

# SPORTS

## The Frontier's All-Holt County Football Team

A surplus of fine football ability throughout Holt county high schools has nearly gotten the better of us during the past week as we once again attempt to select the Frontier's All-Holt County Football Squad.

Even with the help of the coaches and officials it's not an easy task to narrow the field down to 11 boys. O'Neill high, with their undefeated season, grabbed top honors on the first team. Eight O'Neill High graders earned berths on the top team. St. Mary's topped two spots on the team and Chambers earned one.

With this year's surplus of outstanding players we found it necessary to also name a second team, any one of which would be an able substitute on our preferred squad.

But enough of explanations. Here's the team:  
Jerry Kilcoin, O'Neill high, half-back: One of the easiest selections on the team. Defining a mainstay of the Eagle's squad. A repeat from last year.

Larry Swanson, Chambers, half-back: A really tough player who is capable of playing in anybody's league.

Larry Donlin, O'Neill high, full-back: A senior this year. Larry is another hold-over from last year's squad. Larry was in on the tackles and hard to beat as a blocker.

Jack McGinn, O'Neill high, quarter-back: Another tough defender but we feel that his outstanding performance during the season warranted the choice. A junior, he should be a sparkplug of next year's team.

Jerry Dexter, O'Neill high, right-end: A senior this year he counted on when the chips were down.

Darold Ermer, O'Neill high, left-end: Another senior and a repeat from last year, he lived up to expectations set forth for him after his last year's season.

Tom Higgins, St. Mary's, right-tackle: A senior and another hold-over from last year's team, Tom displayed the same drive and ability that made him a last year's selection.

Bill Fricke, O'Neill high, left tackle: A senior this year, Bill is capable of playing on anybody's team. One of the good reasons for O'Neill's undefeated season.

Dean Larson, O'Neill, right-guard: A senior who's loss next year will be felt by the O'Neill squad. He had the ability to be at the right place at the right time.

Dick Pongratz, St. Mary's, left-guard: Another of those tough decisions. A good blocker and a hard charger we felt we'd like to have him on our first string.

John Kurtz, O'Neill high, center: A senior this year, John was

the mainstay of the Eagle's line. Those are our first team selections, now for the second team. For half-backs we chose Doug Shrader of Ewing and Tom Brewster of Stuart.

Steve Higgins of St. Mary's was the favorite for the second team full-back position and Jim Spitzemberger of St. Mary's was named for the quarter-back slot.

For ends the decision went to Ray Belina of St. Mary's and Larry Noffke of Ewing. Gary Jeffrey of O'Neill and Don Hahlbeck of Ewing got the nod for the job of tackle.

Jim Schmaderer of Stuart, who was hampered with injuries this season, still showed enough promise to earn a position as guard along with Steve Peterson of O'Neill high.

And for our second team center the choice went to Cal Peters of St. Mary's.

And that's it. The Frontier's selections for this year. And if you disagree with us, feel free to change them around to suit yourself.

Any of these 22 boys can play football in anybody's league.



Jack McGinn  
O'Neill High, Quarterback



Bill Fricke  
O'Neill High, Left Tackle



Dick Pongratz  
St. Mary's, Left Guard



John Kurtz  
O'Neill High, Center



Jerry Dexter  
O'Neill High, Right End



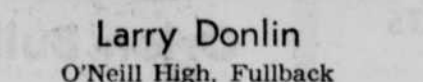
Jerry Kilcoin  
O'Neill High, Halfback



Dean Larson  
O'Neill High, Right Guard



Tom Higgins  
St. Mary's, Right Tackle



Larry Donlin  
O'Neill High, Fullback

## DANCE

American Legion Ballroom

O'Neill, Nebraska

SAT., DEC. 17

Music by

Bud Van Fleet

and the

Sandhill Troubadors

Admission: 75c

## STAG

American Legion Club

PAGE, NEBRASKA

MON., DEC. 19

8:00 P.M.

MOUNTAIN OYSTER FEED

Admission — \$1.00

## Eagles Snap Ord Win Streak With 45-42 win; Play Atkinson Friday

O'Neill snapped the winning streak of Ord victories over O'Neill after 6 long years. O'Neill beat Ord Tuesday night 45-42. This marked the third straight victory for the O'Neill Eagles.

O'Neill was behind only once in the ball game and that was by one point at the beginning of the fourth quarter. The Eagles held Ord to five free throws and no field goals the fourth quarter. At times during the game, O'Neill was very cold from the field, but hit 70 per cent of their free throws.

