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**This Government Won't Put Its Money**

In a bank that does not guarantee it against loss.

**Why Should You?**

The United States will not deposit a dollar in a National Bank, on any other bank, unless the bank furnishes a bond for twice the amount deposited.

The United States Government can at any time make an investigation of any National Bank and learn all about its resources. But still the Government demands a guarantee for its deposits—why shouldn't YOU have protection.

Your deposits in this bank are protected by the State Guaranty Law—no matter what happens

**YOU CAN'T LOSE!**

**WEBSTER COUNTY BANK**  
RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA

**Death Visits Two Homes**

**Mrs. Jacob Whipkey**

Mrs. Jacob Whipkey died at her home in this city on Saturday, August 16th, after an illness of some duration at the age of 64 years, 6 months and 15 days.

Annie Kelso was born in Summerset county, Pa., January 31, 1849. She was married to Jacob Whipkey, February 14, 1873. From this union were born five children, four girls and one boy.

The funeral services were conducted from the Baptist church, of which she was a member, on Monday afternoon, August 19th. While her residence in this community was comparatively brief, it was long enough to make many kindly associations, and exhibit those qualities which make a woman an honored wife, a beloved mother, a respected neighbor and a valued friend. To the husband and children who are left to mourn her loss the sympathy of the entire community is extended.

**Schools To Teach Agriculture**

The article relative to the Agricultural schools quoted from the Superior Express is wrong in one respect, as we have been informed by Professor Moritz. Instead of nineteen, there were but twelve schools selected, of which the Red Cloud school was one. There will, therefore, be \$15,000 to be divided between 12, making \$1250 to each school.

Red Cloud can congratulate itself on the opportunity thus afforded it of becoming an educational center for the farming community of this and the adjoining counties. Doubtless, if we do our part, the Red Cloud schools will eventually attract hundreds of young men and women to this city as a place to acquaint themselves with the widest information, and receive the best training, to fit themselves for the most successful and happy culture of the fertile lands of the Republican valley.

The presence of these young men and women will attract their parents and friends, and do more to put this city to the front than any other thing within our means.

We have dreamed of additional railroads and other means to promote the growth of the city, but here is something tangible and real.

While the amount appropriated by the state is small to begin with, it rests with us in a large measure to make it the beginning of a great work.

The days of colleges and schools which have for their immediate object no practical teaching is rapidly passing. The day is at hand when the young men and women are seeking the knowledge which will make them immediately useful in the production of wealth. That wealth is to be produced primarily from the soil.

The school that devotes itself most earnestly to prepare its students for successful toil in the production of food and the economic management of the farm and home, is the school that will attract and retain the largest number of our best boys and girls.

One other result will follow. When the Red Cloud Schools show themselves prepared to teach the subjects of most practical interest to the farmers, there will be in this city a source of information to which the farmer may apply, and will with the certainty that he will obtain disinterested and intelligent advice in the emergencies that meet him.

Last year had there been such a school in this city, the mistakes in the treatment of the horses and mules of this vicinity could hardly have happened. There would have been a scientifically educated teacher of agriculture in our presence. Every farmer would have gone to him in the first instance, and learned, at least, all that science could teach him. If science could not tell him all he wished to know, he would, at least, learn what to avoid.

The trouble with our educational system in the past, has been that while the teachers were authority on grammar, mathematics literature, and logic, they were not supposed to know as much about the practical affairs of life as common people. Their heads were supposed to be in the clouds, and their feet often were. From now on, we look for the Red Cloud schools to become the authoritative source of information on the subjects in which the people of Red Cloud and the Republican valley are vitally interested.

We expect its graduates will be so well informed on practical matters that the mistakes of the past will be impossible in the future.

**You Need a New Clock**

Now is the time and here is the place to supply that need. We have on display right now the newest and best in the clock line for any room in the house.

Kitchen clocks, parlor clocks, hall clock, bed room clocks all included in this showing. Clocks that strike every fifteen minutes, others every half hour, others the hour only.

Prices run from \$1.00 to \$35.00 and every one full value for your money.

**E. H. NEWHOUSE**  
Optometrist and Jeweler  
RED CLOUD, Nebraska

**Institute Closed On Saturday**

On Tuesday the special program of entertainments were given at the general sessions held at the hour of 10 a. m. These general sessions were well taken by the teachers. Every performance was greeted with applause and given an appreciative ear.

Rev. Cole opened Wednesday's session with bible reading and prayer. The program was opened with a piano solo by Guy Dunbar of Guide Rock. Mr. Dunbar is one of our talented men teachers of the county and his selections are always heartily enjoyed.

