

EDITORIALS

About Hollywood

A U. S. movie starlet, Elaine Stewart, has spoken out about the trend in Hollywood to feature foreign female stars in American films. She believes that Hollywood should give American girls a chance.

Elaine believes that American movie audiences would prefer to see Americans rather than foreigners, and also claims that most of the glamorous foreign stars have nothing but a little chest expansion and even less talent. It is true that so-called foreign stars are merely over-exposed and are not particularly talented.

But we would say to American girls, that, whatever else they do, they steer clear of Hollywood. The average little-town girl, who for many years has thought that she would like to be an actress and a movie star, has no idea of what she might have to do to be a star in Hollywood. Certainly she will not make the grade on her talent and acting ability.

First, she will have to have someone who really pushes her, and she may have to pay a pretty high price, in many ways, to get ahead even like this. Secondly, the movie industry is an undesirable industry from just about every standpoint — even though the pay is extremely high, and beyond all reason.

In summary, our advice to pretty young things is to get the usual notion about Hollywood, and the mistaken idea of the glamor of being an actress, out of her head. There are other lucrative fields — professional television, writing, science, and many others. But perhaps the most lucrative of all, from the female standpoint, is that of being a good wife and mother, and a good homemaker. That is the real road to riches, the kind of riches which count.

On Eating and Living

There are two ways to eat, as far as we are concerned. First, one can be guided by his taste buds alone, and exercise a little will power. Second, he can eat scientifically, in the light of modern medical knowledge.

If we were to eat according to the first system, most of us could slop up about six biscuits with gravy at each meal, plenty of sugar, butter, and rich food, including plenty of grease — as used in fried foods.

All of this is very tasty. Our modern refining methods for foods are capable of fooling the taste buds, because the taste buds originally were not designed to detect super-refined foods.

Therefore, when one eats chocolate, grease, sweets, too many starches, and other foods which lead to all sorts of health problems, it is all very enjoyable, but the cost is high. And one of the costs is in time — life expectancy.

On the other hand, in the light of today's scientific knowledge, on a high-protein diet, with some fat, natural sweets, limited starches, and broiled foods rather than fried, one will feel better, maintain a proper weight, and live longer.

There is really not much of a problem in choosing the right system. However, many people do not understand the truth about the disadvantages and advantages of the two systems. This is partly because more and more is being learned about our diet every day — comparatively little having been known on this subject in recent years.

Capitol News

By MELVIN PAUL
Statehouse Correspondent

The Nebraska Press Association LINCOLN—What type of institution has Robert Nichols run for the past two years.

Nichols, who quits April 15 as superintendent of the Men's Reformatory, took over an institution that had been riot-torn under two superintendents in 71 days, George Morris and M. L. Wimberly.

Nichols began methodically to renovate the physical plant, and set up vocational, educational and physical training programs.

His reign has been quiet. He chopped the payroll from 108 to 73 employees. Escapes dropped from 23 a year to six. Nichols said he never had a complaint from an inmate, parent or from the Board of Control, which supervises the institution and 16 others.

"I took pride in bettering the program and trying to return men to society as self-supporting citizens," Nichols said.

His program drew praise from Gov. Victor Anderson and all members of the Board of Control.

Yet, Nichols quit in a huff. What was the reason? The superintendent said the State Pardon Board made too many changes in methods of figuring how much time an inmate got off his sentence for good behavior.

He criticized Atty. Gen. C. S. Beck, pardon board member, and Mrs. Loretta Walker, board administrative assistant, but praised Gov. Anderson, board chairman.

Beck said no changes had been made in methods. He de-

clined further comment. It appeared the difficulty came because "good time" had been figured partially on a sentence given an inmate, rather than on time served.

In a formal opinion, Beck held that statutory good time—allowed automatically by law—is taken off a sentence, extra good time cannot be given before any sentence is served.

His opinion said that extra good time could total five days per month, but it must be given after a month's time has been served, not before. In effect, this makes an inmate serve longer.

Gov. Anderson said Beck is the legal officer of the state and his opinion would be followed unless changed by the courts. A case, in which an inmate has sued the state for his release, contending he has not received all the good time he is entitled to, comes up in court March 18.

After Beck's opinion, Nichols, Mrs. Walker and Beck had a heated discussion, after which Nichols quit.

Nichols said the difficulty over good time calculations had caused a morale problem among inmates.

Mental Retarded School
There are about 1,176 mentally retarded persons in Nebraska up to 21 years of age who are not confined at the Beatrice State Home.

Mrs. Catherine Martin, chairman of the State Board of Control, which is thinking about establishment of a residential school for the mentally retarded, announced the figure.

