THE CHIEF.

LOCAL MATTERS.

—Last Monday was ground-hog day.

—Scarlet fever is raging near Lincoln.

—Temperance preaching is now in vogue.

—For goods at cost, go to Farley's drug store.

—The doctors are kept pretty busy in these parts.

—J. C. Farley is selling out his stock of goods at cost.

—Considerable sickness among the little ones, of late.

—Mr. Robert Rownd pays for the CHIEF a year in advance.

—Eleven new subscribers to the CHIEF last week. And still they come.

—The late cold weather has revived the matrimonial market somewhat.

—A. Kaley returned last week from a visit to his old home in Pensylvania.

—O C. Case has had a fearful siege of sickness, but is now slowly convalescing.

—Will Brubaker was married to Miss Susie Jackson, of Willow creek, last week.

—The dance a week ago last night at Joe Carr's hall came near ending in a free fight.

—The teachers association in Dis. 9, on the south side of the river last Saturday was not a success.

—Post, Warner & Albright & Co. &c., sold off all their accumulated superfluities &c., last Saturday.

—Last week we printed a brief for Kaley Bros., the first one, we believe, printed in this county.

—The ground-hog saw his shadow last Monday, which means, according to tradition, six weeks more of winter.

—E. F. Burton has just closed a successful term of school at Cowles, and has enrolled his name among those of the select school.

—An hours time is required to read a column of proof, but we sometimes read four columns in less than half that time, when crowded.

—A number of families have recently arrived from Iowa and settled near Cowles. Quite a colony will follow in their wake, in the early spring.

—If local news is scarce in this week's issue and the paper generally "thin", it is attributable to the fact of their being sickness in the CHIEF's family.

—The CHIEF office has been crowded with job work of late. It will now be in order for our long eared neighbor of the *Argus* to raise a howl and make a fool of himself again.

—Mr. Canfield lost two children in three days, one died on Friday and the other on Sunday last. A sore breavement to the family, who have the sympathy of the community.

—Mr. Rinnecker has moved to the building formerly ocupied by Mr. Wilhelmson, and we understood Mr. Holland will ocupy the Red Cloud hotel, having rented it of Mr. Moore.

—Messrs. O. and A. McCall, whom we are glad to number among the CHIEF's most substantial friends, made the heart of ye editor glad last Saturday, by each paying up for the paper, and a year in advance.

—Miss Fuson who has been "teaching the young idea how to shoot," over on Oak creek has taken a contract of a more serious kind, and will now devote her energies to teaching Ellsworth Ball how to shoot.

—This is leap year, and it is amusing to watch some of the young men when approached by a fair damsel of marageable age. In delightful anticipation of a proposal, they turn red in the face and their hearts flutter like a shirt t—well like a table cloth on a clothes line.

—The friends of the W. C. T. U. will meet Friday of this week at 4 P. M. sharp, at the school house to talk over the best way to promote the cause of temperance in our midst. Come out dear friends, one and all, and let us see what the women of Red Cloud can do. *

—Our advise to the young men is, do not try the handkerchief flirtation, or the hat flirtation or any other code of signals of that kind, because some stalwart old gentleman may make you acquainted with the boot flirtation, and if one of those double-soled No. 11's should get to flirting around your coat tails, you will think you are signaled by a locomotive with a gravel tram behind it.

—The invitations to the dance on Friday night are out. They are a terror to look upon, they are certainly the most miserable specimen of printing, of the kind ever issued from any print shop. The managers of that affair had better have paid the price asked by the CHIEF, and they would have got a decent job of work instead of the wretched affair sent out from the *Argus* office.

—A few changes took place on the B. & M. R. R. last Monday. Mr. Phillips took charge as assistant Superintendent of the road from Plattsmouth to Hastings, with headquarters at Lincoln. Alex. Campbell assumed the same position from Hastings west and south, with headquarters at Hastings. James Dailey returned to Lincoln, and will be the road master between Lincoln and Hastings.

—On Monday last Wiggins Senior, our grain dealer started on a pleasure trip to New Orleans, his old home, to be present at the great Carnival Mardieris that is celebrated every year just before the beginning of the lenten season, it occurs this season Feb. 10th. Mr. Wiggins promises to send us copies of New Orleans papers, with discriptions of the carnival. He is accompanied on his trip by his son H. S., the agent of the B. & M. and C. B. & Q. roads at Nebraska City.

