

Dr. Edward N. Tihen (1924-1991) was an avid reader and researcher of Wichita newspapers. His notes from Wichita newspapers -- the "Tihen Notes," as we call them -- provide an excellent starting point for further research. They present brief synopses of newspaper articles, identify the newspaper -- Eagle, Beacon or Eagle-Beacon -- in which the stories first appeared, and give exact references to the pages on which the articles are found. Microfilmed copies of these newspapers are available at the Wichita State University Libraries, the Wichita Public Library, or by interlibrary loan from the Kansas State Historical Society.

TIHEN NOTES FROM 1937 WICHITA EAGLE

Wichita Eagle

Monday, January 4, 1937

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3. Photo of new swimming pool and bath house at College Hill park, built as Work Projects Administration project. Article with details.

Saturday, January 9, 1937

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5. Outgoing airmail from Wichita totaled 55,896 pounds in 1936 compared with 29,157 pounds in 1935.
6. Photo of new twin-engined C-18 Beechcraft plane, now nearing completion.

Sunday, January 10, 1937

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11. Article about the recent projects eliminating Ackerman Island and improving the area. Gives history of island -- bought by Joseph Ackerman in 1887 for planned packing house expansion, which was prevented by panic of 1891. Ackerman died on October 3, 1934. Says home plate of Island Park is beneath the police and firemen's memorial on Mc Lean Boulevard. Photos including good one of new Arkansas Valley Interurban Railroad and Missouri Pacific bridges.
12. Photo of Evans Motor Company building under construction on South Topeka.

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5. Article reports first flight yesterday of new Beechcraft Model 18 twin motored plane. Details.

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3. Photo of fire engine in second block on East Douglas yesterday.

11. Article about the new Beechcraft Model 18, with photos.
28. Photo of used car department of Arnold Automobile Company at 314-16 South Market.

Monday, January 18, 1937**page**

5. Article reports death yesterday of Howard W. Patten, 55, former superintendent of Wichita Railroad and Light Company, at his home in Concordia, Kansas, where he has been executive of a natural gas utility company. A brother, Albert, died several years ago. Obituary and photo. Was with Topeka Railway Company 1904 to 1914 and again 1916 to 1920, and in Wichita beginning 1920.

Wednesday, January 20, 1937**page**

6. Article reports a radio direction finder developed during past two years by TWA. Details. Includes external loop antenna. At present TWA is the only airline making regular use of this added safety precaution.

Friday, January 22, 1937**page**

2. Article reports death of Mary Weaver, 78, 1531 Woodrow. Survived by sons Esco F. Weaver, operator of Weaver gardens on the Cannonball west of Wichita, Walter Weaver of the Weaver gardens, who conducts a vegetable and landscape business on Woodrow, Daniel, at the home, and Roy, in California, and one daughter, Margaret, at the home.

Sunday, January 24, 1937**page**

5. Announced yesterday that the Beech Aircraft corporation has purchased the factory it now occupies on East Central from the Curtiss-Wright Airplane Company of St. Louis including the site of 160 acres. Photo.
- 4-A. The new Lassen Hotel coffee shop will open to the public Wednesday. Details.

Monday, January 25, 1937**page**

5. A total of 123 Stearman trainers have been ordered during the past six months and approximately 250 during the past two years.

Saturday, January 30, 1937**page**

2. Article reports death yesterday of Howard W. Darling, Wichita lumberman, at his home, 3755 East Douglas, at age 80. Obituary.

Sunday, January 31, 1937**page**

- 24. Photo shows Miller theater marquee and building.
- 31. Opening announced yesterday of new Lincoln Terrace addition, east of Lincoln Heights addition, between Waterman and Kellogg and Oliver and Bleckley Drive. Details.

Tuesday, February 2, 1937**page**

- 5. School bond issue is to be voted on at election in April. Provides for new 15 room intermediate school for the Riverside area and for additions to several other schools. Details.

Wednesday, February 3, 1937**page**

- 2. Article reports plans for continuation of WPA projects for improvements in Wichita parks this year. Details.

