

12th ANNUAL
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AUGUST 19-20-21-22, 1918

MONDAY—ENTRANCE DAY

TUESDAY—CHILDREN'S DAY

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Report of Women's
Red Cross Auxiliary

The following is a report of the Red Cloud Women's Red Cross Auxiliary for the year ending July 31, 1918:

Shipped during the year as follows:

239 swaddlers
182 pr. socks
7 blankets
44 mufflers
31 sponges
22 washcloths
1 afghan
1314 muslin bandages
7720 compresses
3252 wiper or sponges
44 crinoline & muslin rolls
1828 pads
274 gauze rolls

Financial Report:

Donations \$479.70
Sale of supplies 66.36
Monthly subscriptions \$1033.33
Membership fees 510.50
Entertainments 397.54
Assessment of members 37.50
Received from chapter 1190.00

Total \$3556.13

Total expense \$2594.68

Balance \$964.45

Treasurer's Report of Women's Red

Cross Auxiliary for July

On hand July 1 \$313.51

Monthly subscriptions 112.50

Membership fees 17.50

Donations; Entertainment 97.54

Baptist Ladies 12.15

Other donations 1.00

Total \$1273.70

Expenses:

Express \$ 2.98

Turnure & Son 63.42

Mrs. Phares88

M. A. Albright 2.30

H. E. Tharp (machinerempair) 8.00

Expense of membershipdrive 7.95

To chapter for supplies 224.32

Total \$309.25

Balance on hand \$964.45



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Invaluable Items

Mr. F. A. Jones made a business trip to Red Cloud Saturday.

The Buellige twins had a runaway last week. The horses they were driving became frightened at a sound and both of the girls were thrown out of the carriage. Fortunately they escaped with a few bruises.

The Schilder girls from Red Cloud visited at the William Tabor and John Rutledge homes last week.

Mrs. R. E. Hunter was a Hastings visitor Friday.

Miss Bernice Saunders went to Blue Hill Friday for a few days visit with Mrs. Legion.

Mrs. William Carpenter called on Grandma Taber last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Edith Miller and daughter assisted Mrs. Harry Cloud in serving meals for the threshers last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunter were in Red Cloud Friday.

Miss Mabel Carpenter assisted at the telephone switchboard Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Grand and children and Grandma Wickes have returned home after a few days visit with relatives.

Messrs. George and Chris Jorgenson threshed their wheat Tuesday.

Mrs. Teena McKeyson from Bladen spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Watson.

Miss Berdie Saunders spent Sunday with Miss Gladys Cole.

Mad McCall attended the Hillman show in Red Cloud Sunday evening.

Mr. C. H. Burgess spent Sunday with his wife and son.

The picnics given by the Sunday School in District 47 was well attended and everybody had a good time. All brought sufficient baskets, the contents of which were spread for everyone. The hampy assembly departed wishing there were more picnics to attend.

Mrs. James Farley and daughter Ethelia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Beaufort.

Thus Jones was a pleasant caller at George Jorgenson's Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Besmen visited at the Art Myers home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Neil Hunter was shopping in Hastings last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunter were in Red Cloud Friday evening.

Northwest Pawnee

Hon. John A. McHenry, President U. S. Civil Service Commission, in a letter to the well known Grand Island Business College of Grand Island, Nebraska, says: "The Commission again requests that you assist in bringing to the attention of the public the Government's urgent need for stenographers and typewriters, both men and women. Literally thousands are required at salaries ranging from \$1,000 to \$1,200 per year. Persons who have not the required training are urged to undergo instruction at once, for the prospect is that the demand will continue indefinitely." The Grand Island Business College is doing its best to help the United States Civil Service Commission in every way possible. The school is in session now, and is giving instruction in those subjects mentioned in the above subject. Those working to qualify for Civil Service, banking or other Business Positions are doing well in their endeavor. The School for Boys is leaders in business education for more than a third of a century. It was the first western school to prove that positions could be guaranteed and secured for graduates.

Frank Ryan stacked his wheat last Thursday and Friday. Jas. Wonderly was engineer of the stacking. Frank says it pays to wait in order to get the work done right.

Mr. and Mrs. Chair Shrader, from Kansas City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ryan last week. They arrived just as grain stacking was at its height. Frank explained that in Sioux City there were no exceptions from the "work or fight" orders of the government. The shraders informed that in order to keep peace in the family they would wait, and you would have been delighted could you have seen them ladies and all busily engaged in doing the best.

Miss Averil Coffey, of Lebanon, was visiting with Mrs. M. A. Leadabrand last week. The Misses Coffey and Leadabrand are schoolmates. Edgar expresses a liking for coffee these days.

Nearly everyone in this neighborhood took in the Red Cloud Chautauqua for at least one day. All were very highly pleased with it this year.

Jas. Gouldie's helping man has started hauling wood for fall and winter fuel.

Mrs. Susan O'Hare, of Hastings, is visiting relatives here and will remain with her granddaughter, Mrs. E. Myers for several weeks.

Sanka Hooper attended to chores at the John Brown home while the family were visiting at Atwood. She proved herself an artist at cutting weeds.

Mrs. Pearl Casper went to Ft. Dodge to visit her husband who was called to the colors a short time since.

Gus Peil recently returned from California, is planning to do some painting for his renters, Bert Goss and Roy Myers, as soon as the rush of summer work is over.

Everett Myers and wife and Susan O'Hare were visiting their relatives, Patrick Goulder and family last Sunday.

J. C. Williams and Jay Leadabrand autoed to Red Cloud one day last week on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ryan and Mrs. F. Ryan went to Red Cloud one day last week with a large quantity of butter and eggs. Their car was loaded to its utmost capacity.

Mrs. J. Gouldie and family, Mrs. A. Williams and family, and Ernest Smith were dinner guests of Mrs. M. A. Leadabrand last Sunday.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

The following proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinabove set forth in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 6th, A. D. 1918:

A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Section one (1) of Article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska:

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. That Section One of Article Seven of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be and the same hereby is amended by striking out the following words:

"Second. Persons of foreign birth who shall have declared their intention to become citizens conformably to the laws of the United States on the subject of naturalization, at least thirty days prior to an election."

And inserting in the place of the words so stricken, the following words:

"Second. Persons of foreign birth who shall have become citizens of the United States by naturalization or otherwise conformably to the laws of the United States at least thirty days prior to an election."

See 2. That at the general election nineteen hundred and eighteen (1918) there shall be submitted to the electors of the state for their approval or rejection the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage. At such election on the ballot of each elector voting for or against said proposed amendment, shall be written or printed the words: "For proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage" and "Against said proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage."

See 3. If such amendment shall be approved by a majority of all electors voting at such election, said amendment shall constitute Section One (1) Article Seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Approved, April 9, 1918.

KEITH NEVILLE,

Governor.

CHARLES W. POOL,
Secretary of State.

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