

O'NEILL CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
 July 31, 1953
 Council met at special session for the purpose of opening bids for Pavement Districts number seven and eight.
 Present Mayor Davis, Councilmen Johnson, Golden, Stutz and Uhl. Absent Councilmen Crabb and Merriman.
 Meeting was called to order by the Mayor, and bids were ordered opened.
 Bidder: Sullyers Construction Co.—District No. 7, \$31,812.30; District No. 8, \$34,594.10; total, \$66,406.40.
 Bidder: Diamond Engineering Co.—District No. 7, \$31,202.10; District No. 8, \$34,745.96; total, \$65,948.06.
 Bidder: Dugdale Construction Co.—District No. 7, \$31,812.30; District No. 8, \$34,902.67; total, \$66,714.97.
 Bidder: Missouri Valley Const. Co.—District No. 7, \$33,050.00; District No. 8, \$34,902.67; total, \$67,952.67.
 Bidder: Dobson Bros. Const. Co.—District No. 7, \$29,737.20; District No. 8, \$33,171.70; total, \$62,908.90.
 Bidder: Lee & Johnson, Inc., no totals given in bid.
 Motion by Stutz, seconded by Golden, that the Council waive the Certified Check of Missouri Valley Construction Company and that their Security Bond be accepted. Motion carried.
 Motion by Uhl, seconded by Golden, that the Council accept the bid of Dobson Bros. Construction Co. and that the City Clerk be instructed to return certified checks to the unsuccessful bidders. Motion carried.
 Motion by Golden, seconded by Stutz, that the Council authorize and instruct the Mayor and City Clerk to enter into a contract with the Dobson Bros. Construction Company, upon their furnishing sufficient Bond. Roll call vote being taken on the above motion was as follows: Aye, Stutz, Johnson, Golden and Uhl. Nay, none.
 Motion by Uhl, seconded by Johnson that the Mayor and City Clerk be instructed to sign contract with Kirkpatrick - Pettis Company, for the printing of Bonds and legal opinions on said pavement DISTRICTS. Motion carried.
RESOLUTION
 The following resolution was introduced by Councilman Golden and read:
 That in accordance with the Ordinance prevailing that the water rates in the City of O'Neill, for the coming year be set as follows, ten (10) cents per one thousand (1,000) gallons for schools, hospitals, churches, and Parsonages, Libraries. Also that the summer water rates be reduced to fifteen (15) cents per one thousand (1,000) gallons over the minimum monthly rates. That said rates will be in effect in the following sections of town on the following months, All of city east of 4th street for the months of

