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City Council Proceedings

O'Neill, Nebraska, April 13, 1936. Council met pursuant to the following call: TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF O'NEILL, NEBRASKA:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a Special Meeting of the City Council of O'Neill, Nebraska, will be held in the Council Chamber of said City on the 13th day of April, A. D., 1936, at 8 p.m., the objects and purpose of which meeting are as follows:

To pass Ordinance No. 166-A, same being Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 164-A.

To pass Ordinance No. 167-A, same being Ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$12,000.00 worth of Refunding Bonds.

To pass and approve or reject the issuance of Wholesale Beer Distributors License to Wm. Gatz, dba as Gatz Bros., and L. M. and Emma Merriman, dba as Merri Beverage Co.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1936. Signed: JOHN KERSENBROCK, Mayor.

Received a copy of this notice this 13th day of April, 1936. Signed: J. P. Protivinsky, Thos. J. Brennan, H. E. Coyne, W. H. Hart, Norbert Uhl, Councilmen.

The meeting was called to order by the Mayor. Ordinance No. 166-A was introduced by Councilman Brennan, and read. Motion by Councilman Uhl, seconded by Councilman Hart, that the rule that this Ordinance be read on three different days be suspended. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye—Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 166-A was read by title. Motion by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Protivinsky, that Ordinance No. 166-A be passed on its first reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye—Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 166-A was read by title. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, that Ordinance No. 166-A be passed on its second reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye—Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 166-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 166-A be passed on its third reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 166-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 166-A be passed on its fourth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was introduced by Councilman Brennan and read. Motion by Councilman Uhl, seconded by Councilman Hart, that the rule that this Ordinance be read on three different days be suspended. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its first reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its second reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its third reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its fourth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its fifth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its sixth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its seventh reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its eighth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its ninth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Ordinance No. 167-A was then read at large. Motion by Councilman Protivinsky, seconded by Councilman Hart, that Ordinance No. 167-A be passed on its tenth reading. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

ky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne. Nay: None.

Motion by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Hart, that the Council vote on the granting of a license for distributors of Beer to W. E. Gatz dba as Gatz Bros. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne. Nay: None.

The following resolution was introduced by Councilman Protivinsky and read:

RESOLUTION Whereas, W. E. Gatz, dba Gatz Bros., has secured from the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission, a Beer Distributors License, and whereas, they have paid the City Clerk of O'Neill, Nebraska, the occupation tax required by Ordinance of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, Therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of O'Neill, Nebraska, that W. E. Gatz, dba Gatz Bros., be and they hereby are granted a license for Beer Distributors within the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, and be it further resolved that the Mayor and City Clerk endorse their license as provided by law.

Motion by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Hart, that the above resolution be adopted. Roll was called on the above motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Uhl, Brennan, Hart, Coyne. Nay: None.

Motion by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Hart, that the Council vote on the granting of a license for Distributors of Beer to L. M. Merriman and Emma Merriman, dba Merri Beverage Co. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Uhl, Hart, Coyne. Nay: None.

The following resolution was introduced by Councilman Uhl and read:

RESOLUTION Whereas, L. M. Merriman and Emma Merriman, dba Merri Beverage Co., has secured from the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission, a Beer Distributors License, and whereas, they have paid the City Clerk of O'Neill, Nebraska, the occupation tax required by Ordinance of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, Therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of O'Neill, Nebraska, that L. M. Merriman, dba Merri Beverage Co., be and they hereby are granted a license for Beer Distributors within the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, and be it further resolved that the Mayor and City Clerk endorse their license as provided by law.

Motion was made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Hart, that the above resolution be adopted. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Protivinsky, Brennan, Hart, Uhl, Coyne; Nay, none.

Upon motion the Council adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor.

