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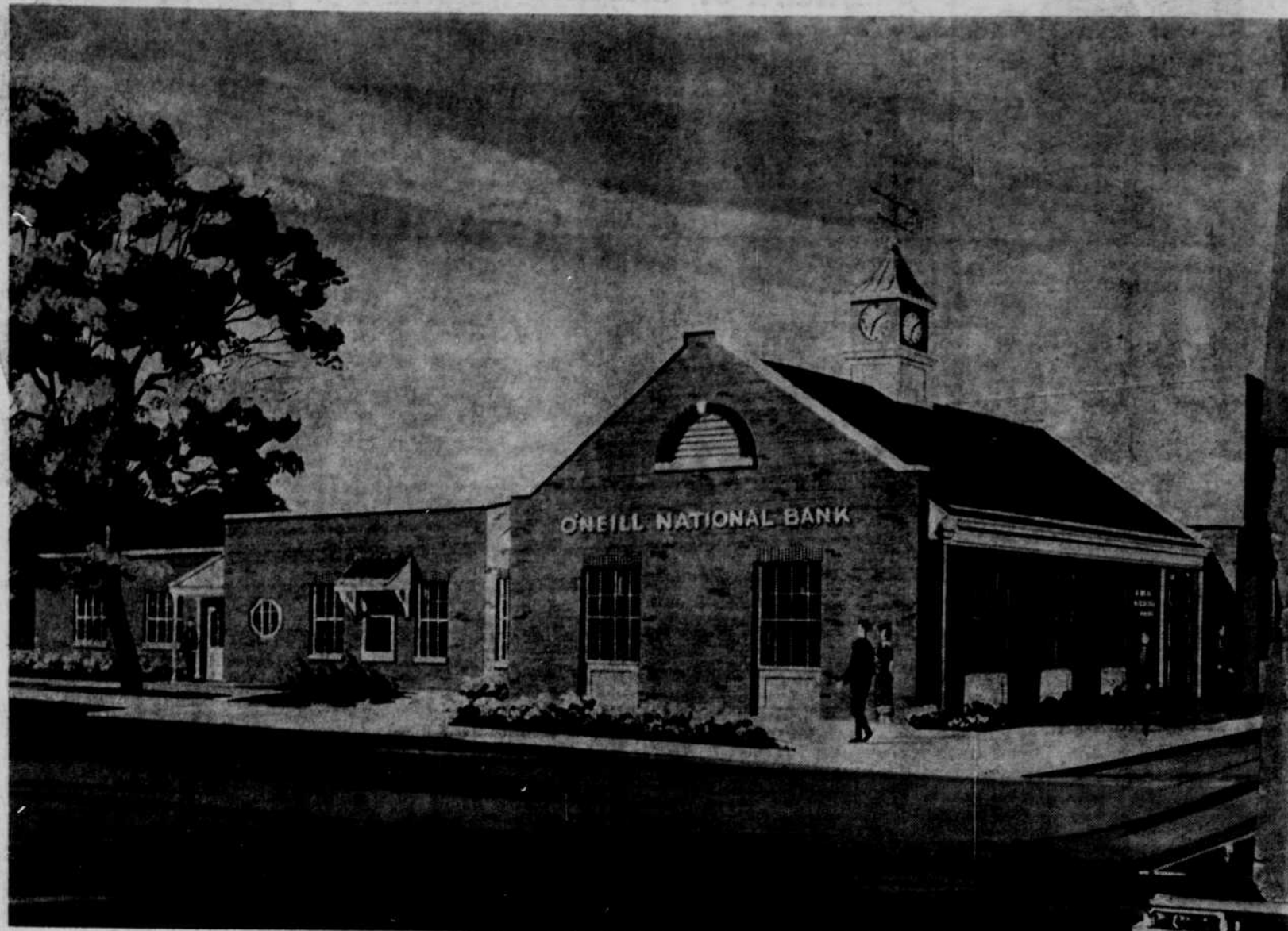
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O'NEILL NATIONAL BANK'S new bank building is under construction at the corner of Fifth and Douglas streets. The Colonial-styled structure will be 116 x 45 feet with a drive-in banking window on the east side. The rear of the building will house J. D. Cronin's

