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SOUTHEAST BREEZES

(Continued from page 1.)
last week the old man came to a tragic end on a railroad track. He had lived for fifty years almost within an arm reach of a railroad station and for half a century had seen the thundering trains go by. At last he was run down by one. The little grey house that had been his home was closed by the authorities early in the summer. The aged occupant being cared for elsewhere. Who knows but out of life's accumulated memories there had stirred the longing for the old fireside, which now being denied him, a gruesome end under an oncoming train was preferable.

THE DAYS OF LONG AGO

Fifty-Five Years Ago

From the Frontier Nov. 20, 1884

Twenty-nine hundred and six votes were polled at the last election in Holt county.
James Early of Beaver Meadows Pa., purchased a fine claim near T. J. Gallagher's, fixed things up for the winter, with his family nicely domiciled, and has gone back to settle up his business, expecting to return in a few weeks.
Our democratic friends received the decisive news of Cleveland's election without great demonstrations, while the republicans smilingly acquiesced and good nature prevailed all around.
The formal opening of the rink Saturday evening last was the occasion of much pleasure to the fun loving people of O'Neill, especially to the "small boy", who was there

in all his glory. At an early hour the skaters began to "roll"—both places—on skates and on heels, and until 10 o'clock the room was a scene of wild enjoyment. What was the most remarkable no bones were broken and all enjoyed themselves hugely.

Fifty Years Ago

The Frontier November 14, 1889

Chas. Pond is digging the cellar for Dave Darr's new house, using the dirt to fill in the front part of the lots and leveling the ground. When completed Mr. Darr will have one of the finest building locations in the city.
Monday was office changing day at the court house. District Court Clerk McBride moved into the County Clerk's room, the County Judge into the room formerly occupied by the District Clerk and the County Clerk into the room made vacant by the County Judge.
Police Judge J. J. King has experienced a very quiet official term so far having entered no cases on his docket and only marrying two couples.
Justice of the Peace Slattery is also complaining of dull times, so everyone were apparently getting along peacefully.

Forty Years Ago

The Frontier, November 16, 1899

Two thousand, five hundred and four votes were cast at the last election in Holt county, the fusionists carrying the county by 450.
O'Neill people were surprised to learn of the death of Samuel Sample of Butte, which occurred at Omaha last week. He was formerly engaged in the banking business in this city.

Thirty Years Ago

The Frontier, November 18, 1909

Henry Grady, sheriff elect, is taking a little training before entering upon the duties of the office next January. Deputy Sheriff Harding having resigned to engage in business, Sheriff Hall appointed Mr. Grady deputy and he is now serving in that capacity.
If a foot of snow on the level with a temperature of 26 degrees below freezing constitutes winter weather, we are certainly having it now. Snow began falling last Friday and continued for four days. It was the heaviest fall of snow in many years, coming so early in the season. The temperature got down to 6 degrees above zero at the lowest point and it still continues de-

cidely frosty. Few were prepared for winter and it is hoped the snow is not here to stay. Although the government weather men say there will be no more warm weather until spring.

Twenty Years Ago

The Frontier, November 13, 1919
O'Neill was snowed in for the first time this fall, Saturday night and Monday, when the snow and sleet storm which prevailed all day Sunday turned to a hard snow with a driving wind Sunday night assuming the proportions of a blizzard. Railroad cuts were filled full of snow and passenger and freight trains on the Northwestern due here Monday morning were snowed in west of Long Pine.
Ray Sours, station agent at Stuart for the Northwestern for several years, is the new agent for the road at this point. The office was checked over to him by Agent Cox, who leaves O'Neill, November 18. is the new agent for the road at this point. The office was checked over to him by Agent Cox, who leaves O'Neill, November 18.