C. W. Porter, City Clerk. O'Neill, Nebraska, April 15, 1936.

The Council met pursuant to the following call: TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF O'NEILL, NEBRASKA:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a Special Meeting of the City Council will be held in the Council Chambers in said City on the 15th day of April, A. D., 1936, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

The object and purpose of which meeting is to meet with Scott and Scott, Special City Engineers employed by the City to supervise paving on Fourth Street between Douglas and Benton Street and to do and perform all things incident and necessary to paving on Fourth Street between Douglas Street and Benton Street as provided for by Ordinance No. 162-A.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1936. Signed: JOHN KERSENBROCK, Mayor.

Received a copy of this notice this 15th day of April, 1936. Signed: J. P. Protivinsky, W. H. Hart, Norbert Uhl, Levi Yantzie, Thos. J. Brennan, H. E. Coyne.

Present at this meeting: Mayor Kersensbrock; Councilmen, Uhl, Hart, Protivinsky, Brennan, Yantzie, Coyne.

Meeting was called to order by the Mayor. Motion by Councilman Coyne, seconded by Councilman Yantzie, that the City advertise for bids for the construction of paving on Fourth Street, from the north line of Douglas Street to the north line of Benton Street. Bids to be received up to 8 o'clock P. M. of May 5, 1936, and notice to Contractors to be published April 16th, 23rd, and 30th, 1936. Roll was called on this motion and the vote thereon was as follows: Aye: Uhl, Brennan, Protivinsky, Yantzie, Coyne. Nay: None.

Upon motion the Council adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor.

C. W. Porter, City Clerk.

CONGRESS—AS SEEN BY A NEBRASKAN (Continued from page 1.)

Peace Movement with their ceremony in statutory hall.

James C. Norgood, general manager of the Farmers Union creameries of Superior, Aurora, Fremont and Norfolk, is in Washington today talking to Nebraska congressmen.

Mr. Norgood was intensely interested that no processing tax be put on butter fat.

SAVE ON LAWN AND GARDEN SUPPLIES! At Gamble Stores, Hoe, 45c—Rake, 69c—Grass Shears, 19c—Hook, 27c—16" Cut 5-blade Mower, \$6.95—50' Single Braid Garden Hose, \$1.98.

BRIEFLY STATED

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Donohoe drove to Sioux City last Sunday, returning that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kuska visited relatives in Norfolk the latter part of the week.

Monsignor McNamara made a business trip to Omaha last Monday night. He expects to return tonight.

Mrs. Farm Rice, of Royal, came up last Sunday for a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Edwards.

Hitler had two big dirigible flying over the Reich advertising his political campaign. But we don't believe they would be as effective as relief checks.

THE NEBRASKA SCENE

by James R. Lowell Nebraska's 1936 primary election has done more to prove the fallacy of the primary system than all the arguments advanced in the past decade, according to political observers around the state house.

The primary works very well in selecting local officials and state legislators, it is pointed out, but is little more than a lottery system where state and national offices in general are concerned. Old timers who remember the evils that crept into the party convention selection of candidates now declare that the old system gave the voters higher types of candidates to choose from than does the primary system.

Under the primary system which enables anyone who can rake up the filing fee to run for nomination, voters obviously are unable to make a wise choice, based on personal knowledge, from among the dozen or so candidates running for each state office. The result is that primary candidates, with a few exceptions, run on a name rather than qualifications.

Examples of inexperienced youths winning the nomination over better qualified rivals on the strength of a vote-getting name include the success of William Price, Creighton student, in obtaining the democratic nomination for state auditor, and Duane T. Swanson's victory over Hugh Drake for railway commissioner on the republican ticket.

The political soothsayers do not imply that these youths might not turn out to be very able public "servants," but they do contend it is bad governmental procedure to place the party sanction for high state office on politically immature shoulders. Their wings should be tried on shorter flights before soaring to the higher peaks, as it were.

Nebraska editors who participated in the primary poll conducted by the Lowell Newspaper Service didn't attain as high a batting average as they did two years ago.



