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THE DAYS OF LONG AGO

Sixty Years Ago

Holt Co. Banner, May 15, 1883. Business firms represented in this issue: Henry Connolly, M. D.; S. M. Benner, physician and surgeon; John J. O'Neill, attorney; M. P. Kinkaid, attorney; Rice & Utley, attorneys; Carlon & Gearon, attorneys; T. N. J. Hynes, collection agent and locator; The City Hotel, Mrs. D. J. Sparks, proprietor; E. M. Ward, livery and sale barn; Mullen Bros.; carpenters and builders; Wolfe & McIlvaine, carpenters and builders; M. E. Tierney, blasksmith; Frank Toohill, blacksmith; J. P. O'Donnell, proprietor of Valley House; Mrs. N. Martin, milliner and dressmaker; Wilcox Lumber Co., John McBride, agent; M. M. Sullivan, general merchandise; John J. McCafferty, hardware; Ed Hershiser, druggist; Patrick Hagerty, general merchandise; Frank Campbell, windmills, pipe and pumps; John McCann, furniture; Holt County Bank; Neil Brennan, hardware.

Holt county is to have her first show on Wednesday, May 30. It will be a big day for O'Neill.

This cold, rainy weather is insuring the wheat and oat crop, while it is plenty of time for corn. If planted by the first of June it will mature, with fairly late fall.

Holt Co. Banner, May 22, 1883. Martin Farnel is now a licensed drayman of O'Neill. He expects to move his family to town.

W. H. Blubaugh of Mineola has opened up a general stock of merchandise at the post office, and solicits the patronage of the people of his section.

Charles F. Oliver of Valentine and Miss Mary Enright of O'Neill were married last Tuesday afternoon at the City hotel.

At the Valley House, O'Neill, Nebr., at three o'clock Monday morning, May 21, 1883, John J. O'Neill departed this life, the cause being that dread disease, consumption. He was twenty-four years of age. He had been a resident of O'Neill about three years and had been practicing law here since his admission to the bar in 1881.

Holt Co. Banner, May 29, 1883. C. W. Harvey & Co. have opened up a new lumber yard and hardware store at Inman and are prepared to furnish everything in their line at bottom prices.

H. H. McEvony had the misfortune to lose his house and most of his furniture, the same being destroyed by fire Wednesday. No insurance.

The proprietors of the Holt County Bank have made arrangements to put in a bank at Stuart, and will open same for business next Tuesday, June 5. David Adams, W. E. Adams and M. P. Kinkaid are the directors of the new bank and George H. Bowring, formerly station agent here, will be the cashier.

Fifty-Five Years Ago

The Frontier, May 17, 1888. J. W. Chisholm has rented the ivory stable of Mr. Moffatt and will run it in connection with the Windsor Hotel.

Mrs. Coughlin, living south of O'Neill, died last Saturday and was buried Tuesday, the funeral being held at the Catholic church.

S. L. Bohon has been over from Niobrara the past week and is looking every day for one of the officers to come over and locate a place for the land office. They expect to build. They have announced their intention to open an office in O'Neill for business July 16.

The Frontier, May 24, 1888. Mile Coleman, pretty well known in O'Neill and Holt county, died at his home at the Niobrara river Saturday morning at two o'clock and was buried on Monday, May 21.

Barney McGreevey has purchased of Mr. Hagerty his house on Main street and will remove same to the west part of town, fix it up and occupy it as a residence.

The wife and children of B. J. Ryan arrived in O'Neill Tuesday evening, and consequently Mr. Ryan is a very happy man.

Forty-six Indians were on the passenger Wednesday morning, going to New York to join Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show.

Mike McNichols and Billie Keeley started Tuesday morning for Leaville, Colo., where they intend to remain, if the country suits them.

A preliminary meeting was held at the Board of Trade rooms Monday afternoon and it was decided that O'Neill would celebrate. A finance committee composed of J. P. Mann, James Killoran and J. H. Riggs were appointed. Committee on arrangements: Hendrickson, Small, Frank Campbell, John Hynes and E. W. Adams.

JANE ARDEN

By Monte Barrett and Russell E. Ross



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Committee on speakers: Cleveland, Fahy and Brennan.

