

THE FRONTIER

B. T. Winchell, 77 Died In Omaha On Thursday Morning

B. T. Winchell, prominent Holt County official, died in Omaha Thursday morning about 10:00 o'clock. He had been in ill health for some time, but had worked at the Treasurer's office until about a week ago. On Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis took him to Omaha for medical attention, but it was useless and he passed away on Thursday morning.

The body will be shipped to his home here Friday morning. No funeral arrangements had been made up to the time we went to press. He was 76 years, 10 months and 29 days of age at the time of his death.

Mr. Winchell had been a public official at the court house here for about twenty years, having served as county assessor, deputy county clerk, register of deeds, county treasurer for two terms and at the time of his death was deputy county treasurer.

He leaves besides his wife to mourn his passing ten children: Mrs. Nellie Medcalf, Chambers; John Winchell, Seattle, Wash.; Miss Catherine at home; Bert O'Neill; Mrs. Horace Rouse, of Orchard; Cpl. Alva Winchell, now in Germany; Vern of Denver; Mrs. John Davis, O'Neill and M/Sgt. Orville Winchell of Harrington, Kansas. A son and daughter preceded him in death.

A complete obituary will be given next week.

John Protivinsky, S 1c On Ship Taking Part In Occupying Japan Islands

Aboard the USS North Carolina Off Japan—John H. Protivinsky, seaman, first class, USN, 18, son of John P. Protivinsky of 610 North Colorado St., Hastings, and Mrs. Theresa Bauman Protivinsky, of O'Neill, Nebr., is serving aboard this battleship which is part of the powerful Pacific Fleet engaged in occupying Japan.

Under the operational control of Admiral William F. Halsey, USN, Commander of the 3rd Fleet, the North Carolina, one of the "glamor" ships of the Fleet, assembled with 11 other battleships, 17 aircraft carriers, five escort carriers, 20 cruisers and more than 200 other U. S. ships to carry out the first stages of the occupation of the Japanese home islands.

M-Sgt. Cleus V. Sullivan Awarded Bronze Star Medal By General Wyman

With the 71st Infantry Division in Augsburg, Germany—Master Sergeant Cleus V. Sullivan, 32, of O'Neill, and his wife, Mrs. Ruby Sullivan, Omaha, was recently awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his meritorious achievement against the enemy in military operations between March 27 and May 8, by Major General Willard G. Wyman, commanding general of the 71st Infantry Division.

Serving in the army since June 1942, Sg. Sullivan came overseas in January of this year, and is currently assigned to the (censored) of the 71st Infantry Division Headquarters in Europe.

Before entering the army he was a Division Accountant of North-eastern Division of Consumers Public Power District. He graduated from St. Mary's Academy in O'Neill.

Only Four Men To Take Pre-Induction Exams In Month of September

preinduction during the month of September:

- Spencer Harry E. Prouty
- Donald L. Bursell
- Page Ralph C. Knudsen
- Chambers Lynn L. Scholz

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their help in threshing my grain. Your kindness will always be remembered.

Mrs. M. P. Sullivan.

Commercial Club Meeting Tuesday Evening, Sept. 11.

The next regular meeting of the O'Neill Commercial Club will be held in the dining room of the Goden Hotel next Tuesday evening, September 11, at 6:45. All members are urged to attend.

BRIEFLY STATED

Miss Mary Jolly spent Sunday in Geneva visiting friends.

Miss Dorothy Kratochvil spent the week-end in Osmond visiting her parents and friends.

Miss Bonnie Reimers spent the week-end in Inman, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reimers.

Miss Bea Jardee spent the week-end in Stuart visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jardee.

Miss La Vita Lehn returned Saturday from Wahoo, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Elgin Ray returned Sunday from Kimball, Nebr., where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Maureen Keenan, of South Sioux City, spent the week-end here visiting at the P. V. Hickey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tomlinson, and daughter, Judy, of Omaha, were week-end guests at the Harold Lindberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tomlinson and son, Mickey, left Sunday for Nebraska City, where Mickey will attend school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tomlinson returned Friday from Colorado, where they had spent the past two weeks vacationing.

