

Over the County

INMAN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith, of O'Neill, were Sunday callers at the F. S. Brittell home.

Miss Virginia Watson, who is attending beauty school at Norfolk, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Watson.

Mrs. Bert Jones, of Neligh, arrived Saturday, to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Erle Renner.

Virgil Tomlinson, Robert Hut-ton, Robert Sholes, Robert Moss-man and Gordon Brittell returned Sunday to the CCC camp at Mad-ison after spending the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hancock, of O'Neill, visited relatives in In-man Sunday.

Bill Morsback, who is working on a farm near Bartlett, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morsback.

Mrs. E. Sparks and Mr. and Mrs. Mearl Sparks and two children, of Newport, stopped Sunday evening for a short visit at the F. M. Brit-tell home, on a return trip from Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Stover and son, of Chambers, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Stover's mother, Mrs. Zitella Kestenholz, who is ill.

Mrs. B. C. Ferris, of O'Neill, was in Inman Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Risor, of Stuart, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Risor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rouse.

David Morsback and J. T. Thomp-son and son drove to Orchard Sun-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sterns and family visited Sunday at the Clyde Ross home.

Mrs. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Ferris and family, of O'Neill, visited Sunday at the Frank Watson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brittell and daughter, and Mrs. C. E. Brittell and daughter, of Chambers, stopped Sunday at the F. M. Brittell home for a short visit on a return trip from Creighton.

Little Miss Olive Watson, daugh-ter of Mr. Frank Watson left Mon-day for Lincoln where she will en-ter the Orthopedic hospital for treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richter, Jr., of O'Neill, visited relatives in Inman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burival, and two children of Middle Branch vis-ited Sunday at the J. B. Meyers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tomlinson, of O'Neill, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Co-ventry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farewell and family moved to Chambers Thurs-day, where they will make their home.

The I. O. O. F. lodge, of Inman, installed the following officers at the meeting Tuesday night: Bill Jensen, noble grand; Kenneth Smith, past noble grand; Ernest Bronkhorst, vice noble grand; I. L. Watson, secretary; A. N. Butler, treasurer; T. J. Davis, right sup-porter of the noble grand; Floyd Keyes, left supporter of the noble grand; Cecil Keyes, right sup-porter of vice grand; George Colman, left supporter of vice grand; Manuel Crosser, chaplain; Ermand Keyes, warden; Lewis Kopecky, Jr., conductor; Earl Watson, right scene supporter; Karl Keyes, left scene supporter; Wilbur Brown, inside guardian; Chester Youngs, outside guardian.
Installation was in charge of Mr. Van Robertson, district deputy

grand master, of Chambers. E. W. Porter, Louis Neilson and two other Chambers members assisted him.

The Inman basketball boys en-tertained the pep squad girls at a party and hamburger fry at the school house Saturday evening.

Mr. Betts, of Broken Bow, Nebr., was in Inman Wednesday on busi-ness.

EMMETT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Abart, of Bas-sett, were Sunday dinner guests at the Chas. Abart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Beckwith are the proud parents of a baby boy born Monday night. Mrs. Beck-with and son are in Atkinson and are both well at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McGinnis and Mr. and Mrs. John Conard and Mary Lou were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Gunn and family and Andy Clark.

Elmer Von Seggern, of Wisner, Nebr., came Friday to visit Keith, Perce and Gail Abart. He returned Monday afternoon.

Mary Welsh of O'Neill spent the week end at the Jess Wills home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Beckwith ar-rived here Sunday from Billings, Montana.

The Emmet High School room enjoyed a theatre party Monday afternoon in O'Neill. The show was "Tin Pan Alley." Rev. Thomas Peacock and Guy Cole took the children and Mrs. Harold Donohoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Beckwith and Leona Ferne were dinner guests at the R. E. Young home Sunday.

W. R. Tenborg and Mrs. Ruth Wagoner and Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Connell called at the C. E. Ten-borg home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bair and fam-ily, and Mrs. Theresa Roggasch at-tended a formal wedding in Bassett Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Peacock called on Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lowery and family Tuesday afternoon and also called on Mrs. Ruth Wagoner Sat-urday afternoon.

