

# THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

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By A. C. HOSMER.

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## Still on Top!

THE

# Square Dealing

### Golden Eagle Clothing House,

An immense stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing!



An Immense Stock of Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear and Hosiery.  
An Immense Stock of Hats and Caps, New and Fashionable.  
An Immense Stock of Men's and Boy's Boots and Shoes.  
An Immense Stock of Trunks and Valises await your inspection.

Prices and Quality Guaranteed!  
You are invited to call.

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No one objects to having a neat fitting boot or shoe.

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Buy the babies and older children something neat, nice, durable

Buy goods of us that are fully warranted and will be repaired free of charge in case they fail to give satisfaction.

All goods Clean, New, Fresh and CHEAP.

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Castoria.

"Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children."

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"Castoria is the best remedy for children of which I am acquainted. I hope the day is not far distant when mothers will consider the real interest of their children, and use Castoria instead of the various quack nostrums which are destroying their loved ones, by forcing opium, morphine, soothing syrup and other hurtful agents down their throats, thereby sending them to premature graves."

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UNITED HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY, Boston, Mass.

ALLEN C. SMITH, Pres.,

### Bladen.

Rough feed is very scarce. Quite a number of cattle are dying. Wheeler Wicks is once more a resident of Bladen.

Glenwood township has no justice of the peace.

Where was L. W. McLaughlin the night of the literary?

Farmers are busily engaged with their spring work.

The annual town meeting was held Tuesday at the G. A. R. hall.

The literary closed last Friday evening with a good attendance.

On account of the storm on Easter Sunday the exercises of the Congregational Sunday school were postponed until last Sunday.

DIED.—Mrs. C. Stout, the mother of John and C. C. Stout, died suddenly last Friday evening. She was 67 years old. The funeral services took place Sunday at the residence of C. C. Stout and the remains interred in the McCoy cemetery.

### Invale.

Farmers have commenced sowing grain.

Mr. G. W. Knight went to Red Cloud Monday.

Mr. Wrinkle the assessor, has commenced his round trip again.

S. E. Wolcott and son have rented G. W. Knight's farm for the coming year.

The Invale school has a vacation of two weeks on account of Miss Nye's sisters death.

G. W. Knight is visiting at home this week.

Mr. McClure is home from Norton, Kansas, where he has been for the past week.

Mr. Hartwell is putting a picket fence around his place.

Mr. Hull the blacksmith, has plenty of work of late.

Mr. Sheldon is very sick at Mr. Ofusteads. He is not expected to live.

Mr. Vance has gone to farming.

Mr. Prentis has gone west to buy up some cattle.

### Amboy.

We have been having nice weather but quite changeable.

I think the young folks had better quit trying to have parties till the farmers get their crops in.

We don't need rain for a few days.

A surprise party at Chas. Frisbie's last Thursday evening. A jolly time reported.

Everybody is farming.

Mr. Baker sold one of his Jersey cows last week.

Mr. Hines has returned from Nebraska City.

Orlie Cockrill has returned from Fremont.

Chas. Mitchell and his best girl spent Sunday in Amboy with Chas. Frisbie.

The Methodist minister has changed his appointment till three o'clock at Amboy. Evening air don't seem to agree with him and the people don't seem to agree with the sermon he preached Sunday night. They think it was very much out of place and I think if Mr. Minister would look on the right side of the bible he wouldn't find no such scripture in it.

### Rose Bud.

Services were held in the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Puls.

The three sisters Mary, Mable and May were of the same age, and looked so much alike that in former years their own parents could hardly tell them apart. The circle of three is broken never to be joined except in eternity.

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### South Side.

There will be some interesting news shortly, if we don't miss our guess, for Charley Gust Sr. and the widow Williams have been seen riding in the same buggy together apparently looking as happy as a clam.

We think now that spring is here sure for the sandhill cranes are passing over on their way north, and Mr. Frank Street has got his mustache cut smack smooth off.

We are going to have preaching Friday the 10th day of April, at the schoolhouse in Dist. No. 34, by Rev. G. W. Hummel. Everybody is invited to be there by 7 o'clock on that evening.

We don't believe anyone would object to starting a Sunday school in Dist. 34, and we would nominate Peck's Bad Boy for superintendent.

Will Kuchin met with quite an accident last week. While trimming up trees with a hatchet he severed the leaders of two of his fingers.

Julian Wilbur is working for O. McCall.

Otto Stocke, the assessor of Line township, is now going the rounds to ascertain the wealth of said township.

