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Correspondents

KANSAS PICKUPS
(FROM SMITH COUNTY)

Grandpa McKim is visiting at the home of Wm. Hooper's this week. Mr. Hooper and Mr. McKim were neighbors in Canada forty years ago.

E. E. Spurrier is over to Andrew Upp's putting up a building for their auto.

Mr. Garber and Frank Starr of Lebanon were in this vicinity last week buying cattle to ship.

Rev. Rose and Mr. Henderson of Red Cloud came out to A. W. Upp's and got ten bushels of peaches Thursday.

Jess Green and family visited with Mrs. Geo. Heaten one day the passed week.

The Pawnee Ladies Aid met with Mrs. F. M. Brown Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Masterman spent Sunday at the home of Chas. Hooper's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peterson left last Friday for a two weeks visit with their daughter Mrs. Claude Duun at Happyville, Colorado.

COWLES

Art Vance, Roland Ritchey, Fred Vance and Chas. Bennett went to Bladen Wednesday to assist Guide Book in their game of ball with Holstein on the fair grounds.

A. T. Vance came down from Hastings Tuesday to look after his interests on the farm.

F. A. Good and daughter Gertrude started for Chicago Friday. Gertrude intends to take a graduate course in the Kindergarten work.

The annual meeting of the Cowles district of the Glenwood Telephone Co. was held Tuesday in the A. O. U. W. hall. They decided to favor at the annual meeting at Blue Hill to have a regular assessment of ten dollars per year.

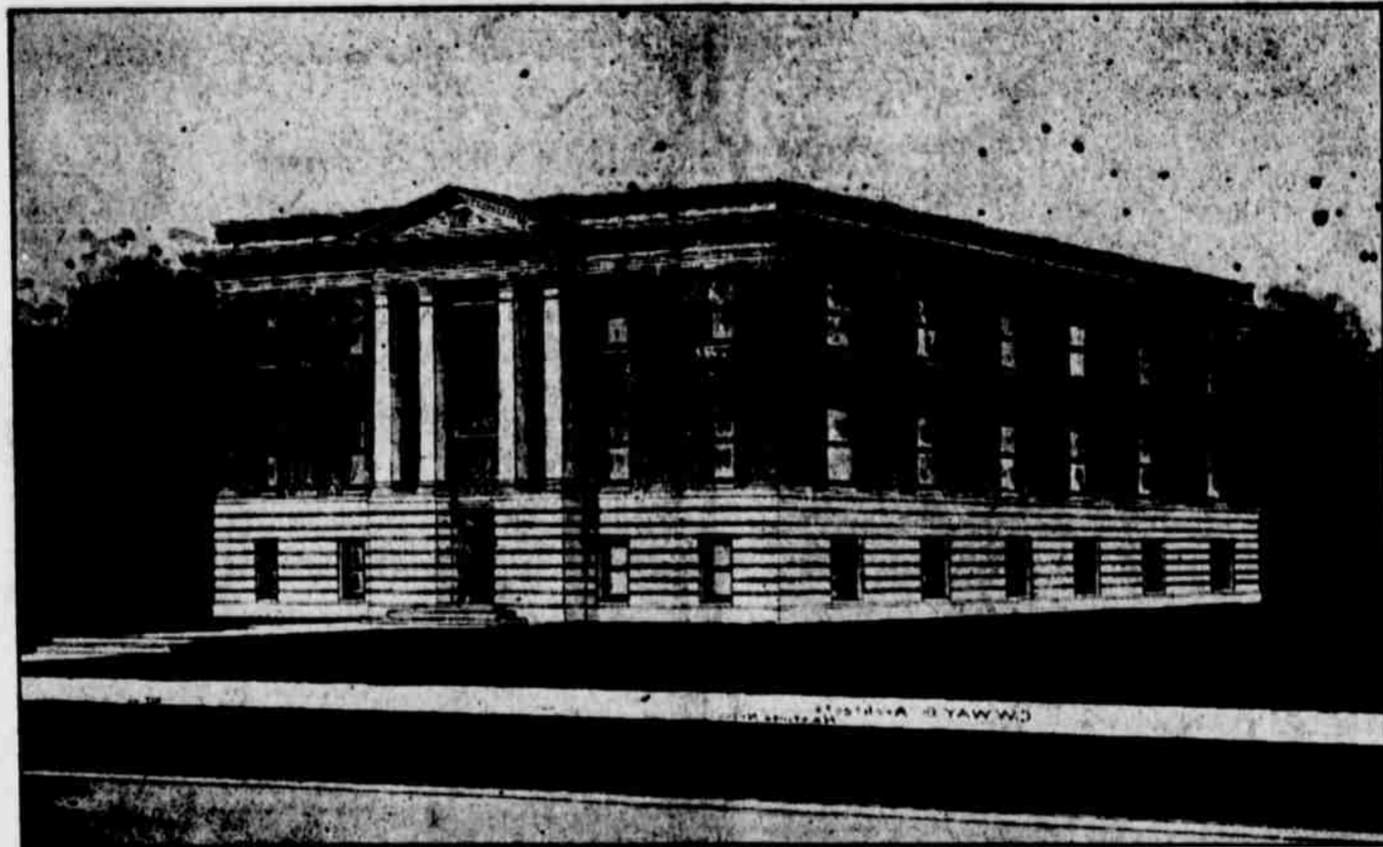
Mrs. Chas. Bennett left for an extended visit with her sister at Baileyville, Kansas. Mrs. Davis accompanied her as far as Hastings.

