

### Inman Hurdles Initial Playoff

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PLAINVIEW — Coach Joe Hughes' Inman high Tigers Wednesday night, March 2, were cold for the first two periods in a class E playoff game with Merriman, despite the advent of spring-like weather.  
But in the second half they exploded and ran the western Nebraskans ragged. The Tigers now face tonight (Thursday) the winner of the Elgin-Concord game, and this one also will be played at Plainview.  
Gene Couch hit 26 points for Inman in the Merriman hassle; Don Kelley popped in 23 and Bob Reimers accounted for 18. Inman trailed, 31-40, at the half.

### Other Inman News

Andrew Jensen of Norfolk spent Wednesday, February 23, here visiting relatives and calling on old friends.  
M. L. Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kill and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sawyer spent from Wednesday, February 23, until Friday in Omaha attending the lumbermen's convention.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Britnell and daughters and Mrs. Leslie Caster of Norfolk spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Morsbach and daughters.  
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wolfe and family of Amelia spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Banks and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGraw.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Morsbach and daughters spent Sunday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conrad at Neligh.

### Amelia News

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Doolittle and sons went to Grand Island Saturday to meet Mrs. Doolittle's mother, Mrs. Amy Slaymaker, who was returning home from a visit with another daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Cabbage, in California. Another daughter, Jerry and her husband of Ainsworth were also visiting at the Doolittle home. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kennedy also called there in the afternoon.  
Dona Rae Peterson, who teaches at Lexington, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peterson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leavitt of Greybull, Wyo., who have been visiting at the Lawrence Barnett home the past two weeks, left on Friday to visit Mrs. Leavitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Alderson. Mrs. Leavitt and Mrs. Barnett are cousins.

### Stuart News

Jean Obermire celebrated her ninth birthday Saturday afternoon, February 26, by entertaining six girl friends. They played games and had a lunch of ice cream and cake.  
Miss Karen Obermire entertained six girl friends Sunday night, February 27, at supper.

returning to Page when spring arrives.  
M/Sgt. Cecil Keyes, who is stationed at Albuquerque, N.M., arrived Thursday and is spending a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Keyes. Sergeant Keyes expects to be sent overseas soon.  
The WSCS met last Thursday afternoon for a regular meeting at the home of Mrs. L. R. Tompkins. The quarterly birthday party was enjoyed by those whose birthday anniversary occurred during the past three months. Lunch was served.  
Mrs. Anna Clark was hostess to the L. club at her home on Wednesday, February 23. The time was spent socially and lunch was served.  
Miss Mary Ann Kopejtko spent last week at Page taking care of Dickie and Jerry Kopejtko while her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kopejtko, were in Omaha.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Anna Kopejtko were Mr. and Mrs. Walt Kopejtko and family of Elgin, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hrbek and sons of Dorsey, Lyle Kopejtko, Gerald Burke and Leon Urban, all of Inman.  
Mrs. Ana Kopejtko took care of Don Hrbek Monday.  
Miss Mary Ann Kopejtko took care of Russell and Stanley Kopejtko at Elgin Monday while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Kopejtko, attended the funeral of Tom Hulme at York. Mr. Hulme was one of the airplane pilots killed in Iowa Wednesday night, February 23.

### Celia News

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reiser and family of Butte spent last Thursday at the Joe Hendricks home.  
Bob Cearns helped Joe Hendricks from Monday, February 21, until Friday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Omer Poynts and Duane Waldrop visited the Mark Hendricks family Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Maloun and son, also Duane Beck, were Monday morning visitors at the Alex Forsythe home.  
There were no classes at Celia or Hendricks schools on Monday, February 21, on account of blocked roads.  
Alex Forsythe and Eddie Walnofer were Friday visitors at the O. A. Hammerberg home.  
Eddie Walnofer was a Saturday visitor at the Duane Beck home.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Maloun and Billy spent Saturday at the O. A. Hammerberg home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dobias and sons were Sunday dinner guests at the D. F. Scott home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Milton McKathnie and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Blanche Rouse, at O'Neill.  
Other dinner guests were Karl Keyes and Donald, Miss Mildred Keyes and Cecil Keyes, all of Inman. Ralph Young and Thelma and Miss Maude Rouse were afternoon visitors.  
Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Smith and family were Friday evening visitors at the Lawrence Smith home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ziska and Phyllis and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Braun and family surprised their sister, Mrs. Marvin Focken, and helped celebrate her birthday anniversary Friday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hans Braun were Sunday evening visitors at the Marvin Focken home.