Ten Years Ago

The Frontier, November 14, 1929

A light snow fell over this part of the state last Tuesday, the snow soon disappeared and the weather warmed up considerably Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mullen returned from their wedding trip to points east Wednesday and are now nicely settled in their new home.
Orville Thorson, of O'Neill, won fifth place in the state husking contest held at West Point.
Armistice Day was fittingly observed in O'Neill. A program was given at the K. C. Hall at 10:30 A. M., Rev. Frazell, of Ewing, giving the address.

City Council Proceedings

O'Neill, Nebraska, October 3, 1939.
Council met in regular session. Present, Mayor Coyne, Councilmen, McNally, Lindberg, Phalin, Miles, Uhl.
The meeting was called to order by the mayor.
Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved.
The treasurer's statement for the month of September was read and approved.
Upon motion the following bills were allowed:
On General Fund:
Wm. Lewis \$ 3.35
The Frontier 26.33
Uhl Transfer 4.00
Interstate Power Co. 260.89
Lohaus Motor Co. 15.35
Anderson Co. 1.50
W. J. Sparks 10.80
Galena Lumber Co. 111.51
Dew Drop Inn 1.60
Lowell Johnson 33.00
O'Neill Recreation Center 15.00
Biglin's 3.45
T. A. Quilty 21.60
Stark Bros. Nurseries 100.00
L. O. Johnson 110.00
Chester Calkins 90.00
Charles Richter 75.00
James P. Marron 30.00
C. W. Porter 20.00
G. E. Miles 4.00
Wm. Anderson 25.00
Robert Williams 2.70
H. E. Coyne 23.74

Porters Diamond Station 4.55
Ralph Scofield 16.50
On the Water Fund:
Jesse Scofield \$ 90.00
C. W. Porter 10.00
Interstate Power Co. 193.66
Interstate Mach. & Supply 6.02
N. W. Bell Tel. Co. 3.00
Arbutnot Oil Co. 240.06
Arbutnot Oil Co. 308.70
Neptune Meter Co., 42
Motion by Miles seconded by Lindberg that the City Attorney be instructed to have a list of the delinquent real estate taxes prepared of the City of O'Neill, for the next regular meeting November 1, 1939. Motion carried.

Motion by Phalin, seconded by Lindberg, that the motion of August 14, 1939, to move the fire whistle to the lot on which the old whistle stood, be rescinded. Motion carried.
Motion by McNally, seconded by Lindberg, that the Council move the whistle down to the lot by the new council room. Motion carried.
Upon motion the Council adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor.
C. W. PORTER, City Clerk.

THE NEBRASKA SCENE

By the Lowell Service

Lincoln—Determined to give attention to any alleged abuses which may be disclosed, more than thirty members of the unicameral have stated privately that the scope of the special session of the legislature will be limited to the "furtive \$400,000" revolving fund that was dangled before the old age assistance forces last spring. Legislators delved into the 1937 session laws and studied the act which governs meetings of the law making body.
The governor may call a special session by getting the approval and consent of twenty-nine members. Ten members may express a wish for a session, notify the secretary of state, and have that official transmit their views to the other members. If the number of legislators desiring a special session is increased to 29, the governor must issue the call. At any time before the first Tuesday in December, 29 members may call a meeting to convene the first Tuesday in January. The law provides that all subjects of legislation must be enumerated in the call.
Attorneys have discussed the case of former Governor Sulzer of New York, who issued a call for a special session and designated the business to be considered. The solons impeached the governor. The latter sought to interpose the defense that impeachment proceedings were not authorized in the call. The courts, however, held against Sulzer, who was removed from office.

Senator A. L. Miller declared that 29 of the 43 members might take up any subject they deemed proper. Senator Sam Klaver, an attorney, agreed with Dr. Miller.
Senator Klaver expressed a desire to probe the assistance and relief programs.
"I am convinced," he said, "that favoritism is being shown and that possibly more than the amounts allowed are being used in the counties for administration."
Klaver also investigated the sup-

posed \$400,000 "revolving fund" appropriated by the 1939 legislature to cover any deficiencies that might arise in the assistance fund during the current biennium. Klaver found that Acting Treasurer Havekost had not set the fund up on his books. Havekost declared that the amount was appropriated from the general fund, and that fund is depleted. So there is really no appropriation. Klaver expressed a desire to make the action of the last session more than an "idle jest."

