

Must Be Calm Before Storm

It must be the calm before the storm. At least that's the only feasible explanation for the California-like weather in the O'Neill region during the past week. There has been sunshine—and lots of it—practically every day the past week. On Monday the mercury mounted to 55 degrees. There has been no precipitation during the past seven days. Summary, based on 24-hour periods ending at 6 p. m., daily, follows:

	Hi	Lo
January 3	39	12
January 4	31	10
January 5	24	5
January 6	21	9
January 7	32	10
January 8	55	10
January 9	42	21

Athletes Hurt in Car-Truck Smash

Two O'Neill high school athletes, Don Calkins and Don Godel, were treated at O'Neill hospital late Wednesday for injuries suffered in a car-truck crash. The accident occurred about 4:30 p. m. on a residential intersection one block south of Grattan township library. Robert Allendorfer was driver of the bread truck and Calkins the driver of the passenger car. The car was badly smashed. Calkins complained of a bruised leg and Godel said his back hurt. Both were released following treatment. Both are members of O'Neill's undefeated basketball team—Godel being the team's high scorer.

Robins Spotted: First or Last?

Four O'Neill Boy Scouts reported Friday to The Frontier they had spotted robins while skating on the Elkhorn river at the south edge of the city. They were asked: "Are they (the robins) the first to venture north for 1951 or are they 1950 stragglers going south?" The boys shrugged their shoulders and said they didn't know. The reporters: Bill Malloy, Paul Fetrow, Fred Fetrow and Dick Davis.

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Convalesces at Daughter's Home—
REDBIRD—Mrs. Myrtle Pickering, who was injured in an auto accident with her son, Claude, several weeks ago between Redbird and Lynch, is convalescing at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, near Spencer. Following the accident she was taken to the Lynch hospital.

High Egg Market Forecast for Year

District 4 of the Nebraska Poultry Improvement association held its annual meeting at the Uncle Remus cafe in Norfolk last Thursday. Officers elected for the year are: Henry E. Walz, of Battle Creek, president; Leo Eicheid, of Elgin, vice-president, and William Kirby, secretary. The chief topic for discussion was the outlook for poultry in Nebraska next year. Taking into consideration the low storage holdings and the improvement in the quality of Nebraska eggs, general optimism was expressed by all hatcherymen, according to James M. Corkle, O'Neill hatcheryman, who was present. In addition, the number of hens on farms are down 5 percent from last year. These facts should add up to a relatively high egg market through the spring and winter months, Corkle declared.

3 Members Lead Discussions

The Beautiful Valley club met with Mrs. Peggy Smith Tuesday evening, January 2. Thirteen members were present. It was decided to start our meetings at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock until May. We voted to buy a handbook on flower shows. Mrs. Lavern Harley was appointed chairman for the junior garden club. Mrs. Cora Thompson gave an interesting lesson on growing plants in water. Mrs. Esther Atkinson discussed house plants and Mrs. Chloe Adams talked on keeping cut flowers fresh. A lunch was served by the hostess. Our next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wayne Farrier February 6 at 7:30 p. m. — By club reporter.

Witness Microwave Demonstration

Persons who attended the Parent-Teachers' association monthly meeting Monday night at the O'Neill public school witnessed a microwave transmission demonstration. The demonstration was staged by a member of the engineering staff of the Northwestern Bell Telephone company.

Royal Neighbors At Page Install

PAGE—The Royal Neighbors camp held an installation of officers Wednesday evening, January 3, with Mrs. Margaret Kelly as installing officer and Mrs. Eva Lamason as ceremonial marshal. New officers are: Mrs. Margaret Kelly, oracle; Mrs. Vivian Steinberg, vice-oracle; Mrs. Elsie Cork, recorder; Mrs. Neva Buxton, marshal; Mrs. Leona Smith, inner sentinel; Mrs. Hester Edmisten, manager, one year; Mrs. Mary Michaelson, musician; Mrs. Faye Taylor, courage; Mrs. Emma Dorr, unselfishness; Mrs. Elizabeth Matschullat, flag bearer. Mrs. Minnie Park, past oracle; Mrs. Mellie Kelly, chancellor; Mrs. Pauline Nissen, receiver; Mrs. Verna Walker, assistant marshal; Mrs. Cora Gray, outer sentinel; Mrs. Frieda Asher, manager, three years; Mrs. Eva Lamason, faith; Mrs. Marjorie Russell, modesty; Mrs. Esther Simmon, endurance; Mrs. Evelyn Gray, captain of degree staff. A covered dish luncheon was served.

Other Page News

Carl Backus returned to his home at North Platte Thursday, December 28, after spending Christmas with his grandmother, Mrs. Hester Edmisten.

Rev. Roy Wingate, of Merriam; Mrs. Eva Murten, of Blair, and Mrs. C. A. Townsend were New Year's day dinner guests at the J. I. Gray home.

Miss Audrey Braddock entertained the following guests at a slumber party Thursday night, December 28: Misses Lorna Stevens, Nancy Heiss, Dianne Fusselman, Ruth Parks and Lavon Albright.

Holly Hoffman, of Clearwater, spent the New Year's day with her aunt and uncle, Miss Lavonne Albright and Sterling Albright.

Mesdames Anton Nissen, Hester Edmisten and Elsie Cork played canasta at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Gray Saturday evening, December 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Farenholz and family, of Chambers, spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Edmisten and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fusselman, Joy Lou and Shirley, of Albion, visited Wednesday night, a n d Thursday, December 27 and 28, at the home of the former's brother, Floyd Fusselman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Park, Genele and Ronald spent several days last week in Omaha. While there they attended the showing of the new Plymouth cars and Mrs. Park consulted an eye specialist. Enroute home they visited relatives at Carroll.