### Weyrichs Honored on Anniversary

A surprise party was held for Mr. and Mrs. Roland Weyrich Friday, February 25, on their sixth wedding anniversary.  
Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Asher, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Farrier, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schmiegel, Mr. and Mrs. Orville McKim, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weyrich and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gallup, all of O'Neill; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crubb, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, all of Chambers, and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Spry of Randolph.  
The evening was spent playing cards. A late lunch was served.

### EMMET NEWS

A card party was held at the Church of the Epiphany basement at Emmet Sunday evening. Pitch and pinocle were played. Mrs. Henry Warren won high for pitch and Edgar Tansender, low. Jim O'Connor held high in pinocle. Bob Winkler won the door prize. A lunch of "ranchburgers," cake and coffee was served.  
The Wayne Fox and Walter Meiers families were supper guests at the Elwin Rubeck home at O'Neill Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Storjohann of O'Neill (arrows) at Silver Springs . . . view underwater life in crystal clear water to depth of 80 feet.



HONORED PRIOR TO DEPARTURE—  
REDBIRD—A farewell gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bessert at Redbird on Sunday, February 27, in honor of her brother, Dick Truax, who is leaving for the army in the near future.  
Dinner guests present were Mrs. Fred Truax, Sr., and Dick; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Truax and Judy of Schuyler; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Walters and Gail of Kennebec, S.D.; Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and sons of Pickstown, S.D.; and Mr. and Mrs. Art Bessert of Redbird.  
A luncheon of home-made ice cream and punch was served before the guests departed for their homes.  
A party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Bessert at Redbird Friday night, February 25, in honor of Dick.  
Those present were Mrs. Fred Truax, Sr., and Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bessert, Kathy and Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Melior and Delores and Mr. and Mrs. Eud Mitchell.  
Cards were played and a lunch was served.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Chambers)

Rev. Howard E. Claycombe, pastor  
Thursday, March 3: Junior Walthers league, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday, February 25: Confirmation class, 10 a.m.  
Sunday, March 6: Sunday-school and adult Bible class, 10 a.m.; divine worship with holy communion, 11 a.m.  
Monday, March 7: Lutheran laymen's league, 8 p.m.  
Tuesday, March 8: Lenten services, 8 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 9: Adult class, 8 p.m.  
Thursday, March 10: Senior Walthers league, 8 p.m.  
Fifty-five were present at the ash Wednesday service. The congregation voted to have the Lenten services on Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock. Holy communion will again be celebrated next Sunday. Announcements may be made at the parish league on Thursday from 3 to 5 or 7 to 9 p.m.  
A nursery class is being organized and will begin on palm Sunday, April 3. The large room in the basement is being redecorated and furnished for this purpose. Mrs. Duane Grossnicklaus and Mrs. J. W. Walter will teach the pre-Sunday school children of 2, 3 and 4-years-old who will make up the class. Mrs. Victor Harley will be correspondent.  
A farewell fellowship was held Monday evening at the church basement in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Duane McKay and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown and family. The Sunday-school presented Mr. Brown a luminous dial electric clock for his faithful service as a Sunday-school superintendent for the past two years. Other gifts for the past two years were presented to the children by the Sunday-school. The McKays are being transferred to the Christ Lutheran church in O'Neill and the Browns to St. John's Lutheran church at Filley.  
The family film and fellowship night is tentatively planned for Sunday, March 13. It has been suggested that the family nights be held on the last Sunday of every month.

