Terms of sale: Cash. Given under my hand this 24th day of June, 1953. LEO S. TOMJACK, Sheriff of Holt County, Nebraska.

(First pub. July 9, 1953) John R. Gallagher, Att'y IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA IN THE MATTER OF THE AP-PLICATION OF JOHN R. GALLAGHER, GUARDIAN OF (SEAL) THE ESTATE OF HELEN SIMAR, AN INCOMPETENT PERSON, FOR LICENSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE. ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE. On reading the petition duly verified of John R. Gallagher,

guardian of the estate of Helen Simar, incompetent, duly filed herewith for license to sell real estate, to-wit: Lot 14, in Block 22, in Original Town of O'Neill, Holt

County, Nebraska, and it appearing from said petition that it would be for the benefit of said incompetent if said proceeds thereof used for the IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED

all persons interested in said 1953. estate appear before me, D. R.' Mounts, Judge of the District Court of Holt County, Nebraska, at the Court House in the City of O'Neill. Holt County, Nebraska, on the 10th day of August A.D., 1953, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., to show cause if any there be why license should not be granted to the said John R. Gallagher, Guardian, to sell the said real estate above described for the purpose above set forth.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order be published at least three successive weeks before the said date of hearing in THE FRONTIER, a weekly newspaper printed, published, and of general circulation in Holt County, Nebraska. DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF JULY A.D., 1953.

D. R. MOUNTS District Judge

(First pub. July 9, 1953) NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Sealed proposals endorsed with the title of the work and the bidder's name will be received in the office of the Clerk of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, until 7:00 P.M., of the 31st day of July, 1953, for the furnishing of all labor, materials, use of contractor's equipment and plant and all else necessary to properly construct all of the improvements within Street Improvement Districts Nos. 7 and 8 of the City of O'-Neill, Nebraska.

At which hour, or as soon as possible thereafter, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Nebraska, will proceed to open in the presence of all other bidders and consider the bids received for the furnishing of such labor, materials and equipment necessary for the proper construction of the aforesaid improvements.

The Engineer's estimate of the cost of Street Improvement District No. 7 is \$36,258.96. The Engineer's estimate of the

cost of Street Improvement District No. 8 is \$36,343.68. All work called for in the

plans and specifications shall be furnished in strict accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by J. M. Thorburn, pecial Engineer for the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, whose residence is Norfolk, Nebraska, now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska. Bids will be received only upon the proposal forms furnished by the City through its Special Engineer, J. M. Thorburn, of Norfolk, Nebraska. Separate bids are required for each Street Im-

provement District. Each bid must be accompanied



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by a certified check on a bank whose deposits are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation in the amount of five per cent (5%) of the total Fund July 13th, 1953:

Figure per cent (5%) of the total Fund July 13th, 1953:

total bid price. Each contractor bidding upon the work described in this Notice, at the same time as the filing of the bid, shall file with the Mayor and City Council of the City of O'Neill, Nebraska, a statement that he is complying DeBacker Names with fair labor standards as defined in Section 73-104 R.S. Nebraska, 1943, in pursuit of his business and in the execution of the contract on which he is bidding, and there shall be written into the contract for the construction of the work referred to herein a provision that in the execution of such contract fair labor standards as so defined will be maintained.

Plans and specifications and amined at the office of the City may be procured from the office of the Engineer, J. M. Thorburn, and Wendell Nelson. P.O. Box 38, Norfolk, Nebraska, upon the payment of \$15.00, none of which will be returned.

