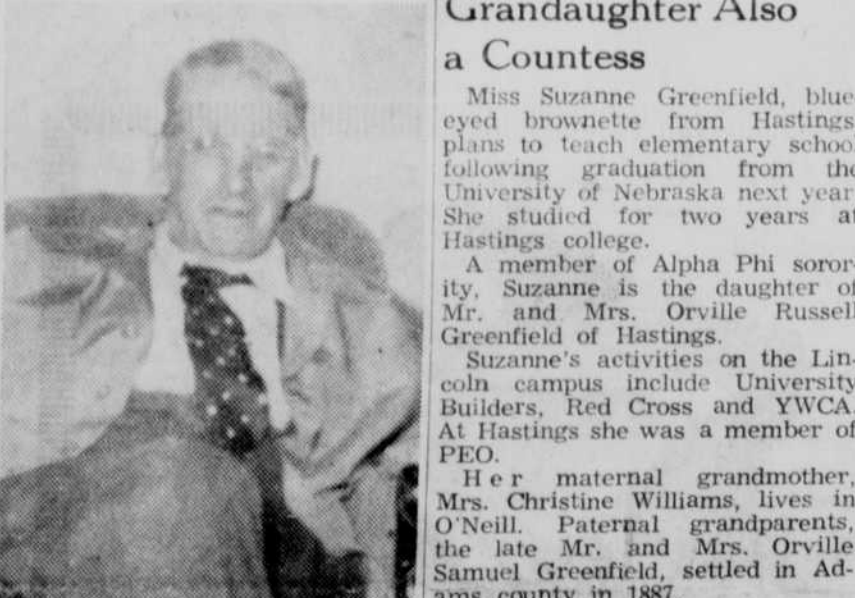




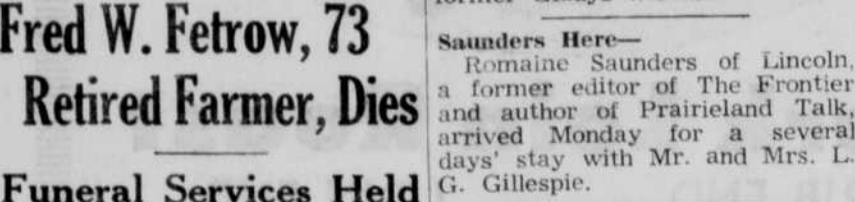
### Miss Froelich to Be 'Ak' Countess

Miss Mary Ellen Froelich (above), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Froelich of O'Neill, has been selected as a countess in the court of the 1958 Ak-Sar-Ben coronation and ball, which will take place at the Ak-Sar-Ben coliseum in Omaha Friday and Saturday evenings, October 17 and 18. A six-month tour of Europe and post-graduate study at the University of Hawaii figure in the plans of Miss Froelich. A blue-eyed redhead, she is a senior at Duchesne college, Omaha. She is an equestrienne and a water ski enthusiast. Miss Froelich's sister, Nancy (Mrs. J. Robert Berigan of O'Neill), was a countess in 1956. They are granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stout of O'Neill and the late Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Froelich of O'Neill.



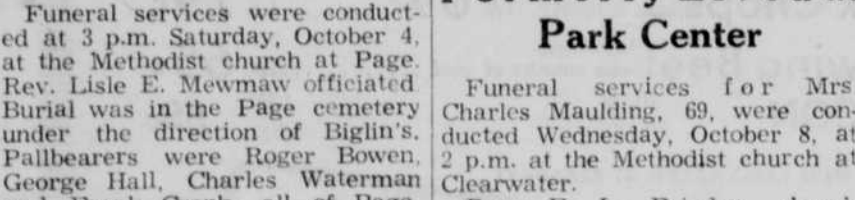
### Granddaughter Also a Countess

Miss Suzanne Greenfield, blue-eyed brunette from Hastings, plans to teach elementary school following graduation from the University of Nebraska next year. She studied for two years at Hastings college. A member of Alpha Phi sorority, Suzanne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Russell Greenfield of Hastings. Suzanne's activities on the Lincoln campus include University Builders, Red Cross and YWCA. At Hastings she was a member of Phi Kappa Theta. Her maternal grandparents, Mrs. Christine Williams, lives in O'Neill. Paternal grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Orville Samuel Greenfield, settled in Adams county in 1887. Mrs. Williams expects to spend this weekend in Hastings. Her daughter, Mrs. Greenfield, is the former Gladys Williams.



