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Seven Cents

Services Held Saturday for Delia Ernst

Funeral services for Mrs. Delia Ernst, 85, wife of the late Jake Ernst were held Saturday morning, Dec. 22 at 10 a.m. from St. Patrick's church, with the Rev. O'Donnell, Emmet, officiating. Burial was in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Biglins. Pallbearers were Elwin Grutsch, Fred Ernst, George Curran, Bernie Kennedy, Beryl Waldo and Art Doolittle.

Delia Curran was born October 22, 1877 at Peoria, Ill., to Thomas and Mary Curran and died December 19 in Wichita,

Both her parents were natives of Ireland. In 1885 she moved with her family to Amelia from Humphrey, where they lived in a sod house for several years. She married Jake Ernst at O'-Neill on May 4, 1894 and to this

They set up housekeeping on a farm 16 miles northwest of O'-Neill where they lived until they retired in 1937 and moved to Her children, Floyd, Charles

union three children were born.

and Gertrude Shipman preceded her in death Survivors include granddaugh-

ter, Mrs. Evelyn Weeks, Redling. Calif., brother, James Curran, O'-Neill, sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Marcellus, O'Neill, and Mrs. Clair Conners, Broadwater, Nebr., and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lela Ernst, Wichita, Kan.

Spencer Youths Take Part in Teen Convention

LYNCH - Sharon Christensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Christensen, Lynch, and John Seiler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seiler, Spencer, are dele-gates to the Youth for Christ Capitol Teen Convention in Washington, D. C., Dec. 27 to 29. Their trip is being made possible by their parents and the Boyd County Youth for Christ Organization.

Jean Mulhair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mulhair, is also attending. Her trip is being made possible by her parents and members of the First Methodist church of Lynch.

Former Celia **Resident Dies** In Oregon

Word was received by relatives Thursday morning of the death of Mrs. LaMont Spalding, 62, Yoncalla, Ore. Death was due to a heart ailment which she had had the past few years. Amalia Frickel was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Frickel sr. She was born in Russia and came to America with her parents when about 5 years old.

She grew to adulthood in the

Celia Community. She moved to

the West Coast, where she married Clare LaMont Spalding. Survivors include her husband: four brothers, Alex, Herman, Conrad and Victor Frickel, all of Atkinson; five sisters, Mrs. Byrl Beck, Mrs. LeRoy Hoffman, Mrs. George Syfie, all of Atkinson; Mrs. Bennett Smith, Butte; and Mrs. Allen Marquardt, Norfolk. Funeral services will be held in Atkinson.

New Coach Named

At Inman High School Inman High School has hired Jerry Hughes, Geneva, to teach mathematics, industrial arts and coach the basketball team and direct the physical education program. Hughes was graduated Thursday, Dec. 20, at Wayne State Teachers College.

Entries Close Soon In Coloring Contest

Hurry up kids, time is growing short for you to enter the annual Frontier Coloring Con-

In this issue merchants are wishing everyone a "Happy New Year" by placing advertisements in the paper. You are asked to color or paint with water paints any holiday greetings in this week's or last week's

The contest will be divided into two divisions, primary through the second grade and the third through the fourth grades. This newspaper will award cash prizes, first prize being five dollars and second prize, three dollars.

All entries must be returned to the Frontier office by Dec. 29 and the prize winners will be announced next week, Judging will be based on neatness and originality of color combina-

Three Accidents Reported Here **During Week**

Three car accidents were reported to O'Neill police the past week. On December 22 a car owned by Donald Park was struck on the right side as it was parked at 216 South Sixth street. Driver of the other auto was Donald L. Schommer. Considerable damage was done to the right side and door of the Park Auto. The Schommer car was damaged about the front end.

December 24 about 1:45 p.m. car owned by Donald Botsford was struck on the right side as it was parked on East Davis street by a car driven by Marilyn Passieux. The right front door of the Botsford car was damaged and the left rear fender of the Passieux was damaged.

Cars driven by Edward Pierson, North Platte and Donald vandersnick, Ewing, collided on East Everett street Monday afternoon causing minor damage.

