

# THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

"Eternal Vigilance is the Price of Liberty," and One Dollar a year is the Price of The Chief.

By A. C. Hosmer.

RED CLOUD, WEBSTER COUNTY, NEB., FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1891.

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## Special Clearing Sale!

OF

### SUMMER DRY GOODS

#### At Ducker's Cash Dry Goods House,

### GOODS SOLD AT LESS THAN COST.

Lambkin Plaids 3/4c per yard. Be sure and see them.  
Ladies' Hose 5 and 9c per pair. Children's fast Black and Colored Hose at 6c.  
Children's Summer Vests at 6c. Silk Mitts at 14 and 19c per yard.  
Indigo Blue Calico 5c. 10c Bleached Muslin for 7c  
7c Unbleached Muslin for 5c. Ladies' Handkerchiefs 5c usual price 10c.  
Fast Black Organdie Lawns 12 1/2c Parasols and Umbrellas at less than cost.

Fast Black French Satine at 19c. Spring and Summer Jackets at half Usual Price. We are determined to CLOSE OUT OUR SUMMER GOODS

And are making the LOWEST PRICES ever heard of. Come at once and get some of the bargains.

## Geo. A. Ducker.

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### JOS. HERBURGER,

Proprietor of the

#### City Bakery and Restaurant,

For a good Square meal. Boarding and Lodging by day or week. All kinds of Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes. Headquarters for Oranges, Lemons and Bananas. All kinds of fresh fruit and Candy, Nuts, Cigars, Tobacco, fresh Oysters, and Ice cream in season.

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### What is

# CASTORIA

Castoria is Dr. Samuel Pitzer's prescription for Infants and Children. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is a harmless substitute for Paregoric, Drops, Soothing Syrup, and Castor Oil. It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by Millions of Mothers. Castoria destroys Worms and allays feverishness. Castoria prevents vomiting Sour Curd, cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves teething troubles, cures constipation and flatulency. Castoria assimilates the food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—the Mother's Friend.

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"Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children."  
Dr. G. C. Osgood,  
Lowell, Mass.

Castoria.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me."  
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111 So. Oxford St., Brockton, Mass.

"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 harmful agents down their throats, thereby sending them to premature graves."  
Dr. J. F. Knicker,  
Conroy, Ark.

"Our physicians in the children's department have spoken highly of their experience in their outside practice with Castoria, and although we only have among our medical supplies what is known as regular products, yet we are free to confess that the merits of Castoria has won us to look with favor upon it."  
UNITED HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY,  
Boston, Mass.

The Castoria Company, 71 Murray Street, New York City.

**Cowles.**  
Mrs. Harry Hopkins has returned from a prolonged stay with her children in Omaha and Chicago.

A colony of two of English sparrows have appeared here. If now they would get in a little work on the worms that infest the lettuce and cabbages, we might think better of them.

Harris & Hanawalt have just received a ton of granulated sugar and a half ton of other grades. If we do not keep sweet, for the present future, it will not be their fault.

Mrs. Fanny Adams, of Upland, has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Hager and Mrs. Waller.

On the fourth several families had a pleasant picnic in a grove at G. Latta's. Another group had one at Miller's grove. No orations at either. The lack was supplied by musquitos galore, who gave us pointers in abundance.

Deacon Wilson has opened a meat market at the old stand. Thomas Paul will serve customers when the Deacon is away with his meat wagon.

H. J. Sheldon welcomed a new daughter, early on Monday morning, the girls are in the majority again in that family.

The nice residence of H. C. Cutler was burned with all its contents during storm on Monday night. It was probably fired by lightning, early in the night and when discovered was too far gone to save anything. Mr. Cutler arrived with his bride, on Tuesday afternoon while the ruins of his house were still smoking. It is a great disappointment and a heavy loss to them. Every body is sorry for them.

The storm of Monday night was a big one and Elm creek has seldom been on such a tear. It was as if all the clouds held a meeting here and north of here, and meeting all the tears they could.

**Electric Bitters.**

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters since the same song of praise. A pure 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 eruptions caused by impure blood. For cure of Headache, constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at L. H. Deyo's drugstore.