Miss Nadene Murray returned Friday from Kearney, where she had been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waldrop.

Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Burgess and daughter, Joanne, returned Saturday from the Black Hills, where they had been visiting friends.

Fred Osenbaugh returned Sunday from Mullen, Nebr., where he had been visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Erickson.

Pvt. Dwayne Landis, of Fort Robinson, Nebr., arrived home Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. Mae Landis and other relatives and friends.

Ensign and Mrs. Richard Mason, of Neligh, spent Friday here visiting friends. Ensign Mason was supervisor of the N. Y. A. here in 1939.

Joe Gallagher, Hugh Birmingham and Captain and Mrs. John Robert Gallagher went to Yankton, S. D., Monday, where they attend from Mullen, Nebr., where he had been overseas for two and a half years.

Mrs. Anton Toy, Sr., attended the O'Neill picnic held in Los Angeles, California, on Sunday, September 2. This is an annual event and is attended by practically all of the former residents this city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. DeBacker received word Monday that their son, Seaman second class Thomas De Backer, who recently completed his boot training at Great Lakes, has been transferred to Camp Elliott, at San Diego, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harty arrived home Saturday from Rochester, Minn. Ben, who underwent a major operation a few weeks ago, is getting along nicely and is on the way to complete recovery, which is gratifying news to his many friends in this city and over the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bohn spent Sunday in Brainard visiting relatives.

Fern Hubbard, of Lincoln, spent Labor Day week-end here visiting friends.

Mrs. Nora Quilty, of Omaha, spent Labor Day here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Bessie Brennan, of Omaha, spent Labor Day here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Bonnie Reimers spent Wednesday in Chambers attending the Holt County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brensan, of Omaha, spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kelley and family, of Fairbury, were Labor Day guests at the R. V. Eidenmiller home.

Mrs. P. J. Biglin and daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dailey, of Emmet, spent Sunday in Long Pine.

Miss Grace Suchy, of Omaha, arrived Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Frank Suchy and other relatives and friends.

Harold Lindberg returned Friday from Akron, Ohio, where he had spent the past three weeks attending a Firestone Training school.

Don Martin, of Omaha, arrived Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and other relatives and friends.

Miss Loretta Enright returned Friday from Norfolk, where she had been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Semlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lod Janousek and daughters, Mary Ann and Martha, spent Labor Day in Brainard, visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Miles came up from Omaha Saturday to spend the holiday visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miles.

Seaman 2-c Leander Druke left Saturday for his station in North Carolina, after visiting his parents, M. and Mrs. A. Shellkoph.

Seaman 2-c James Golden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Golden, left last Thursday for Great Lakes, Ill., after spending his leave here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corkle and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hansen returned Saturday from a trip through the Black Hills of South Dakota.

Seaman 2-c Thomas DeBacker left Thursday for Great Lakes, Ill., after spending a leave here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. DeBacker.

Cecil Landis and son, of Boise, Idaho, left for their home Sunday, after visiting his mother, Mrs. Mae Landis and other relatives and friends here.

Lt. Lavern Stevens, who is stationed at Eldorado, Texas, spent the week-end here visiting his wife and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Stevens at Page.

Seaman 2-c George Janousek left last Thursday for Great Lakes, Ill., after spending a leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lod Janousek and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Golden received word Monday that their son, Seaman 2-c James Golden, has been transferred from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Ill., to Camp Elliott, at San Diego, Cal.

Miss Elaine Murray will leave Friday for Sioux City, after a visit with her father, Henry Murray and other relatives and friends. She is a Cadet Nurse in training at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Funeral Services For Frank Turay To Be Held Sat. Morning

Funeral services will be held on Saturday morning at ten o'clock at St. Patrick's church for Frank Turay, who passed away at his home northeast of O'Neill on Wednesday afternoon after an illness of two months. Rev. Raymond J. Lisco will have charge of the services and burial will follow in Calvary cemetery here.