Sunday, February 7, 1937**page**

- 6. Ad with map of lots in Forest Hills.

Sunday, February 14, 1937**page**

- 2. Photo of old post-office building being razed, with only part of first story still standing.

Tuesday, February 16, 1937**page**

- 12. Photo of dark dust cloud over Wichita yesterday.

Friday, February 19, 1937**page**

- 2. Photo of old post-office building yesterday, with walls all gone and only main floor and foundation remaining.

Saturday, February 20, 1937**page**

- 2. Another photo of old post-office building site.

Sunday, February 21, 1937**page**

- 7. The old post office site will temporarily be used as a parking lot, to be opened Tuesday. The ground floor of the building has been left and cars will be driven on it via a ramp at the west end.
- 9. Drawing of proposed Stanley African Methodist Episcopal Church, to be built at northeast corner of 11th and Indiana. S. S. Voigt, architect.

30. Ad with photo of building at southeast corner of 9th and Santa Fe, 711 East 9th street, in ad saying it was built by Stearman Aircraft Company in 1929 but subsequently not needed by them and now for sale.

9-B. Small photo of Tractor Row about 20 years ago with early tractors in street.

Monday, February 22, 1937

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5. Article reports death yesterday of Henry O. Heller, 70, Wichita resident since 1880, and owner of Hellers grove, a favorite picnic and outing spot on North Arkansas.

Wednesday, February 24, 1937

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5. Ordinance for election to vote school bonds for \$361,783 to supplement Public Works Administration grant of \$246,177, giving \$607,960 for building program, including \$340,250 for new intermediate school in Riverside, placed on first reading by city commission yesterday.

Sunday, February 28, 1937

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2. Announcement made last week that TWA has contracted with the Boeing Aircraft Company for a fleet of four-engined, 32 passenger planes. Details.

Tuesday, March 2, 1937

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5. First copies are off the press of a new ordinance book of the city of Wichita compiling ordinances up to the date of September 14, 1936.

Wednesday, March 3, 1937

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2. TWA ad for new low fares -- from Wichita to Chicago \$30.65, to New York \$70.60, and to Los Angeles \$69.35.

5. The old three story Butler block at 213-15-17-19 South Main, is to be torn down. Permit to raze the structure was issued yesterday. Owned by the S. S. Noble estate, of Wichita, and the Grafton estate, of Illinois.

Sunday, March 7, 1937

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11. Photo of Lee Lewis Furniture Company, 225 North Main, which is being closed out.

15. Business Preparatory School is now located in its new home, 221-23 North Market, which has been completely remodeled. (old telephone company building)

Sunday, March 14, 1937**page**

9. New Continental Grill No. 2, 3012 East Douglas, is to be opened Wednesday. Photo.

Tuesday, March 16, 1937**page**

3. Innes Dry Goods Company yesterday obtained permit to build a \$5,500 fur storage vault on top of their building.
5. Truman G. Reed, principal of East high school, has been named principal of Lewis and Clark high school in Spokane, Washington. Has been in Wichita since 1921, when he became principal of Horace Mann intermediate. Later was principal of Central intermediate beginning in fall of 1923, and has been principal of East high school since 1929.

Wednesday, March 17, 1937**page**

5. TWA's new sleeper planes will go into service May 15. Both sleeper and day planes are now being built at the Douglas plant. The initial fleet will consist of 15 planes.

Thursday, March 18, 1937**page**

7. American Airlines yesterday announced order for additional seven Douglas planes, three day planes and four sleepers. When delivered the company's fleet will total 25 day Flagships, 12 sleeper Flagships, and 15 of the 14 passenger Douglas planes, a total of 52, the largest fleet of Douglas transports in the world.

Friday, March 19, 1937**page**

14. Photo of trailer coach now being manufactured by the Sterling Trailer Coach company, 6614 East Kellogg (the former Yellow Air Cab hanger).

