

Four Million to Be Spent on U.S. 281 Projects



Mr. Carey . . . long illness.

Fred L. Carey, 81, Rites Wednesday

Farms Near O'Neill Since 1945

Fred L. Carey, 81, longtime farmer in this area, died at St. Anthony's hospital in O'Neill Monday, October 21, after an extended illness.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 23, at 2 p.m., at First Methodist church with Rev. Glenn Kennicott officiating. Burial was in Prospect Hill cemetery under the direction of Biglin's.

The remains lay in state at the church between 11 a.m. and the funeral hour. Pallbearers were Earl Eppenhach, Boyd Boelter, Leo Gokie, Paul Krugman, Joe Siebert and Robert Hanley, all neighbors living northeast of O'Neill.

Fred Lyle Carey was born January 26, 1876, in Iowa, the son of William Wallace and Bertha Wolfe Carey. When he was 12-years-old, he moved with his family from Iowa to Nebraska where his father took a homestead west of Venus.

He was married to Lillie West, November 18, 1900 at Walnut. Nine children were born to them. The couple made their home in the Venus and Madelchran communities until 1945, when they moved to the farm east of O'Neill, where he farmed until his death.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother, George, and his wife, who died in January, 1946.

Survivors include: Sons—Claude of Danville, Va.; Ralph of O'Neill; Glen of Eugene, Ore.; Howard of Trenton, Mo.; Fred, jr., of Monette, Mo.; and Boyd of York; daughters—Mrs. Forrest (Bertha) Ramsey, of Verona, Miss.; Mrs. Robert (Myrtle) Young and Mrs. Ray (Leola) Wilkinson, both of O'Neill; brothers—Eugene of Omaha; Clarence of Hadar; Floyd of Sioux City and Richard of Cedar Rapids, Ia.; sisters—Mrs. Della Schoonover of Aberdeen, Wash.; Mrs. Alice Hastings of Michigan City, Ill., and Mrs. Bertha Scott of Playa Del Ray, Calif.; 18 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Writes Churchill Story for Telecast

The script for "The Story of Winston Churchill" presented Sunday, at 5 p.m., over the Columbia Broadcasting System's television network and WQTV, was written by John Phillip Gilligan, son of Dr. John Gilligan of Nebraska City. A Harvard university graduate, he is a friend of the new Aga Khan, a former classmate.

John Phillip is a grandson of Mrs. J. P. Gilligan of Omaha and the late Doctor Gilligan of O'Neill.



Lad Injured

Larry Lemunyan (above), 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lemunyan, who live 10 miles southwest of Atkinson, Saturday escaped fatal injuries when run over by a hay underslung. He was attempting to jump onto the moving vehicle, fell underneath, suffered two broken ribs, bruises and cuts. He is in Atkinson Memorial hospital. Larry is a fifth grader in rural school district 213.

More money will be spent on U. S. highway 281 in the next four years than on any north-south route across Nebraska—probably more than four million dollars—State Engineer L. N. Ress said Thursday.

By the end of the period, the entire Nebraska stretch of the Texas-to-Canada route will be dustless surfaced except for a 10-mile stretch from Spencer to the South Dakota line, he told a 12-member central Nebraska delegation. And even that stretch will be rebuilt and ready for dustless surfacing, Ress said.

Representing Grand Island, O'Neill, Spencer, Butte, Greeley and Bartlett, the delegation conferred with Gov. Anderson and Ress on the status of construction plans on the route.

The conference with state officials resulted from a previous meeting planned by C. L. Bishop and the Grand Island Chamber of Commerce members September 20. Mr. Bishop is president of the Nebraska Highway 281 association.

Governor Anderson told the group that plans for work on 281 are based on sufficiency ratings and the best estimates of funds available, and the plans will not be changed.

Ress questioned about the possibility of deferring a highway relocation at Grand Island to the improvements to the north could be made earlier. Ress said he was surprised even to hear the suggestion made in view of the pressures that were brought on highway department to effect the Grand Island relocation.

Ress said expenditures on 281 during the current biennium are estimated at \$1,822,000.

Bishop said action was being taken on the matter of graveling 281 north from Greeley to the oil yet this fall. Ress, when advised of the terrible condition of this stretch of road, said it would be given immediate attention, following the recommendations of the division engineer at Grand Island.

Delegation members at Thursday's meeting included Bill Hight, Bill Hehnke, Jake Grassmick, Thomas A. Thomsen and V. J. Heine, all of Grand Island; John Ryan and Elmer Burke of Greeley; Mayor Dewey Schaffer of O'Neill; C. H. Fisher of Butte; John Krotter of Spencer, and C. L. Bishop and James Fitzsimonds, both of Bartlett.

Benefit Auction Tops Calendar

New Auto, Outboard Motor Listed

A benefit community auction, all proceeds going to St. Mary's auction calendar, this week's auction calendar.