Bill J. Kurtz, and Dexter rebounded well for the Eagles. Dexter and J. Kurtz had 13 and 12 respectively. Ron Schmeichel and Hill had 8 apiece, while Darold Ermer picked up 4 freethrows.

O'Neill plays at Atkinson Friday and hosts Albion here Saturday night.

## Inman 63 — Page 71

The Inman team dropped their first game of the season to a hard fighting Page squad by a score of 71-63. F. Cronk of Page pushed through two baskets in the closing minute to assure Page of the victory. Cronk led the scoring for Page with 35 points while Keith Kivett and Joe Hart led the tigers with 25 and 15 points.

## Inman 65 — Orchard 56

The "Fighting Tigers" of Inman are back on their winning ways with a 65-56 win at the expense of Orchard Joe Hart, Bill Coventry and Bob Pribble led the Tigers with 19, 18, and 18 points respectively while K. Bruce of Orchard rang up 17 points for a losing cause.

The "Fighting Tigers" take on St. Josephs at Atkinson Monday, Dec. 19, at Atkinson.

## Cards Scuttle

### Stuart Bronchos 57-42 Friday

By Jim Sullivan  
O'Neill St. Mary's came up with its second win of the season as they topped Stuart, 57-42, last Friday night at Stuart.

St. Mary's jumped to a quick lead on the shooting of the tall men, Jerry Gokie and Jim Spitzemberger. St. Mary's held a comfortable lead throughout the game.

The first quarter showed St. Mary's holding a 12 to 4 lead as all of the first five scored. In the second quarter Gokie caught fire scoring 7 points. Jerry ended up with 13 points to lead a well balanced St. Mary's attack. The half ended with St. Mary's in front 26 to 11.

The third quarter proved a little more interesting. Stuart tossed in three times as many points in the second as did in the first. The Cardinals however still weren't pressed, as they dropped in 12 points in the third quarter to lead 32-21.

In the fourth quarter St. Mary's led by Spitzemberger, Mudloff Gilg and Donohoe padded their margin by scoring 19 points. Stuart led by Carl Clements who had 14 points, and Tom Brewster with 11, scored 22 points in the last quarter.

Spitzemberger was high point man for St. Mary's with 11 points, followed by Mudloff and Gilg with 10 each. The Cards meet Atkinson St. Joe Friday night.

The St. Mary's Reserves matching the varsity with a 2-1 record, romped over the Stuart Reserves by the score of 46-23. St. Mary's roared back after a tight first half which ended 18-16 for SMA and were never in danger again.

Tomjack had 15 points to lead the young Cardinals followed by Pruss with 14. The Stuart reserves only had three men scoring for them. Jim Gill led with 10 points, Mel Schmaderer gathered 7 and Leon Weichman had 6.

## McGinn Wins Preliminary At Norfolk

Jack McGinn's boxing career took a giant stride forward when he scored a TKO over Jim Foster of Sioux City in 40 seconds of the third round at the Norfolk American Legion's pre-Golden Gloves Saturday night.

McGinn, fighting in the featherweight division, took the first round and the second round was even. The fight was described as a toe-to-toe slugfest. Foster took a nine-count before the fight was stopped.

Bill Koenig of Norfolk, featherweight, scored a decision over Pat McConnell of O'Neill. Jim Hansen of Atkinson, lightweight, won a split decision from Sam Craig of Lincoln, in one of the best scraps of the evening.

Leonard Havranek of O'Neill lost his second match in a decision to Ron Goodwater of Battle Creek.

Another TKO win went to Butch Potahl of Ewing over Bill Talbot of Norfolk.

## Named Historian

Jane Petersen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Petersen of O'Neill, has been named historian of Taylor hall, one of three women's dormitories on the Hastings college campus.

Mrs. Petersen is in her junior year at Hastings.

## All-Stars Win 58-56

The O'Neill Allstars beat the Grand Island Ducks Sunday 58-56. Jim Sanford was high man for O'Neill with 16 points followed by Gerald Hawley with 14 and Don Kokrdra and Chuck Smith with 12 each.

## Join Fraternity

Gordon Fox of O'Neill and Leroy Holcomb of Chambers were two of the 23 University of Nebraska students who were initiated into Sigma Tau fraternity, a honorary engineering society. Gordon is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox of O'Neill and Leroy's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Holcomb of Chambers.

## Amelia News

By Miss Florence Landrey

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burdick and their daughter and family of Ainsworth visited at the B. W. Waldor home December 1. Mr. Burdick is a cousin of Mrs. Waldor's. He has been employed in Ethiopia the past two years and the family were home on leave for several months. They expect to return to Ethiopia immediately after Christmas. They showed pictures taken while there.

