The Buck Ends Here

By IVAN D.E. BEAUMONT

Neither rain nor snow. . .

We've heard of dogs giving troubles to mailmen, but city carrier Frank Bataillon stepped on a new obstacle the other day.

He was delivering mail in the northeast part of town and took his usual shortcut through a hedge loaded with the usual mail bag

Only this time as he stepped through the hedge he put his foot down on a Bull snake that was sunning himself.

"Y-e-e-i-i-k-e-s," Frank shouted and from what the neighbors said he did a one-legged dance to a cha-cha-cha tune while the snake coiled around his leg and held on for dear life

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You have to be a good sport at the PO and take a ribbing on boo-boos. This one has to be the greatest:

The paychecks for employes at the Nebraska City Post Office didn't make it through the mails to the big brick building They were missent to Nebraska City Utilities

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The fire hydrants

Congratulations to the Nebraska City Bicentennial Commission, Mrs Bill Berger at Senior High and her students for the clever painting jobs on fire hydrants around town. They're all beauts.

We've yet to see another Bicentennial project to match the originality of the hydrant painting jobs. There was no problem getting the okay to paint the hydrants. . .Mrs Berger's husband is chief of the Nebraska City Volunteer Fire Department.

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Didya know. . .

That Otoe county has 110 WWI veterans, 870 WWII vets, 340 Korean and 390 Vietnam for a total of 1,700. . . .that Veterans Day is November 11 and that means the Last Man's club will meet at Memorial Building to check the contents of the "box"..

Veterans Day was returned to November 11, the anniversary of the armistice ending WWI on a 410-6 vote in the House. Forty-four states rejected the federally imposed change in Veterans Day and two states never changed in the first place. . . shows what the power of veterans can do.

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South Pacific

The musical South Pacific will be staged at Senior High November 7-8-9 with a cast of umpteen boys and girls from the school

The directors are Mrs Charlotte Mabie and Jim Callen, who last year gave us Lil' Abner Gary DeBoldt will direct the bandsmen. It's got the makins' of a reallly good show

We saw the movie many years ago and we've seen Mrs Mabie's abilities with youngsters She directed the same musical at Johnson-Brock school a few years ago It was a delightful evening to see high schoolers use their lungs in music

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The music from South Pacific is something else We still remember the beauty of the misty Pacific isles and Bloody Mary singing Bali Hai and the cute Talky-Talky song that was special communication for two young people

There's a lot of humor in the musical and it's the type you'll enjoy. We're told that some of the language has been toned down from the stage performance That should be a trick in itself. .oh darn it!

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The greatest sea battle of WWII, Midway, will be released soon American warships literally destroyed the Japanese Navy in that battle.

The over two hour film contains a great deal of the actual battle The Navy filmed it in minute detail

The interesting part is, how do you produce a movie about a battle that took place over 30 years ago? Much of the filming was done along the coast of Texas Water is water, but where do you get an aircraft carrier and WWII airplanes?

The Japanese Zero airplane is faked on other older aircraft, but a number of the WWII planes that are being held by collectors are being used

It promises to be a devastating and victorious war movie for Americans.

The congressman

Rep John McCollister, Omaha, Second district, is on the campaign trail seeking the seat to be vacated when Sen. Roman Hruska retires.

Congressman McCollister visited in Nebraska City and continued on the trail to Syracuse, then to Johnson and Nemaha counties before a breakfast in Beatrice. At a coffee at the Friendship Room, he thanked the group for its attention That wasn't necessary Politicians always get a warm reception in Nebraska City

It wasn't too many years ago that we had Sen Eugene McCarthy and the late Sen. Robert Kennedy at the courthouse The Kennedy campaigners drove into town and attracted an excited sign waving group

Sen McCarthy's two DC3 airplanes circled over the courthouse, landed at Grundman airport and then the group drove to the courthouse for his speech

Well, judging by the list of presidential hopefuls in the coming election, we may be seeing a lot of candidates in the next months

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Improvement

Congratulations to the many volunteers of the Improvement Councils who have earned Nebraska City, Syracuse and Nehawka as finalists in the annual community contest

Winners will be named Friday at a banquet in Lincoln Governor Exon will head that program

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From where I sit. . .

We hope you've been reading the three new local columns that are appearing in your News-Press. They are "Ms. One Person's Opinion by Dorene Duffey," "Two Cents Worth by Sue Quinlan" and "Under My Hat by John Quinlan " Mrs Duffey is getting some feedback from her family As a grandmother, the family was apparently surprised when she went for the "Ms" bit "I hope my husband (F L Duffey) will let me in the house tonight after that first column," she said

He did And if we know "Mister" Duffey, he's probably stirring up batter in the kitchen with ideas for his wife's next column

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Sue Quinlan did a column on the public rest room We heard from readers "what a waste of reading space" "a fine job," Mayor Rogers said "appreciated your interest," another said

Sue wrote about the "Pub ic" rest room, how it got started, what it's like and something about the people who look after it

