

# SPORTS



Ronnie Smith (45), O'Neill high guard, sees one of his shots go awry during Friday night's classic with the St. Mary's Cardinals. Smith's mates in the photo are John Kurtz (41) and Larry Donlin (35). The Cards (in white) are Lambert Belina (34), Larry Tomlinson (54) and Gene Schneider (44), coming in from right.—The Frontier Photo.

## St. Mary's Victor in Intracity Classic

Coming from behind in the second half, the St. Mary's academy Cardinals Friday night retained possession of the intracity basketball championship. They defeated their across-the-street rivals, the O'Neill high Eagles, 44-32. A full house looked on as Coach Bill Edwards' Blues were making their debut and the Cardinals were chalking up their second win in that many starts.

It was SMA's fast break—when it began to click—that spelled the margin. O'Neill high couldn't score a respectable number of points under the basket—especially during the final two periods—although the Eagles had a jillion attempts.

The Eagles took an early 5-0 lead and stretched the margin to 18-10 before they were checked. At halftime O'Neill led 18-16.

Bad passing and polar shooting hurt the Cards during the first half. They connected on only three out of 11 tries during the opening period.

John Kurtz, O'Neill high long boy and a soph with lots of promise when he learns how to better control his bulk, scored seven points for the pub in the first period. The Eagles only missed four field tries in the opening quarter.

Larry Mudfoot was on the conversion end of the Cards' fast break for 10 points in the second half. The Cards missed only five field tries in the third and at the end of the period owned a 29-25 lead. The SMA man-to-man defense bogged down O'Neill's pattern play.

Larry Tomlinson was disappointing to SMA partisans except at the free throw lane. Had the pub been clicking at the "gratis" lane the score could have been different.

In the final five minutes the kids of Coach Don Templemeier played for ball control. The Eagles, attempting to gain control, laid themselves open and the eager Cards drove in for some easy lays.

Lambert Belina looked good for the winners and Ronnie Smith's rebounding for the Blues was good. The Cards had a distinct height advantage. Mudfoot also showed well for the Cardinals. The game was loosely played and was not well officiated.

### \$10 Being Sent to Opportunity Center

CHAMBERS — The American Legion auxiliary of post 320 met Friday evening, December 5, for a regular meeting and Christmas party.

Sixteen members answered roll call. The vice president, Mrs. A. B. Hubbard, conducted the business session. The meeting opened with the song of the month, "Blest Be the Tie." Mrs. Hubbard read a letter from the state president, Mrs. Andrews. She also read and explained about "Topper the 59'er", which represents the membership drive for 1959. She read a letter of thanks from the Norfolk opportunity center for \$10 sent them. It was voted to order the legislative bulletin. The chairman also read the early history of the auxiliary. Mrs. T. E. Alderson was in charge of the short Christmas program and gift exchange. The meeting closed with the singing of "Silent Night". Lunch was served by Mrs. Shavlek, Mrs. Raymond Walter and Mrs. C. G. Gillette.

**Sunday Guests—**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dendering and Marcella were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dendering of Hartington. They celebrated Marcella and Mrs. Harold Dendering's birthday anniversary.

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## O'Neill Boxers Win Five Out of Seven 700 Witness Warmup Norfolk Matches

American Legion-sponsored boxers from O'Neill last Thursday eve won five out of seven matches in pre-golden gloves warmups at Norfolk's city auditorium. Seven hundred persons witnessed the matches including an O'Neill delegation.

Wearing O'Neill colors were Butch and Dean Pofahl, Roland Closson, Larry Cleary, Vic Burrell, Larry Wanser and Neal Kelley.

The O'Neill crew is tutored by Max Pofahl. Two other competitors from this area won matches on the same card.

Butch, 134 pounds, scored a split decision win over Gary Jacobs, 124-pounder from Mitchell. S. D. Pofahl won the first round by a hair and the ensuing two rounds were even.

Dean, 149 pounds, piled up points over Eugene Ironshell, 151 pounds, by catching his opponent in the ropes and then unloading a one-two attack. Pofahl won on a decision.

Closson, 126 pounds, used a left jab to build a decision over Leo Weimus, 129 pounds, also of Mitchell. Weimus' best round was the third.

Cleary, 156 pounds, registered a TKO over Milo Jensen, 149-pounder from Bloomfield. Jensen was unable to answer the bell for the second round. A hard body punch had sent Jensen to the mat.

Gene Johnson, 170 pounds, representing Norfolk Sacred Heart, made his second ring appearance by catching a split decision. Initial loss Johnson was given the first two rounds but Burrell took the third by a wide margin—then his lame shoulder gave out. Burrell fought with tape over a sprained right shoulder. Initially he was told he could fight with a sweat shirt on and tape rigged to the shirt. When fight time came, however, he was told to pull the shirt.

Burrell injured his shoulder in army fighting in Europe where he won 18 out of 23 fights.

Larry Wanser, 133-pounder from Ewing, also appeared on the card. He lost a split decision to Marvin Prinz, 132, of West Point.

