

Duck, Geese Season Opens Tomorrow

At noon Friday, October 19, thousands of Nebraska sportsmen—oldtimers and frecklenoses alike—will don their hunting gear in pursuit of ducks and geese as the state's 50-day waterfowl season gets under way.

The outlook for waterfowl hunting appears to be encouraging as reports throughout the breeding areas in Nebraska and on north indicate a good production in 1951. Blue-winged teal, pintails, mallards, shovellers, gadwalls and canvasbacks have already been observed.

In many areas of Nebraska, a greater number of nesting waterfowl have been reported seen during 1951 than in many years due to the abundance of water.

Most Nebraskans will spend the early part of the season harvesting local ducks. Hunting success, however, both in the early and later parts of the season, will hinge greatly upon weather conditions.

In the event that abnormal weather should hit the state, the smaller ducks, such as the blue winged teal, would make quick exits from the state.

Shooting hours on opening day will begin at 12 o'clock noon. After opening day, shooting hours will begin one-half hour before sunrise. Closing time, both on opening day and all subsequent days of the hunting season, will be one hour before sunset.

Hunters are permitted a bag and possession limit of 5 and 10 ducks respectively. The bag limit may include one wood duck as may the possession limit. Mergansers, often referred to as fish ducks, may be taken up to 25 per day.

Both the bag and possession limits on geese are five. These limits may include either 2 Canada geese (including Hutchins' or cackling geese) or 2 white-fronted, or one of each.

Bag and possession limit on coot is 10.

Hunters are reminded that their guns must be plugged to a 3-shell capacity. A loaded gun, incidentally, is construed to be a gun with shells in either the chamber or the magazine or both.

All migratory waterfowl hunters over 16 years of age must purchase a 1951 duck stamp in addition to their regular hunting permit.

Patrol Officers Exchange Jobs

Lt. Harry Brt has taken charge of patrolling in the Norfolk safety patrol district, succeeding Lt. Willard Teachman, who is taking over Brt's job in the educational field, it was announced Tuesday afternoon by Capt. E. L. Shottler, of Fremont, while in Norfolk.

Lieutenant Brt, who has been with the patrol since it started 14 years ago, has for the past 6 years been engaged in educational work. In that time, he has addressed more than 200,000 persons, appeared on more than 1,000 radio programs, 4 television programs, conducted many safety clinics in school, taught first aid classes and conducted classes at the patrol's Ashland camp.

"It's hard for me to leave the fine friends I have made in the educational work, especially the young people," Brt commented. "I feel I have been unjustly criticized by some of the adults who are trying to cover up their own mistakes."

Holt, Knox, Boyd, Antelope, Rock and Keya Paha counties are included in the 19 counties under the Norfolk patrol district.



Gov. Val Peterson . . . obligated to complete term. (Story at right)

Annual Meeting Set for Children's Society

The annual meeting of the Nebraska Society for Crippled Children, to be held at the Blackstone hotel in Omaha on Wednesday, October 24, will feature a demonstration of a program for rehabilitating crippled children and especially the cerebral palsied. The sessions will begin at 10 a.m. with an Easter Seal meeting and a film theatre in the morning featuring "The Search" and "Cerebral Palsy—Methods of Ambulation."

At noon luncheon the annual business session will be held followed by the demonstration.

Through the cooperation of the division of special services of the Omaha public schools, under the direction of Don Harner, teacher and therapist will present examples of physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy and class-room teaching carried on at the Dr. J. P. Lord school, Omaha. Children will participate to give a vivid idea of the therapies and aids which are used in rehabilitating crippled children and particularly the cerebral palsied.

The closing session will begin at 2:15, with the annual business meeting of the Nebraska Parents' Council on Cerebral Palsy, the board of trustees of the Nebraska Society for Crippled Children will also be in business session at that time.

The film theatre and luncheon sessions are open to all who make reservations with the county committees of the society or with the state headquarters in Omaha.

Bassett Calf Champ Hits \$110
The annual 4-H calf show and sale at Bassett, Friday topped the Sand Hill record for the 4th consecutive year.

The grand champion shown by Jack Bair, was purchased by an Illinois buyer for \$110 per hundredweight. The reserve champion sold for \$105, and several other calves reached the \$100 mark.

