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**50 Years Ago**  
 Rob Hunt departed for Philadelphia, where he is going to work in a drug store... Frank Conrad, who sold his farm near Inman several months ago and has been wandering up and down the coast country in search of a location, returned to Inman... Harmen Damers had business in O'Neill... The O'Neill telephone company has found the local automatic telephones unsatisfactory and is taking them out and replacing them with the Bell phones, which will then give connection with the long distance wires, Miss Lizzie Cain has been engaged as telephone girl.

**25 Years Ago**  
 The O'Neill Country club held a formal opening and dance... Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Donohoe spent several days with Mrs. Arthur Duffy, who is ill... A Nebraska lad's odd ability makes friends gasp. John Harbottle, 12 years old schoolboy, can tell you the number of any automobile in O'Neill and of many in the surrounding districts if you'll but name the owner, John is the oldest son of Fred Harbottle, a dairyman. He collects license numbers as other boys gather agates or stamps or pictures of baseball heroes... The Union church baseball team defeated the Methodist men's team on the O'Neill diamond.

**10 Years Ago**  
 Billie Evans entertained eight friends at her home, the occasion being her 13th birthday anniversary... The Alpha club held its annual May tea at the home of

Mrs. George Rector... Miss Goldyne Sebesta resigned her position in the Ben Franklin store and accepted a position at the Farmers' Union store.  
**1 Year Ago**  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stout will renew their marriage vows at a mass in St. Patrick's Catholic church where they were married a half-century ago... Rev. A. A. Lehmen of Atkinson, died 15 minutes following a heart attack... Ira George, former superintendent of the O'Neill public school, announced he will accept a position at Boys Town.

**Up and At It Learns About National Emblem**  
 The Up and At It 4-H club met Friday evening, May 23, with Melba Dobrovoly at the Bennett Sanders home.  
 There members were absent. They were Laurine Schmitz, L. Donna McNulty and Joanne Lansworth.  
 Mrs. Sanders read a very interesting story of how the eagle came to be our national emblem. She also told the members of bird projects about the wren nests in the yard. The members taking bird projects talked about the birds they had seen lately.

Guests of the evening were Kay Allendorfer and Mr. and Mrs. Lee C. Blake.  
 The next meeting is set for Friday evening, June 13, at the Anson Closson home.  
 After the meeting the girls sang popular songs with song leaders, Mary Schmitz and Helen Young.  
 A lunch was served by Mrs. Dobrovoly.—By Melba Dobrovoly, news reporter.

**Willing Workers Meet**  
 The Willing Workers 4-H club held a meeting on Thursday, May 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Neil Dawes. All members but one were present. The club decided to have a candy sale. They plan to buy 4-H shirts with the proceeds. Following the business meeting games and songs were enjoyed. Mrs. Dawes served refreshments consisting of cookies and kool-ade.

**Offer Prizes**  
 The entertainment committee of the Elkhorn and Golden Rod clubs met on Wednesday, May 21, with Mrs. A. Neil Dawes. Plans were made for a club picnic. Prizes will be offered for the club having the most members present. Other prizes will also be given.

**Returns to Omaha**  
 Miss Hildred McKim left for Omaha Sunday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle McKim.

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**PIANO DUO**... L. B. Price and son, Edward, offered a piano duet at he father and son banquet Tuesday evening, May 20, at the Methodist church. At the speakers' table are (below, left-to-right) Carl Lorenz, Donald Munsell, Toastmaster Buri Munsell, Jay B. Munsell, Game Warden Don Green and Supt. of Schools D. E. Nelson. One hundred and twenty-five fathers and sons attended.



**'Adopted' German Family Writes**  
 A very interesting talk was given by Vic Halva on the sinking of the Titanic. Everyone enjoyed Mr. Halva. — By Bernice Grothe, reporter.

**CHAMBERS** — The Lutheran Ladies Aid met Thursday, May 8, at the church parlors. The lesson topic on "Mothers" was presented by the pastor. The president, Mrs. J. W. Walter, conducted the business session. A letter was read from their adopted family in Germany. The letter mentioned the cold damp spring weather people were having in Germany.  
 Plans were discussed for sending delegates to a mission convention at Scottsbluff in June.  
 Refreshments were served by the committee.

**Hear Halva's Story About Titanic**  
 O'Neill Rural Youth met Friday, May 9, at O'Neill at the annex.

Plans were discussed for the banquet which is Thursday, May 22, at the Legion hall. The theme of our banquet is "Old Fashioned Garden," and decorating will be done Wednesday, May 21, afternoon and evening. Our speaker for the evening will be Mr. Maxwell, from the university.  
 Twila Sobotka was appointed as treasurer for the summer months for our present treasurer, Alice Whaley, will be attending

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**STUART**—A union service conducted by the men's council of the Atkinson Presbyterian church, Cleveland Presbyterian church and Stuart Community church was held on Sunday evening, May 25, at the Community church.  
 George Keidel, of Stuart, was master of ceremonies. George Hitchcock, of Stuart, lead the responsive reading. Speakers were C. E. McClurg, of Cleveland; Ora Yarges, of Stuart, and E. V. Hickok, of Atkinson.  
 Alex Forsythe, of Atkinson, read the scripture, Matthew 25: 14-30. Special music was furnished by the Cleveland men's chorus and the Atkinson boys' chorus.  
 With Sewell Johnson representing Atkinson, Elmer Allyn, representing Cleveland and Roy Rhoades representing Stuart, 25 head of livestock were dedicated to "God's Herd" by Charles Mulford, president of the men's councils of the Niobrara Presbytery. There was a prayer by George Keidel and Walter Quart.  
 The animals will be earmarked with tags bearing the words "God's Herd" and a serial number and will be sold next fall. The proceeds will be used by the men's councils for the Lord's work.