Bonnell Tomjack visited at the Frank Schraus home in Ewing over the week end.

The annual township meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in Jim O'Connor's hall.

MEEK AND VICINITY

Mrs. Libby Nelson, May Mc-Gowan and Mrs. Delia Harrison and Mary were supper guests of Mrs. E. H. Rouse on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Karr enter-tained several friends at a Pinochle party on Saturday evening.

Guests at the W. S. Devall home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wal-ter Devall and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Devall and sons.

The Alpha Club met with Mrs. Alfred Drayton on Tuesday, Janu-ary 21.

Howard and Arthur Rouse top-ped the market with a fine truck load of hogs at the O'Neill sale on Monday.

Sam Robertson is now driving a new 1941 V-8.

Paddock township held its an-nual meeting on Tuesday, Janu-ary 21.

Mrs. Carl Pfiel and daughter, Jackie, were dinner guests of Mrs. Alfred Drayton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Peterson, of O'Neill, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Louise Peterson.

Lutheran Notes

Sunday's service at the Episcopal church will begin at 8:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3:00.
R. W. Fricke, Pastor

Methodist Church
V. C. Wright, Minister

Sunday school 10:00 a. m., H. B. Burch, Superintendent.

Public worship 11:00 A. M. Special music by the choir and ser-mon by the pastor.

The Epworth League will meet at the church at 1:15 P. M. to go to Ewing for the Mid-winter In-stitute. This includes high school age and over. Fourteen towns are represented in this group and only a limited number can go. See Miss Waldo or Helen Hagensick if in doubt.

The Womans Society of Christian Service is having the parsonage floors sanded and refinished.

The official board will meet Mon-day evening, February 3. The Sunday school board will meet on Wednesday evening, February 5.

Nebraska Banks Make Loans of \$100,000,000 During 1940

Twenty-nine per cent of Nebras-ka's commercial banks made more than 138,000 loans totaling \$100,000,000 to business firms and in-dividuals throughout the state dur-ing the first six months of 1940, according to the semi-annual sur-vey of bank lending activity made by the American Bankers Associa-tion.

The A. B. A. loan survey was participated in by 124 Nebraska banks, or 29.3 per cent of the 423 commercial banks in the state.

These 124 banks reported that they made between January 1, and June 30, 1940:

81,970 new loans	
totaling	\$45,475,959
56,423 renewals of loans	
totaling	53,914,566
315 new mortgage loans	
totaling	948,850

138,708 \$100,339,375
The average number of new loans made per bank during the six months period under review was 661 and the average size of loan was \$555.

The average number of loans re-newed per bank was 455 and the average renewal was for \$956.

The average number of new mortgage loans made per bank was 3 and the average new mortgage made was for \$3,012.

The Nebraska survey was part of a national survey of bank lend-ing activity made by the American Bankers Association. For the country as a whole 6,208 banks, or 43.3 per cent of the nation's com-mercial banks reported that they made between January 1 and June 30, 1940:

7,331,097 new loans totaling \$12,253,628,581; 6,134,178 renewals of loans totaling \$8,246,301,835; 177,398 new mortgage loans totaling \$453,653,612.

This is a total of 13,642,673 cred-it transactions amounting to \$20,953,584,028, reported for the first half of the year by less than half the country's banks.

All Around Star Sewing Club Met Recently

A regular 4-H Club meeting held at the home of Joe Jerabek was called to order by vice president Ardis Newman.

Pin cushions were judged and several demonstrations on stitches were given by members. Direc-tions for making needle case and hand towel were given by the leader.

Lunch was served to the mem-bers and one visitor, Mrs. New-man.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Janis Miles on Febru-ary 15.

Pleasant Dale School
Miss Ella Kazda, Teacher

Those who were neither absent nor tardy the past month were Daryl and Arlene Beckwith.

Harold and Robert Winkler re-ceived their gifts of a comb and pencil for selling \$1.00 worth of Christmas seals. The school re-ceived a box of anagrams.

We are enjoying a set of indoor croquet, and a set of ten pins, which Miss Kazda purchased.

