

A. C. HOSMER, Proprietor  
R. & M. TIME CARD  
Trains pass Red Cloud going east as follows:  
No 40, passenger, arrives 7 55 p. m.  
No 4, passenger, 8 00 p. m.  
No 84, accommodation, 7 10 a. m.  
No 6, passenger, 6 50 a. m.

CITY BREVITIES

CANON CITY coal miners are on a strike.  
The circus did not have a tremendous crowd.  
EDWARD KELLOGG was in Chicago last week on business.  
FATHER CLERY held services at the Catholic church Sunday.  
BARNEY MIERS will commence peddling milk on next Monday.  
D. M. PLATT has had his barn moved into the rear of his residence lot.  
CHARLES WINFREY received a present of a fine watch the other day.  
JAKE MILLER sold his premium harness to C. C. Gooding, of Riverton.  
L. A. HASKINS and Wm. Perry go west this week on a land inspection.  
V. BENSON brought THE CHIEF a fine specimen of sweet corn that takes the cake.  
E. HOUSE left this office some very fine corn. One ear measured thirteen inches in length.  
CAPT. MUSSELL donated this office a bushel of premium tomatoes. They were fine. Thanks.  
At Fred Peterson's sale on the 18th, all kinds of stock sold splendidly and brought good prices.  
The Methodist conference has been in session this week at Tecumseh. Rev. C. B. Lenfest was present.  
The latest thing out in badges is Logan's Army corps badges. Its a dandy and G. S. Albright sells them.  
It costs money to partake of the luscious watermelon now a days, especially so if you procure them clandestinely.  
MR. FRAZIER and wife have returned to Bryan, Ohio. They think Nebraska is a great state.  
S. O. BAKER has a very fine shower bath put up at his residence. It is said to be fine by all who have used it.  
G. W. HUMMEL is now making sorghum molasses of a very fine quality. We return our thanks for a jar of the same.  
N. ROBINSON bought a house and lot in Jackson's addition. Dame Rumor says that a nuptial knot is soon to be tied.  
ATTENTION is called to the advertisement of our friend, the well known merchant tailor, Fritz Birkner, which appears in this issue.  
L. A. HASKINS, of Penny Creek, had the misfortune to lose a Devonshire bull, valued at \$50. The animal died very suddenly, and from what cause is unknown.  
W. L. GIBSON showed a fine colt at the fair last week which took second premium, but Mr. G. as well as others thought the colt was entitled to first premium.  
S. V. LUDLOW, our new grocery dealer, takes advantage of our columns this week to let the people know what he is doing. People will do well to see him before buying, and thereby save money.  
GATES & BOHMAN have purchased an elegant marble slab from the Red Cloud marble and granite works, not to mark the entrance to their mausoleum, but as a solid covering for their neat casket.  
CORN is king in Webster county this fall. A person can scarcely imagine the quantity raised unless he takes a ride over the country. The county is simply full of corn and the farmers are happy. The yield is tremendous.  
C. M. STORRY has leased the building formerly occupied as a blacksmith shop, a few rods south of the railroad and near the Kirby House, after thoroughly overhauling and repairing the same. We understand he will open a livery and feed stable.  
A LETTER from Gus, Zimmerman, states that he is getting along nicely. Gus says that he gets more kisses in ten minutes in Pennsylvania than he did in Red Cloud in ten months. How is it, Gus? There will be a large emigration east of our solid young men we guess.  
A. H. LEXNERBERG, who has recently purchased the lumber yard at Cowles, made us a pleasant call on Monday. Mr. L. proposes to greatly increase his present stock, and intends to make it both interesting and profitable for those who favor him with their patronage.  
COL. STRUBS made the citizens of Red Cloud a good, solid republican speech on last Friday night. It was a bad night for speech making on account of the circus. However, there was a fair crowd present, and no little enthusiasm prevailed. The Colonel is a good speaker.  
THE B. & M. folks ought to make another change of time, something like the last one, and then take the trains off altogether and let the people walk. They could get to Hastings and intermediate points just about as quick as they can under the present arrangements. Four hours to Hastings is fast time, that is if you don't care whether you lie or not.

New goods at Marsh's.  
WILL WORTHMAN is sick with fever. Mrs. M. W. DICKERSON is again quite sick.  
A. S. MARSH has a new phonon. It is a nobby vehicle.  
J. N. RICKARDS was in Beatrice and returned this week.  
THE congregationalists are raising money to paper the church.  
