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### When You Write A Check

You write your own receipt at the same time, because the payee cannot get the money until he has written his name across the back of your check, and the check is returned to you by the bank after being paid.

This is one of the many advantages of having a bank account in this strong bank, and our service costs you nothing. We do all the bookkeeping and furnish everything—all you have to do is to deposit your money, pay your bill by check and we render an accounting as often as you please.

If you call upon us, we shall be glad to talk the matter over with you and show you why a connection with this bank will prove advantageous to you.

Deposits in this Bank are protected by the Depositors' Guarantee Fund of the State of Nebraska.

**WEBSTER COUNTY BANK,**  
RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA  
CAPITAL \$25,000

## Fashions

**W**E NO LONGER WEAR clothes to protect our bodies from injury by the elements; nor from motives of modesty, except incidentally. The present stage of the evolution of clothes is the recognition of that individuality which marks us as human beings. Fashions, at any time, have myriad forms, varied designs, hundreds of shades and color combinations, any of which is "fashionable," provided it be appropriate to the individual.

### Appropriate Clothes

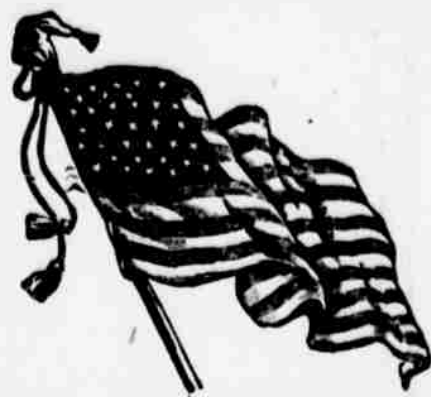
such as are found in Our Store are Good Investments. Where is the man who does not experience renewed energy and cheerfulness, caused by the presence, on his back, of a perfect fitting coat, that is in harmony with his personality? When you want wearing apparel that's fashionable, also serviceable, and at moderate prices step into Our Store.

**PAUL STOREY**  
THE CLOTHIER

## TANKS

Our 2" Cypress steel bound tanks are the best on the market. They have double the life of a galvanized iron tank and are much cheaper.

**THE MALONE-AVERY CO.**  
"TALK WITH US ABOUT TANKS"



### The Great Ruling Principle.

"America must come first in every purpose we entertain and every man must count upon being cast out of our confidence, cast out even of our tolerance, who does not submit to that great ruling principle."  
WOODROW WILSON.

### Merchants Are Progressive.

There are few towns where the stores present a more pleasing appearance than those of Red Cloud. Our merchants take pride in the appearance of their respective places of business. That is not all, they carry a good clean stock of merchandise, and their reputation for fair dealings draw a liberal patronage from the surrounding territory. Along with this, they also inaugurated a plan for giving away weekly cash prizes, tickets being given with every dollar cash purchase or dollar paid on account, and this plan has proven to be a strong business builder, as everyone in this locality has taken a great interest in these prizes which are awarded each Saturday. The prizes listed for the month of July are as follows: July 1st; \$5, \$3, \$2. July 8th; \$10, \$5, \$3, \$2. July 15th; \$5, \$3, \$2. July 22nd; \$5, \$3, \$2. July 29th; \$5, \$3, \$2.

Saturday, June 24th, the merchants gave away the fourth of this series of prizes, and the awarding of them was witnessed by a large crowd of interested people. Our popular attorney, L. H. Blackledge, the next district judge of this district—we hope held the place of honor during the ceremonies, mixing a little fun with business, announced the winners of the prizes, which were as follows: Chas. Cinnamon, \$5, Dr. E. A. Creighton \$3, and Guy Zeigler, \$2.

### "Tuff" Sutton Laid to Rest.

After an extended illness, Anson Edgar Sutton answered the final summons at an early hour, Monday, June 26, death being due to a paralytic stroke, suffered on Saturday morning. He was born in Iowa, June 29, 1855. In 1874, he was married for the first time, and to this union were born three children, their mother passing away when the youngest was an infant. In 1880, he came to this state and one year later was united in marriage to Anna Soderlin, to this union were born ten children, two of which preceded their father to the grave. A wife and children, and one brother, residing in Iowa, are left to mourn his death. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. L. Beebe in charge.

### Price of Flour Comes Down.

The local merchants have decided that the prices on foodstuffs are entirely too high in this locality and are trying to see who can sell it at the lowest price and still derive a profit. The price on the "staff of life" has dropped about half a cent per pound during the last ten days, the present lowest quotation being \$1.40 per sack of 48 pounds. Now is the time for the thrifty housewife to keep her eye on "Webster Street" and do a little speculating on flour. Let us hope that they may see fit to add a few more necessities of life to this reduction, as during the past few years, the prices have been steadily going up, wholesale and retail, with no relief in sight.

Mrs. J. F. Hewitt and Miss Sarah Tilly, of Inavale, spent Sunday with Mrs. D. L. Groat.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Garber and daughter, Mrs. James Cather, autoed to Superior, Sunday, to visit her sister, Mrs. Ida Hayes.

### County Commissioners Meet.

June 19, 1916  
Board of County Commissioners met in regular session.

Present: Chaplin, McCall, Shidler, Storey, chairman.

Now comes a delegate from Nickels County Commissioners in regard to the county line road between Sections 6 and 7 Township 2 Range 8 Nuckols county and sections 1 and 2 Township 2, Range 9, Webster county.

