

Holt Man, 96, Never Ill a Day

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He moved his wife and family to Holt county in 1900, settling 10 miles southeast of Chambers.

"I bought the land kinda cheap from the man who homesteaded it," he explained, "and I never regretted coming to Holt."

The Fauquier became the parents of 6 children. They are: Adelbert Fauquier, of Chambers; Charles C. Fauquier, of Chambers; Mrs. J. F. Coleman, of Woodburn, Ore.; Mrs. A. B. Hubbard, of O'Neill, and Mrs. Margaret L. Elkins, of O'Neill.

One son, Anson Fauquier, died in July, 1949.

Several generations of folks in the Chambers community looked upon a unique friendship between Mr. Fauquier and the late John Lincoln, who died several years ago. Neighbors, they lacked a week of being the same age and regularly celebrated their birthdays together.

About twice a week they visited each other and frequently walked the other home. They talked crops and weather, everything and nothing.

The Fauquier celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1931, and his wife died 6 years later. Since then he has made his home with his children.

Occasionally Mr. Fauquier took time to dig a date out of his mind; once said: "Hold on a minute now, it was (such and such)."

He is a member of the Woodfin lodge, served in 1912 as a member of the Holt county board of supervisors.

But the truly remarkable feature about Mr. Fauquier is the fact he's never been ill.

"I've always been in pretty good health," he says with licensed satisfaction. "Don't remember ever having rheumatism, have never been fleshy."

He likes to have it known that he was useful on the farms with his sons up until the last few years. But, technically, he's been retired for at least 25 or 30 years.

His hair (and there's lots of it) is grey and he wears a well-groomed moustache.

"They say life begins at 40 and I guess that's about right," he confided. "Time really begins to fly then. When I was young there's nothing to it—a year, there's nothing to it—a year."

He likes to retire about 8 o'clock in the evening and sleeps until about 8 in the morning.

"Nothing much to do around here; no hurry about getting up."

Since October, 1948, he has been living with Mrs. Elkins, his daughter, in a new home on O'Neill's north side.

"Father eats 3 good meals every day," Mrs. Elkins said.

"It's kind of a mixed up world now, isn't it?" the grand old man observed. "I heard some woman say the other day it was in a turmoil. That's it—a turmoil."

"Guess maybe we're going to have some trouble yet with those Russians."

This from a man who was too young for the Civil War and too old for the Spanish-American. This also from a man who has packed a lot of livin'—and wisdom—into 96 years.

Visit Elgin—
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dexter and their houseguest, Miss Luella Stalkup, of Ainsworth, were in Elgin Saturday, Sunday they were in Norfolk.

Simonson Post 93 Schedules Card Party—
Simonson post 93 of the American Legion has scheduled a card party for Sunday evening, March 5, at the Legion ballroom here.

Spokesmen for the post said the public is invited. The party is slated to get started promptly at 8:30 and a 50 cent-per-plate lunch will be served by the women's auxiliary during the evening.

CARDS FINISH WITH VICTORY

St. Mary's Bounces Past Spalding, 42-29, Friday

Coach Jack Arbuthnot's St. Mary's academy Cardinals Friday night wound up season's play with a decisive 42-29 victory over Spalding academy. The contest was played on the Spalding court.

A last half surge by the Cards proved the deciding factor. It was the seventh win against two losses for the 1949-50 case season. This 11-2 record is exclusive of tournament play.

In the Friday night fray, Spalding academy got the drop on the St. Mary's kids as they counted 7 markers to 6 for the visitors. However, Pat Hickey and Jack Gatz rimmed 10 of 14 points in the second stanza to send the Cardinals and White out in front at halftime, 20-18.

In resuming play for the second half, the kids on the hill continued along the point-making path while their hosts lost the scoring touch. Shorty Miles Hickey and Johnny Uhl barnstormed the hoop to give the Cardinals their first real margin of the contest by then end of the third period. The count was: St. Mary's 30, Spalding 23.

Final canto scoring for Spalding was limited to 5 points as the Cards hustled to insure the victory. Hickey, Miles and Uhl again paced the victory-bound cards in the final stanza.

Hickey, the ace point-making Card forward, ripped the net for 14 points as he wrapped up the high scoring laurels for the evening. Snodgrass, Spalding academy's stellar point maker, potted 5 buckets and a pair of charities for 12 points, the best for the host team.

Boxscore:
SPALDING (29) fg ft pf tp
Galvin, f 1 1-3 5 3
Snodgrass, f 5 2-2 5 12
Glessinger, c 0 0-1 0 0
Flanigan, c 0 1-5 4 1
Mallander, g 1 3-5 4 5
Fox, g 2 4-7 4 8
Totals 9 11-23 22 29

ST. M. (42) fg ft pf tp
Miles, f 3 2-9 4 8
Wills, f 2 0-0 2 4
Hickey, f 6 2-2 5 14
Mangan, g 0 0-1 4 0
Goward, c 0 0-0 0 0
Gatz, c 2 2-7 5 7
Uhl, g 3 3-8 1 9
Totals 16 10-27 21 42

To Court in Boyd—
J. D. Cronin, Judge D. R. Mounts and Ted McElaney attended court in Butte Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Gerdes were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bettenhausen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Riffey and children were guests at the J. C. Davis home in Atkinson Sunday.

