

THE FRONTIER.

SANFORD PARKER

Sanford Parker, pioneer of this section, Holt county's first county clerk and an adventurer in the Deadwood gold rush of 1876, died in St. Paul, Minn., Monday, according to word received by friends and relatives in O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker had been making their home in Omaha but had gone to St. Paul, the home of their son, Clarence, for a visit. Mr. Parker became ill there and died after a short time.

Mr. Parker, who was 80 years old when he passed away, came west from Wisconsin to settle on the Niobrara river in 1876.

Soon after the Parker family arrived in Nebraska, the gold rush to Deadwood began. A young fellow, full of ambition and adventure, Parker set out on foot to reap some of the profits from the gold discovery.

In the winter of '76 and '77 he walked from his home in Yankton and from there to Deadwood, a distance of some 450 miles. Although the trip was exciting, it was one of hardships and no profit for Parker.

In July, 1878, he returned to the home of his parents near O'Neill and that fall he was elected the first county clerk of Holt county. During his third term in that position he was appointed receiver of the United States land office at Niobrara. Later he was in the banking business in the Black Hills. It was during this period that he was elected to represent three counties of South Dakota's first district at the constitutional convention on July 4, 1889. Recently he came from Omaha to O'Neill where he acted as deputy receiver for the Nebraska State Bank.

Mr. Parker was a member of Garfield lodge No. 95 of the Masonic order. Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Arthur, of Winner, S. D., and Clarence, of St. Paul, Minn.; one daughter, Ethel Tinsley passed away several years ago.

Arrangements have been made for burial in St. Paul, Minnesota.

THE HOLT COUNTY FAIR BEING HELD THIS WEEK

The Holt County Fair began Tuesday with a large entry list in all departments, in fact the largest in the history of the fair, we are told.

The displays of agricultural exhibits are extra good; the farmers are to be commended for the interest they have taken in trying to make this year's fair a good one; owing to the drouth and grasshoppers, the showing this year is considered excellent.

The races each day are interesting and all of them are run for the money.

The free acts and free attractions are good ones.

The ball game Wednesday between Redbird and Chambers was 9 to 3 in favor of Redbird.

The ball game today was between Atkinson and Springview; the score was 10 to 5 in favor of Atkinson. Gebo pitched for Atkinson; he struck out 11 men.

The ball game tomorrow will be between Winner and O'Neill. Both teams are spiked up and a tough match is expected.

THE BRESSLER FAMILIES HOLD ANNUAL REUNION

Eighty-five members of the Bressler family gathered at the Bressler park at Wayne, Wednesday for their tenth annual reunion. The Jerome Bressler orchestra composed of members of the Frank Bressler family of Belgrade, furnished the principal entertainment attraction.

The family orchestra, which has broadcast over radio station WJAG, is composed of Frank K., Mrs. Nellie, Esther, Marjorie, Doris, Jerome, and Lois Bressler.

It was strictly a Bressler party, and the members of the Bressler clan agreed that it was the most successful of the ten yearly reunions which have been held.

Those from O'Neill who attended the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Geo.

Bressler and son Gale.

The Bressler reunion association reelected the officers who served during the past year to serve for the coming year also. They are: George Bressler, of O'Neill, president; S. C. Bressler, of Pender, vice-president, and A. E. Bressler, of Wayne, secretary-treasurer.

HESS BAKER LOSES EYE; HIT BY GOLF CLUB

Hess Baker, of Sioux Falls, S. D., well known in O'Neill, was hit in the eye with a golf club last Sunday.

The following account of the accident appeared in the Sioux City Journal:

"While practicing golf driving with Mrs. Baker, G. Hess Baker, this city, was so seriously injured that it was necessary to remove his left eye.

"Mrs. Baker was practicing driving at the time and Mr. Baker was teeing the balls for her. As Mr. Baker stooped over to place a ball, Mrs. Baker, in a backward swing with her club, struck her husband in the eye."

