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**LEGAL NOTICE**

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**ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF O'NEILL**  
The following is an estimate of the expenses of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, for the fiscal year commencing the first Tuesday in May, 1947, and ending the first Tuesday in May, 1948:

Wages and Salaries as provided by ordinance	\$ 3,500.00
Maintenance of Police Department	4,500.00
Maintenance of Water Department	1,800.00
Operation of Water Works	5,000.00
Improvement of Water Works	90,000.00
Street Lighting	3,500.00
Maintenance of Sewer System	2,000.00
Improvement of Sewer System	70,000.00
Street Maintenance, Walks, construction	2,000.00
Sewer Bonds, principal and interest	8,000.00
Maintenance of Fire Department	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	5,000.00
Support of Band	500.00
Parks and Grounds	none
Airport	1,500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 180,000.00</b>

Entire receipts of revenue for fiscal year ending the first Tuesday in May, 1947, was as follows:  
Water Collections — \$ 13,382.52  
Holt County Treasurer, taxes — 16,813.75  
Licenses, fees, occupation taxes — 2,190.05  
Police Judge — 12.20  
State Aeronautics Commission — 1,414.04  
Miscellaneous — 12,990.34  
Total — \$ 46,802.90  
Dated June 3, 1947.  
F. J. DISHNER  
Mayor

Attest:  
O. D. FRENCH  
City Clerk (SEAL) 4-7

(First publication June 12, 1947.)  
William W. Griffin, Attorney  
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA

In the Matter of the Estate of )  
MINNIE L. ) NOTICE  
PHILLIPS, ) OF  
Deceased. ) HEARING

The State of Nebraska, To All concerned: Notice is hereby given that Ralph P. Phillips has filed a petition alleging that deceased died June 29, 1941, a resident of Holt County, seized of certain school land leases, numbered 61900 and 63262, with the Department of Public Lands and Funds of the State of Nebraska, covering the Southeast Quarter of Section 36, in Township 31, North, Range 9, West of the 6th P. M. in Holt County, Nebraska, commonly known as school land leases, in which petitioner has derived an interest by inheritance from said decedent, praying for a determination of the time of death, the heirs, degrees of kinship and right of descent of real property, of the deceased, which petition will be for hearing in this Court on July 3rd, 1947, at ten o'clock A. M.

COUNTY COURT SEAL  
LOUIS W. REIMER  
5-7 COUNTY JUDGE.

**NOTICE**

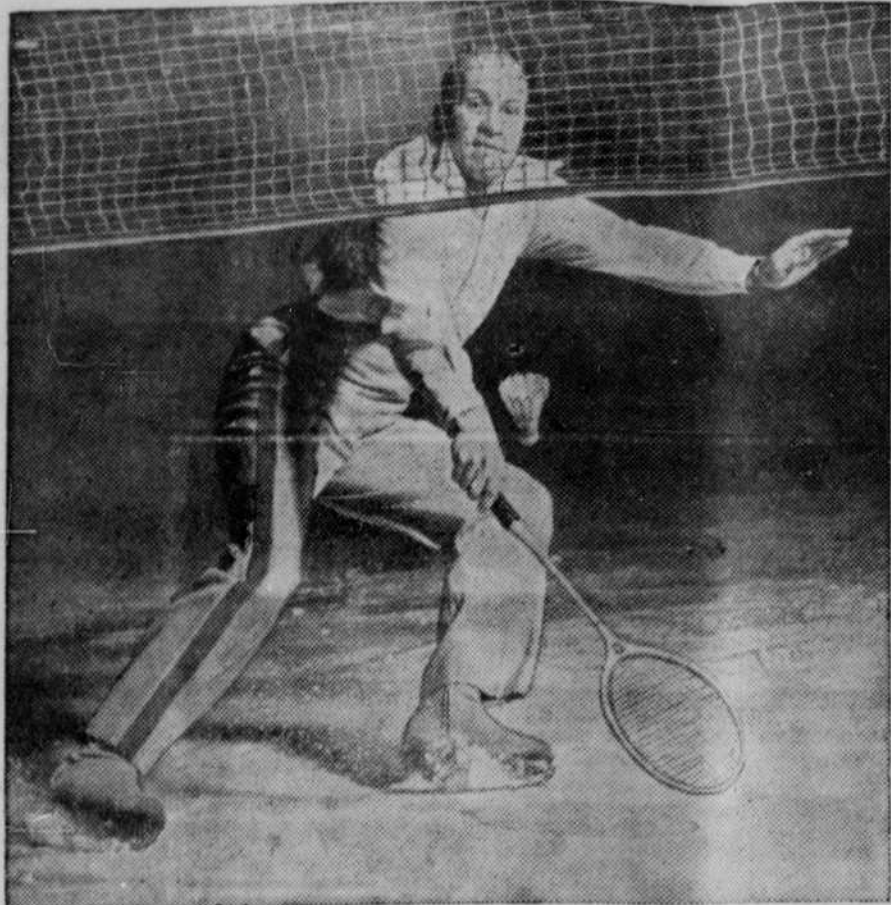
The annual meeting of the Holt County Red Cross Chapter will be held in the assembly room at the court house on Tuesday, June 17, 1947, at 8 p. m. All who have paid dues for 1947 are invited to attend.

SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Sauers entertained at dinner Friday Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells and daughter, Mrs. W. Arnold, and two children, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clauson and J. H. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kersensbrock returned Sunday from Omaha where they spent three days with the latter's sister, Mrs. Harold Connors, and Mr. Connors.

Try FRONTIER want ads!



**HOT STUFF ON ICE**

Stig Larson is aiding Hugh Forgie in plan to sell the public on the idea of badminton on ice. This new idea is one of the most strenuous of sports. The game takes too much skill to ever become

popular for the masses to play. Making shots that call for dazzling speed and almost superhuman effort, the two have been demonstrating the sport throughout the country and drawing big crowds.

**PRAIRIELAND**  
... TALK

By  
ROMAINE  
SAUNDERS

If congress provides appropriations there is heard the complaint of extravagance; if appropriations are denied or materially reduced there goes up the cry of "false economy." It would be interesting to know what share the critics of congress have in providing the federal funds.

Federal aid is the cry from coast-to-coast. Citizens and groups of citizens no longer paddle their own canoe, a heritage from the late lamented New Deal, which sooner or later must come to an end and Americans learn to again stand on their own feet. It would be interesting to learn what these conservation, irrigation, water diversion, dam building projects can do here in Nebraska.

Take a whirl out over the state and the conviction must come that the contribution of "conservation" and irrigation to the state's wealth is a small item nowhere commensurate with the cost. Wipe out the corn, wheat, cattle and hay that comes to maturity without artificial aids and we will starve to death. Eliminate the dribble that artificial aids contribute and it will not be missed.

Fossilized reactionary. Maybe so. But there are some Nebraskans who know the value of life's lessons and are not joining in the grand raid on the federal treasury. Some of us get a small check each month drawn on the United States treasury. The check is paid not out of government funds but out of a trust fund belonging to employer and employee of the nation's industry. And the billions in this fund are not being administered altogether honestly in government hands.

There is something magnificently grand in the story of Donna Mae Fuhrer, the sweet yet heroic spirit in which life's dark challenge has been met, the brave, unflinching faith and the resolute spiritual and mental force that transcends physical infirmity; the devoted work of Miss Hicks and Miss McCullough that goes beyond the call of professional duty; and the warmth of human comradeship and sympathetic heart throbbing pulsating in those letters from strange cities and strange people—symbols of the bond of humanity reaching across the land. Her home lies two miles east of O'Neill; at her age mine was two miles beyond on the open prairie-land in those pioneer days of the beginning of things in Holt county. The pioneers drew strength and courage from the solid sod, and in Donna Mae has been enshrined the emblem of courageous souls.

There probably will have to be considerable replanting in Nebraska's cornbelt. Excessive rains have made of the listed cornfields, long lines row-upon-row of water, a condition already prolonged to effect the high-priced seed of hybrid reposing in the wet bed. Growing grain fields are in a lush green, but there is a limit to the water a wheat field can drink. The grasslands can take it and Nebraska was formed out of the mystery of created worlds, essentially a pasture land. The first enemy to enter was the breaking plow.

