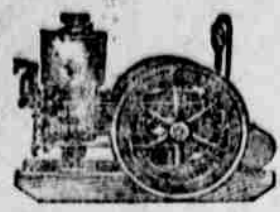


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City Treasurer's Report

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council, Red Cloud, Neb. Gentlemen. I submit herewith statement showing receipts and disbursements of your treasury for the period from Oct. 1 to Nov. 5, 1912:

Occupation Fund	
Amount on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 19 68
No receipts	
Disbursements	10 00
Bal. Nov. 5, 1912	\$ 9 68
Reg war outstanding \$ 77 00	
Water Fund	
Overdraft Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 45 24
Receipts	517 09
Disbursements	\$ 470 76
	5 60
	\$ 465 10
Water Levy Fund	
Amt on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 17 22
No receipts, no disbursements	
Bal. Nov. 5, 1912	17 22
Reg war outstanding \$ 553 61	
General Fund	
Amt on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 29 41
No receipts, no disbursements	
Disbursements	4 00
Bal. Nov. 5, 1912	\$ 25 41
Reg war outstanding \$1308 97	
Electric Light Fund	
Amt on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$1140 47
Receipts	810 33
Disbursements	1352 14
Bal. Nov. 5, 1912	\$ 617 89
Electric Light Levy Fund	
Amt on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 30 85
No receipts, no disbursements	
Reg war outstanding \$1300 43	
Judgment Fund	
Amt on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$ 6 63
No receipts, no disbursements	
Firemen's Fund	
Amt on hand Oct. 1, 1912	\$150 20
Receipts	25 00
Bal. on hand Nov. 5, 1912	\$ 175 00
Recapitulation	
Occupation fund	\$ 9 68
Water levy fund	17 22
General fund	25 41
Electric light fund	617 89
Electric light levy fund	39 85
Judgment fund	6 63
Firemen's fund	175 20
Water fund	465 16
Bal. on hand Nov. 5, 1912	\$1348 04
Reg war outstanding	\$3285 01
S. R. FLORANCE,	
City Treas.	

Congregational Church Notices.

Morning preaching service at 11. Sunday School at 10. Evening service at 7:30. Mid-Week meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies' Missionary society meet the first Tuesday of every month at 3 o'clock p.m. The ladies' society meets the Thursday before the last Saturday of every month. Sunday evening the following men will speak on various phases of the work of the A. M. A.

Mr. Will is Fitting on Alaska. Mr. Charles Fulton on the Mountain Whites. Dr. Charles Cross on Hawaii. Mr. Fred Maurer on the Negroes. Mr. James Gilham on the Indians. Mr. A. B. Pierce. Prayer for the A. M. A. work.

The addresses will be short and interesting and everybody is invited. In the morning the pastor will preach on this subject: "The Gospel of Good Cheer."

The Brotherhood meets every other Tuesday at 8 p.m. The Young Women's society meets the first Thursday afternoon of each month at 3 p.m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is observed the first Sunday in January, April, July and October. Pre-

paratory Lecture and Quarterly business meeting of the church is held on the Wednesday immediately preceding the First Sunday in January, April, July and October. Choir practice Friday evening.

John J. Bayne pastor.

Baptist Church Notices.

Sunday school at 10 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. Preaching at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting at 7:30, Wednesday. The subject for discussion next Sabbath morning will be "Home Missions." In the evening "Our Birth Right and what are we doing with it?" You have an invitation to these services. The meeting in the south end will be held at Ned Sutton's at 3 p.m. Sabbath. Come and let us make this service a grand success.

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"I believe," says an old subscriber, "that every time The Youth's Companion enters a home it does that home a genuine service." That describes the purpose of the publishers exactly. The paper is not filled with mischievous or like thoughts to fill an idle hour. It provides healthy pastime, recreation that builds up. It is to the minds of eager and impressionable young people what sound athletics are to their bodies. At a cost of less than four cents a week The Youth's Companion opens the door to a company of most distinguished men and women in America and Europe. Whether they are revealing the latest discoveries in science, or describing great industrial achievements, or telling of their wanderings in strange corners of the world, or feeding the imagination with rare stories, they are giving Companion readers the best of themselves. Seven serials at least will be published by The Companion in 1913, and nearly 200 other complete stories, in addition to some 50 special contributions, and a treasure box of sketches, anecdotes, expert advice as to athletic sports, ideas for handy devices around the home, and so forth—long hours of companionship with the wise, the adventurous and the entertaining. Announcements for 1913 will be sent with sample copies of the paper to any address on request. Every new subscriber who sends \$2.00 for the fifty-two weekly issues of 1913 will receive as a gift. The Companion window transparency-calendar for 1913, the most exquisite novelty ever offered to Companion readers; also, all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1912, free.