Petition granted and claim to be paid when levy is made.

Hearing on petitions to open roads on line between Sections 33 and 29, 2-1-11, Red Cloud precinct and closing the road running from the N. E. corner of N. W. quarter of said Section 33, 2-1-11, south on quarter section line between the N. W. quarter and the N. E. quarter sections as far as Indian Creek, thence in a south westerly direction along and following said Indian Creek till it intersects the half quarter section line of the N. W. quarter of said Section 33 in said Township, thence west to the section line between sections 32 and 33 said Township.

No objections to the opening of the one and the closing of the other coming before the Board, the one was opened and the other declared closed there fore the petition is granted as to the opening and closing of said roads.

Board of Equalization met on Monday June 19.

In equalization values between cities and villages as returned by the Deputy Assessors. It was moved and seconded by the Board of Equalization that the value of Guide Rock village on lots be reduced from:

\$113 assessed value per lot to \$120 which equals 16 per cent.

Blue Hill village from \$97 assessed value per lot to \$120, which equals 24 per cent.

Bladen village from \$107 assessed value per lot to \$120, which equals 12 per cent.

Rosemont village from \$88 assessed value per lot to \$95 which equals 15 per cent.

Cowles village from \$54 assessed value per lot to \$75 which equals 39 per cent.

Inavale village from \$88 assessed value per lot to \$75 which equals 15 per cent. Red Cloud city was accepted as returned by assessor.

It was moved and seconded that the personal assessment of the several precincts be and are accepted as returned by the County Assessor.

In the matter of Equalizing the assessment of the land in the several precincts as returned by the Deputy County Assessor of the several precincts, it was moved that the average per acre as found by the Deputy County Assessors be increased or decreased according to the following values as found by the Board of Equalization, to wit:

Guide Rock, increased to 6 per cent per acre, Beaver Creek, 2; Stillwater, .014; Garfield, 4; Cowles, 4; Potsdam, 5; Red Cloud, 2; Batin, .03; Glenwood, .05; Inavale, .07; Catherton, .03; Harmony, decreased to .03 per cent; Oak Creek, 2; Pleasant Hill, 15; Elm Creek, .06; Line, .01

Board adjourned to meet as Board of Equalization, Monday, June 19.

Board met June 19, present as above all but Hoffman.

Board proceeded to consider complaints on Equalization.



Declare to come to Our Jewelry Store

BUYING OUR GOOD JEWELRY IS NOT SPENDING MONEY BUT MAKING AN INVESTMENT. THE SWEETEST THING IN LIFE IS AFFECTION. SEND THOSE YOU ARE FOND OF SOME LITTLE KEEPSAKE.

OUR STORE IS FULL OF CHARMING PRESENTS FOR BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, WEDDINGS, OR ANY OCCASION, AND WE GIVE QUALITY.

OUR FOUNTAIN PENS GIVE SATISFACTION. WE MAKE "QUALITY" RIGHT; THEN THE PRICE RIGHT.

**E. H. NEWHOUSE**

Jeweler and Optometrist

C. B. & Q. Watch Inspector

## Try Weesner's First

Best C. & H. Cane Sugar, 100 pounds for \$7.95  
With a five dollar cash order of anything in the grocery line.

### Competition Cannot Meet

Fancy Red Sockeye Salmon, per can 20c  
Fancy Sifted Peas 3 for 25c, per can 8 1/2c  
F. F. O. G. Peas "Better than fresh ones, per can 18c  
Extra Standard Corn, regular 12 1/2c  
per can 10c  
Dutch Cleanser, 3 for 25c

### Quality Coffee

Navare Brand, Best Quality, per lb. 35c  
Karex Blend—Very Popular, per lb. 30c  
Chieftan—Fancy Santos, per lb. 27c  
Paston's—Gas Roasted, per lb. 30c  
"Full Value" Brand, per lb. 30c

### FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Black Raspberries ..... Market  
California Blackberries, per box 15c  
Large Bananas, per doz 25c  
Oranges—Navels, per doz 30c  
Celery, per bunch 10c  
Cantaloupes, large size, each 12 1/2c  
Fresh Tomatoes, per lb. 15c  
New Beets, per bunch 10c  
New Turnips, per lb. 10c  
New Onions, per bunch 10c

White Loaf All High Patent Riverton Diamond Flours \$1<sup>40</sup> sack O. K.

**R. P. Weesner & Co.**

Board of Equalization adjourned to meet Thursday, June 22 at 9 a. m. June 22, 1916

Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment. Present as above all but Hoffman. Board adjourned to call of Clerk.

### Improvements Being Made.

Extensive improvements are being made by the city in the way of street crossings, in the east part of the city. Several of these crossings are being put in, and when completed will add considerably to the appearance of the city as well as to the convenience of residents in that locality, especially in wet weather. Would it not be well to let this good work extend to other parts of the city? While we may not be in urgent need of more

crossings, there is room for improvements along other lines. On Webster Street, for several blocks the gutters have been allowed to become filled up and the water to stand on the side of the street, causing unsightly mud holes which are a disgrace to a city of this size, in this age of improvement. A few dollars spent in grading an opening up to the gutters would be a good investment for the city, not only for those living in this locality, but all parties concerned in the welfare of our town.

Miss Francis Nolan went to Pawnee City, Sunday, to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Grimes returned home Monday, from Hastings, where they visited his mother for a few days