

Boyd Fair Set Today At Spencer

The 18th annual Boyd county fair will officially open today at Spencer as it begins its three-day run. Free acts, thrill show, a carnival, band concert, parade, ball games and a dance will highlight the entertainment.

An added attraction, a tractor pulling contest, slated for Saturday afternoon promises to be of unusual interest to farmers according to Robert Krotter, fair secretary.

Today (Thursday) will be entry day with demonstrations and contests being held in the afternoon. A ball game is slated for tonight along with a dress revue and a free square dance later in the evening.

Livestock judging will be held Friday. Free acts will be presented at the ball park at 3 p.m. followed by a horseshoe pitching contest at 4. A band concert and free acts will be presented at the ball park in the evening. Royal United Shows will be on the grounds both Friday and Saturday evenings.

On Saturday all exhibits will be open to the public. A big parade is slated for 1:30 p.m. followed at 3 by kid races, horseshoe finals and the tractor pulling contest. In the evening Bob Smith's spectacular auto daredevils and motorcycle maniacs will present a thrill show followed by the presentation of the woman of the year.

A dance will be held at 10 p.m. at the Spencer Community Hall.

Eagle Hustlers Win Honors at Newport Show

The Eagle Hustlers 4-H club of Page earned honors as Top Club at the Sandhills National Stock show held at Newport last week. Winners from the O'Neill area included Leonard Butterfield, Inman, champion dairy animal; Seal Luebecke, Page, dairy showmanship champion; Jim Melcher, Page, reserve champion here; Jim and Tom Melcher, Page, best pair of breeding heifers; Bonnie Garwood, Atkinson, reserve champion Angus; Jim Melcher, Page, champion here; baby beef; Bonnie Heiss, Page, champion shorthorn baby beef; Jim Melcher, Page, champion baby beef steer; Eagle Hustlers 4-H, best group of three.

Becky Beelaert won first in the beef showmanship division.

Jim Melcher was the winner of the \$50 savings bond.

Uncle of Gil Poese Dies While Visiting Here

William H. Franke, 57, Concordia, Mo., died of a heart attack August 28 in St. Anthony's Hospital.

Mr. Franke and his wife had been visiting in the home of their nephew, Gil Poese, when William became ill and taken to the hospital.

Funeral services will be held in Concordia, Mo.

Page Community Slates Monday As Free Day

Page will hold Free Community Day Monday, Sept. 3. The days events begin at 11:30 with a luncheon. A free dance beginning at 9:30 will end the days activities.

Free Day is sponsored by the Page Commercial and Community club and Improvement club.

Rites Pending for Henry Clausen

Henry (Heine) Clausen, 75, died Wednesday in the University hospital at Omaha. Mr. Clausen had been a lifelong resident of Atkinson. He had been hospitalized since June 21.

Survivors include three brothers, William, O'Neill, Rudolph, Atkinson, and Otto, Artesia, Calif.; one sister, Mary Lewis, Atkinson.

Funeral arrangements are pending.

Lynch Woman Dies Wednesday In Atkinson

LYNCH—Barbara Rihaneck, 84, Lynch, died Wednesday afternoon at the Atkinson Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held August 25 in the Lynch B.V.M. Catholic church, with burial in the Rihaneck cemetery near Monowi.

Barbara Drobný was born in Czechoslovakia September 24, 1877. She came to America with her parents at the age of five and one half years. Her parents homesteaded near Sparta where Barbara grew to womanhood.

She was united in marriage to John Rihaneck October 17, 1898, at Niobrara. They moved to Monowi where they established a homestead, moved to Lynch in 1941.

To this union five children were born, Joseph, Minnie, Lydia, Alfred and Thomas.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John, in 1954, one daughter, Minnie, and one son, Joseph.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Lydia Reagan, Santa Monica, Calif.; sons, Alfred, Red Owl, S. D., and Thomas, Omaha; seven grandchildren and one brother, Anton Drobný, Sparta.



George Wettlaufer, Page, was recently elected Area B Commander at the state convention at Lincoln. George has held positions in the legion the past few years including district adj., vice commander and commander for two years. He was also county commander for two years and post commander for three. Mr. Wettlaufer is married and the father of two children.

Atkinson Man Hurt In Fall from Haystack

L. E. Axtell, Atkinson, was seriously injured Wednesday when he fell from a haystack while stacking hay 23 miles north of Atkinson. He was taken to the Atkinson hospital.



