

### Eagles Topped in Bassett Meet

#### Ainsworth Now Rules Sandhills Relays

**BASSETT**—Seven records were smashed as Ainsworth high returned to the throne of the Sandhills relays, wresting the title from Coach Marvin Miller's O'Neill high Eagles.

The O'Neill prep crew had held the title for two consecutive years, but Ainsworth ran up an impressive victory here Monday afternoon.

Scoring:

Ainsworth	77.0
Bassett	84.7
O'Neill	45.0
Springview	33.0
Neligh	22.6
Valentine	20.6
Winner, S.D.	15.5
Atkinson	14.5
Ewing	8.5
Gregory, S.D.	2.0
Stuart	0.6
Lynch	0.0

Coach Alvan Story's Bulldogs were in a class by themselves for speed, starting with the 440 yard continuing through the mile. The Ainsworth relay crew (Bruce Johnson, Brent Johnson, Bruce Reymann and Jim Kirkpatrick) did the quartermile in 46.1—one-tenth of a second under the old record. O'Neill's relay team also was under the old mark.

Ainsworth also won the freshman 440-yard, 48.7. Valentine got a 2:08.7 half-mile and the two-mile relay in 8:50.8. Ainsworth and O'Neill also beat the old record. Warren Seger of O'Neill ran a 2:09 anchor for the Eagles.

O'Neill opened the carnival with a 49.8 clocking in the 400-yard low hurdle shuttle relay, featuring Larry McConnell, Eddie Gatz, Lyle Davis and Larry Chace.

Record performances were as follows:

Pole vault, Richards, Bassett, 10 feet 11½ inches; sprint medley relay, Bassett, 3:49; two-mile relay, Valentine, 8:50.8; 440-yard relay, Ainsworth, 46.1; mile relay, Ainsworth, 3:42.8.

Only double winner in the individual competition was Tom Gabelman of Neligh. He shoved the shot 42 feet 11½ inches, and tossed the discus 131 feet 11½ inches.

Five performers got the discus out more than 120 feet, while six lads got 39 feet 7 inches, or better, with the shot.

Results:

Shotput — Gabelman, Neligh, first; Booth, O'Neill, second; Spearman, Ainsworth, third. Distance, 42 feet 11½ inches.

Discus — Gabelman, Neligh, first; Spearman, Ainsworth, second; Flynn, Winner, third. Distance, 131 feet 11½ inches.

High jump — Brunkow, Winner, first; Sanders, O'Neill, and Bussinger, Bassett, tied for second; Richards, Bassett, M. Bussinger, Bassett, Simons, Valentine, Brewster, Stuart, and Kolph, Neligh, tied for fourth. Height, 5 feet 6 inches.

Broad jump — Morton, Bassett, first; Williams, Springview, second; Richard, Bassett, third. Distance, 21 feet 3 inches.

Pole vault — C. Richards, Bassett, first; Moon, Neligh, second; Frank, Winner, third. Height, 10 feet 11½ inches.

Two-mile — Valentine, first; Ainsworth, second; O'Neill, third; Springview, fourth; Atkinson, fifth. Time: 8:50.8.

440-yard shuttle hurdle — O'Neill, first; Ainsworth, second; Neligh, fourth; Atkinson, fifth. Time: 49.8 seconds.

Sprint medley — Bassett, first; Springview, second; Ainsworth, third; Winner, fourth; Valentine, fifth. Time: 3:49.

440-yard — Ainsworth, first; Bassett, second; O'Neill, third; Atkinson, fourth; Ewing, fifth. Time: 46.1 seconds.

440-yard freshman — Ainsworth, first; Bassett and Springview, tied for second; Atkinson, fourth; Valentine, fifth. Time: 48.7 seconds.

880-yard — Ainsworth, first; O'Neill, second; Ewing, third; Springview, fourth; Neligh, fifth. Time: 1:36.9.

1-mile — Ainsworth, first; Bassett, second; Springview, third; O'Neill, fourth; Valentine, fifth. Time: 3:42.8.

### Mason Serves as First Chief Justice

Oliver P. Mason, the first man to serve as chief justice of the supreme court of the state of Nebraska, was appointed to fill the vacancy created when William A. Little, who had been elected to the office in 1866, died before qualifying. Ironically, Mr. Little, a democrat, had defeated Mr. Mason in the general election, and was the only democrat elected in that contest—and for a good many thereafter.

Judge Mason was born May 13, 1829, in Brookfield, N.Y., one of 11 children. He attended the district school, Hamilton academy, Clinton Liberal Institute, and the state normal school at Albany. Later he studied law in Ohio and Michigan, and was admitted to the bar in Newark, O., in 1854. He was married that year to Mary J. Turner, and the next year moved with his bride to Nebraska territory, pre-empting land near Nebraska City.

