

# THE FRONTIER

## GILLESPIE AND BRADY GET THE NOMINATIONS FOR THE UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURE

### Walter Smith Wins the Republican Nomination For Supervisor In the Sixth District From John Steinhauer, Present Board Member.

### WRITE-IN CAMPAIGN ON 2 JUDGE OFFICES

The primary election campaign of 1936 has gone into history and it saw an exceptionally light vote cast in this county, altho there were 323 more votes cast at the election Tuesday than were cast at the primary election four years ago. In that election there were cast 3,455 votes, compared to 3,778 last Tuesday.

Another comparison that will cause a little gloom to disappear from the faces of some republicans is the fact that in the election four years ago, that is the primary election, there were 2,207 democrat votes cast in the county and only 1,248 republican votes. This year, with an increased vote of 323 the democrats polled 157 votes less than they did in the primary election of 1932, while the republicans polled 480 more votes than they did in 1932. Looks as if Holt county voters were getting rather tired of new deal policies, does it not?

Tuesday the democrats polled 2,050 votes while 1,728 republicans went to the polls and cast their ballots, or a majority favoring the democrats of 322. In Ewing there were approximately 150 republicans entered the democratic primary battle to assist in the nomination of Louis Reimers, present chairman of the county board and a democrat, there being no republican candidate on the ballot. About 50 voters in Verdigris, 50 in Golden and 50 in Deloit followed the example by calling for democratic ballots. If these republicans had remained in their own party it will be seen at a glance that in the primary contest in this county the parties would have been about equal. But that election is over and now for the real battle in November.

There was little interest in the campaign until the last three or four days of the campaign. Then it was learned that another write-in campaign was under way. That the name of former Judge J. J. Harrington would be written in as a candidate for district judge and that the name of T. J. Coyne, former county assessor and later clerk of the district court, would be written in for county judge. Several workers were on the streets all day election day urging voters to write in these two names on the ballots and a large number did so. When the complete vote had been checked over, except the mail ballots, it was found that the vote on these two offices stood as follows: For district judge, R. R. Dickson, 2,814; J. J. Harrington, 441. For county judge: C. J. Malone, 2,838; T. J. Coyne, 227.

For the life of us we cannot conceive how they expect to meet the requirements of the law and have a candidate for county judge nominated by writing in his name. The law specifically states that where a man does not file for the office of county judge or county superintendent to get his name on the ballot, that in order to qualify as a candidate he must receive ten per cent of the vote cast in the county at the last general election for governor. As Cochran and Dwight Griswold received together 7,397 votes at the general election two years ago it would take 740 voters writing in the name of their favorite candidate to get a name on the ballot for this office. As to the office of district judge we do not know as we have looked up the law regarding that office.

One of the surprises of the election was the defeat of John Steinhauer, for the republican nomination for supervisor from the Sixth district. John has been a member of the board for a good many years and he appeared a cinch for re-nomination, but he went down to defeat.

In the Second district, which has been represented by John A. Carson, republican for the past four years, he won a re-nomination over

Harry Hiscocks with a small majority of 15 votes. Robert Tomlinson won the democratic nomination easily.

In the Fourth district Louis W. Reimers, present chairman of the board, had a contest for re-nomination, being opposed by Mike Roth-erham, of Ewing, a former member of the board, Reimers winning easily. There was no republican candidate in this district.

In the Fifth district, which has been served for the past few months by John W. Walters who was appointed to the position after the death of Ezra W. Cooke, was unopposed for the republican nomination in that district. His opponent in the fall campaign will be John H. Gibson who won the democratic nomination unopposed.

**For Unicameral Legislature**  
L. G. Gillespie: Holt, 1441; Boyd, 124; Keya Paha, 101; Rock, 147. Total, 1813.

F. J. Brady: Holt, 1052; Boyd, 397; Keya Paha, 286; Rock, 219. Total, 1954.  
Crist Anderson: Holt, 397; Boyd, 436; Keya Paha, 184; Rock, 102. Total, 1119.  
Otto Bentzen: Holt, 124; Boyd, 597; Keya Paha, 65; Rock, 33. Total, 819.  
J. M. Wilhelm: Holt 445; Boyd, 49; Keya Paha, 36; Rock, 40. Total, 570.  
E. S. Lingo: Holt, 120; Boyd, 56; Keya Paha, 341; Rock, 158. Total, 675.