A wide variety of items will be sold, ranging from new and used automobiles and new outboard motor to a case of oil and used equipment. Household goods will be sold, too, and Committee Chairman John H. McCarville said gift consignments will be accepted right up until the hour of the sale.

Lunch will be served on the grounds. There will be three auctioneers and selling activity a-plenty. (Details on page 10.)

Thursday, October 24: Continuation of Gibson Sundries closeout sale in Ewing, starting 1 p.m.; Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, and Col. Leroy Kirwan of Butte, auctioneers; Farmers State Bank of Ewing, clerk.

Friday, October 25: Earnest and Leona Wright farm closeout, two miles west of Redbird store and 1 1/2 miles south; 95 head of cattle; saddle horses, hogs, chickens, grain, full line of machinery, some household goods. Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer; Jack Wanser of Page, ringman; Nebraska State Bank of Lynch, clerk.

Tuesday, October 29: Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Hap) Cadwallider of Inman, half-section farm. 27 head of cattle, farm machinery; Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer; O'Neill National Bank, clerk.

Wednesday, October 30: H. A. and Robert E. Van Horn registered Hereford sale, 16 miles southeast of O'Neill to sign, 2 1/2 miles southeast; 45 bulls, 10 females. Write for catalog. (Details on page 8.)

Wednesday, November 6: Alvin and Gen Forbes, near Amelia complete closeout; 69 head of cattle, machinery, etc.; Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer; Chambers State Bank, clerk.

400 Expected for Achievement Day

The annual achievement day for home extension clubs and guests will be held Thursday, October 31. Family life will be the theme of this year's program.

Dr. Joel Moss from University of Nebraska will be the main speaker. In addition, the Willing Workers 4-H club boys' quartet will sing. There will be tap dancing by Sherry Salak, Linda Curran and Bonnie Tomlinson, accompanied by Connie Kurtz.

Following installation of officers and Doctor Moss's talk the program is scheduled to start at 1:45 p.m., and the public is invited. The affair will be held at the American Legion auditorium and more than four hundred are expected.

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Robertson Rites Held At Stuart

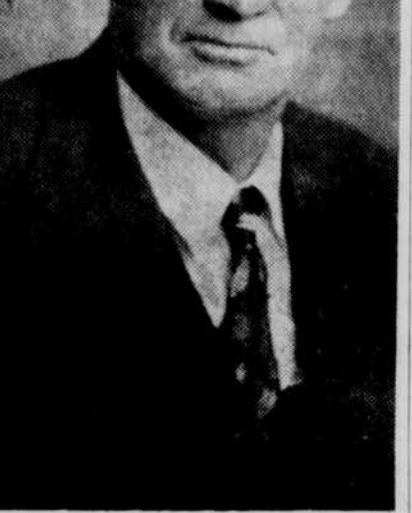
Holt Native, 69, Dies in Hospital After Two - Year Illness

STUART—Funeral services for George Robertson, 69, were conducted at 2 p.m., Tuesday, October 22, at the Community church here.

Mr. Robertson, who had suffered a lingering illness, died Sunday, October 20, in Atkinson Memorial hospital.

The late Mr. Robertson had been in failing health two years. Rev. Glenn Kennicott of O'Neill officiated. Burial was in the Stuart cemetery under the direction of the Coats funeral home.

Mrs. Robert Brayton, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Coats and Ora Yarges sang, accompanied by Mrs. Mark Nelson. Pallbearers were



Mr. Peterson . . . father of 11 children.

Waldo Frost, Mabel Shearer, Renee Loquest, Berlin Mitchell, James Denning and D. B. Marcellus, all of Stuart.

The eldest son of John and Florence Hudson Robertson, he was born July 14, 1888 at Stuart, where he grew to manhood. He attended public schools here.

Weds in 1907. On November 11, 1907, he was married to Eva Miner. They became the parents of 11 children. He engaged in farming for a number of years in the Stuart community and in Keya Paha county, near Springview, from 1935 to 1947, when he moved to Bassett.

He had spent the past year in Ewing at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Tams.

Survivors include: Daughters—Mrs. Wendell (Cora) Barton of Brunswick; Mrs. Robert (Mildred) Tams of Ewing; Mrs. Melvin (Ella) Marcellus of O'Neill; Mrs. Nolan (Kathleen) DeLosh of Stuart; Mrs. Keith (Elsie) Schweigert of Witten, S.D.; Mrs. Harlan (Bernadine) McCoy of Carroll, Ia.; Mrs. Fred (Zada) Bell Fillbrandt, jr., of Granada Hills, Calif.; sons—Kenneth of Springview and Jack of Long Pine; sisters—Mrs. Amanda Jamison of Martin, S.D.; Mrs. Kittie Morgan of Casper, Wyo.; Mrs. Lidia Lloyd of Meeker, Colo.; Mrs. Ruth Christensen of Glenrock, Wyo.; brother—Harry of Glenrock, Wyo.; 26 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

All of the children were present except Mrs. Fillbrandt of California were able to be present for the rites.

