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Robert Wallinger, 29, Killed In Truck-Train Crash Near Laurel

Robert L. Wallinger, 29, of Stuart, was killed about 11:57 p.m. Tuesday when his semi-trailer truck collided with an eastbound Chicago and North-western freight train at a crossing three-fourths of a mile north of Laurel.

Wallinger, driving a truck loaded with hay, swerved to avoid the train but was unable to stop in time. The truck and trailer overturned and burst into flames. The truck was owned by Robert Greenfield of Stuart.

This was the second truck train accident at the same crossing in the past year. Two freightway truck drivers lost their lives in a similar accident on August 25, 1959, when their truck collided with a train and also burned.

Mr. Wallinger is survived by a wife and four small daughters, the oldest of whom is 9.

4-H Style Show Scheduled Today At Auditorium

The annual Holt county 4-H style show and judging will be held today (Thursday) at the O'Neill High school auditorium.

The speech and music identification contests will be held at 7:30 p.m. with the group music contest and style show at 8:30. The pre-fair day is sponsored by the O'Neill Chamber of Commerce, Holt County Agricultural Society and the Agricultural Extension service.

The theme of this year's show will be "Around the Clock" and all 4-H girls carrying clothing projects may participate in the contest and revue. Last year 117 girls took part. The committee in charge includes Mrs. Wayne Smith of Chambers, Miss Raymona Wayman of O'Neill, Mrs. Albert Widfeldt of O'Neill, Mrs. John Mohr, jr. of Amelia and Mrs. Boyd Boelter of O'Neill. The script is written by Mrs. Cliff Sobotka of Inman. Connie Johnson of O'Neill contributed the art work.

Judging of the costumes will be completed this afternoon. Judges for the projects will be supplied by Boyd County Extension service. The Holt County Home Extension council is awarding sewing shears to the top girl in each division.

Chambers Man Killed In Crash

Harlan Lieswald, 16 year old Chambers youth, was killed Tuesday night when the truck he was driving struck a bridge abutment and burst into flames near Monroe.

Lieswald, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lieswald of Chambers, was driving a truck loaded with hay. The hay load shifted and the gasoline tanks ignited following the crash.

The Monroe fire department was summoned but young Lieswald was pinned in the wreckage and it took firemen nearly 30 minutes to free him according to County Attorney White, who investigated the accident.

Harlan Lieswald was born October 6, 1943 at O'Neill. He is survived by his parents and one brother, Larry.

Funeral services are planned Friday at 10 a.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran church at Chambers with burial in the Chambers cemetery.

West O'Neill Wins Elkhorn; Undefeated

West O'Neill, led by the fine Little League pitching of Jim Troshynski stopped East O'Neill 8-7 Monday night to win the Elkhorn Valley conference with an undefeated season.

The team won 16 straight games for the title. Troshynski pitched the team to 10 wins and Wayne Sindelar and Bob Riley each won 3. The team is the first to complete an undefeated season in Elkhorn play.

Lynch finished second and East O'Neill finished third in the conference.

In Monday night's game West led by three runs in the final inning but East tied the score only to see West score one run in the bottom of the inning for the win. Garry Godel was the loser for East. Troshynski won his tenth game.

Rick Cradit smashed a home run to pace the East hitting.

The conference coaches met in O'Neill Tuesday night and awarded the trophy to West coach Jerry Schmidt. At that meeting the coaches also set the All Star game for August 22 at Orchard.

Representing the western half of the conference will be West O'Neill, Atkinson, Emmet, and Stuart. Lynch, Page, Orchard and East O'Neill make up the eastern team.

Final Elkhorn Little League standings:

West O'Neill	16	0	—
Lynch	14	2	2
East O'Neill	12	4	4
Atkinson	9	7	7
Page	7	9	9
Ewing	4	12	12
Emmet	4	12	12
Orchard	2	14	14

Area Students Are Graduated At WSTC Rites

Eighty seniors and graduate students received degrees in Wayne State Teachers college commencement exercises held Monday.

Among the 65 seniors receiving bachelor's degrees, two were graduated with high honors and distinction (the upper five per cent of the 1960 class, along with eight others in the May class). They were Arlen DeKay of Verdell and Ruth L. Anderson of Stanton.

Others receiving their degrees from the O'Neill area are Leona Ann Shoemaker of O'Neill, Lowell L. Seger of Stuart, Garry W. Marselbas of Bassett and Hazel C. Schmidt of Ainsworth.

Car-Truck Accident Reported at Atkinson

Patrolman Eugene Hastreiter investigated an accident at about 11:50 a.m. Wednesday two miles east of Atkinson. A truck tractor driven by Bob Cole was attempting to make a left turn when a car driven by Gerald Tucker of Edmond, Okla., attempted to pass.

