# Heiss, Gokie Are Unanimous All-Star Selections

## Eagles Outscore Fee 1,031 to 986

### Baker's Kids Count 11 Wins, 8 Losses

Coach Paul Baker's O'Neill high Eagles have tucked away their scanties for the season, but a survey of the 1953-'54 season is producing some interesting

They racked up 11 wins com-pared to eight defeats; scored 1,031 points to their opponents' 986, which figures 54-52 average per game. The Baker kids won from St. Mary's academy (twice), Creighton, Atkinson high (twice), Burwell, Bassett (twice), Springview, Valentine and Plainview. They were defeated by Ainsworth (three times), Neligh, Bloomfield, St. Joseph's hall, Stuart and Albion.

Larry Chace established an all-time-O'Neill high scoring record wth 445 points, an average of 23.4 per game. He tallied 42 points against Plainview — also an all-time individual hgh. Russell Miner ranked second in scoring with a total of 138 points. Chace's fieldgoal record in-

cluded 155 out of 382 tries. Cage letters have been awarded to Duane Alton, Duane Booth, Larry Chace, Harold Dexter, Dick Gaskill, Eddie Gatz, Russell Miner, Bob Sanders, Warren Se-ger and Darold Strong. Student managers were Fred Fetrow and Eddie Krugman.

Booth has been elected hon-orary cage captain for the just-

The O'Neill high reserves finished the season with five wins and eight losses. Second team rnembers were Larry Conarro, Frank Fetrow, Jim Johnson, Merle Jones, Ivan Kaiser, Donald McKenny, Vernon Passieux, Bob Porter, Richard Shelhamer, Larry Strong, Wayne Strong, Jim Tomlinson, Marvin Young and Robert Young.

During the past three seasons the Eagle varsity has recorded 47 triumphs compared to 17 de-feats under Baker's tutoring.

### Colfax's Birthday to Be Noted-

CHAMBERS-The Winona Rebekah lodge met Friday night, March 12, for a regular meeting. Only a few members and visitors were able to come on account

of the snowstorm. Mrs. G. H. Adams, the only one of the refreshment committee who was able to come, served a lunch. At the next niesting the lodge will observe Schuyler Colfax's birthday anniversary.

### Doctor Bennett Back from Mexico City-

Dr. H. L. Bennett, O'Neill veterinarian, returned Monday evening from a month's visit in the South. Traveling by car, he drove as far as Mexico City and spent a week fishing near Corpus

Christi, Tex. Doctor Bennett spent about a week with his brother, Dr. A. Bennett of Madison, Kans., who is ill, suffering from a heart ail-

### Returns from Omaha-

Mrs. Victor Halva returned Saturday from Omaha where she had visited her daughter, Lydia, and son, Fred. Fred left for Denver, Colo., March 13, where he will be employed. Mrs. Halva also visited friends including Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meduka and Mr. and Mrs. Pelecky.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bright and children Sunday visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hovey, in Stuart.

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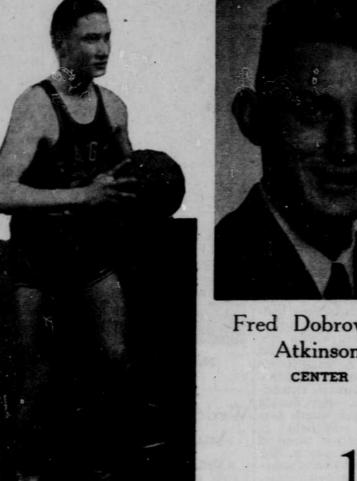
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## All-Holt Basketball Team

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Larry Heiss

Page

FORWARD

Don Kelley

Inman

FORWARD

Fred Dobrovolny Atkinson



Dennis Brewster Stuart GUARD

1953-'54



Gene Adams Chambers GUARD



Don Gokie St. Joe GUARD



Larry Chace, O'Neill



Francis Hand Ewing CENTER

## FORWARD

## The Selections

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Player—School	Pos.	Gr.	Age	Hgt.	Wgt
LARRY HEISS, Page	F	Sr.	16	6'	160
LARRY CHACE, O'Neill			17	5'91/2"	150
DON KELLEY, Inman			16	5' 11"	165
FRED DOBROVOLNY, Atkinson			17	6' 2"	180
WALTER HAND, Ewing		Jr.	17	6' 3"	180
DON GOKIE, St. Joseph's		Sr.	19	5'91/2"	150
DENNIS BREWSTER, Stuart		Sr.	17	5' 10"	160
GENE ADAMS, Chambers		Sr.	16	6'11/2"	165

### Honorable Mention

FORWARDS Clarence Schmit, St. Joseph's; Terry Wanser, St. Mary's; Marvin Carl, Ewing; Kenneth Huston, Atkinson; Walter Ries, St. Joseph's; Gene Libby, Ewing; Harold Dexter, O'Neill.

CENTERS

Richard Shald, Stuart; Gary Small, Atkinson; Richard Graham, St. Mary's; Duane Booth, O'Neill.

You may call it coincidental, or a deliberate geographical twist, were Atkinson and O'Neill callbut The Frontier's all-Holt county high school basketball team for ers on Saturday. They were acthe 1953-'54 season finds players from eight of the county's nine companied home by Juanita prep schools represented. Moreover, no particular school walked Ragland. off with honors, eight of the nine institutions landing one each on Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ragland the eight-member mythical team.