Former Amelia **Woman Dies** At Watertown

ATKINSON - Word received by friends of Mrs. Julia White. formerly of the Amelia community report the death of her son-inlaw, Frank Braddock at a Watertown, S. D. hospital Sunday eve-

Mr. Braddock had been in failing health for some time. His death was due to a heart attack. He was about 60 years old. Survivors include his widow, Al-

ta, who has been a teacher in the school for retarded children Watertown for the past 17

Mrs. Julia White has been making her home with the Braddocks. Funeral services were held Thursday at Philip, S. D. Interment was in the Philip Cemetery.

Hildreth's Grandson Is Injured in Fall

VERDIGRE - Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hildreth, Verdigre, recently received word that Larry, 13year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hildreth, Houston, Tex., was seriously injured when he fell from a tree while playing.

He received a chest puncture which required 17 stitches to close, but the boy's lung was not injured. Larry is a grandson of the Verligre Hildreths. The Hildreth family of Texas formerly lived at Omaha.

OPEN HOUSE FOR THE ADDITION to the Town House Inn will be held Saturday and Sunday

from 2-5 p.m., Don Denbeck announced this week. Free coffee and doughnuts along with free prizes

will be effered to visitors. The recently completed motel portion of the inn will be open for public inspec-

tion during the open house. For further details see ad in this issue of the Frontier.



THIRTY-TWO PERSONS SIGNED THE GUEST book Sunday at open house held for Mrs. Della "Grandma" Bowden at the Mrs. Andrew Wettlaufer home in O'Neill. Shown here with Mrs. Bowden are her two daughters and two granddaughters-in-law. They are left to right: Mrs. Kenneth Wettlaufer, granddaughter-in-law; Mrs. Andrew Wettlaufer, daughter; Mrs. Myrtle Spangler, daughter; Mrs. George Wettlaufer, granddaughter-in-law. Mrs. Bowden was 98 years old Christmas day.

Rites Planned Here Today for Office To Close for Mrs. M. Whaley New Year Holiday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Whaley, 63, will be held today from St. Patrick's church at 10:30 a.m. with Father Kucera, officiating. Burial will be at Prospect Hill cemetery.

Mary Louise Weber, daughter of Peter and Susan Mick Weber, was born December 15, 1899 at Atkinson and died Dec. 24 at

On April 17, 1917, she married Peter Hansen and they became the parents of seven children. He

She married Clarence Whaley on June 12, 1953, he died in 1953. Survivors include daughters, Mrs. Lloyd (Catharine) Spence, Columbus, Mrs. Dick (Margaret) Timmerman, Hastings, Mrs. Robert (Anna) Ferris, Inman, Mrs. Elia (Della) Timmerman, Hastings, Mrs. Albert (Rose) Garhet, York, son, Edwin (Bud) Hansen, Enterprise, Kan, sister, Mrs. Joe (Elizabeth) Disterhaupt, Atkinson and brother, Peter Weber, jr., O'-

A daughter, Mrs. Claude Neal preceded her in death.

Eagles Garner Fourth Win; Hill Nets 26

O'Neill led all the way in their fourth straight victory. Rich Hill scored 26 points for the Eagles and Terry Kurtz netted 13 points. The losers were led by Ken Claussen with 20 points and Herm Groethe had 10.

Coach Don Kokrda's crew led by 16 points in the final quarter before a flurry of fouls and miscues brought the home team Balers to within nine points. OHS reserves won 46-40 with Larry Kurgman and Charley Hill sharing top scoring honors for the winners with nine points a-

Advertisers and correspondents are reminded that copy should be in the Frontier office early next week to insure pub-

The office will be closed Tuesday for the New Year holiday but the Frontier will be published Wednesday as usual.

Therefore copy that has been ordinarily submitted on Tuesday must be in the office Monday morning because our work week will be one day short.

Spencer Tourney Opens Tuesday

The Spencer Invitational tournament will be held at Spencer Community hall on January 1, 2, 4, and 5. On Tuesday night at p.m. Spencer will meet O'Neill St Mary's followed at 8:30 by Butte taking on Naper.

Lynch will meet Orchard on Wednesday night for the opening game and Stuart and St. Joe's of Atkinson will tangle for the

The winner of the Butte-Naper game will meet the champions of the Stuart-St. Joe game Friday night at 7 p.m. followed by the winners of the Spencer- St. Mary's, Lynch-Orchard games.

