MISS MAY BRONNER.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

THE commissioners will meet on the 14th.

GEO. GARBER WAS in Mankato, Kansas, this week.

THE revival at the M. E. Church still continues.

O. C. Case was in the west a couple of days this week.

THE Rev. Geo. O. Yeiser preached at the Chapel last Sunday.

MR. S. J. SPOKESPIELD has sold his grocery and will retire from business. JAMES W. BRYANT and H. C. Wolf made their final proofs on last Saturday.

Burn's hog cholera and quinsy cure. Warranted. For sale by Henry Cook. 23-3m

IT was a cow that stepped on I. N. Taylor's foot. He will wear a slipper for a few days.

MR. CHARLEY CHAPMAN, of Lincoln, brother of Mrs. J. A. Fowler, is visiting in this city. Jones & Goble have refitted their

very neat appearance. MEASLES are prevalent in the city.

Geo. Valentine has just recovered from an attack of them.

THE festival at the Presbyterian Church was a decided success, besides being a very pleasant affair.

KALEY has recieved a lot of new goods. Call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

A VERY sudden change took place in the weather on Sunday, and in the other town. Come and see. evening it hailed and snow followed.

THE Shelton Clipper has enlarged to better and newsier. It is one of our been for timely aid the little fellow best exchanges.

W. H. Goodall will soon erect a quences. here in a few days.

K. P., will give a grand ball. We are men's wear, at lowest cash prices. intdebted to the brothers for an invitation, but are unable to attend.

THE Philomathian society held a help to the young folks engaged in among us. literary work.

THE Blue Valley Blade, a new paper published at Wilbur, Saline county, is on our table. The Blade is a five column folio and presents a neat typo-

graphical appearance. THERE will be a meeting of the agricultural society on Monday February 11, 1884. It is hoped that there will be a full attendance. The meeting

will be held at the court house. THERE will be a special meeting of Garfield Post, No. 80, at Red Cloud on Monday night, February 11. All the members are requested to be present, as there is business of importance to J. H. FERMAN, Adjt.

LEAP year! we knew that it would bring forth fruit! Married at the residence of the bride's parents, in Cowles, Mr. Wm. M. Barrett of Blue Hill to Miss Lota M. Bartlett, T. J. Ward, J. P.

MR. C. WIENER, the new clothing man, believes in hanging his banners on the outer wall, and therefore has put out an elegant transparent sign on the State Bank building, just above his store room. It is so located that it can be seen for several miles.

THE Christian Sunday-school that has been going on at Grandma Mick's. now for five Sundays past, will be held at the German Lutheran Church near Episcopal church, at eleven o'clock. All that feel interested in it are cordially invited to invited to attend.

THE Seward Blade, one of the nestest papers published in Nebraska, recently entered upon the seventh volume with renewed vigor and prosperity. Mr. Betzer is a good printer as well as editor, and knows how to get up an interesting paper for his patrons

At the sociable at the Presbyterian Church Tuesday night, the ladies gave Mr. E. C. Davis a pound of butter to sell for the benefit of the church. He announced that it would be sold by votes at 5 cents each, Miss Weed and Miss Cook being candidates. The contest was zealous on behalf of both ladies. Miss Weed succeeded in getting a small-majority, the church realizing \$16.25 for the butter.

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State, and THE CHIEF congratulates bridge, and after completing it, Webhim on his confirmation. He is an able and careful officer and the appointment is a worthy one.

bonds and build a good substantial bridge it, Webster county should buy it. The bridge will be sold cheap for cash. For particulars call on W. R. RORY

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VALENTINES AT LINDLEY'S.

BEAUTIFUL VALENTINES AT LINDLEY'S RED CLOUD is about to have a coret hand. THERE is considerable corn coming

nto market. THE prettiest valentines you ever saw, at Lindley's.

THE farmers will soon commence

their spring work. after a week's sickness.

OUR young friend, Dave Kaley, has taken a position in Marsh's store. Rev. Q. C. Topp is holding a series of protracted meetings at Guide Rock.

