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WEBSTER COUNTY BANK
RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA

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.

Farm Loans

At Lowest interest, best option, least expense. Call for me at State Bank, Red Cloud. C. F. CATHER.

The NEW Feed Store

We handle only the Best Grades of Flour and Feed of all kinds. Your inspection of my place is respectfully requested

Both Phones, Opposite P. O.

GEO. W. TRINE

Big Mule Sale

AT THE
Peddicord Sale Barn

Superior, Nebr., Monday, Dec. 2

COMMENCING AT ONE O'CLOCK

75 HEAD OF MULES 75

From 3 to 6 Years Old

These mules weigh from 1050 to 1350 pounds. There are several matched teams among them and they are all broke and in good shape.

TERMS: Eight months time will be given at 8 per cent.

W. N. Peddicord

Red Cloud City a Good Place to Live

The city of Red Cloud is situated in the southern part of Webster county in the valley formed by the Republican river. It is just six miles from the northern boundary of Kansas. It is on the main line of the Burlington railroad from Kansas City to Denver. Another road joins this city with Hastings on the north and gives good connections with the state capital and the cities in the eastern part of the state. The city itself is about two miles long, north and south, and three quarters of a mile wide, east and west. About the first thing to impress a stranger when visiting the city is the miles and miles of permanent sidewalks. There are side walks all over town connected with permanent street crossings which makes it extremely easy to get about town. Almost all of the streets are well graded and kept in good condition.

The entire city is well drained and there is never any danger from floods. Occasionally the Republican gets out of its banks and overflows as far as the city limits but owing to the elevation of the city itself the floods cannot possibly reach so high. This favorable location combined with the choicest atmosphere and the best climate guarantees excellent health to all. Such a thing as an epidemic has never been known here.

The business blocks contain large well lighted stores in which the very best of seasonable merchandise is carried in stock at all times. These stocks are large and offer as good choice for selection as do the stores in the larger cities.

The residence portion of the city is filled with neat cottages, fine dwellings and several large and portentious homes. The tall trees which abound all over the city and the blue grass lawns give an appearance at once inviting and restful.

The city is well supplied with churches and school houses and recently a Y. M. C. A. has been organized. This latter work was enthusiastically taken up by the business and professional men and has been placed squarely on a good financial foundation. Every enterprise of merit receives cordial support from the Chamber of Commerce. There are a number of social, fraternal and literary clubs which have been organized for years which give ample opportunity for recreation and profitable diversion.

The citizens here are alert, active and progressive. They are always pleased to welcome the new-comer. If the reader is right now thinking of seeking a new location either immediately or later on we would suggest that he investigate the resources, the thrift, the healthfulness and the spirit of Red Cloud. A thorough investigation will convince anyone that our statements have not been exaggerated in a single detail. Come and see for yourself and then cast your lot in a wholesome, progressive, up-to-date community.

GARFIELD

Clyde Bowen is on the sick list this week.

The weather is fine but the nights are cold.

Will Fisher and Pete Manley crossed the river on the new Starke bridge Sunday.

Yarl L. Leedes of the sand hill country is visiting his sister Mrs. Charley Campbell this week.

Most of the farmers in Garfield will shuck corn Thanksgiving day so they can feed the hogs and buy more land.

Will Fisher was the first one to shell the new crop of corn on wind mill row. Weaver and McElhany did the work.

Wanted

Young lady clerk, one willing to be kept busy. Address CLAN, per Chief Office, City. State salary wanted in first letter.

Farmers' Institute Closes

The last days of the Farmers' Institute proved to be as beneficial as the first ones. The attendance was not so large as on Wednesday but all the exhibit rooms were crowded all the time. The evening session on Thursday began with music by the Betz orchestra, which was highly appreciated by the audience. The following officers were elected at this time for the ensuing year:

- G. W. Hummel, President
- Lyman Essig, Vice President
- Henry Gilham, Secretary
- J. W. Auld, Treasurer
- Board of Directors
- Dr. Robt. Damerel, Red Cloud, Nebr.
- Ed Payne, Catherton Twp.
- Fred Arnold, Inavale.
- C. B. Steward, Line
- F. W. Cowden, Red Cloud.
- W. J. Lippencott, Garfield.
- Joe Crow, Red Cloud Township
- Henry Johnson, Pleasant Hill
- F. Stokes, Walnut
- T. W. White, Cowles
- Frank Frisbie, Pleasant Hill
- Max Mizer, Red Cloud
- C. Gurney Jr., Red Cloud
- Geo. E. Coon, Red Cloud Twp.
- J. E. Betz, Supt. of Entertainment
- Ladies Auxillary.
- Miss Irene Miner
- Mrs. Laura Frisbie
- Mrs. M. A. Albright
- Mrs. G. W. Hummel
- Mrs. L. Essig
- Mrs. W. J. Lippencott
- Mrs. E. R. Harris
- Mrs. W. A. Sherwood
- Mrs. A. Arnold
- Mrs. W. H. Thomas
- Mrs. Wm. Wolf
- Mrs. Laura Whitaker
- Mrs. Alf McCall
- Mrs. T. W. White
- Mrs. Max Mizer
- Miss Mollie Ferris
- Miss Ella Stonebreaker

Mr. Glen Poe rendered a delightful selection on his trombone and the audience wanted more. Mr. Leonard then delivered an interesting address on "Opportunities of Today and Those of Fifty Years Ago." He graphically pictured the rapid rise of useful inventions, showed how progressive Americans made the most of their wits and how they took advantage of anything that would enable them to perform larger duties easier and more satisfactory. It is hard to realize that practically all of our tools and conveniences have been developed in the last fifty years.