Sidewalks monopolized by children on scooters and automobiles taking over the streets, the pedestrian has no assurance of life or limb when he leaves his hide-out.

While in O'Neill Memorial day to place a wreath upon a grave, I heard compliments from visitors from out-of-town for the community because of the well-kept cemeteries. And the abodes of the dead are soon to outnumber those of the living. There were scarcely a dozen graves in the two cemeteries on my first Memorial day visit there in the long ago. "It is appointed unto man once to die." This appointment raised the question in the mind of the patriarch, "If a man die shall he live again?" Another answers, "And many of them that sleep in the dust of the Earth shall awake, some to everlasting life . . ." How about it? I am not a preacher but can join in the plea of the great ancient preacher, "So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom."

A gray streak flashed across the road and up to the top of the tall telephone pole. The squirrel had found refuge from boys throwing clods and a little brown dog that had joined the chase and then, outwitted, sat futilely gazing upwards. The boys withdrew but the dog sat on. The squirrel came cautiously down several times to make the getaway to its nest in a tree and each time was forced by the enemy to scamper back to the top of the pole. As long as it remained on top it was safe. Stay above life's evils and you are safe.

In Sir Walter Scott's charming story, "The Lady of the Lake," Scotland's King James, when accused by the Highland chief of being a coward who only could boast of wearing a "braid of his fair lady's hair," replied, "I thank thee, Roderick, for the word; it nerves my heart, it steels my blade; for I have sworn this braid to stain in the best blood that warms thy vein." It is over just such ridiculous things that wars get started. Personal animosities are rarely if ever the background of military operations.

It is not clear when the title Rev. came into use among the clergy. It is a title applied to Diety in sacred lore, "Holy and reverend is His name." Of the early clergy Peter and Paul introduce themselves as Apostles, James and Jude announce that they are servants of God, while John claimed to be an elder. There is no group among men who have the universal respect shown the clergy and we expect them to be just about right.

Perhaps the graduating class wonders to what purpose is the "commencement address." Whatever its function as an established feature of education the class goes forth to face a none too friendly world well stocked with advice. And may one who has traveled the long trail since youth offer a borrowed word: "Remember thy Creator in the days of thy youth."

A Kenosha, Wis., gent after three unsuccessful attempts to induce his wife to go home, wrecked the tavern where she was hanging out with a ton-truck. Carrie Nation's hatchet wielding brought up to date.

The right-to-work amendment to the state constitution has been given force by a measure just adopted providing fines of \$200 to \$500 for violation of open shop provisions.

The honorable commissioner of U. S. education declares "our young people are wasting millions of hours in school learning nothing." Well, it's costing plenty. Another doctor who is high in school affairs wants a billion dollars a year out of the federal treasury "if we are to do more than play around with a matter of deep national concern." Sure, the federal treasury is the answer to everything. Out of log and sod schoolhouses came the men and women that made America great. Has American education merely become a matter of grand buildings, auditoriums and gymnasiums where youth is "learning nothing?"

Henry Wallace faced multitudes at a few points as he swung across the land on a spellbinder's tour. It was said 16,000 Californians hung on the slopes at Berkeley university campus to hear the former vice president. What is done in California can hardly be considered the drift of American sentiment. Is Mr. Wallace's apparent popularity in Yankeeland, opposed to "foreign entanglements," merely the Yankee curiosity to hear a possible political freak or a near great statesman, or does it indicate another period has arrived for a third political party to arise in majesty and fade in ignominy, as many have before?

Two million walleyed pike fish eggs are being distributed in Nebraska waters. This may result in the development of fishing holes that will draw Ira Moss, Pat Donohoe, Mike Horiskey, et al away from the annual pilgrimage to Minnesota lakes in favor of Nebraska streams.

The coal miners have rejected an offer of \$12.70 a day. Many specially trained men and women get little more than half that sum per day. Mining is fraught with danger. What isn't in this machine, electric, explosive age?

