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### Christian Church

Sunday, December 4

10 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Preaching Service

6:30 p. m. C. E. Service

7 p. m. Sermon: "Legalizing of an Ancient Wrong"

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### Farmers Union Flourishes Throughout Entire State

The big event of the season, the Farmers Union gathering held at the Odd Fellows hall on Tuesday evening found a large number of the farmers of the county present, numbering over three hundred.

Rev. Ira Wagoner presided and the following program was given:

Piano solo by Miss Naoma Corner; Solo by Miss Greta Eshelman; Vocal solo by Maxine Thomas; Reading "The Farmers Greatest Product" Mrs. Ruth Eshelman; Address by Prof. Pilley, of the Nebraska State Agricultural college; Piano Duet by the Misses Fitz; Address by Carl M. Slatt, vice president of the Farmers State Exchange.

Among the many points brought out by him was that the farmers of Nebraska have 175 stores, and have not had a single failure in four years. He stated that seven counties of the state had raised \$600,000 to boost the farmers institution. That the South Platte farmers of Nebraska had raised \$75,000 for the state exchange. The West Point store was doing \$1400 a day business. That the manager of the Red Cloud store reports that they are doing a business amounting to \$450 a day. George Kaley, manager of the local elevator reports that the elevator handled 230,000 bushels of grain in the past year, saving the members of the Union over \$7000 in profits. He stated that statistics proved that the Unions are making good throughout the whole United States. The Nebraska State Exchange sold to Montgomery-Ward 7000 pairs of overalls and Sears-Robuck 6000 shirts. He said that the Farmers Union was the only hope of saving the little towns as paved roads and autos were taking the people to the larger towns and cities, where they are doing their shopping. Unless the farmers can be interested in the business of the town it will have no future. A store or elevator conducted by the farmers keeps the business in the community and makes a future for the town.

His closing remarks were to the effect that a car of butter was worth \$30,000 and that the farmer serves as a capitalist and a friend of labor and that they were the only means of bringing the two forces together.

Following this address the balance of the program was given which consisted of Selections by the Male quartette; Piano duette by Mrs. Wagoner and Miss Greta Eshelman; Musical trio, Naoma Corner, Morrison and Myrtle McConkey; Readings by Mrs. George Kaley.

At this meeting a large amount of stock was subscribed for the benefit and advancement of the local Union.

A bountiful oyster supper, prepared by the noted chef, Sam'l Jones, was served, which was enjoyed by all present.

### New Assistants in Post Office

Monday of this week saw some changes made in the local post office. Miss Rachel Cowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cowden, who took the civil service examination, for clerk, entered upon her duties, having received the highest grades, among the contestants for that position. In order to accept this position she was obliged to resign, as instructor in School District No. 9, the Norris district.

Marion Bloom, who has been in the railway mail service was appointed assistant post master, no male applicants have tried for the place.

Miss Clara McMillan, who for many years past has faithfully served the public as assistant in this office was forced to resign, when the local office was advanced to second class, she having passed the age limit of eligible applicants for the new position. During the time she has served in this capacity she has made many friends and it is with deep regret that they note her dismissal from service, but it seems that the Government makes no exceptions to its rules.

Isadore Johnson spent Thanksgiving in Hastings.

### Opening and Closing Hours for Business Houses of City

The Fuel Committee met with Mayor Pope and adopted the following opening and closing order to take effect at once, for all business houses, churches, lodges, etc., under direction of the Federal Fuel Administrator for the conservation of fuel.

Grocery and Dry Goods stores open 8:30 a. m., close 5:30 p. m.

Lumber and Coal Yards, Hardware, Implement, Shoe, Clothing, Furniture, Jewelry and unclassified business open 9 a. m., close 5:30 p. m.

Banks open at 10 a. m. close at 4 p. m.

Drug stores 9 a. m. " 9 p. m.

Pool halls noon " 9 p. m.

Com'rial Club noon " 9 p. m.

Restaurants " 9 p. m.

Moving pictures one show only.

Churches, morning services, one union evening service Sunday.

Lodge meetings and dances prohibited

Saturday night closing order 9 p. m. for all and same for Xmas week.

Coal yards are given special permit while unloading coal.

P. C. Pope, Mayor, W. A. Sherwood

C. A. Herrick, E. G. Caldwell

Fuel Committee.

### Baker-Newhouse

The home of Rev. J. L. Beebe was the scene of a wedding ceremony which united the destinies of two of Red Cloud's popular young people, Miss Osa Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ludlow, and Mr. Paul Newhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Newhouse, on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Beebe officiated while Miss Gladys Renfro and Ralph Newhouse acted as witnesses.

Both these young folks were reared in our midst, and are graduates of the local High School. The bride, for some time past was an assistant in the County Agent's office. Mr. Newhouse, since finishing school, has devoted his time to the study of Autos and has just recently purchased an interest in a garage in Guide Rock. They will make their home in that city.

### Married

Miss Nellie Kelliher, daughter of Maurice Kelliher and wife, was married Wednesday morning to Mr. John Doyle, junior member of the well known firm of Doyle Bros., auctioneers. The wedding was solemnized at the Catholic church at nine o'clock by Father Volke. Both bride and groom are most excellent people of the highest type of citizenship and eminently worthy of the congratulations being showered upon them. They will live on the groom's farm seventeen miles northwest of Esbon.—Esbon Times.

### Another Pioneer Passes On

Louisa Anne Clark was born August 14, 1848, in Indiana. She was united in marriage to James McNutt, later moving to North Branch, Kansas. In 1885 they moved to Webster County, where she has since resided. Her husband passed away fifteen years ago, two sisters, Mrs. Rachel Amack and Mrs. Mary Jackson, and two brothers, George and Thomas Clark preceded their sister to the grave.

She died December 1, 1919, at the home of her son Oliver McNutt, after an illness of three years, being 71 years of age at the time of her death.

Two children, Oliver McNutt and Mrs. Edith Adams and two brothers John and William Clark are left to mourn her demise.

The deceased was a member of the Baptist church and the Degree of Honor lodge.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30, at the South Side Brethern church, Rev. J. L. Beebe officiating.

### NOTICE

An ordinance passed by the City Council provides for cleaning snow from sidewalks (occupied by owner or tenant) by five o'clock P. M. We ask the citizens to cooperate with us in enforcing this ordinance. If anyone refuses to comply with it, the work will be done by the city and charged as a tax against the property. STREET COMMISSIONER.

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