



Stanley Sukup of Page (left) and Carl Frisch of Verdigre . . . couple of these buffalo fish weighed in at 13 pounds.—The Frontier Photo.

No Holds Barred As Fish Are Doped

Hear Attack Fatal to Agnes M. Ziska

Stricken Late Sunday at Her Home

ATKINSON—Mrs. Agnes M. Ziska, 76, a Holt county resident since 1881, died of a heart attack about 6:30 p.m. Sunday, September 8, at her home. She had not been ill and her death was unexpected.

Requiem high mass was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, September 11, at St. Joseph's Catholic church. Rev. Richard J. Parr, church pastor, officiated and burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

The late Mrs. Ziska's maiden name was Agnes M. Kramer. She was born December 24, 1880, at Platte Center, a daughter of Anton Ziska and Mary Valenta Ziska.

At the age of six months she moved with her parents to Holt county and settled on a farm southwest of Atkinson.

Survivors include: Widower—Fred of Atkinson; sons—Joseph of Emmet; George of Boys Town; Lawrence of Stuart; daughters—Mrs. Frank (Theresa) Krysl of Stuart; Mrs. Joseph (Clara) Hamik of Atkinson; Mrs. Alois H. (Gertrude) Kautz of Stuart; Mrs. Leo (Margaret) Knievel of West Point; Mrs. Leo (Leona) Meyer of Santa Monica Calif.; 34 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; brother—Anton Kramer of Florida.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Irene, who died April 21, 1930.

Pallbearers were nephews—Edward Kramer, Joseph Straka, Henry Straka, Charles Freout, Freddie Ziska and Charles Ziska. She was a member of the Christian Mothers.

Farm Possession Taken into Court

In a civil suit filed Saturday in Holt county district court, Wayne Quatt and Rita Quatt, plaintiffs, are seeking a judgment against members of the Langan family.

Defendants are named as William D. Langan, Hazel Langan, Patrick Langan, Barbara Langan and John Langan.

The Quatts are petitioning the court for delivery of possession of real estate premises held since the date of an auction sale. The plaintiffs are also asking damages in the sum of eight-thousand-dollars, caused by withholding possession, and also ask court costs.

Manuel and Erickson of Burwell are attorneys for the plaintiffs.

O'Neill High Picks Four Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders elected for the 1957-58 season at O'Neill high school are Betty Schultz, Sharon Nelson, Carolyn Schmeichel and Linda Haynes.

Booth to Be Featured with Layne Band

The Bobby Layne dance band of Lincoln, a popular midwest unit will appear at the American Legion ballroom here Sunday evening. The band will feature Duane Booth, who plays first trumpet.

Booth is a former O'Neill high athlete great and now lives in Lincoln where he attends the University of Nebraska, majoring in music. Booth has been with the band about a year.

Prominent Stockman-Banker Dies

Hugh J. Birmingham Fatally Stricken in Rochester Hospital

(Editorial, End of an Era, on page 2.)

One of north Nebraska's best-known citizens, Hugh J. Birmingham, 66, died at 12:30 a.m. Thursday, September 5, in St. Mary's hospital at Rochester, Minn. Death was believed to have been caused by a heart attack.

He was flown to Rochester by air ambulance Monday, September 2, because of a blood clot that had developed in his right leg.

In February of this year he had been flown to Rochester because of a blood clot in the left leg, and an amputation of the left leg above the knee, became necessary.

Rosary was cited at the Birmingham residence, Sunday evening, September 9, and requiem high mass was held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, September 9, at St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Very Rev. Timothy O'Sullivan church pastor, was celebrant. Rev. Richard J. Parr, pastor of St. Joseph's church of Atkinson, was deacon, and Rev. Peter Burke of Ewing was subdeacon. Master-of-ceremonies was Rev. Francis Price of Emmet and Rev. Robert Duffy, assistant at St. Patrick's, was assistant.

Other clergy present at the requiem mass were Rev. Carl Reinert, S.J., Rev. Clement Ryan, S.J., and Rev. William Kelligher, all of Omaha; Rev. J. W. Averill, S.J., of Denver, Colo.; Rev. Karl Kucera of O'Neill and Rev. Robert Barry of Long Pine.

Acolytes were James Froelich and Charles Froelich, nephews of Mr. Birmingham, and James Becker.

The remains lay in state at the Birmingham residence from 2 p.m., Sunday until the funeral hour.

Burial in Calvary Burial was in the family plot in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Biglin's. Father Reinert, who is president of Creighton university, offered graveside prayers. Simons post 93 of the American Legion conducted military rites.

Pallbearers were Julius D. Cronin, J. J. Berigan, C. J. Gatz, Guy Cole, William P. Dailey and D. C. Schaffer, all of O'Neill, and Wayne Galvan and Lawrence Kramer, both of Atkinson.