The championship game will be played Saturday at 8:30 preceded by the consolation game at

Cornerstone for **New Convent is** Laid at Atkinson

ATKINSON - Ceremonies for the laying of the cornerstone of the new convent were held at 11 a.m. Friday concluding with 11:30 mass in the church.

Included in the ceremony of blessing and laying the cornerstone was a choral reading of the Magnificat of the Blessed Virgin Mary by the students of St. Joseph's high school.

The convent will be the residence of the nine nuns wo teach in St. Joseph's school. It is located on land which is part of a large area which was leveled west of the rectory and church. The main floor contains a chapel, parlor, community room, dining room, cook's quarters and the kitchen. The upper floor has eight individual sleeping quarters

and a central bath. The unit is nearing completion and is expected to be ready for occupancy soon.

Claims Jump Title From 20,000 Feet

ATKINSON - Bill Blake, Great Falls, Mont., and a nephew of Mrs. Frank Skrdla, Atkinson, was lauded a hero recently when he captured the annual "Birdman of America" title with a parachute jump of 20,000 feet, a record breaking performance.

Mr. Blake was recently elected president of the West Side Kiwanis club in Great Falls.

Local Hospital Notes

ST. ANTHONY'S

ADMITTED: Dec. 18 - Laurie Kloppenborg, Emmet and Merwyn Parks, O'Neill. 19 - Melvin Myer, O'Neill, John Brunckhorst, Page and Mavis Thompson, O'-Neill. 20 - Mrs. John D. Conard, Emmet, Mrs. Leo Wiseman, Page, Floyd Ritts, Emmet, Herman DeGroff and Mrs. Calvin E. Coolidge, both of O'Neill and Mrs. Wayne Pollock, Ewing. 21 Mrs. John M. Gallagher and Mrs. Don Enright, O'Neill. 22 — Barton Walton, O'Neill and Mrs. Jessie Cronk, Page. 23 - Hans Sass, O'Neill. 24 - Glen Jungbluth, Chambers. 25 - Deborah Rotherham, Ewing, 26 - Mrs. Ramon

DISMISSED: Francis Anderl, Inman and Mary Beth Summers. Bartlett. 19 - Lauri Kloppenborg, Emmet, Mrs. Donald Schneider and son, O'Neill, Mrs. Donavan Angel and daughter, Spencer, and Mrs. Robert Shoemaker. O'Neill. 20 - Mrs. Alma Tegeler, Page. 21 - Mrs. Gertrude Dew, Newport, Mrs. John Far-rier, Chambers, Floyd Ritts, Emmet and Herman DeGroff, O'-Neill. 22 - Gus Timmerman, Melvin Myer, Merwyn Parks, Mrs. Max Grenier and Mrs. Letta Conrad, all of O'Neill and Roy Rees, Bartlett. 23 - John P. Riley and Mrs. John M. Gallagher, O'Neill, Mrs. Leo Wiseman, Page and Mrs. John Conard, Emmet.

24 - Mavis Thompson, Mrs. Don Enright and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge all of O'Neill, Mrs. Wayne Pollock and daughter, Ewing and John Dankert, Chambers.

ATKINSON MEMORIAL ADMITTED: Dec. 17 - Donald Clemens of Amelia. 18 - Mrs. Mary Babl of Stuart; Cheri Lee Paddock of Atkinson and Mrs. Leo Bonenberger of Bassett, 20 Mrs. Richard McConnell of Amelia and Mrs. John Flannery of Atkinson, 21 - Mrs. Richard Pallas, Mrs. Frank Svoboda, Mrs. Ferne Livingston and Mrs. Donald Walton of Atkinson and Mrs. Lloyd Oakley of Sppooner, Wis. 22 — Mrs. Fred Dobrovolny of Bassett; George Frohardt and Frank Bigelow of Atkinson, 23 —

Mrs. Jim Jarman of Chambers. DISMISSED: Dec. 17 - Patricia Lee Frahm of Amelia. 18 Mrs. Wilmer West and James Rockford of Atkinson, 19 -Dan Scott of Atkinson and Mrs. Alice Henning of Kelso, Wash. 21 - Cheri Paddock and Mrs. John Flannery of Atkinson, 22 - Mrs. Emil Johnson and Mrs. Donald Walton of Atkinson; Mrs. Leo Bonenberger and baby of Bassett and Mrs. Lloyd Oakley of Spooner, Wisc. 23 - Mrs. Frank Svoboda and George Frohardt of At-

EXPIRED: Dec. 21 - Ed Reinheimer of Stuart.

