

**EMMET ITEMS**

M. and Mrs. Dean Beckwith and small son, Gary Dean came home from Montana Friday. They are staying at the Fred Beckwith home. On the return trip they visited for a short time with Dean's sister and family at Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

Jack Troshnski, who has been ill in the Stuart hospital, is much better.

Mrs. John Lowery was hostess to the Ladies Aid on Wednesday afternoon.

Jerry Tomjack came back to Emmet Sunday. Jerry spent the Christmas vacation with relatives in Ewing.

Ben Bachman is having a sale on the 15th of February. Ben expects to go to Omaha and the girls will finish school there.

Zane Cole returned to Lincoln Sunday to resume his studies.

Miss Dorothy Fox left Monday morning by bus for St. Paul, Nebraska, where she is attending school.

Miss Jo Ann Burgess of O'Neill spent Saturday visiting Lois Cole.

The Guy Cole family entertained on Thursday to celebrate the New Year and in honor of Grandma Cole's eighty-ninth birthday. In spite of the bad weather all the guests but one arrived. There were twenty-eight present. Guests included the Pat McGuinis, the John Conard family, Esther Harris and children of O'Neill, the Pete Brion family of Ewing, Mrs. John Anspach, Shirley Bates, J. B. Ryan and Patsy Kruse of O'Neill and M. B. Hoffman of Elgin.

On New Year day Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cole received a letter from "Scotty," Harry Wark. As so many Emmet folks and O'Neill folks know him the letter has been given to us to publish Harry or "Scotty" as every one knows him has been in the Army since the start of hostilities in 1939. He is now a captain in the British forces. His letter follows:

HOME PARK,  
ABERDOR, N. B.  
SCOTLAND.  
9th December 1941.

Dear Guy and Ethel:  
Its a couple of weeks since I got your letter of 16th October and haven't answered it so far, as I was waiting to hear from

Mary that she had got the Silk Stockings. Up until four days ago they had not arrived, so I guess you're right about the Censor having some Girl friends who also require Silk Stockings. Anyway I feel I must write now and commiserate with you Friends, now up to the neck in the Shooting War with those little yellow B's. I've had a lot of experience of them in business, and believe me they are the biggest lot of two-faced Twisters unhung. There's only one consolation I can find, and that is that everything that I've ever seen them produce for commercial competition is absolutely pure rubbish. They cut us out right and left with this cheap junk, but the customers soon found out the worth of it and came back for something substantial in the long run. Well now, I'm hoping that there Battleship, Equipment, etc., are on a similar scale—just cheap rubbish. I've certainly heard it said that their Aeroplanes are only good for about one good trip here's hoping anyway. Now you Boys get your sleeves rolled up and between us we'll lay that "YELLOW PERIL" Bogy for good and all.

In your letter you forecast that Hitler will be in Moscow before I receive it. At the moment of writing there's no signs, and he's on the run from Tananogrod in the South. Actually its rather miraculous because for some odd reason Winter in Europe has not really arrived. We've had a few little Frosts you know, but real winter has held off. Its bound to come, and after having tasted five and ten below in Nebraska once or twice, there's no man on Earth going to convince me that Germans or anyone else can handle Iron Tanks and hold Steel Machine Guns, etc., when ZERO weather is around. I remember the Spring of 1940 in France we had a ten day cold snap when Weather was about Zero. I was in an old Stable with no doors and windows and eight other Chaps. We pooled all our Blankets and just slept in a heap, and I'm telling you if any enemy had come along with a machine gun, I, for one would have told him to go ahead and for God's sake be quick about it.

Fighting in the Pacific (what a name for that Cauldron!) won't be so unpleasant from that as

pect, but I suppose the old Enemys Tyhoid, Typhus etc., will lend a hand to the Grisly business.