Wm Thomas Sr., and wife from Bird City are here visiting friends and relatives.

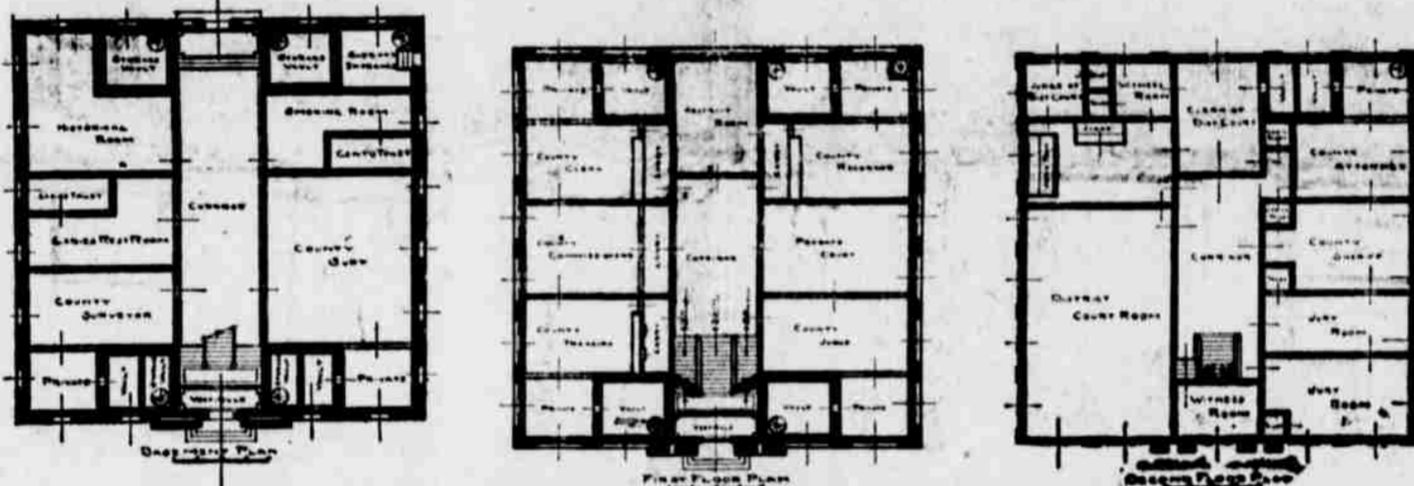
Congregational Church Notices.

"The pictures of four men at their wits end" or "The Last Resort," will be the subject Sunday morning. Sunday school at 10 Subject of address Sunday evening: "The Candidate Mid-week service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subject: "Prayer for Ministers and Missionaries". Remember that from now on the evening meetings will begin at 7:30.

JOHN J. BAYNE, Pastor.



Proposed New Court House For Webster Count



FLOOR PLANS OF THE NEW COURT HOUSE

RED CLOUD, NEBR., Oct. 1st, 1912. GENTS:—The proposed Court House to be voted upon this fall at the November Election, you may describe as follows:—The building being a two story with basement, Fire Proof: Size 84 x 84 feet on the ground. The building will be finished up in modern style, provided with heat, plumbing and ventilation.

The basement will contain County Surveyor's room, County Superintendent's room, ladies toilet room, gents toilet room, historical room, four storage vaults, vault for County Superintendent, vault for County Surveyor, and Sheriff's entrance.

First Floor will contain County Treasurer's room with vault, County Clerk's room with vault, future County Recorder's room with vault, Probate Court room and County Judge's room with vault, County Commissioners room and Abstract room.

The second story will contain two Jury rooms, County Attorney's room, with vault, County Sheriff's room, Clerk of the District Court's room with vault, two witness rooms, Judge of the District Court, District Court room to seat about 250 people, there will be ladies and gents toilet room for second floor corridor, also provide toilets for each jury room and the Judge of the District Court.

The style of the building is carried out in Colonial design, out of which will show for itself.

Yours Truly
E. W. Ross,
County Clerk.