O'NEILL BAGS WIN FROM INMAN

Eagles Down Bright's Crew, 42-39, As Rally Fails

In winding up the regular season's docket of scheduled games Friday night, O'Neill high edged Inman, 42-39. The fracas was staged on the O'Neill floor, with a good crowd of fans attending.

Coach Howie Dean's cagers were in the drivers seat throughout the game they led at the end of every quarter.

Both clubs cracked the scoring whip sharply during the initial period. When the first quarter buzzer sounded, O'Neill had jumped to a 16-10 lead. Stevens and Sholes showed the way for the initial period scoring assault for the Inman club. Paring the Eagle's first quarter attack was Don Godel and Ted Lindberg.

However, the hot pace was abandoned during the second stanza as both quintets settled to a "convenient" attack. Coach Darel Bright's kids bucketed 7 markers and the O'Neill lads rimmed 10. The count as the teams went to the locker rooms for the intermission rest period stood at: O'Neill 26, Inman 17.

Third and fourth period scoring saw the visiting "5" outscore the cold Eagles by 6 points. Hartigan in the Inman slot man was able to work around and finally began hitting. He racked up 7 of the 9 third period points.

The Eagles warded off the tardy Inman rally to hold on for the win. Inman poured through 13 points in the last quarter, while the Eagles hit for 10.

Even though Godel went out of the game via the foul route late in the game, he bagged high scoring laurels with 13 points. Hartigan of Inman, hit for a 12-point total.

In the prelim event, the Inman seconds dropped the O'Neill reserves, 20-18. Lines of Inman, and Eby, of O'Neill, shared the high pointmaking honors as east potted 7 counters.

Boxscore of the main event:
O'NEILL (42) fg ft pf tp
Godel, f 6 1-2 5 13

Calkins, f 3 1-1 1 7
Lindberg, R. f 0 0-0 0 0
Lindberg, T. c 4 2-3 3 10
Layh, g 3 1-3 5 7
Wagnon, g 2 1-3 0 5

Totals 18 6-12 16 42
INMAN (39) fg ft pf tp
Sobotka, f 1 0-1 1 2
Stevens, f 2 5-8 1 9
Nielsen, H. f 0 1-1 0 1
Moore, f 1 0-4 0 2
Hartigan, c 5 1-4 3 12
Sholes, g 4 1-1 3 9
Morsback, g 2 1-2 1 5

Totals 15 9-21 9 39
Technical foul: Moore.

Class 'C' Cage Tourney Starts

ATKINSON — Annual class "C" cage tournament got underway here Monday night at the Atkinson gym before an overflow house of Holt county fans attended.

Favored clubs—St. Joseph's, of Atkinson, St. Mary's of O'Neill, and Stuart—advanced to the quarter finals of the tourney here Monday night by dropping Ewing, Chambers and Atkinson, respectively.

Stuart 30, Atkinson 16
The favored Stuart Broncos romped to an easy victory over Atkinson high school, 30-16, in the opener of the tournament. The Broncos held the advantage throughout the contest and were never endangered.

St. Mary's 31, Chambers 22
Coach Jack Arbuthnot's Cardinals, tournament dark horse, dropped the Chambers Coyotes, 31-22, in the second contest Monday evening to advance to quarter final play.

Pat Hickey paced the Cards to the second tournament victory over Coach Les Eckdahl's Coyotes, as he swished 11 points. The Cards killed Chambers in the finals of the Holt county tournament in the latter part of January.

However, the Chambers quintet was not the fireball team they were when they hit the Holt county tourney. The St. Mary's "5" limited the south Holt team to a lone fielder during the first half. While the Coyotes could garner only one bucket, the Cards piled up a 17-6 halftime advantage.

During the third quarter the Cards stretched their lead to 14 points. The score going into the final period was: St. Mary's 23, Chambers 9. A fourth period spurt by Eckdahl's lads netted 13 points but time ran out. Grimes, a Chambers guard, copped the high point honors with a quartet of buckets and charities for a 12-point total.

St. Joseph's 42, Ewing 38
Tournament favorite St. Joseph's, of Atkinson, briefly during first round play, had the wind taken out of their highly touted sails by the Ewing Tigers. The Tigers worked hard and held a slight advantage through 2½ quarters of the opening round main event.

But Coach Louis Wewal's undefeated Josies came around in the final quarter just in time to cop the victory.

First round byes were issued to Springview, Orchard, Butte, Spencer and Lynch.

SECOND ROUND . . .
Second round tourney games got underway here Tuesday night as Stuart handily defeated Orchard 42-29 and a highly polished Boyd county champion, Butte downed Spencer 45-38.

