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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Palmer have moved from Page to apartments in the Harry Haffner residence.

The Altar Society of the east side will hold a Food Sale at Grady's store, Saturday afternoon, May 23rd.

The Junior Athletic Girls gave a party for Miss Betty Jones at the home of Meryl Burge, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Osborn and Mrs. Claudia Jones, of Norfolk, visited Sunday at the Frank Hunter home at Star, and Mrs. J. M. Hunter, in O'Neill.

Mrs. Mary Osenbaugh, of Auburn, Nebraska, arrived Wednesday evening to visit at the home of her son, John Osenbaugh and to help care for Mrs. Osenbaugh, who is ill.

Mrs. J. R. Thomas came last Saturday from Hastings, where she has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Robertson, at Joy.

Ralph Mills and his mother, Mrs. Henry Mills, drove to Norfolk, Wednesday to visit Mrs. Ralph Mills at the Lutheran Hospital, who is recovering nicely from an operation which she submitted to, Monday morning.

Mrs. J. J. Schweitzer, of Milford, Nebraska, has been visiting her

mother, Mrs. Margaret Allen in this city for the past two weeks; she expects to return home Saturday with her husband and son Jay who are expected to drive here Friday evening.

Frank Hunter, of Star, drove to Lincoln last Saturday for his mother, Mrs. J. M. Hunter, who was taken ill while visiting relatives en route home. Mrs. J. R. Williams, of Tipton, Iowa, a sister of Mrs. Hunter, joined them in Lincoln and accompanied them to O'Neill. They are staying at the Templeton home until Mrs. Hunter's home in vacated by Mr. and Mrs. George Whitney, who have occupied it during her stay in Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney have rented the home of Mrs. Abbie Nelson for the summer.

MRS. EDWARD DRISCOLL

The remains of Mrs. Edward Driscoll, of Phoenix, Arizona, arrived in O'Neill last Friday afternoon from St. Louis, Missouri, where she had been in a hospital for several weeks under the care of a specialist; she was suffering from the effects of a nervous breakdown. She was apparently recovering from her illness and was feeling as well as usual on the morning of her death; she had visited with friends at eleven o'clock that morning and was jovial and in the best of spirits; at noon she was discovered to be in a serious condition and passed away in a few minutes; heart trouble was given as the immediate cause of her death.

Mary Gallagher was born in Scranton, Pennsylvania, March 26, 1869; she came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gallagher, to O'Neill at the age of nine years; she grew to womanhood in this city; she was united in marriage to Patrick Murphy in O'Neill on April 12, 1886. To this union one son, Dr. John P. Murphy, was born. Her husband passed away August 12, 1890. She was united in marriage to Edward P. Driscoll, of Phoenix, Arizona, on November 25, 1913, in O'Neill. Following the ceremony she accompanied her husband to Phoenix, Arizona, where she has since resided. However, each summer she spent several weeks visiting with her mother and other relatives in O'Neill.

She leaves to mourn her death her husband, Edward P. Driscoll, of Phoenix; her son, Dr. John P. Murphy, St. Louis; her mother, Mrs. M. Gallagher, O'Neill; her sister, Mrs. A. Baker, Casper, Wyoming; four brothers, J. P. Gallagher, O'Neill; Dr. J. C. Gallagher, Rosford, Ohio; Dr. J. F. Gallagher, St. Louis; Dr. E. E. Gallagher, LaCross, Wisconsin; two grand-children, Mary Ann and Patricia Murphy, St. Louis, and a host of friends both in O'Neill and Phoenix, Arizona.

Funeral services were held from St. Patrick's church in O'Neill following late mass Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock, conducted by Monsignor M. F. Cassidy; burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

All of the near relatives were present at the last sad rites excepting Dr. J. F. Gallagher who was unable to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed grateful to many neighbors and friends for kindness shown and sympathy extended us in the hours of sorrow following the recent death of our wife, mother, daughter and sister, the late Mrs. Edward Driscoll.

Edward P. Driscoll
Dr. John P. Murphy
The Gallagher Family

MRS. THOMAS SIMONSON

Caroline Lewis was born in Norway, June 19, 1843, and passed away at her home northeast of O'Neill, Nebraska, May 16th, 1931 at the age of 87 years, 10 months and 27 days.