FRINGED valentines, easel valentines,

box valentines, all sorts of valentines, at Lindley's. A SUNDAY school concert was held

at the Congregational Church last Sunday evening. Cash buys cheaper and gets more

goods at Marsh's than they can be secured elsewhere. Some unprincipled sneak stole the only shirt we had. Will some fellow

oan us an extra coat. MR. L. SPITZER, a young man from New York city, has taken a position

with C. Wiener, as clerk. Go to Marsh's for bargains. Money talks. Goods sold cheaper than at any other place in the county.

THE W. C. T. U. will meet at the grain office, which makes it present a residence of Mrs. Walker's, Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 2 P.M.

> A CERTAIN M. D. from Harlan county, came to Red Cloud, filled up on tangle-foot and was fired out of a hotel. READ Marsh's new advertisement, and then go and get goods cheaper than they can be secured anywhere

else in Red Cloud. MARSH don't credit, but for cash he will sell you goods much cheaper than any other house in Red Cloud or any

CHARLEY DICKERSON, aged about fell into a hole in the ice on Kaley's a seven column folio. It looks much pond one day this week, and had it not would have met with serious conse

bell telephone between his office and For clothing, furnishing goods, boots the depot. The instruments will be and shoes, at lowest market prices, go to the Golden Eagle Clothing Store, This evening, Salem Lodge, No. 85, where you can find everything for

MR. GEO. MORHART, of Missouri. brother of our hardware man, is visiting in our city and at the same time very interesting meeting last Monday prospecting for a location to go into afternoon. It is a source of great business. We hope he will settle

> her singing alone is worth going to to hear .- Ex.

Garfield Post, G. A. R. have secured the best wishes of THE CHIEF for prosher services, assisted by her comedy perity and success in his hew under company, for an entertainment on their behalf during this month.

Ox last Saturday, according to an old legend, was ground-hog day. It is supposed that the old rodent saw his shadow and sneaked back into Mrs. Roby, Mrs. M. B. McNitt, Mrs. winter quarters for another six weeks A. Kaley, Mrs. J. L. Kaley, Mrs. Patto sleep, as it immediately turned mor, Mrs. J. L. Miller, Mrs. Sanford, cold. It is a clear case of ground-hog Mrs. Ferman, Mrs. Jos. Garber, and to us. Pass the snow balls.

who make specialties of certain lines ball at the court house, where the of merchandise are able to sell them best of music will be furnished by the Post. J. L. Miller and J. W. Warren, at lower prices than those keeping a floor managers. All respectable permixed stock. This is the case of the sons are invited to attend. Tickets Golden Eagle Clothing store, where including dance, \$2; supper, only \$1. you can buy clothing, furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes, cheaper than any other places.

Ox Saturday, Feb. 2, 1884, B. & M. trains Nos. 3 and 4 commenced running daily. No. 3 arrives at Red Cloud 7:25 a. m. No. 4 leaves Red Cloud 8:25 p. m., standard time. This arrangement enables the B. & M. to give the traveling public two daily express trains between Omaha and Denver, Chicago and all points east.

J. M. CHAFFIN, a lawyer from Indiana has located at Guide Rock. Mr Chaffin is a very pleasant gentleman and comes to Webster county well recommended. He has formed beal partnership with Mr. Chaney of this city, and will be found at his office when ojourning in Red Cloud. We bespeak for him a portion of the public patron-

A LARGE number of land lookers are on the grounds, and the land offices anticipate a big run on the opening of spring. People who want to live in a fine climate and a magnificent agricultural district should come to Webster county. We have all that the eve could wish or the heart desire. We certainly have the finest climate extant. Come and see for yourselves.

THERE should be by all means an iron bridge placed over the Republican River south of the city. It is a WE learn by reference to the daily useless expense to erect a wooden papers that our worthy postmaster, structure year after year, when a good M. B. McNitt, has been confirmed for iron bridge with proper abutments another four years as P. M. in the would last for years. The right thing and of course had hold of the best end Red Cloud post office department, by to do, would be for the precincts on of the string, as they always do. President Arthur. The good brother interested on the south side to issue

SCHOOL REPORT.