The 4th of July passed off in fine style in Red Cloud with the exceptions of the rain which fell in just enough quantity to mar the pleasure of the people. The program was fully carried out and was splendid. The fire works in the evening were the best we have ever seen in Red Cloud. The afternoon exercises were fair, and every one seemed to have an excellent time, if the streets were slushy and wet. The young Americans did their part shooting firecrackers and keeping up the national honor, while the older heads took in the more serious sports, and the ladies, well they had all that they could do to keep out of the rain. Altogether it was the best 4th of July celebration, or would have been, that was ever held in Red Cloud, had it not been for the rain.

It seems to us that the speech of M. L. Wheat, the 4th of July orator, was the most wishy washy stuff that was ever perpetrated upon a class of all kinds of political people. He took particular pains to deliver a purely third party speech, to the disgust of every other party there, who had paid his or her money for a 4th of July speech, instead of a political harangue that contained neither sense nor ability. We do not know who to blame for it, but the speech was very much out of place for the occasion. No one objects to a man's political views, if he delivers them at a proper period, but Wheat's speech was not in the least appropriate for the 4th, inasmuch as it was a rebuke of his campaign speech used last fall when here.

**The Fourth at Bladen.**

Owing to threatening weather the exercises were postponed until afternoon. A large number of people were in attendance. R. C. Best was President of the day, and well did he discharge his duties. The Red Cloud Martial Band furnished the music, and your editor delivered an address. Besides the reading of the declaration by Miss Householder, Miss Charlotte Hunter of Monmouth, Illinois, recited the "Drummer Boy of Mission Ridge." Her rendition of that thrilling piece surpassed that of many professionals. The Nation editor and the Red Cloud band were highly pleased with the hospitality, kindness and courtesy of the Bladen people. Long will the event be remembered by the participants.

**A Husband's Mistake.**

Husbands too often permit wives, and parents their children, to suffer from headache, dizziness, neuralgia, fits, when by the use of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine such results could be prevented. Druggists everywhere say it gives universal satisfaction, and has an immense sale. Woodworth & Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.; Snow & Co., Syracuse, N. Y.; and hundreds of others say it is the greatest relief they ever knew. Trial bottles sent free by mail on Nervous Diseases, sent at C. L. Cotting's.

Ed Smith, son of J. H. Smith returned this week from Minneapolis, and left this evening for Salt Lake, where he goes into the lumber business with his brother Will.

**Departed this Life.**

Died at the residence of Rev. Geo. O. Yeiser, his brother-in-law, in this city, on the morning of July 9th, 1891. Dr. John Dillard. Dr. Dillard came to this place in Dec. 1857, in feeble health, and finding that his health improved, made it his home and became interested and identified with the interests of this community. He was the son of Rev. R. T. Dillard, D. D. of Lexington, Ky., and was born June, 1830. He chose medicine as his profession and practiced it very successfully, until about 1881, then gave it up on account of failing health. In the fall of 1890, his health began to fail and he took a trip to California. Returned to this city in April last, in very bad health, his nervous system greatly racked. He was not able to go upon the street after his return. The evening before his death (4th) complained of noise, cat heartily in the evening and walked through the house, appeared in usual health in past month. In the morning his room was visited and not answering call, his niece went into the room and found him dead. Friends of Dr. Dillard and family thought it better to hold an inquest and post mortem examination. It was found that "He died from natural causes" fatty degeneracy of the heart. He evidently died without a struggle, calm and composed as in sleep, doubtless passed away in sleep.

He was laid away by kind friends in the cemetery lot by his sister, Mrs. Yeiser, as he requested to be. On paper was written lately: "For months and months, brain and nervous system gone. Help me, I pray, O, God! all aid must come from Thee!" Rev. J. D. Palis, D. D., pastor of the Baptist church, officiated.

