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Red Cloud, July 22-29  
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## THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

Red Cloud, Nebraska

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THE ONLY DEMOCRATIC PAPER IN WEBSTER COUNTY

Efficiency has been the watchword of Governor Morehead's administration, and it will be the watchword of Governor Neville. Like John H. Morehead, Keith Neville is a thoroughly trained business man and believes that public employes, like private employes, should render a dollar's worth of service for every dollar received.

The Chief does not believe in flattery but does believe that a word of appreciation when deserved is not out of place. We have reference to the recent convictions and punishment of criminals in Webster county which has been done promptly and effectively. The convictions of the bootleggers, Wright and Cameron, and the horse thief, Hall, and their speedy punishment speaks well for our officers, both city and county. County attorney Munday has done his part in these prosecutions well. He has not filed complaints where the evidence would not warrant convictions and thus saving much expense to the county. When a complaint is made, he promptly collects the evidence while it is easily secured. It is not the greatness of the punishment for crime but the certainty that make laws obeyed. We believe that the citizens and tax payers of the county will appreciate the experience and efficiency of a careful and conservative officer, which Mr. Munday has proven himself to be.

### Democratic Convention

In accordance with the request of the state committee a delegate county convention of the Democrats of Webster county is hereby called to meet in Red Cloud, July 22nd, at 2 o'clock, in the court house, for the purpose of electing 12 delegates to the state convention, also to elect a county central committee and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

Each precinct will be allowed one delegate for each 20 votes or fraction thereof cast for Governor Morehead at the election in 1914, and are entitled to the following delegates:

Guide Rock	5
Beaver Creek	2
Sillwater	3
Oak Creek	6
Garfield	2
Pleasant Hill	2
Elm Creek	2
Potsdam	9
Line	2
Red Cloud	4
Batin	3
Glenwood	6
Walnut Creek	3
Invasle	4
Catherton	3
Harmony	3
Red Cloud City, 1st wd.	4
Red Cloud City, 2nd wd.	6
Cowles	2

No delegates will be allowed to participate in this convention without proper credentials from their precinct.  
Ed Payne, Chairman.  
A. B. McArthur, Secretary.

### School Board Meets

Red Cloud, Neb., June 30th.  
Board met in special session. Members present—Madsen, Herriet, Weesner, Cross and Pope.

The teacher's committee consisting of Weesner, Cross and Pope made a report recommending the following teachers for election:  
Mrs. Patmore, 9th grade.

Miss Marie Pilsipher, Cadet in Kindergarten.

Miss Elsie Cather, English.

Miss Alpha Peterson, Commercial.

Upon motion the committee report was accepted and the teachers as above were declared elected.

Red Cloud, July 3rd.

Board met in regular session and all members were present.

The following bills were read and allowed:

S R Florance	\$22 94
Nellie Springer	3 43
Commercial Advertiser	18 75
T G Harwood	35
Flora Osborne	34 00
H E Grice Drug Co.	1 95
R P Weesner & Co.	14 59
Bon Ton Bakery	90
Geo Hadell	33 02

Application of W. P. Medlar for the principalship of High school passed upon, and by vote of the members resulted in rejection.

Application of Supt. Whitehead for one year's absence also rejected.

Finance committee made report and by vote of the Board report was accepted.

The following is the estimate of expenses by the Finance Committee for the ensuing year:

Teacher's salary	\$13,500
Furniture and apparatus	1,000
Fuel and repairs	1,500
Text books and supplies	1,600
School Board expenses and sal.	150
Library fund	100
Janitors	1,250

Less cash..... \$19,100

..... 3,500

..... \$15,600

On motion by Weesner the Board voted to discharge Architect Bradley and the Secretary was instructed to notify him.

Statement of S. R. Florance, city treasurer, of receipts and disbursements for the period from July 1, 1915 to July 1, 1916 was read as follows:

Balance on hand July 1, 1915	\$1,711 61
Receipts	
Whitehead	170 00
Pope	480 27
State	664 69
School Districts	1846 00
County Treasurer	16375 00
..... 19535 36	
Disbursements	21246 97
..... 16933 24	
Balance July 1, 1916	\$4313 73

Board adjourned.

C. J. Pope, Secretary.

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### Notice to Creditors

In the County Court of Webster County, Nebraska

In the matter of the estate of Alfred H. King, Deceased.

