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Do Not Help The Enemy

Few of us realize the tremendous wealth of the United States. In the various branches of the United States treasury there are held more than three billions of dollars—the greatest amount of wealth ever held by any one government in the world's history.

Comptroller Williams says that the assets of the national banks of the United States aggregate more than sixteen billions of dollars—exceeding by more than five billions of dollars the combined resources of the banks of England, France, Italy, Spain, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Japan and Germany.

It is almost impossible to comprehend the great amount of wealth in this country. There is no danger of us "going broke" because of the war with Germany.

Our success in this war depends largely on this one point. If this vast amount of wealth is kept circulating, it can pay all our war debts and enable us to help win the war for the world's freedom. If it is withdrawn from circulation, and business suffers, the effect will be disastrous.

You can do no more patriotic service today than to keep cool, realize that we are in no danger, and keep right on living your life as you have been doing the last three years.

Remember, every time you are tempted to practice "hysterical economy" that you are helping the enemy by throttling business. Do not indulge

in extravagance—that would be idle; but do not "attempt to save the country overnight" by curtailing your expenditures for necessities. When you do that, you help to check the circulation of money, which is the life-blood of business, and you make the nation's task doubly difficult.

Be patriotic by doing just as you have done the last three years. This only means living your normal life, doing your usual work, enjoying your usual pleasures, and providing for usual necessities.

Not a very hard thing to do, is it? But it is one of the most patriotic things that you, as one of the 98,000,000 noncombatants, can do for your country and your flag.

So do it!

To Nebraska Pioneers

It is desired to publish as a part of the semi-centennial celebration in Lincoln on June 12, 13 and 14 a complete list of all Nebraskans now living in the state who were here at the time of the admission on March 1, 1867.

Names and addresses, together with the date of the arrival in the territory of Nebraska, should be sent to The Journal at once, in order to make a complete and reliable roll of territorial pioneers.

Pioneers who had interesting and unusual experiences in the early days are invited to write out their reminiscences and mail them to The State Journal office at Lincoln. Such as cannot be printed will be turned over to the state historical society.

Lost—A Music Lyre. Finder leave at this office and receive reward.

The Farmers Union Association of Inavale will buy your cream, eggs and poultry at highest market price and sell you flour and feed at reasonable prices. Your trade is solicited.—L. Johnson, Manager.

Commissioners Proceedings

Red Cloud, Neb., June 6th. The board of county commissioners met in regular session with all members present.

The official bonds of E. Peters, Justice of Peace, and C. L. Columbia, Constable, both of Guide Rock, were approved.

The county treasurer was authorized to refund difference in tax between valuation of 1915 and 1916 on block 5 to F. G. Turnure.

The matter of D. J. Mumert's taxes was referred to County Attorney Monday.

The following claims were allowed on the bridge fund:

Wells & McTaggart	\$ 19 70
J B Wisecarver	32 00
Jas McIntosh	161 50
Alex Buckles	75 00
Jas McIntosh	18 00
Morhart Bros	10 15
R G Lawrence	83 00
Andrew Hanson	10 00
G W Trine	21 07
Guide Rock Hwde Co	44 60
E J Emerton	25 00
A O Mefford	11 00
Chris Guy	39 00
Geo McCarley	8 00
E S Shipman	9 00
Wm H Sawyer	55 00
Omer Crowell	11 00
John Frey	27 00
Lee DeTour	39 50
Frank Stanley	31 30
H G Feis	82 00
J H Buettgenback	35 10
Adam Alber	30 60
Jas Hubatka	32 00
B A Sutton	2 60
Len Wilmot	147 50
F W Kruger	22 00
D S Phelps & Son	9 95
T E McHale	5 00
Wm McCord	58 00
Mike Goll	35 00
Wilbur Cox	4 00
Henry Waterman	4 00
Fred Waterman	15 00
C M Wilson	66 00
Wm Sawyer	20 00
J M Dean	44 25
Clare Wolfe	4 65
F H Zimmerman	10 00
John Beyke	92 60
Aug Lampman	5 00
Omo Mients	12 00
A Wakesser, general fund	7 80

In regard to communication about Federal Aid Roads from the State Engineer the Board selected roads as per map now on file and the County Surveyor was ordered to send sketch of the same to the State engineer.

A committee composed of Doctors Hoxey, Creighton, Mitchell and Stockman appeared before the Board and requested that Dr. Damerell be appointed Secretary of the Board of Health for Webster County and he was duly appointed for the regular term.

Communication of Judge H. S. Dungan and W. C. Dorsey, requesting that the court room be furnished with matting for the aisles and a flag also be put up in same. W. H. Thomas was appointed to see to the same.

A committee of two ladies from the W. C. T. U. appeared before the Board and asked permission to place the fountain (now on the four corners of city main streets) on court house yard. No action taken.

Application of Mrs. Kate Alexander for admission to the Nebraska Soldiers and Sailors Home, at Grand Island was read and approved by the Board.

Report of County Attorney Monday as to the litigation with the C. B. & Q. R. R. concerning the pipe line north of Red Cloud is as follows: "The Supreme Court of Nebraska approved and affirmed the action of the County Board," and he was ordered to act in the matter of the 1916 and 1917 assessments.