After the funeral, relatives and friends were served a lunch in the church basement.

Native of O'Neill Expires in Florida

Funeral services were held Tuesday, October 22, for Mrs. Frank Carter, 59, of Panama City, Fla., who died of a heart attack Saturday morning, October 19. Her husband died four weeks previously.

Mrs. Carter, the former Mabel Rodenwald, was born O'Neill March 8, 1898. She had been a telephone operator here. Her mother was the late Mrs. Anna Hughes of O'Neill.

Survivors include: Daughters—Mrs. Fred (Gertrude) Phipps and Mrs. Obed (Marie) Coker, both of Panama City; sisters—Mrs. Harnden Anspach of O'Neill; Mrs. Rose Davey of Valentine, Mrs. Elizabeth Madison and Miss Loretta Hughes of Beatrice.

Mrs. Davey attended the funeral.

BURN VICTIM DIES

AINSWORTH—Mrs. Axel Irwin, 37, died Monday in an Omaha hospital. Two of her children died and she was hurt and burned in a fire that destroyed the Irwin home October 8.

Woman, 56, Gets New Cornea

By a Staff Writer

CLEARWATER — Mrs. Henry Meyer, 56, has regained vision in her left eye—thanks to a cornea transplant which was accomplished at University hospital in Iowa City, Ia.

She is the second Nebraskan to receive a cornea transplant. The rare surgery currently is being successfully done in only two points in the United States—at Iowa City and at Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Meyer's vision deteriorated in both eyes because of a "conical cornea" condition in which pressure mounts against the tissue, reducing the cornea to cone shape and closing off the light channel. In May the vision in the left eye completely disappeared.

Mrs. Meyer consulted doctors in O'Neill, Norfolk, Sioux City, Omaha, Rochester, Minn., and finally, Hastings. At Hastings the specialist recommended a transplant at Iowa City and negotiated arrangements. The Hastings specialist is Dr. C. M. Foote.

Cornea Purchased

The cornea was purchased from a live person and transplanted to Mrs. Meyer without benefit of anesthetic. Her head lay between sacks of sand while the delicate transfer was effected with eight doctors in attendance plus a bevy of white-clad nurses. The transplant of the "live" eye required about three hours in surgery. Doctor Bailey of Iowa City was the chief surgeon.

She had waited 20 days in Iowa City for the word to report for the surgery and was to receive only a moment's notice.

For the Frontier reporter, Mrs. Meyer patched up her "good" eye (her vision in that eye also is impaired because of the conical) (Continued on page 10.)

26 of 27 Grandchildren Present—Risings Note Golden Wedding



The Risings . . . she has spent a lifetime in the Walnut-Venus locality.—The Frontier Photo.

Army Names Cousins As Recruiter Here

M/Sgt William Cousins, who was stationed at Ft. Carson, Colo., and his family arrived here Tuesday. He is replacing Sgt. J. R. Lyons, who is leaving for an overseas assignment. Sergeant Cousins will be north-Nebraska recruiting sergeant for the army.

Sergeant Cousins, a native of Portland, Me. and his wife, a native of West Virginia, have three children. They are Stephen, 3 1/2, Timothy, 2 1/2, and Cynthia, 11 months.

First Killing Frost Received

The first killing frost of the season visited north-central Nebraska early last Thursday. The freeze was welcomed by corn-growers, who are anxious for a hard freeze to dry out corn.

The freeze has stopped most plant growth; however, pastures and meadows "greened up" following the recent rains.

Much of the corn and sorghum harvest ground to a halt because of wetness and muddy fields. Only about 10 percent of the crops have been harvested.

A hard freeze right now is something to be desired. Storm warnings were issued Wednesday in western Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming and Montana have had snow.

Gravelled roads in this area are in bad condition because of the recent rains.

Week's weather summary:

October 17	hi	lo	pr.
October 17	59	30	
October 18	59	38	
October 19	57	40	
October 20	49	41	.55
October 21	45	46	T
October 22	55	48	.06
October 23	54	40	.01

Parked Car Hit by Moving Vehicle—

In an auto incident which took place about 9:30 p.m., Tuesday on East Everett street between Third and Fourth streets, an east-bound vehicle operated by Mrs. William (Rae) Whited struck a parked car belonging to Laura Burks and Evelyn Stannard.

Officers Glenn Wetlauffer, who investigated, said damage to each car would be about two hundred dollars.

\$250 NET PROFIT

The Lions club sale of brooms, priced to attract blind persons in receiving corner transplants, netted approximately \$250 in O'Neill during the weekend. Nearly five hundred units were sold. The Lions say: "Thanks!"