**Other Stuart News**  
 Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Paul and family are moving to Sidney this week. Mr. Paul has been superintendent in the Stuart public school the past five years and has accepted a position as recreation director at the Sioux ordnance plant at Sidney.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zink, left Robert Pearson and Shelly left on Friday, May 23, to visit relatives in Des Moines, and Madrid, Ia.  
 Rex Coffman, student in the state agricultural college at Lincoln, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Coffman from Tuesday, May 20, to Thursday.  
 Edmund Kaup, Dwayne Ackerman and Danny Flanigan went to Omaha Sunday, May 18, and returned home the following Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Steinbach, of Texas City, Tex., are visiting at the Sam Norton home. Mrs. Steinbach is a sister of Mrs. Norton.  
 John Steinbach and daughter, Shirley, of Texas City, Tex., visited last week at the James

summer school at Wayne.  
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**Tell How to Select Good 4-H Calf**  
 The Steel Creek 4-H club met at the home of Elmer Juracek Friday, May 2. We answered roll call by naming a bird. We decided to give the name of a tree for next roll call. All the members were present, also three visitors—Barbara Miller, Larry Gifford and Janet Gifford. Larry Gifford and Janet Gifford, Larry Gifford when Miss Donna Mae Fuhdie Krugman and Beverly Linquist told how to select a good 4-H calf. The next meeting will be held at the Harvey Krugman home June 6. After the meeting we played games and sang songs until lunch was served.—By Kay Hibbs, news reporter.

**Tennessean Here**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bjornsen and son, Curtis, and Leota Hull, of Memphis, Tenn., were visitors at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowry, on Thursday, May 15.  
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Nachtman home. Mr. Steinbach is a brother-in-law of Mr. Nachtman.  
 Pfc. Raymond E. Norton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Norton, arrived home Saturday evening, May 24, from Korea for a 30-day furlough. Raymond enlisted in Hawaii, 1951, and received his training in Hawaii. This is the first visit home since he enlisted.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Nachtman and family visited at the Adolph Elis home at Verdel on Sunday, May 5.  
 The Women's Society of the Community church met Thursday afternoon, May 22, for a regular session. Twenty-five members and one visitor answered roll call. The devotional program was given by Mrs. Noma Hall, Mrs. Bessie Gertter and Mrs. Harrison Hovey. Following the business meeting a farewell gift was presented to Mrs. K. C. Paul, who has been active in church work here the past five years, and who is moving to Sidney this week. Luncheon was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Walter Gill, Mrs. C. R. Myers and Mrs. Ora Yarges.

**Club Studies Glass Etching**  
**CHAMBERS**—The Better Ways extension club met at the home of Mrs. Gladys Grossnicklaus on Monday, May 19, with eight members and 2 visitors, Mrs. Dorothy Lambert and Mrs. Ann Badthel, present.  
 The lesson on Glass Etching was presented by Mrs. Grossnicklaus and Mrs. Evelyn Tracy.  
 A pattern was chosen and cut out of a special kind of tin foil which was heated and placed on the glass. It was then either outlined or covered with etching acid which was allowed to remain about 10 minutes.  
 The foil and acid were then washed off in water which completed the etching.  
 Lunch of pressed chicken sandwiches, spring salad and coffee was served by the hostess.  
 The next lesson on "Courtships" will be given by Mrs. Mary Lou Butts at the home of Mrs. Connie Grossnicklaus on June 20.

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**Betty Lou Hoerle New Secretary**  
 The Happy Helpers 4-H club was entertained by Roseanne Blake on Saturday, May 24. Because of bad roads it met at the Dorine Glead home.  
 The meeting was first called to order by the president then we gave the pledge to the 4-H flag.  
 After that we had the roll call which was answered by naming different kinds of material. We elected a new secretary at this meeting because our other secretary left for the summer. Our new secretary is Betty Lou Hoerle.  
 There were three members absent and we had five visitors.  
 Our leader gave the lesson. First she showed us different ways to make a pillow top. We discussed different patterns for our pillow tops. Our leader also showed us samples of wallpaper to choose matching colors of curtains and other things in your room to match. We will have more about picking your wallpaper and fixing up your room at our next meeting.  
 After the lesson we went outdoors and played games. Then Mrs. Blake served us a lunch of ice cream, cake, cookies and kool ade.  
 Our next meeting will be held at the home of Ruth and Virginia Smith on June 14.—By Dorine Glead, news reporter.

**To Go Overseas**  
 Pfc. Frank Soukup arrived in O'Neill on Thursday, May 22, to spend a month's leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soukup. He expects to be transferred to foreign lands when he returns to his base. He is stationed at Atlanta, Ga.

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