came to O'Neill in an effort to settle

the matter out of court. He stated

tle the matter with Holt county, and

that the company would take up the

The complaining district agreed to

withdraw the charge if the company

isfactory to the district and would

in cash was returned to the districts

and orders for fourteen sets of books

were cancelled. All costs were paid

by the company. Mr. Layng was re-leased after being in custody nearly

We notice by the Nebraska State Journal that Miss Irene Keidel, for-

merly of the Atkinson public school,

had the highest average out of fifty-

nine Normal Trainers who took the

state teacher's examinations in Lan-

caster county. She earned an average of 89% in the three subjects that she

The reports of the Teacher's ex-

amination have been received, record-

ed and sent out from this office. The

following pupils received 100% in the Mental Arithmetic examination:

Lydia Zahradnicek, Vernie McDow-

ell, Mildred O'Connell, Dora Ford, Minerva Douglas, Ruth Young, Rob-

erta Walrath, Ella Kazda, Rose Spin-

dler, Viola Naber, Evadene Hitch-cock and Savilla Alton, all of the At-

kinson public school; Cecelia Bauer,

of the Ewing public school; Robert Gallagher and Teresa Pongratz, of

St. Mary's Academy; Helen Toy and

Alice Page of the O'Neill public

school; Grace Smith of the Stuart

school and Regina C. Ruther of the

The following received grades of

100% in Arithmetic: Dorothy Ann

Reel, Robert Gallagher, Lucille Mil-

ler, of St. Mary's Academy; Made-

line Leach of the Stuart public school,

Viola Naber of the Atkinson public school and Helen B. Thoendel of the

Madeline Ullom of St. Mary's Academy received a grade of 100% in the

District No. 55 held a program and

box social on December 6th. The pro-

ceeds, which amounted to \$17.00, are

School district No. 172, Miss Win-

nie Davis, teacher, held a program

and box social on November 22nd and

received \$19.00 which is to be used to

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that there

Inman public school.

Ewing public school.

THE spender never succeeds in anything he undertakes, and never fails to place the blame for his lack of success upon others.

The O'Neill National Bank

Capital, Surplus and Undivided

Profits, \$125,000.00

This bank carries no indebtedness of officers or stockholders.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES

Grolier Society, a publishing house in Kansas City, and selling the Book of Knowledge, was arrested on November 27th upon complaint of the 180, Holt county, charging him with fraud and misrepresentation. Layng posed as an official sent out by the given against patronizing agents. his book, "The Book of Knowledge," told that the state, in order to help ed to turn in the cash orders.

on each set and the district should pay the balance of \$69.90 (which was John Layng, a representative of the really the full price of the books.) He used various tactics in different districts. One of his methods was to antagonize members of the school Civil Government examination. The boards against each other and also grades as a whole were very high hoping in this manner to offset any advice which they might have been

turned in any order to the company.

School Board of School District No. against the County Superintendent, State Department of Education to Mr. Layng is a man of above the place a new course of study in the average intelligence, very clever, and ment; the teacher is Miss Nellie Warschools of Nebraska and thus stand- his natural official bearing helps to ardize them. He first went to the lend credit to his stories. In every school houses, gave the teacher and place that he could he collected the pupils a talk and checked up on the cash for the books, demanding that Libraries, then went to the School the school boards make the checks Boards and made them believe that to him personally. He succeeded quite purchase a new teacher's desk. the books now in the schools were well at first but soon districts began worthless and would no longer be ac- comparing notes and found out what cepted by the State Department, and he was doing. Although it had been

of the O'Neill National Bank, held in the banking rooms of said bank, in O'Neill, Nebraska, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., on January 14th, 1930. The object of this meeting is the election of a Board of Directors of said bank for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated at O'Neill, Nebraska, this 9th day of December, 1929. S. J. WEEKES, President.

MEEK AND VICINITY.

William Hubby called at Griffith's Wednesday evening. Mrs. A. L. Borg called on Mrs. William Clausen, Monday.

Ralph Rousch spent Saturday, at the Will Kaczor home.

Mont Karr is quite ill at the home of his son Roy and family. Mrs. Clarence Hicks and daughter Twilla, caled on Mrs. Griffith, Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Griffith spent Thursday at the Orville Harrison

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lindburg and daughter, Helen June, visited at the Pete Lindburg home, near Joy, on

Mrs. Mart Schelkopf has been quite ill for several days and her friends are wishing for her a speedy

Mrs. George Hansen and son Gerald, spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. Hansen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Henifin.

The Messrs. Prokesh, of Wolbach are cutting posts on the old Hicks ranch, and boarding at the Clarence Hicks home. They expect to cut 5,000

Rev. Marks, who was to have begun a series of meetings at Paddock Union, could not come at the time scheduled, but expects to come in the near future.

Some from here attended the Epworth League play at Bristow, on Friday evening, and report a good time. The play entitled "The Man in the Moon" was well attended.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Geo. Hansen, on Wednesday afternoon. Several were unable to be there, but the ladies disposed of quite a bit of their fancy work and Mrs. Hansen served a delicious lunch.

