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## Holt County Farm War News

For increased food production the Food Production Administration will make loans available to farmers through County USDA War Board Officers. Two hundred million dollars or more will be available to farmers for the purpose of expanding their outputs of essential foods. The Holt County USDA War Board is now making arrangements to handle the new credit program. Present employees of the Department of Agriculture will man the new setup.

To date we have unloaded 10,500 bushel of Feed Wheat and have approximately 20,000 bushel more ordered, 4500 bushel of which will be unloaded at Atkinson and 1500 bushel at Ewing.

Harry E. Ressel, Chairman,  
Holt County A. C. A.

## Prices Held Steady At Local Market Monday

With a fair run of hogs and cattle, prices were steady here at the local sale Monday. There were over 500 head of hogs and 200 head of cattle.

The price paid on butcher hogs was from \$14.25 to \$14.40 with an extreme top of \$14.50 being paid on a few. Sows brought from \$13.75 to \$14.00. Little pigs brought up to \$9.25 each.

In the cattle division, steer calves brought up to \$15.45 and heifer calves from \$12.50 to \$14. Yearling steers brought \$12.65 to \$13.45 and yearling heifers from \$11.50 to \$12.50. There was a nice bunch of two year old steers that sold for \$12.95.

There was a good run of cows with canners and cutters bringing from \$6.50 to \$7.50 and beef cows bringing up to \$10.60. Bulls ranged up to \$10.13. There were a few sheep that brought up to \$12.40.

Next Monday, February 1, there will be a special horse sale along with the regular auction, starting at 11:00 o'clock sharp.

## Meeting The Protein Situation

Protein supplement supplies in Holt county continue to be very tight, according to County Agent Lyndle Stout. In most cases animal proteins, such as tankage, meat scrap, etc., are impossible to obtain. The USDA War Board, cooperating with local feed dealers, has been able to secure one carload of soybean oil meal from the Commodity Credit Association. By distributing this in limited amounts through local feed dealers it is hoped to relieve the serious situation temporarily.

As a means of helping to meet the protein shortage, the Extension Service has prepared a detailed list of suggestions for making available protein go farther or making use of protein sources that perhaps have not been utilized up to the present on many farms. Copies of this circular, CC64, are available without charge at the county agent's office in O'Neill.

The statements are arranged for convenient use by those interested in hogs, sheep, beef cattle, milk cows, chickens and turkeys. One suggestion, for example, is to avoid waste on non-producing chickens. All surplus male birds, unthrifty, slow developing pullets and non-laying hens should be removed from the flock and sold.

## Federal Income Tax Instructions No. 3

Every individual is allowed credit against his net income which varies with his domestic status, that is, whether he is (a) a single person, (b) a married person living with husband or wife, or (c) a head of family. This credit is known as personal exemption, and is shown on line 21 of the return Form 1040. The amount of personal exemption also varies depending upon the period during which the taxpayer occupied that particular exemption status.

The personal exemption for a single person is \$500 for the year; for a married person living with husband or wife, \$1200; and for

Joseph C. Grew Warns

## Half-Effort Will Not Defeat Japan

By JOSEPH C. GREW

United States Ambassador to Japan until the outbreak of war, and author of "Report From Tokyo."

(Written for the Treasury Department in connection with the Retailers' "SAY YES" campaign to complete the nation's 100,000,000 partially filled War Stamp albums.)

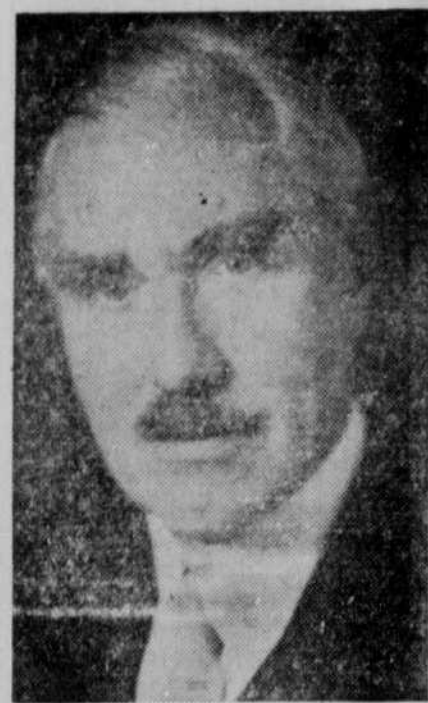
WASHINGTON, D. C.—In describing one of the big air battles over Guadalcanal a recent newspaper account tells of an American flyer who parachuted from his crippled plane to the waters of Lunga Bay. The Navy craft which picked him up next went to the rescue of a Japanese pilot seen struggling in the water nearby. As the rescue boat reached the Japanese flyer he suddenly pulled out his revolver, aimed it at the drenched American pilot and pulled the trigger. The cartridge failed to explode. Then the Japanese officer turned the gun on himself with suicidal intent. Again he pulled the trigger and again his revolver failed him. At this point an American sailor knocked him out with a boat hook and pulled him aboard the American craft a prisoner.

Almost daily one reads eye-witness stories such as this one, and all of them clearly demonstrate that war with our enemy in the Pacific cannot end in compromise.

