

THE FRONTIER

FARMERS URGED TO SPREAD BAIT NOW FOR HOPPERS

Spreading Poison Now Assures A Maximum Kills With Least Outlay For Bait.

The second carload of sawdust has been received in O'Neill and mixing of poison bait for grasshopper control is continuing as fast as the farmers are spreading the bait.

The grasshopper infestation seems to be as heavy as was expected at the beginning of the season and with continued dry weather, which is favorable to grasshopper damage, the loss to gardens and crops will be heavy.

Farmers should realize the value of poisoning hoppers at their present stage, rather than waiting until damage is noticeable and poisoning will be much less effective.

Bait spread properly now will be worth much more in reducing damage than it will be one month later. Caution in handling and spreading properly to reduce damage both to humans and livestock cannot be emphasized too much. Sodium arsenate is a very dangerous poison and bait spread thicker than 20 pounds per acre is not only wasted but dangerous to livestock.

Two light spreadings about 10 days apart will give a much better kill than one heavy application.

One or two spreadings around fence rows and edges of fields will do a lot of good toward checking hoppers from moving into the fields and doing more damage.

A 75 Wins Medalist Honors In Sunday's Qualifying Rounds

Dr. Paul Tipton of Omaha, was medalist with a 75. Other qualifying scores were:

- Ralph Mellor 92, Homer Mullen 104, Clarence Stannard 92, William Wagner of Omaha 93, Max Golden 79, W. Mann, Carson, Ia. 92; John Mann 106, Emmet Carr, Stafford, 97; C. Godkin, Neligh, 90, Ted McElhanev 106, George Stannard, San Diego, Calif., 85; L. A. Burgess 92, E. M. Gallagher 94.
- Bob Moore 114, Clarence Saunto 104, Earl Harp of Long Pine, 86, Francis Soukup 81, Joe Baldwin of Ainsworth, 86, C. Odle of Gordon, 79, Charles Yarnall 96, R. C. Smith 107, Ralph Tomlinson 87, P. B. Harty 87, Harry Proffitt, Hastings, 93; Loren Nelson 89, John McCarthy, Hastings, 84; Frank O'Donnell of Dallas, Texas, 102; Joe Ryan of Chicago, 85; P. J. O'Donnell 86.
- H. Halderman, Long Pine, 113; Bernard McNally 95, James McNally 108, Max Wanser 102, Riley Lambert, Fairfax, S. D., 86; Geo. Lightner, St. Edward, 83; Dr. R. E. Kriz, Lynch, 81; H. Halbert, Columbus, 91; J. Birmier, Lynch, 100; James Harty, Portland, Ore., 97; N. Dailey, Omaha, 100; P. Horn 88, William Hammond, Los Angeles, 80; George Criss, Stuart, 102; Bennett Grady 94, D. Wright, Wayne, 83; J. Morgan, Wayne, 79;
- Ben Harty 85, Father J. Biersdorfer, Deloit, 89; B. Fontani, Norfolk, 81; Earl Burtis, Gordon, 101; J. Devine, Cheyenne, Wyo., 93; Buw Wanser, Page, 104; C. E. Stout 90, J. Preston 102, J. F. O'Donnell 104, J. Graybiel 103, H. Reardon 87, Harry Claussion 106, C. Fifer, Valentine, 107; H. Thorley, Springfield, 91; R. Brookman, Springfield, 96; Rev. Walter Flynn 105; H. Seger, Royal, 88; Gaius Cadwell, Huron, S. D., 89; N. Galleher, Stuart, 93; Quentin Whelan, San Diego, Calif., 103.

The medalist won a fine golf bag. The ground remained soggy all day Sunday from rain. The doctor's 75 is the highest medalist score in the history of O'Neill's golf meet.

Mrs. J. Devine of Cheyenne, Wyo., won the high score at bridge for out-of-town women, and the high score for local players went to Mrs. E. M. Gallagher. A tie gave Mrs. J. Devine and Miss Cless Scholz of Stuart, the all-out prize.