### Carolyn Max To Join Tour Group

PAGE—Carolyn Max, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Max Jr., will go to Omaha Sunday where she will join the Nebraska group of delegates at the "Degree in the Hills" near Florence for a get-together and picnic prior to the early departure Monday by bus on the "United Nation's Pilgrimage for Youth" tour.

Carolyn's sponsors are the Friendship Rebekah and the Odd Fellow Lodges of Page.

Their itinerary will include a visit to the site of Lincoln's immortal Gettysburg Address, the Arlington National cemetery at Arlington where they will witness the changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the White House and other buildings and sites of national interest. They will visit Ft. McHenry at Baltimore, the scene of the writing of "The Star Spangled Banner," the Valley Forge Park at Valley Forge, Pa., and Independence Hall, Liberty Bell and the Betsy Ross House at Philadelphia.

Six days, July 22 to 28, will be spent as Delegates of "United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth" in New York City. They will be guests in the Sheraton-Atlantic Hotel while there.

The return trip will include Hyde Park, the F. D. Roosevelt Estate, Vanderbilt Mansion, Niagara Falls, New York and Ontario, Canada, the Greenfield Village at Dearborn, Mich., and the Museum of Science and Industry.

They will arrive at Omaha, Wednesday, August 1.

### Cub Pack 210 Plans Food Auction Saturday

Looking for an auction? Don't look any farther than the corner of 4th and Douglas Saturday at 7:00 p.m. when cub pack 210 will hold a food auction.

The auction is to be held for money used for craft materials to help plan for the coming year and thru the winter. Donations will be accepted for food. Phone 582 or 686 for pick-up or further information.

### Social Security

Mr. Gail Robert, field representative of the Norfolk social security office, will be in the Assembly Room of the Courthouse in O'Neill from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 18.

## O'Neill's Senior Citizens Home on Move Again

O'Neill's Senior Citizens home has been delayed by government red tape, according to a letter from R. H. Golden, general manager for Senior Citizens Home, Inc.

In a letter to Howard Manson Tuesday, Golden explained that the O'Neill unit should go to FHIA for processing about August 1. Delays in processing the Oxford unit have held up the O'Neill building, he said.

His letter to Manson follows: "There have been in the past few months unavoidable delays in processing the Oxford Senior Citizens home through FHIA. And, as of yesterday, it appears the project will be out of FHIA no later than August 1, 1962."

"The O'Neill project was given to the architect about a month ago to set the building on the

### Builders Class To Sponsor Family Picnic

Builders class of the Methodist church are sponsoring a family picnic at Ford Park, Sunday, July 15, at 6:30 p.m.

Families are to bring their own service and covered dishes. Grills will be available for hot dogs and hamburgers. Anyone owning an ice cream freezer is asked to bring it ready to freeze at the park.

### Marion Rosenkrans Earns Spot on Dean's List at Evangel College

Marion Rosenkrans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rosenkrans, Lynch, has been placed on the Dean's list for the spring semester at Evangel College.

Marion has a grade point average of 2.83 out of a possible 3.0. A freshman at Evangel college, she is majoring in Biology. Evangel College is a four-year liberal arts institution owned by the Assemblies of God. National headquarters of the denomination are also located in Springfield, Mo.

Fall enrollment at Evangel College this year was 568. The administration is headed by President J. Robert Ashcroft.

### Three Break-Ins Reported During Week in County

Three break-ins were reported this past week in the O'Neill area.

The O'Neill Town House was broken into Saturday. Entrance was gained through the back door. A cigarette machine was stolen from the top and broken into. Approximately \$150-\$200 was taken in nickles, dimes and quarters.