The above picture and description of the proposed new court house for Webster county will quite definitely inform the general public as to what the board of county commissioners propose to erect provided the vote is favorable. This method of procedure

ought to make a strong appeal to every thoughtful voter when he comes to give his intelligent judgment in the voting booth. We know exactly just what kind of a building is contemplated, we know how large it is, we know that it is ample for the needs of this county for years to come, we know that it will not cost to exceed seventy five thousand dollars.

This county has long realized that the need of a new building is urgent, that our records are gradually being destroyed and that all of them are in danger but the county as a whole has not heretofore made up its mind just what kind of a building is needed, how much it will cost or how the money should be raised. We believe that the amount asked will build us a courthouse that will be a credit to the county and in keeping with our prosperous condition. We have no sympathy with the idea that we should have three hundred thousand dollars for

this purpose. We do not believe in asking the taxpayers of the county to burden themselves just to make a show. The amount asked is ample for our needs. The building as contemplated will give us a safe place for all of our records, convenient rooms for the county officials and there will be practically no expense in its upkeep.

The five mill levy for three years will pay for the building and there will be no bonds or interest to bother us or cause us worry. When the building is erected it will be paid for and posterity will not be called upon to assume any burdens or debts. We believe that the proposition of the county commissioners is a good one and we are confident that it will meet with overwhelming approval at the polls.

Old papers 5 cents at this office.
Albert Smith & Sons of Superior will have their Big Poland China Hog Sale October 30th, 1912. See bills later.

CLOCKS

A New Stock of
Mantel and
Parlor Clocks.

E. H. Newhouse

Jeweler and Optometrist
C. B. & Q. Watch Inspector

A Number of the Winter's Lecture Course
**SYLVESTER LONG'S
LYCEUM CAREER**

Young Orator Was Teacher in
Dayton High Schools.



SYLVESTER A. LONG.

him an offer of a three-year contract. This was the beginning of S. A. Long's lyceum career. His success has been notable from the first. Few men are better fitted by natural endowment for platform work.

Those who have heard Mr. Long will need only the announcement of his coming to secure their presence again. Those who have not heard him should not fail to do so, and thus become acquainted with one of the most impressive speakers on the American platform.

Purchase your Season Tickets at
once at Cook's Drug Store

BE ON THE SAFE SIDE

It is true that you are not likely to lose your savings if deposited in any good bank—but you are **ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN NOT** to lose them when you deposit where you have the additional protection of the State Guaranty Law. Such protection is offered you here.

It is surely "good business" to deposit where you get absolutely guaranteed protection, in preference to placing money in a bank that guarantees nothing.

The State Guaranty Law is behind every dollar deposited in this bank, and when you open an account here, you are **ON THE SAFE SIDE.**

WEBSTER COUNTY BANK
RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA

**Commissioners
Proceedings**

RED CLOUD, NEBR., Oct. 1, 1912. Board of County Commissioners met in regular session. All members present.

In the matter of road petition of Barrett, Bailey, Shuck et al, for a public road on Section 23-1-9, and the remonstrance filed by Bear et al, remonstrating against said road came on for hearing, and the evidence being presented, and upon due consideration of the Board, it was moved and seconded that the above petition be and is hereby rejected. Motion carried.

In the matter of the petition of A. J. Bragg and others asking the County Board to divide Beaver Creek Township into two road districts dividing it North and South the east half to be No. 2 and the West half to be No. 2 1/2 coming on to be heard, after due consideration of the same, on motion the above petition was granted as prayed for in said petition. Motion carried.

On motion the following claims were audited and allowed and the Clerk instructed to draw warrants on their respective funds in full payment of same. Motion carried.

GENERAL FUND

Edith L. McKeighan	\$ 32 40
Elizabeth Harlan	2 00
Elizabeth Potter	2 00
Dr. Robt. Damerell	8 00
Fred Maurer	3 00
G. W. Hummel	48 00
G. Ohmstede	90 00
L. F. Schmidt	89 10
Paul Storey	24 00
T. J. Chaplin	56 50
A. D. Ranney	21 30
Dr. Nellie Maurer	3 00
Belle Spangole	33 50
H. J. Maurer	36 00
Total issued on General Fund	\$448 80

BRIDGE FUND

L. F. Schmidt	\$ 30 00
John S. Marsh	45 15
Fred Newman	5 50
John Bayke	41 00
Wm H. Sawyer	35 00
Lee DeTour	50 00

Widershein & Rauney	392 00
Total allowed	\$588 63

On motion Board adjourned to Nov. 12, 1912.

(SEAL) E. W. Ross, County Clerk

The Home Town

The home town's the best town, whatever town it is,
The fair town, the square town, for any kind of biz—
To live in, to give in, to work in, to play,
To dwell in, to sell in, to buy day by day.
The home town's the best town, wherever it may be—
To dream for, to scheme for, to bring prosperity,
To shout for, to sport for, and not to run it down—
For it's your town and my town and everybody's town!

When you look at the catalog remember nothing over is as good as the picture looks; if you doubt this statement