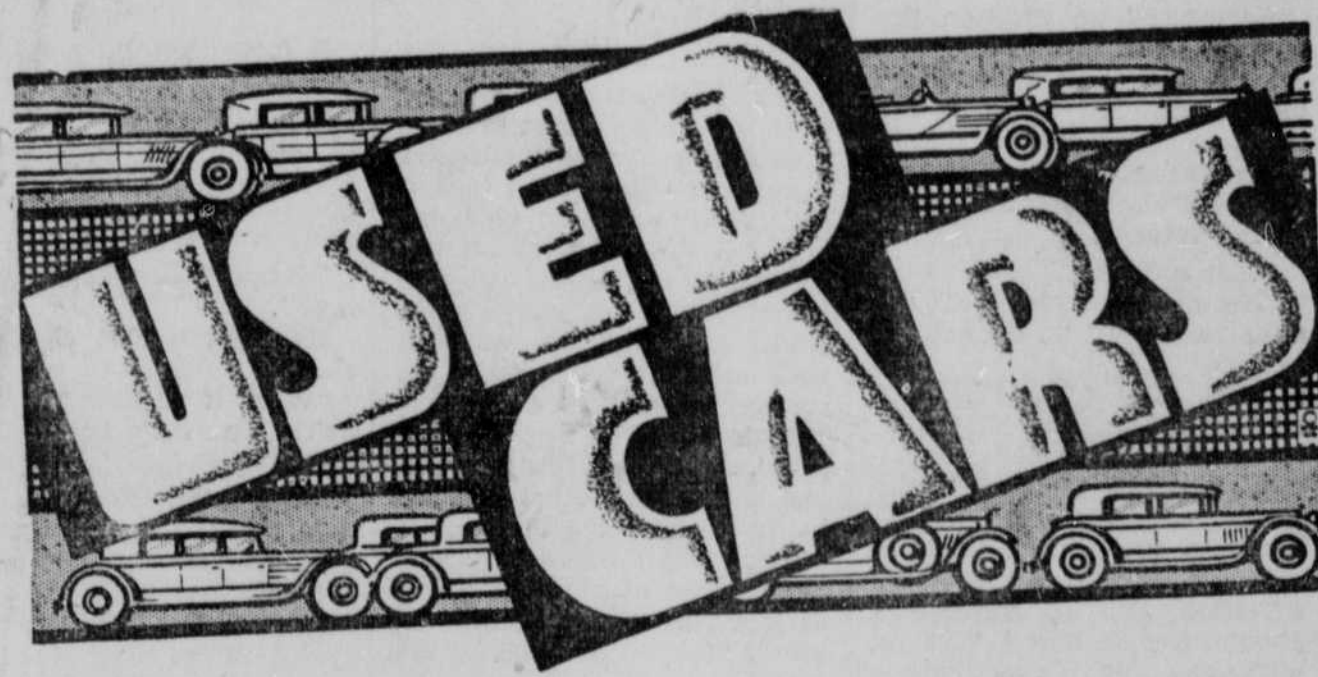
ENTERTAINS EARLY SETTLERS

Mrs. Neil Brennan entertained a number of the early settlers of O'Neill, Tuesday afternoon at her home, honoring her sister, Sister Bernadette, of St. Catherine's hospital in Omaha. Those present were Mesdames O. F. Biglin, Wm. Daly, John Golden, Wm. Froelich, J. J. McCafferty, A. L. Wilcox, A. J. Hammond, John Carr, Mike Gallagher, Henry Bauman, McCabe, J. H. Meredith, Sister Isabelle, of Omaha, and Neil Brennan.

Mrs. Brennan was assisted by her daughter, Miss Bernadette.

JOHN BRADY

John Brady, one of the early settlers of the county, died at his home in Atkinson, Monday, following an illness of many months. A large number of old time friends in O'Neill went to Atkinson this morning to attend the funeral services which were held at ten o'clock.



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FIGHTIN' IRISH LICK THE CANDY KIDS

Gebo Fans Fortify Omaha Players By Pretty Work

The Candy Kids Never Had a Chance With "Lefty" Gebo

(Albion Argus)

We promised that we would let everyone in on our conclusions as to who would come out on top today. Glad we didn't—we would have had more trouble explaining than a one-armed man with the seven year itch and sand-hill fleas. Somewhere there has been hiding out material that Connie Mack should not overlook as completely as we did. His name is an exclamation. His fast ball a comet without a tail. His slow ball a feather; more curves than Ziegfeld pays thousands for. And a drop like a bum oil stock. He used to be with The House of David team in '28; the only reason he isn't there now must be dandruff. His name is Gebo. If The House of David has any other like him the cowboys will need everything today, including a direct descendant of Abraham.

Really there were seventeen other ball players in suit and on the field of battle, but with Gebo's 14 strikeouts, the Candies meagre two singles looked anemic.

