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**YOU CAN SAVE MONEY ONLY
WHILE YOU HAVE MONEY**

When old age comes don't be fettered by the folly of your younger days. It is unfortunate to be old and poor. Bank your money and have your money.

Webster County Bank

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a happy and prosperous
New Year.**

ROY SATTLE
FURNITURE

Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes

In the summer of 1870 Mr. and Mrs. A. Roats, in their journey from New York to the homestead lands of this county, reached the then village of Beatrice, where the land office was situated. Mrs. Roats unable to go any farther, was left behind with her child, Celia, while Mr. Roats, accompanied by Dr. Peter Head, Ed Parks, David Hefelbower, Wm. Bries, and another, drove from Beatrice to where Red Cloud now is, selected their lands and returned to Beatrice to file their homestead entries. They were the first locaters in the vicinity of Red Cloud. The Jackson settlement was made after the return of the Roats party to Beatrice. Mr. Roats was obliged to remain there until the birth of Mrs. Hughes, which was on the first day of September. She was born in a tent. Within four days after her birth, Mr. Roats with his wife and two children, were on the way to their homestead. One hundred miles of roadless wilderness was to be traveled. A large part of the following winter, Mrs. Roats with these two children, lived by themselves in a dugout, while the husband and father was laying in a supply of buffalo meat, a hundred miles farther west. All that a child could know of the privations and hardships incident to the early settlement of this county, entered into the life of Mrs. Hughes, and her later years were rejoiced with its prosperity. Her child, born under happier conditions than his mother, is the pride of his grand parents, and will, we trust, most worthily represent all that is best and noblest of the pioneer character and struggles which have made this county what it is.

Besides her parents and son she leaves two brothers, Will of Scotts Bluff and Harry of this city, and three sisters, Mesdames Celia Smith and Lottie Sagi and Miss Rose Roats.

Mrs. Ralph McCall

This estimable lady passed on at her home in Vera, Oklahoma, Thursday night, Dec. 19th, 1918.

Rose Topham was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Topham, born in England and came here, with her parents, when a small child.

She grew to womanhood here and became the wife of Ralph McCall. Some years ago they removed to Oklahoma where Mr. McCall engaged in stock raising and farming.

While not among the pioneers, the Tophams are properly classed among the old settlers of this county, while the McCalls were among the pioneers of 1871. Mrs. McCall, the mother of the bereaved husband, was one of the women who resided in the stockade. His father, Oliver McCall, was perhaps, the first successful cultivator of an orchard in the valley, and was always a prominent figure in the early life of the county. Although Mr. and Mrs. McCall had removed from this county, they were intimately connected with the present by ties which are too tender for abrupt severance. Relatives and friends in large numbers will sorrow over the death of Mrs. Ralph McCall and share with Mr. McCall the affliction which has fallen upon him.

Arrabell Waldo

Arrabell Waldo, mother of County Commissioner-elect C. A. Waldo, of Inavale, passed peacefully away at the home of her son at an early hour on Sunday morning. On retiring Saturday night the lady appeared to be in her usual health, and on Sunday morning when the children went to her room with Christmas cards, which had come with the morning's mail, noted that she was not awake, but thought it nothing unusual, but when an hour more had elapsed they became alarmed and an investigation disclosed the fact that her sleep was one which knows no awakening.

Mrs. Waldo was a native of Canada, being born December 21, 1846, and was aged 72 years, 11 months and 28 days.

NEW YEAR GREETING

From the Pastor of the
Methodist Episcopal
Church

To the People of Red Cloud
and Vicinity

How swiftly the wheels of time speed us past life's milestones. Already we are nearing the boundary line of another year. Therewith give you a brother's greeting as together we step over the threshold of the New Year.

Let us keep step side by side to the better music of 1919. May the year be full of blessings. When gladness fills your heart, none will rejoice more than I; if sorrow comes to you, no one will be more ready to sympathize with you. Whatever a brother's fellowship, and a friend's comradeship can do I shall seek to do, to make your life rich in blessing.

Sincerely,
REV. JOHN D. HAMMILL

About Returning Soldiers

There has been much apparent uncertainty among the people at large as to what is to be done by the government for soldiers discharged from service. To clear up any misunderstanding the following definite statements are given out by the Council of National Defense at Washington:

1. Each discharged soldier will be given one month's pay.
2. Each will be given an allowance of three and a half cents a mile from the point of demobilization to his home town.
3. Each will be enabled to buy a railroad ticket from the point of demobilization to his home town by the most direct route at a cost of two cents a mile.
4. The demobilization of each unit will occur at the army camp nearest the home section of a majority of the men of the unit.

This information is official and families of soldiers should be guided by it in arranging to look after returning men.

Onions as Medicine

Hot onions according to a French physician, are said to be a sure cure for pneumonia. The remedy is as follows: Take six or ten onions, according to size; and chop fine; put them in a large pan over fire, then add the same quantity of rye meal and vinegar enough to make a thick paste. Stir it thoroughly, letting it simmer for five or ten minutes. Then pour into a cotton bag large enough to cover the lungs and apply to chest, as hot as patient can bear it. In about ten minutes apply another and thus continue by reheating the poultices and in a few hours the patient will be out of danger. This simple remedy has never failed to cure this too often fatal disease. Usually three or four applications will be sufficient.

If you have any doubts about this ask your grandmother, or any grandmother whose girlhood was in the century back of the present one. It's sure good. The only caution necessary is to see that the patient is not exposed to even a slight chill for sometime after recovery is under way. For any case of severe cold simple application of warm sliced onions is equally efficacious. The pores are opened and skin made sensitive by the application, hence the necessity for extra care against exposure to chill.

Combs

Combs have been used in the toilet since very ancient times, says Christian Science Monitor. The Greek, the Egyptian and the Roman ladies used them to arrange and hold up their hair; even ladies among the Swiss lake dwellers seem to have been familiar with them. Some of these were made of wood, some of bone, or horn or ivory.

Le Fontenay's Recital Proves EDISON'S TRIUMPH

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There are yet in Wyoming territory served by the Burlington large areas of grass-covered lands for homestead entry in 640 acre tracts. You can buy deeded lands for dairy farming in Western Nebraska and Eastern Colorado on terms that any good farmer can meet. From year to year the government is opening irrigated lands in the Big Horn Basin, with perpetual water rights almost a gift. If you settle along the Burlington you rear your home in a progressive locality, where every community is increasing in population. Write me. I want to start you thinking as to where you or your son had best locate



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