

**DR. SHEERER,**  
Proprietor of the  
**City Drug Store.**  
—AND DEALER IN—  
**Drugs, Medicines,  
Paints, Oils  
and Varnishes,**  
A full supply of  
**LAMPS, LAMP SHADES, WICKS,  
COMBS BRUSHES & C.**  
Patrons solicited and thankfully received.  
Prescriptions carefully compounded.  
One door south of Garber's store,  
**RED CLOUD, NEB.**

**Nimble Six-pence.**  
**G. W. Dow,**  
—DEALER IN—  
**Groceries & Confectioneries,**  
Choice Tea, Coffee Sugar &c.  
**White Fish & Mackerel.**  
Green, Dried and Canned Fruits. The best To-  
bacco and Cigars. Flour and meal care-  
fully on hand. Eggs, Butter  
and Wood.

**Taken in Payment.**  
Everything warranted to be as represented.  
GIVE ME A CALL  
and I will do you good.  
1st door north of arena office.  
**RED CLOUD, - NEB.**

**FLOUR & FEED  
STORE,**  
**CHAS. E. PUTNAM, Prop.**  
DEALER IN  
**FLOUR, FEED**  
Corn, Meal, Bran, Chopped Feed and  
**GROCERIES,**

Visit the Red Cloud Grocery. Food and Pro-  
vision stores where you can get the best  
Highest market price in cash paid for grain—  
All kinds of country produce taken on exchange  
for goods. Goods delivered to all parts of town  
free of charge.  
Store south of Red's Flour Factory.  
**RED CLOUD, - NEBRASKA.**

**Moon & Callender,**  
—DEALERS IN—  
**General Merchandise,  
Dry Goods,  
Groceries,  
Boots & Shoes,  
HATS AND CAPS,  
Drugs, Medicines,  
Oils Varnishes,  
Paints Etc.,  
GLASSWARE, QUEENSWARE,  
HARDWARE & HARNESS  
ETC., ETC., ETC.**  
A full line of everything kept in a gen-  
eral store, at the lowest cash prices.  
Respectfully,  
**Moon & Callender.**  
COWLES, - NEBRASKA.

**G. A. BROWN,**  
—DEALER IN—  
**Parlor, Bedroom  
AND KITCHEN  
FURNITURE,  
BRACKETS, CHROMOS,  
PICTURE FRAMES,  
MATTRESSES, ETC.**  
Callers always on hand and trimmed on short  
notice. Prices as low as in the Valley.  
Repairing of all kinds done promptly and  
satisfactorily.  
Burial Robes furnished at reasonable  
rates.  
**RED CLOUD, - NEB.**

**Harness Shop,**  
—BY—  
**J. L. MILLER,**  
Keeps constantly on hand a full line of  
**HARNESS, COLLARS, SADDLES,  
HORSE-BLANKETS,  
WHIPS, COMBS, BRUSHES,  
HARNESS OIL,**  
And everything usually kept in a first-  
class shop.  
TWO DOORS NORTH OF THE BANK.  
The Highest Cash Price Paid for Hides and  
Fur.  
**CITY  
BAKERY AND RESTAURANT.**  
**A. Lauterbach, Propr.**  
DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF  
**CANNED GOODS, FRUITS, NUTS,  
CONFECTIONERY, ETC.**  
**FRESH BREAD, PIES, CAKES, Every Mon.**  
Warm Meals at all hours, 25 cents.  
Fresh Oysters always on hand. Web-  
ster Street, one door south of  
Kelsey Bros. office.  
**RED CLOUD, - NEBRASKA.**

**THE CHIEF.**  
**LOCAL MATTERS.**  
**R. V. E. E. Time Table.**  
Taking effect Sunday, May 2, 1880.

STATIONS.	DAY.
5:30 pm	HAFTING
6:00	PLATE HILL
6:30	COWLES
7:00	AMBY
7:30	RED CLOUD
8:00	INVALE
8:30	FRANKLIN
9:00	BLUMINGTON
9:30	KAUFER
10:00	REPUBLICAN
10:30	ALMA
11:00	OKLAHOMA
11:30	OXFORD
12:00	ARAPAHOE
12:30	CAMBRIDGE
1:00	INDIANOLA

East and west bound freight trains meet at  
Red Cloud at 12:15.  
Trains daily, except Sundays.  
A. E. Tossalin, Gen. Manager. G. W. Holdredge, Supt.

