The Buck Ends Here

By IVAN D E. BEAUMONT

It was no surprise to us to read in Omaha and Lincoln papers that Nebraska City Lourdes was rated state D champions in football

You read that in the News-Press a week ago direct from our Super Polls at the beauty salons

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Well, now we can report that the Knights of Columbus are seeking permission and some help to erect some special signs designating the Knights as state champions

Bill Olmer, grand knight, said the council hopes to erect the signs at the entrances to Nebraska City. The signs will be made of wood and brightly painted.

The KCs have asked permission from the Lions to place a sign in the park near the river bridge and Pete Lutz welcomed a sign on his farm north of town on U.S. 75. You'll hear more about this later

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We checked it out and we can report... .that people are driving slower

We found on a roundtrip to Lincoln the other afternoon that few cars and no trucks passed us as we wheeled at 50-55 m.p.h We didn't look at the time of travel, but we found that the slower speed was okay It was disturbing when someone did pass us and splattered sloppy crud from the highway onto the windshield

The radio in our car is on the blink, so the Queen Bee got serenaded. And since I am such an expert in the vocal field, I want everyone to know that she slept all the way home.

I don't know whether it was my Bing Crosby tone or my Dracula imitations, but either way, she konked out until we stopped at the traffic light at Eleventh Street and Fourth Corso.

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Sidney, Ia , is the town that has the nationally famous American Legion sponsored rodeo

It's also a town that has its special people.....Dave West, editor of the Argus-Herald, tells about the displays at a local cafe in his column, "It Takes All Kinds:"

"Jack Harvey has been doing all right in Iowa as proprietor of the Roundup Cafe here, but we think he left his heart in Texas. We were looking around in his cafe one day, while dawdling over a cup of the hot, and were surprised to note how many evidences of Texas memories Jack has around the place. There was a long, green vegetable labeled "Texas cucumber" stretching about six feet along a shelf, a stuffed horned owl, an enormous "Texas flyswatter," a ceramic longhorn steer and horned red bull, as well as the biggest Zippo-type lighter we've ever seen up on one of the shelves

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A Thanksgiving every year

Thanks to Tom and Mickey Weathers and their two daughters for the Thanksgiving dinner Mrs Weathers if from Germany and we looked forward to the specialites

And, after Tom and me showed the gals we are mighty good on the guitars with pop, rock and you-name-it-in-a-C-chord, we got seconds and too much more after that

The worst part was sitting around the table after the meal, but then we showed the gals a couple tricks in bridge....snicker, snicker

Mrs Weathers dug out her husband's yearbooks from Doane college and showed my wife a picture of a dashing looking G.I. freshman. (I didn't mind it until the kids started laughing at my picture)

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We got started thumbing through several yearbooks.....the Lyon boys from Brock were athletes, Clark Marshall from Avoca was in my history class and there was smilin' Lynn Handy from Percival, Iowa

We also learned the fullname of the Rev. C. G. Nienkamp, pastor of the Bethel United Church of Christ in Nebraska City.

He is Christian Gary Nienkamp and he had a crew-cut when he was in college, too. Pastor Nienkamp is from Genoa, Ohio. We understand that Bill and Bob Nienkamp who were also in one of the yearbooks are brothers

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Whatever happened to the legs?

Okay guys, let's get together on this.....the gals look sharp in their pantsuits, but whatever happened to the leggy legs?

I mean, the gals aren't working in defense plants riveting ships or welding tanks, but they've been dressing like they were going First Class to combine the beans or plow on the North 40.

I was looking over my list of Christmas gift ideas the other day for the females in my family and came up with new ideas:

Like . .a John Deere 4020. . .a railroader's overalls and a polka dot cap

Hey, guys. This isn't so funny

Do you have boots? Betcha the wifey has some, too.

How about a sweat shirt .gotcha there don't I? Betcha she's got at least three·

Remember your wide leather belt? Has she cut holes in it and drawn it up around her waist through the loops of your old bluejeans that are now "cutoffs "

Let's organize! "Guys for Gams "

Judge seeks big brothers

At the November Jaycee general membership meeting held at the Jaycee Hall, Judge Robert L. Morrissey, district county judge from Syracuse, spoke to Jaycees about his job and on the court reform act that went into effect last January.

Judge Morrissey, who has jurisdiction in Pawnee, Richardson, Johnson, Nemaha and Otoe counties, was especially concerned about juvenile problems in the area.

He asked that the Jaycee members assist in any way possible with the juvenile problem. He suggested that a big brother type program be initiated as a Jaycee project.

Judge Morrissey noted that on a national basis, the juvenile problems generally decrease during the vacation period. He suggested that perhaps the regimentation of school might breed juvenile problems.

Even though there are a low number of youngsters ages seven - 16 that get into trouble, those in trouble could use the influence of a young man if he were willing to give his time.

Six volunteer brick layers volunteered their time to lay brick for a dugout at the middle diamond at Steinhart Park. Those providing the service for the Jaycees were Gary Harpster, Ron Badberg, Herman Vornholt, Richard James, Herman Vollmann, and Bernie Jurgens.

A net donation of $465.60 will be presented to Jesse O. Stein, director of the Arbor Training Center, for the center and the hostel at the Jaycee spring awards banquet.

An orientation chili supper will be held Sunday at 6:30 p.m., at the Federal Savings and Loan community room for new members and prospective members.

