

### Amelia People Spark Small School Fight

#### 400 Attend Meeting at Rushville

AMELIA—Lloyd Waldo, president of the Nebraska Small Schools association, drove to Grant Friday to speak at an organizational meeting there. Earlier he spoke to 400 persons in a session at Rushville in Sheridan county, where compulsory re-districting is also being opposed.

Clyde Widman and Harlan Dierking conducted a similar meeting in Rock county, at Bassett, last Thursday night. Only opposition at Bassett to the Small Schools stand was voiced by persons related to a member of the state department of education staff.

A desperate effort is being made to save the rural schools and small high schools, according to Miss Florence Lindsey, The Frontier's Amelia correspondent.

**Other Amelia News**  
Larry Kennedy expected to leave Monday, January 7, for

Riverside, Calif., to find employment.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Thompson and Barbara Sue were new year's guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bus Gilman.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fullerton were hosts to the young adults at the church annex Friday evening.  
Mrs. Clyde Doolittle entertained several friends at a party Sunday evening in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gilman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adair, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Adair, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rees.  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Briggs and son of Rose visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Heinnie Frahm, on Saturday. Mrs. Maude Forbes, mother of the ladies, also visited there.  
Mrs. Marvin Doolittle and little son, Rodney, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Skala, near Howells since new year's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bus Gilman were guests Thursday evening at Elmer Otter's.  
Mrs. Alice Prewitt and family drove to Mullen Sunday, December 30, to take her father, Luther Phipps, to the home of his son, Lyle Phipps, where he has been making his home.

### Amelia News

Mrs. Delia Ernst arrived home Sunday from Wichita, Kans., where she spent the holidays with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ernst. Mrs. Stella Sparks met her at the bus.  
Mr. and Mrs. Blake Ott were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. Gloria Landrum, and Sally at their home in Atkinson.  
New year's day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Backhaus were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Blackmore and little grand-daughter, Connie Beckwith, Mr. and Mrs. William Fryrear, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Berry and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Mrs. Emma Lindsey and Florence and Mrs. Edith Anderson.  
Glenn Whites, S. C. Barnett and Ralph Rees were at O'Neill callers Saturday.  
Mrs. Edgar Jungman has been visiting relatives in Omaha. She returned home Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rees and family of Erickson were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gilman were new year's eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson.  
The Harlan Dierking family is enjoying a new Buick car.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson and daughter, Marilyn, returned Monday, December 31, from Scottsbluff where they had visited Mr. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Lula Carpenter, and her daughter, Mrs. Dick (Wanda) Selby and family, Darrel Carpenter and his family of Sedro Woolley, Wash., were also visiting his mother, Mrs. Carpenter.  
The Amelia Methodist congregation was well represented at a cantata presented by the Chambers choir Sunday morning at the church there.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Marcellus and daughters of Pico, Calif., and Art Waldman were new year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peterson. The Marcelluses left the following day for their home. Mr. Waldman expected to go to California by train but was unable to get a reservation. He is visiting his sister and brother at Lincoln.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adair spent new year's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter.

**Mrs. Larson Is Hostess**  
EWING—Those who spent Christmas day with Mrs. Minnie Larson in Ewing were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harrod, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harrod and daughter, Cathy, all of Burwell; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peters of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. Cressel Anderson and sons of Bloomfield; Mr. and Mrs. Wes Larson and family of Ewing, and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Larson and family of O'Neill.  
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graham were Mr. and Mrs. Berton Kimbell of Osmond, Mr. and Mrs. David Maughan of Tilden, who had been visiting her parents, the Grahams, for five weeks, returned to their home in Tilden Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Haun, Carol and Joyce of Coleridge were new year's evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Edwards and family.  
Miss Genevieve Biglin returned to Sioux City Friday. She had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Cronin.