Two of Mr. Geo. Hummel's daughters are boarding with Lew Hummel their uncle and going to school in Red Cloud.

Uncle Peter McNitt has been layed up for the last week with heart trouble.

### PECK'S GOOD SISTER.

### Died.

At her home in Red Cloud, Neb., April 5, 1891, Mrs. Lucy J. Ross, aged 42 years, 9 months, and 29 days.

Miss Thompson was born in Virgo, Wis., June 6, 1848, and was married to H. W. Ross in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, October 20, 1867.

She joined the United Brethren church about eleven years ago, was baptized and became a member of the Christian church about one year ago.

She had been afflicted 16 years, suffering severely at times, especially the last 8 months.

She leaves a husband and three children to profit by her example as well as to mourn her loss. Four children have preceded their mother into eternity. In the midst of sickness, suffering, and disappointment, she manifested wonderful patience, and developed a lofty Christian character.

Services were conducted at the Christian church Tuesday morning by O. H. Truman.

### Died.

At the residence of her mother, Mrs. A. M. Nye, in Red Cloud, Nebraska, April 6, 1891, of consumption, Miss May Evelyn Nye, aged 25 years and 28 days.

May Evelyn Nye was born in Cambridge, Illinois, March 8, 1866.

She was a loving obedient child, and a kind sister and playmate.

When fifteen years of age she, together with her two sisters, united with the Congregational church of their native place; of which church they were members at the time of her death.

She was an earnest, consistent Christian, working for the Master, or patiently suffering and waiting. She was always ready, and when the summons came was not afraid to go.

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### The Election.

The election last Tuesday under the new Australian ballot system was a complete success and was one of the most quiet affairs of the kind ever held in the city. Not a bit of electioneering was to be seen and every voter was permitted to go to the polls and vote his sentiments as he pleased. The law is certainly a great success and a big improvement over the old style of holding elections where a voter's footsteps were dogged to the very ballot box by ward heelers and second class politicians, to see that he voted right. The Tuesday election resulted in the election of

M. B. McNitt, Mayor

T. J. Ward, Clerk

Henry Cook, Treasurer

For members of the school board—Mrs. Ellen J. Ducker, H. E. Pond, and Geo. O. Yeiser.

Alderman—2d ward G. H. Whitson.

Aldermen—1st ward, M. W. Dickerson and David H. Rudd.

Messrs Ward and Cook are democrats, and Mr. Whitson independent, and from that the balance of the ticket is republican.

Mr. McNitt was elected by about thirty majority over Mr. Beutley. The new officers are good ones and will do their duty regardless of fear or favor. We feel confident that Mr. McNitt will make one of the best mayors that Red Cloud has ever had, and we think his election shows the wisdom of having two tickets in the field as there can be no objection to the choice of the people. The CHIEF is not inclined to crow over the election, but will say that the choice of the people will show that the selection of a republican ticket was no "mistake" as one of our city exchange was pleased to call it, but on the other hand was a roaring success.

### CUT THIS OUT.

If you buy \$5 worth of goods of C. Wiener for cash and present this slip you will receive in return 25 cents. Not good after July 1st, 1891.

### American Tin Plate

Norton Bros., of Chicago, are contracting tin cans for the season's packing, to be made from American tin, at prices lower than ever before known in this country. P. H. Lauffman & Co., of Appollo, Pa., have delivered 100 boxes of American made tin, the quality of which the receiving parties describe as "excellent" and the price "a little lower than for the corresponding quality and weight of imported plates".

These are facts that will cause sadness in the hearts of free traders. If the matter goes much further, watchers will be necessary to sit up with the calamity shouters.—Champaign (Ill.) News.

The carpenter, like the country school teacher, is accustomed to learning around.

The next edition of the session laws of Nebraska will be, if rumors are true, one of the curiosities of the age. It is said that the enrolling clerks of the legislature have original ideas about spelling, obtained, perhaps, from some Frank Lawler, the author of a scheme of spelling reform that he has been incessantly urging on congress. In pursuance of that theory, the bills are, as passed, fearfully and wonderfully spelled, and the house committee on engrossed and enrolled bills has not entered any objection.

Now it is the duty, and has always been the custom of the public printer to "follow copy" in printing the laws, though it should take the compositor or out of a fifth story window. It is customary where a palpable error occurs for the printer to first print the word as he finds it, and then the word as he supposes it ought to have been written, in brackets. The laws of the present session when printed will perhaps look something like this: "Be it enacted (enacted) by the legislator (legislature) of the stat (state) of Nebraska (Nebraska), etc." The effete east will perhaps peer and deride us when this book appears. But we shall have the consolation of retorting that "these are but errors of the head (head) and not of the heart (heart) and that it is better to be ruled by honest men who can't spell, than by brass collared villains from the colleges and universities."—State Journal.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

## Royal Baking Powder

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### LOCAL DRIFT.