The City of O'Neill, Nebraska, reserves the right to waive informalities and to reject any or Dated this 7th day of July,

THE CITY OF O'NEILL, By O. D. FRENCH

City Clerk

(First pub. July 9, 1953) Julius D. Cronin, Attorney NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT OF COUNTY COURT OF HOLT

COUNTY, NEBRASKA. ESTATE OF CHARLEY ROSS, DECEASED. THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, TO ALL CONCERNED:

Notice is hereby given that a will work i petition has been filed for final committees. settlement herein, determination real estate should be sold and the of heirship, inheritance taxes, fees and commissions, distribumaintenance and benefit of the tion of estate and approval of fi- Haynes was reelected secretary nal account and discharge, which at a salary of \$75 per month. will be for hearing in this court BY THE COURT that the next on July 29, 1953, at 10 o'clock, for the year just ended follows: of kin of said incompetent and A.M. Entered this 2d day of July, LOUIS W. REIMER

County Judge (COUNTY COURT SEAL) 10-12 Balance of turkey day

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF O'NEILL

The following is an estimate of the expenses of the City of O'-Neill, Nebraska, for the fiscal year commencing the first Tuesday in May, 1953, and ending the first Tuesday in May, 1954. Wages and Salaries as provided by Ordi-

\$ 12,000.00 nance Maintenance of Water Works 8,500.00 Maintenance of Police Department Operation of Water Works Street Lighting \_\_ Maintenance, Street

Construction and repair of walks and Sewer Improvement Bonds, principal and interest Water Improvement Bonds, principal and interest Maintenance of Fire 1,500.00

Maintenance of Sewer 1,500.00 System Improvement of Sewer 5,000.00 System 750.00 Support of Band 750.00 Municipal Publicity 1,500.00 Parks and Grounds 1,500.00 Support of Airport 10,000.00 Miscellaneous Swimming Pool Bonds 5,000.00 Park Improvement 35,000.00

Bonds

Pavement Bonds

City Clerk

\$210,100.00 Entire receipts of revenue for the fiscal year ending the first Tuesday in May, 1953, was as Water Collections \_\_\_\_\$ 20,000.00 Holt Co. Treaosurer\_

Licenses, Occupation Taxes, etc. Other Resources of Swimming 5,000.00 Pool Bonds Sale of Park Improvement Bonds

Sale of Pavement Dis-.75,000.00 trict Bonds \$201,800.00 J. E. DAVIS, ATTEST: O. D. FRENCH,

(Frst pub. July 16, 1953) John R. Gallagher, Attorney NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT OF

ACCOUNTY
COUNTY COURT OF HOLT
COUNTY, NEBRASKA. ESTATE OF TOM WHITE

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, TO ALL CONCERNED: Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed for final settlement herein, determination of heirship, inheritance taxes, fees and commissions, distribution of estate and approval of final account and discharge, which will be for hearing in this court on August 5th, 1953, at 10 o'clock, A.M. Entered this 14th day of

July, 1955. LOUIS W. REIMER County Judge. (COUNTY COURT SEAL) 11-13

Electric Service ...

Western Auto Store, Sander and Supplies.....

> HENRY J. LOHAUS, President IRA H. MOSS,

Haynes Is Reelected Secretary

The new president of the Chambers of Commerce, G. C. DeBacker, has named the following standing committees for the from most of the 93 counties had contract documents may be ex- new year, which began July 1: amined at the office of the City Pancake day — Henry Lofflin, Clerk of O'Neill, Nebraska, and Melvin Ruzicka, Marvin Johnson, J. Ed Hancock, R. V. Lucas Auditing—J. B. Grady, J. Leo Moore and Ed Wilson.

Membership-Carroll W. Stewart, R. V. Lucas, John Stuifbergen, Paul Beha and William Wat- even though a majority of the

Retail sales—Joe Stutz, Wendell Nelson, R. V. Lucas, George Janousek and Claude Wiley.

Counties this year insisted on calling their last year's valuations 50 per cent this year.

3. In a majority of counties Yuletide window unveiling— William Watson, H. W. Heriford and Mrs. Georgia Rasley.

er and C. E. A. Johnson. Christmas treats-John R. Gallagher, William Watson and Norman Gonderinger.

Stocker-feeder show and sale -Henry Lohaus, James W. Rooney, Lyle P. Dierks and A. Neii Yule street decorations-Mel-

vin Ruzicka and Felix Roberts. U.S. highway 281 committeeman and William McIntosh.

