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CITY NEWS.

Mrs. F. R. Gump entertained a few of her lady friends last Friday.

J. L. Miner is surrounding his residence property with a new fence.

Mr. Hamez, of Judson, Kansas, called on Saturday, and reports fine crops in that vicinity.

Some action should be taken toward a bridge. What is to be done? Don't all speak at once.

The Gardner House has been thoroughly repaired and renovated within the last few weeks.

L. C. OLMSTED says he had the pleasure of naming one baby in Inavale precinct, while taking the census.

Kesler & Baubaker are building a fine two story residence for Lawyer Chaney in the west end of the city.

Harvesting will be here within the next ten or fifteen days in reality, and the hum of the twine binder will be heard in the distance.

A. L. Funk has been repairing and palating his residence property on Cedar street and Second Avenue. The property is much improved.

Wm. Gates has the hearty thanks of this entire outfit for the generous daily supply of congealed aqua pura, with which these headquarters are furnished.

Mr. A. Calmes was in town a few days this week. Country life in McCook was too tedious for our good brother, hence a visit to the metropolis of the Valley.

At Thomas Ryan's sale in Judson last Thursday cattle sold high. 118 head brought \$2000, taking into consideration that many of them were yearlings, the prices were good.

There will be preaching at Congregational Church every Sabbath until further notice, by Rev. J. G. Aikman, at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited to attend said services.

The soldiers have folded up their tents and gone to Kansas, the last squad having gone last Friday morning. It was certainly a great novelty to many of our people who never saw soldiers.

The Indianapolis Times is to be the name of a new paper at that burg, published by Saunders, Watkins & Lathrop. Mr. Geo. Watkins belongs to Webster county and we feel certain that the paper will be a success as George is a vigorous pusher of the gray goose quill Success to you, George.

A prominent young man of one of our county precincts, who had a case in court, thinking that the climate would be more congenial elsewhere, suddenly left for parts unknown last Friday. He was in a hurry to go, and did not have time to say good bye. His sweetheart mourns his sudden departure.

In mailing THE CHIEF last week some of the packages were wrongly addressed through mistake, hence if any of our subscribers failed to receive their papers, they will know the reason. We regret to disappoint any of our patrons, but mistakes will occur sometimes, even in a great newspaper office.

On last Tuesday there was a rousing big Sunday-school picnic just south of town, across the river, composed of Walnut creek, Penny creek, Pleasant Grove, Ash creek, Red Cloud and other Sunday-schools of the immediate vicinity. It was very pleasant and hugely enjoyed by both the children and the older people.

The new dwelling of T. D. Hanna, situated on Seward street, is among the handsomest dwellings in Red Cloud. The house is built after the most modern styles of architecture, and is elegantly painted and furnished with the most exquisite taste. W. M. Vacher is the painter and the work was done after his best style.

INAVALE precinct will have about 600 population; Line and Garfield about 300 each, and Red Cloud 2,250. If the county holds out as well all over there will be something like 11,000 population. Pretty good for a county settled only fourteen years ago. It goes to show that there is something besides experiment for people to look after in Nebraska.

The funding bonds of Webster county, which came due July 1, 1885, and amounted to \$14,530.62, with principal and interest, were promptly paid by Treasurer Buschow on that date, the money having been placed with Counts Bros., of New York city, for that purpose on the 16th. Webster county is in good condition financially and there is no apparent reason why county warrants should not be at par instead of a discount. With a bonded debt of only \$47,000 and a floating debt of \$2,000, the ought to be in a first-class financial condition, and well able to build good bridges across the Republican and other streams of the country.

IMPORTANT POINTS.

ANOTHER cold wave Wednesday. F. E. Goble has returned from Chicago.

ED SMITH of Bloomington, is in Red Cloud.

J. H. FERMAN and wife went to Crete this week.

Geo. Blair and wife entertained their friends last evening.

Mr. J. A. Allen and wife were visiting in Lincoln this week.

C. W. Kaley and wife entertained their friends Friday night.

Miss Lizzie Shirey of York is visiting her relatives in this city.

The Masonic Fraternity installed their officers last Friday night.

Mr. M. Duffield of Amington, Ill., is visiting M. W. Dickerson this week.

The census of Webster county has been completed and returns sent in. If you want to cut your harvest without trouble buy the Deering binder.

