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FORCED INTO DITCH

Hugh Birmingham and Supervisor Jesse James are now convinced that you can be in an auto and have it turn over with you without suffering any serious injury. Last Friday evening Hugh had to make a trip to Atkinson and took Mr. James along for company. Everything went along nicely until about two miles west of Emmet a car came from behind and started to pass them. There was also a car coming from the west and the car that was attempting to pass them drove too close to their car and hit the rear fender, as well as the running board and front fender of their car. Hugh pulled over to escape being hit and the car hit the soft dirt and went into the ditch, turning completely over and landing right side up on its wheels. Neither Mr. Birmingham nor Mr. James were very seriously injured, outside of being shaken up and Mr. James has a stiff neck as a result of the accident. The car that hit them was being driven by Art Miller of Atkinson and his car was not injured. The Birmingham car had a badly damaged fender and its lights were put out of commission, but otherwise it seems to have escaped injury. Mr. Birmingham and Mr. James were very fortunate in escaping serious injury.

Addison E. Sheldon, of Lincoln, secretary of the State Historical Society, and Capt. James E. North, of Columbus, Nebr., will be guests of the Lions Club of this city on Wednesday evening, June 14, 1933. That evening they will deliver lectures on Nebraska at the K. C. Hall to which the public is cordially invited. Mr. Sheldon has been a resident of this state for nearly a half century and there is no better posted man on the history of Nebraska in the state. He was formerly engaged in the newspaper business at Chadron and represented that county in the state legislature thirty-six years ago, since which time he has been a resident of Lincoln and connected with the State Historical Society. He is a pleasing and entertaining talker and the people of this city and vicinity are assured of an enjoyable evening's entertainment if they attend this lecture. Capt. North was one of the pioneer scouts of this state and no history of Nebraska would be complete without mention of some of the gallant deeds that he performed in the pioneer days of this state.

EQUALIZE GASOLINE PRICES

Effective June 1st the Standard Oil Company made a reduction of 2 cents per gallon in its normal tank wagon and service station prices on Standard Red Crown Gasoline and at the same time will put into effect the following differential on premium and third brand gasoline, according to word from the Omaha headquarters.

The normal price of Red Crown Ethyl (Premium Brand) will be 3 cents above the normal Standard Red Crown price.

The normal price of Reliance Gasoline (Third Brand) will be 1 cent less than the normal Standard Red Crown price.

These differentials will apply on both tank wagon and service station prices.

This adjustment will result in a decline in price at many stations throughout Nebraska. There are a number of localities where, owing to the disorganized situation, gasoline of the different brands has been selling at less than its cost. In an effort to stabilize these prices and to level out the inequalities in the price structure, they are making the above adjustments which will, of course, result in some prices being advanced, where they are below normal.

Tank wagon deliveries of gasoline outside of the station town, for normal distances, will be the same as the town tank wagon price under normal conditions.

Under normal conditions service station prices will continue to be 1 cent above the tank wagon prices.

No discounts of any nature are to be given from their posted service station price to any accounts, regardless of quantity. This has been their policy in the past and will continue in the future.

The above regulations made no change in the price of gas at the Standard station in this city.

Judge R. R. Dickson, J. D. Cronin, Emmet Harmon and George W. Harrington drove to Ainsworth last Wednesday afternoon to attend the quarterly meeting of the Fifteenth Judicial District Bar Association, which was held there last evening. Those attending say they had a very interesting meeting, with a good attendance. They returned home this morning.

ZOLA IRENE WOODS

Mrs. Zola Irene Woods died at the home of her parents, about five miles northeast of Page, last Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of several months of tuberculosis, at the age of 27 years. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from the Methodist church at Page, Rev. Yost officiating, burial in the Page cemetery. For the past seven years the deceased had been a resident of Lincoln. About a week ago she came to Page for a visit at the home of her parents, but her strength had been so sapped by the disease that she passed away Tuesday afternoon. She leaves to mourn her death a loving husband and three children, besides her father, mother, one sister and one brother. The children are: Richard, age 5; Jean Elaine, age 4, and Dale Eldon, age 2.

