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THE DAYS OF LONG AGO

Fifty-Five Years Ago

The Holt County Bank now occupies its new apartments and they are fine to say the least.
Holt county made a magnificent showing at the recent election. Two years ago it ranked forty-second in the list of counties according to the number of votes cast. This year it ranks thirteenth, casting over 2,900 votes, nearly double that of Antelope, more than double that of Knox, 1100 more than Cuming; in fact but three or four counties in the Third District cast more.

Fifty Years Ago

Romaine Saunders is back to work on The Frontier.
Donald McLean, the head of Oregon short line, was in the city for a couple of days this week talking of the building of the road from Sioux City to O'Neill.

Forty Years Ago

Edward Graham, who came to this county in June, 1878, passed away at his home north of this city last Friday morning. He was 67 years of age.

Thirty Years Ago

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Anton Toy Saturday last.
M. F. Kirwin has opened a restaurant in the old Sam Thompson building on South Fourth.
Clarence Campbell left yesterday afternoon for Seattle, Wash, where he expects to make his future home.
Mrs. Campbell will remain here until he finds a suitable residence.
Married at Harrison, Nebr., on Sunday, November 14, 1909, William B. Graves of O'Neill and Miss Ardie Holden of Chambers.
Charles W. Tullis died at his home in the Mineola neighborhood, November 22. He was 69 years of age and one of the prominent farmers of that section of the county.

Twenty Years Ago

R. L. Arbutnot made a business trip to Crawford, Nebr., last week returning the first of this week.
Chauncey Porter started to work at the Northwestern depot last week.

Ten Years Ago

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Froelich last Friday.
The sidewalks have been icy as the result of a mist and sleet that fell the first of the week.

BRIEFLY STATED

Ira George left Friday for Beatrice, where he attended a Band Master's Convention, and then went to Omaha, where also attended a convention held there on Saturday.
Miss Grace Carlon, of Pueblo, Colo., arrived here on Sunday, and will make an extended visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Hammond, and other relatives and friends.
Mrs. Pete Todson entertained at a bridge party at her home on Sunday night, Mrs. W. Richards winning high score for the ladies, and Ambrose Rohde high score for the men.
Mrs. Tom Donlin returned on Sunday, from Spencer, Nebraska, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Murray, who has been ill.

Miss Ruth Evans of Omaha, arrived in O'Neill on Sunday evening to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Alma Evans and other relatives here.
Womans Club meets in the club room on the afternoon of December 20. Mrs. Ira George will review "Out of Gas," by Chas. Nordhoff and James Norman Hall.

The Lions Club held a dinner at the Golden Hotel no Monday night, with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Thompson, of Genoa, as guests of honor. Mr. Thompson is the District Governor of the Lions Club.

The first gun was fired in the 1940 political campaign, when H. W. Tomlinson of O'Neill filed on the Non-Political ticket for the office of County Judge, on Wednesday of this week.

R. R. Porter and Wm. Payne, of Omaha, Cashiers of the Travelers Insurance Company, Mortgage Loan Division, were in O'Neill on business on Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. W. P. Hiltabrandt, of Boston, Mass., left Sunday for her home, after spending the past month here, during the serious illness and death of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Meredith.

School Dist. 225 will have a program and Sack Social at the schoolhouse Friday evening, December 15, starting at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone is invited.—Dorothy Curran, teacher.

County Treasurer, Ben F. Winchell, County Clerk John Gallagher and Supervisors, John Sullivan, Jim Gibson, Walter Smith, W. E. Wulf and Ed Matousek, left Monday for Omaha, where they will attend the annual state conventions for County Treasurers, County Clerks and Supervisors.

H. W. Tomlinson started the ball rolling in the 1940 political battle Wednesday when he filed for the nomination for county judge on the non-political ballot. As the primary election comes in April this year, the political pot will begin to boil shortly after the first of the year.

At the regular election of officers held last Friday evening by the Encampment of the I. O. O. F., the following were elected for the ensuing year: J. S. Ennis, C. P.; Ira H. Moss, S. W.; L. G. Gillespie, H. P.; Mike Johnson, J. W.; B. T. Winchell, Scribe; L. G. Gillespie, treasurer.

From January 1, 1940, to June 30, 1940, state Patrolmen examiners will hold examination for Operators' licenses in the court house in this city on every Saturday afternoon. No examinations will be given on Sundays or legal holidays. In Boyd county on every third Wednesday afternoons; in Garfield every first Wednesday afternoon, in Keya Paha every fourth Tuesday afternoon.

Robert Lucas, one of the prominent Hereford breeders of the county, was in the city looking after business matters last Thursday afternoon. Mr. Lucas informed us that last week he sold a two-year-old Militant Hereford heifer for \$325.00, the sale being made to John Munter jr., of Randolph. It pays to raise good cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griffith left Tuesday afternoon for North Platte, Nebraska, where they will spend the winter visiting their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Griffith have been residents of the Meek neighborhood for so many years that that particular section of the county will not seem the same without them. They expect to return about March 1.

Charles Good, of Ewing, Nebraska, arrested by Patrolman Harry Brt, was before County Judge Louis Reimer on December 11, 1939, charged with operating a truck on the public highways of the county and state, with a local license, issued only for the operation of said truck in the City of Eking and county of Holt, and that the vehicle was operated outside the limits of its respective classification. He pled guilty, and was fined \$10.00 and costs amounting to \$3.10.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Taylor, pioneer residents of the Opportunity neighborhood, were in the city this morning on their way to Ft. Collins, Colo., where they will spend the winter visiting three daughters and a son, who are residents of that section. Before leaving Mr. Taylor was a pleasant caller at this office, advancing his subscription to the Frontier and ordering it sent to him at Ft. Collins, during the winter months, so that he could keep posted on events in the old home community.

Ash Grove Project Club

Ashgrove Project Club held a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Ben Miller on Wednesday, December 6. Mrs. Tomlinson was assisting hostess. The members enjoyed a grand covered dish luncheon at noon, after which the time was spent sewing and visiting.

Plans were made for a family Christmas party to be held during the holidays. The company dinner lesson will be carried out at the next meeting at the home of Mrs. George Rector. The members plan to dress up the age of various members of an average family entertaining company.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

V. C. Wright, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a. m., H. B. Burch, superintendent.
Morning worship 11:00 A. M. Special music by the choir and sermon by the pastor.
Intermediate League 6:00 p. m. Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
W. F. M. S. will meet at the home of Harold Lindberg. This is the Christmas meeting with an offering.

A recent ruling from the office of Attorney General Johnson declares that a state board of control has no authority to file for recovery of treatment costs against the estate of a patient in the Kearney tuberculous hospital. It seems that a patient while in the hospital fell heir to some money, and this fact started discussion of the question.

Lutheran Church Notes

There will be a regular service at the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon at 3:00. You are invited.
R. W. FRICKE, Pastor.
Chambers

NOTICE

The public are hereby notified that the partnership existing between myself and my brother, W. J. Storjohann, was dissolved in March 1935. I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person other than myself.
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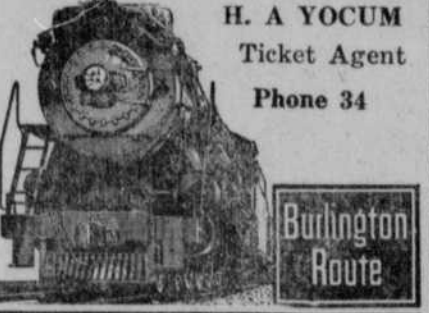
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