Peter Emigh of Guide Rock made these headquarters a pleasant call on Monday.

Tom Poyner came near getting pawed by a ferocious horse one day this week.

Will Smith and wife of Minden, were in Red Cloud this week visiting their parents.

Under the management of Frank Watkins the Blue Hill Times, is being much improved.

District Deputy Inler, of Superior will install tax officers of Red Cloud Lodge No. 64 July 7.

Ed Hosford will shoot with a \$50 Baker gun in a few days, he having ordered one from St. Louis.

Miss Freddie Richardson is enjoying a few weeks vacation in the city, visiting her father and friends.

The round house boy will have lots of fun this season shooting glass balls they have ordered 500 for their use.

Our democratic contemporary has fell into line and now has his bulldozing machinery running in full blast.

L. G. Parker a legal light of Oberlin Kansas, an old friend of M. W. and F. M. Dickerson, was in Red Cloud Saturday.

C. W. Francis and wife of Cowles, leave this week for a trip in the eastern states. They go to Durham, New York.

The crossings should be built as fast as possible on the Webster street sidewalk to the depot, so as to make it complete.

Our readers should not fail to read A. A. Pope's new advertisement in another column of today's paper, and then go and see his machinery.

Will Parks will not have to hurry back from Mormondom now, in order to get into business at Salem, as a shoemaker has already settled there.

Messrs. T. S. Stewart and T. D. Hanna were made acquainted with the mysteries of Odd-fellowship Saturday night. Both rode the goat splendidly.

A. T. Stille has gone to Oshkosh, Wisconsin. THE CHIEF is sorry to lose Mr. Stille from among our business circles but wishes him success wherever he may locate in the future.

Henry Turnbaugh, the lad who placed obstructions on the railroad track about three miles east of Riverton, was sent to the Kearney reform school on Thursday by Judge Yeiser.

All members in good standing are requested to be present at the next regular convention of Calant Lodge, Knights of Pythias, next Tuesday night. Work in the second rank.

Geo. Conrade and S. Chambers have returned from McCook fully decided that there is not any country as nice as Webster county, and henceforth they will reside peacefully in Webster county.

A fellow from Kansas came in one day last week and while flourishing a gun promiscuously he was invited to take quarters in the city bastille and on Wednesday he held audience with one of our J's.

Eld. T. J. Newcomb will preach at the German Lutheran church (old school house) in Red Cloud July 12th. Morning at 11: Subject, "Who believes the Bible." At 8 in the evening, subject, "Answer me."

Faith Rebecca Lodge No. 18 I. O. O. F. elected the following officers last Tuesday night:

Wm. W. Dickerson, N. G.
Mrs. R. P. Hutcheson, V. G.
Mrs. G. N. Daniels, R. S.

Read C. Wiener's new advertisement in another column of today's paper. It will benefit every reader of THE CHIEF to call on him as he carries the only exclusive stock of agents' clothing and furnishing goods, &c., in Webster county, and therefore can give you bargains that can not be procured outside of larger cities.

Beware of thieves and pickpockets on circus day, July 9. The Seward Blues says there is a large gang traveling with the show. People will do well to be careful and hold on to their money. If you see a fellow that is pretending to give away money do not have much to do with him for such fellows are hands of the worst type.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

D. F. Scott is in Iowa on business. The County commissioners meet next Monday July 6.

The Etery binder takes the rag of all other binders.

WILLIS G. BROWN has secured the agency for Gen. Grant's book.

SEVERAL of our correspondences are left out this week on account of lack of space.

ANDY BERG and family have moved into A. S. Marsh's property on Seward street.

JOHN PARKER, "the little giant" shoemaker will not move on his farm this summer.

Go and buy \$5.00 worth of goods and get a circus ticket free at the Golden Eagle Clothing store.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL concert at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. No preaching in the morning.

Go and buy five dollars worth of goods and get a circus ticket free at the Golden Eagle Clothing store.

WM. LERSON, we are glad to learn, is improving in health. His trip to the coast has proven beneficial to him.

Go and buy five dollars worth of goods and get a ticket to the circus free at the Golden Eagle Clothing store.

The Red Cloud Homestead Building and Loan association, will loan their first money on July 9. Don't forget the day and date.