Self-Development

A town is in some ways like a person. If it amounts to anything it must be largely self-made. The town that drifts, like the person that drifts, or the ship that drifts, is not likely to come to the right harbor. If prosperity is the haven desired, it will be

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PROGRAM

For the Webster County Farmers' Institute Nov. 19, 20, 21 and 22, 1912

TUESDAY, NOV. 19th, 1912

Entry Day
6:30 P. M. Concert by Bailey's Orchestra.
7:30 P. M. Singing
Prayer by Rev. Tompkins.
Poultry topics.—F. J. Overberg, Rev. Cole.
Singing.
Seed corn selection and cultivation.
Singing.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 20th.

9:00 A. M. Judging exhibits.
1:15 P. M. Music by band.
1:30 P. M. Commercial Club Parade.
3:30 P. M. "Advantages of a pedigreed sire."—H. J. Gramlich.
3:30 P. M. Ladies session.—Miss Daniels.
7:15 P. M. Betz's orchestra.
Singing—Miss Daniels.
8:15 P. M. Illustrated lecture, "Europ. an Agriculture."—H. J. Gramlich
Singing.

THURSDAY, NOV. 21st.

9:00 A. M. Judging exhibits.
Singing.
1:30 P. M. "Live Stock Management"—Mr. Leonard.
1:30 P. M. Ladies session.
"Meat Substitutes,"—Mrs. Davison.
Evening session.
7:15 P. M. Betz' orchestra,
Singing
"Opportunities of To day and Those of Fifty Years Ago."—Mr. Leonard.
Singing
"The Evolution of the Home,"—Mrs. Davison.
Singing.

FRIDAY, NOV. 22d

Judging Exhibits.
1:30 P. M. Band Concert
2:00 P. M. Live Stock Parade.

Special Premiums

For best display of apples, pair of \$8.50 shoes—Bailey & Bailey
For best water melons, pair of shoes—Henry Dietrich
For best single male, any age; whip—Peter Hansen
For best herd beef breed; \$5.00—Pope Bros.
For best herd dairy breed; \$5.00—Pope Bros.
Fred Wallin will give wagon scoop board to the best display of potatoes.
The Diamond Milling Company will give for the best bread made from Diamond Flour: 1st—2 sacks Diamond Brand Flour. 2d—1 sack of Diamond Brand Flour. Of best bread at Institute, made from Diamond Brand Flour, a cash premium of \$5.00 will be given in place of flour, and person winning 2d premium in Diamond flour will receive 2 sacks of best flour; 3rd premium will be one sack of best flour.
A. C. Hosmer will give one years subscription to the Commercial Advertiser, for the best geese; and also one years subscription for best turkeys; and to the boy under 16 years showing the best collection of corn, one years subscription to the Commercial Advertiser.
C. B. Hale will give one years subscription for the best bull beef breed; also one years subscription for the best bull dairy breed. One years subscription to the Chief for best display of baking; and one years subscription to the Chief for 2d best.
The Argus will give one years subscription to the Argus for the best beef cow, and one subscription to the Argus for the best dairy cow.

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reached without determination and self-guidance. This truism has been applied to human conduct so often as to become commonplace, and would not be repeated here except to emphasize the fact that it applies to communities quite as much as to individuals. A town is a problem like a child. It should not be left to grow up by itself. Its destiny should be guided by the wisdom of its elders. There is no lack of elders in any town who have opinions as to what is wrong with it. They are to be found at the grocery store,

the cigar store and every common meeting place. If these wiseacres would exercise their perspicacity in figuring out what would be good for the town, and then would all pull together in trying to bring that good about, the result would be such a matter of local pride that nobody would want to talk about anything else. The destiny of a community, like that of an individual, can be controlled; the possibilities of development and improvement are almost unlimited, and it is not only wisdom but money in the pocket for citizens to take their town in hand and try to make it amount to something.

