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**THE DAYS OF LONG AGO**

**Sixty Years Ago**  
Holt Co. Banner, Sept. 4, 1883. Volume 2, number 26. We are one and a half years old.

Parties who have subscribed day work and hauling on the Presbyterian church are hereby requested to report for business at this office Thursday morning.

Village school commenced yesterday, with Prof. O'Sullivan as superintendent. It is not known as yet whether or not they will employ two teachers this winter. James Trigg, Sr., James Trigg, Jr., and George Trigg, father and brothers of John Trigg, arrived from Michigan City, Ind., last week are now residents of O'Neill.

Messrs. Joseph Mack, William Worthley and Orin Perry of Michigan City, Ind., and William Gray of Detroit, Mich., friends of Col. Lowe, have been in the county the past week looking for land. They went to Star and bought and filed on claims, returning to O'Neill yesterday and leaving this morning for their homes. They expect to return here next year and make this county their homes.

Holt Co. Banner, Sept. 11, 1883. Light frost last Friday night. No damage.

Messrs. M. B. Gearon and E. J. Howard, who have been identified with the business circles of O'Neill for the past two years, and who are well known to the people of O'Neill and vicinity, took their departure for Omaha last week, where they go to engage in the newspaper business, commencing in the near future the publication of the Western Celt, which will be devoted to the interest of the Irish people and the Catholic religion.

Holt Co. Banner, Sept. 18, 1883. M. M. Sullivan and wife returned Saturday night from Omaha, where they had been in attendance at the state fair.

James Mullen, brother of Barney, who lives about nine miles north of O'Neill, is quite ill with intermittent fever, but it is thought not dangerously so.

The frame work of the Methodist church was raised yesterday and Mr. Blain is pushing the work forward with all the energy in him; which is no small amount. Five men are at work.

The people of Inman are still remonstrating against a saloon, with 180 names on the list.

**Fifty-Five Years Ago**

The Frontier, Sept. 6, 1888. A grand Harvest Ball will be given in McCafferty's hall tonight by the O'Neill Social Club. Good music will be furnished for the entertainment of those who attend and the affair promises to be brilliant. A. J. Handlan, Felix Murphy, George Merritt and John Murphy are managers.

G. C. Hazelett and wife returned from their wedding tour last Thursday evening.

At the republican senatorial convention held in this city last Saturday, L. T. Shanner of Holt county was nominated by acclamation.

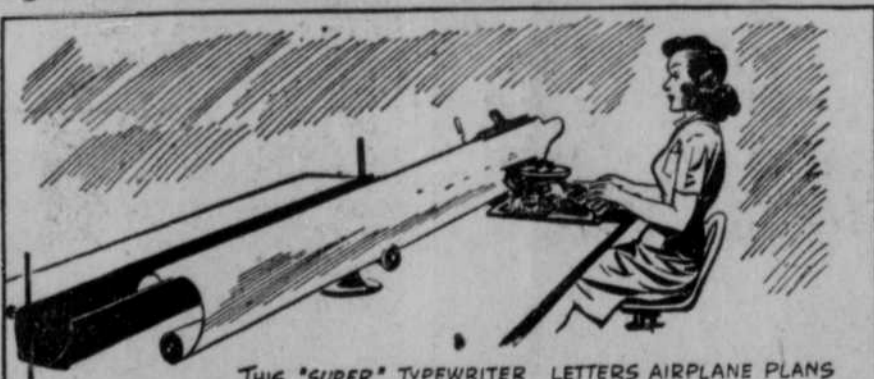
The Frontier, Sept. 12, 1888. Married, at the residence of the bride's parents in Atkinson, on Tuesday, September 11, 1888, Will T. Fisher to Miss Jennie L. Coburn.

Clerk Harnish, of the land office, has moved his family to O'Neill.

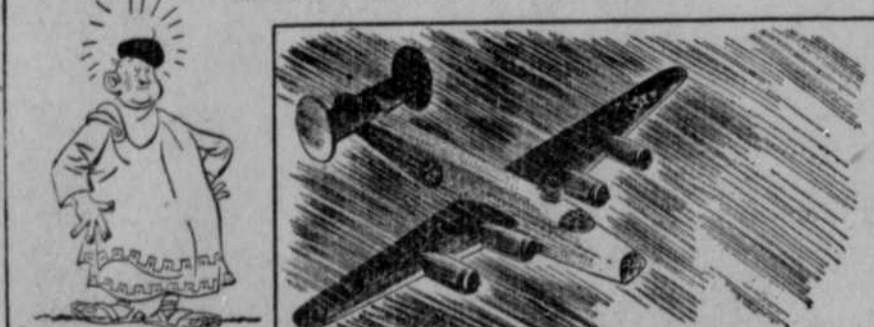
The Holt County Fair was held in this city the fore part of this week, was largely attended and was good.