July, August, September and October. For all of City west of 4th street for the months of June, July, August and September. The above rates will be for residential users only, and for coming year only. The vote on the above motion was as follows: Aye, Uhl, Stutz, Johnson and Golden. Nay, none.
 Upon motion the Council adjourned.
J. E. DAVIS,
 Mayor
O. D. FRENCH,
 City Clerk
 August 5, 1953
 Council met at regular session. Present Mayor Davis, Councilmen Uhl, Golden, Stutz, Johnson and Merriman. Absent, Crabb. Meeting was called to order by the Mayor.
 Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.
 Motion by Stutz, seconded by Johnson, that the following bills be allowed. On the general fund:
 Joe F. Wert 202.00
 Sam Banks 200.00
 Art Holz 192.90
 Lloyd Britnell 142.20
 Collector of Int. Rev. 74.40
 Clerk of District Court 60.00
 The Frontier 48.64
 Donohoe Construction Co. 20.00
 O'Neill Fire Dept. 22.00
 Fred Babutzka 20.00
 Corkle Hatchery 13.65
 R. H. Shriner, Agent 187.38
 Earley Oil Co. 150.74
 Walter Calkins 202.00
 Howard Newton 244.00
 Bob Cook 192.90
 O. D. French 40.00
 Howard's Blacksmith Shop 26.75
 J. M. Seck 326.00
 Interstate Machine & Supply 16.92
 Shelhamer Equip. Co. 121.67
 Smith Motor Co. 3.37
 Lohaus Motor Company 217.63
 Geo. C. Robertson, Agent 49.85
 Coyne Hardware 46.93
 On the water fund:
 Don R. Douglass 284.40
 Dolores Douglass 50.00
 James Davidson & Sons 25.28
 Western Supply Co. 7.94
 Capitol Supply Co. 131.70
 American Gear Company .95
 Capitol Supply Company 3.21
 Coyne Hardware 37.07
 J. M. Thorburn 900.00
 O. D. French 50.00
 Collector of Internal Rev. 33.80
 Contingent Fund 49.45
 Neptune Meter Company 84.59
 N.W. Bell Tele. Co. 13.15
 Railway Express Agency 3.12
 R. H. Shriner, Agent 74.10
 Earley Oil Company 94.60
 On the special sewer fund:
 Kirkpatrick - Pettis Company 135.00
 Warrants registered on the Swimming Pool bond fund, Kirkpatrick-Pettis Company \$400.00. The vote on the above motion was as follows, All Aye. Motion carried.
 Motion by Stutz, seconded by Johnson, that Lloyd Britnell be granted a building permit for a new garage 14x18 to be located on lot 7, block G, Haggerty Addition. Motion carried.
 Motion by Golden, seconded by Johnson that Walter Schmoer be granted a building permit for a new house 24x34 feet on lots 2 and 10, block 44, Riggs Addition. House to have no basement, but to be modern except heat. Motion carried.
 Motion by Golden, seconded by Uhl, that city enter into a contract with Consumers Public Power District, to install ten (10) additional residential street lights and to authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to enter into contract for same, also to include authorization of payment of \$776.23 contribution for same. Motion carried.
 Motion by Golden, seconded by Stutz that City grant to J. B. Ry-

an Hay Company, a permit to install weigh scale 34x12 feet in Public street adjoining front of Lot 16 in Block 28, Original Town of O'Neill, and to pave approaches thereto. Said permit to continue at will of the City. Motion carried.
 Mayor appointed Uhl and Johnson to a Committee on Sewer and Water extensions within the City.
 Motion by Golden, seconded by Merriman, that the above appointment be approved. Motion carried.
 Motion by Golden, seconded by Uhl, that City Engineer James Thorburn notify the Dobson Bros. Construction Co. of Lincoln, that the City request a Water-rite, vacuum type swimming pool filter. The vote on the above motion was as follows: Aye, Uhl, Golden, Stutz, Merriman and Johnson. Nay, none.
ORDINANCE NO. 264A
 Ordinance No. 264A was introduced by Johnson and read for the first time. Motion by Uhl, seconded by Golden, that ordinance No. 264A be passed on its first reading. Roll was called on the above motion and the vote thereon was as follows: All Aye.
 Motion by Stutz, seconded by Johnson, that the rule that this ordinance be read on three different days be suspended. Roll was called on the above motion and the vote was as follows: All Aye.
 Ordinance No. 264A was by title read the second time. Motion by Uhl, seconded by Golden, that Ordinance No. 264A be passed on its second reading. Roll was called on the above motion and the vote was as follows: All Aye.
 Ordinance No. 264A was then read at large. Motion by Johnson, seconded by Stutz, that Ordinance No. 264A be passed on its third reading. Roll was called and the vote was as follows: All Aye.
 Motion by Johnson, and seconded by Golden, that Ordinance 264A be passed and adopted. Roll was called on the above motion and the vote was as follows: All Aye.
AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR A LEVY TO RAISE FUNDS BY TAXATION OF PROPERTY SITUATED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF O'NEILL, NEBRASKA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING THE FIRST TUESDAY IN MAY, 1953, AND ENDING THE FIRST TUESDAY IN MAY, 1954. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF O'NEILL, NEBRASKA:
 Section 1. That the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, make the following levy for taxation for the fiscal year beginning the first Tuesday in May, 1953, and ending the first Tuesday in May, 1954, on the taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska:
 For General Purposes—5.0 mills on the dollar, For Maintenance of Streets—2.00 Mills on the Dollar, For Maintenance and Improvement of City Parks—0.5 Mills on the Dollar, For Municipal Advertising—0.3 Mills on the Dollar, For Maintenance of Fire Department—0.3 Mills on the Dollar, For Maintenance and Improvement of Airport—0.3, For Maintenance of Sewer System—0.3, For Street Lighting—1.5, For Sewer Bonds and Interest—3.0, For Water Bonds and Interest—1.3, For Park Improvement Bonds and Interest—1.3 Mills on the Dollar, For Swimming Pool Bonds and Interest—0.3 Mills on the Dollar.
 Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force and effect from and after passage and publication as provided by law. Passed and approved this 5th day of August, 1953.
J. E. DAVIS
 Mayor
ATTEST:
O. D. FRENCH
 City Clerk
 (SEAL OF THE CITY OF O'NEILL)
 Upon motion the council adjourned.
J. E. DAVIS
 Mayor
O. D. FRENCH
 City Clerk
Page Pastor, Wife, Feted in Farewell
 PAGE—A farewell for Rev. and Mrs. George Francis was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Terrill last Thursday with about 40 present. The evening was spent with games and singing. A no-host luncheon was served. They were presented with a purse by the group.
 Reverend and Mrs. Francis have spent several years in Page where he has been pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church. They are moving to Grand Island. Rev. Harry Johnson will be the new minister. He will deliver his first sermon on Sunday, September 6.

