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PRAIRIELAND TALK By **ROMAINE SAUNDERS**

LINCOLN — Is it high cost of living or high living that creates the demand for increases in wages and a general boost in prices. The city gent thinks he must shave, put on a fresh laundered shirt and just pressed trousers every morning. The ladies do not wear the same outfit twice in succession and everybody from day laborer to governor is installed in apartments where custodians do all the work. Automobiles clog the streets and highways. Every day and far into the night the giddy whirl of amusements, conventions, propaganda highbinders and club gatherings of one sort or another goes on.

I join the gangs on rare occasions. The last one was a

so-called circus put on by one of those exclusive lodge groups. Our party of 3 adults and 2 children made the first hurdle for \$2.50. That admitted us through the door.

Then we encountered a red-coated and tossed-cap gent of huge bulk who highjacked us out of \$3.75 more for alleged reserved seats, which were merely benches a half-block from the arena. That wasn't all. During an intermission in the program white uniformed girls went through the seated throngs and took a collection supposed to be for some worthy object. This thing had been going on for a week, afternoons and evenings, the afternoon performance having been seen by 20 thousand kids. About that many out at night of dads and mothers.

This particular outfit, very good as such things go, came to town just after the departure of one of the country's swank opera outfits that took

a small fortune out of Nebraska patriots. Minor groups are taking a daily toll. While the merry jig goes on there is little room for complaint about the high cost of living.

Substitute the letter a for the o, drop a letter and out of concert there appears cancer. It is not always that terrible.

Not that it commanded any attention worth mentioning, the busybodies trespassed on Mother's day with another special day — "freedom of religion day" — as though so fundamental a matter were for a day. And that opened what is called liberty week with different features of the American conception of liberty receiving emphasis day by day ending next Sunday when a train pulls in at the Missouri Pacific station in Lincoln in the cars of which will be on display some original documents of historic interest. The idea was conceived in Washington as a means of bringing to the attention of the younger generation some of the background of our republican form of government. Incidentally, it may encourage a better feeling in the matter of setting up adequate military defense of the American way of life.

Republicans of Holt county denounced the "unicam." So far so good. Had I been on the floor there would have been introduced a resolution denouncing the whole primary election setup — that thing whereby any crackpot who can raise the filing fee may become a candidate and now for the first time in Nebraska has made of the office of president of the nation a pawn of barnstormers overrunning the prairies.

The primary may be excusable for the naming of state and county candidates. Now we have the spectacle of men supposedly measuring in mentality, dignity and statesmanship qualifying them for the position of the nation's chief executive descending to the level of the barnstormer and spending a fortune stumping the country. After the primary votes are counted nothing is settled as respecting who will be voted into the job of president. Is the high office of president of the United States now in the class of city ward politicians?



AULD LANG SYNE . . . Cherubic as ever, Winston Churchill shakes hands with Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt as she leaves his home in London after having lunch with him and his wife.

Real Estate Transfers

(Editors note: A glossary of the abbreviations follows: WD — warranty deed; QCD — quit claim deed. The instruments filed at the Holt county courthouse are listed from whom to whom, date, consideration, legal description.)

- WD — Frank O Clyde to Donald L Clyde & wf 5-3-48 \$1 N 1/2 Lots 7-8 Blk 49 McCafferty's Add O'Neill
- WD — Florence A Flanagan to John A Latzel & wf 4-27-48 \$440 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 14-25-10
- WD — Clarence K Wright to Clarence K Wright & wf 5-1-48 \$1 NE 1/4 8- S 1/2 NE 1/4 9-28-10
- WD — Charles W Riehart to Emerson Loseke & wf 12-8-47 \$19,720 SE 1/4 - NE 1/4 SW 1/4 20 SW 1/4 21-SW 1/4 30-25-12; SE 1/4 25-25-13
- WD — Village of Page to Harry T Cullen 11-29-47 \$50 Lots 19-20 Blk 2 Page
- SD — A B Hubbard to H T Cullen 10-30-47 \$60 Lots 16-17-18 Blk 6 Page
- SD — A B Hubbard to H T Cullen 10-30-47 \$950 Lots 1 to 9; 13-14-15 Blk 6 Page
- WD — Myrtle I Sidner et al to Ralph L Van Buren & wf 4-17-48 \$1400- W 1/2 SE 1/4 - NE 1/4 SE 1/4 7- NW 1/4 SW 1/4 8-29-10
- WD — Martha Hanley to John H McCarville 4-13-48 \$1-Lot 1 & E 22 1/2 ft lot 2 Blk 12 O'N
- WD — Merle H Doyle to M B Higgins 3-24-48 \$17,250-SW 1/4 NW 1/4 - N 1/2 SW 1/4 21- NW 1/4 11- N 1/2 NE 1/4 - N 1/2 NW 1/4 10-S 1/2 NE 1/4 11- W 1/2 SW 1/4 - SW 1/4 NW 1/4 12-27-16
- WD — Henry Hookstra et al to M B Higgins 3-18-48 \$92,750 -W 1/2 - SE 1/4 2- E 1/2 - S 1/2 SW 1/4 3 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 4- SE 1/4 8- NE 1/4 - E 1/2 NW 1/4 9- S 1/2 9- S 1/2 NE 1/4 - S 1/2 NW 1/4 10- N 1/2 N E 1/4 11- N 1/2 - SW 1/4 15- N 1/2 N E 1/4 - SE 1/4 NE 1/4 - S 1/2 SW 1/4 - SE 1/4 21- NW 1/4 - W 1/2 SW 1/4 22- N 1/2 NE 1/4 - SE 1/4 NE 1/4 28-27-16
- WD — Alma Drayton to M Carol Drayton & hus 4-29-48 \$5600- NW 1/4 11-27-9
- WD — Bertha Pock to Virgil Pock 5-6-48 \$2000- Part NW 1/4 SW 1/4 33-30-14

Symphony chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its regular meeting Thursday evening.

Regents Scholarship to LuElla Watson—

INMAN — Miss Lu Ella Watson, Inman high school senior, has been notified that she has been awarded a University of Nebraska regents' scholarship for next year as a result of examinations taken several weeks ago.

Miss Watson plans to attend college next Fall, but has not decided on the school in which she will enroll.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Watson.

Country Club Luncheon —

Ladies of the Country club held a luncheon at the M&M cafe on Wednesday, followed by a business meeting and cards. The hostesses for the affair were the board of directors.

Joins Sorority —

Mrs. Ralph Riecky will go to Lincoln this weekend to visit her daughter, Polly Ann, who will be initiated into Chi Omega sorority on Sunday.

Wisconsin Visitor Here —

Mrs. Earl F. Buelow, of Racine, Wis., arrived Saturday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Grenier entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buskirk and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lanman for dinner on Sunday.

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RAIN OR SHINE

Twilight Races each Thursday 3:30 p.m.

Mrs. O. J. Hillestand, of Nas-home of her daughter, Mrs. sau, Minn., left Monday for Palmer Skulborst and famer home after a visit in the ily.

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Thursday, May 13

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PAMELA SUE HAMMERLUN

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