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O'NEILL, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1937.

#### MSGR. McNAMARA HONORED ON 40TH YEAR AS A PRIEST

School Children's Mass Held in the Morning and Program At the Academy in Evening.

Communion at St. Patrick's church Play Things, Hall. during the Mass celebrated by him, in which the entire student body of PIONEER LADY, 81 St. Mary's academy received for his intentions. Then at 10 o'clock, followed by a simple but beautiful program in St. Mary's assembly when the pupils tendered our good Funeral Services for Mrs. James claims have been allowed and it is Monsignor their hearty good wishes and congratulations. He was showered with American Beauty roses by our little tots for this was his Ruby Jubilee.

had planned a surprise. Monsignor of 81 years. The funeral was held of the plans, was escorted to the academy door where his twenty burial in Calvary cemetery. altar boys in cassocks and surboth from diocesan history and In the spring of 1885 they came classification and this account is a shortly after making the annual Mrs. Horiskey was recognized as Court Moss. Mr. Moss started mov-

"Trees" by Rosbach. One of the the Catholic church. directed by Mr. Myers and accompanied by Mrs. Kubitschek sang, "When Irish Eyes are Smiling," "Caroline."

Following this bit of musical entertainment Father Beyersdorf, pastor of St. John's Deloit, represented the priests of the O'Neill deanery in a tribute to Monsignor McNamara's life from the time of his birth in a small Nebraska town, thru his college life and his ordination, dwelling most beautifully on his sincerity, piety, and priestliness during the forty years in which he has labored for the

Mr. Kilasky tendered best wishes from Monsignor McNamara's former parishioners at Bloomfield, a great many of whom came to O'Neill to attend the celebration. Father Byrne of Emmet, a lifelong friend of Monsignor's, who was his co-assistant at Jackson many years ago contributed a number of interesting episodes in their lives together, and joined in the wish of all that Monsignor would enjoy many more happy and useful years.

Harrington presented a small token zig. Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. J. F. drastically reducing county expendof the gratitude and esteem in Donohoe, Mrs. T. J. Donohoe, Joe itures for poor relief. which the congregation of St. Pat- Donohoe, Miss Martina O'Donnell. rick's Parish shall always hold this minister of God.

#### Library Will Be Open Two Evenings A Week days in Shields precinct.

Beginning Thursday, March 18, the library will be opened two evenas follows:

American Family, Baldwin; Men Shields precinct. of Outer Island, Beach; Charlie Chan Carries On, Bigger; Valley Gold, Blindloss; Thirteen at Dinner, Morrow; Trail Fu Manchu, Romer; McManus.

Gun Lock Ranch, Spearman; COUNTY'S MONEY Rusler's Valley, Mulford; Dog Named Chip, Terhune; Buff A Collie. Terhune; Adventure Girls at K Bar O. Blank; Secret Hermitage, Keene; Mystery of Ivory Charm, Supplies Cannot Be Had At Market Bonds Outstanding Keene; Mysterious Half Cat, Sutton; Nine Old Men, Pearson; White Oak Harvest, De La Roche; Will Honoring the fortieth anniver- Roger's Wit and Wisdom, Lait; sary of Rt. Rev. Monsignor John Polly's Suitor, Wells; Cadet Days, analysis of taxes and county ex- Registered County G. McNamara's ordination to the King; Connie Morgan in the Arctic, penditures in Holt county, from the Warrants Outstanding priesthood on Thursday, March 4, Hendryx; 55 New Tin Can Pro- report made by the tax committee June 30, 1936 the day opened with general Holy ject, Lukowitz; Craft Work and of the Atkinson Service club.

### YEARS OLD, IS DEAD OF HEART TROUBLE

O'Connor Held Wednesday In This City.

