

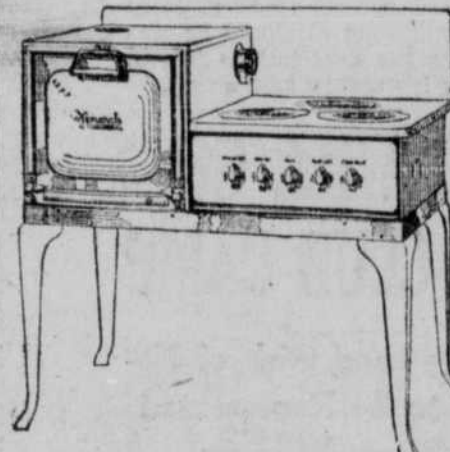
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LOCAL NEWS.

Jack Quig's combination sale last Saturday was a good one.

Lawrence Merriman was in Sioux City the first of the week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Murray last Sunday.

Mrs. Della Shaw is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Clauson.

Clark Hough is quite ill at his home in the northwestern part of the city.

The real estate office of S. L. Berry has been repainted and repaired this week.

Miss Fern Hubbard is expected home from Lincoln Saturday, for her Easter vacation.

John L. Quig is moving his office to the second room back, over the Reardon drug store.

Smith & Warner sold a Pontiac to Chet McClanahan, of Chambers, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Henry and daughter, Elizabeth, visited with relatives at Ewing Sunday.

Mrs. O. A. Kilpatrick was visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Hill, at Orchard, last Saturday.

Ray C. Burke, traveling freight agent of the C. B. & Q. was a pleasant caller at The Frontier office Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rasley returned Saturday from a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hall at Hastings.

Attorney Lawrence Chapman, of Omaha, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Chapman the first of the week.

J. Parr, of Chadron, Nebraska, has been awarded the contract for the erection of the new addition to the Page public school building.

"Chick" Gaines, manager of The Nebraska Securities Corporation, purchased a new Chevrolet six truck from Arbuthnot & Reka, last Monday.

Dan Finnigan arrived in O'Neill a few days ago from Great Falls, Montana, for a visit with O'Neill friends and to look after business matters.

Wm. Beha, O'Neill crick forward on the St. Mary's Academy basketball team has been selected as a forward on the All Tournament basketball team.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis and daughter, Lavonne, of Crofton, Nebraska, spent the week-end with their daughter and sister, Miss Lucella Lewis.

Elmer Merriman came up from Sioux City the first of the week for a visit at the home of his son, Lawrence and family, and with former old time friends.

Thirty members of the O'Neill Rebekah lodge were guests of the Page Rebekah's Monday evening. Following lodge the Page ladies presented a program and served a lunch.

E. M. Gallagher is one of the late purchasers of a large Atwater Kent Electric Dynamic radio. Ray Zimmerman is also listening in over an Atwater Kent, which are sold by Bowen's Music store.

Paul Beha is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Beha. Paul is traveling for the Real Silk Hosiery Company. He has been working in Iowa, but will leave in a few days for points in South Dakota.

Warren Hall has accepted a position as manager of a theatre in Burlington, Iowa, for the Central States Theatre Corporation. Warren left from Hastings, Nebraska, the first of the week to assume his duties.

R. E. Calvert came home Friday from a few days visit in Ashland, Nebraska, with a sister, Mrs. C. F. Sandy, who was ill; another sister, Mrs. F. Wilson, came home with him for a visit with Mrs. Calvert and the family.

Peter Reifers has purchased the S. F. McNichols building now occupied by Thomas Quinn feed store. Mr. Reifers expects to wreck the building as soon as Mr. Quinn can find another location, and will erect a cement block building on the site.

Announcement have been received by O'Neill friends, of the marriage of Rev. G. W. Bruce, of Portland, Oregon, and Mrs. Cora Clark, of Dover, Oklahoma, both former residents of this city. The wedding took place on March 3rd, at Portland.

J. T. Cox, former representative of the C. B. & Q. was again calling upon the people of O'Neill in the interest of the company. Mr. Cox has been coming to O'Neill for more than twenty years; his old time friends were pleased to again shake his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zimmerman, accompanied by O. F. Rummel and sons, Julian and Brice, drove over to Yankton, South Dakota, last Sunday afternoon on a pleasure trip; they announced their presence in the city over the broadcasting station and viewed the city and surrounding country from various angles.

