

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.

Subject: snowstorm, blizzard**Wichita Eagle****Wednesday, March 31, 1926****page**

1. Article reports heavy snowstorm yesterday with eight and a half inches falling in the city.

Thursday, April 1, 1926**page**

8. The blizzard has delayed for several days the moving of first tenants into Union National Bank building.

Wichita Beacon**Sunday, January 7, 1940****page**

1. Report of heavy snowstorm in Wichita since Friday night of eight inches or more.

Wichita Eagle**Thursday, November 27, 1952****page**

3. Article discusses criticism of Wichita Transportation Company for halting all bus service about 9:30 p.m. Tuesday because of the severe blizzard, leaving some people stranded and without transportation. The order was given by J.C. Carothers, superintendent of transportation, since both John E. Ebinger, general manager of the company and Donn R. Kuntz, his assistant, were out of town. Details.

Wichita Eagle-Beaonc**Wednesday, May 15, 1968****page**

- 8D. Article about first air mail service through Wichita 42 years ago this week on May 12, 1926, by an National Air Transport Curtiss Carrier Pigeon. Details. ¶ Article mentions an earlier air mail flight from Wichita to Rose Hill on March 31, 1926 by F. D. Long, when a blizzard prevented passage by automobile (reported in Eagle on April 1, 1926).

