

Over the County

EMMET ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Luben and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barnes and family in O'Neill.

Miss Elsie Fernholz remained in O'Neill, where she is attending school, over the week-end.

Miss Lucille Lowery taught the classes of Miss Maxine McConnell several days this week. Miss McConnell is ill and unable to teach.

Miss Luree Abart, of Wayne, spent the week-end with her folks here. Her room-mate, Miss De Loma Scott, came up with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hoehne were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foreman.

Miss Mary Claussen called at the Herman Janzing, Jr., home Friday afternoon.

John O'Donnell went to Omaha with Vern Beckwith last week.

John Cuddley and Clement Cleary of the CCC camp at Halsey, Nebr., spent several days last week with the home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Galligan attended the funeral of Mrs. Galligan's uncle at Spencer Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pongratz and daughter, Teresa, and Miss Evelyn Tomjack and Geraldine Harris visited at the Jack Welsh home Wednesday evening.

A dance was held at the Emmet hall Friday evening, John Mullen and his orchestra furnishing the music.

Mrs. James O'Donnell and Edward, Anna Rose and Helen, called at the Frank Pettinger home Sunday.

Emmet School Notes

(Alvin Cadman)

Intermediate Room

Mrs. Wilson visited school Friday.

The Fifth and Sixth grades gave the play they had been preparing for the Primary room. It was enjoyed greatly by all.

The Civics class finished reviewing the executive department, and are now starting on the judicial department.

Our Singing class sang Irish songs this week, because the Fifth and Sixth grades are studying Ireland.

High School Room

Olive Beckwith was absent from school Tuesday, Jan. 15.

The Ninth grade English class is studying some formal English this six weeks, instead of a classic.

The Tenth grade English class has begun the study of Scott's "Ivanhoe."

We started the study of Business Arithmetic this semester, instead of Agriculture. Some have found they don't even know how to add.

The results of the semester tests were given out Monday. Everyone was glad to hear that there were only two failures.

Due to the fine snow on a hill near our school house, sleigh riding was even enjoyed by two of the teachers.

Most of our room received F in deportment the past six weeks. This was caused by a spell of paper was shooting. Things have improved greatly since the punishment.

Report cards were given out Tuesday. Nearly everyone of the pupils seemed satisfied with the grades but the teacher wasn't.

Because of snow on the ice, no one has played hooky from school lately.

Since the thaw Saturday the snow has packed so hard on main street that the children have been using it as a place to skate.

INMAN NEWS

Dr. Schmelley, of Norfolk, was here Monday on business.

D. A. Jonason, of Atkinson, was here the latter part of last week looking after business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenna, of O'Neill, were in Inman Monday looking after business.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond James, of Tilden, visited here a few days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hartigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and two sons, who have been here at the home of her parents the past week, returned to their home at New Castle Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peacock and son, Grant, and daughters, Leone, Grace and Mildred, and Miss Gladys Hancock, attended services at the Pentecostal church at Meek Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Williams and children, of Page, visited here with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Stevens and family Sunday.

Thomas Peacock went to Long Pine Monday to attend a fellowship meeting of the Pentecostal assemblies.

Word comes from Mrs. Walter Jacox, who is in an Omaha hospital,

that she is recovering nicely from a major operation which was performed a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Watson and children spent the week-end with relatives at Lincoln.

ALPHA CLUB

The Alpha Club met Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. George C. Robertson. This meeting was for the election of officers and no special program was given.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: Mrs. Art Auker, president; Mrs. Albert McDonald, vice president; Miss Grace Lansworth, secretary, and Mrs. Helmer Widfeldt, treasurer.

The hostess served lunch. The club will meet Feb. 13 with Mrs. Helmer Widfeldt. Mrs. Ted Morton will give a book review.

MEEK AND VICINITY

Miss Helen Spindler, of O'Neill, spent the week-end with her cousin, Leone.

Arthur Rouse spent Saturday evening at the Frank Griffith home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Borg attended church at Spencer Sunday, where Mrs. Borg had been invited to sing.

Dinner guests at the A. L. Rouse home in O'Neill Thursday were, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rouse and sons, Lawrence and Delbert, Herbert Rouse and daughters, Lelia and Marjorie, and son, Walter, Mrs. Frank Griffith and son, Cecil, and Leonard Young.

Leonard Young spent several days the past week visiting at the Herbert Rouse home near Inman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loake and son, of near Spencer, were guests at the Henry Walters home on Saturday. Mrs. Ralph Young and daughters, Thelma and Helen, and son, Edward, were there also.

Several attended prayer meeting at A. L. Borg's on Thursday evening. The next meeting will be at Marriedy Hubby's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hubby, who have been living in O'Neill for several months, have moved to the Eric Borg home the past week.

A deal was closed recently where-in Orville Lowrie become owner of the Midway store, and will take possession within a few days. Roy Karr, former owner, will move down on Eagle creek. Orville has worked for Mr. Karr for several years and is well known and liked by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walters and children, Florence, Lavone and Allen, were guests at the Howard Rouse home Sunday.

