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WOODMAN CIRCLE DISTRICT MEETING HELD SATURDAY

Sessions Held At I. O. O. F. Hall Afternoon and Evening, and Banquet at the Hotel.

A successful meeting of district No. 6 of the Woodman Circle was held here in the I. O. O. F. hall Saturday, June 19, regardless of the intensive heat.

The afternoon meeting opened with the seating of district officers and the introduction of national and state officers. This session was presided over by Mrs. Julia Graves, president. The invocation was given by Rev. H. D. Johnson, pastor of the Presbyterian church. City Attorney Emmett Harmon gave the address of welcome and upon the request of Mayor Kersenbrock turned the entire city of O'Neill over to the visitors for the day. Mrs. Margaret Riemers, district vice president, of Norfolk, responded.

A welcome on behalf of Emerald Grove No. 128, was extended by Mrs. Clara B. Miles, state president.

The business of the lodge was then taken up interspersed with interesting numbers. New district officers elected for the following year are as follows:

Margaret Riemers, Norfolk, president; Silvia Simpkins, Neligh, vice president; Gladys Tenbrisk, Norfolk, secretary; Flora Jones, Plainview, treasurer; Mae Holcomb, O'Neill, chaplain; Eva Belders, Pender, junior counselor; Mrs. Sidney Anderson, inner sentinel; Auditors—No. 1, Anna Dekert, Neligh; No. 2, Helen Moore, Neligh; No. 3, Minnie Anderson, Pender; Beryl Winchell, O'Neill, captain; Joyce Price, Norfolk, musician.

The Larocca Talley guards of Omaha, captained by Emma Pleasants, played an important part in the initiation of district officers.

Talks were given by Mrs. Florence H. Jensen, national regional director, and Mrs. Stella Callahan, Scottsbluff, state secretary.

Miss Abbie Holden of Omaha, assistant to the national president and state vice president, spoke interestingly on the Woodman Circle Home and the Mary E. Larocca educational fund, in place of Mrs. Ethel Holway, national treasurer, who was unable to be present. A good will offering was taken for the home in Texas.

The afternoon session closed with an invitation to district No. 6 to make Norfolk the convention city for 1938, which was accepted.

Much credit is given to the junior orchestra of Grove 128 for their fine music during the banquet at the Golden hotel. After the banquet the Larocca Talley guards, a well trained team, put on a military drill on the streets for the entertainment of the public. The O'Neill band furnished the music.

There was quite a crowd present at the I. O. O. F. hall in the evening where the program was opened with Mrs. Clara B. Miles as mistress of ceremonies. The O'Neill guards assisted in the receiving of guests and the junior drill team had charge of the junior graduation. There were five graduates, one from O'Neill, Elizabeth Graves.

Musical and instrumental numbers by Mary Miles, Keith Vincent, Howard Graves, Elizabeth Graves and Geraldine Yarnall were well received by the audience.

Mrs. Florence H. Jensen had charge of the installation of the new district officers. She was assisted by the O'Neill drill team.

The meeting closed with a grand march, the Omaha team leading, followed by the O'Neill adult and junior teams.

Midway Carnival

The street carnival at Midway Friday, June 18, sponsored by the Ladies' Aid society of Paddock community, was a success in every way. The temporary amphitheater with a seating capacity of two hundred, proved inadequate for the crowd. The entertainment began with a kitenball game between Gamble's team and Midway boys, the score being 9 to 13 in favor of Gamble's. This was followed by the parade, several acts, interspersed with singing and dancing numbers.

The grounds presented a real carnival appearance, electric lights

being furnished by the Midway plant. Ballyhoo and barker were very much in evidence. Candy, pop, gum and ice cream cones all were sold. Lively entertainment and an appreciative audience all combined to make an enjoyable evening.

R. M. Sauer, speaker of the evening, congratulated the community on its social activities and suggested a better co-operation between country and town people.

The Aid Society wishes to thank the organizations and individuals who so kindly assisted on the program. Also they appreciate the support of the public shown by the large attendance.

