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ON THE FARM

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With the beginning of spring work on the farm comes additional demands on your equipment. Inspect your harness, and for the best of repair work give me a trial.

Fogel Bldg. **J. O. BUTLER** Red Cloud Nebraska

Home Talent Play at Auditorium Monday

Monday evening at the Auditorium "The Explorers," a four act drama, will be presented by Home Talent Stars for the benefit of the local American Legion Post. Beta's orchestra will furnish the music and Miss Windolpa who has had considerable experience as a fairy ballet dancer will put on a specialty between the first and second acts. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:15. Following is the cast of characters:

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE...Chas. Piehler
RICHARD LOMAS...Paul Polnicki
DR. ADAMSON...Edison Pope
SIR ROBERT BOULGER, Bt...L. L. Hines
GEORGE ALLERTON...Everett Stroup
LADY KELSEY...Mrs. E. Stroup
MRS. CROWLEY...Mrs. P. Polnicki
LUCY ALLENTON...Miss Grace Keagle

Miller and Tiller Dispose Of Their Show Interests

Wednesday a deal was consummated whereby Messrs. Miller and Tiller, managers of the Besse Auditorium, disposed of their show interests in this theatre to Messrs. Linn and McKnight of Hot Springs, South Dakota. The new managers of this theatre are experienced show men and will no doubt exhibit a class of pictures with which the public will be pleased.

Since Chet Miller came to this city last November he has given the people a first class show and has made many friends who regret to see him leave. Mr. Miller and wife will go to Denver soon and expects to conduct a show in Colorado in the near future.

Messrs. Linn and McKnight will move their families here shortly and make this their future home. The business men of the city are indeed glad to welcome them to our midst and trust they will find Red Cloud an ideal location.

Makes Hit As Whistler

The Parsons, Kans. Daily Republic, Thursday of last week, in the account of a program given in the Christian church there Tuesday evening has this to say of a former resident of McCook:

"The whistling solo by Mrs. Herbert Frey was encored several times. Mrs. Frey, who is an excellent whistler, obliged the audience with several selections."

We understand that Mrs. Frey was considered a very good whistler when she lived here, and since moving to Parsons, has taken instructions in that art and has improved greatly. We congratulate her upon her success and hope she may become one of the foremost artists in that line.—McCook Republican.

Mrs. Frey is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Dickenson of this city and she was reared to womanhood here. Her many friends are indeed pleased to learn that is becoming a master in her chosen art.

Victory Medals

Victory medals are now available for all ex service men who served in the World War between April 6th, 1917 and November 11th, 1918, at home or abroad. You can obtain a medal by writing to the U. S. Army Victory Medal Office, Army Building, Omaha, Nebraska, and they will send you the application blanks.

Degree of Honor Notes

The Degree of Honor will meet next Tuesday afternoon, May 17th, at 2:00 o'clock sharp. Every member is requested to be present as there will be initiation. The report from the district convention which was held at Edgar will be given by our delegate, Mrs. Lingstrom, and the chief of honor Mrs. Welsh. The fourth division will serve refreshments. Come.

Attorney E. G. Caldwell is on the sick list.

LINCOLN COMPANY WOULD CUT OFF TOLL CONNECTION

The Farmers' Telephone company of Red Cloud and the Lincoln company, which also maintains an exchange in the Webster county capital were before the state railway commission Friday presenting a new phase of their ancient trouble. Before the Lincoln company bought its Red Cloud exchange from the Bell it made a long distance connection with the local exchange of the Farmers' company. This connection was continued for a long time after it purchased the Bell exchange.

Because of the activity of the local company, as the other side says, it cut the toll connection several years ago, but the state railway commission ordered it restored. L. H. Blackledge, now a district judge, filed a petition asking that the two exchanges be consolidated as to service. The commission fixed up a schedule of interchange service rates and ordered enough trunk lines put in connecting the two exchanges to give this. The Farmers' company refused to do this, and appealed to the supreme court.

The supreme court said that the Lincoln company could not be compelled to subject itself to the loss of its property, which would inevitably occur if the only advantage it possessed over a locally-owned company was taken from it. It set aside the commission order without prejudice to the rights of the parties to proceed further to get an order for such an exchange of service as will compensate the companies for their services and at the same time protect each company in its own individual management and control and not operate to create discriminatory conditions that cause injury.

Mr. Blackledge sent in a request for an order in compliance with this holding maintaining the toll connections between the two exchanges on the payment of a five cent charge. Frank H. Woods, president of the Lincoln company, asked permission to sever the toll connection. He said that the company is now losing \$5,000 to \$7,000 a year on the exchange service, and that as long as it was deprived of the exclusive opportunity of offering what the rival company could not, long distance connections, this loss would continue. He said the real solution was a consolidation, but previous efforts had been repulsed by the Farmers' company, and now the only thing that seemed possible was to untie its hands and let them go to it in free competition with the facilities each possesses.

Mr. Woods said that the Lincoln company had lost 100 subscribers thru a boycott and a drive of the citizens in favor of their home company, and as the supreme court had said it could not be compelled to contribute directly to its own destruction, he desired toll connections severed. If the other side or the commission could point out another reasonable and workable solution they would prove wiser than his official staff.

H. S. Foe, for the Farmers' company, said he desired the commission to frame an order that would meet with the provision of the supreme court opinion. He vigorously opposed a disconnection of toll service, and declared that if the other company could prove a boycott the courts were open to them to sue them for damages.—Saturday's State Journal.

The Scott Carnival Company now playing in Red Cloud under the auspices of the Fire Department were delayed in arriving here on account of the railroad tracks being washed out due to recent heavy rain storms. They opened Wednesday evening, however, and will remain here during the week after which they will depart for Kearney.

Mesdames W. H. McBride, Lloyd McIntyre, C. D. Robinson and Fred Maurer went to North Platte Monday to attend a meeting of the Eastern Star.

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One Can Pink Salmon......30	.15
One Can Best Pork and Beans......20	.15
Four Pounds Navy Beans......80	.25
Four Pounds Head Rice......70	.25
Six Cans Good Peaches.....3.00	1.45
Six Cans Good Apricots.....3.00	1.45
Six Bars Soap......50	.35
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