MARRIED, at Red Cloud, Neb., June 30, 1885, by the Rev. Geo. O. Yeiser, Mr. Geo. W. Boyd and Miss Josephine Spry, both of Webster county, Neb.

MR. THOS. BRACKFIELD has moved into his elegant new house in the north part of the city. It is a handsome property and very pleasantly situated.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made whereby parties going to Guide Rock on the 4th can return on the freight west leaving that place about 11 o'clock p. m.

BEVA LOCKWOOD, the renowned Washington lawyer, held forth at the rink Wednesday night to a full house. Beva is indeed a "silvery tongued orator."

AFTER the most tender care and careful nursing for many weary months past, the Red Cloud National Bank boys have at last induced their oleander to blossom.

IS the sweet subsequently, when THE CHIEF shall have died, will our democratic contemporary please sit on our grave that we may have something green above us.

HENRY COOK has a fine lot of fireworks for the 4th, consisting of mammoth torpedoes, cannons, fire crackers, rockets, roman candles, flags, lanterns, balloons, &c.

HOSFORD & YOUNG were quite excited on Tuesday over the loss of one of their horses, but on examination found the nag quietly cooling off in the ice house where he had fallen in.

MARRIED, at Red Cloud, by Rev. Geo. H. Brown, Mr. Calvin Ziegler, of McCook, and Miss Laura M. Blue, of Guide Rock. The young couple will make McCook their future home.

"THE CHIEF will take time to disseminate," says our democratic contemporary. How sad that the news should not have reached us before. Death is certain, Bro. King, as "all men are born to die." "Give us something fresh."

L. H. WALLACE of the firm of Wright & Wallace now absent on a business and pleasure trip through the east, writes from Stuebenville, Ohio, that thus far it has been one of the most enjoyable trips of his life. Wonder if there are orange blossoms flying through the Ohio air.

A LITTLE cherub now calls J. H. Smith grandpa. It was born to Fred Canney and wife on last Wednesday morning. It's a girl and weighs ten pounds. J. H. was so well pleased over the new grandchild, that in his hurry to inform the neighbors he measured his "ful" length in a mud puddle, and when he arose he was heard to exclaim: "Tee hee! a good joke on grandpa."

On next Monday evening Cyrene Commandery No. 14 Knights Templar will be duly installed under charter Sir Knights from the Grand commandery, Mt. Moriah, Lincoln, Mt. Nebo of Hastings and from Kearney will be assisting in doing the work. During the evening the orders will be conferred on several applicants. A grand banquet will be given on the occasion, and a general good time indulged in. All Sir Knights in good standing are invited to be present.

The school meeting met again on Tuesday pursuant to adjournment the site committee reported having selected a site on Walnut street a short distance south of the Episcopal church. The committee were instructed to proceed at once and have the land condemned for school purposes. They were also empowered to purchase the site without condemnation provided this can be done at a reasonable price. The meeting then adjourned until Monday July 13 at 3 o'clock p. m.

It is a shame that the people of Red Cloud should be compelled to have to put up with the villainous hog pens that adorn the various parts of the city. There are some that it is certainly an outrage to be permitted to exist, and if they have not already been the means of breeding disease they certainly will if not abated soon. It seems as if people would attend to such matters without being compelled to do so by law. The health of the community should be paramount to self interest. The city fathers should not be backward about abating all kinds of nuisances of that ever nature or who ever is the offender.

The Day We Celebrate.

Next Saturday will be the Fourth of July, a day dear to the hearts of the American people. One hundred and nine years ago the little band of liberty loving souls, whose autographs appear in connection with every well regulated Declaration of Independence little dreamed of the mighty events that were to follow as a result of their act on that sultry July morning.