Leone and Helen Spindler were over-night guests of Hazel Johnson Sunday night.

Douglas Kitterman, one of the school children killed in a truck and bus collision near Deadwood, S. D., was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Moler. The relatives have the sympathy of the community in the tragic accident.

Elmer Devall recently purchased an automobile from his brother, Arthur. We wonder if he intends starting a bus line, as it is a seven passenger car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haines and children, Grandma Haines, Melvin and Clifford were over-night guests at the Theodore Crawford home on Saturday.

Several from here attended the Junior class play in O'Neill Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wyant were charivariated at the Charlie Ross home Wednesday night. Mrs. Wyant was formerly Mabel Ross.

Mrs. Rudolph Johnson has been on the sick list for some time.

Arthur Rouse called at the Henry Walters home Saturday afternoon.

George Bay, of O'Neill, called Sunday at Gus Johnson's.

Frank Griffith called Thursday afternoon at Roy Spindler's.

Cecil Weatherwax called at the Frank Griffith home Tuesday.

PLEASANT DALE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ernst and Marilyn visited relatives in Omaha and Sioux City last week. Mr. Ernst attended the Farmers' Union convention while in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Heeb and Edna were Sunday dinner guests at the Joseph Pongratz home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Babl were dinner guests last Sunday at the home of Joe Babl.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ries were guests of James Early's Sunday evening.

Little Arlene Beckwith returned home Saturday morning after spending a week with her grandmother, Mrs. Vera Hickman, near Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davis and family visited last Wednesday at the Dave Bellar home.

Miss Margaret Gallagher, of Valentine spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beckwith and Donald were callers at the S. M. Ohmart home Wednesday.

Little Duane Pongratz and John Edwin Babl spent a few days visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Heeb, last week.

Franklin Hickman called Saturday at the Guy Beckwith home.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the dance Friday night at Emmet.

Mrs. Joseph Pongratz, Mrs. Edwin Heeb and daughter, Edna, visited with Mrs. John Babl last Wednesday.

Miss Edna Heeb spent several days last week visiting with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Pongratz. Miss Heeb returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Verne Beckwith and baby daughter, of O'Neill, visited with Mrs. Dale Haszard in Atkinson last Friday.

GAMBLE'S BIG JANUARY SALE

Now—You can begin the New Year right—Save money at Gamble's Big January Sale. House Lamps, inside frosted, 9c each. Mantle Radios, \$9.95—Hot Water Heaters, \$25.65—Lined Brake Shoes, Ford A, 24c ex.—Emergency Chains, 3 1/2 to 4.95, 35c each.

Payment Of Bonus No More Extravagant Than The Building Of Dams

By Joel Parker

I have been carefully following bouns legislation in the past and see little hope of our senators, Burke and Norris, favoring any veterans benefits. My reason for this statement comes mostly from a letter received from U. S. Senator Thompson's office in Washington, dated Aug. 13, 1934, that his office received the following information from the Legion headquarters there. That on March 12, 1934 the House voted on the Patman bill providing for payment of the bonus and that the Nebraska members voted as follows:

Burke, against; Carpenter, Howard, Morehead and Shallenberger, "For."

As the above mentioned letter reads, the senators office states that the Legion further advised that Senators Norris and Thompson voted against the Long and Shipstead amendments, which were substantially the same as the provisions of the Patman bill. Since this letter was received, Burke was elected U. S. Senator, defeating Robert G. Simmons.

Now the veterans have senators Burke and Norris to represent them from this state, when, or if, the bonus bill comes to a vote in the senate. As we understand the bill now is with the Ways and Means committee. No doubt, it will be there for some time, probably plenty of time for "lobbyists" to work on legislators for it's defeat. Senator Norris, probably is busy looking for creeks and streams to build more dams in, for power and light purposes throuth the country. These vast expenditures make a large hole in the U. S. Treasury, where most all veterans have an interest.

If they want to build dams all over the nation for lights, power etc., and charge it to the U. S. Treasury, when the national budget is not balanced, it looks rather foolish. If such persons would come to northern Holt county, get a permit, they could gather up enough beaver, skilled in the trade, to build just as good a dam and no doubt amount to just as much as any dam now being built, and the expense would be very little.

We have private power and light companies throuth the nation giving the best of service and paying good salaries. To get a job with one of these companies you, probably, do not have to chase after some congressman, go thru Civil Service and then when you think you are in line for the job, your congressman writes you, there are powers above him in Washington, "I cannot do any more for you."

Why have congressmen if they cannot function in their own office and affairs?

Burke, no doubt, is strong for the New Deal, whatever that means. So far I think there are no benefits there for veterans. Some time ago big slashes were made in veteran's benefits, \$450,000,000 being taken away from one disabled class, Federal employees were reduced and we are of the opinion that these cuts were made in order to protect the credit of the U. S. and a balanced budget. If Federal employees have been granted their full pay or nearly so, why not have the disability allowance pension restored, which award was given deservating veterans during sensible legislation.