Mr. Turay was born on April 2, 1913, in Poland and came to the United States 38 years ago and made his home in Omaha until about 1925 when he moved to Holt County, and has since made his home on a farm.

He was united in marriage to Katie Boidoska in Omaha on May 21, 1913. To this union were born six children, 5 boys and one girl: Frank, now in England with a U. S. Armored Division; John O'Neill; Joseph, U. S. Army, stationed at Camp Shelby; Miss Cashmere, Stephen and Rose, all of O'Neill. He is survived by his wife and the above mentioned children.

Eagle Creek 4-H Club held meeting at the J. B. Mellor home August 26. A dinner featuring fried chicken was served before the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Murray Mellor, president. The roll call was answered by giving a safety or fire prevention hint. Ed and Bob Hynes and Stanley Benson were absent. The main topic of discussion was Achievement Day. Most of the members reported that they planned to attend. Then the meeting adjourned and both boys and girls practiced judging cattle, sheep and horses.

AAA News Notes

Loans are now being made on 1945 wheat, oats, barley and rye. These grains must meet a grading qualification and be in eligible bins before a loan is accepted. You may contact this office if you desire more information regarding loans on the above listed grain. Rates are: wheat, \$1.40; Rye, 75c; barley, 79c; oats, 44c.

Beef Subsidy. In applying for the 50c beef subsidy, may we call to your attention the fact that it is necessary that both the account of sales and the Subsidy Certificate be forwarded to this office. All applications must be filed within six days from date on Account of Sales—on all beef animals weighing 800 lbs. or more, and bringing \$13.65 locally (\$13.85 Omaha and Sioux City) and sold with certification that they will be slaughtered within 29 days—if payment is desired.

Respectfully submitted, Harry E. Ressel, Chairman. Holt County AAA Committee.

Miss Arlene Shade spent the week-end at her home in Stuart.

Miss Mary McManus left Tuesday for a couple of days visit in Norfolk.

Miss Mabelle Bauman spent the week-end at her home in Atkinson.

Miss Carolyn Neiers left Friday for McCook, where she will visit friends.

Mrs. Laurance Tenborg spent the week-end in Emmet, visiting Mrs. Gary Enbody and W. R. Tenborg.

Mrs. F. A. Miles returned Wednesday from a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Seldon at Valentine.

Yeoman 2-c and Mrs. Edward Quinn arrived Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Quinn.

Miss Josephine Minarik spent the week-end in Ewing, visiting her parents and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grutsch are the proud parents of a son, Michael John, born Tuesday morning in Norfolk. John returned Tuesday evening, but Mrs. John Protivinsky, mother of Mrs. Grutsch, will remain for a few days.

Miss Mary Hickey, of Sioux City, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Hickey.

Miss Betty Langan, of Omaha, spent the week-end here visiting her parents. She will leave this week for Scottsbluffs, where she will be employed by the Western Union Company.

Joe Havelka, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Havelka, who has been visiting here for the past week, returned to his home in Wahoo Tuesday.

Mrs. D. H. Cronin and son, Richard, went down to Norfolk Tuesday, where Richard enrolled at Norfolk Junior College for the coming year. Mrs. Cronin returned Tuesday evening.

Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell returned to her work in Sioux City Tuesday, after a vacation at home with her husband, P. J. O'Donnell and sisters-in-law, Mrs. Bea Rentschler and Anna O'Donnell.

J. M. Higgins, who has been employed at the Naval Ammunition Depot at Hastings for the past two years, arrived home on Friday.

Mrs. Art Tibbetts and Miss Arlene Kilpatrick spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Omaha visiting friends. Mrs. Tibbetts' son, Dick, participated in the All-State Legion game with an Omaha team, composed of the best Legion players of that city.