90 or upwards in a scale of 100. THE "beautiful" covered the earth

erts, Louis Bayha, Myrtle Jones, Pearl Alma, W. H. Smith, Minden.

Downs, May Atwood, Essie Atwood, at different points in Nebraska, which Lizzie Roats, Ruth Pegg, Lena Coy, Blanche Sherer, Mattie Kalmes, Emma Cook, Lettie Arnold.

First Primary.-Josie Ruthrock, Charles Dickerson, Andrew Kleet, Rov Seeley, Rob Seeley, Earnest Jones.

D. Judson, Principal. THE body of Mr. Hecks, who was murdered some twelve years ago by a man named Barbier, who is now in the Black Hills country under sentence of death for another murder, and which was interred in Garfield precinct, was disinterred and removed to the German Baptist cemetery. The body had decaved but the coffin and clothes were perfect, not having been injured to any great degree during all those years. The grave where the body formerly was, was an eyesore to the community, and its removal was altogether proper

and an old editor of State reputation, flourishing city, he having purchased MISS EMMA WELLS is immense, and the grocery house of S. F. Spokesfield frem among their number no doubt this week. We bespeak for Mr. Hackaking. We can fully recommend him to the people of Webster county.

COMMITTEE of ladies on arrangements for getting up and arranging suppuer for Grand Army. Mrs. Goble, Mrs. Knight, of Inavale. Supper to It is an established fact that people be given at Marsh's old store. Grand

meet at the residence of Mr. Vance, and citizen will surely bring it. Saturday evening, Feb. 9th. The following will be the program for the oc-

Sketch of Longfellow...Carrie BrakefieldCarrie Vance Recitation-Longfellow,...Carrie Vance Review of O. W. Holmes...Ella PutnamProf. A. L. Funk Select Reading......Cordia Sherer James R. Lowell.....A. Durrie Recitation from Lowell....Nannie SmithMisses Albert and Putnam ...Lillian Vance Reading..... Quotaions from Longfellow, Lowell and Holmes.....By the SocietyGertie Sherer Select reading.....

GERTIE SHERER, Secretary.

A FAKIR.-It is strange that people who have the opportunity to learn and read about bogus people who go around the country advertising to give away something for nothing will still be gulled just the same when one comes to their locality. On last Saturday a fellow came to this city and by the usual ways and devices attracted a goodly crowd, when he began to sell gold (?) pens, allowing the purchasers to pick a certain number of envelopes from a box. The envelopes were supposed to contain money prize tickets, and as a consequence the boys bit freely, some of them being relieved of sums ranging from three to five dollars. The fellow was a good one

A NEW LUMBER COMPANY.

On last Monday while THE CHIEF'S reportorial force were meandering in search of news, we stumbled upon an excellent item which will be the means of giving Red Cloud a substantial boom such as will be beneficial in many ways discussed before a crowded house and to our growing and flourishing young city, and prosperous county. We refer to the organization of the Nebraska MRS. WM. PARKES is convalescing Comprises the names of those pupils Lumber Company. For a number of whose punctuality and attendance are | weeks past there has been a scheme on 100; deportment 95, and scholarship foot by which it was proposed to organize and operate an extensive lumber High school-Myra Brewer, Gertie business throughout the state, with the Brakefield, Hester Frazier, Carrie general office located at Red Cloud. Miner, Bessie Walker. Gardie Wil- Several plans were discussed at length vesterday to a depth of about three helm, Chas. Dow, Henry Ludlow, by the interested parties, which finally the funeral sermon. Leroy Miller, Hugh Miner, Charles culminated in the organization of the Reigle, Honor Wilhelms and George shove company, articles of which were duly filed with the county clerk Walnut Creek. She reports the Elder Second Intermediate.-Eva Bayha, on Monday, and in the office of the as not in very good health, but he is James Kidd, Minnie Peterson, John Secretary of State, the following named preaching and practicing medicine. gentlemen appearing as incorporators: First Intermediate.-Wesley Max- E. D. Rand, J. L. Pierson, of Burling well, Robert McBride, Alvin Pope, ton, Iowa, R. D. Jones, F. E. Goble, of Mac Pope, Willie Mosher, Bert Red Cloud, Hugh Stevenson, Inavale, Thomas, Henry Roberts, Roland Rob- R. Stevenson, Riverton, C. O. Smith,

