

When You and I Were Young —

'Stubble Duck' Quest Leads Sportsmen into Difficulty with a Land Owner

50 YEARS AGO
July 28, 1898

A party of O'Neill sportsmen went out south the other evening to enjoy a few hours of sport among the "stubble duck" and kindred game. While crossing a field a few miles south of town the owner got after them and threatened them with all manners of dire calamities. He finally succeeded in getting them to start for home. The "boys" say they do not propose to go into that section again for some time.

A Wandering Willie who has been playing the guitar for the amusement of the boys was the only excitement this week.

Advertisement: "A man in Virginia rode 40 miles to Fairfax station for the express purpose of getting Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and took home with him a dozen bottles of the medicine. The druggist who relates the incident adds, 'Your remedy seems to be a general favorite wherever known.' It's effects are, indeed, wonderful in all lung and throat troubles. Procure a bottle at P. C. Corrigan's drug store."

25 YEARS AGO
August 2, 1923

Presidential Headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 2—Warren G. Harding, president of the United States, died instantaneously and without warning tonight at 7:30 o'clock, a victim of a stroke of apoplexy, which struck him down in his weakened condition after an illness of exactly a week.

Death came to President Harding without warning while Mrs. Harding sat by his bedside reading to him. Two nurses were the only other persons in the room and there was no time for a last word from the nation's leader, either to his wife or to the republic he served.

Mrs. Harding had only time to rush to the door and call "find Dr. Boone and the others quick," meaning the physicians. Brig. Gen. Charles E. Sawyer, personal physician to the president, was in a nearby room, but when he hurried into the room, Medical skill was useless.

President Harding and members of his party all were taken ill aboard the transport, Henderson, just a week ago, suffering ptomaine poisoning from eating canned crabs. The president was the only one to suffer seriously and his ail-

ment later developed into broncho-pneumonia, which the staff of physicians attending him had under control at the time of his death. The effects of this illness and the physical trials of his long trip, however, had sapped his vitality.

10 YEARS AGO
July 29, 1938

The house belonging to Amelia Uhl, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richter, on Benton street between Eighth and Ninth streets, was struck by lightning during the electrical storm about 1 o'clock last Tuesday morning. Lightning struck the chimney and followed it down into the house, shattering the stove pipe and scattering soot all over the floor and tearing a chunk out of the basement wall.

About 50 ladies and gentlemen met at the high school auditorium last Monday evening, in response to the invitation of the school board to discuss the proposed new addition to the high school building and to listen to the architect's explanation of the proposed building.

Walter F. Wilson, the architect, displayed a pen sketch of the proposed building, showing it on a screen, and explained the different rooms in the proposed building.

Several of the audience then asked questions about the proposed addition and it developed that if the proposed structure was placed on the present school grounds that it would take practically all of the ground and would leave no play grounds for the children.

Several were of the opinion that a new high school building should be erected on a new location and the present building used for a grade school. Several thought the proposed addition would not be sufficient to take care of the attendance at the school after a few years, and that it would be better to look farther ahead.

The meeting closed about 10:30 after they unanimously voted their confidence in the school board and assuring them that they were positive they would do what they thought was best for the children and taxpayers of the district.

Girl Scout News

IRISH LASSIES TROOP I
The Irish Lassie Troop I held a meeting Wednesday, July 21. We started with the Girl Scout laws and promise.

We had a plant contest. Each girl planted a plant and told no one what it was. This week each girl brought plants to our meeting. The girls were to guess the kind of plant each girl had. Delas Jilg and Jean Bohn won the guessing contest. Jean Bohn attended her first Girl Scout meeting this week. The girls are working on leather craft. After the meeting we went on a hike to Carney Park. Troop II and assistant leader, Mrs. Brennan, went along.—By Mary K. Turner, troop scribe.

Gypsies came originally from India, not Egypt.

