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"CULTIVATE FORBEARANCE TILL YOUR HEART YIELDS A FINE CROP OF IT. PRAY FOR A SHORT MEMORY AS TO ALL UNKINDNESS."

CHARITY PARTY IS A SUCCESS CLEAR SOME OVER \$200

A large crowd attended the card and dance program given by the Catholic Charities at the Knights of Columbus hall last Friday evening. The entire second floor was filled with people at the bridge and whist tables. After four games of cards, pie and coffee were served to those at the tables. After the luncheon the crowd went down to the first floor to dance.

Mrs. Patrick Hartly and John Kersbrook handled the awarding of the prizes, Mrs. Hartly holding the "shake box" and Mr. Kersbrook drawing the numbers. The winners were: Mrs. Hugh McKenna, James Brennan, Mrs. Rose Ryan and Helen Trosinsky, who were each awarded a half ton of coal, and Dan Gallagher, Conrad Lohr, Mrs. Lizzie Colman and Mrs. Frank Phalen each received \$2.50.

After the regular prizes were given Mr. Kersbrook announced that he would give \$2.50 to anyone whose number he would draw. He drew the number belonging to F. N. Cronin, but refused to award it on the grounds that a banker did not need the money. Another number was drawn and the two dollars and one-half was given. He gave two more prizes of one dollar each, but had some difficulty in drawing numbers of those who were present, but after several tries the awards were made.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Benj. Kuhler, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Preaching Hour 11:00 A. M.—Gospel Themes, with the Word of God as our guide, not opinions of men. The other fellow can have opinions as well as I.

Epworth League at 6:30. Evening preaching follows at 7:30. Special music at both morning and evening services.

Please bring you Thanksgiving offering next Sunday, however little you may have to spare. Some left theirs last Sunday, but on account of the roads and weather, many did not get to church. But now that winter has gotten us broken into a little cold we will not mind it so much.

SERVICES AT THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00—Mr. Geo. C. Robertson, superintendent.
Morning Worship 11:00—"The Christian Ideal the Aggressor".
Young People's C. E. Meeting 6:45—Elizabeth Henry, Leader.
Evening Service 7:30—"The Highest Loyalty".

We hope that during these weeks of the approaching Christmas time we can find the deeper meanings of Christianity. We invite you to the above services.

H. D. Johnson, pastor.

Becomes Suddenly Deranged

Clearwater Record: Zell Bressler and wife from Iowa were at O'Neill last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bressler's mother, Mrs. Pine. It is reported that on their way back home Mrs. Bressler became violently insane and is so bad yet that she is confined in a padded cell. George Zell Bressler is a son of George Bressler and a nephew of our former townsman, M. C. Bressler.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and bereavement of our dear husband and father.
Mrs. John Rohde and family.

John Rohde died at his home in this city Friday last. He was born at Obernek, Germany, in 1854, and came to Holt county in 1881, settling on a homestead twenty-five miles northwest of O'Neill. In 1886 he was married in O'Neill to Bridget Haaf, who survives her husband. Eleven children were born to them, ten of whom are living. They are: Joseph and Mrs. M. F. London of Calome, S. D., Roman living in the north part of this county, John J., Margaret, A. V. and Mrs. A. V. Moler, all of O'Neill, Mrs. Anna E. Boukal, Mrs. H. F. Egan and B. Bernadette Rohde of Omaha. The funeral rites were administered by Father Cassidy on Tuesday and interment made in Calvary cemetery here.

Home Folks

Mrs. Glenn Tomlinson went to Norfolk Tuesday.

Judge C. J. Malone was a Norfolk visitor yesterday.

McKinley Simonson was up from Omaha recently visiting the home folks.

Fred McNally and family went to Omaha yesterday to be away over Thanksgiving.

Services will be held on Tuesday evening, December 1, at 7:30 at the Lutheran church.

Prof. Burnham and Prof. Carroll have gone to Lincoln to spend the Thanksgiving layoff.

Mrs. Schroder fell and broke her arm on her way home from town Saturday afternoon.

John Daily is back in town after having been in the hospital at Omaha to have his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Agnes made a trip to Norfolk last Saturday morning. They returned the same day.

Laurin Richardson, formerly in business in O'Neill but now of Kansas City, arrived in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Glenn Saunders left Wednesday morning, by train, to spend a few days with her sister in Wahoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kirns were in from the farm Tuesday morning. They have been shipping dressed Turkeys to Omaha.

Charles Brinn of Norfolk, north Nebraska representative of the Carpenter Paper Co. of Omaha, was in the city yesterday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon, December 1, at 3:00 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Emard Leach. All interested are cordially invited.

