

Teen-Tattler —

## New Teen Tattler Wants Suggestions On 'New Ideas, Fads, Anything At All'

(Editor's note: Barbara Bennett, daughter of Dr. H. L. Bennett, is The Frontier's new Teen Tattler. An O'Neill high school sophomore, she succeeds Pat Brennan, St. Mary's academy senior who has been writing for more than a year. Miss Bennett's first installment follows):

Hi there, kids! Yes, I'm taking over the Tattler for a while, and if you see anyone poking her nose into every basketball game, dance, and party, it's me getting news to keep Tattler the way you like it. I hope it will still be as interesting and full of news as it was when Pat Brennan was writing it. The other evening, Ibs Schaffer had a party. The kids played canasta, danced, and had a swell time in general. One of the boys took flash bulb pictures. He took one when the girls least expected it. I'm sure it'll turn out fine, in spite of the expressions on their faces. St. Mary's romped over Spen-



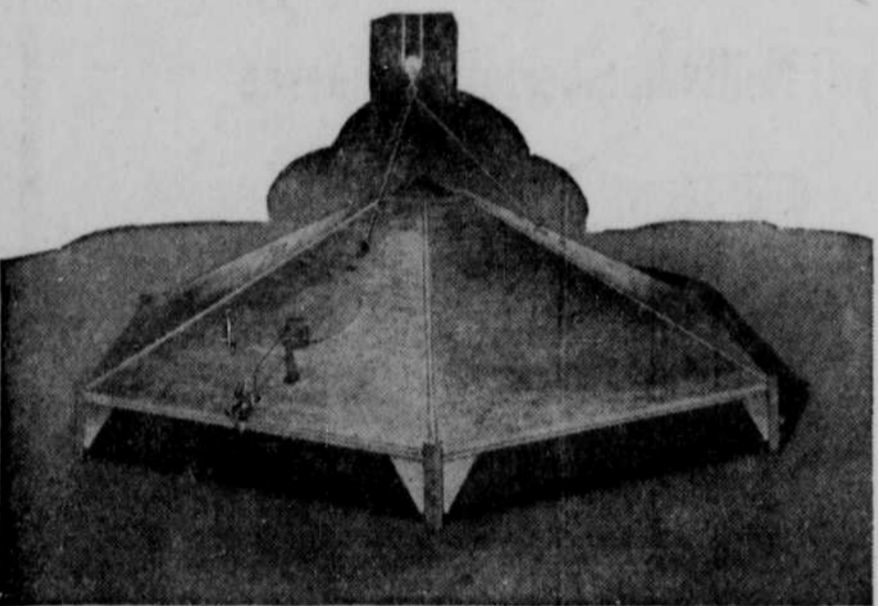
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cer Friday night, score 55-25. But what took the spotlight for the evening were St. Mary's darling little cheer leaders. Little Francis Kelly, Tommy Wanser, and Lynn McCarthy. They are really good! And a tip of the hat to St. Mary's basketball team. The Cards took first place and a beautiful trophy at the Holt county tournament. Nice going, St. Mary's.

The O'Neill high music department has been making several appearances lately — the girls' triple trio, the saxophone ensemble, the mixed quartet, and the cornet duet. They have appeared at meetings and banquets.

St. Mary's is planning on a Valentine dance in the near future. The sophomores are giving it.

At OHS the pep club is sponsoring a box social. The girls at OHS are informed they may come providing they bring a box and a boy.



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Say kids, if you have something you would like to see in this column such as new ideas fads, anything at all, just drop me a card and I'll be happy to do something about it. See you next week.

## Christina Smith Ill Short Time

ATKINSON — Funeral services were held Tuesday, February 7, for Mrs. Christina Smith, who died Saturday, February 4, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glen (Laura) Butterfield, of Atkinson.

A 1 o'clock service was held in the Presbyterian church at Atkinson. Rev. O. C. Graff, assisted by Rev. J. L. Garland, of Creighton, officiated. A subsequent service was held at 3 o'clock in the United Brethren church at Orchard. Rev. J. L. Garland, assisted by Rev. O. C. Graff, had charge of the services. Orchard is near Mrs. Smith's old home and burial was in a cemetery near there.

Mrs. Smith had been ill only a short time. She was visiting at the home of her son, Fred E. Smith, of Creighton, when she suffered the first stroke on January 21, the day before her 80th birthday anniversary. On January 28 she had recovered sufficiently to be brought to the home of her daughter in an ambulance. She seemed for a time to improve, but on Thursday, February 2, she suffered a second stroke, which resulted in her death Saturday. Her son, Fred, and his wife and her daughter, Laura, and husband were with her when she died.

