

Future Subscribers



JURACEK—Mr. and Mrs. Milford Juracek of Atkinson, a daughter, Diana June, weighing 8 pounds 10 ounces, born at Atkinson Memorial hospital.

BAUTSCH—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bausch of Denver, Colo., a daughter, weighing 7 pounds, born Sunday, December 20, in a Denver hospital. Mrs. Bausch is the former Winifred Coyne, daughter of Mrs. Edna Coyne of O'Neill.

WATSON—Mr. and Mrs. C. Lyle Watson of Chambers, a son, weighing 7 pounds 12 ounces, born at Sacred Heart hospital, Lynch.

HAINES—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haines of Ewing, a daughter, Helen Frances, weighing 8 pounds 7 ounces, born Wednesday, December 16, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

KOCIAN—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kocian of Bristow, a son, James Thomas, weighing 8 pounds 10 ounces, born Thursday, December 17, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

KEHN—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kehn of Butte, a son, Donald Mark, weighing 6 pounds 1 ounce, born Thursday, December 17, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

CLOYD—Mr. and Mrs. David Cloyd of California, a daughter, Janet Elaine, born recently. The Cloyds are formerly of Ewing. David is in the navy.

BOWEN—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowen of Minden, a daughter, born Tuesday, December 22, in the Minden hospital. This is their first child. Mrs. Bowen is the former Victoria Zakrzewski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Zakrzewski of O'Neill. This is the 25th grandchild for the maternal grandparents. The other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bowen of O'Neill.

BOETTCHER—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boettcher of Lynch, a son, Robert William, weighing 8 pounds 10 ounces, born Thursday, December 17, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

PORTER—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Porter of O'Neill, a son, Mark Kean, weighing 8 pounds, born Friday, December 18, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

SCHLOTE—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schlotte of Plainview, a daughter, weighing 7 pounds 13 1/2

ounces, born Monday, December 21, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

KINNISON—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kinnison of Venus, a son, Jeffery Vincent, weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces, born Monday, December 21, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

JOHNSON—Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Johnson of O'Neill, a son, Gary Ray, weighing 8 pounds 15 1/2 ounces, born Sunday, December 20, in St. Anthony's hospital, O'Neill.

Sick & Injured

LYNCH—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sixta were in Omaha the past week where Mrs. Sixta went through a clinic. Cheryl Eller of Los Angeles, Calif., is in a hospital there suffering from bulbar polio. Cheryl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eller. Mrs. Eller is the former Miss Ruby Barnes, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barnes of Lynch. Latest reports are that Mrs. Eller and another daughter are under observation.

Mrs. Lois Harris slipped and fell in her home on Friday, breaking her arm. Local doctors set the fracture and Mrs. Harris is "getting along nicely."

PAGE—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and Rollie Snell returned home from Omaha Friday. Mr. Snell had been a patient in the University hospital following a major operation. His condition is good. Robert Harvey suffered a light stroke Sunday. His condition is "improved."

Mrs. Harry Park, who has been staying at the home of her nephew, Glen Brewster, in O'Neill since being dismissed from St. Anthony's hospital, suffered another heart attack Sunday and was taken to St. Anthony's hospital.

ATKINSON—I. R. Dickerson returned to his home Saturday after an extended stay in an Omaha hospital, where he submitted to major surgery. He returned by ambulance. Elven White, rancher who was injured in an accident recently, still is in an Omaha hospital, unable to be home for Christmas.

CELIA—Markita Hendricks sprained her ankle Wednesday, December 16, and was unable to attend school Thursday. Ray Pease had dental work done in O'Neill last Thursday.

ROCK FALLS—James Curran, 15, after being in the hospital returned home Tuesday, December 22, after being in the hospital since Thursday, December 10. He is "improved."

SOUTH OF STUART—Roy Rhodes left Tuesday for Grand Island where he entered the Veterans hospital for treatment.

