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Your \$50 Liberty Bond—
is worth around \$46 at the banks

Your \$100 Liberty Bond—
is worth about \$96 at the banks

BUT

Your \$50 Liberty Bond will buy \$50
worth of good furniture at Graham's

Your \$100 Liberty Bond will buy \$100
worth of good furniture at Graham's

Now

YOU are going to need a few nice pieces of FURNITURE this spring why don't you drop in and get your money's worth?

CAREFUL BUYING on our part and quick sales have made it possible for us to offer you values that you can't help but appreciate.

LET US SERVE YOU—Our free delivery to any part of the country will save you lots of worry and trouble.

Graham Furniture Company
"WE TURN A HOUSE INTO A HOME."
RED CLOUD--McFarland Bldg. HASTINGS

WHAT A BANK SHOULD BE

Capital and Surplus
\$35,000.00



Interest Paid on
Time Deposits

THE RELATION BETWEEN A BANK and its depositors is different from that between other lines of business and their customers. And a bank can be useful to its clients beyond the mere depositing, paying and lending of money. A bank stands in confidential relation to its depositors. It has opportunities to help them and opportunities to take advantage of them. It becomes familiar with their financial transactions. It knows what deals they are planning and making. Not only their money but their business secrets are in its hands for safekeeping. Further, the bank is the support behind the man, upon which he can call for help.

Your bank, to be really useful, should be honorable; strong enough to furnish help when needed.

THE WEBSTER COUNTY BANK

Edward Florence, President Red Cloud, Neb. S. R. Florence, Cashier
Deposits Guaranteed by the Depositors Guarantee Fund of the State of Nebraska

Photographs

The New Studio
NOW OPEN

The Gleason Studio
Over Smith's Shoe Store
is now ready for business and extends to the people of Red Cloud and vicinity a cordial invitation to come and see us.

We will be able to make you the kind of Photographs you have wanted and ask for a share of your business.

Judge Unites Three Couples

The following couples were united in marriage by Judge Ranney Saturday: Leo G. Hoffman and Miss Lillie M. Richardson of Guide Rock. Byron Statesman and Miss Mary Shidler, both of Guide Rock. Wednesday: Luther C. Ruby and Mrs. Ellen M. Blagert, both of Inavale.

Gleason Studio Now Open

In another column of the Chief appears an announcement of the opening of another studio in Red Cloud, which is located over the Frank Smith shoe store. Mr. Gleason, the proprietor, comes highly recommended as a first class photographer and patrons of this studio may expect to receive only the best in this line. Mr. Gleason informs us that he has been experiencing considerable difficulty in securing his new equipment, but that he has now received the same is prepared to serve the public promptly and efficiently.

Revenue Officer Coming

Information has been received from the Treasury Department of the International Revenue Service to the effect that a deputy collector will visit the various towns in this district to render assistance to the taxpayers in making out their income tax report. The following schedule will be effective: Guide Rock, February 10th and 11th. Red Cloud, February 12th and 13th. Inavale, February 14th. Bladen, February 21st. Blue Hill, February 23rd and 24th.

Must Pay Auto Tax

Considerable discussion has arisen concerning the automobile tax laws. For the benefit of the public we are quoting the following from a circular that has been issued: "Before a motor vehicle is operated on the highways it is required that the owner shall pay 50c per 100 pounds, minimum \$10 as an occupation tax. This tax is collected by the County Treasurer, 25 percent of the same being used for dragging of the county roads and 75 percent for the maintenance of roads and bridges. All money thus collected is used for the benefit of the road in that county, except 5 percent, which is used by the Department of Public Works for the supervision of the expenditure of the funds."

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 p. m., by Rev. Bruce Eshelman whose sermon last Sunday afternoon was well received by an appreciative audience. People enjoy Brother Eshelman's preaching for his being earnest without being dogmatic and conscientious without being radical. All are cordially invited to attend both Sunday School and preaching. Mr. and Mrs. Nate Platt are packing their household goods preparatory to moving to Hastings where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Warren went to Lincoln Monday where he attended a meeting of the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph Company. County Agent Henry R. Fausch returned home the last of the week from Lincoln where he attended the State Farm Bureau meeting.

The following shipped stock to Kansas City Tuesday: J. E. Yost, two cars of cattle; Delaney Bros., one car of hogs; Conrad Starke, one car of cattle; Amboy Milling Co., three cars of hogs. James McGuire, one of the most highly respected citizens of this city, passed away at his home Wednesday evening. One daughter, Miss Rose, and two sons, Albert and John, along with a large circle of friends are left to mourn his death. The funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon after which interment will be made in the Riverton cemetery, beside his wife and son.

IS YOUR COMMUNITY SCRUBBY OR HIGH GRADE?

