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## NEWHOUSE BROTHERS

Cash Jewelers and Optometrists

C. B. & Q. Watch Inspectors

**\$500 Reward**  
for being the most popular lady in Red Cloud and vicinity is worth striving for. To be popular means to have friends—many friends. There are few of us who have no friends, we doubt if there is any one so unfortunate as to be without some friends. You may have many friends more than you think and they will be glad to do you a favor to prove their friendship. Friends help each other. Help your friends by offering them an opportunity to subscribe for the newest and best paper published in the country. Put them in the way of reading the Chief; give them a sample copy and they will want to have it regularly thereafter. Incidentally tell them that their subscription means much to you as you expect by its aid to own a fine piano in just three weeks. They will jump at the opportunity to help you to win. Try it.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers reported by the Fort Abstract Co. for the week ending Wednesday, Jan. 12, 1909.

Fred Kaufman to Frank A. Waule, lot 6, Blk. 10, Bladen, wd. 11.00

Minnie M. Gam to Jennie E. Spence, lot 5, Blk. 2, Spence's 2d add Bladen, wd. 13.00

Maggie E. Carpenter to William T. Mountford, ne 32-1-11, wd. 64.00

Anna Werner to Minta C. Grandstaff, s2 lots 2, 3, 4, Blk. 4, 1st add to Bladen, wd. 27.50

John B. Blain et al to H. G. Keeney, pt set, 4-2-10, wd. 3.00

Harry A. Roats to Maggie E. Carpenter, nw 25-1-11, wd. 35.00

William H. Prather to Martin B. Corner, part ne 4, nw 4, 29-3-10, wd. 3.00

R. D. Moritz to Charles J. Platt, sw 4 w2 ne 1, e2 nw, 34-1-10, wd 120.00

Gilbert G. Denny to Warren L. Denny, e2 ne 4-2-9, qed. 1

Edwin S. Garber to Ida F. Hayes, pt se 4-1-9, qed. 1

Andrew J. Hayes to Edwin S. Garber, pt se 4-1-9, wd. 1

Laura J. Pope to Homer H. Bugard, lot 9, Blk. 6, LeDue's add Red Cloud, wd. 3.00

Mortgages filed, \$27,332.00  
Mortgages released \$10,375.00

The county commissioners are in session this week.

## TEDDY'S "BIG STICK"

**MESSAGE TO CONGRESS CERTAINLY STIRRED UP A HORNET'S NEST, AND YET HE IS POPULAR WITH THE PEOPLE**

## ARE YOU POPULAR?

IN JUST THREE WEEKS FROM TODAY, THE MOST POPULAR LADY IN THIS VICINITY WILL OWN HER VERY OWN A BEAUTIFUL CHICKERING BROS. PIANO.

Just to make a little "spurt" and make the "standing of the contestants" look big on January 22 (for after that date no change will be made in the published "standing") the CHIEF will give a

### SPECIAL PRIZE

To the one who turns in the most votes between January 15 and January 22. The Contestant showing the largest gain on January 22, over this weeks standing, will be presented with one year's paid up subscription to the CHIEF, which carries with it

### 300 MORE VOTES!

If you are holding back any votes turn them in at once and show a big gain. These 300 votes might be enough to win the piano if the finish of the race is as close as it promises to be.

You do not have to be at the head of the list to win this special prize, as it is for the "largest gain" between January 15 and January 22 only.

## REMEMBER

The contest closes Wednesday, February 3, at 4 o'clock, p. m., at the State Bank.

No votes taken (or counted on the Special Prize) at the office of the Chief after January 20. All votes to be counted and published in the Chief of January 22, must be at the office at close of business Wednesday, January 20th.

Rules of the contest have been published in the Chief, but if you do not have them call at the Chief office for all information necessary.

**THE LADY AT THE HEAD OF THE LIST NEXT WEEK WILL STAND A GOOD SHOW OF WINNING THE \$500 PIANO.**

Following are the names of the contestants and their standing this week:

Miss Frankie Ward, Red Cloud	30,950
Mrs. Miles Doyle, Red Cloud	26,200
Miss Ruth Warren, Red Cloud	18,800
Miss Vera Crabill, Red Cloud	15,500
Miss Bernice Potter, Red Cloud	12,850
Miss Mary Francis, Cowles	11,500
Miss Edna Watt, Guide Rock	11,350

Remember that with every dollar paid on subscription you are entitled to 300 votes in the contest. If you wish anyone entered in the contest just send in their name. Voting and subscription blanks will be furnished anyone making application.

## WE ARE PREPARED

To fill your wants in what ever you may want in the grocery line.