Eight months ago Main street at Alma was just twenty-two feet long. To-day it is three quarters of a mile in length and contains some of the very best business houses in the Valley.

—Stabler Deisher & Co. will soon receive the largest stock of farm machinery ever brought into the Republican Valley. They will keep on hand and for sale everything in the machinery line that the farmers need and will sell them at the most reasonable rates. Next week their large advertisement will appear in the CHIEF, which will give you more information on the subject than we are able to give in a short notice like this, so look out for their "ad."

ED. CHIEF:—The whangdoodle concern down town holds the people responsible for the high taxes. Let me ask the whangdoodle if the people authorized Mr. Loctridge to walk up to the captain's office and settle his taxes for a sum much less than his taxes realy were. If the people authorized Samuel Garber and Levi Moore to walk up to the captain's office and settle their taxes for so much on the dollar? While the *people* walked up and paid their taxes dollar for dollar. Did the people authorize the county officers to levy a four dollar land road tax when the new constitution positively prohibited its levy? the Railroad Company refusing to pay their taxes, road warrants issued upon the levy and to-day the people have to pay them. If the people did vote a bridge tax and school house bonds the law provides how they shall be paid, why has not this been done long ago? The whangdoodle says after this tax is paid "we can see in it the end of high taxes." Has the whangdoodle forgotten that the payment of the funding debt bonds created without a vote of the people, just begins in 1880? The whangdoodle concern ought to have found out by this time that he can't make his bread and butter by trying to humbug the people.

ENQUIRER.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington D. C., Jan. 28, 1880.

The excitement upon the political contest going on in Pennsylvania still continues, and Senator Cameron is in hourly conference with Republicans from his state who are trying to fix things to the satisfaction of different factions. The Camerons are severely dissapointed at the outlook, and are greatly chagrined at Senator Blaine, because his popularity seems to be marching away with control over the caucus. Senator Blaine has arrived here and is congratulated by large numbers of his party on his success in Maine as well as in Pennsylvania

A good deal of surprise is expressed by many that the committee on territories of the House has voted down the bill to open the Indian territory to settlement and establish a territorial form of government in it, after deviding the lands in severallty among the Indians. There has been much talk about a big lobby here in the interest of this bill, and about its probable passage without opposition. The friends of the measure console themselves with the remark that this is but a temporary check. They say they expect another bill substantially effecting the same result will be passed at this session.

The Democrats here seem to be taking a queer course to promote their success in the next campaign. No sooner is a Presidential candidate mentioned on there side than some of them jump upon him and cut and hack him all to peices, Thus Tilden, Bayard, Randall, Seymour, Thurman, Hancock, and others have been more roughly handled by their own party friends than by their opponents, and if this keeps on the Democrats will furnish a bad record for any of their candidates to go before the country on, unless they take up a new one at the eleventh hour.

It is a matter for congratulation that between the President General Walker, and Congress we are likely to have a very efficient body of sensus surpervisors in the different states. A revision of the original lists is now being made, and the poorer appointees weeded out. While the President favors his party where ever it is possible, it is the general opinion that he will not appoint dishonest or incompetent men if he knows it.

The Republicans have taken up the war against commissioners Hayt and Bently in lively style, and Schurz will have to get rid of them or have no friends left in either party. It seems fair to conclude that they are incapable of filling their offices satisfactorily. But as Schurz has little hope of remaining with either party after this term he will consult only his own pejudices, probably.

KNOX.

Closing Out! Closing Out!!

Now is the time to buy cheap.

Having decided to remove my business to another point, I will sell my stock of drugs, books, stationery at cost for the next 30 days, so come early and make your selections. A nice lot of wall paper that must be sold.

J. C. FARLEY,
First door south of bank.

Horses and Mules for Sale.

The undersigned has for sale a good span of young mules, also one good six year old mare. Short time will be given on a portion of the price of the animals. For terms &c., call at my residence near the depot.

BURT DEWELL,
26tf Red Cloud, Neb.

NOTICE!

The Red Cloud Cemetery Association has ordered that the bodies buried on the unsurveyed portion of the cemetery must be removed within the next twenty days. Persons interested in the removal of the same will please govern themselves accordingly

By order of the Association.

CHAS. W. SPRINGER,
Red Cloud, Feb. 4th, 1880. Treasurer.