The low score was won by Mrs. C. E. Stout of O'Neill, and the low prize for out-of-town players went to Mrs. Charles Fifer of Valentine. There were eleven tables of players and eighteen were registered but did not play. Miss Mary Jeannette Kubitschek arranged the bridge program.

In the second day's bridge games Mrs. J. A. Devine, Cheyenne, Wyo., won high score for out-of-town

ladies and second high went to Mrs. George Stannard of California.

Other bridge prizes went to Mrs. F. N. Cronin, Mrs. L. A. Burgess, Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell, Mrs. L. C. Walling, Mrs. W. J. Biglin and Mrs. Hugh Coyne, all of O'Neill, and Mrs. W. H. McInerney of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Mrs. Harold Shoemaker of Battle Creek.

Miss Evelyn Mains Is Married To Joseph A. Schwarte On Saturday

St. Patrick's church was the scene early Saturday morning of one of the most unique as well as one of the most beautiful Catholic weddings ever held in this parish, when Evelyn Margaret Mains, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Mains, became the bride of Joseph A. Schwarte, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Schwarte of Westphalia, Iowa.

At the Solemn Nuptial High Mass, Rev. Michael Schwarte a newly ordained priest and brother of the groom officiated. He was assisted by his uncles, Rev. M. A. Schiltz, S. J., of Holy Rosary Mission as deacon, and Rev. Michael Schiltz of Panama, Ia., as sub-deacon.

St. Mary's academy Mixed Choir sang "Jubilee Mass of the Sacred Heart," a four part arrangement by Marsh. Ceaser Franck's "Pans Angelicus" was sung by Mary Catherine Coyne at the Offertory. The choir was accompanied and directed by Sister M. Constance, aunt of the bride.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a strikingly simple rose lace dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias. Miss Jane Mains, a sister, was her attendant. Her dress was of blue lace with matching accessories. She also wore a corsage of gardenias.

Herman Schwarte, a brother of the groom was best man.

White and red pennies were used to decorate the church. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast for members of the families was served at the Golden hotel. The couple left soon after on a motor trip to the west.

Mrs. Schwarte is well known in this city, and a graduate of St. Mary's academy with the class of '33. Her friends here extend best wishes for a long and happy wedded life. Out-of-town relatives who were here for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. William Schwarte, son William and daughter Margaret, of Westphalia, Iowa, parents and brother and sister of the groom; Mrs. Edward Johnson of Omaha, an aunt of the bride, and Eugene Zimmerman of Iowa, a cousin of the groom.

Robertson Family Hold Reunion Sunday At Joy

John A. Robertson of Joy, was very pleasantly surprised Sunday when the children decided it was a good time for another family gathering. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weidman and family of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson and family of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Robertson and son, George T., of O'Neill; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sundell and family of Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McElhanev and family of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Robertson and family of O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Ray R. Robertson and family of Dakota City, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ernst of O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson of Sioux City, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Robertson and Miss Rachel Robertson of O'Neill.

The only members of the family unable to be present were a son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Robertson of Chicago, Ill., and two granddaughters, Miss Doris Robertson and Mrs. George Weidman, both of Lincoln.

Plans Annual Visit Here

This office is in receipt of a letter from its old friend Robert Vierboom, of Highland Falls, N. Y., in which he enclosed the necessary mazzuma to insure the weekly visits of The Frontier to his home for another year. Robert has been a Frontier reader for many years. He was a resident of this county some forty-five years ago but he still looks upon old Holt as his home. For the past seven or eight

years he has spent a couple of weeks visiting with old time friends in the northeastern part of the county and says that he thoroughly enjoys these outings and looks eagerly forward to them each year.

Bob hands the following tribute to The Frontier: "I receive The Frontier every Monday and believe it or not, my kids look forward for the arrival of The Frontier with as much interest as I do. Good luck to you and your paper. Hope to see you this summer."

Many thanks Robert and we hope that you will enjoy the weekly visits of The Frontier for many years to come. Be sure and drop in when you come out this fall.