American Legion club, Laurence value-fixing basis. The Chamber's financial report | Parade-

Balance from last year \$ 430.06 Membership dues Pancake day 835.93 City of O'Neill

EXPENSES Secretary's salary, June of last year included \$ Pancake day Stocker-feeder show and Advertising (except pancake day) Christmas treats Advertising for pancake 4-H achievement day .... Band to Wayne 9,500.00 Miscellaneous (stamps, cards, letters, etc.) 3,600.00 Boys' state representa-

National dues Over - ride on county official day 14,500.00 U.S. Highway 20 dues.... 4-H fun night Second place trophy for Holt county basketball tournament Band treats Pop for eighth grade 7.10 graduation Prizes for judges on 5.94 Christmas windows

> New Auxiliary Officers Installed

Total

Balance

75,000.00

\$3,027.82

STUART-The new officers of the American Legion auxiliary were installed at a recent meetpresident; Earlene Meininger,

They are: Loretta Hoffman, vice-president; Elaine Kaup, secretary; Edith Kunz, treasurer; Myrna Shald, chaplain; Mary Kunz, historian; Kathleen Hamik, sergeant-at-arms.

The executive committee includes Loretta Schneider, Lillie Olberding and Grace Weichman.
Committee chairmen appointed
by the president are: Child weifare-Grace Weichman; poppy-Noma Hall; baby gifts-Loretta Schneider; convalescent cards— Earlene Meininger; publicity— Mary Shald.

Newspaper Guild Nominates Olson-

ATKINSON-Clarence A. Olson, former Atkinson man who has been a reporter for a Sioux City newspaper for several years, was nominated as a candidate for international vice-president at large by the International Newspaper guild at its convention in Boston, Mass., recently. The se-lection will be held by mail in

Olson, who is president of the Sioux City chapter of the guild, was a delegate to the convention in Boston. He was accompanied on the Eastern trip by his wife and children, Joan and James, and Mr. Olson's sister, Miss Irene Olson of Omaha.

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# Figures Under Attack

The Frontier's Statehouse Correspondent

LINCOLN—The state board of equalization this week began weeding through all the data from March, 1952 to the 1953 in Duel, Logan, Box Butte, Buffalo, Harlan, Webster, Antelope, Dixon, Dakota, Thurston, Cumgiven it by most of the 93 count- assessment time in March. Many ing, Keya Paha, Stanton, Madies at assessment hearings, seek- of these counties according to the ison, Colfax, Dodge, Burt, Washing the answers to this year's tax commissioner's chart would ington, Adams, Hamilton, Polk, equalization effort.

Its decisions to raise valuations in many counties and possibly with the 50 per cent mark.

Highly, Adams, Hamilton, Folk, Butler and Sarpy. He commended ed efforts made by numerous other counties, even though the

lower them in a few cases will Crosby, whose home county of 50 per cent mark wasn't reached. have a far-reaching effect. It Lincoln is in the west end, shook will mark the first time a state his head at week's end and est-that "the full effort" was made board has taken so much action since the depression years when assessments in some counties some of those counties." Also due didn't intend to leave them were cut. The nearest to it was for a raise were town lots and "high and dry." last year's action which raised improvement in many eastern valuations of farmlands in 19 western Nebraska counties.

But at the end of the hearings by the counties and before the state board went into closed sess-C of C Committees state board went into closed session to consider what to do, Gov. Robert Crosby said:

"We must get the assess-ments of all the counties as even as a tabletop. These six days of hearings have proved that beyond a doubt,"

Crosby, chairman of the state board, said hearing testimony convinced him of three things. 1. Degrees of inequality of assessment between the counties, proving the indication of this from computations by the state tax commissioner's office.

2. Many counties had their assessments below the 50 per cent called for by the new law, counties this year insisted on

farmland owners have been paying taxes on a higher per cent of the value of their property erk Turkey day—A. P. Jaszkowiak, than have people in town. This, 10-12 Richard Schmidt, Ray Shelhamtoo, had been indicated by tax commissioner's computations.

The tax commissioner's figures —which are based on a compar-ison of sales figures to the assessed value of the properties sold -were under heavy attack by the representatives of many counties.