The employees of the telephone office held a farewell picnic in the City Park Friday evening, in honor of Miss Lois Osborne, who left on Monday for Omaha. She is a member of the Cadet Nurse corps and will take her training at Clarkson hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bohn and daughters, Dorothy and Marion, went to Omaha on Friday. Lt. Dorothy Bohn, who is a member of the United States Army Nurse Corps, left from Omaha to return to her post of duty, at Fort Snelling, Minn., after spending a nine day furlough here visiting her parents and other relatives and friends.

Romaine Saunders returned Tuesday afternoon and took the afternoon bus for Atkinson, on his way to his ranch home southwest of Amelia. Romaine had been in the east about six weeks and visited sections of the country that he had never seen before, including Washington, D. C. He undoubtedly enjoyed his visit to the nation's capital—he was there a week—for he met his sister, Mrs. Grace Shanner whom he had not seen for over fifty years, since she and Mr. Shanner moved from this county to southern Missouri, in the early nineties. He also put in some time with his son, Glen, wife and son in Rhode Island. On his return to Nebraska he visited at his daughters home in Lincoln and with his son, Ned, wife and family at Grand Island. He says the east is all right for those who like it, but as far as he is concerned he prefers the broad and fertile prairies of Nebraska.

PAGE NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Matuschull, of Omaha, spent two days last week visiting at the home of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Matuschull.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faelberth, of Hartington, and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nissen were Sunday dinner guests at the Don Nissen home.

Mrs. Clarence Hicks and daughter, Twila, of O'Neill, visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elton Grass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rakow drove to Ewing Wednesday of last week to visit Mr. Rakow's sister, Mrs. Bertha Talmadge. From there they went to Neligh and then to Brunswick to visit another sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pegler and son, of Omaha, spent Sunday at the Roy Parker home to visit Mr. Pegler's sisters, Mrs. Parker and husband and his mother, Mrs. Stella Pegler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dosold Lautenschlager and sons, of Orchard, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lamasin, son.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor and son, of Oakdale, were dinner and supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Steinberg and Naomi. Mrs. Taylor is a cousin of Mrs. Steinberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Matuschull received a letter from their son, Sgt. Dale Matuschull, saying he is now stationed on Luzon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Terrill and family returned home Monday from Storm Lake, Iowa, where they had visited at the home of the former's brother, Arthur Terrill and family. Mrs. Arthur Terrill was taken to a Sioux City hospital Monday. C. J. Terrill, who also had been visiting at the home of his son, stayed with the children while their parents went to Sioux City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neisus and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kirschmer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Rakow and Mr. and Mrs. James Carson transacted business at Creighton and Verdigre Saturday.

Mrs. Helen Chmeler and daughter, Julie, and Jeanie Koch, of Norfolk, spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting at the home of Mrs. Chmeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Townsend.

Miss Viola Haynes left Friday for Lynch, where she began her fourth term at the Lynch High School as principal.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Huston and Mrs. Don Huston and son, Michael, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Muehsel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Asher and son, Freddie, of Fremont, spent from Friday until Monday evening visiting at the homes of their mothers, Mrs. Margaret Anderson and Mrs. Ethel Asher.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Beelaert, of Ewing, and Mrs. Jennie Bartak and children, of Deloit, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beelaert.

Mr. and Mrs. William Williamson and granddaughter, Mrs. Dian Richards returned home Monday from Iona, S. D., where they had visited Mr. Williamson's mother and a sister and brother that also live in that vicinity. Another brother, from Des Moines, Iowa, was also visiting there at that time.

The W. S. C. S. met in the Methodist Church parlors Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Harry Harper led the devotions and Mrs. Feodor Kattner gave the lesson. Hostesses were Mesdames Nevan Ickes, Soren Sorenson and Hugh Holliday.

Rev. and Mrs. Feodor Kattner and daughter, Joy, and Mrs. Harold Heiss were Norfolk visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Mosher, of Clearwater, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Matuschull.