The burglary was discovered about 9:30 a.m. when Darold Beckwith arrived on business. He awoke the proprietor and authorities were called. The break-in occurred sometime between 1:30 a.m. and 9 a.m.

Approximately \$58 and some marijuana was stolen from the office of Dr. Ramsay, Atkinson, Friday. Sheriff Leo Tomjak said. Nelson-Brayton Co., Stuart was the site of the third break-in. This also occurred Friday. Two tires were stolen from a trailer.

topographical survey. When the Oxford job is closed with FHIA the O'Neill project will be given to them for processing and loan application.

"They told us yesterday (July 9) that it then should not take more than 60 days to receive a commitment."

"O'Neill is slated as our No. 3 unit and we are very anxious to start, but these matters with the government seem to have built-in delays not anticipated. When your project goes into the FHIA office I will keep you posted as it progresses."

Private subscriptions raised \$3,000 this spring to buy a site for the home on Highway 281 north of O'Neill and adjoining the recently annexed Cleveland and Kippie addition.

law offices. Geer-Melkus company, Grand Island, is general contractor on the job. The building, located on the southwest corner of the intersection, will face north with drive-in banking access coming off Fifth street.

### Brothers Sentenced

The two Minneapolis brothers who were charged with the June 13 robbery of a combination general store and post office at Burton and breaking jail at Springview, were sentenced to terms in the Nebraska Penitentiary Monday by District Judge William Smith, Ainsworth.

Ronald Johnson, 29, was sentenced to 10 years for armed robbery and 3 years for jail breaking. His brother, Lyle, 25, was sentenced to 8 years for armed robbery and 3 years for jail breaking. Judge Smith ordered the terms to run consecutively.

### Traffic Mishaps Cause Damage, Minor Injuries

Four highway traffic accidents during the past week caused minor injuries and extensive property damage in the area, according to Safety Patrolman Gene Hastreiter's reports.

About 12:15 a.m. Wednesday a truck driven by Jerry D. Smith, Creighton, struck a cow about three miles east of Iman on Highway 20-275. The cow, owned by M. J. Gallagher, was killed and about \$150 damage was caused to the truck.

Sunday at about 3 a.m. William Bahm, Ewing, said he was sideswiped on the right side of his car when an oncoming car crossed the center line into Bahm's lane and crowded him into his left lane. Bahm said the other vehicle did not stop.

Lloyd Angus, a passenger with Bahm, suffered a scratched right arm and complained of abdominal pains. Patrolman Hastreiter said. He was taken to St. Anthony's hospital in O'Neill for examination.

About two hours and a half earlier about a mile and a half west of Chambers, cars driven by Dale L. Adams, Chambers, and Clifford E. Clemens, Amelia, were involved in a rear-end collision.

Adams, westbound, had slowed to turn into a farm driveway, when Clemens, also westbound, started to pass. Clemens changed his mind, the report said, and applied his brakes, sliding into the rear of the Adams car. Adams' car slid into the south ditch while Clemens' car ended up in the north ditch.

Clemens received skull lacerations. He was treated at St. Anthony's hospital and released. Patrolmen estimated extensive damages to both vehicles.

Shortly after noon Thursday Dorothy Miller, Creighton, collided at a corner with a tractor driven by Jerry D. Rosenkrans. About \$300 damages were suffered by the car and the tractor was broken completely in two. The Rosenkrans boy received minor injuries and the woman was unhurt.

This incident was about five miles south of Redbird on the Redbird road.

### Attends Mission

Dianne Gillespie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gillespie, O'Neill, has been chosen to attend a Christian Witness Mission at the Methodist church in Holdrege, July 8 to 15.

This mission is a statewide meeting. Mrs. Sigler, Lincoln, is director. Miss Gillespie is the Christian witness chairman of the northeast district of Methodist Youth Fellowship.

