PAGE 2.-THE FRONTIER, O'Neill, Nebr., Thurs., Dec. 18, 1958.

Holt Fair Receives

Nebraska's county fairs will receive an all-time record in revenue from the 1958 thoroughbred horse racing season, Earl Moyer of Madison, chairman of the Nebraska state racing commission, declared this week

A total of \$73,056.15 is being fistributed this week by the racing commission with all 93 counties in

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the state receiving an equal share Each county will receive \$785 .-55. Last year the counties received \$758.90, while in 1956 it was \$730 .-\$785 from Racing 20, in 1955 it was \$723.25 and in 1945 it was \$664.25. 'Thanks to the increased patron-

age at Ak-Sar-Ben and the other Nebraska tracks, the amount distributed to each county is higher," Mr. Moyer stated. As in the past, the bulk of revenue came from the Ak-Sar-Ben

meeting in Omaha, which contributed \$68,730.60 in admission taxes and license fees collected. In addition to the funds receiv-

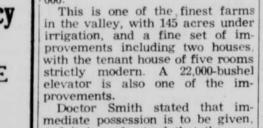
Mrs ed from the racing commission, household sale Saturday and mov-Nebraska's county fairs were also aided during the year by addition- ed into her furnished apartment.

al appropriations, contributed directly by Ak-Sar-Ben, of \$25,000 Butte were Saturday Lynch visfor open class premimums, \$25,- itors. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Davy of 000 for 4-H and FFA premiums Sunshine Bottom were recent visand more than \$37,000 to help the itors at the Bill Halva home. fairs make permanent improve-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frish of Verments on their fairgrounds. digre spent the weekend visiting Thus, the fairs shared in Ak-Mrs. Mary Wade and the Delbert

Sar-Ben's race meet to the extent of approximately \$155,000 this year. 800 - Acre Farm

Brings \$105,000

BURWELL-The report has been Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Lisconfirmed by Dr. E. J. Smith that ka of Niobrara, Mr. and Mrs. Lehis fine 800-acre farm, just over roy Purviance and son, Mr. and the line in Valley county, was Mrs. Joe Halva, and Mr. and Mrs. purchased by Charles (Sam) Cas- Bill Halva attended the Victor sidy, for a consideration of \$105,- Halva funeral held Monday, December 8, at O'Neill. 000



There were no absentees.

drawn for the 1959 capsule friends. home.

ed to Wheaton, Minn., last week where Earl has employment. The Moody twins stayed with their and it is understood that the new owner will use this place to feed grandparents, the Ray Longs, durcattle. The Cassidys have exten- ing the moving. Debbie Havranek spent the De-

cember 6-8 weekend with Mrs. The transaction was handled by Leo Kalkowski. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kube and

family were Saturday Niobrara visitors 'Capsule Friends'

Revealed at Meet and returned Saturday.

meyer Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Sieler, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon DeKay, Mr. and the army in July, 1955. LYNCH-The Excello club met Monday evening, December 8, for Mrs. Junior Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. the annual Christmas party with Dayton Sieler, Mr. and Mrs. Aug-Mrs. Ernest Darnell as hostess, ust Kalkowski, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Courtney and Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Ernest Sixta and Mrs. R. Leonard Havranek enjoyed pro-M. Ducker were program chair- gressive pitch at the Leo Kalkowski home Sunday, December 7. men. Much merriment was pro-Mrs. Merle Sieler and Dayton Sievided in the games they sponsorler received the high scores and ed. Prizes were given to the win-Mrs. Junior Wilson and August The "capsule friends" were re- Kalkowski received the low scores. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stewart visvealed during the exchange of the Christmas gifts. Names were ited Friday at the Frank Mulhair

Mrs. Don Allen was hostess to

the American Legion auxiliary

France Store Under New Ownership

Other Lynch News

Wade homes. They also attended

Sunshine Bottom were recent vis-

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Davy of

the Frish wedding.

