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ALL THE PHONES - NEWHOUSE BLK.

### I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge To Be Held Here

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will hold a session of that body in the city Monday afternoon and evening of March 2nd. This is the first time in the history of the order that Red Cloud has been favored with a session of the Grand Lodge. The Grand Master and all his officers will be here and the work will be carried out in form. Many members from the other lodges in the county are expected and the attendance promises to be large.

The following is the program which will be carried out in full:

- Address of Welcome
- Grand Representative Paul Storey
- Response
- Grand Master Frank John
- 8:30 Work in Third Degree by Ben Adhem Lodge.
- School of Instruction and Exemplification of Secret Work by Grand Master
- 10:30 Refreshments and Good of the Order.
- Short Talks by Grand Secretary I. P. Gager, Grand Marshal D. M. Garber, Brother E. J. Overing and all Visiting Brothers.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Real Estate Transfers for Week ending February 17th, 1914. Compiled by M. W. Carter, Bonded Abstracter, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

A. A. Boren and wife to E. U. Overman, wd, lots 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, Blk. 10, Foe-McBride Add to Cowles and part n $\frac{1}{2}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 4-2-10.....	450
A. A. Boren to Emma Boren, wd, e $\frac{1}{2}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$ 19, e $\frac{1}{2}$ sw $\frac{1}{4}$ 10-2-10.....	2000
United States to George H. Curtis, patent, se $\frac{1}{4}$ 1-1-9.....	
James F. Richardson and wife to Claude A. Pierce, wd, e $\frac{1}{2}$ nw $\frac{1}{4}$ 32 1-11.....	3200
Melchior Volk and wife to Romanus C. Chevalier, wd, n $\frac{1}{2}$ 31-3 12.....	20000
George G. Hoyt and wife to Edwin, T. Foe, wd, lots 1 to 10, inclusive in Blk. 8, Foe-McBride Add to Cowles.....	400
Hastings J. Milner and wife to Harry J. Milner, wd, lots 8, 9, 10, Blk. 15, Vances' Add to Guide Rock.....	2000
Harry J. Milner and wife to Sarah M. Milner, wd, lots 8, 9, 10, Blk. 15, Vances' Add to Guide Rock.....	2000
Romulus C. Chevalier, et. al., to Melchior Volk, wd, e $\frac{1}{2}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$ 31 and nw $\frac{1}{4}$ 32-4-12.....	14000
Omer Gagnon, et. al., to Melchior Volk, wd, se $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 31-4-12.....	12000
Frank Mizer and wife to William E. Montgomery, wd, nw $\frac{1}{4}$ 25-1-11.....	12000
Mortgages filed, \$48,136.40.	
Mortgages released, \$7,975.00.	

### Royal Neighbors to Hold Meeting in Omaha in March

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 17th.—Mrs. A. K. Stevenson of Broken Bow, Neb., is in Omaha arranging for the annual convention of Royal Neighbors of Nebraska, which meets in Omaha March 18 and 19th. Mrs. Stevenson has organized her committees from the nine Omaha camps and has plans working for a representative meeting.

Six hundred and fifty camps will be represented, according to Mrs. Stevenson, by one or more delegates. The state camp meets every three years.

At Mrs. Stevenson's suggestion the following resolution has been adopted by local camps: "Be it resolved that we exert every effort within our power to discourage unscrupulous methods which may be discovered and the person or faction employing the same to be severely reprimanded by the State Oracle if brought to her notice."

### Masons Hold A Big Meeting Here

The Masonic Fraternity held some very interesting and instructive sessions last Friday afternoon and evening. Red Cloud Chapter No. 19 conferred the degree work on four candidates. During the session a 6 o'clock banquet and a 11:30 lunch were served. The out of town members present were: William J. Deferdender, Macco; Gus Iverson, J. E. Morris, E. W. Sheppardson, Riverton; I. B. Bolvin, R. C. Peters, Guide Rock.