A proposition is to be submitted to Cedar county by the Sioux City and Nebraska company, for bonds from eleven per cents. to the amount of ten per cent. on their valuation for 1879.

Wm, Burgess, of Genoa, was arrested again Thursday on the ground of alleged usurpation of office, and the citizens of that place arose en masse and invited the Fullerton sheriff to "skip."

GUIDE ROCK CORRESPONDENCE.

GUIDE ROCK, NEB.,
January, 28th, 1880.

EDITOR CHIEF:—For once I will try and contribute a few ideas to your most valuable paper. The CHIEF I rather admire, its editor is a plain out spoken kind of a fellow, and I always know where to count him.

Guide Rock is booming, everybody is happy with the prospect of the railroad being completed soon, which will give us a market at home and competition in our local trade, divide the trade among several, and forever and always thereafter arrest the trade from out the hands of one man's dictum I am opposed to this centralization of power, let it be in village, town, county, state or government.

We will soon have another dry-goods and grocery store in running order, also a fine hardware store.

Our old time friend, E. L. Grubb, has planted his fine form in our midst and will be ready and willing to deal out to our farmers all kinds of farming implements from a hay fork up to a threshing machine, at the lowest prices offered in the market.

The old war horse, A. Garber, is generally standing behind the counter, with one eye cocked to catch a penny and for value thereof measures by the yard or weighs out by the ℔ the very best of staples in the dry-goods and grocery line at the lowest price offered in the valley.

And here too is Uncle Will Sabin, the most popular landlord that the world ever knew, his table is always filled with the most palatable food.

Squire Parker is not the least among us by any means, he is our postoffice man, and besides all that, he is a go between in respect to plaintiff and defendant. His judgements are generally righteous and just.

Doctor Robinson is here with his sign "drugs for sale" and a fine selection of drugs he has.

Here is Jud Baily the literary man, and I venture the assertion that he is teaching the best school in the county. Jud just knows how to shoot an idea into the mind of his pupil.

I must not forget my friend Bauce, when we want good and cheap groceries we go to him.

Just a little north of Bauce is located the blacksmith shop of honest Al. who is willing to pound iron for his customers at cheap prices, and I was just about saying that he is the only honest blacksmith that I ever knew.

I have not, by any means, mentioned all the good fellows in and around Guide Rock, there is Hank Bills, Higlo King and Doc. Smith, and many others too numerous to mention. —

There is a great deal of howling about high taxes and the bankrupt condition of our county.

Our taxes are about 8 per cent. a higher rate of interest than one half the States in the Union can collect by law. What has brought all this about? A just and judicious management of county government, or a lavishing and wastful outlay of county expenses with no one in the pilot house to steer the ship of county from off the rocks and snags. And it is laughable too, to hear some persons explain the causes. Our *Hon.* county commissioners says that he knows everything is all right and straight for the county clerk told him so! I cannot pass judgment on the matter and do not pretend to know where the fault lies, yet I believe there is a grand mistake somewhere. From the statement of the county Treasurer that was examined and approved November 27th, 1879, there must be a mistake about the high taxes the people are howling so much about. This is what he says:

On hand May 1st, 1879.....$	5,826 47
Collected from May 1st, to October 1st, 1879.....	9,688 63
Amount collected and on hand May 1st, to Oct. 1st, 1876.	15,515 10
Expended May 1st, to Oct. 1st, 1879.....	10,322 94
Balance on hand Oct. 1st, 1879.	5,192 16

This is his report and to this all the commissioners say to us by publication in the *Argus* of Nov. 27th, 1879, "which after being examined was approved."

What was about this to examine and approve? Only that two columns of figures added together are equal to the sum of so much.

This is the first proposition examined and approved, the second one is the two columns of figures one subtracted from the other gives a remainder of so much? It is quite a mathematical proposition for these men to examine and approve, and it shows the financial condition of Ireland just as much as it does of Webster county. Now tax payers turn to general statute, page 236, Sec. 27, and then read what it says about making the financial statement of a county. Can anyone tell by that statement that this county is one dollar in debt? Yet we are called upon to pay 8 per cent. taxes, what for? According to the treasurers report we are $5,192,16 above common tide water. Let me ask some one who can tell, *why don't our county officers show up boldly and fearlessly a financial statement as the law requires them to do?*

I am satisfied that there is not one tax payer but that would like to know the financial condition of his county. As one, I think there should be a demand made to the commissioners requesting them to appoint three competent persons to give us a through statement of our county finance, that we may know what this tax is for.