The number of autos in Holt county keep advancing each year at a rapid rate. There are 4,900 autos and trucks in the county, of which 3,377 have been registered up to Wednesday evening of this week; leaving a balance of 1,523 yet to be registered. According to Dean Selah, who is in charge of the registration of cars in the County Treasurer's office, the number registered is considerably ahead of the number registered at this time in former years, due to the fact that an extra effort is being made to see that all cars are registered that are permitted to be operated.

FRED SCHAFFER, BACHELOR HELD UP AND ROBBED

Aroused by a knock at his door about midnight Friday by a man asking for water for his automobile, Fred Schaffer, 71-year-old bachelor living about thirteen miles northeast of Atkinson, was held up with a shotgun when he went to the car with water, and was ordered to hand over all the money he had in the house.

When told that there was no money on the place the bandits accompanied Schaffer into the house and ransacked the place. No cash was found and an effort was made to force the old man to tell where his money was by making him stand out in the cold with but few wraps on. Again they went into the house and another search was made and an old, muzzelloading shotgun, four pocketbooks; one containing some old German paper money and 50 cents cash, and a few other small things were taken.

Schaffer was told to leave \$500 under a culvert on the road about three-fourths of a mile east of Atkinson between 10 and 11 o'clock the next morning. Mr. Schaffer complained that he could not get to Atkinson in time to have the money there the next day at the stipulated hour, so that bandits blindfolded him, put him in the car and brought him to town and told him to get the money and not say anything about it to anyone or he wouldn't live three days. He was put out of the car about 3 a. m. near a farm home and watched until he got to the house, where he stayed the rest of the night.

The hold-up man was described by Schaffer as being rather tall and heavyset, weighing, he judged, about 250 pounds. He wore a yellow cloth over the lower part of his face.

DISTRICT COURT BEGAN LAST MONDAY MORNING

District Court opened in O'Neill Monday morning with Judge Robert R. Dickson presiding, and Ted McElhane reporting.

The first case taken up was Jesse F. Salyars vs. State Farmers Insurance Company; the Judge instructed a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$1838.46. Arthur F. Mullen represented the Insurance Company and M. F. Harrington and George Harrington represented Salyars.

The second case called was Rose Bausch vs. Mary A. Chase wherein the plaintiff sued for the alienation of the affection of her husband, Charles Bausch. The court room was filled with spectators from various parts of the county who were eagerly awaiting the progress of the testimony; the case came to an abrupt ending when M. F. Harrington, attorney for the plaintiff, withdrew from the case when the plaintiff admitted writing a certain letter that was introduced by the defense; Judge Dickson dismissed the case without prejudice. Julius D. Cronin was attorney for Mrs. Chase.

The third case was taken up Wednesday afternoon; it was the State vs. Robert J. McAllister, of Atkinson. The defendant is charged with violations of the Volstead law. The state presented its evidence Wednesday afternoon; this Thursday the defense submitted their defense and the case is being argued this afternoon.

PASTURE FOR 150 CATTLE SAVED BY KILLING RABBITS

As a result of the unlimited discussion that has been taking place about the killing of the jack rabbits and the price that the hide brought the hunters in this vicinity this winter, we learn that H. B. Hubbard purchased over 6,000 hides at an expense of about \$1,350. The largest check paid to one individual for hides was paid to Marquet Kennedy, of Page, in the sum of \$48.05; the Crumley Brothers received a check for \$48.00. The hides were purchased during December, January, February and March. Statisticians estimate that five rabbits will consume as much feed as one sheep; that eight sheep will devour as much pasture as one cow or steer; estimated on this basis 6,000 rabbits would consume as much pasture as 150 head of cattle.

O'NEILL-BARTLET ROAD CONTRACTORS ARRIVE

Thiesen Brothers, of Osmond, arrived in O'Neill Wednesday with their road crew and bunk houses headed for the nine mile strip of road south of O'Neill on Highway No. 13, known as the O'Neill-Bartlet project. The crew at this time consists of twenty-five men; three shifts will operate the power shovel twenty-four hours per day; the power shovel will be used to build the grade through the sand hills.

The crew will begin at the south end of the project and will work toward O'Neill.

JOE SCHOLLMAYER, JR. FINDS AN OLD RELIC

Joe Schollmeyer, Jr., who resides on the Glen Anderson farm on Steel Creek near Dorsey in the northeastern part of Holt county, came across an old relic that brings back old memories and was highly prized at one time. The article is an old silver pitcher bearing the following inscription "Champion Wing Shot of Holt County, won at O'Neill, July 4, 1888."

