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LOCAL NEWS.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Biglin Monday morning.

Miss Geraldine Cronin returned to her studies at Dueschne college at Omaha Monday.

James Ryan returned home Tuesday from a two week's trip to Chicago and points east.

W. H. Stein, the Whippet and Studebaker dealer, drove home a new Whippet coupe for Tom Griffin last

The Woman's Club will meet at the club room next Wednesday afternoon January 23rd. Look in club book for program.

The members of the county board of supervisors have been busy checking with the county officers during the past week.

J. L. Shamer, residing in the eastern part of the county, has been quite ill for some time. Several of his old time friends residing in O'Neill have been calling on him during the past week.

Mrs. E. T. Campbell spent week-end with her brother, Deputy U. S. Attorney W. J. Froelich in Omaha. Mr. Froelich came to O'Neill with her and visited with his mother, Mrs. Nellie Froelich, until Tuesday.

Last Saturday was the forty-first anniversary of the historical blizzard of January 12, 1888, which is vividly impressed upon the minds of the old timers who were residents of this part of the country at that time.

Mrs. E. T. Campbell and Mrs. H. J. Birmingham entertained the Martez club at a seven o'clock dinner followed by bridge at the Golden hotel, Wednesday evening. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Max Golden.

Edward Larson accompanied by Miss Nellie Kaczor came up from Mead, Nebraska, Tuesday for a few days visit with O'Neill and Meek relatives and friends. Miss Nellie has been visiting at the Larson home in Mead for several weeks.

Attorney W. T. Wills, Attorney A. B. Wallace, Attorney Wm. Whitla and County Treasurer Putnam, all of Butte, Nebraska, were attending a short session of district court at the court house Monday and looking after business in general.

Roy Griffin returned home Friday evening from the auto trip that he took with Gib Morgan, of Atkinson, and Frank Summers, of Fremont. The party went over into old Mexico while touring Texas. They were absent about two weeks.

Sir Knight Rev. O. A. Fortune and Sir Knight F. J. Sexsmith drove to Long Pine last Tuesday and attended the afternoon and evening session of the Commandry of the Knight Templars. General Inspector Dawson and Lew Smith of Omaha were present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zimmerman have rented their residence on Everett street to Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wheeler and family, who will occupy the residence after February 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman expect to spend several months visiting with their children; their first visit will be with their daughter, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nemic, at Spencer, Nebraska.

A number of O'Neill people were in Norfolk last Saturday to see and hear the talking picture "The Singing Fool." Al Jolson's big sentimental production that has seemed to start the whole country crying where it has been shown. Those who have seen the picture say it is a wonderful picture. Among those who were in Norfolk Saturday was Mrs. Emma Novak, Miss Ruth Scott, Miss Margaret Kain, Miss Genevieve and Miss Anna McManus, Miss Winnie Shaughnessy and Miss Mildred Timlin.

Miss Mae Keys, Miss Helen Biglin and Miss Rose Taylor drove to Norfolk last Saturday to see and hear the "Singing Fool" which was showing Norfolk last week. The young ladies were guests at the home of Miss Rose Taylor in Norfolk over Sunday.

A car driven by Jay Butler, of Inman, collided with the Ford sedan driven by Miss Mildred Timlin, at the intersection of highways Nos. 20 and 13, Wednesday evening. The Ford was overturned and somewhat damaged; Miss Timlin was not injured beyond a few bruises and a bad scare.

The stop signs in O'Neill have not been observed as they should have been during the past few months. The state officials are preparing to enforce the "stop" law throughout the state. Everyone who does not come to a complete stop when entering the highway is liable to arrest and if the present plan of the state enforcement department is carried out an officer may appear in O'Neill any time. Every car driver should make it a point to come to a full stop before entering a state highway and thus form the habit of stopping whether anyone is passing or not.

DR. CHATFIELD said "Robinson Crusoe might despise riches—so may a savage; but no sane and civilized man will hold them in contempt."

