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National War Fund Campaign Starts In Holt County Oct. 18

With the appointment of 108 committeemen in Holt county's 44 cities, villages and townships, Edward M. Gallagher, county chairman, has completed the organization that will solicit every citizen "face-to-face" in the United War Fund Campaign which opens on October 18.

Holt county has accepted a quota of \$7,945. The quota for Nebraska is \$950,000. What is the United War Fund of Nebraska? Affiliated with the National War Fund, it is the USO and 18 other worthy, selected war relief organizations combined under one financial budget so that the public will not be confused by a dozen or more individual war relief campaigns. Briefly, it includes these five major groups, each with its sub-divisions:

- 1—The USO.
 - 2—United Seaman's Service.
 - 3—War Prisoners' Aid.
 - 4—United Nations' Relief.
 - 5—Refugee Relief.
- Chairman Gallagher announces the following committee appointments for Holt county:
- Antelope township: Dea Grass, LuVern VanConet, Lindley Crumley.
- Atkinson township: Mrs. Lulu Dunn, Truman Barnes.
- Atkinson City: Mrs. I. R. Dickerson.
- Chambers and Chambers township: Clair Grimes, Mrs. Gladys Oxford, John Dankert.
- Cleveland township: Mrs. Mahlon Shearer, Charles Mulford.
- Coleman township: Mrs. A. M. Reed, Mrs. John Johnson, Wm. Langan.
- Conley township: John Albers, Mrs. Frank Froelich, and Steve Sladek.
- Deloit township: Rev. A. C. Byersdorfer, Bernice Tagel, and Hupp's store.
- Dustin township: Elmer Allyn, Edwin Engler.
- Emmet and Emmet township: Guy Cole.
- Ewing township: Joe Thoenkel, Frank Schrad.
- Ewing Village: Lyle P. Dierks, Mrs. John Archer, Mrs. Irene Rocky, Mrs. Tom King, and Mrs. Jessie Spittler.
- Fairview township: Arthur Hiatt, Mrs. Harold Gilman.
- Francis township: Mrs. Albert Lemmer, Mrs. Robert Clifford.
- Golden township: H. A. VanHorn, Dorothy Wiseman, Mrs. Pat Regan, Mrs. Wm. Simmons.
- Grattan township: Marvin Clouse, Mrs. P. V. Hickey, Wm. L. Hanley, Mrs. John Shoemaker, Joe Peter.
- Green Valley township: Arthur Pacha, Ed Slaymaker, Ed Bouska, Mrs. Max Karo.
- Holt Creek township: Mrs. F. E. Beuttner, Mrs. Guy Parson.
- Inman and Inman township: Earl Watson, Lewis Koepky.
- Iowa township: Roy Waring, Clarence Faulhaber, Dave Bowen.
- Josie township: Mrs. Fred Taylor, Mrs. Louis Barthel.
- Lake township: Magna Gorenson, Marcella Tomjack, Seymour Harkins.
- McClure township: Kenneth LaRue, Mrs. Jim Hawk, Mrs. Warren Gribble.
- O'Neill City: Rev. Kenneth Scott, Mayor John Kesrenbrock, Ted McElhaney, Edith Davidson, A. E. Bowen, Wm. J. Biglin, Dr. O. W. French.
- Paddock township: Mrs. A. L. Borg, Mrs. Roy Karr, Mrs. A. J. Witherwax.
- Pleasant View township: Tom

Troshynski, Louis Goeke.

Rock Falls township: Floyd R. Johnson, Elmer Stern, William T. Murray.

Sand Creek township: Mrs. Blanche Spann Pease, Mrs. P. W. Kilmurray, Mrs. George Schaa. Saratoga township: Harold Kirkland, Mrs. Rex Coburn.

Scott township: Mrs. Howard Oberle, Mrs. Albert Carson, Mrs. Wm. Wells.

Shamrock township: Ray Hoffmann.

Sheridan township: Mrs. Robert Martens, Charles Prussa.

Shields township: Mrs. James T. Earley, Mrs. T. F. Donohoe, Mrs. Alfred Drayton.

Steel Creek township: Mrs. Lee Brady, Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mrs. O. O. Newman.

Stuart township: Chas. Moses, Hubert Kohle, Alois Kaup.

Stuart Village: Mrs. Frank P. Ullrich.

Swan township: Mrs. Ace Watson, Mrs. Art Doolittle.

Verdigris township: Edgar Stauffer, Wm. Riege, L. G. Bernholz.

Page Village: Murney Tipton.