In looking over the files of The Frontier we find that Ed Hershiser won the first prize in the shooting match and was awarded the silver pitcher over a field of eighteen contestants; Charles Pond, won second, a silver cup. The article also says that "Meritt and Pond took first money \$10.00; Ed Thompson, second \$6.00; Otto Richter, third, \$4.00."

THE CITY ELECTION WILL BE HELD SOON

The city election will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd. Two members of the school board will also be elected.

Following are the filings for councilmen and members of the school board:

Councilmen:
1st Ward—Frank Phalin.
2nd Ward—Hugh E. Coyne.
3rd Ward—L. G. Gillespie.
Board of Education:
Robert R. Smith.
Mrs. O. F. Rummel.

The two retiring members of the school board are Harry Bowen and Mrs. R. M. Sauer.

MRS. BARNEY MULLEN.

Leo Mullen received a message Wednesday stating that an aunt, Mrs. Barney Mullen, died that evening about six o'clock in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Leo departed on the night train to be present at the funeral services. Mrs. Mullen will be remembered by the older residents; she and her husband and family were residents here in the early days; Mr. Mullen was a contractor and erected a number of buildings in O'Neill, among them was the old Frontier office.

WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Woman's club will hold a business meeting at 3:00 o'clock followed by a Club Tea next Wednesday, March 27th.

In order that the Librarian may keep a check on the library books belonging to the Woman's club; the club voted to place them under the same rules as other library books.

Two books are missing "Rim of the Prairie" and "One Increasing Purpose." Would the person having these please return them to the library.

MR. AND MRS. M. F. EVELAND CELEBRATE FIFTY-NINTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Last Sunday was the fifty-ninth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Eveland. In honor of the occasion Mrs. J. S. Ennis entertained at a dinner at her home.

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

See the Bible in pictures every Sunday evening. Sunday the reign of David and Solomon will be shown carrying us through the building of King Solomon's Temple.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES.

The Local Preliminary Spelling Contests were held in the various sections of the county on Friday, March 8th. Following are the winners in these various contests:

Inman
7th and 8th Grades—City—
Oral—1st—Christian Riemers
2nd—Lois Killinger
Written—1st—Walter Fick
2nd—Christian Riemers

High School
Oral—1st—Ivan Stewart
2nd—Kellenth Liedy
Written—1st—Ruth Fraka
2nd—Ivan Stewart

Stewart
7th and 8th Grade—Rural—
Oral—1st—Louise Brown, 203
2nd—Lyman Spangler, 136
Written—1st—Louise Brown, 203
2nd—Lyman Spangler, 136

5th and 6th Grade—City—
Oral—1st—Joy Custer
2nd—Vina Kaiser
Written—1st—Clara Kopp
2nd—Joy Custer

7th and 8th Grade—City—
Oral—1st—Nellie Iverson
2nd—Eldora Berkholtz
Written—1st—Belva Gesvich
2nd—Nellie Iverson

High School
Oral—1st—Evelyn Tasler
2nd—Etscher Fuelberth
Written—1st—Esther Fuelberth
2nd—Joseph Bell

Emmet
3rd and 4th Grades—Rural—
Oral—1st—Olive Beckwith, 15
2nd—Anna Rose O'Donnell, 20

5th and 6th Grades—Rural—
Oral—1st—Arthur Dailey, 20
2nd—Geraldine Duskto, 157
Written—1st—Anthony O'Donnell, 20
Luree Abart, 20—tied with above.
2nd—Bernard Pongratz, 157

7th and 8th Grade—Rural—
Oral—1st—Pauline Dusatko, 157
2nd—Maxine McConnell, 141

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Sunday and Monday,
March 24th and 25th

Written—1st—Arthur Dailey, 20
2nd—Geraldine Dusatko, 157
St. Mary's Academy—O'Neill

5th and 6th Grades—City—
Oral—1st—Mary Virginia Agnes
2nd—Dorothy Morrison

7th and 8th Grades—City—
Oral—1st—Mary Lois Hammond
2nd—Eugene Gallagher
High School

Oral—1st—John Robert Gallagher
2nd—Teresa Pongratz
St. Mary's entered the same pupils in written.