Heavy Run of Cattle At Atkinson Depressed the Price; Hogs Are Steady

Atkinson, Neb., June 22.—A flood of cattle—the largest since last fall—slightly over 1400 head were sold at the local market here last Tuesday. While the bulk of the offering was made up of fat cows and fleshy heifers it contained a liberal sprinkling of good quality stocker and feeder steers. Increased runs of cows at all markets this week has depressed the price from 25 to in instances 65 cents a hundred from the best time, but at that cows are still bringing a lot of money and local ranchers are availing themselves of a good market to clean up their herds. The steer, calf and heifer market looked equally as good as the best of last week.

Representative sales:

Good and Choice ..... 7.50 to 8.75 Fair to good ..... 6.00 to 7.00 Common kinds ..... 4.50 to 5.50 Best steer calves ..... 7.50 to 8.50 Best heifer calves ..... 6.50 to 7.50 Common calves ..... 5.00 to 6.00 Best feeding heifers ..... 6.50 to 8.00 Heavy heifers, choice ..... 6.50 to 8.00 Choice cows ..... 6.50 to 7.50 Good cows ..... 5.00 to 6.00 Canners and cutters ..... 3.50 to 4.75 Bulls ..... 4.75 to 6.50

The hog run was light with only 175 head on sale. The demand was brisk and prices fully steady with a week ago. Top 10.70; bulk at 10.50 to 10.65; fat sows at 9.65 to 10.00; wet sows at 9.00 to 9.50; pigs all weights at 9.50 to 14.10.

About 25 horses were offered at prices unchanged from a week ago. Demand was best for a cheap horse that looked like a days work.

Next auction, Tuesday, June 29, beginning at 12:30 p. m.

Loius Defeats Braddock

A colored man is again the champion puglist of the world, Joe Louis, Detroit negro, winning the title from Jim Braddock at Chicago last Tuesday night with a knockout in the eighth round. It was a vicious fight, both men slugging from the start of the gong. Braddock's two years absence from the ring was a real deterrent to him as he was a poor judge of distance and time and repeatedly missed swings that might have meant a different ending to the fight. As it was Braddock was badly beaten, but he has a real fighting heart and took more punishment than any champion in recent years.

The Weather

It has been very hot in this section the past week. Tuesday the thermometer climbed to 102 degrees and Wednesday went up to 107, the record for the year so far. It cooled off some last night but the thermometer is climbing again today but it will hardly reach 100. Plenty hot and dry.

Table with 3 columns: Date, High, Low, Mois. June 17: 88, 59, 59. June 18: 89, 70, 60. June 19: 94, 63, 61. June 20: 92, 64, 62. June 21: 94, 63, 63. June 22: 102, 64, 64. June 23: 107, 79, 65.

CARD OF THANKS

Neighbors and friends were very kind to us during the illness and following the death of our beloved wife and mother, the late Mrs. G. P. Simpson, and to those friends we desire to express our heartfelt appreciation for their many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy. Especially do we wish to express our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Horn and Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Peters. Your kindness to us in our hour of sorrow will ever be held in grateful remembrance.—G. P. Simpson and family.

L. E. Downey, Local C. B. & Q. Agent, Gets A Nice Promotion

L. E. Downey, who has been station agent for the Burlington railroad in this city for the past fifteen years, has received a very substantial promotion being given the position of agent for the company at Hastings, Nebr., the third largest station of the Burlington in Nebraska.

Mr. Downey has been on the Burlington City-O'Neill line of the Burlington for 27 years, the last fifteen in this city.

At Hastings the agent has a force of twelve men under him, it being on the main line of the road from Chicago to Denver and it carries a very substantial increase in salary. Mr. Downey is now loading his household goods preparatory to shipping them to Hastings and he expects to leave for his new home next Tuesday. Mr. Downey has many friends in this city and surrounding territory who extend congratulations on his promotion and wish him prosperity and happiness in his new home.