Neal Kelley, 128, of Inman representing Norfolk Junior college, scored a TKO over Ray Lush, 122, a colorful Bloomfield fighter. Kelley's sharp punches defeated Lush who fought gamely but was outclassed.

Results involving Frontier Land fighters:

**Featherweight:** Neal Kelley, 128, Inman, scored a TKO over Ray Lush, 122, Bloomfield, 1:34, second round; Roland Closson, 126, O'Neill, decided Leo Weimus, 129, Mitchell.

**Lightweight:** Butch Pofahl, 134, Ewing (O'Neill team), decided Gary Jacobs, 129, Mitchell; Marvin Prinz, 132, West Point, decided Larry Wanser, 133, Ewing.

**Middleweight:** Dean Pofahl, 149, Ewing (O'Neill team), decided Eugene Ironshell, 151, Hastings; Larry Cleary, 156, O'Neill, scored a TKO over Milo Jensen, 149, Bloomfield, who failed to answer bell.

**Lightweight:** Gene Johnson, 170, Norfolk, decided Victor Burrell, 170, O'Neill.

## Bowling Scores

STREAMLINE		W	L
Pepper Uppers	25 1/2	13 1/2	
Heinz 57	24	15	
Methodist Men	23 1/2	15 1/2	
Fehrs Trac. & Equip.	21	18	
Splits	18 1/2	20 1/2	
Farmers Store	13 1/2	25 1/2	
Legion Blue	12	27	
HIG—John Brady, Fehrs Uppers, 197.			
HIS—Kenneth Waring, Fehrs Tractor & Equip., 552.			
HTG—Farmers Store, 804.			
HTS—Fehrs Tractor & Equip., 275.			

BOOSTER		W	L
Caterpillar	26	13	
Ten Pin Lanes	25	14	
Dick's Bar	21	18	
Nite Owls	20	19	
J. M. McDonalds	18	21	
Pin Pals	17	22	
Hunt's Plumbing	15	24	
Town House	14	25	
HIG—Nancy Grady, Hunt's Plumbing, 183.			
HIS—John H. Yantzi, Ten Pin Lanes, 489.			
HTG—Caterpillar, Pin Pals, 702.			
HTS—Ten Pin Lanes, 2059.			

VARSITY		W	L
O'Neill Cleaners	28	11	
Old Home Bread	22	17	
Orchard Legion	22	17	
Johnson Jewelry	18	21	
Drayton Elevator	18	21	
Legion Gold	17	22	
Bright's Store	16	23	
Coast-to-Coast	15	24	
HIG—John Brady, O'Neill Cleaners, 256.			
HIS—John Brady, O'Neill Cleaners, 635.			
HTG—O'Neill Cleaners, 1005.			
HTS—O'Neill Cleaners, 2757.			

BEEF		W	L
New Deal Oil Co.	28	11	
Earley Oil Co.	23	16	
Page Oil Co.	23	16	
Sam's Bar	19	20	
O'Neill Auto Supply	16 1/2	23 1/2	
Lehman Motors	16 1/2	23 1/2	
Wick's Body Shop	16	23	
Force Tire & Supply	13	26	
HIG—Lloyd Brooks, Sam's Bar, 202.			
HIS—Vern Gorgen, New Deal Oil Co., 544.			
HTG—Sam's Bar, 846.			
HTS—New Deal Oil Co., 2402.			

STRIKETTES		W	L
Candy Bill's Cafe	26	16	
Melaina's Powder Puffs	22	20	
Tollette	21 1/2	20 1/2	
Pinkerman's TV	21	21	
Charmers Chix	21	21	
Pin Quins	20 1/2	21 1/2	
Hardings Creamery	20	22	
O'Neill Auto Supply	17	25	
HIG—Helen Riley, O'Neill Auto Supply, 506.			
HTG—O'Neill Auto Supply, 688.			
HTS—O'Neill Auto Supply, 2006.			

SHAMROCK		W	L
Shonka Agency	33	9	
O'Neill National Bank	25 1/2	16 1/2	
Hamm's	20	22	
Virg Laursen Ins.	20	22	
O'Neill Lockers	18	24	
Western Auto	17 1/2	24 1/2	
Ash Grove	14	28	
HIG—John Watson, Marcellus Chevrolet, 213.			
HIS—Roy Gilg, Shonka Agency, 536.			
HTG—Shonka Agency, 865.			
HTS—Shonka Agency, 2468.			

ROUNDUP		W	L
Ye Olde Farmers	27	15	
Haymakers	26	16	
Bazelman's Service	23	19	
K of C Red	22	20	
New Outlaw	19	23	
Shelhamer Oil	19	23	
Dick's Bar	17	25	
Priddy Bros.	15	27	
HIG—Louis Bartos, Haymakers, 200.			
HIS—Gene Closson, Bazelman's Service, 517.			
HTG—Bazelman's Service, 806.			
HTS—Dick's Bar, 2301.			