Mrs. James O'Connor died at her was filled with parishioners who attack of heart trouble, at the age Sept. 28, 1936, was \$9,047.68.

plices, bearing lighted candles, led County Limerick, Ireland, in 1856. billed at \$45.00 to \$55.00 per thous- strates the utter absence of proper until ill health forced her retirehim to the auditorium and the She came to the United States when and, whereas many counties pur- accounting and auditing in the ad- ment, four years ago last fall. O'Neill high school orchestra, un- a young woman and settled in chase theirs for half this amount. ministration of our county affairs In April, 1933, accompanied by der the direction of Professor Dur- Illinois where she was united in Tax lists are billed at 3 for \$223.50. and also demonstrates that a very her brother, P. J., she went to ham made the occasion festive with marriage to James O'Connor in Cheyenne county purchased three serious condition might develop in Rochester, Minn., where she went soul-stirring music, fitted to the 1883. Two children were born of in the same year for \$180.00, while any county in Nebraska under our thru the Mayo clinic and the physic- Old Building Deserted. Some New the position. celebration. An assembly of priests, this union, one son and one daught- Custer county for several years has present lax method of keeping our lans there informed her that she Sisters and friends from both er, who with their aged father are purchased its tax lists for \$35.00 county records and an entire ab- was suffering from pernicious Bloomfield and O'Neill greeted him. left to mourn the passing of a kind each or \$105.00 for three. Complete sence of auditing our County Board anemia. Mrs. Horiskey leaves two The reception was opened by Em- and affectionate wife and mother. records \$73.00 while Cheyenne proceedings as well as county funds. brothers, P. J. of this city, and mett Harmon who, after tendering The children are: Dr. Daniel O'Con- county paid \$50.00 in the same Irregularity in Allowance of Chicago, and one sister, domiciled in their quarters in the their petitions. his own felicitations, introduced nor of Eden Valley, Minn., and year. Father Leahy, Monsignor McNa- Miss Margaret O'Connor of this

from personal contact, Father to this county and settled on a farm most excellent example that when estimate in January. The usual an exceptionally able business wo- ing Wednesday and Judge Dickson Leahy told many interesting bits a mile and a half north of this city a county becomes financially in- practice is that these claims can- man and conducted one of the best this morning. They expect to have about Monsignor McNamara's life, where they resided for about thirty volved thru poor management that not be allowed and warrants drawn grocery stores in the city for sev- their offices in shape for the openthe time of her death, Mr. O'Con- business basis. Following Father Leahy's con- nor having erected a home here The firms who furnish these sup-

For fifty-two years she had been of business methods in the trans- amount levied as provided by this sorrow. a resident of this city and immediaction of the necessary functions statute. This might be a violation "Love's Old Sweet Song," and ate vicinity and she had a host of of county government. friends in this section who learned It has been the common practice we can obtain on the subject is with regret of her passing.

#### Birthday Party for 88 Year Old Pioneer Lady

well filled baskets of good things pays the bills. to eat with them. Those present at the gathering were as follows:

Joseph Menish, a grandson; Ed relief as many of these bills are Menish, a son; Mrs. Wm. Dailey, a still unpaid. The claims that were daughter; John Q. O'Malley, a paid in 1935 total \$8,402.61 exclunephew; Walter O'Malley, a neph- sive of the amount of earned relief ew; Mrs. Mary Wilson, a niece; paid from the County Road Relief George Wilson, a cousin; and Miss fund and the amount paid by the Mary Menish, a granddaughter; Federal government. also, Mrs. Catherine McNichols, The new Social Security laws Mrs. Joe McNichols, Mrs. P. V. passed in the 1935 regular and Hickey, Mrs. John Hickey, Mrs. special session of the legislature Herb Jansen, Mrs. James Brennan, are now functioning and should At the close of the program, J. J. Mrs. Walter O'Malley, Mrs. Mer- apparently have the effect of quite