EWING—H. R. Porter is a patient at the Tilden hospital for treatment of asthma from which he has suffered for years.

Annual School Program Presented—**INMAN**—The annual Christmas program at the Inman consolidated school was presented Tuesday night.

The primary room presented a series of exercises and recitations and then sang "Toyland." The third, fourth and fifth grade room presented a Santa Claus drill. The sixth, seventh and eighth grades presented two plays, "The Midnight Clear" and "Thanks for the Shirt." Carolyn Reimers sang a solo, "The Christmas Cake."

The high school choir sang a group of Christmas carols and were accompanied by Mrs. Louis Reimer, jr.

Family Gathers—Mrs. Esther Harris and members of her family will hold a Christmas reunion at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Derald May, and family in Omaha. Miss Ruth Harris arrived late Wednesday from New York City. Guy Harris, who teaches at Newcast, is expected to arrive in Omaha today (Thursday). Miss Ruth will be attending a conference next week at Lawrence, Kans.

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Hospital Notes

ST. ANTHONY'S (O'Neill)
Admissions: December 16—Mrs. Eugene Haines, Ewing; Mrs. William Serck, Emmet; Mrs. Bernard Kocian, Bristow; Mrs. Don Kehn, Butte; Mrs. Eugene Porter, O'Neill; Mrs. Harry Schlotte, Plainview; Paul V. Rowles, Bristow; Denise Kay Worcester, O'Neill; Mrs. Vernie Johnson, O'Neill; Mrs. Louis Adams, Spencer; Mrs. Harry C. Park, Page; Robert Steven Mason, O'Neill; Mrs. Donald Kinnison, Venus; Mrs. Walter Christon, Page; Mrs. W. J. Flannigan, Stuart; Lee Wyant, O'Neill; Mrs. Bob Summerer, Ewing; Mrs. Dale Revell, Star.

Dismissals: December 16—Mrs. James P. Carney, O'Neill; Seth Hertel, Ewing; Mrs. Wayne Black and baby girl, Spencer; Sandra Pochop, O'Neill; Mrs. Alvin Vorce, O'Neill; Mrs. Charles Spath, Chambers; Mrs. W. J. Flannigan, Stuart; Mrs. William Serck, Emmet; Mrs. Daryl Beckwith and baby boy, O'Neill; Sam Kilham, O'Neill; Mrs. Eugene Haines and baby girl, Ewing; Mrs. Bernard Kocian and baby boy, Bristow; Mrs. Don Kehn and baby boy, Butte; Anton Engelhaup, Spencer; Denise Kay Worcester, O'Neill; Hospitalized: Bobby Mason, O'Neill; Mrs. Belle Widman, Amelia; Mrs. Barbara Leahy, Grand Island; Mrs. Lois B. Adams, Chambers; Mrs. Mary Vitt, O'Neill; Mrs. Mary Mullen, O'Neill; Wynant, O'Neill; Mrs. Louis Adams, Spencer; Albert Otte, Winner, S.D.; Mrs. Vernie Johnson, O'Neill; Mrs. Bob Summerer, Ewing; Mrs. Walter Christon, Page; Mrs. W. J. Flannigan, Stuart; Mrs. Donald Kinnison, Venus; Mrs. Robert L. Boettcher, Lynch; Mrs. Mary Uhl, O'Neill; Mrs. Eugene Porter, O'Neill; Mrs. Harry Schlotte, Plainview; Mrs. Harry Park, Page.

ATKINSON MEMORIAL
Admitted: December 14—Frank Boehme, Newport, medical; Mrs. Arthur Halstead, Newport, medical; Mrs. Francis Lee, Atkinson, obstetrical; 15—Henry Luth, Emmet, medical; Mrs. Edwin Horst, Butte, medical; 16—Mrs. Victor Faust, Atkinson, surgical; Mrs. Harlan Duval, Atkinson, medical; Frank Kramer, Stuart, medical; Mrs. Ralph Schrum, Atkinson, surgical; 18—Kay Dvorak, medical; Connie Miller, surgical; 19—Mrs. Donald Cadwallader, Bassett, medical; Mrs. Milford Juracek, Atkinson, obstetrical.