Christina Butzier Smith, daughter of John and Fredrica Butzier, was born on January 22, 1870, at Ft. Dodge, Ia. She grew to young womanhood there, later moving to Moorland, Ia. On September 6, 1885, she was married to George S. Smith.

Four children—three sons and one daughter—were born to them. Two of the sons died in infancy.

The Smiths spent much of their married life in Moorland, coming to Walnut, in Knox county, in 1906. On May 19, 1929, Mr. Smith passed away and Mrs. Smith came to Atkinson, spending her time alternately with her son and daughter.

Early in life she was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran church, of which she was a member until 1918, when she, with all members of her family, joined the United Brethren church. When she came to Atkinson to live she transferred her letter to the Presbyterian church.

Many people have moments of her busy hands. She pieced or applied hundreds of beautiful quilts and sewed stitch-after-stitch exquisitely quilting many of those she made herself and those made by others.

Samples of her work will be found in a dozen different states. This was her hobby.

A short time before her death she chose her best loved hymns and requested that they be sung at her funeral. They were: "Jesus Will," "Abide With Me," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus."

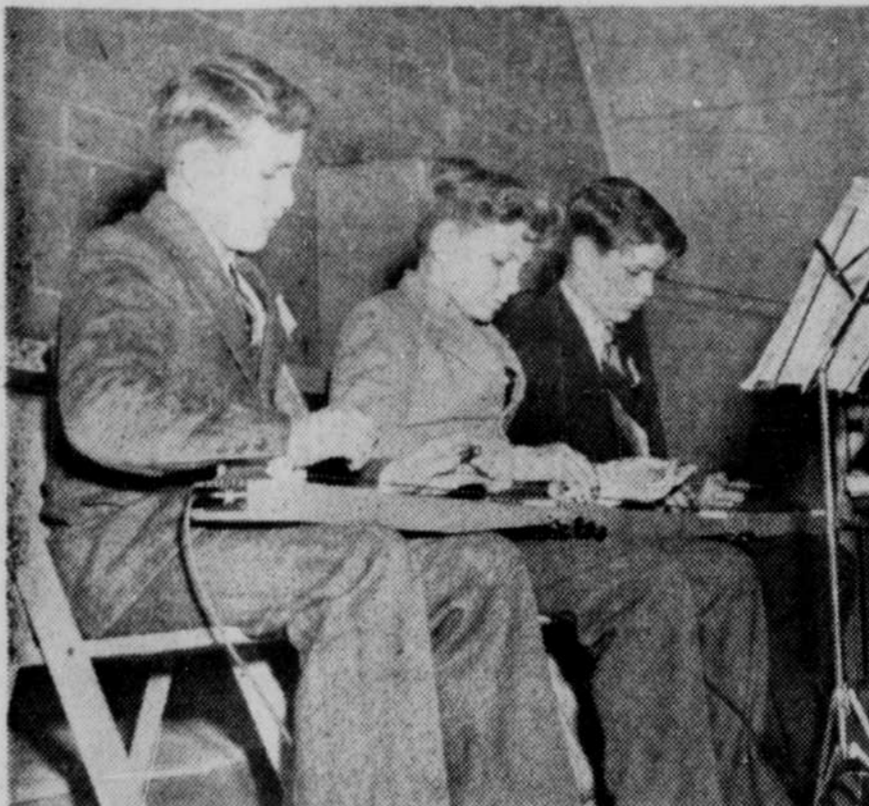
Survivors include: son—Fred E. Smith, of Creighton; daughter—Mrs. Glen (Laura) Butterfield, of Atkinson; grandchildren—Ivan, Earl, Ralph, Iryle Smith, and Wilma Smith Brown, all of Creighton; Irma Butterfield-Andrus and Jeanne Butterfield-Andersen, both of Atkinson; 7 great-grandchildren; sisters—Mrs. Lizzie Consier, of Knerim, Ia.; Mrs. A. D. Stratton, of Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Anna Taylor, of Plainview.

Palbearers were her four grandsons and two grandsons-in-law.