After a sumptious lunch was

This grand old pioneer lady can years mentioned: recall early day events with a facings a week, Thursday and Friday, ulty that is wonderful for one of Year ment closing at 5:30 in the afternoon and her age. She is in good health and 1918-4,204 being open again at 7, until 9 p. m. goes about her household work as 1935-3,975 New books now at the library are spry as one of fewer years. She is the oldest of the pioneers in percent. An increase in cost of op-

CARD OF THANKS Christie: Black Hunter and Swift felt thanks to the many friends and plies, greatly retards, perhaps even Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mains, left Say Good Bye," Some Day We Will ed excavation under the Stannard with other relatives and friends. Lightning, Curwood; Three Mus- neighbors for their many acts of makes almost hopeless, the pro- last Thursday for the Holy Rosary Understand" and "In the Sweet store for the improvements that are Mr. Dailey has just recovered from keteers, Dumas; Arigona Ames, kindness and sympthy during the position of ever getting the busi- Mission, west of Rosebud, S. D., Bye and Bye," during the services. to be made on the building. The a severe attack of pneumonia and Code of the West and Sunset Pass, long illness and following the death ness of the county on a cash basis. where she has accepted a position Burial took place in the Bohem- basement will be enlarged, new after recuperating here for a couple Gray; Pink House, Hauck; Silver of our beloved sister, Mrs. Susie We have no hesitancy in making as bookeeper and stenographer at ian National cemetery at Jelen and foundations put under the building week will leave for Virginia where Wings, Hill; Doctor, of Lonesome Horiskey. Your many acts of kind- the comment that if Nebraska had the Mission. Word from her, re- the pallbearers were, Walter Wiley, and a new and modern store front he will visit for a few weeks with River, Marshall; Light in Jungles, ness will long be gratefully remem- proper cash basis laws and made ceived by her parents, are to the Jeonard Juracek, Raymond Soucek, installed. The improvement will his sons who are engaged in business Marshall; Judith of Godless Valley, bered .- P. J. McManus and Mamie exceeding of a budget a criminal effect that she likes her work and Leo Phelps, Thomas Alder and greatly enchance the appearance there, before returning to his home

#### SHORTAGE STOPS WISE SPENDING

Price When Payment Held Up Due To Lack of Funds.

Here we delve further into the September 28, 1936

Office Stationery and Supplies It is quite impossible for us to in the past two years, very few Supervisor's record. item until the claim is allowed.

We might quote prices paid by

The death of Mrs. O'Connor two and three times a normal mar- already expended of such fund." faithful care during her illness.

that are in financial difficulties to bill can be allowed after the estimcontinue to pay two and three times warrant be legally drawn until afthe market price on the theory that ter the levy in August. A surprise birthday party for these firms carried them when they A further discussion of the fin-Mrs. William Menish in celebration were in difficulty and that they anacial condition of the county case was the state of Nebraska Omaha, whose business requires lights and feeder pigs sold at 7.50 of her 88th birthday anniversary, should continue to do business with from the same report will appear was held Tuesday, March 9. A them. Certainly it is the poorest next. week. Payment of salaries charged with the violation of the ally every section of the state, was group of near friends and neigh- kind of logic and the poorest kind to county ffiocials being the topic. bors gathered at her home to help of business tactics and is disastercelebrate the event. They brought ous to the taxpayer who ultimately Nine Bulls Bring Average

#### Poor Relief

Again we find it impossible to Mrs. Robert Marsh, a daughter; make the proper showing on poor

### Schools

It is interesting to note that the served all those present joined in total enrollment and cost of operaan old time visit and card game tion of all schools in Holt county talking of early events of other exclusive of capital outlay and debt service were as follows in the

Cost of Operation \$143,177.42 186,344.58

#### eration of 30.1 per cent.

Cash Basis The practice of paying exorbit-We desire to express our heart- ant prices for services and supoffense as it applies to the state surroundings.

officials in Kansas, that Holt county LAST RITES HELD would have, at all times, been on a

County Indebtedness Court House Building \$61,000.00 June 30, 1936 ... Unpaid Claims on file all county Funds 51,417.71

Discrepancies In Claims and

County Records

impossible for us to say definitely crepancies between the amounts Benton, Wisconsin, July 11, 1867. 26 years, 7 months and 14 days at Hugh Coyne, who has represented that a certain price is paid for this shown on the Supervisor's record She grew to womanhood there and the time of his death. another fund.