Willowdale township: Arthur Alm, Ben A. Miller.

Wyoming township: Mrs. B. W. Waldo, Mrs. S. E. Dexter, Mrs. Edgar Jungman.

The first named will act as chairman.

In announcing the city, village and township quotas, Mr. Gallagher said: "Community quotas for this campaign are based strictly upon population. The amounts are not large if EVERY person will accept his responsibility and contribute his share—and we want every person to have his opportunity to contribute."

Following are the city, village and township quotas assigned for Holt county:

Township, Population,	Quota
Antelope, 153	\$ 64.26
Atkinson, 616	258.72
Atkinson City, 1350	567.00
Chambers, 342	143.64
Chambers Village, 388	162.96
Cleveland, 180	75.60
Coleman, 191	80.22
Deloit, 271	113.82
Deloit, 403	169.26
Dustin, 148	62.16
Emmet, 261	109.62
Emmet Village, 89	37.38
Fairview, 134	56.28
Ewing, 177	74.34
Ewing Village, 681	286.02
Francis, 125	52.50
Golden, 323	122.22
Grattan, 739	310.38
Green Valley, 211	88.62
Holt Creek, 60	25.20
Inman, 492	206.64
Inman Village, 206	86.52
Iowa, 276	115.92
Josie, 56	23.52
Lake, 214	89.88
McClure, 143	60.06
O'Neill City, 2532	1,063.44
Paddock, 397	166.74
Pleasant View, 167	70.14
Rock Falls, 287	120.54
Sand Creek	94.92
Saratoga, 170	71.40
Scott, 287	121.54
Shamrock, 142	59.64
Sheridan, 363	152.46
Shields 400	168.00
Steel Creek, 259	108.78
Stuart, 749	314.58
Stuart Village, 760	319.20
Swan, 209	87.78
Verdigris, 525	224.70
Page Village, 335	140.70
Willowdale, 228	95.76
Wyoming, 277	116.34

Holt County Calf Show And Sale Next Monday

Entries for the seventh annual calf show and sale to be held in O'Neill on Monday, October 4, are coming in now and ranchers that want to be assured of an early spot on the sale are encouraged to list their calves with managers James Rooney or Lyndle Stout.

Several inquiries have been received about the show and sale, especially from county agents and 4-H club buyers. Their interest would indicate that many 4-H club buyers are intending to be present to purchase the calves with the minimum of travel. The plans for the show are completed and it is hoped that 80 or 90 4-H club calves will be entered in the 4-H division. Several entries for the commercial show promise to make for keen competition in the classes. The show will be judged by Joe Watson, Cuming county agent, who handled this assignment so effectively last year.

Premiums offered by the O'Neill Commercial Club are liberal enough to attract ranchers with good quality calves. The public, and especially business men, are encouraged to be in attendance for the show which is very interesting.

Edward Stein Awarded Oak Leaf Cluster

The following appeared in a special from General Headquarters in North Africa, recently printed in a California newspaper, which told of citations being given three Californians by Lt. General George Kenney, commander of the Allied air forces there:

"The Oak Leaf Cluster went to Corp. Edward G. Stein of 6916 Coldwater Canyon Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.

"Stein was cited for participating in an aerial flight from Port Morsby to Bena Bena, New Guinea, last February, when his transport plane, unescorted and at great risk to itself, took a spare wing to 'assist in the recovery of a badly needed aircraft which had previously been disabled.'

Corp. Stein is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stein and was born and grew to manhood in this city, moving to California with his parents about two years ago. His many O'Neill friends tender sincere congratulations on his achievement.

Supervisor Joe Stein Suffers Broken Leg

Supervisor Joe Stein suffered a broken leg last Saturday morning, when he was kicked by a horse at his ranch home northeast of this city. He was brought to this city and taken to Omaha that day and he is now in the Methodist hospital there receiving medical treatment. Late word from Omaha is to the effect that Joe is getting along nicely, which will be gratifying news to his many Holt county friends. Dr. French and son, Dale, took Joe to Omaha.

"PASS YOUR AMMUNITION"

Many lives were lost. A great victory won. What did you contribute?

The big drive for old silk and nylon hosiery ends October 1st. All hosiery should be placed in the hands of dealers by that time so that immediate disposal can be made by them.

Another big—yes, the biggest—scrap drive starts October 1st for the collecting of tin cans, grease and paper. Tin cans include No. 10 cans and under—not galvanized. These cans must be crushed flat before turned in.