Mrs. Bridget Croghan, wife of James Croghan of Emmet, died at her home near that place on Monday, May 21, at 10 p. m., at the age of twenty-eight years.

The Frontier, May 31, 1888. Register Markley came over from Niobrara Monday and has been figuring on the location for the land office.

The river has been higher the past few days than for many years, the flood of the spring of 1881 being equal if not greater. Andy Gallagher met with a severe accident last week while riding or breaking a wild horse. The horse fell and he was thrown under him, breaking his leg.

Married at Emmet, Nebr., on Saturday, May 19, 1888, H. C. Cooper, justice of the peace, officiating, Michael Lyons to Miss Alice Earl, both of that place.

We inadvertently omitted mention last week of the purchase by Dr. Corrigan of the new brick block adjoining the First National Bank.

Michael Mullen and Miss Mary Murphy were married on Tuesday morning at the Catholic church, Rev. Father Cassidy performing the ceremony.

The rains of Friday, Saturday and Sunday raised the river so high that it was next to impossible to get to the bridge, and travel from the south has practically been abandoned.

O'Neill will lead all other towns in the celebration of our national independence. The following officers of the day have been elected: President, B. S. Gillespie; vice president, M. M. Sullivan; marshal, Frank Campbell; assistant marshal, John Cronin.

Fifty Years Ago

The Frontier, May 18, 1893. Ham Kautzman and family have arrived in the city. Mr. Kautzman will take charge of the Independent.

J. D. Boyle, an experienced musician from Hebron, Nebr., arrived in the city last Saturday and will remain here and teach the band.

Died, at her residence two miles east of Stafford, May 15, 1893. Aged 71 years, Mrs. Patrick Grady. She had been a resident of the county for 17 years. Her husband passed away about a year ago.

The Frontier, May 25, 1893. Married, at the Catholic church in this city Wednesday, May 24, 1893, by Rev. M. F. Cassidy, Adrian Smith to Miss Lizzie Stannard.

On Tuesday, May 30 the beautiful ceremonies of decorating the graves of those who, after fighting for the liberties we now en-

joy, have lain down to peaceful slumber. At 2 p. m. sharp, the exercises will be commenced at the court house under the direction of John O'Neill Post No. 86, G. A. R.

Forty Years Ago

The Frontier, May 21, 1903. Frank Dishner was visiting relatives in Columbus the first of the week, returning Wednesday afternoon.

Charley McKenna departed for Bonesteel this morning, after a short visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. King left on Tuesday morning for Leavenworth, Wash., where they expect to make their home with their daughter until Mr. King succeeds in finding a suitable location.

William Meals left over the Great Northern Tuesday morning for Valdez, Alaska, to which city his parents moved some three months ago.

John Cassidy, son of Mrs. A. Cassidy, died at the home of his mother about six miles east of this city last Tuesday, of Bright's disease, at the age of 27 years.

The Frontier, May 28, 1903. Michael Hynes, nephew of Barney Hynes, arrived in O'Neill direct from Ireland on Wednesday morning.

The hail storm Sunday morning destroyed window lights in nearly every residence in O'Neill. The resident who was not buying glass and putty Monday was lamenting the loss of all his garden truck. In parts of the county the storm was even more severe than in O'Neill and numerous sheds, barns and stables were entirely demolished.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents in this city last Tuesday noon, George E. Monk of Sioux City, Iowa, to Miss Daisy Davidson, of this city.

Henry C. Uhler, who resided near Emmet, died at his home on Thursday afternoon of Bright's disease. He was 72 years and nine months at the time of his death, and had been a resident of the county for seventeen years.

Thirty Years Ago

The Frontier, May 15, 1913. The McGinnis Creamery Company has started a twenty-four hour electric service. This gives the town night and day lighting service.

Monday night's downpour of rain was the next thing to a cloud burst at O'Neill, the government rain gauge showing a fall of 3.62 inches of water. Cellars and basements around town were flooded.

The Frontier, May 22, 1913. The O'Neill High School graduated a class of thirteen, nine young men and four young wom-

en at the opera house last Monday evening. The following were the graduates: Edward O'Donnell, Archie Bowen, Hugh Campbell, Cornelius J. Keyes, Benjamin Rodenwald, McKinley Chambers, Julius Cronin, William Martin, Thomas Brennan, Nell Magirl, Grace Robertson, Treca Fallon, Hazel Bell.