**Second District Democrats**  
Tomlinson Robinson  
Antelope 14 2  
Iowa 10 6  
Paddock 7 6  
Scott 19 2  
Steel Creek 6 10  
Willowdale 23 5  
Shields 35 12  
Total 114 43

**Second District Republicans**  
Carson Hiscocks  
Antelope 7 11  
Iowa 19 12  
Paddock 28 32  
Scott 38 47  
Steel Creek 53 33  
Willowdale 14 19  
Shields 16 6  
Total 175 160

**Fourth District Democrats**  
Reimers Rotherham  
Verdigris 150 38  
Golden 52 8  
Ewing 210 42  
Deloit 55 19  
Total 467 107

**Sixth District Republicans**  
Steinhauer Smith  
Francis 9 15  
Green Valley 12 13  
Holt Creek 2 11  
Jossie 2 3  
Stuart 94 111  
Swan 6 12  
Total 125 165

**Supervisors, Fifth District**  
Dem. Rep.  
Gibson Walters  
Chambers 30 70  
Conley 6 9  
Inman 63 51  
Lake 21 7  
McClure 14 2  
Shamrock 2 8  
Wyoming 14 30  
Total 150 178

**REPUBLICAN RESULTS**  
For President:  
William E. Borah 1005  
Governor Alf. Landon 171  
For Delegates at Large to the National Convention:  
Sam R. McKelvie 1151  
Sam W. Reynolds 746  
Lyle E. Jackson 841  
Viola J. Cameron 469  
Malcolm Baldrige 488  
G. E. Carpenter 653  
For Alternates at Large to the National Convention:  
Robert Smith 1059

Elsie P. Diers 891  
Teresa Lou Connelly 862  
Edgar Ferneau 902  
For Delegates to National Convention, Third District:  
Julius D. Cronin 1360  
Earl J. Moyer 937  
For Alternate Delegates to National Convention, Third Dist.:  
D. G. Howell 1052  
C. D. Haskell 923  
For National Committeeman:  
Hugh A. Butler 1159  
For National Committeewoman:  
Minnie Fried Watson 1090  
For United States Senator:  
Lloyd C. Constable 45  
Harry O. Palmer 189  
Robert G. Simmons 1171  
Cleon Dech 40  
For Governor:  
Stanley Wright 69  
William Madgett 72  
Dwight P. Griswold 1081  
O. S. Spillman 346  
For Lieutenant Governor:  
C. A. Green 201  
A. T. Howard 405  
Jess P. Palmer 252  
Geo. A. Williams 319  
A. A. Recae 60  
M. F. Rickard 84  
FOR Secretary of State:  
George L. Williams 143  
George C. Snow 111  
John D. Forsyth 331  
William Andrew Burket 147  
Charles M. Sutherland 117  
Ralph S. Smith 116  
Bert Anderson 169  
L. J. Wright 124  
Ralph S. Moseley 39  
For Auditor of Public Accounts:  
Harry L. Babcock 311  
George W. Marsh 700  
August H. Basler 141  
L. B. Johnson 198  
For Commissioner Public Lands and Buildings:  
Leo N. Swanson 1202  
For State Treasurer:  
T. W. Bass 551  
John S. Jones 83  
Ernest M. Bair 49  
Gustave E. Carlson 133  
Crawford J. Mortensen 113  
T. P. Johnson 131  
William E. McCloud 213  
For Attorney General:  
Richard O. Johnson 532  
Clarence M. Davis 491  
Golden P. Kratz 217  
For Railway Commissioner:  
Hugh Henderson Drake 335  
Harry W. Scott 350  
John Patach 97  
Harvey Edward Klafelter 62  
Duane T. Swanson 439  
For Congressman—Third Dist.  
Karl Stefan 1459