Saturday, March 20, 1937**page**

2. The new Keefe Packing Company on East 21st street opened for business yesterday. Building has been entirely remodeled. Capacity is 60 to 75 cattle per day.

Sunday, March 21, 1937**page**

7. Zoe J. Hollabaugh yesterday purchased the Coronado Hotel, Main and William, from H. O. and Charles Hockensmith, who have operated the 54 room hotel for 15 years. Building is owned by W. H. Bretch.
33. Article reports formal opening yesterday of Carl Evans Motor Company's new building at Topeka and English. Photo.

- 3-A. Article about holdups on early train trips in the Cherokee strip. Details.
- 4-A. Drawing of buildings in second block of South Broadway on westside, where Western Auto has moved into larger quarters at 235 South Broadway.

Wednesday, March 24, 1937**page**

- 3. Photo of armed advanced trainer built by Stearman for the Philippine army. Has three machine guns.

Friday, March 26, 1937**page**

- 3. Braniff Airways will use Douglas DC-2 transports on its main line from Chicago to Brownsville, Texas via Wichita beginning about June 1. Five of the planes have been purchased to inaugurate the improved service.

Sunday, March 28, 1937**page**

- 9. Omrah Aley was re-elected president of the Sedgwick County Pioneer Society yesterday. Details.

Friday, April 2, 1937**page**

- 12. Photo of side of Twin Coach bus named "Bone" for Wichita pioneer L. A. Bone. No not visible. Note says this bus is on College Hill line.

Saturday, April 3, 1937**page**

- 5. Article says a concrete stand with capacity of 3,200 is to be built on east side of Wichita University football field before October. Will replace present wooden stands there and be somewhat larger than the present concrete stands on the westside, which have capacity of 2,400. Board of regents yesterday voted to build the new section, but are awaiting plans for financing it. Long term plans call for building of a U shaped stadium.

Sunday, April 4, 1937**page**

- 6. Article reports grand reopening of Dockum's remodeled No. 2 store at Broadway and Douglas. Details. Photo and further details on page 10.
- 10. Photos of all Dockum drug stores.
- 2-A. Article about Sedgwick County Medical Society with diagram of its organization.
- 4-A. Early history of physicians and medical profession in Wichita.

Wednesday, April 7, 1937**page**

1. The proposition to issue school bonds in sum of \$381,000 (to include new intermediate school in Riverside) carried in election yesterday by 7,032 to 3,403.

Thursday, April 8, 1937**page**

7. Photo of group in front of Santa Fe Trailways Nite Coach.

Sunday, April 11, 1937**page**

5. Ground breaking to be held today for new W. H. Stanley Memorial African Methodist Episcopal church at 11th and Indiana.

Monday, April 19, 1937**page**

1. Article about a fleet of six "super-Clipper" flying boats under construction for Pan American Airways by the Boeing Aircraft Company in Seattle.

Wednesday, April 21, 1937**page**

5. Dr. T. Walker Weaver was elected mayor by the city commission last night, succeeding Robert E. Israel. Photo.

Sunday, April 25, 1937**page**

9. Photo of new fur storage vault nearing completion of roof of Innes store building.

Wednesday, April 28, 1937**page**

5. The 50th anniversary of founding of St. Anthony's church is to be celebrated for three days starting Sunday.

Friday, April 30, 1937**page**

1. Hawaii Clipper left Alameda, California yesterday with eight passenger on first commercial passenger flight between United States and Hongkong. Passenger for Hongkong will transfer to the Hongkong Clipper at Manila for the final 700 miles leg of the trip.

Sunday, May 2, 1937**page**

3. A new stretch of pavement in North Riverside park, extending from Forest avenue to Campbell bridge, will be opened to traffic today for the first time. It was laid as a Work Projects Administration project and was started last fall and completed this spring. South of the road is a walk along the bank of the river which only recently was completed for

pedestrians.

- 3-A. Article about St. Anthony's Catholic church, which is observing its golden anniversary. Photo.