John J. Walsh of Emmet and Miss Beatrice Menish of this city were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. M. F. Cassidy at the Catholic church in this city last Tuesday morning.

Dr. W. P. Higgins of Platte Center, Nebr., arrived in the city the latter part of last week and has rented an office in the Naylor block and will enter upon the practice of his profession. He is a graduate of the Creighton dental college.

Married, at the Catholic church in this city last Tuesday morning, May 13, 1913, William Henry Hartly and Miss Mary Genevieve Mullen, both of this city, Rev. M. F. Cassidy officiating.

A "Get Together Banquet" of the business men of the city was held at the Golden Hotel last Thursday evening that was one of the "swellest" events of a like character ever held in the city, and we have had some elegant banquets. At the conclusion of the banquet the Commercial Club was reorganized and the following officers were elected: President, Judge J. J. Harrington; Vice President, S. J. Weeks; Secretary, J. P. Gallagher; Treasurer, J. O'Donnell; Executive committee: O. O. Snyder, C. E. Stout, F. J. Dishner, C. B. Scott, T. V. Golden, Ed F. Gallagher, D. H. Cronin, J. A. Donohoe, Judge R. R. Dickson, Clyde King, Dr. P. J. Gilligan, O. F. Biglin.

Twenty Years Ago

The Frontier, May 17, 1923.

Henry W. Burival died at his residence north of O'Neill Wednesday noon, after a short illness of pneumonia. He was 49 years, six months and 24 days old at the time of his death. He had been a resident of the county for thirteen years.

Alfred Beckwith, aged 72 years, died at his home on the Chris Yanzi place twelve miles north of this city Thursday afternoon, after a short illness of heart trouble.

Thirty-one candidates were taken into membership of Charles Carrollton Council Knights of Columbus at the Knights of Columbus Hall last Sunday.

The Frontier, May 24, 1923. A total rainfall of 7.23 inches since the first of April is reported by Weather Observer Harry Bowen.

The Elkhorn river got out of its banks Wednesday for the first time in several years, as the result of recent rains, and local fishermen are preparing for the annual catfish run, which Fred Gatz says starts promptly the first of June.

H. J. Hammond, P. J. Golden, W. H. Hartly and H. J. Reardon left Saturday night for Sidney, Nebr., as delegates from the local Knights of Columbus to the state convention of that order.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Kirwin are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home Thursday morning.

The O'Neill High School graduates a class of twenty at the Knights of Columbus Hall this evening. Following are the graduates: Margaret Alworth, Ralph B. Mellor, Willard Arnold, George McCarthy, Hazel Ashton, Mae Rothman, Joseph E. Beha, Agnes M. Peter, Elvietta Bellinger, Sylvia, Simonson, Bessie M. Calhoun, Chauncey L. Smith, Oynia R. Clyde, George Stannard, Emmet A. Harmon, Carroll T. Templeton, Edna W. Harnish, Eleanor Sullivan, Ruth Lichty and Gertrude Wrede.

The Frontier, May 31, 1923. Edward Boyle, one of the pioneers of Holt county, died at his home on the old Haynes ranch southeast of this city on Sunday, May 27, after an illness of several months. He was 65 years of age.

Adam Marton, one of the early settlers of the county, died at his ranch home northeast of this city Wednesday night, after an illness of one month, at the age of 67 years and four months.

Fifty charter members comprised the class initiated and accepted as members at the installation of Saint Michael Court, No. 697, Catholic Daughters of America, at the Knights of Columbus Hall last Sunday. Mrs. Arthur F. Mullen of Omaha, state regent, officiated at the ceremonies. Following officers were elected for the local court: Grand Regent, Mrs. H. E. Coyne; Vice Grand Regent, Mrs. W. H. Hartly; Monitor, Mrs. H. J. Hammond; Historian, Mrs. W. J. Hammond; Prophetes, Mrs. H. J. Reardon; Financial Secretary, Miss Marie Biglin; Treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Brown; Sentinel, Mrs. Edward Campbell. Trustees: Mrs. J. P. Golden, Mrs. J. B. Ryan, Mrs. J. W. Hiber, Mrs. W. F. Finley, Mrs. C. M. Daly, Miss Anna Donohoe.

