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There are times when a Good Alarm Clock will really put money in pocket by giving you MORE HOURS in the morning

BIG BEN

Will wake you and add those hours to your day
Maybe your old clock is "all in." Better get a new **BIG BEN** and MAKE SURE.

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Won at the State Fair

A communication from County Agent Pansch states that the Webster County junior livestock judging team, composed of Lyle Ashby, Alfred Fringer and Lawrence Means, won second honors at the State Fair, Lincoln, Tuesday of this week. The prize offered was a free trip to the interstate fair at Sioux City, Iowa. The Waverly team won first place in the contest.

Another newsnote that will be welcomed by our county's citizens is that Emily's Axy, a horse owned by County Treasurer, Frank Starr, won the purse in the 2:12 pace at the State Fair, Tuesday afternoon. The horse was driven by Beezley.

Grice & Grimes Will Enter Birds in Pigeon Race

One of the big features of the United Drug Company's convention to be held at St. Louis, September 28 to October 1st, will be the pigeon race—the largest ever attempted.

Two carrier pigeons will be sent to each Rexall Drug Store within a radius of 500 miles of St. Louis. On a stated day and hour the two birds from each town will have a message attached to them and started on their journey to St. Louis. Representatives of our government, as well as that of Belgium and other countries will be at the convention to watch the arrival of the birds. The value of the carrier pigeon, as a dispatch bearer, was clearly demonstrated in the late war, and various experiments are being made with them.

Grice & Grimes, the proprietors of Red Cloud's Rexall Store will have two birds entered in the race and without a doubt our citizens will watch, with interest, the outcome of this race.

Red Cloud Schools Open

The Red Cloud city schools opened on Monday of this week, the morning being devoted to arranging of classes and other detail work necessary to carry out successfully the program of education for the ensuing term. In spite of the fact that some difficulty had been experienced in teachers Prof. Holtzen informs us that all places are filled by competent instructors and that everything is progressing nicely at this time.

The professor also states that a debating and declamatory class is being organized and considerable energy is to be exerted in this line of work.

Another feature of the school will be a "cracking good" foot ball team, there being some exceptionally fine athletic material embodied in this year's class of students. The girls of the school will also come in for their share of athletics.

Prof. Holtzen furnishes the following school data which should prove interesting to parents and others, alike: Enrollment—Senior High, 102; Junior High, 113; Grade School, 232. The faculty comprises: A. T. Holtzen, superintendent; Myrtle Gelwick, science and principal Senior High; Fannie Hutchins, mathematics and principal Junior High; Katherine Burke, third grade and principal Lincoln school; Mabel Hamilton, normal training; Sarah V. Green, language; Mabel Norris, English; Jessie Kellogg, history; Helen Reiber, mathematics; Margaret Miner, commercial; Cecelia Peterson, domestic science; Prof. J. H. Kellogg, agriculture, manual training and athletics, assisted by Oliver Powell in the last; Bessie Yantz, music; Elsie Post, English Junior High; Edith Beezley, geography, history and physiology, Junior High; Iry McNair, sixth grade; Gem White, fifth grade; Blanche Taylor, fourth grade; Mildred Boren, second grade; Verna Hutchins, first grade; Almo Arnold, kindergarten; Katharine Traut, assistant kindergarten.

Sunday afternoon one of the best ball games of the season was pulled off on the local diamond when Lebanon and Red Cloud crossed bats. Several long hits were made and Red Cloud won by a score of 3 to 2. Shrader was on the mound for Lebanon while Leonard of Inavale pitched for the locals.

CITY COUNCIL HOLDS REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

The City Council met in regular session, with Mayor Ed Amack presiding, in the Council Chambers, on Tuesday evening, with all members present.

After the minutes of the August meetings had been read and approved and the report of the city treasurer presented and placed on file, L. R. East, chief of the fire department, personally appeared and asked the Council to meet with the fire boys on Thursday evening to discuss plans for the betterment of the department. The Council having recently asked for prices on new hose, decided to defer said meeting until such time as the same shall have arrived.

Action on the request of Mr. Atkins of the Besse Auditorium to put on Sunday shows was deferred until Council looked up the laws, relative to the same.

The bills of Mrs. Wm. Wolfe and John Backley for laying water mains, some six hundred and forty two feet, at a total cost of \$227.15, were submitted and the Council ordered each party given credit for one half the amount, which is to be taken out in water and the city to own the main.

