

EMMETT NEWS

The Misses Helen and Mary O'Connor were dinner guests of Miss Sadie Marie Lowery last Sunday. Miss Vera Dean Swick of Clinton, Nebr., spent Tuesday at the Wm. Tenborg home. Mrs. Mattie Weller of Atkinson spent Thursday visiting friends in Emmet. The annual fall party was held at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Price last Friday evening. A nice crowd was in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Abart received word from their son's wife, Mrs. Galard Abart, that Galard had landed safely in North Africa. Rev. and Mrs. Peacock were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Butterfield, residing four miles east of Page. They all attended camp meeting in Page that evening. The South Side Improvement Club met at the home of Mrs. Joe Winkler on Wednesday. A nice crowd was in attendance. Miss Sadie Marie Lowery left for Newport Tuesday morning to visit friends for a few days. Misses Gladys and Violet Casper of Belgrade spent Monday visiting at the home of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patterson. Miss Angela Galligan will teach in Emmet. Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Burgess and family spent Friday in Oakdale visiting her parents. Rev. and Mrs. Peacock spent Friday of last week in Newport visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vargason, and family. On their return home they brought their grandson, James Cushing, with them. James left Saturday afternoon for Oakland, Calif., where he went as a coast guard. Mrs. Guy Cole and daughter, Lois, returned home last Thursday evening, after having spent a week in Lincoln on business. Cpl. Floyd Burge of Camp Carson, Colo., spent a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Burge, and family. Cpl. William Galligan of Camp Patrick Henry, Newport News, Va., spent his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Galligan. Miss Sadie Marie Lowery returned home from Newport last Sunday morning, after spending several days visiting at the Walter Vargason home. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Beckwith and daughter, Leona Ferné, spent Sunday at the J. H. Patterson home. Miss Leona Korab of O'Neill has signed the contract for the Schaeffer school. Miss Ethel Winkler departed last week for Lincoln, where she plans on teaching a school near that city. Quite a few from Emmet attended the baseball game over at Green Valley last Sunday. Pvt. Daryl Graham arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Graham, last Saturday to spend a furlough. Daryl is stationed at a camp in Arkansas. The W.S.C.S. met in the church basement on Thursday evening of last week. A nice crowd was in attendance. Mrs. John Conard and daughter, Mary Lou, returned home last Saturday afternoon from Omaha, where they spent a week visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmohr and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beckwith and children, Arlene and Daryl, spent last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lorenz. Second Lieut. and Mrs. LaVern Stahley and family left Thursday for Denver, after spending the fore part of the week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spangler, and other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Herring and family of Omaha arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kee last Sunday. Mrs. Herring is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kee. Miss Carol Leidy of O'Neill is spending the week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kee, and also visiting with her cousins from Omaha who are spending the week at the Kee home. Miss Constance Golden departed Monday for Omaha to visit relatives and friends.



Senator Guy Gillette, Senator Kenneth Wherry, Commissioner John M. Carmody, M. Clifford Townsend, Gardner Cowles, Jr., Governor John Moses, Senator Chan Gurney, Governor M. Q. Sharpe.

Thousands Expected To Attend Dedication Of Americas' Tallest Tower, Yankton, Saturday