Nellie DeTour of Bladen followed with a reading, "Bobbie and the Mustard Plaster," and captured the audience with the amusing incident of the two boys striving to have the honor of wearing the mustard plaster.

Nellie Christy closed the program with a vocal solo. Miss Christy has a sweet soprano voice and rendered her selection beautifully.

Thursday morning Rev. Bayne held the devotional exercises. Irene Crow of Guide Rock, played well a piano solo. Miss Inez Boner of Red Cloud sang in her attractive and effective manner a vocal solo, about the birds. Miss Boner has a sweet soprano voice and all enjoy hearing her sing.

Ivy Grannis of Blue Hill closed the program with a piano solo which was well executed.

The program given Friday was the surprise of the week, when the Fisher Maid girls marched to the stage and entertained the teachers for thirty minutes with a chorus solo and duet. Mr. Taylor had this part of the program planned and carefully drilled the young ladies. His work was appreciated, and he is to be congratulated upon the results he secured from his training. He sang a solo, assisted by the chorus, one of the best features of the cantata, and made a notable hit. Mr. Taylor is one of the Red Cloud boys making a decided mark in the teaching profession. He holds the chair of English in the Pueblo high school. Mr. Taylor has taught the teachers to sing the Nebraska songs.

Miss Fern Hall of Bladen closed the program, giving in her charming style a reading and impersonation.

The general sessions were delightful and entertaining features of the institute, that was planned for the teachers by the county superintendent, Miss Coon, and filled a place of entertainment of high class.

Saturday morning by request of the teachers Dean E. L. Rouse repeated his lecture on "The Rewards of a Teacher," which he gave last year.

The closing lecture of the Institute was given at the M. E. church by Frances M. Richardson, on "The Growth and Development of the American Flag."

Smoke Blue Hill Cigar Co. No. 21 So Cigars. adv.

**Special Session Of School Board**

RED CLOUD, NEB., Aug. 15, 1913. Special meeting of the Board called to order. Members present—Storey, Creighton, Gilham and Coon.

Upon motion Fred Turnure was elected to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of T. A. Trumble. The Chairman appointed Mr. Turnure to serve on the Building and Grounds, Finance and Teachers Committees.

The following named persons filed application for the janitorship of the Lincoln Building: Col. Wiggins, Jay Pope, J. D. Kuhn, Joe Barta, Beach Robertson, Jim Robinson, John Martin, Frank Henderson, Ed Lain, Vernon Zeiss.

Upon motion Building and Grounds committee was instructed to secure option on 5 acres of land for lease or purchase.

Board adjourned.  
R. D. MORITZ, Secretary.

**Baptists Hold District Meeting at Guide Rock**

August 14th-17th will be a time long to be remembered by the members of the Republican Valley and the South Central Associations. It was the time when the two became one and because of this we believe will be better prepared to carry on the work of the Kingdom of God.

The meeting from beginning to the end was very spiritual and the great key note was "How can we be of the most service to God and man."

Our state workers Brothers Mills, Berry, Collins, Mrs. Kerr and Mrs. Berman all brought very encouraging words. There presence were a source of great blessing. While the work of the state is not what we wish it was, yet on the whole there is every reason to take courage and go on.

The sermons and addresses were all very helpful but there are two parts of the program that need special mention. That of the young people's program. The three young people from the local society certainly handled their subjects well. At the close of the program Hon. Mr. Castor of Oberlin, Kansas was introduced and gave an address on the subject "What think ye of Christ." This was an address that would grace any Chautauqua platform.

The evening service was given to our state secretary, Rev. Fred Berry. This service was strictly an evangelistic service. It was one long to be remembered by the masterly address and the sweet spirit that prevailed. Thus ended the first session of the Southern Union Baptist Association.

**Mrs. Longtin**

Mrs. Longtin, to the surprise of those not intimately acquainted with here died Sunday morning. Mrs. Longtin, though a native of Illinois, was of French ancestry. She was born during the closing years of the Civil war. In 1882 she was married to Nelson Longtin at St. Joseph, Missouri, and removed with her husband and children to this city ten years afterward, where she has ever since made her home.

About three years ago her husband died leaving her five children, of whom the three eldest Sidney, Warren and Silver have attained to manhood, and two daughters, Alpha and Marcelline, of whom the youngest is yet a school child.

Mrs. Longtin was a member of the Degree of Honor and of the Roman Catholic church. In both her church and society relations she won the esteem and affection of those she labored with, and her loss will be sincerely deplored by her many friends.

