

\$42,000 PER FARM
LINCOLN — According to figures released by the Federal Extension Service with which the University of Nebraska College of Agriculture cooperates, the average farm today has an investment in land, buildings, and equipment of 42 thousand dollars. This is seven times the amount in 1940. The average return on the farmer's investment is less than 4 per cent.

There are 3.8 million farms in the United States. It is not uncommon for a farm to have an investment of more than 100 thousand dollars. Investments are assets. The assets of American farmer total more than 200 billion dollars. The farm business investment in 1963 was larger than ever before.

Prairie Grouse Trapped, Banded
LINCOLN — Game Commission technicians and federal refuge personnel trapped and banded 158 sharp-tailed and 17 prairie chickens during winter trapping operations in the Sand Hills. Results of the project will indicate seasonal movements and behavior patterns.

Trapping and banding was conducted in three general areas — near Bassett, on the Niobrara Big Game Refuge, and on the Valentine National Wildlife Refuge.

Bassett activity included the capture and banding of 24 sharp-tailed and 13 prairie chickens. At the Niobrara Big Game Refuge 64 sharp-tailed and 2 male prairie chickens were caught. Birds caught at the refuge were also color-marked with dye.

On the Valentine Refuge 68 sharp-tailed and 2 male prairie chickens were banded and dye marked.

In addition to original banding, 24 sharp-tailed banded in 1962 were recaptured and color marked.

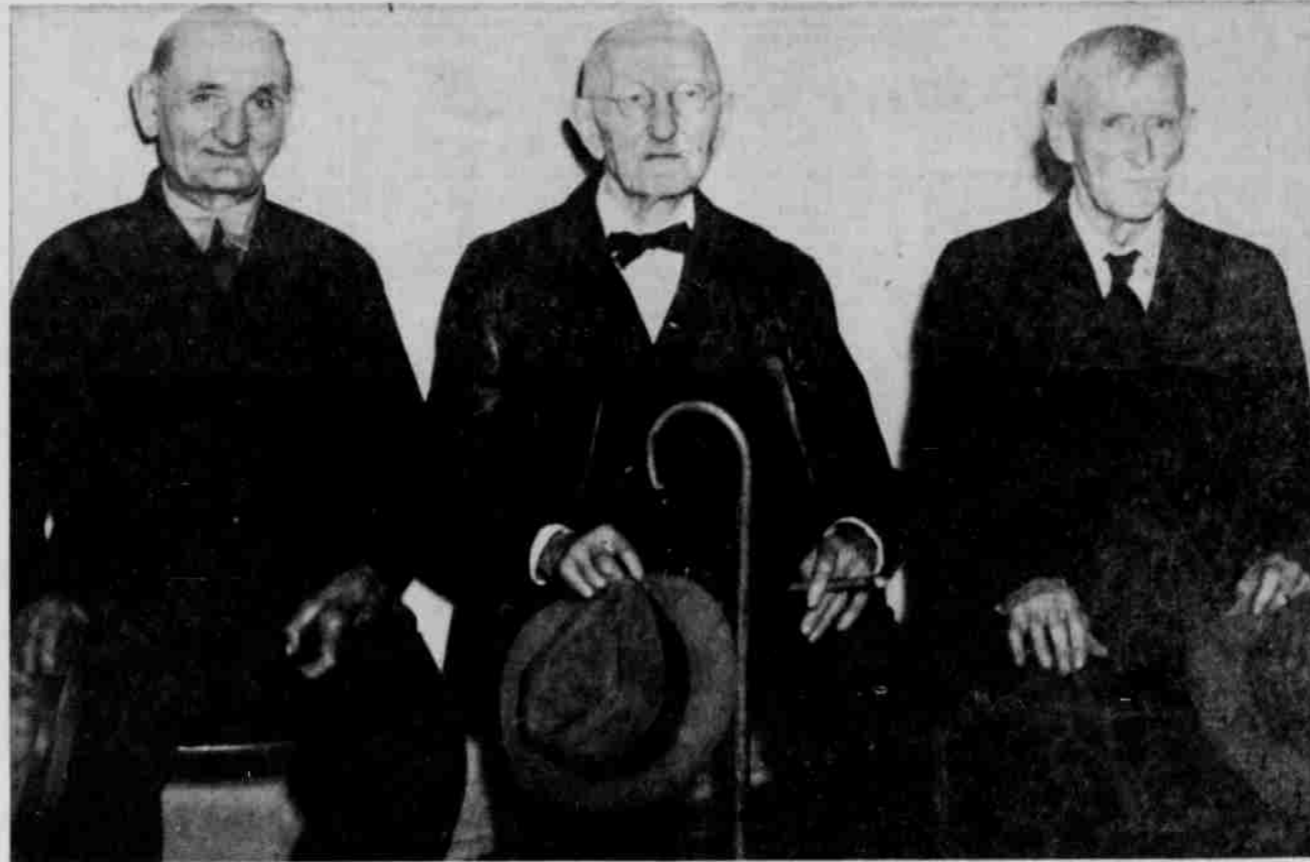
Brooks Robinson, Orioles' All-Star third baseman:
"I honestly don't feel the Yankees are going to win the pennant this year. Our club is at least equal in ability to theirs."