For a Good Time

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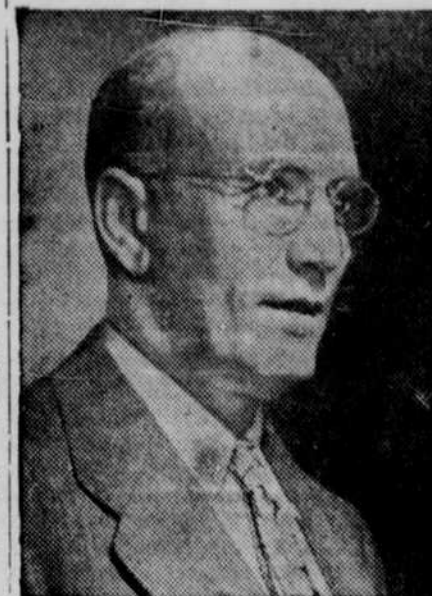
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ABILITY WITH DISABILITY . . . Physical handicaps can be overcome, as so many courageous persons have proved. Henry J. Weigman, of Cicero, Ill., born without arms, is one of them. He decided he could use his mouth for something besides talking and eating. Thus, he became an artist.



MEDIATOR . . . Count Folke Bernadotte, president of the Swedish Red Cross and United States mediator for Palestine, was instrumental in negotiating the 4-week truce between the Jews and Arabs battling for control of the Holy Land.

Legal Notices

(First pub. July 22, 1948)
William W. Griffin, Attorney
NOTICE TO CREDITORS & HEIRS

County Court of Holt County, Nebraska
Estate of William Anthony Walsh, Deceased, and Jennie Walsh, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Agnes Marie Walsh has filed a petition, alleging that William Anthony Walsh died intestate September 14, 1936, a resident of Holt County, Nebraska; that Jennie Walsh died intestate September 18, 1943, resident of Holt County, Nebraska; that said William Anthony Walsh and Jennie Walsh died seized of an interest in fee simple in East Half of Section 24, and East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 13, all in Township 31, North, of Range 9, West of the 6th P. M., in Holt County, Nebraska, in which petitioner has derived an interest by inheritance and mesne conveyance in the chain of title from such Decedents; the time of a determination of the degree of kinship and right of descent of real property of the said William Anthony Walsh and Jennie Walsh, both deceased, and that both of said Deceased persons died intestate, which petition will be for hearing in this Court on August 12th, 1948 at 10:00 a. m.

LOUIS W. REIMER,
County Judge.
(County Court Seal) 11-13

(First pub. July 22, 1948)
Julius D. Cronin, Attorney
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA

In the Matter of the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of THOMAS S. O'HARA, Deceased.

LEGAL NOTICE
TO: All persons interested in the Estate or in the Last Will and Testament of Thomas S. O'Hara, Deceased, whether creditors, heirs, devisees or legatees:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 20th day of July, A. D., 1948, Charley Ermer and William Ermer filed their petition in the County Court of Holt County, Nebraska, alleging that Thomas S. O'Hara, a resident, citizen and inhabitant of Rock Island, in Rock Island County, Illinois, died testate in the month of March, 1918, seized and possessed of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter and the North Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 6, in Township 26, North, Range 11, West of the 6th P. M., in Holt County, Nebraska; that he left a Last Will and Testament which was originally and legally admitted to probate in the Probate Court within and for Rock Island County, Illinois, on April 6th, 1918; that petitioners are the owners of the real estate above described, having derived title thereto by mesne conveyance; that as such owners petitioners are entitled to bring and maintain this action and to have said Will admitted to probate in Nebraska; that said Will has not heretofore been presented for probate in the State of

Nebraska, and that more than two years have elapsed since the date of the death of Thomas S. O'Hara; that all debts against the Estate of Thomas S. O'Hara have been fully paid and satisfied; that attached to the petition is an authenticated copy of said Will and the probate thereof in Rock Island County, Illinois; that the prayer of said petition is that the authenticated copy of said Will be admitted to probate and allowed in Nebraska as the Last Will and Testament of Thomas S. O'Hara, Deceased; that regular administration of said estate be dispensed with, and for a decree that the said real estate descended free and clear of all debts and claims of every kind of the said Thomas S. O'Hara in accord with the terms of said Last Will and Testament of Thomas S. O'Hara, Deceased; that said estate is not subject to an inheritance tax, state or federal, and for such other and further relief as justice and equity may require.

You are further notified that said petition is set for hearing before the County Court of Holt County, Nebraska on the 12th day of August, A. D., 1948, at ten o'clock A. M., and that if you fail to appear at said time and place and contest said petition, the Court may grant the prayer thereof.