O'Neill Public School
3rd and 4th Grades—Rural—
Oral—1st—Winifred Stanton, 15

5th and 6th Grades—Rural—
Oral and Written—1st—Kilmer Stanton, 15
2nd—Victor Bredehoeft, 15

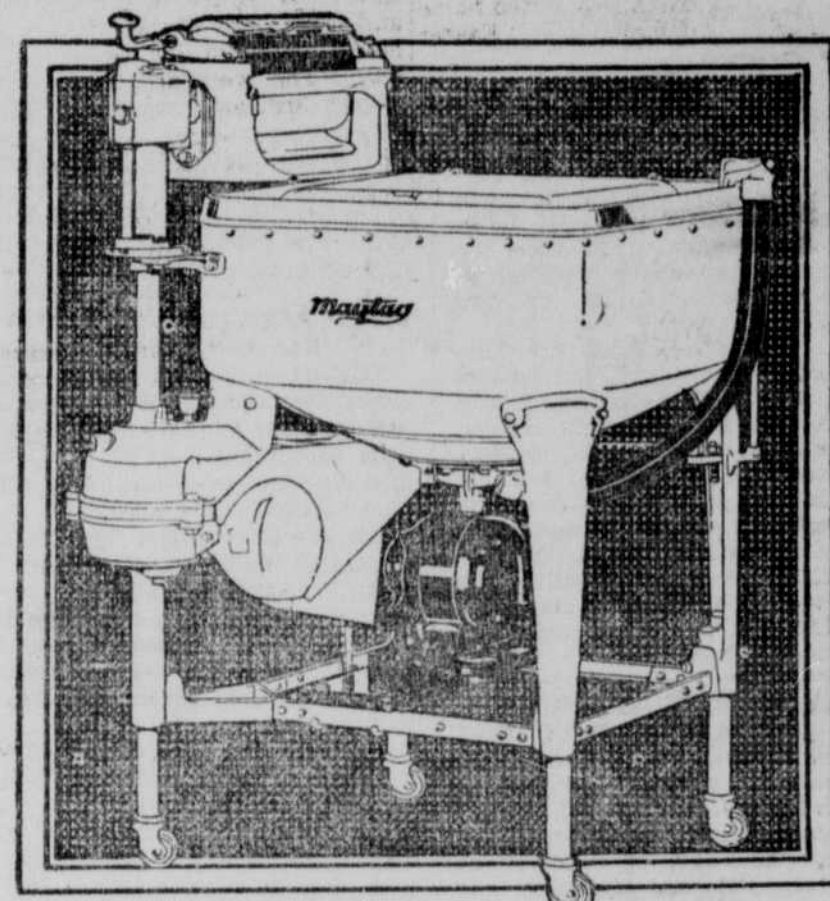
7th and 8th Grades—Rural—
Oral and Written—1st—Arleen Page, 15
2nd—Frances Kelley, 15

1st and 2nd Grades—City—
Oral—1st—Randall Kerstein
2nd—Ronald Kerstein

3rd and 4th Grades—City—
Oral—1st—Delta Gunn
2nd—Cleta Wyant

5th and 6th Grades—City—
Oral—1st—Anna Toy
2nd—Cecelia Edwards
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NEBRASKA STATE BANK

of O'Neill, Charter No. 895 in the State of Nebraska at the close of business

March 12, 1929.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$244,991.17
Overdrafts	758.21
Bonds, securities, judgments and claims (exclusive of cash reserve)	13,940.25
Other Assets	
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Other real estate	23,692.02
Bankers' Conservation Fund	866.42
Due from National and State banks	\$46,759.40
Checks and items of exchange	3,485.30
Cash in bank	14,927.95
U. S. bonds in cash reserve	18,900.00
TOTAL	\$373,320.72

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided profits (Net)	166.64
Individual deposits subject to check	\$121,207.41
Demand certificates of deposit	12,187.12
Time certificates of deposit	205,072.07
Certified checks	
Due to National and State banks	4,687.48
TOTAL	\$373,320.72

State of Nebraska, County of Holt, ss:
I, Jas. F. O'Donnell, Cashier, of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is a true and correct copy of the report made to the Department of Trade and Commerce.

JAS. F. O'DONNELL, Cashier.

ATTEST: P. J. O'Donnell, S. S. Welpton, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of March, 1929.

H. J. HAMMOND, Notary Public.

My Commission expires Oct. 23, 1932.