**DEMOCRATIC RESULTS**  
For President:  
Franklin D. Roosevelt 1792  
For Vice President:  
John Nance Garner 1542  
For Delegates at Large to the National Convention:  
Robert L. Blackledge 837  
I. J. Dunn 962  
For Alternates at Large to the National Convention:  
Alice Brooks 962  
Olga Stastny 839  
Jane W. Ketcham 879  
Mary C. Ramsey 931  
For Delegates to National Convention—Third District:  
P. H. Peterson 1049  
Seymour S. Sidner 927  
For Alternate Delegates to National Convention—Third Dist.  
Ella Ulrich 995  
Adolph E. Wenke 948  
For National Commitman:  
Dan V. Stephens 469  
Terry Carpenter 325  
Edward R. Burke 893  
For National Committeewoman:  
Evelyn A. Ryan 1305  
For United States Senator:  
Terry Carpenter 375  
George E. Hall 324  
Emil E. Placek 240  
James C. Quigley 664  
For Governor:  
R. L. Cochran 1474  
Anton H. Jensen 312  
For Lieutenant Governor:  
Walter H. Jurgensen 691  
Edgar Howard 1067  
For Secretary of State:  
Harry R. Swanson 1154  
Otto E. Dudschus 124  
B. F. Perry 275  
For Auditor of Public Accounts:  
Fred C. Ayers 301  
Edward J. Woulf 325  
William H. Price 814  
For Commissioner Public Lands and Buildings:  
Harry E. Reavis 613

**CONGRESS—AS SEEN BY A NEBRASKAN**  
By Karl Stefan  
Believe it or not, five hundred babies, for whose care no provision has been made, are born in the District each month, Dr. W. Sinclair Bowen, Washington, told a group of women at a birth control luncheon yesterday. He said that in one institution one hundred babies are born to mothers between the ages of twelve and twenty years.

The committee on education held a meetings yesterday and reported out the vocational training bill, but not until after the authorized appropriation was cut from twelve million to six million. Even at that it will be an increase of about three million dollars compared with last year.

The senate bill calls for twelve million dollars. Members felt this legislation which has been in effect many years is helping people to make their own living.

Several cases were cited where during the depression and drought some communities canned their own vegetables with the result that not one person in these communities was on relief, nor have they been on relief since. Letters from county superintendents in Nebraska indicate that this work is resulting in some good in Nebraska, and that the vocational trainers are co-operating with the 4H clubs and the county agents.

During this meeting charts were shown illustrating the 1935 savings bank balances per family by states. The chart of the United States on this question showed that the families with the smallest amount of savings bank balances live in North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Texas, where the savings ranged from \$124.00 per family to \$214.00 per family. On the other hand Maine, New York, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Washington, D. C., and California showed the largest amount of average savings bank balances. These balances ranged from \$820 per family in Washington to \$2,477 per family in New York. This will give you some indication as to where the money of the country is really located.

The next big building project in Washington is the twelve million dollar new interior building to accommodate five thousand employees. There will be two miles of corridor space and there will be automobile parking space in the basement with escalators and every thing of the latest style. The old building is going to be used by the PWA and some other units. The government is awfully short of space to house all these new employees. About 350,000 new ones have come to work in the city in the last three years. The corner stone of the new building, will be laid on April 16 with elaborate ceremonies. President Roosevelt will lay the corner stone and he will use the trowel used by George Washington when the father of our country laid the corner stone of our nation's capitol in 1793.

Another project which is somewhat controversial is the Florida ship canal. This canal attempts to cut twenty hours off shipping time between the Atlantic ocean and the Gulf of Mexico, and has brought out a statement from one

Arthur E. Olson 506  
Charles M. Jack 263  
For State Treasurer:  
Walter H. Jensen 477  
H. J. Murray 436  
Fred Brecht 96  
Cecil Mathews 321  
James M. Roncka 134  
For Attorney General:  
Paul P. Chaney 474  
Fred G. Hawxby 172  
Francis V. Robinson 485  
Richard C. Hunter 451  
For Railway Commissioner:  
George L. Good 125  
Frank J. Riha 123  
Warren R. Pool 153  
John P. Sullivan 551  
Buehler Metcalfe 205  
Ben M. Johnson 91  
F. A. Good 211  
B. E. Farley 139  
For Congressman—Third Dist.:  
John Havekost 744  
S. Toledo Sherry 644

**SHORT ITEMS FROM AROUND TOWN**  
Foster May and his fiancée, Miss Marie Breckenmaker, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Van Dahl drove from Omaha and spent Easter Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. A. J. May, pastor of the Methodist church in O'Neill. Foster May and Mrs. Van Dahl, the only son and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. May, live in Omaha and Miss Breckenmaker lives in Galesburg, Ill., and is an English teacher there in the High school. They attended services at the Methodist church Sunday morning and many of the people had the opportunity of meeting them.