Dismissals: December 14—Ernest Horton, Mrs. Ervin Van Burin and daughter, 15—Mrs. Serafin Ergler, Fred Tesch, jr. 16—Sharon Jean Fox, Mrs. Robert Ramm, 17—Mrs. Melvin Hood, Frank Boehme, Mrs. Arthur Halstead, Mrs. H. Duval, 18—Mrs. Victor Faust, 19—Mrs. Edwin Horst, Mrs. Robert Tooker and son, Henry Luth, Frank Kramer, 20—Mrs. Francis Lee and son.

Hospitalized: William Murray, Mrs. Frances Hurley, Baby Janice Bright, 2 pounds 11 ounces, doing well.

SACRED HEART (Lynch)
In hospital: Mrs. Elmer Frank, Bonesteel, S.D., medical, satisfactory; Baby Boy Frasch, Fairfax, S.D., medical, good; Baby Girl Frasch, Fairfax, S.D., medical, good; Rudy Frasch, Fairfax, S.D., major operation, good; John Fundus, Butte, medical, good; Peter Jacobson, Butte, major operation, good; Orville Lewis, A. O. K. A., medical, satisfactory; Miss Bertha Smith, Spencer, medical, improving; Mrs. C. Lyle Watson and baby boy, Chambers, Caesarian operation; Mrs. Paul Weber, Butte, medical, satisfactory.

Dismissals: December 14—Mrs. Calvin Spencer, Lynch; Mrs. William Elssasser, Lynch; Mrs. Gordon Kirsch, Lynch; 15—Mrs. William Spencer, Lynch; 17—Mrs. Lena Connot, Spencer; Mrs. Rudy Frasch, Fairfax, S.D.; Frank Pelc, Spencer (died); 18—Mrs. George Prokop, Spencer; 19—Harold Connick, Lynch; Mrs. Milton B. Nelson, Bristow (died); 20—Mrs. Nancy Hewitson, Bristow.

FHA, Home Ec Girls
Conduct Style Show
EWING—The Future Homemakers of America and vocational homemaking students held a Christmas style show and tea on Friday afternoon, December 18, at the school auditorium.

Group singing of the FHA songs opened the program. Miss Marilyn Weyrich, president of the FHA, presided and introduced the members of the play, "There is a Santa Claus." The cast of characters included Betty Ann Van Vleck, Norma Ruode, Jeanne Welke, Helen Rotherham, Mona Mosel, Lynette Helmrichs, Maxine Noffke and Bethly Daniels.

Models in the play were section one of the freshman class, members of which made skirts from corduroy, gabardine and denim, ticking and Indian head. They were Marlene Black, Linda Tuttle, Janelle Hoke, Bernadine Keeler, Alvera Shilousky, Barbara Snyder, Rose Marie Ernesti and Ruth Scott.

The following senior girls modeled skirts and jackets and skirts and weskits made from corduroy, gabardine and terry cloth: Shirley Angus, Ruth Ann Ernesti and Marjorie Stamp.

A piano solo by Diane Baum was the next number which was entitled "How I Learned to Play the Piano," featuring "Three Blind Mice."

There was group singing with Miss Irene Kaczor at the piano following the solo.

A skit "International Goodwill" was presented by the boys who were modeling their new red cotton flannel shirts which were made in the boys' class of homemaking. Boys were Dana Sisson, Larry Williamson, Rickard Kurpewicz, Lowell Jensen, Russell Woepel, with Lila Woepel taking the girl's part in the play. Doris Ann Spain was the narrator.

Refreshments were served by the second section of the freshman class, who also had charge of the table decorations.

Miss Fern Pruden is the instructor in vocational homemaking and FHA in the Ewing public school.