### Leaves Pentagon Post for College

#### Glen Ridgeway Makes Surprise Visit

CELLA—Glen Ridgeway of Washington, D.C., a nephew of the Lauridsen brothers, surprised them new year's day by stopping at the Hans Lauridsen home. He was enroute to Missoula, Mont., where he expected to enroll in college January 7.  
He had attended school there for two years and his education was interrupted to enter military service.  
He worked in the Pentagon building for the past three years. He left Wednesday, January 2, for school.

**Other Celia News**  
The Sunday school class of Mrs. Mark Hendricks held a "watch night" at their home on new year's eve. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. David Rahn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and family, Joe Hendricks and children, Rev. Charles Phipps, Steinkamp, Rev. Charles Phipps, Connie Hitchcock and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Orr.  
Mark Hendricks sawed wood for the Celia Pinochle club met at the Duane Beck home Friday evening. William Maloun and Mrs. Emily Coffack were high bidders. Billy Milner and LeRoy Hoffman won low and Mrs. LeRoy Hoffman and Denton Colfack won high scores.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Maloun and son were new year's dinner guests at the C. A. Hammerberg home.  
Bobby Knudsen spent Saturday at the George Mittle home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Duane Waldrop spent new year's day at the home of Mrs. George Peabody in Dallas, S.D.  
Markita Hendricks spent Sunday with Vivian Thurlow.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Maloun and son, Dorothy Scott and Gerold Heiser were new year's eve guests at the Duane Beck home.  
Mrs. Alice Hill was a Sunday, December 30, dinner guest at the LeRoy Hoffman home.  
Harold Fricke was an overnight guest at the LeRoy Hoffman home Wednesday, December 26.  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lauridsen and family spent Wednesday, January 2, at the Hans Lauridsen home.  
Duane Waldrop spent Monday, December 31, to Friday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Poynts.  
Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hoffman and sons were Thursday evening guests at the Duane Beck home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beck and Sheryl were Saturday supper guests at the George Beck home.  
On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Leonard Chaffin and Mrs. Connie Fricke visited the Milton McKathnie home and made up the

year books for the Celia Homemakers club.  
Alex Forsythe returned home Saturday from a month's visit at Nogales, Ariz., with his sister, Mrs. Lou Beliman and family.  
Dorothy Scott was a Sunday dinner guest at the William Maloun home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Denton Mellor of Cody were Monday evening supper guests at the Leonard Chaffin home.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Maloun and son were Sunday evening guests at the Duane Beck home.  
Alex Forsythe was a Saturday visitor at the William Maloun home.

### Ladely, Carson Birthdays Noted

DORSEY—A card party was held in honor of Albert Ladely's and Albert Carson's birthday anniversaries, which fell during the first week of January.  
The young people went ice skating while the oldsters played cards.  
High men's score went to Harold Osborn; low to Willard Alm. High score for the ladies went to Mrs. Veldon Pinkerman and low went to Mrs. Harold Osborn.  
A lunch was served at midnight.

**Other Dorsey News**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coakley and family left Friday for their home in Lebanon, Ore., after having spent several days here visiting friends and relatives. They especially made the trip back here to see Mrs. Coakley's mother, who had undergone surgery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wells and Susan visited at the Harold Osborn home Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Millard. The Osborns were not home as they were attending a party.  
Supper guests at the Harold Osborn home Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Marston and

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greene of Lynch. The group later in the evening enjoyed Mr. Marston's movies he had taken at various points of interest in the Midwest.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Alder and Russell spent new year's eve with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Marston.  
The Dorsey aid society met at the home of Mrs. Anna Carson on Wednesday, January 2.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carson and family visited Sunday at the Willard Alm home.  
There is no school at the Dorsey district for a few days, as the teacher is ill.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Miles and family spent new year's eve at the Willard Alm home. They were supper guests there also.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Hurd of Lynch were new year's day dinner guests at the Claude Pickering home.