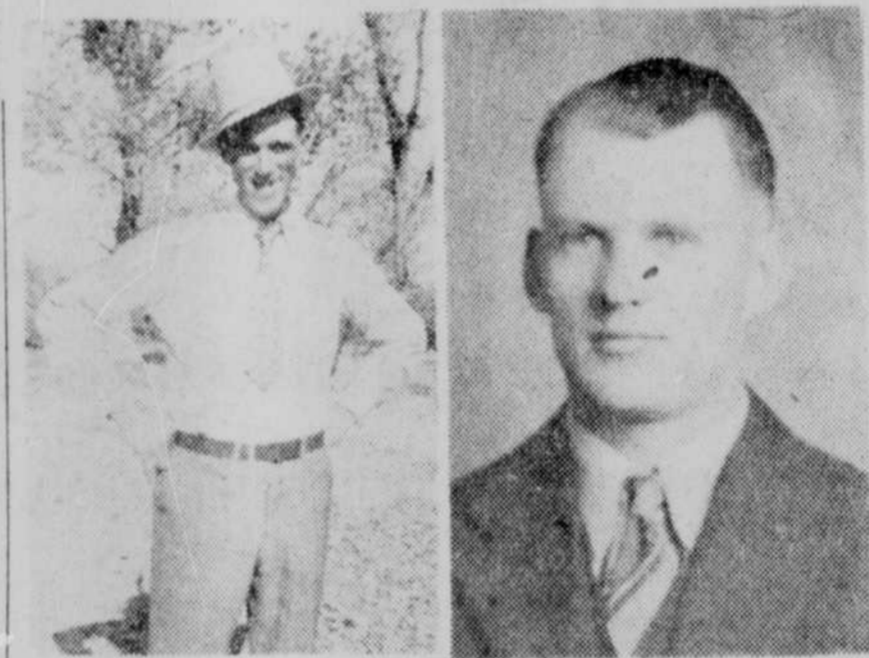
### NAME DELEGATES

ATKINSON — Unit 6 of the NHCA (beautician's group) met Thursday, February 2, at Sylvia's Salon in Atkinson. Mrs. Alma Evans, of O'Neill, and Sylvia Carroll, of Atkinson, were elected Holt county delegates to the state convention in Omaha February 18-19-20.

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**BROTHERS ENTERTAIN** . . . The Davis brothers—Owen, Edward and Lyle—entertained Monday evening at the first annual banquet sponsored by the Holt County Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' association. They play an electric guitar. The boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis.—The Frontier Photo.



Clarence E. Shaw, 42, Ewing oil dealer (left) and Albert J. Daniels, 36, Ewing trucker, were killed in an airplane crash 9 1/2 miles southwest of O'Neill on Thursday, January 26. Their frozen bodies were found the next day.

### Future Subscribers

BAUER—Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bauer, of Deloit, a son, Dwayne Louis, born Monday, January 30, in a Tilden hospital. Mrs. Bauer and son came home on Sunday February 5.

WONDERCHECK — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wondercheck, of Atkinson, a daughter, Vivian Irene, weighing 6 1/2 pounds, born Wednesday, February 1, at Atkinson. The mother is the former Leslie Garvin.

STORJOHANN — Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Storjohann, of Atkinson, a daughter, Rosemary, weighing 6 1/4 pounds, born at the Barret nursing home in Atkinson on Thursday, February 2.

LEMUNYAN — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lemunyan, of Atkinson, a son, born Friday, February 3, at the home of Mr. Lemunyan's grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Mrs. Lemunyan is the former Betty Smith. They have two daughters and one other son.

### 20 Have Filed For County Posts

Four filings this week for the coming August primary election boosted the total who have filed to 20.

New filings with Ruth Hoffman, county clerk, are:

For sheriff: Glea H. Wade, of O'Neill, Republican, February 6, and Leo S. Tomjack, of O'Neill, Democrat, February 6. To date, four Republicans, including Wade, have filed for the sheriff's post while three Democrats, including Tomjack, posted their fees for the position.

For county supervisor, Seventh district: Alex Frickel, of Atkinson, incumbent Republican, February 2, and D. T. Withers, Democrat, a resident of Fairview precinct, February 7.

Three have thus far filed for the state legislature (28 district); one has filed for county attorney on the Republican ticket; four have posted their filing fees for assessors—two Republicans and two Democrats; one each, all on the Re-

publican ticket for: county clerk, county treasurer and clerk of the district court.

### Sick and Injured

O'NEILL — Raymond Eby left Thursday for Clarkson Memorial hospital in Omaha.

His mother, Mrs. Alma Eby, of Ainsworth, stayed with him. Jane Froelich, of Omaha, returned this week with her parents, the Frank Froelichs, from an Omaha hospital, where she had an appendectomy. She is recuperating at her parents' home.