"Grease the Wheels for Victory!" An urgent plea is being made now for all used waste fats. Holt county fell way below its quota for the month of August. Let's put it over the top this time. Save all your waste cooking fats. Pour into clean, wide-mouthed cans and keep in a cool, dark place. When you have one pound or more, take it to your dealer. Remember—fats make glycerine, and glycerine makes explosives for us and our allies.

"Out with the iron and steel." Sell them, give them to charity, or get your local salvage committee to move them—but do it NOW—minutes count in winning victories.

PAPER is now in demand. Drag out all your old newspapers and magazines and tie them into separate bundles.

This is a big job and every person must be enlisted in this campaign.

Holt Co. Salvage Committee. Ruth G. Rector, Chairman.

Louie Storm of Rapid City, S. D., came down last Thursday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Enright. He returned home Saturday morning.

Mrs. John Quig, Mrs. W. H. Starlin and Mrs. A. Pace spent Friday in Neligh visiting friends.

BREEZES FROM THE SOUTHWEST

By Romaine Saunders
Atkinson, Nebr., Star Rt. No. 5

"Wealth gotten by vanity shall be diminished; but he that gathereth by labor shall increase."

The rose of Sharon, the lilies of the valley, the gorgeous iris have a transcending beauty, but what about a row of tomato vines in late September loaded down with smooth balls in flaming red, yellow and white?

It is somewhat of a shock to Yankeealand to learn that more than three-quarters of a million husky chaps have been rejected for military service because they can neither read nor write.

Mrs. Speigel, Mrs. Louise Lawson and son, Roger, came up Sunday from Boone county to see the sister of the two ladies, Mrs. Fannie Riley, who was seriously ill. Mrs. Riley was slightly improved Monday.

It may be of interest to friends out in the Michigan settlement to learn that the tallest soldiers taken into our armies come from their native state. Wonder if the "Battle Creek idea" of the Dr. Kellogg sanitarium had anything to do with producing Michigan giants.

A notable honor has cast a halo over a Nebraska newspaper man. Raymond McConnell, managing editor of the Lincoln Journal, is in England with fifteen other American newspaper editors as guests of the British government. They went to get a first hand view of conditions. Editors from Minneapolis, Des Moines, Kansas City, Lincoln and Denver represent the Mid-continent area and they no doubt will have much of interest to give us.

A story is out that observers believe Gen. Douglas MacArthur, hero of Bataan, has been shelved to block his presidential candidacy. If that is true at such a time as this, the country's reaction may have a bearing on the tide of events. It is hard to believe that political jealousies are allowed to bloom at the sacrifice of the blood of patriots. James K. Polk tried it nearly a century ago—on the hero of the Rio Grande but Zachary Taylor succeeded Polk as president of the United States.

An army man of some consequence tells of an experience back in bygone years when the present-day popular cigaret was an outlaw in this state. He bought a package of "Bull Durham" expecting to "roll his own." The dealer tore the cigaret papers from the package before handing it to his soldierly customer, explaining, "they are unlawful."

"But can't you drop them on the floor," was suggested as a way to evade the law. A soldier he who could lead a branch of the army to victory. And that bit of paper rolled around the brown siftings of Lady Nicotene had him licked.

Howard Berry, Blaine Garwood, Bill Dierks and Ray Warden have been trying their talents as bond salesmen in Swan precinct. The home of one family in the precinct has been wiped out by fire, another sustained the loss of eleven head of cattle knocked over by lightning, one or two others just "keep their heads above water," very few have gone into the fall roundup to see what they have to put on the market but at least one citizen said he would borrow money and buy a bond. One salesman just about states the

Holt County Boys To Be Inducted In October

Following are names of registrants to be inducted into service of their country by the Holt County Local Board during the month of October:

Atkinson
Willard Blake Skrdla
Harold Douglas Schaaf
Daniel Edward Coday
Ivan Gene Stevens
Robert Louis Groeger
Fred Jay Jungman, Jr.
Ivan James Gilg

Dorsey
Glen Davis Hiseocks

Stuart
Moran Andrew Pettijohn
Charles William Siegel
Wilbur Gene Jackson
Michael Peter Schaaf

Amelia
John Bilstein
Francis Albert Knutzen

O'Neill
Leonard Frank Bowers
John Raymond Hamilton
Donald Raymond McKenna
Gene Leonard Higgins
Melvin LeRoy Sanford
Donald Austin Hynes
Francis Leo Yantzi
Wayne Dean Peterson