### O'Neill News

Mrs. Lawrence Urban and Rose Mary went to Missouri Valley, Ia., over the holidays to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles King.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Savidge went to Merriman on business Wednesday, December 26.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haggerty came from Casper, Wyo., for the holidays to visit her mother, Mrs. Susan Kubitchek, Thursday, December 27, they left with Mrs. Kubitchek for a month's tour of Florida and Texas and other southern states.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Seymour drove Miss Rose Ann Schaffer to the Sacred Heart School of Nursing at Yankton, S.D., Sunday, where she is a student.  
Miss Ann Waters returned Friday to Omaha after having spent

the holidays with her sisters, Mrs. William J. Biglin and Mrs. Margaret Boler.  
Miss Barbara Birmingham returned last Thursday to Denver, Colo., after having spent the holidays with her parents, the H. J. Birmingham. She will start teaching the second semester.  
Mrs. John Bellin, accompanied by her parents of Springfield and other relatives, left Wednesday, January 2, to attend the funeral of her aunt at Colorado Springs, Colo. They returned Saturday evening.  
Sunday Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Brittell went to Valentine to help their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Fernau, and Joyce move from Neligh. Little Joyce had been with her grand-

parents since last Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carpenter and daughter were in Hartington with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lammers, for new year's.  
The Misses Jean and Janet Devoy and Patricia Gleeson were in Sioux City for the new year's weekend.  
Don and Bud Godel were in Omaha on business Sunday and Monday.

**Edw. M. Gleeson**  
DENTIST  
2d Floor Gilligan  
Rexall Bldg.  
Ph. 240 - Box 149 - Hrs. 8:30-5

## . . DANCE . .

American Legion Ball Room  
— O'Neill —

Saturday, January 12th

Music by  
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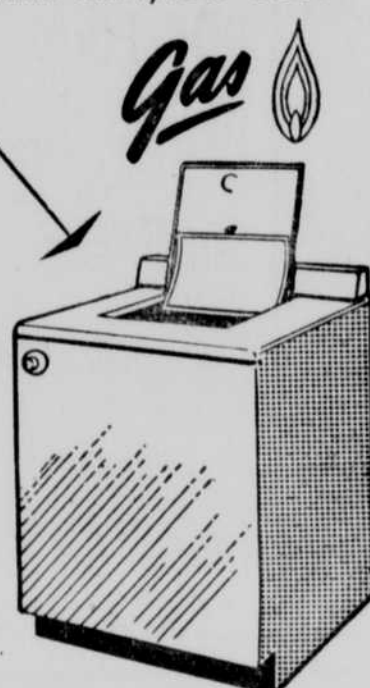
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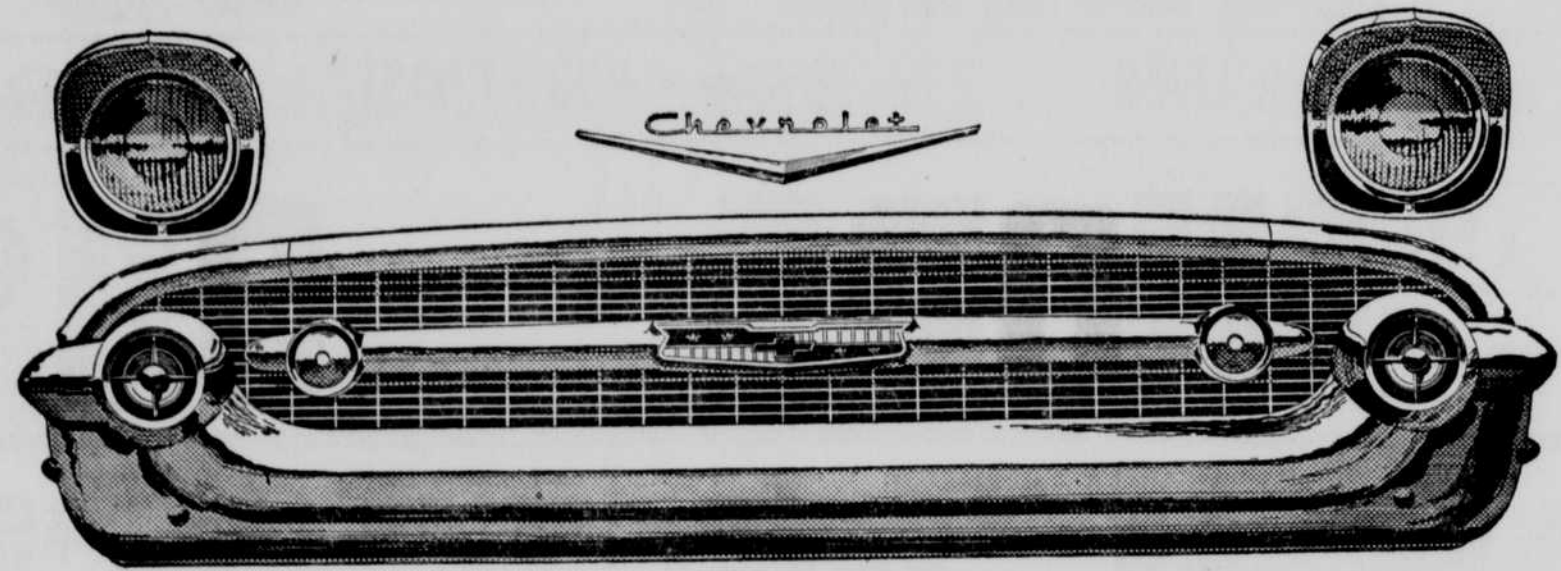
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### Income Tax