On the state university campus may be seen signs reading something like this: "Would you use new sidewalkers? Then follow the ones we have." That's the high-brow way of saying keep off the grass.

The so-called tax reduction measure the legislature hands Nebraska embodying the "split income" idea is a fine thing for those couples in the higher income class who least need relief from tax burdens.

So you think you have some hard luck. A six-year-old girl down at Falls City can tell a real hard luck story—she has broken a leg for the 15th time.

Japan is being fed and made "democratic" at a cost of \$600,000,000 a year to the United States.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Spry and Mrs. Spry's mother, Mrs. A. L. Stearns, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tenborg in Emmet.

Westminster Fellowship Picnic Forced Inside—The Westminster Fellowship of the Presbyterian church held a picnic Friday in the basement of the church. Adverse weather forced the group to abandon plan for an outside picnic. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rickly, the sponsors, were honor guests.

Norfolkans Here — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calvert, of Norfolk, are visiting Mr. Calvert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Calvert, this week. Another son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Calvert, spent the weekend at the Ray Calvert home.

Bible Class to Picnic—The daily vacation Bible school of the Presbyterian church will hold a picnic Friday.

**AUCTION SALE**

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1947, 2 P. M.

On the Premises

The H. J. Abraham premises, located in Inman, Nebraska, consisting of five-room house, barn, garage and lot on which located, and the house furnishings listed below will be sold at public auction on the premises at the time stated above.

Bed and springs, dining room table and chairs, kitchen table, kitchen cabinet, dressers, buffet, rugs, dishes and cooking utensils, icebox, horse buggy, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms: 25% of sale price of real estate to be paid to Clerk at time of sale, balance in cash on closing on or before July 1, 1947. Abstract will be furnished. Household goods to be paid for in full at time of sale.

**H. J. Abrahams Estate**

CHARLOTTE E. ABRAHAMS, Executrix

**Clearance Sale**

Ends Saturday, June 14th

42 Gauge  
**RAYON HOSE**  
77c  
Limit 2 Pair  
First Quality

All  
**FABRIC GLOVES**  
77c  
Values to 1.69

Ladies  
**BLOUSES & DICKIES**  
\$1.00  
Were Up to 4.50

**Note These Huge Reductions!**

**ALL SPRING HATS . . . . . \$1.00**

**ONE RACK SUITS . . . . . \$10.00**

**ONE TABLE OF ODDS AND ENDS . . . . . 1/2 OFF**

**ENTIRE STOCK SKIRTS . . . . . 1/2 OFF**

**ENTIRE STOCK ROBES . . . . . 1/2 OFF**

One Table  
**WASH DRESSES**  
\$1.98  
Formerly to 2.98

Xtra Special  
One Rack  
**DRESSES**  
\$3.00  
Formerly to 6.95

One Table  
**WASH DRESSES**  
\$2.49  
Formerly to 3.98

**The Apparel Shop**  
O'Neill, Nebr.

**PLAN NOW TO ATTEND NELIGH'S BIG JULY FOURTH Celebration**

**HARNESS RACING**

Fast Trotters and Pacers will perform in this revival of the sport which made Neligh famous early in the 1900's.

**SPEND YOUR FOURTH AT — BEAUTIFUL RIVERSIDE PARK Neligh, Nebraska**

**A Lovely Lawn . . . Free of Ugly Weeds**

Now you can have a beautiful, velvety lawn . . . minus pesky broad-leaved weeds. Dr. Salsbury's Selective WEED-KILL gets rid of lawn invaders like dandelions, plantain, purslane, buckhorn, and chickweed. WEED-KILL destroys these weeds right down to the root tips, without injuring bluegrass!

Dr. Salsbury's Selective WEED-KILL is easy to apply with a hand or power-operated sprayer . . . or use just an ordinary sprinkling can. Dilute the concentrate and follow directions. WEED-KILL is thorough, safe, and economical. One-half pint, diluted, has a spread of 3,200 square feet . . . one gallon, diluted, covers more than an acre!

For Dr. Salsbury's Selective WEED-KILL, See

**O'Neill Hatchery**

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