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Red Cloud Nebraska

Spring Weather Brings Many Weddings

Railsback-White

On Sunday afternoon at one o'clock the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will White, Miss Ella J. White was united in matrimony to Mr. Leonard G. Railsback of Wilsonville, Nebr. At the time announced the bride and groom descended the stairs, Mr. Archie Harris acting as groomsman and Miss Lena Rasser as bridesmaid. The bride was gowned in white silk while the groom wore dark blue serge. In the presence of near neighbors and the brother and sister of the groom the happy pair were made one as the ceremony was read by the Rev. C. L. Myers of the Ash Creek Methodist church.

After the ceremony the company set down to a four course dinner. The table was decorated in keeping with St. Valentine's day. A large number of beautiful presents were received by the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Railsback will make their home on a farm near Wilsonville, Nebr.

Topham-Leonard

On Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Leonard, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Grace Leona, to Joseph Topham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Topham. In the presence of relatives of the contracting parties, I. W. Edson spoke the words which united this happy pair for the remainder of life's journey.

The bride is a graduate of the Red Cloud High School and has taught several terms of school, while the groom is a prosperous young farmer. This young couple will make their home on the Topham farm east of this city. The Chief along with their many friends wish them much joy and happiness.

Harris-Rasser

On Wednesday at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Rasser, who live at Lester, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Lena, to Archie Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris. In the presence of one hundred friends and relatives Rev. G. W. Hummel united this young couple in the holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Railsback acted as groomsman and bridesmaid. After congratulations the guests set down to a bountiful dinner to which they all did justice.

The bride is a graduate of the Red Cloud School and is held in high esteem by all who know her. The groom is one of Garfield precinct's popular and prosperous young farmers. This young couple will make their home on a farm in Garfield precinct. The Chief along with the many friends of the bride and groom wish them a long, pleasant and prosperous life.

Real Estate Transfers.

Real Estate Transfers furnished by M. W. Carter, Bonded Abstractor, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

L. E. Spence and wife to Howard H. Spence, wd, lot 6, Blk. 1, Spence's 2nd Add to Bladen...	825
Caroline D. Vance and husb., to Charles Francis Phares, qod, undivided 1-5 interest in sec 11-2-11.....	1400
William Herbert Warnock to George M. Stanley, wd, pt sw 1/4 20-2-10.....	1
Abbie A. Sloss and husb., to Cora E. Garber, wd, lots 13, 14, 15, Blk. 4, Platts 1st Add to Red Cloud.....	3000
Arminta Evans and Husb., to Cynthia Moler, wd, lots 7, 8, Blk. 3, Garber's 2nd Add to Red Cloud.....	1000
Henry B. Boys and wife to C. F. Gund, wd, pt ne 1/4 ne 1/4 18-4-11	50
Esther R. Blackburn and Husb., to Russell W. Shields, wd, sec 17-3-10.....	10500
Carrie E. Turnure and Husb., to Beulah M. Mitchell, wd, lots 18, 19, Blk. 29, Smith & Moore's Add to Red Cloud.....	750

Mortgages Filed \$32,862.75
Mortgages Released \$27,495.00.

Why Should Farmers Leave Nebraska?

1914 Rural Crop Wealth

The Department of Agriculture of the United States has given out the total value of the leading agricultural crops by state. In this computation only twelve standard crops are considered. Alfalfa is omitted. The value of Nebraska's 1914 crop of Alfalfa at an average price of \$7 per ton, was \$27,466,385, which really entitles it to be classed as one of our leading crops as it is fourth in value within the state. In the follow tables of figures we only include the rural population of the various states in order to arrive at the per capita wealth of productivity based on the figures as given by the Department of Agriculture. When these figures are carefully studied ask yourself, why should farmers leave Nebraska to better their condition?

Rank	State	Rural Population	Government Crop Value	Per Cap.
1	No Dakota	518,820	144,293,000	280
2	Kansas	1,197,159	287,662,000	240
3	Nebraska	881,362	210,000,000	239
4	Iowa	1,544,717	351,450,000	227
5	So Dakota	507,215	106,888,000	209
6	Illinois	2,161,692	319,565,000	147
7	Minnesota	1,225,414	180,432,000	147
8	Indiana	1,557,041	189,553,000	121
9	Wisconsin	1,329,540	152,321,000	114
10	Missouri	1,894,518	192,918,000	101
11	Oklahoma	1,337,000	134,159,000	100
12	Ohio	2,101,978	207,337,000	98
13	Texas	2,958,438	288,335,000	97
14	Michigan	1,483,129	139,890,000	94

Horse Industry

The value of a Stallion registration law can readily be realized when we analyze the industry within the state Nebraska with one-twelve-hundredth of the world's population has one twentieth of all the horses within the United States and one-one-hundredth of all the horses in the world. Only five states in the Union exceed Nebraska as to number.

In 1912 registration shows only 49 percent of the breeding stallions of Nebraska were pure bred. In 1914 the pure bred had increased to 53.7 percent. During the same period of time the sound animals increased from 68 percent in 1912 to 86 percent in 1914. Among the pure bred stallions, Percheron's lead with 55.5 percent of the total number, Belgians are second with 11.4 per cent. In the near future we hope to see Nebraska with its splendid climate and natural resources occupy the pinnacle of success in the horse breeding industry.

The states having more than a million horses are:

Name	Rural Population	Number	Per Cap.
Nebraska	881,362	1,038,000	1.19
Iowa	1,544,717	1,600,000	1.03
Kansas	1,197,159	1,132,000	.94
Illinois	2,161,692	1,462,000	.67
Missouri	1,894,518	1,095,000	.57
Texas	2,958,438	1,192,000	.40

Star Institute Points

Reports from 29 farmers' institutes this season up to February 1 show an average attendance of over a thousand at all sessions, or an aggregate of 29,293. Points at which the attendance was 500 and over were Alliance, Blue Hill, Culbertson, Lebanon, Saronville, Western, Weston, and Wood River; 600 and above, Cowles, Dakota, and Orchard; 700 and above, Wanneta and Wilcox; 800 and above, Holbrook, Springfield, and Wellfleet; 900 and above, Curtis, Elkhorn, and DeWitt; 1,000 and above, Papillion and Rising City; 1,000 and above, Bartley and Spencer; 2,000 and above, Clarkson, Madison, Red Cloud, and Wausa. The highest number present up to February 1 at any farmers' institute this season is Raymond with over 2,300 persons present.

I. O. O. F. Attention

All members of Ben Adhem Lodge No. 186 are requested to be out to lodge Monday evening as there is business of importance to be transacted. A smoker will be held after lodge.
W. G. HAMILTON, Secretary.

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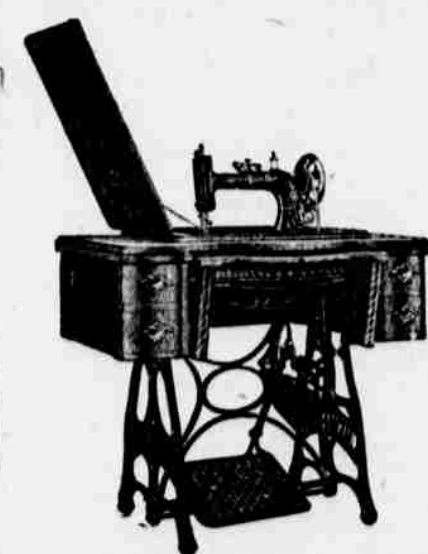
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