Administrator Felton of the WPA denied that Lincoln county authorities were the victims of discrimination in federal allotments. Mr. Felton wrote a letter to E. U. Kratenstein, chairman of the Lincoln county board, asserting that the state body had dispensed available funds in a fair and equitable manner.
He said state records November 1 showed 42 persons awaiting assignment in the county. He said the figure was 16.6 per cent of the number certified and available compared with 23.01 per cent for the state as a whole.

Of the 15 men awaiting assignment, Felton said, six had but one dependent and eight had nine. The one man with a family lived too far from any operating project, he said.
The Lincoln county board prepared to submit facts to prove its contention.

The return of Senator E. R. Burke from Washington has revived activity in Democratic politics. Senator Burke is engaged in an intensive campaign and plans to visit each county in the state.
Followers of Governor Cochran have been active in securing a candidate to oppose Terry Carpenter for governor. It is stated that pressure has been applied to Keith Neville of North Platte. Mr. Neville several months ago announced that he would not be a candidate. As a result of the importuning of the Cochran workers, Mr. Neville asserted that he "would not stand idly by to see the democratic gubernatorial nomination go by default."

Charles W. Bryan of Lincoln displays indications of interest in both the senatorship and the First district Congressional nomination in regard to the latter position, Mr. Bryan has encountered the "sting of ingratitude." Workers for Governor Cochran listed Mr. Bryan as their third choice for congress, indicating ex-Congressman Henry C. Lackey as first choice and Charles Dafoe of Tecumseh as second choice.
When National Committeeman J. C. Quigley announced that he would stand as a candidate for reelection there was activity in the eastern end of the state. Friends of Anton J. Campbell stated that petitions might be circulated in his behalf.
Fred Mueller of Kearney, who as served four terms in the state legislature, has filed for re-election to the legislature from the Thirty-fourth district.
Boosters of Thomas E. Dewey, brilliant New York district attorney, may schedule an address in Lincoln for their favorite, the date being early in January. Mr. Dewey so far has led in the polls for (Continued on Page 5)

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BUDGET SUMMARY HOLT COUNTY 1940

(First Publication November 16, 1939)

Fund I. GENERAL	
Revenue estimated on a valuation of \$18,000.00 at 3 mills levy for General Fund.	\$54,000.00
1. County Clerk	\$ 5,025.
2. County Treasurer	8,646.
3. Clerck District Court	3,700.
4. County Judge	3,520.
5. Co. Supt. Schools	5,690.
6. Co. Atty, Coroner	2,990.
7. Register of Deeds	2,325.
8. Co. Sheriff	5,900.
9. Co. Assessor	7,500.
10. Co. Surveyor	400.
11. Co. Jail	1,050.
12. Co. Court House	4,300.
13. Supervisors	5,830.
14. Co. Agent	2,400.
15. Elections	6,115.
16. Miscellaneous	5,529.
1. Vital Stat.	\$ 150
2. Pub Pro.	350
3. Insurance	100
4. Juvenile Court	25
5. Courts, Jury	
Witness fees	1500
Feeble Minded	300
6. Insanity Com.	150
7. Comm. Dis.	400
8. Sewing Center	1300
9. Care Insane	500
10. Int. on Warr.	554
11. Other items	100

FUND II. ROAD	
Est. Revenue Gas Tax	\$42,700.00
Est. Expenditures	42,700.00

FUND III. ROAD DRAGGING	
Est. Revenue Gas Tax	3,500.00
Est. Expenditures	3,500.00

FUND IV. COUNTY POOR	
Est. Revenue Inher. tax	500.00
Est. Expenditures	500.00

FUND V. COUNTY FAIR	
Est. Revenue levy	1,800.00
Est. Expenditures	2,100.00
Parl-M	300.00

