The Buck Ends Here

By IVAN D E BEAUMONT

So long, my friend, John

We're going to miss John Klingman very much this fall. He graduated from the School for the Visually Handicapped a week ago.

John sang bass in our church choir. I was fortunate to sit beside him in choir and he was kind enough to listen to my bumbling effort at music.

I can't read music so I used to elbow Rod Cushing and he whispered the first note was an f sharp or some other jibberish

I then leaned over to my friend (I called him Big Bad John), and repeated Rod's message. John would let loose with a silent hum and that was my cue to get started right. John has perfect pitch, something music people tell me is quite rare.

John had his music punched out in Braille and he got along marvelously in choir. (I used to threaten to rub out some of those Braille marks just to get him to hit a wrong note — just once.) He enjoyed good humor and is a good sport

The bass row in the church choir will miss John I'll probably fumble and fiddle and get by, but it will be without the finesse offered by my friend, Big Bad John

Best wishes on his "laboring" years and a good vacation this summer at his home in Chappell, Nebr

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A lot of years ago, a young blind woman served as Sunday school teacher for our class in a country church in Kansas

She had a leader dog that was about the most intelligent animal I had ever seen. The woman never let blindness interfere with her enjoyment of children. I remember well how she took her Bible school class on picnics and mothered over them, sightless or not.

The senses of the handicapped are a marvel

I learned to operate a linotype from two deaf mutes at the Daily News in Fairbury on a parttime job while attending Junior College.

The two men lacked the ability to pick up sounds of trouble on the often-complicated linotypes, but they held a sense of feeling vibrations that made them both expertise in their work (I think one of them works for the World-Herald now)

They were patient, too. Before they agreed to teach me how to run a linotype, they required me to learn the hand sign language. They were excellent teachers, but I confess that my sign language lacked the speed and accuracy necessary to communicate freely with deaf mutes

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I haven't had any regular use for the hand language since leaving the Daily News but occasionally I use it in conversation with someone.

On one occasion, a travelor of sorts came into the office with a note that he was a deaf mute and wanted a handout

I read his note, then rattled off a little sign language to start communication. He shook his head "no," he didn't understand

Well, I've known a lot of deaf mutes and I don't have much respect for anyone who takes a handicap of my friends and uses it so loosely.

So, I gave him a special kind of hand sign that every man understands and he flushed and left

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A cousin of Lester Horton of Riverview Terrace in Nebraska City, will be out of a job soon at a shoe factory in Natick, Mass , but not because of foreign imports

The owner says he can't get the labor Mrs Pearl Vitale, an 80-year-old "floor girl" was featured recently in a newspaper story about labor problems at the factory.

The company manufactures specialty shoes for garagemen, police, fire and military personnel. The company is one of the few which produces saddle shoes and the sales crew claims the supply doesn't meet the demand of accounts

During the past four years, 45 shoe manufacturing firms have closed

Mrs Vitale has been in the business 42 years, works eight hours a day and some times because of a lack of help, she runs five machines at once.

"Now, come on out and get to work," she wrote cousin Horton.

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The Boy Scouts in Nebraska City are going to miss you, Don Scheele

He has accepted a position in traffic for Consolidated Blenders, Inc., at Fremont and plans to move his family there soon. Don worked a number of years for the Burlington and has been employed at Dawson Oil and Transport as the bookkeeper for several years

He has been a No 1 builder of the scouting program in Nebraska City and can look back with pride to the number of boys who received their Eagle badges during the years he was either scoutmaster or was associated in some way with the scouting program sponsored at First Christian church.

Best wishes to you, Don, on your new job Tell ole' Winston Rashleigh up thar in Fremont that if he doesn't come down to visit us soon, I'm going to write a story about him that'll stink up the river

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Glen "Pete" Peterson has retired after 36 years with the J.C. Penney company A feature story on Pete appears elsewhere in today's paper

Actually, Pete is not retiring from the retail business. He's going across the street and work for his wife, Dee, in the Merle Norman Cosmetics and Gift Shop

The couple plans to do some traveling Pete has been a pretty busy man and he'd like to catch up on some recreation.

