

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOLT COUNTY BOARD**

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be approved and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on 1938 Bridge fund in payment of same.

C. H. Johnson ..... \$ 2.00  
J. C. Stein ..... 471.91

The following claims were audited and approved and on motion, were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on 1939 Bridge fund in payment of same.

Continental Oil Co. .... \$ 17.10  
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Will Grutsch ..... 8.00  
Louie Gokie ..... 7.50  
Island Supply Co. .... 104.55  
Floyd Johnson ..... 29.50  
C. H. Johnson ..... 2.00  
Herman Klinger ..... 2.00  
Elmer Krueger ..... 4.00  
Otto Naber ..... 7.50  
Elmer Stearns ..... 24.50  
Bill Siebert ..... 4.00

The following claims were audited and approved and on motion were allowed and warrants drawn on the 1940 Bridge Fund in payment of same.

Atkinson Lbr. Co. .... \$ 4.85  
Arbuthnot Oil Co. .... 2.18  
C. & N. W. Ry. Co. .... 369.00  
Campbell Lbr. Co. .... 6.15  
Continental Oil Co. .... 17.10  
Continental Oil Co. .... 17.10  
Henry Dierks ..... 26.26  
Ernest Eppenbach ..... 4.25  
Frank Howard ..... 5.00  
Island Supply Co. .... 23.52  
Rudolph Johnson ..... 2.50  
F. M. Keating & Son ..... 4.65  
Lohaus Motor Co. .... 11.16  
M. C. Meer ..... 31.00  
G. E. Morgan ..... 27.44  
Ed J. Matousek ..... 13.30  
Hugo Mittelstaedt ..... 5.00  
Walter Pranger ..... 2.00  
Louis Siebert ..... 2.50  
W. A. Smith ..... 2.50  
W. A. Smith ..... 4.00  
John Sullivan ..... 10.00  
Wheeler Lbr. Co. .... 105.00  
Wheeler Lbr. Co. .... 1046.00

The following claims were audited and warrants ordered drawn on 1940 General Fund in payment of same.

John A. Carson ..... \$ 56.00  
J. H. Gibson ..... 43.10  
J. H. Gibson ..... 17.40  
M. C. Meer ..... 20.00  
M. C. Meer ..... 20.00  
Ed J. Matousek ..... 58.60  
Ed J. Matousek ..... 17.15  
O'Neill Nat'l. Bank ..... 35.00  
John Sullivan ..... 30.00  
Walter K. Smith ..... 62.00  
W. E. Wulf ..... 32.00

The following claim, on motion, was allowed on the 1939 General Fund:

Dr. W. J. Douglas ..... \$ 7.00

On motion, the following claim was allowed on the 1938 Fair Fund:

Holt Co. Agri. Society ..... \$188.00

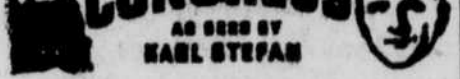
On motion, the following claim was allowed on the 1939 Fair Fund:

Holt Co. Agri. Society ..... \$312.00

Motion by Smith, seconded by Wulf that effective April 1, 1940, County Study Center and Recreation Center be located in the Holt County School Exhibit Hall. Heat furnished by County if necessary. Carried.

5 :00 P. M. on motion, Board adjourned until April 23, 1940, 10:00 A. M. unless called at an earlier date by the clerk.

J. C. STEIN, Chairman.  
JOHN C. GALLAGHER, Clerk



50,000 people crowded the Zoo here in Washington last Sunday, to watch the various animals which are brought here from all over the world. One commentator, after visiting the Zoo, said that "none of the animals were fighting." The fighting among human beings is the first topic of conversation in Washington.

Six big battleships now under construction at a cost of half a billion dollars with more authorized, may have to undergo some changes, because the big Navy men in their navy expansion program did not figure that bombs from war planes could be so destructive. Word from Norway and what our Secretary of the Navy saw during the spring war practice on the Pacific Ocean has started a great stir among the builders of fighting ships. Armor will have to be placed on the decks of many of our ships, and plans will have to be redrafted and there will have to be some reconstruction to protect ships from air attacks. Claims and counter-claims are being made on all sides, but sufficient is already known to indicate that bombing

planes are dangerous to naval craft.