The Frontier, Sept. 19, 1888. At the Holt County Fair last Friday the Hynes Champion Belt for the fleetest 100-yard runner was won by James McManus.

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Clyde King second, and Charles Stannard third. The boys are all good runners and the race created intense interest.

Mrs. John Gibbons, who had been visiting in Chadron for a few days, returned yesterday morning. Pat returned with her and will stay here for a while.

E. H. Pickle is the reverend gentleman who will preside over the Methodist church here the coming year.

**Fifty Years Ago**

The Frontier, Sept. 7, 1893. School commenced Monday. The various rooms are presided over by the following talent: Assistant principal, Miss Carlson; first grammar, Miss Gillespie; second grammar, Miss O'Donnell; intermediate, Miss Murphy; first primary, Mrs. Hazelett; second primary, Miss McManus; assistant primary, Mrs. Taylor.

The Independent, or populist, convention was held in the court room in this city last Friday afternoon, with 97 delegates present. The following candidates were nominated: J. P. Mullen, county treasurer; Charles Hamilton, sheriff; W. W. Bethea, county clerk; Jackson Ewing, county superintendent; Dr. B. T. Trueblood, coroner; George McCutcheon, county judge; M. F. Norton, surveyor.

The Frontier, Sept. 14, 1893. The Misses Deb and Dede Gibbons left last Saturday for Dubuque, Iowa, where they will attend St. Joseph's Academy. Miles accompanied them.

Arthur Mullen dropped in with some cigars yesterday and informed The Frontier to smoke to the health of a son, born last Saturday.

John Carr and wife arrived in Stafford last Thursday evening. A large delegation of O'Neill citizens went down to meet them and spent a very pleasant evening.

A pleasant dancing party was given Monday evening at the home of Michael Cavanaugh. It was a farewell party. Mr. Cavanaugh and family expect soon to remove to California.

The Frontier, Sept. 21, 1893. Jim Harrington expects to leave next week for Ann Arbor to resume his law studies.

**Forty Years Ago**

The Frontier, Sept. 3, 1903. The examination of candidates for appointment to the West Point military academy held at Kearney last week resulted in the appointment of Owen Meredith of O'Neill as principal and Merle Kline, also of O'Neill, as alternate. Seven candidates from different counties took the examination.

It came near enough to frost last Saturday night to make everybody curl up beneath heavy bedding, while corn picked up its ears to watch the result. As it was, there was only another heavy dew, which a few more degrees depression in the temperature would have brought a freeze.

The Frontier, Sept. 17, 1903. Five days of cold, tumultuous weather came to a climax Tuesday night with a heavy mantle of hoar frost spread over the earth and a thin sheet of ice over vessels of water that were exposed to the night air. Most of the more tender plants were pretty thoroughly "cooked," while the rugged vegetation like corn was not materially damaged, only in instances of late fields.

Tuesday at 12 o'clock noon occurred the wedding of Arthur E. Gwin and Miss Enna Stein at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stein, who reside 16 miles north of O'Neill. Rev. Amos Fitzer, of the Methodist church, officiating.

Parnell Golden departed yesterday for Boston to spend the next year in the study of mining engineering.

Trainmen of the Northwestern Tuesday morning related that there was ten inches of snow in the Black Hills country and snow fell as far east as Long Pine.

O. O. Snyder, who was appointed receiver of the Holt County Bank some time ago, took charge of the same yesterday.

The sad intelligence reached O'Neill Tuesday that Mrs. Back Berry of Paddock died at her home Tuesday morning of typhoid fever.

The question of county division was submitted to a vote of the people by the county board of supervisors.

**Twenty Years Ago**

The Frontier, Sept. 6, 1923. Misses Dorothy and Esther Tomlinson went to Omaha Sunday, where they will attend the Omaha High School.

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**Ten Years Ago**

The Frontier, Sept. 7, 1933. Many of our residents are of the opinion that last Tuesday was the hottest September day we ever had in this section of the state, but a glance at the records disprove that. Tuesday it registered 104, while on September 8, 1931, it registered 107, which was the hottest September day for twenty years, according to the local weather bureau.

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Carey, the left-handed pitcher that put Emmet on the baseball map the past year, is making good with the Columbus team in the State League, which he joined two weeks ago. Since going to Columbus, Carey has pitched three games for Columbus and won all three.