### Fred W. Fetrow, 73 Retired Farmer, Dies

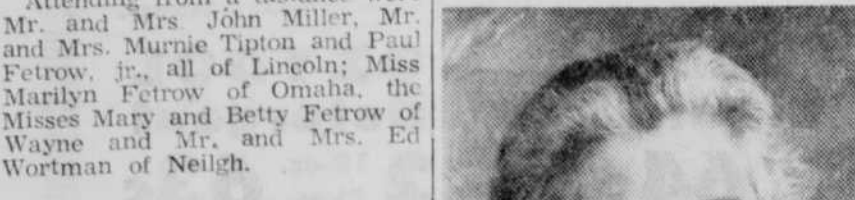
Fred Wilson Fetrow, 73, a retired farmer and resident of Holt county for 28 years, died at St. Anthony's hospital Thursday, October 2, after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 4, at the Methodist church at Page. Rev. L. E. Mewmaw officiated. Burial was in the Page cemetery under the direction of Biglin's. Pallbearers were Roger Bowen, George Hall, Charles Waterman and Frank Cronk, all of Page, and Phillip Dempsey and Marvin Fuller, both of O'Neill. Leland and Dale Steffen, accompanied by Mrs. Mervyn French, jr., sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Beyond the Sunset."



### Mrs. Maulding, 69, Succumbs at Neligh

Funeral services for Mrs. Charles Maulding, 69, were conducted Wednesday, October 8, at 2 p.m. at the Methodist church at Clearwater. Rev. E. L. Bridgen, church pastor, officiated. Interment was in the Clearwater cemetery under direction of the Snider funeral home. Pallbearers were Lloyd Britell, A. J. Warner, Dwight Jeffries, Donald Maulding, Arthur Taylor and William Leiding. Mrs. Maulding, who had been ill about five years, and had a leg amputated several years ago, died Saturday, October 4, at the rest home in Neligh operated by Mrs. Rose Coiser. Ethel Maulding was born at Clearwater April 14, 1889, the daughter of Ellen and John Jeffries.

On February 18, 1904, she was united in marriage to Charles Maulding at Neligh. They became the parents of one daughter, Bernadine. The Mauldings operated the Park Center store for 20 years. In 1953 they moved to Neligh to retire. Mr. Maulding died September 4, 1957. Survivors include: Daughter—Mrs. Vern (Bernadine) Morris of O'Neill; grandson—Larry Morris of Sioux City; great-granddaughter, Angela; brothers—George Jeffries of Ewing and Evert Jeffries of Casper, Wyo.



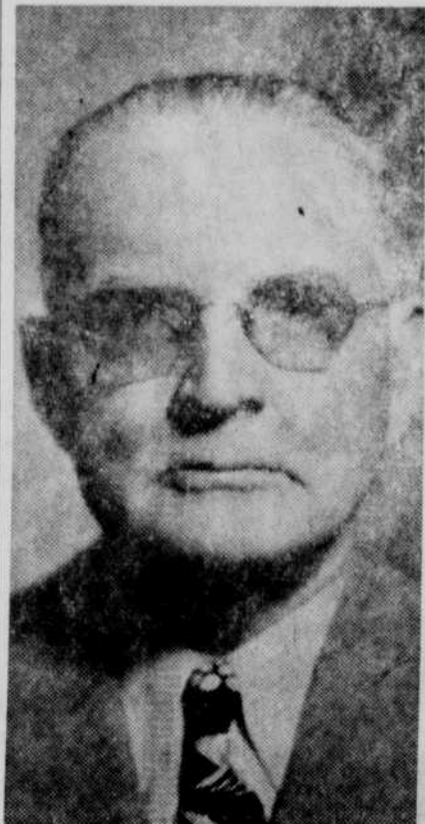
### '58 Nurse Graduate Leaves for Europe

ORCHARD — Miss Carma LaFrenz, a 1958 graduate of the University of Nebraska school of nursing, departed by plane from Omaha Saturday for an extended stay with her brother, Lt. and Mrs. Robert LaFrenz, at Frankfurt, Germany. Her vacation plans include attending the world's fair in Brussels, Belgium, and tours of several European countries.