Rudolph Krefels of York has been chosen as the typical Nebraska farmer. He will compete for the Typical Midwest Farmer crown which will be awarded on Saturday, September 4, at Yankton, S. D., at the first "Food for Victory" rally and the dedication of the new 927-foot tower, the tallest radio tower in the western hemisphere. Between 25 and 30 thousand people are expected to pay tribute to the farmers of the Midwest for their role in their production assignment. Krefels started farming in York county in 1928. He had eight successive bad crop years, adapted farming to the conditions, raised alfalfa seed one year, applied methods suggested by the agricultural college and diversified his crops. He feeds 100 cattle, milks six cows, keeps a large flock of poultry. He cleared bindweed on his farm by summer fallow and rotation. He sent two boys to agricultural college; one is now serving as county agent in Nemaha county, the other is in the armed forces. He has a daughter in defense work. The selection of the "Typical Midwest Farmer" will be made by national and state legislative leaders, including M. Clifford Townsend, of the Food Administration, and Commissioner John M. Carmody of the United States Maritime Commission, and senators, governors, and others. The "Typical Midwest Farmer" and his wife will be sent to the west coast where the "Typical Midwest Farmer's" wife will sponsor the launching of the liberty ship, Midwest Farmer. Other candidates who will compete with Mr. Krefels are Brady Riddle of Ute, Iowa; Otto Baumhoefner of Welcome, Minn.; Aaron Burge of Red Heights, S. D.; and William Vogel of Pettibone, N. D. These men have been selected as the typical farmers of their states. Final plans for the first "Food for Victory" rally and the dedication of the new 927-foot tower, the tallest tower in the Americas, have been announced. The rally and dedication will take place in Yankton, S. D., on Saturday, September 4th. The morning program will open at 9:30 o'clock with a coast-to-coast broadcast over the Columbia broadcasting system of the "CBS Country Journal. The program will originate in the radio studios. In the afternoon the festivities start at 1 o'clock at the Yankton Stadium with the rehearsal of the coast-to-coast broadcast of a half-hour program, "Spirit of '43," produced by Shep Chartoff, of the CBS special events department in Chicago. The show will dramatize the story of the midwest farmers. It goes on the air at 2 o'clock over CBS. Other afternoon features include music by the Sioux Falls Air Base Band, talks by Governor M. Q. Sharpe of South Dakota, host of the day; Governor John Moses of North Dakota; Lieutenant Governor Robert Blue of Iowa; Senator Kenneth Wherry of Nebraska, and the Minnesota representative. "Chuck" Worcester of CBS and George B. German of the Yankton radio station present the five stories of the typical state farmer, named above. From the five will be selected the "Typical Midwest Farmer." To the winner goes a trip to the west coast for the launching of the liberty ship, "Midwest Farmer." The farm wife will be the sponsor. The farmer will also receive a tractor and other gifts. In mid-afternoon the radio station Hillbillies and Western Entertainers will give a musical stint. This will be followed by a dramatic skit featuring Virginia Payne and Fred Howard, from the radio show "Ma Perkins." The human fly with his bunch of gas filled balloons will climb the tower at 5 p. m. Twelve balloons will be released. Finders will be given war bonds. The evening program will start at 7:45 at the Yankton College Stadium with a concert by the Sioux Falls Air Base Band. This will be followed with talks by state and national officials, also named above. There will also be talks by Senator Chan Gurney of South Dakota, who will introduce Gardner Cowles, Jr., former head of the domestic branch of the OWI, and owner of the radio tower to the services of the midwest. This will be followed by the representative of the state from which the "Typical Midwest Farmer" is chosen, who will pay his respects to the crowned champion. Bob Hawk takes over with the entire cast including Ma Perkins and will conduct a "Thanks to the Yanks" quiz. This is followed by a fireworks display and the playing of the Star Spangled Banner. The "Food for Victory" rally and the dedication of the tower has been planned to pay tribute to the work and products of the farmers in the five midwest states. Kate Smith will pay tribute to the midwest farmer on her 11 o'clock Friday forenoon, September 3rd coast-to-coast broadcast over the Columbia Broadcasting System. It will be an all-day affair, and because of the food shortage, people are asked to bring their own picnic baskets. Picnic facilities have been arranged for between twenty-five and thirty thousand expected guests.

DO THEY REALLY?