The weather, the wind, the big score board, the two umpires, three homers contributed by Gebo's teammates. Fleury beating out twins and Harrington equalling Bambino Ruth records in lots of games somehow you didn't notice them all, least of all count them. Gebo wouldn't even split an infinitive with them.

The Irish, following tradition, got in the first licks. The first man up hit the first pitched ball for a single. Fleury larruped the second pitched ball far, far out, galloping home with ease. Two pitches, two batters, two runs; simple mathematics? No, simply grand. Then things quieted down, the Candies being retired each at the proper time and with no fuss or muss.

At the start of the third Fleury again socked the old apple to the north forty. Same guy, same suit, another score. In Gordon's half of the third Gebo took a new chew of tobacco; before he could get it going good he walked two; no damage done, the next hit an infield fly, everybody taking advantage of this opportunity to catch up on sleep; the side was retired.

O'Neill again hurled a bit of Irish confetti, the Candies came back with spaghetti, Joe Guinotte taking over the mound when Kotlik allowed Harrington a double which he stretched to three as the center fielder stumbled; Warsham singled, Hoegerl drove in the counter with a double. When Guinotte entered the game the count was 4 to 0 against him, none out and two on. He was lucky, Warsham was caught off third, Gebo fouled a bunt and Cuddy was retired short to first.

Niemic, next man, attempted to dispose of several paid admissions when he lost control of his bat—I was there, I am here—hurray for reflex actions, Niemic reaching first when short erred; Walsh was the seventh victim of Gebo's strikeout

streak. Ryan got on with a fielder's choice, Niemic being retired at second. Steck ended that half of the inning as he too fell for Gebo's curves. Maybe that should be spelled Garbo?

In the sixth Harrington collected his homer with no one on. Hoegerl later added the last score of the game. There was practically nothing done until the Gordons started out the eighth by collecting the first two and only hits of the day. Kuntzman and Steck each singling. Gebo wound up a great day by retiring two more on strikeouts, bringing his total up to fourteen. Great boy that Gebo.

O'Neill	ab	r	h	e
Mackey, ss	4	1	1	1
Fleury, cf	4	2	2	0
Peterson, 1b	4	0	1	0
Holliday, lf	4	0	0	0
Harrington, rf	4	2	3	0
Warsham, c	4	0	1	0
Hoegerl, 3b	4	1	2	0
Gebo, p	4	0	1	0
Cuddy, 2b	3	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	11	1

Gordon Candies	ab	r	h	e
Marcusso, lf	4	0	0	0
Masters, 1b	3	0	0	0
Luby, ss	2	0	1	1
Russell, rf	4	0	0	0
Niemic, 2b	4	0	1	0
Walsh, cf	4	0	0	0
Ryan, 3b	1	0	1	0
Steck, c	3	0	1	0
Kotlik, p	1	0	0	0
xKuntzman, 2b	2	0	1	0
xxGuinotte, p	2	0	0	0
Totals	35	0	2	3

The O'Neill ball team played the Gordon Candy Co. team at the Albion fair on Tuesday.

CHAMBERS ROAD TO BE BUILT THIS FALL

Chambers will get five miles of road east of town that will connect the village with Highway No. 13. The work will be started soon and will be completed this fall.

Chairman of the County Board, John Sullivan and others interested in the road, went to Lincoln, Sunday where they met Governor Bryan and Roy Cochran, who agreed that the road should be built this fall.

County Surveyor, M. F. Norton will make a survey of the road at once; Al Gaddis, supervisor of construction for the Department of Public Works, will be in O'Neill soon and will assist County Road Supervisor John Osenbaugh in establishing a grade.

The road will be graded, clayed and graveled.

Work on Highway No. 54 will be continued this fall with Holt county men who are unemployed and who can put some time on the road. The work on the Chambers road will also be done with Holt county men.

Work on the strip of road north of Amelia will also be graded and graveled this fall; this stretch of road was let under contract to an outside contractor some time ago, who will, perhaps, bring in his own crew.

Mrs. J. L. Williams, who spent the summer here with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Hunter, returned to her home at Tipton, Iowa last Sunday.

O'NEILL MAN SPENT 2 YEARS IN ALASKA

Went With Thirty Others in 1898; Missed Best Claim

(Omaha World-Herald)

Lloyd Gillespie, a councilman and insurance agent here for many years, answered the call of the north 31 years ago when gold stamped thousands of adventurers to Alaska and inflated them to unbelievable feats of skill and daring.