Politics—that is fall politics—are coming on apace. THE CHIEF is in favor of a straightforward republican ticket, which is good enough for us. This is free America and every man has an inalienable right to vote and act as seemeth best to him as long as he keeps within the pale of the law, and it is our undivided opinion that there is no party, past or present, organized or unorganized, that is any better, or has any purer record, than the grand old republican party. It has been assumed that because the Independents carried the county last fall that they will do so the coming election. In this prediction we believe that it will be found to be an error and the republicans will be ever. The present republican officials have managed the affairs of their offices as well and honestly as any set of men could, and we do not believe that any party new or old could elect more competent men than hold our county offices. People have not gone wild on theories that are eighty to that extent that they can't reward an honest official for work that has been worthily performed. Messrs. Ranney, Cronc, Hunter, Trunkley, Teel, Schenck, etc., have each and all been faithful to their trusts and should be re-nominated we believe and elected.

**LOCAL PUFFS.**  
Condition powders of all kinds at Deyo's.  
Deyo keeps the largest stock of patent medicine.  
The best stock of machine oil is to be found at Deyo's.  
T. J. Wright of Glenwood, Iowa, is in the city this week.  
Go to Deyo and see his bargains in remnants of wall paper.  
Chas. Hassen is the guest of Peter Hill, of Cowles, this week.  
The W. C. T. U. meets with Mrs. Overing this month at 3 p. m.  
R. L. Tinker and wife, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Dickerson on the 4th.  
Go and see the way prices are cut at Ducker's cash dry goods store for today and tomorrow.  
Charley Buschow, of Colby, Kan., was in the city, on the 4th, shaking hands with old friends.  
Crops are booming right along and the prospects are greater than ever before for many years.  
It would not be a bad idea if the people would cut down the weeds in front of their residences.  
Charley Seeley's familiar face was to be seen on our streets, on the 4th. Charley is now located in Omaha.

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If the people of this country do not want so many paupers they should restrict immigration. The facts are that nine-tenths of the tramps that are heralded around over the country by our demagogue speakers are from foreign lands who are lazy to work in the land of their nativity and were sent here to get rid of them, and are still to lazy to work here.

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**Chase and Upton Done Up.**

[From the Lincoln Journal.]  
M. A. Upton, Jonathan Chase and Charles M. Chase brought suit against J. W. Sherwood and L. P. Albright, his son-in-law, to secure the reversal of a trade wherein plaintiff's exchanged lot 1, block 39, Lincoln, located at the northeast corner of Twelfth and Q streets and valued at \$30,000, subject to a mortgage for \$18,500, for stock in the Red Cloud National bank of face value of \$22,500. Defendants assumed \$12,500 of the mortgage and Chase and Upton put up a bond for \$7,000 to secure the payment of the remainder of it. Upton was promised the position of cashier in the bank under Chase, but the annual election of officers frustrated this design, as a man named Clary was elected cashier through the influence of W. S. Wood, cashier of the National Bank of Commerce, Kansas City, a heavy creditor of the Red Cloud bank in connivance with the defendants to the suit. Plaintiff says that the stock was represented to them to be valuable when they made the trade last March, but that they have since discovered that the liabilities of the bank at that time were some \$75,000 more than the assets, and the capital stock of no value. Defendant Albright was the cashier at the time of the above trade and is the party who is alleged to have led plaintiffs into the deal by false representations as to the condition of the bank and of the stock. Plaintiff says that among the assets was a \$30,000 mortgage given by the Red Cloud roller mill, which was represented to be a first lien, but which proved to be about fifth, and the bank had to expend \$7,000 in satisfying other claims. There was also \$10,000 notes given by the Red Cloud Electric Light company and endorsed by the milling company. The electric light people now claim that it was only an accommodation note, and have successfully resisted its collection. Albright had agreed to turn over the control of the electric light company to Chase, but refused to do so. Plaintiff asks that their two notes for \$2,000 each, their \$7,000 bond and their Lincoln property be returned to them, and that plaintiffs be required to take back their worse than worthless bank stock and assume all liabilities incurred thereon because of the alleged fact that Clary and the defendants entered into a conspiracy to and did finally wreck the bank by depleting its assets and scattering its funds.

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GO!