urday

the Frank Fisher home. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conrad of O' Neill were Friday Lynch visitors. LYNCH-Mrs. Floyd France ser-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Courtney ved doughnuts and coffee to her and daughter, Sharon, left Thurscustomers Saturday, December 6, day for a three-weeks visit in and turned over her store to the

Compton, Calif., to visit their son, new owners, Mr. and Mrs. Art Richard, and family and in Ore-Retzlaff. The invoicing was done gon to visit the Charles Under-Monday, December 8. Mrs. Glen wood and Albert Streit families. Stewart and Mrs. George Court-Mr. and Mrs. Edward May of ney assisted in the invoicing. Verdel visited Saturday at the

Robert Courtney home. A number of the Catholic parish-

oners came to the rectory Tues-Mr. ond Mrs. Lee Brady, sr., of day evening, December 9, to help O'Neill, were Lynch visitors Sat-Rev. Charles Kamber celebrate his birthday anniversary. The time Julia Hasenplug held a was spent visiting and the ladies

served lunch. Mrs. Frank Cranford visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Podany of

cember 9

visitors.

her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. Mrs. Nita Bjornsen Tuesday, De-Minn., for an indefinite stay.

tioned there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Neilson were Tuesday, December 9, Sioux City leave this weekend for Vacaville

marriage.

ber 6.

Accident Series at **New Intersection**

Puzzles Officials OSMOND-What is the mystery

itors at the Bill Halva home. Frank Halva of Gregory, S.D., of the fatal intersection just east Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Havranek of of here?

U.S. highway 81 crosses U.S. highway 20 at the spot. It has been stationed. The couple has been at the scene of numerous traffic fa- the homes of their parents, Mr. talities despite the fact the area and is wide open and visibility in all and Mrs. Grass, since their weddirections is good.

Following a recent fatality at Mr. and Mrs. France are now the intersection a state trooper living in the former Leonard parked there in plain sight in his December 8. Wheeler residence which they reblack and white patrol car.

cently purchased from Bill Halva. Stop signs plainly indicate High-Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson of way 81 traffic is to stop. Redbird visited Mrs. Willa Schol-

While the patrolman sat there three drivers ran through the Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moody movsigns. Each paid \$10 and costs in court.

It's been speculated in the past that both highways traverse wide open country and drivers are not alert to the possibility of suddenly crossing another busy highway.

Assigned to Artillery Unit in Germany-

Army Sp-4 Bernard C. Howard, Wallace Moffett and Don John- son of Mrs. Elizabeth Howard of son again were business visitors O'Neill, recently was assigned to in Lennox, Ia. They left Thursday | the 26th artillery in Germany. Specialist Howard, a member of

Mrs. Robert Conklin and Jeffery Albert Brand, were Thursday dinner guests a

Family Arrive from Germany

VENUS-Friday, December 5, William Jeffrey and his sister, Mrs. Ruby Brand of Norfolk, and her daughter, Frances, and husband, left by car for New York to meet Mrs. Brand's son, Albert, and family, who are arriving from o'clock in the afternoon.

Germany. Albert has been sta-He was married while there to German girl and they are the the mothers.

parents of a five-months-old boy. **Other Venus News**

Mrs. Fred Faulhaber left with

and Mrs. Hershiser, of Cedar, Mrs. Ralph Brookhouser will

Calif., where she will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Marlin E. Tusha, and family. Mrs. Tusha is the former Donna Brookhouser Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hegge-

meyer moved to their home near Wayne Thursday, December 11. They have been staying at the

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Grass left for Rapid City, S.D., Thursday, December 11, where he will be Mrs. Heggemeyer and Mr.

ding Sunday, December 7. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caskey Work and Fun Club were Sioux City visitors Monday, Hold Christmas Party-

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caskey were Friday evening, December visitors at the Ora Caskey home. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Nelson of Clear Lake, Ia., visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson of Walnut, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sukup and Stanley. Sunday, De- afternoon was spent in playing cember 7, they attended the Hegemeyer-Grass wedding. change