Mrs. J. O. Ballantyne received word from her son, Norris Ballantyne S 2c, who is stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Center, that he has finished his boot training. Because of his typing ability he has been given a permanent position in the record room of the U. S. Navy Personnel Separation Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zumbrum and daughter Shirley of Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wagner and sons of Plainview spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Hayne. Mrs. Zumbrum is a sister and Mrs. Wagner is a niece of Mrs. Hayne.

Pvt. Keith Smith arrived from Camp Fannin, Texas last Friday to spend a week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith. He will go to Hastings to visit his sisters, Mrs. E. E. Rosner and Miss Roberta Smith before going to Camp Riley, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Townsend Jr., and family, of Osage, Wyoming stopped on their way home from Whiting, Iowa Monday and visited until Tuesday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. Roy Townsend, grandmother, Mrs. Ida Townsend and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hurst and son Miller of Plattsmouth, Nebr. (Continued on page four)

Sixteen Holt County Men To Be Inducted Into The Armed Services In Sept.

Registrants to be inducted during the month of September:

- Inman Quintin L. Pojar
- Emmet Joseph R. Bellar
- Amelia Eugene T. Doolittle
- O'Neill John A. Etherton
- Walter F. Manley
- Ewing John V. Slizoske
- Donald D. Funk
- Stuart Robert J. Krysl
- Arthur H. Cadwallader
- Atkinson Joseph G. Laible
- Charles F. Weichman
- LeRoy J. Brandt
- Russell C. Everett, Jr.
- Dustin Oscar R. Wondercheck
- Raymond A. Wilcox
- Chambers Zane M. Rowse

EMMET NEWS

Mrs. Joe Ritz and daughters, Marie and Vivian, of Atlantic, Iowa, arrived last Tuesday evening to spend some time at the G. D. Janzing home. Mrs. Ritz is a daughter of Mrs. Janzing.

Father Kovar was a business caller in Stuart Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hoehne and daughter, Dolores, and son, Otto, Jr., of Boulder, Col., are visiting at the John Pruss home this week. Mrs. Hoehne will be remembered as Evelyn Pruss.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Eramett McCaffrey last Tuesday at O'Neill.

The Misses Rita Babj and Armella Pongratz and Mrs. Bernard Dusatko called at the Joe Winkler home Wednesday evening.

Miss Lottie Babj is working at the Leo Matthews home this week.

Pvt. LaVern Jurgensmier, of Fort Sill, Okla., arrived Sunday to spend his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jurgensmier.

Mrs. Joe Ritz and daughters, Mrs. G. D. Janzing and Mrs. Leonard Dusatko and girls visited Mrs. Henry Benze Tuesday afternoon.

Cpl. and Mrs. John Dovark visited at the Mike Mullen home the past week. Mrs. Dovark will be remembered as the former Helen Marie Mullen.

Misses Leona Winkler and Armella Pongratz helped Mrs. Ray Richards cook for the threshers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cain and granddaughters, Judy and Patricia Dawson, of Omaha, spent the week-end at the Cal Tenborg home. Mrs. Cain is a sister of Mrs. Tenborg.

Mrs. Joe Babj and daughters, Rose Mary and Cecelia, Mrs. Bernard Dusatko and son, Jimmy, were business callers in O'Neill Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Iscon and daughter, Luranna, of Crookston, Nebr., visited Tuesday and Wednesday at the Dugal Allen home.

Mrs. Leonard Dusatko and daughters, Helen Marie and Emily Ann, visited Mrs. Joe Ritz at the G. D. Janzing home Friday afternoon.

Father Kovar and his father, Louis Kovar, were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benze.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Allen and children, of Topeka, Kansas, arrived last week to spend some time visiting at the Dugal Allen home and to visit other relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Bonenburger and son, Duane, of Atkinson, visited at the Frank Foreman home Sunday night.

Mrs. Eva Johnson and family arrived home Sunday night, after spending two weeks at the Sam Banks home in O'Neill.

Seaman 1-c and Mrs. Lester Perry were dinner and supper guests at the Dean Perry home Sunday. Seaman Perry has just recently returned from the South Pacific. While on the Philippines he met Pvt. Joe Luth.

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