Merchants Offer Prizes in Frontier's First Baby Contest to present him with one pair of

Claranna Witherwax Joins Frontier Staff

Mrs. Ray Witherwax has return to the Frontier family after being gone for the past two years. Claranna, who has been with her husband while he was in the army, has recently returned to O'Neill and is back at work at this office.

Ray is now employed with Pinkerman's TV and they are living at Gibson's Trailer Court.

Cards Take Win From Bronchos **After Slow Start**

After a slow start the Cards threw their fast break into high gear during the second quarter and poured in 21 points to break the game wide open. At one point during this period the alert Cardinal defense intercepted six straigh bronco passes. The Cards continued to maintain their scoring pace during the second half, with nine men entering the scoring column.

Owen Donohoe paced the St. Mary's outfit with 18 counters, with Bill Coventry adding 14 points to the cause in his first game after becoming eligible for varsity competition.

Jerry Donohoe teamed with Owen and Coventry to dominate the boards while Mike Hammond's and Norman Mudloff's floor play and ball handling on the payoff end of the fast break kept the crowd well entertained. Again as in their earlier games it was the Cards hustle and ex-

tra effort that allowed them dominate he game. The Cardinal reserves won squeaker 31-29.

Gillogly Buys **Davis Station**

INMAN - Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gillogly have recently purchased the Davis Oil Station from Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Davis left the first part of the week to spend Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. Jim Bridges at Fremont, after which they will spend the winter in Florida and Arizona.

Lyle Gillogly, Grand Island, will be in partnership with his father after the first of the year. He has been employed as an assistant manager of Kaugmann's department store in Grand Island for the past year.

Orchard Man Is Injured in **Grinder Mishap**

Ralph Shrader, farmer living southwest of Orchard, was severinjured about three o'clock Wednesday afternoon when his right leg became caught in some machinery while he was grinding feed. He was alone at the time at another farm he operates. He managed to free himself, crawl to the house and call his wife at the home place. She called for help and Ralph was taken to the Tilden hospital in the Hamilton ambulance.

It was necessary to remove the injured foot and amputation was made between the ankle and

Court News

Dec. 20 - Don Schaaf, Stuart,

night speeding, fined \$15 and \$4 night speeding, mied J. Fiala. costs; officer — Donald J. Fiala.

Dec. 20 - Earl C. Storjohann,

Spencer, night speeding, fined \$15 and \$4 costs; officer — Donald J.

Dec. 21 - Kenneth E. McNair,

Dec. 21 - William E. Gibbs,

Dec. 24 - Elroy D. Hickel,

Ray, N. D., night speeding, fined \$15 and \$4 costs; officer — E. M.

Lyle Keith Scranton, 19, Plain-

view and Georgetta Mae Clyde,

Ralph Kaup, 19, Atkinson, and

Ronald Richard Brion, 19, Ew-

and Patricia Josephine

Connie Moeller, 17, Atkinson, Dec

Ewing, day speeding, fined \$15

and \$4 costs; officer - E. M.

O'Neill, speeding in city limits, fined \$10 and \$4 costs; officer -

County Court-

John S. Havelka.

17, O'Neill, Dec. 20.

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again as Father Time ticks off the final minutes until the new year. Midnight, Dec. 31, will not only mark the beginning of the new year but the start of the Frontier's 17th annual First Baby Derby. Leading O'Neill firms are going to go all out again this year to

provide the lucky little fellow, or girl as the case may be, with gifts to start the new year off right.