Tuesday, May 4, 1937

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2. Article reports marriage yesterday of Miss Winifred Royal, of Oatville, and Dr. James B. Fisher. Photo.
5. Board of education yesterday named L. W. Brooks as principal of East High School and G. C. Dotzour as principal of North High School.

Sunday, May 9, 1937

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5. Interstate Commerce Commission has approved a maximum compensation of \$5,000 annually beginning January 1, 1937 for Robert B. Campbell, of Wichita, as trustee of the Arkansas Valley Interurban Railway company in reorganization proceedings.
- 2-B. Article reports 25th anniversary of Southwestern Osteopathic Sanitarium. Details and photo.

Saturday, May 15, 1937

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5. Building permit issued yesterday for an enlargement to the Byrd-Snodgrass mortuary at cost of \$5,600.

Sunday, May 16, 1937

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2. Drawing of new Boeing Model 307 four engined transport being built for TWA.
25. Article about the old Vail Jewelry Company clock, which is now in the Andrew H. Wehling jewelry store, 106 South Broadway. Gives history of the clock and photo.
31. Ad offering for sale the Mentholatum Company's properties in Wichita, with photos.

Sunday, May 23, 1937

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2. The new College Hill park swimming pool and bathhouse will be dedicated Tuesday. It was built as a Work Projects Administration project at approximate cost of \$25,000. Photo.

Tuesday, May 25, 1937

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3. City commission yesterday placed on first reading an ordinance providing for the removal

of all Railroad crossing wig-wag signals from the middle of the street. Twelve of the 23 such signals in the city would be moved to one side of the crossing by December 31, five in 1938, and the remaining six in 1939. Article lists locations of these signals.

5. Beech Aircraft Corporation sales for first four months of 1937 totaled \$278,884 compared with \$180,074 for same period of 1936. Orders on hand April 30 totaled \$286,050. Sales for all of 1936 were \$559,053.

Friday, May 28, 1937

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5. Santa Fe Railway company will build two new 40 by 200 feet storage buildings at its West Wichita shops. ¶Also the old Santa Fe freight house, now occupied by the Bartlett Produce Company, will undergo alterations and repairs, and the freight house now used by the Santa Fe will be remodeled to accommodate the business of the Santa Fe Trails Transportation company.
7. First of the new Skysleeper planes of TWA will go into operation June 1 on the Sky Chief, which makes only three stops from coast to coast. Details.

Saturday, May 29, 1937

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5. The three story brick building at 605 East Douglas, owned by Miss Cleo Benninghoff of Kansas City, Missouri, with frontage of 50 feet on Douglas is to be razed. ¶Max Noble has indicated he will tear down the three story brick building at 609 East Douglas, adjoining the Benninghoff property to the east, beginning June 1. The building has a frontage of 25 feet. ¶Robert E. Israel, Wichita agent for Avis White, of Chicago, already is tearing down the three story building with 25 feet frontage adjoining the Noble building on the east at 611 East Douglas. ¶Only two buildings will then remain in that half block, the three story brick at southeast corner of Douglas and St. Francis with 50 feet frontage on Douglas, owned by the Farmers and Bankers Life Insurance Company, and the three story building with 25 feet frontage at east end of the half block, owned by Frank S. Rose, Wichita business man.

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6. Drawing of new garage and repair shops to be built by Wichita Transportation Corporation at 10th and Fairview at cost of \$40,000. Building will be across the street from the present garage and have accommodations for 35 buses. To be completed August 11, 1937. Overend and Boucher, architects.
13. The new Kaliko Kat night entertainment spot at 31st and South Broadway opened to the public last night.

Tuesday, June 1, 1937

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2. Article reports death Sunday of Charles L. Davidson, former Wichita mayor, at Melbourne, Florida, where he had lived since 1925.

Wednesday, June 2, 1937**page**

2. TWA's new Skysleeper planes went into operation last night on the Sky Chief schedules, which will no longer stop at Wichita.
3. Work has already begun on razing an old one story building on the site of the new Wichita Transportation Corporation bus garage and repair shop at 231 West 10th. The new structure will have a frontage of 132 feet and depth of 150 feet.
12. The new swimming pool in College Hill park was opened yesterday.