The O'Neill National Bank

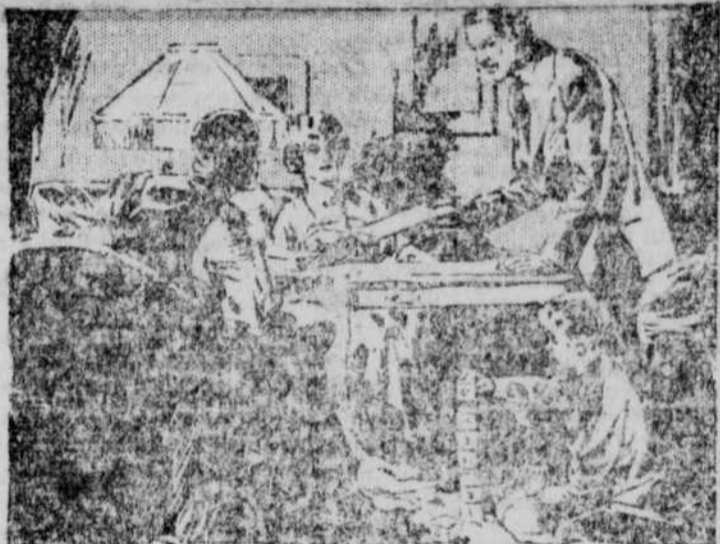
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$125,000.00

This bank carries no indebtedness of officers or stockholders.

Fred Bredehoeft returned home Tuesday from Denver where he spent Sunday with relatives. He was accompanied home by Miss Eva Pyle, who has been visiting with her father and brothers and sisters in Denver over the holidays. Miss Pyle is a niece of Mrs. Bredehoeft.

Another light snow fell here last Saturday, but did not stay long.

Miss Ruth Barnard entertained twelve young ladies at her home Tuesday evening. Card and music was the pastime for the evening. A lunch was served by the hostess.



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Ross E. Harris

Food Market

O'Neill Nebraska

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenna and sons, Hugh and Gene, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Drayton, at Page, last Sunday.

County Attorney Julius D. Cronin returned home Monday morning from Lincoln where he attended the state meeting of County Attorneys.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Grothe, of Emmet, stopped in O'Neill a short time Wednesday afternoon enroute home from Norfolk where Mr. Grothe submitted to an operation the first of the week for the removal of his tonsils. They were accompanied home by their cousin, Cecil Hewitt, of Hader, who will visit at the Grothe home for a short time.

FINANCIAL REPORT O'NEILL BRANCH HOLT COUNTY BRANCH OF AMERICAN RED CROSS

In accordance with instructions from the American National Red Cross C. P. Hancock, Treasurer of the O'Neill Branch of the American Red Cross on March 2, 1922, turned over to H. A. Snyder, Atkinson, Nebraska, Secretary of the Holt County Chapter of the American Red Cross the war funds amounting to \$2,306.88 of the O'Neill Branch. These funds belong to the O'Neill Branch but remain in the custody of the Holt County Chapter to be administered by the chapter as directed by the O'Neill Branch.

Following is Secretary Snyder's report of these funds:

March 2, 1922, certificate of deposit	\$2,306.88
April 27, 1927, certificate interest	589.72
Jan. 26, 1928, Membership	65.00
	\$2,961.60
Sept. 12, 1923, Japan relief	\$100.00
Feb. 1, 1924, Soldier relief	58.55
Feb. 16, 1925, Soldier relief	21.75
Feb. 27, 1925, Tornado relief	50.00
Nov. 14, 1925, Postage	.11
Sept. 25, 1926, Miami relief	50.00
Feb. 27, 1927, Flood relief	200.00
Jan. 10, 1927, Soldier relief	75.00
Nov. 7, 1927, Postage	.08
Jan. 26, 1928, Memberships	65.00
Sept. 28, 1928, Tornado	75.00
Oct. 26, 1928, Postage	.10
Nov. 12, 1928, Bal. on hand	2,266.01
	\$2,961.60

Following report is submitted by C. P. Hancock, Treasurer of the O'Neill Branch.