B. F. REED took first premium on his Jersey pig at the fair last week.  
THE excavation for the First National bank building has commenced.  
ROY HUTCHISON will commence building a new house in a few days.  
PHILIP R. STRADLEY, of Illinois is visiting F. N. Richardson on Elm Creek.  
A. N. PATMOR has gone to Iowa, and Oscar is managing the farming interests.  
HIRAM HICKS, brother of Robert Hicks, of Indiana, has arrived in Red Cloud.  
SEVERAL of our lawyers were in Lincoln this week attending Supreme court.  
W. H. THOMAS and Josephine Maurer have made final proofs on their pre-emptions.  
E. H. AMBLER, cashier of the First National Bank has gone to Connecticut on a visit.  
MISS EVA J. KING, assistant principal of our public schools, has been sick this week.  
MRS. LUCY PARDO of Council Bluffs, mother of Mrs. Ed. Parks is visiting in Red Cloud.  
REV. C. W. SPRINGER is again able to preach at regular intervals at Cloverton and Catherton.  
THE district ministerial association of the M. E. church will hold its next session at Red Cloud.  
C. BOBIN, brother of Mrs. C. W. Springer, and formerly of this city, has purchased the Oberlin (Kan.) Eye.  
S. O. BAKER has completed raising Ed. Highland's residence and putting a brick foundation under the same.  
How would it do to get a yoke of oxen and a cart and run a stage line to Hastings, so to get the mail the same day?  
O. P. BECK and wife, of Springfield, Illinois, are the guests of W. D. Forrester and family. They are enroute for Denver.  
D. S. SHIPLETT, of Iowa, brother-in-law of C. H. Morgan, of Thomasville, made THE CHIEF a pleasant call on Tuesday.  
C. G. WILSON of Blue Hill, bought W. A. McKeighan's yearling mare which he exhibited at the fair last week, paying \$125 for it.  
THE farmers should bring in choice grain and farm products for exhibition at New Orleans. C. W. Kaley is the commissioner for this county.  
MRS. W. E. JACKSON has returned from a several month's visit in California. She still thinks Nebraska is the best state in the union to live in.  
OUR fellow townsman, Joseph Garber, we understand has been appointed to a position in the rail way mail service. Mr. G. will make a good officer.  
At the residence of A. Wolf's on Tuesday, E. D. Wolf and Miss Minnie Redden, and Ed. Kellogg and Emma Wolf were married by the Rev. Geo. O. Yeiser.  
E. J. T. MILNER, of this county, was chosen chairman of the missionary association of the Baptist church, and will devote much of his time to that cause during the coming year.  
MR. J. F. BENNET is putting feathers in his cap by making a quality of flour that pleases the customers. The universal verdict is "that is good enough for a king." The Red Cloud Mills are fortunate in securing his services.  
THE railing on the bridge at the river south of town has been removed by some one. This should be replaced, and by the way this would be a good time for the commissioners to put in an ice break while the river is low. With a good ice break the bridge could be made to last for years.  
UNDER the present system of trains on the B. & M. it takes two days to get mail to Anuboy. It is sent west, then goes to Hastings, from there to Omaha and from Omaha to Crete, and from Crete to Anuboy, about three hundred miles to only go four. Verily standard time is a great help in the mail service.  
REV. C. B. LENFEST, who has so ably conducted the ministerial work in the M. E. church in Red Cloud returned from conference this week. He was reappointed to this charge by the conference. Rev. G. W. Hummel was given charge of the Red Cloud circuit, Rev. J. G. Walker was placed at Blue Hill, Rev. E. R. Fulkerson, was stationed at Guide Rock. Rev. J. G. Blackwell located, and will hereafter farm for a livelihood near Guide Rock.  
W. H. BRONX was in attendance at the congressional committee meeting at Hastings, at which Gov. Dawes and several other prominent republicans were present. Reports from all over the state are cheering in regard to the success of the party in November. During the next thirty days our people will have the pleasure of hearing Gov. Dawes, Senator Manderson, Shedd Leese, Cowan, Laird, and others, speak on the political issues of the day.  
M. B. BESTLEY bought a fine yearling mare colt last week of Patrick Burns, living near Catherton, for which he paid \$140. The mare took first premium at the fair and is as fine a piece of horseflesh as we ever saw and weighs one thousand pounds. Mr. Bentley is a judge of horses and knows a good horse when he sees it. All persons having good horses will find him ready to purchase them. Uncle John Tomlinson has bought the colt.