Mrs. Roy Griffin departed Monday for Omaha and Lincoln being accompanied home yesterday by her son Will who is attending the state university.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Canes of Neligh will spend Thanksgiving here at the home of their folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harnish.

Mrs. Homer Mullen entertained the Delta card club Monday evening. Mrs. Merle Hickey won high score and Mrs. Pat Hartly had the honor of receiving the guest prize.

Ray Cearns and Tillie Tasler, both of Stuart, obtained a marriage license Saturday in the county court's office. They were married Tuesday in Atkinson by Rev. John Pierper.

Rain Followed by Snow Has Given 1.59 Inches Moisture

Harry Bowen's weather gauge showed a total precipitation of 1.59 inches of moisture during the storm period beginning last Thursday with a drizzle continuing on till Friday evening with slight snow fall and rain, which about noon Saturday—after a hard freeze the night previous—developed a heavy fall of snow. The Frontier editor arrived out at the farm about the time the snow storm developed full capacity and found himself snowed in for two days. The precipitation in the Inez neighborhood and south of there was probably greater than that shown by the official record at the court house as there was considerably more snow in that section. The lowest temperature recorded by the official instrument at the court house was 7 degrees above zero on Wednesday morning.

Funeral services were held for Alfred T. Snell at the M. E. church in Page, Nebraska, Saturday, Nov. 21 at 2 p. m. by Rev. Clifford Dean.

Miss Lauel Hough has disposed of her beauty parlor in Verdigré, and has accepted a position in Margaret's beauty shop here. She will enter upon her new duties November 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hough were at Correctionville, Ia., last week. Tom Coyne pinned on the star and kept order and decorum on our streets while Scott was off duty as city marshal.

Merrell James Kimbrough, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kimbrough died at the home of his grandmother on Friday, November 20. He was born on the tenth day of November.

Washington state authorities decline to release their 12-year old life prisoner to the Father Flanagan Home for dependent boys at Omaha. The boy was convicted of the killing of an officer.

The New Idea Spreader Co., an Ohio concern, announce the reduction in price in their lines of farm machinery. Substantial cuts are announced. Wagons that have sold for \$83 are now down to \$68. Some of the factories products have been reduced \$50 to the machine.

C. M. Wolcott of Ainsworth was in the city Wednesday for the purpose of advertising a sale of Hereford bulls at his place three miles north of Ainsworth on highway 20, on Monday, December 7. He is offering forty-five head. Mr. Wolcott has Hereford sales periodically and looks to this territory for buyers.

Miss Robert's Arbuthnot, of the high school faculty, gave a party for the operetta cast and faculty at the Idle Hour Tuesday evening. There were fifty-two guests present. The evening was spent playing Monte Carlo Whist, and dancing. Supper was served at 11:00 o'clock, the guests departing soon thereafter.

Karl Schmidt of the Farmers Mutual Insurance Co., of Lincoln, spent several days in the county the past week. He and others representing insurance companies have been in this section of the state for a number of weeks past, readjusting insurance. Which is to say the amount of insurance on many places is being materially reduced.

"O" CLUB ORGANIZED AT HIGH SCHOOL

An "O" Club has been organized at the O'Neill high school, similar in character to the "N" Club at the University of Nebraska. The club is made up of men who have won a letter or letters in the competitive sports. The club is sponsored by the athletic coach and dues are paid as required or when necessary. Any member may be expelled from the club for bringing disgrace upon it or for excessive smoking. The awarding of letters shall be the duty of the coach and the Superintendent. The football letter is to be blue on a white background, and six and one-half inches high. The basket ball letter will be the same as the football letter only it will be five and one-half inches high. The track letter will be white with a blue back ground and four and one-half inches high. A service stripe will be awarded for each year a letter is earned.

COUNTY AGRICULTURE

James W. Rooney, County Extension Agent

Bulletin on "Management of Nebraska Soils" available

In the new circular "The Management of Nebraska Soils" it is stated that Nebraska's best soil is the...

800 Distress Warrants Have Been Given to the Sheriff

County Treasurer Conklin has turned over to the sheriff some 800 distress warrants for the collection of delinquent taxes. Sheriff Duffy has been busy the past month with these warrants and has collected in that time about \$3,000. This is thought to be "not so bad" considering the general conditions and if that rate of collection can be kept up the next few months will see a large reduction in the delinquent list.