Why have a preferred class? Last November five new congressmen were elected, representing all such offices in this state, they are Charles McLaughlin, Karl Stefan, C. C. Binderup, Harry B. Coffee and Henry C. Luckey.

We will endeavor to get the information on how the Nebraska members, both senate and house, vote on the bonus bill when it comes before them. In the senate there are 13 newly elected, five of them World War veterans. It should be of vital interest to every veteran who needs his money for services rendered back in '17 and '18 to know how these five new members, who are World War veterans, represent them.

Never before would the payment of these Adjusted Compensation Certificates do the veteran as much good as now, due to the fact that the Disability Allowance pension was cancelled. This leaves many disabled veterans in great distress, and no doubt, if the certificates were paid during the past few years the depression would have cleaned it up, but now the veteran can realize going thru this depression, that he must go cautiously and carefully, and the great need of this long past due obligation for his existence.

What about the farmer, who went over-seas. Could he take his farming equipment with him or did he dispose of it at a great sacrifice? If he wanted to start farming again after discharge, and a lapse of nearly three years time, he would have a difficult task to salvage another supply of equipment with what little funds he had left.

The Circus

Was the night after Christmas when Tommy was widest awake, And Father told the doctor—"My son has the Tommy-ache."

Long before Mrs. John Kersenbrock married she wanted to come to O'Neill. The papers were full of it, people had the O'Neill complex, there was fascination, charm in the word and frequent blasts of some news writer added to the yearning. Then when the Kersenbrock wedding was solemnized Mrs. Kersenbrock expressed anew her desire to see O'Neill. Not long after the wedding day the Kersenbrocks arrived. A few days ago Mrs. Kersenbrock said she found both town and people just as she had dreamt them to be. And now she is the wife of the mayor of O'Neill.

Old Fashioned Father: "Lemuel, did you dare go there alone in the dead of night?"

Modern Son: "Nope; Alice went along in case I should be accosted by rowdies."

Aviators say the bark of a dog may be heard four miles above the earth. The me-ow of a tom cat at midnight should make 40 at least.

The difference between a house and a home is correctly spelled by removing the y from yell and substituting h.

The circus column has been missing for some time. Gotta travel from town to town, dontcha? So take advantage—come and see the six-ring world's marvel—six rings of bolagna.

That big meteor which caused excitement in southeastern Nebraska a few weeks ago caused disappointment here—to newspaper writers.

Relief workers gathered cow chips with which to heat a sod high school building 20 miles south of Ainsworth.

Christmas bills so oft remind us The fiddler earns pay as we dance, So gently finger your pocket For another hole in your pants.

Thinking of last summer's heat does not thaw this winter's fingers worth a hang.

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Teacher: "Now tell me how halitosis acts on the human body?" Pupil: "Croaks yuh before yuh have time to stop breathing."

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THE CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Rev. Albert W. Swanson Services are being held regularly each Sunday afternoon at the Episcopal church building.

Last Sunday marked the opening of our Sunday School and the Lord blessed us.

We invite you to attend our Sunday School which begins at 2:00 p. m.

Worship at 3:00 p. m.—Sermon, "He Cometh Again." Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which pierced him; and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so. Amen.—Rev. 1:7.

Prayer service next Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilsey at 407 E. John. Welcome to all services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00—Mr. R. M. Sauer, superintendent.

Morning Worship 11:00—Others. Evening Service 7:30—This will be a service of Gospel singing and preaching. The Young People's choir will sing for the evening service and the Adult choir for the morning service.

H. D. Johnson, Pastor.

John Robertson, of Stuart, was transacting business in the city today.

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BRIEFLY STATED

Mrs. C. J. Gatz went down to Omaha last Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Barney Welsh went down to Sioux City last Friday and spent the week-end visiting friends, returning home Monday night.

Several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Halva gathered and their home Sunday to help Mrs. Halva celebrate her birthday anniversary.

George E. Hytrek, of Glendo, Wyo., and Miss Mary C. Krobot, of Stuart, were granted a marriage license in county court last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heeb Asher, of Page, were in O'Neill on business last Saturday. They visited briefly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Van Every.

Sunday members of the Epworth League of the O'Neill Methodist church expect to go to Chambers to render a program at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Chris Wunderlich, of Ericson, arrived in the city Wednesday evening for a ten day visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fox.

Mrs. Frank Froelich entertained the Delta Deck Club at her home last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Ira Moss and Mrs. Leiddell were the prize winners.

Kersenbrock lake was flooded again last Tuesday and the ice is now nice and smooth and the young folks are enjoying themselves on it every evening.

In the weather prediction for Nebraska in the Sioux City Tribune Wednesday was—"Nebraska: Cloudy and warmer, probably snow in EAT portion."

Mrs. Harold Shaw and son, Wayne Lee, who live 32 miles southwest of Atkinson, are here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dumpert.

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