Invalids gain faster with this marvelous new tonic which helps to build healthy, red blood corpuscles. It is remarkable how much better Pursang makes invalids feel. And not only invalids feel "half sick" because of always, overwork, wrong food or lack of exercise have reduced the iron content of their blood.

PURSANG Physicians and hospitals now often prescribe Pursang as an aid to convalescence. If you are tired or nervous, can't sleep or feel weak, or find it hard to recover from simple illnesses, try Pursang for a week or so. See how much better you feel.

BECKMAN'S DRUG O'NEILL, NEBRASKA

Nine candidates were placed correctly this year and seven were bad bets, altho the contest was exceptionally close where these seven were concerned.

Correct guesses include Simmons (R) for U. S. Senator, Cochran and Griswold for governor, Williams (R) for lieutenant governor, Swanson (D) for secretary of state, Marsh (R) for auditor, Jensen and Bass for treasurer, and Johnson (R) for attorney general.

The editors missed on Carpenter (D) for senator, Jurgensen for lieutenant governor, Burckett for secretary of state, Price for auditor, Hunter for attorney general, and Good and Swanson for the railway commission. A number of editors, however, placed all but one or two of the winners.

At least two-thirds of the legislators elected to the unicameral law-making body next fall will be persons with previous legislative experience, according to all appearances. Friends of the unicameral say, however, that the greater share of the old legislators nominated in the primary are the cream of the two-house crop.

There must be exceptions to prove the rule, of course, and Richard O. Johnson, Lincoln attorney, is given an edge over his democratic rival, Richard Hunter of Omaha, for attorney general. The odds also favor Dr. T. W. Bass republican and former state treasurer, to again fill the finance post. The gubernatorial contest is going to be a hot one, it is generally conceded.

The general belief also persists that the senatorial race is "Much ado about nothing," and that Senator Norris as a petition candidate will keep his present job.

Republicans are gleefully watching the democrats squabble over who shall hold the party reins—a fight which was only mixed up the more by the primary results. Senator Burke, who was successful in winning the national committee man post, much to the chagrin of Stephens-Lawrence, et al., was in turn outraged by Terry Carpenter's successful race for the democratic senatorial nomination.

Burke-Mullens-Quigley & Co. are going to do everything in their power to get Norris to run by petition. Nominee Carpenter is still shuffling the cards. Stephens and Lawrence aren't saying much.

Landon and Roosevelt supporters, respectively, are elated over the preference vote, while Borah henchmen are not so sure they have anything to enthuse over. President Roosevelt, alone on the democratic preferential ballot, received about 135,000 votes, or nearly as many as there were total democratic votes cast.

Senator Borah, alone on the republican ballot, received the vote of only about half the republican ballots cast. Governor Landon's

name was written in on one-fifth as many ballots as were marked for Borah, a fine showing according to Landon boosters.

The third party talk that has been heard at various times and places in Nebraska for several years, has come to the fore again, and a farmer-labor party convention has been scheduled for April 25 at Hastings. The new organization will be a revival of the old populist party which once cut quite a figure in this state, according to Bert W. Harris, of Glenvil, spokesman.

The law requires a new party to have at least 750 registered delegates at its state convention. Some time ago Secretary of State Swanson went to Norfolk where a third party convention had been called. Just 27 persons signed the petition, and Swanson immediately announced that henceforth groups sponsoring organization of new political parties must make a deposit with his office to defray expense of sending a representative to the organization meeting.

Nearly 14,000 old age pensioner's claims had been approved by the state assistance office this week, and the number is expected to climb to 20,000 by early summer. Approximately 18,500 applications have been received to date, and considerable human interest material may be gleaned from these records.

For example, an Adams county man returned his first old age pension check because he found he "could manage without extra aid, while investigation is being made in another section of the state regarding an old age pension beneficiary who since going on the pension list is alleged to have sold a tract of land for \$18,000. The property had no mortgaged indebtedness against it.