"Mercy Killers" Have you ever swung the neck of one of your neighbor's roosters? If you have, you probably had a grand argument on your hands, and when you cooled off you must have concluded that you had no right to kill him. He did not belong to you and hence you had no power over him. Every American admits that he has no control over what does not belong to him, and he will quickly seek satisfaction when his own right of ownership is violated. In spite of this there are men who would violate God's right of ownership in the name of humanitarianism. Those men are the "mercy killers." They would put to death, in some painless way, all those who are suffering from incurable diseases or who are aged or helpless. Their motive, they say, is to end the sufferings of such unfortunates, and remove the burden of their support from the shoulders of some individual or the estate. But the end they have in view cannot justify their action, because they are violating man's right to live and God's right of ownership over man's life. For who gives man his life? God alone, the author of life, can give life. Since He has given it, He has ownership over it. As Cicero, a pagan, has put it: "God, our Master, forbids us to go hence without His command." Once God has given life, man possesses the right and duty to live. For instance, if I lend you my car, I retain ownership but you receive the right to use it, so that anyone that prevents you would be violating your right. What happens when the doctor injects a deadly drug into a man suffering from an incurable cancer? He deprives him of life and injures God's right to ownership. Suppose the patient himself asked the doctor to inject the drug? His action would be a violation of God's right and a shirking of his duty to live. Consider that car of mine you have borrowed—you have the right to use it, but you have no right to destroy or sell it. The patient is in the same position—he has the right to life, but since God owns it he cannot destroy it. Because of the unjust violation of God's right and of man's right, the Catholic Church is opposed to "mercy" killing. She is the advocate of God's rights as well as man's rights; therefore, she opposes every move to make such a practice legal. She knows that such an infringement of man's rights is a step in the wrong direction. The Catholic Church wants to improve man's social condition, but she will not favor any means that robs him of his rights or prevents him from fulfilling his duties. Without full possession of all his rights and the completion of his duties man cannot be happy, nor can he better his social condition without them. We will gladly answer any question on any Catholic subject. Address: Catholic Information Society, 7800 Kenrick Road, Saint Louis, Missouri. Ask The Farmer One railroad official has described the earnings position of the railroads today as akin to an overworked man. A lot of money is coming in but the plant is wearing out faster than the replacement rate. Any farmer knows what would happen to his farm if every acre was intensively cultivated for several years with no crop rotation or rebuilding of the land. During the period the farm was so used, it would be drained of the fertility of the soil to the greatest extent. If, in addition to exhaustive planting, no money was taken from the income to provide fertilizer and needed equipment, the time would come when the farm could no longer produce. The railroads today are working every mile of rail and every

SUPERMEN OF THE U.S. ARMY



MAJ. HEWITT T. (SHORTY) WHOLESS

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Wags! No quadruped of the K9 contingent used by the Marines, the Army or the Coast Guard is purchased. They're strictly volunteers for the duration, loaned by their masters and mistresses. These dogs are taught to hear and smell and see enemies where humans cannot. They are invaluable at night. Several K9 training stations are maintained by various branches of our fighting services. You may not have a dog to send to war but you can send your money. Buy War Bonds.

Farmers! Stockmen!

Many eastern livestock feeders are already coming to this market and stocking their feedlots. All indications point to early buying since rough feed is plentiful in many sections of the cornbelt region. If you have livestock to sell, RIGHT NOW looks like a good time to market them. Bring them to this market and receive top returns.

WHERE BUYER AND SELLER MEET O'Neill Livestock Com. Co. Phone 2 O'Neill, Nebraska

Money to Loan ON AUTOMOBILES TRUCKS TRACTORS EQUIPMENT FURNITURE Central Finance Co. C. E. Jones, Manager O'NEILL - NEBRASKA

Notice DR. A. E. GADBOIS Eye, Ear, and Nose Specialist will make his regular visit at Dr. Carter's office in O'NEILL FRIDAY, SEPT. 10 GLASSES FITTED

CONSERVE LEATHER and RUBBER with Shoe Repairing Dennis Shoe Service O'Neill, Nebraska

First Presbyterian Church Kenneth J. Scott, Pastor Sunday, Sept. 5th 10:00 a. m., Sunday school. Mr. Sauer, Superintendent. 11:00 a. m., Morning worship. Sermon: "The Faith of a Godly Father." 6:45 p. m., Christian Endeavor. Leader: Bill Rickly. Topic: "Books Are Good Companions." 7:30 p. m., Catechism class, conducted by the pastor. 8:00 p. m., recreational hour for Young People. Tuesday, Sept. 7th, 8:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor business meeting in basement of the church.

