

THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1886.

It is simply remarkable how much snow has piled up in this section, something that is scarcely ever seen here in very great quantities. There are plenty of snow banks in various parts of the city that are from two to five feet deep and packed solid enough to hold the weight of a good sized man sleighing is good, and the prospects are that it will be for some time yet.

ADVICE from Riverton state that P. A. Williams, a merchant of that burg, stabbed a man whom he had quarreled with over hauling ice. Williams, we understand, was held for assault with intent to kill. It is getting to a pretty state of affairs that every time a man has a little misunderstanding he must either whip out a knife or a pistol to defend himself. People who do these things should be dealt with without gloves. There is no more necessity for a man to carry a revolver and other weapons than there is to fly. It is a false idea of protection, and the law should be more stringent in such cases.

Proceedings of County Supervisors.

Board of county supervisors, Webster county, Nebraska, met in session January 5, 1886.

Present, C G Wilson, chairman; A J Kenney, R V Shirey, Jos Garber, W H Howe, J C Brooks, John Street, Carl Gust, T G Wilder, I B Hampton, C G Eustis, S W Fulton, W W Hogate.

Meeting called to order by C G Wilson, chairman.

Chairman stated the object of the meeting to be a special call of the board of county supervisors to settle with the county treasurer. Also to approve official bonds of officers elect for the several offices in the county.

On motion of Jos Garber and seconded that we adjourn to January 6 at 10 a. m., adopted.

On motion by A. J. Kenney that a committee of three be appointed to settle with the outgoing county treasurer, committee consisting of J C Brooks, S W Fulton, T J Wilder. Adopted.

SECOND DAY, JANUARY SIXTH.

Present, C G Wilson, chairman, C G Eustis, A J Kenney, Jos Garber, Carl Gust, W H Howe, I B Hampton, R V Shirey, Chas Hunter, John Street, W W Hogate, J M Stoddard, T J Wilder, SW Fulton, J C Brooks.

Meeting called to order by chairman On motion of A. J. Kenney and seconded, that the board proceed to approve all official bonds now on file in the hands of the county clerk, adopted.

On motion of J C Brooks that a committee of three members of the board be appointed to examine and report at two o'clock p. m. on all official bonds now on file in hands of county clerk, chairman appointed J C Brooks, A J Kenney and Charles Hunter as members of that committee.

On motion adjourned to 2 p. m. Board met at 2 p. m. and called to order by the chairman.

Committee on official bonds made their report and refer back to the board the official bonds of G W Baker, J P Pleasant Hill tp, and G W Baker O H R D No 2, James Amack as treasurer Garfield tp, I O Walker, treasurer Inavale tp, for their action, it appearing that the securities are insufficient, and recommend the approval of all other bonds submitted for their examination.

On motion the official bonds of G W Baker J P Pleasant Hill tp, G W Baker, O H R D No 2, James Amack, treasurer Garfield tp, I O Walker, treasurer Inavale tp, be returned for additional security.

On motion all other official bonds submitted to the committee be and hereby are approved as follows:

M B McNitt, county treasurer, Chas W Springer, county superintendent.

F. P. Reed, county surveyor, J H Ferman, assessor Red Cloud, D G Grice, assessor Basin, G W Hummel, assessor Line.

J J Shelton, assessor Stillwater, James F Watt, assessor Guide Rock, Marion Alexander, assessor Harmony.

Chas Molley, assessor Beaver Creek, M C Jackson, assessor Pleasant Hill.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE. C E Putnam, Elm Creek tp, John May, Harmony tp, E W Tuttle, Glenwood tp, W E Buker, Oak Creek tp, C Fehneck, Pleasant Hill tp, James D Albaugh, Walnut Creek tp, J D Frame, Basin tp, S E Woolcott, Catherton tp, S Van Dorn, Guide Rock tp, J A Bailey, Beaver Creek tp, John B Stanser, Garfield tp, G E Ostman, Oak Creek tp, E O Parker, Guide Rock tp, J J Shelton, Stillwater tp, Wm R Ryker, constable Beaver Creek tp, Jacob Bauer, constable Potsdam tp, E J Solomon, constable Harmony tp, Ezra M Setnar, constable Catherton township, J W Jones, constable Walnut Creek tp, Christen Jespersen, constable Basin township, John Simpson, treasurer Oak Creek township, Sidney B Brice, treasurer Harmony township, D P Trunkoy, treasurer Pleasant