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## County Treasurer's Semi-Annual Statement HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Funds	Balance July 1 1956	Receipts 7-1-56 to 12-24-56	Transfers from other funds	Transfers to other funds	Disburs. 7-1-56 to 12-24-56	Balances December 24 1956
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>						
General	\$ 5,181.42	94,775.38	2,710.60		92,557.78	10,109.62
Intangible	180.19	2,410.21			2,020.85	549.55
Univ. Hospital	72.97	1,257.13	38.54		1,246.61	122.03
Care of Insane	1,245.60	23,832.14	659.44		23,067.90	2,669.28
Care of Feeble Minded	252.70	5,332.89	141.31		5,103.15	623.75
Veterans Aid	7.27				7.27	
Special Building	861.67	16,639.48	471.03		16,189.50	1,782.68
Service Amnuty	390.62	7,512.14	214.11		7,306.57	810.30
Medical College Building	195.30	3,756.07	107.05		3,653.27	405.15
School Land	9,708.16	27,050.95			31,250.26	5,508.85
University Land	628.45	1,837.65			2,324.65	141.45
Highway Supervision	46.16	236.08			273.38	8.86
Highway Maintenance	720.04	3,682.80			4,264.64	138.20
Highway - 75% Overweight Fines	120.00	120.00			120.00	
Drivers Licenses	75.80	438.00			460.50	53.30
Old Age Tax	637.11	5,739.74			5,154.61	1,222.24
Special Bee	1.25	46.31				47.56
Tow Permits		10.00			10.00	
<b>STATE AND FEDERAL FUNDS</b>						
Old Age Assistance	2,847.18	82,203.80	197.60		80,539.20	4,709.38
Aid, Dependent Children	561.65	18,520.60	60.00	60.00	18,113.00	969.25
Aid, Blind	381.20	7,445.00			7,316.00	510.20
Aid, Disabled	125.00	6,363.80			6,013.60	415.20
Admin. Expense	449.50	7,886.05			7,726.46	471.49
<b>COUNTY FUNDS</b>						
General	97,834.91	59,720.43	2,192.44		75,957.95	83,789.83
Bridge	49,371.48	25,814.80	372.55		43,570.39	31,988.44
Road	17,431.97	51,338.62			63,083.38	5,687.21
Road-Bridge	4,090.04	12,247.07			9,702.14	6,634.97
Mail Route	28,944.22	39,327.92			63,838.04	4,434.10
Soldiers and Sailors Relief	2,065.55	209.30	4.29		2,279.14	
Unem. Relief	7,581.86	2,303.27	55.66		2,162.01	7,778.78
Medical and Hospitalization	4,781.00	5,711.29	119.90		7,308.40	3,303.79
Fair	2,618.86	2,119.98	29.97		3,000.00	1,768.81
Mothers Pension	1,072.12				1,072.12	
Delinquent Tax Fund	29.91				29.91	
Inheritance Tax	19,466.18	1,646.51			23.46	21,089.23
Advertising		388.20		388.20		
Misc. Fees		209.05		209.05		
Drivers License		36.50		36.50		
Partial Payment	2,116.07	228.93			756.94	1,588.06
Int. on Investments	15,467.77	2,415.00				17,882.77
