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Holt County Diggings Bring To Light Facts On Woodland People

skilled labor employed on this conwork, he might mention the follow-The minimum wage paid to all ing discoveries, which are of great time a skeleton lasts after burial intermediate labor employed on this importance both to the scientific is dependent on the condition of the contract shall be forty-five (45) world and to the people of Ne- individual at the time of death,

unskilled labor employed on this 1. The first major discovery of its mineral content, and the type contract shall be thirty-five (35) a people with long, narrow skulls of burial. The removal of the flesh Plans and specification for the tern part of the state a thousand bones, since dead flesh invites milwork may be seen and information years or so ago—a people whose lions of bacteria which hasten de-Clerk at O'Neill, Nebraska, at the physical characteristics differ office of the District Engineer of sharply from the later inhabitants the Department of Roads and Ir- of this region and the still more which the burial mounds were

2. The first definite knowledge The successful bidder will be that these long-skulled people, bones must be due largely to the required to furnish bond in an known as Woodland, have ever amount equal to 100% of his con- been found. This summer marked elapsed. The finding of a few huthe first extensive excavation of

work, the bidder must file, with his | 3. The recent discovery that the proposal, a certified check made present town of Pilger stands from their long, narrow heads were simipayable to the Department of ten to twelve feet above the re- lar to the Woodland people of the Roads and Irrigation and in an mains of an ancient Woodland vilamount not less than two hundred

4. The discovery of another technicalities and reject any or all valuable site of so recent an origin mounds, even where evidence of that it reveals in great detail the beginning of white man's influence on the Indian.

5. The discovery of several tremendous mounds 60 feet long, 35 feet wide, and 6 feet high, which are now being excavated to deter- tity of pottery entirely different mine whether or not they are true Indian burial mounds. This will tures. Dr. Bell describes the vesadd new history to the chapters sels as having straight cord im-18-1 of American archeology. Burial mounds such as these have only

6. The 1938 field survey for the first time had the opportunity of they appeared to be of a tall and 17-tf becoming acquainted with the advantages or aerial photography as The arrow points also discovered

same by paying expenses.—J. B. in northeastern Nebraska this region was comparatively unknown and had been considered "barren" by many. But now, after five years has come to be considered one of 15-5p States, particularly so in the Great Plains.

Why? Dr. Bell points out that it is significant not only because of THREE rooms for light housekeep- the prolific number of good sites 18-1p but also because of the great variety of cultures representing the several different tribes which succeeded one another over a period of many centuries. A complete year. knowledge of northeastern Ne-TWO lots on the corner of Clay and braska archeology will contribute Seventh streets, each 45 feet by much to the early history of Ne-170 feet.—Inquire at this office. tf braska and will help contribute to the prehistoric narrative of the

17tf continent in general. GOOD used Standard Remington usual success of the expedition this er of the old Mullen-Burke Byrnessummer was the cooperation re- Newbranch machine. At the Coceived from the Works Progress lumbus convention, the organiza-FOR SALE-6-room all modern Administration, which state organi- tion remained in the background. residence. Terms are 10 per cent zation place approximately seventy Editor James E. Lawrence was aldown and small monthly pay-workers in the field and in the lowed some latitude in outlining the ments on the balance. Elegant laboratory, and allowed the survey platform. Cajolery and persuasion 2tf to advance on three fronts-Ponca, were used on Terry Carpenter to O'Neill and Stanton. Steve Wim- get him to let up on his threatened berly of Lincoln, who has been with attack on National Committeeman Dr. Bell several seasons, and who James C. Quigley who retained the BROWN & FRENCH | left to take charge of an arche- state chairmanship without a fight. oligical project in Alabama Sept. 5, The Mullen machine also permithas been directing the work in and ted Governor Cochran to go his way around Ponca. He has been suc- unmolested. ceeded by another university stu-

been under the supervision of Perry the convention. Newell of Lincoln. Because of the sufficient number of workers this we get to it," was the answer. year, Dr. Bell found it possible to RANCH LOANS # place his advanced students in direct charge of the diggings and an member of the state board of

> that information has been uncov- tives of the social uplift forces in gressman Lewis, running for the ranging from the early prehistoric offered to the public and investiera through the first half of the gated the surroundings of the 4-H

19th century. us our oldest pottery culture in a game forbidden by Nebraska stathis part of the state," says Dr. tutes. Guess games with the ele-Bell. "The principal site consists ment of skill attached were numof eleven burial mounds from 10 to erous. The dancing and hula 30 feet in diameter and from sever- shows along midway had been fairal inches to 31/2 feet in height. ly well edited, it was stated. More These are located on the Holt table than twenty-five years ago, Mr. at a point where Honey creek flows Graff started the crusade for higher into Eagle creek 20 miles north- and more cultured forms of enter-

Now that September has rolled ago whose culture we now call the protests.

o'clock A. M., and at that time at the University of Nebraska withiblicly opened and read for SAND in the next few days, Dr. Earl H. several individuals. In all cases constructing 5.2 miles of Graveled gress that has been made during the burial procedure, what flesh