St. Mary's academy (O'Neill) failed to land a single berth. All Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coolidge other schools placed one each, regardless of size and regardless of and Mr. and Mrs. Ed White were the success (or lack of it) in the current season.

choices for berths on this season's dream team-Larry Heiss of Page and Don Gokie of St. Joseph's hall (Atkinson).

old Page senior, accumulated a Hand was given the nod as a er in Atkinson Saturday afterround total of 500 points during center. the season. He fired the Page team to the class D title at Brunswick and staged a whale Coyotes' team, and easily stood-

er in the area."

marked an "X" for St. Joe's durable Mr. Gokie, and most of them offered words of praise. Gokie captained the Bluejays through the 1953 - '54 season, which netted the Holt county championship and district class C laurels. (The Josies lost to Hartington high in the state tourney elimination bid.)

Gokie is a good rebounder, shoots with either hand, ranks as one of the best dribblers in the state and was no slouch in victories were few and far between. Terry Wanser, a junior, picked up several votes; also Duane Weier, center, and Dick Graham, guard. Weier and Graham are seniors.

As usual landing a berth on the all-Holt team is accompanied by newspaper and radio publicity and nothing else.

There'd be few sleepless nights, however, for any prep coach who awakened one day to find this dream crew ready to

the scoring department. Clar-ence Schmit and Walter Ries, go. fellow Jays, also proved popular in the voting.

Larry Chace of O'Neill high, Don Kelley of Imman, Dennis Brewster of Stuart and Fred Dobrovolny of Atkinson high were near-unanimous choices, each lacking only one or two ballots from making it a land

for two or three chilly occasions, ne displayed rare marksmanship Mr. and Mrs. Link Sageser fell from the field, he usually compensated for it at the freethicw lane. Chace benefitted by a lot of feeding and screening but his point production never changed mrs. Sageser.

On that day and in honor of the occasion, a cake baked by Mrs. Vern Sageser and decorated by Mrs. Ralph Rees, was presented to Mrs. Sageser.

Mrs. White served luncheon much and always was good. The Inman Tigers seldom have coffee.

sported a player in the class of Don Kelley. Unfortunately, the ther posts weren't better staffed any coach's dreams come true. In one crucial game this season, Mr. Kelley slammed in 42 points. Chambers, in honor of their The Inman hot-shot showed fine ability and one of two of the ballots predicted bright things families were also present. for Kelley next season. He is a

junior.

Atkinson's Fred Dobrovolny. a long-geared guy with a thatch of curls, was a smooth operator on the hardwood, using his height to advantage. He was pressed in the halloting by Ken mons home Sunday. pressed in the balloting by Ken Huston (the two played the same kind of ball) and also by Company Company (Company) and also by Company (Company) and part of the land. Margie Balli-mons home Sunday.

Mrs. Mamie Sammons is serving on the jury in O'Neill this week. Gary Small, another teammate. hot and then cooled, but Dobrevolny stayed consistent, having
good tourney showings.

To Columbus last Thursday

get some machinery.

Harry White returned home
Friday from West Point where

Dennis Brewster led the Stuart Bronco's scoring attack with a total of 333 points in 24 games —which figures 14 per. He was Stuart's most consistent rebounder off both boards. The man Broncos moved uphill all season, became the surprise team in the class C tourney, and Brewster deserves a big hunk of credit.

Dick Shald, Brewster's teammate, ran strong in the balloting and succeeded in making the voting mighty tough. He caperaged 10 points per game. Shald proved to be a clutch player.

Walter Hand, Ewing's tall boy,

Wr. and Mrs. Ed White and

The Tigers were well-balanced

All of the coaches and officials a berth — St. Mary's academy participating in the balloting had a long, hard season in which marked an "X" for St. Joe's dur- victories were few and far be-

the state and was no slouch in find this dream crew ready to

### Mrs. Sageser Feted on Her Anniversary

AMELIA - The Amelia Progressive club met with Mrs. Julia White Wednesday, March

Mrs. Vern Sageser and Mrs. Chace breezed along at about 25 points per game and, except for two or three chilly occasions

ability. And when he was "coid" on that day and in honor of the

of sandwiches, lemon pie and

## Other Amelia News Mr. and Mrs. B. W because five of 'em would make were guests of honor last Thurs-

Connie Beckwith of Page vis-

Asa and Ronald Watson went The Balers started the season to Columbus last Thursday to

he visited several days in the Mike Philben home.

Miss Mary Lierman of Lincoln spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lier-

Maxine Peterson of Lincoln

spent several days with her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Dunk Peter-Janice Prewitt spent the

weekend with Willamae Madsen, Mrs. Laurence Barnett and Mrs. Ernest Johnston were in tained the Stuart team and av- Grand Island last Thursday and

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and Vivian and Royvan of Page, Sunday dinner guests at Elmer

Mr. and Mrs. George Dunkel

of Page and Don Gokie of St.

Joseph's hall (Atkinson).

The Tigers were well-balanced this season and the race between Hand and Marvin Carl was a tossup. Both are juniors.

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of a performance (32 points) in out. Chambers faced very few the playoff against Elba for the Holt county teams, but coaches home of Mrs. Rosa Harding were final account and discharge, state tourney ticket.

Coach Don DeCosta of Stuart agreed that Mr. Adams could Hartington, Edna Huebert, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson of this court on April 7, 1954, at 10 play on anybody's team. No otherwords He words He words. He wrote: "Heiss, in my opinion, is the outstanding play- even a mention.

Sandy, Mrs. Nita Closson of Eweven a mention. and Mrs. Don Harding.

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was a steady performer, delivering about 12 points per game. Gumb home Sunday. COUNTY COURT OF HOLT ESTATE OF THOMAS J

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