**PLANES WITH ARMOR**

England and France are buying thousands of bombing planes in this country, but they are not buying warships. The reason for that is believed to be that those countries are building ships to meet the new danger from the air. Many changes are also being made in the construction of our new war planes in order to protect them from anti-aircraft weapons. Word from Europe is that planes there are equipped with gasoline tanks which are self-sealing after being penetrated by a bullet, armor to protect the pilot and armor to protect the ship itself. Why American planes have not been equipped with this protective equipment heretofore is not known. That this was no secret during the last war was verified by a statement by a government employee in the Farm Credit Administration, who flew with the American fighting forces in Europe during the last war. This employee has been decorated by three countries, including our own. He shot down enemy planes and he himself has been shot down. He tells of flying a fighting ship for France during the last war, which was equipped with self-sealing gasoline tank, armor for the protection of the pilot and armor for the protection of the plane itself. He even states that some planes twenty to twenty-two years ago were equipped with cannon instead of the low calibre machine guns.

Harry Hopkins and Marvin McIntyre may never again be able to don harness and do real work, according to their friends who say both men are suffering from illnesses from which they may never recover. Hopkins has been in town several times recently but he is not a well man.

Years ago, when Judge Willis G. Sears of Omaha was a Congressman from Nebraska, he gave three ears of corn to Congressman Kerr of North Carolina. Kerr tells colleagues that he planted this Nebraska corn and broke all production records in that southern state.

The federal highway authorization bill for 1942 has been given a rule and will come into the House soon. It has many new provisions, but is lacking Administration approval. Fears are expressed that it may never again see daylight this year. If that happens, the forty-odd state legislatures, which meet biennially to plan their road programs two years in advance, may have to devise new road plans. Many members are watching this bill in an effort to continue the regular method of federal aid road construction. The measure authorizes \$125,000,000 for each of the years 1942 and 1943 and also includes fifty millions for grade crossing elimination, and twenty-five million dollars for farm-to-market roads. It is an authorization bill and not an appropriation bill.

During the last six years, we have sold Japan 8,520,811 tons of scrap iron, a total greater than what we have sold to all other nations combined, including Great Britain, Germany, France, Russia and Italy. This has made possible Japan's huge navy building pro-

gram as well as enabling her to carry on her conquest of China. In 1934 Japan served notice on the United States and Great Britain that the 5-5-3 navy ratio treaty between the three nations would no longer be considered binding upon Japan. Japan's scrap iron purchases from the United States more than trebled during the time following that notice, averaging 1,420,000 tons annually since that time. By selling our scrap iron to Japan, we are depleting our own valuable and necessary resources, and at the same time heaping huge additional tax burdens upon the American people for naval construction in order to meet the competition which our exports of scrap iron to Japan make possible.

**KEEP OUT OF WAR**

Friday, May 10, brought members of the House and Senate to their offices with newspapers in their hands and many were found in groups with anxious faces and many queries. Radio sets in the Capitol building were kept turned on. Members who were here when this country joined the allies in the first world war, told their colleagues that: "It's exactly like it was before the last war." Members sat quietly as a few members took the floor to say that it was time to say "little about the war—to remain calm—to complain to the Secretaries of War or Navy if you have criticisms—and it's time to keep America out of the war and the war out of America." Although propoganda of all kinds has started to work up sentiment in America, the general sentiment up to this hour in Congress is that the war over in Europe is not our war and that we are going to do everything that is humanly possible to stay out. But the President's declaration for peace was discussed seriously. There is a unanimous feeling that Uncle Sam better keep his powder dry and have everything in readiness right now for real defense.

