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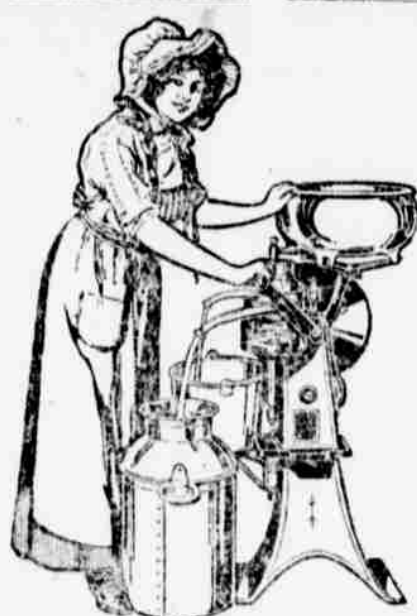
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### Wedded Last Evening

On Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Alfred Johnston, occurred the marriage of her daughter, Miss Ruth Eleanor, to Mr. Clifford F. Eshelman, in the presence of thirty guests.

Clarence Eshelman, a brother of the groom, performed the ceremony which made the young couple man and wife, after which Rev. J. L. Beebe offered a prayer. Mrs. Clarence Eshelman played the wedding march and Jesse Wagner sang a solo which was very appropriate for the occasion.

The home was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being pink and white.

After congratulations had been offered to the couple, all those present partook of a most bountiful wedding supper.

The bride is a graduate of the Red Cloud high school. For several years she was an instructor in the city schools. She is a young lady of many graces of mind and person, and is capable of filling the home she will adorn with happiness.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Eshelman, and he is considered one of the substantial young men of the community.

The young couple will make their home in this city, and the Chief, along with their many friends, wish them much joy and happiness through life's journey.

This evening at six o'clock, the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Eshelman, will give a reception in their honor.

### Equalization Board Makes Tax Levy for 1916

RED CLOUD, Neb., Aug. 23, 1916. The County Board of Equalization met pursuant to call of Clerk. Members present T. J. Chaplin, Floyd McCall, Grant Shidder, J. J. Garber and Paul Storey, Chairman of said board. W. G. Hoffman and J. O. Butler, absent.

In the matter of making levies for the year 1916.

It was moved and seconded that the following levies be and are hereby made on all Real and Personal property of Webster County, Nebraska, viz:

Four and one half mills on the dollar, assessed valuation for general fund including Soldiers Relief.

Three and one half mills on the dollar, assessed valuation for Real fund. Four mills on the dollar, assessed valuation for bridge fund and as an emergency extra. It was moved and seconded that one mill on the dollar, assessed valuation be levied and assessed as an Emergency Bridge fund, the above and foregoing motions were carried.

On motion levies were made on the assessed valuation for school and bond purposes for the several school districts.

The State Board of Equalization certified the State levy as follows:  
General Fund..... 34 mills  
University Fund..... 1 mill  
Special University Bldg Fund 75 mill  
Normal School Fund..... 85 mill  
State Aid Bridge..... 10 mill

Total..... 9.10 mills  
Total State and County Levy \$191 per \$100.  
Board adjourned sine die.

### Commissioners Proceedings

Board of County Commissioners met August 24th, 1916, pursuant to call. Petition to change the place of holding both primary and general elections of Batin Precinct from the school house in District 26 of Webster County to Z. C. B. J. Hall in center of said Batin precinct, was granted by Board.

Petition to appoint D. L. Daily as Constable of Inavale Precinct was granted.

The following claims were allowed:  
Poor Farm Fund..... \$ 6.20  
Amack & Barnes..... 5.60  
S. S. Deardorf..... 12.50  
Dr. Damerel..... 4.05  
W. W. Higgins..... 3.74  
Will Koon..... 29.60  
Sam Lindsay..... 32.99  
Miner Bros. Co..... 7.05  
James Peterson..... 138.32  
Pope Bros..... 16.25  
Roy Sattley..... 8.95  
Farmers Ind. Tel. Co..... 70.00  
John Throckmorton..... 27.50  
Minnie Throckmorton..... 71.65  
Geo. Trine..... 21.20  
J. L. Wixey..... 30.35  
H. T. Wright..... 21.31  
J. E. Yost..... 21.31  
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### Bonds Carry by Large Majority

A special election was held in this city on Tuesday of this week to decide whether or not a sewer system shall be installed in the city with the result that the voters decided in favor of the proposed system, by a majority of 103.

Now that the system is assured, the next step to be taken is to place on sale the bonds, the sum of which is not to exceed ten thousand dollars and are to be in denominations of five hundred dollars each, bearing not to exceed five per cent interest, and due twenty years after date, with the option of payment any time after five years.