Thursday, June 3, 1937**page**

3. Ad for TWA's new Skysleepers.

Sunday, June 6, 1937**page**

1. Report of annual picnic yesterday of Sedgwick County Pioneer Society at the Forum. Details and photos on page 13.
12. Photo of the original George Innes store in first block of North Main. The company celebrates its 40th birthday this week.
14. Photo of Westlink golf course clubhouse.
- 1-A. Article describes Work Projects Administration projects carried out in Wichita.

Tuesday, June 8, 1937**page**

5. Article reports death yesterday of Dr. Walter E. Bartlett, 67, owner of the Bartlett arboretum at Belle Plaine.

Saturday, June 12, 1937**page**

8. Map of Wichita showing use districts of the city.

Sunday, June 13, 1937**page**

7. Article reports trial trips yesterday of the Cavalier and Bermuda Clipper, which will start regular passenger service between United States and Bermuda next week.
8. Article says new TWA Skysleepers will start landing at Wichita on June 25th. Photo on

page 9 of NC17312.

- 16. Photo of new location of Van's Pig Stand at 1225 East Central.
- 7-A. Article about golf in early Wichita with photo of the first clubhouse of Wichita Country Club at 303 Circle Drive in the Dodd residence, since remodeled and now occupied by Bert Stephens.

Tuesday, June 15, 1937**page**

- 5. An official flag of city of Wichita was adopted by the city commission last night. Details.

Wednesday, June 16, 1937**page**

- 2. One of the new 14 passenger Douglas airliner's being put into service by Braniff Airways will be exhibited at the Wichita municipal airport tomorrow afternoon. The Douglas equipment has been used by Braniff to fly the Dallas to Brownsville division of its lines since last Monday, and will equip the Dallas to Chicago division as soon as enough of them are on hand.

Friday, June 18, 1937**page**

- 3. Article reports visit of Braniff DC-2 to Wichita yesterday afternoon. It was announced that these planes would go into regular service on the Chicago to Dallas division via Wichita on July 1.

Sunday, June 27, 1937**page**

- 30. Photo of Walker Brothers store.
- 1-A. Article says Santa Fe Trailways has purchased 39 new buses this summer including 22 of the latest 36 passenger buses with under the floor engine. Photo and details.
- 3-A. Photo of bus depot at William and Broadway.
- 5-A. Article with history of Santa Fe Trailways.

Wednesday, June 30, 1937**page**

- 3. Article reports inaugural flight last evening of Braniff Airways near Douglas equipment through Wichita on the Starlight Express at 7:20 PM.
- 12. Photo of Santa Fe Railroad north Wichita yards from air.

Thursday, July 1, 1937

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7. Ad announcing formal opening of new location of Van's Pig Stand at 1225 East Central. Photo.

Friday, July 2, 1937**page**

2. Forty acres of wheat at 9th and Piatt, on land owned by E. L. Means, produced 35 bushels to the acre this year.
3. Wichita has first opportunity to see one of TWA's new Skysleeper's last evening when it was substituted for the regular DC-2 on the eastbound Sky Queen flight which arrived here at 7:33 PM. Photo.

Wednesday, July 7, 1937**page**

11. Aerial photo of downtown Wichita from Stearman plane at height of one mile.

Thursday, July 8, 1937**page**

2. Note reports start of razing of the old Sedgwick County courthouse building at 1st and Main to make way for modern building. Crews have worked on interior for several days and will start tearing down the walls by end of the week. Property is owned by Farmers and Bankers Life Insurance Company Photo.
3. Douglas airliners will replace the present Lockheed Electra equipment on Braniff Airways' "Starlight Express" flights through Wichita beginning Saturday. With delivery of several additional Douglas planes in the next few weeks, Wichita's other two Braniff flights, the "Centennial Flyer," will also be equipped with the new equipment.