By the way, all this kind of Canned Grub from the States is mighty welcome, but maybe now it won't be so plentiful. I got a tin of "SPAN" the other day, and also MOR, put up by Hormels of someplace in Minnesota. By jove it was lovely. You see there was a time here when things were pretty bleak, and there was a joke going around that there were three kinds of Bread—Black Bread—kinds of Bread—Black Bread—Brown Bread—and Sausage. Well, there was a lot of truth in that and you've no idea how good your Tins of Pork Sausage Meat Taste. We're rationed of course still, but there's plenty Grub to go around now; in any case I was getting a bit of a "Kite" on me, and thats all gone now.

By Jove, you make me envious when you talk about Hunting for Ducks and Pheasants. One of these days I hope I'll get a crack at that game again. I ought to be a better shot by this time! Certainly Guy can have nothing or his conscience when he goes out to shoot Pheasants, because I remember very well, in 1924 I think it was, he was instrumental through the Izaak Walton League in getting the first Chinese Pheasants released in Holt County. Poor old Ward Cosgrove was a great enthusiast too; extraordinary great enthusiast too; extraordinary how he chuckled away the chance to enjoy the Hunting of them.

Fine I remember Hammy Allen, and sorry to hear he was ill. He's had a good Innings anyway, and I mind how he always was yarning about his Trotting Horses. For years I had to go to the Races when traveling around the World on business—really just to "Show my Face", but I always thought of Hammy then. Never forget Dugal for buying my fine Saddle off me for \$15.00 one time when I had been hitting up the Moonshine.

Now that I have Tweedales address I am writing as the Canadians get moved about the Country quite a lot and we might be close together. We never could be very far apart in this Country, as you know. Your Zane must be 19 past now, and I do hope you will manage to keep him out of this War game. Its no good for anyone's peace of mind either now or in the future. Just look at the restless wandering life I've had over the last War! Of course, there are compensations; for instance, I should never have met you if I hadn't gone to the "Great War"—I wonder what they will call this one?

Please write again.  
Your Sincere Friend,  
Harry Wark

where she will visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers.

Mrs. Pierson returned to Lincoln Sunday after spending the holidays here with her daughter, Mrs. Ira Watson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vidlak of Omaha came up Wednesday and spent New Years with Mrs. Vidlaks parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keyes. They returned to Omaha Friday. Miss Marjorie Moor went with them, she having spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moor. She attends the Nebraska University at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClurg entertained the Bridge club Friday night. Arthur Tomlinson won high score for the men and Mrs. Anspach for the ladies.

Rev. E. B. Maxcy, Arthur Smith, Muriel Fraka, Bob Hutton and Emma Stevens went to Creighton Saturday, where they attended an Epworth League institute.

Miss Fanske returned from Chadron Saturday after spending her vacation at her home.

Miss Ruth Jeanette Watson returned to Lincoln Sunday, where she is attending Wesleyan University, after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis of Scottsbluff, spent a couple of days with their grandmother Mrs. Mary Goree, returned to their home Sunday.

Kenneth Smith drove to Wayne Sunday, to take his sister Ardith back to school, after having spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith.

Miss Hazel Fraka returned to Lincoln Sunday where she is a student at the University, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fraka. Ray Gorree of Long Pine, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Gorree.

Keith McGraw left for Washington, D. C., Sunday, where he is employed. He spent his vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGraw.

Miss Dorothy Liewer of Butte

and Miss Virginia Damerao who lives north of O'Neill, returned Sunday afternoon to resume their work as teachers in Inman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson spent Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cooper at Orchard.

Ross Claff went to Plainview Sunday, where he spent the day with his mother.

**BRIEFLY STATED**

Melvin Juran and Mrs. Marie Petranek of St. Charles, S. D., came Wednesday to visit at the home of Mrs. Petranek's daughter, Mrs. Paul Shierk. Mr. Juran returned that evening and Mrs. Petranek remained for a longer visit.

Miss Lenore Reka returned to Omaha Saturday, after spending a week visiting at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mullen.

Ed O'Donnell returned to Okmulgee, Oklahoma, Friday, after spending the holidays with his daughter, Patricia and other relatives.