IN DISTRICT COURT

Bernard Farmer has filed suit in the district court against John Robertson, et al., to foreclose a mortgage for \$6,000.00 given on March 19, 1926, on the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 33, in township 33 north, of range 15 west of the 6th P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska.

In his petition he alleges that the terms of said mortgage have been violated in that the coupon interest note due on March 20, 1931, amounting to \$180 has not been paid and that taxes for the year 1931 were not paid by the defendant and that there is now due and payable the sum of \$6,264.95. He asks that the court determine the amount due and that if same is not paid within a reasonable time that the land be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

Anna Shaw has filed suit in the district court asking for an absolute divorce from Harry Shaw. She alleges that they were married at Chadron, Nebr., on June 10, 1931, and that they have a son a little over one year old. She alleges that they have not lived together as man and wife for over a year and that for more than a year he has failed to support her or their son and that she has been compelled to support herself. She asks for the custody of the child and asks that he be required to pay the costs of this action and such further relief as may be just and equitable.

DeWayne Chalafant has filed suit in the district court asking for a divorce from Claudia Chalafant. In his petition he alleges that they were married at O'Neill on January 10, 1931, and that he has been a resident of the state of Nebraska ever since and now is a resident of Holt county. He alleges that he has always conducted himself toward defendant as a loving, true and faithful husband. That defendant has been guilty of extreme cruelty and distant toward plaintiff since Thanksgiving of 1932. That on January 18, 1933, she left the home of the plaintiff, without cause and ever since has failed, neglected and refused to live with him. There are no children.

William Pearlman has filed suit to foreclose a mortgage on the southwest quarter of section 30, township 30 north, of range 12 west of the 6th P. M. in Holt county, Nebraska, and names Robert Sweet, et al., as defendants. He alleges that on December 23, 1926, the defendant gave his note for \$4,500 to W. M. Rainbolt and gave a mortgage on the land to secure same. That on February 11, 1927, Rainbolt sold the mortgage to the plaintiff who is now the owner and holder thereof. That interest coupons seven to ten inclusive have not been paid, neither has the principal, and that they are all past due. He alleges that there is now due and unpaid the sum of \$5,047.50 and he asks the court to determine the amount due and if same is not paid within a reasonable time that the land be sold to satisfy said amount due.

A new time card goes into effect on the Burlington railroad next Sunday. The passenger from the east, which now arrives at 11:49 P. M. will arrive at 11:39 P. M., thus making connection with the Northwestern passenger for the east, which will leave here at 11:50 P. M. The east bound passenger, now leaving here at 7:30 will leave at 7:15. Under this time card people living east of here on the Burlington can come to O'Neill in the evening and make connections with the Northwestern here and be in Omaha at 6:45 the next morning.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our neighbors and friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement.—Mrs. F. D. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan and Mary Markey.

BRIEFLY STATED

W. J. Hammond left this afternoon on a business trip to Omaha.

Mrs. Edward Campbell entertained the Martez Club at her home last Tuesday evening.

Charles Bigelow, of Stuart, was looking after business matters in this city last Wednesday.

Dick Tomlinson, who has been attending Creighton University, is home for the annual vacation.

Mrs. W. P. Simar and Miss Grace Connolly left last Friday for a short business trip to Omaha.

J. F. O'Donnell, Hugh O'Donnell and Q. C. Deaver left yesterday afternoon for a short business trip to Omaha.

There will be a district meeting of the Royal Highlanders at the K. C. Hall, Friday, June 2nd, at 2:00 P. M.

Ira Moss is the proud possessor of a new Studebaker coupe, and hunting trips are going to be easy from now on.

Miss Thelma Riley leaves next Sunday for Wayne where she will attend summer school at the Wayne Normal.

Ralph Oppen came home from Lincoln the latter part of last week, the University having closed for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Downey left last Saturday for Chicago where they will put in a few weeks visiting the exposition.

