



Mr. and Mrs. John M. Grutsch... he was born in Canada; she was born in a sodhouse north of O'Neill.—The Frontier Photo.

Retired Farm Pair in Golden Wedding

Mrs. Vincent Jehorek Dies Unexpectedly

Stricken at Her Home Watching TV

LYNCH—Mrs. Vincent Jehorek, 66, was stricken with a heart attack late Wednesday, March 25, at Assumption Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic church in Lynch with Rev. Charles Kamber, church pastor, officiating.

The couple moved onto the present farm, located 1 1/2 miles northwest of town, in 1911. The Jehoreks made a trip to California in December. Mrs. Jehorek had suffered a heart ailment for a number of years and had been in failing health about a year.

5 Offices at Stake in Muni Election

O'Neillites will go to the polls Tuesday, April 2, to vote on three city councilmen and two members of the O'Neill city school board of education.

Voters in the First ward (north of Everett and east of Fourth) will cast their ballots at the court house basement; Second ward (north of Everett and west of Fourth), youth center; Third ward (south of Everett), city hall. Polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Candidates for the two-year council vacancies are: First ward—M. J. Golden, incumbent, and Allan Van Vleck. Second ward—Dr. E. M. Gleason and C. R. ("Russ") Foree. Third ward—Ray Lawrence and Fred Heerman (incumbent).

Mrs. Walter Ourt Expires at Stuart

STUART—Mrs. Walter (Alda) Ourt, 71, a Stuart resident who had been in poor health about five years, died about 8 a. m., Wednesday, March 27, at her home. She had been seriously ill about a month.

Stroke Fatal to Grandma Davidson

Five Sons Served in Two World Wars; Dies in Hospital

Mrs. James Davidson, 84, who had been a Holt county resident since 1876, died Friday evening, March 22, in St. Anthony's hospital after a 12-day illness. She suffered a paralytic stroke on Tuesday, March 12 at her home in the southern part of the city and was taken to the hospital.



Mrs. Davidson... named "Auxiliary Mother" in state.

in New York state on March 27, 1872. When a small child the family moved to Ames, Ia., where her father worked as a farm caretaker at Iowa State (agricultural) college.

When she was 11 she moved with her family onto a homestead in the Joy neighborhood, 11 miles north of O'Neill. Her education was acquired in the rural schools near her home.

As a child in New York state, Mrs. Davidson was baptized in Mrs. Danish Lutheran church. She became a member of Simonson Unit 93, American Legion auxiliary of O'Neill, in 1942, with eligibility established by the service of five sons in two world wars.

In 1949 she was selected by the state auxiliary as Nebraska's auxiliary mother—at that time having 31 descendants who were members of the American Legion and the auxiliary.

Following the regular routine business, Mrs. Anthony gave a report on the result of the first polo shots. But let's go back to the beginning of the story.

January 28 the club voted a community-wide contest for a polo shot for the club to work on this year. A prize of \$5 was posted for the best idea. These suggestions were read and judged by the club members at the February meeting.

On Friday, March 15, a caravan of cars went to Orchard and 95 children and six young adults received polo immunization.

The group plans to go back on Friday, April 5, for the second shots, and sometime next November the program will be completed.

Friday, March 29: Mrs. Eva Backhaus of Amelia; residence and lots in Amelia. Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer.



A first aid class being taught in O'Neill by Mrs. Claire Engdahl, RN, will have two more sessions before the class finishes the American Red Cross course. Proper care of broken arms is being demonstrated above: Seated—Mrs. Robert Tomlinson and Mrs. Laura Wright; standing—Mrs. Dale Revel, Mrs. Engdahl and Mrs. Elmer Juracek. Forty women have been participating in the course.—The Frontier Photo.

They're 'Homes Away-from-Home' Describes ARC Activity Centers

(Another photo on page 10.) Holt county's 1957 American Red Cross quota has been set at \$2,297—approximately the same as last year.

Kickoff banquet was held Tuesday evening at the Town House and 50 persons representing all communities in the county attended.

Kenneth Waring of O'Neill, Holt county clerk, was elected chairman of the Holt chapter; Harry E. Ressel and James R. Lyons, both of O'Neill, vice chairmen; A. P. Jaszowski of O'Neill, secretary, and J. B. Grady of O'Neill, treasurer.

Among the community chairmen already named are: Atkin—Mrs. Fred Dunn; Chambers—John W. Walters; Ewing—Mrs. James Pruden; Emmet—Mrs. Georgia McGinnis; Inman—Mrs. James McMahan; Page—Mrs. J. R. Russell; Stuart—to be announced; Amelia—to be announced.

