

Cream-Eggs-Poultry

Yes, We buy cream and lots of it—also your eggs and poultry. We are—and always have been—paying "TOP MARKET PRICES" and shall continue to do so. You may rest assured when you bring your produce to the Union you get the prevailing market price for it.

COMPETITION

That's what we like. We enjoy good fair and square competition, and welcome it. Competition is the very life of trade. Without it the farmer would be in doubt whether he was getting value received. With it he has only to consult the other fellows quotations and then he knows he is receiving honest treatment.

FAIR DEALING

Ask any one of our patrons about our prices and tests and see if they are satisfied. A continued patronage of approximately 350 cream customers is pretty fair evidence that we are treating our patrons right and meeting competition on a fair business basis.

YOU SHARE OUR EARNINGS

Members of the Union should bear in mind that all the profit we make on your produce less the actual cost of handling is paid back to you IN DIVIDENDS.

The Farmers Union
J. F. Edwards, Mgr. *A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE* Red Cloud, Neb.

Children's Play Clothes



Why sit and sew for the little folks these hot days, when you can buy them clothes ready made for only a few cents more than you pay for the goods?

And made better than you would make them yourself

Come in And Let Us Show You

Barbara Phares

The Women's Store

Red Cloud - - - - Nebraska

Why Wait?

Get your Suits-Coats-Overcoats-Cleaned--Dyed--Altered or Remodeled

NOW

THE HUGHES WAY

Cleaners Dyers Tailors

Both Phones

We call for and deliver your clothes

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Adjusted Compensation

It now appears that President Harding's action has indefinitely postponed the arrival of adjusted compensation, properly but erroneously known as the "bonus." The action comes as a disappointment to every ex-service man who has taken the pains to post himself on the subject.

In every part of the United States the returned service man seems to be a misfit. He finds women occupying his former position. Those similarly situated who did not go to war are comfortably located in their respective callings, generally about two years ahead of the man who went, from the standpoint of material gain and accomplishment of the work he has outlined for himself to do.

From the west comes the word of service men walking the streets begging for work, their former positions in many cases held by Japs and other foreigners whose standard of living makes possible competition with them in the field of labor.

From Chicago comes word that John Munson has just died in a hospital there, friendless and fundless. To the average person this means nothing, for the name of Munson has been forgotten. But by members of the "Lost Battalion" the name of Munson will not be forgotten. He was the man whose gallant action was largely responsible for the return of that battalion. For his bravery he was decorated by several nations. Now he is dead, a victim of the country's forgetfulness.

You say these are exceptions to the general rule. We deny this. The son of wealth who served during the war and who finds upon returning that his place is still open to him, that his firm has deposited to his credit a sum equal to his peace-time salary each month, sits back in his swivel chair and announced that the returned service man does not want a bonus. But he, in his easy job is the exception and not the rule. The rule is that the returned service man is financially decidedly in arrears.

The present bill before congress, the Fordney Fourfold Option plan, is the result of the investigation of economic experts, and is calculated to make up merely the economic differences gained by the man who stayed home. It would merely raise the army wage to a figure consistent with the raise of other wages over the same period of time. It would give no one a "bonus" on patriotism.

To make this adjustment was the first duty of the nation when the war was over. As a duty it was superior to our obligations to other nations whose existence we had saved by the timely entry into the conflict. It should have come ahead of our obligation to the railroads even if they did lose money during the war.

But now comes the President and tells us that the "bonus" will be too great a strain on the treasury. Yet half a billion dollars to the railroads goes through congress without serious opposition. We are told that we have no money, yet the European nations owe us millions of dollars of interest. Though the times are hard for the time being, they are not as hard as they would have been had these boys not made the sacrifice which the Fordney bill seeks to adjust.

We claim to be as conservative as any in our estimate of political conditions, and as charitable as any in our judgement of those who differ with us on political questions. We denounce as quickly as any the soap box orator who blames every action of congress onto the influence of big money. But we must never the less remark, that in taking his present stand, the president has listened too much to advisers who fear the wrath of Wall street and big bankers, and too little to those who are in closest touch with the conscience of the American people.

The time will come when the returned soldier will be the most influential man in American life, political and otherwise. When that time comes it will be too late to care for such cases as Munson. But those who survive will receive their back pay with interest. And if the present political parties will not suffice a new party that will be created—Clay County Republican.

Bishop Beecher, of Hastings, conducted the funeral services for the late Col. C. R. Besse, at the home last Saturday afternoon. Rev. S. Hardman and wife had charge of the music. The business houses all closed during the service out of respect for the deceased. The remains accompanied by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fred Joyce, were started for Maine, where interment will be made.