AT A SAFETY MEETING held Wednesday at the REA office in O'Neill, employees of the Niobrara Valley Electric Membership Corporation received training in mouth to mouth resuscitation from Harry Wiseman, job training and safety director. A life-like plastic doll named "Rescue Annie" is used in teaching this method of artificial respiration to be used in case of electric shock or drowning. Shown here are REA employees, Jim Larson, Ron Clark, Gerald Schmaderer, Darrell Dexter, Ed Boyle, Al Carson, Larry Tomlinson, Dwayne Philbrick and Harold Humrick as they take part in the lesson.

Chamber of Commerce To Meet September 10

O'Neill Chamber of Commerce will not hold their regular meeting September 3 because of Labor Day.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 10.

Timmermans Funeral Services Held Saturday

STUART — Funeral services were held Saturday for Mrs. Frances Timmermans, 73, at 10:30 a.m. in St. Boniface Catholic church in Stuart. Father Paschang officiated. Burial was in the Stuart cemetery. Pallbearers were Leon Schaaf, Donald Schaaf, Charles Deermier, Leo Weichman, Lawrence Hamik and Don Hanna.

Frances Timmermans was born May 13, 1889, the daughter of Michael and Anna Marie Brau, in Pinzing, Germany. She came to this country in May, 1906, at the age of 17 and made her home with her uncle, the late John Brau, Stuart, January 27, 1914, she married Joseph Timmermans at Stuart. In September of the same year they moved to a farm five miles northwest of Valentine, where they made their home until April 1945, when her husband was killed in a tractor accident on their farm.

After the death of her husband she moved to Stuart where she made her home until her death. She had been in failing health since she had a leg amputated in 1954.

Frances Timmermans died Wednesday evening, August 22 in the Atkinson Memorial hospital. She is survived by her son, Patrick, and seven grandchildren.

665 Register Wednesday At Public School

O'Neill Public school held registration Wednesday beginning at 9 a.m. A total of 665 registered. Four hundred and sixty-four registered in grades kindergarten through eighth. Ninety-seven registered for kindergarten. Two hundred and one registered for high school courses.

Architects Report Brings Protests from Creighton

A storm of protest was raised in Creighton last week following a report in the Frontier of statements made by an architect concerning school buildings of the type being erected in Creighton. The following letter, written by a Creighton school board member to the Frontier, defends their building:

August 27, 1962
The Frontier
O'Neill, Nebraska
Dear Sir:

Your article in the August 23rd issue concerning statements attributed to Kenneth Clark about alleged shortcomings in the Creighton High School now under construction, has caused much resentment in Creighton and vicinity. The statements by Mr. Clark, as applied to the Creighton School, are inaccurate and misleading.

The fact is that we have under construction a very attractive, sound, functional 6-year high school building of over 50,000 square feet, financed by a \$460,000 bond issue which passed on the first try with an 82.5% majority, which is costing \$8.29 1/2¢ per square foot. It is a building which any community would be proud of, and we invite you and any group of O'Neill citizens to come over and inspect it and see for yourselves what we are getting for our money.

In reply to Mr. Clark's criticisms: the building has structural steel throughout, as specified by one of the Midwest's outstanding structural engineers, Mr. Uri Seiden, of Kansas City; it has sufficient window space to satisfy anyone who does not want glass wall school buildings; it has plenty of storage; it has a forced air heating system, proven in

Miss Ramm To Teach Music In Iowa School

Miss Alvora Ramm, Stuart, former vocal music teacher in the O'Neill schools for eight years, has accepted a position as vocal music supervisor in the Independent School of Carter Lake, Ia. Miss Ramm attended an eight-week summer session at the University of South Dakota in Vermillion, where she is working toward her Master of Music degree. She will live in Omaha and also plans to continue her graduate study there this fall.

Former Page Resident Dies In Oregon

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Aug. 15 for Spencer G. Miller at Chimes of the Valley Chapel, Portland, Ore.

He died August 13 at his home due to a heart attack.

Mr. Miller was born at Sanborn Ia., July 2, 1896. He moved to Page with his family at the age of 14. In early manhood he joined the Methodist church. December 20, 1919 he was united in marriage to Mable Lemmerman and to this union one daughter was born. The family moved to Oregon in 1940 and has since resided in that area. Due to his health he recently retired from a farm near Portland.

Survivors include his wife, Mabel, daughter, Fern Clark, Portland, four brothers, Lowell, Gresham, Harold and Leonard, Portland, and Arthur, Chambers, four sisters, Gertrude Giddard, Gresham, Anna Hurst, Earlham, Hazel Stewart, and Cora Gray, both of Page.

