

O'NEILL HIGH SCHOOL ROYALTY at the Basketball Frolics last week in the school gym. Shown here during the coronation ceremony are (left to right, front row) Susan Burney, senior attendant; Connie Brockman, junior attendant; Betty Morrow, sophomore, and Verna Butterfield, freshman. King Jerry Dexter and Queen Sonita Wilson are in the center. Attendants in the back row are Dennis Wells, freshman: Richard Hill, sophomore; Stanley Schmeichel, junior, and Ron Schmeichel, senior.

Rites Held for

At Lincoln

at Lincoln

B. J. Matthews

Funeral services were held

Elizabeth's hospital in Lin-

The services were conducted

by Msgr. H. B. Hart in the

Sacred Heart church at Lincoln.

Burial was in Calvary cemetery

O'Neill April 28, 1903 to James F.

and Kathryn JoAnn Donohoe

Matthews. He grew to manhood

in this community and was mar-

ried to Winifred Murray, also of O'Neill, September 13, 1926.

They made their home here for

sometime but had lived in Lin-

Goods company. He was a mem-

ber of the Sacred Heart Catholic

church, Holy Name Society and

was a fourth degree knight in the Knights of Columbus.

fred; one daughter, Magdalene

Ann Franssen of Lincoln; five

grandchildren; three brothers,

Tom and Leo, both of O'Neill, and

Mike of Denver, and four sisters,

Mrs. Rose Shoemaker of Win-

ner, S. D., Mrs. Faye C. Hill of

Gordon, Mrs. Anna Crilly of

Rapid City, S. D., and Mrs. Al-

bert Williams of Hot Springs, S.

At Atkinson for

Survivors are his wife, Wini-

Bernard Matthews was born in

March 29 for Bernard J. Matt-

hews, 57, who died March 26 at

Services Held At Ewing for Miss J. Napier

were conducted Wednesday in Ewing for Miss Jennie Napier, 78, who died Saturday at Elgin following a short illness.

Dr. William H. Ross officiated at the services in the United Presbyterian church at 10 a.m. Burial was in the Ewing ceme-

Jennie Mitchell Napier was born to Alexander and Alice Napier November 24, 1882. She was preceded in death by her parents and eight brothers and

Surviving are one brother, George of Neligh, and one sister, Mrs. L. D. Clemens of Eugene,

Pallbearers were John Napier, Richard Napier, Melvin Napier, Willard Napier, Dale Napier and Lloyd Napier.

Rites Held for Miss Anna Bauer At Ewing April 4

EWING - Funeral services were held Tuesday morning in Ewing for Miss Anna Bauer, 79, long-time resident of this community, who died Friday morning at the Floyd Lee home where she had spent the winter months. She had been in poor health

for the past year. The funeral rites were held at 10 a.m. in St. Peter's Catholic church. Burial was in St. Peter's cemetery. The rosary was recited Monday at 8 p.m. The Rev. P. F. Burke officiated at the ser-

Sportsmen Discuss **New Lake Sites**

ELGIN - Local residents and sportsmen from the surrounding area met Friday morning with Mel O. Steen, director of the Nebraska Game Commission, to discuss possibilities of a lake site

Sportsmen are trying to promote a lake site on the Sink Hole grounds northeast of Elgin, and also one near the Hall ranch west of Petersburg.

Social Security

Gail H. Robart, field representative of the Norfolk social security office will be in the assembly room of the courthouse at O'Neill from 9:30 a.m. to p.m. Wednesday, Apr. 12.

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Mrs. Tressa Wagner Dies at Holdrege

AMELIA - Mrs. Tressa Wagner, mother of Mrs. Earnie Johnston of Amelia, died suddenly March 28 at a Holdrege hospital. She had broken her leg recently and was receiving hospital care when stricken with a heart

Mrs. Wagner's body was taken to her home at Mackey, Ida., for

Mrs. Johnston had gone to Holdrege to be near her mother and was there at the time of her

Easter Cantata Draws Crowd to Ewing Friday

EWING — A capacity crowd was in attendance for the presentation of "Barabbas," the Easter cantata which was given Friday evening at the United Presbyterian church with other churches participating.

