

THE FRONTIER

SMALL DOSES PAST AND PRESENT

By Romaine Saunders
Atkinson, Nebr.

Hot cakes, butter and honey with a supply of breakfast oranges. Food rationing is the least of the country's worries.

The political atmosphere heavy with "foreign policy" talk. What of the domestic policy, in which most of us are interested?

Out about Salt Lake City there is a group who contend that a parity of wives is a fundamental right of men. Which causes a Kansas editor to remark: "What gluttons some fellows are for trouble!"

The fall roundup of calves at the Julia Warner ranch were taken to the sale ring last week and sold at \$11.75 per hundred. Mrs. Warner was one of the liberal donors in Swan precinct to the United War Fund.

According to the U. S. Department of Commerce there were 1,100,000 business failures during 1943 with something over a half million new ventures in business. Its a shudder to contemplate what may happen when "war prosperity" slides out. And isn't it a travesty on our civilization that death and ruin rides on the wave of financial gain.

At the night desk of one of "the best" hotels you will likely find a magnificently attired female who will answer your request for a room by saying "I haven't got a thing. A mere clerk but she employs that personal pronoun with a finality to convince you that this is her hotel and she doesn't care a rap if you have to walk the streets all night.

Has the Minnesota senator aspirations to slip into the shoes of the late George W. N.? Minnesota, Wisconsin, North Dakota—fruitful fields for the political fanatic. Most everybody likes to have confidence in the integrity of their fellow men but what happens to that confidence when the fervent plea of Sen. Ball at the Chicago convention for Governor Dewey's election is called to mind as he announces his support of Roosevelt.

Some super patriots are so broad-minded that they do not count themselves citizens of the U. S. A. but of the world. I am isolationist enough to be humbly thankful for a background of American citizenship of several generations, proud to stand up as a citizen of Nebraska and joyful in the quietness and security of home on the prairies of good old Holt county, where my parents brought me on the trek westward in the early 80's.

Mrs. T. T. Baker catches an hour or so from their duties to spread paint. Berle Waldo and Elmer Coolidge have built new barns. Blake Ott another building to take care of his oil, gas and accessories business in Amelia, C. E. Addison, Delbert Edwards and Ray Bly have each succeeded their residences, and if you happen in at Howard Berry's he and Vernon will likely be encased in paint-stained overalls while they spread white paint on new and old surfaces at their home.

One of Nebraska's numerous D. D.'s is credited with telling a professional group to "ground yourselves in the wisdom and truth of life and in this way escape the hand of superstition." From another source this enlightening question is directed by a disciple of Blackstone to a befuddled witness: "Now, sir, did you or did you not, on the date in question, or at any other time, say to the defendant, or to anyone else, that the statements imputed to you and denied by the plaintiff were a matter of no consequence or otherwise? Answer me yes or no." Grammatically, rhetorically two very good specimens of hyperbole that say nothing.

Election draws near. As the fatal day approaches the fourth termers seem to have lost their cock-sureness. The honorable gentleman who was "not going to campaign in the usual sense" has had to take it back as he has a lot of other catchy get offs. He is stumping for votes in the centers of heavy population. Have not the citizens seen and heard all they want to see and hear? We like to look upon the head of the nation as a dignified, poised and able statesman, but don't know just what to think of a combination of good-will, vanity and arrogance, profligate spending and thrift talk, lofty sentiments and mimic of the comedy actor of the burlesque stage.

As noted herein last week, weather changes dropped a funeral dirge. It lasted for a brief period and warm days returned to the

Program To Be Held In O'Neill Armistice Day, November 11

The public is cordially invited to attend the Armistice Day program to be presented at the O'Neill Public School auditorium under the auspices of the Simonson Post No. 83 of the American Legion on Saturday, November 11th.

The Reverend W. C. Birmingham of Atkinson will be the guest speaker of the day. A parade, led by the combined bands of St. Mary's Academy and the O'Neill Public Schools, will precede the program at the auditorium. Volunteers from student bodies of both schools and various service groups will participate in the parade scheduled to begin at 9:30 a. m.