With her parents she came to the United States in 1850, locating first in Messago county, Wisconsin. Four years later they moved to Dane county where, in 1866 she was united in marriage with Thomas Simonson. In 1878 she came with her husband to Nebraska and settled in Clay county where they resided three years. In 1881 they took a homestead in Holt county where the remaining years of their lives were spent.

Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Simonson, four of whom survive her: Loren, of O'Neill; Calmer, Irvin and Sena, of Agee, Nebraska.

Mrs. Simonson was instructed in the faith of the Lutheran church in early life and for the past 40 years has been a faithful member of the Methodist church. She was not only one of the early pioneers who helped found the commonwealth of Nebraska, but she belonged to that typical motherhood which has been the foundation of all good government and noble citizenship. It was her quiet, unostentatious but true and noble every day living that won for her the highest esteem of a wide circle of acquaintances in the neighborhood in which she lived. They arise to call her blessed, for she, the dead, yet speaketh.

Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Benj. Kuhler, from the Methodist church, Monday afternoon, where a capacity house of friends and neighbors had gathered to pay their farewell respects. Interment took place in the O'Neill cemetery.

There is a voice from that grave sweeter than song. There is a remembrance of the dead to which we turn even from the charms of the living. These we would not exchange for the songs of pleasure nor for the burst of revelry. That voice brings to us the words of our Christ, who said, "I go to prepare a place for you, and if I go to prepare a place I will come again to receive you unto myself, that where I am, there ye may be also."

REWARD

Lost, Thursday morning, string of Pearls with large, white carved beads.

Mrs. R. B. Dickson

CONVENTION OF CATHOLIC WOMEN IN NORFOLK

A number of O'Neill people attended the Eleventh Annual Convention of the Omaha Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, held in Norfolk, May 16, 17, 18, 1931. Hon. J. A. Donohoe of this city was one of the principal speakers. The following account of the Sunday session appeared in the Norfolk Daily News:

Telling of the work of Pope Pius XI, the Rt. Rev. Joseph F. Rummel, Bishop of Omaha, said, "the Holy Father has revived among the Catholics the work of lay apostles, urging all Catholics to engage in the work of advancing religious work among the people of the world." The bishop spoke before 200 persons gathered at the convention banquet in Hotel Norfolk, Sunday evening.

Catholics today, he went on, have many opportunities of making Catholic life a big part of their community life. He urged his listeners to be "apostles of the faith."

Catholic people can achieve much in their work as lay apostles through characted moulding of youth and bringing before people in their communities Christian ideals, said the bishop.

Bishop Rummel sketched the life of Pope Pius XI, telling of how much the pontiff has accomplished by his foresight in all civilized nations, adding that his work has had and is having a powerful influence on the religious, moral and social life of the world.

Speaking on "Catholic Lay Action," James A. Donohoe, O'Neill attorney, said that Catholics can make this world a better place in which to live by giving no scandal to churches or fellow workers, by more sincere devotion to the flag of the United States, by obeying laws more promptly and by giving the "best we have until we come to the end of the road."

It is sometimes said by others that Catholics are not friends of education, he said, but that is not true—"Catholics are so devoted to education that they not only willingly support public schools, but they also support their church schools." He urged his listeners to form a united effort in their work to bring about less disregard for laws and morality.

Catholic people have a big opportunity to minister to the social needs of rural communities, stated the Rev. M. B. Schlitz, Panama, Ia., in his banquet talk on "Rural Life Activities." He told of what has been accomplished through vacation schools for boys and girls. Through these schools, he added, Catholics have been successful in many rural communities in destroying the work of anti-Christian elements that sometimes have control of the pool halls, theatres and dance halls.

With the young people interested in organized activities, they will not go to places where no supervision or standards are recognized, he stated.

"The press, our contemporary press, is the foremost power and fighting weapon in our life," asserted the Rev. Ferdinand Krings, Osmond, in his banquet talk on "The Catholic Press."