CHAMPS		W	L
Meadow Gold	25	14	
Gas House Gang	22 1/2	16 1/2	
Harding Creamery	20	19	
Ewing Conoco	20	19	
Court House	18 1/2	20 1/2	
Post Office	18	21	
Gambles	17	22	
Dodds Oil	15	24	
HIG—Lowell Nesbitt, Gas House Gang, 201.			
HIS—Lyle Dierks, Ewing Conoco, 499.			
HTG—Gas House Gang, 788.			
HTS—Ewing Conoco, 2218.			

MAJORETTES		W	L
Leaguesettes	27	15	
Krazy Kats	24	18	
Dodds Oil Co.	24	18	
Orchard Orioles	22	20	
Bowlerettes	22	20	
Ashgrovettes	19	23	
Keglers	16	26	

**Husbands Guests at Club Meeting—**  
CHAMBERS — The Betterways extension club met Sunday evening, December 7, at the Duane Grossnicklaus home. Members and their husbands were present.

Cards furnished the entertainment with Lloyd Waldo and Mrs. Ernest Durre winning high and Wayne Smith and Mrs. Fritz Schwager, low. There was an exchange of gifts and the members drew names for the coming year for mystery sisters. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Frank Tracy.

**Other Chambers News**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jenkins, Miss Edith and Miss Mabel Kinney, all of Elnor, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Neilson and Mrs. Holloway.

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## Inman News

Sam Watson, Linell Tompkins, Roland Hansen and Bob Reimers, all of Lincoln, came Tuesday, November 25, to spend the Thanksgiving vacation with home folks.

Don Kelley, who attends school at Greeley, Colo., Neal and Ned Kelley and Dick Coventry, all of Norfolk, came Wednesday, November 26, and spent the remainder of the week with their parents.

Mrs. Anna Smith spent several days the past week visiting her son and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith, and Linda, at Page, while her brother, Ernest Trowbridge was doing chores at the Elmer Trowbridge home west of Page while the Trowbridges were away for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Mary Newton left Wednesday afternoon, November 26, to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her daughter in Omaha. She was accompanied to Omaha by Mrs. Ethel Siders, who visited her daughter, Marilyn, in Omaha. She also spent a few days in the home of two other daughters and their families, Mrs. Arthur Benish of Beatrice, and Mrs. Charles Russell of Lincoln.

Miss Mildred Keyes entertained at a family dinner at her home on Thanksgiving day. Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keyes, Mrs. Blanche Rouse and Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hansen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Keyes and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rouse of Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Risor and family of O'Neill and Mr. and Mrs. Milton McKathine and family of Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Coleman, Bernice and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brunckhorst drove to Tekamah Thanksgiving where they visited in the home of their son-in-law and daughter and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Max Mossman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrent Pribil and family spent the Thanksgiving weekend in Omaha visiting relatives.

John Sobotka and son, Harold, drove to Columbus Thursday and spent the day with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sobotka, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tompkins and family were hosts to the following guests Thanksgiving in their country home: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Larsen and three daughters of Fremont, Mr. Cora Caldwell of Uteia and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tompkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson, Jeanie and Billy of O'Neill were Thursday evening, November 27, dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sobotka and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anthony and family Thanksgiving day included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anthony and family of Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Matschullat of Peace.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kestenholtz and family were Thanksgiving guests in the home of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bursell, and family living north of O'Neill.

Mrs. Cora Caldwell returned to her home at Uteia on Sunday after spending a couple of weeks in the home of her son-in-law and

## Nebraska's Christmas Subject of Lesson

AMELIA—The Amelia Progressive project club met Wednesday, December 3, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Widman. All members were present.

The lesson, "Christmas We Cherish in Nebraska," was led by Florence Lindsay. The meeting was opened by singing carols led by Mrs. Link Sagerer. Mrs. Glenn White made and demonstrated a centerpiece of a tumbledweed decorated for the Christmas season. Mrs. Elmer Coolidge made a mantle decoration of a poinsettia filled cornucopia. Mrs. Eva Backhaus told how to make a simple table decoration. Mrs. Milton Clemens, Mrs. Julia White and Mrs. Mae Sagerer told of Christmas traditions in their own families. Mrs. Ralph Rees, Mrs. Bernard Blackmore and Mrs. William Thompson gave reports on "Christmas in Other Lands." Mrs. Vern Sagerer told about the Creche. Mrs. Paul Fisher told at story, "The Lost Madonna." Mrs. Clyde Widman and Florence Lindsay provided some piano music.

Mrs. Temus Madsen gave a report on "The Origin of Christmas Trees".

Gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Widman served a luncheon.

The next meeting will be January 21, with Mrs. Glenn White.

## DELOIT NEWS

Beulah Napier and Ila Harpster spent Wednesday afternoon, December 3, at the Ralph Tomjack home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harpster and Mrs. Napier were Wednesday, December 3, O'Neill visitors.

A reception was held Friday evening for the new priest at St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Reimers were Sunday dinner guests at the Mike Born home in Plainview.

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