

When You and I Were Young —

## George McGowan Boosts Leonia's Big Celebration

### 60 Years Ago

George McGowan, of Leonia, was in O'Neill Tuesday making some arrangements for the grand celebration to be held in

McClellan's grove near the postoffice. The Leonia, Blackbird, Scotville, Paddock Mathews and Pleasant Valley people are all expected to join in the celebration.

H. C. Seelye has a fine new sign for his bakery.

Everybody who wades through dirt on the crossing opposite the post office involuntarily exclaims: "This trash ought to be removed." And so it ought. It should never have been put there in the first place.

I. R. Smith and Mr. Hicks were scuffling last Thursday and Mr. Smith's right limb was broken just below the hip in a fall to the floor. The fracture was set and he is getting along "pretty well."

The fare over the Northwestern to Chicago, Ill., for those who desire to attend the National Educational association convention July 12-15 is \$20.70 from O'Neill.

A large audience greeted the graduating class of the O'Neill high school at the McCafferty hall Tuesday evening. Among the graduates: Misses Nellie Brown, Nellie Beebe and Anna Duggan and John Weekes, all of O'Neill; Miss Lydia Keep, of Middlebranch; H. E. Gerrard, of near Mathews, and Miss Pauline Nervell, of Chambers.

### 50 Years Ago

The citizens of Dorsey will have an oldtime Fourth of July celebration Saturday. Music will be furnished by the Modern Woodmen band of Verdigris. There will be races, baseball and a bowery dance. There will also be a celebration in the William Hull grove in Paddock township.

Hatfield & Hall, proprietors of the Gem bakery, have purchased a bread wagon and are now prepared to deliver bread, pies and cakes, and everything to be found in a first-class bakery to all parts of the city.

Maylon Price cut the end of his thumb nearly off Monday afternoon. He didn't faint, however, or even weep, but bore the pain like a man while Dr. Tremain tied it up in a rag.

Ben DeYarman was grunting around the first of the week with a touch of lumbago.

Bert Partridge has been released by Minneapolis, for whom he has been playing left field this season.

### 25 Years Ago

The road work on the project running north of O'Neill has been completed and the work on the bridges is also completed with the exception of putting on the railings.

The large new farmhouse of C. W. Hall, near Stuart, was destroyed by fire on the 16th. The daughter fell while carrying a gasoline lamp; the lamp exploded, setting fire to the contents of the house. Miss Hall was not burned seriously.

Mrs. Lawrence Malone, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her mother in Omaha and will visit here before returning to the East.

The Casper (Wyo.) Herald reports that A. E. Biglin suffered a broken and smashed thumb when he fell from a horse last Sunday.

S. L. Berry, real estate dealer, last week sold the John S. Keepers ranch, five miles north of Chambers, to W. L. McAllister, of Lincoln, for \$15,000.

### 10 Years Ago

County Supervisor and Mrs. John A. Carson and daughter, Iris, returned Tuesday from Salem, N. Y., Mr. Carson's birthplace.

John M. McDonough, 81, former editor of the old Tribune here, died June 19 in New York City. His daughter, with whom he made his home, found him dead in bed. Survivors include two other daughters.

The Fourth will be celebrated at the Country club, W. J. Hammond is chairman of the arrangements committee.

Frank Seiler, of Emmet, is recovering from pneumonia. He has been in the Stuart hospital.

### 4-H CLUB NOTES

#### The Lucky Clover

By Mary Lucille Osborn  
The 4-H club which A. Neil Dawes organized at the Carson school picnic held its second meeting at the home of leader A. Mrs. Thomas Hiscock, on June 18.

Mr. Dawes was present to help the leaders organize their material for the mixed club.

The name for the club was voted upon and the decision was the Lucky Clover 4-H club.

Most all the boys and girls were accompanied by one or both of their parents.

Three new members were admitted to the club: Albert Lee, Walter and Margaret Ann Kruse. Material was issued to each member. The girls taking up learning to sew and the boys a stocker-feeder calf project.

It was decided that the next meeting would be held at Gloria Slaughter's on July 2. The recreation period from 7 to 8:30 p.m. business meeting to start at 8:30 sharp.

We had one member absent, Beverly Ann-Carson, our news reporter, who is on a trip with her mother.

We had two visitors, Wayne Churchill and Leo Sedlack.

#### Redbird Community Club

By Wayne Borg  
The Redbird Community club held its third meeting of the year at the home of George Nelson. The meeting was called to order by President Raymond Robertson. Roll call was answered with 12 members present.

Two demonstrations are to be given at the next meeting by Allen Walters and Richard Nelson.

The meeting was adjourned to meet at Elmer Devall's on July 11. A lunch was served by Mrs. Nelson.

#### Victory Girls' Club

By Imogene Davis  
We met June 17 at the home of Carolyn Watson.

President Carolyn Watson called the meeting to order. We discussed our problems with our assistant leader, Muri Keyes.

We judged the tea towels of which four were finished in the learning to be a homemaker class.