The following program will be presented at the auditorium at 10:00 a. m.:

- 1. Presentation of Colors by the American Legion.
- 2. To accompaniment of "Stars and Stripes Forever" by combined bands.
- 3. "Star Spangled Banner" — Combined Bands.
- 4. "America" sung by audience.
- 5. Reading—Derald Smith.
- 6. "Marching Along Together"—Steininger.
- 7. "Stout Hearted Men"—Romberg by O. H. S. Boy's Octette.
- 8. Reading—Sheila Taffee.
- 9. "Yankee Doodle Rules Again"—Spencer.
- 10. "They Live Forever"—Wolfe by St. Mary's Girls' Octette.
- 11. Address—Reverend Mr. W. C. Birmingham.
- 12. Remarks—Commander W. W. Griffin.
- 13. Silent Tribute.
- 14. Taps—James Golden and Beverly McCarthy.

Following the program the local American Legion Post will serve a "Dutch Lunch" at the Golden Hotel Dining room for members of the post and local business men.

Mr. W. W. Griffin, post commander, will be in charge of this annual Armistice Day observance. At noon the O'Neill High School football team, band and pep club will journey to Neligh for the annual football clash with the Neligh High School in the afternoon, with the game being called at 2:00 p. m.

On account of the extra heavy run of advertising this week many news items are crowded out, including some of our correspondents. They will appear in our next issue. prairie land, October draws to a close. It has been one of those periods of remarkable weather with which we are frequently favored. I should very much have enjoyed sharing with John O'Malley and Jack Sullivan the October sunsets. In June the sun disappears from our view slightly northwest. This evening the celestial orb was poised for a moment in the prairie rim slightly southwest sky engulfed in golden glory and a shadow laid across the earth. Gone from view for another day banners of nameless colors connected us with the heavens. Calm evening merged into night and the sun reflected back its light from countless stars and a nearly full moon. The stars hold the appointed place through the long night and the moon moves along the route of the sun disappearing from view before break of day at the point where the sun had set.

Some Union labor groups have abandoned the legitimate purpose for which unionism was started and surrendered to agitators who seek to change our form of government, uphold criminals and indeed head up their organizations with men who have become a marvel of craft and villainy. One was suspected of connection with Murder, Inc., which Dewey brought to justice in N. Y. C. One was pardoned out of a federal penitentiary by executive order and another saved from deportation by the same sort of an order. Some years ago unions brought themselves into disrepute by a nationwide call to free the depraved Tom Mooney. Unions have drifted along allowing crafty agitators to bring them into public disfavor. There are multitudes of men and women who have union cards that are not lined up with crafty agitators and vote as their judgment dictates. What then is involved in the heavily financed campaign of the communist agitators in behalf of the fourth term candidate.

This, as quoted, is from Monday's State Journal: "Mrs. Guy Cole of Emmet, woman's chairman of the Nebraska Salvage division, is a busy woman these days but not too busy to remember her college boys' enthusiasms for pheasants—the way they're cooked at home. A week end visitor in Lincoln, Mrs. Cole brought enough pheasants from the sand hills of Nebraska to serve the entire Sigma Nu Chapter, of which her three sons, Zane, Owen and Robert, are members. More, Mrs. Cole found the time to help prepare and to serve the Saturday feast." To our compatriots down Lincoln way everything west of the 6th P. M., is "sand hills."

Wm. P. McKenna Passes Away At Stuart On Tuesday

Funeral services will be held Friday morning, November 3rd at 10:00 o'clock from St. Patrick's Church for Wm. P. McKenna, who died in Stuart Hospital on Tuesday morning. Services will be in charge of Rev. Daniel Brick and interment following in Calvary cemetery beside the bodies of his two children, who died in infancy.

Wm. P. McKenna was born in Benton, Wisconsin on May 4, 1856 and was 88 years, 5 months and 27 days of age at the time of his death. He came to Holt County in the year 1901 from Wisconsin and settled near Inman. In 1906 he moved to Boyd County, where he resided until 1913, when he moved to Neligh, where he remained until last year when he moved to O'Neill.