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John Quinlan (you guessed, John and Sue are One) printed some pictures he had taken some years ago when he was a reporter-photographer in Omaha We received a few calls on that and a couple of notes

"I told him he'd hear about it," his wife said

You might be interested in knowing that the large majority of the people who called, wrote or mentioned it m conversations, saw no objection Two grandmothers thought the pictures were "pretty neat " (Dunno about these grandmothers)

We were concerned after receiving a call from a friend so we sat in the rocker in front of the TV tube thinking and watching a cartoon commercial in living color of a long-haired beauty skinny dipping as she shampooed her hair

COURTHOUSE NEWS

New cars licensed, titled

Edythe L. Phelps, Douglas, Oldsmobile; Marvin Rumery, Pontiac, Paul F. or Beverly Baltensperger, GMC pickup; Randall W or Mary Seyfer, Buick, Carl, Rhobie or Carlene Roll, GMC pickup, Weinman, Linda Goeppinger or Harlan Bohl, Chevrolet, Ben Kohout, Chevrolet, Michael J or Don Badberg, Chevrolet pickup; David C Weldon, Chevrolet, Mike or Virginia Heng, Chevrolet pickup, Whitehead-Rhoden.

Fred F or Erma V. Baker, Dodge, Rowe, Holmes Leasing, two Ford pickups, Glen L or Edna Brawner, Lincoln; Lynn or Melvin Howe (Howe & Son), Talmage, Ford van, Holmes, Harlan E Fenske, Harley Davidson; Russell C Seals, Jr , Suzuki, Tri-State Ccle; LeRoy or Margaret Bottcher, Syracuse, Honda, Johnny's Yamaha; Bill Blacker, Syracuse, Chevrolet pickup; Robert or Elaine Zahn, Syracuse, Chevrolet pickup, Archie or Besse McDaniel, Syracuse, Chevrolet, Strong, Syracuse

Roll Bros , Chevrolet, Ralph or Mildred Stahlhut, Chevrolet pickup, Beardmore, Bellevue, Sidney M or Elizabeth Metcalf, Chrysler, Gamboni, Ralph C or Bettie J Weddle, Dodge, Armbruster, Falls City; Darrel P or Nancy Fiedler, Bennet, Chevrolet Sportvan, DuTeau, Lincoln; Stephen J. or Kristine Lawton, Palmyra, Ford, Dean's Ford, Lincoln

NEHAWKA

Mrs William Johnson

Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs Elmer Fitch were Mr and Mrs Gary Fitch, and Mrs Gary Fitch's sisters, Miss Shirley Reaves of Omaha and Mr and Mrs Gerald Page of Texas. They also stopped at the Gene Fitch home.

Mrs Vern Ackley, a former Nehawka resident, is a patient at Clarkson hospital, room 460.

Mrs Fern Johnson, Briggsdale, Colo arrived Friday to visit her father, Mike Cunningham, in Nebraska City

Accompanying Mrs Esther August from Brush, Colo recently were Mr and Mrs Jerry Moss. Mr and Mrs Moss had been visiting Mrs August and came to the Arthur Johnson home Mrs Johnson assisted them in a move to Bellevue on Monday.

Happenings at Riverview Terrace

By Mrs Robert Harrah

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About 70 residents and guests enjoyed the annual fall co-operative dinner of Riverview Terrace October 10 Russel Balfour accompanied the singing and dancing on his electric organ

Mrs Byron Warlick of Lincoln was a recent caller of her mother-in-law, Mrs Margaret Warlick

Mrs Harland Farley and Melanee and Danny of Syracuse visited her parents, Mr and Mrs Robert Heng on Wednesday

Mr and Mrs Tex Zimmerman of Denver, Colo , a former caretaker at the Terrace, visited many of their friends Monday at the Terrace

Hostesses for the Wednesday afternoon card party were Mrs Frank Garnsey and Mrs Stella Adams, Mrs Ercel Block and Mrs Minnie Steffens were guests

Mrs Vera Frans, Mrs Frank Garnsey, Mrs Pearl Kime, Mrs Ruth Flanagan, Mrs Grace Grover and Mrs Robert Harrah attended the annual fall dinner of the Past Noble Grand Circle of Rebekah Lodge at Torina's restaurant Monday night The business meeting was held at the home of Mrs John Mattox

Mr and Mrs Ralph Meyer and son, Rocky of Cheyenne, Wyo , spent Thursday with his mother, Mrs Theresa Meyers

Mrs Lester Horton is a patient in St. Mary hospital

Mrs Russell Balfour and Mrs John VanNorman visited Mr and Mrs Cecil Emmons in Lincoln on Friday Mrs Emmons and Mrs Balfour's are sisters

Mrs Sena Witte spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Everett McAlexander of Percival, Iowa

Mrs Vera Frans, Mrs Alice Boren, Mrs Jean Anderson, Mrs Ercel Block, Mrs Emma Gieseking and Mrs Lenna Kime dined on the Bellevue Queen Sunday Mrs Frans was the honored birthday guest