Buyers were represented from 11 states. Col. Wallace O'Connell, of O'Neill, was the auctioneer.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Danny Irvan Custard, of Omaha, and Miss Miriam Jean Hoffman, of Chambers, on October 14. Quentin Lawrence Pojar, of Inman, and Miss Elizabeth Joan Weber, of Ewing, on October 15. Samuel E. Derickson, of Star, and Miss Nancy Lee Yantzi, of O'Neill, on October 15.

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Peterson Won't Run for Congress

Only a national emergency that would require his re-entry into the air forces or an unexpected physical condition will prevent Go. Val Peterson from serving out his term as governor, he told his Tuesday press conference.

"I do not feel that I should vacate the office of governor to which the people of this state have elected me," the governor explained.

This statement definitely ended the "draft Peterson" movement of Republican party officials as a candidate for the nomination for the Third congressional seat of the late Rep. Karl Stefan.

"I am deeply appreciative of the confidence indicated in me by members of the Third congressional district and over the state," he said in a statement. "It would be a great privilege to serve the people of my district in the house of representatives and to attempt to fill the shoes of my long-time personal and political friend, the late Karl Stefan."

The contest for a Republican candidate to the Third district congressional post became a "wide open" affair Tuesday with the firm withdrawal of Peterson from consideration.

Merle Haynes, of South Sioux City, unsuccessful candidate for state superintendent of public instruction last year, jumped into the contest.

Third district GOP Chairman Ted S. Hook, of Wayne, eliminated but put the finger of choice on: ed himself from consideration State Sen. Earl Lee, of Fremont.

State Sen. Dwight Burney, of Hartington.

District Judge Lyle Jackson, of Neligh.

Burney said he "probably would" accept the nomination if he was offered it but "I'm rather expecting Senator Lee's name will be presented."

He said he didn't want to oppose Lee and said if Lee's name is presented to the district party convention, he is certain his own name will not be presented.

Lee himself was more non-committal.

"Right now my inclination is more 'no' than 'yes,'" Lee said. "I am more against making the race."

Haynes said many northeast Nebraskans have approached him about his candidacy and he will actively work from now until convention time to get it.

Haynes took the view that Governor Peterson rejected the congressional nomination because he "already had committed himself on the senatorial race" against Sen. Hugh Butler in the spring primary.

"A good many people think he can win that race," said Haynes. "I think he had a good chance myself."

Asked if he himself would accept nomination, Hook stated: "No, I think not. I've got my affairs and business to look after. I just lost my wife which is very difficult."

"If Governor Peterson continues and runs for the senate, there is bound to be some hard feelings. It's always that way in political parties. But the Republican party in Nebraska is strong enough so that just a contest between 2 of our good men is not going to wreck the party at all. Whichever is nominated, we will



RIDE BRAHMA STEER . . . Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce, of Amelia, climbed aboard a real Brahma steer at the Yankton, S.D., pancake day celebration October 6.

Omaha Again Has Top Run

Omaha Monday ran away with top market laurels. A 42,500 run—and total supply exceeding 55,000—spreadeagled the field. It was the 6th straight Monday at the top for the Omaha market.

Western cattle and sheep predominated; western cattle and calves totaled 19,000, western sheep crowded the 15,000 mark. The sheep run was the biggest since October, 1948.

Livestock trade was unevenly steady to lower.

Fat cattle, in relatively light supply, sold steady, bulk of steers and yearlings \$32.00-\$36.00, better steers to \$38.00 and quotable top around \$39.00. Best heifers were some at \$36.00. Plain killer cattle sold down to \$28.00, some under that. Canner and cutter cows sold steady at \$17.00-\$21.00, and beef cows sold strong, toppy westerns to \$28.50, a few outstanding Wyoming \$29.00. Beef bulls again sold to \$29.50; and veal calves to \$35.00.