VFW Auxiliary Unit Is Formed

A meeting was held at the national guard armory Monday night to organize a Veterans of Foreign Wars ladies' auxiliary unit here. A month ago a VFW chapter was founded.

State and district officers here to organize the unit were: Mrs. Dorothy Moabery of Crete, state department chief-of-staff; Mrs. Lyle Tucker of Bridgeport, state auxiliary president; Mrs. Charles Klingman of Gering, state department secretary; Mrs. Mary Bohan of Bassett, district president; Mrs. Alta Rogers of Bassett, past district president.

Officers elected to hold posts in the newly-formed unit until formally instituted are: Mrs. Claire Engdahl, president; Mrs. George Morland, secretary; Mr. Don Riley, treasurer; Mrs. Don Richardson, Mrs. Lyle Tucker of Ewing, Mrs. Ray Tucker of Ewing, Mrs. Otto Sprague, Mrs. Louis Wray and Mrs. Everett Staub, trustees.

Found Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary unit here: Seated—Mrs. Morland, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Moabery, Mrs. Engdahl, Mrs. Scofield; standing—Mrs. Riley, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Lyle Tucker, Mrs. Ray Tucker, Mrs. Sprague, Mrs. Wray and Mrs. Staub.—The Frontier Photo.

Prominent Farmer Is Dead at 64

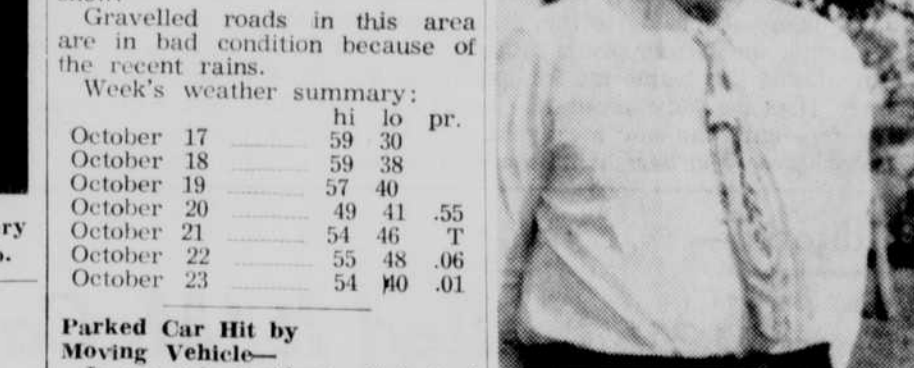
Ed Wayman Dies of Cancer After Six-Months Illness

A well-known O'Neill farmer, Edwin E. ("Ed") Wayman, 64, died at 6 p.m., Thursday, October 17, at his home west of O'Neill.

A victim of cancer, he had recently been hospitalized at Rochester, Minn., where surgeons despaired of any hope in saving his life. He had been in failing health about six months.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m., Monday, October 21, at the Methodist church with Rev. Glenn Kennicott, officiating. Burial was in Prospect Hill cemetery under the direction of Biglin's.

The remains lay in state at Biglin's Funeral chapel Sunday afternoon and evening and at the



Mr. Wayman . . . dies at home.

church from 11 a.m., Monday until the funeral hour.

Pallbearers were Clarence Ernst, Wallace O'Connell, Leonard Shoemaker, Frank Seales, Otto Lorenz and John Dick. Mrs. Dwayne Philbrick, Mrs. Frank Eppenhach, Claire Engdahl and Grant Peacock sang accompanied by Archie Bowen.

Born in DeWitt. The late Edwin Elmer Wayman was born June 23, 1893, at DeWitt the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Wayman. As a boy he attended school at DeWitt where his family resided until 1909, when they moved to O'Neill.

On October 6, 1927, he was united in marriage to Ruby Augusta Boldra. They became the parents of two sons. They lived all of their married life near O'Neill, where Mr. Wayman engaged in farming. He was a member of First Methodist church and the Odd Fellows lodge.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include: Widow—Ruby; sons—Norman of O'Neill, and Ivan, serving with the armed forces at Ft. Belvoir, Va.; brothers—Clarence of Boulder, Colo.; Benjamin, Roy, Harvey and Harry, all of O'Neill; sisters—Mrs. John Nickel, Mrs. Clyde Hershiser, Mrs. William Schmoer, Mrs. Kenneth Ellington and Miss Linda Wayman, all of O'Neill; three grandchildren.

Child's Leg Broken; Struck by Bicycle

EMMET—Tim Kaup, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Romanus Kaup, was dismissed Tuesday night from Atkinson Memorial hospital. He suffered a broken leg Thursday evening when another boy, operating a bicycle, struck Tim. His leg is in a cast from his foot to his hip.



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