**EASTERN DIVISION, R. V. E. E.**

STATIONS.	Eastward.	Westward.
7:45 a. m.	HARDY	4:30 p. m.
8:15	SUPERIOR	4:00
8:45	GUIDE ROCK	3:30
9:15	AMBY	3:00
9:45	RED CLOUD	2:30

Trains daily except Sunday.  
G. W. Holdredge, Supt. A. E. Tossalin, Gen'l. Manager.

All local advertisements ordered in for  
an indefinite time, will be regularly charged  
up each week until ordered out.

Patronize the merchants who adver-  
tise.  
O. C. Case can now walk without his  
cane.  
The stovepipe season is again at  
hand.  
50 cents will pay for the CHIEF until  
January 1st.  
Prof. Funk returned from Virginia  
last Saturday.  
Mrs. Towne returned to her home in  
Ashland last Monday.  
Notice the advertisement of Blanks  
for sale, in another column.  
The members of Grace church gave  
an oyster supper last Friday night.  
The Episcopalians will soon build a  
church in Red Cloud, we are informed.  
The Red Cloud boys were beaten by  
the Hastings base ball club last Thurs-  
day.  
A number of our citizens are in at-  
tendance at the state fair at Omaha  
this week.  
Anyone having a good pony to trade  
will please call at the CHIEF office and  
be swindled.  
The Red Cloud public schools opened  
last Monday under the supervision  
of Prof. Funk.  
Mr. C. C. Coon brought to our office  
last Saturday a watermelon that weigh-  
ed 32 pounds.  
There has been several light frosts  
already in this vicinity, but as yet no  
damage has been done.  
Eld. Theo. Johnson will preach at  
the court house next Sunday night, by  
the favor of Eld. Yeiser.  
Mr. Tulleys of Ohio, who has been  
visiting relatives at this place for some  
time, returned home last Monday.  
As the democrats have no paper in  
this county devoted to their interests,  
we cheerfully give space to their calls.  
We call the attention of our demo-  
cratic friends to the call in another  
column for a democratic county con-  
vention.  
We have received Vol. 1 No. 1 of the  
Chester Clipper. It's a clipper. The  
printing is done at the Sentinel office in  
Hebron.  
Mr. J. G. Douglass and Mr. L. D.  
Hinman living north of town, came in  
last Saturday and each subscribed for  
the CHIEF.  
A pony sold at the auction last Satur-  
day for the munificent sum of 15 cents.  
If we are any judge of horseflesh it was  
dear at that.  
Last week we saw a good natured  
and "mellow" democrat on the street  
who was hurrahing for Hanfield and  
(hic) Garcock.  
"Curly" Burris, an old time employe  
of the CHIEF, and now holding cases  
on the Burr Oak (Kan.) Reseite, paid  
Red Cloud a short visit recently.  
M. E. Church Sept. 26th, S. S. at 10  
a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a.  
m. and by Rev. J. M. Fryse at 7:30 p.  
m. Prayer meeting every Thursday  
evening.  
Mr. McMinn and others have shown  
us samples of corn grown this season  
that does not look as though the  
drought had materially effected that  
crop this year.  
Are you going to prove up on your  
claim? If so you will do well to call  
at the CHIEF office and learn something  
to your advantage.  
If you want good job printing done  
it will pay you to call at the CHIEF  
office, which is the only office in the  
valley that makes any pretensions to-  
wards colored work.  
Thirty women of ill-repute were  
haunted up before the Justices of Lin-  
coln last week to answer to the charge  
of vagrancy, for having no "visible  
means of support."  
Owing to the fact that one half of  
our local page was unexpectedly ap-  
propriated by Messrs. Besley & Per-  
kins, this week, several local notices  
and communications are left out.  
An exchange says that the courts  
have decided that "stalk can run at  
large on uncultivated lands if the same  
is not enclosed with a lawful fence."  
Just so, and a cultivated hedgerow two  
rods wide is a lawful fence in Nebraska.  
A woman drove into Hebron the  
other day in a buggy, stopped the team  
in the street, jumped out and captured  
a dog which she placed in the buggy,  
and jumping in herself she seized the  
lines and drove rapidly off with the  
prize. We wish 10,000 women would  
visit Red Cloud on the same errand  
this week and each one be as success-  
ful in carrying off a dog as that woman  
was, it would thin out the dogs a little  
but there would yet be plenty left.