### METHODIST (O'Neill)

Rev. W. B. Smith, pastor  
Thursday and Friday, March 3, 4: WSCS conference meetings at Hastings.  
Thursday, March 3: WSCS prayer cell at the parsonage, 10 a.m.  
Friday, March 4: Dorcas society with Mrs. Reimer, 2 p.m.  
Sunday, March 6: Junior choir practice, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school, classes, 9:45 a.m.; worship service, 11 a.m.; MYF's leave for rally, 2 p.m.  
Monday, March 7: Last WSCS study group, 2 p.m.  
Tuesday, March 8: Workers' conference, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 9: Choir, 7 p.m.; MYF, 8 p.m.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Ressel returned Wednesday from a 12-day visit to Marshall and Galveston, Tex., where they visited relatives. Enroute back they visited Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Lee and family at Osborn, Kans.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Juracek and Lyle visited at the Albert Derickson home Friday afternoon.

### FOR SALE: One registered Hereford bull, 6 mo. old, out of good stock.—David Page, O'Neill.

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### Page News

Mrs. Ray Snell left Wednesday morning for San Diego, Calif., where she will visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Passmore, and daughter; her sister, Mrs. Florence Neilen of San Gabriel, and Mrs. Blanche Darr of Los Angeles; also her brother, Lloyd Stevens, at Lancaster, Calif.  
Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kennedy moved to the Ed Braddock farm northwest of Page, and the Ed Eggen family, coming from the Plainview community, moved on to the place vacated by the Kennedys.  
The 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Terrill was observed with a surprise party at their home Tuesday evening.  
Mrs. Harry Lampert was hostess to the HOA club Tuesday afternoon. Members brought their own needlework. The hostess served lunch. Mrs. Homer Rutherford will be the March 15 hostess.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schilousky of Albion were Sunday guests at the Clarence Colfack home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rutherford and family were Monday evening guests in the Gaylord Albright home in honor of Sterling Albright's birthday anniversary. A lunch was served.  
Mesdames Melvin Roach, William Simmons and Edd Stewart were hostesses Tuesday evening at the IOOF hall when the Commercial club met and made plans concerning the proposed skating and dance floor and discussed the need of a barber in town.  
Mrs. Les Riege spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Horrocks, at Tilden.  
Mrs. Elmer Spann of Atkinson spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Russell, while her husband and brother-in-law, Elmer and Albert Spann, made a trip to Pierce.  
Mr. and Mrs. Merwyn French and daughter, Bette, were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Lou Reiss.  
Merwyn French, jr., went to Oakland Saturday where he visited his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Olson. On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. French were Omaha visitors.  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heiss and Alvin were Sunday guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Heiss.  
Mr. A. D. Palmer of Norfolk called at the Elroy Smith home Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Richard Heiss entertained 14 ladies Monday evening. In the contest games, Mrs. Roy Zeller, Mrs. Norman Trowbridge and Mrs. Carl Max received special prizes and Miss Joellen Kennedy received the prize given for the guest coming from the greatest distance.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart went to Wausa Tuesday to bring Dr. E. J. Bild, back to his home at Page after spending 10 days with his son, Dr. E. J. Bild, jr., at Wausa.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Trowbridge took their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Summers, and son, Johnny, to Grand Island Saturday evening where they entertained for English and Mrs. Summers and son will make their home with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Fink, until her husband is released from service.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Knudsen came Friday and are visiting his mother, Mrs. Helen Knudsen, and looking after business interests.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Holliday and family were weekend guests in the H. S. Holliday home. They came to help Mrs. Holliday celebrate her birthday anniversary.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neubauer and Paul Neubauer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haynes. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haynes and daughters were afternoon callers.  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Steinberg and Mrs. Jesse Kelly and Ruth were Sunday guests in the home of their son-in-law and

### Storjohanns Back from Trip to Cuba

Mr. and Mrs. John Storjohann returned last Thursday from an extended trip which took them as far south as Havana, Cuba.  
They left Omaha on a special tour train Tuesday, February 8, journeying to New Orleans, La., and across the southland to Jacksonville, Fla. There the company of approximately 175 boarded buses and drove to Miami, sight-seeing as they did in New Orleans, Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Daytona Beach and Palm Beach.  
They went aboard a steamship at Miami and sailed for Havana, where they spent two nights and one day. Upon returning to Miami, they again boarded buses and returned to Jacksonville through central Florida, noting southland cattle, agriculture and sight-seeing at Clewiston, Cypress Gardens, Orlando and Silver Springs.  
At Silver Springs, an Indian shrine, the Storjohanns viewed through the bottom of a glass-bottom boat many varieties of fish and underwater life. Silver Springs water is noted for its clarity.  
The group aboard the special train came back by way of Chicago to Omaha.