Saturday, July 10, 1937**page**

5. Beech Aircraft Company sales for first half of 1937 totaled \$426,960 compared with \$296,620 for first half of 1936 and total 1936 sales of \$559,053.

Sunday, July 11, 1937**page**

12. Ad with photo of new Phillips service station at 1st and Hillside, which opened yesterday.
16. The Studebaker agency in Wichita at 1700 East Douglas, formerly operated by Fred Etchen, was sold to Friendly Motors, Inc., L. W. Ames, president, effective July 1. Photo.

Wednesday, July 14, 1937**page**

8. Wichita zoning map.

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2. Mac Short, chief engineer and vice-president of Stearman, has resigned effective August 1 to take a position with an aviation company on the Pacific coast.

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8. Photo of Schmidt Food Market, Kellogg and Hydraulic.

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Eagle's 65th anniversary edition.

5. Wichita's newest downtown building at 1st and Main will be under construction soon after August 1, when razing of the old Sedgwick County courthouse building is completed. New building to be same dimensions as old, 50 by 140 feet and one or two stories, with front part leased to Kroger Grocery Company. Workers have been busy removing the old building during the past two weeks.
36. List of 460 people employed by Wichita Eagle.
- 4-A. Aerial photo of stock yards from the north.
- 7-A. Photo of police department and city hall.
- 10-A. Photos of Wichita churches, including first Methodist with old church alongside.
- 10-C. Photos of municipal airport.
- 12-C. Photo of lagoon in Oak Park.
- 8-D. Photos of Wichita packing plants and horse and mule market.

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2. TWA has been given a new air mail contract between Winslow, Arizona and San Francisco. Details.

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- 4-A. During the past ten years 99,749,215 passengers have been carried over the system of the Wichita Transportation Company a distance of 38,992,154 miles without fatality to any passenger.

Monday, August 2, 1937

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5. TWA yesterday inaugurated a scheduled stop at the Grand Canyon airport for the first time.

Saturday, August 7, 1937**page**

2. Building permit issued yesterday for new one story business building to be built by Farmers and Bankers Insurance Company at 1st and Main for \$22,000, 50 by 140 feet, on site of old Sedgwick County courthouse.

Sunday, August 8, 1937**page**

12. Article about Forest Hills subdivision, with map.
14. Photo of new Wichita Transportation Company bus garage with buses in doorways.

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5. Article about retirement of Joe Mooney, gateman at Union Station for past 20 years. Photo.

Wednesday, August 11, 1937**page**

5. Article reports death yesterday of Allen E. Nuttle, 87, former operator of Wonderland Park, at Eldorado. Obituary.

Saturday, August 14, 1937**page**

7. The 1938 Kansas license tags will be wider and shorter than the 1937 tags. They will be 5¾ inch by 12¼ inch, compared with the previous 4d by 14½ inch.
8. The new Maplewood Supper Club on the Cannonball west of Wichita opens tonight.

Sunday, August 15, 1937**page**

13. Photo of Woolf Brothers store.
- 8-A. Santa Fe Trailways ad. One-way fare to Lawrence \$3.35 and to Chicago \$10.45.

Tuesday, August 17, 1937**page**

2. The city's tax levy for 1938 was set yesterday at 10.90 mills, to raise \$1,320,964 on assessed valuation of \$117,652,896. Of this, police and fire departments account for 4.35 mills, to raise \$511,704.
10. Service on TWA's new airmail route from Winslow to San Francisco will begin officially

September 2, with a trial flight to be held this Friday.

Tuesday, August 24, 1937**page**

- 5 City commission yesterday voted to change the name of Northeast Parkway to Sleepy Hollow Drive.
6. Table gives details of budget of city of Wichita.

Thursday, August 26, 1937**page**

14. Photo of new one story building at 904 East 1st, built at cost of \$17,000 for the General Electric Supply Corporation 100 by 150 feet.