E. M. EVANS, brother of Curt Evans is in the city.  
G. CHURCH of Bur Oak is in town the guest of E. V. Burrow.  
A good working suit at \$4.50 at the Golden Eagle Clothing store.  
Mrs. J. P. BRAYNARD has gone to Lenora, Kansas to visit friends.  
Mrs. A. H. LEXNERBERG is slowly recovering from her recent illness.  
Mrs. A. MORHART, who is visiting in the east has been on the sick list.  
A HOUSE and fine rooms for rent. Apply to Chicago Lumber yard. 8 ft.  
WOOLEN socks from 15 cents a pair upwards at the Golden Eagle Clothing store.  
BUY your goods of the Golden Eagle Clothing store and get a chance to win the prize.  
FRED RICKERSON has resigned his position in the freight office and gone to draying.  
A PANE of glass was broken in the front of Hacker's grocery store the other day.  
W. D. FORRESTER is filling up and grading his lot with dirt from the Bank excavation.  
HAVE you seen those scarlet woolen undershirts and drawers at the Golden Eagle Clothing store?  
THE Golden Eagle carries a full line of the celebrated Selz boots and shoes for men, women and children.  
FOR SALE—25 thorough-bred Merino rams, three miles north of Cowles, 8 ft. H. J. STALKER, Cowles, Neb.  
MISS L. E. STALKER is prepared to do dress making and plain sewing at reasonable prices 2nd door over Lindley's drug store.  
FLOYD CRABILL, of Catherton is going to build a new house and David Larrick, of the same place has one nearly completed.  
"DIED.—In Garfield precinct, 8 miles southeast of Red Cloud, on Tuesday morning, September 23d, Lettie, daughter of John and Mollie Posey aged 19 months.  
CONDUCTOR ANDY PALMER, so long and favorably known to our citizens, shook the dust of the city from off his feet on Tuesday and in the future will reside in Hastings.  
J. J. DUCKER, one of the popular and courteous clerks in the employ of Miner Bros. has sold "Doctor," the Spanish mule. Doctor has gone to the country to rusticate.  
WE hear that several important changes are to take place in the near future, among the railway and express company's employees at this depot. Nothing definite has as yet appeared.  
S. O. BAKER wishes to announce that he has adopted his old method of raising houses and putting foundations under them at the time. By this means it saves the usual straining on the building. 8 2w.  
REVS. SPRINGER and Brown were in attendance of the Baptist association meeting at Banbridge last week and returned Monday. The next meeting of the association will be held at Red Cloud next September.  
If you want anything for yourself to wear or for your boys, you will miss it if you do not first go to the square dealing, one price Golden Eagle Clothing store. You can find the largest stock and bottom prices there.  
WHY is it that people trade with Marsh? Simply because they can get more goods, better goods, and for less money than at any other place in Red Cloud. It pays to go where you can get the best at the lowest prices.  
THE names of forty or fifty of our citizens have been signed to a paper for the purpose of organizing a company of the Nebraska National Guards in this city. We venture to assert that when organized, this company will be a No. 1.  
HANK LUDLOW and Jim Blair skated a half mile race at the rink on Wednesday night. The gentle Henry skipped away with the valuable prize, time 2:35. Ar buckle and Maths also had a half mile heat, Maths getting there first.  
MISS CLEMENCE NOBLE, an estimable young lady, of Friend, Saline county, has just returned home, from a flying visit in the families of her three uncles on Walnut creek. She, and her sister Lois, are successful teachers in the above county.  
JOHN MORGAN, station baggage agent at the depot for the past two years or more now handles the mail, express and baggage on the accommodation trains between Red Cloud and Hastings. John's numerous friends will be glad to hear of his promotion.  
HURRAH! hurrah! Marsh has just returned from Chicago, where he bought an immense stock of dry goods and notions. The largest stock in the Republican Valley. Save your money and buy of Marsh. Positively the cheapest store in Red Cloud.  
OUR genial neighbor, Mr. Josselyn, who has filled the responsible position of train agent on the B. & M., for nearly two years past, is now absent from the city on important business for said road. THE CHIEF wishes him abundant success and a speedy return.  
THE following are the officers of the Webster county agricultural society for the coming year:  
President—J. C. Warner.  
Vice-President—J. R. Griffiths.  
Secretary—J. G. Dodd.  
Treasurer—B. T. Reed.  
Board of managers—A. McCall, J. L. Miner, I. B. Hampton, E. H. Jones, J. L. Miller.  