Ballard, Lolo Putnam, Lucile Mc- The company commenced operations Keeby, Jessie Sherman, Darlie Sherer. the first of the present month, and will Second Primary.-Bert Blair, Ever-endeavor to extend their business to all ett Dyer, Sam Miller, Jessie Reigle, principal and important points within Murray Reigle, Lizzie Zeise, Bertha the state. They are at the present expect a good crop. Plant your corn Rudrow, Jessie Visscher, Louella date operating fifteen or twenty yards will start them in fully equipped for s good trade at the commencement.

been identified with the lumber interests for over a half century, has done an extensive business throughout by millions. Mr. J. L. Pierson, is the secretary of the Burlington lumber Jones, Goble, and H. Stevenson, THE CHIEF can fully endorse as energetic, enterprising, careful and experienced business men, all of whom are well and favorably known in this section of all build that contemplate building, the country. Messrs. R. Stevenson, C. O. and W. H. Smith, are experienced in this particular line of business. Alto MR. T. C. HACKER, familiarly known gether the gentlemen composing the throughout the State as "Dora" Hack- company are well qualified to manage er, for many years a prominent busi- the enterprise which they have engag ness man of Brownville, Nebraska, ed in, as each and every one have followed the business almost from child has launched his bark on the sea of hood. The Nebraska members of the groceryism, and is now number- company hold the majority of the ed among the business men of our stock and therefore the president, secretary and treasurer will be chosen

The management propose to increase er a generous trade and extend to him the business largely and make it a credit to and a boom for Red Cloud. The authorized stock of the company was fixed at \$200,000, with a paid up capital of \$100,000, which certainly places the institution on a solid basis not saying anything about the combined wealth of these gentlemen which would reach many times that amount THE CHIEF extends to the new company its best wishes for a prosperous career, and hopes that the enterprise which they have undertaken will be the means of bringing them much gain and profit, as well as a great benefit to our city. Such enterprises as this are in part what go towards building for the benefit of the latter's health. up a town. Boom! boom!! in our By order committee of arrangements mind's eye we can see the great boom -A. H. Kaley, Patmor, T. W. Hat- that is slowly but surely wending its way to Red Cloud. Perseverance and THE Red Cloud literary society will combined effort of our business men

Now that we have an extensive lumber company in our city, let us have hole for six weeks some kind of a manufacturing establishment. Such things as those are are what count when it comes to buildng up a thrifty and prosperous town. Who will make the move?

since for the benefit of his creditors, and on last Monday opened up his store. Mr. Marsh is an energetic business man and we are clad to see him nees man and we are glad to see him again at the helm. He deserves a from our people. He certainly has the best wishes of THE CHIEF for success, and we hope he will retrieve his

THE Red Cloud literary society met in regular session last Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. Brakefield where their usual program was carried out, after which they proceeded to elect the follwing officers:

President-Cordia Sherer Vice-President-Will Mitchell. Secretary-Ella A. Putnam. Treasurer-C. E. Davis. Critio-Archie Durrie.

The society is in a prosperous condition, and now numbers twenty-one

RED CLOUD MARKETS. Winter wh 18@

WALNUT CREEK.

A weekly literary is held at the Shurtleff school house. On Monday evening, the 28th, the question, "Re solved that intemperance has caused more suffering than all the wars," decided in favor of the negative. A paper was edited and read by Miss Ol-

ive May Williams. Rev. J. Cheetham will preach in this place on next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and regular hereafter once in

two weeks. On the 15th of January, after a confinement to her bed for almost a year, Grandma Williams of Judson, Kansas, died the death of the righteous. Her remains were interred in the Womer cemetery. Rev. A. Shurtless preached

Mrs. McIntosh, wife of Rev. J. W McIntosh, of Republic City, Kansas, is visiting friends and relatives on Mr. George Shoop has returned from Iowa, and is sojourning with his twenty-fifth rib, at Rev. G. W. Hummel's Mr. Henry Searl, of Buffalo Creek, S. W. CORNER. has sold his farm.