Dr. Bell said that the length of the amount of moisture in the soil, who perhaps lived in the northeas- before burial helps to preserve the composition. With this in mind and remembering the region in found is relatively dry because of good drainage, scientists conclude that Nebraska is the farthest west that the poor condition of these long period of time that has man skulls in sufficiently good con- fred W. Beckmann of Lincoln, was celebrated Sunday, Sept. 11. dition to permit of measurement indicated that these people with

The university anthropologist also reported that in most of the cremation was not present, the ground showed up burned red indicating that large fires had been built in the mounds probably as a part of the burial ceremony. Workers also found a considerable quanfrom that taken from later culpressions on the body and supplemental designs made by impressing slender type with pointed bases.

race of Indians who inhabited eas- auditing and accounting. tern United States and whose archeological remains are known as

THE NEBRASKA SCENE

By the Lowell Service

John C. Mullen, brother of the late Arthur F. Mullen, now lives An important reason for the un- in Omaha and appears as the lead-

"We will cross that bridge when

Charles Graff of Bancroft, veter-

thus be free to keep in touch with Agriculture who resigned as a prothe work going on at all sites as test against the character of the well as in the laboratory at Lincoln. midway amusements at Nebraska's All of the work this year has big show, won much support last been carried on in key locations so week. Educators and representaered from several time periods general studied the entertainment Senate against Tydings in Mary contingent. Perhaps the most "The O'Neill site probably gives criticized attraction was "Bingo," west of O'Neill on land owned by tainment. While he was president,

erected over pits in which have up. During the last few years, the \$7,000 up to August 30. This, of Hayes. been deposited the remains of these situation aroused Mr. Graff and course, doesn't include the expense early people of a thousand years his resignation followed ineffectual of the President's political trip to

Governor Cochran has been notified of favorable action by PWA being apportioned on a 45 per cent it won't be more expensive. the summer. Dr. Bell willingly still remained was removed from grant and the state furnishing 55 The approximate quantities are: admits that the 1938 excavations the skeletons were placed in pits. per cent of the money. A grant of in northeastern Nebraska have In half of the mounds excavated \$225,000 has been secured for the indicate that a lot of folks out been the most successful in the five we found evidence of cremation. girls' dormitory at the University there would prefer a \$30 a week week securing the right-of-way for day. The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions years that archeological field re- All of the skeletal material from of Nebraska in Lincoln. An applicovering subletting or assigning search has been sponsored by the these early sites was in bad condiuniversity in this part of the state. tion, due probably to the long building and dormitory at Curtis The minimum wage paid to all If one were able to summarize period which has elapsed since the is slated for favorable considera-

The state university has scored the third consecutive failure to get a million dollar library. The last attempt, an effort to get a fifty year loan thru the RFC, fell down because of the indifference of university authorities. The neglected to set up an agency similar to the plan followed in erecting the stadium, the dormitory and the student union building.

With cooperation from the university, the million dollar experione of the original proponents of Municipal University in Omaha.

ald Devries, has ruled that the time and will also model for them. limit on the filings by petition for state offices expires at 5 p. m. on October 8. This is the time for the closing of the office thirty days before the election.

cording to present indications. with them. Harry Babcock, who withdrew as cord on the rims of the pots. After file as an independent. Prof. J. P. been given a football suit at the a few had been partially restored, Senning of the state university has University of Nebraska, where he an aid in locating archeological were likewise different from the has written criticisms of Price's with the university team before points found in other cultures, the interpretation of the county bud- the season ends. Before university scientists had principal difference being in their get law. It is expected that the Omaha taxpayer's organizations The discovery of these mounds support Ray C. Johnson the re- weeks vacation trip spent at a and the material they contained publican candidate. Babcock, the northern Minnesota lake. L. A. of intensive surveying, this area point to the fact that these people independent contender, will seek says they had a dandy trip with a were closely related both cultural- to get the endorsement of the lot of fine fishing. The fish were and sold. Large stock. Call and the most important in the United inspect it.—Green's Second Hand the most important in the United to get the endorsement of the lot of line issning. The fish were voters for a new system of public biting good and they had no trouble

> Charles W. Bryan, during the them. Woodland. Actually, this is the week of the State Fair, held almost first group of definite burial mounds continuous conferences with people to be excavated in Nebraska, al- from all parts of the state. The though the university party did mails brought petitions and letters discover and work two lesser of advice from the outlying counmounds from the same culture last ties. Cecil Matthews frequently conferred with Mr. Bryan. Ed Schroder, veteran Bryan manager, tested sentiment among the business men on the \$30 a month old age pension plan.

> > The rapid development of rural electrification will add new subjects to the curriculum of the state university. A new system of public utility accounting has been inaugurated by the public power districts. At the state farm there are requests for courses in farmstead group wiring. Farmstead plumbing is another subject that must be taken up by the state farm professors.