Tax Sale Forclosure	3,305.52					3,305.52
Noxious Weed	3,373.10	1,157.20				4,530.30
Tax Sale Redemptions	17.00	4,961.90				801.55
Motor Vehicle Tax-Undistributed	14,305.73	4,021.05		18,034.49	292.29	
Trust Fund	50.00				50.00	
<b>PRECINCT FUNDS</b>						
General	59,960.98	41,758.16	3,329.20		52,335.00	52,713.34
Library	1,221.48	1,864.62	58.09		2,360.00	784.19
Poll Tax		2,230.38		2,230.38		
Fire Districts	340.46	2,925.73				3,266.19
<b>SCHOOL FUNDS</b>						
General	238,214.43	233,991.50	16,658.35	4,767.28	266,908.04	217,188.96
Bond	18,398.96	11,390.92	5,093.06	1,590.36	16,534.91	16,757.67
Free High	30,719.09	66,293.48	1,756.65		756.00	98,013.22
State Apportionment		7,906.95		7,906.95		
Fines and Licenses		557.11		557.11		
Miscellaneous						
Estray		17.76				17.76
Blanket School						
<b>VILLAGE FUNDS</b>						
General	32,297.69	34,886.42	8,236.57		53,360.00	22,060.68
Water Bond	9,964.13	8,265.48	82.67		6,800.38	11,511.90
Funding Bond	11.24					11.24
Sewer Bond	9,813.25	3,878.63	127.51	233.10	10,880.60	2,725.69
Atkinson Park Bond	4,530.57	894.56	44.93		4,048.92	1,421.14
Atkinson Municipal Bldg. Bd.		812.58			450.00	362.58
O'Neill Swimming Pool Bond (OD)	305.13	529.53	13.40		16.25	221.55
O'Neill Park Bond	507.44	1,927.17	58.97		2,211.25	281.43
O'Neill Dist. Paving Bond	4,103.67	6,882.73			8,390.40	2,596.00
O'Neill Intersection Paving Bond	20,161.80	5,043.48	178.65		228.00	25,155.93
O'Neill Street Widening Bond		441.01				441.01
Gas tax		5,022.90		5,022.90		
Poll tax		822.88		822.88		
Auto License		894.84		894.84		
	\$728,430.35	\$ 970,234.30	43,011.64	\$43,011.64	\$1,013,781.30	\$684,883.35
Balance July 1, 1956		728,430.35			684,883.35	
Balance December 24, 1956					\$1,698,664.65	\$1,698,664.65

Bank Balances \$504,260.01  
Cash and Checks in Office 5,623.34  
Invested in Government Bonds 175,000.00  
**\$684,883.35**

### UNALLOWED CLAIMS ON FILE IN COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE ON DECEMBER 15, 1956

Road Fund \$7,335.08  
Registered Warrants December 24, 1956 Road Fund \$13,601.01

STATE OF NEBRASKA, }  
COUNTY OF HOLT } SS.  
I, J. Ed Hancock, County Treasurer of Holt County, Nebraska, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of receipts, transfers, disbursements and balances is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of December, 1956.  
(SEAL) J. ED. HANCOCK, County Treasurer  
KENNETH WARING, County Clerk

## A. MARCELLUS CHEVROLET CO.