### Holt SWCD Balloting Set For Monday

This is the last of a series of three articles giving a resume of the candidates for Supervisor for the Holt Soil and Water Conservation District.

Bob Summerer is a 37 year old rancher who has lived on his place all of his life. He operates 1300 acres 23 miles south and 3 miles east of O'Neill. His family includes five girls and one boy. The youngest, the boy, is seven months old and the oldest is thirteen years.

Conservation work he has accomplished does not follow the usual pattern of some of the other candidates previously interviewed, however, it is a typical ranch type operation and Bob has been doing a good job of conservation. Tree planting is probably one of the largest single operations, the most recent being done this past spring. A part of the planting dates back to trees planted during the shelterbelt project in 1937 and quite a lot that his father did even before that.

He has retired some cropland to permanent grass, has produced intermediate wheatgrass seed and red clover seed which he has sold by consigning it to the Holt Soil and Water Conservation District. Much of his hayland has been fertilized, which has increased production considerably and is of particular significance to them in drier years because of the greater dependability of a larger hay crop. It has also enabled him to harvest red clover seed on the after-growth.

Probably one of the most important practices the county over is one that few people consider as a conservation practice, never the less, it is one that will give a larger return than any other in Holt county. This is the proper range use and is being followed by Mr. Summerer in his ranching operations.

Walter Fick operates a 2760 acre ranch 8 miles Southeast of Iman. He has lived in that vicinity since he was a small boy. The Ficks have five children, three boys and two girls ranging in age from Kindergarten to a Sophomore in College. Walt too, has been in the conservation practices. He has converted nearly 100 acres of cropland to permanent grass. Just recently completed is the last of his blow out work. He says "It seemed like a hard way to do it but for many years we have been hauling dead trees, trash, etc., to blow out areas and have not affected their control. By shaping the rough, broken edges, mulching, seeding and fencing, these areas are becoming re-established so that with proper use in the future they will offer no problem."

Walt has planted a few trees each year for many years and has excellent protection for his ranch headquarters and for wintering livestock. Through deferment he has brought back a pasture from poor to fair condition up to a very good condition. He says that the three years rest he gave this pasture has resulted in producing twenty times the grass it formerly produced.

Walt has been active in Range management on his own ranch and has led 4-H Range Management clubs, having the top team in the nation and he, himself taking top individual honors

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### Legion, Auxiliary Convention To Be Held Sunday

American Legion and Auxiliary County Convention will be Sunday in O'Neill.

Registration will begin at 5 p.m. Program for the convention includes rehabilitation films, a luncheon and later, a dance.

Bob Manifold, candidate for department commander, and Bill Galbraith, department senior vice commander, will be present at the convention.

At election of officers Tuesday night the following were elected to posts: Harold Minar, post commander; Francis Holz, first vice-commander; Arnett Buxton, post adjutant; Edward Murphy, finance officer; Alvin Heese, service officer; James Earley, Sergeant at arms; Charles Fox Jr., child welfare chairman; Archie Bright, membership chairman; Edwin Krugman, post chaplain; Richard Minton, disaster relief chairman; Norman Conderinger, judge advocate; William McIntosh, Americanism chairman; William Jansen, publicity officer.

Members of the executive board are Darel Bright, Joe Grutsch, Melvin Ruzicka, Francis Belzer, Virgil Tomlinson, Harold Minar, Francis Holz and James Earley.

### WWI Vets Slate Picnic July 22

The third annual Nebraska State World War I Veterans picnic will be held at the Atkinson City Park, Atkinson, Sunday, July 22.

All World War I Veterans, their wives and families, sweethearts and friends are cordially invited to attend this big reunion.

The program includes registration from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m., a pot luck dinner from 12:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and an address by a prominent speaker from 1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Also there will be short talks given by an official of American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled War Veterans and Veterans of World War I.

Swimming can be enjoyed in Atkinson's modern pool. Fishing is also available at Atkinson Lake camping facilities, and golf enthusiasts will enjoy playing at the Stuart-Atkinson golf club.