Of the 1,176, she said 478 are in no schools of any kind. The Legislature appropriated \$80,000 for establishment of one

or more institutions. Mrs. Martin said the board will name an advisory committee to help decide such problems as location.

Small Schools
A record number of small high schools has been tabbed as non-approved by the State Board of Education.

This means the schools cannot collect the free high school tuition levy which is made to educate rural youngsters in a high school. The levy is made in all districts that do not have "approved schools."

When a school is non-approved, it means the board feels the educational program is such that there is "no potential" and that it "denied a good educational program to its youngsters," State Education Commissioner F. B. Decker said.

Disapproved schools can continue to operate but the financial burdens become extremely heavy.

Twenty-two schools were disapproved—Cowie, Hubbard, Odessa, Belden, Ote, Swanton, Jackson, Riverdale, Malmo, Steele City, Virginia, Ong, Maxcot, Bristol Reynolds, Reynolds, Petersburg, Linwood, Unadilla, Irvington, Burr, Belvidere and Diron.

Normal Board
Enrollment at the four state teachers colleges totals 3,304 of which 359 are non-resident students, according to E. Albin Larson.

Larson, secretary of the State Normal Board which governs the colleges, said this compares with 3,442 total and 511 out-of-state students a year ago.

At Wayne, 20.9 per cent of the students are non-residents, at Chadron 18 per cent, 12.7 per

Howard's Homespun

Goodness is not a comparison.
A grown-up is someone able to keep from talking.
Life would be simple if everyone was sincere.
Conscience is what makes easy money uneasy.

Down Memory Lane

20 YEARS AGO

The Recreational Center was preparing to form mouth harp bands and string orchestras to help out in the recreational program. Anton Bajcek has been designated to help with the work — Mrs. Henry Herold was home from a trip of several weeks in the east and south. She had a fine visit in New York with her son, Matthew Herold and family and then enjoyed a water trip to Houston, Tex., where she visited with friends then on to Oklahoma City to visit her youngest son, Henry Robert Herold and family — County Agent D. D. Wainscott who has served over eight years in charge of the agricultural program in Cass county, has tendered his resignation. He expects to take up a position with the Steckley Hybrid Seed Co. — Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Woodbury of Nebraska City were here to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ptak. Mrs. Woodbury served as godmother at the baptismal of Dennis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ptak, at St. John's church. A. W. Cloidt was godfather of the infant — Happy Hundred banquet honored the 1937-38 basketball team and Coach H. C. Bogress. The coach told of the early rush of the team to success, a slump and finally a rally that carried the team to the southeast semi-finals and a chance to play in the state tournament. The players honored were Raymond Wooster, Robert Hayes, Ronald Rebal, Warren Reed, Joy Miller, Ben McCarty, John Jacobs, Don Wall, Edward Smith, Joe York, with Bob Richter, student manager. Cullen Wright of Scottsbluff, was the speaker of the evening — John M. Meisinger made his filing for democratic candidate for sheriff in the primary election.

30 YEARS AGO
The ladies of the St. Paul's church met at the basement of the church building at the first meeting since the floor has been relaid. Mrs. Catherine Nolting and Miss Elizabeth Hirz were the hostesses — The state convention of the Baptist church is seeking to have the property of the Louisville Baptist church turned over to the state organization — The second court of the Junior Catholic Daughters of America in Nebraska was organized by Mrs. Anna A. Kelly, state regent of the C. D. of A. was organized. Fourteen girls were between the ages of twelve and seventeen and initiated. Officers selected were Constance Rea, president; Agnes Brink, vice-president; Anna Zitka, secretary; Anna Mae Sandin, reporter — The house of representatives passed the bill to grant permission to erect a bridge over the Missouri river at Plattsmouth to the Plattsmouth Bridge Co. The bill has been pushed by Congressman John H. Morehead and follows a campaign of several years to secure a bridge between Iowa and Nebraska in this area.

"Always Chasing Rainbows"



WEEPING WATER NEWS

Mrs. Edward Van Horn — Phone 252-W

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marion Stone and Mrs. Henry Knaup attended the Co-Ed Follies in Lincoln at the Pershing Auditorium March 10. The Misses Susan Stone and Roberta Knaup took part in the sorority skits.

Carelle Wiles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wiles, was taken to the St. Mary's hospital in Nebraska City, on Wednesday, suffering from pneumonia. She is better at this writing and will be permitted to come home the first of the week Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Patton, Mrs. Roy Wiles and Roy Wiles, Jr. visited her on Saturday afternoon.

The Friendly Neighbor Club met March 6 at the home of Mrs. Russell Kepling. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. August Klemme April 3.