We are getting a nice New line of Evaporated Fruits, this years crop. They are fine, the flavor rich, just opened a keg of Heinz Celebrated sweet pickles, "Ask to try em" We are also head quarters for Snyders Pork and Beans. Snyders catsup, ect. And Falger's Golden gate Coffee, Teas and Extracts ect.

Our Best Brand of Canned goods. Call for The White House Brand.

Bell Phone 4

Rural Phone 63

## County Treasurer's Semi-Annual Statement.

Recapitulation, showing the amount on hand July 1, 1908, the collections since made, disbursements, and amount remaining on hand at the close of the 31st day of December, 1908, in each and all of the several Funds stated.

KIND OF FUNDS.	Page of Report	Am't on hand last settlement	Amount since collected	Interest collected	Funds Transferred from	TOTAL	Disbursements	Funds Transferred to	Amount now on hand	TOTAL
School and University Land	1	2882 37	7913 84			\$ 10101 21	\$ 5424 09		\$ 4677 12	\$ 10101 21
State Consolidated	2	6410 37	12114 19	116 53		18641 29	11117 98		7523 31	18641 29
County General	3	2794 34	7938 25	570 76	Various funds	964 30	12267 65	12261 27	6 38	12267 65
County Railroad Bond	4	427 07	6810 96			7338 03	7228 52		9 51	7338 03
County Poor	5	9597 25	1127 43			10724 68	10600 00		124 68	10724 68
County Insane	6	8 75				8 75		To Co Gen	8 75	8 75
County Soldiers' Relief	7	14 32				14 32		To Co Gen	14 32	14 32
County Road	8	356 83	225 33			582 16	430 37		151 79	582 16
District Road	9	367 99				367 99		Comm'r District	367 99	367 99
Commissioner District	10	6493 48	8781 92			15275 40	6270 99	Comm'r District	2767 25	6237 16
District Schools	11	6448 79			Various funds	3135 24	9584 03		6824 24	9584 03
State Apportionment	12	20810 52	26514 06		Various funds	3030 86	59355 44		21995 46	59355 44
					Fines & licenses	43 00	2961 27	District Schools	2961 27	2961 27
					State Treasurer	2918 27				
					Various parties	43 00		State Apport'm't	43 00	43 00
Fines and Licenses	14					43 00				
School Bond	15	3278 78	2135 36			5414 14	980 17		4433 97	5414 14
Red Cloud City	16	248 10	1486 70			1734 80	1703 73		31 16	1734 80
Red Cloud Water Bond	17	1830 12	450 36			2280 48	981 62		1298 86	2280 48
Red Cloud Electric Light Bond	18	161 64	445 59			607 23	8 91		598 32	607 23
Red Cloud Electric Light Works	19	93 20	884 00			977 20	967 68		9 52	977 20
Red Cloud Water Works	20	71 67	596 25			667 92	651 93		15 99	667 92
Red Cloud Water Works Special	21	3 75				3 75			3 75	3 75
Red Cloud Judgment	22	102 30	827 00			929 30	916 54		12 76	929 30
Red Cloud Sidewalk	23	2 73				2 73			2 73	2 73
Blue Hill	24	990 35	835 78			1826 13	1006 72		819 41	1826 13
Blue Hill Water Bond	25	1321 06	585 66			1906 12	250 20		1655 92	1906 12
Blue Hill Special	26	158 23	105 20			263 43	160 33		103 10	263 43
Guide Rock	27	557 20	523 59			1080 79	14 21		1066 58	1080 79
Bladen	28	46 10	434 01			480 11	11 41		468 70	480 11
Intrest	29		687 29			687 29		Various funds	687 29	687 29
Advertising	30		46 90			46 90		County General	46 90	46 90
Redemption	31	423 50	1155 20			1578 70	1269 66		309 04	1578 70
Miscellaneous	32				Various parties	980 92	980 92	Various funds	980 92	980 92
		\$63901 10	\$81944 27	\$687 29		\$11121 59	\$139659 25		\$ 7993 69	\$ 159659 25

Fees and Commissions received from July 1st, 1908, to January 1st, 1909, \$ 1378.67  
Railroad Bonds outstanding, 20,000.00  
Collected interest on County Funds for 1908, Daily balances, 825.12

I, W. C. Frahm, County Treasurer, certify that the above is a true and correct statement of the outstanding indebtedness of the county and of all moneys received and disbursed by me as County Treasurer of Webster County, Nebraska, from the 1st day of July, 1908, to the 1st day of January, 1909, to the best of my knowledge and belief, as per statement submitted.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1909.

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E. W. ROSS, County Clerk.

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