

BACKYARD KRONIES - NOT "SPEEDY" ENOUGH

- BY M. B.



INMAN ITEMS

Mrs. Roy Grubbs is in Norfolk this week; she is being treated for goiter.

Miss Leola Hartigan is here from Omaha visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hartigan.

Miss Bernice Irwin went to Belgrade, Monday to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mrs. A. B. Pierson, of Lincoln came Saturday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. I. L. Watson and family.

Miss Lois Moor, senior at Nebraska Wesleyan, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moor.

Chaster M. Fowler, who is an instructor in the schools at Sioux City, Iowa, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. A. N. Butler and family.

Miss Wilma Brown, who is a student at the Mitchell College at Mitchell, South Dakota, is here spending the holidays with her parents.

Chas. Tompkins, who is a student in the Medical University at Omaha, is spending the holidays here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tompkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colman went to Lincoln, Tuesday morning where they will visit over Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Hare and family.

Miss Muriel Chicken, who is teaching school at Gracia, Nebraska, came

Saturday to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chick.

Miss Esther Franka who is teaching school at Valentine, Nebraska, came Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fraka and family.

Miss Ruth Killinger who is attending school at the Wayne state Normal, came Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Killinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kopecky attended a Christmas program at the Grass schoolhouse north of Paga, on Friday evening. They report a fine program. Ellen Shaughnessy is the teacher.

A Christmas program was given in the Willow Lake school district south of town, last Saturday night. Many people went out from town and praise the program very highly. Miss Leone Pribil is the teacher.

An impromptu program was given at the M. E. church last Sunday evening. A pageant had been planned but on account of illness it was cancelled. The program was a volunteer affair and was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Rev. Mertie E. Clute left for Garrison, Nebraska, Monday morning to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Clute. She will also attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary of her parents on the 29th of December.

Pete Kohl of Joplin, Missouri came Friday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Kohl and his sister, Mrs. Frank Colman; on Saturday he left for Joplin, accompanied by his mother, who will make an extended visit with her son and family.

Considerable excitement was caused early Monday morning when Art Renner's house caught fire. The new chemical engine was hurried to the scene but the fire had been extinguished before its arrival. The fire, which was on the roof, was caused by sparks from the chimney; very little damage was done.

manger cradle, the thought of divine love gives new courage and strength to press on to even the most depressed. Sin is awful and real, but it has not triumphed. Many are taking firmer hold on spiritual values. "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof. Hearts still hunger for and turn to Him who is our light and salvation. "Peace on earth, good will to men" is still spreading. Let us join in the "glad tidings of great joy which shall be to all people." Let us pray that in each heart and home well-springs of love may break forth. That fires of devotion to the Christ may brighten and widen the glorious circle of spiritual fellowship and perpetuate the meaning of Christmas throughout the year.

We invite you to worship with us again next Sunday. Rev. Johnson will be the preacher for the evening union services in our church. Merry Christmas to all and a Happy New Year.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES

A communication has been received from the State Board of Health stating that the number of cases of communicable diseases are on the ascendancy and requesting that all counties take all precautions possible to prevent epidemics. They request that all cases of illness be watched very closely. For the child's own sake as well as that of the public, no child should be in school or on the streets with a communicable disease.

According to the state Health Board "Early detection, coupled with prompt isolation, is one of the most effective means of averting an epidemic." They also advise as follows: "Occasionally where contagious disease develops, a strong inclination toward closing school arises. This obsolete practice should be discontinued, for experience has demonstrated that if schools are closed in the face of a threatened epidemic and pupils not kept isolated upon their respective premises, the disease is practically certain to spread. Furthermore, upon reopening school, there will, in a short time, be additional cases develop and often a epidemic epidemic follow. Where an epidemic threatens, the local board of health co-operating with school authorities will secure the most effective control by arranging for daily examination of the pupils, with prompt exclusion and isolation of all suspected cases of disease. Co-operation between patients, teachers, doctors and officers is absolutely necessary to prevent epidemics.

Radio talks are being given over station KFAB, Lincoln, at 2:45 every Friday afternoon by members of the Department of Public Instruction. State Superintendent C. W. Taylor spoke on Adult Immigration, on Friday, December 19th.

A special Eighth Grade Examination will be held in Holt County on January 30th.

The grades for the November Teachers Examination have been received and grades reported to all schools.

The Tuberculosis Seal Sale has been very fine this season. All teachers who have not turned in seals and money should do so at once.

The new school building in district 38 has been completed and teacher and pupils will move in during the holidays.

SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS

N. W. Bell Tele. Co.	100.70
P. W. McGinnis	15.00
Drs. Gilligan & Brown	9.34
R. R. Morrison	108.65
C. J. Malone	8.50
Thos. S. Mains	11.00
E. J. Kilmurray	15.00
Hugh L. James	30.50
A. M. Jones	3.05
Susie Horiskey	18.25
Ed Jones	143.50
C. L. Harding	3.00
Geo. Bressler	18.45
A. W. Borden	10.00
Harry L. Cowles	46.70
Julius D. Cronin	3.00
M. Campbell & Son	12.00
R. H. Fink	5.00
John Sullivan	25.50
J. I. Gray	30.57

12 o'clock, noon; on motion board adjourned until 1 o'clock p. m.

O'Neill, Neb., Oct. 3, 1930

Holt county board met pursuant to adjournment, all members present. Board called to order by the chairman.

The following claims for printing and supplies were audited and approved and on motion allowed on the General Fund:

K. B. Printing Co., claims in the total sum of \$1169.98

Lincoln School Supply Co.	1068.92
Norfolk Daily News	1822.22
Milburn & Scott	205.44
Klopp Printing Co.	1217.23
Omaha Printing Co.	3565.68
Hammond & Stevens Co.	352.19

On motion the claim of Holt County Agricultural Association for \$2500 was allowed on the County Fair Fund.

The following claims were audited and approved and on motion allowed on the road fund:

Standard Oil Co.	\$223.05
W. F. Jonas	5.00
Seger Bros.	39.70
Norfolk Daily News	251.22
J. H. Meredith	5.00
O'Neill Gas & Oil Co.	449.10
J. D. Adams Co.	10.39
John Dorr	50.00
Omaha Printing Co.	310.00
Joe Stocker	115.25
Norfolk Daily News	454.17
Joseph Kaplan	4.50
Andrew B. Lee	120.00
Klopp Printing Co.	35.00
J. D. Adams Co.	522.08

The following claims were audited and approved and on motion allowed on the bridge fund:

Lester Andrus	7.76
J. P. Harte	8.00
Pruden Bros.	18.00
Lyle McKim	15.00
Frank Valla	7.50
M. Campbell & Son	13.35
Lloyd Gibson	84.00
Paul S. Bittner	8.00
Mort Gill	47.65
Tom Joyce	1.50
E. Gibson	22.50
J. C. Stein	44.70
L. C. McKim	20.50
John Sullivan	35.00
John Steinhauer	36.10
Lloyd Gibson	57.00
Charles Mulhair	8.00
L. C. McKim	20.00
Welmor Crawford	10.50
Halsey Hull	24.00
G. H. Anderson	16.25
H. E. Coyne	13.00
John Wrede	2.85
Lyle McKim	20.00
Wm. Lowmore	1.50
D. G. Kunz	6.00
Western Bridge & Cons. Co.	3000.00
Tom Welsh	10.00
Frank Linder	9.00
Marvin Gibson	77.00
Stuart Hartigan	3.00
Wm. Goree	11.00
Seth Noble	43.95
Tom Matthews	9.00
L. C. McKim	39.00
C. Shaffer	9.00
John Timmerman	11.00
Arthur O'Neill	91.00
Marvin Gibson	42.00
Nye & Jenks Co.	86.40
Art Mickels	13.50
Lee Coakley	7.50
Lyle McKim	20.00
F. J. Wurtz	21.45
Wm. Krotter Co.	3.75

5 o'clock p. m.; on motion board adjourned until October 4, 1930, at 9:00 o'clock p. m.

John Sullivan, E. F. Porter, Chairman, Clerk

Antelope	Percy Grass, Page
Scott	Llye McKim, Opportunity
Steel Creek	J. E. Wiley, Dorsey

District No. 3

O'Neill	Howard Bauman, O'Neill
O'Neill	L. E. Bitney, O'Neill
O'Neill	John Conley, O'Neill
O'Neill	R. V. Eidenmiller, O'Neill
O'Neill	Frank Valla, O'Neill
O'Neill	George Shoemaker, O'Neill
Grattan	William Hanley, O'Neill
Grattan	J. G. Hoffman, O'Neill
Grattan	C. F. Baker, O'Neill
Grattan	J. K. Bellar, O'Neill
Grattan	P. V. Hickey, O'Neill

District No. 4

Verdigris	J. P. Lichty, Page
Verdigris	Mark Howard, Page
Verdigris	Anton Nissen, Page
Golden	Geo. Hoard, Orchard
Deloit	Frank Anderson, Ewing
Deloit	R. H. Fink, Ewing