The Catholic Daughters held a business meeting and card party at the Golden Hotel Tuesday evening. Mrs. Frank Clements received high score, Mrs. Merle Hickey all-cut and Mrs. F. J. Fisher low. The hostesses were, Mrs. Mike Langan, Mrs. Matt Beha, The Misses Mary Louise and

Margaret Reka returned Sunday from Omaha, to resume their studies at St. Mary's Academy after spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Esther Reka

**NOTICE**

Dr. A. E. Gadbois, eye, ear, and nose specialist, will make his regular visit at Dr. Carter's Office in O'Neill on FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 1942 Glasses Fitted

**THE COUNCIL OAK STORES**  
YOUR FRIEND AT MEALTIME

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JANUARY 9 and 10, 1942

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At Council Oak are found all the nationally advertised brands in local demand; along with the complete line of "Superb" brand foods, which you accept as the last word in quality. Council Oak invites a careful comparison of every day prices in all departments which will assure you that Council Oak is a Safe Place to Save.

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**COUNCIL OAK GUARANTEED MEATS**

<b>BEEF ROASTS</b> The "Dependable" Council Oak Markets will be glad to assist in the selection of a Sunday Roast that meets your exact requirements in every particular. Per Pound, 25c and .... <b>19c</b>	FRESH SIDE PORK, lb. 15c Sliced PORK LIVER, lb. 15c SHOULDER STEAK, lb. 27c PORK LOIN Roasts & Chops Pound 25c and .. <b>18c</b>	FRESH PORK FEET Per Pound ..... <b>5c</b>	FRESH PORK NECK BONES Per Pound ..... <b>5c</b>
FRESH PORK HEARTS Per Pound ... <b>14c</b>	SUGAR CURED WIDE BACON Sliced, 1/2-Pound.. <b>14c</b>		

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<b>MORNING LIGHT No. 10 CANNED FRUIT</b> The Morning Light Brand is an assurance of the same High Quality as packed in small cans. No. 10 Fruits packed in water for making home made jam, jelly and preserves. Apricots Full Ripe Halves, No. 10 Can. .... <b>63c</b> PEACHES Sliced No. 10 Can. .... <b>63c</b>	<b>Robb-Ross Superb Pancake Flour</b> Perfect Pancakes Every time when directions on bag are followed. Family Bag ..... <b>22c</b>
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<b>Superb Tomatoes</b> 2 No. 2 Cans. .... <b>25c</b>	<b>Morning Light BARTLETT PEARS</b> No. 2 1/2 Can. .... <b>23c</b>	<b>Morning Light Hominy</b> 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans. .... <b>17c</b>	<b>Superb OATS</b> Quick and Reg. Large Pkg. .... <b>18c</b>
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<b>SUPERB MINCEMEAT</b> So rich in meat and spices that many add fresh apples. Per Pkg. <b>8c</b>	<b>Sun-Sweet "TENDERIZED" PRUNES</b> 2-Pound Foil Carton <b>21c</b>
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<b>Morning Light BROWN BEANS IN CHILI</b> Fry 1/2 lb. Hamburger and add Brown Beans. Heat and Serve. No. 2 Can. .... <b>9c</b>	<b>Chinese Maid COMBINATION DINNER</b> The combination is 1 can Noodles and 1 can Chop Suey. The 2 Cans for <b>25c</b>
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<b>Council Oak Coffee</b> Exchange the empty bags for 22 carat gold pattern dishes. Pound. <b>28c</b> 3 Lb. Bag .. <b>81c</b>	<b>MA BROWN BREAD</b> Our Every Friday Feature Devil Food COOKIES Pound. <b>18c</b> 2 Pounds for ..... <b>35c</b>	<b>"Tac-Cut" Coffee</b> May be had in regular or drip grind. Packed in tin or glass. Pound. <b>29c</b> 2 Lb. Jar. .... <b>56c</b>
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<b>Superb KITCHEN TOWELS</b> 2 150-Ft. Rolls. .... <b>19c</b>	<b>Superb TOILET TISSUE</b> 3 Rolls for... <b>17c</b>	<b>Superb CLEANSING TISSUE</b> 200 Count. .... <b>9c</b> 500 Count. .... <b>21c</b>
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**FRUITS & VEGETABLES**

