

PrairieLand Talk

"Cherished Memories of Holt"

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Returning to Lincoln after spending the weekend with his wife and sister at Fort Calhoun, State Senator—no, Holt county rancher—Frank Nelson came my way, gave me the glad hand and visited for a time before going to his haling up place to resume legislative worries.



Romane Saunders

The Omaha Negro who was headed for the electric chair after being convicted of murder has been granted a life term in the penitentiary by the State Board of Pardons.

Two holidays in February, Lincoln and Washington's birthdays. Now on March 17 will there be the "Wearing of the Green" in honor of the memory of St. Patrick here in O'Neill, as we did many years ago?

A letter has been received from Mrs. Eby of O'Neill in which the lady tells of her interest in the Barrett Scott story recently appearing in this department of The Frontier.

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Editorial

Sanity Test

The false notion that the federal government can legislate away human shortcomings and cancel out natural economic laws may be coming to an end. Whether this is true will be tested when impending efforts are again made to amend the federal wage-hour law to extend coverage and boost the minimum wage.

Proponents of wage-hour revision run into forces that can no longer be swept under the rug by legislative fiat—namely, inflation, unemployment and imbalance of the gold flow from the U.S.

We're For It If It Will Fit Into Our System Nebraska Signal

Governor Morrison has suggested drivers' license fees should be increased and that the increased revenue should be used to increase and improve driver education classes in our schools.

Out of memory's treasured store comes to mind as I write today the names of those still part of the O'Neill scene who themselves or their forebears were here in the 1880's.

Another president, congress at it again; another state governor and the state senators in session. Somehow we Americans keep on the go and make it day by day with little thought of our honored heads of state and nation.

For sixteen years the lifeless form of my beloved life companion at rest under sod upon Prospect Hill at O'Neill. Now word comes that she was one of the heirs to a property in California.

From high up medical sources come 20 information that one out of every 13 men above the age of 50 is an alcoholic.

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Proposed Law Would Permit Prior Censorship

State senators Ed McHugh and John Munnely this week introduced in the legislature a bill to change the law on obscene literature.

Frontiers Ago

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The Long Ago At Chambers

50 YEARS AGO On February 28 at the Jesse Frary home occurred a pretty wedding uniting Daniel Perkins of Chambers and Louise Metzner of Napa, Calif.

25 YEARS AGO Miss Freida Singleman of O'Neill and Walter Brown of Chambers were united in marriage February 26.

Inman News

By Mrs. James McMahan Snow Cancels School Monday At Inman

School was not held Monday due to the weekend snow. Mrs. John Buhlmann jr. of Bartlett visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Banks, Friday afternoon.

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Venus News

By Mrs. Ralph Brookhouser St. Pat's Party Planned By Club Members

Mrs. William Baxton entertained the Help-U-Club at her home

March 1. The hostess served a luncheon to 11 members present. The afternoon was spent in doing needle work.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Dwinell of Verdigré are spending some time with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Finch jr., and getting acquainted with their grandson, Randall Orrin. Mrs. Finch and son came home from the hospital February 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Uhlir and daughter, Annet, motored to Omaha February 25 where they met their son, Franklin, of Fort D.X., N. J., where he had been stationed with the National Guard unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davey of Bellevue stopped at the Ralph Brookhouser home Monday, enroute home from Brimstone, where they visited Sunday and were overnight guests at her sister, Mrs. Tillie Bowers.

Mrs. George Jeffrey helped Mrs. Clarence Finch cook for corn shellers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Edmiston were guests at the Jeffrey Bros. home February 28. They moved to their new home at O'Neill from North Platte Saturday.

Suellen and Joan Caskey returned to their home at Norfolk Friday. They spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caskey. Taking them home were Mrs. Mable Bennett, Mrs. Caskey and Mrs. Archie Moser accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brookhouser of Grand Island were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brookhouser.

Make The Best Better

By Gary W. Fick About 2,300,000 members of 4-H clubs in America will observe National 4-H Club Week from March 4 through 11.

In Nebraska alone we have more than 32,000 members belonging to some 3,000 clubs. These 4-H clubs are organized groups of boys and girls who learn to live, work, and play together.

We see that by a gradual process of applying themselves, 4-H members develop self-confidence and self-expression, create initiative and build leadership.

Another valuable by-product of this program is in helping to preserve family togetherness. Working together at home or on the farm, 4-H young people and their parents develop warm comradeship and a deep spiritual bond of family unity and cooperation.

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How many times has this man saved your life? LIKE most of us, when the kids are in the car, you get that "extra careful" feeling. You know, that's the same way your friend—the service station dealer—feels when you stop by to see him. Over the years, you've probably come to take your service station dealer pretty much for granted.