Ten Years Ago

The Frontier, May 18, 1933. Hans P. Peterson died at his home in this city at 12:40 o'clock Wednesday morning, after an illness of but a few days, at the age of 82 years, six months and 19 days. He had been a resident of Holt county for 37 years.

Miss Helen Clark died at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. R. Sullivan, at 11:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, May 17, 1933, at the age of 46 years, five months and nine days.

Robert E. Magirl died at his residence in this city Wednesday morning about 12:30 o'clock, after an extended illness of Bright's disease, at the age of 80 years, one month and 16 days. He had been a resident of Holt county for 41 years.

Mrs. Louis Storm died at her home at Gregory, S. D., last Saturday afternoon, after an illness of several months, at the age of 56 years, one month and eighteen days. The body was brought to this city and the funeral was held Tuesday morning from the Catholic church, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Cassidy officiating, and burial in Calvary cemetery.

Word comes from Washington that W. J. Froelich, who for the past year has been assistant United States attorney in Chicago, has accepted a position as special council in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury in Washington, D. C.

Frederick Guy Calhoun died at his home near Chambers last Sunday of heart trouble, after a few months illness, at the age of 62 years, seven months and 29 days. He had been a resident of Holt county for 49 years.

Roy Griffin, who has been operating the Golden Hotel for several years, retired from the management last Saturday and the hotel is now being managed by Mrs. F. J. Dishner and Max Golden for T. V. Golden, Inc., an in-

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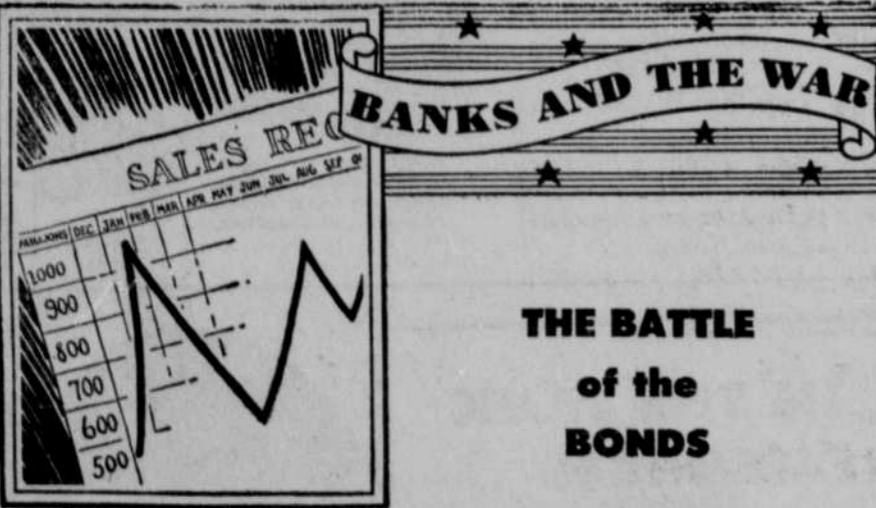
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corporation composed of the heirs of the late T. V. Golden, the builder of the hotel.

The Frontier, May 25, 1933. Mike Hoben of Minneapolis, Minn., arrived in the city this morning and is making a survey of the city with a view to establishing a store here for the company he represents, the Gamble-Skagmo Co., Inc. This company is only eight years old and has 200 stores in the middle west, eleven of them in Nebraska.

Effective June 16, 1932, rural routes numbered one and two of this city will be consolidated and one driver will take care of both of them, instead of two as at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moss went down to Omaha last Thursday, taking down Miss Mae Hammond, who was going there to enter upon her duties as stenographer for Judge J. A. Donohoe.

Harry Jolly of Mead arrived here Tuesday to visit his wife, daughter, and other relatives and friends for a few days.

Mrs. Augusta McPharlin returned last Thursday from Omaha, where she spent several days visiting her son, Owen, who is in the United States Army and was in Omaha on a furlough, from his base at Fort Lewis, Wash.

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