He was united in marriage to Madura Mellor at Oto, Iowa and to this union were born twelve children, nine of whom survive. His wife and two girls and a son preceded him in death. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Medesta Davis, of Glen Rock, Wyo.; Mrs. Kate Smith of Idaho; Mrs. Ann Beckelhamer, Blackwell, Okla.; Gus McKenna, Creighton, Nebr.; Grover McKenna, Wood River, Ore.; Louis W. McKenna, Plainview, Nebr.; Mrs. Bessie Miller, Glen Rock, Wyo.; Mrs. Loretta Duffy, Battle Creek, Nebr.; and Mrs. Agnes Hunter, of Fairfax, Mo.

Funeral services were held at the home of James Moore, Casper Uhl, Pat Coyne, T. F. Nolan, Henry Schacht and H. D. Grady.

THANKS! I wish to thank my many dear friends and relatives for the beautiful cards sent to me while I was in the hospital. Your remembering me will not be forgotten. CHRISTINE WALTERS.

Weather

	High	Low	Mois.
Oct. 27	71	37	
Oct. 28	80	42	
Oct. 29	78	44	
Oct. 30	78	43	
Oct. 31	74	42	
Nov. 1	80	43	
Nov. 2	70	43	

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Dale Perry, a daughter, born Thursday morning. Mrs. Ralph Larson dismissed Tuesday. Mrs. Carroll Kruse and baby girl dismissed Sunday. Miss Bernice Colman of Inman admitted Monday and dismissed Tuesday. Donald and Ronald Ressel of Chambers, tonsils removed Saturday.

Presbyterian Church

Kenneth J. Scott, Pastor O'Neill, Nebr. Announcements for week of November 5-12 Sunday, November 5th 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. Mr. Sauer, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "That Good Part." 6:00 p. m.—Junior Christian Endeavor. 7:00 p. m.—Senior Christian Endeavor. Tuesday, November 7th Mid-Week Devotional Service at the manse at 8:00 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 8th Board of Trustees meets at the home of Mr. R. C. Andersen at 8:30 p. m.

Christ Lutheran

Missouri Synod Reinhard Koeppe, Pastor Sunday, Nov. 5th Sunday School—2:00 p. m. Worship—3:00 p. m. Text of Sermon—John 3 "Contend for the Faith." Mondays and Thursday—Confirmation instruction for children and adults at 6:30 and 7:30 p. m. Thursday—8:30 p. m. Sunday School Teachers meet at the parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miles and Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Miles went to Grand Island Friday evening to meet their sister and aunt, Mrs. George Davie, of Deer Trail, Col., who returned with them for a two weeks visit here with her mother, Mrs. Clara Miles and her brothers Gerald and Fay and their families. Mrs. D. H. Cronin entertained a group of friends at her home Monday evening. The evening was spent playing roulette. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Miles entertained at a family dinner Tuesday evening, honoring their sister Mrs. George Davie, of Deer Trail, Col., and their nephew, Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Miles. Mr. and Mrs. Max Wanser, Mrs. Agnes Sullivan and daughter, Helen, took Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Graybiel to Sioux City Monday. From there the Graybiels returned to their home in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Clark Willson and family spent the week-end in Sioux City on business.

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DENNIS H. CRONIN

O'Neill, Nebraska

Non-Political Candidate for LEGISLATURE

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT

Comprising the Counties of Holt, Boyd, Keya Paha and Rock

CAPABLE AND EXPERIENCED

To the Voters of the Twenty-eighth Legislative District:

At the time I filed for the nomination for the Legislature from this district last March, it had been my intention to get out over the district during the campaign and renew acquaintance with old friends and meet new ones. But you know how the labor situation is and has been, and I find it impossible to get away from the office, much as I would like to, so I take this means of greeting you.

I have been a resident of Holt County practically all my life. For several years I have been editor and publisher of The Frontier, at O'Neill, which paper I still own and publish.