O'NEILL HOSPITAL NOTES
Admissions: February 22—Mrs. George Cameron, of Chambers, medical, condition "improved." 23—Baby Jimmy Troshynski, of O'Neill, minor surgery. 24—Mrs. Lyle Vequist, of O'Neill; Mrs. June Angel, of Spencer; 25—Mrs. Orval Hartland, of Niobrara. 26—Mrs. Harold Green, of Bartlett; Kenneth Moore, of Inman, medical, condition "improved." 27—Mrs. Lyle Addison, of Atkinson; Mrs. A. E. Derickson, of Dorsey, medical, condition "improved." 28—Mrs. Glen Lorenz, of Ewing, medical, March 1—Mrs. Edward B. Gormason, of Chambers, medical, condition "good." Lois Anderson, of O'Neill, medical, condition "improved."

Still in hospital: Mrs. Bridget Carr, of O'Neill, condition "poor."
Dismissals: February 23—Mrs. George Cameron, of Chambers; Baby Jimmy Troshynski, of O'Neill. 27—Kenneth Moore, of Inman; Mrs. Rudolph Johnson, of O'Neill.

Mrs. T. M. Harrington, Mrs. Stanley Soukup, Mrs. Robert Cook and Mrs. H. O. Russ attended the funeral of Mrs. A. Marcellus Monday afternoon at Neligh.

Former Holt Resident Dies

BUTTE — Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. from the Community church here Thursday, February 23, for Mrs. Geo. Krikac, 57, a former Holt county resident. Rev. L. M. Hovda conducted the funeral services and burial was in the Butte cemetery.

Mrs. Krikac died at a hospital in Lynch Monday, February 20, after an extended illness.

Born Ethelyn Belle Bradstreet November 4, 1892, on a farm north of O'Neill, she moved with the family to Lynch during 1903. In 1910 the family moved to Butte, where she graduated from the Butte high school. She taught school in the Butte community for 2 years.

On April 6, 1915, she married George Krikac in Butte and to them two daughters were born.

The late Mrs. Krikac was a member of the Butte community church, past president of the Butte Ladies Aid and secretary of the Bernice chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include: widower; daughters—Mrs. Harold (Marjorie) Borden, of Tecumseh, and Wilma, of Lincoln; a brother and sister and 4 grandchildren.

O'NEILL LOCALS
Mrs. Paul Schultz and Mrs. R. E. Chase, of Atkinson, came down Friday to get little Rosemary Chace, who had been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hammond while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Chase and the Wilsons went to New Orleans for the Mardi Gras. The Chases and Wilsons returned Sunday.

Clarence Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hicks and Mrs. Mildred Honke, of Omaha, attended the funeral of a relative in Butte.

Miss Vivian Nelson, of Sarles, N. D., is a houseguest this week at the C. E. Melena home.

Bert De Groff was called to Burwell to the home of his sister's.

500 Farmers Attend John Deere Day

Two O'Neill implement dealers are entertaining the farm and rural residents on different occasions.

The Lloyd Collins implement company, of O'Neill, played host Wednesday to 500 farmers at the annual John Deere day. The event was held at the American Legion auditorium here and got started at noon with a free lunch.

The film "Roots in the Soil," was shown. In addition the film "What's New in John Deere Farm Equipment" and other new interesting and education films were seen by the farmers during the afternoon.

Saturday, March 4, the Shelhamer Oil and Equipment company, of O'Neill, will entertain at a free family party of entertainment beginning at 2 p.m. at the O'Neill high school auditorium.

Scheduled to participate in the big entertaining show are: Virgil Hummer, banjoist extraordinary; Chuck McCauley, juggler and bag punching; Ruwe and Looey, ventriloquist and comedian and Barbara Kelly, singing, top dancing and acrobatics.

Moves in Page Community Listed—
PAGE — A number of moves took place March 1 in the Page community.

Among them:
Mr. and Mrs. Junior Sorenson are moving to the Lowell Murphy farm; Mr. and Mrs. James Finley to the Gailord Albright farm; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Asher to the H. F. Rakow farm, vacated by James Finley; Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Finley to the Mrs. Helen Knudson farm; Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Kennedy to the J. M. Kennedy farm, vacated by La Verne Finley; Mr. and Mrs. George Wetlaufer to Ernest Bronkhorst farm; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Asher to the old Strube farm, which he bought; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stauffer to the farm vacated by George Wetlaufer and owned by Edgar Stauffer.

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Majestic trees, beautiful evergreens and shrubbery, a nice lawn, over 300 feet of cement sidewalks, give it a charming and restful setting.

THE FURNITURE
Solid oak dining set, buffet, table and 12 chairs. Antique cherry oak bedroom suite of bed, dresser and chest of drawers. 3 brass rail beds complete with springs and mattresses, 2 oak dressers, 1 vanity, 7 rugs, 3-piece oak living room set of divan, chair and rocker, leather couch, 4 oak rockers, writing desk, apartment size electric range, cupboards and other utensils.

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21 HEAD OF CATTLE—15 Head of Steer Calves; Two Milk Cows; Two 2-year-old Heifers, freshen soon; Shorthorn Cow, fresh three weeks; Shorthorn Cow, fresh two months.
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