State Grants Approval to Use of Rooms at St. Mary's

Floyd Wertz Dies After Long Illness

PAGE — Floyd E. Wertz, 79, Page, died August 25 in St. Anthony's hospital after a long illness. He had been a patient in the hospital since March 14.

Funeral services were Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Biglin's Chapel. The Rev. Glenn Kennicott officiated. Burial was in the Mineola cemetery.

Pallbearers were Gerald Lamason, Harold Blaine, Jesse Kelly, Soren Sorensen, Carl Max and Robert Gray.

Floyd E. Wertz was born near Star, Neb., the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander R. Wertz, early pioneers of Holt County. Mr. Wertz had lived most of his life in Holt County where for many years he was active in the building trade. Many of the houses and barns in the Page and Orchard vicinity were built by him.

He was married to Etta Hart May 1, 1905, in O'Neill. They were the parents of five children. He was preceded in death by one sister, Morna, in March of 1960.

Surviving Mr. Wertz are his widow, Etta; two sons, Vernon, Silver Springs, Mo., and Donald Sedro, Wyo.; three daughters, Althea, Osceola, Ia., Irene, Kennewick, Wash., and Eva, Floral Park, N. Y.; three brothers, Emmett C., O'Neill, Leland E., Minneapolis, Minn., and Arthur B., Boise, Idaho; two sisters, Margaret, O'Neill, and Margaret, Mcelford, Ore., and ten grandchildren.

Atkinson Youth Severely Hurt In Auto Mishap

Ronald Winings, 17, Atkinson, was severely injured Monday night when his car left Highway 11, 15 miles south of here, rolled over a fence into the Charles Peterson pasture. Winings was found early Tuesday by Harold Fullerton after he had lain in the field all night. He was conscious when found.

He had left the Willis Petersen ranch north of Stuart where he worked, in the evening to drive to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Winings, 16 miles south of Atkinson.

The youth was taken by ambulance to the Atkinson Memorial hospital and was flown Tuesday afternoon to an Omaha hospital for treatment. X-rays showed possible vertebra breaks between the shoulders.

Rites Planned Here Today for Mary Dumpert

Mary Dumpert, 86, died August 28 in the Stuart Resthaven.

Funeral services will be held today at 9 a.m. in St. Patrick's church with the Rev. Robert Duffy officiating. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Ed Murray, Ed Flood, John Jansen, Fred Saunto, Andrew Schmidt and Al Fritton.

Mary Dumpert was born April 9, 1876, the daughter of William and Mary Welger, in Muenster, Germany. She married John Dumpert May 23, 1899 in Exeter. They came to Holt County February 22, 1915. Four children were born to the union.

Mrs. Dumpert was preceded in death by two sons and her husband in 1949.

Survivors are one son, Edward, O'Neill and one daughter, Mrs. John (Stella) Wallen, O'Neill; two brothers, Paul Welger, Kimball and Joe Welger, Wilmer, Minn.

Republican Caucus Set For September 11

Notice is given to the qualified electors of Grant precinct, Holt County representing the above named political party that a Caucus will be held in said precinct on the eighth Tuesday preceding the General Election at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 11, at O'Neill public library, for the purpose of nominating candidates for precinct or Township offices, to be voted for at the General Election to be held November 6. All Caucus nominations must be filed with the County Clerk on or before September 22, 1962.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Lowery Held Monday

Mrs. Jessie Lowery, formerly of Emmet, died Friday at the St. George Rest Home in Caldwell, Idaho. Mrs. Lowery was making her home with her son, George, at Parma, Idaho, until a few years ago when she fell and broke her hip. She had been in failing health since and died following a heart attack Friday morning, August 24 at the age of 84 years.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. with burial in Nampa, Idaho.

Jessie Tibbets, oldest daughter of Mary and Newton Tibbets was born at Tecumseh, December 8, 1877. She was married to John Lowery of Chamard, December 11, 1896. To this union were born two children, a son, George, Parma, Idaho, and a daughter, Lucille, Mrs. Merle McKenny, Darby, Mont.

Mrs. Lowery was preceded in death by her husband, John, February 4, 1943.

She is survived by her son, George, and daughter, Lucille, three grandsons, one brother, Bert Tibbets, House, N. Mex., two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Taylor, San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. Gertrude Hoke, House, N. Mex., and a host of nieces and nephews.

Center Union Church Will Have 57th Anniversary

The Center Union church will observe their 57th Anniversary with services September 1 and 2. It will begin with an evening service Saturday at 8 p.m. This will be a Missionary service at which time the Rev. Earl Dix, Butte, a Missionary on furlough from Africa, will show pictures of their work in the Congo.