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CHARTER MEMBERS—A 1951 photo showed the only surviving charter members of the Plattsmouth Eagles. From left were Joseph Hadraba, Ed Donat Sr., and James Rebal. Since, they have all passed away.

Nebraska Record Fish Listed

LINCOLN — As warm weather brings increased interest in fishing, Nebraska sportsmen are reminded by the Game Commission to look for record-breakers in their creeks this summer.

Last year three state fishing records were set. George Ford of Madrid caught a 3-pound 15-ounce smallmouth bass, Delmar Butler of Sidney a 3-pound 15-ounce crappie, and Cletus Jacobsen of Big Springs a 27-pound 8-ounce northern pike.

All three fish were taken from Lake McConaughy.

The present list of Nebraska record fish compiled by the Game Commission includes:
LARGEMOUTH BASS: 9 pounds, 14 ounces by Bill Latta, Lincoln, sand pit lake near Louisville, June 16, 1956.
SMALLMOUTH BASS: 3 pounds, 15 ounces by George Ford, Madrid, Lake McConaughy, May 12, 1962.
WHITE BASS: 4 pounds, 15 ounces by Frederick Baldwin, Grand Island, Crapple Hole near Grand Island, April 12, 1961.
BLUEGILL: 2 pounds, 8 ounces by party of Walter Beckman, Carl Buck, Bill Adams, and Ervin Krueger, all of Garland, Monroe power canal, 1949.
BULLHEAD: 2 pounds, 8 ounces by Mrs. Garnet Fanning, Alliance, Spade Ranch Lake, May 18, 1959.
BLUE CATFISH: 58 pounds by O. P. Nielson, Bloomfield, Missouri River, 1954.
CHANNEL CATFISH: 31 pounds, 12 ounces by Bob Nquist, Broken Bow, Lake Ericson, 1944.
Brook Trout: 4 pounds, 8 ounces by Vernon Zimmerman, Ovid, Colorado, Lake McConaughy, 1953.
BROWN TROUT: 11 pounds, 4 ounces by L. B. Eby, Sidney, Lake McConaughy, 1950.
RAINBOW TROUT: 12 pounds, 4 ounces by J. D. Wickard, Brule, Lake McConaughy.
SAUGER: 8 pounds, 5 ounces by Mrs. Betty Tepner, Plainview, mouth of Niobrara River, October 22, 1961. Also world record.
CRAPPIE: 3 pounds, 15 ounces by Delmer Butler, Sidney, Lake McConaughy, April 29, 1962.
FRESH-WATER DRUM: 19 pounds by Barton L. Andrews, Omaha, Carter Lake, 1959.
NORTHERN PIKE: 27 pounds, 8 ounces by Cletus Jacobsen, Big Springs, Lake McConaughy, July 14, 1962.
BUFFALO: 32 pounds by L. Aahbaugh, Wilber, Blue River near Wilber, 1944. Tied by Morris Sweet, Crete, Blue River, 1959.
WALLEYE: 15 pounds, 1 ounce by Don Hein, McCook, Lake McConaughy, June 13, 1959.
YELLOW PERCH: 1 pound, 12 ounces by Richard E. Scott, Mitchell, Ryan's sand pit, Mitchell, June 15, 1961.
FLATHEAD CATFISH: 59 pounds by Ralph Adair, Macy, Missouri River, November 30, 1961.
CARP: 25 pounds, 2 ounces by Bernard Carter, Jacksonville, Arkansas, East Oak Creek Lake, Lincoln, July 7, 1957.
STURGEON: 26 pounds by Richard L. Jobman Norfolk, Missouri River below Gavins Point Dam, November 21, 1960.
PADDLEFISH: 72 pounds by Lyle Sawatzke, Crofton, Missouri River below Gavins Point Dam, July 6, 1961.

Now's Time To Protect Pigs
LINCOLN—Now is the time to vaccinate young pigs against hog cholera, the No. 1 killer of hogs.

Dr. E. Crosby Howe, University of Nebraska Extension animal hygienist, says pigs can be vaccinated any time, but it is most successful when they are from 6 to 10 weeks of age.

"Spring can be a peak period for hog cholera outbreaks and there is a large population of susceptible young pigs in the state at this time because of spring farrowings," Dr. Howe points out.