Saturday, August 28, 1937**page**

16. Photo of bicycles in front of Wichita theater.

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32. Drawing of new marquee for Palace theater which is to be installed this week. Also photo of the old marquee.

Tuesday, August 31, 1937**page**

5. The Stearman Aircraft plant in Wichita is to furnish the control surfaces -- stabilizers, fins, ailerons, rudders, and elevators, for the big four engined planes being built by Boeing in Seattle, including the B-17B bombers, the fleet of 33 passenger land planes, and the 72 passenger Clippers for Pan American Airways. Details.

Wednesday, September 1, 1937**page**

5. Article reports plans approved by state highway commission for overpass over Rock Island tracks on Highway 81 south of Wichita. Details. To be 787 feet long exclusive of approaches. Gross length including approaches will be 2,955 feet, and width 44 feet. Photo of present crossing.

Thursday, September 2, 1937**page**

3. TWA is hereafter using its new Skysleeper planes on two regular flights through Wichita, the Flight 2 Sky Queen, eastbound, and the Flight 4 Sky Master, westbound. ¶TWA will start regular service on its new Winslow to San Francisco (from Albuquerque) route on Sunday. ¶Effective yesterday, the Railway Express Company took over the handling of express on the TWA system. TWA formerly operated its own express company, the General Air Express.

Friday, September 3, 1937**page**

5. Cessna Aircraft company yesterday announced plans to expand its capitalization to purchase new machinery and increase production. Details. The present work force of 70 workers will be about doubled. To September 1 this year the company sold 44 planes for \$204,700, an increase of 178 percent over the entire 12 months of 1936. "During the next year we expect to equal the 1929 basis -- a plane a day."

Sunday, September 5, 1937**page**

6. Photo of M. W. Levy home at 1st and Topeka, which is soon to be razed by the Farmers and Bankers Insurance Company to make way for some new building. It recently has been occupied as an apartment house.
18. Seven new 31 passenger Twin Coach buses arrived in Wichita yesterday. Photo (numbers not visible). Cost \$9,000 each. They have been named for Wichita pioneers (names not given).

Thursday, September 9, 1937**page**

5. The family home of the late A. A. Hyde, a three story structure built in 1887, at 3728 East 2nd, between Yale and Roosevelt, on lot 300 by 300 feet, is to be torn down and the property sold.

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3. Photo of home of late A. A. Hyde at 3728 East 2nd, which is soon to be razed.

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15. Ad with photos looking south and east from Seneca and Douglas.
- 10-A. Article about the Wichita Terminal Association Railroad. Details.

Sunday, September 19, 1937**page**

5. The United States Army ordered an additional 20 Stearman training planes last week, increasing the original order for 72 planes in the present lot to 92.
6. It is thought enrollment at Friends University this year will reach 450, compared with a total of 428 last year.

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3. Photo of new Model C Swallow airplane.

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- 5-A. Photo of Lassen Hotel showing sign of hotel on opposite corner -- apparently Stith Hotel.

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5. Board of education yesterday started consideration of a \$650,000 school building program including a new intermediate school in Riverside area at estimated cost of \$328,250.

Wednesday, October 6, 1937

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1. Article reports death yesterday of Commission Frank Nighswonger, age 79. Photo.
6. Elbert S. Rule yesterday announced that bulk plants and service stations of the Golden Rule Oil Company have been sold to the Champlin Refining Company of Enid, Oklahoma. Details.

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18. Ad announces opening today of Bachelder Brothers Conoco Station at 18th and Broadway. Photo.

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1. Wichita University beat Kansas University 18-7 in football yesterday at Wichita University stadium.

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23. Photo of Hart's Cut Rate Drug store, 112 North Broadway, which is celebrating its sixth anniversary.
30. Spencer Auto Service Company, owned by O. H. and Charles Spencer, is moving from 1406 East Douglas to a new location at 1210 East Douglas. They have purchased the building at the new location..
- 1-12-A. Special section commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Catholic Diocese of Wichita. Many articles and photos. Article about Bishop Tihen on page 11-A.