In the fall of 1910 I was nominated by the Republicans of Holt County as a candidate for the Legislature from this district, and was elected and held the office for eight years, serving in the sessions of 1911, 1913, 1915 and 1917. In 1918 I was elected as a Republican to the State Senate and served in the sessions of 1919 and 1921, from the 24th Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Holt, Boyd, Keya Paha, Garfield, and Wheeler counties. In 1921 was appointed by President Harding as United States Marshal for the District of Nebraska, was reappointed by President Coolidge, and served until May 1, 1932.

While in the Legislature in 1911 I authored and secured the passage of the State Aid Bridge Law which has saved the taxpayers of Niobrara river counties thousands of dollars by reasons of state aid in the construction of bridges across the Niobrara river.

I believe that appropriations should be kept to the minimum in these days of heavy Federal taxes brought on by the war; I also believe in a short business session of the legislature.

I believe that I have the experience and the qualifications to give the District able, conscientious representation. If you believe I can be of service to the people of the District I will appreciate your vote and support at the coming election.

CHAMBERS ITEMS

Phyllis Carpenter, Reporter The following Chambers people drove to Columbus, Nebr., Sunday to attend the wedding of Miss Gladys Mohr and Sgt. Delbert Niemier: Mr. and Mrs. Victor Harley and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harley and Carolyn, Mrs. E. M. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Lenz and Luetta, Marilyn Harley and Mrs. Vernon Harley. Gladys Mohr will be remembered by many here as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mohr, of Columbus, Mrs. Mohr formerly being Miss Hazel Harley.

The ceremony took place at the Lutheran church at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The church had been decorated beautifully with white chrysanthemums and ferns on each side of the altar. The light was furnished by two rows of candles along both sides of the church producing a lovely effect.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white satin and lace with a satin train and finger length veil. The bridesmaids were both sisters of the bridegroom and the maid of honor was a friend of the bride.

A farewell party was given in the Green home south of Chambers Thursday night, in honor of Dean Green who left Friday for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to be inducted into the army. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. (Continued on page four)

LEGAL NOTICE OF MEASURE TO BE VOTED UPON NOVEMBER 7, 1944

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT Proposed By Initiative Petition (Title) AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1, ARTICLE VIII, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NEBRASKA, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ALL OF THE NET PROCEEDS DERIVED FROM MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES, MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAXES, AND ALL EXCISE TAXES LEVIED UPON GASOLINE AND OTHER MOTOR VEHICLE FUELS USED IN MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA SHALL BE APPROPRIATED AND USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING PUBLIC HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA AND FOR NO OTHER PURPOSE WHATSOEVER.

That Section One (1) of Article Eight (8) of the Constitution of Nebraska be amended to read as follows: "The necessary revenue of the state and its governmental subdivisions shall be raised by taxation in such manner as the legislature may direct; but taxes shall be levied by valuation uniformly and proportionately upon all tangible property and franchises, and taxes uniform as to class may be levied by valuation upon all other property. Taxes, other than property taxes, may be authorized by law. Existing revenue laws shall continue in effect until changed by the legislature. "All of the net proceeds from motor vehicle registration fees and license taxes, gasoline and other motor fuel excise and license taxation, except the proceeds from taxes imposed on gasoline used in aircraft, after providing therefrom for (A) administration and statutory refunds; (B) payment of obligations incurred in the construction and reconstruction of public highways and bridges; shall be appropriated and used solely for construction, reconstruction, maintenance and repair of public highways and bridges, and shall not be diverted by transfer or otherwise, to any other purpose."

The above proposed measure to be voted upon at the General Election, November 7, 1944, is published in accordance with Section 202, Chapter 49, Compiled Statutes of 1929, State of Nebraska.

FRANK MARSH, Secretary of State.

SPORT NEWS AND VIEWS

Richard Cronin

The undefeated St. Mary's Cardinals traveled to Chambers last Wednesday afternoon, where they hung up their sixth consecutive victory of the season, as they defeated the Chambers Coyotes 31-12. Golden and Clark were the spark plugs for the Cardinals as Clark scored three of the five Cardinal touchdowns, while Golden played a fine offensive and defensive game. Score was tied 12 all at the end of the first period, but then the Cards took the lead when Clark struck pay dirt territory and their lead from then on was never relinquished. The Cardinals will travel to Stuart this Friday, where they have a night engagement with the Bronchos from Stuart High. St. Mary's defeated Stuart 42-6 here earlier in the season, but since then the Bronchos have been having better luck, and it should be a good game, but the Cards should win it and make it seven straight. The Lincoln State Journal Tuesday morning ranked St. Mary's seventh in the state six-man standings.