The cantata was under the direction of Mrs. Keith Bid-

dlecome assisted by Mrs. Z. H. Fry, Mrs. Lee Miller and Ina Bennett. In the drama cast were Walter Miller, Mrs. Ralph Shrader, Mrs. Archie Johnston, Roger Bennett, Janet Switzer, Rachel Shrader and Danny Mil-

Vocalists were Mrs. Vearl Tut-Mrs. Dale Napier, Joan Spangler, Marilyn Johnston, Sherry Switzer, Sandra Tellander, Kay Bergstrom, Joan Miller, Mrs. Wayne Fry, Sandra Shra-der, Mrs. T. Hutton, Judy Spangler, Mrs. Wendell Switzer, Mrs. Wilbur Spangler, Glenellen Mc-Daniels, Archie Johnston, Douglas Shrader, Gordon Shrader, Leo Miller, Wendell Switzer, Paul Gunter and G. D. Ryan. Mrs. Wilbur Spangler was organist and Mrs. Wilbur Bennett was

Orchard Man Working In Thailand Hospital

ORCHARD - Duane F. Mabeus of Orchard, who is a medi-cal student at a Presbyterian hospital in Thailand, is pictured in the April publication of Presbyterian Life magazine.

The picture shows Mabeus making his rounds at the hospital. He is in Thailand as a student through the fellowship program sponsored by a United States drug firm which made grants last year to 29 future doctors as part of a three-year program which will enable 90

Stuart Athletes Plan Sports Banquet Apr. 17

STUART - A former Stuart high school coach and now head football coach at Loup City, Cliff Hermance, will be the featured speaker at the annual Athletic Banquet April 17 at the Stuart auditorium.

Since departing from Stuart, Mr. Hermance has also coached in Kansas City, Kans.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and students to go overseas. Services Held

Dave S. Ratliff ATKINSON - Funeral services were held March 28 for Dave S. Ratliff, 73, who died March 26 at his home after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage.

The services were conducted in the Seger Funeral Home with Fred R. Horne and Roy L. Ries, elders of the RLDS church officiating. Burial was in Wood-

> lawn cemetery David S. Ratliff was born January 24, 1888 to William and Florence Harp Ratliff at Douglas. In 1902 the family moved to O'-Neill and David completed his

education at this place. He was married to Mary Ann Dobias October 15, 1916 at Atkinson where they made their home south of town. They also lived a few years in the Dustin community but the past 35 years they resided in Atkinson.

Survivors are his wife, Mary A.; three sons, Neal of Bassett, Willard H. of Norfolk and Richard Dale of Atkinson; five daughters, Mrs. Joe Desieve, Mrs. John Schwindt and Mrs. Don Smith. all of Atkinson, Mrs. Robert Knape of Lincoln and Mrs. Robert Kissinger of Sunnyvale, Calif.; 13 grandchildren, one great grandson and one sister, Mrs. Izetta Woods of Excelsion

Springs, Mo. He was preceded in death by a son. Francis Dean December 25, 1958, an infant son in 1940; two sisters, Mrs. Matt Cleary of Atkinson and Mrs. Henry Murray of O'Neill, and one brother, Fred Ratliff of Salt Lake City, Utah. Pallbearers were William Mc Allister, Clede Trobough, Perry Barnes, Anton Tasler, F. E Seger and Adolph Mlinar.

Morrison Tells Nebraska Needs For the Future

Governor Frank Morrison Tuesday night said Nebraska offered the best industrial climate in the world. Speaking at the annual meeting of the Holt Soil and Water Conservation district and awards banquet, the governor said Nebraskans never need be

apologetic about living here. We have the waters if we can keep them from running away and we have the people if we can

keep them from running away.' A strong believer in flood control dams and irrigation, Morrison cited the Republican river plan as an ideal of getting highly productive lands and ending disastrous flooding at the same

Despite over-production now, the governor added, there are many hungry peoples in the world. The problem is not production but mal-distribution, he explained, and the problem can be solved by resourceful people. "Let's not kid ourselves," he

said, "the winner in the battle of freedom over tyranny and communism will not be determined on the battlefield. It will be which country and system meets the needs of the people." This can be done only when we

and must be done by Holt county and Nebraska people working together in cooperation as a part of a great movement, he said. He closed with a promise to work for the full development of

the Niobrara, Elkhorn and Loup

put together all our resources

River basins. Prior to the governor's speech, awards were made to the following Holt county persons. Sioux City Permanent Agriculture winners: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Focken, Mr. and Mrs. Mark

ry Miksch. Goodyear award, Mr. and Mrs. Milton McKathnie. Conservation photo award, Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Hamilton.

Hendricks and Mr. and Mrs. Hen-

Ten-year award to past district supervisor, Clarence Ernst. A special award was made to Jack McGinn of the David Moore sportsmanship trophy given by the Chicago Tribune charities for McGinn's showing in the Golden Gloves finals in Chicago.