Community Clubs ought to get busy right now and advertise their towns and places of interest, because tourists are going to stay in the United States this year. An inspection at the passport office of the Department of State shows very few people now want passports to leave America. Millions in other countries want to come here but those who are here are going to stay. The millions spent in foreign travel each year will be spent at home this summer.

Several inquiries arrive asking the meaning of "M-Day." It means "Mobilization Day" and it has come to nearly every neutral country in the world including some countries which have remained at peace for over 100 years and now find themselves invaded. The American Industrial-Mobilization Plan is a plan to mobilize every human being in our land. It would temporarily supercede the Constitution "in order to meet the necessities of modern warfare." Leaders here are sincere in their hope that it will not have to be applied here and that we will never be called upon to sacrifice democracy in America, to go to war to preserve the liberties of all the people of the world for fear we may be forced to give up our own liberties. At this hour, leaders here, including the President, feel that the only safe course for America is to

stay out of foreign wars; to build up a national defense adequate to protect us against all contingencies, and let the rest of the world understand that those who would disturb us will get an awful licking. Serious minded statesmen want no "M-Day" in America.

**EDUCATIONAL NOTES**

From County Superintendent

The Annual Holt County Eighth Grade Promotion Exercises will be held in O'Neill, Friday, May 24, 1940. The exercises will begin promptly at 2 P. M. in the new Public School Auditorium. The O'Neill Photo Co. will take the class picture at 1:30 P. M. Bess Gearhart Morrison will be the speaker for the occasion. 235 will receive diplomas at this time.

The next Teachers Examination dates are Saturday, June 1, and Saturday, July 13. They will be given in one place in the county namely, O'Neill.

Please remember that all free high school tuition applications should be filed in this office not later than July 1, each year.

**Scottville Feeder Calf Club**

Scottville Calf Club held its second meeting this year May 11, at the home Edward Krugman.

Dates were set for the other meetings. The problems to be discussed were also made.

All the members were present except one.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Ray Siders, June 1.

A lunch was served after the meeting.

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If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by

JOHNSON DRUGS

**O'Neill Star Calf Club**

The O'Neill Star Calf Club met at the home of Pat Sullivan May 17. M. M. Langan, was elected assistant leader. The members received their 4-H Club books. The president appointed Ray Sullivan to give a one minute demonstration at the next meeting. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mike Langan, June 2.

In Washington the New Dealers are in favor of a third term. Up in the Bronx the Roosevelt boosters want him to run for a thoid toim.

The map of Europe is changing so rapidly that the only satisfactory way to teach geography now is with motion pictures.

It is said that the WPA rat killing campaign in New Orleans cost \$2.97 a rat. It would have been cheaper to buy them off.

**HOLIDAY AT AK-SAR-BEN RACES OMAHA**

**TUESDAY, MAY 28 through JULY 6**  
RAIN OR SHINE

**2PM** Daily except Sunday and Mondays  
New Electric STARTING GATE  
Daily Double — Camera Eye  
LADIES' DAYS and FRIDAY

ADMISSION including GRANDSTAND **55c**

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Rates here compare favorably with those anywhere in the United States—and the average cost to all our residential customers is less than 9 cents a day. Consider all that electric service does for you, and you'll realize how cheap it really is.

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GMC owners report 15% to 40% savings! Mileage Meter Tests PROVE that GMC SUPER-DUTY Engines, with their many exclusive, outstanding advancements, give most miles per gallon—size for size. Here's the truck "buy" of 1940.