Expect Large Saving To Farmer Borrowers

Nebraska farmers and stockmen stand to benefit more than four million dollars during the next two years as the result of a bill passed during the closing hours of congress. The bill continues the temporary rates on federal land bank and land bank commissioner loans and applies to all interest payable prior to July 1, 1940, according to Charles McCumsey, president of the Federal Land bank of Omaha.

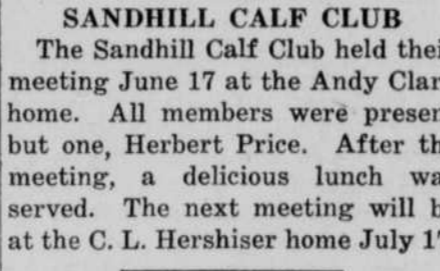
Land bank and commissioner loans in Nebraska total 42,000 for more than 160 million dollars, and according to Mr. McCumsey the savings to Nebraska farmers during the next two years will amount to approximately \$4,452,910.

Harlan Agnes Married At Sioux City, Iowa

George Harlan Agnes and Miss Kathryn King, of Des Moines, Ia., were married at Sioux City, Iowa, on Tuesday morning, June 15, the ceremony being performed by Monsignor Cogan in the Cathedral of the Epiphany. After the wedding, breakfast was served to fourteen at the West hotel. Mr. and Mrs. George Agnes and Lorraine of Petersburg, and Miss Virginia Agnes of Chicago, were present at the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Agnes will make their home in Sioux City. O'Neill friends of the groom tender their heartiest congratulations and best wishes to the newly weds.

SANDHILL CALF CLUB

The Sandhill Calf Club held their meeting June 17 at the Andy Clark home. All members were present but one, Herbert Price. After the meeting, a delicious lunch was served. The next meeting will be at the C. L. Hershiser home July 17.



CONGRESS
AS SEEN BY
KARL STEFAN
Director of Budget Changes Mind On G-Men

As a consequence of a storm of disapproval over his recent action recommending a slash in the Federal Bureau of Investigation appropriation item, Daniel W. Bell, Acting Director of the Budget, has neatly reversed himself. J. Edgar Hoover, Chief of the FBI originally asked for \$6,474,905. Bell recommended \$6,043,200; a difference of \$431,705 and the FBI was allotted the amount recommended by the Budget Director. Fortunately for J. Edgar Hoover, the Congress is now considering the second deficiency bill and since Bell has changed his attitude toward the Bureau of Investigation, it will be a relatively simple matter to include a supplementary appropriation item in that bill for Mr. Hoover's bureau.

Institution Trains Cream Of Young Men

June week is all over at Annapolis where Uncle Sam turned out a lot of new naval officers some of whom may be future admirals. At West Point a class of new army officers was turned out, some of whom may be our future generals. In both schools some of the backward students are dropped by the wayside. These become heartbroken boys who had dreams of a great future.

Nebraska has students in both schools and from information these boys are in very good standing. Fortunate is the young man to whom this great opportunity comes. It costs the taxpayers of the nation \$20,000 to \$25,000 to graduate each one of these boys. They are picked from the flower of American youth. They go thru intensive studies.

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SOUTHWEST BREEZES

By Romaine Saunders
There are too many \$25,000 a year jobs and not enough \$1.50 a day jobs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roblyer of Atkinson, visited friends out here a day last week.

It is said Secretary Wallace is worrying over bumper crop prospects. Now that is something to harass us, isn't it?

Father's Day affords another yearly occasion for the comic valentine, rather grotesquely combined with tender sentiment.

The Art Doolittle family spent Thursday at Bernard Kennedy's while Art and his sister, Mrs. Kennedy, attended to business in Atkinson.

Mrs. Huffnaegle of Lincoln, visited for several days last week at the Riley ranch. During her visit here, Mrs. Riley, suffering severely since last December, was able to make a trip with her to Atkinson.

If mentally and physically capable, the self-appointed unicorn with none but himself to provide for during a period of 65 years should be able to furnish his own "old age assistance." In other words, bachelors should not be admitted to the pension rolls.

Road Supervisor Earl Doolittle, with a helper, was over this way Friday to fill a hole in the approach to a bridge and make a little improvement to the roadway passing Young's. Other aid to the traveling public is a coat of gravel deposited on No. 11 and the strip running into Amelia.