Creditors of said estate will take notice, that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said estate is January 13th, 1917, and for the payment of debts is June 20, 1917, that I will sit at the county court room in said county on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1916, to examine, hear and allow all claims duly filed which are a first or second lien upon said estate, and on the 15th day of January, 1917, to examine, hear, allow and adjust all claims and objections of general creditors duly filed.

Dated this 13th day of June, A. D., 1916.  
(Seal) A. D. HANNEY, County Judge.

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# Federal Inquiry or Railroad Strike?

Faced by demands from the conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen that would impose on the country an additional burden in transportation costs of \$100,000,000 a year, the railroads propose that this wage problem be settled by reference to an impartial Federal tribunal.

With these employes, whose efficient service is acknowledged, the railroads have no differences that could not be considered fairly and decided justly by such a public body.

### Railroads Urge Public Inquiry and Arbitration

The formal proposal of the railroads to the employes for the settlement of the controversy is as follows:

"Our conferences have demonstrated that we cannot harmonize our differences of opinion and that eventually the matters in controversy must be passed upon by other and disinterested agencies. Therefore, we propose that your proposals and the proposition of the railroads be disposed of by one or the other of the following methods:

1. Preferably by submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the only tribunal which, by reason of its accumulated information bearing on railway conditions and its control of the revenue of the railways, is in a position to consider and protect the rights and equities of all the interests affected, and to provide additional revenue necessary to meet the added cost of operation in case your proposals are found by the Commission to be just and reasonable; or, in the event the Interstate Commerce Commission cannot, under existing laws, act in the premises, that we jointly request Congress to take such action as may be necessary to enable the Commission to consider and promptly dispose of the questions involved; or
2. By arbitration in accordance with the provisions of the Federal law" (The Newlands Act).

### Leaders Refuse Offer and Take Strike Vote

Leaders of the train service brotherhoods, at the joint conference held in New York, June 1-15, refused the offer of the railroads to submit the issue to arbitration or Federal review, and the employes are now voting on the question whether authority shall be given these leaders to declare a nation-wide strike.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is proposed by the railroads as the public body to which this issue ought to be referred for these reasons:

No other body with such an intimate knowledge of railroad conditions has such an unquestioned position in the public confidence.

The rates the railroads may charge the public for transportation are now largely fixed by this Government board.

Out of every dollar received by the railroads from the public nearly one-half is paid directly to the employes as wages; and the money to pay increased wages can come from no other source than the rates paid by the public.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, with its control over rates, is in a position to make a complete investigation and render such decision as would protect the interests of the railroad employes, the owners of the railroads, and the public.

### A Question For the Public to Decide

The railroads feel that they have no right to grant a wage preference of \$100,000,000 a year to these employes, now highly paid and constituting only one-fifth of all the employes, without a clear mandate from a public tribunal that shall determine the merits of the case after a review of all the facts.

The single issue before the country is whether this controversy is to be settled by an impartial Government inquiry or by industrial warfare.

### National Conference Committee of the Railways

<p><b>ELISHA LEE, Chairman</b> F. R. ALBRIGHT, Gen'l Manager, Atlantic Coast Line Railroad. L. W. BALDWIN, Gen'l Manager, Central of Georgia Railway. C. L. BANDO, Gen'l Manager, New York, New Haven &amp; Hartford Railroad. E. H. COLEMAN, Vice President, Southern Railway. S. E. COTTER, Gen'l Manager, Washash Railway. P. E. CROWLEY, Asst. Vice President, New York Central Railway.</p>	<p>G. H. EMERSON, Gen'l Manager, Great Northern Railway. C. H. EWING, Gen'l Manager, Philadelphia &amp; Reading Railway. E. W. GRICE, Gen'l Supt. Transp., Chesapeake &amp; Ohio Railway. A. S. GREIG, Asst. to Receiver, St. Louis &amp; San Francisco Railroad. C. W. KOUNS, Gen'l Manager, Atchafalaya, Tepeka &amp; Santa Fe Railway. H. W. McMASTER, Gen'l Manager, Wheeling &amp; Lake Erie Railroad.</p>	<p>N. D. MAHER, Vice President, Norfolk &amp; Western Railway. JAMES RUSSELL, Gen'l Manager, Denver &amp; Rio Grande Railroad. A. M. SCHOYER, Resident Vice-Pres., Pennsylvania Lines West. W. L. SHEDDEN, Vice-Pres., Seaboard Air Line Railway. A. J. STONE, Vice President, Erie Railroad. G. S. WAID, Vice-Pres. &amp; Gen'l Mgr., Susquehanna Central Lines.</p>
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