SURROUNDING AND PLEASANTVIEW ITEMS

Joe Kubik and Tom Murray were in O'Neill, Monday.

The family of Henry Hagel Sr., is sporting a Whippet coach.

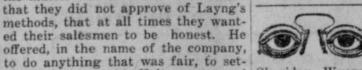
Van Humphrey, mail carrier on Route No. 1, is quarantined in with small-pox.

Miss Grace Abbott is home again after spending a few weeks at the John A. Robertson home.

Relatives and friends of Mrs. Wm. Grothe spent the evening with her at her home near Emmet, Tuesday evening to remind her of her birthday. Luncheon and the usual good times were had, all returning home wishing Mrs. Grothe many returns.

Service on Sale Bills-The Frontier.

MISCELLANEOUS



Dr. Edw. J. Norwood, O. D., the Expert Eyesight Specialist from

Sheridan, Wyoming, again in O'Neill Dec. 20th, at Golden Hotel. Have juestion with Mr. Layng, personally. your and your children's eyes examined. He is a very expert and broadly experienced Retinoscopist, Opthalwould settle with each district that moscopist and Opthalmometrist, had given an order, in a manner sat- which enables him to perfectly fit your glasses and properly diagnose pay all the costs of the case. Four your eye condition. Here every sixty hundred and thirty dollars (\$430.00) days.

> For Morning, Evening or Sunday Omaha Bee-News, call Burdette Miller, Phone 153W. 28tf

Wanted to buy or trade for a good ranch close to O'Neill; give full des-cription and price.—Box 454, Elgin,

FOR SALE

For Sale: Purebred R. C. Rhode Island Red Roosters, \$1.00 each .-Mrs. Chas. Wrede, Agee, phone 5-F12.

For Sale: Purebred R. C. Rhode Island Red Roosters, \$1.00 each .-Henry Martin, Agee, phone 5-F23. 2t

For Sale: A No. 1 Pop Corn at 10c per pound. Call or see George C.

MALE HELP WANTED

Robertson.

Man with car wanted to call on farmers in Holt (east part) County. Make \$8 to \$15 daily. No experience or capital needed. Write today.-Mc-Ness Co., Dept. T., Freeport, Ill. 291

(First Publication Dec. 12, 1929.) NOTICE FOR BIDS FOR SUPPLIES Notice is hereby given that sealed bids wil be received at the office of the County Clerk of HoltCounty, at O'Neill, Nebraska, up to noon the 1st day of January, A. D., 1930, for the furnishing of the books and blanks for the various offices of Holt County for the year 1930 and that said bids shall be opened by the Board of Supervisors of said county and the contract awarded to the lowest and best

The following is the probable number of each of the items of books, blanks and stationery that will be required during said year: Class "A" Books

6 Records, 8 quire bound, medium plain, each. 6 Records, 8 quire bound, medium

printed heads, each. 6 Records, 8 quire bound, medium

printed page, each. 6 Records, double cap, 8 quires

printed, each. 6 Records, double cap, 8 quires will be a meeting of the stockholders printed heads, each.

3 Loose leaf records, medium, plain, 6 Loose leaf, records, medium,

printed heads, each. 6 Loose leaf records, medium, printed page, each.

8-quire personal tax list. 3 Double medium tax list, 10 quires printed page, each.
300 Special Index tabs with shields

for tax lists. 10,000 Tax Receipts, 200 in a book, duplicate, well bound, ruled and printed to copy, furnished, numbered consecutively, per M.

1 Dozen Sheriff's pocket documents, 34-quire personal assessment rec-

ords, each. 6 2-quire personal assesment records, each.

7,000 Duplicate personal assessment schedules, per M. 7,000 original personal assessment

schedules, per M.
600 Smeads, Banded files specially printed, per M. 12 assorted schedule files, each.

Real Estate Assessor's books. 20 Patent Backs, each. 20 Canvas covers, each.

40 Assesment of improvements on real estate, each. 1 Dozen Revenue Laws, each. 24 Memorandum of mortgage in-

debtedness, Manilla bound, each. 12 Books, Treasurer's Receipts for chool money, cloth bound, each. 12 Books, order of County Clerk for Overseers of Highways, cloth bound, en

12 Books, receipt of Overseer of each

1 Double Medium Surveyors record with tracing cloth, 600 pages, each. 2 Rebinding complete records for Clerk of the District Court, each. 6 4-quire day fee books, half bound,

printed heads, each. 36 Special files, each. 1 Real Estate assesment record, 1

quire, each. 500 Special assessment schedule, 10 forms, each.

All above books, except where binding specified, are to be extra full bound, numbered and lettered on back and made of Byron Weston's line Ledger paper. Class "B" Blanks

2,000 Legal Blanks, full sheet, per

3,000 Legal Blanks, half sheet, per 5,000 Legal Blanks, quarter sheet,

3,000 Legal Blanks, eighth sheet, per 1,000. 2,000 Letter heads, printed 81/2 x11,

West End Mills or equal paper 20ths, per 1,000. 10,000 envelopes printed, No. 1 Rag 20-fb., size 61/2, vahite, per 1,000. 1,000 Envelopes printed No. 1 Rag 50-lb., size 10, white, per 1,000.