The O'Neill Eagles chalked up their fourth consecutive victory of the season, against two defeats, last Wednesday when they traveled to Spencer and returned victorious by a 20-0 score. The first touchdown of the game came on a beautiful thirty-five yard run to give the Eagles a 6-0 lead; Then Matthews caught a pass to make the score 7-0 in favor of the Eagles. The other two Eagle touchdowns came in the second quarter when Fox caught a pass in the end zone, Hungerford making the extra point on a line plunge. In the third quarter the Eagles scored their last touch: down on another pass which was caught by Matthews to give the home team a 20-0 score. Hungerford and Fox looked best for the Eagles in hanging up their fourth straight win. Burwell will invade the local fort this Friday evening in what will be the last home game for O'Neill. The kick-off will be at 8:00 under the lights at Carney Park. Burwell has a good team this year, but the Eagles have improved with each game so it should be a good one. But I think the Eagles will make it five straight.

Nebraska 24, Missouri 20. Yes, that's the full story of one of the most exciting games ever played at the Lincoln Stadium. The Cornhuskers, after being defeated in three straight games and not having scored a point finally got their way last Saturday afternoon, before a homecoming crowd of 9,500 at the Memorial Stadium in Lincoln. The game was scarcely under way, only three minutes having elapsed, when Lyle Kops, the Bassett, Nebr., boy, recovered a fumble on the Missouri seven yard line. Then Chick Knight scored standing up, on a reverse, to give the Cornhuskers a 6-0 lead, as the extra point was missed. This quick touchdown was probably the turning point of the game and it might be the turning point of the season for the Cornhuskers. In the final minute of the first period the Tigers got a break when the officials ruled a pass interference on the part of the Huskers and that gave the Tigers the ball on the Nebraska 20. Then Collins passed to Exler for the touchdown and Jim Kekeris' placement was good giving the Tigers a 7-6 first quarter lead. The Cornhuskers scored again in the second period when Ed Gradoville faded back and threw a 28-yard pass to Dick Lamberty, which climaxed an 80 yrd march by the Huskers and also gave them a 12-7 half time lead. Early in the third period Missouri's candidate for All-American honors, Bill Dellastations, ran 36 yards to put the Tigers in scoring territory, with the ball on the Huskers 15. Then two plays later Dellastations broke away for a 11-yard run and the second Missouri score. Kekeris again came through with the placement which regained the lead for Missouri by a 14-12 score. Then later in the third period a beautiful 60 yard punt return by Jack Selzer put the ball in scoring territory and a few plays later Jack faded back and pitched a 9-yd. touchdown pass to Bill Pett. This gave Nebraska an 18-12 lead which they never relinquished. In the final minutes of the third quarter a 48-yard run on an intercepted pass by substitute guard Ken Dermann set up the pins for the final Huskers touchdown, as in the opening minutes of the final period, Junior Collopy, the Husker full back, plunged over from the 4 giving the Huskers a 24-14 lead. Then Missouri second stringers came in and after a long drive Mickelson went across from the two adding six more points to the Tigers total, which read Missouri 20, Nebraska 24. Then Nebraska fought the Tigers to a standstill for the remaining minutes of the game, and the game ended with Kesser's interception.

Catholic Daughters Hold Initiation On Sunday, Oct 29th

The Catholic Daughters of America held an initiation on Sunday, October 29th with the following new members taken in: Miss Mary Ann Janousek, Miss Martha Janousek, Miss Marion Bohn, Mrs. Doris Tomlinson, Mrs. Lucy Havelka, Mrs. Helen Hoehne, Mrs. Cieta Shoemaker, Mrs. Mary Allen, all of O'Neill and Mrs. Adelaide Rotherham, Mrs. Wilda Carr and Miss Mildred Sanders of Ewing.

