

AS TOLD TO US

JOIN the RED CROSS now!
Save the Waste and Win the War!
Miss Sadie Fish went to Omaha Thursday.
Dr. J. W. Stockman spent Monday in Hastings.
I. W. Paterson spent Friday at Burr Oak, Kansas.
Roy Sattley Undertaker-Auto Hearse in connection.
Supt. P. M. Whitehead spent Saturday in Hastings.
Will Biba spent the weekend with his wife at Exeter.
Roscoe Wesner was in Naponee Monday afternoon.
Eyes tested, glasses fitted.—J. C. Mitchell, the Jeweler.
Everett Hawkins went to Bird City, Kansas, Friday morning.
Attend the Red Cross benefit musical at the Orpheum, July 26th.
Nebraska's apportionment for the draft army will be 8,185 men.
Phil Sherwood went to Lincoln, Sunday, to spend a few days with friends.
Irving Cummings of Gaylord, Kansas, spent Sunday with his wife and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Jean Smith and family of McCook are visiting relatives in the city.
Mrs. George and daughter, Miss Minnie, spent Sunday with friends at Franklin.
Bert Davis of Hastings was the guest of John Foster and daughter, Miss Eva this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevens and Dallas Rust spent the first of the week in Kansas City.
Mrs. Geo. Hollister and daughter, Miss Marie, went to Lincoln Thursday to visit relatives.
Otis Frazier of York is visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Provost, and other relatives in this vicinity.
Schuyler Hayes spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Brooks and family, at Clayton, Kansas.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Butler and son, Merlin, spent the weekend with her parents at Clayton, Kansas.
Dr. Nicholson and Attorney H. S. Foe spent Sunday at the summer resort on the Blue river at Dewesse.
A. H. Meredith left Monday for Crookston, Minnesota, where he expects to make his future home.
Earl McKimney, Walter Marshall, Marion Mercer and Merlin Bomer were in Franklin, Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Anna Cather and Miss Bessie Kaley returned to Lincoln, Tuesday, after visiting relatives in this city.
Mrs. Chris Zeiss returned home Friday morning from McCook where she had been visiting her son, Charles and wife.
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sayers of Hill City, Kansas, was the guest of John Foster and daughter, Miss Eva, the first of the week.
George Smith, who enlisted in the regular army several months ago, spent the last of the week with his mother.
Elvern Mefford of Guide Rock was in the city, Monday, enroute to Hastings to join Co. G of the 5th Nebraska regiment.
Miss Mildred Gelliban returned to her home at Hardy, Monday, after visiting her friend, Miss Bertha Doyle, for some time.
W. G. Hamilton of the Hamilton Cather Clothing Co., went to Kansas City, Sunday evening, to attend a clothiers convention.
Chas. Kellogg left Thursday for Washington, D. C., where he has accepted a position in the Animal Husbandry department of Agriculture.
Mrs. Guy Barnes returned home the first of the week from Burr Oak, Kansas, where she spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor.
Messrs. and Mesdames Oliver Powell and Roy Robinson left Monday evening for Denver and other Colorado points where they will enjoy an outing.
Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Stewart went to Lincoln the last of the week to visit his brother who belongs to the National guards and had been called out for service.
Professor and Mrs. Miller of Lebanon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mercer Friday evening. Mr. Miller is the director of the Lebanon band and assisted the boys in the concert that evening.

