



**AS TOLD TO US**

Engineer Reilly spent Sunday in McCook.  
 Geo. Shuck came up from Guide Rock Tuesday.  
 Clark Crow of Guide Rock, was in the city Monday.  
 Fireman Fair was in Smith Center, Kansas, Sunday.  
 Read the E. Newhouse ad on another page of this issue.  
 County Treasurer Robinson made a business trip to Omaha Monday.  
 Miss Lucile Olmstead spent the week end with friends in Inavale.  
 Simon Huffer of Cheyenne, Wyo., is in the city visiting friends.  
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 Experienced man wants work on farm.—C. H. Scott, Red Cloud.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bert Leonard of Inavale, called on friends in Red Cloud Sunday.  
 The Misses Inez and Sylva Strickland visited with friends in Inavale on Monday.  
 Simon Huffer of Cheyenne, Wyoming, returned to this city the first of the week for a visit with his family.  
 Lorain Blair returned to this city Wednesday from Grand Island, where he had been transacting business.  
 Don-Fulton will move onto his farm south of Inavale and engage in farming the coming season.  
 3 cars of Maitland lump coal on the road—here in a few days. Let us have your order now.—A. K. WILSON. 9-2  
 Charles Huffer is moving to Axtel, Nebraska, this week, where he and his family will make their future home.  
 The program at the Orphum Friday night will be a Mutual in 5-acts. Show starts at 7:30; admission 6 and 17c.  
 Mrs. Barbara Phares left Sunday morning for eastern markets to purchase her spring and summer line of goods.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Simpson of Cheyenne, returned to this city Monday and will make their future home in this city.  
 Loren Hunsicker returned to Camp Funston Tuesday, after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hunsicker.  
 Buy Land at Stratton, Colorado. See Rose Brothers of Blue Hill, Nebraska or go to Jos. A. Collins, Stratton, Colorado. 3 12t Rose Bros.  
 Attorney Boucher of Omaha, delivered a very interesting lecture on War Savings Stamps at the Orphum, after the first show on Monday night.  
 Dr. Warrick, the specialist, will meet patients and those needing glasses fitted at Dr. Damerell's, Wednesday, March 6th. Hours 1 to 6.  
 Mr. Floyd Kaminsky and Miss Ora Shuck were united in marriage at Hastings last Saturday night. They will make their home on a farm near Inavale.  
 FOR SALE—100 acres of pasture land, 1 1/2 miles west and 2 miles north of Inavale, Nebraska. Fenced, tank and wind mill. Terms, \$50.00 an acre. At least one half down, balance with good security.—Mrs. Wm. Inoss.

**Farm Loans**

Private money at lowest interest. No delay, money here. All papers kept here and payable at home bank. I also make regular company loans on best terms to be had. Call for me at State Bank.—C. F. Cather. tf

**STAMP OUT THE WAR WITH WAR SAVINGS STAMPS**

John Garber is in Inavale this week on business.  
 Dr. Roy Garber is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garber.  
 Those having books to donate to the new library, will please leave same at Howard S. Foe's office or phone him and he will call for them.

On Monday Charles Huffer loaded his household goods and shipped them to Axtel, Nebraska, where he and his family will make their future home.

Ethel and Leonard Waller of Cowles, visited at the J. H. Bailey home Saturday and Sunday, returning home Monday morning.

Mrs. Branson Stewart has succeeded Mrs. Don Fulton as principal of the Lincoln School and entered upon her new duties last Monday morning.

Conrad Starke will offer for sale on Saturday, March 9th about 90 head of 4 and 5 year old mules. Those needing good mules should bear this date in mind and attend the sale.

One of the gentlemen in this city who had been making a practice of supplying the trade with cigarets, undoubtedly did not use very good judgment in selecting his customers as he was taken before His Honor the Judge and assessed \$10 and the trimmings, a few days ago.

Miss Inez Boner arrived in the city last week from Winner, South Dakota, for an extended visit with relatives and friends in this city. While in South Dakota, Miss Boner has been engaged as a teacher of music, both instrumental and vocal.

Two interesting games of Basketball were staged in the new high school gym last evening. In the game between the Cowles and Red Cloud girls the former carried off the honors. The boys game proved that the Red Cloud boys were too much for their Cowles friends.

We, this day, received a card from Harry Yost, who is now in Uncle Sam's service and stationed at San Antonio, Texas. Harry states that he is feeling fine and enjoying life in the Sunny South. For the benefit of his friends we will say that his present address is 827 st. Aereo Squadron, South San Antonio, Texas.

