

# THE RED CLOUD CHIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

Notices in this Column Cost a Lin

—Our thanks are due J. S. Gilham for valuable "pub. doc."

—There will be no Sabbath School concert next Sabbath evening.

—H. S. Kaley started for Qhip last week on a visit to his old home.

—This is fine weather for corn husking, and the farmers are improving it.

—Come out to the Sabbath School Institute to-morrow evening and Saturday.

—Every house in town is occupied, and more could find tenants if they were built.

—We learn that a Mr. Cuming has rented the house lately occupied by Rev. Yeiser.

—From the Herald we notice that the new mill at Superior is rapidly nearing completion. We hope it will be a success.

—Let every member of the Literary Club be at his post at the next meeting. A question of vital importance will be discussed.

—Rev. Reilly's family arrived last week and they now occupy the house which they lived in when they were here two years ago.

—G. L. Laws, of the Sentinel, and a Mr. Mills, of Republican City, made us a pleasant call last Monday. They went to Smith Centre on Tuesday.

—Mr. Pope moved into town on Monday. He occupies the house lately vacated by Mr. Morhart, who has moved into his own new building.

—Rev. J. M. Pryse, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will preach at Red Cloud on next Sabbath at 11 A. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Johnny Garber was up from Salem last Sunday, and returned on Monday. We are sorry to lose him from our community, and hope he will soon be back again.

—Such weather, why did you ever see the like. It is warm, day and night. Men in their offices work in their shirtsleeves, with the doors open and suffer no inconvenience from the cold.

—Notice D. S. Helver's letter. Will other thrashers tell us what they have done, that we may get a correct estimate of the grain raised throughout the county?

—Have you seen that job work we did for Calvert & Co., also for Mitchell & Marlart. A gentleman from Lincoln said it looked as neat as anything that the State Journal Company does.

—The Reporter was delayed last week so that a great deal of inconvenience was occasioned, as well as valuable time lost. The proprietors hope that hereafter nothing of the kind will happen.

—Christmas is coming, and will be expected next Monday night in Red Cloud. Look out for the Christmas tree, and its goodies. Come out and have a good time, and see everybody happy. Music will help to make the festivities more enjoyable.

—Hastings Journal: C. Borin, the Red Cloud Chief man, called to-day. He has purchased the material used in the publication of the Kenesaw Times, and will use it in the publication of his new paper the Franklin County Reporter. We suppose the Times will come out in a new dress.

—Mr. Pope showed us Cutler's Physiological Charts which he has received. Our thanks are due him for the use of them in the Normal School. They are handsomely executed, and the illustrations are so perfect that they only seem to need animation to make them real.

—Riverton appreciates its paper judging from the patronage it has received. The Kearney Gazette correspondent has this to say about it:

—Riverton is happy. She has a "patent" newspaper, the Franklin County Reporter, and begins to indulge in dreams of city incorporation. Of course its republicanism, if anybody knows what that is.

—When a stranger comes into the office and takes up the Chief, what do you suppose he is most likely to read first? Why, invariably he looks at the names of the business men in town and to what they are going. Moral: Advertise, if it is only to tell strangers that we have such kinds of business in our town.

—Rev. Pryse preached a thrilling sermon last Sabbath evening. And we would like to say to those boys who take the back seats, and whose names we know, that if they cannot comprehend the subject of the speaker, and who seem to have something of that "pride" in their hearts of which he spoke, that common decency and respect should prompt them to a greater degree of attention, and less of mirth and disturbance than was exhibited by them last Sunday evening.

—Have you secured your Christmas presents yet? If not, don't let the present's pass, for it is time you should. It is interesting to go into one of our stores where such goods are kept, and see the young folks stand by the counter for half an hour, trying to make up their minds what they shall buy from the great amount before them. The finally buy a nickel or a dime and go home, bound to give some one a surprise on the Christmas eve.

# SMALL WE ENLARGE THE CHIEF?

A Plain Talk With Our Patrons—An Appeal for Your Business Interests and Material Prosperity.

Patrons, friends, subscribers and advertisers, we address this open letter to you. We know that every man of enterprise desires to see a paper in Webster county, that shall try to advance its interests. We know that if the people feel that such a paper is being published they will yield every assistance in their power to make it a success. We have heard men say in the past, that they were taking the paper just to help the editor along, or as a compliment to him. Now we are willing that such a state of things should continue but we wish to make the paper of such general interest to the public that it will be to their own profit to patronize it. We want to have more reading matter, more news home and foreign, a greater amount of general reading matter on agricultural, educational or other subjects, or, in a word, we want to make the Red Cloud Chief second to none in the state as a county paper.