Roy Hassinger spent Monday in Hastings.
Con Barr of McCook spent Sunday with friends here.
Delaney Bros., shipped three cars of hogs to Kansas City, Sunday.
J. A. Bradford returned home from York the last of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Ege of York are visiting their son, E. M. Ege and wife.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gellatly spent Sunday with relatives at Beaver City.
Mrs. Elizabeth Foe went up to Cowles, Tuesday, to spend a few days.
Mrs. Joe Hewitt returned home from Republican City, Tuesday morning.
Mrs. Georg Van Camp and daughter returned to Lincoln, Tuesday morning.
Raymond Turnure went to Lincoln, Monday, to spend a few days with friends.
Messrs. and Mesdames Dave and Bert Kaley and son, Howard, spent Sunday at Dewesse.
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hamilton and children spent Sunday with relatives at Guide Rock.
Lost—A set of pipe dies between my store and C. J. Platt's farm west of town.—E. W. Stevens.
The music class of Miss Josie Igo will give a cantata and the proceeds will be given to the Red Cross chapter.
On another page in this issue will be found a statement issued by the State Council of Defense. Don't fail to read it.
Mrs. Harry Anderson returned to Sutton, Monday, after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Schultz and family.
Mrs. A. C. Slaby and son, Fred, went to Denver, Tuesday morning, to visit their husband and father who is in a hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Burden, Mrs. J. A. Burden and son, Bernard, and Hobart Blackledge spent Sunday at Dewesse.
Mr. and Mrs. Len Wilmot accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Cleo Griffin, to Lincoln Monday, where she will receive treatment at a hospital.
A stepple jack was here Monday and painted the two smoke stacks at the power house, also put the ball on top of the flag pole and treated the pole to a coat of paint.
A. H. Carpenter and son, Clarence, Will Hoffman and Ralph Harrington returned home Sunday from Imperial where they had been harvesting A. H. Carpenter's wheat crop.
On July 26th at the Orpheum a cantata will be given by Miss Igo's pupils for the benefit of the Red Cross. There will be plenty of good music and specialties. Admission 15 and 25c.
Mrs. Alice Hosmer left Sunday for Iowa and Illinois where she will visit relatives. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitaker and family who will visit relatives in Illinois.
Sheriff Huffer and County Attorney Munday took E. C. Henry to Bloomington Saturday where the latter pleaded guilty in the Court of Chambers before Judge Dorsey, who gave him a jail sentence of fifteen days.
According to a letter received from the Acting Registrar of the University of Nebraska all courses in this institution will be continued as usual next year. According to present plans the University will open September 12.
Mrs. Heaton returned home Friday from Syracuse, New York. She was accompanied home by her son, Ray, who enlisted in the regular army several months ago, and was granted a fifteen days leave of absence from the fort.
The County Clerk and Commissioners of Smith County in company with an architect were in the city Tuesday looking over our court house. They report that Webster County's court house was the best building that they have as yet viewed. Smith County will build a new court house this year.
The Government needs farmers as well as fighters. Two million three hundred thousand acres of Oregon & California Railroad Co. Grant Lands. Title vested in United States. To be opened for homesteads and sale. Containing some of the best land left in United States. Large copyrighted map showing land by sections and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, temperature etc. Postpaid one dollar. Grant Lands Locating Co., Box 610 Portland Oregon.
The electric light bonds and tax voted upon Wednesday carried by a majority of 46, the vote standing 68 for and 22 against. As Eastwood says, "It was a perfect landslide; the reelection of Woodrow Wilson was a tame affair in comparison." For many years there has been considerable talk of electric lights but not until three years ago was the subject before the voters. At this election the Ayes were downed by five votes. "Time makes many a change," says Shakespeare and so it did. The ants have lost as they have on several other occasions for the world do move. The next proposition will be to sell the bonds which will be easy. If work is pushed Riverton ought to have lights by fall.—Riverton Review.

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Lawrence McCall is home from Wyoming.
Mrs. Hedge returned home from Inavale this morning.
Tuck Amack returned home from Omaha, Tuesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sattley are home from St. Francis, Kansas.
Miss Bertha Doyle went to Hardy, Wednesday, to visit friends.
Vincent Johnston returned to Rancheater, Wyoming, Wednesday.
Robert Pope spent Wednesday with his brother, Elton, at Blue Hill.
Ed Cook of Nowato, Oklahoma, is visiting his father, Dr. Henry Cook.
Miss Blanche Boner returned home from Beaver City the first of the week.
Mrs. J. A. Bradford and children returned home from York, Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Ben Pegg accompanied her mother, Mrs. R. Turner, to Hastings, Wednesday.
James Ryan came down from Grand Island, Wednesday evening, to visit his wife and children.
Corporal Moede and Privates Gilbert and Deringer were down from Blue Hill Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Dorothy Wilson and Mrs. D. D. Sanderson of Lincoln are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Potter.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanberry who had been visiting her father, Ed Amack and wife, have returned to Scottsbluff.
The Red Cloud band will go to Blue Hill Friday evening where they will give a concert for the members of Co. K.
According to Governor Neville's apportionment of men for the draft army of Nebraska, Webster county will contribute sixty eight men. Fourtythree of this county's young men volunteered according to the records.
An exchange coming to our desk from Benson, Arizona makes mention of the fact that Mr. K. N. Coplen of Garden Grove, California, who at one time resided in this city, has become interested in a corporation which will operate two banks, one at Benson and one at Tombstone. Mr. Coplen will be in charge of the latter.
Suits have been commenced in the District Court of Webster County by the following who are suing the C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., for personal injuries: Percy H. Leach asks for \$25,000, Andrew Hawkins asks for \$20,000, John H. Henninger asks for \$15,000 and Christopher Pohlens asks for \$3,000. Attorney B. E. McNeny is the attorney for the above named plaintiffs.
Mr. Jas. Peterson on Tuesday bought Mr. E. T. Andrews' interest in the Guide Rock garage, Mr. Andrews being compelled to retire on account of his failing health. Mr. Buzzard of Red Cloud has charge of the garage. Everyone sympathizes deeply with Mr. Andrews in his affliction and all are hoping that cooler weather later on will restore him. Mr. Buzzard is an experienced man in the garage business.—Guide Rock Signal.
The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Wednesday afternoon July 25, at 2:30, with Mrs. Lottie Smith. Reports from superintendents and officers. Every member should plan to be present as it is an important meeting in several ways. The superintendent of soldier's and sailors work desires all who are going to pay for a "comfort bag" to come prepared to do so at this meeting if possible. We are anxious to get them finished and off.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of thanking our many friends who so kindly assisted us during the death of our darling son and brother, Orval, and also for the beautiful flowers.
Mr. and Mrs. Emory Bean
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox
Visa Bean.