LOUIS W. REIMER,
County Judge.
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Miss Alice Gilman Weds in West

AMELIA—Relatives have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Alice Gilman to Eugene J. Von Rotz, of Winlock, Wash. They were married Monday, June 28, in the St. Bourbon Catholic church at Winlock, and on Thursday, July 1, were given a reception at the St. Bourbon Orange hall.

Mrs. Von Rotz is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilman, also of Winlock, Wash., who were residents of the Amelia community until about 10 years ago.

Other Amelia News
Harry Coolidge, who has been visiting relatives here the past 2 weeks, returned Thursday, July 22, to his home at Greeley, Colo.

Mrs. Alice Rees, of Norfolk, is visiting at the home of her son, Ralph Rees.

Mrs. Ragland, of Albion, is visiting at the home of her son, W. E. Ragland. Floyd Sageser visited over Saturday night with Warren Kelly in Atkinson.

Pat Kennedy returned home Wednesday, July 21, from California where he had been visiting his son, Morris Kennedy, and family.

Cleve Sigman arrived home Thursday, July 22, from several months' travel in the West-

ern States and Canada. He is home to help hay at the B. W. Waldo place.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adams and daughter, Paula, of Phoe-

nix, Ariz., visited the first part of last week at the Alfred James home. The ladies are sisters.

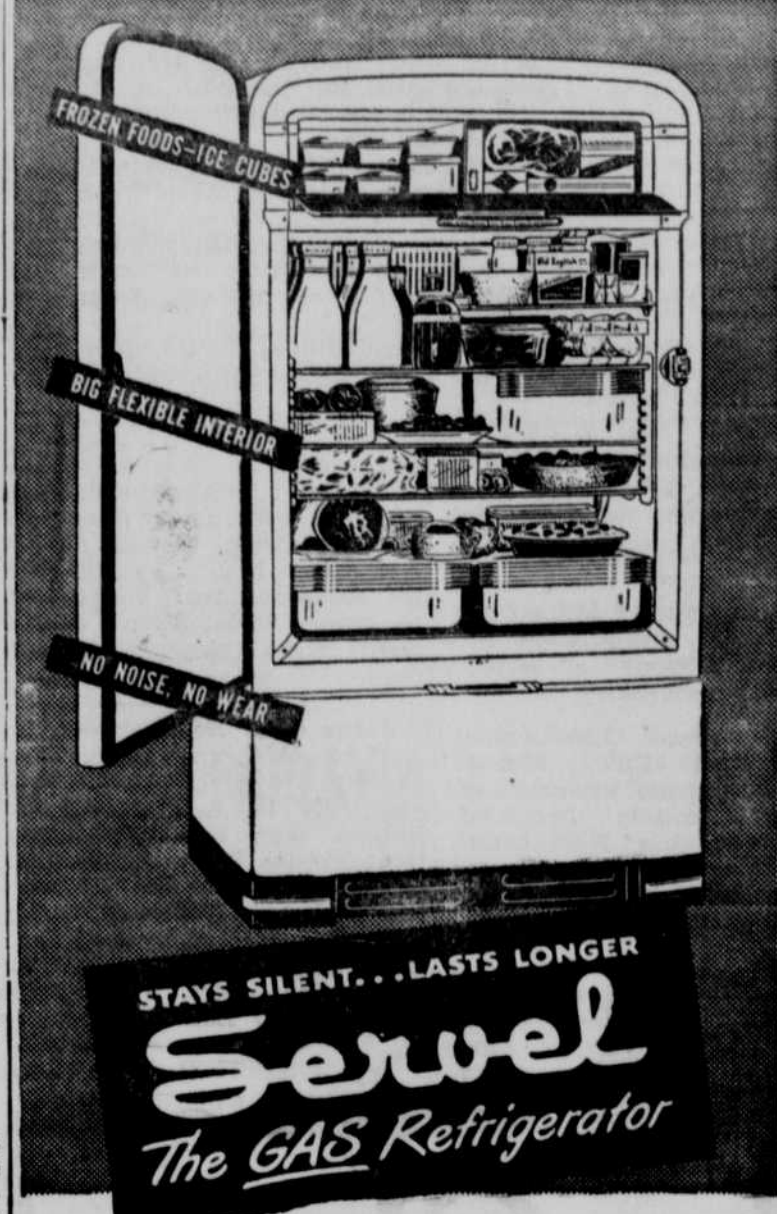
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