Don't stick with the prunes



MY DAD'S favorite yarn.
WAS THE one about.
THE OLD storekeeper.
WHO WAS playing checkers.
IN THE back of the store.
AMONG THE coal oil.
AND THE prunes.
WHEN THE sheriff.
WHO HAD just jumped his king.
SAID "SI there's a customer.
WAITIN' OUT front."
AND SI said "Sh-h-h!
IF YOU'LL keep quiet.
MEBBE HE'LL go away."
NOW HERE'S the big idea.
WHEN A good thing.
HAPPENS ALONG.
DON'T LEAVE it to George.
TO GRAB the gravy.
F'RINSTANCE IF.

YOU HEAR of a smoke.
OR READ about a smoke.
THAT REALLY does more.
THAN PLEASE the taste.
THERE ARE no hooks on you.
THERE'S NO law against.
YOUR STEPPING up.
WITH THE other live ones.
AND SAYING right out.
IN A loud, clear voice.
"GIMME A pack of.
THOSE CIGARETTES.
THAT SATISFY."

YOU'LL say you never tasted such flavor, such mild but full-bodied tobacco goodness. You're right, too, because they don't make other cigarettes like Chesterfields. The Chesterfield blend can't be copied.

Have you seen the new AIR-TIGHT tins of 50?



Farm Bureau Notes

WEBSTER COUNTY DAIRY STOCK JUDGING TEAM

The Dairy Team that will represent Webster county at the State Fair was picked Wednesday at a contest held at Wm. Arndts' of Blue Hill. The members are Lormier Edson, Red Cloud, Paul Gurney, Inavale and Wm. Arndt, Jr., Blue Hill.

JUDGING PRACTICE OF HASTINGS

On Friday the Dairy Team and their Club Leader, E. W. Loseke, the Stock Judging Team composed of Cecil Means, Red Cloud, Marion Steward, Red Cloud and Earl Portner, Guide Rock, also C. B. Steward went to Hastings, where they met the Judging Team from Hall, Adams and Clay County.

Practice in stock judging was given the members. Two classes of Jerseys at the Yost farm, one class of Guernseys at the Newkirk farm, three classes of Herefords at the Geaull farm and two classes of Percheron horses at the Mills farm. This was a great work-out for the members and an enjoyable time was had. Dinner was served at the Y. W. C. A. After dinner Secretary Beels of the Hastings Chamber of Commerce gave the members a talk which was followed by Mr. Parmeter, President of the Adams County Farm Bureau. Mr. Lauritson, Dairy Specialist of Lincoln, assisted by Mr. Loseke had charge of the Dairy Judging, and County Agent Davis assisted by C. B. Steward had charge of the cattle and Mr. Fisher had charge of the horses.

HENRY R. FAUSCH
County Agricultural Agent.

While they last—1 qt. Thermopak, one quart ice cream for \$1.00. Powell & Pope's Cafe.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued from the office of Clara McMillan Clerk of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District, within and for Webster county, Nebraska, upon a decree in an action pending, therein wherein James W. Auld is Plaintiff, and against Louise F. Hansen et al Defendants, I shall offer for sale at public vendue, according to the terms of said decree, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the south door of the Court house, at Red Cloud, in said Webster county, Nebraska, (that being the building wherein the last term of said court was holden) on the 14th day of September A. D. 1921 at 2 o'clock P. M., of said day, the following described property, to-wit: The East Half of the South West Quarter (E 1/2 S W 1/4) and the West Half of the South East Quarter (W 1/2 S E 1/4) of Section 17, in Township 1, North of Range 10, West of the 6th P. M.

Given under my hand this 4th day of August A. D. 1921.
FRANK HUFFER Sheriff.
Bernard McNeny Plaintiff's Attorney

Go East this Summer

Enjoy a succession of delightful experiences. The Jersey Coast never loses its charm. The blessed old Atlantic wafts a salt breeze invitation.

In Boston and along New England's shores historic charm and quaintness blend with the usual seashore attractions.

In "The Land of Evangeline," replete with mystical, natural beauty, summer days are magical.

The Berkshire country combines the charm of lake, and picturesque river and countryside.

The Adirondacks are ever restful---the shrines of the historic past never cease to appeal.

The Catskills "The Land of Rip Van Winkle" is the great natural playground of the Eastern States.

Then there's Niagra Falls, The Thousand Islands, the White and the Green Mountains, Delaware Water Gap and a host of other regions--each with a lure of its own.

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