Inman
Arlin LaVern Caster

Ewing
Kenneth Sylvester Oetzer
Robert Ellsworth Eppenbach
Eugene Marvin Ruby
Cliff John Fleming
Sylvester Joseph Schrad
Charles Albert Boies, Jr.
Richard Leo Miller

Page
Melvin Dean Kemper
John Walter Sojka
Francis Blaine Huston

Emmet
Alvin Kloppenborg

Chambers
Delbert Van Robertson
Robert Gene Smith
Robert Gene Peltzer

Holt County Lagging In Bond Drive; O'Neill, Page Over Top

The Holt county bond drive is lagging. The Holt county quota for the third war loan drive is \$366,400. At the close of business Wednesday evening Holt county residents had purchased \$489,295.90 worth of bonds, leaving us short \$377,104.10 of our quota.

O'Neill and the village of Page are the only towns or precincts in the county that have gone over the top. O'Neill, with a quota of \$159,858, or \$27,273 over its quota. In this amount the County of Holt purchased \$75,000 worth of bonds and O'Neill's share of that purchase was a little over \$11,000. The village of Page had a quota of \$17,536, and they have sold \$23,924.25, so they have exceeded their quota by \$6,388.25, which shows that the residents of our eastern neighbor have been right on their toes during the drive.

The drive officially ends Saturday night and many of the workers believe that if all the bond salesmen in the several towns and townships of the county work hard during the next two days that the county will be able to go over the top, and thus take her place, where she rightfully belongs, up with the leading counties in the state on bond sales. Many of the townships of the county, as well as the towns are woefully low in the amount of sales made and those in charge of the drive will exert every effort to have these towns and townships make their quota before the deadline Saturday night. If you have not purchased your supply of bonds, now is the time to get them.

"The third war loan campaign in Holt county is drawing to a close, with a substantial margin yet to be raised to meet the county's quota," states Lyle P. Dierks, county chairman of the War Finance Committee. "As yet the

closing date for the "E," "G" and "F" series of war savings bonds is unannounced by the treasury department. Holt county's purchase as of September 29 stands at \$489,295.90.

"Everyone who has not participated in this drive is urged to do so without delay. The solicitors are working overtime in order to make their contacts. You can aid the solicitors materially and save time for them if you make your subscription in this third loan drive personally by calling at your bank and post office, and when the solicitor calls on you, tell him what security you have purchased.

"We are still hopeful that Holt county will raise its quota and we are urged to spend every available dollar in the purchase of securities to meet our quota. We trust that when this campaign closes that everyone will have contributed in this third loan drive. Everyone should bear in mind that this is a loan to the Government which will be repaid and that our contribution is a very vital support to our boys on the fighting fronts."

Below is a list of the subscriptions in the towns and townships in Holt county. Of this amount, \$75,000 has been purchased by the county and allocated according to population in each town and township:

Antelope township	\$ 693.25
Atkinson township	2791.25
Atkinson City	46138.50
Chambers township	10268.25
Chambers Village	19608.00
Cleveland township	4378.00
Coleman township	865.50
Conley township	4490.50
Deloit township	1826.25
Dustin township	670.75
Emmet township	3209.00
Emmet Village	403.50
Ewing township	802.00
Ewing village	13791.75
Fairview township	607.00
Francis township	566.50
Golden township	1463.50
Grattan township	7585.25
Green Valley township	956.25
Holt Creek township	271.50
Inman township	4054.50
Inman Village	3559.00
Iowa township	3275.50
Josie township	272.50
Lake township	4776.00
McClure township	5073.00
O'Neill City	159858.00
Paddock township	1799.00
Pleasantview township	2800.50
Rock Falls township	5917.75
Sand Creek township	1024.00
Saratoga township	770.25
Scott township	1300.50
Shamrock township	2706.00
Sheridan township	1644.75
Shields township	3068.75
Steel Creek township	5604.75
Stuart township	3393.75
Stuart Village	3443.50
Swan township	947.00
Verdigris township	6043.00
Page Village	23924.25
Willowdale township	2289.25
Wyoming township	2211.50

Father Brick's Mother Summoned In Omaha

Mrs. Theresa Dinan Brick, 59, of O'Neill, died of a heart ailment in an Omaha hospital last Sunday. One son, the Reverend Daniel F. Brick, O'Neill, and a brother, Timothy Dinan, Omaha, survive. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning September 28, from Holy Angels church. Interment in Holy Sepulchre cemetery, at the side of her husband, who passed away several years ago. Father Brick left here Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral services. Mrs. Brick was an native of Omaha. She lived here a good part of the time for the past year and was very well known to the ladies of O'Neill, who were shocked to learn of her sudden death.