Catholic church at 9 o'clock and prices on a few articles listed in with the discrepancies in the pay- grocery business here. He passed tives, comrades and friends .the unpaid claims on file. For in- ment of these claims but the fact away in 1924 and after his death Verdigre Eagle. Catherine Quirk was born in stance, motor vehicle licenses are that they occurred clearly demon- Mrs. Horiskey continued the store

The above are typical of the we have found in Nebraska that the passing of a kind and affection- desert the old building were Judge Cattle and Hogs Rule many articles purchased in this allows claims and issues warrants ate sister. to pay the same.

of the law. The best legal advice First Law Suit In New in a number of Nebraska counties that under our present laws the continue to buy from old firms and ate is made but in no event can the

ranch north of Page Monday morn- The state was represented by county. It is a beautiful building starting at 12:30 p. m. ing. Mr. Lucas with his son is County Attorney J. D. Cronin and and if you have not inspected it go engaged in raising pure bred Here- the defendant by Attorney James thru the next time you are in town Meadow Grove Man Will ford cattle and he informed us that P. Marron. he had nine head of bulls at the Being first in the line of suc- been provided for the officials of sale of the North Central Nebraska cession to a throne; first in any the county who are looking after Hereford Breeders Association, sport event; first in a general elec- your business. Any of the county which was held in Valentine last tion, or first in anything in which officials will be glad to show you Saturday. The two top bulls he you engage is always important thru the building. had on sale sold for \$385 each and and as this was the first law suit another sold for \$365. The average ever tried in the new Holt county Will Open Auto Sales received for the nine bulls was temple of justice and home of Holt \$243.95, which was a very good county's various officials, it will be price, considering that several of in a class by itself, not for the imthem were young calves.

#### The Weather High Low March 5 73 33 35 March 6 71 March 7 March 9 March 10 47

#### CARD OF THANKS

A decrease in enrollment of 5.4 to those who assisted us during the J. Svoboda of Verdigre. sickness, death and burial of our beloved husband and father .- Mrs. Fannie Valla and children.

## SUNDAY FOR MRS.

Mrs. Horiskey Dies of Pernicious Anemia After An Illness of Four Years.

make the same comparison on the the records show a total of \$2,969 .- mass, from the Catholic church in carefree days of boyhood. purchase of these supplies with 40 in claims marked "allowed" and this city, of which the deceased was It was here that he grew to man- a petition is in circulation asking other counties in which surveys warrants drawn and paid that a devout member. Rev. P. F. Burke hood and here just a few short his reelection to the position for have been made for the reason that were entirely omitted from the officiating and burial in Calvary days ago Emil was stricken with another term. He will probably cemetery.

In 1929 there are also many dis- Susie McManus was born at of his untimely passing, he being In the Second ward the term of

surrounding country. For the past ing.

### **Court Building Tried** Before Judge Malone

vs. Leo Lear, of Merrick county, him to visit court houses in practic- to 9.90; sows at 8.50 to 9.40. of Nearly \$250.00 A Head Judge Malone fined him \$75 and stood as a monument to the pro- all kinds. R. E. Lucas was in from his costs and he filed notice of appeal. gressiveness of the people of Holt Next auction Tuesday, March 16,

portance of the case but the fact that it was the first case tried to : jury in the new building.

## **Funeral Services**

Charles Cole, Mrs. C. L. Brady, H. their undertaking. V. Rosenkrans and Charles Cole Miss Evelyn Mains, daughter of sang three hymns, "We'll Never Monday morning workmen start- his sister, Mrs. P. J. Biglin and

William Derickson.