Mrs Ella Craig and Mrs Ethel Thomas attended the Past Matrons of Order of Eastern Star meeting at the Masonic Temple Friday. Thursday night they attended the OES meeting when the Past Matrons and Past Patron's were honored

Miss Gertrude Turner was a caller of Mr and Mrs John Hansen of Union

Mr and Mrs Homer Anville of Julian were Sunday callers of Mrs Anvilles mother, Mrs Gertrude Foglesong

Mr and Mrs Paul McDonald and family of Omaha were recent dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Garnsey

Mr and Mrs Raymond Coe of Loveland, Colo were guests of Mr Coe's mother, Mrs Emma Coe, recently

Earl Chamberlain, a grandson of Mrs Marie Walter's, was a caller recently He is stationed at Clovis, New Mexico in the Air Force.

Mrs Ruth Ketelhut is visitng her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Roy Engelkemier of Murray She will later visit another sister, Mrs Joseph Pleuder, of Elkhorn.

Mr and Mrs Chuck Tennant and Mr and Mrs Earl Stone and family of Waukee, Iowa were Sunday dinner guests of the women's mother, Mrs Emma Huey

Mrs Marie Walters accompanied Mrs George Cruickshank and Mrs Joseph Brugmann to Brownville recently and visited Mr and Mrs Charles Reeves Mrs Reeves and Mrs Walter are sisters

Mrs Robert Harrah Sr visited her grandson, Wes Harrah, Union, who is a patient in the Lincoln General hospital

NEHAWKA

Mrs William Johnson

Mrs Emma Nutzman and Eveyln Wolph recently attended the Weeping Water Woman's club Guest speaker was Mrs J J Exon, wife of Governor of Nebraska

Mrs Velma Lacy and Mrs Emma Nutzman represented the Maple Grove Senior Extension club at an extension club art program at the home of Mrs Leonard Stoeher at Plattsmouth

Nehawka Little League football team was defeated Sunday 24-14 by Plattsmouth

The Nehawka Volunteer Fire Departments was called to the Vance Balow farm west of Nehawka Sunday afternoon to control a timber fire The Union Fire Department was called to assist

Perhaps there are local people who would be interested to know when they are glacing through the Omaha World Herald that the food editor is Jane M Palmer She is the daughter of the late James Q Palmer

Mrs Verle Pierce entertained the marathon bridge foursome at her home Monday night The foursome players were Miss Fran Hansen, Mrs Vance Balfour, Mrs Fred Hansen and Mrs Pierce

Junior High Volleyball Tournament — The Junior Class is sponsoring a Junior High Volleyball tournament October 27, 28, and 29 at the school Monday the game schedule is -- Plattsmouth St John vs Nebraska City Lourdes at 6 30 p.m.; Murray vs Unadilla, 7 30 p.m and Nehawka vs Weeping Water 8 30 p m Springfield drew a bye

Mr and Mrs Gene Adkins visited Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs Jim Miller of Walton Monday evening Mr and Mrs Gene Adkins went to Louisville and helped their granddaughter Rhonda Adkins, daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Adkins celebrate her fifth birthday

Mrs John Chandler and Barbara visited in Auburn recently with Mrs Katherine Nutter

Mr and Mrs Dwight Cook spent the weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs Merle Cook in Fremont

Accident

VALLEY, Neb (AP)—The Douglas County sheriff's office said a man was killed Friday while he was bulldozing trees on a farm west of Valley

Officers said William Rine, 46, of Cedar Bluffs was crushed when a tree fell across the bulldozer

Proclamation

For

National Business Women's Week

WHEREAS working women constitute 33 million of the Nation's working force, and are constanly striving to serve their communities, their states, and their nation in civic and cultural programs and

WHEREAS major goals of business and professional women are to help create better conditions for business women through the study of social, educational, economic, and political problems; to help them be of greater service to their community; to further friendship with women throughout the world, and

WHEREAS all of us are proud of their leadership in these many fields of endeavor,

NOW, THEREFORE I MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NEBRASKA CITY, NEBRASKA by the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim October 19-15, 1975,

As

NATIONAL BUSINESS WOMEN'S WEEK

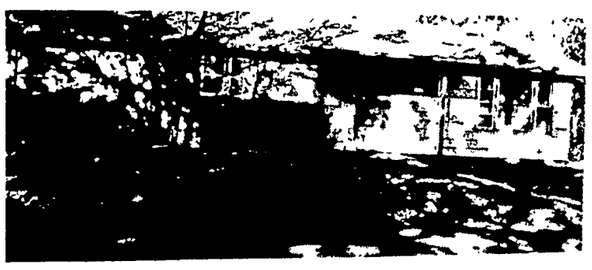
sponsored by the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., and urge all citizens in Nebraska City, Nebraska, all civic and fraternal groups, all educational associations, all news media and other community organizations to join in this salute to working women by encouraging and promoting the celebration of the achievements of all business and professional women as they contribute daily to our economic, civic, and cultural purposes.

Dated This 6th Day of October, 1975

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