

# CHURCHES

**CENTER UNION (O'Neill)**  
Rev. M. H. Grosenbach, pastor  
The homecoming services were a real success. We had the best kind of weather, record crowds, and a record spirit of fellowship and cooperation.  
The young people of the church did well in rendering their special songs and the playlet, "The Challenge of the Cross." The thought was that each of us has a personal responsibility to God, and God has a personal reward for the true and faithful and to the sinner.  
Rev. Walter Cole, of Glenwood, Ia., a former boy of this community, brought the evening message, his subject being: "The Crisis of the Cross Roads." Our everyday choices in social affairs, in business, and in religion are helping seal our eternal destiny.  
Rev. Hollingshead, of Long Pine, gave a talk on the Sunday school lesson Sunday morning and Rev. Harry Udd, of Omaha, brought the morning message with the thought that we owe each other our prayers in times of trouble and disappointment.  
Basket dinner was served to around 200 people at noon under a tent, near the church.  
In the afternoon service, we used a sound system for the benefit of quite a number that could not get into the church for that service.  
The history of the church was given by Mrs. J. K. Ernst. Mrs. John Dick gave a few

amusing things that have happened down through the years. Mrs. Roy Cole, of Page, read some letters from old acquaintances that could not be present. The song, "O, That Will Be Glory," was sung in behalf of those who have passed on to their eternal reward. Another memory song was "The Church by the Side of the Road."  
Rev. Turner, of Minden, brought the afternoon message on "The Second Coming of Jesus Christ for His Own."  
The evening message was brought by Rev. Earl Dix, a returned missionary from Africa. His message was "Seek First the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness and All These Things Will Be Added Unto You."  
A men's quartet sang 7 songs in our homecoming event. An octette sang 2 songs, Mrs. Helen Strong sang a solo, "I'd Rather Have Jesus," Delbert Dick sang "I Won't Have to Cross Jordan Alone." The Hollingshead trio and the Homer Ernst daughter trio each sang a song.  
This is just an idea of some of our program and we all said we had a gracious time in the Lord in this 43rd annual homecoming service.  
Sunday, May 9: Preaching at 10; Sunday-school at 11; Sunday evening service dismissed on account of the baccalaureate service in the high school auditorium.

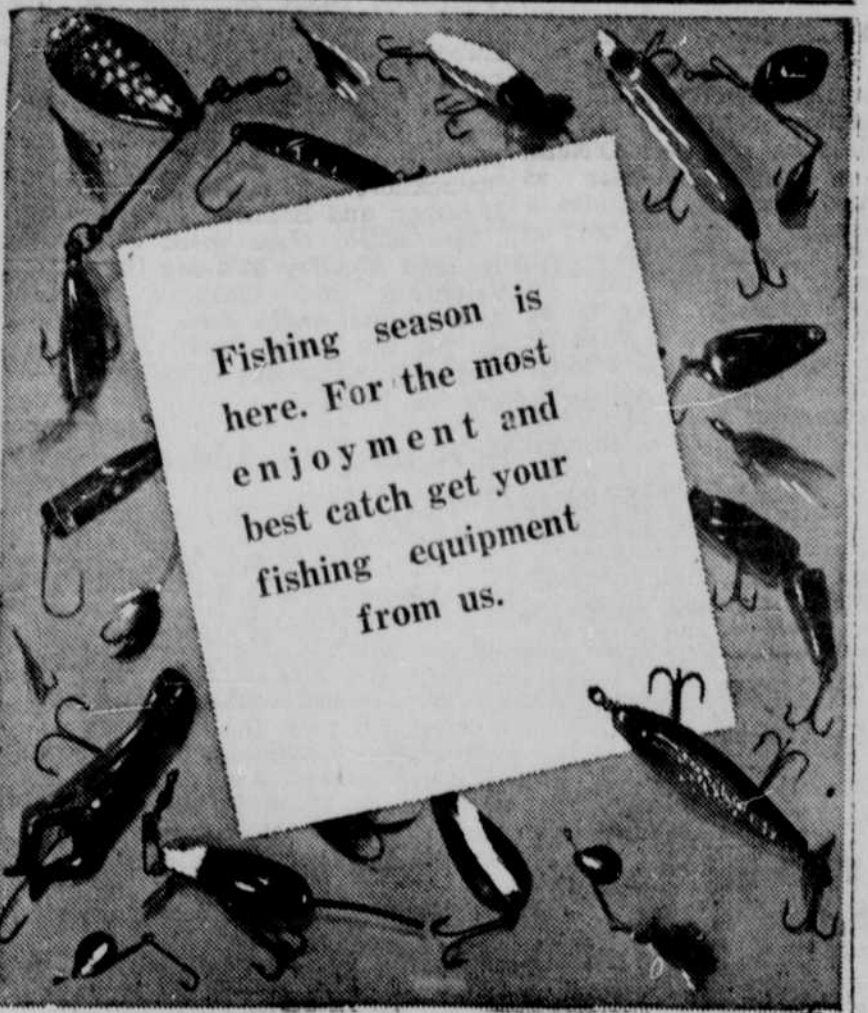
**CHRIST LUTHERAN (O'Neill)**  
Rev. Clyde O. Cress, pastor  
Sunday-school, 10:15 a. m.  
Divine services, 11 a. m.  
Sunday, May 9 (Mother's Day)  
"The Glorious Treasure of Life" is the subject of the sermon at Christ church next Sunday in which a special tribute and service will be given to the mothers on Mother's day.  
The Adult Membership class will meet at the church every Thursday at 8 p. m., beginning this Thursday, May 6. Everyone is invited to come and join in the discussion. We shall center our attention on the chief doctrines of the Bible.  
On Tuesday, May 13, the ladies of the congregation will have their meeting at the church.  
Pentecost Sunday, May 16: Holy Communion will be celebrated at 11.  
**KELLAR PRESBYTERIAN**  
Rev. J. C. Jorgensen, pastor  
Sunday-school, 10:30 a. m.