The Methodist Church Dawson J. Park, Minister Sunday, Sept. 5 This is the opening Sunday of the new church year. 10:00 a. m., church school. Mr. Burch, Superintendent. We are happy because of your interest in Christian education. We can ask no less this year, but more and we feel that you will be willing to come and give your prayers. We will look for you this Sunday. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. Anthem by the Youth Choir. Sermon: "Preparing For An Emergency." Installation of church officers at this time. The following named are Methodist church officials for Sept. 1, 1943 to Sept. 1, 1944: Trustees: C. W. Porter, H. B. Burch, D. S. Conrad, Harold Lindberg, W. P. Curtis, Ted McElhaney, Lloyd Gillespie, Lee Osborn. Stewards: Edmund Hancock, financial secretary; Mrs. L. W. Reimer, treasurer; Mrs. H. B. Burch and Mrs. Clay Johnson, communion stewards; Mrs. Esther Harris, Archie Bowen, Ted McElhaney, Orton Young, Mrs. Harold Lindberg, Mrs. O. W. French, Mrs. Enard Leach. Woman Society of Christian Service: Mrs. J. L. Sherbahn, President. Representatives of Youth to Board: to be elected. General Superintendent: H. B. Burch. Three assistant superintendents to be elected. Membership Committee: Mrs. Clay Johnson, Mrs. Letta Sexsmith, and Pastor. Finance Committee: A. E. Bow-

en, Mrs. Esther Harris, Ted McElhaney, Walter Young. Custodian of Legal Papers: Archie Bowen. Pastoral Relations: Mrs. Esther Harris, Ted McElhaney, Edmund Hancock. Nominations: Mrs. J. L. Sherbahn, Ted McElhaney, and Pastor. Audit: Lloyd Gillespie, Mrs. Enard Leach, Clara Alm. Hospitals and Homes: Mrs. Ted McElhaney, Mrs. Helen Gillespie, Mrs. Lee Osborn, Mrs. C. C. Bergstrom, Mrs. H. B. Burch, and Mrs. Earl Rodman. Board of Education, and Board of Missions: to be announced later. Evangelism: Archie Bowen, Walter Young, Mrs. Clay Johnson. Stewardship: Mrs. O. W. French, Lloyd Gillespie, Orton Young. Temperance: Mrs. Clay Johnson, Mrs. Enard Leach, Mrs. Emily Bowen, Clara Alm. Music: Archie Bowen, Mrs. Harold Lindberg, Mrs. Esther Harris, Henrietta Schrier, and Mrs. C. W. Porter. Parsonage: W. S. C. S. Property: Dr. J. L. Sherbahn, Bennett Gillespie and Ted McElhaney. World Peace: Pastor and heads of organizations. Good Literature: H. B. Burch, Mrs. Enard Leach, Mrs. Lewis Reimer, Mrs. Clara Hagensick. Policy: Pastor and chairman of organizations. Sunday, Sept. 12th is Conference Sunday. The Methodist pastors will be at the annual conference in Lincoln, so there will be no morning worship service that Sunday. Plan to visit a church—some other church in town, or go to church with your friends on Conference Sunday, Sept. 12th.

INMAN ITEMS

Rev. E. B. Maxey spent two days in Lincoln last week with his son, Jim, who is in the army and was in Lincoln on a short furlough. Mrs. Vernon Green and little daughter, Connie Jean, who spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hutton, returned to their home in Sioux City Monday. The Coffee Club met at the Aid parlors on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Anna Clary, Mrs. Sarah Sholes and Mrs. Herbert Rouse were hostesses. A lovely dinner was served at noon. The afternoon was spent visiting. L. R. Tompkins lost two cows in the electric storm last Thursday morning. They were struck by lightning. Inman and vicinity have had more than 6 inches of rain the past week. Marley McClurg, of Bassett, was a guest of Carolyn Watson several days last week. She left for her home Saturday morning, Carolyn went with her to spend a few days in Bassett. Miss Elaine Retka, who is taking nurses' training at the Methodist hospital in Sioux City, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Retka. The W. S. C. S. held a party at their parlors on August 25th. Mrs. Reiser, of Pierce, gave a demonstration of the Stanley brushes and products. A number of ladies from Page were present, besides a large number from Inman. A lovely lunch was served at the close of the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tompkins and children went to Utica Sunday, to spend several days with Mrs. Tompkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Caldwell. They will also visit in Lincoln. Pvt. Graydon Hutton, who has spent a short furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hutton, returned to Camp Robinson, Arkansas, Sunday morning. A family gathering of the Sholes and Christensen families was held at the Delbert Sholes home Sunday, in honor of Robert Sholes, who is home on furlough. Mrs. Forrest Smith and Mrs. Kenneth Smith were Neligh visitors on Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Carter have rented Mrs. Julia Riley's house and will move into it in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brittell, of Chambers, were guests of Mrs. Brittell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thompson on Sunday. Ninety-six cents out of every dollar goes for War expenditures. The other four cents goes for Government expenses "as usual."

locomotive they possess at a ruinous pace. Through no fault of their own, they have been forced into the position of having to produce transportation for the nation far beyond their normal capacity. Due to government restrictions on new equipment, they have been unable to ease the load. They have repeatedly warned that a day of exhaustion is approaching, unless they are permitted to take necessary maintenance measures. In the meantime, it is utterly folly to look upon the money the railroads are receiving as true profit. That money will eventually have to be spent to restore the fertility and productive capacity of the rail transportation industry.