Mrs. Sylvia Spar Dies After A Years Illness

Mrs. Sylvia Spar died at her home southeast of Page last Monday morning at 12:10 a. m., after an illness of about one year, of Anemia, at the age of 55 years, 9 months and 23 days. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial in the Enterprising cemetery at Venus, the Methodist minister from Orchard officiating.

Sylvia Inez Cronk was born near Page, Neb., on August 27, 1881, and had been a resident of Holt and adjoining county of Antelope all her life. She grew to womanhood on her fathers farm near Page, and on December 28, 1910, she was united in marriage to Francis Spar. Three children were born of this union, one son and two daughters, who with her husband, three brothers and one sister are left to mourn the passing of a kind, affectionate and indulgent wife, mother and sister. The children are: Mrs. Hazel Maynard, Orchard; Mrs. Mable Butterfield, Verdigris; Clark Spar, Orchard. The brothers are: Fred, Jud and Charles Cronk of Page, and her sister, Mrs. Roy Wilson of Page. In addition to her immediate relatives she leaves a large number of friends in eastern Holt and western Antelope counties to mourn the passing of one who always was a genuine neighbor and friend.

Arthur Storz Boosts Buying of Nebraska's Products by Nebraska

Nebraska can add thousands of dollars to its wealth every week by buying Nebraska-made goods, declares Arthur Storz, executive of an Omaha brewery. Every dollar spent for eastern goods goes back east, where it cannot return into circulation in Nebraska. Why then, he asks, should Nebraskan's export money when it is needed to stimulate our prosperity here at home.

A Nebraska dollar spent for Nebraska goods is used by the manufacturer to pay wages to Nebraskans and to buy materials in Nebraska. Local merchants, grocers, and every other Nebraska business eventually benefits by the transaction. But when the dollar is sent east it is gone. It pays no Nebraska wages. It cannot be spent again with other Nebraska business.

Using his own business as an example he points out that Storz Beer is as good beer as is made anywhere in the United States. There is no reason why eastern beer should be bought here. Most people do buy Storz, he says, but still there are thousands of dollars leaving the state continually because some people forget how much they help their own state by buying Nebraska beer.

Storz is not only one of the state's largest taxpayers and employers of Nebraska labor, it is also a good customer of many other Nebraska business concerns. Storz makes it a point to buy from Nebraskans.

Mr. Storz says money travels in circles. Bill Jones spends it with Joe Smith, who spends it with Bob Brown, and so on until everyone benefits. The circle is broken only

when someone shoots it off to another state so far away it cannot get back into the state where it started.

O'Neill Postoffice Moved To New Modern Building

Patrons of the O'Neill postoffice were greeted with empty boxes when they visited the postoffice Wednesday morning, the office having been moved during the night to the modern new structure, a half block north. It was a jam in the new office as very few of the patrons had supplied themselves with keys to their boxes and were unable to get their mail, until they had visited the cashiers office, made the necessary deposit of 20 cents per key to gain access to the boxes. But their wants were soon supplied and by early afternoon business was going along as usual.

The new office is modern in every respect, supplied with all new furniture and a large and well lighted room for the postal employees. Postoffice boxes are all supplied with Yale locks, there being about 450 boxes at the present time, and more can be added later if necessity demands. Postal employees are a little slow at present in delivering mail as they do not know the location of the boxes, but within a few days service will be as prompt as usual. It is a dandy building and a valuable asset to the city and the patrons of the postoffice.

Grasshopper Poison Is Now Available

The new Federal bait for grasshoppers is being mixed in the county and is now ready for distribution. Officials are asking that people getting the poison furnish their own sacks as much of the material has come in bulk and there are few sacks available. You may get this bait by applying to the Agricultural Agent at O'Neill or to your supervisor.

The poison should be put out early in the morning to get the best results and it should be spread only where the hoppers are concentrated. It should be thin spread as this gives good results and does not waste the bait.

