



Highway crew members watch the Elkhorn river bridge east of O'Neill. Shown above are David McClintok and Myrl Cady of Ainsworth and Paul Biner, Inman, with the flag. Frontier photo and engraving.

Orchard Couple Observe Golden Wedding Sunday

ORCHARD—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bradstreet observed their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, May 8 in a quiet manner. The family attended church services at the Evangelical United Brethren church and then went to O'Neill where the couple were honored at a 1 o'clock dinner.

The table was decorated in gold and white and other decorations in keeping with the 50th wedding scheme. A decorated cake centered the table.

Howard E. Bradstreet and Helen Williams were married May 10, 1910 at the home of the bride's parents at Lynch. The couple lived at Lynch two years and then moved to Spencer where they remained for 30 years. They resided at Butte for four years while Mr. Bradstreet was county judge and later lived at Gregory, S. D., for five years before moving to Orchard in 1949 where they have since made their home.

Mr. Bradstreet is a barber by trade. Mr. and Mrs. Bradstreet are the parents of four sons and a daughter. They are Harlan of Garden Grove, Calif.; Forest of Whittier, Calif.; Keith of Massena, Ia.; Robert of San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. T. E. (Frieda) Keeffe of Spencer. They have 5 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Bradstreet is a member of the Masonic lodge and both are members of the Order of Eastern Star and are active in both church and civic affairs.

Twenty-three were present for the anniversary dinner, including the honorees, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bradstreet, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Bradstreet, a son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bradstreet and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Keeffe, son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sieder of Butte (Mrs. Sieder and Mr. Bradstreet are sister and brother); George Krikac of Butte; two nieces, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oxenhard of Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baden of Tecumseh and Rev. and Mrs. Duane Lenz, Nancy, David and Steven.

The couple received many congratulations and gifts.

Rural School Visits Norfolk

Mrs. Lois Miner and her pupils went to Norfolk Saturday afternoon to visit the Norfolk Daily School. They were accompanied by Mrs. Dillmont Ericson and Korene of Elgin and Mrs. Percy Upton and Steve of Madison for a tour of town.

Their first stop was the Taka Green House where each pupil was given a plant. Other places of interest included a visit to the Chamber of Commerce rooms, the laundry, police station where they were shown a hand-cuffed, the Norfolk Daily School where they watched the Saturday edition come off the press.

The museum claimed its share of their interest and they made Mother's Day purchases at the Darling Green House where each pupil was given a plant. A ride in an elevator was fun and the trip home with the teacher for a slumber party concluded the day.

The annual school picnic was held at Wait Fick schoolhouse which was the end-of-the-school-year event. Mrs. Miner will teach the school again next year.

Rev. Embree Attends Area Conferences

Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Embree returned Monday evening after attending a minister's cabinet meeting in Grand Island Saturday. He held the morning worship service at Ponca and the fourth quarterly conference there that evening. Sunday afternoon they attended a pre-conference briefing meeting at Allen.

Quarterly conferences were held Monday afternoon at Homer and in the evening at Dakota City.

Cardinals Win Fremont K. C. Track Meet

O'Neill's SMA cardinals won the Knights of Columbus track meet held at Fremont Saturday after Columbus St. Bonaventure was disqualified for using an illegal sprinter.

The Cardinals collected about 36 points for the win. Actual to computation has been made since Columbus was disqualified.

Atkinson St. Joseph finished 4th on the fine performance of Tom Schaaf who collected 19 points for wins in the high jump and broad jump.

Gene Shoemaker, SMA, set a new meet record in the pole vault when he crossed the bar at 10'3". Other individual area winners are as follows: 120 high hurdles—Jim Shoemaker, SMA, 1st; Gene Shoemaker, SMA, 4th; Hynes, SMA, 5th, 880 dash—Schaaf, St. Joe, 2nd, 180 lows hurdles—Hynes, SMA, 3rd, 440 dash—Spitzenberger, SMA, 5th, 220 dash—Jim Shoemaker, SMA, 2nd, 880 relay—SMA, 5th, Mile relay—SMA, 2nd, Shot—Hummel, St. Joe, 3rd; Kamphaus, SMA, 5th, Discus—Higgins, SMA, 2nd; Schaaf, St. Joe, 3rd; Judge, St. Joe, 4th.

Vault—Gene Shoemaker, SMA, 1st, High jump—Schaaf, St. Joe, 1st; Peters, SMA, tied at 2nd, 3rd and 4th, Schaaf also set a record in their event.