Miss Kazda held a Christmas party on Tuesday, December 24. She had games and contests and whoever won received a candy bar. Santa left plenty of candy, nuts, fruit and nice gifts for both the teacher and pupils.

We made our mothers a maga-zine rack and our fathers a tie holder for Christmas.

The Golden Rod Club

The Golden Rod Club members have decided to do their bit for

the Red Cross by both sewing and knitting. They expect to meet once a month throughout the re-maining winter. Our first meeting was January 15, at Mrs. Dick Min-ton's. Why not try it, you pro-ject club members? We enjoy it, so will you.

Community Thespians Of Dorsey Are Still Active

The Dorsey Community Players presented their play, "Hillbilly Courtship" to a capacity house at Lynch last Wednesday night de-spite the weather and roads. The players are all adults and the play certainly went over well with the crowd. Each player did a pro-fessional's job with his part.

These people have spent con-siderable time on this play and have an evening's entertainment well worth seeing.

If given in your community don't miss a chance of seeing it. It will be given in Inman Hall, February 1.

More Fog, More Rain Let Them Both Come

This section of Nebraska has had more foggy weather the past six months than was ever known in this section of the state. There is an old saying that a lot of fog in the fall and winter means a lot of rain during the coming summer. If that holds true we will have a lot of rain in this section of the state during the year 1941.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Church school 10 a. m., C. E. Yantzi, Superintendent.

Divine worship 11 a. m., sermon by Rev. J. E. Durking, of Wayne, Nebr.

Anthem - Junior Choir - "The Light Has Come," Mrs. J. E. Har-bottle, organist; D. H. Clauson, director.

Congregational meeting at six o'clock of service.

You are cordially invited to wor-ship with us.

Frontier Want Ads Get Results.

BRIEFLY STATED

Front Quarter of Beef, 13 1/2c; Hind Quarter of Beef 15 1/2c at Council Oak Store. 37-1

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hallicker spent the week end visiting friends at Norfolk.

Paul L. Beha, of Oshkosh, Wisc., is visiting at the home of his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Beha.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Lockman of Bassett, spent the week end in O'Neill visiting relatives and friends.

L. R. Stout, county agent, drove to Ainsworth on Wednesday, where he attended a meeting of county agents.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schulte and son left Monday for Brookings, S. D., where they will make their home in the future.

Tom Hansen, of Elgin, Illinois, arrived here on Monday to spend a few days here visiting with old friends.

O'Neill relatives received word on Monday of the birth of a daugh-ter to Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy of Hastings, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Norb Uhl, H. J. Reardon, Jack Ernst and L. O. Johnson returned on Tuesday even-ing from Rochester, Minn., where they were during the past week, going through the clinic and hos-pital.

Holt county friends received word the latter part of last week that Mrs. O. J. Hunter, formerly of eastern Holt, died at her home

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthri-tis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. Pleasant and no trouble at all. You need only 2 table-spoonsful two times a day. Often within 48 hours - sometimes over-night - splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an abso-lute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by

O'NEILL DRUG COMPANY

G-E MAZDA ELECTRIC LIGHT BULBS
120 Volt

- 25 WATT 10c
- 40-50-60 WATT 13c
- 75-100 WATT 15c
- BEST GRADE LAMP CORD, 3 Feet 5c
- PULL CHAIN SOCKETS 15c
- FUSES 5c
- APPLIANCE PLUGS 10c
- TRIPLE OUTLET TAPS 10c
- TOGGLE SWITCHES 15c
- HEATER CORD SETS 15c
- EXTENSION CORDS, 8 ft. with 3-way service 25c
- FRICITION TAPE 5c
- Belmont ELECTRIC IRONS \$1.00
- Belmont HOT PLATE \$1.00
- Belmont SANDWICH TOASTER \$1.00

The BEN FRANKLIN Store

IT is triumph in excelsis when a man sternly denies himself present luxuries, so his family may not suffer for future ne-cessities.

The O'NEILL NATIONAL BANK

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$140,000.00

This Bank Carries No Indebtedness of Officers or Stockholders.