Hill tp. W E Thorne, treasurer Glenwood tp, E J Peterson, treasurer Catherton township, G W Francis, treasurer Elm Creek township, Charles A Teel, treasurer Stillwater township, R Croxton, treasurer Beaver Creek township, C L Pope clerk Potsdam tp, J R Laird clerk Oak Creek tp, M A Fisher clerk Glenwood tp, Avalon Binker clerk Walnut Creek tp, Burt Dehl, clerk Stillwater tp, George W Hagan O H R D No 1, W W Ellsworth, N H Pettis, John D Campbell, John Harvey, Jas W Robinson, W M Crabbill, C E Putnam, Wm C Richardson, George M White, Thomas T Finney, Robert H Quiggle, C H Teachworth, W M Points, D S Curfman, Daniel Trine, R C Burt, M A Fisher, William O Banion, Christen Jespersen, William Dickson, Oliver W Hall, Lewis N Sabote, Jerome A Bailey, John R Snee, Chas G Peterson.

On motion that a recess be taken for one hour to consider the approval of the official bond of M B McNitt for county treasurer, just returned and presented, board called to order and the following action had. On motion of A J Kenney, and seconded, that the names of J S Gilham and O G Case be stricken from the official bond of M B McNitt the county treasurer elect for the reason that the statute debarbs them as attorneys from signing bonds as surities.

On motion that a vote of yeas and nays be taken on the approval of the official bond of M B McNitt the county treasurer elect, adopted and resulted as follows: "Yeas," C G Eustis, A J Kenney, Jos Garber, Carl Gust, W H Howe, Isiah B Hampton, R V Shirey, Chas Hunter, John Street, W W Hogate, J M Stoddard, T J Wilder, S W Fulton, J C Brooks, C G Wilson.

T J Wilder, member of the board, appointed as one of the committee to settle with the county treasurer, declined to serve.

On motion that J M Stoddard be added to the committee to settle with the county treasurer, adopted.

On motion board adjourned. J. P. BAYHA, County Clerk.

A Shirt Factory.

Mrs. G. N. McDaniels, of this city, has determined to open a shirt factory in this city. She has had years of experience in the business and feels confident that she can give satisfaction. She guarantees shirts to fit as perfectly as those made in large factories. Patronize home and give Mrs. McDaniels a trial. At present she can be found at her residence in the south part of city.

City Marshal's Notice.

All persons who have dead animals lying around within the city corporation are hereby notified that they must forthwith bury them or they will be fully prosecuted in accordance with the city ordinances made and provided therefor. HARRY POND, City Marshal.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

The Nebraska & Kansas Farm Loan Co. have plenty of money to loan. Go to Ballard's New York store for fine groceries.

Stylographic ink, the only ink fit to use in the independent pen, for sale by Ferguson & Co.

The choicest oysters at Ballard's New York Store.

Scarlet wool underwear at 50 cents and upwards at the Golden Eagle clothing store.

If you would see yourself as others see you, purchase one of those elegant-ly ornamented mirrors now on exhibition at the City Drug Store.

For fine confectionary and cigars go to the post office.

Second annual clearing sale! The square dealing Golden Eagle clothing store will make a big reduction on overcoats, heavy boots, underwear, woolen scarfs, woolen socks, and will continue to give the 20 per cent. discount on all ladies' shoes from now until February 1, 1886. to all cash buyers.

Evans & Perry wish to say that they are prepared to move buildings.

Maple syrup at Ballard's New York store.

Parties wanting to buy pianos or organs will save money by seeing J. & Noll.

Go to Forrester's for your colored glassware. Cheapest house in the city.

Cranberries at Ballard's New York store.

See the Western Cottage organ before buying.

For the best organs see the Western Cottage, sold by J. & Noll.

Beautiful yaces, dolls and toys on the 5 and 100 counters at Ferguson & Co. 9 per cent loans at the Nebraska & Kansas Farm Loan Co.

Joanna SAVA, having purchased the thorough-bred Hereford cattle of L. E. West, now offers them for sale. He has 32 fine thorough-bred bulls and grades and also three short-horns. Now is the chance for farmers to improve their stock. Call on or address him at Red Cloud, Neb.

Reduction in cabinets and card frames at Bradbrook's Gallery until after Holidays.

Remember it takes sunlight and time to make Photographs.

Dampness in Houses.