A Christmas party will be held for Jaycee members and their wives and for prospective members and their wives, on December 9 at the landing. Reservations for the party are to be sent to Chairman Bill Roker by December 1.

The next general membership meeting will be held December 17 at the Jaycee hall.

Mr and Mrs Hall are FBLA dinner speakers

Mr and Mrs Jerry Hall were the guest speakers for the program for the annual Future Business Leaders of America, Nebraska City Senior High, Thanksgiving dinner held at the Elks on November 20.

The couple talked on how their business began, their system of operation, and their prospective business for the future.

Kevin VanRenan, president, reminded the members to turn in the money from the candy bar sales project. He also suggested the members make plans for a community project for the holiday season.

Miss Janet Wulf is the FBLA faculty sponsor.

Citian earns varsity letter

Cadet Tom Mullen, Missouri Military Academy at Mexico, Missouri, was awarded a varsity football letter at a recent fall sports banquet at the school.

Missouri Military finished the season at 4-4-1. Tom is the son of Jack Mullen of Nebraska City.

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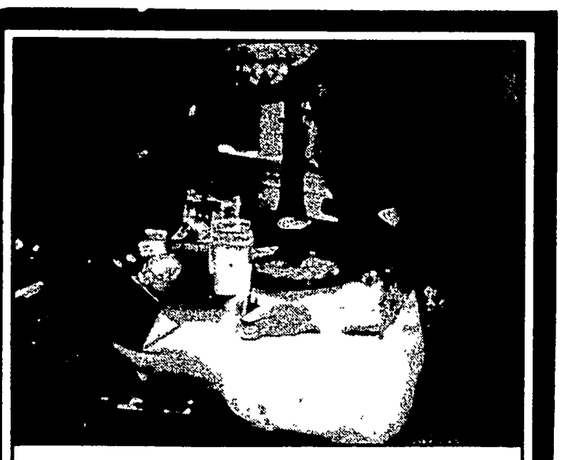
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PRAYER· Dear Father, we praise and thank You for the beautiful world You have given us Help us to trust in Your promises while seeking to do Your will In Jesus' name Amen

Mrs Wilhite gives lesson on lawns

Lawns was the subject Mrs Genevieve Wilhite spoke on at the November meeting of the Garden Department of the Nebraska City Federated Woman's club at Memorial Building Mrs Wilhite discussed the making of new lawns and how to care for them.

Hostesses were Mrs Henry Holtgrewe, Mrs E. S. Kreifels, and Mrs J. C. Littrell.



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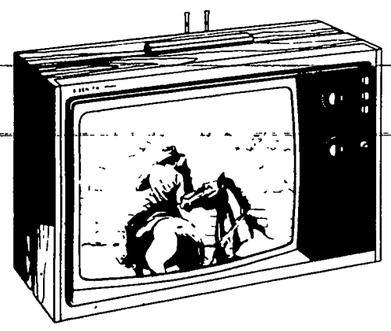
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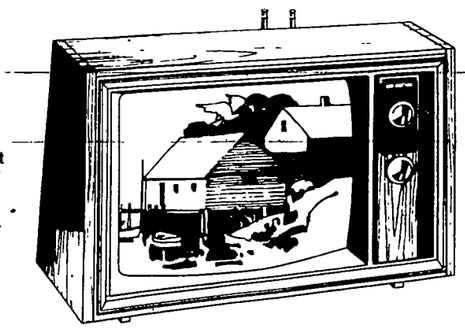
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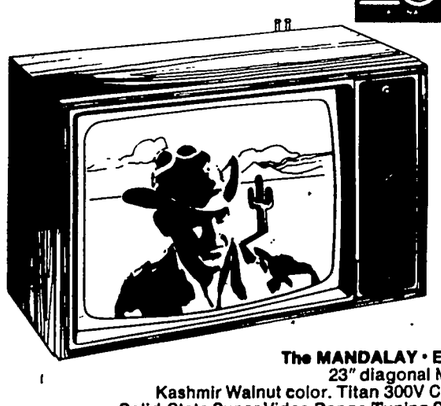
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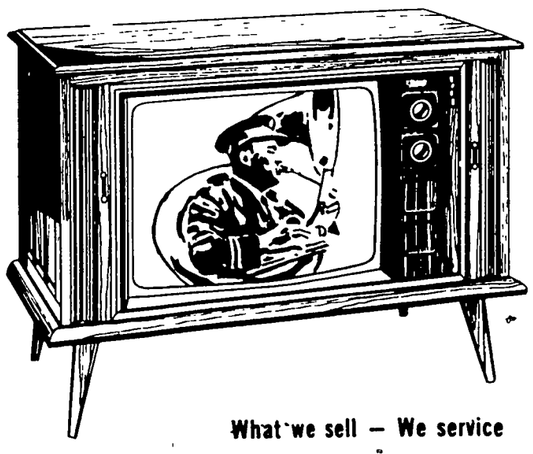
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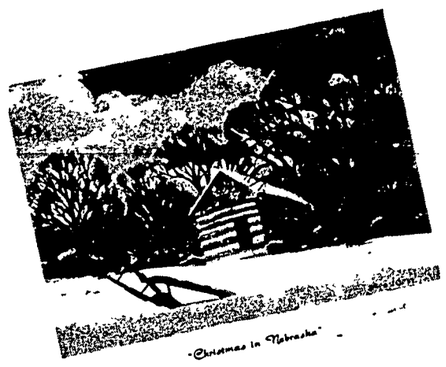
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