Almost from the day of his arrival, Mr. Mason was an important figure in the territory. He practiced law as well as farmed, and was particularly vigorous in battling the claim clubs, those extra legal associations which sought to take the law in their hands in the protection of claims of their members.

Like many of his contemporaries, Mr. Mason was active in territorial legislature, and in the lower house of the fifth territorial legislature and in the council or upper house, in the ninth, 10th, and 11th legislatures. He was president of the council during the 10th and 11th sessions. Mr. Mason was active in the early development of the republican party in Nebraska, and, as indicated above, was the first candidate for chief justice. He ran for reelection in 1868, and served until 1873.

Judge Mason presided over the supreme court during the difficult days when Governor Butler was impeached, and when many cases arising out of that difficulty and the problem of organizing a new state had to be decided.

Following his retirement from the court, Judge Mason entered the practice of law in Lincoln, in which he was eminently successful. Though always active in the affairs of the republican party, he did not again run for public office.

He served as railroad commissioner from 1870 to 1889, and at the time of his death, August 18, 1891, was serving as deputy labor commissioner.

In addition to law and politics,

### Orchids To Keynote Easter



A hybrid cattleya pure white specially-designed corsage captures the spirit of Easter in this holiday arrangement displayed by NBC-TV star Kate Smith. Originated by Alvin Wayne, flower stylist of the Florist Telegraph Delivery Association, the corsage blends the pure white orchid and an attractive little Easter toy against a background of organdy. The 9,500 members of this association are keynoting orchids this Easter for the millions of Americans who will be sending flowers-by-wire.

### Chambers News

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman and Maxine of Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hoffman of Butte were dinner and afternoon guests on Wednesday, March 31, in the Henry Brown home. The occasion was the second birthday anniversary of Linda Kay Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Tangeman and baby of Chadron were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tangeman, and family.

Mrs. Anna Albers and Bobby and Gail Harley were supper guests in the home of Mrs. Richard Harley and son Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harley took her sister, Mrs. E. A. Smith of Idaho, who has been visiting in the Harley home the past week, to Grand Island last Thursday where she took the train for Los Angeles, Calif., to visit her son and daughter-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Harley visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Struebinger, and family while in Grand Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Elkins and girls and Rodney Elkins drove to Johnston Sunday to visit his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Elkins, and family.

Anniversaries Noted—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kaiser and son, Ivan, were among a group who celebrated the birthday anniversaries of John Zahradnick, John Silverstrand and Mrs. Leon Kaiser Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Zahradnick near Atkinson. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. James Podany and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kaiser, Mr. and Mrs. John Silverstrand of Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zahradnick and family of Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaiser and family and Mrs. Fred Kaiser of Ainsworth.

Visitor Here—Virginia Buckmaster of Fremont spent the weekend visiting Jackie Norman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norman.



### Is Affianced

Miss Pauline Anderson (above), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Anderson of Red-bird, is engaged to wed Robert Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wells of Butte, it was announced this week by the bride-elect's parents. No date has been set for the wedding.

### Treva Baker Is Elected President

Brownie Troop I met Monday, April 5, with all 12 members present. Officers elected were: Treva Baker, president; Kathy Rubbeck, secretary; Georgetta Clyde, treasurer; Carmen Benze, news reporter.

We sang songs and played games. Treva Baker treated us to cup cakes. Our next meeting will be Monday April 19. Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Clyde and Mrs. Benze are our leaders.—By Carmen Benze, reporter.

### Next Meeting at Martha School

The Martha 4-H club met at the Martha school Saturday, April 3. Roll call was answered by 15 members. Kenneth Hoerle and Linda Chipps joined the club.

We discussed what the members were feeding their calves and figured the cost of feed per pound of gain.

After the meeting we played games. Our leaders then served ice cream and cake. The next meeting will be at Martha school May 1.—By Karen Kruse, reporter.

### PAGE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Leisy of Valentine and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stauffer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Segeler. During the afternoon the six visited Mr. and Mrs. John Stauffer. Mr. Stauffer is 85 and has been confined to his home for several years. The Leisy's then ate supper with the Edgar Stauffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dobbin spent Sunday in the home of the latter's brother and sister-in-law near Osmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dunkelberger drove from Onida, S. D. to spend the weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Boyle and also at their farm near Page.

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### Atkinson C of C Entertains

ATKINSON—The Atkinson Chamber of Commerce was host to about 100 Holt county 4-H club leaders at a banquet Monday evening. The American Legion auxiliary served the dinner at the American Legion hall.

Included on the program were an address by Alice Young of O'Neill, district 4-H speech contest winner; musical selections by the Atkinson Men's chorus, and a recreation hour directed by Guy Davis of Lincoln, state assistant 4-H leader.

SENATOR NELSON SPEAKS EWING—State Sen. Frank Nelson of O'Neill spoke Tuesday evening at a joint meeting of the Emporia and St. John farm bureaus.

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