#### Emil was stricken with appendi- PETITIONS OUT FOR citis and was at once taken to the Lynch hospital a few days before SUSIE HORISKEY he passed away which was on Saturday evening, at 11 o'clock.

ust 15, 1910, in Knox county, Nebraska, on a farm about seven miles northwest of Verdigris in the Mrs. Susie Horiskey died at her Jelen community. Here was spent home in this city last Friday morn- the early days of his childhood and Tuesday, April 6, and already ing after an illness of about four here he attended school. In 1919 petitions are in circulation for 63,594.96 years, of pernicious anemia, at the at the tender year of nine, together candidates for the various offices. age of 69 years, 7 months and 24 with his mother and foster father, The election this year affects the days. The funeral was held Sun- he went to live on a farm in Holt councilmen in three wards only. In In the years 1912, 1918 and 1929 day morning at 11:30, after late county, and here were spent the the First ward the term of J. P.

appendicitis, which was the cause have no opposition.

and as paid on the claims. Also in the spring of 1890 came with her Surviving and left to mourn his year, expires, and petitions are in The total amount of unpaid bills claims are shown on the Supervis- family to this city, her brothers, passing are his mother, Mrs. Joseph circulation placing him in nominahome in this city last Monday on file for office stationery, assess- or's record as allowed on one fund P. J. and John having come to this Jerabek and foster father, Joseph tion for another term. Petitions In the evening the auditorium morning after a short illness of an ment and election supplies as of while the claims show allowed on city in the spring of 1885. On Oc- Jerabek of Dorsey; his father, An- are also in circulation for John tober 2, 1907, she was united in ton Kripner, Chicago, Ill., and his Alfs to fill the position now held by We are in no wise charging that marriage to Joseph Horiskey, Mr. grandmother, Mrs. Mary Tomasek, Mr. Coyne. McNamara who was quite unaware Wednesday morning from the other counties as compared with there is any fraud in connection Horiskey being engaged in the Verdigris; and a host of other rela-

## ALL MOVED INTO

Furniture for Some Offices Has Not Arrived.

Holt county is the only county Miss Mamie of this city, to mourn new court house. The last two to Dickson and Clerk of the District

pending its arrival.

the building during the past week head, depending on quality. and see the headquarters that have

For Emil Kripner repair shop and salesroom.

farm to devote his entire attention market in this city. A choir consisting of Mrs. O. A. to the automobile game. The Fron-Newman, Mrs. Carl Grant, Mrs. tier wishes the new firm success in

of the west side of Fourth street. and business in South Dakota.

### FOUR MEN SEEKING CITYCOUNCILSEATS

No. 43

Emil Kripner was born on Aug- John Alfs Will Oppose Hugh Coyne In Second Ward. Others Thus Far Have No Opposition.

> City election will be held on Protivinsky expires this spring and

that ward in the council for several

In the Third ward Norb Uhl has been the councilman for the past three years. Petitions are in circulation placing him in nomination. for another term. Petitions are also in circulation asking that the name of Lloyd G. Gillespie, for NEW BUILDING many years a councilman from this ward, be placed on the ballot for

There is still lots of time for candidates to get into the field in the various wards as they have All the county officers are now until ten days before election to file