**HOLINESS (O'Neill)**  
Rev. M. H. Grosenbach, pastor  
Prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 in the church.  
Sunday, May 9: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. Sunday evening service is dismissed on account of the baccalaureate service in the high school auditorium.  
The Bible still reads: That God so loved the world that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.—John 3:16.  
June 17 to 27 are the dates for the Elkhorn Valley Holiness association camp meeting in our church.  
**ASSEMBLY OF GOD (O'Neill)**  
Rev. J. G. Hamburger, pastor  
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.  
Sunday school, 10 a. m., lesson text: "The Conversion of Saul."—Acts IX:3-12, 17-20.  
Worship, 11 a. m.  
Evening evangelistic service, 8. Special music and song.  
We extend you a hearty welcome to attend our services. Come—let us get acquainted.

records for Spring fishing last Thursday when, after appearing as an attorney in a case at Ainsworth, he drove out to Enders lake and caught some sixteen large and juicy bass. It was Mr. Harrington's first extensive experience with a casting rod, and since has made a decision to order an outfit. In the meantime, he is taking casting lessons of Ira Moss.  
The board of directors of the O'Neill Country club formally adopted the club house plans at a meeting Monday evening and also located the site of the new club house immediately north and west of the city.  
The county high school baseball tournament, in which teams from each of the seven towns of the county are entered, began last week. The players out for the O'Neill team are George Hanley, Richard Morrison, McKinley Simonson, Ralph Mellor, Joe Eha, Merle Hatz, Donald Enright, Maurice Downey, Leslie Uhl, Henry Dison, Merle Hunt and Warren Hull.

time was 2 minutes 12 seconds. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dexter and family visited Sunday in Newport at the Philip Frost home.  
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**METHODIST (Inman)**  
Rev. E. T. Baldwin, pastor.  
Church school, 10 a. m.; Harvey Tompkins, superintendent.  
Worship, 11 a. m. MYF, 7 p. m.  
The Inman Youth Fellowship is sponsoring a special Mother's day floral offering during the church hour. They also will have special singing with music by Miss Imogene Davis.  
**ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL (Neligh)**  
B. H. Cowger, Lay Assistant to Rev. E. J. Secker, Norfolk  
Prayer, 9 a. m. during the month of May.  
Choir practice every Wednesday at the church, 7:30 p. m.  
The Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Martha Fuss on Wednesday, May 12.  
**BAPTIST (Chambers)**  
Rev. L. M. McElhern, pastor  
Sunday-school, 10 a. m., Vernon Smith, superintendent.  
Worship, 11 a. m. Young people's meeting, 7 p. m. Worship, 8 p. m.

## When You and I Were Young — Carcasses on River Bottom Contrary to 'Decency'

60 YEARS AGO  
May 3, 1888

In answer to numerous inquiries from different parts of the globe as to the general welfare and prosperity of O'Neill, we would say that she never felt better in her life. Every day she adds some new enterprise to her list. Only recently a steam laundry was established here and we confidently expect a wooden shoe and horse collar factory in the near future.

There is some work in the direction of removing carrion from the bottom south of town, which should be attended to as promptly as possible. It is a shame that dead horses and cattle cannot be buried instead of hauled to the river bottom. The strong arm of the law ought to be evoked to bring about a reform in this matter. Common decency and the laws of health demand it.

The celebration of the 69th anniversary of Odd Fellowship, which was held in Atkinson on the 26th, was a grand success, a fact to which all who were present bear the same testimony. The day was a beautiful one, the sun shone and the wind did not blow.  
Judge Kincaid goes west to Sioux county the last of the week to open court there on Monday morning and we are authorized by him to say that he is not a candidate for congressional honors, in fact, he is paying little or no attention to politics.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hough, on last Wednesday, a 10-pound boy. All doing well. We sometimes indulge in a fragrant habana, Charles.

50 YEARS AGO  
May 5, 1898

Frank Bain was a caller at this office Monday, bringing with him a pocket full of cigars. We supposed that he was celebrating Admiral Dewey's victory and said we hoped he would capture many more. Then Frank spoiled it all by announcing that it was a 9-pound girl that had arrived at his home that morning.

The United States Asiatic squadron, in command of Acting Rear Admiral Dewey, delivered a crushing blow to the Spanish fleet off the coast of the Philippines. Every man, woman and child in O'Neill was happy Monday morning when the news of the victory arrived. In about half an hour nearly every business house in town was decorated with the stars and stripes, and quite a few displayed the Cuban colors.

The city marshal has given notice that the bicycle ordinance will be rigidly enforced. The ordinance provides that any person caught riding a bicycle on a sidewalk in any part of the city shall, upon arrest and conviction, be fined the sum of \$5. The bicycle riders who have been using the

sidewalks as a race track the past two years will have to give up their sport or \$5 for every practice.  
J. B. Maring, of Emmet township was married April 20 at Parsons, Kans., to Miss Emma Huffman. The bridegroom is one of our most prosperous farmers, and has a splendid home on his farm about 10 miles southwest of this city. The bride was formerly a resident of the South Fork country.

25 YEARS AGO  
May 3, 1923  
George Harrington broke all

### MONTGOMERY, CLOYD QUALIFY

EWING — At the district C track and field meet held at Bassett on Friday, April 30, 2 Ewing boys qualified to enter the state class C competition at Lincoln on May 14.  
Lorraine Montgomery took first in the 440-yard dash. His time was 55.5 seconds. David Cloyd tied for second place in the one-half mile run. His

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