

## Miller, Hruska Speak Out for McCarthy



**Defend Beleaguered Senator in GOP Street Rally Here**

(Photo on page 3)

Weary Nebraska republican caravans winding up three rigorous weeks of stumping in every nook-and-cranny in the state's 77 thousand square miles, generated some steam at a street meeting here Friday afternoon, despite a crisp north wind and temperatures in the fifties.

Rep. A. L. Miller, seeking reelection in the Fourth district, fired some broadsides in behalf of the beleaguered Senator McCarthy and Rep. Roman Hruska, in quest of the Butler senate vacancy, said it is ironical the energy spent in slowing McCarthy had not been turned toward chasing communists.

Hruska said seven thousand security risks have been rooted out of government in 20 months, most of whom got into government during the 20 years prior to the present republican administration.

The campaign of 1954 is a continuation of the 1952 campaign. The issue is this: Whether the Eisenhower administration and GOP will return or whether we will go back to Trumanism. It's as simple as that," he declared.

"Consult the congressional directory and you'll readily see new dealers and fair dealers there, ready to take over vital committee work the moment any republican should fall at the polls. In spite of the progress the GOP has made, many affairs of government still are in the hands of the same old crowd."

Doctor Miller declared the effort to oust the subversives never would have been as successful as it has been to date, referring to the thousands of security risks who have been discharged, "except for Senator Joe McCarthy kicking them around. I think he has done far more good than harm, and if I had a seat in the U.S. senate next month at the closure session I would ask myself."

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## Student Government Day Set for Monday

The annual Cornhusker boys' and girls' student government day—for "elected" members of junior classes from Holt county high schools—will be held on Monday, October 25. The annual event is sponsored by the Holt county courthouse.

The students will "serve" in the various county offices. Student government day is under the auspices of the American Legion. Registration starts at 9 a.m. Charles E. Chace of Atkinson, district Legion vice-commander will preside.

Stanley Hoffman of Elgin, senior state vice-commander of the Legion will speak. D. E. Nelson, superintendent of the O'Neill city schools, will speak at 1 p.m. Adjournment will be at 3 p.m.

### WEATHER SUMMARY

	Hi	Lo
October 14	53	34
October 15	54	33
October 16	68	29
October 17	63	30
October 18	60	35
October 19	53	39
October 20	57	37

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kraft were last Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. Mabel Shobe in Page.

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## Rev. Wood, Former Holt Pastor, Dies

### Becomes Ill While Enroute to Home at Mears, Mich.

ATKINSON—Rev. Asa Wood, former pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church here, died about midnight Tuesday, October 19, at Hart, Mich. Reverend Wood, who served the parish here about eight years, is credited for having helped arrange for and built the new church in Atkinson completed four years ago.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, October 23, at Mears, Mich.

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## Young Rattlesnake Is Blown to Bits

While hunting ducks recently south of the Andy Clark place, southwest of O'Neill, Don McMamy of O'Neill and Henry Frank of Norfolk came upon a rattlesnake about 2½ feet long. The snake was coiled, sounding a traditional warning and, apparently ready to do business.

McMamy trained his shotgun on the snake at point-blank range and blew the snake to bits.

McMamy complained, "is you can't count the rattles after it's over!"

**13 Volunteers Will Leave Today**

### Largest Group on Record Here

Thirteen Holt county selective service registrants will depart from O'Neill at 9:20 a.m., today (Thursday) via bus for Omaha for induction.

"This represents the largest group of volunteers we have ever had in Holt county," explained Mrs. W. H. Hartly of O'Neill. The size of the group might rival records of other counties in the state.

In most instances the volunteers are faced with imminent conscription.

The group includes:

Dick V. Wilbern, Edwin Siebert, Gary A. Lech, Fredrick C. Dunn, and Richard D. Ratliff, all of Atkinson.

Arnold D. Miller of Star; Garry D. Wilson of Redbird; Marvin D. Cadwallader and Roger E. Johnson, both of Star.