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2. Photo of Ferguson-Olander Motor Company, 1214 East Douglas.

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11. Contract signed yesterday with Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Corporation for construction of *S. S. America* for \$15,750,000.

Sunday, October 24, 1937**page**

2. Article reports conference held here yesterday to discuss needed hard surface runways at municipal airport. City plans to apply for Work Projects Administration funds for the project.
11. Ben Sibbitt Iron and Foundry Company announces the immediate construction of a two story office building facing 40 feet on East 1st and 80 feet along Moore. Details. E. A. Watkins is president and owner.

Thursday, October 28, 1937**page**

3. Photo of David D. Leahy on 79th birthday yesterday.

Friday, October 29, 1937**page**

16. Photo of new Kroger store at 1st and Main, which will open soon.

Monday, November 1, 1937**page**

3. Photo of crowd at Beech airport yesterday for Inman Brothers Flying circus.

Thursday, November 4, 1937**page**

5. Article reports death yesterday of E. B. Smith, 78, 335 South Exposition. Retired May 30, 1934 after 37 years as mail carrier. Wife, Frances, survives. Father of Edgar B. Smith.

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15. Announcement is made of the change in name of Rorabaugh's store to the Rorabaugh-Buck Dry Goods Company. Photo showing new sign.

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6. Photo of Stearman factory office building with planes flying over.
7. Goal of Wichita Community Chest drive is \$227,143.
- 2-A. Article reports Wichita Consistory is to celebrate its 50th anniversary. Details and history given.

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5. New National Guard armory at 151 North Waco will be dedicated today.
7. Old landmark at 343 North Main, a 15 story residence and lodging house over 50 years old operated by Mrs. Ada Coulter and her husband William Coulter for colored roomers and boarders, is being torn down. Front part is two stories and back part one story.

Wednesday, November 17, 1937**page**

1. Article reports launching yesterday of cruiser, *U. S. S. Wichita*. Photo.

Saturday, November 20, 1937**page**

3. Article says Wichita Union Stockyards will celebrate its 50th anniversary with banquet on December 15. Says the first stockyards in Wichita occupying a ten acre triangle at junction of Santa Fe and Missouri Pacific tracks was destroyed by fire on the opening day, October 18, 1887. The yards were rebuilt and re-opened on January 1, 1888 on same site, and moved in 1893 to their present location on 21st street

Thursday, November 25, 1937**page**

5. Wichita Club voted yesterday to sell its property at 1st and Market to Farmers and Bankers Insurance Company for \$90,000 and to move the Club quarters to the 10th and 11th floors of Lassen Hotel next April 1.

Saturday, November 27, 1937**page**

10. Photos of Christmas parade -- shows stores on north side of 1st block of East Douglas.

Tuesday, November 30, 1937**page**

1. Article reports death yesterday of Jacob Achenbach, 91, of Hardtner, pioneer banker and Railroad executive. Obituary and photo.

Wednesday, December 1, 1937**page**

2. Record of 39,813 auto license tags were sold in Sedgwick County for 1937, an increase of 1,241 over the 38,572 in 1936. Sixty-six hundred thirty-six truck tags were sold compared with 6,221 in 1936.

Sunday, December 5, 1937**page**

Rotogravure

Photo of Wichita University campus looking toward south Wichita.

Monday, December 6, 1937

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6. The liner *S. S. Leviathan* was sold yesterday to Metal Industries, Ltd., of London, for about \$800,000.

Wednesday, December 8, 1937

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- 1 A \$688,314 school bond issue was approved in special election yesterday by 2,937 to 2,257. The funds will include \$333,750 for new intermediate school in Riverside area.

Monday, December 13, 1937

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3. Article reports death of Mrs. Charles R. Stith, 60, hotel operator, of 156 North Market.

Sunday, December 19, 1937

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14. Photo of Continental Grill No 3, 608 North Broadway, which will be formally opened next Thursday.

Friday, December 31, 1937

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2. Major Jimmy Doolittle visited Wichita yesterday.