For ten years I lived in Japan. The truth as I know it from close observation is this: Nothing less than the exertion of our maximum capacities, individually and collectively, in a war of offense will bring our beloved country safely to the longed-for haven of victorious peace.

The Japanese are pawns of a senseless but mighty militarism—

a warrior caste which is ruthless and cruel beyond comprehension. From the flood of eye witness accounts of atrocity and bestiality one



JOSEPH C. GREW

Says It's Fight to Finish

fact shines clear. We must utterly crush that machine and caste and system. If, however, we Americans think that collectively and individu-

ally we can continue to lead our normal lives, leaving the spirit of self-sacrifice to our soldiers and sailors, we shall unquestionably run the risk of a stalemate with Japan. I do not have the slightest doubt of our eventual victory. But I do not wish to see the period of our blood, sweat and tears indefinitely and unnecessarily prolonged. We must not fail to realize that we are up against a powerful fighting machine, a people whose morale cannot be broken even by successive defeats and untold economic hardship, a people who gladly sacrifice their lives for their Emperor and their nation. We must also remember that Japan did not start this war without carefully laid military plans for victory over the United States and a peace dictated by their war lords at the White House.

This is a total war, the only answer to which is a total American victory. It is a war in which half measures of any kind mean incredible waste of material, energy and human life. In this sense a half-filled War Savings Stamp album is symbolic of a half effort. There are, I am told, roughly 100 million partially complete War Stamp albums now in circulation. These uncompleted Stamp albums are, in a measure, like a 100 million threats to a speedy and victorious peace. On the other hand, for every War Savings album completed and cashed in for a Bond, you the owner have helped some soldier or sailor take a forward step on the uphill road to total victory. U. S. Treasury Department

Cardinals game, they led during the entire game which ended when the Cardinals had scored 34 points, the most in one game this season, to 21 for Spalding Academy.

Spalding Academy has a good team this year but the Cardinals seemed to hit their peak and nothing could stop them. Gallagher and Kelly led the winners while Wray and Kelly played the best for the losers.

The second team also came out ahead when the game was over, the score on the scoreboard reading, St. Mary's 24, Spalding Academy 11. The second team also had a great afternoon. Golden with 8 baskets to his credit played a brilliant game, as did Brennan.

## Held Post-Nuptial Shower For Sister

Miss Irene Gilday entertained eight guests at a post-nuptial shower at her home Saturday evening, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Ralph Alton, the former Helen Gilday.

The young couple were married December 26, 1942, at Bassett. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Weller, sister and brother-in-law of the groom.

The bride wore a brown and gold street length dress with brown accessories. The groom wore a blue suit.

Mrs. Alton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Gilday of this city, while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Alton, of Atkinson.

The young couple will make their home in Atkinson.

## Live and Learn Club

On Thursday January 21st Mrs. W. J. Wilkinson and Mrs. John Warner were hostesses to the Live and Learn Project Club at the home of Mrs. Wilkinson.

All members were present but two. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock. The guessing contest was won by Mrs. Gus Rohr.

The lesson on Clothing the Family in War Time was given the Leader, Mrs. Paul Roth.

The next meeting will be held February 18 at the home of Mrs. Gus Rohr, with Mrs. Ed Barrett assisting.

## The Methodist Church

Dawson Park, Minister

January 31, 1943.

10:00 a. m., Church School. H. B. Burch, Supt.

"I used to pray that God would do this or that. Now I pray only that God will make His will known to me."—Mme. Chiang-Kai-Shek.

11:00 a. m., Morning Worship. Anthem. Message: What Christianity Does For Life.

7:00 p. m., Senior Methodist Youth Fellowship. Gene Porter will lead the discussion.

Announcements: Tuesday, February 2, 7:30 p. m., Choir Practice; Wednesday, February 3, 7:30 p. m., Prayer meeting; Week of Dedication, February 28 to March 7th.

Vince Streeter returned Saturday from Norfolk, where he passed his examination for the U. S. Navy. As he is only 16, he will go into the Navy shortly after his 17th birthday, which is February 14.

Mrs. Richard Heet, of Laramie, Wyo., is making an extended visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hill.

## The Frontier's Price And Ration Guide

## RATIONING

SUGAR: Number 10 Coupon, War Ration Book One, valid until January 31, for Three pounds of Sugar.

COFFEE: Number 28 Coupon, War Ration Book One, will be valid for One Pound of Coffee until February 7.

GASOLINE: Number 4 Coupons will be valid January 22. All holders of "B" and "C" Ration Books expiring March 1 may make application for renewal any time after February 1. All Fleet Operators with "B" Books having an expiration date of January 31 should make application for renewal now. Transport and Truck Operators may not receive any Temporary Rations after January 31. Delivery of Gasoline will be made only on coupons obtained with Certificates of War necessity.

TIRE INSPECTION: Holders of "B" "C" and "T" Gasoline Ration Books must have their tire inspections completed by February 28. For Local Boards to issue certificates for tires, tubes or recapping services, commercial vehicles must be inspected and approved by authorized OPA inspector every sixty days or every 5000 miles, whichever is attained first. Holders of "A" Gasoline Ration Books have until March 31.