ELM CREEK.

A little more snow and sleet. Farmers should commence to drive their work and not let their work drive them. Seed time will soon be here. Sow your wheat early and you may any time after the twenty-fifth of April and before the fifteenth of May.

Mr. Ashton, of Lincoln, was looking up the mortgaged lands in these parts. He has rather a poor opinion of some The names of the incorporators of of the land that has \$800 mortgage on the institution are a sufficient guaran- it. He thinks the cash value of the land is about four hundred dollars. tee of its success, all of whom have We know of two or three farms that been life long dealers in the lumber are not worth more than half what trade. E. D. Rand of Burlington, has they are mortgaged for. Still there are farms in this part of the precinct that are worth from \$1500 to \$2000.

Mr. Wm. H. Thomas rented 60 acres of land of Hannah A. Haney and the west, and to-day counts his wealth raised from it \$535 worth of grain. At those figures a nan can pay for a farm in two or three years, and pay eigh-teen or twenty dollars per acre. They company, and a gentleman of wide ex | don't beat Webster county anywhere perience as a lumber dealer. Messrs. in the State. Now is the time to buy land in this county if you want to buy cheap, as land has more than doubled in value in the last two years.

Jos. Chambers contemplates building a fine residence in the spring. If this neighborhood will be well dotted over with fine residences.

The reported discovery of coal in paying quantities in Northern Kansas has caused considerable stir in this village. It will be prudent however to exercise great care in subscribing for company stock just at present.

We hope to see several brick blocks erected here in the near future. We have the wealth, and it is rumored the disposition also.

One of our constables captured an escaped prisoner Sunday morning, in was making that he lost his balance ing state.

An assault and battery case is set for to-morrow before Justice Parker. Some of the boys have dressed their optics in mourning. We can proudly boast of some of the

best singers west of New York, notably among whom is Mr. Reymond, the grain merchant. Our post office is more than ordinarily well conducted by the gentlemanly

and ever courteous postmaster, Parker. The wedding did come off, and there will soon occur another. Mr. A. M. Talbot is confined to his room owing to a severe cold, but it is hoped will soon be at his post again at

Mr. D. W. Bass and his invalid brother will leave soon for Colorado

BOCKET.

INAVALE.

The late warm weather has so inspired the farmers that many of them ave hauled out the rusty plow and taken it off to town for repairs, but the ground hog has gone back into his

We are constantly brought to think of the advice of that farmer's paper, the Argue, in regard to produce. In recent issue (less than six weeks ago) it advised the farmers to sell their hogs MADE SETTLEMENT.—A. S. Marsh, prices could not raise. At that time who made an assignment a few days corn was 20cts. per bushel, and hogs 4 cents a pound. Now, when corn is worth from 25 to 28c., and hogs from 5 has settled with them satisfactorially, to 54c, and a splendid prospect for a Fort Scott, Kans.

choring to death.

Mr. Finley Hale had the misfortune good trade and will no doubt receive it to meet with an accident which came

near costing him his life. While re-turning from church one evening last week he was thrown from his horse and alighting on his head was knocked senseless, remaining so for five hours. He was attended by Dr. Kehler, of Riverton, with very good success. The debate at West Inavale is a decided success, while at Mt. Hope the

reputation of its speakers is so great

that people come for miles around to hear them expound on political ques-That brief correspondent of THE CHIEF from Mt. Pleasant thinks we talk too much on religion. Well, we think it is time some one said some-

thing about religion, for as we have I have closed out my grocery stock, heretofore remarked if there is anyone extures and good will to Mr. T. C. place that needs religion bad it is Mt. Mr. John Rise, our genial artist who has tarried with us for the past few by thank the citizens of Red Cloud and vicinity for the patronage berete-

to a state of hymeneal bliss. We are successor a continuance of feeling that I can fully like it is said that something will happen him to your confidence, ha him for several years past. 5.25@5.60 upon it you will hear from X. X X. X. APOLLO.

BLUR HILL.

Blue Hill is to have a jail, the city authorities have already purchase

Miss Helen Sayers an old lady of 70 while out walking, slipped and fell, spraining her hip badly.