700 Good Durhams for Sale.  
Feeding steers held at Stratton station, about 700 good Durhams for sale, circle brand, cattle formerly owned by W. J. Wilson. Address, L. Wilkes, postoffice box B., Denver, Colorado.

THE FAIR—The Webster county fair has come and gone, and we must say that it was one of the most successful exhibitions that we have seen for years. Everybody seemed bent up on having a good fair and turned all their energies in that direction. How well they succeeded remains only to refer to the way everything passed off connected with the exhibition last week. Nearly everyone was well pleased except it might have been a few who were disappointed in the way of premiums. And right here will say that it is hard work to please all in that direction. In every department the classes were well filled and showed the greatest interest that the farmers and town people took in the success of the fair. Floral hall was well filled with everything that could be wished, and in the stock department the entries were not large, but mostly fine blooded stock, especially the cattle, there being no less than five or six herds. This speaks well for our county. The horses were excellent and very fine, and the owners should feel proud of their efforts to improve their stock. The racing drew quite a large crowd and was quite interesting. Webster county has some fine racing stock. Royal George, owned by D. Lutz; Jack Smith owned by J. S. Rethrock; Fannie G. owned by John J. Garber, were all good steppers, and will make good time in the near future. Col. Wiggins' mare is what the boys call a dandy, and easily distanced her competitors in the running race, although it was "Nip and Tuck." The Wiggins mare is a good one, and no mistake about it. The trotting races were among the best on the grounds. There were several quarter mile heats arranged and run, the best of which was a Nuckolls county horse and a mare owned by R. B. Thompson, of Cowles. There was a large crowd in attendance each day. Next season THE CHIEF anticipates an increased interest in the fair, and hopes the people will begin at once to make articles for exhibition. Elsewhere in to-days paper we give the premiums awarded.  
IN THE COUNTRY.—During the first of the week in company with our friend, M. R. Bentley, of this city, THE CHIEF took a most pleasant drive into Line precinct. The farmers in this part of the county are prosperous and thrifty and all have nice farms, well stocked, and large crops. At noon Mr. B. and our reporter partook of the hospitalities of Mr. Oliver McCall and family. Mr. McCall has a fine farm, and has over 100 head of cattle and a large amount of other stock. He farms 560 acres, and has 140 in corn, besides what he had in small grain. He also has some fine timothy and clover and one of the finest orchards in Webster county. A few years ago he came to Nebraska a poor man, and to-day is worth from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars. We also called on A. McCall and S. McCall, both of whom are prospering. All noticed the fine farms of Geo. Hummel, Fred Petersen, S. N. Richmond and many others. Verily the farmers on the south side of the river are getting rich.  
We are sorry to chronicle the removal of one of our valued citizens, Renfrew Stevenson, who has gone to Omaha to take charge of a big wholesale yard, which the Nebraska Lumber Company are locating at that place. We regard Mr. Stevenson as one of the best business men in western Nebraska and are certain that his removal will be generally felt. The business at this point is left in charge of his younger brother, Broughan Stevenson, who is developing the same capability and efficiency that makes the elders successful. The best wishes of the Enterprise follow Ren, wherever his life may lead him, and we trust that his star will still continue in the ascendancy in the midst of his new surroundings.—Enterprise.  
SCHOOL REPORT.—Report for the Cowles school, for the month ending, September 19th, 1884. Whole number of pupils enrolled 53, average daily attendance 46. The following are the names of those in attendance every day: Grace Fuller, Cora Wells, Katie Stearn, Willie Ward, Florence Fuller, Ada Brown, Emma Brown, Millie Clark, Ella Horton, Mintie Wells, Ray Wells, Artie Ward, Olive Foe, Louise Fuller, Fannie Good, Blanche France, Berth Horton, John Lawler. Those excused for sickness only: Chloie Fuller, Dora Ward, Charley Foe.  
NELLIE ARNOLD, Teacher.  
LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, for the week ending September 22d, 1884: T. J. Chittenden; Schuyler Hayward; R. L. Howard; W. H. Hartman; J. J. Morrison; Charley Prouty; Charles Ritter; Charles Rodgers; G. E. Winyart; John Wiswell. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office, October 20th, 1884, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "advertised," giving date of list.  
M. B. McNIFF, P. M.  
If you want a square meal, as fruit, vegetables, etc., of any kind you should call on A. Cummings, one door south of Sherer's drug store. He keeps the best of everything at reasonable prices. See him.  
MR. DANTY has repaired in the last few days, over 40 parasols and umbrellas. If you want repairing in that line, call on him. 31-4f

Shooting Affair.  