The county board is trying to be reasonable and fair with everybody without neglecting their obligations as officers of the county. They say propositions have come before them to appoint a special tax collector on a commission basis to go out over the county in an effort to gather in the delinquents. They say they have no authority in law to inaugurate such a program.

The board has been in session during the week on the routine business, but are taking a vacation today as are other officers of the county.

fertility problem is the maintenance of the organic matter. This problem should be the first consideration of the land owner who wished to keep his land in a high state of fertility. Since nitrogen comes principally from the organic matter in the soil, a marked reduction in organic matter results in reduced crop yields due to a nitrogen shortage. The authors of the circular point out cases where crop yields are only one-fifth to one-fourth as much as they used to be, due to erosion and continuous grain farming.

The authors, P. H. Stewart and D. L. Gross, also discuss in this circular soil, soil texture, structure, plant food elements, soil testing, and many other phases of soil management. They divided the state into seven general soil areas on the basis of the origin of the soil and the topography of the land. These areas are the drift hills, the loess hills, loess plains, high plains, bottom lands and benches, outwash plains and the sand hills.

Soil moisture, how it is stored and how best to conserve it are also taken up in this publication. It also takes up the special soil problems under irrigation, soil erosion, liming, commercial fertilizers, and the handling of alkali and sandy soils. This circular, Extension Circular No. 133, is available to anyone requesting it from this office.

Holt County Boy Wins Northwestern Trip

Arthur Dexter of Ballagh, who is a member of the Amelia Baby Beef club, Ballagh Yanks Potato club and the Ballagh Yanks Garden club, has been selected as Holt county's representative to the National Club Congress at Chicago. In addition to Arthur's club work this year, he has completed two years previous work, one as a potato club member and one as a rope club member. Arthur has served as president of this club three years. Arthur will be a guest of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway at the National Club Congress. They furnish transportation to the champion 4-H club member in each county through which their lines run. Arthur will leave O'Neill on November 28th and will return on December 5th.

Keeping Poultry Houses Dry in Winter

Running an ordinary brooder in the laying houses during the coldest winter weather will help keep the houses dry. The accumulated frost and dampness is not entirely a matter of ventilation. It may be made worse from overcrowding. At any rate the moisture holding capacity of warm air must be greater than that of cold air. In operating a brooder stove in laying houses, extra precautions must be taken to prevent fire. Place the stove in a large shallow box of sand and screen it with hardware cloth. Cover the top of the guard so that hens cannot come in contact with the stove.

Selection of turkey for Roasting

When roast turkey lacks the juicy deliciousness we associate with other roast fowl, it would be well to look to the selection of the turkey as well as the roasting of it. Turkeys without the proper finish and covering of fat, cook dry and are often tasteless and fibrous. When turkeys are properly finished the fat particles are present throughout the muscle tissue and under the skin. This fatty tissue holds the juices and prevents the bird drying out so rapidly. In retaining the juice the fine flavors are also retained. Only well fattened birds have that tender deliciousness so necessary for the success of the turkey dinner. Insist upon a turkey with a good covering of fat. A fifteen pound live turkey dressing out twelve pounds of edible turkey including the liver, gizzard, heart and neck is sufficient to supply seven dinner for twelve people and leave something for turkey hash. Generally, about one pound of turkey dressing is needed per person to supply...

Announcement has been made by the board of governors of the Nebraska Society that The Frontier has been made an honorary of the press division of the Nebraska Society. This recognition is given because of public spirited work on the part of this newspaper.

The Frontier stands ready at all times to co-operate with Nebraska leaders in any undertaking which promotes the general welfare of Nebraska. Nebraska will record facts concerning our leading citizens which will be the basis of all future history of our state.

Box Cars for Farm Buildings

Randolph Times: The railroads are doing something to relieve the unemployment situation by getting rid of their out-of-date box cars and refrigerator cars and replacing them with the newer type steel cars. Four Randolph farmers have bought these box cars of the M. & O. railway and have moved the cars to their farms, set them on a foundation and have a good weather tight grainary. The cars sell for \$10, with the wheels and other running gear removed.

O. W. BAKER WRITES

CASPER WYO., Nov. 23—Dear old friend Romaine. I suppose you have forgotten that I ever lived, but I did, and right in good old O'Neill. I started in there 32 years ago on the 12th of October in H. M. Bradstreet's livery barn. Those were the good old days, when Boyd county used to freight in there, and I remember how they used to unhitch one horse and send a man in on it to engage the whole barn. Some times I would have to put three horses in a stall, and the boys would worm their coffee in the office and eat their lunch, and then go to sleep in the hay loft. Ben Deyarman was just across the street and he was about the same as I was. P. D. Mullen and Henry Zimmerman would be crowded too. There was lots of money in those days but times have changed.