GRATTAN PROJECT CLUB

The Grattan Project club met for a very enjoyable afternoon meeting at the home of Mrs. Clarence Hoxsie Tuesday, June 15. Interesting discussions were given by Mrs. Howard Marcus on "Pictures in the Home," and Mrs. Elmer Wolfe on "Training the Adolescent Boy and Girl." Plans were made for a July 4th picnic and also the next meeting which is to be held at the home of Mrs. Joe Juracek. Ten members were present and two visitors. Lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

4-H Clubs

Stocker-Feeder Club Organized A Stocker-Feeder club was organized June 4, with Mrs. John Grutsch as local leader and Mrs. Blake Benson as assistant leader. Officers and members of the club are: Marie Hynes, president; Hugh Benson, vice president; Maurice Grutsch, secretary; Donald Hynes, news reporter, and DeMaris Benson.

Pine View Stocker-Feeder Club On June 14, the Pine View Stocker-Feeder Club was organized with Arthur Hiatt as local leader and Clyde Widman as assistant. Following are the club officers and members: Harlan Dierking, president; Gale Fix, vice president; Fred Stoeker, secretary; Paul Hiatt, news reporter; Lyle Fix, James Higgins and Burnita Dierking.

Willowdale Calf Club

A calf club was organized June 15, under the name of Willowdale Calf Club, with Werner Eisert as local leader and Jim Van Every, Sr., as assistant leader. Officers and members of the club are: Jim Van Every, Jr., president; DeWayne Benson, vice president; Ella Eisert, secretary; Dorothy Young, news reporter; Kenneth Van Every and Richard Young.

Rock Falls Feeder Calf Club The Rock Falls Feeder Calf club was organized June 15, with Mrs. William Druke as local leader and Ed Hoffman as assistant leader. This club consists of eight mem-

bers, two of which are associate members. Following are listed the officers and members: Jeanette Druke, president; Jack Hynes, vice president; LeRoy Hoffman, secretary; Ellen Hynes, news reporter; Bernard Hynes, Leander Druke, Hayne Hoffman and Margaret Carroll as associates.

The S. S. S. 4-H Club

The S. S. S. 4-H club organized Friday afternoon at the home of the leader, Henrietta Schreier. Officers and members are as follows: Elsie Peter, president; Anna Peter, vice president; Helen Peter, secretary; Herberta Russ, news reporter; Matilda Peter, social chairman. The club leader demonstrated the making of dust cloths and hot pad holders. After the meeting the girls enjoyed a game of croquet. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Dorsey Group Gives Father's Day Dinner

Father's Day was very appropriately celebrated with a father and son banquet given at the Dorsey Presbyterian church June 20. Friends and Neighbors gathered at 10:30 and found the church decorated in gorgeous June roses and peonies, and tables ready to be used for dinner. Sunday School was at the regular hour of 10:30, after which the young ladies set the tables and the older ladies put out the good things to eat, consisting of everything from sandwiches to pie and cake.

With the tables ready, thirty-five fathers and sons were seated. The young ladies who waited the tables sang a song entitled, "Hail, Oh Faithful Fathers." Then V. V. Rosenkrans returned thanks and dinner was served. During the dinner a short program was given which consisted of a few songs and readings. Special tribute was given the fathers over 75 years of age.

Several groups of three generations were present, consisting of father, son and grandfather.

At the close of the dinner the men and boys gave some very good toasts.

V. V. Rosenkrans was the oldest father present. He is nearing 82 years of age, and has the honor of having been associated with the Dorsey church for nearly fifty-five years. Samuel Derickson was another pioneer who was present, and has reared a large family and been a help to the community in many ways. E. E. Cole, Star postmaster, was also present. He too, is a pioneer and won his distinction by serving as postmaster at Star for the last twenty-seven years. C. J. Taylor was present and while not a pioneer of this community, he is one who has reared a large family, and has been a benefit to any community in which he has lived.

After the men finished their dinners they retired to the church lawn and visited in the shade until the mothers, wife and daughters had eaten, and the church was cleared for services at 3 p. m., which are conducted every two weeks by the Rev. Hughes of Niobrara. Special tribute was given to the ladies who were responsible for the dinner. Mrs. F. P. H.

BRIEFLY STATED

Attorney Ralph Coad of Omaha, was in the city Monday looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Moore entertained about 40 guests at a cocktail party before the Country Club dance Monday evening.