### King's Daughters Hold Family Supper

PAGE—The entertainment took the form of a TV program Tuesday evening when the King's Daughters and their families gathered for the annual family night at the Methodist church parlors. It was a 6:30 o'clock covered dish supper. About 70 attended.  
The program consisted of impersonation of Amos and Andy by Bob and Brenda Bealaert; piano solo by Linda Cronk; "Old Fashioned Revival Hour," led by Mrs. Lisle Mewman; six little girls sang "Happy Wonder"; eight King's Daughters made up an "orchestra," using kitchen utensils as musical instruments. Various groups pinch-hit for the fatuous news, sports and weather newscasters and local advertisers.  
Make Change—  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tibbetts and daughter arrived in O'Neill last Thursday from Council Bluffs, Ia., to spend a week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tibbetts. Dick is employed with the 7-Up Bottling Co., and has recently been transferred from Council Bluffs to Norfolk.

### Save-Trains Group Makes Mail Appeal

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he praised the public's response with increased passenger and express revenues.  
"We realize we're bucking a national trend," Stewart said, "because rails have been losing mail and passengers. But we're in a crisis and we want to keep these last two trains."  
Communities represented were O'Neill, Gordon, Ainsworth, Inman, Neligh, Norfolk, Atkinson, Spencer, Meadow Grove, Chadron, Wood Lake, Rushville, Cody, Stuart, Chambers and Bassett.  
A Black Hills delegation of five was "weathered in" and couldn't make it to Chadron to board the train. Nearly all of the delegates traveled to and from the conference by rail.  
O'Neill delegates, besides Stewart, were Julius D. Cronin, District Judge D. R. Mounts, E. M. Gallagher, James W. Rooney, M. H. Forsythe, Clear C. Golden, L. D. Pussam.  
Others included: District Judge Lyle C. Jackson of Neligh; Ralph J. Kelley and Robert Horner, both of Atkinson; Ira L. Watson of Inman; J. G. Brewster, A. Max Karo and Ira M. Ready, all of Stuart; Edwin Wink and John Walters, both of Chambers; John R. Krotter of Spencer.

### Rock Falls News

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sterns spent Wednesday evening, February 23, at the Lyle Vequist home.  
Mary Jo Curran spent from last Thursday night until Sunday visiting with the Lyle Vequist children.  
The Eagle Creek 4-H club met at Orville Miller's Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Hynes visited at Frank Schultz' Friday evening.  
Alden Breinert, Russell, Lonnie and Phillip visited in O'Neill on Sunday at Theresa Breinert's. In the afternoon the three younger boys attended the matinee at the Royal theater. Leslie stays at his grandmother's and goes to school in O'Neill.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Taylor and children visited at Lou Brown's Saturday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Falter visited at the Orville Miller home last Thursday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. James McNulty, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Curran and Mary Jo and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Miller and Elaine and Micky spent Monday night at the Lyle Vequist home. Mrs. Vequist had conveniently made a large freezer of ice cream.  
Supper guests on Sunday at Floyd Johnson's were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rakes and girls and Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz and girls. Stanley Benson called in the afternoon.  
Stanley Benson arrived home Saturday afternoon after completing his services with Uncle Sam.

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### 300 to 400 Cattle Expected

The managers of the O'Neill Livestock Market are expecting between 300 and 400 head of cattle for the sale here today (Thursday). Already consigned are 35 head of heifers from Eagle creek. These are of excellent quality. Several part loads of 400 to 500 pound steer calves of medium to good quality will also be on the sale.  
In addition there will be the usual mixed consignments of butcher cattle, a few stock cows and small consignments of steer and heifer calves. Joe Stein of O'Neill will sell one registered polled bull. Three good first calf Holstein and Brown Swiss milk heifers will also be sold.  
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### O'Neill Livestock Market

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