Miss Nancy Dickson, who has been attending the Wayne Normal for the past year, returned home last Friday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Pucilik, of Spencer, were guests of the O'Neill Country Club at their opening dance last Monday night.

Mrs. Henry Zimmerman was over from Spencer last Saturday for a few days visit with old friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Ernie Reed came up from Sioux City last Friday and spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eidenmiller left last Sunday for Lincoln, where they will spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Kersenbrock left for Lincoln last Friday morning, where she will spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Morrison returned last Friday afternoon from Wayne, where she has been attending Wayne Normal for the past year.

Judge R. R. Dickson and Llyod G. Gillespie drove down to Norfolk this morning to attend the funeral of the late C. E. Buhrman.

Miss Florence Leamy went down to Pierce last Sunday and spent Decoration day with the home folks, returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Filsinger and family and Donald Wolfe were visitors at the Rafe Shaw home southwest of Atkinson last Sunday.

Miss Maxine O'Donnell, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Omaha for the past ten days, returned home last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Froelich and children left last Friday for Audobon, Iowa, where they will spend a few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

A. R. Bell, of Chambers, is among the Frontier readers who extended their subscriptions to this household necessity during the past week.

Harold Hammond and John Phalin, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived home the latter part of last week for a visit of a few weeks with the home folks.

Mrs. Pendergast and daughter, Mrs. Walter Warner and two daughters, Gloria and Dorothy, spent Memorial Day visiting friends at Plainview.

Mrs. Mary Keenan, of Lincoln, arrived in the city last Thursday for a protracted visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Kersenbrock.

W. H. Jeffers, one of the pioneers of the South Fork country, is among The Frontier readers who extended his subscription during the past week.

The O'Neill Country Club held its grand opening last Monday evening with a ball. About twenty-five couples were present and an enjoyable time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Heriford and son, Bennett, left last Sunday morning for Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Heriford will enter the Mayo Clinic for medical examination.

H. W. Tomlinson announces that he is once again a grandfather, a daughter having been born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bruhn, of West Point, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Roy Osborn and son, Bill, and Bill Judkins, of Riverton, Wyoming, arrived in the city the latter part of last week for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Mellor.

Mrs. Peter Todson and children left last Sunday for Grand Island, where they will visit relatives for several days and will also visit relatives at Lincoln and Seward before returning home.

Pete Todson went down to Neligh last Monday to attend the funeral of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rummel, who was buried there that afternoon. Mr. Rummel is the manager of the Penney store at Neligh.

James A. Brown, of Omaha, was visiting old time friends in this city last Monday. Jim is still in the employ of the Skelly Oil company, but he says that business is not booming by any means.

William Berger, the genial hardware salesman, left last Friday for Kansas City, where he spent a couple of days visiting friends and looking after business matters, returning Sunday.

Louis Brennan, who has been attending Creighton Medical College at Omaha, came home the first of the week and will spend the summer vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brennan, northeast of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moss, John and Larry Phalin, Harold Hammond and W. J. Hammond drove to Marsh Lake in Cherry county last Tuesday morning and spent the day fishing. They report having had a very successful fishing trip.

Garrett Janzing, one of the pioneer residents of this county and one of the most extensive farmers living northwest of this city, was a pleasant caller at this office last Thursday and extended his subscription to The Frontier to 1934.

Miss Margaret Fraiser, who has been an employee of the J. C. Penney Co., for the past couple of years, has resigned her position and leaves today for her home at Ord, Nebraska. Her place in the Penney store has been taken by Miss Genevieve Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Chapman came up from Omaha last Monday afternoon for a short visit with relatives and friends here. They returned home Tuesday afternoon, being accompanied back by Mrs. Chapman who will visit at their home there for a few days.

