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### SPLINTERS

Gathered Up by Chief Reporters in And About the City and County.

Standard mowing machine. G. W. Dow, agent. 50-2m

Jas. McNony and R. V. Shirey are in Dakota this week

Mrs. R. V. Shirey and sister are in Indiana this week.

Go to Cottings for your ink, tabs, paper, pens, pencils, &c.

Earl Newton has severed his connection with Henry Cook, and gone to New York.

The B & M train was delayed three hours Wednesday night by running out of steam between Blue Hill and Red Cloud.

The Nebraska and Kansas Farm Loan company have moved into the rear of the First National bank, where they have more commodious quarters.

In another column will be found the advertisement of the Western hotel of Denver. THE CHIEF can assure all who go to Denver that they will be treated nicely if they stop at the Western Hotel, on 12th street.

The following people joined the M. E. church at Amboy, Sunday last: David F. Trunkney, Mary E. Trunkney, P. M. Corbitt, Louis A. Corbitt, Sarah Miller. A good strong church association was organized and starts out in good shape.

In our announcement column will be found the name of Dr. C. Schenck for the office of county judge. The doctor is thoroughly conversant with the duties of that office and if elected would fill it with honor to himself and county.

Edward L. Smith son of E. B. Smith of this city, was married Wednesday night to Miss Lida L. Huffman daughter of our esteemed friend, Mr. Wm. Huffman a prominent agriculturalist on Indian creek. The happy couple have our best wishes for a long life of happiness.

E. H. Jones, one of our old residents of Webster county announces himself in today's CHIEF as a candidate for county treasurer. Mr. Jones is well qualified for the position having filled that office several times in the early days of Webster county. He is a good substantial citizen and will have a strong support.

At the last meeting of the board of supervisors they selected Mr. Geo. P. Cather as representative of Webster county to the state fair. Mr. Cather is a good man for the place and requests those who wish to send specimens to the state fair leave them with him at THE CHIEF office. The time is near at hand and the articles will have to be fitted up by the 30th.

J. J. Dacker has gone to Illinois.

Geo. Ball of Akron, is in the city.

Ed. Bohanan and family are in the city.

The fire boys are home from Denver.

Will Mitchell and family will move to Orleans soon.

E. H. Jones is a candidate for county treasurer.

Furniture of all kinds cheaper than ever at F. V. Taylor's.

How is this. A tablet with 200 leaves for 10c at Deyo's.

Hon. J. L. Kaley and wife are home from their extended trip east.

Deyo has a few more barrels of machine oil which he would like to close out.

The little babe of Charley Smeiser's died one day last week and was buried on Sunday.

Deyo has the largest and finest line of school supplies ever brought to Red Cloud.

Dr. J. E. Emigh and family, leave next Tuesday for a sojourn in Illinois for several weeks.

Call on G. W. Dow and get prices on McCormick or Standard mowing machines. 50-2m

The finest line of guns in the valley just received a A. Morhart's, the popular hardware man, Red Cloud.

A. K. Gowdy, and family have arrived in Red Cloud. They will occupy E. F. Highland's handsome dwelling.

C. Wiener, of the Golden Eagle clothing house has returned from the east where he has been in search of goods.

Miss Minnie Johnson of McCook who has been the guest of Mrs. M. R. Bently for the past week has returned home.

I can save you big money on furniture and carpets. 100 different patterns of carpets cut without waste at F. V. Taylor's.

Came bottom chairs for 75c each at Haines' new furnishing emporium, west side of Webster street in Spokesfield old stand, Red Cloud.

The draw near C. F. Evans residence has been fixed up and graded in good shape under the direction of the street and alley committee.

Fine lot of new mouldings and new furniture at Haines' furniture emporium, new store on Webster street, three doors south of 4th Avenue.

Gus Roats one of our most enterprising farmers has a five months old colt, raised this spring, that tips the beam at 600 pounds. Is there a man in the state that has a colt of that age that can beat it?

The Webster county fair should be the great center of attraction to the people this year. Every farmer and mechanic should take an extra interest in its welfare and try to make it a great success.

The Helmet man's article on Miss Mind and Mr. Soul, wasn't the kind of an item that should be published in religious sheets of that character. Our probib friend should scissor with more care and deeper thought.

J. A. Bailey of Guide Rock had the misfortune of losing his son Irving the fore part of the week from typhoid fever. The little fellow was buried on Wednesday. County Clerk Bailey went down to the funeral. Another one of Mr. Bailey's children is sick but there is hope that he will recover.

Mrs. Bently gave a small tea-party, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her guest, Miss Minnie Johnson, of McCook. The following young ladies were present Miss Yeiser, McMillan, Bellows, Goble and Ferris. After a sumptuous repast they accompanied the young lady to the train in carriages.

While running to the fire Thursday morning Henry Cook thought he would take a hand on the hose cart. When the boys began unreeling the hose one end of it struck Henry throwing his watch out of his pocket and ripping his clothing. He thinks just a little "fire works" will do him hereafter.

On Thursday morning the alarm of fire was sounded. On investigation it was found that the little frame house where Joe Cummings lived was on fire. In less than five minutes after the fire, the department was on the grounds, throwing water, and strange to say saved the building which had they been five minutes latter would have been consumed.

### A LIST OF CANDIDATES.

Whose Names Will probably Appear Before the Republican Convention for the Various Offices.