The late Hugh John Birmingham was born December 8, 1890, at O'Neill, the son of Thomas F. Birmingham and Margaret J. Gallagher Birmingham.

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Peter Engler, 92, Fatally Stricken

Follows Husband in Death by 3 Weeks

STUART—Peter Engler, 92-year-old Holt county pioneer, died Thursday morning, September 11, at his home in Stuart. He had been in ill health for some time, and was stricken with a heart attack.

Rosary services were held at 9 o'clock Thursday night and 9:30 Friday night at the Seger funeral home in Atkinson.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Saturday, September 7, at St. Boniface Catholic church in Stuart, Rev. A. J. Paschang officiating. Six of Mr. Engler's grandsons served as pallbearers.

The late Mr. Engler, son of Andrew and Margaret Engler, was born March 20, 1865 at Worthington, Ia.

Mr. Engler and his wife celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary June 18. They were married in 1892 at Dyersville, Ia., and came to Nebraska in 1906, when they moved to a farm near Stuart. They retired and moved to town in 1926. Mrs. Engler is the former Katherine Kouter.

Survivors include: Widows—Bernard C. and Edwin, both of Stuart, Paul of Bassett, Julius of Newport, Gilbert and Eugene, both of Atkinson; 29 grandchildren and 32 great-grandchildren; one brother, P. A. Engler of Worthington, Ia.

His eldest son, Andrew, preceded him in death in 1951.

Auction Calendar

Wednesday September 18: Eighty-five head of cattle, including milk and stock cows; prairie hay, full line of machinery and equipment being offered by John Slizoski, who lives near Inman and Ewing; Col. Wallace O'Connell of O'Neill and Col. Max Wanser of Ewing, auctioneers; Farmers State Bank of Ewing, clerk. (Details on page 9.)

Wednesday, September 25: Doc and Stub Bentley, 34 miles south of O'Neill, 11 west and two south; 106 head of Hereford and Angus cattle; full line of ranch and hay-making machinery; some household goods; Col. El Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer; Chambers State Bank, clerk. (Details next issue.)

Greece Fascinating Mrs. Grabo, who paints, collects and writes poetry as hobbies, soon will have a book of poetry published. She said the highlight of her trip was her visit to Greece and her studies of Greek art and literature. At Vienna she was a guest several weeks of the American vice-consul, a friend of the family.



Scene of two-car crash where nine-year-old girl was fatally injured.—The Frontier Photo.

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Two Off-Campus Courses Slated

Physical science I from Wayne college will meet at O'Neill high school Saturday, September 21, at 9 a.m., in a five-hour session for organization and the first class meeting. This will be an off-campus class.

Education 288, psychology of exceptional children from the University of Nebraska, will meet at the high school in O'Neill Tuesday, September 24, at 7 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Bright were Monday evening dinner guests at the Warren Peden home.

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Girl, 9, Fatally Hurt in Crash

Lansworth, Veteran of World War I, Dies

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John A. Lansworth, 67, World War I veteran of intensive combat in France and a former deputy sheriff of Holt county, died at 6:25 p.m., Sunday, September 8, in the Veterans hospital at Grand Island.

He entered the hospital July 16 because of a foot ailment.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m., today (Thursday) at First Presbyterian church with Rev. J. Olen Kennell, church pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the family plot in Prospect Hill cemetery under direction of Biglin's.

Simonson post 93 of the American Legion will conduct military rites. Mr. Lansworth is a past commander of the active in Legion affairs.

Born on Homestead John Arthur Lansworth, oldest son of Peter J. and Anna Pauline Engebretson Lansworth, was born December 16, 1889, on the family homestead located 14 miles northeast of O'Neill.

The late Mr. Lansworth was reared in the vicinity of his birth, received his education in the public schools, and was a farmer most of his life.

In January, 1918, he entered the army and spent three months in training as a member of company D, 20th machine gun battalion, at Camp Arthur, near Waco, Tex. Later he went overseas and took part in some of the heaviest fighting in the French sector where the German armies

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A doctor traveller, who came upon the scene, examined the girl and offered no hope for her survival.

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Jennifer M. Kellogg, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kellogg who live 2 1/2 miles northeast of Orchard, was fatally injured about 9:30 a.m., Sunday, September 8, at the U. S. highway 20 intersection with state highway 108, five miles west of Orchard.

She died at 1:15 p.m., that day in St. Anthony hospital here, having suffered head injuries.

The girl and her father, west-bound, were enroute to mass at St. Peter's Catholic church at Ewing. Her father was attempting a left (south) turn when their car was in collision with an oncoming (eastbound) machine driven by Barry Smith, 20, of Ryan, Ia.

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