The absorption of rains and melting snow by the foundation and underpinning walls is a source of dampness not so readily discovered as a defective roof or a naturally wet cellar, though quite as dangerous as either, and it is greatly aggravated when the sill of the house or the first floor is near the ground. If it also happens that the ground around the house is nearly level, then the lower part of it, the part that is in the ground and near it will surely be damp. It is not alone the water that falls upon the roof of a building that must be kept from the cellar. Even when this is caught in gutters, brought to the ground by conductors and possibly carried off in drain pipes to some sewer or remote outlet, there is still the water to be taken care of that strikes the sides of the building in driving storms and which at times is scarcely less than that which falls upon the roof. This is sure to follow down the walls and find its way into the cavity in which the house stands. For it must be borne in mind that every house with a cellar under it occupies a hole in the ground. If this is a wet hole the house is sure to be a damp one. Against this there is a simple precaution that should never be omitted except in latitudes where it never rains; this is a concrete, or better, an asphalt, pavement, two, three, or four feet wide, the inner edge resting against the underpinning, entirely surrounding the house, and of course projecting outward. This may not seem as picturesque a setting for the house as to have the rich green turf closely embracing it; it is immeasurably better from the common-sense and sanitary standpoint. If vines or green things of any sort are allowed on the outer walls, they ought to be trained by some means to the upper parts, where the winds can sweep through them, and where they will not keep the ground next the foundation walls moist, spongy, and porous.

Half of the boys in the Dexter, Me., high school use tobacco, and whisky bottles are passed around among them. A Dexter school girl smokes and swears in public. These cases were up for consideration at a local teachers' institute.

The Mersey Tunnel.

This important undertaking, being very nearly completed, is on the eve of opening for traffic, and by the end of the quarter it is expected that trains will be running regularly and frequently between Liverpool and Birkenhead. The time-table and the fare tariff are undergoing final revision. Advantage has been taken of some unavoidable delay in completing the ventilating apparatus to arrange the junction for the lines authorized in the last session of parliament for connecting the tunnel with the rails along the line of docks. The ventilation is secured by means of powerful fans, which in the air-shaft produce a current of air at the force of thirty miles an hour. Access to the tunnel for passengers will be obtained by a stairway, an inclined way, and an immense lift capable of carrying one hundred persons. It is hoped that the price of Wales may consent to open the tunnel. -London News.

Call at Bradbrook's 4th avenue Gallery and have a negative taken at once so as to give me time to finish them and not be disappointed.

For Sale. One six foot oval front show case. C. L. COTTING.

Cabinets at \$4.00 per dozen, Cards for \$2.50 per dozen until after the Holidays at Bradbrook's Gallery.

Simons' auction room is open for bargains at all times.

New York backwater flour at Ballard's New York Store.

Uncle Sam's harness oil in any quantity, at Cottings.

Call at Simons' auction room on 4th Avenue and secure good bargains.

The celebrated stylographic self feeding pen, the most convenient and desirable pen ever made, for sale by E. Wood Red Cloud. Price \$1.25. Orders left at the office of THE CHIEF will receive prompt attention. One of the most meritorious articles in the market. To be appreciated needs but to be seen. Seventy-five now in the city, and all giving satisfaction.

The Golden Eagle sells the best man's boot for \$2 ever sold in the city, and their Salt boots and shoes in all grades cannot be beat for quality and price anywhere.

Call on Kieeman & Wiener at the post office for choice, and always fresh, imported, Key West and domestic cigars.

It is no wonder that the Golden Eagle sends out so many large bundles, when you can get a good, serviceable suit in men's sizes, for \$2.50 any upwards. Overcoats from \$2.25 and upwards.

Don't fail to see the elegant line of albums at Ferguson & Co's.

For bargains in dry goods go to Mrs Newhous's.

Loans made with the Nebraska & Kansas Farm Loan Co. can be paid at home.

Burlington Route B. & M. R. R.

Denver to Chicago, Denver to Kansas City, Denver to Omaha, Omaha to Chicago, Kansas City to Chicago, Omaha to St. Louis, BEST LINE FROM WEST TO EAST!

SURE CONNECTIONS LOW RATES BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH.

Through tickets over the Burlington Route are for sale by the Union Pacific, Great Northern, Chicago & North Western, and the Burlington.

For further information, apply to any agent of the Burlington Route.

Remember it takes sunlight and time to make Photographs.

Clothing suits for men and boys.

overcoats at bottom prices

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Boots and shoes coarse and fine. from 50cts. up

Wool boots a specialty.

For Sale at a Bargain.

A desirable residence in the city of Red Cloud, Nebraska, being lots 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in block 18, original town of Red Cloud, with house having four rooms and good cellar, good well and pump, 15 ft trees on place, various kinds, nearly all bearing, also small fruits bearing; 42 shade trees on and surrounding the place; blue grass in front house. A delightful residence and good location next square north-west of court house. Also three lots next square north of school house, 2nd ward. All can be bought at a bargain. Inquire of J. P. BAYHA, County Clerk.