Live hogs are worth from \$3.80 to  
\$4.00.  
Take a squint at Besley & Perkins'  
mammoth "Ad" on this page.  
Miss Lyde Hale has returned to Red  
Cloud and is again prepared to do  
dressingmaking. First door west of Com-  
mercial hotel. 7-27

**NOTICE.**  
There will be a meeting of the stock  
holders of the Red Cloud Grain Elevator  
Association at the banking house of  
Smith Bros. & Thompson, Fri-  
day September 24, 1880, at 8 o'clock,  
to transact important business.  
J. L. MILLER, President.

We have on two or three occasions  
received from different parties an in-  
vitation to visit the thriving little town  
of Amboy and write it up. This,  
friends, we would like to do, and we  
will call on you at our earliest con-  
venience.

It is quite probable that Webster  
county will furnish a democratic candi-  
date for senatorial honors, who will do  
his level best to make it interesting for  
Mr. Coon, of Thayer county, the re-  
publican nominee, at the election next  
November.

Some people seem to think that there  
will be a great deal of land idle in  
this county next year. It may be the  
case but we don't believe it will, we  
have already had two or three applica-  
tions from parties who want to rent  
our farm next year.

Mr. W. A. Beck, living up in Inavale  
precinct lost one of his horses recently  
and believed it had been stolen, as in-  
dications pointed that way. He ac-  
cordingly came to town and had an ac-  
curate description of the horse printed  
on some postal cards at the CHIEF  
office, which were sent out in all direc-  
tions. The result was gratifying, the  
thief was caught in Nuckolls Co., a few  
hours after the postal card conveyed  
the description to that county, and Mr.  
Beck recovered his property.

Mark Twain in his new book, "A  
Tramp Abroad," uses the following  
sensible words in speaking of cheap  
church bells: "We build our churches  
almost without regard to cost; we rear  
an edifice which is an adornment to  
the town, and we gild it, and fresco it,  
and mortgage it, and do everything we  
can think of to perfect it, and then  
spoil it all by putting a bell on it which  
afflicts everybody who hears it, giving  
some the headache, others St. Vitus's  
dance, and the rest the blind staggers."

Mr. W. A. McKeighan addressed a  
large audience at the court house last  
Saturday night on the past and present  
political questions. His address was  
very good, and showed considerable  
thought and research. Mr. McKeighan  
is evidently blessed with a retentive  
memory, if not a sound mind. The  
main effort of the speaker seemed to  
be to show why Mr. Garfield should not  
be elected president this fall. As Mr.  
McKeighan is a Greenbacker, and as  
the "fat" bubble has long since faded  
into the misty past, we will not con-  
tradict any of the numerous assertions  
made by him which are not supported  
by the proofs. Greenbackers are not  
supposed to be responsible for what  
they say, anyway.

**News from Up and Down the Valley.**  
Potatoes are worth \$1.00 per bushel  
at Arapahoe.  
The fair in Nuckolls county com-  
menced last Monday.  
The mill at Franklin, Franklin  
county is kept running day and night.  
The Sentinel published at Orleans,  
Harlan Co., under its new manage-  
ment is democratic.  
Six hundred head of cattle passed  
through Orleans, Harlan Co. says the  
Sentinel, on their way to Iowa, where  
they will be fed.  
Cattle men in western Kansas and  
eastern Colorado are petitioning Con-  
gress to make the 100th Meridian a  
limit for settlement.  
I appears to be a settled fact that  
the Republican river will soon be bridged  
on the county line south of Hardy.  
This will be a good spell for Hardy.  
The stock shipments from the west  
are increasing. Since the last issue of  
the Pioneer about 175 cars of cattle  
have been shipped east over the B. &  
M., and still there's more to follow.  
Each car represents 22 head.—Arapahoe  
Pioneer.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ricker, living on Far-  
mers creek, are the happy parents of a  
bouncing pair of twins—a boy and girl,  
which came to their house last Monday  
morning; weight about 16 pounds. The  
father still lives, and the mother and  
children are doing well.—Riverton Eagle.