Petition of R. C. Burch praying for a hearing for road and the date of hearing was set for June 18.

The Board adjourned to meet as an equalization board on June 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Resolution of Condolence

The following resolution was adopted by the Red Cloud Concert Band and entered upon its books:

Whereas, one of our members, Almo Clutter, has with the death of his mother, lost "the best friend a man ever had," we, his comrades, desire to publicly express and to extend to him, and the other members of the family our sincere sympathy in their great loss.

A. A. LeRoy, Director.
Roy Hassinger, Manager.
Hobert Blackledge, Secretary.

Weather Report for May

Temperature: Mean 54 deg; maximum 92 deg. on 19th; minimum 29 deg on the 1st.
Precipitation: Total 5.73 inches.
Number of days—clear 14, partly cloudy 3, cloudy 14.
Dates of frost—light 5, 6, 7, 8; killing 1.
Dates of hail—light 30th.
Thunderstorms—10, 19, 21, 25, 29, 30
Prevailing wind—Direction N W 8 days.
Rainfall since Jan. 1st, 9.95 inches.
Chas. S. Ludlow, Observer.

Married Sunday Evening

At six o'clock on Sunday evening at the home of the bride's parents occurred the marriage of Miss Flossie McKimney and Mr. Claude Frost of Edison. Rev. G. W. Hummel, assisted by Rev. F. M. Drulliner performed the ceremony and they were attended by Miss Margaret Stevens and Earl McKimney.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKimney. She is a graduate of the 1914 class of the Red Cloud High School, and since receiving her diploma has been engaged as an instructor in the public schools, having taught two terms at Edison where she met the young man who is now her husband.

While we have been denied the pleasure of the acquaintance of the groom we are informed that he is a member of one of the highly respected families of his community, and who for the past few years has devoted his time to tilling the soil.

That they may receive an abundant share of the pleasures of this life is the wish of the Chief.

Ranney-Darner Nuptials

The marriage of Miss Edna Ranney to Clyde Otis Darner, took place at 6:30 o'clock, Monday evening, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ranney, Chancellor Emeritus Ailsworth, of Cotner University, performed the ceremony in the presence of thirty five guests.

Yellow, white and green were the colors chosen by the bride, and the combination was used in all the arrangements. A bank of ferns and yellow iris with an arch of evergreen and yellow roses formed the principal part of the decorative scheme. The stairway was draped with evergreen and yellow roses. In the dining room the same colors were effectively used, the center piece for the dining table being a Dresden basket of Ward roses.

Before the ceremony Mrs. H. C. Gellatly, accompanied by Mrs. N. B. Bush, sang "At Dawning" by Cadmon and "I Love You Truly," by Carrie Jacobs Bond. Miss Irma Ranney, sister of the bride, wearing pale yellow taffeta and carrying a basket of Ward roses, led the party. The maid of honor, Miss Pauline Ranney, also a sister of the bride, was followed by the bride and groom. Miss Ranney's gown was of white bride's satin, made with georgette crepe and princess lace. A court train hung from the shoulders. Lillies of the valley and lavender iris formed the bride's bouquet. Miss Pauline Ranney wore pale green crepe de chene and chiffon and carried yellow roses. The mother of the bride wore white georgette crepe. The mother of the groom wore lavender taffeta with georgette crepe.

A reception followed the ceremony. Mrs. Gellatly directed the guests to the dining room where Mrs. Clifford Eshelman presided at the table. Miss Ann Ranney, Miss Lucile Robinson, and Miss Rachel Cowden assisted in serving. Miss Pauline had charge of the guest book.

The out of town guests were Mrs. W. H. Horton, Beaver City, Mrs. W. H. Hobart, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hobart, Riverton, Miss Myrtle Iwin, Grand Island, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Darner, Dr. Poince Ailsworth, Lincoln, Clayton Ranney, Blue Hill.

Mrs. Darner was a graduate of the Blue Hill high school and of Cotner University. Mr. Darner attended Cotner University and the University of Nebraska. Mr. Darner is in the National Bank of Commerce at Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. Darner left Monday night for a trip to the eastern coast and will be home to their friends after the thirteenth of July 3001 R. street, Lincoln. Mrs. Darner's traveling suit was of shadow lawn, green chuda cloth with which was worn a hat, bodice and accessories to match.

940 Register in the County

That Webster County will contribute her share of men to defend the nation is evidenced by the fact that a total of 940 young men between the ages of 21 and 31, inclusive, presented themselves for registration at the various places designated for this purpose. Judging from this total it appears as though there were not any slackers in this county. Red Cloud made a good showing as will be seen in the figures given below, giving the number of registrations in each of the precincts of the county.

Guide Rock	85
Heaver Creek	44
Stillwater	46
Oak Creek	59
Garfield	34
Pleasant Hill	19
Cowles	24
Elm Creek	37
Potsdam	86
Line	28
Red Cloud prot.	51
Batin	46
Glenwood	82
Walnut Creek	35
Catheron	43
Harmony	50
Inavale prot.	53
Red Cloud 1st wd.	55
Red Cloud 2nd wd.	61

Total 940
Of the 940 registered 570 claimed exemptions for being totally disabled, dependent relatives and probable exemptions. Three hundred fifty four claimed no exemptions while there were 22 aliens and 2 alien enemies.

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