Stocker and feeder trade looked unevenly steady to 50c and more lower than a week earlier. Steer action was on calves. Steer calves ranged from \$35.00 to \$47.50, one drove of choice Wyoming at a record of \$48.00. Missouri Angus heifer calves brought \$41.00 and plain heifer calves sold down to \$33.00. Yearling stock steers ranged from \$31.00-\$41.00, with a few choice lightweights at a record \$42.00. Plain Holstein stock steers sold down to \$27.50. Yearling feeder steers weighing 834 brought \$38.50, a new high for that weight. Two-year-old feeder steers slowest sellers in Monday's replacement cattle trade, bulked at \$33.00-\$35.00, with better kinds to \$36.00 and plain ones down to \$30.00 and under. Medium-to-good stock heifers brought \$30.50-\$32.50 and quotable peak was \$35.00 or better.

Hogs broke 25-50c, bracketing butchers weighing 180-360 at \$19.00-\$20.85; sows weighing 270-550 at \$16.00-\$20.00; and stags at \$14.00-\$16.50.

Attend Stefan Funeral—Among those attending the funeral of the late Congressman Karl Stefan were: Mrs. Anne Asher, Mrs. Georgia Rasley, Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Sutcliff, Mrs. John Walker, of Ewing, and Miss Patty Kaiser, of Chicago, Ill.

Crowd of 500 Sees 'Horse-deo'

ROYAL — An estimated 500 persons attended the "horse-deo" staged Sunday afternoon at the Everett Johnson farm, 4½ miles northeast of Royal. The event followed a trail ride by the Antelope County Saddle club, in which about 70 riders took part, including several children on Shetland ponies.

The amphitheater for the "horse-deo" was formed by arranging about 100 automobiles in a circle.

One of the features was an exhibition by a "trick" horse owned by Mrs. Everett Johnston, and ridden by Mr. Johnston. The animal is 22 years of age, and performed various stunts as though enjoying the event.

There were many contests including barrel, sack, flag and rope-pulling events.

This was the last event of the season for the Saddle club, except that the members have accepted an invitation to take part in the Hallowesta celebration at Norfolk October 31.

Trail riders were on hand from Brunswick, Elgin, Neligh, Orchard, Tilden, Oakdale, Plainview, Walnut, Clearwater, Pleasant Valley, Royal and O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Walton and son spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lieb and daughter.

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Ramms Fail in \$2,000 Action

The fall jury term of the Holt county district court ended Tuesday night with the following results:

Robert and Eugene Ramm vs. Wilbur Moon, accounting involving livestock, the Ramms claiming \$2,000 damages because of Moon's failure to deliver 42 spring calves which they claimed to have purchased on an oral contract. The jury found for Moon.

State of Nebraska vs. Marlin R. Karr, of O'Neill, employed by Charley Peterson, of Atkinson, complaint on overloaded truck, found guilty by jury.

State of Nebraska vs. Dallas Stonebraker, of Neligh, charge for driving under influence of intoxicating liquor, pleaded guilty, \$50 fine and costs, driver's license suspended for 5 days.

Tobin Seed Co. vs. C. L. Sisson, of Ewing, replevin action involving stripping machines, settled out of court.

Loup River Public Power district-Alfred Drayton, settled out of court.

The jury heard only the Karr case and the suit involving the Ramms and Moon.

The Frontier erroneously stated last week that Holt county had an appeal from the county court against Laurence Jonas, of O'Neill, on disputed goods.

Chit and Chatter Club Meets
The Chit and Chatter club met at the home of Mrs. Le Roy Baumeister Tuesday, October 9.

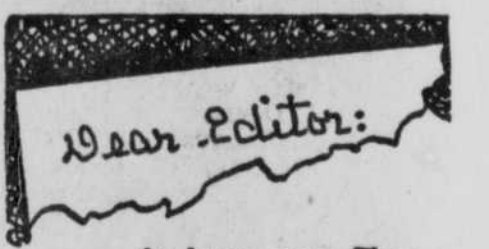
The lesson was on "Personal Credit," given by Jerry Strong.

New officers were elected: Bernadine Strong, president; Mavis Barnes, vice-president; Opal Meyers, secretary-treasurer; Betty Sanders, leader A; Jerry Strong, leader B; Claessee Sullivan, music. Donna Banks, health. Irene Baumeister, publicity.

Achievement Date Is October 19

Friday, October 19, is the date for the annual achievement program, sponsored by the Holt county council of home demonstration clubs. The affair will be held at the O'Neill public school auditorium, beginning with registration at 10 a.m.

Everyone is invited to the achievement program.



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