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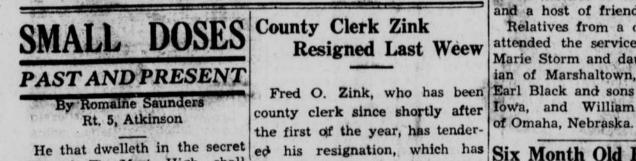
Lt. Neil Brennan Given

Pioneer of Northeast Another O'Neill Man Makes Supreme Sacrifice For Country Funeral Services for Mrs. Lt. Neil Brennan was recently awarded the Distinguished Ser- Mrs. Eliza Wilcox passed away at her home in this city last Mon. Heavy Wind Last Thursday

their son, First Lieutenant Mich- entered the army in 1941.

about twenty-two months ago. and cousins. Luzon.

city on June 28, 1917, and would us today do enjoy. have been 28 years of age on June 28. He grew to manhood in this city, attended school and was friends f the family in tendering emy with the class of 1935. After their hour of sorrow.



road.

giving them the sad news that where he was employed until he in the Mineola cemetery.

armed forces for over four years, Harty, in the engineers and now Linquist.

erations to come will be able to thirteen.

Michael Harty was born in this enjoy the liberties that these of

The Frontier joins the many

and a host of friends.

county clerk since shortly after Iowa, and William Sorenson of

Awards For Heroism Holt Passes Away ed from the Biglin funeral par- vice Cross and the Silver Star in day morning at 5:15 a.m., after an Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harty re- graduation he entered the laun- lors at O'Neill Wednesday after- Germany. The citation for the illness of about three weeks, of

ceived a telegram from the War dry and dry cleaning establish- noon by Rev. Earl Wingberg of Distinguished Service Cross reads cerebral thrombosis, at the age of day evening struck through Bowling Alley started to burn, Department last Monday morning ment of his father, W. H. Harty Brunswick. Interment was made as follows:

Pall bearers were four grand- Brennan, ,01019146, Infantry, morning at 10 o'clock from St. panes broken, telegraph poles at Inman and Brunswick alael Eugere Hart: was killed in Lt. Harty is survived by his sons, Charles, William, and John Company B, 735th Tank Battal- Patricks Church, Rev Daniel blown over and many small though O'Neill was reported to action on L 1200 on May 20, 1945. parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sorenson and Robert Nissen and ion, United States Army. For Brick officiating and burial in small buildings were blown over. have had the worst of the storm." Lt. Harty had been in the Harty, two brothers, Cpl. James two nephews, Nels and Albert extraordinary heroism in con- Calvary cemetery.

being sworn into the service on supposed to be on his way to the Mrs. Christine Sorenson passed against an armed enemy in Ger- of England and came to the on February 18, 1941. He was in Pacile Islands, and Pfc. Jack away at the Wayne Hospital, many. On 12 January 1945, Lieuthe Infantry and attended offi- Harty, of Little Rock, Arkansas, Wayne, Nebraska, on June 4, 1945 tenant Brennan commanded a locating at Fullerton, Nebr., The damage. Hundreds of small and Many other small barns and cers training school and in Oct- who arrived home last evening at the age of 80 years, 4 months platoon of the 735th Tank Battalober, 1942, at Columbus, Georgia, for a short furlough with the and 4 days. Christine Sorenson ion during action to reduce a of years and on August 26, 1895, surrounding territory were up- been blown away or completely he received his commission. He home folks, Miss Mary was born Jnuary 30, 1865 in pocket of resistance near Wiltz, she was united in marriage to rooted, and some window panes destroyed. The Northwestern was stationed at Fort Lewis, Harty, Chicago, Illinois, and Miss Denmark. She was united in Germany. In the course of the Absolem Wilcox, the ceremony in the down town area were railroad officials estimated that Was stationed at Letting broken out. The high wind also they had between forty and fifty Washington, and from there was Helen, at home. He is also sur- marriage t oAnton Sorenson in attack, infantry elements the being performed at Central City, broken out. The high wind also they had between forty and fifty sent overseas to the Pacific area, vived by several uncles, aunts 1885. Two years later they came tank platoon supported became Nebr., and she had been a resito America and settled at Os- leaderless, and the tanks were dent of this city and county ever ademy and the loss there is esti- between Inman and O'Neill. An