Just at this time Red Cloud is receiving an amount of free advertising which few other towns in the state are getting. It seems a time when we should show a lively and awakened interest in everything pertaining to our material prosperity. Our prospects for a railroad, our location, the fact that this place has been chosen as the rendezvous of the Nebraska Summer School of Science for next season, our beautiful and enlarged town site, our bright hopes for the future, all point to a time not far distant when we shall need a paper which shall speak the minds of the people in procuring the necessary advantages which man in his march of progress brings to assist nature in her very lavish endowments.

But in order to make our paper better, and bring it within the reach of more readers, and give them a greater amount of reading matter, we need the hearty co-operation of every one who takes the paper, or who wishes to see our town and county prosper.

Now how many of our patrons will step to the front with a two-dollar "William" for a year's subscription in advance if they have already paid, and if they have not, do so; or how many will take extra copies to send to their friends in the east, and thus within the next two weeks, show us their appreciation in behalf of Webster county and its interests. We do not believe in filling up our paper with "duns," and this is the last time we shall mention this matter for the present, trusting our friends will come to the front and help us just now that we may be able to enlarge our paper, give more and better reading. We cannot do it without money, and unless we get money it will be next to impossible to attempt and greater improvements at the present time. If every subscriber will renew his subscription with cash, or its equivalent, and every advertiser meet his bill which will be presented before New Year's, we can do it. Our subscriptions are increasing, our job work pays our running expenses, and we hope by attention to business to merit the support of every man who has the best interests of the country at heart. Now let us see, what we shall see.

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# CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician retired from active practice, has placed in his hands by an East Indian missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all Throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for General Debility and all nervous complaints, after having thoroughly tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, feels it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. The recipe will be sent free of charge, to all who desire it, with full directions for preparing and successfully using. Address with stamp, naming this paper, Dr. J. C. Stone, 44 N. Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

—MOTHERS will find Dr. Winchell's Teething Syrup just the medicine to have in the house for the children; it will cure colic, coughs, sore throat and regulate the bowels; try it. Sold by R. E. Sherer and C. H. Potter. 5-18-3m

—DISTEMPERS, coughs, colds, fevers and most of the diseases which horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry are subject to are readily overcome and cured by using Uncle Sam's Condition Powder according to the plain directions. Sold by R. E. Sherer and C. H. Potter. 5-18-3m

—THERE is no earthly boon more precious than good health, and it behooves its possessor to endeavor to retain it. If you are assailed with such provoking ills as sick headaches, torpid liver, sour stomach and a general feeling of weariness and disgust, don't go and commit suicide but take Elier's Daylight's Liver Pills and be cured. Sold by R. E. Sherer and C. H. Potter. 5-18-3m

—DISEASE and Death, when they reach our own homesteads, are too serious for jesting, we use our best endeavors to drive off the dread messengers, and are only happy when we feel that they are at a distance. At the first approach of that fell destroyer, Consumption, in the shape of a cough or slight cold as well as more severe Bronchial or Catarrhal Complaints, we should at once use Elier's Extract of Tar and Wild Cherry. It has no superior in such cases. Keenly bottle warranted to give satisfaction. Sold by R. E. Sherer and C. H. Potter. 5-18-3m

HASTINGS MARKETS. REPORTED BY NORTON & CO., SHIPPERS OF GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK. HASTINGS, NEB., Dec. 17, '77.

No. 1 Spring wheat @ bush. 82.00 No. 2 " " " " " 78 to 81 Ear Corn new " " " 15 Oats " " " " " 15 Rye " " " " " 32 Barley " " " " " 15 to 35 Broom Corn @ bush. 40.00 to 75 Potatoes " " " " " 35 Beans " " " " " (white) 1.00 to 1.25 Castor Beans " " " " " 65 to 70 Buckwheat " " " " " 60 Live Hogs @ 100 lbs. \$2.50 to \$2.75 Dressed " " " " " \$3.50 to \$3.75

Notice. ORLEANS, Harlan Co., Neb., } November 21st, 1877. Scaled proposals will be received for the next thirty days, by the undersigned, for the delivery of one thousand bushels of good merchantable corn at Orleans, Harlan County, Neb. The corn to be delivered within the next ninety days. The corn to be paid for upon the delivery of each one hundred bushels. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. 5-18-4w GEO. H. ROBERTS.

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TUITION is \$4.00 a term, one half on entering the school, the remainder at the middle of the term.

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INSTRUCTION GIVEN IN VOCAL MUSIC. The teachers will spare no pains to make this school-home agreeable and pleasant, and will strive to instill in the minds of the pupils a principle of truth and verities.

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