## Lifelong Holt Man Dies at 75

### Hugh O'Connor, Rites to Be Held Today at St. Joseph Church

ATKINSON — Funeral services for HUGH O'Connor, 75, a lifelong resident of Holt county, will be conducted at 9 a.m. today (Thursday) at St. Joseph's Catholic church. Rev. R. J. Parr will officiate. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery in O'Neill. Mr. O'Connor died about 7 o'clock Monday night, October 6, at his home. He had been gravely ill several days. Public rosary was recited Wednesday evening at the Seger Funeral home. Knights of Columbus recited the rosary at 8:30. Pallbearers are L. P. Hayes, Gerry Gonderinger, Lane Griffin,



Mr. O'Connor . . . longtime Atkinson insurance man.

Patrick Miller and Harold Grof, all of Atkinson and Emil Tempoir of St. Paul. The late Mr. O'Connor was born August 27, 1883, in the Emmet community and was reared there. He was married to Catherine Goldfuss of Atkinson May 24, 1912, at St. Joseph church. They became the parents of two children. Mr. O'Connor served 16 years on the city council here and is a former president of the council. He was agent for the Bankers Life Insurance company of Nebraska 45 years and for the Union Fire Insurance company 36 years. The late Mr. O'Connor was a member of St. Joseph's church and Charles Carroll of Carrollton council of the Knights of Columbus.

Mrs. O'Connor died October 24, 1920. Survivors include: Daughters—Mrs. William W. (Regina) Griffin of O'Neill and Mrs. Arnold (Clara) Crane of Chicago, Ill.; brother—William of O'Neill; one nephew and three nieces.

### Benefit Dance Set for Mudloff Family

Good neighbors in the Ash Grove community in eastern Holt county have scheduled a benefit dance to be held Saturday night, October 11, in behalf of the Tony Mudloff family of Page. The Mudloff's home was completely destroyed by a mysterious explosion in the early morning hours August 22. Fire ensued and all the personnel effects, except the clothes they were wearing, were destroyed. The Mudloffs have two daughters. Investigators from the state fire marshal's office say they've bumped into a dead end in search of the cause. The Rhythm Ramblers orchestra will furnish music at the Ash Grove hall benefit affair. Admission will be 50 cents per person. All proceeds will be turned over to the Mudloffs, according to Mrs. Marvin Johnson, president of the Ash Grove auxiliary, which is sponsoring the affair.

### John Damerio, Wife Plan Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. John Damerio will observe their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, October 19, at the home of their son, Carl. Open-house will be observed from 1 until 5 p.m. All their friends and relatives are invited. Mr. Damerio will be 79-years-old on his golden wedding day. He was born in Wisconsin and came to Holt county when he was two-years-old. Mrs. Damerio was born here and their son, Carl, now resides on the place where she was born. The couple requests no gifts. Minnie Bay and Tina Kaczor baked the meal on the wedding day. Both plan to be present for the celebration.

### Grandma Zakrzewski Honored Sunday

Honored on Sunday in observance of her 88th birthday anniversary was "Grandma" Zakrzewski, and her great-granddaughter, Marilyn Zakrzewski, who was seven-years-old. Present were Mr. and Mrs. William Podany and daughter of Butte, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zakrzewski and family of Opportunity, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zakrzewski of Star, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gribble of Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. James Rotherham. The birthday cake was baked by Mrs. Gribble. Grandma was presented a clothes wardrobe. She makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Zakrzewski.



These Ewing young men constituted the largest single group of volunteers through the selective service in recent years; kneeling—Grover M. Shaw, Richard M. Kurgewit, Dana L. Sisson; standing—Jerome E. Kalthoff, Jerome C. Thoendel and Leonard L. Hawk.—The Frontier Photo.