A Rockefeller and a Charles Schwab are on the pension list . . . Two York county applicants applied at the court house for their \$200 a month pensions, and were outraged when the county clerk informed them they couldn't expect to get more than \$12.

The parents of a 67-year-old man, who live on a 760-acre farm, refuse to support their son, so he applied for a pension . . . A pensioner got drunk after receiving his first pension check and his

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county officials cut his \$20 monthly pension to \$17.50. A similar amount will be slashed off his permanent pension rate if he gets intoxicated again, officials warned him.

Cupid frequently takes a hand in the affairs of the old folks, the records reveal. Last month the state office was asked to determine whether a 67-year-old man who spent \$2,000 in recent years advertising unsuccessfully for a wife was entitled to an old age pension. A number of wives (prospective) answered the ads but after meeting their "Romeo," they immediately demanded train fare back to where they came from.

A 66-year-old Keith county woman wrote to the state office to ask whether she would lose her pension if she got married. She figured \$20 in the hand would be better than taking a chance of being supported by a husband, but would like to have both.

A Valley county couple on the pension list have been married over 63 years.

One of the most perplexing problems to come before the assistance board involved a 73-year-old man, recommended for \$20 per month pension, whose appetite was so great nobody would board him for less than \$30 per month.

County Attorney Cronin was

looking after legal business in Norfolk Wednesday.

CONFIRMATION SPECIAL May 4 & 5 Twelve 3 1/2 x 5 Nice Easel Photos and One 8x10 Silver Easel with a ENLARGEMENT BLACK AND WHITE all for the low price of \$3.95

Clearance SALE We are offering at surprising prices all goods in our store—formerly the Chapman Style Shop—in order to make room for our New Spring Merchandise, which will arrive shortly. Hats Large Assortment at 25c others \$1.50 up to \$1.50 We Have A Few Silk Dresses left at \$1 Many Other Bargains

20 MORE TELEPHONES CONNECTED HERE That friend or acquaintance whom you have not been able to call by telephone for several months may be among those who have had their telephones reconnected. Many people are getting telephone service! Here's a list of persons for whom we have connected telephones recently in this community: Armours Hatchery Dept. 90 Barnhart Market 144-W Brennan Margaret Mrs r. 115-W Burge Ed r. 221-W Dailey John W r. 65-J Eby Oil Co 114 Gillespie Bennett r. 246-J Griffin Agnes r. 161-W Herre O M r. 138-W Herrick Orlie r. 296-J Honeycutt Jack r. 167-J Kuska Gordon r. 308-W La Clare Beauty Salon 144-J Morrison Richard R r. 192-J Nu Wa Cafe 180 O'Neill Hatchery 162-J Putnam Implement Co 141 Saunders Glenn r. 354-J WNAX station 362 Yantzi & Son 78 Yarnell C B r. 193-J

COUNCIL OAK STORES YOUR FRIEND AT MEALTIME FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 24 AND 25 Ginger Snaps The easy and economical way to meet the family's demand for cookies is to make a liberal purchase of Fresh Baked Ginger Snaps at 9c per pound, which is our special week-end price. Hawaiian Pineapple Try eating a few slices with your breakfast toast. Fine for salad and in the upside down cake. The can we sell regularly at 18c can be had for only 14c during this sale. Edward's "Tenderized" Marshmallows Sale Special, Per Pound 13c Honey Crushed Wheat Bread Crushed wheat and a liberal amount of honey accounts for the delicious flavor of this light, fluffy health bread. Sold only at Council Oak. Evergreen Corn Standard quality cream style corn. For this sale the regular No. 2 can is priced at 2 cans for 15c. Our "Red Bag" Coffee PER POUND 18c, 3-POUND BAG 47c Guaranteed Flour First Prize and Pantry Pride, per bag \$1.49 White Leaf, per bag \$1.64 Soap BLUE BARREL 5 Giant Bars 19c PetroleNE Tobacco VELVET, PRINCE ALBERT, HALF & HALF— 10c