Mrs. Jamie Fleming and children of Bridgeport visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Lyl Fleming. They spent Sunday in Papillion visiting friends. Tuesday they went to Blue Hill where they will visit with Mrs. Fleming's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Garner.

Mrs. Ethel Hermann was hostess to her pinocle club Thursday. Mrs. Vern Harter won high score and Mrs. Robert Baker, low. The ladies will meet March 20 with Betty Hermann.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cooper are the parents of a son, Roland Kit. He was born, March 7 at the Clark hospital in Omaha. He weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sack of Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cooper of Weeping Water. Mrs. Carla Sack of Lincoln is the great-grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Cooper of Plattsmouth and Mrs. Norman Urwin of Murray visited Mrs. Cooper Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper have three other children, Ricky, Debbie and Sheri. They are staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cooper while their mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meisinger and family were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Emma Kaffenberger of Plattsmouth. Saturday afternoon Harold and Mrs. Henry Meisinger called on Henry Meisinger in the St. Catherine hospital in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kerans and Warren Johnson joined the Christian Church at the church services Sunday. They will be baptized next Sunday.

The Christian Builders Class of the Christian Church met for their monthly dinner following cent at Peru and 76 of one per cent at Kearney.

Figures show Chadron, with a 10 per cent drop and Wayne with a six per cent, suffered most from hikes in out-of-state tuition.

McGinley Seeks Congress

State Sen. Donald McGinley of Ogallala says he knows he will have a "hard contest" in seeking the post now held by Rep. A. L. Miller, Kimball Republican.

But McGinley, in announcing that the Democratic nomination in the fourth district, said he feels people want a change.

McGinley said if he is nominated in the May primary he will conduct an intensive campaign although he realizes he is facing a tough contest with Miller, "who has held the office for 16 years and has consistently proved his ability as a vote getter."

McGinley served in the 1955 and 1957 sessions of the Legislature. He is from Ogallala, 37, a lawyer and was a member of the revenue committee of the Legislature in 1955 and 1957 and chairman of the judiciary committee in 1957.

gave a talk on "Most Common Birds of Nebraska." Sigvald Jensen conducted a quiz. Next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Don Rutledge April 4.

The Friendly Farm Ladies met for their March meeting at the home of Mrs. Vincent Rehmeier, with Mrs. Tom Akeson as co-hostess. Mrs. Alvin Groesser and Mrs. Sterling Wiles presented the lesson on sandwiches. They demonstrated making several kinds and they were served with the lunch. The next meeting will be held April 2 with Mrs. Melvin Thoms with Mrs. Conant Wiles as co-hostess.

The Welfare Society met Monday in the Odd Fellows Lodge Hall with 19 members present. Mrs. E. E. Moore conducted the meeting. Mrs. Ross Kinton and Mrs. Ed Freeman spent the work and the ladies viewed the afternoon tacking a comforter. Hostesses were Mrs. Art Barkhurst, Mrs. Frank Hunt and Mrs. Frank Pace.

The Senior Group of the Christian Women's Fellowship met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ralph Lindsey of Avoca. Mrs. John Reike presented the missionary lesson. Next meeting will be April 3 at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Livingston.

The Weeping Water Woman's Club met for their March meeting at the home of Mrs. Harold Elliott.

The following were elected for office for the year: president, Mrs. H. E. Blaikie; vice president, Mrs. Laurence Houseman; secretary, Mrs. Troy Jewell; treasurer, Mrs. Ralph Binger; journalist, Mrs. Fred Ward; Mrs. Murray Mutter, Mrs. Tom Akeson and Mrs. S. R. Seaver are on the executive committee.

The Drama Class, under the direction of teacher, Truman Lytle, presented a play, "Shadow of the Cross."

Wayne Jacobson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jacobsen, returned home this week and has received his discharge from the Army. He had been in Germany.

The 4-H Forestry Club met for their March meeting at the home of Loni Beach. Next meeting will be with Kenneth Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wooge of Crab Orchard are parents of a 8 pound, 6 ounce daughter, Janice Marie, born March 2 at Syracuse. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eanos Plunkett and Herman Wooge of Crab Orchard. Mrs. John Opp and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Plunkett, Sr., are great-grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Borjeson of Fairbanks, Alaska, are parents of a son, Gregory Bruce, born Feb. 26. Grandparents are Mrs. G. M. Borjeson and Mrs. C. C. Craig of Denver, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Baxter of Lincoln are parents of a son born March 5 at St. Elizabeths Hospital, Lincoln. He has been named Russell Allen and weighed 7 lbs., 8 1/2 oz. at birth. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Baxter, Chickasha, Okla., and Mrs. Dorothy Shrader, Louisville.