## WCSA MEETS

The WCSA met at the home of Mrs. Edith Andersen December 7 with Mrs. Lew Backhaus as hostess. Mrs. Clyde Widman had charge of the lesson, Mrs. Lloyd Ward and Mrs. Joe Steecker served lunch.

## HELPING HAND CLUB

The Helping Hand club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Bernard Blackmore. This was their Christmas party and after dinner and the business meeting the afternoon was spent with games and an exchange of gifts.

Mystery sisters were revealed and new names drawn. Mrs. Blake Ott, Mrs. Vern Sageser and Mrs. Charlie Peterson were in charge of the program. Fourteen members answered roll call by telling "What I want for Christmas". The February meeting will be with Mrs. Vern Sageser.

Mrs. Bertha Sammons received word from her granddaughter, Mrs. Jack (Rochelle) Sharp, that the baby daughter born to them Nov. 20, lived only 5 hours. She had been named Laura Mae. The Sharps live near Kimberly, Ida.

Elmer Cooldige received word of the death of his cousin, Aiva Nicholas, at Grand Island, Nebraska, Wednesday, Dec. 7. Burial was at Palmer on Saturday.

Art Waldman went to Lincoln Saturday to make an extended visit at the home of his sister and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Tenus Madsen and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Svatos visited at Dary Carr's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fryrear were O'Neill shoppers Thursday.

## SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Blake Ott was very much surprised Saturday evening when a group of ladies gathered at her home for a belated birthday party. They had planned to go on her birthday but were detained because of the storm. Those present were Mrs. Ralph Rees, Mrs. Emma Lindsey, Mrs. B. W. Waldor, Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mrs. Mirade Forbes and grandson, Dale Briggs, Mrs. Stella Sparks, Mrs. Gertrude Adair, Mrs. Floyd Adams and Mrs. Edith Andersen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oetter attended the funeral of Mrs. William Rich at Chambers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn White and Venita went to Grand Island Friday to meet Grandpa (H. S.) White, who was returning home from Denver, Colo. where he had been visiting his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Milton.

Jack Bailey visited at S. C. Barnett's Friday evening.

Mrs. Blake Ott and Mrs. Stella Sparks were shopping in O'Neill Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adair and sons were in O'Neill, Saturday where they met Mrs. Gertrude Adair, who was returning home from Des Moines. She had been visiting her daughter and family, the Bill Schmitts and helping them move to a new home in Des Moines.

Charlie Sigman returned home Friday from Springdale, Minn., where he had been visiting his son, Cleve Sigman and family since Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Doolittle and Dale and Edgar Peterson attended the funeral of Gus Robertson Saturday afternoon in Atkinson.

Mrs. Vern Sageser and Mrs. Link Sageser were O'Neill callers Friday.

Dale Briggs of Rose visited his grandmother, Mrs. Maude Forbes, over last weekend. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Briggs, Wayne and Diane, came down Monday and he returned home with them.

Mrs. Bernard Blackmore and Mrs. B. W. Waldor attended Rebekah Lodge at Chambers Friday evening. Mrs. Blackmore drove on to Page, to get his little granddaughter, Connie Beckwith. Connie had her arm broken recently and was going to the Doctor in Atkinson Saturday to have the cast changed.

Mrs. Irvin Forbes and Mrs. Hennie Frahm were shopping in O'Neill Saturday. Mrs. Maude Forbes stayed with the Forbes children.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Berry visited at Earnie Johnston's Saturday evening.

## At The Courthouse

### COUNTY COURT--

State vs. Ralph M. Simmons of Page, 1, minor in possession of alcoholic liquor 2, expired license, fined 1. \$25 2. \$5 and \$4 costs; officer—E. M. Hastreiter, Dec. 8.

State vs. Neil B. Walker of Chambers, fictitious number plate, fined \$10 and \$4 costs; officer—E. M. Hastreiter, Dec. 9.

State vs. R. L. Schneider of Sioux City, Ia., night speeding, fined \$10 and \$4 costs; officer—Sgt. R. R. Shorney, Dec. 12.

State vs. Elbert Mundenke of Ainsworth, fictitious number plate, fined \$10 and \$4 costs; officer—Sgt. R. R. Shorney, Dec. 12.

State vs. David E. Payzant of Schuyler, night speeding, fined \$15 and \$4 costs; officer—E. M. Hastreiter, Dec. 12.

State vs. Leonard L. Hawk of Ewing, drinking alcoholic liquor on the highway, fined \$10 and \$4 costs; officer—Eugene Hastreiter, Dec. 14.

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