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Death of Former Resident

Mrs. Barbara Parfex has received a telegram from Portland, Oregon, stating that her brother-in-law, Louis Vane, died Thursday, August 20th. The older citizens of Red Cloud will remember Mr. Vane conducting a jewelry store where the Frank Sixth street store is now located. He was a charter member of the Red Cloud volunteer fire department and when he first came here worked in the Wallace Jewelry store, later going into business for himself. Henry and George Newhouse were his successors in the business he established.

He commanded the respect of his fellow citizens and took an active part in public affairs connected with community upbuilding and advancement.

About three years ago, while acting as city foreman of Southeastern Oregon, he received injuries from which he never recovered.

He is survived by his wife and six children: Mrs. Lewis Sangerman and Tex, both living in Oregon; Albert, in the army; Lorraine, Dorothy and Milton, at home with their parents; and besides Mrs. Parfex there are several relatives in or near Webster county.

The funeral was held Saturday.

W. C. T. U. Convention

The Webster County W. C. T. U. will meet in convention in the Congregation church at Blue Hill, Neb., Tuesday, Sept. 10th, 1918, at ten o'clock, a. m. The present officers are Mrs. W. H. Tabor, president; Mrs. S. K. Logan, vice-president; Mrs. Clarence Guy, secretary; Mrs. G. M. Albin, treasurer. The program is as follows:

Session Opens At 10 A. M.

Music
Scripture Reading by Mrs. Marie Wilcox, Bladen
Sentence Prayer
Roll Call Of Local Unions—By The Delegates Standing
Appointment Of Committee On Resolutions
Reports Of Local Unions By Presidents
County Secretary
County Treasurer
Superintendents of Institute, Army And Navy
County President
Election Of Officers By Ballot
Noon-Tide Prayer

1:00 P. M.—Question Box Conducted By Mrs. M. M. Claffin
For Local Presidents

1:30 P. M.—Program For Afternoon

Music
Dedication Of Service Flag

The Modern W. C. T. U.—Mrs. Claffin

Anti - Narcotics — Mrs. Paul Cowles

Music

Prohibition— Mrs. Eva Dickerson, Guide Rock

Temperance And Missions—Mrs. Grace Sutton, Inavale

Americanization — Mrs. Lena Atkinson of Indian Creek

Prohibition As A War Measure — Mrs. Mina Baker, New Virginia

Alcoholic Drugs A Menace To "Dry Nebraska"

Mrs. Alice Myers of Red Cloud

Bible Lessons From Gideon—Mrs. Claffin

Motion Pictures Essential

Patrons of the Orpheum "silent drama" will be pleased to learn that the war industrial board has declared the motion picture business in all its branches, an essential industry. Once more the "movies" are endorsed as of great value—and in this instance the approval comes from high authority. The only prohibitive exception in the ruling is that no new sets be built during the war.

Gen. Holt of Coshocton acted best guess in Red Cloud today.

The Supreme Sacrifice

John Edwin Garrison, son of Mrs. D. C. Garrison of this city, is the third Webster county soldier who has made the supreme sacrifice. Death came to him August 26, 1918, from the effects of wounds received "in action" some time previously.

His bereaved family are not alone in their hour of grief. Everyone in Webster county joins in their sorrow—the nation honors the soldier who gave all for its cause—the Supreme God opens the doors of everlasting peace to the white soul of one who lived and died for the right.

John E. Garrison was born near Crete, May 5th, 1896. He was a member of the National Guard at Van Tassel, Wyo., in 1917, later receiving his discharge on account of physical disability.

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Report Red Cross Auxiliary

The following articles were shipped during the month of August:

10x18 Irrigation paper-packed pads

50 sterile dressings

17 pairs socks

10 helmets

33 pairs boys drawers

17 petticoats

30 boys undershirts

3 suits pajamas

The following is the treasurer's report for August:

On hand Aug. 1 \$964.45

Monthly subscriptions 105.98

Miscellaneous 12.25

Total \$1082.68

Expense of drive 54

Chapter 75

Junior Red Cross 16.15

Turmeric & Son 38.32

Mrs. Phares 54

Balance on hand \$1026.38

At the Library

The following is a report of the circulation of books for the six months since the opening of the Auld Public Library:

Adult Juvenile Total

March 484 417 901

April 548 864 1712

May 751 810 1581

June 607 719 1226

July 574 581 1155

August 612 574 1195

Totals 3905 3965 7879

Of the 1464 volumes now accessioned \$65 have been purchased and \$9 have been given to the library.

During the month of August 1195 volumes were drawn from the library, of these, 521 were fiction, 22 non-fiction, 48 war books, 574 juvenile and 5 magazines.

The September magazines are now to be found at the library. Among them are the Century, Atlantic, American, Woman's Home Companion, Ladies Home Journal, Outlook, Literary Digest, Red Cross Magazine, Popular Mechanics, etc. They contain many interesting and helpful articles worth while stories.

A number of volumes of late fiction

have been ordered. When these arrive they will be placed on a "pay-off" and a charge of five cents a week made for the privilege of taking them from the library. These will be the latest books of some of the most popular authors.

There are among the books recently received at the library:—"Happiest

Me of Their Lives"—Miller; "A Minstrel in France"—Lauder; "Face

With Kaiserism"—Gerard; "The Return of a Soldier"—West;

"Country Chronicle"—Shoemaker;

"The Doctor's Lass"—Booth; "Stella Aris"—Locke; "Red City"—Miller;

"Story of Thyza"—Brown;

"High Adventure"—Hill; "Anne of the Island"—Montgomery.

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Mrs. Wm. Hansen and son, Harold, of Ellendale, N. Dak., arrived in Red Cloud Sunday and are guests at the Ed. Hansen home, and of her brothers Richard and Clyde Bowen.

Mrs. Rosa Davis and son arrived here Monday, from Arkansas, called by the illness of Henry Wilmet, the lady's father.

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