1,000 Enelopes printed, No. 1 Rag, 50-lb. size 11, white, per 1,000. Supplies for the County

Superintendent Class "C 300 Teacher's Check Cards.

100 Free High School Certificates. 100 Maps of Townships. 2 Books, Notice to Directors of tax

100 Folders for Examination. 100 District order books on the District Treasurer. 100 District Order Books on County Treasurer.

100 Combination registers. 50 Boxes of teacher's examination

100 Clasp envelopes (101/4x71/2.) 100 Clasp envelopes (12x9.) 100 Clasp envelopes (151/4 x91/2.) 100 District treasurer's bonds.

25 Director's records. 25 Moderator's records. 25 Treasurer's records. 100 Records of visits.

200 Books of perfect attendance certificates.

100 School Laws. 50 District Treasurer's bond. 1 Book examination No. for trans-

50 History of school district bond. 50 Teacher's contracts.

100 Census blanks. 50 Desired transfer for school pur-50 Notice to director of transfer. 50 Petition to change boundary line.

7 Books free high school attendance report.

7 Books free high school tuition

300 Certificates of award (small.) 200 Certificates of award (large.) 1 Alphabetical index (one letter to

250 Daily program blanks. 200 Courses of study. 240 Director's legal blanks.

300 Application for free high school tuition.

100 Classification and term summary blanks. 200 Mailing tubes (10 inch.) 200 Mailing tubes (16 inch.)

10 Report of private and parochial chools 200 Eighth grade diplomas.

3 Reams drawing paper not punch-275 Teacher's card sets.

250 Institute note books. 3 Reams history note paper (not

1,000 Report cards for pupils. 300 Cards application for free high school tuition by pupil.

100 First grade certificates.

10 Second grade certificates. 1 Book free high school admission certificates.

15 Reams examination paper, per

Class "D" 6,000 Printed Government postal

cards, one side only, cards furnished by county, per 100. 12 Quarts Carter's writing fluid,

per quart. 12 Pints Carter's red ink, per pint. 10 Gross Spencerian Glucium or Silver series pens, per gross.

Gross Velvet pencils, per gross. Gross Faber's pencils, per gross. 6 Gross Perfection pencils, per

300 Manuscript covers, per 100. 6 Reams typewriting paper.

24 Reams Alexis bond, per ream. 6 Reams onion skin, per ream. 6 Reams numbered line legal cap, best quality, per box.

24 Stenographer's note books, each. 12 Boxes No. 20 Typewriter paper,

6 Dozen Senate pads 81/2 x14, per

6 Chattel mortgage files, each. 6 Motor vehicle license books, each. Quarts Carter's mucilage, each. Quarts Library paste, each. Dozen IXL Steel erasers, per

5 Pounds rubber bands, per ¼ box. 50 sheets best grade carbon paper. 2 Dozen Webster or equal typewriter ribbons, per dozen.

3 Reams court reporter paper, per

10 Dozen Tower's pen holders, per 10 Reams marginal ruled type-

writer paper, net weight, per ream. 5 Reams Marginal ruled typewriter paper, light weight, per ream.

1 Dozen 114 ounce bottle Ruid's stamping ink, per oz. 24 Boxes Hotchkiss staples, No. 1 per box.

1 Gross blotters 41/2x9, old English cloth finish, per gross. 3 Dozen Comet erasers, per dozen. 3 Dozen document boxes, metal

bound, 2x4x10, per dozen. 3 Dozen document boxes, metal bound, 4x4x10, per dozen. 12 Dozen boxes "DB" eyelets, per

2 Dozen full sheets English cloth finish blotting paper 19x24, per doz-

Dozen Safety ink stands, No. 2, Dozen Capital ink stands, each. Dozen box letter files, Excelsior,

or equal, each Dozen Adar glass pen racks, each.

3 Dozen roll Crescent pinss, No. 4,

each. 1 Dozen Crown daters, No. 14.

Separate bids must be made on books and blanks. All supplies must be furnished in accordance with specifications furnished by the office or-

dering same. Payments to be made by warrant on the County General Fund.

All supplies are to be furnished as Bids must be marked for class "A"

"C," "D," as the case may be and addressed to the County Clerk of Holt County, Nebraska. The successful bidder will be re-

quired to furnish a good and suffi-cient bond for faithful performance" of contract.

The County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids to be opened according to the requirements of the law at the first meeting of the County Board on and after January 1, 1930.

E. F. PORTER, (Seal) County Clerk.

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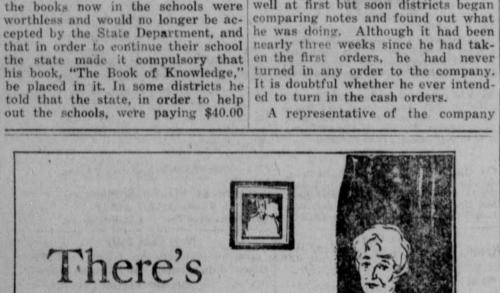
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