Bruce T. McElhaney, Calvin J. Murphy, John R. Bowen, and Joseph J. Fleming, all of O'Neill.

**Mr. and Mrs. James Coventry of Inman were Sunday afternoon guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tomlinson.**

**Hiway Commission Coming October 27**

Members of the recently-appointed Nebraska state highway advisory commission will arrive in O'Neill on Wednesday, October 27, and spend the night here.

They will devote the following day to inspecting the proposed routes for U.S. highway 281 linking the junction of 281 and state highway 12 (in Boyd county) with the South Dakota highway system.

Meanwhile, members of Nebraska Highway 20 association, who held their annual meeting at Plainview, have recommended that U.S. highway 281 be re-routed through Spencer to join with highways 281 and 18 in South Dakota.

Relocation of the two highways in South Dakota was necessitated by the construction of Ft. Randall dam.

The association suggested the western re-routing as preferable because of lower construction costs and because the proposed route would facilitate the flow of traffic into Nebraska.

An eastern re-routing, the association pointed out, would tend to divert traffic across Ft. Randall dam to highway 50 in South Dakota, depriving Nebraska of gas tax funds.

**Texans Here—**

INMAN—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Geary, Jr., and son, Donald, of Amarillo, Tex., were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. Geary's father, brother and sister-in-law.

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**Center Union Will Have New Pastor**

Rev. C. P. Turner, 72, a retired Protestant minister, has been signed to perform pastoral duties at the rural Center Union church, northwest of O'Neill. Reverend Turner will arrive from McCook in early November and will make his home at the Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cole residence here.

Center Union has been without a pastor since August when Rev. M. H. Grossenbach of Wesleyan Methodist church here (he served the two parishes) went to Gordon.

Reverend Grossenbach was in O'Neill Monday on a business trip, conferring with Center Union and Wesleyan Methodist officials.

Rev. Earl Dix of Butte, a returned missionary from Africa, will be in charge of the services Sunday, October 24, at Center Union.

**Friends, Kin Gather—**

Forty friends and relatives gathered Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Soucek of Verdigris for a picnic dinner supper. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Kaiser and Ivan, Eddie Ritts, all of O'Neill, Raymond and Marjorie Dobias and Ruby Meyer, all of Atkinson. Others came from Bloomfield.

### Ewing Church Is Redecorated

This is an interior view of St. Peter's Catholic church at Ewing, which recently underwent major repairing and renovation. The pastor, Rev. Peter F. Burke, observed open-house Sunday at



Top GOP Officials Pose with Holt Men

Several hundred persons turned out Friday afternoon to greet the Nebraska republican caravan, including four longtime Holt county republicans who posed (above) with three senators, one congressional and one gubernatorial candidate. Left-to-right: L. G. Gillespie of O'Neill, former state legislator, former county assessor and a Klondike veteran; Victor E. Anderson, nominee for governor; H. B. Burch, retired O'Neill mail carrier; Rep. Carl T. Curtis, long-term senate nominee; Mrs. George P. Abel, short-term senate candi-

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## C&NW Considering Taking Off 2 Trains

The Chicago & North Western railway system is considering taking "appropriate steps" to discontinue the only two remaining passenger-mail-express trains operating in this section of Nebraska.

J. E. Goodwin, vice-president in charge of operations, said Monday in Chicago, Ill., the company's trains number 13 and 14 on the 447-mile Omaha - Chadron line (through O'Neill) are "sustaining a net loss of well over 60 thousand dollars per year due to a lack of patronage."

Number 13 leaves Omaha at 11:30 p.m. (CST), daily and reaches Chadron at 1:50 p.m. (MST), the following day. Number 14 departs from Chadron at 3:55 p.m. (MST), and reaches Omaha at 6:30 a.m. (CST), the following morning.

Number 13 leaves O'Neill going westbound at 7:44 a.m.; number 14