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

at Arvada, Colorado, on January 8, following an attack of the flu. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter lived for several years in the eastern part of this county, receiving their mail at Venus. They left here about five years ago and moved to Colorado, where they have since resided.

COUNCIL OAK STORES
YOUR FRIEND AT MEALTIME

Friday and Saturday January 24 and 25

WHAT'S MOST IMPORTANT?

Truly Thrifty Shoppers are mostly concerned about "Value." This accounts for the popularity of Council Oak, where "Real Value" is reflected in the prices in all departments. Note the "Special Values" for Week-end Shoppers.

Tender—Juicy BEEF ROASTS PER POUND 17c AND 19c	Shoulder Cut BEEF STEAK PER POUND 22c
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BULK SAUER KRAUT, Pound	4c
BLACK COD, Pound	14c
FRESH OYSTERS, Quart	45c
FRESH GROUND PURE BEEF, Pound	16c
DRY SUGAR CURED BACON SQUARES PER POUND	19c

PORK LIVER PER LB. 10c	BOILING BEEF PER LB. 14c	FRESH SIDE PORK PER LB. 15c
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FREE COWBOY GUN WITH MILLER'S WHEAT FLAKES 2 PRGS. FOR 23c

ASSORTED JELLY BEANS, Pound 10c

JELLY TART COOKIES 2 POUNDS FOR 25c
You will be delighted with this new fancy cookie. Cocoa base, topped with marshmallow, coconut and tart red jelly.

Superb Brand BLUEBERRIES NO. 2 CAN 19c	Superb Brand CORN VACUUM PACK GOLDEN BANTAM 12-OZ. CAN 10c
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"THE BETTER BREAD" POUND LOAF 7c 10c
NANCY ANN 1 1/2-POUND LOAF 9c

DAWN FRESH SLICED MUSHROOMS 2 OUNCE CAN 9c
Sliced thin for the Best Steak Gravy.

WHOLE GRAIN WHITE RICE 2-POUND BAG 10c

GOLDEN BROWN SUGAR 2-POUND BAG 10c
Keep a supply on hand for pancake syrup, for baked beans and the Caramel frosting.

BULK DATES 2 POUNDS FOR 25c
Most desirable Fruit for Salad and for cakes and cookies.

GERBER'S BABY FOODS PER CAN 7c	YELLOW LABEL LIPTON'S TEA 1/2-POUND 45c 1/4-POUND PKG. 25c
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COUNCIL OAK COFFEE POUND 23c 3-POUND BAG 66c
Save the empty bags and start a set of 22-carat Gold Pattern Dishes.

MEDIUM SIZE SWEET PRUNES 4-POUND BAG 21c
Sweet California prunes that require the addition of very little sugar.

SUNBRITE CLEANSER 3 CANS 13c
Sunbrite for Shining pots and pans.

BROOMS EACH 59c AND 39c
Special Week-End Values. Bright, Selected Corn. Straight handles and carefully made.

P & G SOAP PRODUCTS

WEEK-END SPECIALS

CAMAY TOILET SOAP 2 CAKES	11c
IVORY FLAKES LARGE PACKAGE	21c
2 MEDIUM PACKAGES	17c
P & G NAPTHA SOAP 10 GIANT BARS	33c

TEXAS SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT DOZEN	33c
TO SLICE FOR SALAD NAVEL ORANGES DOZEN	33c
FANCY ALL-PURPOSE SPITZENBURG APPLES POUND	5c
FANCY WRAPPED DELICIOUS APPLES DOZEN	15c
FANCY CALIFORNIA HEAD LETTUCE 2 JUMBO HEADS	15c
SWEET TENDER YOUNG CARROTS LARGE BUNCH	5c

Special Horse & Mule Auction
At O'Neill, Nebraska
Monday, January 27
SALE BEGINS AT 11:00 A. M.

If you have horses or mules to sell, bring them to this auction. We will have buyers here for all kinds.

CATTLE AND HOGS

The regular hog and cattle sale will be held immediately following the horse and mule auction.

WE SOLICIT YOUR CONSIGNMENTS

O'Neill Livestock Commission Company
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The Golden Rod Club members have decided to do their bit for