Mrs. L. P. Marsten of Phillipsburg, Kansas, arrived in the city the latter part of last week for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emmet Moore.

Mrs. H. W. Tomlinson, who has been seriously ill the past two weeks, is now on the road to recovery, a fact that will be good news to her many friends in this city and vicinity.

John Kersenbrock and son, Duke, returned Monday night from Lincoln where they had spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Kersenbrock and Jack. The latter is getting along nicely and left the hospital Saturday and is now at the home of his aunt there. He will probably not be able to come home for two or three weeks.

ORVILLE WINCHELL PLAYS BRILLIANT GOLF TO TAKE FIRST IN THE TOURNAMENT

Beats Jack Morgan of Wayne 4 up and 3 to Play to Win Championship Flight In Final Round of the Tournament Tuesday.

The sixteenth annual tournament of the O'Neill Country Club ended Tuesday afternoon with the crowning of a new champion and that champion is a local boy, Orville Winchell, the twenty-one year old son of Ben Winchell, county treasurer of Holt county. His winning was no fluke as he played consistent and almost unbeatable golf all thru the tournament, easily outclassing all opponents.

His most impressive performance of the tourney, however, was the first round in the championship flight, when he was pitted against Jack Morgan of Wayne, about his own age, and a youngster who had played very consistent golf all thru the tournament and was never in trouble in winning any of his matches. But he met a tarter when he met Orville Winchell in the finals.

To start things out right the O'Neill boy made the first hole in two, which took a lot of the heart out of the boy from Wayne and he was never dangerous from then on, and Winchell won with a score of 4 up and three to play. His victory was about as impressive as that of Joe Louis over Braddock, in the fistic arena which was pulled off a few hours later.

Ninety-four golfers entered the tournament this year, which was three less than last year, but there was more class among those present than had heretofore taken part in the O'Neill Country Club tournament. In this field three players emerged as medalists, something unknown in former tournaments.

The medalists were Francis Soukup and Orville Winchell of O'Neill, and Jack Morgan of Wayne, each hanging up a score of 74 for the 18 holes, or four above par.

That Winchell was right was shown in the first round he played in qualifying when he shot a par 35 on the first nine holes, which was the lowest score shot during the qualifying. The three young men who held the medalist scores are all about 21 years of age, which proves that the game is a young man's game, although once in a long, long time an oldster crashes into the charmed circle.

Francis Soukup was put out of the championship flight in the first round, being defeated by Phil Aitken of Lincoln, former city champion of the capitol city. Another unusual feature in the tournament was the fact that both the champion and the runner up were two of the three medalists of the meet. R. L. Lambert, last years champion was eliminated in the first flight by J. Brown of Norfolk, 2 and 1 to go.

On Sunday and Monday afternoons the ladies were entertained at the Club with bridge games, and there was a great deal of interest manifested on both afternoons in the games. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Ivan Kinsman of Columbus, won the high score for a visiting lady, and Miss Marjorie Dickson won the high score for local players. On Monday afternoon Mrs. Phil Aitken won the high score for visiting ladies, and Mrs. H. J. Birmingham won high score for local players.

The annual dance was held last Monday night and was very largely attended and was a fashion display, many of the ladies appearing in handsome new gowns that were specially purchased for this occasion, as it has become the real social event of the year.

Following is the result of the flights in the championship division:

Aitken eliminated Soukup 2 up; Tipton eliminated Lightner 2-1; Holbert eliminated Joe Baldwin 4-3; Jack Morgan eliminated Max Golden 4-4; Lee Ann eliminated Earl Harp 3-2; Brown eliminated R. Lambert 2-1; George Stannard eliminated Hugh O'Donnell 2-1; Winchell eliminated McCarthy 2 up. In the second flight of the championship race Aitken eliminated Dr. Tipton 2 up; Morgan eliminated Holbert 3-2; Brown eliminated Amm 3-2; Winchell eliminated Brown 3-2. In the final match which carried the championship, Winchell won over Morgan with a score of 4-3.