Sunday services will begin at 10 a.m. with Sunday School. Worship services will be at 11 with the Rev. C. P. Turner bringing the message. The afternoon service will begin at 1:30. Doctor John Benson will bring both the afternoon and evening messages. There will be special music by a quartet from Practical Bible Training School of New York. When they come here, they will have just returned from a two month tour of Europe.

Dziowgo Honored For Efforts In F. A. A.

Edward H. Dziowgo, chief engineer at the O'Neill Vortac station has been awarded a certificate of recognition for outstanding performance and for his efforts in behalf of the Federal Aviation Agency during the past two and one-half years he has spent in O'Neill.

He was presented with the award last weekend by Ben Donahue of the district office at Sioux Falls. Mr. Dziowgo has been employed for the past six years for the F.A.A.

Approval for use of four rooms in the old portion of St. Mary's academy was granted the public school by the state fire marshal's office and an architectural firm last week.

Making the inspections were Jeff Banta, Hastings, deputy state fire marshal, and Edgar Burett, a Hastings architect.

The letter from the deputy fire marshal's office said: "At the request of the school board of the public school system and the citizens' committee we inspected four rooms in the old portion of St. Mary's academy to be used by the public school system for the school year of 1962-63 term."

"The use of said rooms, two rooms on the ground floor and two rooms on the second floor for the fifth and sixth grades, will be approved by this office for the above said term providing that break glass sending stations be provided in the above said portion of building and connected to the existing automatic fire detection system and also an additional fire alarm bell be placed in this said portion."

"If the above corrections are complied with the use of this portion of the building will be approved for this school term only."

Other information concerning the building includes the fact that no rent will be charged by St. Mary's for use of the rooms. A pro-rated share of the expense of operation will be assessed the public school system to help defray the cost of heat, lights and insurance.

Supt. H. L. McCoy this week received a letter from Mid-State architects saying they planned to be able to meet with school officials about September 6.

The Citizens committee recently recommended that the board consult with Mid-State regarding a school plan for O'Neill.

Helen Gokie Attends Music Workshop

Helen Gokie last week attended a music workshop at Boys Town Omaha. Helen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gokie.

She partook in choir under the direction of Dr. Roger Wagner and worked under Monsignor Schmitt, director of music at Boys Town.

A St. Mary's student, Helen heard concerts by Flora Peeters and Anton Heiller, noted European organists. She also had private organ, piano and clarinet instruction while she was there. Helen was the only high school student attending the workshop. The rest were college students.

Sale Dates Claimed

HENRY SPAHN ESTATE SALE — 400 acre stock farm to be sold at auction September 6, located 9 miles south and 1 west of Ewing, Herbert Spahn, executor, William W. Griffin, Attorney. See complete description in this issue of The Frontier.

SEPT. 7 — JOE BEELART CLOSING OUT FARM SALE. 2 west, 1/2 south of Page. 17 Holstein milk cows, 67 hogs, full line of farm equipment. Roy Kirwan, Ed Thorin, Chuck Mahony, auctioneers. Farmers State Bank, Ewing, clerk. See this week's Frontier for complete listing.

SEPT. 18 — JOHN SUMMER CLOSING OUT FARM SALE. 1 1/2 miles north, 3 east of Page. 15 Holstein milk cows, 67 hogs, full line of farm equipment. Roy Kirwan, Ed Thorin, Chuck Mahony, auctioneers. Butte and O'Neill. Watch for complete listing in the Frontier.



WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT WINNERS — Jean Calmer, fourth flight, Constance Miller, second flight, Mary Reynoldson, first flight and Amy Kersenbrock, championship flight are shown here with their trophies following the completion of the tournament Sunday evening. Other winners were: Dorothy Yantzi, runner-up and Chickie Artus, consolation, championship flight; Barbara Hart, runner-up and Marilee Kyster, consolation, first flight, Sheila Wanser, runner-up and Elizabeth Gallagher, consolation; Mary Langemeier, winner, Kay Gakle, runner-up and Betty Dewitt, consolation, third flight, and Benita Cuddy, runner-up and Viona Cuddy, consolation, fourth flight.

THE NEW CREIGHTON HIGH SCHOOL is pictured here as it appears from the southwest corner. The building, according to school board members, is about 35 per cent complete. Included in the building are laboratories, home economics and a gymnasium-auditorium with permanent seating for 1,650 persons.