The Frontier, Sept. 11, 1913. M. F. Landon, of Tripp county, S. D., and Miss Mary Rhode of O'Neill, were granted a marriage license in the county court last Tuesday.

The public schools of the city opened last Monday with an enrollment of 290, divided among the several grades. Following are the teachers: Primary, Mary G. Timlin; second and third grades, Kathryn Devlin; third and fourth grades, Mary Stannard; fifth and sixth grades, Lavena Adams; seventh grade, Margaret Donohoe; eighth grade, Mary Horiskey. High school: Normal training and domestic science, Lottie Robertson; mathematics and history, director, of athletics, F. B. Marren; agricultural training and science, C. C. Lake; Latin, English and music supervisor, Emma Snyder, principal; senior English and German, C. A. Gorby, superintendent.

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whom 90 are boys and 123 girls.

The Frontier, Sept. 21, 1933. Word comes from Lincoln that engineers are busy on the specifications for the paving through O'Neill on highways 20 and 281.

Paul C. Butler died at his home at Battle Creek last Friday, after an illness of three months. He was a little over 49 years of age. He leaves a wife and two daughters.

The O'Neill baseball team went down to Bartlett last Sunday afternoon and that evening played the Bartlett team under flood lights. O'Neill won with a score of 12 to 4.

**BRIEFLY STATED**

Jimmie Golden left Sunday for Omaha to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Anna Toy entertained a group of her friends at her home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Froelich and daughters, Mary Ellen and Nancy, left Monday for Chicago.

Miss Rosemary Ryan and Miss Yvonne Sirek spent the weekend in Sioux City visiting with friends.

Miss Ellen Lois Wilcox returned last Friday from Elgin, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jack Morrison left Wednesday, for Holdrege, Nebr., where she will be employed as a telephone operator.

Mrs. Frank Phalin returned on Tuesday from a month's visit in New York City, Chicago, Illinois, and Gary, Indiana.

Miss Kate Murray of Omaha spent the week-end here visiting her mother, Mrs. Theresa Murray, and other relatives and friends.

Take care of your teeth, and smile. There is nothing that will make you so many friends as a pleasant smile.—Dr. Fisher, Dentist. 17-1

There will be no band concert the coming Saturday night. Instead of a concert, the band will play and march on the streets down town.

Pvt. Tom Hutton returned to Camp Robinson, Ark., last Saturday, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hutton at Inman, and friends here.

Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Scott, of the Presbyterian church, departed Monday for Long Pine to enjoy three days' vacation in the Hidden Paradise recreation park.

Miss Mary Harty will arrive today from Chicago, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harty and other relatives and friends.

Miss Doris Harvey returned Sunday from Albia and Bloomfield, Iowa, where she had been visiting relatives and friends. She also visited in Elm Creek and Kearney, this state.

Mrs. Edward Swanson returned to her home in Herman on Monday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Toy, and other relatives and friends here for the past two weeks.

The 15th Judicial District bar association had their quarterly meeting at Atkinson Monday evening. Judge J. J. Harrington, Ira Moss, Judge D. R. Mounds and J. D. Cronin were in attendance.

Tables will be arranged in the Club House for ladies of the O'Neill Country Club to play cards in the afternoon. Various prizes will be awarded. Out of town guests are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. C. C. Bergstrom entertained the M M Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Guy Cole of Emmet won high score. Mrs. Kruse second high. Mrs. Esther Cole Harris third high, and Mrs. Paul Shierk guest prize.

Mrs. R. H. Parker entertained seven guests at a farewell party at her home Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Harry Walling. The evening was spent playing cards.

A group of Methodist people entertained at a party in the church parlors Tuesday evening in honor of the new members. A delicious luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenna, son Gene, and Warren Burgess spent the week-end in Scribner visiting Lt. and Mrs. Hugh McKenna. Warren, son of Dr. and

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**BROWN-McDONALD**

Mrs. L. A. Burgess, and Gene left Monday for Sheppard Field, Tex., to begin their training as members of the army air corps.

Mrs. Dave Yantzi of Slayton, Minn., and Fred Paul of Detroit, Mich., who have been visiting Mrs. Theresa Murray and family, are spending the week with the John Schmidt family. Mrs. Yantzi returned with Mrs. Murray last week and will visit relatives and friends here.

Word has been received here that Jerry Toy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Toy, Sr., of this city, who is in the army, has been made a member of the A. S. T. P., for advanced training in engineering, and is stationed at the University of Arkansas, at Fayetteville. His grade was 99%, the highest grade of any applicant. Congratulations Jerry, and the best of luck.

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