We raised \$18,000 to help the poor, here in Casper. I have been here 6 years now and it is a fine little city. I see Patsy Kelly and Barney McCafferty often and they always seem cheery and always have the cash that is needed. This is the nicest climate I ever lived in and the people are just as nice as they were when I lived in Nebraska, in fact Casper is about half made up of Nebraskans.

It has been a wonderful fall here. The grass was green yet when we got this snow storm, but it is not cold yet.

I am doing alright making a living, and that is more than some are doing. I have seen quite a bit of Wyoming since I came here and it looks good to me for the future. It has not started to develop yet but they are working on several projects now and doing lots of building. They are building a federal building here that would be a credit to a city twice the size of Casper.

Well now I wish you would publish some of the old timers names once in a while, it is just like getting a letter from home to get the Frontier and I would like to see some Chambers and Amelia items in your columns, and some of the old timers around O'Neill, such as Clate Mesner, R. N. Britell, J. B. Mellor, Reka, Arbuthnot, Densberger, Shaws, Art Caperthwait and others. I guess they are all living yet. Have some of them arrested or kidnaped so their names will appear in the paper.

Well now you may use this if you wish. I just thought I would let you know we are still among the living and getting fat. My family all live here and also my two brothers, so we feel right at home here.

I wish everybody a happy Thanksgiving.
C. W. BAKER.

O'NEILL - LYNCH GAME 13-13 TIE RAIN REDUCES CROWD

On a rain soaked and soggy field, with a cold strong wind from the north, O'Neill and Lynch played to a 13-13 tie, last Friday afternoon. The cold wet weather kept people from the game and the attendance was small.

A cold wet ball caused much fumbling, and it was on a fumble by Lynch near their own goal line that gave O'Neill an opportunity to push over a touchdown early in the first quarter. Bud Hunt carried the ball over for the marker and Medlen added the extra point with a beautiful kick. In the second quarter Medlen crossed Lynch's goal line for another touchdown making the score 13-0. The try for point failed.

In the second half, Mgraham of Lynch broke away for a 75 yard run down the side lines for Lynch's first counter. They tried a line plunge for the extra point but failed to make it. In the last quarter Carsen of Lynch again crossed the goal line and Kalz added the point, to make it 13, with a plunge thru the center of the line.

O'Neill threatened to take a victory near the end of the game, when they had the ball on Lynch's five yard line but a five yard penalty and a fumble recovered by Lynch cost them their chance. Lynch drew several penalties for being offside.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

The O'Neill high school basketball team has a schedule of fifteen games for this coming season. The first game will be played at Spencer, Dec. 15. Melvin Pilger is the only letterman back this year, it being doubtful if Bressler will play. Hunt and Myers will not be eligible until the second semester.

The schedule:

- Dec. 15—Spencer at Spencer
- Dec. 18—Lynch at O'Neill
- Jan. 5—Clearwater at O'Neill
- Jan. 13—Bassett at Bassett
- Jan. 15—Open
- Jan. 22—Chambers at Chambers.
- Jan. 26—Stuart at Stuart
- Jan. 29—Page at Page
- Feb. 2—St. Mary's
- Feb. 5—Long Pine at O'Neill
- Feb. 9—Lynch at Lynch
- Feb. 12—Bassett at O'Neill
- Feb. 16—Atkinson at O'Neill
- Feb. 19—St. Mary's, there
- Feb. 24—Butte at Butte
- Feb. 26—Spencer at O'Neill.

STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING

The adjourned annual meeting of the stock holders of the Holt county Fair Association will meet on Monday, November 30th, 1931, at 3:00 o'clock P. M. at the office of F. J. Dishner, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of all business properly to come before the meeting. All stockholders are requested to be present.

F. J. Dishner, Pres.,
Peter W. Duffy, Sec.

FILES FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Ezra W. Cook of Chambers has "broken the ice" politically in this county. He is the first out as a candidate, filing for the republican nomination for representative.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beha have just received word from their son attending a school of journalism at Huntington, W. V., and working for an eastern corporation at the same time has been transferred by his employers to Harrisburg, Pa.



Ladies!

How about a permanent wave
For Xmas?

We have just put in the new Steam Oil Dura-Wave, permanent wave supplies. We are now equipped to give you any kind or price wave you want, from \$5.00 to \$7.50.

Drop in and ask any questions you want to know about permanents, we are always glad to explain the difference in permanent waves.

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O'Neill, Nebr.

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