Broad jump—Schaaf, St. Joe. The Holt county invitational track meet will be held here Monday afternoon and night.

Academy Sisters Win Science Scholarships

Ash Grovers Presented Plays Sunday Night

Members of the Ash Grove auxiliary sponsored an entertainment Sunday night featured two one act comedies with musical numbers between plays.

The one act play, "Date With Baby Sue" typified an American family under circumstances calling for alibi for parents as well as for the children.

The second play, "Hill Billy Sue," finds Sue playing the part of Cupid well, but she also found herself successful in winning an impressive business man for Hill Billy Sue.

Bobby Frank and Janet Rudloff sang "Sweet Nothin's" and "Start Movin'" and Marlene Soucek presented several acrobatic numbers. Bobby Frank played a guitar solo "Bull Dog."

A capacity crowd attended the affair. The auxiliary cleared \$120 from the sale of pie, kolaches and coffee.

Mrs. Bill Dufek and Mrs. Marvin Johnson were chairman of the entertainment and serving committees.

O'Neill Locals

'Cinderella Ball' at Inman Saturday

Carolyn Reimers and Bert Smith reigned Saturday night as king and queen in Inman at the Inman high school junior senior banquet and prom.

The theme of "Cinderella Ball" was carried out in the two events with decorations in red, yellow and purple royal colors. Participating in the banquet program were Karen Brown, Lyle Gilgoly, Mr. Miller, senior class sponsor, Mary Morsbach, Keith Kivitt and Mrs. Spann, junior class sponsor.

Gary Fick, junior class president, was master of ceremonies. The crowning took place at the prom, following the banquet. The royal couple were escorted to their thrones by Conda Couch and Phillip Breiner, juniors and crownbearer's Linda Butterfield and Timmy Gallagher, both kindergartners.

The gymnasium was decorated to resemble a royal court featuring Cinderella's coach, shields and alcoholic pictures and a huge crown suspended from the ceiling.

Music was furnished by the Orchard "Rockets." Servers for the banquet were Sharon Michaelis, Ruth Ann Hansen, Barbara Kell, Bob Pribil, Leslie Breiner and Bob Morrow. Serving punch were Janet Gallagher, Carol Gaughenbaugh and Becky Boschult.

both of O'Neill; Barry Heiss of Page, 9—Mrs. William Fernau of Butte, 10—Orville Siedelar and Mrs. James Champion, both of O'Neill; Mrs. Robert Pruden of Page; James Hiatt of Lynch, 11—Bobby Ray Johnson of Bristow.

DISMISSED—Apr. 4—Mrs. Edward Flood, Mrs. James Cavanaugh and Miss Lynette Helmicks, all of O'Neill. Mrs. Wynne Baldwin and William Kipple, both of Inman; George Roby and George Latzel, both of Ewing; Mrs. Wilbur Miller of Spencer, 5—Mrs. Myra Fairbanks of Inman; Mrs. Kelly Myers of Stuart; Mrs. Lloyd Ruback and Arlo Hiatt, both of O'Neill; Mrs. Mary Boltz of Spencer, 6—Leisa Lyons of Orchard; Ed Eggen of Page; Vickie Engel and baby girl of Ewing; Mrs. Phillip Haverkamp and baby boy and Miss Lynette Helmicks, all of O'Neill, 7—Leonard Parkinson, Larry Gumm and Andrew Wetlaufer, all of O'Neill, 8—Ivan Johnson of Spencer; Willis Russ of Page, 9—George Sedacek of Spencer; Mrs. Elmer Alder and baby boy of Emmet, 10—Kathryn Ruback of Chambers; Mrs. Louis O. Wray of O'Neill; Mrs. Mary Stewart and Barry Heiss, both of Page.

Little Leaguers Win Two

O'Neill Little League teams went into action May 6 and behind some fine pitching, have racked up a couple of victories.

West O'Neill downed Lynch 9-0 on the 1 hit pitching of Troshynski and the home run of Ronnie Riley. The Little Leaguers collected 12 hits off the losing pitcher, Stuart.

East O'Neill stopped Stuart 21-10 when Credit turned in a 4-hit pitching stint. The losing pitcher, Givens, allowed 14 hits while both teams gave up a number of walks.

In other Little League action Atkinson downed Emmet 3-2 in an extra inning game.