The net proceeds of the late festival, given by the ladies of the M. E. church

The young people of this place are at present engrossed in getting con-tumes for the grand masquerade bal to be given at McClellan's hall.

The invalids are all recovering. The literary of Friday evening, last, was a grand success. A large audience assembled and listened to the following program.

Music, glee club; recitation, Miss Jennie Byers; essay, Miss Alice Tyler, reading, Carey Morris; music, juvenile glee club; recitation, Miss Lucy White, reading, Mrs. Somerville; dialogue with music; recitation. Belle Edwards; musc, Norris' string band; paper, edited by C. L. Pope and Miss M. L. Warwick. debate, resolved, that the use of tabacco, is a filthy, expensive and injurious habit, unbecoming a gentleman. Con.

COWLES.

Cold weather has come back once

Mr. G. W. Frances has moved into Mr. Al Hortem is building a new house for himself. Mr. D. Snodgrass is

assisting him. We are sorry to announce the death of Sam Fuller's child, scarce a week

There is a strong talk of another store in Cowles.

Mr. Sheldon talks of building in the spring, on his farm north of Cowles. We congratulate Mr. Sheldon on his good fortune

Mr. H. Hopkins has rented a farm in Franklin county. We are sorry to lose him, but what is our loss is their A gentlemon from Illinois unloaded

a car of household goods and farm ma-chinery at Cowles last Saturday. We noticed among the machinery one twenty foot drag. He takes charge of the Thompson farm, four miles east of Cowles.

Mr. John Lafferty, of Falls City, and formerly of this place, was in town last week looking after his business in this county.

NORRIS VICINITY.

Weather rather glooms today. Mr. Steely and Mr. Viann of the Quaker church were over Sabbath. They had a good audience. Come

again. Emigrants occasionally find their way here. We learn that Mr. Pierson, father of

Edwin Pierson will move here in the spring. Iowa will lose a good citizen. We met our old friend Joe Garber the other day. He informed us that he was going to sow a lot of timothy and clover seed. Other farmers should

do likewise. While a man was passing a farm house on willow creek last week, he was so busy thinking of the success he response to a telegram from a border- and came to the ground. In trying to raise up he was sorely vexed to find a large mastiff holding him down. He swore eternal vengance on that canine

Mr. Jones has returned from the Mr. Dell Well says they are preparing to commence spring work. They are extensive farmers.

Mr. Alexander who recently came here from Illinois, is improving his farm. He has put up a wind mill. corn cribs, a large hog corrall. Mrs. Wm. Norris is quite poorly,

A. H. Crary, one of our successful farmers is feeding some fine steers. James Aansberger is still disposing Mr. Geo. Fennell has returned from

Mr. Vanwort is buying up stock Charley Guy who recently returned from Ohio, is buying hogs and corn.

He says that is better than grubbing Wm. Guy is feeding 100 pokers. He is one of our energetic Nebraska farm-

Daniel Hull is still hauling off corn.

EMINENT SUCCESS. Editors, Doctors, Druggists, and All Who Try it Unite in Praise.

"I have used your Golden Balsam " with eminent success. I can fully recommend it." R. H. Diltsen, M. D. "Your Golden Balsam is a splendid

cough remedy. It is highly recom-mended by all." [Reck & Rankin, druggists, Allerton, Iowa. "It affords me pleasure to say that Marsh's Golden Balsam cured me of a most obstinate cough after I had tried various other medicines without avail.

I only used half a bottle." Sims Ely editor Herald, Hutchinson, Kans.
"Your Golden Balsam is unquestionably the best cough cough preparation we have ever handled."[J. L. Jones, M. D., (of Jones & Calvert, druggists).

Jonesburg, Mo. Marsh's Golden Balsam for the throat and lungs, and Marsh's Golder Blood and Liver Tonic are for sale by Henry Cook, druggist, Red Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.

SOLD OUT.

Hacker, who will continue business at 20 Iowa, where it is said he will enter in-30 to a state of hymeneal bliss. We are 35 sorry to lose him from Inavale society. feeling that I can fully recommend

S. F. SPORMSTELD.

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