We don't know for sure, but we betcha his new office will be the golf course in Nebraska City

Best of wishes from the News-Press, Pete

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Thanks to the National Guard

We were surprised and pleased with the recognition given to us at the National Guard Association's annual meeting last week in Lincoln

The scroll and plaque were presented on behalf of the Guard for the news recognition given the National Guard in Nebraska Actually, as we told the men, we were just doing our job And since the Guard fellows are so easy to work with, the job has been interesting and enjoyable

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Rusty, the 14-year-old Cocker Spaniel of Mr and Mrs Carroll Luther, 1016 Sixteenth Avenue, is dead

Mrs Luther said she has had the dog since he was a pup The animal was a gift to her from the Ed Hunters

PUBLIC NOTICES

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF NEBRASKA CITY ELKS NEW HOME CORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that NEBRASKA CITY ELKS NEW HOME CORPORATION is incorporated under the laws of the State of Nebraska The address of its registered office is 121 North Fifth Street, Nebraska City, Nebraska, 68410. The general nature of the business is (a) To erect, construct, maintain, improve, rebuild, enlarge, alter, manage and control, an Elks Lodge building in or near Nebraska City, Otoe County, Nebraska, and any other structures and erections which may at any time be necessary, useful or advantageous in the judgment of the board of directors for the purposes of the corporation (b) To take, buy, purchase, exchange, hire, lease or otherwise acquire, real estate and property, either improved or unimproved and any interest or right therein, and to own, hold, control, maintain, manage and develop the same and to borrow money, with or without pledge of or mortgage upon all or any of its property, real or personal, as security, and to loan and advance money upon mortgages on personal and real property, or on either of them (c) To do everything necessary, proper, advisable or convenient for the accomplishment of the purposes hereinabove set forth, and to do all other things incidental thereto or connected therewith which are not forBidden by the laws of the State of Nebraska or by these Articles of Incorporation

The authorized capital is $25,000 00 consisting of 25,000 shares of a par value of $1.00 per share each, which said shares shall be paid wholly or partly by cash, by labor, or by real or personal property The corporation shall commence business immediately and its duration shall be perpetual The affairs of the corporation are to be conducted by a Board of Directors of not less than the number required by law The officers shall be the President, one or more Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers as shall be designated in the By-Laws

Dated this 20th day of May, 1971

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Incorporators

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UNION

Connie Mullis

Janelle Dickman of Lincoln is spending several days with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Henry Dickman and Dennis, while her parents, Mr and Mrs Donald Dickman are on a trip

Mr and Mrs Gene Applegate of Sacramento, Calif , were Monday callers of the Frank Andersons

Mrs L G Todd spent a weekend recently visiting the homes of Earnest Rathe, in Omaha and Norman Hendrix at Carter Lake, Iowa

IT IS GOOD BUSINESS TO READ THE WANT ADS

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CALL FOR BIDS STEEL PIPE

The Board of Public Works of the City of Nebraska City, Nebraska, will accept sealed bids until 3:00 P.M. CDST, June 11, 1971, at the office of the Nebraska City Utilities, 716 Central Avenue, Nebraska City, Nebr. 68410, for the following:

2500 feet 3" coated steel pipe
10,000 feet 2" coated steel pipe
2600 feet 1¼" coated steel pipe
4600 feet ¾" coated steel pipe
500 feet 1½" uncoated steel pipe
2000 feet 1" uncoated steel pipe
1500 feet ¾" uncoated steel pipe

All pipe shall conform to USS Standard Pipe and line pipe — seamless A120 schedule No. 40. Pipe shall have 30 degree bevel ends for butt weldings. Random lengths acceptable.

Coating shall be Scotchkote No 202 or approved equal. Coating shall be applied leaving 1½" at each end, uncoated for welding.

All prices F.O.B. Nebraska City, Nebraska.

All bid envelopes shall be plainly marked on front side of envelope "SEALED PIPE BIDS — TO BE OPENED JUNE 11, 1971 "

Bidder shall state whether shipment will be made by rail or truck If there is a difference in price between rail or truck shipment bidder may quote price both ways.

Bid must show approximate delivery date

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to waive any informalities and to accept or reject any or all bids and to refuse acceptance of any material not meeting above specifications or which arrives at Nebraska City in damaged condition

Payment will be made in cash within ten days after receipt of material and invoice from Supplier

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
HAROLD FOUTS
Chairman

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DIESEL FUEL NEBRASKA CITY UTILITIES
May 28, 1971

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of the City of Nebraska City, Nebraska, will entertain proposals at the office of the Nebraska City Utilities until 5 P.M. June 10, 1971, for the furnishing of diesel fuel for use in the diesel power generating plant at Nebraska City.

Amount to be purchased — 250,000 gallons (10 percent more or less) to be delivered as ordered by purchaser during (9) nine months from August 1, 1971 to May 1, 1972.