FUND VI. COYOTE BOUNTY	
Est. Revenue	360.00
Est. Expenditures	360.00

FUND VII. SOLDIERS & SAILORS	
Est. Revenue	540.00
Est. Expenditures	540.00

FUND VIII. BRIDGE	
Est. Revenue Gas	10,500.00
Est. Expenditures	14,100.00
Levy	3,600.00

FUND IX. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF	
Est. Revenue	18,000.00
Est. Expenditures	18,000.00

FUND X. COURT HOUSE BONDS	
Est. Revenue	6,000.00
Est. Expenditures	6,000.00

Total	\$158,720.00	Total	\$158,720.00
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Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on the above Budget will be held by the Holt County Board of Supervisors at their office at the court house in O'Neill, Nebraska, on Monday, December 11, 1939 from 9 o'clock A. M. until 12:00 Noon of the same day.
(SEAL) JOHN C. GALLAGHER,
27-3 County Clerk.

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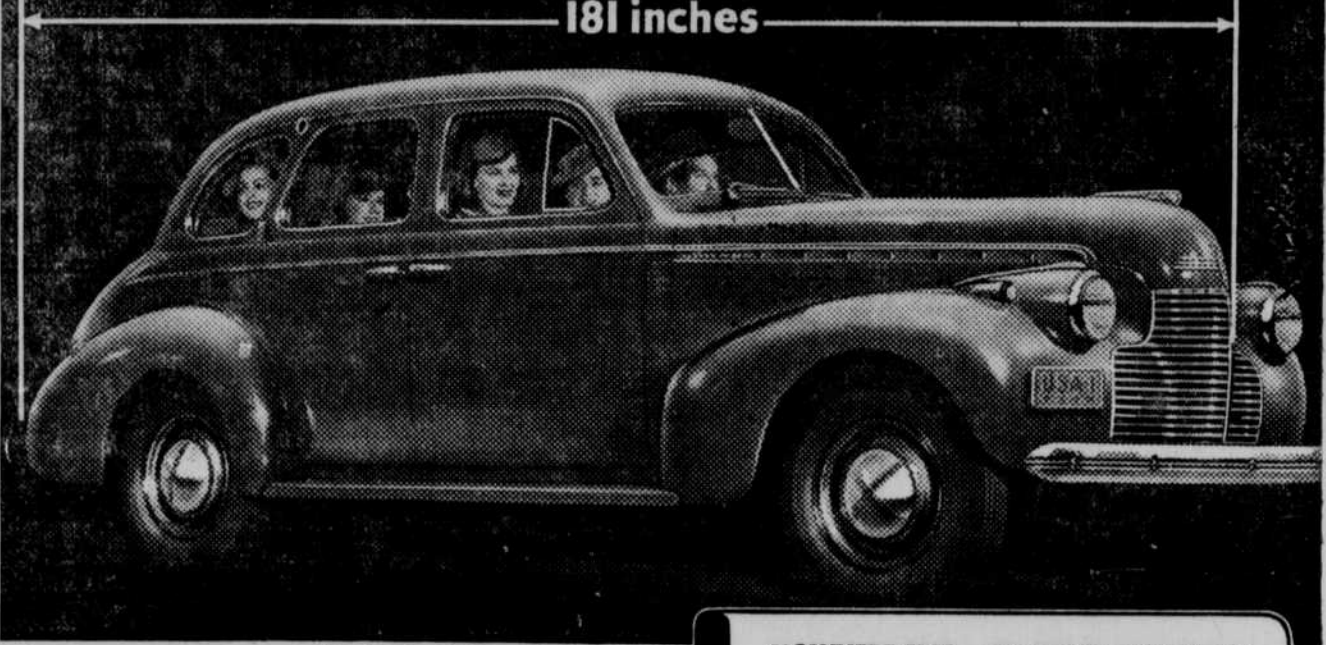
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