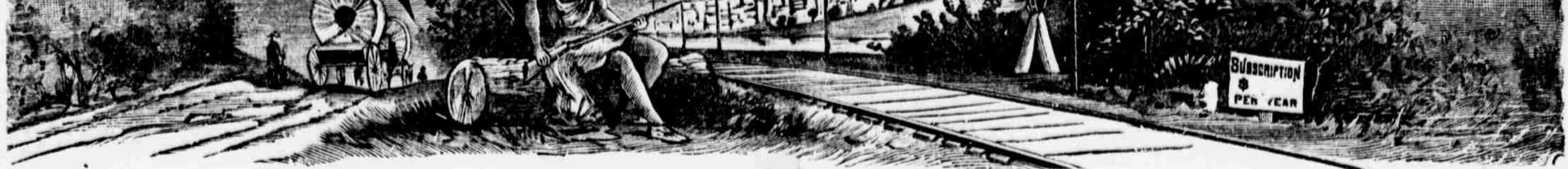


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Notice

There will be a get together meeting of all those interested in the one big event of the year, The Farmers Institute, at the court house tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Come.

State and County Taxes

Webster county tax payers will be charged with a total of \$88,896.47 county taxes in 1923, as compared to \$90,249.76 in 1922, or a decrease of \$1,353.29, based on the county's assessed valuation and the levy fixed by the county board and reported to the state tax commissioner.

For state purposes the county will be charged with a total of \$507,979.98 in 1923, as compared to \$503,543.66 in 1922, or a reduction in state taxes of \$4,556.32 for this county.

Strong Dose for Car Thief

Mervel Fentress, Red Cloud, Neb., young man who stole the Billy Anis car in Webster township about a year ago, was given a sentence of fifteen years at Lansing yesterday by Judge Mitchell in Smith Center. Twice Fentress escaped from the county jail, stealing another car in his first get away to take him out of the country. The young man's father lives in Red Cloud and is broken hearted over his son's waywardness.—Lebanon Times.

MADE ADDRESS AT LEBANON

On Monday of last week a meeting was held at Lebanon, Kansas, in the interest of building a community hall and at which time Mr. E. J. Overying of this city was the principle speaker. Mr. Overying spoke on "Co-operation in Agriculture" and the following is a part of his address taken from the Lebanon Times:

"We must remember," said Mr. Overying, "that in this section of Kansas and Nebraska, agriculture is our only vocation. We have no mines, no factories, no great industrial centers—just soil. It is our work to make the soil produce its utmost."

He then explained the advantages of co-operation in the banding together of farmers, or farmers and townsmen, in clubs or institutes and in the exchanging through such organizations of practical ideas that will obtain to the advantage of every individual member and to the whole community. Some farmer may have made a marked success through some method his experience and ingenuity had developed. It is to the advantage of the community that those who are less successful should familiarize themselves with the system of their neighbor and put it to their own use.

Mr. Overying told of the development of pig, calf and poultry clubs, under supervision of the Webster County institute, and how they had worked to stock the farms of his community with high grade purebred livestock.

He recommends the organization of institutes in every available community through which may be obtained the co-operation needed in every business and every enterprise. He also stressed the matter of co-operation with federal and state agricultural departments, whose specialists have technical knowledge on certain subjects that no one man, with his varied duties, could obtain in a life time.

"We are taxed for the support of these departments and it is our fault if we do not make use of the many benefits their trained field men are able to give," said the speaker.

At the conclusion of Mr. Overying's address some time was spent in a discussion of phases of organization work, and it is probable a move will be made to sponsor an institute patterned after the Webster county organization, with its attendant calf, pig and poultry clubs, its exhibitions and fairs.

V. G. Huff was in Bladen today.

Community Picnic

The Red Cloud Community Club will hold a picnic for everyone at Luther Crabb's grove, Friday, September 14, at three o'clock. Supper will be served at five o'clock. The bill of fare will consist of fried chicken, sandwiches, salad, pie, cake and pickles.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Everyone come and bring a well filled basket.

FARM BUREAU NOTES

(By County Agent H. R. Fausch)

Six boys and three girls representatives from Webster county boys' and girls' clubs went to the State Fair and the following prizes were won:

The Livestock Judging team won first. Members of this team are: Earl Portinier, Alfred Sommerfelt and Cecil Means. This team will represent Nebraska at the Inter-State Fair at Sioux City, Iowa, Royal Livestock show at Kansas City and the Inter-National at Chicago.

The Dairy Judging team won third. Members of this team a.e.: William Arndt, Paul Gurney and Oscar Ramsey.

Calf Demonstration team won third. Members of this team are: Alfred Sommerfelt and William Arndt.

The Clothing Judging team won third. Members of this team are Goldie McConkey, Alice Whitaker and DeEtte Corner.