Miss Birmingham Reports Highlight of the annual meeting was a first-hand report on ARC activities abroad presented by Miss Mary Louise ("Lui") Birmingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Birmingham of O'Neill.

Last month she was recalled from Nancy, France, on emergency leave because of the illness of her father. At Nancy, about 200 miles east of Paris, she has been serving as assistant center director.

Five Dollar Idea Develops 95 Adults, 6 Others Get Needle

INMAN — The Inman Community club met Monday evening, March 25, at the assembly room of the school, for a contest—of which there were eight—were written on the blackboard and numbered. It was decided to vote on all eight—then continue voting until one idea got a majority.

She received the \$5 prize, but generously declined to accept the money, saying she would leave it in the club treasury to help defray expenses of the project.

Committee Named The club then voted that the chairman appoint a committee of three, with Mrs. Anthony as chairman to promote the idea.

Within a few days a survey had been made and it was found there were in the neighborhood of one hundred children and young adults who had not received polo shots.

S. Alan Rouse, director, division of poliomyelitis, state department of health, was contacted and the club was informed that any civic-minded, non-profit organization or group could sponsor a poliomyelitis immunization clinic if a local physician was willing to cooperate and give the injections.

The Anthony family had previously received polo shots from Dr. W. G. Fletcher of Orchard. He was contacted and he said he would be "happy to help out" and give the shots free of charge.

Mother of 5 Dies After Long Illness

Shoemaker Rites Are Held Tuesday

Death claimed the life of Mrs. Leonard G. Shoemaker, 42, well-known O'Neill woman and mother of five young children, at 4:30 a. m., Friday, March 22, in St. Anthony's hospital. She suffered of cancer and had been ill six months.

Requiem high mass was said at 10 a. m., Tuesday, March 26, at St. Patrick's Catholic church with Very Rev. Timothy O'Sullivan, church pastor, officiating. Burial was in Calvary cemetery.

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Clyde E. Hiatt, 69, Expires at Home

Clyde E. Hiatt, 69, lifelong resident of Holt county, died at 11:55 a. m., Wednesday, March 27, at his residence, 120 South Madison st. He had been ill six months.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed. Rites will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic church with Very Rev. Timothy O'Sullivan, church pastor, officiating. Biglin's will be in charge of arrangements.

The late Clyde Ellsworth Hiatt was born January 30, 1888, at Emmet, a son of the late Morton E. Hiatt and Amanda Endress Hiatt.

He was reared on a farm nine miles southwest of here and attended rural school in the Marling district. For a short time he attended business college in Lincoln.

On June 12, 1912, at St. Patrick's church here he was united in marriage with Catherine Frances Slattery of O'Neill. They became the parents of two children.

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Auction Calendar

Friday, March 29: Mrs. Eva Backhaus of Amelia; residence and lots in Amelia. Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer.

Monday, April 8: Rudolph and Della Johnson, 14 miles north of O'Neill on U. S. highway 261 and two miles east; 640-acre improved Holt county stock and grain farm, including eight-room dwelling; other good improvements; 26 head of dairy cattle; complete line of machinery; also household goods. Lester Pearson of Spencer and M. Larson of Anoka, auctioneers; O'Neill National bank, clerk. (Details on page 11.)

Friday, April 12: Mrs. Leta Miles of Dorsey will offer a 320-acre improved farm and an 80-acre unimproved tract at auction; also the personal property belonging to the estate of her late husband, H. H. Miles; Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer; real estate broker; O'Neill National Bank clerk. (Details in next issue.)

Yarges Rites Are Held At Stuart

Well-Known Woman Dies At 57 After Lingerin Illness

STUART—Mrs. Ora R. Yarges, 57, well-known Holt county farm woman and veteran librarian at Stuart, died at 2 a. m., Sunday, March 24, in Atkinson Memorial hospital. She had been hospitalized since December 31, 1956.

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Jury Finds Wheeler Countyans Guilty

A jury Monday found three Wheeler countyans guilty on three counts in Holt county court. The charges involved violation of motor truck laws.

Norman and Opal Grothe and Donald R. Fritz, all of Bartlett, were defendants. The action grew out of weight of grain cargo.

They were fined \$50 on an over-capacity plate charge; \$200 on an over-driving axle count, and \$300 on an over-trailing axle charge. The charges were filed by state weighing station employees. In addition the court costs amounted to \$50.60 and \$6 in sheriff's fees. Grain dealers involved were subpoenaed of the hearing and the jury was out 30 minutes before reaching the verdict.

The fines and costs were not immediately paid, but the trio promised the court the money would be forthcoming "in a few days".

Meanwhile, Fritz was charged on still another count, over weight on axle. He was fined \$80 and paid up.

WEATHER SUMMARY table with columns for date and temperature ranges (Hi Lo Pr.).