About fifteen of the little friends of Miss Margaret Hammond gathered at her home Wednesday afternoon and gave the little lady a genuine surprise party, the occasion being her thirteenth birthday anniversary. The little folks had a very enjoyable time and Miss Margaret was the recipient of many beautiful gifts from her little playmates and the guests were treated to a delicious luncheon, which was appreciated by all.

A good sized delegation of Spanish-American and World War Veterans drove to Stuart last Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of Lewis Fenard Brown, a civil war veteran, who passed away at his home in Stuart on Tuesday evening, May 26, at the age of 88 years, 6 months and 9 days. Mr. Brown had been a resident of Stuart township for forty-eight years, coming to this county in 1885. The funeral services were in charge of the American Legion post, who had their ritual services at the grave.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Commencement Exercises will be held in St. Patrick's church on Tuesday, June 6, at 9:00 A. M.

Right Reverend Bishop Rummel will preside. Following is the list of graduates of St. Mary's Academy for the year 1933:

Teresa Bazelman, O'Neill; Matthew Beha, O'Neill; Florence Brechbill, Sparks, Nebr.; Maybelle Brechbill, Sparks, Nebr.; Robert Bordeaux, St. Francis, S. D.; Richard Bowden, O'Neill; Felician DuBray, St. Francis, S. D.; Pauline Dusatko, Emmet; Bennet Grady, O'Neill; Mary Jeanne Hammond, O'Neill; James Hart, O'Neill; Irene Kirwin, Bristow, Nebr.; Dolores Lydon, O'Neill; Evelyn Mains, O'Neill; Helen McCaffrey, Emmet; Helena McGaa, Scenic, S. D.; Clea McNichols, O'Neill; Anna Neyens, Colome, S. D.; Edna O'Malley, Chambers; Eileen O'Malley, Chambers; Jeannette Protivinsky, O'Neill; Ralph Shaw, O'Neill; Lucille Veenker, Newport, Nebr.; Opal Wehrstein, O'Neill, and Harriet Whiting, Hidden Timber, South Dakots.

Pete Duffy and Bill Fallon went down to Walthill last Tuesday morning where they took in the race meet being held there that day. These race meets have been monthly affairs at Walthill for several years past, during the summer months, and they have been very successful. Pete says that they had a splendid crowd there Tuesday, people being present from practically all the towns in the eastern and southeastern part of the state, with a good-sized delegation from Omaha. He says that the races were exceptionally good and that they had a fine string of horses. They expect to have another meet there some time during the coming month. The citizens of Bassett have made arrangements for a two-day race meet on June 23 and 24th. They expect to have from 60 to 100 horses at this meet and they look for some close and exciting races.

DECORATION DAY

A fair sized crowd was present in this city last Tuesday morning to assist in the proper celebration of Memorial Day. At 10:30 that morning the band and flower girls and the veterans of the Spanish-American and the World War met on the court house lawn and headed by the band and followed by the Flower Girls and the veterans, and by numerous citizens in cars, they marched to the K. C. Hall where the following exercises were held:

Invocation, Rev. F. J. Aucock.
Song, Miss Thelma Riley.
Two selections by a quartette composed of Dr. L. A. Burgess, Harry Clauson, C. U. Yantzi and George Bay.
Selection by band.
Address by Rev. H. D. Johnson.

One minute of silence and the sounding of taps, in honor of the departed heroes.

Then headed by the band they marched to the cemetery where the graves of the soldier dead were appropriately decorated and the firing squad gave the salute to the departed, after which taps was sounded and the Band closed the services by playing the Star Spangled Banner.

A new time card goes into effect on the Northwestern railroad here next Sunday afternoon. About the only material change is that of the early morning train, which reaches O'Neill at 3:50 on its east bound trip, will arrive at 11:50 P. M. and will arrive in Omaha at 6:45 A. M. The afternoon train, No. 15, will leave Omaha at 4:45 and will arrive in O'Neill at 11:07 P. M. The material change in the time of the east bound train will permit them to make direct connections in Omaha with Chicago bound trains, thus avoiding a law over in Omaha of several hours. It appears as if the railroad companies were trying to get back some of the passenger business that they have lost to the automobiles and busses in recent years.

