

### Over the County

#### Emmet School Notes

Charlie and Leslie Strong were absent from school Wednesday. Due to the snow the Emmet high school boys have found a new amusement, playing mumble peg in the hall.

Gailord Abart was absent from school Monday, due to the sudden change in weather.

The Ninth and Tenth grades are preparing for a good old test for the six weeks exams Friday.

Roberta Bush was absent from school Monday, because of dependable transportation.

The Tenth grade students are now studying about rhythms and rhymes. They hope to become poets some time in the future.

Those with perfect attendance for March were Agnes Vogel, Mary Anna Winkler, Gilord Abart and Wayne Bates.

The Ninth grade have finished their classic "Silas Mariner."

Anna Rose O'Donnell was absent from school Monday for many reasons that cannot be revealed.

Earnest, Darlene, Helen, Erwin and Louise were absent from school Monday.

In health we are giving different forms of exercises. Next week Frankie Lee is going to walk like a turkey.

In geography the Fifth and Sixth grades are studying about Germany. We are taking tests to improve our silent reading. By the results shown we are improving slowly.

The seventh and eighth grades finished the classic, The Great Stone Face.

We have a new motto on the blackboard this week. It is "All that's great and good is done just by patient trying."

#### SOUTHWEST BREEZES

Sunday morning three or four inches of feathery snow spread a blanket over the dust-blown landscape. This, together with a lighter fall the previous morning, produced about the quantity of moisture contained in an early summer morning's dew. April Fool's morning seemed to be definitely heading us back to winter with a heavy fall of snow.

Roy Warden was finishing up last Wednesday on the work of calling on Swan precinct corn and hog growers, taking applications of those desiring to "sign up." With the dreary outlook for any sort of a crop everybody is grabbing at any chance which is available to get something from the dry land, if it has to be done by allowing it to lie uncropped and paid for by Uncle Sam. However, some were not approached on the subject in time to allow them to get to O'Neill to finish the red tape process of "getting in" before the expiration of the date, April 1.

In the matter of manuscript or penmanship the compiler of the "Breezes" must be in a class with the late Attorney E. H. Benedict of the Holt County Bar Association. In our last communication was an item of the departure of Mrs. E. E. Young for Kansas. The intelligent compositor made "Goring" out of it. Perhaps as it was written it may have been taken for anything, and when putting matter in type one guess is as good as another. Mrs. Young returned Monday.

"Red" Bilstein of Swan Lake was a visitor at the E. E. Young home Saturday evening, as were also Ned and J. Saunders, discussing financial affairs as exemplified with the guitar and other string instruments. Some practical demonstrations were put on.

Floyd Adams of Amelia last week sold his cream station, building and equipment, to the Atkinson creamery. Edgar Peterson has been put in charge of the station. Mr. Peterson has had a large experience in testing and handling cream and no doubt will continue the popularity of the station which Floyd had long enjoyed. The Atkinson concern has taken the cream from the station all along and say the cream coming from here is of such high quality that they wished to retain the station and learning of Mr. Adams' intention of retiring from the business took it over by purchase. It is reported Floyd expects to establish a gasoline station in Amelia, which he will operate in addition to having the Dumas-Amelia mail route, which latter Mrs. Adams looks after most of the time and now has a flashy new coupe in which to make the trip.

Ed Welton, residing on the ranch down in Josie precinct, surprised

his friends last month by quietly disappearing from accustomed haunts and showing up some time later with a charming bride. The wedding occurred on the 14th at Burwell. The bride was Miss Ella Lavore, of Carlinville, Ill. She was met at Ewing by Mr. Welton. From there they went to Burwell and after the marriage came on to the ranch. The occasion was marked a few evenings later by a charivari as well as neighborly demonstration in welcome of the bride. Ed is one of the old timers in his section of the county and is one of a family of the earliest settlers around O'Neill. His many friends will be glad to extend their hearty best wishes for himself and Mrs. Welton.