Dec. 17, 1927, Balance	\$ 40.85
Jan. 26, 1928, Memberships	130.00
	\$170.85

Jan. 26, 1928, H. A. Snyder Secy, Memberships	65.00
Feb. 14, 1928, Local relief	2.25
Feb. 27, 1928, Local relief	21.09
April 9, 1928, Local relief	6.40
April 28, 1928, Expense	15.00
June 29, 1928, Local relief	2.00
July 3, 1928, Junior Red Cross Memberships	8.50
Aug. 9, 1928, Local relief	29.08
Aug. 29, 1928, Local relief	10.70
	\$159.93
Nov. 12, 1928, Balance on hand	10.92
	\$170.85

The officers of the O'Neill Branch of the American Red Cross have engaged the Itinerant Nursing Service of the American National Red Cross for the months of January, February

and March, to begin Monday, January 21st. Under this service the Red Cross nurse, Miss Mary E. Craskan, with special training in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, Nutrition and Public Health, will give her full time for these months to the children of the schools of O'Neill and the adult class to be held outside of school hours. This service will be paid for from the war funds of the O'Neill Branch.

EIGHT MEMBERS OF THE O'NEILL FIRE DEPARTMENT ATTEND STATE MEETING

Eight members of the O'Neill Volunteer Fire Department drove to Fremont, Nebraska, Monday afternoon, where they have been attending the annual convention of the N. S. V. F. A., which convened in that city Tuesday and has continued over Wednesday and today.

This is the first year for a number of years that O'Neill has been represented at the state convention.

The O'Neill delegation wore green derbys and will no doubt be an attractive bunch at the convention.

Those who constitute the O'Neill party are Chief G. E. Miles; G. E. Burge, delegate; Clarence Zimmerman, alternate; James Davidson, Jr., Bert Gunn, William Gatz, Norbert Uhl, and Ed Hagensick.

RECORD OF MORTGAGES FILED AND RELEASED IN HOLT COUNTY

The following figures are taken from the annual report made to the state auditor on January 1st this year by County Recorder B. T. Winchell.

Real Estate mortgages, (farm) filed 262, amounting to \$927,147.00; released, 290, amounting to \$1,221,840.

Real Estate mortgages (city property) filed 98, amounting to \$138,204.00; released 85, amounting to \$100,432.00.

Chattel Mortgages filed \$3,008,049; released \$2,439,257.00.

During the year there were 59 sheriff deeds and 4 city deeds issued.

HIRAM ADRIAN POLK.

Hiram Adrian Polk died late Sunday evening at his home on east Everett Street following a period of physical disability dating back to a stroke of paralysis suffered about ten or twelve years ago. Mr. Polk had been unable to walk without the aid of crutches for several years; the last year or more he has been confined to a wheeled chair. He was 76 years, 8 months and 2 days old at the time of his death.

Hiram Adrian Polk was born in Germany May 11, 1852. He came to America with his parents in early childhood. His parents settled in Illinois where Mr. Polk grew to manhood. While still a young man he moved to Iowa where he later married Miss Mary Furguson February 27, 1875, at Sigourney, Iowa. Two daughters were born to this union, Mrs. Josie Gurrard, Juniata, Nebraska; Mrs. Eunice Sanders, O'Neill. Following their marriage they moved to eastern Nebraska where they resided for a short time before moving to Holt county in March, 1891, from Springfield, Nebraska. He was a continuous resident of the county for the past thirty-eight years. For the first twelve years they resided upon a homestead; they moved to O'Neill about twenty-five years ago.

The funeral services were held from the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Othel A. Fortune; burial was in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Besides the devoted wife and two daughters, the deceased leaves six grand children; two great grand children and three brothers.

Mrs. Josie Gurrard, a daughter was unable to be present at the funeral services; she is at this time in a hospital in Lincoln.

The pall bearers were H. B. Hubbard, L. A. Simonson, E. W. Sargent, Andrew Schmidt, Chas. Wrede Jr., W. E. Konkin.

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