Cole turned to the right to avoid a collision but the auto driven by Tucker went into the ditch and struck an abutment.

No damage was done to the truck but the auto was damaged about the right side. There was no personal injury.



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Services Today For Mrs. Young

INMAN—Funeral services will be held Thursday (today) at 10 a.m. at the Methodist church for Mrs. Charles L. Young. Burial will be in the Chambers cemetery.

Final bearers chosen are: Jim Sholes, Bill Butterfield, John Matson, Melvin Michaelis, Ivan Couch and Lloyd Smith.

The late Sadie Elizabeth Young was born May 23, 1901, at Sargent. Her parents were Abraham and Hattie Evans Muck. When she was eight years old they came to Holt county and settled and educated here.

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Graveside Services Held For Infant

Graveside services were held July 25 for James Paul Wolfe, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wolfe. Mgr. Timothy O'Sullivan officiated at the services in Calvary cemetery.

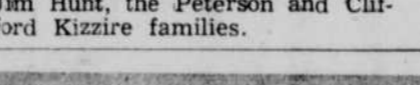
James Paul was born July 24 and died shortly after birth. Survivors include the parents; four brothers and three sisters.

Trailer Owners Move Homes To New Court

A new neighborhood was established over the weekend when four O'Neill families who own mobile homes moved from the Neil Ryan court on south Seventh street to the Shady Lawn Court on Highway 275.

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Patrolmen, Radar Nab Speeders; Eight to Appear in Court Today

Thirteen speeding complaints were filed in Holt County court Tuesday by State Patrolman Robert Gude following the use of a radar unit the first of the week.

Speeds ranging up to 90 miles per hour at night were recorded. Five persons have already paid their fines and the rest are scheduled to appear in court today.

The highest fine paid this week was \$70 and costs paid by Gary L. Simonsen of Bancroft after he was found guilty of day speeding. He was arrested by Patrolman Eugene Hastreiter.

Eleven persons in all paid fines for driving infractions during the past week. Total fines paid amounted to \$250 and \$44 was received for court costs. This is an average of \$22.27 per case.

Additional Contributions

A \$10 donation to the Bobby Krutz fund was made last week by Ployl R. Johnson of O'Neill. Mr. Johnson's name was accidentally omitted from the list.

Jerold W. Snyder of Ewing also contributed \$10 to the fund.

Report Minor Mishap

A two car collision was reported to O'Neill police this week. Cars driven by Gerald Kilcoin, 17, of O'Neill and Dean Sandberg of Omaha collided at the spotlight at Fourth and Douglas. Damage was minor.

Bob White was the investigating officer.

Two Sentenced To Men's Reformatory

Two men were sentenced to the Men's Reformatory at Lincoln by Judge D. R. Mounds in District court here Monday.

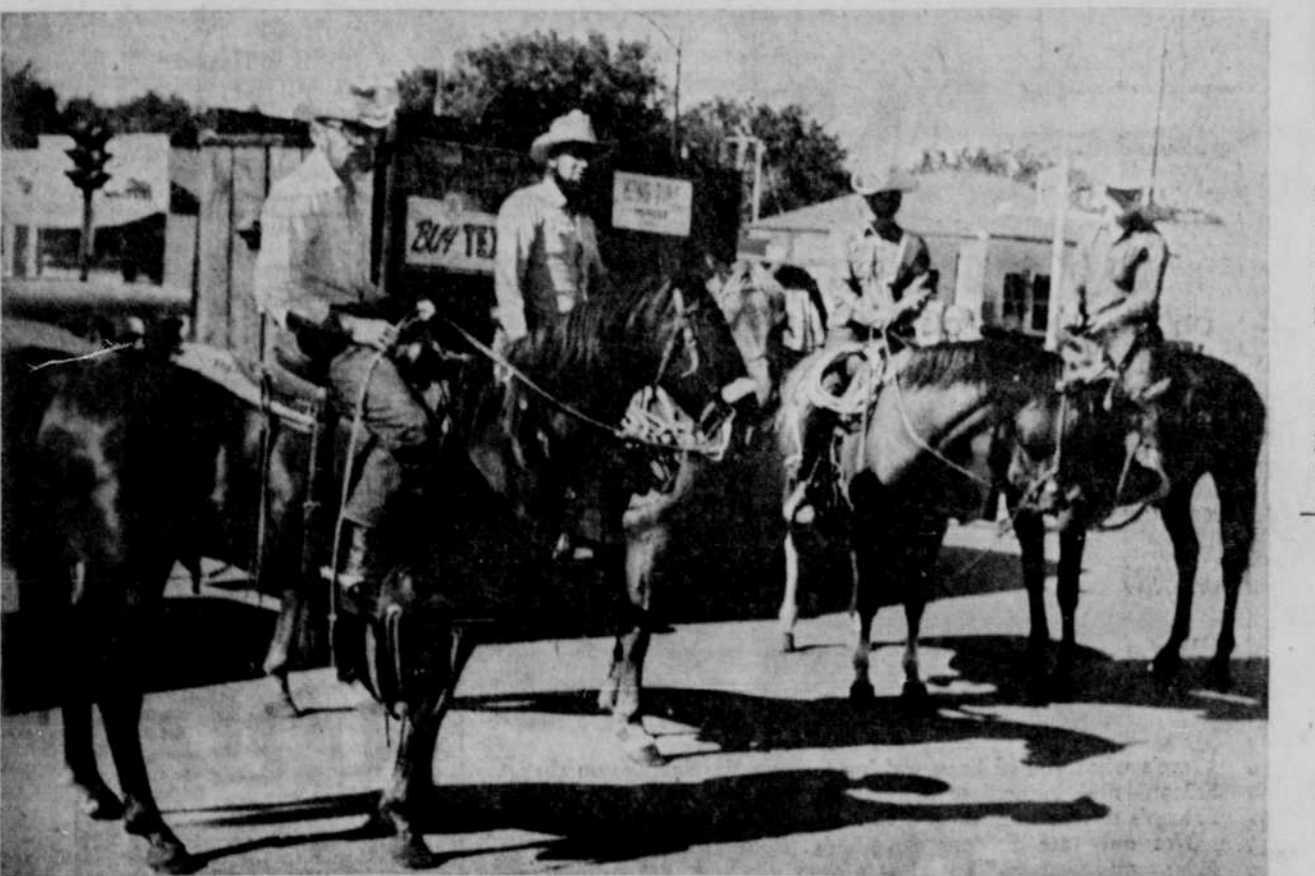
Jerry O'Connell of Atkinson was given three years at hard labor for cattle theft. Floyd M. Houtz was sentenced to one year for automobile theft. Both men are in the Holt County jail awaiting transfer.