VALE.

CONFESSED AT LAST.—That J. Monroe Taylor's Gold Medal Soda or Saleratus is the best article known for making nice light Bread, Biscuit, Pies, Puddings, &c. Baseless imitators are trying to palm off to the public their articles, saying it is Gold Medal, or as good; therefore, all who would preserve their stomachs also health, look and see that the name of J. Monroe Taylor is on the wrapper, and be not put off with the spurious because the merchant tells you that it is good. Have nothing but the genuine Gold Medal. Dyspeptics can use it, and it will do them good. Try it.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Red Cloud, Neb., October 1st, 1879

The partnership between J. N. Converse, C. C. Godman and Buford Holcomb, under the firm name of Converse, Godman & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. N. CONVERSE,
C. C. GODMAN,
25-2-w BUFORD HOLCOMB.

—Blank leases for sale at the CHIEF office.

PROVING UP.

We have been supplied by the Bloomington land office with the necessary blanks for making applications for final proof, and will fill out and forward for those who wish us to do so, free of charge. Call at the CHIEF office.

—We keep on hand, and for sale all blanks used by Notaries Public.

CROWN!

Not the Crown of Kings nor the Crown of Glory, but the Crown Sewing Machine, the latest, and best machine in the Market, it will pay you to call at the Post Office and see it before you purchase! For Sale by M. B. McNITT.

—Don't send to Lincoln or Omaha for blanks when you can get them for the same money at the CHIEF office, and save expressage.

—Mr. Montgomery regularly deals out fresh milk to the inhabitants of Red Cloud. Milk delivered every day, Sundays not excepted.

—County warrants and accounts taken on back subscription at 90 cents on the dollar, at this office.

Dentistry.

H. A. Biard will be in his office, from the first to the 7th, and from the 15th, to the 23d, of each month.

Office next door to the Bank, Red Cloud. 23 tf.

—"Old Gov't Java" at Roby's'

—For Pitted Plums, and Cherries, Alden Apples, Cal. ½'s Peaches, Seedless and nice Box Raisins, and every thing else thats nice go to W. B. Roby's. tf

—MONEY TO LOAN, on good Farms at 10 per cent interest. No commission. D. S. Coombs, at Court House, Red Cloud. 17-tf

Be Wise and Happy.

If you will stop all your extravagant and wrong notions in doctoring yourself and familes with expensive doctors or humbug cure-alls that do harm always, and use only nature's simple remedies for all your ailments—you will be wise, well and happy, and save great expenses. The greatest remedy for this, the great, wise and good will tell you, is Hop Bitters—rely on it. See another column.

Having to Decided to Remove

my stock of drugs, books, stationery &c., to another point, I will sell my entire stock for the next 30 days regardless of cost.

J. C. FARLEY,
One door south of Bank.

—Mr. John Aultz has secured the services of the well known and popular baker, Mr. John Miller, who now does the baking at that establishment. The best of fresh bread, cakes, pies &c., can always be found at his bakeray. Call and see. 1st door south of Sherrers drug store. 24 tf.

—Go to W. B. Roby's for your choice confectionary for Christmas, a fresh stock just opened up. Next to the "old Court House."

Final Proof Notices.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Feb. 2d, 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof, before James A. Tulleys Clerk of the Court of Webster county, at his office in Red Cloud Neb., on March 6th, 1880.

Renzo Armstrong, for the southwest quarter of section 2 town 4 range 10 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William James, Alexander James, John Arnold and August Blumenthall, all of Blue Hill Neb.

febóMar4 S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Jan. 31, 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof, before James A. Tulleys, clerk of the court of Webster county, at his office in Red Cloud. April 1st, 1880

Henry A. McCune, for the northwest quarter of section 18 town 2 range 10 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William Holsworth, Richard Tinker, Frank Tennant and Seth Alger, all of Red Cloud, Neb.

febóMar4" S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Jan. 31st 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof, before James A. Tulleys, clerk of the court of Webster county, at his office in Red Cloud, on April 1st, 1880

Edward McCune, for the northeast quarter of section 18 town 2 range 10 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William Holsworth, Richard Tinker, Frank Tennant and Seth Alger, all of Red Cloud Neb.