### Carroll French To Speak At Farm Meeting

Carroll French, Page, will be the featured speaker at the Holt County Farm Bureau monthly meeting Monday evening, July 16, at the Courthouse Annex Assembly Room at 8:00. He will tell of his experiences as an agricultural missionary in the Congo, as well as of his visit to the United Nations and the Agriculture Department in Washington, D. C. earlier this year.

Mr. French will be commissioned a full-time missionary by Bishop Kenneth Copeland at a special service at the First Methodist church in Page, August 5. The following day he, his wife, Tove, and their children, will leave for France, where he will have language study for nine months, preparatory to his return to his work in the Congo. Mrs. French, formerly of Denmark, will continue her work as a missionary nurse in the Congo.

Employment Service Schedule  
Following is the itinerant service schedule of the Nebraska Division of employment for Holt and Boyd County for O'Neill. The itinerant interviewer, Marland Beckstrom, will be in the Assessor's Office from 11:00-12:00 a.m. on alternate Tuesdays. These dates will be July 10, 24; August 7, 21; and September 4, 18.

The show was judged by Miles Hart of Cozad, while another not present at the show was Paul Temple of Oshkosh, secretary of the Nebraska Quarter Horse Association.

## Ask All Residents to Take Oral Polio Vaccine Sunday

Over five thousand doses of Sabin oral polio vaccine have been ordered for first mass immunization.

At an organization last Tuesday, preliminary plans were discussed. Hours for the mass immunization were set from 12:30 to 3:30.

Each dose of the vaccine is effective against a different type of polio. This necessitates three different doses from four to six weeks apart to combat the three polio types.

In addition to immunizing the recipient, the vaccine eliminates the person from becoming a carrier of the disease. This is not so with the Salk vaccine. Theoretically, if everyone took the Sabin vaccine, polio could be wiped out completely.

The vaccine should not be given to acutely ill persons with a temperature of 102 degrees or over. It is recommended not to give it to persons who have had their tonsils or adenoids out within two weeks prior to the vaccine, and not to perform such operations two weeks after the vaccine is given. Persons allergic to penicillin or to eggs may safely take the oral vaccine.

Where will it be given?

Residents are to go to their voting wards which include the Court House, K. C. Hall, Police Station and City Hall. Rural persons and other towns people will receive theirs at the high school auditorium.

When will it be given?

The first dose will be given July 15. The other two are to be given six weeks later and six apart.

Although persons under 40

Verdigre's Diamond Jubilee begins today with the first day of the celebration marked as Governor and Homecoming Day. A Miss Diamond Jubilee Queen's Ball will be at 8 p.m.

Friday will be designated as Ladies' and Pioneer Day. Young America Day will be Saturday and Sunday is set aside as Agricultural and Good Neighbor Day.

Highlights of the Jubilee include parades, rides, shows, Indian ballet, authentic period costumes, buggies, and a huge fireworks display.

### Stuart Horse Show Entries Hit Record High

With 164 entries, exclusive of classes for youngsters, the third annual Four Leaf Clover Quarter Horse Show sponsored by the Stuart American Legion post on Sunday was the biggest and best yet held. This was the first year the show qualified as a Class B show.

Interest was high in all of the 24 classes. The quality of the horses entered in the show is proven by the fact that there were seven American Quarter Horse Association champions in the show, which is reported to be the most in any show in Nebraska this year. Horses were on hand from Iowa, South Dakota and Nebraska.

Howard Pitzer of Ericson had the grand champion mare with Poco Sweetheart, with the Coblenz Quarter Horses of Aurora having the reserve champion mare. In the contest for the grand champion stallion, the Coblenz Quarter Horses of Aurora won with Ranchero Creek, while Lloyd Geweke of Ord had the reserve champion. The Scott Girls of North Platte had the grand champion gelding in Buster Cole, with Howard Pitzer of Ericson showing the reserve champion.