At this distance we of the great common element of citizens, by inheritance, tradition or otherwise, have looked upon the national congress as a body of the ablest and best of us. A lady in Washington obtained a close-up of that body in session and gave her impression in a letter to the home folks here, saying: "How they ever know what they are doing the way various ones would leave their seats and walk around, others get up and yell out their arguments until the man at the desk would pound with his club." This description may not be strictly classical but it is first hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferman Welton spent Sunday with relatives near Broken Bow. Ferman says conditions are much worse in that community than here, the meager supply of feed being exhausted long ago and the farmers have no way of getting any more. The snow makes it still worse as what little feed there might be on the prairie is covered up.

#### MEEK AND VICINITY

Will Devall had the misfortune to lose one of his best horses last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith spent Wednesday at the Orville Harrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hubby moved into Arthur Rouse's house on Tuesday.

Prayer meeting was held Thursday evening at Eric Borg's. The next meeting will be held at the A. L. Borg home.

Guy Young, of Opportunity, was an overnight visitor at the Frank Griffith home Thursday.

Mrs. Carl Weidfeldt is caring for the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Weidfeldt since the new baby came.

Mrs. Albert McDonald is visiting at the home of her parents at Lynch, for a few days.

The Married Hubby family and Marjorie Hendrix, of Atkinson, were over-night guests at the Eric Borg home Thursday.

The Paddock Project Club met with Mrs. Carl Weidfeldt Friday afternoon. Quite a crowd of ladies were present. Plans were made for Achievement day and first aid helps were discussed.

Mrs. Irwin Sanders and children spent last week at the home of Mrs. Sanders mother, Mrs. E. H. Rouse.

Elmer Devall was an overnight visitor of Cecil Griffith Saturday.

Mrs. Lewis formerly, of Meek, but now of O'Neill, is caring for Mrs. Helmer Weidfeldt and the new baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson, Paul and Margaretha, were Sunday guests at the Will Kaczor home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith and Cecil were guests at the Roy Spindler home Sunday.

Charlie Linn was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. E. H. Rouse is recovering from a sick spell.

George Hansen and Charlie Linn drove to Meadow Grove Monday after baby chicks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Linn spent Sunday evening at the Harry Fox home.

Charlie Wrede recently purchased a Plymouth car.

Mrs. Howard Rouse and sons Lawrence, Lloyd and Delbert, spent Saturday afternoon at the Eric Borg home.

Cecil Griffith called at R. D. Spindler's Tuesday morning.

A brother, two neices and a nephew of May McGowan, who have been visiting her for the past week, left for their home in Minnesota the first of the week.

Cecil Griffith and Clarence Devall helped A. L. Borg saw wood Tuesday.

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Mrs. Fritz Worth's father at a hospital in Omaha, the family reside at Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. Worth left for Wayne on Wednesday.

Arthur, Walter, Elmer and Clarence Devall spent Tuesday evening at the Griffith home.

#### INMAN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore and children, Joy and Kenneth, left Thursday for Dixon and Gregory, South Dakota where they visited until Monday.

Harvey Tompkins, who is a student at Nebraska Wesleyan at Lincoln, is home for the spring vacation.

The Quilt and Chatter Club meets with Mrs. Harry McGraw on Thursday of this week.

The Royal Neighbors meet with Miss Gladys Hancock on Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Mark Claridge and daughter, Shirley Jean, of Stuart, were here over the week-end visiting with Mr. Claridge who is employed here.

Everyone in this vicinity is rejoicing over the snow fall of the past few days. Everything is in fine condition for spring planting, hay meadows and pastures are also greatly benefited.

A measles epidemic is spreading rapidly among school children here. While most cases have been mild, some have been very serious.

Mrs. W. E. Brown and daughters, Wilma and Musetta, drove to Bonesteel, South Dakota, Thursday to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Eckleberry. They returned home Sunday.

J. W. Wilson, of the Inland Construction company, arrived here Friday from Grand Island and is preparing to pump gravel from the Elkhor river, near the R. M. Gannon home. The gravel will be spread on the highway between Page and O'Neill.