Rites Held for Faye O. Nilson At Atkinson

ATKINSON were conducted March 27 in Atkinson for Faye O. Nilson, 39, an Atkinson construction worker who died March 24 at a hospital in Sterling, Colo., following injuries received in a fall March 1. Mr. Nilson was injured in an accident while working at Sterling. He suffered multiple fractures and internal injuries in a

The services were held at the United Presbyterian church with the Rev. Raymond Kersting officiating. Rites were also held the same day in Blair with the Rev. Samuel Elliston of St. coln the past 20 years where Mr. Matthews had been owner and operator of the Nebraska Church Mary's Episcopal church officiating. Burial was in the Blair

21-foot fall from a steel grain

Faye Oliver Nilson was the son of Clyde O. and Blanche L. Nilson and was born September 29, 1921 on a farm near Phoenix, northeast of Atkinson. He attended school in Atkinson.

He spent three years in World War II and was discharged from service November 6, 1945 after overseas duty.

He was married to Evelyn M. Behrens of Whiting, Ia., September 22, 1947 at Atkinson. The couple resided in Ainsworth, Blair and in Minnesota, moving back to Atkinson October 1, 1960. Surviving him are his wife, Evelyn; two daughters, Margaretta, 7, and Nancy Jo, 3; one son, Michael Kevin, 19 months; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde O. Nilson of Atkinson; two sisters, Mrs. Fred Roberts of Atkinson and Mrs. John W. Nelsen of Der-

Pallbearers were Lloyd M. King, Paul Vogt, Dick Meyer, Marvin H. Asselu, Sidney Peters and Melvin Hemme, all fellow workers with Mr. Nilson and employees of the Rolph Company

Chambers High Volleyball Gals Win 92 Games

CHAMBERS — The volleyball girls at Chambers high school can point with pride to their record as they have not been defeated in 92 games during the past five years.

The sharp-shooting team took the championship at the Holt County Volleyball tournament held recently in O'Neill and are once again the champions of the Sandhill Gateway Conference. First team members are Kay Tracy, Judy Beed, Judy Smith, Betty Hertel, Judy Thomson, Karen Farrier, Danelia Whitaker and Jeanette Klabenes. Coach Duane Carson instructs the girl

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Mrs. Bob Pappenheimer To Speak Friday on Concentration Camp

Mrs. Robert Pappenheimer will speak Friday at 8 p.m. in school district 14 of her experience in a concentration camp in France during World War II.

She was seven and eight years old during her imprisonment. She was born in Germany and when the Nazi occupation began she was deported to France and placed in the concentration camp. As frightening as her exper-

iences were, Mrs. Pappenheimer states that this camp was not as bad as some. There were no gas chambers there although prisoners were taken from her camp to others where they were killed. The public is invited to hear Mrs. Pappenheimer speak. The

schoolhouse is located north on highway 281, 191/2 miles, then west four miles. The building is on the south side of the road.

Gary Fick Receives Scholastic Certificate

INMAN - Gary Fick received a scholastic certificate for his competitive work in American government at the recent Interhigh School contest at Kearney State Teachers college. He also competed in elementary alegbra.

Others participating at the contest and their subjects were: Ruby Scholz, second year algebra and typing; Warren Hansen, world geography; Terry Anthony, English usage; Bernice Colman, bookkeeping; Kathy Fick, book-keeping, and Sharon Michaelis,

Mrs. Ruth Krotter To Teach at Stuart

STUART — Mrs. Ruth Krotter has returned her signed contract to the Stuart board of education. She will teach seventh and eighth grades for one-half day and the kindergarten for one-half day. Mrs. Krotter will also serve as grade school principal.

There is now only one vacancy in the public school. That of band

Senior Play Draws Throng

A large crowd attended the senior class play Monday afternoon and evening in the high school auditorium. "The Campbells Are Coming'

was the title of the play, a farce with hillbilly trimmings, describing the most effective technique for getting rid of an undesirable suitor. Cast members were as follows

Susan Burney as Ma Brannigan; Linda Brooks as Catalpa Tapp; Marion Rosenkrans as Betty Brannigan; Roy Bridge as Dick Brannigan; Leonard Havranek as Bildad Tapp. Nick Hammerlun as Cyrus

ASC Personnel

Hear Report on

Grain Program

ly passed by congress.

asked were answered.