The baby must be born within the confines of Holt County, and to be eligible, the parents must fill out the entry blank and forward it to the First Baby Editor, The Frontier, O'-

The official entry blank, contest rules and a complete description of the shower gifts appear in the pages of this issue. The M and M Bakery will roll out the red carpet for the parents of the winner as they treat them to a steak dinner in their establishment. Patton's Ben Frankin will present the winner with one dozen Curity diapers, Johnson Drug will present the champ with a \$5 gift certificate redemable on the purchase of any item the parents may choose. To keep the first-comer happy and well fed the Outlaw store will present him with one case of Gerber's baby food. Janzing's King Koin Launderette will give the parents a \$5 cleaning certificate to be used for either washing or dry cleaning. Safeway will help keep the young fellow's cupboard full as they present him with a case of baby food. McDonald's have one dozen diapers waiting for the lucky newcomer

Saturday Night **Closing Gets** Committee OK

and Lee Stores are just waiting

Most O'Neill businesses will be closed Saturday nights during January and February, beginning

Retail trade committee members Monday approved recommendations of a mail vote taken of Chamber of Commerce members which showed returns heavily in favor of closing Saturday nights during the first two months of the year.

Of 154 cards sent to Chamber members, 55 were returned with the vote showing 24 in favor of closing, 16 favoring staying open and 15 indicating it would make no difference. Nearly two-thirds of the cards were not returned. Committee members present at the meeting were Joe Stutz, Bill McIntosh, John Enke, Leonard Longstaff, Frank McKenny, Winnie Barger, Bill Meyer, Bill Richardson and Bob Pappenhei-

Social Security Man Due Here January 2

Gail Robart, field representative of the Norfolk social security office will be in the basement of the Court House Annex in O'-Neill from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 2. Any self-employed applicant

should bring with him a com-

plete copy of his 1962 income tax return, the cancelled check showing payment of the tax and proof of his age.

And, in case the proud dad has

to offer treats to his friends, the Merri Dr. Pepper bottling company is offering one case of pop. So the proud parents and grandparents will have pictures to remember him by, the O'Neili Photo Company will present them with one dozen three by five photos, mounted. Devoy Rexall drug are waiting to help do their part in keeping the winner happy by providing a bottle warmer for him. Just so he will be well dressed, McIntosh Jewelry has set aside a 10 karat gold baby ring for that special baby.

Meadow Gold Dairy is also waiting to present the champ with a case of fresh Meadow Gold milk. McCarvilles clothing are saving a pair of Red Goose shoes for the lucky fellow and Meyer's Midwest Furniture have a \$5 certificate goond of the purchase of a crib or high

Coyne Hardware will present the champ with a safe, sturdy Polyethylene baby bath and since we want him to be presentable at all times Penney's will present the first baby with one dozen toddlertime diapers.

Harding cream will welcome the first born in '63 by presenting his parents with five pounds Harding butter, made right here in O'Neill, and Gambles will present the baby derby winner with a hardwood nursery training

And last, but not least, to the parents of the first baby contest the Frontier will present a one year subscription to The Frontier. Winners of the Holt county first baby contest since it was first inaugurated in 1947 include

Kathleen Wanser 4 a.m., January 1, 1947

Nancy Elaine Harschfield 6:35 a.m., January 1, 1948 James Michael Beha 7 a.m., January 1, 1949

David Lynn Tracy 1 a.m., January 1, 1950 Betty Jean Knoell

9:10 a.m. January 7, 1951 Linda Lee Tolbert 11:59 a.m., January 4, 1952 Randy Joseph Schaaf

5:25 a.m., January 1, 1953 1954 David Wilbur Trowbridge 3:11 a.m., January 1, 1954

Diane Fay Scripter 12:10 a.m., January 1, 1955 Douglas Lynn and Daniel Leon

Frahm 10 a.m., January 3, 1956 1957 Kathleen Marie Blake 7:50 a.m., January 3, 1957 Cynthia Marie Syfie

4:15 a.m., January 3, 1958 Lee Ann Welke 3 p.m., January 1, 1959 Kevin Roy Klabenes 8:58 p.m., January 1

1961 Kip Eugene Martin 6:30 a.m. January 2, 1961 Shirley Gail Rockford 6:35 a.m. January 2

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Please enter my subscription to The Frontier for one year, to be delivered by mail. I enclose: \$2.50 (in Nebraska), \$3.00 (out-

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Happy New Year to All from The Entire Frontier Staff!