### Higher In Brisk Demand At Atkinson Sale

Atkinson, Nebr.-Bullish forces governed both the cattle and hog especially during the time since he years, when they moved to O'Neill it is especially difficult to pay its until after the new levy is made in eral years, and had a host of friends ing of the regular spring term of market at Tuesday's auction. One was sent to O'Neill to ease the and she made her home here up to debts and establish itself on a August unless money is on hand among the citizens of this city and district court next Monday morn- of the heaviest runs of cattle, estimated at 450 head, passed thru The law plainly states in Chap- four years she had been confined to The rest of the officers are com- the ring in record time at fully 35 gratulations, Mr. Harmon intro- before his removal to the city. Mrs. plies can hardly be criticized for ter 26-117 Compiled Statutes of her home. But thru the years she fortably installed in their new to 75 cents a hundred higher than duced Francis Myers who touched O'Connor was a splendid woman, not giving the county the low price Nebraska, 1929 "Each warrant was cheerful and uncomplaining, quarters and all the moving was a week ago. All classes shared in the heart of the audience by sing- a kind and affectionate wife and when they have to wait several shall specify the amount levied and her only regret being that she was made without undue inconvenience the days advance. Best beef cows ing Schubert's "Ave Maria" and mother and a devoted member of years for their pay, and yet to con- appropriated to the fund upon such a burden on her brother and to the taxpayers of the county or sold at 6.00 to 7.50; cutters at 3.85 tinue purchasing these supplies at which it is drawn, and the amount sister who gave her loving and the people having business with the to 5.00; canners at 3.15 to 3.50; various offices. Some of the offices stocker and feeders ruled fully 50 when a male chorus, comprised of marks the passing of another of the ket value makes a bad matter It is apparent that warrants drawn The many friends of the family are to have new furniture installed, cents higher with all fair to good about twenty-five men of the parish old time pioneers of the county, still worse and, as we have stated, prior to the time the August levy tender their sympathy to the sor- which has not yet arrived, and yearling steers and steer calves whose ranks are rapidly depleting. greatly handicaps the establishing is made cannot possibly show the rowing relatives in their hour of makeshift equipment is being used selling at 7.00 to 7.90; yearling heifers and heifer calves at 5.50 Hundreds of Holt county taxpay- to 6.25 with reds and roans down ers, as well as people from different to 5.00 and below. Milk cows and parts of the state, have inspected stock cows sold at 40.00 to 61.00 a

and all were loud in their praise of The hog market was a run-away The first law suit to be tried in the beauty of the building, its dur- affair for both fats and stockers. the new court house was tried last ability and convenience. We hap- About 280 head were sold. All fats Monday, March 8, before county pened to be in the building this sold at 9.85 and 9.90, equaling Judge C. J. Malone and a jury. The morning when a gentleman from Omaha top for the same day. Light

law for the transporting of gaso- inspecting the building. He re- ed for horses with a complete clearline by truck. He was tried on two marked that it was a beauty and ance made on the 30 head offered. counts, being acquitted on the first one of the finest structures in the While prices ruled no higher than count and convicted on the second. state, not as large as some but recently, the demand was better for

## **Open Meat Market Here**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry J. Matula and family of Meadow Grove, arrived in the city last Saturday and will make this city their future home. Mr. Matula has rented the building on Douglas street where Medlin & Son operated a meat market for Agency In O'Neill several years, and he will open a Ray Eby and Ralph Beckwith meat market there as soon as the have rented of J. B. Ryan the old building has been renovated and re-Sniggs blacksmith building on east paired. He expects to announce his Douglas street and under the name opening date next week. Mr. and of the E. & B. Motor company will Mrs. Matula are the parents of six handle the Chrysler and Plymouth children, four of whom came here cars, using the building as their with them and a son is a senior in the high school at Meadow Grove Funeral services for Emil Krip- Mr. Eby has been a mechanic in and will not come here until after ner of Dorsey, who died in the a local garage for several years and the close of the school year. An-Lynch hospital, Feb. 27, were held is said to be a good man in his line other daughter is employed at Fairfrom the family home of Dorsey of work. Mr. Beckwith has been field, Io. Mr. Matula has been in Monday afternoon, March 1, and farming northwest of town for sev- the meat business for several years We wish to express our thanks the last rites were in charge of W. eral years, but is retiring from the and he intends to open a first class

> John Dailey, of Winner, S. D., came over last Sunday and will visit here for a couple of weeks with