Delivery point — 235,000 gallons at storage tanks adjacent to Nebraska City diesel generating plant and 15,000 gallons at generating plant one-half mile north of Syracuse, Nebr. on Highway No. 50.

Storage capacity at Nebraska City is 246,000 gallons and at the plant north of Syracuse is 30,000 gallons

All prices quoted will be f.o b. delivery point —

All proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms provided by the Utilities on or before the time specified above

Each supplier shall furnish evidence of his ability to furnish a uniform supply of diesel fuel in accordance with the needs of the Utility which are higher in the winter months than during the summer months

The successful supplier shall have sufficient liability insurance to save the city harmless of any claims or damage arising out of the contract

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to defer acceptance of any proposal for a period not to exceed 30 days after the proposals are received

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive informalities or technicalities in any proposal, and to accept the proposal which seems to be of the best interest to the Utilities

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to consider such factors as the adaptability of the fuel for use in the diesel engines installed at the power generating plant Proposals will be submitted by the Board of Public Works to the manufacturers of the diesel equipment for their comments and suggestions

Specifications of the diesel fuel proposed to be furnished MUST be included with the proposal The apparent successful bidder shall submit samples of fuel which he proposes to furnish to the Omaha Testing Laboratories or any other independent laboratory agreeable to the Board of Public Works, and the results of such test shall be used by the Board of Public Works to determine whether or not it meets their requirements. At the discretion of the manager of the Board of Public Works samples may be taken of fuel furnished on this contract and be submitted to the same laboratory for analysis. Should the analysis vary more than 10 per cent from the specifications of the fuel proposed, then this contract becomes null and void and the Board of Public Works is free to purchase fuel from any source it deems advisable.

Any fuel in storage at the diesel plant which has been damaged by deviations from these specifications to the extent that it cannot be used by the Utilities will be removed from the tanks of the Utilities and the cost of the fuel so removed, together with any costs incidental to the removal of same, shall be borne by the Supplier.

The fuel is to be used in one Nordberg Dual Fuel Super Thermal engine, type FSG-168-HSC, 8 cylmder, 4 cycle, 327 RPM unit, one Fairbanks-Morse, Model 31 AD18 dual fuel, 277 RPM unit, one Nordberg Model TSGL-219-31 dual fuel, 240 RPM unit, three Fairbanks-Morse, Model 38TDD8 ⅛ dual fuel, opposed piston, 720 RPM units, and one Enterprise, Model DGSRV16-3 dual fuel, 16 cyl V type, 360 RPM unit.

Fuel Analysis: Suppliers may submit any additional information that they wish concerning the fuel but the analysis must include the following

Gravity — in degrees API
Heat Value — BTU's per pound by calorimeter
Flash Point — by Cleveland Open Cup Tester in degrees Farenheit
Water & Sediment by centrifuge in percent by volume
Viscosity in SSU at 100 degrees Farenheit
Carbon residue in percent by weight by Conradson methods, taken on the whole sample, if over 1 percent, on the 10 percent bottoms if less than 1 percent for the whole sample
Ash in percent by weight
Pour point in degrees Farenheit
Cloud point in degrees Farenheit.
Sulphur in percent by weight.
Corrosion tests by copper strip method.
Ignition quality in cetane number by test engine.
Distillation in degrees Farenheit for each 10 percent fraction recovered.

The tests should be conducted according to the methods prescribed by the American Society for testing materials in the current edition of the ASTM Standard on Petroleum products and Libricants as prepared by ASTM Committee D-2.

Questions regarding these specifications or the forms for proposals should be referred to the Manager of the Nebraska City Utilities, Nebraska City, Nebr.

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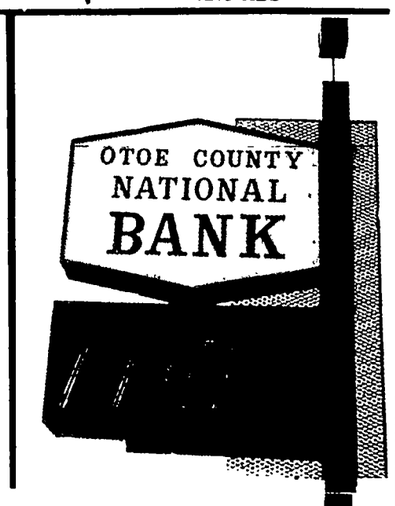
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