Little they knew of Red Cloud and its environs and had never even heard of Blue Hill, Guide Rock, Cowles, Wells, Jackson's grove, or Walnut Creek, yet after the lapse of over a century fraught with the grandest achievements in the history of the world, the people of these thriving places will assemble at their respective places to again reiterate the sentiments of that noble patriotic band and render due homage to their memory in true spread eagle style. Red Cloud will not celebrate on an extensive scale, preferring to leave the field open to its neighboring towns. Still as many of our citizens cannot conveniently leave town and are desirous of having a little fun at home, arrangements have been made for their accommodation. A meeting will be held at Jackson's grove in the south ward. A programme has been arranged for the occasion consisting of glass ball shooting, dancing, rope walking, basket picnic and various other sports such as climbing the greased pole, catching the greased pig, sham battle, sack racing, etc. A number of interesting features are on the tapis up town. Numerous banquets will be spread and toasts drunk and responded to. The citizens remaining at home are requested to be on the streets clothed in their Sunday garments and "whooper up" all day. Those desirous of tripping the light fantastic toe will have an excellent opportunity to do so at the commodious rink. A good orchestra has been secured, and genteel floor managers will be in attendance. The rink will be open for dancing both afternoon and evening. Wallace Ball has been invited to read the declaration of independence at early candle light on the corner of Scipio and Chestnut streets. Prof. John Foster will act as marshal of the day. The procession will start as soon as John is ready. A grand display of fireworks may take place in the evening. The public buildings and business houses will be appropriately decorated. Let all who cannot join in the festivities at other places come to Red Cloud and have some fun with the boys.

A Happy Surprise

On Tuesday evening the lady friends of Mrs. S. R. McBride entertained her ladyship with a surprise birthday tea party, it being the anniversary of her birthday. The ladies assembled at the house about four o'clock taking with them a goodly supply of edibles and tea, during the temporary absence of Mrs. McBride. Upon her return she was completely surprised to find her home in the full possession of her many friends, and was entirely unable to comprehend the situation. Explanations followed and everything was lovely. Ladies always do have a lovely time, especially when they get out to a tea party all by themselves. Grandma Micks engineered the affair and proved conclusively that ladies can keep a secret when they set out for it. Mrs. McBride was presented with a purse containing \$1.75, and requested by the donors to use it in purchasing some appropriate souvenir, to be retained by her as a memento that they had been there.

Go and buy five dollars worth of goods and get a circus ticket free at the Golden Eagle Clothing store.

It seems "to a fellow up a tree," as the saying goes, that Red Cloud should be protected against fire in some manner. Several propositions have been advanced at different times, but at no time in the past has there been any decisive action taken. The best plan now mentioned is to drill for an artesian well. This seems to be a sensible idea, and one that could be utilized at a small expense comparatively. A large reservoir could be built, and with sufficient water mains and conveniently located hydrants, it would be an easy matter to stop a fire on short notice. This plan would be at all the fire engines that could be used in Red Cloud. THE CHIEF hopes that a petition will be circulated at once, by some one of our business men for signers asking the trustees to make some effort to protect the interests of Red Cloud against fire. This is a too important matter to be idly passed by, and receive no attention.

AN EXPERIMENT—Our friend, E. Anderson, one of Webster county's industrious farmers, has been experimenting on the difference between wild and tame grass when fed to cows. He had kept a cow on wild grass one week and milked her very carefully, and as a consequence received 36 lbs of milk. The next week he fed her on tame grass and again milked her, weighing the milk as before, and as a result at the end of the second week he had received 42 pounds, a gain of six pounds in favor of the tame grass. Thus it will be seen that it will pay to give more attention to the raising of tame grass. Any of the interesting points to the farmers will be gladly published in THE CHIEF when furnished. We shall be glad to throw light upon any experiment that will benefit the farmers.

Butter! Butter!

You can buy the best creamery butter for 12c per pound. If your grocery store sell it call on the Red Cloud Creamery and get it. Caution! It may ruin your appetite for common butter. 48 21

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Interesting Responses to Curious Interrogatories

Jacob De Pew, Portland, Me., asks if a prairie schooner is a fore and after. Now, Jacob, if you will be economical, save up your money through the bank peelin' season and then take a trip to Nebraska, you can find out all about it.

Willie Fresh, Niles, O.—The question is a ask clearly indicate the yellow back literature on which your bright and inquisitive mind has been fed. Whenever you ask us anything that will be of interest to the general public, we shall take great pleasure in replying.

Anti Monop. Sterling, Neb.—The apparent reason why so many republican officials are being discharged is that the "Preacher" is stopping at the democratic boy's house, and they have got to have meat.

John Frey, Tippecanoe, Ind.—1. Yes, sunflower seeds are good food for hens. 2. The stalks make excellent kindling wood. 3. Yes, ornamental but not fragrant. 4. Can't give the average yield per acre.