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United Church Notes

A happy surprise was given to Mr. Beebe Saturday by the people of the church and friends. A man approached Mr. Beebe on the street and said there was a young couple up at your place that wants to see you, so the preacher made post haste to get home and found the house full of people. A birthday surprise. A fine time was had and a splendid luncheon was served. All enjoyed the occasion and wished the preacher a long stay in Red Cloud.
Chas. Sherer gave a fine address to an appreciative audience Sunday night.
The United church is boosting for the Chautauqua. This helps both character and reputation of the community.
Sunday night subject—"Treason and how to Exterminate it".

Why You Should Join The Red Cross

The Red Cross is the greatest humanitarian organization in the world. It cares for the sick and wounded men of the army and navy at the war base.
It provides for soldiers' and sailors families.
It secures employment for men disabled in the service of our country.
In times of peace it relieves distress caused by disaster to cities, towns and villages.
Red Cross members are not expected to go to the war front or serve in any other capacity unless they specifically offer themselves for service.
They do not assume any financial obligation other than the payment made.
The memberships of millions of patriotic men, women and children all over the land will make possible the beneficent relief work upon which the army or navy man and his family may depend.
It will help to care for victims of catastrophe in times of peace.
Literally thousands of your friends and neighbors are "turning intention into action" by joining the Red Cross now!
BE A MEMBER! JOIN NOW!

Mrs. E. A. Creighton spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Gund and family at Blue Hill.



SOME HAPPY JIBES ABOUT THE BIG KANSAN

Victor Murdock, the Brilliant, Bizarre and Eloquent

Victor Murdock, the red-headed, freckled-faced, fiery insurgent from Kansas, is coming to Chautauqua. This announcement will create profound interest not only because he is a national figure in American politics but because aside from that distinction, he is a big man in a big way. As an orator he has the power of that natural magnetism which has marked him as a born leader of men.
Everybody seems to delight in making special characterizations of Murdock, and we quote a few of the good ones:
Toledo Bee—"He smiles gently and looks into your eyes like the muzzle of a rifle." Topeka Capital—"Murdock has the industry of an ant, the activity of a gazelle, the insomnia of a cat, and the tenaciousness of a snapping turtle." Washington Times—"One of the liveliest wires that ever came to Washington." Kansas City

Star—"Men like Murdock, courageous, disinterested, independent, really representing the sentiment of the country, are the coming leaders in American politics." Boston Herald—"Murdock's language is lurid; his medium of expression is formed to harmonize with the color scheme of his head; but he is not only prophetic but positive." New York World—"With his insurgent smile—a smile as permanent and as wholesome as that on the side of a happy baby."
Murdock has a firm grip on affairs. There is meat to his remarks—and sauce. He particularly appeals to the plain man. He is a man of essentials—not of theories. Murdock has the force, punch and point of our high tensioned Americanism, but his eye is on fundamentals in men and affairs. He is not restricted to a state. He is your Murdock and whether you agree with him at all points or not, you are, as an American, proud of the basic sincerity of the man—and of his unquestioned influence for good in this country.

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