Rev. T. C. Priestly, pastor of the M. E. church at Emmet, will be in Inman on the evenings of April 9 and 10 at which time he will present his travelogue supreme entitled, "A Zig Zag Journey Around the World," at the M. E. church. This production will be shown in two sections, the first half being shown on one night the latter part the next. Admission 10 and 15 for one night, both nights 15 and 25c. One half of the admission proceeds will be given to the local ladies aid.

Mrs. Gene Sanford, of O'Neill, spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Jane Enders and her brother, E. R. Riley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keyes spent the week-end in Meadow Grove visiting relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Tompkins, of Indianapolis, Indiana, are here visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tompkins.

Mr. Tompkins drove to Omaha Saturday and brought his son and wife back with him Monday.

The Misses Merle Leidy and Dolores Young, who have been taking a course in beauty parlor work at Norfolk, have finished their course and have returned for a home visit with their parents, before taking up the work.

The old fashioned literary program presented by the Ladies Aid last Friday evening was a huge success. Every number was well received by the audience. The program was as follows: Wedding dress review in which about ten wedding dresses were displayed, the oldest being 75 years old and was worn by Rev. Mertie E. Clute. The outfit consisting of dress, bonnet and fan were complete. Mrs. Chet Youngs wore one which was 55 years old; the rest ranged from 25 to 3 years old. The opening number of the program was, "The Old Grey Bonnet," sung by the entire group. Mrs. Walter Sire, as Almira Piper, read "In Grandma's Day." This was accompanied by a minuet by Mrs. James Coventry and Mrs. Warren McClurg, who represented George and Martha Washington; Mrs. G. E. Moor and Mrs. E. R. Riley, the twins, as Malissa and Matilda Overacre were gowned in hoop skirts and poke bonnets and sang, "Long, Long Ago." Mrs. Anna M. Clark as Arthusa Twiggens gave a reading "In School Days." A playlet, "Waiting for the Doctor" was presented by Mrs. Beryl Conger, Mrs. Harkins, Mrs. E. E. Clark, Mrs. F. Smith and Mrs. E. Sire in a very creditable manner. Mrs. Karl Keyes and Mrs. Elsie Sire sang a duet, "The Old Spinning Wheel," while Mrs. C. D. Keyes appeared in a tabeau at a spinning wheel 100 years old, the property of Mrs. Casper Pribil. Miss Gladys Hancock as Tiny Amanda Tidbits dressed as a little girl of 12 years, carrying a big doll (which was 60 years old and the property of Mrs. C. D. Keyes) gave the reading, "Naughty Zell." Mrs. L. R. Tompkins and Mrs. Chet Youngs then presented a duet, "Sweet and Low" during which time Mrs. Art Renner displayed baby clothes worn in the long ago. Mrs. Geo. Killinger and Mrs. George Kivett, as the Crum-packer sisters, gave a little sketch, "A Little Bit of Gossip and a New Song." A group then sang the "Glow Worm" Mrs. Chet Youngs singing the obligato. The entire ensemble sang, "When You Were

a Tulip," Mrs. L. R. Tompkins and Mrs. Chet Youngs presided at the piano while Miss Clute announced the program. Miss Genevieve Sire, Miss Mildred Riley, Mrs. Evadene Erskine and Mrs. Rose Kivett dressed in old fashioned (paper) dresses and poke bonnets acted as ushers.

#### Feeder's Oats

Holt county farmers who attend the 23rd annual Feeder's Day at the Nebraska college of agriculture on Thursday, April 18, will hear a number of outstanding speakers and be able to view several hundred head of experimental cattle.

Results of tests comparing dry lot fattening with grass fattening will probably attract considerable attention since a great increase in the latter method is probable all over Nebraska during the coming months. W. W. Derrick, extension animal husbandman, will speak on the subject and summarize experimental work done at the Nebraska station and other stations in the mid-west.

Prof. M. A. Alexander will discuss new sheep feeding methods. A comparison of cottonseed cake, tankage and meat scraps for lambs as protein supplements is included in one test. In another straw and alfalfa are compared as roughages for sheep.