Simeon, Fon Du Lac, Wis.—Please inform me what county buildings there are in Webster county.—All right Simeon we have a splendid court house surrounded by a magnificent park, regularly laid out with gravel walks and drives, shade trees shrubbery, bluegrass, and an Armstrong fountain. The treasury building, county clerks office building, county superintendent office building, jail—say Simeon, its 95 in the shade and that's too good for you, for us to fool around any more county buildings.

Euthanasia, Red Cloud—It may not be strictly proper for our young men to indulge in osculatory demonstrations with their sweethearts on the streets, during their peripatations homeward from church, on bright moonshiny nights. But how else can they do, when the front gate is a barb-wire fence.

"The acitation of thought is the beginning of wisdom." This department is devoted to inquiries and answers on all subjects of general interest. It will not be necessary for correspondents to write on both sides of the paper in order to receive recognition. All rejected manuscripts will be promptly returned to the waste basket, or rolled into cigar lighters. Items will not be censured for their brevity, nor extolled for their extreme length. Address all communications designed for this department to THE CHIEF, box 41, Red Cloud, Neb.

A New Railroad Enterprise.

Judge John M. Galloway and G. B. Finney, of Ft. Scott, and A. L. Stone, of Eureka, officers of the Chicago, Nebraska, Kansas & Southwestern railway company, are in Dodge City, working up an interest in the enterprise. This company was chartered April 21, 1885. This road is designed to connect the railroad system in Texas as pointing to the Panhandle, with the railroad system in Nebraska, and the contemplated points in the line are Moberlie, Dodge City, Jetmore, Ness City or La Crosse, Hayes City, and other points northward, in the direction of Red Cloud, Nebraska. The directors of the company are as follows: J. N. Morrison, J. D. Hill, E. Scott, A. C. Stone, S. A. Martin, J. C. Gilham, Alex. Sears, Eureka. The officers are as follows: J. D. Hill, president; J. C. Gilham, vice-president; S. A. Martin, secretary and treasurer; John M. Galloway, attorney and solicitor; G. B. Finney, chief engineer. The chief offices are to be at Dodge City.

Mr. Hill, the president, was the gentleman who built the Ft. Scott & Wichita railroad, and is an accomplished railroad man. The engineer corps for the new road is organized and ready to take the field at the signal from the chief. Mr. Finney, the chief engineer, will make a preliminary survey at once. This will be a very important road for Dodge City, and the enterprise must receive that consideration from our people that its merits demand—Kansas Outlook, Dodge City, Kansas.

The above has a ring of the right metal, and is one of the most feasible schemes for a southern outlet to our city and county that we have noticed for some time, crossing as it would the proposed Central Branch extension, the Missouri Pacific, and Kansas Pacific railroads, and forming a junction with the great Santa Fe Route, to the east west and south. We shall endeavor to keep our readers posted on the matter. Such a road would be of paramount importance to this vicinity, and the project should receive every encouragement possible.

"GONE FROM OUR GAZE."—Spearman, the "fire bug" of Guide Rock, who was arrested some days ago charged with setting fire to Dr. Patten's barn and bound over to the district court to answer to the charge, was brought up for trial at the special June term last Thursday, and plead guilty to charges against him and was sentenced to two years of hard labor in the penitentiary. He was remanded to the elegant and costly cit prison, (the county not having one.) to await transportation over the road. Spearman concluded that it was not good for his health to be confined in the city bastille, owing to its close proximity to the banks of the murky Crooked Creek, and during the absence of the guard he stole away "neath the cover of darkness, into the peaceful realms of Kansas, to prey upon some other community. It is a shame that Webster county has not a proper place to keep criminals. In the last two years several criminals have escaped for the want of a proper place to keep them. Confined. The county has spent enough money in keeping prisoners at Lincoln to build a jail or two. Webster county could have a jail and a poor house. Let some move be taken in that direction.

LATER.

Since the above was put in type Spearman was captured at Chester and returned to this city. He is now on the way to the pen, where he will serve out his two years, and so doubt learn some useful trade.

WEST INAVALE.

We are having fine weather at present.

Corn is doing well in this part of the county it promise a very large crop.

Mr. J. B. McKinley has been on the sick list for a couple of weeks but is some better.

Mr. Lee is sick with asthma.

Some person for lack of employment put a railroad to across the track about three miles east of Riverton although it caused no accident owing to the watchful eye of the engineer. We learn that a boy who was working in this neighborhood was arrested for the charge. If he proves to be the guilty party we hope he may learn from this not to be so reckless in the future.