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**A. MARCELLUS, O'Neill, Nebraska**

**GMC TRUCKS GASOLINE - DIESEL**

**COUNCIL OAK STORES**  
YOUR FRIEND AT MEALTIME

FRIDAY & SATURDAY MAY 24 & 25, 1940

**SOMETHING DIFFERENT**

That is what it takes to maintain interest at the table. Council Oak's week-end Specials always bring to mind some delightful menu changes that will add to the table enjoyment in your home. Furthermore—  
"COUNCIL OAK IS A SAFE PLACE TO SAVE"

<b>BEEF ROASTS</b> Branded and Gov't Inspected. Pound <b>13c, 16c, 18c</b>	<b>FRESH PORK ROASTS</b> PER POUND <b>15c</b>
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**PORK SPARE RIBS, Pound 10c**  
**FRESH PORK STEAK, Pound 15c**  
**BIG & RING BOLOGNA, Pound 15c**  
**RING LIVER SAUSAGE, Pound 15c**  
**SKINLESS WEINERS, Pound 19c**  
**SUMMER SAUSAGE, Pound 20c**

<b>BEEF HEARTS</b> PER LB. <b>8c</b>	<b>PORK LIVER</b> PER LB. <b>8 1/2c</b>	<b>BOILING BEEF</b> PER LB. <b>9c</b>
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**"REAL GOLD" ORANGE CONCENTRATE**  
Concentrated juice of 12 oranges. Simply add water and serve. The 8-oz. can affords 1 1/2 Quarts of Delicious orange beverage at a trifling cost per glass.  
**8 - OUNCE CAN 13c**

**SWEDISH MINTS POUND 15c**  
**SANDED LEMON DROPS POUND 12 1/2c**  
"DERBY BRAND" No. 1/2 Can, 6c  
**POTTED MEAT No. 1/4 Can 4c**  
Every ingredient used prepared solely for this product... Select meat, well ground and cunningly spiced.  
**"THE BETTER BREAD" Pound Loaf, 7c**  
**NANCY ANN 1 1/2-Pound Loaf 10c**  
The "Date" stamped on every loaf shows it's fresh when purchased. Sandwiches made with Nancy Ann stay fresh longer.

**"PABST-ETT" PKG. 13c**  
The delicious, digestible cheese food. Either plain or Pimento. Ask us how to obtain a Skirt Marker with your purchase of Pabst-ett.

**SUPERB BRAND BOYSENBERRIES No. 2 CAN 19c**  
No finer berry for sauce or Gelatin Dessert. For a special treat make a Superb Boysenberry Short cake.

**POWDERED SUGAR 2-POUND BAG 13c**  
Buy a supply at the special price to carry you through the berry season.

**MORNING LIGHT EARLY JUNE PEAS No. 2 CAN 11c**  
Medium Size Peas. The Morning Light label is an assurance of Peas that are tender and fine flavored.  
"Tropical" Green and Black TALL TUMBLER **13c**

**FRENCH'S CREAM SALAD MUSTARD 9-Ounce JAR 11c**  
Peps up a lazy appetite.

**Black and Tan Assorted SANDWICH COOKIES POUND BAG 10c**  
Dainty assorted Sandwich Cookies. Something especially nice for bridge parties and quick lunches.

**SPRY 3-POUND CAN 45c**  
Make your next white cake with Spry. A pure vegetable all purpose shortening. Best for deep frying.

**RED BAG COFFEE 3-LB. BAG 39c**  
Coffee with a rich, smooth flavor at a popular price. Sold only in the whole berry and ground fresh when sold.  
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**PAPER PICNIC CUPS PACKAGE 8c**  
**BIXBY'S JET OIL PER BOTTLE 10c**  
Children dislike wearing "rusty shoes" to the Picnic. Buy a bottle of Bixby's Jet Oil in black or brown at the special price of 10c.

**LEVER BROS. PRODUCTS SPECIAL FOR THIS SALE**

**LUX Small Package, 9c Large Package 20c**  
**LUX TOILET SOAP CAKE 6c**  
**RINSO Small Package, 8c Large Package, 20c GIANT PKG. 53c**  
**LIFEBUOY SOAP CAKE 6c**

**FRESH PULLED—HOME GROWN RADISHES 4 BUNCHES FOR 5c**  
**ASPARAGUS 2-POUND BUNCHES 13c**  
**GREEN ONIONS 3 FOR 5c**  
**FRESH CUCUMBERS EACH 5c**  
**LETTUCE 2 LARGE HEADS 13c**