Until these bonds have been disposed of, nothing more can be done in the way of letting the contracts for the construction of the sewer. There is no doubt that it will be but a matter of a very short time until the bonds have been taken up and work began on the project.

The voters are to be congratulated upon their good judgment in voting in favor of the proposed improvement.

The following is the unofficial count of the votes cast:

	1st wd	2nd wd
For Sewerage Bonds	107	139
Against "	28	53

### Forger Caught

Last Friday, Ernest Berry, who has been working for O. E. Ranney, came to Red Cloud and running short of money commenced forging bank checks. He wrote checks on Otto Ranney Jr. and William Holmes for amounts ranging from \$8.00 to \$11.00. Charles L. Collins, Joseph Fogel, Cowden & Kaley and Frank Salth cashed the checks for the young man and are the losers in the transactions. Sheriff O. D. Hedge found the forger near Guide Rock. He was arraigned and plead guilty to the four counts of forgery filed by County Attorney Munday. The young man stated that he knew what he was doing but thought that he might get away. He claims his home is in Missouri and that had company is the cause of his downfall. He will be taken to Hastings before Judge Dargatz and be sentenced.

### Surprises His Friends

On Monday afternoon, Mr. Clarence A. Shadbolt surprised his many friends by taking into himself a wife. He was united in marriage to Miss Elythe Marie Pike, of Mt. Morrison, Colorado, Rev. J. L. Beebe officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pike, of Marion, Colorado, and was one of the choicest young ladies of that city, while the groom is one of the popular artists in Mercer's tonorial parlor and is a number one musician. They will make their home in the northwest part of this city. The Chief, along with their many friends, wish them joy and happiness over the matrimonial seas.

### Four Prizes Saturday

At the weekly drawing, on last Saturday afternoon, L. Sherman received the \$5, F. E. Maurer the \$3 and E. J. Overing the \$2. Next Saturday, September 2nd, will be the last of these weekly drawings and on that date there will be four prizes, \$10, \$5, \$3, \$2. However this will not be the "wind up" of the drawing, as on September 14th the grand drawing will take place. On that day the Overland automobile and other prizes will be given away. Now is the time to anticipate your future wants and secure as many tickets as possible as someone is going to receive this car absolutely free on September 14th.

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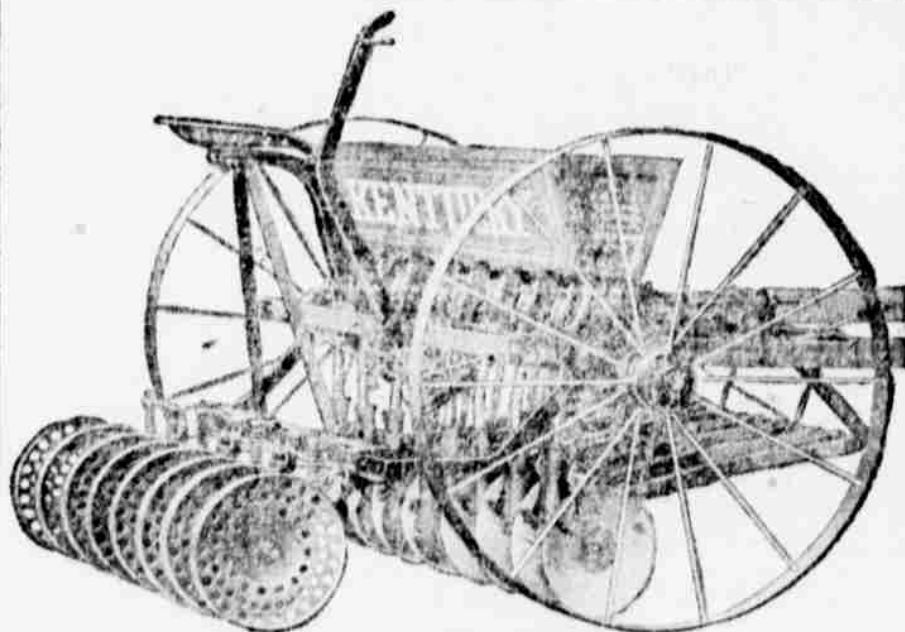
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Labor Day, September 4th, is the date set for the strike of the railroad brotherhoods. The committee of 640 which left Washington on August 27th decided that negotiations must end one way or the other by that date. This day has been selected with a view to having about two million workers in all lines of labor march in demonstration in favor of the strike cause.

### Notice Regarding Books

In as much as the book supply is being overhauled and renumbered, all who have taken books for the summer are requested to return them at your earliest convenience.

P. M. WHITEHEAD,  
Supt. of Schools.