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THE RED CLOUD CHIEF.

C. L. MATHER, EDITOR. THURSDAY, MAY 14 1874.

CORRESPONDENCE. From all parts of the State and country respectfully solicited.

It has been suggested by two or three of our leading citizens that the people of Red Cloud and Webster county generally, form some kind of an organization.

There are many questions of special interest to the citizens of Red Cloud, and incidentally to the whole county, which from present indications, will never be acted upon, unless some such organization is effected.

THE question is sometimes asked why THE CHIEF does not contain more news of a general nature such as congressional reports, etc., and also, why such matters are scarcely ever referred to editorially.

In the first place, we did not set out to publish a newspaper devoted to general news. At the outset, we stated that our aim and object was to make THE CHIEF distinctively a local paper.

In the second place, we do not think that general news, and long winded editorials upon the leading topics of the day, come within the scope of a county paper, generally, and particularly in our own case.

Our paper is too small to contain any great amount of reading matter. Those who take an interest in the affairs of the great outside world generally are subscribers of the large, city papers, which are furnished at extremely low rates, much cheaper than the bare cost of issuing the smallest of county papers.

If we succeed in furnishing a good local paper, we are satisfied our labors in that line will, in the end, be satisfactory to our friends, and it will certainly fill the measure of our own ambition.

The Lowell Register has an editorial on the subject of the removal of the Land Office from Lowell to the valley, and as a matter of course opposes such a step for various reasons given.

Here is a new lesson for railway companies. Juries are disposed to hold them responsible for all manner of things, but a Wisconsin jury has ruled the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company in damages to the amount of one thousand dollars for the killing of a young lady passenger by the conductor. A female school teacher, young and pretty, was riding from Milwaukee to Baraboo, and it came to be that she was sole passenger in the car before she reached her journey's end.

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Said repairs to consist in the erecting of one or more spans in the center of said bridge. Length of break in said bridge being about two hundred and forty (240) feet.

Proposals and bids must be accompanied by plans and specifications for repairing by inserting one or more spans in said bridge. Said plans and specifications must be on file in the office of the Clerk of Webster county, Nebraska, at Red Cloud, on or before 2 p. m. of Saturday, May 30th, 1874, at which time there will be a meeting of the Commissioners of said County for the purpose of opening said plans and specifications, and if found satisfactory a contract will be let.

Contractors will be required to furnish bonds in double the amount of the bids, conditioned for the faithful performance of contract, both as regards time of completion and durability of structure, all work to be faithfully warranted.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any of all bids.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the District Court of the 1st Judicial District in and for Webster County Nebraska: Reuben Dedrick vs. Mary Dedrick.

To said Mary Dedrick defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of May, 1874, Reuben Dedrick, plaintiff, filed his petition in the office of the clerk of the District Court of said Webster County, Nebraska, praying that he may be divorced from you.

You are also notified to appear and answer said petition on or before the 5th day of June, 1874 or said petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly.

REUBEN DEDRICK, by H. S. KALEY, Att'y. 45 if \$3.00.

Notice to Contractors and Builders. NOTICE is hereby given, That sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned for the building of a School House in School District No. 22, Webster Co., Neb., in accordance with the following specifications:

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James W. Alexander and J. G. Sadler, non-resident defendants will take notice that a petition has been filed in the above entitled action, the object of which is to obtain satisfaction of a certain mortgage on lots one and two (1 and 2) in block twenty-six (26), in Red Cloud, Webster Co., Neb., given by Henry Kaley, and Elizabeth Kaley to said James W. Alexander and J. G. Sadler, to secure the payment of a promissory note named therein, plaintiff being the assignee of said note and mortgage, seeks to deprive the several defendants of any estate or lien which they may have in said premises. You will also take notice that you are required to answer said petition on or before the 1st day of June, 1874.

JOHN R. WILLCOX, Attorney for Plaintiff. n43-4t

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Regular trips will be made between JUNIATA and RED CLOUD. On Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each week. I shall be pleased to carry passengers upon the days mentioned, leaving Juniata, at 6 A. M. on Tuesdays, and Red Cloud at 6 A. M. on Wednesdays. Fare reasonable.