Miss Esther McCarthy entertained the St. Mary's basket ball team with a party at her home last Tuesday evening. Miss Esther, who has been quite a Cardinal booster all season, was of the opinion that the boys deserved a treat for the splendid record they made during the past season.

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Association of St. Mary's Academy, will be held on Sunday, June 4.

The Class Day Exercises for the Class of 1933 will take place at St. Mary's Auditorium on Monday, June 5, at 2:30 P. M.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

FRANK D. McMILLAN

Frank D. McMillan died at his residence in this city last Saturday evening, after an illness of over a year at the age of 62 years, 7 months and 6 days. The funeral was held Tuesday morning from the Catholic church, Rev. Father Leahy officiating, burial in Calvary Cemetery.

Franklin D. McMillan was born at Bronson, Michigan, on October 20, 1870. When a young man he went to Chicago where he worked for a few years and came to this city in 1909. When he came to O'Neill he was traveling for a wholesale grocery house and made this city his headquarters. The latter part of December, 1910 he went back to Chicago and on January 4, 1911 he was united in marriage in that city to Miss Margaret Markey and returned with his bride to this city where he made his home up to the time of his death. In June, 1911, in partnership with his sister-in-law, they opened a bakery in this city and Mr. McMillan continued on the road until the following year, when business increased to such an extent in the bakery that he resigned his position as traveling salesman to devote his entire attention to the business here to which they added a cafe a few years ago.

Mr. McMillan was an alert and keen business man, an indefatigable worker and a splendid citizen whose passing will be missed in the business ranks of this city. Mr. McMillan was of a highly nervous temperament and he suffered a nervous breakdown about a year and a half ago, from which he never recovered. Last August he made a trip to Rochester, Minn., where he consulted the famous physicians there, then returned home and since that time made various trips to see physicians in other localities seeking relief, but failed to find it. He came home from Omaha about a month ago, after receiving medical treatment in that city, and for a time after his return it was hoped that he would ultimately recover, but the apparent recovery was only temporary and he continued to fail until the end came peacefully last Saturday evening. He leaves to mourn his death his loving wife and one sister and one brother and a host of friends in this city. The Frontier joins the many friends of the deceased in extending its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved relatives in their hour of sorrow.

A nice rain, amounting to .43 of an inch fell here last Monday evening. From what we have been able to learn the rain was much heavier north and east of here than it was in this city. Farmers say that crops are making a phenomenal growth these days. Corn planting is about all over and a large per centage of the corn is up and there is an exceptionally fine stand this spring. Fall grain give much better promise of a bountiful yield than it did six weeks ago. The cool wet weather the forepart of the month was of great benefit to the grain.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. McPharlin received an announcement the first of the week announcing the coming marriage of their second son, Dr. James H. McPharlin, of Salinas, California, to Miss Elizabeth May Hughes, of Santa Cruz, California, which will be solemnized at the Holy Cross church at Santa Cruz on Saturday morning, June 3, 1933. Dr. McPharlin has been a resident of California, for three years, going there immediately after his graduation from the Creighton medical school at Omaha and has been very successful in his chosen profession. The many O'Neill friends of the groom wish for him and his bride many years of wedded happiness and bliss.

Miss Bernadette Brennan left last Sunday night for Hot Springs, South Dakota, where she will spend a few weeks visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Pfeiffer. From Hot Springs she will go to Alliance where she will spend a few weeks visiting her niece, Mrs. Al Gadding.

The Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company is advertising a ten day trip to the Century of Progress Exposition at Chicago for the extremely low fare of \$13.95 for the round trip, over the week ends of June 3 to 4 and June 10 to 11. These tickets will be sold, good on all trains in comfortable coaches and chair cars, the selling dates being Saturday and Sunday, June 3 and 4 and on Saturday and Sunday, June 10 and 11. The fare will be about a penny a mile for the round trip to Chicago and ten days are allowed to return to starting point.