But Crosby said the hearings had convinced him that they Carroll W. Stewart, Fred Heer- make a "sound approach" for comparing town with country The officers of the Chamber read estate. He has used averages will work in cooperation with all of sales prices of the past five years for comparison purposes At a directors' meeting held but insisted that these would last Thursday evening at the not necessarily be the final

It was a fascinating parade of counties, beginning with Sioux hind and mostly spent their time \$1,700.00 cattle country to Richardson in prices, insisting that the past 122.51 | varieties of the Nebra omy, its folk, and its county not be used for comparison purofficials were all amply present-\$3,403.25 ed in the six days of hearings.

One of the first speakers, Sen. Monroe Bixler of Harrison, suggested Crosby call a special session of the legislature to make a attacking the tax commissioner's new method of figuring values. comparison or trying to defend 500.00 Crosby told reporters it was their own lack of action. A fam-"obviously too late" and Bixler's iliar argument was that the fellow-legislators felt the same when newsmen telephoned them. But that same criticism of the present method of determining values—by sales prices— was to because a county has been a little supreme court has said this is seems to me no excuse for us a supreme court has said this is seems to me no excuse for us a the basis for fixing values and state board to do nothing." He that the remedy must await leg-

County officials from the cattle country stoutly maintained that land prices there are pegged to ultimately these were the most the price of cattle and since this compelling reasons for equalhas slipped disastrously in the ization by the board. past year, their land is worth less

counties where farm real estate in many cases has borne twice as much of its share of the tax load as town real estate has. From a number of counties such as Boone, Hall, Sherman, Richardson and Otoe, farm organizations appeared to ask the state board to hike town real estate in their counties since their own county boards of equalization didn't do the job.

Some assessors had sharp words for the way mer-chants and industry owners in the bigger towns turn in their business inventories. Outstate assessors charged that Lincoln and Omaha businesses don't carry their fair share of the state tax because full returns of property aren't made.

And Buftalo County Assessor Wilbur Houtchens of Kearney, described by State Tax Commissioner Norris Anderson as "one of Nebraska's outstanding assessors," said that a spot check of business inventory returns in his county against the federal income tax returns for those same businesses had convinced him "about 50 per cent are cheating by not listing full returns." Crosby said he was at a loss as what to do about the whole question of personal property returns. A blanket raise of some personal property categories— such at house-hold goods—would only penalize the person who was honest and still leave scot-free the citizen who didn't turn in what he should have. The governor said this was something he intended to study strongly, however.

The counties came in by districts - which had the value of allowing officials to hear what their neighbors were contending. The counties left all their Chamber of Commerce propaganda betimes in their counties and should | Celebra prove their counties were que." Counties which had done also presented to Mrs. Billings. nothing to comply with the new law spent much time either county was still in the process of equalization and the state board should let it alone. But Crosby said that "just

added, "We can't permit outstanding counties which have Crosby warmly praised efforts

imated there would have to be by at least one county in every some "drastic re-adjustment in area of the state. He added he

## **Ewing News**

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Conner have as their guests this week their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Nothen, and four children from California.

Lloyd Black and his son, Lloyd, ir., and Milton Biddlecome are helping with the haying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester

Rev. W. J. Bomer of the United Presbyterian church is having a month's vacation, beginning this week. He is making daily trips Flood spent the weekend in Norto the Van Horn ranch, assisting in the hay fields. Mrs. Wilma Daniels was pleas-

antly surprised at her home on Tuesday afternoon, July 14, when Mrs. Don Petersen Sunday evefriends and relatives arrived to ning for a barbecue were Mr. join her in celebrating her birth-day anniversary. The birthday and Mrs. William Mattern and cake was baked by Miss Minnie Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Worcester. Neiderheide of Clearwater. The cake and other gifts were presented to Mrs. Daniels. Guests were Mrs. George Jefferies and Bonnie Jo, Mrs. Wulf, Mrs. Herbert Kirschmier and Larry and Miss Neiderheide of Clearwater.