Messrs Creider, Williams, and Johnson gave another of their fine trios and Miss Winnifred Wood favored the audience with a whistling solo.

Mrs. Davison then gave a spirited address on the "Evolution of the Home." The speaker placed much importance on home training. She showed that in the home character is formed and that parents should give at least as much time and energy to the rearing of their children as they do to the raising of cattle, horses and hogs.

The parade of the live stock exhibit was the feature on Friday. Perfectly formed horses, magnificent cattle, handsome mules graced the streets of Red Cloud and showed the throng of people gathered on the streets that Webster county produced animals of a very superior character. Farmers are no longer satisfied with the scrubs of yesterday and they are breeding a type of animals that are beautiful to look upon and most useful to our modern civilization.

The Institute of 1912 will go down into history as the most successful thus far attempted in this county. The development accomplished in a single generation is most remarkable indeed. It is difficult for us to realize that only a short time ago this fertile country was given over to the Indian and the buffalo. The management is already laying their plans for next year and with the experience they have gained they will undoubtedly make some gains but to the casual ob-

Jewelry—The Gift of Gifts

The Holiday Spirit Says "Give Jewelry"

Nothing else that comes within the range of gift-giving so universally pleases.

Nothing else is so generally given—nothing else so completely voices the spirit of Christmas.

Of course there are many sorts of Jewelry displays. Some are more comprehensive than others. Some show greater taste in designing than others. Some are more "Christmassy" than others.

We are not going to make any comparisons—except to say that we really believe that you givers of gifts will find more of the real spirit of the season evidenced in OUR this year's display than you will find within many miles of this store.

Giving Jewelry doesn't mean that there's a lot of money to pay, either—not necessarily.

In fact there are any number of articles here that you can own for less than a dollar.

But what we want to particularly emphasize here is that you can't have a want at this time, but we meet it with the precise article you desire at its lowest price.

You can understand just what we mean if you call.

E. H. Newhouse

—THE GIFT STORE—

server this seems almost impossible so excellent was the affair this year.

The following are the awards of prizes in full:

POULTRY

- Barred Rocks
- 1st C Steward
- 2nd O Steward
- Rhode Island Reds
- 2nd J O Butler
- White Orpingtons
- 1st J O Butler
- 2nd L A Whitaker
- Brahmas
- 1st C Steward
- 2nd H Newhouse
- Buff Cochins
- 1st C Steward
- White Plymouth Rocks
- 1st H Cramer
- 2nd Jas. Topham
- Hudan
- 1st Wm. White
- Buff Wyandotte
- 1st Geo Trine
- 2nd H Newhouse
- Anconas
- 1st Rev. Tompkins
- Buff Orpington
- 1st Chas McCord
- 2nd
- Black Langshans
- 1st G L Canfield
- 2nd H. E. White
- Golden Wyandotte
- 1st Jas Stanser
- 2nd
- White Wyandotte
- 1st L Essig
- 2nd
- Brown Leghorns
- 1st John Harris
- 2nd Wm Topham
- Buff Cochins Bantams
- 1st Verna Trise
- White Turkeys
- 1st Wm Lippincott
- 2nd L Essig
- Bronze Turkeys
- 1st C Steward
- 2nd H Gilham
- Toulouse Geese
- 1st C Steward
- 2nd C Gurney
- White Ducks
- 1st C Phares
- 2nd C G Peterson
- Colored Ducks

- 1st H Gilham
- Guineas
- 1st Geo Coon
- 2nd S Hays
- Pullets—Sweep Stakes
- John Harris
- Cockrell—Sweep Stakes
- Geo. Trine
- Pens—Sweep Stakes
- Geo Trine

SUGGESTIONS BY THE POULTRY COMMITTEE.

We will say that birds exhibited this year was greatly improved over last year and we wish to encourage this work of good breeding. However, we would like to call to your attention some of the small, but serious defects in following the standard which is: Hair or small feathers on toes, crooked breast, crooked toes, clipped wings, scaly legs, etc. All of these would dis-qualify birds for prizes. This year we gave prizes according to score, but next year we would suggest that the standard would be followed. Anyone caring to know the rules and regulations regarding poultry can get such information complete by getting them a Standard of Perfection for \$1.50.

ART

- Oil paintings
- Mrs E C Enyeart
- Mrs. Cary
- Water color
- Mrs J Payne
- Sarah Jewell
- Paatel
- Beatrice Slons
- Fay Teel
- China Conventional
- Iva Craill
- China Conventional
- Elizabeth Overman
- Jennie Miner
- Elizabeth Overman
- China naturalistic
- Jennie Miner
- Elizabeth Overman
- SPECIALS
- Mrs Ella Markham
- Grandma Hale
- Ruby Goble
- Lydia Trout, Veda Scharshel
- Mrs. Rust
- Ruth Overing

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