## Airport Authority Being Established

O'Neill's city council in session Tuesday evening adopted a resolution establishing an airport authority. The move could lead to the construction of one hard-surfaced runway at least 1,400 feet long or longer. It was estimated roughly and without study by a consulting engineer—that a blacktop qualifying runway could be built here for a cost of from 120- to 140-thousand-dollars. A concrete runway (approximately 4,200 feet long) would cost about 80 percent more—or 220-thousand-dollars. Included in either case would be taxi strip to the administration building and a loading and unloading area. Federal funds are available for one-half the cost. However, Nebraska has been allocated approximately 400-thousand-dollars in unspent federal funds for matching projects, but this source—under the present law—will be dissipated June 30, 1959. The Nebraska department of aviation has approximately 230-thousand-dollars on hand, collected through aviation gas tax (not state levy). The fund is gradually building up although other cities and towns are drawing on it. The state department of aviation would pay one-fourth of the cost of O'Neill's proposed airport improvement. This would leave approximately a 30- or 35-thousand-dollar revenue bond issue if O'Neill's new airport authority elects to construct a blacktop runway. The revenue bonds would be retired, as stated earlier, with moneys derived from a tax levy up to one mill and revenue from the airport itself. Mayor Schaffer he would want time to pick members of the authority. The new board will not become official until after public notices have been published and legal establishment has been completed. Chadron, Valentine and Norfolk have hard-surfaced runways and airport improvements financed by general obligation bond issues. Uncle Sam during World War II. Revenue bonds issued by airport authorities at Columbus and Broken Bow were sold at 2.87 and 3.40 percent interest, respectively. The authority bonds at Columbus

## Achievement Day Program October 14

Will Install Newly Elected Officers

The annual Holt county home extension achievement day will be held Tuesday, October 14. The activities will begin with a covered dish luncheon at noon in the Legion hall here. Wynn Spease, neighbor lady from WYAX, Yankton, S.D., will be in O'Neill for the afternoon program. Included will be skits from each of the six centers in Holt county, community singing, installation of new home extension council officers, and vocal numbers by the boys' small group from the Willing Workers 4-H club. Safety is the theme selected for exhibits by the clubs. Each center will prepare an exhibit for that day. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Edgar Stauffer of Page, chairman; Mrs. William Schorn of Atkinson; Mrs. Don Skrdla of Stuart; Mrs. Veal Little of Clearwater; Mrs. E. M. Jarmom of Chambers and Mrs. A. T. Crumly of Page, who is home extension council chairman. All club members and the general public are invited to attend the covered dish luncheon and program which follows.

## 6 Ewing Youth Are Volunteers

Six Ewing youths departed Tuesday for military service—all volunteers through the Holt county selective service office. Mrs. W. H. Harty of O'Neill, a gold star mother, said it was the largest single group of volunteers to leave Holt in about five years. The volunteers are Grover M. Shaw, Richard M. Kurgewit, Dana L. Sisson, Jerome E. Kalthoff, Jerome C. Thoendel and Leonard L. Hawk. Also leaving by the same bus were five others who were to receive preinduction physical examinations. They were: Bernard D. Engler of Atkinson; Walter F. Ries, jr., of Atkinson; Patrick F. Murphy of Stuart; Ronald L. Elsberry of Orchard, and Larry H. Lieswald of Chambers. Those sent for physicals will return today (Thursday). The Ewing youths expect to be stationed at Ft. Carson, Colo., for the first few weeks of their training. Sisson is the son of Robley Sisson, sr., and Mrs. Helen Sisson; Kurgewit is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hebert Kurgewit; Hawk is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawk; Shaw's mother is Mrs. Leonard Knapp; Thoendel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thoendel, and Kalthoff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Kalthoff.