Mrs. Bob Anderson and son, of Denver, Colo., are making an extended visit at the Dick Woods home. Mrs. Anderson is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Woods.

Miss Viola Haynes, Mrs. Alton Braddock and Miss Marie Heiss were Sioux City visitors Thursday, December 28. Mrs. Leonard Heiss accompanied them to Plainview where she spent the day at the Lowell Murphy home.

Mrs. Dick Woods and children went to Polk Thursday, December 28, where she visited her father, Henry Cramer, and other relatives. On Sunday, December 31, she met Mr. Woods at Central City and they all returned to Page.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Palmer, of Norfolk, spent Sunday, December 31, with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Townsend. They were afternoon callers at the home of Mrs. Palmer's sister, Mrs. L. B. Taylor. Mrs. Townsend, who had spent several days at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chmeler, at Norfolk, returned home.

Miss Audrey Braddock entertained the following guests at a party Saturday evening, December 30: Misses Nancy Heiss, Lorna Stevens, Diana Fusselman, Genele Park and Lavonne Albright, Arnot and Dick Buxton, Darrell Heiss, Norman Trowbridge, Jerry Asher, Duane Sukup, Melvin Albright, Maurice Waring and Gene Braddock. Evening spent with games and cards. A lunch was served.

Mrs. Alta Lockman and daughters, Mrs. Gardner Gill, and sons and Mrs. Hahn Olday, of Stuart, were Thursday, December 28, visitors at the Rollie Snell home.

Mrs. Kenneth Braddock and Audrey took Melvin Albright to Central City Sunday evening, December 30, where he met Mr. Braddock and accompanied him on a trucking trip to California.

CHURCH NOTES

(Other notes on page 3.)
COMMUNITY (Stuart)
Rev. Orin Graff, pastor
Unified service, 10 a. m., every Sunday.
Sermon, Sunday, January 14: "No Balm in Gilead."—Jeremiah 8.

The congregational meeting has been changed from January 8 to January 14. Miss Laura MacEachlan, India missionary, will show motion pictures of her work at this meeting beginning at 7 o'clock. Sunday-school children are urged to come and see these pictures and will be dismissed at 8 o'clock if they do not wish to stay for the congregational meeting.

The choir will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Yarges for rehearsal tonight (Thursday), 7 o'clock.

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STUART NEWS

Mary Ellen Gillette, of Chambers, visited with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cobb, and family over the January 5-7 week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wedge and Patty, of Atkinson, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Shearer Sunday afternoon, January 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fawcett and children, of Denver, Colo., Miss Agnes Hytrek, of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shearer and Mary Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Clement Murphy and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Murphy Saturday evening, January 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sebasta and family moved to Mitchell, S. D., last week.

Mrs. Wesley Cobb entertained eight girls with a party in honor of her daughter, Carolyn's birthday anniversary on Thursday evening, January 4.

Mrs. Geo. Keidel, of the Sand-creek community, entertained the junior high boys' and junior high girls' Sunday-school classes of the Community church with a party at her home on Saturday afternoon, January 6. Mrs. Wesley Cobb, Mrs. Walter Smith, jr., and Mrs. Berlin Mitchell furnished cars to take the 21 boys and girls out to Mrs. Keidel's home.

Star Volleyball—
STUART—The girls' volleyball practice began on Thursday afternoon, January 4. There were 36 of the high school girls out for the first practice.

Scouts Need New Committeeman

Field Executive Ernie A. Endsworth, of Stuart, will meet with Chamber of Commerce officials and adults interested in Boy Scouting in O'Neill at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, January 14, at the Holt county district courtroom. Endsforth appeared at the Tuesday, January 9, monthly meeting of the Chamber and appealed for more support for the Scout movement in O'Neill.

A successor will be found for M. E. ("Jake") Jacobson, who has served as chairman of the Chambers' Scout committee.

Jacobson explained that Scouting in O'Neill is at the "crossroads" and new interest and new blood is needed to perpetuate the work. Fathers of boys of Scouting age are urged and expected to be present, Jacobson said.

Fifteen were present at Tuesday's luncheon meeting of the Chamber at Slat's cafe.

Clarence Ernst spoke briefly regarding activities of the Holt county soil conservation district.

Bartlett Defeats Chambers, 31-27—
CHAMBERS—Wheeler county high school (Bartlett) defeated the Chambers Coyotes, 21-27, Friday night in a cage thriller. Butts and Jarman, with 10 points each, shared spring laurels for the losers.

Mrs. Cole Is Martez Hostess—
The Martez and Delta Dek clubs were entertained Tuesday evening by Mrs. Guy Cole, of Emmet. After dinner at the M&M they played cards at the Legion clubrooms. Winners were Mrs. Mabel McKenna, Mrs. Mabel Gatz, Mrs. Ira Moss and Mrs. Edward Campbell. The all-cut was won by Mrs. William J. Biglin.

Visit Sioux City—
PAGE—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Heiss, Nancy and Larry and DeLores Kemper drove to Sioux City last week. Mr. and Mrs. Heiss remained there until Friday before returning home. Mr. Heiss submitted to a minor operation. The others returned home Thursday with Miss Viola Haynes.

HOSPITALIZED
PAGE—Jesse Bolin, of Lincoln, has spent almost three weeks in the Veterans hospital following an attack of bronchial pneumonia. The Bolins formerly lived at Page and have relatives and friends here.

Students Visit—
STUART—Miss Connie Thorpe, of Crete, visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dodd and Lowell. Miss Thorpe and Lowell returned to Crete Saturday where they attend Doane college.

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