Zeb. Stout, of Gosper county, is not  
discouraged with Nebraska, but says a  
man who will work can make more  
farming in Nebraska than any other  
state in the union. While unloading  
a fine 16-pound watermelon at this  
office he enumerated about his fine  
crop of millet, corn and hay, and also  
says if warm weather continues he will  
yet reap a goodly harvest of wheat.—  
Pioneer.

The Republican Valley Editorial  
Association met at the Sentinel office in  
Orleans on the evening of the 15th inst.,  
and adopted a constitution and is now  
on solid footing. By resolution the  
constitution is to be printed in the  
Indianola Courier. The present officers  
hold over till the annual meeting in  
July next, to which time the association  
adjourned subject however to the call  
of our worthy President G. S. Bishop.

On Friday night of last week a quar-  
rel arose between John Volts and Burt  
Armstrong, two saloon keepers. Volts  
seized a mallet and beat Armstrong  
over the head, and would most likely  
have killed him, but for the timely in-  
terference of John Cuff, who succeeded  
in separating the antagonists. We are  
of the opinion they should have been  
left to their fate, as they are both bad  
medicines, and the community would  
be better off without their business.—  
Superior Guide.

**NOTICE.**  
Having become tired of doing the  
work of two or three men, and believ-  
ing that our business has suffered more  
or less because we could not attend  
properly to all the different branches  
of the same; and believing further that  
close collections are essential to suc-  
cess in any business, we have concluded  
to take into our employ a man whose  
duty will be to attend to the collection  
of outstanding accounts due the office.  
Many of these accounts have been run-  
ning for years and it is time they were  
settled. Mr. Wm. Reilly will, until  
further notice, collect for us, and we  
hope that you all, who can do so, will  
respond to his call, as we intend, if  
such a thing be possible, to square up  
our books by the 1st of January next.

**WANTED.**  
A position as teacher in a district  
school. Will teach for a living salary.  
Five years experience. Good reference  
given if desired. Call on or address  
me at Red Cloud, Neb.  
GEO. M. JACOBS.

**Grand Dance.**  
At the Court House on Friday even-  
ing, October 1st, 1880. All lovers of the  
dance are cordially invited to be  
present, as a general good time is ex-  
pected. The best of music will be  
furnished for the occasion, and every-  
body will have to enjoy themselves.  
12 J. OVERLEYS.

**Final Proof Notices.**  
Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Sept. 21, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Saturday October 24,  
1880, at 10 o'clock a. m. viz:  
homestead entry number 3581, for the S 1/2 N 2 E  
and S 1/2 E 1/2 of section 20 town 2 range 9 west,  
and names the following as his witnesses to prove  
continuous residence upon and cultivation of  
said tract, viz: James Lavery, John  
Lavery, Lorenzo D. Thomas and Thomas Hunt,  
all of Nebraska.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Sept. 17, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Thursday Nov. 11th,  
1880, at 10 o'clock a. m. viz:  
homestead entry number 3581, for the S 1/2 N 2 E  
and S 1/2 E 1/2 of section 20 town 2 range 9 west,  
and names the following as his witnesses to prove  
continuous residence upon and cultivation of  
said tract, viz: John Smith, John Lavery,  
Charles Teal and Abram Reeves, all of Neb.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Sept. 11th, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Saturday October  
24th, 1880, viz:  
Elias W. Wells, hd entry No. 1678 for the S 1/2  
N 2 E and S 1/2 E 1/2 of section 20 town 2 range 9  
west, and names the following as his witnesses  
to prove continuous residence upon and cultivation  
of said tract, viz: Henry Roberts, John Reilly,  
John O. Reilly and Alfred Chas, all of Neb.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Aug. 30th, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Tuesday, Sept.  
29th, 1880, viz:  
William Longbeath on homestead entry No.  
3583, for the N 1/2 S 1/2 E 1/2 of section 20 town 2  
range 9 west, and names the following as his  
witnesses to prove continuous residence upon  
and cultivation of said tract, viz: William  
Lavery, George Lyberger, and Theodore Lohle all  
of Nebraska. Webster county, Neb. at  
Arthur A. Pope of Red Cloud Webster county  
Nebraska.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Aug. 24, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Tuesday, Sept.  
29th, 1880, viz:  
Ries H. France, hd entry No. 1678 for the S 1/2  
N 2 E and S 1/2 E 1/2 of section 20 town 2  
range 9 west, and names the following as his  
witnesses to prove continuous residence upon  
and cultivation of said tract, viz: Edward W.  
Adon, Edrick H. Kelsey, and Edward H. Fox  
of Neb., and Morris L. Thoad and Merwin L. Red  
of Red Cloud, Neb.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Aug. 24, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Monday,  
September 27th, 1880, viz:  
James C. Durin, hd entry 1587, for the north-  
east quarter of section 20 town 4 north of range  
10 west, and names the following as his wit-  
nesses to prove continuous residence upon and cul-  
tivation of said tract, viz: Francis Lavery,  
William Smith, Ora Forbes and Judson Forbes  
all of Blue Hill, Neb.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