CARS COLLIDE
A 1963 Cadillac driven by Ira S. Debnam, 8902 Valley St., Omaha, and a 1962 Dodge Lancer, driven by Hans O. Carlson, Rt. 4, Falls City, collided at the second crossroad south of Orepolis on Highway 73-75 Sunday evening.

According to Sheriff Fred Tesch's report, injured were Mr. Carlson, 53, with facial cuts; Verna Carlson, 52, head and leg injuries; Linda Carlson, 11, ankle injury; Mrs. Eunice Debnam, 25, injured right elbow. The injured were taken to a local doctor's office.

Damage to the vehicles was \$100 each.

William F. Knowland, Senator, (R., Cal.):
"I refuse to accept the doctrine that we are helpless, short of armed conflict, to act in a decisive manner to get Soviet troops out of Cuba."

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Sunday guests of Mrs. Lytha Bauers were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fleck and son and Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson of Omaha.

Mrs. Charlie Bell spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Richard Schuelke of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Radenslaben and family have moved into their new home which is in the west part of Greenwood.

Mrs. Ina Armstrong attended a birthday luncheon honoring her sister-in-law Mrs. Walton Ferris at the home of Mrs. Robert McClure in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bell and Lloyd spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Snyder of Waverly.

Sunday dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stevens were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stevens and family of Lincoln.

Thursday evening caller on Mrs. Ina Armstrong was Jim Armstrong of Fremont.

Mrs. Duane Lostron and children of Lincoln spent Saturday at the Charlie Bell home.

Mrs. Roy Love returned home from the hospital Saturday afternoon.

Cully Johnson left the hospital and is staying with relatives in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Boller were coffee guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Radenslaben in their new home.

Mrs. Gordon Hansen, Mrs. M. R. Roland Tinnear, Mrs. M. R. Hansen and Mrs. Lester DeBrie met Mrs. Jake Hammer of Eagle in Lincoln Thursday and spent the day together.

Mrs. Grace Walradt and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Marolf called at the H. J. Sack home of Louisville to inquire about Mr. Sack who is hospitalized in Omaha. Mr. Sack is Mrs. Walradt's brother.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Grace Walradt were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sterzbach of Fremont and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Marolf.

Mrs. Minnie Marolf spent Sunday at the Walter Marolf home. Additional afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Marolf and Lana of Waverly.

Mrs. Norma McNurlin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vere McNurlin of York.

Thursday visitors with Mrs. Gordon Hansen were Lester DeBrie and Mrs. Richard Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tinnear were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Koutsky of Elmwood.

—Travelers
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tion since that time, it still seems sad to us."

Today, warm cars whiz over the road traveled by David Jardine. Snowplows quickly make the way easy and farmers on tractors can make the trip to Plattsmouth faster and safer than he.

Few know this brave pioneer's story but each one who passes over the broad paved highway owes a debt to the Jardines.

Those who dared to come across the unopened prairies and live that life opened the pathway, and each westward facing pioneer added footprints to the widening path until seemingly even the weather bowed to their courage and the part that David Jardine (rod became another link in the chain that linked a mighty country "from sea to shining sea."

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Senior Play Given At Weeping Water
WEeping Water (Special) —The Senior Class presented their class play on Monday and Tuesday evenings in the high school auditorium at Weeping Water. The name of the play was "Beauty and the Beast" with Truman Lytle as the director.

Those appearing in the play were Georgia Ludwick, Mike Thoms, Lois Livingston, Dick Elliott, Neal Parsons, Carol Nickels, Lester Rathe, Janice Domingo, John Meeske, Diane Ratliff, Dennis Goehner, Richard Lorenson, Steve Meisinger, Charleen Thoren, Alice Masoth, Shirley Upton, Mary Alice Wood, Beverly Philpot, Larry Erhart, Phyllis Hohman, Ann Callahan, Steve Murphy, Wendell Plunkett and Irvin Mather.

The entertainment between act was as follows: Piano Prelude, Sandra Jameson; Horn Quartet, Dick Elliott, Judy Lee, Carol Schlueter, Sharon Betts; Skill, Phyllis Hohman and Carlene Houchlin.

Wendell Plunkett was in charge of the lights; John Hartner, Sound effects and stage manager; Prompters, Ruth Patton, Carlene Houchlin; Ushers, Shirley Upton, Alice Masoth and Charleen Thoren.

Richard Elliott, president of the Senior Class, thanked everyone for coming and for the good attendance. He thanked Mr. Lytle for his help in directing the play.

The Junior Class held a bake sale in the hall during the play.

The Senior Class held a party in the school gym following the play on Tuesday evening. Refreshments were made by the Homemaking girls.

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