"It has been called," he continued, "the cannon of thought. A strong, vigorous contemporary Catholic literature would be a broad road through the thickets of modern confusion to the open place of truth. A flourishing literature needs two things—readers and writers. He who becomes the one or the other is a road-maker for God."

"School and press go hand in hand. The school embraces the life of childhood boyhood and girlhood. The press has the same meaning for the mature age. Both want to form and construct according to the aims they pursue."

"It is true the spoken word is still powerful in our age and seems even to gain in popularity, but is far out-distanced by the printed sheet of the press."

"You don't know the latent power in yourselves" Father Krings declared in urging his listeners to become writers.

The Rev. Hugh Gately, pastor of Sacred Heart church of Norfolk, spoke briefly, telling the officers of the council and delegates that they have honored Norfolk by having their convention here.

Miss Adelaide Cash, Omaha, delighted the banqueters with four vocal solos. Miss Regina Franklin, Omaha, accompanied her at the piano.

Mrs. L. C. Nash, Omaha, ably presided as toastmistress. Both she and Mrs. Arthur F. Mullen, president, thanked the people of Norfolk and various organizations for the splendid cooperation they have given the council. "The finest thing the Omaha council did was to bring the convention to Norfolk," said Mrs. Nash.

Sunday morning's program included the pontifical high mass at Sacred Heart church, with Bishop Rummel pontificating. The bishop also delivered the sermon. Rosewig's Mass in G was sung by the choir under the direction of Mrs. A. M. Howley.

Sunday afternoon was given over to a discussion of study clubs.

Petitions asking Pope Pius XI for favorable consideration for the cause of the canonization of Mother Elizabeth Seton, foundress of the American Sisters of Charity, were signed by delegates Saturday afternoon.

The petition in part reads: "Her great work of Christian service is an inspiration to all of us, as is her life of eminent sanctity, and it would be a special honor to have her raised as the first native-born woman of the United States to the honors of the altar."

Mother Seton was born on August 18, 1774, and upon being given a tract of land at Emmitsburg, Md., she organized her community of Sisters of Charity. From the foundation there, there have sprung six motherhouses of the order in this country and Canada.

Several hundred thousand persons in the United States have signed pe-

titions in the national movement for the canonization of Mother Seton.

Nine out of ten cases of delinquency in scholarship and attendance are connected with bad home conditions, the Rev. J. H. Ostiek, diocesan superintendent of schools, Omaha, told delegates at the luncheon in Hotel Norfolk, Saturday.

Stressing the necessity that parents cooperate with the school, he said that between birth and the average of legal maturity, there are 180,000 hours; only 7,000 of which on the average does a child spend in school, yet his education goes on during all his wakeful moments. He emphasized the value of health education for children, saying it demands parental cooperation. Schools cannot get the application and the carry over into actual life unless parents and teachers work hand in hand.

Father Ostiek urged parents to attend lecture courses on child psychology and to attend study clubs and reading circles where a study of child problems is made.

Mrs. J. C. Tighe, Omaha, who spoke on Parent-Teacher Association at the luncheon, enumerated the aims of that organization, including "better community, better schools, better parents and better children." The main purpose is to bring the school and home in closer touch with each other, she said.

Mrs. Mullen presided at the luncheon, with Miss Anna Hughes, Battle Creek, council treasurer, as toastmistress. Father Gately and Fred M. Deutch, president of the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the delegates, Mrs. Mullen giving response.

"A large union of Catholic graduates, the flower of Catholic womanhood can accomplish wonders in a world that is losing its respect for modesty and truth," said Father Ostiek in his talk at the annual convention of the Nebraska chapter of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae. Reports on work of the organization were given at this session.

Later Saturday afternoon the Parent-Teacher sectional meeting was held. Father Ostiek stressed the value of parental help in the education of children, and spoke of the duty of making the most of the responsibility that belongs to parents.

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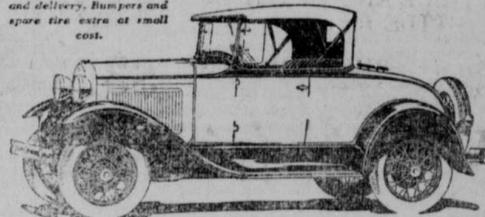
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