Mrs. James Earley, jr. On Wednesday, July 15, Mrs. George Jefferies, Mrs. Wilma Daniels and Mrs. Mark Muff attended the Clearwater Creek extension club meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Manuel Fredericks at Norfolk, a former nember of the club.

Carolyn Muff returned to her come in O'Neill on Tuesday, July 14, after spending several days in Ewing visiting with relatives. Her cousin, Patricia Wright, accompaned her and is a guest at the Muff home.

Jerry and Jimmy Tams returned home Friday from O'Neill where they had spent the week visiting relatives.

Mary Maud Huffman was a guest at the Huffman ranch last

Mrs. Earl Billings celebrated her birthday anniversary on Fricounty in the far northwest moaning about a decline in day. In the evening Mrs. John Wunner, Mrs. Grace Briggs and 314.75 the southeastern corn belt. The five years were special boom Mrs. John Archer dropped in to poses, and in general tried to Refreshments were served by the self - invited guests. Gifts were

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Billings attended a family dinner on Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kimes of Clearwater. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Billings' birthday anniversary which was July 17. Other guests were the Kimes' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lucas, and family of Clearwater.

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# Dr. Fisher, Dentist

In the Bishop Block-Norfolk Office Phone: 610 Res. Phone: 2842

# HOLT COUNTY **ABERDEEN - ANGUS**

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Leaving Page 10 a.m., Saturday, July 25, touring northeast Holt county. Entertainment Saturday evening-8 o'clock-in new arena one mile east of O'Neill under the lights by O'Neill Saddle Club.

Leaving Amelia 10 a.m., Sunday, July 26, visiting commercial and purebred Angus herds in southwest Holt. Lunch at the Blaine Garwood ranch, ending at 4:30 p.m., at Swan Lake. W. W. Derrick, U. of N. college of agriculture animal husbandry, will summarize the tour, and the group will be entertained by the Sand Hill Billies 4-H club.

THE FRONTIER, O'Neill, Nebr., Thurs., July 23, 1953.—PAGE

### O'Neill News

Mr. and Mrs. John Donohoe took their son, Pvt. Donald Don-ohoe, and Pvt. Wayne Barnes of Wayne will go to Camp Kilmer, N.J. Mr. and Mrs. Donohoe re-

turned Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. James A. Clepper and family of Lubbock, Tex., arrived Saturday for a four-day visit at the home of Mrs. Clepper's sister, Mrs. A. P. Jaszkowak, and family. On Tuesday they went to Gordon where they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry De-Wolf, parents of Mrs. Clepper.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Hunter and Mrs. Carrie Hunter of Oregon, formerly of O'Neill, were Monday visitors at the H. W. Tomlinson home. They went on to Dor-sey where they will visit the Carson sisters and other friends and relatives

Cpl. Raymond Walters of Ft. Bragg, N.C., arrived last Thursday for a 23-day furlough with his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walters, at Chambers. Mrs. Walters is living at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wolfe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edward folk visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hansen and son and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wolfe and family. Guests at the home of Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Earley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chambers and daughter, Joanne, of Fremont were Sunday visitors at the homes of Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Mary Lois Kelly of Omaha spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James

James Earley, sr., and Mr. and

#### Paul Shierk's Mother Dies at Age of 86

Mrs. Sarah Shierk, 86, mother of Paul Shierk, O'Neill automobile dealer, died at 4:30 a.m., Fri-Emmet, to Kansas City, Mo., on report to Ft. Lewis, Wash., and Tuesday. From there Donald will last spring and had been an in-

valid since that time. Funeral services were conducted Monday at Bridgewater, S.D. The late Mrs. Shierk was born at Leaf River, Ill., in 1868. Survivors include four sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shierk attended the rites.

WD- Emma J and Dorothy Vahle to Robert G Horner 7-15-53 \$500- Lot 3 Blk 18- Bitney's

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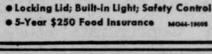
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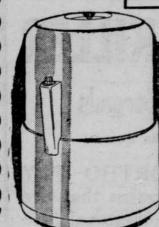
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