FUEL OIL: Period 2, One Unit Coupons are valid for Ten Gallons each until January 26; Period 2, Ten Unit Coupons are valid for 100 Gallons each until January 26. Period 3, One Unit Coupons are valid for Eleven Gallons each until February 20; Period 3, Ten Unit Coupons are valid for 110 Gallons each until February 20. Period 4 Coupons will be valid January 31.

FARMERS AND ALL NON QUOTA MEAT SLAUGHTERERS: May not deliver in any three month period more beef, pork, veal or lamb than they delivered in the same period in 1941. Further information obtainable from the State OPA office.

RATION COUPON BAKING goes into operation January 27 but does not apply to the general public.

## PRICES

COAL: Price increases at mines can be immediately passed on to the consumers by the retailer under new revised Maximum Regulation No. 122.

NEW PRICE CEILINGS established at retail on potatoes, onions, poultry, bananas, cheese, butter and fresh citrus fruits are to be based on mark-up formula varying with store volume. General effect will be lower prices on bananas, approximately unchanged on butter and cheese, slight advances on poultry and citrus fruits.

MIXED FEEDS used for poultry and livestock are now under price control at wholesale and retail. By reducing costs to the farmer will lessen pressure against price ceilings on milk, butter, cheese, eggs and meat.

PORK PACKER CEILINGS replaced by uniform pricing to eliminate wide variations in prices for wholesale pork cuts and dressed

hogs without raising prices to consumers. SHELL EGGS purchased solely for hatching purposes are exempted from price control.

Presbyterian Ladies Guild will meet on Thursday, February 4 at the home of Mrs. John Osenbaugh, with Mrs. Clara Miles and Mrs. C. E. Jones assisting.

## ATTENTION FARMERS!

I have leased the Asimus Brothers Cream and Produce Station and will take possession on February 1st. This will be an independent station, owned and operated by myself.

It will be my ambition and policy to pay the highest price possible for cream. We will also buy poultry and eggs and handle feed.

## KURTZ PRODUCE STATION

Phone 211

Give us a call. We guarantee you square treatment and courteous service.

## Infantile Paralysis Benefit Card PARTY...

PITCH PINOCHLE CRIBBAGE BRIDGE

O'Neill High School Auditorium

Eight O'clock P. M.

Sunday, Jan. 31st

PRIZES — REFRESHMENTS

EVERYONE WELCOME

Admission 45c, Tax 5c . . . . . Total 50c



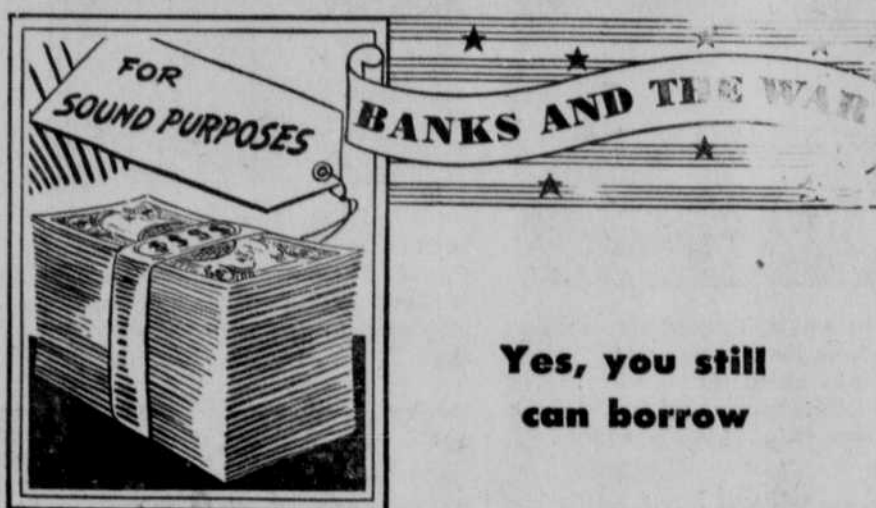
Just means "vital"  
The service we're giving  
Electricity's the basis  
For all modern living.

You need not look far to see just how vital electricity really is — just think for a moment how, in your own home, electricity serves you in practically every phase of your every day life . . . in food processing and preservation, meal preparation, cleaning, washing and ironing, lighting, and many other ways . . . even supplying your entertainment. So it is in industry, on the farm and in America's vast war production. . . . electricity is on the job twenty-four hours a day, performing hundreds of tasks quickly, easily and economically.



Another in a series of ads depicting consumers from A to Z.

BUY U. S. WAR BONDS  
AT LEAST 10%  
EVERY PAYDAY



Yes, you still  
can borrow

IN WAR as well as peace, people need money to meet special conditions. While borrowing for non-essential purposes is discouraged by the government, the various loan regulations recognize that people will always need funds for certain sound reasons. If you want a loan, see us. If your purpose is one for which loans may still be made, we will welcome your application. It costs nothing to get the facts, and this is the place to get them.

## O'NEILL NATIONAL BANK

O'NEILL, NEBRASKA

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