Remember the Fourth of July next Saturday. U. N.

GUIDE ROCK.

Great preparations are being made for the 4th of July here. It will pay all to come.

A M. Talbot has just indulged in the purchase of a span of wild ponies.

School closed on Friday last, with a treat to its scholars, of candy, nuts, etc in the afternoon.

Saturday was a busy day for our merchants, the town being literally crowded with teams all day.

One of the attractions last week was an encampment of colored soldiers near town. They were on their way to Wyoming Territory, from Ft. Riley, Kansas.

N. B. Downey has been on the road the past two weeks selling cheese.

Rev. Hampton, of Franklin Academy preached the morning sermon at the Baptist church last Saturday.

THAXIE.

Ill health has caused no items from this neighborhood lately.

June lavishes more gifts upon us this summer than ever.

Crops are extra nice, though the farmers are fighting the weeds that have succeeded tolerably well in getting the upper hand of them during the rains.

Our German neighbors are breaking a large field on their new farm.

At last! The bridge west of the stone school house is being replaced rejoicing the hearts of many of the people on the west side of Walnut Creek.

On June 20th some of the young people celebrated the 14th birthday of Miss Mattie Kennedy. The dinner was very nice and the judges were unable to decide which lady made the nicest cake.

Our society have made a new decision concerning the celebration grounds. They have now decided to celebrate the Fourth in Willis Fulton's grove. A grand time is anticipated.

BETA.

Mr. Ryan sold 99 head of young cattle, which brought \$2500 dollars.

Farmers are busy going through their corn the last time.

Winter wheat is turning fast. It will be ready for the sickle in a week or two.

C. Steffen undertook to draw the tubing out of his well, but it parted. There was about thirty feet he could not get out so he had to bore another one.

A. Blinnick has bought a new binder. Wm. Hooper thinks the twin boys, Moody and Sankey, will soon be able to run his farm.

S. C. Johnson has the boss winter wheat this year.

There is a large acreage of corn this year.

Celebration on the 4th at Willis Fulton's grove.

Mr. Lederbrand has hired thirty acres to brake this month.

Our P. M. is still busy hoeing his onions.

Spring wheat and oats are very short this year. We shall be obliged to get close to the ground to get it.

C. Fisk has been out to Thomas county, this state, to break on his time claim. He said the land was all taken out there.

SICK.

Fine showers.

Good growing weather.

The late dry spell cut the small grain a little in some fields.

Corn is growing finely. Most of the farmers are pretty well up with the work.

Mr. Severn's corn crop looks extra clean. Give us some more Ohio farmers.

Albert Horn returned last Saturday from Oregon.

F. M. Shular went east to Chariton, Ia. to join his wife on a visit to his many friends there. He will return in a short time.

Mr. Horn brought back some fine specimens of wheat and red clover, the stalks of wheat being about six feet and six inches high.

The Red Cloud Helmet seems to think that we are sorry over the way we voted on the bridge bond question. We would say to the Helmet that we have not yet repented, though we believe if the question had been gotten up so as to relieve us of our township bond, and then shared fairly with Red Cloud, one bridge at each town, we, as a people, would undoubtedly have thought more of it.

We'll now we feel better. Fried chicken and new potatoes for dinner.

Mr. Greenhalch says he will call a school meeting every twenty days until the bonds carry for a new school house. Stick to 'em boys.

Since Gilt Edge left these parts patent claims have gone out of date, and calves look better.

Some good farmers in Webster county will please give us his experience in timely and clover.

Albert Horn's blue grass is doing well.

A. P. Hagan and Wm. Guy are still hauling off fat hogs. Mr. Guy says hogs pay, even at 3c.

Mr. Ross sold his little farm. R. White sold 160 acres to a gentleman from the east.

Father Norris is having considerable company here of late. We believe the so called company is a traveling outfit from Des Moines, Iowa. We understand they think of locating in Red Cloud. Of course there will be room for all.

INAVALE.

Crop of all kinds are doing well.

Miss Irene Orchard will visit last week, and get her a farm of 100 acres. It is hoped she will not go there to "live however as we cannot spare her from here.

The store has again opened under the efficient management of Mr. R. D. Yeiser.

J. O. Chamberlain will start on the road again this week selling cheese for a new firm.

An