Mr. and Mrs. Larry L. Brookhouser of near Greeley were Sunday, December 7, visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brookhouser

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Caskey were O'Neill visitors Saturday, Decem- spent a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Mrs. William Wellman called on ard Graham of Alma, returned

the artillery's battery B, entered Bryan Finch and Mrs. Ralph last week. She had gone to Alma Brookhouser Monday, December with them after spending Thanksgiving here

Meeting Dates Changed for '59-

DELOIT - St. John's Parish Prospects 4-H club met at the Louis Fink home Monday, Declub met at the Charles Courtney cember 8. All members were pres-

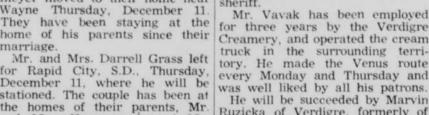
ent, plus one new member. home Tuesday afternoon, Decem-Members talked about record ber 9. Twenty-two members were books and made out the yearly present. Mrs. Hannah Streit was program. It was decided to a visitor. The gift exchange rechange the date of meetings to the vealed the "capsule friends" second Sunday of each month at 2 new names were drawn. The attendance captains for 1959

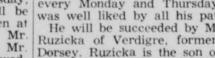
After the meeting was adjourn- will be Mrs. Clarence Kolund and ed, members exchanged Christ- Mrs. Leonard Havranek. mas gifts and lunch was served by each meeting of 1958 was "excel-

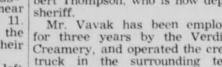
Next meeting will be held at the lent" for the large enrollment. Clarence Schmiser home January president

Vavac Becomes College Band Plans for Tour-**Official Coyote** On Friday, December 12, the Hastings college concert band pre-Hunter in Knox sented its annual fall concert. The

performance before the student VENUS-Marvin Vavak is now body and guests of the college Milford, Sunday visited their parthe official coyote hunter in Knox was in the French memorial chapcounty. He takes the place of Hu- el. bert Thompson, who is now deputy







truck in the surrounding terri tory. He made the Venus route every Monday and Thursday and was well liked by all his patrons He will be succeeded by Marvin Ruzicka of Verdigre, formerly of Dorsey. Ruzicka is the son of Mr.

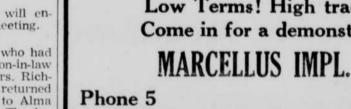
and Mrs. Otto Ruzicka.

VENUS-Work and Fun club held its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Lavonne Hines. Dinner was served at noon by the hostess, each of the members bringing a covered dish. Thirteen members and one visitor, Mrs

Myrtle Wheeler, were present. The games, and grab bag gift ex-

The hostess served coffee at the close of the afternoon.

Mrs. Max Le Masters will en tertain at the January meeting. Mrs. Francis Schoenle, who had



Mrs. Edmund Rohde

LYNCH-The Rural Progressive

59 Club President

Participating in the concert as a member of the 60-piece band was Betty Schultz of O'Neill.

The band members will now start working on music for the annual spring tour which will take the band into three or four states this year.

Club Meets at Stewart Homeand

LYNCH - The Highland club members gathered at the Leslie Stewart home Tuesday, December 9, for 12 o'clock dinner for the The average club attendance for December meeting. "Capsule friends" were revealed and new names were drawn for 1959. Mrs. Mrs. Edmund Rohde is the 1959 Lester Spragg was a visitor.

Sunday Dinner Guest -

Sunday, December 7, dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Switzer were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pronneke and Mr. and Mrs. Les McKibben, all of Norfolk

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ramold of ents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahoney, and Mrs. Ramold.





sive ranching interests in the northern part of the county. **Christmas Dance** Leo F. Clinch of Burwell and J. R. Sullivan of Ord.

Thurs., Dec. 25th

BUTTE LEGION BALLROOM

Eddie Stan and the Style Band

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Adm.: \$1.00



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