Portions of this community are beset with grasshoppers for the first time during these recent years of the ravages of this insect. Gardens are disappearing, the hungry hoppers showing a particular liking for green onion tops. Beans, tomato plants, lettuce and potato vines go to make up their diet, while the miles of waving grass apparently is untouched.

William Krotter of Stuart, visited this section a day last week and spent a little time discussing friendships and experiences of an earlier day with the writer. Mr. Krotter came to O'Neill in '87 and started a career of industrial activity which has grown to large proportions by driving the old mule team at the Barnett & Freeze lumber yard. Mr. Krotter said he attended the funeral of Mr. Barnett at McCook. He had known him since boyhood days in Illinois.

Not that times have changed but the manipulations of politicians and ways of doing simple things differ as men continue to jockey for advantage. The fundamental needs of life remain without change since creation's dawn. Air, nourishment for bodily functions, protection against the elements and a good bed at night are as essential now as ever. And down here in the southwest these are realized in full fruition, with the added advantage of nature's great laboratory for study and spiritual inspiration.

One mile north of the north boundary of O'Neill and not far to the east of the east boundary, at the period with which this paragraph is concerned, there was a grove of small cottonwoods planted by the hand of a pioneer complying with land office regulations to acquire title to a "timber claim." Approaching this grove a mild mid-summer day I was frightened out of a year's growth. But wait 'til I tell you, as O. Henry would say. On my foot-free way into town to remain a day or two—the parental home being out that way—I was frozen in my tracks when a huge brown bear raised himself to a sitting posture there in the grove just ahead. Then another stuck up his head. Now to a 14-year-old boy hardly adjusted to the harmless wild life of the prairie the jungles of Africa could hold no greater terror than what I saw confronting me. My first impulse was to make for one of three settlers—Mark Murphy, Mike Lawless or George Mitchell's log cabin a mile south. And just about to

take to flight I saw three men in there with the bears. The men were of nomadic tribes of southern Europe and were touring this pioneer community with their dancing bears and collection cup. They had taken to the 52 mile trail from O'Neill to Niobrara, at that time a stage route, and were just resting in the grove when I came upon them.

Scattered Showers The Past Week Give Rain To Most Of The County

The northern and the western half of Holt county has been blessed with good rains the past week. According to the weather observer here there has been only .56 of an inch of moisture registered in this city during the past week, but they have had copious rains in other sections of the county.

Last Sunday we had a shower here that amounted to .10 of an inch, while north of here four miles the rainfall amounted to one inch, and it extended to the east line of the county. It was lighter in other places but amounted to about two inches in the Dorsey neighborhood.

Wednesday night this city had a slight rainfall, amounting to .16 of an inch. They had better than three quarters of an inch at Stuart, about an inch at Atkinson and three quarters of an inch at Emmet, and the heavy rain came to within three miles of this city.

They also had a good rain northeast of here, starting about two miles northeast of town and extending to the northeast section of the county. Fred Richter in town this morning says they had a dandy rain out in his section.

The rain of last Sunday and last night will just amount insure the small grain crop. It needed the rain of last Sunday as the grain was ripening a little too rapidly, without moisture. Hoppers are causing damage in several sections of the county and poison bait is being distributed in all sections of the county to try and extinguish these pests.

Following is the weather chart for the past week:

	High	Low	Mois.
June 16	81	55	.30
June 17	83	55	
June 18	83	61	
June 19	83	65	.10
June 20	87	64	
June 21	89	66	
June 22	90	68	
June 23			.16

Total rainfall for June 1.10; total precipitation since January 1, 1938, 11.03 inches.

Marriage Licenses

Joseph A. Schwarte, Pine Ridge, S. D., and Miss Evelyn Mains of O'Neill, on June 17.

Robert Lee R. Baxter and Miss Ardith H. Haas, both of Johnston, Nebr., on June 21. The latter couple were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse that afternoon by Rev. H. D. Johnson.

FILINGS FOR OFFICE

County Attorney Julius D. Cronin filed last Monday as a candidate for renomination and reelection as county attorney.