The O'Neill Dramatic Club put on the play, "Here Comes Charlie" at the opera house last evening to a crowded house. The play was a splendid success from a financial standpoint as well as satisfaction given to the large audience. The various parts in the play were well taken, each and every individual being apparently cut out for the part they portrayed. In between the acts were interspersed, songs, dances, and dialogues put on by the younger folks and they also took their several parts admirably.

Sam Barnard, one of the old-time residents of this city but who has lived in Wyoming for about a quarter of a century, arrived in the city last Friday for a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Yantzi, and with other old time friends here. He left for his home at Casper, Wyo., Monday.

Miss Constance Golden entertained sixteen of her little friends with a dinner party at the Bakery last Sunday evening and later entertained them at her home with various games. The little folks say they had an enjoyable time and that Miss Constance is a splendid entertainer.

Mrs. Bordson, of Spencer, was in the city Wednesday and purchased the Chapman Style Shop, taking possession at once. Mrs. Bordson will move to this city and make O'Neill her future home. The Frontier welcomes her to the business ranks of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Allen, living about ten miles northeast of this city, were pleasant callers at this office last Saturday and ordered The Frontier sent to them for the coming year. Mr. Allen says that he is now operating a horseless farm.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Biglin went down to Sioux City last Monday morning, taking down their son, Joe, for further medical treatment. Mr. Biglin returned home that evening while Mrs. Biglin remained there to be with her son.

Francis Hughes, who is attending the State University at Lincoln, came up last Thursday and spent a couple of days at his old position behind the counter at Beckman's. He returned to his school duties Monday morning.

Center Union Sunday School plans to have a home coming on the evening of April 24, the afternoon and evening of April 25, and all day Sunday April 26, with a basket dinner. Everyone is welcome.

Charles John Pruss and Miss Francis Shoemaker, both of Stuart, were granted a marriage license in county court Wednesday afternoon.

William Froelich came out from Chicago last Friday to spend Easter with his family and other relatives in this city.

**NOTICE**  
The Holt County Baseball League will hold their annual meet- at the Pump House in O'Neill on April 23, 1936 at 8:30 P. M. Each town in the county is cordially invited to be represented at the meeting.

Listen, you old timers, don't be tight. Help your young base ball material and the boys need your support. I am sincere, I would like to see six or eight teams. There are a lot of young boys that could make good

E. W. RICHTER,  
President.

**ANNUAL RED CROSS MEETING**  
The annual Red Cross meeting will be held at the Odd Fellows Hall in O'Neill, on Tuesday afternoon, April 28, 1936, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term, to hear reports from the local chapters, and for any business that may be properly brought before the meeting. All those who signed the Red Cross Roll call are eligible to attend and take part in the meeting.  
DR. L. A. CARTER,  
County Chairman.

**Nancy Dickson Will Teach At Norfolk**  
Miss Nancy Dickson, daughter of District Judge and Mrs. R. R. Dickson, O'Neill, was elected by the board of education to teach an intermediate grade during the 1936-37 term. She takes the place of Miss Gladys Bates, Washington school teacher, who resigned as she is to be married in June.

Miss Dickson, who will be graduated from Wayne State Teacher's college this spring, has had two years' teaching experience. She taught one term in a Holt county school, and another in the Stafford, Nebr., public schools. She comes to the Norfolk school system with high recommendations. — Norfolk Daily News.

**Shoemaker-Haun**  
Harold Shoemaker and Miss Ramona Margaret Haun were married Monday, April 13, 1936, at St. Patrick's church Rectory in O'Neill by Monsignor McNamara.

Harold is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shoemaker. He is a graduate of the O'Neill high school, class of '30, has held several positions with the State Department of Roads and Irrigation, and was secretary for the State Engineer, Roy Cromwell. For the past year and a half he has been in the employ of the Eppy Hotels company and holds a prominent position with them at the Hotel Norfolk, in Norfolk, Nebr. Harold has made and holds an unusually large number of friends over the state as well as in and around his home town, who will be happy to hear this news.