To the Red Cloud Auction Store, at the Red Cloud, for Bargains of all kinds.

A fine line of notions are being sold at less than wholesale prices. Job lots of ladies', children and gents' underwear, ladies' and misses' hosiery and gloves, boy's half hose, gents' fine shirts, laundered and un-laundered, terebin and valencienne lace, head trimming, Irish trimming, ribbons and other ribbons, cravats, hat trimmings, hat and hair ornaments, bows, sewing machine and hair oils, Perfumery, buttons and thread, needles and pins, Japanese fans and parasols, clothes lines, Zephyrs, Saxony and cotton yarns, dating cotton, frilling, ladies' and gents' neck wear, cuffs and collars, (Irish linen) scarfs, handkerchiefs, albums, playing and visiting cards, pencils, clocks. Great inducements offered to country dealers. Millinery goods for one half price. Wholesale goods must and will be sold at any sacrifice. Auction every Saturday, consignments solicited.

The Port Abstract company have every transfer up to date, and through them is the only reliable source by which it is possible in every instance to get an absolutely correct abstract to banks in Webster county without applying to the land office in many cases for verification of title.

The officers and managers of the company, especially Mr. L. H. Fort, an expert accountant and abstractor, has had the personal supervision of this set of books from the foundation, taking the records of each and every point from the land office, showing date of issue and to whom issued. Upon this foundation every transfer has been recorded in its proper order and maps of all divisions and subdivisions being at once comprehensible and reliable. Attorney Wilson, also an expert abstractor, passes on all work from their office and if any irregularities have occurred in the county records, their customers get the benefit of his advice and experience.—Red Cloud Democrat.

**The Secret of Success.**  
C. L. Cotting, druggist, believes that the secret of success is perseverance. Therefore he persists in keeping the finest line of perfumery, and to let articles, druggs and chemicals on the market. He especially invites all persons who have palpitation, dropsy heart disease, to try Dr. Miles' unequalled Nervine Restorative, before it is too late. It has the largest sale of any similar remedy. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is unsurpassed for sleeplessness, headache, etc., and it contains no opiates.

**The Summer King.**  
This is ME!  
I'm standing in my Barn door.  
Smoking city seagars  
Which the men folks  
Give me a hopin'  
To bribe me fur  
Better grub.  
Don't you know ME?  
Why, I'm the farmer—  
Yahoo, hayseed, greeny—  
But I take  
Summer borders!  
Yes, an' I skin' em  
Too.  
Who city board  
Goes down.  
Mine goes up—  
Way up, to 100 in the shade.  
Do I work? Well,  
I guess no.  
Not now, least ways,  
Nor when city gets  
And their ladies  
Want air!  
Condensed milk  
An' skeeters  
An' corn-shuk  
Beds. Oh, no!  
I give 'em all these, too—  
Fur a price.  
My wife an' me an' the gals  
Drinks cream in  
Summer, you bet.  
Board is high-priced.  
The ducks is high-toned!  
The house sets high.  
An' we live high—  
In summer.  
Yes, indeed?  
An' I smoke  
In the barnyard  
'Cause its cool!  
On the farm.  
"Am I in it?"  
As the city feller sez,  
Well, I guess  
Yes!

Attorney Porter has, this far for the month of July procured six pensions, and if doubted, reference can be had to his records.

Read Ducker's advertisements on the first page. They are having a big clearing sale, and the people should take it in if they want bargains. Alfred Hadell, the affable and courteous manager fully understands his business and will treat you nicely.

**A Retraction.**  
As to the card published by me in the last issue of THE CHIEF, on further information since its publication I find the fact to be that Simons was the agent who worked up the Milligan application for a pension under act of June 27, 1890, and therefore considered the agent in the case, that he received the claim about four months prior to the issue of pension, that the claimant had a medical examination by the board at Red Cloud, about or before that time by order of his attorney in a case under the old law. Therefore pensions issued act of June to which Simons as agent became credited as the agent in the case. I find that Simons has been admitted as a special in the prosecution of pension of me under the rules and regulations of the pension department. J. PORTER, JR.

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

## Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE