April 19, 1888

Mr. Mack's store room and will put in a stock of groceries. He has gone back to Chicago, Ill., to purchase goods and will open up May 1. One more business enterprise for our town. We remark how two wholesale groups. now have two wholesale grocery houses, six retail groceries, three general merchandise stores, one shoe store and one exclusive dry goods store.

The many friends of Jack Harrington and Will Haley in this city will be pained to learn that the building which they occupied in Valentine as an abstract office was consumed in the fire at that place last Sun-day. The boys had just started in and this alone comes rather hard for them, although, we understand that they did not lose anything, which, we trust, is the

We have been informed by several parties who are contemplating moving to O'Neill that no suitable houses are for rent. Some men with a little money ought to build some tenament houses here. It would be a paying investment and it would beat the two percent loaning business. A nice rentroll is a very convenient

Special

place, have dissolved partner-James Frazer has decided to "Charlie" Swain is now in the locate in O'Neill and has rented old stand which he left several

40 YEARS AGO April 22, 1909

This office is in receipt of a letter from Dan McClellan, who left here about three weeks ago for Oregon. He is located at Nyssa, Ore., and says he likes it fine and is enjoying good health.

Judging from his letter, Dan is fascinated with that country. It is a great fruit growing section T. S. Maines, who was going to

be a paying investment and it would beat the two percent loaning business. A nice rentroll is a very convenient thing to have.

L. T. Shanner, of Inman, was at the county sat Tuesday and called at this office on business. He and Mr. Swain, who have been engaged in the general when the Peter Duffy ranch on Oak Creek in Saratoga precinct was sold to P. C. Anderson, a real estate man of Spencer. The instruments in the transfer were executed Monday in O'Neill. There are 3,000 acres in the ranch, the purchase price being \$24,000. Mr. Duffy will remain on the ranch this Summer as he has several hundred when the Peter Duffy ranch on Oak Creek in Saratoga precinct was sold to P. C. Anderson, a real estate man of Spencer. The instruments in the transfer de will open up an office for the company about the first of May. Charles made a fine record with the company while here and his many friends in O'Neill wish him and the family success and prosperity in their new home.

Nicholas Oberlee died at his home near Verdigre last Thurs-

head of cattle and he leases the day afternoon at the age of 71 place until he can dispose of his years, two months and six days.

Joe Leahy, a brother of Frank Leahy, formerly of this city, was killed at Burke, S. D., Sunday while moving a piano. The piano fell upon him and crushed him so badly that he died soon after. The deceased was engaged in the hotel business at Burke and was 41 years of age. He is survived by a wife and three chil-

10 YEARS AGO April 20, 1909

April seems to have changed with March, as we have been having all kinds of weather. On Monday it rained, snowed, was almost a blizzard at times, then the sun would break through the clouds for a time. A stray North wind blew all day Monday and Tuesday with freezing temperatures.

The latter part of last week and he says the orchards average \$500 an acre. He says they have struck natural gas about Omaha, in the Streeter barber 70 miles from Nyssa which they shop next to The Frontier ofexpect to use to light the towns in that section of the state. He Central Finance Co., of Norfolk, expects to invest in a fruit farm by which he became the manthere and remain. His many ager of the local office of this Holt county friends wish him prosperity in his new home.

One of the largest real estate deals that has taken place recently was effected Monday when the Peter Duffy ranch on Oak Creek in Sarators are

Funeral services were held at the home last Sunday and bur-ial followed in the Riverside cemetery at Verdigre.

Legal Notices

at the office of the Department stopped to investigate and disof Roads and Irrigation in the covered that the occasion was State Capitol at Lincoln, Ne-

braska, on May 5, 1949, until zona Pioneers association. Most 10:00 o'clock A. M.; and at that time publicly opened and read for SAND GRAVEL SURFAC- waiting for cars to join the ING and incidental work on the parade. I also learned that the SPENCER-O'NEILL Patrols Nos. parade would be followed by a 81003 and 81012 State Road.

The approximate quantity is: 3,100 Cu. Yds. Sand Gravvel Surface Course Mater-

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions covering subletting or assigning er.

Compliance by the contractor with the standards as to hours of labor prescribed by the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938," approved June 25, 1938 (Public No. 718, 75th Congress), will be equired in the performance of the work under this contract.

The minimum wage paid to all skilled labor employed on this contract shall be ninety (90) cents per hour, except that a minimum wage of one dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) per hour shall be paid to:

Crane Operators
Dragline Operators
Power Shovel Operators The minimum wage paid to all intermediate labor employed on this contract shall be eighty (80) cents per hour.

The minimum wage paid to all unskilled labor employed on this contract shall be sixty (60) cents

Plans and specifications for the work may be seen and information secured at the office of the County Clerk at Butte, Nebraska, at the office of the County Clerk at O'Neill, Ne-braska, at the office of the District Engineer of the Department of Roads and Irrigation at Ainsworth, Nebraska, or at the office of the Department of Roads and Irrigation at Lincoln, Ne-

The successful bidder will be

As an evidence of good faith in submitting a proposal for this work, the bidder must file, with his proposal, a certified check made payable to the Department of Roads and Irrigation and in an amount not less than two hundred fifty (250) dollars.

The night is proposal for this of heat, drouth and dust which they endured in the early days baffle the imagination to describe.

Some of the old-timers, no doubt, contrasted that ride in luxurious automobiles with

DEPARTMENT OF ROADS AND IRRIGATION

F. H. Klietsch, State En-J. M. Crook, District Engineer C. J. Tomek, County Clerk

Boyd County Ruth Hoffman, County Clerk, Holt County.

O'NEILL LOCALS

Steven and Robert Wallace spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wallace. Both boys attend Creighton university in Omaha. Ralph Walker left Sunday for Omaha where he spent a

few days on business.
Ray Sullivan, of O m a h a, spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sul-

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Van Every and son were Sunday dinner guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Every. Miss Ivalyn Brady was a Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Newman and son, Neil, of Burwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Magstadt and family, of Boyden, Ia., spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. Vannie Newman. Mrs. Newman is the mother of Clifford and Mrs. Mag-

Arizona Pioneers Hold Reunion

By A. STROLLER

PHOENIX, ARIZ., Apr. 12.-As I was walking downtown on a recent Saturday morning, I heard a band playing and notic-(First pub. April 14, 1949) ed a large crowd gathered around the Arizona Republic ed a large crowd gathered Sealed bids will be received and Phoenix Gazette building. I full day of entertainment, climaxing in a barbecue. I was surprised at the number and apparent vigor of the pioneers.

It seemed very fitting that

The sight of all those peo-ple made me think of the Old Settlers Picnic which is held in my own state, Nebraska, every year.

We generally call the pioneers old settlers in that state, but the meaning is the same. Either word is used to designate those sturdy men and women who came West in the early days and endured dangers and hardships of all kinds to lay the foundation of the splendid civilization which we have today. They were trailblazers in the best sense of the term.

In Nebraska, people have experienced some of the hardships of pioneer days in the terrible Winter which has just come to a stormy close. The Winter was a succession of blizzards, during which many head of livestock perished, all traffic was paralyzed and there was some actual suffering in various homes.

Even so, the strenuous experiences of the past Winter in the Midwest were not comparable to those of the early settlers.

They had to fight for their very lives in the face of such threats as Indians, drouth, grasshoppers, etc., and they were not equipped for the struggle.

As far as the Arizona pioneers required to furnish bond in an are concerned, the struggle for amount equal to 100% of his contract. As an evidence of good faith the hardships and discomforts

The right is reserved to waive all technicalities and reject any taken through dust or mud long

Geographical location, however, is of no consequence. Nebraska or Arizona or some other state, the pioneers were a brave, industrious, energetic people who explored the frontier and built homes and towns and cities and it seems to me we owe them a debt of gratitude which we can never pay.

It is the spirit of the pioneer that has created our modern

Normal Trainers to Teach Next Week

ATKINSON — Normal training seniors will do practice teaching the week of April 25.

The senior class play is Friday, April 22.

Students to attend the fine arts festival at Lincoln Friday are: Sue Neuenswander, dramatic division; Shirley Withers, humorous; Maxine Peterson, inter-

pretive oratory.

The festival will be held at the Temple Theater building. Perfect attendance in the first grade the last six weeks: Sandra Frisch, Donna Humphrey, Philip Ihrig, Michael McKay, Kenneth Osborne, Doretta Roth, Roger

Storjohann. Second grade: Dallas Ford, Jean Martens, Markita Hen-

Barbara Mlinar, teacher of the first and second grades, held an Easter party for the pupils last Thursday afternoon. Two live, white rabbits helped entertain he 37 children.

A large Easter lily planted in September had two blossoms in time for the Easter season. Besides the Easter lily, the irst and second grade room is adorned with flowers and vines

f every kind. There is also a large banana ree, the root of which Miss Mlinar brought back from California. It now stands six feet

palm tree, standing about ve feet, was grown from seed

anted 10 years ago. Three oleanders are in full loom. Of the many attractions the childrens' interest is centered upon the 50-gallon aquar-ium that holds gold fish—big ones and tiny babies-snails and lams, besides hundreds of narbles of every color resting on

Their teacher, Barbara Mlinar, with her motherly instinct, has provided a place where pupils ho became ill, might lie down. We have a 'bed' under the fish owl," one first grade boy told is mother, "where we can sleep when we get sick."

O'NEILL LOCALS

Mrs. John Osenbaugh and hildren, of Lincoln, spent the eekend visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cleary and Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Schaaf and children, of Atkinson, were Sunday guests at t h e home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Dumpert. Mrs. R. A. Boecks and son, of Omaha, arrived Sunday to end a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Glenn Tomlinson

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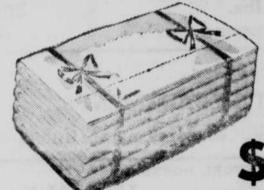
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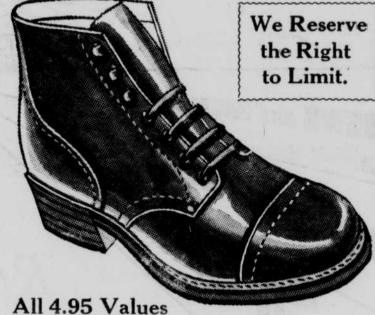
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