In the first flight consolations Soukup eliminated Lightner; Baldwin eliminated Max Golden; Lambert eliminated Harp and Hugh O'Donnell eliminated McCarthy. The second round of the consolations resulted in Baldwin eliminating Soukup and Lambert eliminating O'Donnell, and in the finals won the consolation prize from Baldwin.

In the second flight Harry Reardon eliminated Roy McDonald 4 up; Ralph Tomlinson eliminated L. G. Baber 3-2; P. B. Harty eliminated W. F. Powers 5-4; R. M. Moore eliminated Cliff Lundgren 2-1; Ed Campbell eliminated Dr. Williams; Jim Harty eliminated H. M. Holbert; Rev. Byersdorfer eliminated Carsten and P. J. O'Donnell eliminated F. Jungman. In the semi-finals Reardon eliminated Tomlinson 5 up; P. B. Harty eliminated Moore 2 up; Jim Harty eliminated Ed Campbell 1 up in 20 holes; O'Donnell eliminated Rev. Byersdorfer 2-1. In the finals of the second flight O'Donnell won from Reardon 2-1.

In the second flight consolation Baber eliminated McDonald 1-1; Powers eliminated Lundgren 2-1; Williams eliminated Holbert 1 up in 23 holes; Jungman eliminated Dr. Williams 4-2. In the finals Jungman eliminated Baber 5-4 to win the prize.

In the first round of the Third flight W. H. Harty eliminated B. Wanser 4 up; W. E. Starr eliminated Dick Dailey 1 up; J. E. Carr eliminated Jim Tuor 3-2; P. Vogt eliminated B. Grady 3-2; B. McNally eliminated Art King 1 up; Bill Wagner eliminated Yarnall; Cadwell eliminated Arbutnot and Wehl eliminated F. Golden. In the next round Harty eliminated Starr 2 up; Carr eliminated Vogt 4-3; McNally eliminated Wagner 1 up; Cadwell eliminated Wehl 2 up. In the semifinals of this flight Carr eliminated Harty and Cadwell eliminated McNally. Cadwell won from Carr to win the prize in this flight with one up in 19 holes. In the consolations of this flight Wanser won the prize over Arbutnot with one up in 19 holes.

In the fourth flight many players assigned to this flight did not compete, but there were several good matches. The prize was won by Homer Mullen who defeated M. F. O'Donnell 3-2. The consolation prize in this flight was won by Ruzicka by default.

Following is the registration for the 1937 tourney: O'Neill: W. J. Biglin, W. J. Hammond, F. N. Cronin, E. M. Gallagher, J. F. O'Donnell, I. H. Moss, M. J. Golden, Dr. L. A. Burgess, E. T. Campbell, P. C. Donohoe, H. J. Birmingham, C. N. King, J. A. Mann, R. R. Morrison, W. H. Harty, R. R. Dickson, C. E. Stout, J. J. Harrington, F. J. Dishner, H. E. Coyne, Ted McElhaney, J. B. Ryan, S. J. Weekes, C. D. Cronin, John Daily, C. E. Lundgren, L. C. Walling, J. P. Brown, J. L. Sherbahn, R. E. Moore, J. W. McBride, John Connolly, Bennett Grady, James Harty, H. J. Reardon, F. J. Biglin, P. B. Harty, P. J. O'Donnell, C. B. Yarnall, Dr. W. F. Finley, Ralph Tomlinson, H. F. Mullen, Francis Soukup, Bernard McNally, J. A. Arbutnot, C. D. Stannard, Art King, K. A. Wehl, Gene Harty, R. M. Moore, Orville Winchell, Melvin Ruzicka, B. J. Grady and J. B. Mellor.

Omaha: Dr. P. W. Tipton, W. M. Wagner, Dr. H. G. Williams, H. J. O'Donnell, Richard Dailey, Frank Golden.

St. Edward: A. R. Carsten and George Lightner.

Fairfax, S. D.: Riley Lambert.

San Diego, Calif.: George Stannard.

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