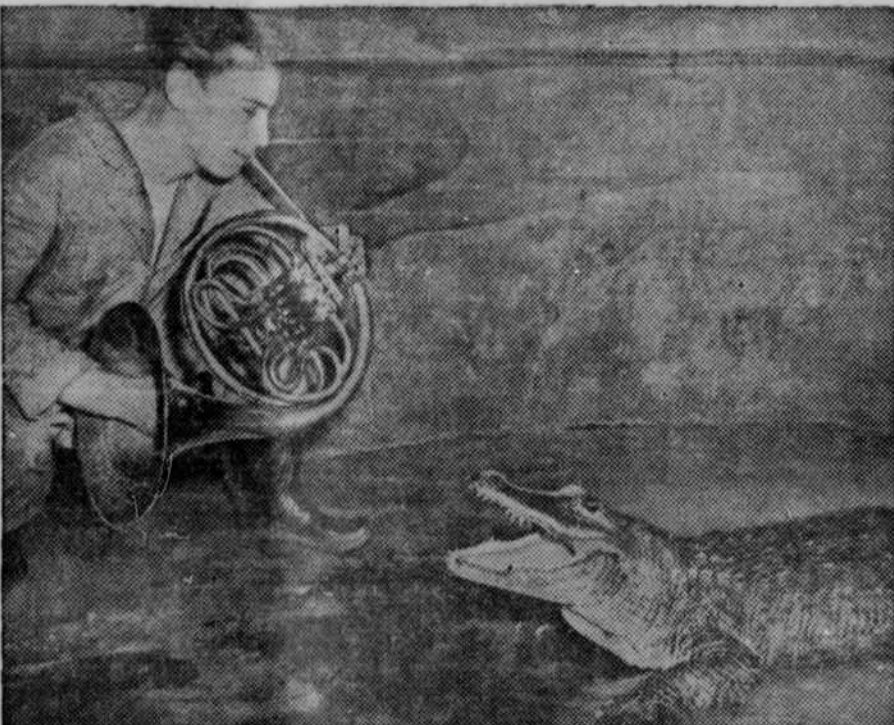
The next meeting is to be held July 1 at the home of Joan Coventry.



### RELIGIOUS GROUP MOVES

Wearing the costumes of Russian peasants, these three persons are typical of the "Donchobor" religious group of 70 which has purchased 140 acres of land amid the wilderness of Vancouver Island,

British Columbia. Following of "utter love," they are attempting to found a colony managed on a communal, share-all basis with simple peasant austerity.



### SERENADE TO AN ALLIGATOR

Robert Bullerman, keeper at the Brookfield, Ill., zoo, blows a B-flat two octaves below middle C on his French horn in the forlorn hope that it will

incite this bashful male alligator to give with a mating bellow. Bullerman failed, but a quartet of French horn masters did the trick.



### ACCUSED

Charged by American authorities with committing "dreadful" atrocities against captured prisoners of war in Japan, Tomoya Kawakita, American-born Japanese, was arrested in Los Angeles, Calif., for treason. An American soldier whom Kawakita is said to have mistreated recognized him and put G-men on his trail.

### Merry Mix Winners Named —

Winners at Merry Mix held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Arthur Cowperthwaite were Mrs. Cowperthwaite, high, and Mrs. C. W. Porter, low.

Mrs. Thomas J. Sullivan entertained her cousin and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Dukker, and children of Lincoln, Friday and Saturday.

## Personals

Clark L. Willson and daughter, Shirley, returned today (Thursday) after spending two days in Sioux City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Isaacs and daughters, and Mrs. A. E. Wyant, all of Oklahoma City, Okla., returned Sunday after having visited relatives here for almost a week.

Mrs. M. P. Sullivan and daughter, Eileen, returned Wednesday morning from Colorado where they vacationed for 10 days. They were entertained by Mrs. Sullivan's nephew, H. Chester Tucker, of Holyoke, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Steeter drove to Sioux City Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Steeter's uncle, H. M. Swalley.

Mrs. Elma Kramer and daughter, Mrs. Ina Erickson, stopped for a few hours with Mrs. Kramer's sister, Mrs. H. W. Tomlinson. The two ladies are driving through from Baltimore, Md., to Billings, Mont., where they have purchased a home and expect to reside.

William Barnard and son, of Casper, Wyo., spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Barnard's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Yantzi. Sam Barnard returned to Casper with them.

Mrs. Helen Elbert, of Omaha, returned Friday after spending a week with Mrs. Kenneth J. Scott.

Albert Sundell, of Wakefield, visited her brothers, Richard, George and Sam Robertson Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. Francis Price, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Ernest Price was a dinner guest Friday at the home of his cousin, John J. Turner and Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Isabelle Bruhn, of Norfolk, was a visitor Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tomlinson.

Roy Byers, of Omaha, spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. C. E. Yantzie.

Mrs. Mary Langan, of Spencer, visited Mrs. Inez Cleary this week.

Miss Kathleen Flood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Flood, left Sunday to attend a summer school session of six weeks at St. Mary's, Kans.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Welch, of Omaha, arrived Sunday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Welch's sister, Miss Nadine Murray. Mrs. Henry Waldrop, another sister, arrived from Oklahoma City, Okla., Tuesday and will remain for a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wyant entertained the latter's brother, B. V. Vaught, and twin daughters, of Anadarko, Okla., Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Manson and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Waller were dinner guests Saturday in Page at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snell, parents of Mrs. Waller.

Mrs. Roy Spitzer and children, of Ewing, arrived Monday at the home of her parents, Mrs. James J. Kelly, to stay until the roads are opened again.

Mrs. Loretta Bierig, of Kansas City, Mo., arrived last Thursday for a stay with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kelly. Mrs. Kelly's sister, Mrs. Willard Sherer, of Orchard, also visited there last Thursday.

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