The Clothing Demonstration team won third. Members of this team are: Goldie McConkey and DeEtte Corner.

Alfred Sommerfelt won first as best showman.

Alfred Sommerfelt won first in the health contest.

Angus Heifer—First Alfred Sommerfelt; Red Polled heifer—Second William Arndt; Shorthorn heifer—Fifth Alfred Sommerfelt.

County exhibit of calves won third. County exhibit of clothing won second. Individual winning: Earl Portinier won second on judging hogs, second on judging cattle and fourth on individual score.

Alfred Sommerfelt first on hogs, third on judging cattle and sixth on individual score.

Oscar Means seventh on individual score.

William Arndt first on judging Ayrshire cattle, third on individual score in judging dairy cattle.

Portrait Comes in December

The Willa Cather portrait, now being painted by the famous Russian artist, Bakst, in Paris, and which will be purchased by Omaha women and hung in the public library as a tribute to the distinguished novelist, will reach Omaha some time in December, according to D. M. Vinsonhaler, sponsor of the movement to purchase this portrait. Mr. Vinsonhaler, co-operating with a woman's committee, of which Mrs. Margaret Hynes is chairman, has been at work on this project for several weeks.

Miss Cather wrote Mr. Vinsonhaler from Paris last week, stating that the head was already completed and the entire canvas would be finished by the last of September. She says that the resemblance to date is unusually striking. She is posed with her hands folded and seated, the study being a half length figure.

With the consent of Mr. Vinsonhaler and the woman's committee, Bakst will hang this Cather painting in his portrait exhibit in Boston and Philadelphia in November. Mr. Vinsonhaler has requested the artist to make public note that the painting belongs to Omaha and is to be hung in the library there.

Miss Cather will return to the United States in October. She is at present occupying the Ville D'Avray, Seine et Oise. There she recently entertained former Senator and Mrs. G. M. Hitchcock at dinner.—Omaha World Herald.

Mrs. Downey of Lincoln is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jas. Mefford.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Trine and daughter, Miss Verna, returned home Tuesday evening from Linneous, Missouri where they had been visiting relatives.

Will Deliver an Address in Red Cloud

One of America's foremost platform operators, Dr. Ira Landrith, has been engaged to deliver an address in Red Cloud, September 21, at 8 p.m. at the First Methodist church.

His theme will be "Today and the America for It", and will deal largely with law enforcement and the worldwide prohibition movement. No admission is charged and the meeting is open to all.

Dr. Landrith is a big man with a big voice and has a fund of delightful humor combined with a forceful presentation of facts bearing upon this much discussed and important subject.

As a champion of these principles he has campaigned in every state in the union. He is National organizing secretary of the Young People's Christian Endeavor societies and has been moderator of his denominational (Presbyterian) General Assembly. His addresses are interdenominational and people of all denominations or none are cordially invited to hear him.

Farm Loans

I can make farm loans in Webster, Franklin, Jewell and Smith counties at positively the lowest rate, best terms and option offered. J. H. BAILEY

Floyd McCall's barn was destroyed by fire Tuesday night.

"A Lost Lady" by Willa Cather is now on sale at Cotting's.

The I. O. O. F. degree team went to Guide Rock last night where they conferred the second degree on Joe Law for the Guide Rock lodge.

Miss Elsie Cather went to Lincoln Friday morning where she will teach in the city schools during the winter. Her mother, Mrs. C. F. Cather accompanied her to Hastings where she spent the day visiting with friends.

Mrs. Wilbur James went to Grand Island Friday morning on train 4 where she will make her home in the future. Mr. James has accepted the position of State Superintendent of Seven Day Adventist schools and will make Grand Island his headquarters.

J. C. Brooks, one of the old settlers of Catherston township, who had been sick for the past few weeks, passed away last Friday morning at the home of his son, Ross Brooks at Campbell. He is survived by two sons and a daughter. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the New Virginia church after which interment was made beside his wife in the Plainview cemetery.

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Admission—Children 10c, Adults 40c 45-338

TUESDAY ONLY, SEPT. 18

Should a woman re-marry? Can a broken heart be mended? Is second love as strong as first love? Can memory ever blot out first love? See the sensational answer to these and countless other burning questions in Ethel Clayton's picture 45-2072

"Can a Woman Love Twice"

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"The Snow Bride" Alice Brady's latest Paramount picture

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FIREMANS BENEFIT NIGHT

"The Third Alarm"

"Let's go" is what you should say for you will enjoy the bumpy crop of thrills, the pulsating torrent of laughs. You'll alternately giggle and quake when you see this good heart and soul picture. You should show your appreciation of the firemen of your city by giving them support here.

Along with this another Carter DeHaven Comedy.

"Rice and Old Shoes"

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