## Garwood, Krugman Steers Tops

### Angus Lamb Brings 64c Per Lb. While Reserve Hits 65c

Grand champion stocker-feeder calf in district 4-H competition was shown here Wednesday by Miss Marlene Garwood, 12, of Amelia, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Garwood of Amelia. An Angus steer weighing 460 pounds, the animal brought 64 cents per pound paid by an Iowa buyer. Dunny is of Eliebremer breeding. Reserve champion—a Hereford steer—was shown by Eldon Krugman, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Krugman of O'Neill. Weighing 405 pounds, the Hereford brought 65 cents per pound and likewise was purchased by an Iowa buyer. Overall average for 30 head of 4-H calves—heifers and steers—was 38½ cents per pound. In 4-H showmanship, Nick Hammerlun of O'Neill, member of the Up-and-At-It club, won first place showing his Angus steer. Second place went to Gary Fick of Inman with his Hereford steer. Eddie Krugman of O'Neill ranked third with an Angus steer. Fick is a member of the Victory Boys and Girls club; Krugman is a member of the Redbird Lucky Clover club. The Chamber of Commerce provided awards including a show medal for first; rice, bristle brush for second, and a Scotch comb for third. However, Hammerlun, having won the same award previously, was ineligible for the halter and show prize. Swan Lake club, led by Trexel Green, won first in the best club showing of three calves. It marked the third consecutive year the Swan Lake club has captured the honor. Second place went to the Prairie Wranglers club, Guy Blake, leader. Third place went to the Lucky Clover club, Mrs. William Alm, leader. In the commercial division the top ten of five steers was exhibited by George Hipke of Johnston. Hipke's Hereford steers averaged 41 cents per pound. Top single individual commercial calf was shown by William Hansen of O'Neill, who showed a Hereford steer. Second place went to Fritz Krugman of O'Neill, also a Hereford. Clarence Ernst of O'Neill ranked third with a Hereford steer. The Hansen steer weighed 430 pounds and brought 58 cents per pound. Second place went to Fritz Krugman, who weighed 470 pounds, brought 60 cents; third, 300-pounder, 50 cents. Harry E. Ressel and Clarence Ernst, who managed the sale, said most of the purchases went to Iowa. Don Engel, animal husbandry specialist at the University of Nebraska college of agriculture, judged the show. Ray Eby, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presented the awards. County Agent A. Neil Dawes pronounced the sale "highly successful in every way."

## C of C Urges Airport Authority Be Created

### Later Dispatch of Mail Asked

Twenty-one members of the Chamber of Commerce met Monday evening and adopted resolutions urging the city council to create an airport authority, urged that the postoffice receive first-class mail until 11 p.m. daily for dispatch the same night and

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learned of year-end activities planned by the retail trade committee.

## Will Install Newly Elected Officers

Yule window unveiling, November 28, 7 p.m. Stuart Pascoe, chairman; Joe Stutz, co-chairman, Frank McKenny, John C. Watson, Winnie Barger and Leona Wynos. Turkey day, December 6: Joe McLeish, chairman; William W. McIntosh, co-chairman, Edwin L. Krugman, J. B. Grady, Robert Pappenheimer, John L. McCarrie. Santa's visit, December 20: G. E. Miles, chairman; Harry E. Peterson, co-chairman; Leo Moore, A. L. Patton and Ed Wilson.