After discussing the request of City Marshal Phillips for a raise in salary the Council voted an advance of \$25.00 on the month.

The City Engineer was ordered to prepare a register on assessments against lots in various paving districts, for the use of City Clerk.

Before adjourning the following claims were allowed:

B. R. Frazier	\$ 200 00
W. A. Patten	160 00
A. Clark	135 00
Bert Perry	130 00
Geo. Miksch	82 00
Jim Killough	83 50
S. R. Florence	277 96
O. C. Teel	43 88
Sam Mountford	150 00
Smith & McKinney	11 75
Red Cloud Chief	5 00
Chas. Barrett	35 00
Geo. Tyne	10 00
Pope Bros.	36 12
Morhart Bros.	35 15
Grice & Grimes	4 20
Frank Clauson	2 00
C. R. Lewis	91 00
Mutual Oil Co.	86 12
Sanitary Wiping Co.	53 92
Lincoln Telephone Co.	10 47
Pittsburgh Meter Co.	83 85
National Refining Co.	876 00
R. D. Wood & Co.	33 38
Fairbanks-Morse Co.	275 43
Midwest Electric Co.	178 67
Crane & Co.	22 30
C. T. Dickenson	9 45
Watts Construction Co.	4326 52

Everett Stroup Weds

On Tuesday morning, in the Catholic church, at Lawrence, occurred the marriage of Mrs. Anna Kotinek and Mr. Everett Stroup. Only immediate relatives of the couple were present.

The bride is one of the talented and charming young ladies of Lawrence and is in every way competent to preside over the newly established home. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stroup of this city and is one of the popular and energetic young men of our community. Both these young people have a host of friends to wish them happiness and prosperity.

After a brief honeymoon they will be at home to their friends in this city.

Buckles-Breakey

Two of our popular young people, Miss Irene Buckles and Robert Breakey, surprised their many friends in this vicinity by announcing their marriage which occurred at Alma on Monday of this week.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. James Buckles and was born and reared in this community. She is possessed of qualities that endeared her to all her companions, and which will likewise enable her to successfully preside over the home that she and her husband will establish.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Breakey. He was reared in the vicinity of Lebanon, Kansas, coming to this city with his parents, a few years ago. During his residence here he has proven himself to be in every way worthy of the young lady that he has selected as a helpmate.

They will at once go to housekeeping on a farm near Bird City, Kansas where Mr. Breakey is engaged in agricultural pursuits.



Collins and Harlan

will appear in person

Friday evening, September 17, Collins and Harlan make their appearance in Red Cloud. It is the most important musical event of the season.

These popular entertainers will render those songs with which they have won their successes.

**BESSE AUDITORIUM
FRIDAY EVENING
SEPTEMBER 17th**

William Reed, flutist, will assist in collaboration with Mr. Thomas A. Edison's Three Million Dollar Phonograph.

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No children under 16 years will be admitted unless accompanied by parents.

E. H. NEWHOUSE

'THE GOOD OLD DAYS'

Sugar	Stove pipe hats
Haircloth sofas	10c shaves
\$1.00 a day hotels	Bustles
Tintypes	All wool
Free lunches	"What'll you have?"
Foot dancing	Hitching posts
Congress shoes	\$10 suits
Torchlight processions	Long skirts
Rainy-day rubbernecks	Bill Bryan
Livery stables	Ten knights in a barroom
Patticoats	Ten bars in a night
Hair rats and switches	Mustache cups
2c railroad fare	Buggy rides
Kerosene lamps	Real blondes
Red undershirts	Slidebars
2-piece bathers suits	Corsets
Natural complexion	Cotton stockings
Snake doctors	Parlor seashells
Nickel car rides	Good Coal at

MALONE-GELLATLY COMPANY

AND THE PRESENT DAY

The movies	50c haircuts
Medietres	Low necks
Teddy bears	Traffic cops
Joy riding	Sugar shortage
Tight skirts	H. C. L.
\$10 lunches	\$100 suits
Jazz bands	Six-hour days
\$18 shoes	Silk skirts
War tax	The flu
Bolshevists	Pinked eyebrows
Skirt shortage	Bill Bryan
Sport skirts	Wrist watches
Jitneys	\$3 wheat
Ukuleles	Daily baths
Two-bit shaves	All-the-way backs
Tea wagons	Jamaica ginger
Wireless	Bridge whist
Silk hose	Coal shortage
The shimmy	Still Good Coal at

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