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Pay by Check

A Checking Account is Good Business

no matter which way you take it. The cancelled check is your receipt. No need of keeping receipted bills. And it is good reference for the business man, because it shows that he possesses method, caution and thrift.

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Webster County Bank
RED CLOUD NEBRASKA

Makes Creditable Showing

A review of the Liberty Bond sales throughout the county show that the people have responded liberally to Uncle Sam's call for money, to be used for the defense of the nation and the cause of freedom.

A total of \$83,250 have been disposed of in Webster county, with the following amounts distributed by the banks: State Bank of Red Cloud \$16,000, Peoples Bank of Red Cloud \$18,450, Webster County Bank, Red Cloud \$6,100, Blue Hill Banks \$25,000, Inavale Bank \$5,100, Cowles Bank \$3,000, Bladen Banks \$9,050, Guide Rock Bank \$550.

The amount of Guide Rock represents one bank only, the other institution having disposed of none of the bonds.

The amount credited to the Inavale bank was taken by the bank to be disposed of among their patrons and friends. This is a good showing and the banks and the people have done their share in the purchase of these bonds. It bears evidence to the fact that the people of this vicinity will stand by their government in this hour of need and that they are ready and willing to "do their bit" in order that the people may be freed from the power so long held by a few inhuman rulers.

If for some reason you have neglected or have been unable to purchase one of these bonds, call at your bank at once as they have reserved a few of various denominations, for those who desire to purchase them—do it now.

Commissioners Proceedings

Red Cloud, Nebr., June 15th. The County Board of Commissioners met at 10 a. m. This day being one of the regular statute meetings of the year. Members present—H u b a t k a, Thomas, Shidler, Knigge and McCall Chairman.

Official bond of C. R. Rakestraw as Justice of the Peace in Glenwood township was approved by Board.

The petition of O. J. Kalliey, Janitor of the court house asking for a raise in salary from \$65 to \$75 per month was read and after discussion a raise to \$70 per month was granted.

The following claims were allowed on bridge fund and the clerk ordered to draw warrants for same.

E H Hersh.....	\$65 00
Wm Sawyer.....	14 00
G Obmstede jr.....	11 50
Fred Farner.....	16 00

The following claims were also allowed on the Poor Farm fund and Clerk instructed to draw warrants for same.

Koehler Twidale Elev Co.....	\$ 9 50
John Throckmorton.....	175 00
Wesley Throckmorton.....	150 00
S Hansen.....	38 06

In the matter of the road petition of Roscoe C. Burch a hearing was held at the commissioners room in the court house and then the entire Board made a personal investigation of the conditions of the proposed roads. After viewing the same, the Board made an order as to said road which is to be filed in the records of the County Clerk's office when said Roscoe C. Burch pays to county treasurer \$275 for damages assessed against him by County Board.

Board adjourned to meet July 2nd.

Notice To Patrons

In view of the fact that there is seldom any business transacted in our offices after 4:30 p. m. on Saturdays that will be our regular closing time each Saturday until Sept. 1st. If anyone desiring to transact business with us cannot conveniently call before that time we will arrange to have our office open later if notified by phone.

Commercial Advertiser.
The Red Cloud Chief.
Webster County Argus.

The ladies war relief club will have an ice cream booth on the street on the fourth of July and the proceeds will be turned over to the Red Cross society. Everybody should patronize this stand as the proceeds will be used to help a needy cause.

Will Raise Money For Y. M. C. A. War Work

On Wednesday evening several of the citizens of the city met at the Commercial Club rooms and heard Mr. Kendall, of Kearney, discuss what the Y. M. C. A. had accomplished for the soldier boys down on the Mexican border last fall and also what this organization had accomplished in the prisoners' camps of the nations at war across the water.

Several of the progressive men of the state met in Lincoln and formed plans whereby Nebraska should raise \$20,000 which will be turned into the fund raised by other states to be used for establishing Y. M. C. A. buildings among the soldiers' camps for the purpose of furnishing amusements of various kinds for the boys in order that their minds may be diverted from thoughts of home and friends and loved ones left behind, better known as homesickness. This will remove the worry, to a great extent, from the minds of the soldiers and enable them to give their duties more attention. It will also help greatly to prevent the boys from falling into bad company as they will have means of amusing themselves during spare moments. These camps will also be established at the various training stations throughout the United States.

He also stated that this county would be expected to contribute the sum of \$25 toward this worthy cause, which was apportioned to the various towns as follows: Red Cloud \$250, Blue Hill, \$100, Cowles \$50, Bladen \$75, Inavale \$25, Rosemont \$25, and Guide Rock \$100.

He stopped off at Guide Rock between trains and found men who agreed to raise their specified amount which is \$100.

An organizing committee, consisting of H. C. Letson, Dr. Hoxsey, H. A. Letson, A. B. Peirce, H. C. Gellatly and A. B. McArthur were appointed to see that this money was raised in the various towns of this county, assisted by their local workers.

Every citizen should contribute to this cause as probably their boy or their neighbors' boy will be called to the defense of the colors, and where is the person who would refuse to give a dollar to assure his boy of good company and a little pleasure during the long weary hours of strife.

The peoples' contributions will be greatly appreciated by the committee. This is a worthy cause and one requiring immediate attention.

Former Citizen Called

Oh last Friday, at Goodland, Kansas, occurred the death of a former Webster county citizen, Mr. Alexander A. Phillips, aged 68 years, 11 months and 2 days. The deceased was born in New York, July 13, 1849 and was married May 25, 1874, to Eunice Elderkin and they came to Red Cloud in the spring of 1876, making their home on a farm until 1905, at which time they moved to Goodland, Kansas, where his wife departed from this life six years ago. To this union were born six children; Mrs. Charles Sine, Mrs. Frank Heatherington, John Phillips of Goodland, Mrs. Charles Hanson of Inavale, Mrs. John Martin of Red Cloud and Daniel Phillips of LeGrand, Oregon, who together with twenty four grand children are left to mourn his death.

Thomas C. Laird and Miss Viola M. Dooley of Lawrence were granted a marriage license by Judge Ranney on Monday.

Warrick, the eye man, will be at Dr. Damerell's office, Thursday, July 5, Hours 2 to 6. If you need glasses don't forget date.

The intermediate C. E. society will hold an ice cream social on the Congregational church lawn tonight. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carpenter and son, Clarence, and daughter, Mrs. W. T. Mountford, returned home Tuesday evening from Imperial.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Alice Myers next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 to work on comfort bags and knitting for the soldiers. The officers hope that all the members will be on hand with thimbles and other workers will be welcome. There is a great call for knitted garments.

Marshall Ayer and Newton and Raymond Crowell of Guide Rock, Ida Keeney of Cowles and Raymond Mercier of Campbell represented Webster county at the Juniors Farmers and Home-Makers Congress which was held at the University Farm at Lincoln, June 4th to 9th.