## MISHAP INVESTIGATED

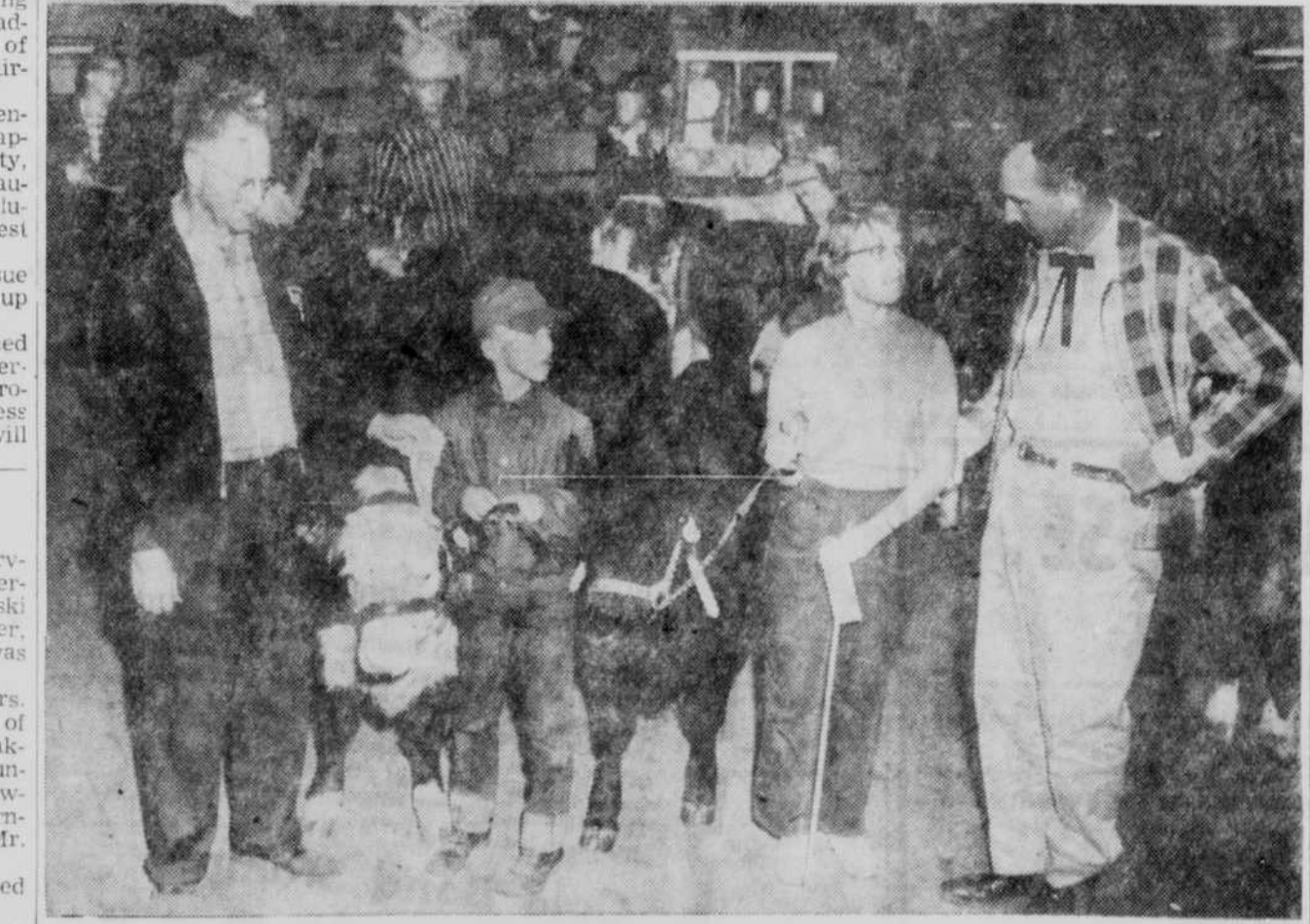
An accident on North Fourth st. Saturday involved a car driven by Mrs. Marvin Green and a troop car. Mrs. Green backed up on the front bumper of Miller troop car and police advised \$18 damage. O'Neill police investigated.

## SMA Benefit Auction Set for October 25

A St. Mary's academy benefit auction will be held Saturday, October 25, on the academy campus playground. "Donations for the auction will be greatly appreciated," according to Joe Stutz and George McCarthy, who are co-chairmen of the event. Proceeds will be turned over to the Sisters of St. Francis, who operate the academy. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Friday, October 17, Clarence Eby, chairman, three miles north of Chambers and 3½ miles west, complete closeout of registered and commercial Hereford herd, also dairy cattle, full line of farm and ranch machinery, feed, household goods; Mr. Griffin, chairman, will sell an out-standing herd of registered Herefords at public auction, also farm and ranch machinery and equipment and other personal property. They are reducing their operations because of illness in the family. Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer. (Details in subsequent issues).

## Friday, October 31: Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Robertson, who live north of O'Neill, will sell an outstanding herd of registered Herefords at public auction, also farm and ranch machinery and equipment and other personal property. They are reducing their operations because of illness in the family. Col. Ed Thorin of O'Neill, auctioneer. (Details in subsequent issues).

## Saturday, November 8: Twenty-sixth annual show and sale, North-Central Nebraska Hereford Association, Bassett; 40 bulls, all ages, mostly two-year-olds, also four heifers; Tug Phillips, Bassett, sale manager. (Details in subsequent issues).



Marlene Garwood, 12, and Eldon Krugman, 11, win grand champion and reserve champion honors, respectively, with their calves in district 4-H stocker-feeder competition here. Raymond Eby, president of the C of C, makes presentation of ribbon to Eldon; Marlene chats with Don Engel, the judge.

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