Wanted, butter and eggs at J. S. Parkes.

All the latest styles and new colors in spring wraps at R. M. Martin & Son's.

We mean business and will under sell any dry goods house in the county. Call and be convinced.—R. M. Martin & Son.

Mens suits strong and slightly can be bought at Wiener's at \$2.75 worth \$3.50 and from that up, bargains in all grades of goods bought this season.

Anyone having lands to sell, or trade for Red Cloud, Lincoln or Omaha property or merchandise call at once on KALEY & BARKER.

Last week in our hasty write up of the Temple of Fame we inadvertently omitted to mention the fact that Miss Donahue won the crown on that occasion. Also, we omitted in the program the part of George Morhart and Thad McNitt entitled "Joan of Arc and his guard."

During the last few weeks the following poetry would have been quite suitable to any of the public thoroughfares leading to this city:

This road is not passable,  
Not even jackassable;  
And those who wish to travel it  
Should turn out and gravel it.

One of the pleasing events of the week was the farewell given to Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Taggart on Friday evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Albright by the members of the chautauqua circle. An elegant tea was served during the evening by the ladies. The evening was spent in social chat and will long be remembered by all present.

A. Pickens & Son of Hastings show most superb line of carpets, art squares, and Smyrna rugs this spring also an elegant line of curtains consisting of silk and chenille portieres, lace goods in renaissance, Brussels net, Nottingham Turkish moire, etc. Get quotation of prices on any of above lines and we will guarantee to sell you at lower prices and give you standard qualities and brands.

The gentlemen and ladies composing the Crusaders, have left Red Cloud after doing some very fine work for the cause of religion. While about one hundred were converted, and seventy-one joined the M. E. church. Their method is one that is both convincing and interesting. If they could have been prevailed upon to have staid two or three weeks more they would have accomplished great work in Red Cloud.

Boyd & Overing have added to their works in the last week a polishing machine. The machine is the one patented by our fellow townsman, D. C. Myers. The machine when placed in operation works by hand by crank movement and the work of rubbing and polishing is done by a rotary disc the sand and water being fed automatically. This labor saving device takes the place of seven men and can perform the work much more accurately than by hand.

Anyone visiting Hastings are cordially invited to examine the immense stock of dry goods, carpets and millinery shown by A. Pickens & Son this season. The assortment is as fine as anything west of Chicago and we most emphatically assert that our prices are much lower than can be found either in Omaha or Lincoln. Call and see us and we will make special prices in silks and patterns. Our stock of wash dress goods, spring jackets and table linens are unequalled in the state.

### G. A. R.

Until further notice, regular meetings of James A. Garfield Post No. 80, Dept. G. A. R. will be held Monday evening on or before each full moon at 7:30 p. m., and two weeks thereafter at 2 p. m. Visiting comrades cordially invited to attend. G. W. KIGHT, P. C. C. SCHENCK, Adj't.

## For A FEW DAYS

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# PANTS

## GOING TO SELL PANTS

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We have a new stock JUST IN.

Styles, Better Goods!

## LOWER PRICES

THAN EVER!

## We have SOMETHIN' new in Pants

Different than you ever wore before. Come

and see our One Dollar Pant, never will rip, so long as you both do live together.

## McNitt & Galusha.

## Removed! Removed!

GEORGE WHITSON,

To McFarland's Old Stand, Corner of Webster street and 11th Ave. Where he will keep on hand all of the best hardware goods to be found. A new shipment of genuine

Baker Wire and

Charter Oak Stoves.

Job work, tin roofing and city water works plumbing, guns and ammunition, specialties with us. Promptness guaranteed and your work collected. Come and see me two doors north E. & W. bank.

GEORGE WHITSON,

Your Servant and Toller after Trade.

H. CLARKE President, Albany, N. Y. J. A. TULLY, Vice-President

ROBT. V. SHIRLEY, Treasurer.

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Take Your Application in Time, Because you will be feeling dread with the lender and not through no fault or commission of his.

Because you can get the lowest rate.

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Because we do not ask you application all over the country for some one else to fill.

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Because interest and principal is payable at our office, and if desired we can give you a check on the interest payments.

Because you will be pleased with our manner of business, and save money, save time, save trouble.

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