'Warbride' Reunited With English Father

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Members of the Page Little League defeated the Ewing team by the score of 13 to 3 on the Page diamond Monday afternoon.

Hugh Troshynski, manager, was not able to be present so Lloyd Cork managed the team.

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Lion's To Give Rodeo Trophy

The Lion's club nominating committee has submitted a list of nominations for election of officers May 25 with Rev. A. S. Gedwillo nominated for president.

Other nominations are Dale Wilson, first vice president; Tom Cronin, second vice president; Joe Stutz, secretary treasurer; Milton Baack, and Robert Pappenheimer, directors; Gil Poese, tall twister and John Enke, lion tamer.

The election meeting on May 25 will be at 12 noon at the Town House. Nominations can be made from the floor then.

The Lion's club members told of plans at Wednesday's meeting to present a traveling trophy to a commercial float entry in this year's rodeo parade. The trophy must be won by the same organization three times for permanent possession.

More Floods Hit Holt After Recent Rains

Flood waters again surged down the Elkhorn over the weekend in the wake of Wednesday and Thursday rains. A number of bridges were washed out making the 1960 spring the worst in amount of damage done for the last several years.

Both the bridge east of O'Neill on highway 275-20 and the bridge south of O'Neill on 281 were threatened, but neither bridge went out. The 275-20 bridge was damaged considerably though and the east approach to the bridge required planing to keep it in serviceable condition. Highway men were stationed at all bridges at lookouts in case the bridges did go out.

The bridge on the gravel road between Inman and Page was washed out. At Clearwater the road south of the river bridge was flooded and the road was impassable.

A car driven by Roger Lange dropped into one of the washouts and Lange was forced to wade icy waters breast deep to safety. His car, a 1954 model, was left to soak in the swirling mess and was still there Monday.

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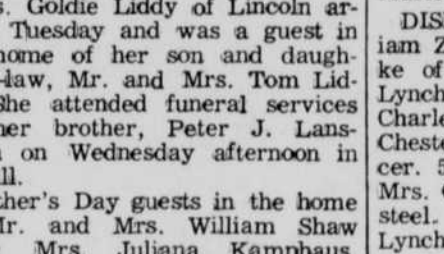
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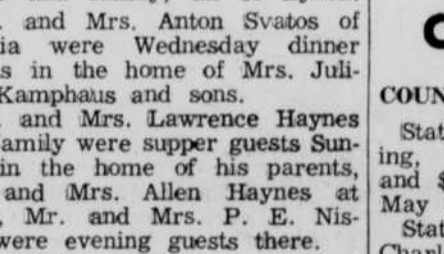
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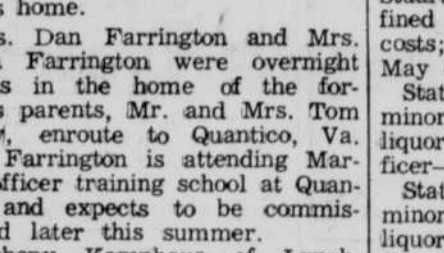
Perhaps the largest group ever to visit the Frontier is shown above. They are, left to right, front row, David and Darlene Lewis, David Klana, Anella Mashek, Donita Mashek, Kathleen Keller, Mary Jo Keller and Steven Hartsock. Second row, Linda Adams, Le Anne Lewis, Susan Keller, Nickle Keller, Marjory Lewis, Phyllis Hartsock. Third row, Bill Adams, Leo Lampman, Margaret Hartsock and Audrey McNair. Fourth row, Billy Lampman, John Jamber, Teacher Irene C. Stenger, Carole Keller and Connie Adams. Frontier photo and engraving.



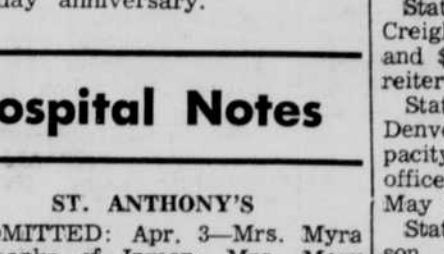
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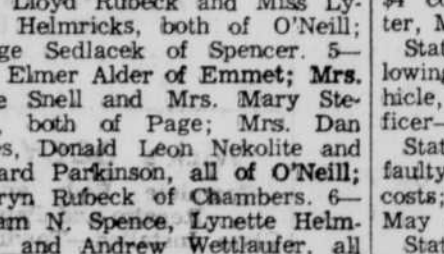
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