Miss Haun is the accomplished and charming youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haun, of David City, Nebr. She is a graduate of the Hastings college at Hastings, Nebr., and has been in the employ of the Eppy Hotels company for the past two years. While mostly a stranger in the vicinity of O'Neill, she has visited here on several occasions and with her sweet sunny disposition has won for herself many friends.

After May 1 Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker will be at home to their many friends at their apartments in Norfolk.

Mr. Shoemaker's many O'Neill friends tender hearty congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy journey on the matrimonial seas.

**ALPHA CLUB**  
In spite of the mud and bad roads some of the Club members were brave enough to venture out to the meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Morton.

Five members, in answer to roll call, told of their earliest ambitions. One guest was present. The business meetings took up most of the afternoon, and as so many members were absent there was not much of an entertainment program. A most delicious lunch of coffee and white salad was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be the May Festival held at the home of Mrs. Ed Boshart.

**TWO PEDESTRIANS LOSE LIVES WHEN STRUCK BY AUTOS**  
South Dakota Man Is A Victim On the Highway Wednesday. Man Killed Sunday At Stuart.  
Vetal Hatton, 30, of St. Francis, S. D., was killed on the highway about a mile and a half west of Danceland at an early hour Wednesday morning, by being run over by an automobile driven by Clarence Potter.

A coroners jury was empaneled by Sheriff Duffy on Wednesday morning and they found that Hatton came to his death by being run over by an automobile driven by Clarence Potter. That said accident was unavoidable and that Potter was not to blame.

Hatton's body was first identified as that of Ralph Ripke, but Ripke turned up at Stuart during the day and Marvin Ripke, U. S. Indian agent at Rosebud identified the body as that of Hatton.

Gene Runelson, of Ainsworth, who was with Hatton Tuesday night said he was unable to recall much of what had occurred. He said the automobile they were driving, a new Dodge pick-up, ran out of gasoline and that Hatton started down the road for fuel when he was struck by a car.

Potter said his automobile struck the body but told the jury he did not know whether Hatton was dead at that time. He said he did not see the man until after the car ran over him. He then notified the authorities and Sheriff Duffy went out to the scene of the accident about 4 o'clock Wednesday morning.

**Accident At Stuart**  
William T. Brown, 60, of Stuart, was struck on the streets there on Sunday morning while crossing a street of that village, by a car driven by former County Judge George Hillberg, of Bassett. He died from his injuries Sunday afternoon.

Sheriff Duffy and W. J. Hammond, the latter representing the county attorney who was attending court at Ainsworth, drove to Stuart Tuesday morning to look into the case.

An inquest was held and the jury found that the deceased came to his death by being hit by an automobile driven by former County Judge Hillberg, of Bassett.

We learn that at the inquest it was brought out that Hillberg was driving at a moderate rate of speed, only 15 or 20 miles an hour, and that Brown was crossing the street and another man also crossing the street and that they met and carried a moment in the street talking. When they noticed the car Brown evidently became confused and he was hit by the car and seriously injured. Brown had been a resident of Stuart for several years and was operating a lunch counter there.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**  
Clark Standiford, of Kearney, who was seriously injured some time ago, went to the home of friends for a few days convalescing.

Zeb Warner is again in the hospital suffering another heart attack. At present his condition is quite serious.

Mrs. E. M. Jarmen of Chambers, was operated on Friday the 10th, for acute appendicitis. She is convalescing nicely.

George Wilson had his tonsils removed Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Harold Wier was admitted Tuesday night for treatment.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors for their messages of cheer and sympathy and the many kind friends at Casper, Wyoming, for their beautiful floral tributes and messages of sympathy, on the occasion of the death of our beloved brother. Your kindness will ever be gratefully remembered.—John C. Kelley and Miss Mary Kelley.

**ASH GROVE PROJECT CLUB**  
The Ash Grove project club met with Mrs. Alex Wertz, "the mother of the club," April 9. Eight members and three visitors enjoyed a 12 o'clock lunch after which the lesson, Plants, was demonstrated by Mrs. Rector and Mrs. Morna Wertz.