James DeBacker arrived home Saturday morning from Cheyenne, Wyo., to spend a holiday leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. DeBacker. Their daughter, Diane, and son, Tom, are also home for the Christmas holidays. Diane attends Briar Cliff college in Sioux City and Tom is in the St. Paul seminary.

Clearwater Pair

Wed Half-Century
CLEARWATER—About 170 persons attended the open house held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kimes in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kimes and Thomas Kimes, a grandson, had charge of the guest book.

The table decorations included a cake, baked and decorated by Mrs. Ralph Workman, flanked on each side by bouquets of yellow carnations and gold candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimes wore yellow carnations.

The couple was also honored at a dinner served at the Elmer Maulding home for relatives.

Guests from Clearwater, Neigh, Elgin, Ewing, Atkinson, Walthill, Norfolk, Allen, Newman Grove and Republic, Mo., attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimes were married at Neigh December 19, 1903. They lived on a farm west of here until 1952 when they moved to town.

Capacity Crowd
Sees Program—**ORCHARD**—A capacity crowd attended the two-part Christmas program Sunday evening at the Evangelical United Brethren church.

The younger children participated in the first part. They gave recitations, exercises and musical numbers with Miss Doris Lou Gunter as accompanist.

Mrs. Bernice Whitmer was the leader and Miss Kamara Reed the pianist. The pageant was directed by Mrs. Wilbur Mahood, with Mrs. Homer Barton and Miss Dixie Stevens as assistants.

Christmas treats were distributed after the program.

Miss Margie Dwinell
to Wed Douglas Lindahl—**VENUS**—Miss Margie Dwinell, who will become the bride of Douglas Lindahl of Tilden Tuesday, December 29, was guest-of-honor at a miscellaneous shower last week at the home of Mrs. Joseph Jelinek.

Mrs. Alvin Jelinek assisted the hostess with entertainment and the luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCarville expect Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Krieger and daughter, Kathy, of Lincoln to be here Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCarville, jr., and family and Mr. and Mrs. John H. McCarville will also be Christmas dinner guests.

Harry Moore and Edonis Lee Kent were married in the First Presbyterian church at Hastings, Monday, December 21. Mr. Moore teaches school in the high school.

Guild Enjoys

Carol Singing—**BRISTOW**—Mrs. William C. Stanton, jr., president, led the devotions on the subject, "Are You a Christian Christian?" at the meeting Thursday evening of the Rosedale Lutheran Altar Guild.

The meeting, which included the singing of carols, was held at the home of Mrs. Delwyn Anderson.

Rev. Donald Johnson gave a talk on "Some Religious Words and Their Meanings."

The next meeting will be held January 14, at the home of Mrs. Olga Johnson.

Luncheon was served.

Cub Scouts
Hold Yule Party—**STUART**—Dens 2 and 3 of the cub scouts held a Christmas party at the scout hall on Friday afternoon, December 17, following school.

Games were played and a gift exchange held.

Mothers present as guests were Mrs. Eugene Wedge, Mrs. L. H. Steinhauer, Mrs. Minor Varilek and Mrs. Jules Schaffer.

A lunch of ice cream, cake and cookies was served.

Mrs. G. L. Obermire and Mrs. Francis Steinhauer are the den mothers.

'Inspiration Cake'
Draws Interest—**EWING**—One of the main topics of conversation at the 6:30 o'clock Christmas dinner party of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, held Friday evening at the Ewing Methodist church, was "the inspiration cake," baked by Mrs. Benjamin Larson. The recipe used was the \$25,000 winner made by a South Dakota housewife in a nationwide baking contest the past week.

Family to Gather—**EWING**—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olson will be hosts at a family dinner party at their home on Christmas day. In attendance will be Mr. and Mrs. Allen York and family, Mr. and Mrs. Greer Clark and family, all of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Olson and family of Clearwater.