Jack Meals had left O'Neill in 1898, explored much of the country about the Chesna river in Alaska, then returned and helped organize a company of 30 men to search for gold. Supplies for two years were taken in and cached on the Chesna river. Comfortable log cabins were constructed. Thirty head of horses and six cattle were driven hundreds of miles to supply power and meat.

One of the feats performed was the transportation of supplies by horse-drawn sleds over 250 miles of mountainous territory through which were only narrow trails in snow. No accident occurred, however, and they pushed on to encounter another barrier at the Copper river.

Large rafts were constructed for carrying the horses. The men set to pushing the horses upstream simply because they were forced to it by jagged pinnacles and black chasms which came right up to the edge of the stream. The Copper river is rather shallow, especially along the edges, and here the men pushed and tugged at the boat and raft for 30 long days and nights.

The party finally selected their promised land in a canyon adjacent to the Chesna river, and each man staked out his mineral claim according to the regulation three hundred by 1,500 feet. Mr. Gillespie says there is no thrill in all the world like that experienced when one realizes he is staking out his own block of supposed gold land in the barrens. Not even the disappointment at not finding precious metal thereon blunts the memories of that thrill.

Months after the O'Neill party had been "at home" near the Chesna, a "lone wolf" prospector walked in, carrying every possession he had on his back. In place of modern machinery and methods, he had nothing save hope, a little tobacco, a penchant for originality and hard work, and a little money.

At the foot of the canyon there was an unstaked area considered too unlikely to bother about. Gillespie and the others had tramped over it day after day. They had considered it the last chance on earth.

The man with the all on his back locked the land over, staked it, hired men at \$10 per day to construct a dam of sod to get water from a scanty little spring creek, made sluice boxes, commenced to wash dirt and calmly announced his first day's operations had produced 10 thousand dollars in gold dust.

The 30 men during two years out in the wilderness had practically no disagreements. There was one fist fight when oJhn Grady, of O'Neill, sailed into an Englishman. Later they shook hands and the gold hunting business went on as usual.

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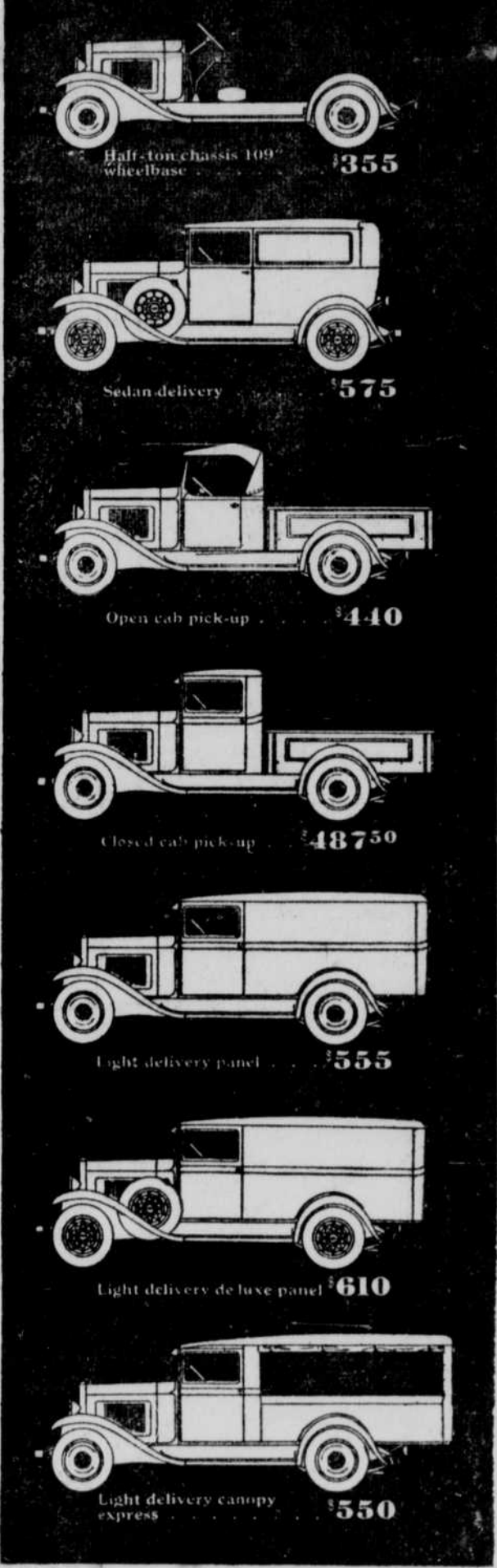
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