ASC County committee and of-

questions which have been

provides for payments to pro-ducers who divert a specified

producers who cooperated in the

program will be eligible for sup-

port prices on their normal pro-

duction of these two crops this

These producers will also be

eligible for support on other feed

grains (oats, barley and rye)

raised. The diverted acreage can-

not be harvested or pastured, and

it must be in addition to the

average 1959-60 acreage devoted

to soil conserving uses on the

The payments will be in the

form of negotiable certificates for

which producers may receive

grain or a cash equivalent of

grain. Half of the estimated total

payment for a farm will be of-

fered to the producer as soon

as he signifies that he will co-

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operate in the program.

fice personnel attended a district

Scudder; John Harder as Jeff Scudder: Sandra Perry as Kaye Brannigan; Bill Fricke as Kingston Campbell and Consie Anderson as Mrs. Augusta Campbell. Sonita Wilson was student director and Bob Jenkins was stage manager. Prompters were Joyce Krogh and Larry Goedel. Ron Schmeichel was business manager and took charge of the programs. He was sssisted in advertising by Darold Ermer and Dean Larson. Mrs. Charles Smith was in charge of make-up. Us-hers were Sheryll Eisert, Gary Jeffrey and Bill Nelson. Furniture for the play was provided by Midwest Furniture company.

At the close of the matinee, the play members presented a gift to Mrs. Lois Tompkins, who directed the presentation. Following the evening performance the group adjourned to the home of Susan Burney for a party.

Stuart High Wins Scholastic Trophy

STUART — The Inter-High School Scholastic Trophy was won by the Stuart public school March 24 at Chadron State col-

Carmen Givens placed first in clothing and textiles; Karen Weichman placed first in Standard Food Test; Maureen Coufal won third in advanced typing and Larry Addison placed third in

The O'Neill City Council Monday evening voted to again sponsor a sports banquet for athletes from the O'Neill public school and St. Mary's academy. Tenative date for the banquet has been set at April 27.

45 BULLS

served as a barrier to the fire, bringing it to a halt. Receive Word of Death

Of Former Holt Man

FOUR HAYSTACKS WERE DESTROYED in this fire Tuesday afternoon eight miles north and

three east of Atkinson. The fire started when sparks from trees and stumps, bulldozed and burned

by the manager, Garhart Mommsen, were blown by the strong wind and started a blaze, according to

Atkinson Fire Chief Ivan Gilg. Mommsen and his wife helped control the fire until the Atkinson fire-

men arrived. The property is owned by the Chester B. Brown company of Morrill.

DORSEY - Word has been received of the recent death of Watson Huber, who formerly resided in Holt and Boyd counties with his parents.

His brother and sister-in-law, meeting in St. Paul Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Leman Huber, vifind out more about the new feed sited recently in Page and brought word of Watson's death. grain program which was recent-He also informed Page friends While they did not receive that his parents are living in either the average county yields Washington. for corn and grain sorghum, both dryland and irrigated, a number

Bartos to Move To O'Neill Area

The new program in general Stanley Bartos, who has been employed by the Kansas-Nebrasamount of corn and grain sorka Natural Gas Company, Inc. ghum acreage to conserving use. Only corn and grain sorghum at Kimball, has been transferred to the O'Neill area.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartos will move to O'Neill as soon as suitable housing can be found.

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STRONG WINDS HAMPERED firemen when they fought this fire Sunday afternoon at the Neil Ryan property one mile west of O'Neill. Atkinson and Chambers sent trucks to assist in controlling the when the O'Neill trucks became mired in the swampy meadow land nearby. The Elkhorn river O'Neill Guardsmen Slate Game With

Texas Cow Girls

The Texas Cow Girls will meet the O'Neill National Guardsmen Friday evening in a basketball game to be played at the O'Neill high auditorium.

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W. Tuch 32 WF calves

E. Dryak 15 WF calves

C Caufield 20 WF calves

Other mixed consignments from Leiwer, Raff, Volquardsen, Ruzicka, Hansing, Thompson, Drongensen Holan. These are some of the early consignors ten days ahead of sale date. Many more by sale day on the 7th. If you have cattle for sale, bring them to VERDIGRE THIS FRIDAY.

REMEMBER THE BIG BULL SALE ON APRIL 14th Bulls consigned locally from A. Kruse; P. Sukup; B. Sukup; L. Sukup; A. Henderson; L. Moeller; Rudy Julis; F. Dobrichovsky; Other bulls from Columbus, Hartington, Pierce, Tilden, O'Neill consigned to date. If you have bulls for sale or need a replacement, attend this sale. Watch next week's paper for listings.

HOG MARKET A BALL OF FIRE LAST MONDAY ON A RUN CONSIDERABLY LARGER THAN THAT OF ONE YEAR AGO.

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