

Over the County
INMAN NEWS

Miss Doris Hutton, who is going to music school in Sioux City, visited relatives and friends last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Noe and son were Sunday visitors at the W. H. Chicken home.

Mrs. Pete Cooper and son returned to their home in Orchard Friday, after spending a few days with Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson.

Roscoe Clapp drove to Plainview Thursday to attend the funeral of his father, Joseph Clapp.

John Watson spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Britell, of Chambers, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Britell Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Jones was a Sunday visitor at the Erle Renner home. Mrs. Renner returned to Neligh with her where she will visit relatives and friends for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hancock, of Wyoming, are visiting at the home of Mr. Hancock's mother, Mrs. Mary Hancock, this week.

Marvin Young, of Lincoln, spent the week end with friends and relatives.

Miss Marjorie Butler, of Lincoln, spent the week end visiting relatives and friends here.

Tom Watson spent the week end with relatives in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perkins drove to O'Neill Sunday, where they spent the day with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perkins.

Earl Stevens returned to the CCC camp at Albion Sunday, after spending the past week with relatives in Inman.

Robert Sholes, who is in a CCC camp at Madison, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sholes, last week end.

Mrs. W. C. Hancock, of O'Neill, has been visiting relatives in Inman the past few days.

Paterica Englehaupt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Englehaupt has returned home after spending a few days in the O'Neill hospital, recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Supt. W. J. McClurg, Donald Jacob, Charles Myers, J. T. Thompson and Graydon Hutton drove to Atkinson for the drawing for the Class C basketball tournament, which will be held in Atkinson on February 26 and 27th.

James McMahon, James Kelly, Leonard Leidy and Mrs. John Young drove to Lincoln Friday and John Young returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hartigan and family were guests at the Kenneth Coventry home Sunday.

Mrs. Donald Wolfe and children of Ewing, are visiting relatives in Inman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conard and daughter of Emmet, and Helen Anspach of O'Neill, and Mrs. John Anspach of Inman, were guests at the Hardin Anspach home Sunday.

Gerald Sobotka, who is teaching school in Lincoln, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sobotka.

Laura Allen of Stuart, was an Inman visitor Sunday.

The Inman basketball team defeated Orchard basketball team on the Inman floor last Friday evening.

Stuart Hartigan of Norfolk, spent a few days last week in O'Neill on business.

EMMET NEWS

The South Side Improvement Club met last Wednesday, February 12, with Mrs. Francis Clark. The usual dinner was served after which work was done for the Red Cross. The members were all present except three. There were also five visitors present. Each member was to respond to roll call with an item about Abraham Lincoln, but since the reporter was late there is not a full report on that phase of the meeting. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Rose Tenborg March 12.

Miss Ilene Grutsch and pupils enjoyed a Valentine party Friday afternoon with several little guests present.

H. S. Bair of Bassett, Bruce Shald of Stuart, F. V. Kinkaid of Bristow visited at the J. S. Bair home Monday.

Mrs. Vern Conger of Ong, Nebr., came to visit at the Thomas Peacock home Monday. Mrs. Conger is their granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Donohoe were dinner guests at the John Hickey home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bonenberger and son visited at the Barney Bonenberger home in Atkinson on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Peacock and family were supper guests at the Walter Vargason home in Newport Sunday.

Mrs. Grover Shaw of Chambers, visited at the Clarence Shaw home a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. John Conard and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cole were supper guests at the Esther Cole Harris home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Beckwith and Leona Fern were visitors at the Rex Beckwith home Sunday. They also visited the Frank Hadza home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bair and family and Mrs. Theresa Roggach were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. S. J. Kalblinger in Valentine.

Rev. and Mrs. Peacock attended a sale in Mariaville, Nebr., Monday where they spent the day visiting with a lot of old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Donohoe attended an anniversary party Saturday evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Donohoe of O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox and family were dinner guests at the Henry Kloppenborg home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tenborg were dinner guests at the W. R. Tenborg home, in honor of Larry Tenborg's birthday.

Marjory Foxworthy of Newport, spent the week end at the Thomas Peacock home.

W. P. Dailey, who was ill last week with the flu, is much better this week.

Mrs. Joe Ziska is very ill this week and Pat McGinnis has a slight touch of the flu, also.

The Emmet Epworth League enjoyed a Valentine party Friday evening in the basement of the Methodist church.

The High school room and their teacher, Mrs. Harold Donohoe, went on a theatre party Monday evening to O'Neill. Clifford Anderson took them down.

Larry Tenborg, who left Tuesday evening for a year's military training, was honored at a pinocle party Monday evening at the Clarence Shaw station. Everyone wishes him luck the coming year.

The Community Club met last Friday evening at the D. C. Schaffer school house, where all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Sunday visitors at the Gaines Rzeszatorski home were: Mr. and Mrs. Osteen Moore of Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reese and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schrunk of Atkinson.

MEEK AND VICINITY

Dinner guests on Sunday at the Will Devall home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Devall and William Storjohann and Louis Lauridson, of Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Jones entertained several guests at cards on Saturday evening. Jack Moler won high score for the men and Mrs. Mart Schelkopf won high score for the ladies. Oswald Druke received low score for the men and Ray Devall low score for women.

Arthur Rouse left on Sunday morning for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he will receive medical treatment.

Charles Fox and Walter Devall trucked calves to O'Neill on Monday.

Dan Hansen recently purchased a pickup from Keatings in Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mulhair, of Lynch, spent Sunday at the Dan Hansen home.