Mrs. H. M. Brainerd, 88, of Uniontown, Kans., died Monday night. Her daughter, Mrs. Joseph John has been with her mother the past week. Services were held on Thursday afternoon. Mr. John went to Uniontown on Wednesday.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. Weaver Reckard and family are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Reckard. The family lived two years in Germany and a year in England. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Day and Mrs. Helen Clark arrived home Tuesday afternoon from Bradenton Fla., where they spent the winter. Mrs. Fred Klepser returned home the past week. American Legion Post 237 held its regular meeting Tuesday in the Legion Hall. Two guests were present. Mr. Barkley, representing the Salvation Army and State Vice Commander of the VFW, Dale Bowman, Plattsmouth. Mr. Barkley expressed the desire for the Legion to sponsor a Salvation Army drive in Weeping Water and Bowman expressed a desire to organize a VFW Post in Weeping Water. It was voted to have a fish fry at the American Legion Club March 21.

Mrs. Wayne Pederson and Stephanie were Tuesday evening guests of Mrs. Raymond Freeman and children while the men attended the Legion meeting.

Lonnie Shumaker has been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shumaker. He left Monday for California where he will attend the Air Force School of Technology.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Rehmeier and family were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ehlers and Nancy of Avoca. The occasion was Ray's birthday.

A Cub Scouts leaders meeting was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rothe with Mr. and Mrs. Sigvald Jensen, Carroll Wright, Mrs. Don Rutledge and Mrs. Nissley Marshall attending. Plans were made for the March meeting. The boys are each to make a bird house and a kite. The annual kite flying contest will be held in April. The theme for this month is "Exploring Alaska."

The Sunny Hill Aid Society met March 6 at the home of Mrs. Lyl Fleming. Mrs. Glen Ashlock was a guest.

The Weeping Water Garden Club met for their March meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Ralph Keckler with Robert Keckler as co-host. Mr. and Mrs. Art Meesse and Tommy were guests. Tommy Meesse

SWINE CLUB MEETS

The Nehawka Swine Club met February 20 at the home of Bryce Hansen. This was the second meeting. At the first we elected officers as follows Ted Brannon president, Jim Johnson, vice president; Sandra Stapert, secretary; Bill Johnson, reporter; Julia Jean Johnson, Kenneth Ahrens, game instructor.

We discussed how to care for our sow and litter at farrowing time and keep them both healthy. Ted Brannon gave a talk on how to ear mark pigs. The

meeting was adjourned by David Johnson. Lunch was served by Mrs. Hansen—Bill Johnson, reporter.

The D. C. Transit Company reports that it carried more passengers in 1957 than in 1956. This unusual increase in passengers, when most metropolitan transit companies are losing fares, results mainly from the scarcity of parking in downtown Washington.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF PLATTSMOUTH STATE BANK OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA Charter No. 786 at the close of business on March 4, 1958.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 871,362.78
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,344,500.00
Obbligations of States and political subdivisions	295,589.24
Loans and discounts (including \$26.28 overdrafts)	2,044,321.35
Bank premises owned \$10,000.00	10,000.00
Other assets	1,839.77
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,567,613.14

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,794,791.59
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	887,805.95
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	67,271.46
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	240,928.34
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	66,794.91
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,057,592.25
Other liabilities	55,191.07
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,112,783.32

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	154,829.82
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	454,829.82
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$4,567,613.14

*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$100,000.00.

MEMORANDA
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase) \$ 596,000.00

I, C. J. Schneider, President, of the above named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. J. SCHNEIDER, President

Correct—Attest
O. W. Julian,
John V. Svoboda,
Fred R. Herre
No. 3938 — March 13, 1958.

Report of Condition of THE MURRAY STATE BANK OF MURRAY, CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA Charter No. 578 at the close of business on March 4th, 1958.

ASSETS

Cash balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 194,382.38
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	568,772.19
Obbligations of States and political subdivisions	40,936.24
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	74,750.00
Loans and discounts (including \$674.72 overdrafts)	601,180.04
Bank premises owned \$1.00	1.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,480,021.85

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 906,206.90
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	294,886.05
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	9,137.50
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	98,386.41
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	7,716.12
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,316,332.98
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,316,332.98

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	48,688.87
Reserves	15,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	163,688.87
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,480,021.85

*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00

MEMORANDA
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase) \$ 111,500.00

I, Charles H. Boedeker, President, of the above named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. BOEDEKER, President

Correct—Attest
Leona Boedeker,
Frances Boedeker,
Glen Todd
Directors
No. 3936 — March 13, 1958.