He participated in several of the Lt. Harty was an outstanding mond, Nebraska. To this union halted by a concentration of since, having come here with her nated at close to five hundred eighth of an inch of rain accompbattles for control of the Pacific young man and had a host of six children were born Chris and mines. Without hesitation, Lieu- husband right after their mar-Islands and was also in the suc- friends in this city and surround- Sorenson Sorenson of Page; tenant Brennan dismounted from riage. cessful battle for Manila. He ing country, who will sincerely Marie Storm, of Liscomb, Iowa, his tank, organized the infantry To this union was born one called when some power lines in years. was evidently still battling in the mourn his passing; he gave his and John Sorenson of Cocolalla, and fearlessly led an assault daughter, Mrs. Helen Mullen of Philippines for the message stat- life for his country, that others of Idaho. One daughter, Anna pre- against the German positions, in- this city, who is left to mourn the ed that he met his death on the rising generation and the gen- ceded her in death at the age of spiring the met by his heroic passing of a kind and affectionate O'Neill Residents leadership. Boldly in the lead, mother. Mr. Wilcox passed

They moved from Osmond to a armed with a sub-machine gun, away in 1909. She is also survivfarm twelve miles north of Page he charged the enemy in their ed by four sisters and two where they resided until her hus- foxholes and singlehandedly des- brohters. One of her brothers, Annual Business Meeting of the Officer Lloyd R. Vequist has band's death on March 21, 1918. stroyed a machine gun nest. William Townsend, of Norfolk, Stock Growers Association June graduated from an intensive Besides her children and grand- Under Lieutenant Brennan's de- was present at the funeral, as was 14, 15, 16 are making an urgent course in transition flying for the graduated from St. Mary's Acad- sincere consolation to them in children she leaves one sister, termined leadership the objective also one of her sisters, Mrs. Jesse appeal to the people of O'Neill to Air Transport Command, at a Mrs. Anna Linquist of O'Neill was attained. The fearless cour- Shepherd of San Barnadino, Cal. house the many people who will school conducted by the 5th Operand a number of other relatives age he displayed and his devotion Other relatives from out of the be here on those days. As near ational Training Unit, Ferrying Relatives from a distance who traditions of the military service. eral services, were: Dr. and Mrs. be around 500 here for this meet- Springs Army Air Base, Califorattended the service were; Mrs. Neil Brennan is the son of Mrs. F. George Stevens, Sioux Falls, S. ing. The hotels and tiurest nia, according to Lt. Col. Robert Marie Storm and daughter, Mar- M. Brenan, and the late Colonel D., Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Morton, camps will be able to accomodate J. Goewey, Cmmanding Officer. ian of Marshaltown, Iowa; Mrs. Francis Brennan. He has mailed Mrs. E. A. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. about 100. This leaves 400 that Flight Officer Vequist was se-Fred O. Zink, who has been Earl Black and sons of Liscomb, both medals to his mother here. Charles Morton, Bassett; Mrs. P. must be housed. If you have an lected from his previous station

These Boys Will Be

Another Pioneer Passes

74 years and nine months. The O'Neill and vicinity leaving but no damage was done.

to duty exemplify the highest city who were present at the fun- as can be ascertained there will Division of the ATC, Palm

Bea McGinnis, Omaha. Mrs. Wilcox was a charming hotel. The guests, will of course, vanced instrument flying in order

Passes Away In City Considerble Damag Caused By

Destructive winds last Thurs- the alley behind the Peterson's

NO. 4

To First Lieutenant Neil F. funeral was held Wednesday many trees uprooted, window The wind also struck severely Although it lasted but seven A large barn on the D. D. Hunt nection with military operations Eiza Townsend was a native minutes the wind storm was es- residence north of O'Neill was struck the roof of St. Mary's Ac- large telegraph poles blown down storm the fire department was worst storm seen here in several

Please Take Notice

The housing committee for the

Meeting

of

Association.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

Evening Session

10:00-Public Dance at Dance-

FRIDAY, JUNE 15th

land

Engineer, Lincoln.