BURNED IN FIRE
PAGE—The 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McIntosh of Blair recently suffered severe burns while playing with other children near a bonfire. He was taken to a hospital for treatment and is now being cared for at his home. The burns are so severe skin grafting may be necessary. Mrs. Nelle McIntosh of Page is the grandmother of the boy.

A family Christmas dinner was held at the Mrs. John Schmidt home Sunday, December 20. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Estel Thomas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCarville expect Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Krieger and daughter, Kathy, of Lincoln to be here Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCarville, jr., and family and Mr. and Mrs. John H. McCarville will also be Christmas dinner guests.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

December 17—Donald Lee Park, 23, of Page and Mary Faye Halstead, 19, of Page.

December 21—Leo Francis Matthews, 26, of O'Neill and Leona Hattie Hutcheson, 20, of Stuart.

December 22—Hugh F. Langman, 25, of Spencer and Margaret Mary Kramer, 23, of Stuart.

December 23—Clifford LeRoy Stahl, 32, of Newport and Leona Fern Fox, 29, of Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Huebert of Wichita, Kans., are expected to arrive Christmas eve to visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Edna Huebert.

Cattle Trade Is Uneven at Omaha

Omaha's hog run Monday hit 13,000 to rank number 1 (Omaha Monday also ranked first in total livestock supply), and swine values were 25c-50c lower.

Friday, the hog top at Omaha hit \$25, best since September. Monday's top was \$24.50.

Fat cattle trade Monday was uneven, mostly steady, some better steers and yearlings 25c and more up; best steers in the run, \$27, \$27.50; 1,041-pound heifers \$24; plain killer cattle \$18 down. Cow trade, also uneven, was higher in spots, price range \$7.50-\$11.25, a few \$12. Bologna bulls sold to \$14, odd head \$14.25.

Replacement cattle and calves were steady to strong, stock steers \$16.50-\$20, yearling feeder steers to \$22, feeding heifers to \$16.50, steer calves to \$22 and \$22.50.

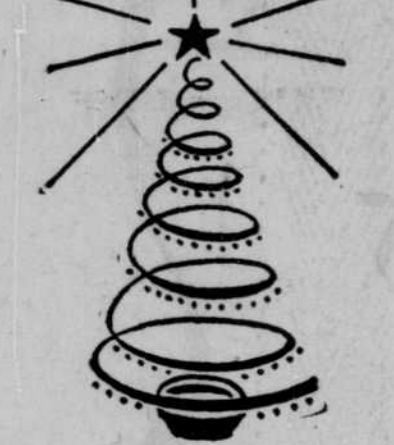
Too Late to Classify

Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the O'Neill Civic Club will be held at the Golden Hotel, January 5th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.

J. B. GRADY, Sec'y-Treas.

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Weekly Market Report

of
The Atkinson Livestock Market
Atkinson, Nebraska
December 22 Auction

The season's most severe cold wave held receipts down to 759 head of cattle. It was a typical pre-holiday sale, not too many buyers, and the quality of the offering was quite uneven.

There weren't enough calves on hand to test the market. In the absence of better quality kinds a couple of loads of just good 880 lb. steers brought 18.70 and 18.40 cwt. These plainer kinds looked steady to a half dollar higher than a week ago, and buyers seemed to prefer the lower grades.

A load of yearling heifers brought 13.90, however, the better kinds could be quoted up to 15.75 cwt. Choice breeding cows were absent. \$90.00 to \$113.00 per head was the best cows offered this week.

The butcher cattle looked 50 cents better on all classes. Canner cows 7.00 to 8.00, cutters 8.25 to 9.00, beef cows 9.50 to 10.50. The bologna bulls sold from 8.50 to 11.00 cwt.

Next Auction December 29th — Phone your listings today — so that we may advertise your consignment. See you Tuesday.

MERRY CHRISTMAS, EVERYONE!

Atkinson Livestock Market
Phone 5141
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Greetings

"VOICE OF THE FRONTIER"
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