Jaskowski, Golden Again Golf Finalists
 For the 12th year out of 13, A. P. ("Scovie") Jaskowski and M. J. ("Max") Golden will clash in the finals of the annual O'Neill Country club's citywide golf tournament. Golden has captured the crown seven times, Jaskowski four.
 In semifinal play, Jaskowski defeated J. B. Grady, 1-up, and Golden turned down a bid by H. J. Lohaus, 1-up.
Favorites Win Early Rounds
 Most favorites won their matches in first-round play Sunday, August 23. Results:
 Championship flight—Jaskowski eliminated James Clifton of Orchard, 3-2; Grady bested Rev. Richard Parr of Atkinson, 4-3; Lohaus eliminated Jack Everett; Golden turned back J. L. McCarville, jr., 3-2.
 First flight—Gordon Drayton of Orchard bested Al Carroll, 3-1; Lloyd Cork beat R. V. Lucas, 2-1; Dale Kersenbrock downed Dr. H. D. Gildersleeve, 3-2; Laurence Haynes bested O. D. French, 5-4. Second flight—Palmer Skulborstad ousted John Watson, 2-1.
 Third flight—Ivan Kaiser bested William McElstob, 2-1; Bud Cole eliminated Supt. D. E. Nelson, 4-3; Dr. Edward Gleeson rapped Bob Cole, 2-1, and John McCarville hit Herbert Kaiser, 4-3.
 Fourth flight—Wendell Nelson eliminated Dale Ames, 3-4; Vern Reynolds cracked William Artus, 5-4; Cecil Baker hit Don Petersen, 5-4, and Joel Lyman put the skids under Elgin Ray, 4-3.
Parr-Everitt in Consolation Finals
 Father Parr and Everitt will tangle for championship flight consolation honors. During this week, Everitt had eased by J. L. McCarville, jr., 3-2, and Father Parr had turned back Clifton, 1-up.
 First flight—Drayton downed Cork, 5-4, and Haynes beat Kersenbrock, 1-up, to gain first flight finals. In consolation, Lucas beat Al Carroll, 2-1, and Gildersleeve sailed past French, 1-up.
 Second flight—Skulborstad bested Dr. C. M. Eason, 3-2, to gain the finals in the second flight, while Marvin Johnson and Earl Hunt were yet to meet for the other slot. In consolation play, John Conard of Emmet beat John Watson, and Marvin Miller bested Dr. Rex Wilson. It's Conard vs. Miller for consolation honors in the second.
 Third flight—Ivan Kaiser turned back Bud Cole's bid, 3-2, and Doctor Gleeson ousted John McCarville, 1-up. In consolation, William McIntosh defeated D. E. Nelson, and Bob Cole eliminated Herbert Kaiser. It'll be Bob Cole vs. McIntosh for consolation honors.
 Fourth flight—Vern Reynolds ousted Wendell Nelson, 1-up, and Cecil Baker spanked Lyman, 1-up. Baker plays Reynolds for flight laurels. In consolation play, Artus whipped Ames and Don Petersen bested Ray. Artus and Petersen will vie for consolation honors.
 All tourney play will be completed by Sunday, according to Jaskowski, tourney chairman.