Take Notice. The Traders Lumber Co., of this city, Mr. F. E. Goble manager, is now fully prepared to furnish the people of the country adjacent to Red Cloud with lumber, building material, lime, hair cement, hard and soft coal, etc., in any quantity desired and at the most reasonable rates. It will pay the people of Webster, Smith and Jewell counties, and in fact any and every one in a radius of fifty miles of Red Cloud to get figures from the Traders lumber company if intending to build, as the company are bound to sell lumber at all hazards. When you want anything in our line call and see us before buying elsewhere.

TRADE'S LUMBER CO. Per F. E. Goble.

Itch and scratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by Ferguson & Co drug gist, Red Cloud, Neb. 23-ly

Delicate and lasting perfumes at the City Drug Store.

Articles of Incorporation of the Farmers and Merchants' Banking Company.

Article 1.-We, the undersigned, do hereby incorporate ourselves and shall become stockholders hereinto a body corporate for general banking business under the general incorporation laws of the state of Nebraska.

Article 2.-The name of the corporation shall be "Farmers' and Merchants' Banking Company."

Article 3.-The corporation shall be located in Red Cloud, county of Webster, and state of Nebraska.

Article 4.-The incorporation is done for the transaction of a general banking business.

Article 5.-The capital stock of the corporation shall be an authorized stock of one hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, to be paid in in such amounts and at such times as directed by the directors of said corporation.

Article 6.-The corporation shall date from April 25, 1886, and shall continue for twenty years, and may be continued from time to time indefinitely.

Article 7.-The general control and government of all affairs and transactions shall rest with the stockholders, and shall be exercised by the board of directors, the number to be determined annually by a majority vote of the stockholders assembled in meeting on the first Wednesday after the first Monday in April of each year. Immediately following the stockholders shall proceed to elect the required number of directors, and shall hold office for the ensuing year, and until their successors are elected and qualified. The board of directors shall elect one of their number president, another vice-president, and shall elect or appoint a cashier and such other officers as may be deemed necessary. To such officers the directors shall delegate the ordinary executive functions inherent in the position to which such officer is assigned. At all meetings of stockholders each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for each share of stock owned, as shown by the books of the corporation. Only such stockholders as are bona fide owners of ten shares of capital stock shall be eligible for the office of director.

Article 8.-No stockholders shall be contracted by the corporation other than deposits and collections received in the regular course of business.

Article 9.-For the intervening time from the commencement of the said corporation until the annual meeting of stockholders, the election of directors, and the election or appointment of officers, as specified in article seventh, shall be made by the undersigned, and W. B. Garber shall act as cashier, with full power to do all things consistent with the proper management of the affairs of the corporation.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands the 12th day of January A. D. 1886.

(Signed) N. G. GARBER, E. B. SMITH, J. M. GARDNER, G. B. HOLLAND, W. S. GARBER.

On the 12th day of January, A. D. 1886, before me, F. Overman, a notary public, personally came N. G. Garber, E. B. Smith, J. M. Gardner, G. B. Holland, W. S. Garber, and they acknowledged to me the above writing and the contents of the same for the uses and purposes stated therein. Witness my hand and notarial seal.

(Signed) F. OVERMAN, Notary Public.

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I will positively sell goods for cash after January 1st. All those knowing themselves indebted to me, will please call and settle by the above date.

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Attention Teachers.

Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to enter the normal school of Webster county at my office in Red Cloud on the third Saturday of each month. Examinations commencing at 9 a. m. Do not act for special examinations. C. W. STANLEY, Sec'y.

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Probate Notice.

ELIZABETH C. CHAPIN HAS THIS OFFICE day of December, 1885, had her petition in the county court of Webster county, Neb., showing cause for the appointment of a guardian of the estate of her said daughter, Elizabeth C. Chapin, late of Webster county, Neb., and on or about December 15, 1885, and having read letters of administration be granted her. Tuesday, January 13, 1886, I appointed as officer of said estate, in and for said county, the following persons, to-wit: J. M. Gardner, J. B. Stanger, and J. B. Stanger, and having read the petition, I have approved of the same, and the same shall stand as if they had been appointed. All persons interested will take notice of this and show cause if they so desire. Witness my hand and seal of office in Red Cloud, Neb., this 22nd day of December, 1885.

(Seal) Geo. C. Yarnall, County Judge.

Second Annual Clearing Sale.

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Heavy Boots.

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And will continue to give the 20

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I take this method of thanking my customers for the past year for their patronage and good will, shall endeavor through the coming year to make my stock even more complete than it is now, and use every precaution in compounding prescriptions, and dispensing medicines. My aim is to make this a first class store in every particular as an inducement to cash trade. I now issue a \$15 cash card to each customer when this amount is traded out the customer will receive \$1.00 in goods free.

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