If our state fair association were to offer prizes for the best developed community in the state, would yours have a chance to win first, second or third prize?

Is it a high grade community or a scrub?

Raising a scrub is always a poor business. It is easier and more profitable to raise the high grade. On the same number of bushels of corn that the scrub hog takes to make 200 pounds of pork, the high grade hog will make 300 pounds.

On the same amount of silage that the scrub takes to make one and a half gallons of milk, the high grade cow will make three gallons. Nearly always the high grade returns about twice as much as the scrub variety.

It is just as unwise to raise a scrub community as it is to raise scrub live stock. A scrub community pays too low a return on the investment you have in it. It is a bar to increasing values of your land. It doesn't have the business, educational and social advantages that make living conditions better. A scrub community falls far short of the requirements.

How are you going to develop a high grade community from a scrub?

The United States Department of Agriculture tells us that you can develop high grade herds by selecting high grade sires. "Better Sires, Better Live Stock," is the slogan for the crusade now under way.

Just as you can improve a herd of live stock by securing better sires, you can develop a better community by building up a better home town. You can assure this development by co-operation with your fellow-business men—the merchants. These merchants are the life of the home towns through the encouragement that your patronage gives to their ability to serve you. When they become high grade, the home town follows suit. And a high-grade town always results in a high grade community.

HENRY R. FAUSCH,
County Agricultural Agent.

Annual Statement of the Condition of the Farmers Union Co-operative Association
(Incorporated)

At the close of business Dec. 31, 1919

RESOURCES	
Real Estate	\$ 500.00
Cash Balance	714.95
Inventory	727.94
Bills Receivable	208.50
Total	\$ 2,151.39
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 9195.00
Bills Payable	3126.09
Interest due	580.00
Reserve Fund	1564.10
Undivided Profits	8888.20
Total	\$ 22853.38

We hereby certify the above statement of the finances of the said corporation is correct.

President H. H. Crowell
Director J. A. McArthur
Director E. S. Fitz
Secretary and Director John M. Ryan
Director J. B. Wisecarver
Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me January 27, 1920.
G. C. TEEL, Notary Public.

Sheriff Hulfer was in Lawrence Wednesday.

Ed Burr of Guide Rock was in the city Wednesday evening.

Messrs. Beck and Boyer of Osborne, Kansas are in the city today.

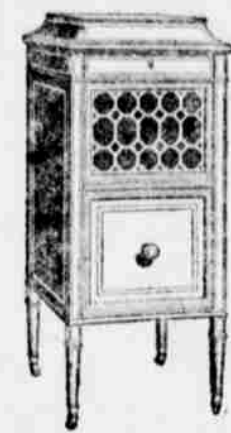
At the Orphan next week, Theda Bars in Kathleen Mavourneen.

Mrs. E. S. Garber is spending the day with friends at Guide Rock.

G. W. Trine was looking after business affairs in the western part of the state this week.

The Missionary Society of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. N. B. Bush Friday, February 6th.

Sam Smith has returned from California and he will soon move onto his farm and engage in farming.



Edison Period Cabinets

Grace Both Music and Home

ELOQUENT OF CULTURE, WHEN SILENT! VIBRANT WITH MUSIC, WHEN RE-CREATING! The New Edison matches its ART with its APPEARANCE. Its period designs are notable for their authenticity. The better you know furniture, the more you will appreciate the beauty and purity of their lines. Miss Elsie De Wolf (America's foremost designer of household interiors) says: "The superior furniture value of the Edison cabinets can scarcely fail to impress the lover of good furniture."

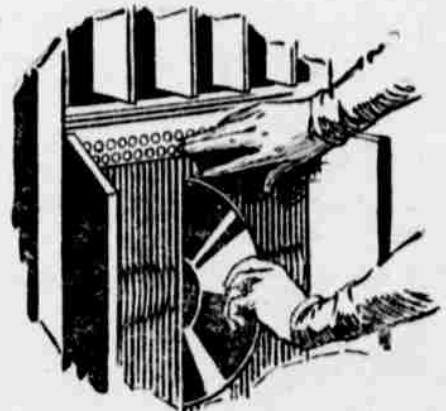
The NEW EDISON

"The Photograph with a Soul"

Sherston, Heppiewhite William and Mary, Clippendale Adam, Italian, Jacobean, Louis XIV, etc. Nor are these instruments beyond reach of your pocketbook. Come in and find out how modestly they are priced.

E. H. NEWHOUSE

OPTOMETRIST and JEWELER



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- List of Records**
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 - 2810
 - 2815
 - 2818
 - 2804
 - 2784
 - 6124
 - 78325

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RED CLOUD NEBRASKA Office Over Albright's Store Red Cloud Nebraska