On Tuesday Emmet A. Harmon filed for the democratic nomination for county attorney of this county. Mr. Cronin and Mr. Harmon were the opposing candidates in the general election four years ago.

Lee Boyer, traveling salesman for the Western Paper Co., and who has been making this territory for the past forty-five years, was a caller at this office this morning. Lee returned a few weeks ago from a three months tour of South America and he has many interesting tales to tell of his trip thru the southern republics. He is getting to be quite a tourist. A couple of years ago he took a tour of four months thru Europe, visiting about all the countries west of the Pacific. Now that he has made the southern trip he has pretty well covered the world, but still believes that the old U. S. A. is the best spot on earth.

John H. Hopkins, sheriff of Douglas county, George W. O'Malley, collector of internal revenue, and Dr. McMahan, all of Omaha, came up last Saturday night to spend a few days visiting friends in this city and incidentally to take in the festivities in connection with the annual golf tournament. They left for home Tuesday afternoon.

Alfred Hewitt

Funeral rites for Alfred Hewitt, 47, of Norfolk, were conducted Sunday afternoon in the First Congregational church of Norfolk, by the Rev. Joseph Steele, Sioux City. Mr. Hewitt was born in Columbus May 13, 1891, and when a young man became a salesman and followed that vocation for the past twenty-five years, most of which was spent traveling in the O'Neill territory. At the time of his death he was employed by the Donald grocery company of Grand Island. Surviving are his wife, two brothers and four sisters. Burial was in Columbus.

Fail To Make Planned Move To South Dakota

The New Deal Oil company had not moved from its location here up to Wednesday evening. They had planned to move Monday, and had ordered their subscription to this paper transferred to Chamberlain, S. D.

When questioned as to the reason for their failure to move, Carl Asimus informed a representative of The Frontier that the lease deal at Chamberlain had fallen thru, and that they were attempting to make a location at Kimball, S. D.

He reaffirmed his statement of a week ago, that they would move from here, but did not know yet the date or the place.

Sandhill Producers Will Meet At Atkinson July 2

A meeting of the Sandhills Feeder Cattle Producers will be held in the City Hall in Atkinson at 8 p. m. July 2. All ranchers are urged to be present. Sandhills Feeder Cattle Producers has made a remarkable growth since its organization on May 21. It now has members representing over 70,000 head of cattle.

The association is organized for the purpose of advertising, popularizing, improving the quality and aiding in the sale of Sandhills feeder cattle; maintaining a code of ethics between buyers and sellers; and promoting a spirit of cooperation, friendship and mutual understanding among producers of beef type cattle in this region.

Sandhills producers should attend these meetings and be informed. The officers of the association, including the President, Sam R. McKelvie, will be present.

Louis Smears Moxie In The First Round

It took Joe Louis a little over two minutes to erase from Schmeling's mind any idea he might have had that he was a great fighter. The Brown Bomber had things all his own way and it begins to look as if Schmeling's defeat of Louis in 1936 was a real fluke. He was not in the ring long enough Wednesday night to show whether he had anything or not. Most of the time he was in the ring he was on the floor, having been downed by blows from Louis' fists. The gate receipts were nearly a million dollars and Max's share will keep him in opulence for years to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phalin returned Tuesday evening from a three weeks visit with their daughter and son at Gary, Ind., and with relatives in Chicago. While away they also visited their old home in Prairie du Chien, Wis., and Frank said he enjoyed his visit to the old home scenes very much. While there he attended mass in the church where he was baptised, received his first holy communion and where he was married. While not many of the friends of his youth are left in the old home town they enjoyed their visit there very much. It was the first vacation Frank had taken in ten years and he said that he enjoyed every minute of it.

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Catherine Lawlor of Lincoln, to Frederick M. Deutsch of Norfolk, was received this week by O'Neill friends of Miss Lawlor. The wedding is to take place at St. Mary's Cathedral in Lincoln, July 28. Miss Lawlor was a teacher in the O'Neill Public schools for several years following her graduation from the University of Nebraska, and has many friends here who wish her well.

