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**City Schools Opened Monday**

The 1919-20 term of school began on last Monday, with Prof. A. T. Holtzen as city superintendent.

The opening was begun with the singing of "America" by each of the grades, and every pupil pledged allegiance to the nation and gave the flag salute. Following is the enrollment to date:

Primary department	49
1st grade	27
2nd grade	31
3rd grade	30
4th grade	35
5th grade	38
6th grade	34
Junior High	128
Senior High	90

Total 462  
Several pupils who are out of the city on vacation tours were not present but it is expected that a complete enrollment will be secured next week.

The organization of the classes is now complete and every thing running smoothly. A strong corps of teachers have been secured to preside over the various grades and classes.

Prof. Holtzen states that he is well pleased with the schools and the pupils and he is going to do all in his power to make this one of the best school years that Red Cloud has ever had.

**Council Proceedings**

Mayor P. C. Pope called the City Council together at the Council Chambers last evening, with all members present except Hamilton. After the minutes of the August meetings had been read and approved the report of S. R. Florance was read and ordered placed on file.

Besides discussing the claim of the McGraw Co. for \$328.50 for transformers furnished the Peterson Ice Plant, which has been paid for by Mr. Peterson and authorizing the city clerk to return the certified check to the Watts Construction Co., who hold the paving contract, upon the approval, by the engineers, of the bond furnished by them, no further business was transacted except the allowing of the following claims:

J. A. Bradford	\$135.00
W. A. Patten	130.00
A. Clark	115.00
S. R. Florance	57.23
O. C. Teel	37.65
Sam Mountford	150.00
C. R. Lewis	58.20
R. C. Auto Co.	10.09
General Elec. Co.	790.00
A. B. McArthur	24.65
Smith & McKimmey	5.80
Turaure & Son	6.30
B-R Elec. Co.	10.64
Crane Co.	8.84
Fairbanks Morse Co.	197.22
Johns Manville Co.	18.25
McGraw Co.	34.00
Midwest Elec. Co.	53.14
Nati Carbon Co.	7.13
Lee McArthur	4.20
J. S. L. Thomas	6.30
Riverton Inavale Co.	61.36
E. W. Stevens	7.95
G. W. Trine	7.15

A. T. Walker and Chas. Kaley left this morning for Detroit where they will secure two new Dodge cars for the Red Cloud Auto Co., and will drive the cars back to this city.

Sister Estella, of the order of St. Domine, of Minneapolis, and her companion, Sister Edith, arrived in the city Monday from Denver, to visit the former's sister, Mrs. M. K. Quigley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunt moved to their new residence in the north part of town Monday. As Will is in the live stock business, he will now be nearer his stock ranch where he can give more attention to his hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Warren have purchased the Howard property just south of the Baptist church and they moved into the same Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cummings have moved into the residence vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harris and son, Marvin returned home Sunday evening via automobile, from a five weeks outing spent at Boulder, Oak Creek, Greeley and Denver, Colorado. Their niece, Miss Josephine Miller, accompanied them home and she will attend school here.

**A New Furniture Store**

On Saturday of last week a new business house opened its doors to the public. The new firm is located in the McFarland building on west Fourth avenue and will cater to the public with a new and complete line of up to date furniture. Messrs R. O. Graham, proprietor of the Hastings Furniture Store and Isadore Johnson for several years connected with this store, are the proprietors. The interior of the building has been remodeled and several cars of merchandise have been received. The date of their grand opening will be Saturday, September 6th.

The following item is taken from the Adams County Democrat, published at Hastings:

"R. O. Graham, proprietor of the Hastings Furniture store and his partner assistant, Isadore Johnson, have opened a new furniture store in Red Cloud. Mr. Johnson will manage the store. It will be located with a fine new stock at a good opening in the Webster county capitol. Red Cloud is a fine business town. The people of Red Cloud will find Messrs. Graham and Johnson live wiked and their furniture store always stocked with the best of up-to-the-minute in furniture production."

**Farmers Union County Picnic**

The Farmers Union of this county held their annual picnic at Cowles last Saturday. It was attended by members of the various locals throughout the county, as well as the members of their families and many of their friends. Henry Keener, chairman of the organization presided. An unusually fine program was rendered.

During the morning an able address was delivered by Rev. Ira Wagoner. This was followed by an elegant picnic dinner which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Several refreshment stands were on the grounds which were liberally patronized.

The afternoon program included several songs, duets, solos and addresses. Each local of the Union provided one or more to take part in the program of speaking or singing.

One of the principal speakers of the day was Mr. Watts of Omaha, manager of the State Exchange. His address touched briefly on primary and principal objects of the organization; the work that had been accomplished in the state by the various unions. He stated that the amount of business transacted proved that the Exchange at Omaha had been profitable, and that Kansas City and St. Joe, operating only a short time, showed a bank account of \$10,000 profit. He called attention to the fact that the State Exchange, at Omaha, was doing the largest business of any single firm in the state and that it was attracting the attention of other states. He also stated that if the Union Commission House could secure one half of the fat stock of the members of the organization it would do a business that would greatly surprise the members.

The next speaker to take the stand was Prof. Hibberd of the Economic Department of the Wisconsin University, who selected as a topic for discussion, "Farm Organization". After several interesting stories he turned his attention to the history of the Grange and Farmers Alliance. He cautioned the Union about too fast an expansion in business. One part of his address appeared to disappoint his audience—his remarks concerning the packers and the problems of the high cost of living. He endeavored to leave the impression that the Five Big Packers had committed no serious offense and that the high cost of living was not of as serious a nature as is thought by many.

The appearance of Rev. Beebe on the speaker's stand caused a burst of applause, as his reputation as a deep thinker and forceful speaker has become known throughout this community. The manner in which he handled "The High Cost of Living" attracted and held the attention of his audience. After the speaking program had been brought to a close the attention of all was brought to the program of races and sports, which was enjoyed by both young and old.

The Plainview band rendered a very interesting and appropriate musical program.

Miss Lena Rathjen returned home the last of the week from Minneapolis where she had been visiting her brother, Will Rathjen.



**"The Cabinet Sold My Wife The Music Then Sold Me"**

A NEW EDISON OWNER WAS SPEAKING "You see, Alice is a furniture 'fan', is interested in interior decoration—knows all the periods and the careers of the famous designers.

"What a beautiful Sheraton piece, she exclaimed, as we passed the store window. Note the rich tints of the mahogany; the perfect proportions.

"We entered. "She raved about the classic purity of the period models. Then we listened to the instrument. That got me.

"I don't doubt the salesman's claim about the tone test—that no one can tell the artist from the instrument when they're pitted against each other. He said it cost \$1,000,000 to perfect the New Edison. Anyhow that's the story of how we happened to buy. And I'm certainly a booster."

If you enjoy beautiful furniture you'll want to see the New Edison period cabinets we're now displaying.

**E. H. Newhouse**  
Optometrist and Jeweler

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