Mrs. Dean C. Reed left Friday for a hospital in Hastings. She is reported as "fine". Mrs. Fred O. Heerman left Monday for a checkup in Omaha.

Mrs. C. E. Melena was released Saturday from Doctor's hospital in Omaha where she had been a patient for 11 days. She will have to return in two weeks for a check-up.

Gene Streeter was ill last weekend and was confined to his bed. "Grandpa" Wytaskie was "very sick" Sunday.

Mrs. A. Marcellus was operated on Tuesday, January 31 at a Lincoln hospital. The Medical children are recuperating from chickenpox. . . . Gerald Lounsbury was ill Sunday and Monday. . . . Mrs. Leo Mullen was ill but is "improving". . . . Mrs. Harry Peterson was also ill. Both are teachers in the O'Neill public school.

CHAMBERS — James (Buddy) Butts was operated on at the O'Neill hospital Wednesday, February 1. His condition was considered "serious" but he is reported "improved". . . . Mrs. H. C. Walter returned Wednesday, February 1, from the Lutheran hospital at Norfolk where she had undergone a major operation. . . . Mrs. Robert Corcoran was in Norfolk Friday to consult an eye specialist. She received a serious eye injury earlier in the week. . . . Elona Shavlik, who attends a business college in Lincoln, was injured when struck by a car. She spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Shavlik. . . . Mrs. Alma Farrer had the misfortune to fall and dislocate her shoulder last week. She was cared for at the O'Neill hospital. . . . Glen Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller, has been ill with pneumonia. He is reported "improving".

AMELIA — Mrs. Tom Doolittle has been "quite ill" with influenza. . . . Mrs. Clyde Widman was on the sick list early last week. She consulted a doctor in O'Neill Monday and remained overnight in the O'Neill hospital; returning Tuesday. . . . Mrs. Roy Worden recently submitted to a major operation for tumorous growth on her face. She is now at the home of her daughter, near Clearwater.

PAGE—A. T. Crumly, while hunting wolves recently, suffered a severe ankle injury when he stepped into a hole when getting out of a car. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nissen took Otto Wakletz to Omaha where he will have a medical examination.

EMMET — Mrs. Henry Werner is "much improved" and is able to be "up and around". She has been ill for sometime.

## Escapes Injury As Truck Overturns

An eastbound Corkle farm supply store truck Monday evening near dusk overturned on highway 20 near Danceland corner after the operator, Francis Honke, 20, of O'Neill, had applied the brakes and the right front wheel had locked.

As Honke applied the brakes in approaching the corner, the wheel locked and threw the truck off onto the south shoulder of the road. In attempting to get the vehicle back on the road, it skidded and overturned.

According to Holt county sheriff's office traffic was held up for about 15 minutes on the highway. The truck was partially loaded with eggs and cream

when the accident occurred and eggs were strewn over the highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dampert, of O'Neill, driving their new 1950 Ford car, figured in a collision with a car driven by Fritz Belsler, also of O'Neill. Damage to the Dampert car was estimated at \$150 and Mrs. Dampert was bruised slightly.

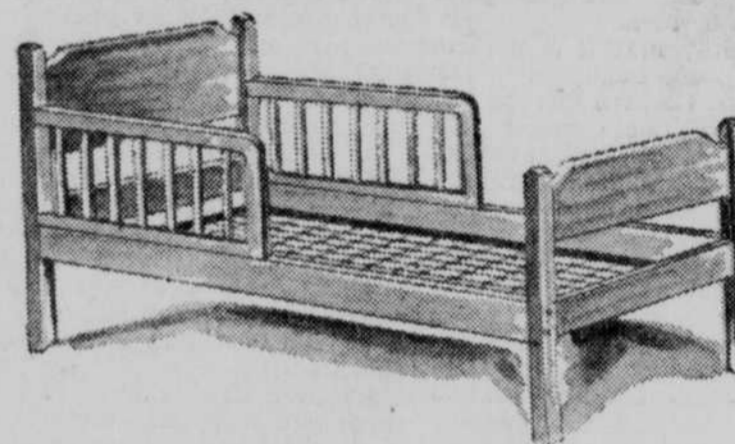
### Pleasant Day Club Holds Card Party

The Pleasant Day club had a card party at Mrs. Austin Hynes' on Friday night, February 3. There were 27 present besides one little girl. Mrs. Gertrude Minahan was a guest.

High was won by Mrs. Henry Vequist and John Schultz. Mr. and Mrs. Blake Benson had low. Everyone enjoyed a lunch of sandwiches at a late hour.

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