THE CHIEF reporters have managed to pick up the following names of prominent gentlemen of Webster county, who have been mentioned for the various offices in the gift of the people. First among the list we will mention the name of

#### HENRY SCOTT

who is well known in Webster county and who has filled the office of sheriff with credit to himself and honor to the county. In fact Henry Scott is one of the best sheriffs the county has ever had, a perfect gentleman and a man whose position does not make him feel above the common people. No one can say naught of him, except it be that he is always true to a friend, has a heart in him as big as a barrel, and yet, a man who no one can use for mercenary purposes. He will no doubt receive the nomination for another term.

#### D. G. GRICE

of Batin township is also a candidate for the office of sheriff. Mr. Grice is an old citizen of Webster county, and if he should receive the nomination would no doubt make a good officer. Mr. G. will have strong backing from his township in the county convention.

Several other candidates have been mentioned for sheriff but we do not know as to the truth of the assertion.

#### FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

We have heard the names of several prominent men of Webster county, any one of whom would make good officers, we presume.

#### C. B. CRONE,

who has held the position of deputy treasurer for the last four years is a man of good ability, and a gentleman who would manage the responsible office of treasurer with an eye to the best interests of the county. He is a good accountant and is in every way qualified to hold the office of treasurer. Mr. C. has strong backing and will go into the convention well represented.

#### GEO. W. HUMMEL

of Line township has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the office of county treasurer. Mr. Hummel is one of the pioneers of Webster county having settled here when there was still doubt in the minds of the people in regard to the soil being able to produce anything. Mr. H. is well qualified to fill the office although he has lived on a farm all his life, or nearly so. He is a good man and would be a creditable officer to the county.

#### E. H. JONES

of Inavale is also talked of as a candidate for the office of treasurer. He would make a good officer. We have also heard the name of

#### A. L. FUNK

mentioned as a probable candidate for the office of treasurer. Mr. Funk is well known in Red Cloud and if he is a candidate he will go into the convention with good backing.

It is also rumored that Col. Hoover, Thad. Arnold and I. B. Hampton are candidates for the treasury.

#### FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Eva J. King will be her own successor, as it is generally conceded that she has been the best county superintendent that Webster county has ever had. She is a lady of good education and has brought the schools up to a higher standard than they have ever been known to have before. She will be nominated and elected without any opposition.

#### FOR COUNTY CLERK.

There are four candidates as far as heard from. We shall first mention the name of

#### J. H. BAILEY

who has manipulated the county clerk's office for the last four years with ability, has made one of the best clerks the county has ever had. Mr. B. is a thorough scholar and fully understands the arduous duties of the office over which he has presided four years. Mr. Bailey is also an old settler having lived in this section ever since the county was organized. His own township (Guide Rock) will be solid for him and besides he will go into the convention with very strong backing. Mr. Bailey deserves another term and has entered the race with the determination of "getting there."

#### H. E. POND

who has been the faithful deputy in

the county clerk's office for four years is also a candidate for clerk. Harry was an old soldier and served through the late war with honor, and is now a candidate for the support of the people for the county clerk's office. He is an honorable man, and has the ability to fill the office in good shape. He will also be strongly backed by his friends.

#### H. D. RANNEY

of Blue Hill is also a candidate for clerk. Mr. R. is well known in the north part of the county as a man of good ability and well qualified to fill the office of clerk. Mr. Ranney received the nomination for register of deeds four years ago and was elected, but the supreme court decided that the law was void as far as the county was concerned and so he was cheated out of it. He expects to come into the convention with strong backing.

#### JOSEPH GARAEK

who is well known in this county is also a candidate for county clerk. Joe has a good many friends in the county and we presume he will come into the convention with a strong delegation ready to battle for him.

#### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

There are four candidates as far as heard from, any one of whom could fill that office creditably to himself and the people generally.

#### D. F. TRUNKNEY

who has been in this county for several years is a candidate for county judge. Mr. Trunkney is well qualified to fill the office in every way and will come into the convention strongly endorsed by his friends

#### DR. C. SCHENCK

who has served the county several years as coroner is also a candidate. The doctor is a good scholar and a man whom the people could feel proud of as county judge. He was an old soldier and fought nobly for his country. The doctor will be backed by many friends.

#### SAMUEL WEST

who has lived in Red Cloud for many years and has always been a good citizen is also a candidate for judge. Mr. West is well qualified for the office of county judge should he receive the nomination and election would make an able officer.

#### GEO. W. BARKER

one of our rising attorneys is also mentioned as a candidate for county judge. George would make a good officer if elected and we have no doubt will enter the convention with a good substantial backing.

#### FOR CORONER.

We have heard the name of I. B. Stanser of Garfield township mentioned. Mr. Stanser would make a good officer and THE CHIEF would like to see him nominated and elected to that office.

If there are any more candidates for public favor we shall mention them next week.

The Red Cloud and McCook base ball clubs had a set-to in our city last Friday and the score stood 11 to 3 in favor of McCook. The McCook's used our old friend Nick Lookabaugh as pitcher, and besides had other experienced players while the Red Cloud are only occasional players.

#### Harvest Excursion.

Send the names of your friends in the east whom you wish to visit you, or who are seeking new locations, to J. R. Buchanan, General Passenger Agent of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley R. R. Co., Omaha, Neb., that he may send them information relative to the "One-Fare Harvest Excursions," which occur August 6th and 20th, September 10th and 24th, and October 8th.

#### Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malaria fevers. For cure of Headache, Consumption and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at Henry Cook's drugstore.

#### Kindergarten.

Miss E. K. Lawrence will organize and permanently establish a kindergarten school, upon the "Froebel" system if a class of thirty or more pupils can be secured. Any age between 4 and 10. Tuition, reasonable as possible. Leave answer at CHIEF.

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