Mrs. Laura Bruening, State Grand Regent, in stalled the following officers: Grand Regent—Mae Hickey. Vice Grand Regent—Irene Martin. Prophetess—Charlotte Hickey. Lecturer—Cecelia Mullen. Historian—Eileen Greene. Monitor—Eleanor Pruss. Financial Secretary—Josephine Clements. Treasurer—Julia Shaw. Sentinel—Jettie Shorthill. Organist—Helen Armbruster. Trustees—Mary Price and Anna Donlin.

In the evening a banquet was served at the Golden Hotel. Margaret Carney gave the toast of welcome to the new members and Doris Tomlinson responded and other new members were called upon for impromptu remarks. Mrs. Bruening gave a brief talk and Monsignor McNamara was prevailed upon to say a few words. Monsignor, who has the distinction of being the first native Nebraskan to be ordained to the priesthood, contrasted present day organizations and activities with the very primitive conditions he remembers from his early days in Nebraska.

A charming musical program was presented by several young daughters and sons of the members: "The Cutest Kids in Town" by Helen Vitt, Karen Don, Ellen Corke and Mary Lou Uhl. "Swing on a Star"—John Joe Uhl, Alvin Bohn, Francis Flood, Jim DeBacker and Jack Carney. Vocal Solo—Kathleen Flood. "Yankee Doodle Rides Again"—Nancy Froelich, Helen Kubitschek, Patti Keiser, Lou Ann Iler, Kathleen Flood, Nadine McNichols and Sheila Taffee.

Out of town members who attended were Mrs. Laura Bruening of Hartington, Mrs. Ann Van Dollen of Omaha, Mrs. Lila Pierce of Lincoln, Miss Marie Welch of Elmwood, Mrs. Sophia Spittler, Mrs. Alys Dierks and Mrs. Bertha Archer, all of Ewing, Mrs. Eva Kilmurry, Mrs. Effie Kubart, Mrs. Mary Gonderinger of Atkinson. After the banquet the members enjoyed a real Halloween party with games, dancing, singing and the tricks and antics of clowns, witches, goblins and other masked marvles.

Local Livestock Market Sells Between 700 and 800 Cattle On Monday

There were between 700 and 800 head of cattle at the sale Monday and the market was fully steady with a week ago. There was a nice run of yearling steers but no choice steers were there and they sold from \$10.50 to \$12.00. The yearling heifers were hard to move and were barely steady and sold from \$7.25 to \$8.00. A fair run of sows showed up and the market on them looked on the strong side. A lot of calves were in the yards and the market was fully steady and selling from \$11.25 to \$12.00 per hundred and the plain kinds down as low as \$9.50 to \$10.50.

More hogs than usual showed up and the weights being changed from 240 to 270 pounds caused a break in the central market and forced us to take the break also, which was \$13.85 for the choice hogs. Sows and heavies brought \$12.75 to \$13.25. The pig run was light and they also showed some signs of being weaker. We had a nice run of lambs and the price was satisfactory and sold around the \$12.00 mark. If you have any lambs to sell, let us know before Monday so we can call our buyers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joseph Martin Lynders, 26, of Aurora, Ill. and Kathleen Deloros Engler, 25, of Atkinson—Oct. 31. Robert Hugh Craig, 31, of Rush Lake, Wisc. and Ethel Martha DeVal, 27, of Oshkosh, Wisc.—Nov. 2.

Miss Mabelle Bauman spent the week-end at her home in Atkinson. of a Missouri pass deep in Cornhusker territory. And so the Cornhuskers, which were figured to be beaten anywhere from 33 to 50 points, won their first game of the season. No single player can be called outstanding, as they all played a bang-up game with hard tackling, blocking and running. This week-end the Cornhuskers will travel to Iowa City, where they will engage the Iowa Hawkeyes of the Big Ten. It should be a good game, but if the Huskers can hold the spirit they had in the Missouri game, they will be hard to beat.