11:30-Luncheon Recess.

Welcome,

Irwin Adamson.

ian Church, O'Neill.

2:15—Address of

Palm Springs, Calif.-Flight

In The Air Forces

D. Mullen, Nebraska City; Miss available room in your home to take this course and in addition please contact or call Golden to undergo throrough study in adlady and had a host of friends in be willing to pay for their rooms. to equip the difficer pilot for the long hours of flight over the great distances. Pilots graduating from this school will play an important part in the missions of the Ferrying **Fifty-Sixth Annual Business** Division of the Air Transport Command in the transportation of personnel, material, to the far The Nebraska Stock Growers flung battle fronts of the Pacific war against Japan. They may also fly the wounded back from 1:00 - Band Concert, O'Neill these areas to hospitals here in the United States. 2:00-Call to Order, President

Another Holt County

place of The Most High shall been accepted by the county abide under the shadow of The board and now he is out of office. Almighty. Ps. 91:1.

their two boys of Grand Island, been suffering from failing eye- Eugene LeRoy Lawrence died at visited their father on prairieland sight for the past three months his home in this city Wednesday and Mrs. H. E. Eno of Lincoln, and his physician told him he morning at 11:30 a.m., after an illlast week.

urers but they don't know how having business with the county Patrick's Church and burial in to make a cake. Big bakery clerk's office regret to see him Calvary cemetery. companies should call in the wo- leave the position, but everyone men who will show them how to wishes him the best of everything The Following Will Be do it.

Tom Baktr, manager of the Riley ranch, the oldest Shorthorn the Atkinson schools. The childbreeders in Holt county, feels he ren have been learning something is in important company. The of practical value in the school Breeders' Gazette has written to room the past school year. The tell him that President Truman sweaters seem to compare favorwas a Shorthorn breeder down in ably with anything the factories Missouri. This sets better with offer and have an additional charm the country folks than the stor- of cilor, wrought into things of ies that Mr. Truman was once a value by childish hands. The probate judge and later had supply is to be turned over to the shady connections with the Pend- Red Cross and will bring comfort ergast ring in Kansas City. If to some of earth's needy. There you are interested in purebread are teachers in the Atkinson cattle you are not likely to tie up grades who are heading youngwith off breed politicians, Tom sters on the right educational thinks.

When life's flickering torch went out and the vice-president more? Ye will revolt more and became the chief-executive, cour- more: the whole head is sick and tesy, a decent respect for the dead the whole heart is faint. From the called for a statement of policy sole of the foot even unto the following the groove already head there is no soundness in it, made. Mr. Truman did that in but the wounds and bruises and language involving certain hints. putrefying sores: they have not The hints are being disclosed. 'been, closed, neither bound up, First a cabinent shift. Now the neither mollified with ointhorrible Mr. Hoover responded to ment." an invitation to the White House flaming message. War, famine, and spent nearly one hour in con- prison camps, nameless horrors tion recognizes this, supplemented on a star-lit night, search the hea- registration.

stuff to sell is shown in stores, message, an invitation, for those maybe yet the fatuous bull in the in revolt. "Come now and let us China shop. When I saw up at reason together." What, do we large window display was of the the grand assemblies.

Mr. Zink regretted to retire

A nation of efficient manufact- Fred was a good officer and those morning at 10 o'clock from St.

and hopes that his eyesight will be restored shortly.

June:

Star "Why should ye be stricken any Stuart Louis H. Shald Page

Thus Isaiah opens his mankind sunk in despair? This invitation to the business and

Six Month Old Baby Dies Of Pneumonia

Eugene LeRoy Lawrence, the of June. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Saunders and from the position, but he has six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. would have to get out of the ffice ness of five days of pneumonia. to protect his eyes, so he resigned. The funeral was held this

Inducted This Month

List of registrants leaving for nduction during the month of

> O'Neill Claude G. Callen John E. Schultz Kenneth G. VanEvery Atkinson Robert E. LeMunyan Donald H. Focken George J. Schaaf John E. Troshynski Calvin H. Henderson James L. Berigan, Jr. Amelia Harlan A. Dierking Raymond J. Noble Michael P. Schaaf Raymond A. Estes

Richard A. Trowbridge Innman Wallace D. Hopkins

NOTICE Members of the Commercial,

and Mr. Landon to visit the tions and through the open space welcome to attend any of the Miss Patricia Kirk of Spencer. White House, shows Mr. Truman of Orion spiritual vision may dis- sessions of the meeting. The himself to be of large proportions. cern the answer. Is stricken Stock Growers extend a cordial

Board of Equilization

than twenty days. home.