NEED MORE WAVES FOR THE NAVY

A Naval Officer and WAVES Selection Board will be in Hastings, Nebr., September 13, 14, and 15 and in Grand Island 16, 17, and 18. Offices in both cities will be in the Post Office buildings. Lieutenant R. N. Larson, of the Des Moines Office of Naval Officer Procurement, will be in charge. An entire staff including WAVES and Medical personnel will accompany the board. It will be possible for men and women applicants to be completely processed during the board's visit. Men not now employed in vital defense industries, and who feel they are qualified for a Navy Commission, are urged to contact the board. Men up to 35 years of age with experience and training needed by the Navy may qualify for commissions. Women with 2 years of high school, from 20 to 36 years of age, may qualify for enlisted personnel in the WAVES. Women with some college and professional experience are needed for Officer Candidates, in Administration, Radar, Recruiting and Aerology. WAVE Officers and enlisted personnel will be with the board to interview all interested women. Office hours for men applicants will be from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., and for WAVE applicants from 10:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m. Ceiling Price On Onions Growers of onions were today advised of prevailing ceiling prices for dry onions by R. E. Armbruster, chairman, Holt County War and Price Rationing Board, No. 6536, O'Neill, Nebr. "Primarily due to lack of knowledge of the regulations, some growers are charging more than the permitted ceiling price for dry onions," Mr. Armbruster said. "Maximum base prices at the shipper's level for each month are established by zones in which the onions are grown. For the month of September the established maximum price for dry onions, sacked, graded and produced in Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota is \$1.50 for 50 pounds when sold to wholesalers. For sales of less than carlots or trucklots delivered to a retail store, the maximum price is \$1.90 for a 50-pound bag." Mr. Armbruster further indicated that for sales in October these base prices are reduced 5 cents for 50 pounds. The maximum price for ungraded onions is 15 cents less per 50-pound sack and for onions not sacked, regulations require an additional deduction of 15 cents from the base price. White onions may be sold at a premium of 30 cents per 50-pound bag above the stated base price. When a grower sells directly to a consumer, he may add \$1.00 to the maximum price for sales to wholesalers as previously provided. Sellers of dry onions, who desire information concerning this regulation, are urged to contact either the Price Panel of their War Price and Rationing Board or the district office of the OPA in Sioux City for complete information relative to this regulation. Mrs. Helen Sirek went to Sioux City on business last Sunday. She returned home Monday.

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PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell the following described property of the late Oscar Mellor at his farm, 2 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Redbird, on TUESDAY, Sept. 7, 1943 Commencing at 2:00 o'clock p. m.

11 Head of Cattle

6 milch cows, 4 of them now milking; 2 to freshen this fall; good coming 3-year-old roan heifer, with calf; 2 yearling heifers; one yearling Whiteface steer; roan bull, coming 2 years old.

ONE HORSE, SMOOTH MOUTH

Farm Machinery Wagon with box; steel-wheel wagon with hay rack; Standard mowing machine; hay rake; riding cultivator; walking cultivator; harrow; set of work harness; saddle and bridle; scoop shovel; tin shovel; tile spade; post hole digger; sand shovel; wire stretcher; forks; wrenches, and many other useful farm articles; 80 oak posts, couple of truck loads of good stove wood, and 2 stacks of last year's hay.

Household Goods

Hand washing machine; bed and bedding; range stove; heating stove; kitchen cabinet; dresser; cold water separator; Mellotte cream separator, and many other household articles.

Terms of Sale: Cash. If you want credit, see clerk before the sale.

GEORGE MELLOR, Adm. James Moore, Auctioneer O'Neill National Bank, Clerk