Land Office at Bloomington, Neb. Aug. 24, 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. Tal-  
ley, clerk of the court in Webster county, at his  
office in Red Cloud, Neb., on Monday, Septem-  
ber 27th, 1880, viz:  
David Dinges, hd entry 226, for the north 1/2  
north-east quarter and north 1/2 north-west 1/4 of  
section 12 town 12 range 12 west, and names the  
following as his witnesses to prove continuous  
residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz:  
Fred Hammett, John Anderson, Daniel Norris  
and William Norris, all of Red Cloud, Neb.  
S. W. SWITZER, Register.

**LEGAL NOTICE.**  
Robert R. Shearer, Plaintiff.  
William Hilton, Defendant.  
The above named  
William Hilton will take notice that on the  
15th day of September, 1880, Alvin A. Bishop,  
Justice of the Peace of Red Cloud precinct, Web-  
ster County, Nebraska, issued an order of attach-  
ment for the sum of \$18.85, in an action pending  
before him wherein Robert R. Shearer is plain-  
tiff and William Hilton is defendant, that every-  
body consisting of two one year old before has  
been attached and said order of attachment was  
extended to the 15th day of October, A. D.  
1880, at 10 o'clock a. m.  
Signed, Robert R. Shearer,  
Plaintiff.  
G. O. C. Case, his Atty.  
Red Cloud, Neb., Sept. 22d 1880.

**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 this county, at Red  
Cloud on the first Saturday in the months of  
January, May August and November, at  
Blue Hill on the first Saturday in the months of  
February, April, July and October, at the  
Rock on the first Saturday in the months of  
March, September and December, at 9 o'clock a. m.  
Examinations to commence at 9 o'clock a. m.  
A. A. FORT, Instructor.  
County Superintendent of Public Instruction.

**Democratic County Convention.**  
There will be a county convention of  
the democratic electors of Webster  
county, at Red Cloud, on Saturday,  
September 25, 1880. For the purpose  
of choosing one delegate to the State  
convention, one delegate to the Judicial  
convention, and one delegate to the  
Senatorial convention, and to take  
such action as seems necessary in re-  
gard to nominating a county ticket.  
The several precincts will be entitled  
to a representation of two delegates  
each.  
By order of  
JACOB WIGGERS,  
Chairman Co. Com.

**ARE YOU GOING TO BUY A STOVE THIS FALL?**

**Do You Want The Newest? Latest Styles?**  
**Do You Want The Largest Assortment to Select From?**

**DO YOU WANT TO BUY AT LOWEST FIGURES?**

**Notice Our Styles!**

**FOR HARD COAL!**  
**FOR SOFT COAL!**

**FOR COAL AND WOOD!**  
**FOR WOOD ONLY!**

**WE CAN SHOW YOU MORE STYLES  
OF HEATING AND COOK STOVES  
THAN EVER BEFORE SHOWN  
IN THE VALLEY.**

**GOODS AS REPRESENTED!**

**EXCLUSIVE AGENCIES!**

**STANDARD GOODS.**

**FAIR DEALING!**

**LOW PRICES!**

**LATEST STYLES.**

**Do Not Forget Our Complete Stock Of**

**HARDWARE,**

**TINWARE,**

**IRONWARE,**

**NAILS,**

**PUMPS,**

**AXES,**

**& C.**

**REMEMBER THE NAMES**

**Besley & Perkins.**

**RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.**

**Garland.**

**Argand.**

**Crowning Glory.**

**Range.**

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