Examined This Month

O'Neill Fraser T. Haglen Bernard L. Madison William A. Strong William E. Lieske Claude Neal John J. Murray Donald W. Coleman Francis L. Hershiser Francis E. McDermott Leon L. Uhl Lionel R. Babl Horace C. Sholes James F. Earley Stuart Paul H. Kunz Alfred M. Hamik Atkinson William L. Weller Donald R. Wondercheck Willard E. Fowler John E. McDonald Joseph G. Laible Charles F. Weichman

Floyd Spence Paul L. Kubitchek Robert K. Kissinger **Chester Frisch** Robert R. Pease Daryl D. Johnson Ewing Joseph G. Funk Donald D. Funk Dustin Oscar R. Wondercheck Chambers Zane M. Rowse

Grand Daughter Of Thomas Donlin Married

Omaha World-Herald. Several Club, other business and pro- guests who arrived for the wedfessional men, and their wives, ding Saturday of Miss Mary George Meals, one of our largsultation with the president. —the world has been, stricken who wish to attend the banquet of the Nebraska Stock Growers — the st cattlemen and farmers, who Present and Post-War Period" more as a great and able Ameri-can. That the new administra-volt. Revolt from what? Go out and dance tickets will be sold to those who register at the time of the visitors are Mr. and Mrs. Tickets will be lin grandfather of Miss Regan, tion recognizes this, supplemented by invitations to both Mr. Dewey by invitations to both Mr. Dewey tion and through the open space tion and through the open

John Kee, living near Emmet, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Afternoon Session (RoyalTheater) Most every combination of same Isaiah was given another tuff to sell is shown in stores, message, an invitation, for those

his subscription to The Frontier. The Holt County Board of Miss Winifred Coyne left Wed- home, the former R. R. Dickson ident C. J. Abbott. Atkinson the other day a hard- have a chance to talk it over, Supervisors will meet as a Board nesday morning for her home at residence. ware store window given over to make emends and get started on of Equilization on June 12, 13, & Denver, Colorado, after spending the display of sweaters and other the right track? "Though your 14, for the purpose of htaring com- several weeks here visiting at the A group of friends dropped in- 2:00-"Activities of the Ways knitted articles I wondered what sins be as scarlet they shall be plaints and equilizing the assess- home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John and Means Committee of the U.S. C the hardware business had come white as snow. . . . If ye be ment of property for the year of Tom Coyne. Miss Martha Jan- Wells of this city Sunday after- Congress"-Carl T. Curtis, Memto. Stepping inside for enlighten- willing and obediant." And 1945. The law provides that this ousek accompanied her to Den- noon. The occasion was a surment it was explained that the there it is, the cause, the cure. Board must be in session for at ver and will visit there and at prise party for her birthday. 2:30- The Joint Liveston Committee and Its Program"-P. products of the lower grades of Adjourn the world courts, dismiss least three days and for not more Ogallala, Nehr., before returning Bridge was played, which was O. Wilson, Secretary, Joint Live-

this city, where she had made her List of registrants leaving for home for so many years, and they Program Stock preinduction during the month will miss her cheerful and pleas- Growers Meeting ing companionship and words of comfort and cheer. 1945 PROGRAM

O'Neill Boy Making

Good In Casablanca ATC Air Base, Casablanca-Pfc. Anthony E. Rohde, son of Mr. and Mrs. Romaine Rohde of Afternoon Session (Roya: Theatre) Spencer, Nebr., is taking part in High School Band. the air movement of a war half

way around the world. Pfc. Rohde is stationed at Casa- 2:00-Invocation, Rev. Kenneth Phillip Yarnall Now blanca Air Base, the Hub of the J. Scott, Pastor, First Presbyter-North African Division through