Results of another test where six lots of steer calves, heifer calves and yearling heifers have been fed varying rations will be given out by Prof. R. R. Thalman, who is in charge of the day's program. On test 150 days, the experiment will show how heifers and steers do on limited corn ration with silage and cottonseed cake as supplements.

#### SCHOOL NOTES

The Holt County Spelling Contest was held at the O'Neill High School Auditorium Friday night. The contest was very interesting and brought out some very keen competition. Eileen Kelly of St. Mary's Academy carried off first place, and Catherine McNichols was second. In group four Billy Whitehead, of Stuart, set down all opposition, with Joyce Catron of Chambers winning second place. Competition was much keener in group three, than in group four.

I want to remind those who are interested, that the next State Teachers Examinations will be held on Saturday, April 20th. All registration numbers must be purchased at this office one week in advance of the examination. This will do away with having to issue a false number or a temporary number, at the place where the examination is to be given.

Mumps, Small Pox and Chicken Pox are still raging thruout the county. Parents are urged to keep children out of school if they show symptoms of disease. They run their own risks in attending parties, theaters, and group gatherings of any kind. We cannot blame the schools solely for this, as children are less apt to catch contagious disease at school than they would be at any public gathering.

If your children have not been vaccinated it would be well to do so at once. We should not endanger the health of others thru our own carelessness.

School boards should be careful in making selection of their teachers. Qualifications, should have an important bearing, however, if a teacher is doing good work, the board should re-hire the teacher. Personal likes or dislikes should not be taken into consideration in the hiring of a teacher. Three points should be taken into consideration in hiring the teacher, character, qualifications and ability.

We should not discriminate against the normal training teacher. Remember, they all must have a chance and if we do not give them this chance, they will never be able to teach.

#### County Superintendent.

**GAMBLE'S APRIL SALE!** Mary, our buildings certainly need paint—and here's our opportunity—\$1.49 per gal. on good outside paint at Gambles during April. 4-in Paint Brush, 98c — Screen Paint, 25c qt.—and they have a full line of Inside Paints and Varnishes, too—Expert Outside White, \$1.19-gal.

#### Supervisors' Proceedings

(Continued from page 4.) issued for the amounts as shown by the petitions. Carried.

Motion by Stein, seconded by Carson, that the Atkinson Graphic, Ewing Advocate, Chambers Sun and the O'Neill Frontier be designated to publish the Supervisors proceedings for the year 1935. Same to be paid for at the rate of one cent a line.

Carried. At 5:00 P. M., on motion, Board adjourned until March 1, 1935, at 9:00 A. M.

John Sullivan, Chairman. John C. Gallagher, Clerk. O'Neill, Nebraska, March 1, 1935, 9:00 A. M.

Holt County Board of Supervisors met as per adjournment. All members present. Meeting called to order by the Chairman. Minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion were approved as read.

The following claims were audited and approved and on motion were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the General Fund in payment of same:

J. C. Stein	\$43.00
John Steinhauser	28.00
John Steinhauser	48.33
John Sullivan	70.00
Ed. J. Matousek	31.80
John A. Carson	68.50
J. C. Stein	33.10
Louis W. Reimer	44.26
Esra W. Cooke	39.40

Board spent the rest of the forenoon in auditing Road and General claims.

At 12:00 noon, on motion Board adjourned until 1:00 P. M.

John Sullivan, Chairman. John C. Gallagher, Clerk. O'Neill, Nebraska, March 1, 1935, 1:00 P. M.

Holt County Board of Supervisors met as per adjournment. All members present. Meeting called to order by the Chairman.

The following claims were audited and approved and on motion were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the General Fund in payment of same:

R. E. Gallagher	\$ 25.00
Elmer Hagensick	10.00

O'Neill National Bank	110.83	Harry Bowen	12.50
J. B. Mellor	8.08	Bert Finley	54.00
Occidental Bldg & Loan Association	36.57	Zeffa M. Stein	15.00
P. J. McManus	2.45	O'Neill Gen. Hospital	33.00
Dr. O. W. French	5.00	Seth Noble	1.02
L. H. Steinhauser	3.75	F. J. Biglin	9.00
Ocie Ann Rumsey	16.80	Mrs. E. J. Gill	9.40
Robert Williams	3.00	F. L. Stuart	3.00
Wm. Hasper	26.10	Carl Dahlsten	23.83
Wm. J. Thramer	6.90	Ira L. Livingston	55.05
O'Neill Gen. Hospital	40.00	Orton Young	22.30
Seth Noble	2.30	Edna Lofquist	4.30
Seth Noble	28.98	Fred Sisson	4.20
F. J. Biglin	9.00	Leonard Bazelman	2.00
Frances Bazelman	34.07	Motion by Stein, seconded by Cook, that we discontinue publishing the names of those persons receiving (Continued on page 8, column 4.)	
Ind. Lbr. & Coal Co.	52.20		
Chris Gathje	97.50		
Ira L. Livingston	8.00		
W. P. Miller	4.30		
Howard Miller	4.30		
Roy Hagedorn	4.00		
Clinton McKim	12.00		
Harty Laundry	6.00		
First National Bank	5.00		
O'Neill National Bank	375.50		
J. B. Mellor	7.00		
Emily Bowen	3.50		
Emily Bowen	7.00		
Mrs. William Welch	2.00		
F. J. Steinhauser	3.75		
Sam Kaup	3.75		
Nicholas Simons	14.00		

#### COMBINATION SALE

Thursday, April 11th 1:00 P. M. WE SELL EVERYTHING Good milk cov. needles, thread, soap, furniture, etc. Come To This Sale! JOHN L. QUIG, Mgr. Coleman, Moore & Wilkensen Auctioneers

## PAYING CHICKS!

Like produces like, and no chick will make a thrifty growth or be a good producer if it is out of inferior, poorly bred parents.

The O'Neill Hatchery has culled and mated flocks for seven years. See what we offer you:

1. Health chicks from flocks tested for Fowl Thyphoid and Bacillary White Diarrhea.
2. Flocks culled by a licensed, approved inspector for color and standard quality. And culled several times for egg production.
3. Egg production is fixed by breeding, therefore we not only cull our hens but cockerels are from high production females.

Standard Weight, Standard Color, egg production and health are combined in a high degree in our chicks.

LEGHORNS and HEAVY MIXED	Per Hundred \$7.50
HEAVY BREEDS	8.50
WHITE ROCKS from Pedigreed Males	9.50
BUFF ORPHINGTONS from Byers Males	9.50

## O'Neill Hatchery

Charter No. 5770 Reserve District No. 10

#### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

### The O'Neill National Bank

of O'Neill, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business on March 4, 1935

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$ 60,818.54
Overdrafts	154.48
United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed	225,041.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	81,584.88
Banking house, \$3,200.00. Furniture and fixtures, \$1,600.00	4,800.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	1.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	\$190,862.88
Cash in vault and balances with other banks	184,988.38
Outside checks and other cash items	491.45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Other assets	2,752.09
Total Assets	\$753,994.70

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits, public funds, and deposits of other banks	\$358,332.39
Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds and deposits of other banks	100,247.85
Public funds of states, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	85,159.71
United States Government and postal savings deposits	959.96
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	29,805.74
Total of above five items:	
(a) Secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	\$ 40,000.00
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	528,505.65
(c) Total Deposits	\$574,505.65
Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
Capital Account:	
Common stock, 500 shares, par \$100 per share	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits—net	29,489.05
Total Liabilities	\$753,994.70

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed	\$ 86,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	10,000.00
Total Pledged (excluding rediscounts)	\$ 96,000.00
Pledged:	
Against circulating notes outstanding	\$50,000.00
Against public funds of states, counties, school districts or other subdivisions or municipalities	46,000.00
Total Pledged	\$ 96,000.00

State of Nebraska, County of Holt, ss:

I, S. J. Weekes, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. J. WEEKES, President. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1935.

[Seal] MARJORIE DICKSON, Notary Public. My Commission expires June 5, 1935.

Correct—Attest: Emma Dickinson Weekes, E. F. Quinn, F. N. Cronin, Directors.

(This bank carries no indebtedness of officers or stockholders.)

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