**Christian Church Notes**

The semi-annual business meeting of the church was held Monday evening. There was a large attendance. Reports from the various departments of the church were given which show marked advancement. Mr. Anderson was chosen deacon, Engels, trustee; Trace Sherer, usher; and Mr. Fearn was elected janitor. Some improvements on the church were ordered. Quarterly business meetings will be held and all departments of the church will be expected to report their progress. The financial statement of Mr. Frank Smith created much interest and was well received.

Miss Bernice Richardson of Guide Rock, will soon visit Red Cloud for the purpose of organizing an orchestra. She is a very fine leader and has already organized a splendid orchestra in her home city. Those wishing to join can give their names to the pastor.

A number of church people are taking an active part in the Home Guard, which meets Tuesday evenings at the High School gymnasium. This is a good place to get rid of the kinks and cultivate a fraternal spirit.

The church has made itself a Missionary Society and the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Galatly Friday afternoon. This will be an important service. All the ladies of the church should attend.

Mr. Bush took a subscription last Sunday for the purpose of supplying the church with up-to-date church hymnals. A good fund was raised and we will soon have new song books.

The Baptist church was over-run with people last Sunday evening. Rev. Harper gave a fine message. Union service with the Methodist people next Sunday evening.

The Social Circle has purchased a fine lot of chairs for pulpit choir. Just take notice when you attend church Sunday.

Dr. Cross is expecting to move to Colorado in about ten days and try western farm life. The family will remain in Red Cloud some time.

Wm. Engels moved into the Errit property Monday. He recently purchased this place and will improve it.

Mrs. Eva Wolfshill is under the doctor's care this week.

Mr. Godfrey has moved into the house north of the Advent church.  
 Joe Topham is moving into the Engels property in west Red Cloud.

**Up to the People**

Several of the business men and citizens have in the past year advanced the theory that a consolidation of two of the papers in the city would be a satisfactory solution of the problem now confronting them, that three papers are too many for a city the size of Red Cloud. With three papers in the field and the patronage divided into three parts none of the papers can see their way clear, financially, to give the public the high class paper that they desire.

With these objects in view the management of the Argus and the Chief have adopted plans whereby a corporation could be formed, and to date, considering the short time that has been spent, considerable encouragement has been received from the business firms. As the editor of this paper is now in Camp Funston and expects to be called with his regiment to France at almost any day, he desires to dispose of his interests in Red Cloud, as it is rather uncertain when he will be in a position to personally conduct the affairs of the Chief. Under those circumstances it was considered this would be the proper time to consider the matter and place it before the merchants and citizens for their approval.

A few hours time spent in presenting the matter to the business men resulted in the disposal of about one third of the required amount of subscriptions for stock. Several have asked that they be given time to consider the matter and to date but one of the merchants has refused to take a part in the matter.

**Tractor Meeting Beneficial**

District Manager, J. N. Zane of Lincoln, and H. M. Westcott, tractor expert of the International Harvester Company, conducted a school of instruction in the James Peterson Implement building on Friday and Saturday of last week. About fifty or more of the farmers of this city were in attendance and without a doubt the amount of valuable information they received will more than repay them for the slight inconveniences they may have experienced in arranging to be in attendance. The scarcity of horses and mules combined with the ever increasing demand for food stuffs will no doubt compell some of the tillers of the soil who farm on a large scale to secure the services of the tractor. This will also greatly assist the government in their food campaign and the International is to be commended on the activities in the matter.

**Baptist Church Notes**

Regular services Sunday morning, Sunday, March 10th Rev. S. M. Brown of Kansas City, Mo., will begin a meeting here at the Baptist church, in connection with the pastor, Rev. V. M. Harper. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

**Piano at a Bargain**

We have a used piano in good condition that one of our customers was unable to finish paying for, that we will place free of charge in the home of any satisfactory customer in the vicinity of Red Cloud, who will pay the balance in cash, or easy payments. —GASTON MUSIC CO., Hastings, Neb. 8-9

**Farm Loans**

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The March term of the district court will convene on the eleventh day of the month, but the jury will not be called until March 18th. The jury list for the same will be found in this issue.

A letter signed by 51 of our citizens was sent to Senator Hitchcock last week. A copy of this letter was also sent to President Wilson. A letter was received this morning from our president thanking the 51 signers for their confidence and support and saying that he deeply appreciates their heartening assurance.

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For every pound of wheat flour you must use an equal amount of substitute flour

Oat meal, 4 lbs	30c	Substitutes for White Flour
Rice, per lb	12 1/2c	
Corn Starch, pkg	10c	
Corn Meal 12 lbs	60c	
Corn Meal 6 lbs	35c	
Bran, 3 lbs	20c	
Pancake Flour, 4 lb	30c	
Buckwheat, 5 lbs	50c	

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