Funeral services were conducted from the Sacred Heart church this morning at 10 o'clock.

**Resolutions**

In behalf of the teachers of Webster County attending the Institute of 1913, we wish to present the following resolutions:

RESOLVED: That we express our gratitude to your very efficient Superintendent, Miss Gertrude L. Coon, for her excellent supervision of the schools of Webster County. Also the extreme care with which she has selected the instructors for the best institute of Red Cloud.

RESOLVED: That we thank our instructors, one and all, for the carefully selected and well prepared ideas presented to us and will strive to show our appreciation of such by doing much better work this coming year.

RESOLVED: That we feel more than repaid for the time and money expended for the lectures given by Prof. Moritz, Dean Rouse and the illustrated lecture given by Rev. Tompkins.

RESOLVED: That we extend our thanks to the individuals by whom we were entertained during the general exercises.

RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be published in the various papers of Webster County.

Signed in behalf of the teachers of Webster County.

J. EVAN HUTCHINS, }  
W. G. SHANNON, } Committee.  
GUY DUNBAR. }

**Apples For Sale**

800 bushels of Sprayed Summer Apples—windfalls 25c or 5 bu. for \$1. Picked apples 50c per bu. At my farm miles southeast of Inavale.—D. G. Norris.

**Red Cloud's Schools the Best**

The Red Cloud Public Schools will open Monday, September 8th. Extensive repairs and changes in the high school building have been made this summer. The assembly room has been enlarged to accommodate 240 students. A large basement room has been prepared for a science room. The north basement room has been equipped for a domestic science room and the frame building will be used hereafter as a manual training room. Our high school is now provided with nine recitation rooms including the laboratories and an auditorium which furnishes ample seating capacity for all who desire to attend the Red Cloud High School this fall.

Fortunately the foresight of our school board in making these changes in order to meet the ever growing demand for more room, has been the means of having Red Cloud designated by the state superintendent as one of the twelve schools in the state as an Agricultural High School with state aid amounting to \$1250 per year.

A student who attends the Red Cloud High School has all the advantages offered by any school in the state. We no longer rank among the list of secondaries but have official standing among the first in our state.

The following courses are now offered from which a student may select the course best suited in their particular needs:

Manual Training Course One Year.  
Domestic Science Course One Year.  
Commercial Courses Three Years.  
Agricultural Courses Four Years.  
Normal Courses Two Years.  
Language Courses Four Years.

Parents are invited to call or correspond with Supt. R. D. Moritz for any information relative to entering their children in school September 8th.

Picture taking opens a new world of entertainment to the children and they never tire of the fun. The Kodak puts this pleasure in the hands of young or old at small cost. It is simple enough for a child to use with good results,—so efficient the expert cannot exhaust its possibilities. Ask us about this.—Newhouse, Jeweler. adv.

**The Present Cattle Situation**

Only a few years ago we were accustomed to talk about the greatness of our western ranges, and to boast that we not only consumed more meat per capita than any other civilized nation but that we had a surplus big enough to satisfy the demands of Europe. We had some excuse for boasting, for in 1901 we exported 465,000 cattle and 352,000,000 pounds of fresh beef. By 1908 our exports had fallen to 350,000 head of cattle and 201,000,000 pounds of fresh beef while in 1912 we exported only 105,000 cattle and 15,000,000 pounds of fresh beef. Our dairy exports amounted to \$9,500,000 in 1901 and less than half that amount in 1912. The indications are that this year's exports of beef will be less than last.

During the years that our beef exports have decreased our imports have increased from 92,000 head of cattle in 1908 to 318,000 in 1912. The value of the dairy products imported during the same period increased from \$,700,000 to more than \$10,000,000.

In 1909 there were over 71,000,000 cattle in the United States. At the present time there are 55,500,000. It is a story of decreasing herds and decreasing exports, of increasing imports and increasing population.

In the face of the above figures no Nebraska farmer should sacrifice his breeding cattle because of the present shortage of forage. The cattle market is high now, but we have every reason to believe it will continue to be high, and that the farmer who sells his breeding stock now will not only lose his natural increase but will have to pay as much or more for similar stock when feed becomes more plentiful.

In practically all parts of the state there is sufficient feed for the winter if it is properly conserved. Much of the injured corn can be cut for fodder and the silo is a means of saving feed which otherwise is a total loss.

**Widow's Pension.**

The recent act of April 19th, 1908 gives to all soldiers' widows a pension \$12 per month. Fred Maurer, the attorney, has all necessary blanks.