febóMar4" S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Jan. 14th 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz:

Chester W. Fuller, for the south-west quarter of section 12 town 3 north of range 11 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John Laverty, Kinnie Kenutson, Moses C. Williamson, Henry Laverty, and Nicholas Haney, all of Batin Nebraska.

jan22febl9 S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Jan. 5th, 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz:

Marenda C. Jackson, for the south-east quarter of section 26 town 2 north of range 10 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: George W. Ball, Adam Reinhen and Francis M. Cockrill, all of Red Cloud Nebraska.

jan22febó" S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Jan. 14th, 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz:

John E. Monroe for the E ½ S. W. ¼ and W. ½ S. E. ¼ sec. 28 Town 3 Range 9 W. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Elias W. Wells of Cowles Neb. and Lewis D. Wells of Cowles Neb. and James E. Allen of Cowles Neb.

jan.22feb.19 S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington Neb. Jan. 19th 1880.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz:

Wellington Wilson of Inavale Neb. for the South ½ North West ¼ North West ¼ of South West ¼ and Lot Five (5) Section 5 Town 1 Range 13 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Enos H. Jones of Inavale Neb. and Charles Hunter of Inavale Neb.

jan.22feb.19 S. W. SWITZER, Register.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

Notice is hereby given, that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the primary or common schools of Webster county, at Red Cloud on the first Saturday of each month at nine o'clock a. m. sharp.

T. A. PULS, Co. Supt.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To J. W. Whipple, first name unknown, non-resident defendant.

You are hereby notified that Joseph R. Troy has commenced suit against you in the County Court of Webster county Nebraska, to recover the sum of $200.00 and that an order of attachment was issued against you from said court and under said order Reynolds Bolenaugh & Co. were garnished. You are also notified that unless you appear and defend, on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1880, your default will be entered and judgment rendered accordingly.

R. S. KALEY, Att'y for Pl'ff.
25tf

—If you want a first class flour buy of the Red Cloud mills, as they are making a genuine article called the Crown Jewell Patent, the only patent flour now for sale in the Republican Valley. They also make other grades that are first class. Satisfaction given in custom work.

Closing out Regardless of Cost.

Now is the time to buy, those that are in need or expect to need goods, come early and make your selections before it is too late. J. C. FARLEY.

—All kinds of blanks for sale at the CHIEF office.

—JUST RECEIVED—A nice lot of wall paper at Browns furniture store. 2 w

—For the Crown Jewell Patent flour, and all other kinds of flour and feed, meal and oats, and also for plows and harrows, the farmers will find it to their advantage to call on Chas. E. Putnam before making there purchases. tf

—CURTAINS:—A large variety cloth and paper at BROWNS. 2 w

—A stock of nice fresh candy just opened at Roby's.

No Good Preaching.

No man can do do a good job of work, preach a good sermon, try a law suit well, doctor a patient or write a good article when he feels miserable and dull, with sluggish brain and unsteady nerves; and none should make the attempt in such a condition when it can be so easily and cheaply removed by a little Hop Bitters

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The invention of that superior and complete sewing machine (the "Family" Sewing machine), marks one of the most important eras in the history of machinery, and when we consider its great usefulness and extremely low price ($25), it is very difficult to conceive of any invention for domestic use of more or even equal importance to families. It has great capacity for work; beautiful, smooth and quiet movement, rapid execution, certainty and delightful ease of operation, that at once commend it above all others. The working parts are all steel, strong and durable, and will last a life time; the bobbins hold 100 yards of thread; the stitch is the firmest of all stiches made, neat and regular, and can be regulated in a moment to sew stitches from an inch in length on coarse material down to the finest, so infinitesimal as to be hardly discernable with the naked eye, and with a rapidity rendering it impossible to count them as fast as made; it has more attachments than any other, and it does to perfection all kinds of heavy, coarse, plain, fine, or fancy needle work with ease, and far less labor than required on other machines. It needs no commendation, the rapid sales, increasing demand, and voluntary encomiums from the press, and the thousands of families who use them, amply testify to their undoubted worth as a standard and reliable house necessity, extending its popularity each day. Machines sent anywhere to be examined before any money is paid. AGENTS WANTED by the Company. Address them for information. FAMILY SEWING MACHINE CO., 7-14-1y 755 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

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