Thomas was quite ill Monday evening with an attack of acute indigestion.

The Catholic Daughters of America expect to initiate a class of about forty, Sunday, May 24th.

James Dobias and Miss Elsie V. Kliment, both of Atkinson, were issued a marriage license today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Murray and Mrs. Stanley Soukup spent Sunday at the Murray ranch north of Page.

Henry C. Peterson, traveling agent for the C. & N. W. Railway Co., was in O'Neill today calling upon the business men.

Henry Cook was on the Omaha market Sunday with a car of cattle which he was able to dispose of before the decline in the price.

The county board of supervisors were in session several days this week transacting the regular business. They adjourned today until May 26th.

Miss Winifred Murray, of O'Neill, and Miss Irene Copes, of Page, went to Wayne, Nebraska, Saturday morning, to arrange for their attendance at

the Wayne normal this summer. The girls went from there to Sioux City and visited until Sunday evening at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. D. A. Streeter and Mr. Streeter. Both the girls are teaching rural schools.

Miss Florence Surber entertained a number of her young friends at a party at the home of her parents from 3:00 until 5:30 this afternoon in honor of her seventh birthday anniversary. Appropriate games were played, after which luncheon was served.

The body of Floyd Collins was removed last Thursday from the crawlway in Sand Cave where Collins met his tragic death last February. Everyone is familiar with the story of the effort that was made to rescue him from Sand Cave before death would overtake him when he was caught in a cavern while exploring a new cave. He was buried in Crystal cave which he discovered several years ago.

The county clerk has received a warrant from the state for the sum of \$7,466.78 and one for \$132.00 making a total of \$7,598.78 which represents the profits realized from the federal aid contract which the county completed last year. This money will be expended on road work in the county along with other monies that will be paid into the county soon as a result of the two cent gas tax.

## Chevrolet Cars

Have just received a number of the New 1925 models of Chevrolet cars. They are now on display at the garage.

### Night and Day Service

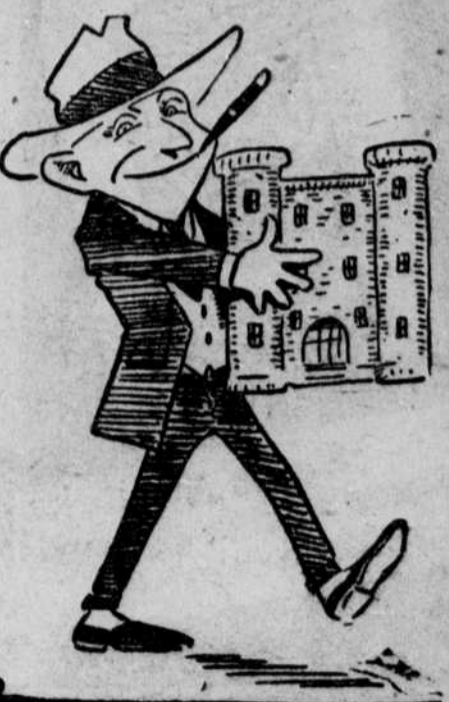
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