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Medical Legislation

There was an article in the Chief last week on the above subject, quoted from the World Herald, in which the stand was taken that there ought to be no legislation to restrict anyone who wishes to do so from practicing medicine, if he can find anyone who wishes to employ him. The argument was made that all such legislation interferes with personal liberty, that if a man wishes to employ a certain person as a physician and believes him to be competent, that he should be allowed to do so. This all sounds very well, and as far as people are able to judge of a man's qualifications, it is all right; but there comes a time when the general public is not able to judge of such qualifications, for no one can judge of a man's ability beyond the subjects in which he himself is informed. None but a man with a medical education is able to judge of another's education in that line. If all were able to judge, they would be able to prescribe for themselves and there would need to be no physicians. It has been found necessary to examine lawyers by those informed in law before allowing them to practice their profession, and before teachers are allowed to teach school they must pass an examination to prove themselves competent. How much would a child in school know about whether a teacher was competent or not? Of course they can tell who they like best, and so can the general public tell which physician they like best, and a law that would hinder them from employing the one they like best would be interfering with their personal liberty, but a law to require physicians to come up to a certain standard of qualification fixed by those who are informed in the subject is no more an interference with personal liberty than the system that denies a child the right to pass on the qualifications of its teachers. To say that such laws attempt to decide between different schools of medicine is a misconception of the facts. It is an invention of the unqualified to try to win the sympathies of the general public by saying that they are practicing a different school of medicine and are being persecuted by a medical trust. What would be thought of a man not qualified to pass an examination in law if he should set himself up as a lawyer and claim to be practicing a new school of law? Or what would be thought of a new school of teachers that claimed to be teaching according to a new system of education, just because they were unable to pass the regular examination for a certificate? Would the general public think they were being discriminated against if they were not allowed to teach? There would be just as much reason for it as

America Leads The World

Since 1890, when the United States supplanted Great Britain, this country has held first place among the coal-producing countries of the world. In 1911 the total world's production of coal amounted to approximately 1,300,000,000 short tons, of which the United States contributed 496,231,168 tons, or 38.1 per cent. In the 12 years from 1899 when this country first surpassed Great Britain, to '11 the production of the United States has increased nearly 100 per cent, while Great Britain has increased its output about 25 per cent, from 346,506,155 short tons to 304,518,027 tons. The United States in 1911 produced over 60 per cent more than Great Britain. Germany's production of coal and lignite in 1890 was 149,710,766 short tons, 1911 it was 258,223,763 tons, an increase of over 70 per cent. The combined production of Great Britain and Germany 1911 was 562,742,690 short tons, which exceeded the output of the United States by only 66,521,522 tons, or 12.5 per cent. The three countries, United States, Great Britain, and Germany produce more than 80 per cent of the world's total supply of coal.

Did you ever think it? Suppose every business man in the city took as much interest in the upbuilding of a city as the newspaper man. He works for railroads, manufacturers, better roads, churches, good streets, and a hundred and one other things for the general good; he urges, pleads, scolds, badgers and covets about generally until he gets what he sets out for. Imagine his feelings, then, when some lame, string hauled kind of a fellow reproaches him because he don't seem thingy enough, and nine out of ten that same fellow has never paid one cent toward supporting the paper, and the paper he reads with marked regularity is either borrowed from his neighbor or picked up from the counter in the store at which he trades.

For some such articles as we sometimes see on medical legislation. There was a time when there was no restriction placed upon such things and anyone who wished was allowed to practice medicine, and God only knows how many needless deaths occurred as a result of bad treatment. We all know there are enough of them now but there were many more then, until society progressed far enough in civilization to rise up and, as a means of self protection, enact laws to restrict the incompetent. There are countries where they do not have such laws, but we do not believe those who oppose such laws would care to make their homes there. They do not rank among the civilized nations of the earth. DR. A. C. AMES.

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