Mrs. Gardner Taylor, of Fairfax, So. Dak., spent Sunday with Mrs. Carrie Berg and also at the Dan Hansen home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Karel have been on the sick list the past week. Clarence and Howard Devall made a business trip to Atkinson on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Borg entertained for Clarence Devall on Monday evening. Mrs. George Hansen received high score for ladies and Blake Benson, high score for men.

Mrs. Elmer Devall received low score for ladies and Sam Robertson received low score for men. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Schelkopf motored to Geneva, Nebraska, on Thursday, returning home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Devall and sons and Walter Devall were dinner guests at the Will Devall home on Tuesday.

Game Bills Puts Senator Asimus In Limelight

Tony Asimus, the tall, broad shouldered freshman senator from the Twenty-eight district whose maiden legislative efforts aroused statewide protest, took defeat philosophically. His three wildlife bills were killed in committee last week.

"I was thinking of my people in the drought area. I sought to lighten their burden," he says.

Asimus is the O'Neill oil dealer and grocer who scored one of the November election's most startling upsets by unseating Frank Brady, Atkinson.

Thus did he explain his reason for asking that farmers be permitted to hunt and fish on their lands without payment of license fees:

"I was born and raised on a farm and know that the farmer feeds and protects game. He is the best game protector we have, but the city fellows come onto the farm and shoot off the game, kill poultry and live stock and leave gates open.

"I sincerely believe the city hunters should pay for this privilege. What would a city dweller think if a farmer came onto his yard and tramped down his flowers and knocked over fences?"

"We've been hard hit by drought. I sought a reduction to \$1 in the license cost to help these people, many of whom can't afford the \$1.50 fee."

Also killed was his measure to tax hunting dogs \$15 each, the money to replace that lost by license reduction.

His voice raised just a trifle when he discussed fishing conditions in Holt county.

"The game commission had made a lot of promises about improving fishing in our county, but after stocking a lake they put up no fishing signs.

"I know for a fact that in all of Holt county there are not more than two lakes open to fishing where my people can fish without paying a daily fee."

Tony Asimus says he is going to "keep on trying to help my people." —Sunday, Omaha World-Herald.

Holt County Senator Has Amendment To Game Laws That Wins Acclaim

The following appeared in Sunday's World-Herald, written by Howard Wolff:

"An amendment to Section 37-406, Compiled Statutes of Nebraska, would put teeth in the present law to provide for the passage of water over or through dams or

other obstructions in order to preserve fish life.

"Introduced by Senator Tony Asimus of the Twenty-eight district, the amendment provides:

"That the owner of such dams or obstructions shall permit enough water to flow over or through the dams to maintain such a level of water in the stream or river below the dam so as to preserve fish life in each stream or river."

"The amendment would fine violators not less than \$50 nor more than five hundred dollars.

Carl F. Nelson, Spencer, Nebr., cites conditions on the Niobrara river in urging the amendment's passage.

"He says the dam on the Niobrara near Spencer has been ruinous to fish life below it, not only preventing natural migration from the Missouri river, but actually causing a heavy loss due to lowered waters.

"Senator Asimus' amendment would empower the state game commission to make necessary adjustments or repairs to assure adequate fishways and recover the cost from the owner."

Vacation Week Observed By St. Mary's Academy

St. Mary's Academy observed its annual vacation week from February 10 to 14. Local representatives of business, farm and professional life met in St. Mary's Assembly for a symposium on vocational work. The speakers made it their plan and purpose to discuss vacations and avocations in a simple helpful manner, so that the pupils might be guided in their preparation for a life work. They met Wednesday, February 12. Miss Elja McCullough represented the teaching profession with its rural or small town background. Mrs. Frank Froelich epitomized the work of the nurse. Mrs. H. J. Coyne spoke on the influence of the mother in a Christian family. Mother M. Virginia, of St. Mary's faculty, gave a clear and candid picture of religious life.

To represent cattlemen and ranchers, Mr. Robert Lucas, gave an enlightening and interesting expose on the art of successful breeding. Doctor J. P. Brown represented the medical profession.

1938 19.54 Total 2.90
1939 14.00 Five and A Half Months 1948-49
1940 17.12 September, 1940 .59
Five and A Half Months 1940-41 October, 1940 1.80
September, 1939, 1.09 November, 1940 1.47
October, 1939, .55 December, 1940 .84
November, 1939, .50 January, 1941 .80
December, 1939 .42 To Feb. 15, 1941 .37
January, 1940, .29
To Feb. 15, 1940 .58 Total 5.97

After the general discussions, the speakers were assigned conference rooms and student groups consulted their several chosen leaders. The reaction was favorable and though pro-cave, and the vacation project was considered a general success.

Retreat for the student body follows immediately on Vacation week. It opens on Tuesday, February 18 and closes February 21. Rev. Father McDonnell, S. J., of St. Louis, is conducting the retreat.

Precipitation Here For The Past Eleven Years

Following is the precipitation in this county, by years, for the past eleven years, as taken from the records kept by Federal Observer Bowen. Also shown here is the precipitation for the months of September, October, November and December, 1939, and the months of January and up to February 15, 1940 and the same months in 1940 up to February 20, 1941. It will be noted that we have had three and seven hundredths of an inch more precipitation during the past five and a half months than we had during the same period last year, which seems to indicate that we have a good year ahead of us, or at least we all hope so. The figures are as follows:

Year	Amount inches
1930	18.00
1931	16.05
1932	22.58
1933	16.67
1934	15.40
1935	21.43
1936	14.42
1937	20.93

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