Reports reach us of a fatal shooting affair at Burr Oak, Kansas, several rumors are afloat but from the most reliable information we can gather the facts are mainly as follows: Orton's circus company had been performing there and a difficulty arose between the circus men and some of the citizens. As the train bearing the circus company was about to leave town a fracas took place and some one or more of the showmen shot from the car into the crowd, instantly killing J. Longnecker, mortally wounding Mayor A. W. Mann. Mr. Longnecker had nothing to do with the fracas and Mr. Mann was there to compel peace. Further trouble is anticipated. Mayor Mann is a well known business man and highly respected.  
Strictly Anti-Monopolist.  
Hon. W. A. McKeighan, of Red Cloud, having been requested by his numerous friends in this congressional district, to allow his name to be used as a candidate for congress, replies as follows: "I have no political aspirations whatever. Even if I had I am not financially situated to enter into a campaign. My duties to my family are also such as to preclude me from accepting a nomination by the anti-monopolists. I will be found battling in the front ranks until election. Should our candidate this year be defeated, I would if asked to do so, accept the nomination for next campaign, and take my chances for success or defeat. I want our principles to obtain through the land, and shall stand or fall fighting for them wherever or whenever I can do so."—Hollidge Equity.  
Democratic Conventions.  
A democratic mass convention for the county of Webster, will be held in Red Cloud, Tuesday, Sept. 30th, 1884, at 3 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a representative for the 39th district, a county commissioner for the 1st district and for such other business as may come before said convention. A. S. MARSH, Chairman.  
A democratic senatorial convention consisting of Nuckolls, Webster and Franklin counties will be held in Red Cloud, Tuesday, Sept. 30th, 1884, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for senator for the 23 senatorial district. G. W. HORTON, chm.  
A democratic convention of Webster and Franklin counties will be held in Red Cloud, Tuesday, Sept. 30th, 1884, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for that representative of the 41st representative district. A. S. MARSH, chm.

FOR SALE.  
For sale! sale! The Valley House and furniture. B. LOSSON, Red Cloud.  
For Sale.  
For the next 20 days, 3000 merino ewes and lambs, 100 full blood and high grade rams, two miles south of Nelson. L. L. CORNELL, Nelson, Neb.  
Take Notice.  
As I am about to close my business in Red Cloud at once, I wish all parties indebted to me to come as soon as possible and settle their accounts. And all persons to whom I am indebted will be paid by me upon presenting their bills. By complying with this request I will be greatly obliged.  
L. BAUM.  
DRESSMAKING.  
Mrs. G. S. Taylor is prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking on short notice, and at reasonable rates. One door east Commercial house. 52-4f  
Those wishing building hardware can make money by calling on Winton, Riverton. 3-4f  
FOR SALE—Business house and lot one of the best locations in the city Apply to GEO. O. YEISER & Co.  
CAR of barbed wire, cheap at Winton's, Riverton. 3-4f  
FRESH oysters at A. Lauterbach's.  
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You can buy hardware, stoves, tin ware, and all kinds of furniture at less than Red Cloud prices at Winton's, Riverton. 3-4f  
FRESH oysters at A. Lauterbach's.  
RED CLOUD MARKET.  
Winter Wheat..... 60 1/2  
Oats..... 25 1/2  
Barley..... 30 1/2  
Corn..... 25 1/2  
Hogs..... 1 1/2  
Cattle..... 2 50/100  
WALNUT CREEK  
There is an abundance of hay put up on Walnut, Dry and Buffalo creeks, and still the stacks go in spite of the windy weather. The hay is of good quality.  
The grain stacks in this vicinity are fast disappearing before the thrashing machines, and in their places mammoth straw stacks are "booming." Farmers are converting some of their abundant crops of corn into pork and beef.  
Horses are showing the consequences of the abundance and excellence of the hay, oats and corn of this year of bounty. Skeletons are the exception and good fat horses the rule.  
Ponies are not used on farms as much as formerly. Farmers are raising more and better horses, and good horses are bringing better prices. The following gentlemen own excellent teams: Newt and Perry Womer, each a heavy span of bays; W. S. Noble, a roan and a bay, excellent roadsters; Geo. Heaton, a large span of gray; August Fierstoff, a good pair of mules; Sam Heaton, several good mules and horses; but probably the most valuable team on the creek is a large gray horse and gray mare, both Normans, owned by Grandpa Womer. However I do not mention all the good horses in this community. I appeal to the good teams, good harness, and new wagons to prove the prosperity of the farmers, and when the farmer thrives everybody prospers. S. W. CORNELL.