The visiting members of other chapters were: Robert Reilly, Robert Smith St. Joe; Robert Avery, Riverton; Conductor Rogers, Oxford.

These sessions will be long remembered for the efficient work performed and for the general good cheer and hospitality, which characterized all the entertainments. Another afternoon and evening session is to be held February 27th.

### Avery Goes to Red Cloud

A deal was made last week says the Riverton Review whereby the Malone-Avery Company came into possession of the Saunders Bros. lumber yard and business at Red Cloud. The coming into possession of it, makes a change in the situation here in Riverton, by the removal from our midst of the Avery family who expect to move to Red Cloud. It goes without saying that the community is sorry to have this estimable family leave Riverton. They have been numbered among our best citizenship and their going will make a vacancy in the affairs of Riverton's social and material welfare, hard to be reconciled to. Bob Avery is a successful lumberman and understands the needs and requirements of the business from a to z. He is a booster and not a knocker and we trust that he will prove an addition to the progressive business interests that dominate in the commercial activities of the city of Red Cloud. We are informed that a Mr. George Arnp, of Duboise, will take up the duties to be vacated by Mr. Avery at this place. He will occupy the Avery residence and will arrive here about the first of the month.

### Report of the Condition

OF THE

### Webster County Bank

RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

Charter No. 1948, incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business Feb. 12, 1914.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$91,077.43
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	232.97
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,560.00
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	2,694.25
Due from national and state banks.....	\$20,107.44
Checks and items of exchange.....	597.81
Currency.....	3,312.00
Gold coin.....	125.00
Silver, nickels and cents.....	451.83
Total cash on hand.....	24,919.14
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$123,428.70</b>

LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund.....	2,500.00
Undivided profits.....	3,672.50
Individual deposits subject to check.....	91,077.22
Demand certificates of deposit.....	1,400.00
Time certificates of deposit.....	2,122.33
Total deposits.....	96,072.55
Depositors guaranty fund.....	775.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$123,428.70</b>

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ) ss  
County of Webster.

I, S. R. FLORENCE, cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.

S. R. FLORENCE, Cashier.  
ATTEST:  
S. R. FLORENCE, Director.  
D. F. MIZER, Director.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Feb. 1914. O. C. TEEB, Notary Public.

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### Relation of Shape of Ear to Yield of Corn

The superintendent of the Texas station at Temple, after a careful study of the relation of shape of ear to yield of corn, concludes that slightly tapering parent ears give the highest yield. This is in accord with the results of experiments at the Ohio Experiment Station, in which extremely tapering ears gave slightly higher results than cylindrical ears. High yields were associated with comparatively smooth kernels of slightly more than average depth and of medium hardness. The yield increased with an increase in the total weight of the ear as determined by slight increase in length, amount of grain, and rather marked increase in weight of cob.

In experiments at the Ohio and Nebraska experiment stations it was found that the highest yields were obtained with medium to medium long ears. Poorly filled butts and tips were more frequently associated with high yields than well filled, but high yields were more frequently associated with well filled butts than with well-filled tips. "The old score card placed much emphasis on good filling of butts and tips, but for several years past in-

vestigators have been getting away from this idea. It has been found that these characters, when highly developed, are usually so developed at the expense of more valuable characters, such as yield, constitution, etc." There appeared to be no relation between yield and shelling percentage and circumference and width or thickness of kernel.

### Omaha's Chances for Big Regional Bank Increasing

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 17th.—Omaha's chances for a regional bank are increasing if reports from Washington are to be relied on. Every member of the Nebraska delegation, with one exception, is in favor of Omaha.

Secretary of State W. J. Bryan has given the Omaha delegation assurances that he will favor Omaha over any other city outside of the state should the competition narrow to Omaha and others of the middle west section.

Senator Hitchcock also has expressed his belief that Omaha is able to care for a bank and that he is favorably inclined to the location of a bank in the Nebraska metropolis.

The Chief for all the news.