Europe enroute to the United 2:30-Response, Honorable Sam States and the Pacific. This has R. McKelvie, Valentine, Nebr. as the "greatest logistic move of Alliance.

el Alexis B. McMullen.

emy in O'Neill, Nebr., Rohde was Club at the Country Club. Glendale, California.

ion Stock Yards, Omaha. Much of the bitterness brewed wounded, bruished and left bleed-out of a grave national crisis and ing. And strivings now to suck Science and the banduct of the Nebraska Stock Growers out of a grave national crisis and ing. And strivings now to suck Science and the banduct of the Nebraska Stock Growers Science and the banduct of the Nebraska Stock Growers Association to be held on Friday Friday coupled given by Mr and berg, President, American Meat

Miss Donna Gallagher arrived Institute, Chicago. Rosary College, to spend the summer here visiting at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Wilson and Stock Growers' Wives, O'Neill. family moved into their new

Industry,,-Edward Wilson, Pres-

2:30-"The Joint Livestock

followed by a delicious lunch. stock Cimmittee, Chicago.

An Aviation Student

Aviation Student Phillip L. Yarnall, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Yarnall, 1110 California Avenue, been termed by General Marshall 2:45—Report of Secretary- Lynwood, California, today be-Treasurer, W. A. Johnson, came a Second Lieutenant in the came a Second Lieutenant in the Army Air Forces after completing bombardier training at the Carlsbad (New Mexico) Army

Second Lieutenant Yarnall is now one of the most highly trained men in the Army Air Forces. At Carlsbad he received instruction in dead reckoning Buffet Supper. navigation as well as the standard bombardiering course.

As an officer in the Army Air Forces ready for active duty, his destination is not disclosed.

8:00-Special Meeting of the His wife is the former Delores

Miss Bonnie Reimers spent the week-end at her home in Inman.

Morning Session (Royal Theatre) 3:00-"A Forward Look"-Don 9:30-Call to Order-President Cunningham, Secretary, Sioux City Live Stock Exchange, Sioux 9:30-"Looking Ahead", Harry City.

B. Coffee President Omaha Un-4:00-Demonstration, Wilson & Co. Six-Horse Hitch. 10:00-"Meat Problems in the

Evening Session (High School Auditorium)

Dwight

Griswold. -Wardner Scott, State Highway in Washington will permit).

Remarks-Thos. Wilson, Wilson and Co., Chicago. 9:00—Dance (admittance by

12:45-Ladies Luncheon, Gold- ticket only) at Danceland. Dufiy en Hotel. Guests of the Nebraska Stock Growers' Wives, O'Neill. Belohrad's 11-piece Band. SATURDAY, JUNE 16

1:30-Call to Order, Vice-Pres- Morning Session (Royal Theatro) 9:30-Call to Order-President. 1:30-"Future of the Packing Irwin Adamson

9:30-"The National Nutrition -Program"-Dr. A. L. Miller, Member of Congress, Washington, D.

10:00-Report of Committees. Election of Officers. Meeting of Districts. Selection of 1946 Convention

Meeting of Executive Council.

employed by Lockheed Aircraft Theatre Tickets for the fadies. Corp., in Burbank, Cal., prior to Guests of the O'Neill Commercial his entrance into the armed Club. forces. His wife, Mrs. Theresa Sandhills Feeder Cattle Pro- M. Claussen, O'Neill, Nebraska. Nightingale Rohde, maintains ducers. Sam R. McKelvie, Prestheir home at 321 W. Harvard St., ident-Golden Hotel. **Marriage Licenses** Fred Grage, 57, of Chambers, and Ellen Regan, 50, of Inman, Irwin Adamson. on the 31 of May.

3:00-President's Annual Ad-His division, one of the largest dress, Irwin Adamson, Cody, in the Air Transport Command, Nebraska, utilizes more transport command, "Command, "Problems of the Live-than all United States airlines field, Deming, New Mexico, Pres-now one combined before the war in this ident American National Livelargest air movement in history. stock Association. His base is commanded by Colon-4:00—General Announcements

A graduate of St, Mary's Acad- Guests of the O'Neill Commercial

which flow the fighting forces of John Kersenbrock, Mayor, O'Neill. the war."