National Guard To Depart For Camp Saturday

Fifty-two officers and men of the O'Neill Co. D, of the 1st BG of the 134th Infantry of the National Guard will leave O'Neill at 6:15 Saturday morning.

The truck convoy will meet the Wayne unit at the intersection of highways 20 and 15 and continue to Camp Ripley, Minn. Lt. Harmon Grunke is the commanding officer of the O'Neill unit. The Wayne company has about the same number of men.

The O'Neill unit has a total complement of 65 men but eight men are on active duty and five have already been on active duty this year. The unit will be back in O'Neill on August 21.



These Chadroneo riders paused in O'Neill Saturday as they continued on the last leg of their journey from Chicago to Chadroneo to publicize Chadroneo's Diamond Jubilee. Shown here as they rode through main street (left to right) are: Bob Bishop, Milton Grantham, Raymond Eaton and Billy Kohler. The celebration continues through Friday.

County Flood Damage Estimate Set; Application Made for Federal Aid

Flood damage in Holt County has been estimated at \$44,771 by a representative of the Adjutant General's office. The survey was made last weekend of the damage to the roads and bridges of the county.

The application for federal aid was mailed Tuesday according to Kenneth Waring, county clerk. An auditor will come to check the records and make the final estimate. Holt county was named a disaster area in the spring. Holt, Doug-

las and Dodge counties were the hardest hit.

The early estimate of the damage had been set at \$70,990 by the supervisors. \$45,011 of this amount was for damage to the many bridges. The figures do not include the loss of gravel on county roads. The districts will pay the amounts not paid by federal funds out of county and township funds. The mill levy will be set by the supervisors at a meeting August 10.

Two Car Crash Claims Three Lives In Head-on Crash North of O'Neill

Old Settlers Picnic Scheduled Tuesday

The sixtieth annual Old Settlers Picnic will be held Tuesday in Deval's grove located on 17 miles north of O'Neill on highway 281, three miles east and one mile south.

A basket dinner is planned at noon and a full afternoon program will be held. There will be dancing in the evening.

Bids To Be Let August 9 For O'Neill Airport

Total construction, engineering and administrative costs of the O'Neill Airport improvement project are estimated at \$80,000, according to the engineering survey. Bids on the project will be let August 9 at 10 a.m., in the Production Credit Association Building on North Fifth Street.

The construction estimate alone is \$65,112.91 and the balance includes engineering, land and clear zone procurement, administration and contingencies. The Federal government will pay approximately \$40,000, the state \$20,000 and the O'Neill Airport Authority will pay the remaining \$20,000 estimated.

Plans call for an armor-coat runway 50 feet wide by 3,500 feet long laid on a soil cement base, in addition to a seven-inch concrete pavement for the apron. The facility is projected for future expansion.