Game Warden O'Connell is considering the request of sportsmen who want the fishing and hunting license fee increased from \$1.00 to \$1.50. It is stated that the increase "How about Senator Burke and would bring in about \$25,000 andent, Stanley Bartos of Wilber. 1940?", was the question asked one nually to be used in protecting At O'Neill a sizeable party has of the Mullen lieutenants during birds, and in propagating song

> Speaking at the labor conference, John L. Lewis linked President Roosevelt and President Cardenas as two great statesmen. But he surely doesn't think that Mr. Roosevelt would snitch some other folks' oil and sell it to Hitler, does he?

The primary expenses of Con-



Maryland on Labor Day, which is the first Monday in September.

GRAVEL SURFACING and inci-dental work on the Butte-Atkinson Bell, assistant professor of anthro-the skeletal parts showed evidence on grants totaling \$428,511.15. Boston predict that the next Con-the skeletal parts showed evidence on grants totaling \$428,511.15. dental work on the Butte-Atkinson Project No. 351-K STATE ROAD.

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The result in California seems to

BRIEFLY STATED

a very attractive appearance.

the waste products of agriculture, returned Tuesday evening from of Hot Springs, S. D. may yet be secured. Under the Nebraska City where they had gone terms of the Bilbo bill, four of to attend the Golden Wedding celethese laboratories are to be es- bration of Mrs. Moore's parents, and Duke, and Harold Lindberg tablished in the United States. Al- Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bro, which was drove to Norfolk last Thursday

the bill and urged the location of upside down stomach fame, of in the league and Norfolk won the Per Lb. the laboratory on the state farm Omaha, and who is a niece of Mr. championship the first half of the campus. According to report, the and Mrs. Loren Nelson of this second choice is the campus of the city, will be sent by the Twentieth Century-Fox Film company, to Deputy Secretary of State Don- dramatic school in New York City,

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Tomlinson and Miss Vera Schollmeyer drove down to Omaha last Tuesday morning for a few days visit with friends. Miss Bea McGinnis of Candidates for the office of Audi- Omaha, who had been visiting relator of Public Accounts will stage a tives and old friends in this city real battle for the position, ac- and vicinity, returned to Omaha

Jack Vincent, son of Mr. and a candidate before the primary, will Mrs. Jack Vincent of this city, has aligned himself with an Omaha is a second year student and it is newspaper and is expected to op- possible that we will have an oppose Auditor Price. Prof. Senning portunity to observe Jack in action

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nelson reand good government leagues will turned Tuesday night from a two in catching all they wanted to eat, as well as to bring home with

> Miss Agnes McCarty, Mrs. Will McCarty and son Louis, and Miss Mary and William Walsh of Dubuque, Iowa, arrived last Thursday and visited their cousin, Mrs. Henry Grady and family until Friday. when they, accompanied by Mrs. Grady, left for Atkinson where

Mrs. Frank Dishner, Mrs. Max and Mrs. J. F. Finnegan of Hot Springs, S. D., drove to Grand Democratic women meeting in Island Friday to take Rev. F. L. The proposed work consists of are beginning to review the pro- on platforms. Later, as a part of being the train for being the the train for his home in Las versity for another year. They

> connect with South 20. When the Several business men from other Mexico is said to be in the midst right-of-way has been secured it is towns in this section of the state of a severe business decline. Didn't believed that the Highway depart- and South Dakota, have been in we read some time ago that Presi- ment will let the contract for the the city during the past two weeks dent Cardenas was trying out a construction of the road this fall, seeking locations for the establishthus giving work to a large num- ment of business lines in this city. ber of WPA workers in this county. One large mercantile firm from one

R. R. Morrison opened up for twenty-four ladies at a one o'clock and has been here recently with the business this morning in his old bridge luncheon at the M & M cafe view to securing a location, so the location, the building having been Tuesday in honor of her daughter- indications are that the number of repaired, repainted and new shelv- in-law, Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell of business houses here will be ining installed since the fire a few Omaha. Mrs. Charles Stout won creased materially about the first weeks ago. The new store presents the high score at bridge, Mrs. R. E. of the year. Gallagher the all-cut, and guest prizes were awarded to Mrs. Hugh Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Moore, O'Donnell and Mrs. William Credel mental laboratory for conserving daughter Marilyn and son Thomas, of Omaha, and Mrs. J. F. Finnegan

John Kersenbrock and sons, Jack, night and attended the Norfolk-Sioux City Nebraska League basethe idea. Senator Norris supported Miss Alyce Jane McHenry of the ball game. The play a split season

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John Hynes. These mounds were the regulation of midway tightened land, were given as something like they visited at the home of Will season and Sioux City the second half. They are now playing for the championship. Norfolk won Golden and daughter Constance, Monday, winning the last game

with a score of 3 to 1. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mains then drove to Omaha where they visited relatives for a couple of Men have been busy the past days before returning home Tues-

of the towns west has been looking Mrs. J. F. O'Donnell entertained toward this city for several years

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