District No. 5

Chambers	Orvil Keller, Chambers
Chambers	Chauncey Cook, Chambers
Chambers	Tim Reed, Chambers
Inman	Leo Tompkins, Inman
Inman	Stuart Hartigan, Inman
Conley	Al Litka, Chambers
McClure	Wallace McKim, O'Neill
Shamrock	Walter Jutte, O'Neill
Wyoming	M. Brotherton, Amelia

District No. 6

Stuart	Walter Gill, Stuart
Stuart	Tony Lockman, Stuart
Stuart	John Hirsch, Stuart
Stuart	Frank Kaup, Stuart
Stuart	Oscar Whitehead, Stuart
Swan	Lloyd James, Amelia
Francis	Geo. Schiffer, Atkinson
Green Valley	Chris Westrom, Stuart

District No. 7

Atkinson City	John Harley jr. Atkns
do	E. N. Chase, Atkinson
do	A. E. Eveland, Atkinson
do	Chas. Gonderinger, Atkns
do	W. R. Callen, Atkinson

Atkinson Twp. John Wedige, Stuart

do Mike L. Schaaf, Atkinson

Sheridan James Kubart, Atkinson

Fairview Lee Samons, Amelia

Sheridan George Meals, Atkinson

4 o'clock p. m.; on motion board adjourned until Oct. 28, 1930 at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

John Sullivan, E. F. Porter, Chairman, Clerk

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. R. R. Dickson was in Sioux City the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Barnard came from Omaha, Wednesday to spend Christmas with her mother and other relatives.

A marriage license was issued last Monday to Forest Edward Hardy and Miss Martha Lucretia Hammer, both of Chambers.

Lyric Theatre

ATKINSON
Only Theatre in North Nebraska Equipped with Western Electric Sound System.
"Sound Pictures At Their Best"

Thursday & Friday, Dec. 25-26
Matinee Christmas at 2:30
Dorothy Mackail, Milton Sills, in "MAN TROUBLE"

See how four strangers, who met in most extraordinary ways and whose lives become hopelessly entangled by the caprices of cupid and the codes outside the law. A special Christmas picture that should please everybody.

Saturday, Dec. 27
Hoot Gibson, in "TRAILING TROUBLE"

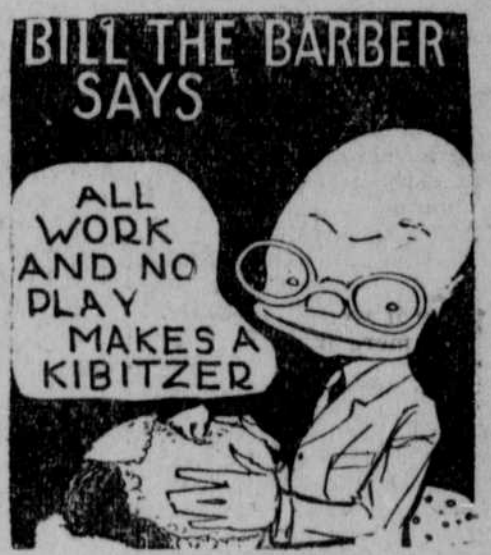
Guardian of \$5,000.00, and beset by thugs headed by a treacherous friend in the Chinatown of a big city, Hoot Gibson outdoes himself for thrills, surprises and hard riding; come early and get a good seat.

Sun. Mon. Tues. Dec. 28-29-30 3 Days
Al Jolson, in "BIG BOY"

You'll cheer, laugh and howl as you follow Jolson as the wise-cracking blackface jockey. "Big Boy is a Big Joy." His songs, his gags, will make it an evening well spent. See it.

Wednesday, Dec. 31
Bargain Night
"OFFICER O'BRIEN"

With William Boyd, Dorothy Sebastian and Ernest Torrence. A gripping story of the underworld and law—a new sensation for those who demand swift-moving action and drama to stir their blood. Its all here and more.



A BOOK is not judged by its cover, nor a man by his appearance. The one is weighed by its contents—the other by his bank account.

The O'Neill National Bank

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$125,000.00
This bank carries no indebtedness of officers or stockholders.

\$5 or Less Will Buy

Any of the following coverages:

- One Year's Insurance on many new and old cars against Fire, Lightning, Wind, Hail and Theft.
- \$1250.00 Tornado Insurance for Three Years.
- \$2,500 Hail Insurance on a dwelling for Five Years.
- \$500 Fire Insurance on Grain in storage on a farm for One Year.
- \$1,000 Fire, Lightning, Tornado, Wind and Hail Insurance on dwellings or contents for One Year.

Better Get A Policy Now.

L. G. Gillespie Insurance Agency
O'Neill, Nebraska.