There was a close contest for high point horse of the show, and this was not decided until the final event, when Lucky Card, owned by Stan Huffman of Whitman won the contest.

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### Slate Swim Show At O'Neill Pool

The O'Neill swimming pool will be the site of an aquatic show Sunday, July 22, at 7:45 p.m.

The show will include free style races along with diving exhibitions. Participants will be between the ages of 8 and 17.

Entries in the contest will be announced next week. Everyone is cordially invited to attend, especially the parents.

### Slight Jump in Holt Evaluation; Schedules Down

Holt County evaluation for 1962 has slightly risen over that of 1961. This year's total of all tangible property, meaning all personal property except money, notes, or bonds, was \$102,243,120. Last year's figure for the same totaled \$101,687,735. This indicates a \$555,385 rise. Both figures exclude the railroads.

This rise in evaluation is shown in spite of fewer business and individual assessments filed this year.

Business schedules filed in 1962 totaled 480 compared to 485 files the previous year. Individual schedules amounted to 5178 this year compared to 5266 filed last year. Special schedules numbered 11 both years.

### VFW Auxiliary Talks Nurse Scholarship

VFW Auxiliary 926 held its regular monthly meeting in the Court House annex on July 3. Goldie Tucker, president, was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Raymond Revell was the acting secretary in the absence of Mrs. Otto Sprague.

Mrs. Carl Schenzel gave a report on the VFW Auxiliary Dept. of Neb. meeting held in Norfolk on June 9, 10, 11 and 12. Others who attended this meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stoffer. A community service award was received by O'Neill Auxiliary 926 at the Dept. of Neb. meeting.

A discussion was held concerning the idea of presenting a scholarship award to a high school graduate who is going into nurses training.

Mrs. Steele received a prize for bringing the most members to the meeting.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Raymond Revell and Mrs. Verlin Peterson.

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years of age are more susceptible to polio, it is advised that everyone be immunized to eliminate the possibility of carrying the disease.

A donation of 25 cents will be asked to help cover the cost of the vaccine and its administration; however, no one will be turned away if they are unable to pay.

Is polio always caused by the same virus?

There are three different known types of polio virus which cause poliomyelitis. In order to be fully protected against polio, an individual must be protected against all three types.

What is the oral vaccine?

It is a live virus vaccine taken by mouth, which has been weakened for the purpose of producing immunity without producing clinical illness. It is like a "cough" vaccine which is also a live vaccine.

What is the difference between Sabin oral vaccine and the Salk vaccine?

The Salk vaccine is produced from a dead virus and the three types are combined. Four shots are usually given over a period of several months. With Sabin oral vaccine, each type is given separately by mouth, four to six weeks apart. Immunity usually results within a week. Thus, greater immunity can be acquired more quickly against Types I, II and III of the polio viruses.

How safe is the Sabin oral vaccine?

The vaccine has been given to more than 70 million people in Russia, Mexico, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia with excellent results. Several hundred thousand doses have been given in the United States so far, with complete safety.

How effective is the Sabin oral vaccine?

Because the oral vaccine usually produces an intestinal barrier against infection, it is expected that the vaccine will be more effective than any presently available by breaking the chain of transmission, or eliminating the vaccinated person as carrier, which killed vaccine does not do. Should you have oral vaccine if you have already had Salk vaccine?

Yes, it is wise to take the oral vaccine. It will increase your own protection and help you protect other persons in the community.

How is it given?

A dose of the vaccine will be put on a sugar cube and the recipient will eat the sugar cube. Infants will be spooned.

Who may get the oral vaccine?

The vaccine may be given to persons of all ages. It is safe for new-born infants but it may be necessary to give a booster dose at about one year of age to infants who receive their first dose under the age of six weeks. In this mass immunization program, vaccine will be given to babies from three months of age and up. What are recommended doses?

For children of three months of age and adults, the recommended dose is three drops of the diluted vaccine.

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