Contractors will also bid on 34 clear marker lights, 12 green threshold lights and two blue taxiway lights, as well as illuminated wind cone. All will be built to Federal Aviation Agency standards.

Potential bidders may still obtain proposal forms and accompanying documents from the chairman of the O'Neill Airport Authority, from the State Department of Aeronautics in Lincoln or from the engineering firm of Thomas Benjamin and Clayton, West Highway 30, Grand Island.

Funeral Held Monday For Samuel Killham

Funeral services for Samuel Raymond Killham, 74, were held Monday at 10 a.m. at Biglin's Chapel in O'Neill with the Rev. Don Olmsted officiating. Burial was made in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Palbearers were Joe Bazelman, Fred Grage, Guy Beckwith, James Donlin, Raymond Stowell and Harry Spall.

Samuel Killham was born April 2, 1886 at Greeley, Colo., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Killham. He married Miss Addie Mae Israel at Kearney on June 7, 1907. They moved to Holt county in 1920 from Grand Island. He died at his home in O'Neill on July 27.

A sister, Mrs. Lola Keeshen of Albion survives him. His wife preceded him in death on November 4, 1958.

To Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Rosenkrans will hold their golden wedding anniversary celebration at the home five miles south of Lynch Wednesday. A brief program will begin at 2:30 p.m. All their friends are invited to attend.

Three persons were killed Thursday afternoon in a two-car accident eight miles north of O'Neill on Highway 281.

Mrs. William Connot, 53, of Spencer and Charles H. Evans, 46, of Summerfield, Kan. were killed instantly. Mrs. Emma Lefler, 90, of Winner, S. D., mother of Mrs. Connot, died in St. Anthony's hospital about 5 p.m. Thursday.

Evans was driving south on the highway when he apparently moved into the east lane of traffic and met the Connot car head-on. Mrs. Connot was driving north. Mr. Evans had been managing the airport at Phillip, S. D., and was on his way to Kansas to visit his wife.

The Connot car caught fire but the fire was extinguished before the O'Neill fire department arrived.

The cars were both totally wrecked according to state patrolman Robert L. Gude who investigated.

Funeral services for Mrs. William Connot were conducted on Monday at 9 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic church at Spencer with the pastor, Rev. Robert Stembausen, officiating. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

A rosary was recited Sunday evening at St. Mary's church. Pallbearers were: Max and Marvin Lampman, Robert Lefler, Wilmer Forst, Ronald Braithwaite and Raymond Connot.

The late Vera Alice Connot was born August 24, 1906 at Crofton, a daughter of George D. and Emma Foster Lefler.

On January 2, 1928 she was united in marriage to William Connot at Winner, S. D. The couple moved to a farm in the Spencer community in 1942 where they have since resided.

Survivors include: Husband; sons—Steve A. Connot, Connot stationed at Grand Island, N. Y., and Ronald W. of Spencer; six brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Emma Lefler

Mrs. Emma Lefler, 90, died about five o'clock on Thursday at St. Anthony's hospital where she had been taken following the accident which had claimed the life of her daughter, Mrs. Connot.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Christian church in Winner, S. D., with Rev. W. E. Teter officiating. Interment was in the Winner cemetery under the direction of the Jones funeral home in Spencer.

The late Mrs. Lefler was born November 27, 1869 at Atlantic, Ia., a daughter of James and Ellen Massengale Foster.

She was united in marriage to George D. Lefler on April 24, 1887 at Springview. Her husband preceded her in death.

Survivors are: Sons—Lewis of Issaquah, Wash., Clarence of Yankton, S. D., George of Platteville, Wis., Alvah of Sierra Vista, Ariz., Donald of Casper, Wyo., and Willard of Winner; daughters—Mrs. Oliver (Nellie) Brady of Burley, Ida., Mrs. Floyd (Grace) Percy of Santa Ana, Calif., and Mrs. E. R. (Goldie) Noble of Wahoo; 38 grandchildren, 58 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren.

Five grandsons, Ronald Connot, Floyd Brady, Dale Lefler, Robert and James Lefler and Raymond Gibson served as pallbearers.

Make-up Swim Tests Scheduled Friday

Make-up swimming lesson tests will be given at the O'Neill pool Friday at 10 a.m. for anyone who missed their tests due to vacations or illness. This will be the last opportunity to make up the tests this summer according to Nyla Jaszowski.



West O'Neill finished an unprecedented season as they emerged undefeated in Elkhorn Valley play. Front row (left to right): Billy White, Bob DeWitt, Doug Larson, Jim Booth, Chuck McLain, Tom Earley, Bob Riley and Ron Riley. Back row: Steve Cronin, Jack Kelly, Jim Troshynski, Joe Gilg, Wayne Sundell, Bruce Speltz and Russ Johnson.