Randall C. Biart of Omaha, was in O'Neill Friday on business.

TOP TOURNAMENT HONORS ARE WON BY PAUL W. TIPTON

Francis Soukup Is Runner-Up, But Is Unable To Maintain His Pace In Final Round.

One of the most successful tournaments held for many years was the seventeenth annual golf tournament of the O'Neill Country Club which ended Tuesday afternoon with Dr. Paul W. Tipton of Omaha, being crowned champion for 1938, defeating Francis Soukup 5 and 4. For eight years Dr. Tipton has been coming to O'Neill every summer and entering the tournaments. He never succeeded in reaching the finals until this year.

He was medalist last Sunday, shooting a 75 for a qualifying score, several lower than any other entrant. Dr. Tipton has been persistent in seeking the cup and his persistency finally won him the honor and many O'Neillites are pleased that he finally won the title.

Francis Soukup, who contested for the championship with Dr. Tipton, was not shooting his usual game, or it would have been a much closer battle. Francis has been away at school and has not been home long enough to get in proper trim for the contest, but in a few weeks he will be able to take up his own gun.

One hundred and five entered the qualifying rounds last Sunday, the largest for several years.

In flight No. 2 Charles Godkin, Neligh, won from Dr. L. A. Burgess 4 up.

Flight No. 3 champion is E. M. Gallagher, who won 1 up on 20 holes, making a final 25-foot putt to win from Don Galleher.

In flight No. 4, H. Halderman of Long Pine, defeated Ted McElhanev 1 up for the championship.

Bid Wanser, 13, son of Buw Wanser of Page, with a finger of each hand in heavy bandages, won a consolation from his own brother, Max.

FIRST ROUND RESULTS

More favorable golf weather on Monday, brought the scores in the first round to nearer normal than those of the qualifying rounds played Sunday. First round results are as follows:

Flight One
P. W. Tipton, Omaha, defeated William Biglin 6 up; Charles Odle, Springfield won over Earl Harp of Long Pine; Gaius Cadwell of Huron, S. D., defeated William Hammond 1 up; B. Fontani of Norfolk, won over P. J. O'Donnell 2-1; Francis Soukup was 6-5 on George Stannard of San Diego, Calif.; Max Golden beat Riley Lambert of Fairfax, S. D., 4-3; George Lightner of St. Edward won 1 up over Jack Morgan of Wayne.

Flight Two
Ben Harty 2 up over Loren Nelson; C. Godkin of Neligh 2 up on Ralph Tomlinson; H. J. Seger was 1 up on Rev. Byersdorfer of Deloit; W. R. Marm of Carson, Iowa, beat Pat Harty 1 up; C. E. Stout was 1 up over John McCarthy; H. J. Reardon was 3-2 over H. Holbert; L. A. Burgess beat Pat Horn 2 up.

Flight Three
Earl Buelow of Racine, Wis., 3-2 on Ralph Mellor; Harry Proffitt of Hastings, 8-6 over Bernard McNally; J. A. Devine of Cheyenne, Wyo., 2-1 on Charles Yarnall; Norm Galleher of Stuart 1 up on Emmett Carr; C. D. Stannard, 4-3 over George Criss of Stuart; E. M. Gallagher 2 up on Dr. R. E. Kriz of Lynch; Frank O'Donnell, Dallas, Texas, 1 up on William Wagner of Omaha; J. B. Grady, 6-5 over James Harty.

Flight Four
Ted McElhanev 1 up on R. S. Bookman, Springfield; Jerry Graybiel 1 up on Harry Claussion; C. Fifer of Valentine 2 up on Max Wanser; the Rev. Walter Flynn over H. F. Mullen, 3-2; H. Halderman over James Preston by forfeit; Robert Harp of Long Pine was 1 up on Buw Wanser; Quentin Whelan of California 9-8 over James McNally; Clarence Saunto 4-3 over Norbert Dailey of Omaha.

The Frontier is carrying a notice to contractors this week asking for bids for the State Highway department for an oil mat surface for the Orchard-Stafford section of highway No. 20. Bids will be opened on this work July 14.