Personals
 Mrs. William Beed and Sandy spent the weekend at Neligh visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Beed.
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Janzing, Ronald and Joyce, and Mr. and Mrs. John Pribit spent Sunday in Neligh attending the Antelope county fair.
 Mrs. Lois Hartman and daughter returned home Saturday after spending the summer in Chadron. Rev. and Mrs. Wayne A. Hall are attending the general council of the Assembly of God church in Milwaukee, Wis.
 Mr. and Mrs. Pora Knight and Mrs. Emma Martin were guests Friday at the Walter home.
 Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holly were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Greenwood and family of Bellewood.
 Minna Mae Drake of Oklahoma City, Okla., returned to her home after spending the past week visiting at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Houser.
 George Jugler of Council Bluffs, Ia., and Mrs. Dora Laposky of Cherokee, Ia., returned to their homes Saturday. They were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Martin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Krueger and Miss Lorene Wetzler visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Wetzler of Herrick, S.D., on Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Harold Wetzler and infant son at Burke, S. D.
 Rev. and Mrs. Paul Lucas and family of Big Springs, Kans., were Monday overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lamb. Mrs. Lucas is a daughter of the Lambs.
 George McCarthy helped establish a new council of the Knights of Columbus at Spencer on Monday evening.
 George Jugler of Council Bluffs, Ia., and Mrs. Dora Laposky of Cherokee, Ia., and Mrs. Emma Martin were Friday dinner guests at the Walter Martin home.
 Mrs. Jessie Scofield will leave Friday for Lincoln where Sunday she will attend the graduation of

her daughter, Alice, from Bryon Memorial school of nursing.
 George McCarthy, Delbert Robertson and Bill Moriarity attended the Knights of Columbus state softball tournament at David City Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKenzie returned Sunday from a 12-day vacation. Enroute they visited at the home of Mr. and Mr. Harold Huebert and Kathy of Wichita, Kans.
 Mrs. Lester Perry of Oakland, Calif., left Wednesday after a 10-day visit at the home of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perry, and children.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Thornton and Ronnie and Cheryl arrived Sunday from Duarte, Calif., to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butterfield and other relatives. Mr. Thornton left Monday for Des Moines, Ia., to visit in the home of his brother.
 Larry and Jerry Oetter spent last week visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Julia Oetter of Ewing.
Butterfields in Annual Reunion
 The annual Butterfield family picnic was held Sunday, August 30, at Ford's park in O'Neill. There were 96 friends and relatives in attendance.
 Warren S. Clark of Elmton, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Thornton, Ronnie and Cheryl of Duarte, Calif., came the greatest distance.
 Henry Butterfield was the oldest person present and Loren Butterfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Butterfield, won honors for being the youngest person present.
 Some of the relatives were unable to attend.
 Robert Gillogly is in the service, stationed in Japan.
 Robert Retke is in the service, stationed in Korea.
 Donald Sparr of Meadow Grove just returned from overseas duty and is now stationed in Colorado.
 Those attending were Mrs. Myrtle Wheeler and family of Walnut; Andrew Jackson of Venus; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brin and Jody of Omaha; R. F. Butterfield of Ft. Morgan, Colo.; C. W. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rogers of Bassett.
 Mr. and Mrs. Milo Gorgen and Dian, Henry Butterfield, Mr.

ily, all of Chambers.
 Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Butterfield and family of Osmond; C. W. Butterfield, Mrs. Robert Retke, Mr. and Mrs. E. Butterfield, all of O'Neill.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rodgers and family of Ainsworth; Mr. and Mrs. Art Parkhurst of Creighton; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Block and Radean of Star; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoxsie and fam-

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