

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.

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15. Work will start tomorrow on a three story brick apartment house at 424 North Topeka costing approximately \$65,000 and having 18 apartments. To be named the Nokomis apartment house after the name of the town in Illinois where Claude Neil, the Wichita builder, was born.

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11. Claude E. Neil, realtor, has purchased 100 feet of ground at 424 North Topeka and will build there a three story brick apartment costing \$65,000. The building will occupy the north 50 feet of the ground.

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11. Photograph of new Nokomis Apartments, 426 North Topeka, which is to be duplicated by the owner, Claude E. Neil, on a site adjoining it on the south, with 30 foot court between the two buildings. New building to cost \$70,000.