WE are sorry to report the death of Mr. and Mrs. Posey's baby. The reaved parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.  
The Hicks Creek cheese factory declared its dividend for the past August, and one of the past months of 10000, of milk. Not had for wish my sister Nancy Jane, who her factory started on Hill Creek. I am sure it would be a help to her.  
Hot days and cool nights, I do for a treat.  
Mill Richardson is improving. Some new tombstones are being put in the Waggoner cemetery. It will be fenced this fall.  
S. J. Penney has ordered broom corn scrapers.  
K. Herrick expects his law, A. R. Smith, from Omaha this week.  
Our folks say they won't get a lumber wagon any more. New pumps are all the go in the country.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bligh left their home in Ohio, Monday.  
Henry Wolf has two children sick with the whooping cough.  
I will leave the rest of the year for Sarah Jane.  
GARFIELD.  
As I have been so long absent I do not know as I can hardly claim a place any more, but as the hurry of the season is almost over, I expect a little more sports time.  
Hastings is still the order of the day with a good many.  
Broom corn harvest is progressing rapidly, of which there seems to be a good crop.  
One of Mr. Hicks' horses was sick the other day. He has lost since spring.  
Capt. Housh says something very anxious for him to have the Red Cloud post-office, but he says he would not care much for it, as he would like to hire a deputy if he should be so fortunate.  
The new cheese factory is a very good one. I think, with W. from Wheatland, that if farmers would raise more stock, and feed out more on the farm, they would make more than bare expenses. M.  
STOTT.  
The grand picnic of Walnut Creek and Buffalo Creek Sunday school was held Sept. 11, in Mr. Jones' grove, instead of September 4th. It was grand. Speeches were made by Rev. J. Hummel, Rev. Armstrong, J. D. Alford, Alvon Rinker, Joseph Noble, etc. Singing but the most touching hymn was sung by the Buffalo Creek Sunday school, "Pardon at the Cross," sung without notes or books. Rev. Armstrong delivered two speeches, one to the forenoon and one in the afternoon. He took a text for the great part of the discourse in the forenoon. All were greatly amused with his discourse, especially the story of Parson, and the Engine Boy. What about the Rev. Hummel's speech? He also says very well.  
Grandma Fulton is visiting her son Mack Fulton.  
Frank Jones returns home this week from his trip with a thrasher of which he owns a share. BETA.  
ELM CREEK.  
And still it blows.  
Threshing is nearly done.  
Mr. Hidy has recently purchased a windmill.  
Mont Arnold has returned. He reports things on the look out west, and took a homestead.  
Two of Cowles' most noble gentlemen were through our section of the county last Sunday on a chicken hunt. Gentlemen, you are perfectly welcome to our chickens, but please do not disturb the church going people of this vicinity, with your parties of guns on the Sabbath.  
On the 6th inst, when the good old men of our county were returning home from church, and in the progress of the past week, while the labor of the cuckoo echoed from the distant hills, and the golden sun was sinking in a bright and glorious sunset, O. F. Conrad and Miss Martha Thomas were united in wedlock's happy chain, by Rev. Cornet of Blue Hill.  
CATHEDRAL.  
Miss Fisher's school closed Monday. It was the third occasion for her at this place. She leaves with a faithful discharge of duty well earned.  
Miss Carrie Payne, meeting with good results in her mission. We need many such for the propagation of Christianity.  
Mrs. J. L. Frame has gone to California county, Iowa.  
Miss Flora McCall has returned from California Wednesday where she had been five years.  
Charley Anderson has placed west to Lincoln Friday.  
Lloyd Craybill, of this place, was telling us last week that he had fine quantities of fruit he was raising.  
John McCalliam has sold several fine steers to his brother-in-law, W. H. Fuller.  
Joseph graves has sold his large barn, which is over a complete new school house. He will have a better place to perform religious duties.  
Joseph, drive slow. You will upset us.  
WILD JACK.  
Franklin is a thriving place. There is a great deal of business here. There are several elevators here. The worst is a boot and shoe store. There are two down town. There are no scattered over the place. The academy is in the north of town. Students at present during the winter.  
The scouring town about two miles west of the left bank of the river, and has a solid foundation. There are no scattered of any sort within the place.  
This Franklin north Wednesday day.  
They have a fifteen members. They are very good to me. I suppose they are very good to me if I write again to the waste book.