Mrs. Lucinda Rouse Died Last Saturday

Mrs. Lucinda Rouse died at the home of her son, Horace, at his farm home northeast of this city last Saturday morning, after an illness of about thirty days, of ailments due to advanced years, at the age of 76 years and one month. The funeral was held at the Paddock church near Meek, Rev. Dawson Park officiating, and burial in Paddock cemetery. The funeral was very largely attended, which attested the esteem in which she was held in that section of the county.

Lucinda Godsell was born at Austin, Minn., on August 25, 1867. She lived in her native state until the year 1885, when the family moved to Holt county and located in the Meek neighborhood, in which section of the county she spent the balance of her life. On January 6, 1892, she was united in marriage to Elmer Rouse. Seven children were born of this union, three sons and four daughters. Two sons passed away in infancy, leaving one son and four daughters, all of whom were present at the funeral services. The children are: Horace and Mrs. Laura Wyant of O'Neill; Mrs. Agnes Johnson and Mrs. Hazel Langan of Spencer; Mrs. Minnie Sanders of Inman. She is also survived by forty-two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She is also survived by three sisters: Mrs. Jennie Benton of Fremont; Mrs. Amelia Lott of Austin, Minn., and Mrs. Delia Harrison of O'Neill. She is also survived by two brothers: Claude Godsell of Rapid City, S. D., and Adam Godsell of Austin, Minn., who are left to mourn the passing of a kind and affectionate mother, grandmother and sister.

Mrs. Rouse was one of the real old timers of the northeastern part of the county and was very active for her age. Until her last illness she had been living on her old home place, where she busied herself with chickens and her garden. When taken ill she was taken to the home of her son, Horace. She was a charming woman and had a host of friends in the northeastern section of the county, where she had made her home for fifty-eight years.

M. F. Kirwin Injured In Fall Wednesday

While on a scaffold painting a sign on the east side of the Virgin building on east Douglas street Wednesday evening, about 5:45, M. F. Kirwin fell and sustained a badly bruised hip. The scaffold was held by two step ladders and one of them fell, causing Mike to fall. For a time it was thought the hip was broken, but an x-ray disclosed there was no break. While he fell only about six feet, the fall almost put him out, as he suffered a good deal of pain for a while. Mike is getting along in years and these falls are bad enough for a young man to take, but when up in years they are pretty serious. He is in the hospital getting along nicely.

Boyd County Boy In Airplane Crash

Lt. Robert Zink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Zink of Lynch, was killed Saturday in an airplane crash near the Coffeyville, Kan., air base, where he was stationed. Lt. Zink, who was married, received his commission and wings last March at Foster Field, Texas. While attending the Lynch high school, from which he graduated two years ago, he was an outstanding football player. The body will be brought to Lynch for burial. Surviving are his wife, parents, three brothers and one sister.

Holt County Boy Missing In Southern Pacific

Mr. and Mrs. John Reimers, of Inman, have been notified by the War Department that their son, Pfc. Charles Herman Reimers is missing in action in the Southwest Pacific area. A short time ago he was wounded and received the Purple Heart, later going back to the battle front. Another son, Sgt. Reinhold Reimers is in the army at Selma, Alabama.

Elsie Marie Gibson Appeals Alimony

Submission was taken by the supreme court last Thursday of the appeal of Elsie Marie Gibson from action of the Holt county district court, after giving a divorce to her husband, James H. Gibson, in limiting the amount of alimony he should pay to \$1200, which she says is just about the amount she contributed toward building their home. She also insists that Gibson should have been denied a divorce and that she should have a separate maintenance. Gibson's attorney said that his wife was so jealous of him that she demanded that she go with him when he attended a meeting of the county board, of which he was a member, and when he objected demanded that he resign. He said that she was nice and kind to his two children by a former marriage when first they met, but that after marriage she called them little devils and mistreated them. She retorted that he was guilty of indiscreet conduct with other women and cruel to her.—Lincoln Journal, of September 24.

Courts Court

Clifford Hood was arrested on September 27 by Patrolman Walter and charged with having wrong number plates. He pled guilty as charged and was fined \$3.00 and costs of \$3.10.

Garrett Boyle of Oakdale was arrested by Patrolman Walter on September 21 and charged with reckless driving. He was fined \$10 and costs of \$3.10.

"THERE WAS I A-WAITING AT THE CHURCH"