**APPLE SPECIALS!**

<b>Washington DELICIOUS</b> Nice Size, Dozen ..... <b>19c</b>	<b>School Boy WINESAPS</b> 1/2 Bushel Basket ..... <b>95c</b>
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Northern Cabbage, pound ..... <b>3c</b>	Red Ripe Tomatoes, pound ..... <b>10c</b>	Seedless Grapefruit, 6 for ..... <b>17c</b>
Yellow Onions, 4 pounds ..... <b>17c</b>		

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<b>LUX FLAKES</b> Large Pkg. 24c, Small Pkg. .... <b>10c</b>	<b>LUX TOILET SOAP</b> 3 Cakes for ..... <b>19c</b>
<b>RINSO</b> Small Package ..... <b>10c</b> Large Package ..... <b>23c</b> Giant Package ..... <b>59c</b>	<b>LIFEBUOY SOAP</b> 3 Cakes for ..... <b>19c</b>

Charter No. 5770 Reserve District No. 10

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF**

**The O'Neill National Bank**

of O'Neill, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business on December 31, 1941

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$115.57 overdrafts) .....	\$155,538.56
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed .....	181,541.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions .....	46,090.67
Other bonds, notes, and debentures .....	69,172.85
Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank .....	3,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection .....	443,935.00
Bank premises owned \$3,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$500.00 .....	3,500.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises .....	1.00
<b>Total Assets</b> .....	<b>\$902,779.08</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposit of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	\$527,020.86
Time Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	68,749.84
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) .....	1,757.22
Deposits of States and political subdivisions .....	82,796.52
Deposits of banks .....	64,788.24
<b>Total Deposits</b> .....	<b>\$745,112.68</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b> .....	<b>\$745,112.68</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	
Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$50,000.00 .....	\$50,000.00
Surplus .....	50,000.00
Undivided Profits .....	53,166.40
Reserves .....	4,500.00
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b> .....	<b>157,666.40</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Account</b> .....	<b>\$902,779.08</b>
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities .....	30,006.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) .....	18,000.00
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>48,006.00</b>
Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law .....	50,335.40
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$50,335.40</b>

I, E. F. QUINN, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. F. QUINN, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1942. (Seal) MARJORIE DICKSON, Notary Public.

My Commission expires June 5, 1947.

Correct—Attest: F. N. Cronin, Emma Dickinson Weekes, Ora Arcell, Directors.

(This bank carries no indebtedness of Officers or stockholders.)

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

**INMAN NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keyes entertained a number of friends New Years Eve at their home. Contract Bridge was played and lunch served at the close of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Conger and son, Dean, who spent the holidays here with friends and relatives left for their home in Montana, Thursday morning.

Miss Lois Moor returned to Beatrice Sunday after spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moor. She was accompanied by Mrs. Anna Clark, who went as far as Lincoln. She will go from Lincoln to Stella

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**Atkinson, Nebr., Tues., Jan. 13**

**2 o'clock**

Real prospect of intense Beau Mischief, Domino and Anxiety 4th breeding. Others by Hazford Tone, a Hazlett bred bull. These are low, thick-set, well coupled kind with ample bone, good heads and excellent feeding quality. All are bred by Sandhills Breeders of Holt, Rock and Brown counties. Every animal guaranteed a breeder. All are strong ages, coming 2 and 3 years old, weighing 1100 to 1400 lbs., in excellent breeding condition.

Sale will be held in our Sales Pavilion on Tuesday, Jan. 13. All bulls will be in our yards on and after the 10th for inspection.

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Atkinson, Nebraska

We also offer at private sale 300 choice 3 to 6-year-old hereford breeding cows. All one brand. A complete dispersion of one of the sandhills good herds.