

➔ Ducker's Cash Dry Goods House ➔

SPRING GOODS ARE IN.

OPENING PRICES CUT WAY DOWN!

ADVERTISING PAYS!

What we mean is not only to buy a space in a newspaper and fill it with leaders, but to sell the very best goods at prices so low that we will have a continuous advertisement amongst our customers. We seek prosperity by sharing it with others.

Our + New + spring + Goods

Are in and we guarantee prices TO BE TEMPTING.

IN DRESS GOODS We are showing a very Handsome Line of New Novelties in Henriettas, Bedford Cords, Chevron Suiting, &c. They are worth seeing.

Ladies' Shoes, | We have just in a LINE OF LADIES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES, | **Children's Shoes,**

Our prices are the Lowest and we guarantee them to give satisfaction.

SPRING JACKETS AND CAPES!

Have received our Spring Jackets and Capes, see them. They will speak for themselves. Ladies' and Children's Fast Black Hose 10c per pair and upwards.

GEO. A. DUCKER & CO

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It has finally leaked out that the alliance party has been slyly winking at the democracy, and the democracy vice versa, with a view to carry out its first intention of consolidating the two parties to beat the republicans. The southern end is to carry the south and the northern end to help the democracy where they most need it. There is no question but what the independent party was conceived in the bosom of democracy and reared in a democratic stronghold for the very purpose of breaking up the republican party, and as strange as it may seem there are some republicans who can not see but have been deluded into the belief that it was organized for other purposes, but gentlemen it was not, its only object was and is the disruption of the republican party in the interest of democracy.

The city election is about upon us, and our people who have the interest of the city at heart, and its future growth, should see to it that good men are put into office. THE CHIEF has been requested to name C. W. Kaley, for mayor, by many of his friends. Charley would be a good man for the place if he could be induced to have it. John Myers would make a good alderman for the north ward, and for a real live man in the south ward we would suggest L. H. Deyo. Give us men who will see that our city will ride on the very crest of the wave of prosperity in 1902. That is what is needed.

The Padlock pure food bill has passed the senate. If this bill passes as it should, the lower house, it will deal a death blow to adulterated food of all kinds. For years the people have been imposed upon by all kinds of dangerous adulterations and now is a good time to stop it and Senator Padlock's bill will do it if it becomes a law which it no doubt will.

The newspaper men, and job printers should form an association to back the type trust. Trusts of all kinds have become numerous and those type foundries who stay out of the trust should be given the patronage of those who need type.

Boyd is evidently holding the governor's office without warrant of authority.

Our democratic congress has failed so far to assist in building up the new navy.

The Rock Island surveyors are on the route between Lincoln and Phillipsburg, Kansas.

Board Expenses.

Some few weeks ago it was stated by the Nation that the board of Supervisors was cheaper than the commissioner system. The following table will show the expense of that body from January '91 to Jan. '92:

Thomas	\$120 90
Laird	112 50
Miller	85 00
Holdrege and Irons	76 40
Huffman	78 00
Berg and Cather	98 10
Keseler	84 55
Rasser	74 40
Hummel	34 70
Barcus and Kindscher	85 40
G. P. Cather	140 75
McCall	96 90
Alyea	55 70
Patterson	103 40
Coon	71 50
Zimmerman	82 50
Crory	85 80
Fish	83 70
Total	1622 70

The expense for salaries seems to be very extravagant, to say the least excessive. The statute governing the board, we believe allows not more than \$75 per man, yet all but three have over drawn this amount from ten to \$65 and still the board is less(?) expensive than the commissioner system. It don't look like it to THE CHIEF.

THE CHIEF would heartily endorse the nomination of J. G. Tate for congress. Mr. Tate is a sound republican and probably has more staunch friends than any other one republican in the district. He would be a power in congress and would command respect. Give us Tate.

Col. A. L. Bixby of the Columbus Sentinel dedicates this touching sentiment to Congressman O. M. Kem of the third district:

I can not sing the old song,
For I am filled with woe;
But I can howl calamity
From h—l to Broken Bow.

—State Journal.

"The Chicago World Fair Committee" has passed a resolution that every person attending the "Fair" shall take with them a bottle of "Hepaticure" as a preventive from contracting blood, liver and kidney diseases. C. L. Cotting.

This is the Time.

Do you want a plow, or harrow? If so Peterson the implement man is headquarters for them. 2t

The White House Stables.

The American people are always interested in anything that pertains to the White House. We are reliably informed that the stables contain a full assortment of different drugs and medicines and they also (so the head groom says) keep a bottle of Haller's Barb Wire Liniment which is the most successful liniment they have ever used. For sale by C. L. Cotting.

Garden Seeds.

Oscar Patmor has just received a BIG supply of garden seeds. Go and see him at Perkins and Mitchell's old stand.

The Girl of the Future.

Now, John, if I say "yes" it's on one condition—will you promise? You had better say yes—well, it's that you'll get me a bottle of Haller's Pain Paralyzer. Why? Because it's the best thing for headache and rheumatism I ever heard of and then it's so nice for babies when they have the colic and diarrhea. For sale by C. L. Cotting.

Deyo is already having a nice wall paper trade. His stock is new, the very latest styles, and prices the lowest.

Take your prescriptions to Deyo's drug store, where they will be prepared with the greatest skill and the purest drugs.

Says an old physician who has practiced medicine 40 years: "I guarantee there is not a case of blood liver or kidney disease in the world but what 'Hepaticure' will positively cure. C. L. Cotting.

For Sale or Trade.

A choice farm of 160 acres, 4 miles from town, good frame house, 80 acres in cultivation, all tillable but about 10 acres timber. Easy terms or will trade. D. J. MYERS, Red Cloud, Nebr.

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Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach, and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unparalleled for men, women, children. Small, neat, mildest, surest! 50 doses, 25 cts



Fine calf shoes at Wier's. Also Kangaroo, Cordovan, Kandolas. Also plow shoes at 85cts per pair.

W. W. Wright.

I am now located and will have my stock in shape to wait upon customers about the first of next week. I ask each and everyone to call and look over my stock of hardware and I will try and treat you fairly. Don't forget the place, Kaley block.

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When you want furniture or undertaking goods, it will pay you to see F. V. Taylor, who keeps only the best goods and sells them as reasonable as others ask for the inferior article.

It is a fixed and immutable law that to have good, sound health one must have pure, rich and abundant blood. There is no shorter or surer route than by a course of De Witt's Sarsaparilla. C. L. Cotting.

Frank Fuller of Red Cloud was arrested last week on the charge of stealing a horse. He had sold the horse to J. N. Bent, but as Bent had failed to pay in full, Fuller took the horse without process of law. The preliminary trial was held Monday before Justice West, and Mr. Fuller was bound over to District Court. Men must be careful how they collect debts.

Report of the Condition of the Bank of Cowles.

OF COWLES.

In the state of Nebraska, at the close of business, March 31st, 1902.

Loans and discounts	\$12,777 20
Due from National Banks	47 15
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	294 14
Current expenses and taxes paid	1951 82
Cheeks and other cash items	104 31
Bills of other Banks	1010 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	43 00
Specie	438 00
Total	19,261 17

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	10,000 00
Undivided profit	1678 92
Individual deposits subject to check	1394 37
Time certificates of deposit	1845 00
Due to National Banks	2 88
Notes and bills re-discounted	1250 00
Bills payable	2500 00
Total	19,261 17

State of Nebraska, county of Webster ss. I, J. W. MORANVILLE, one of the above named banks, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. W. MORANVILLE, Acting Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1902. JOHN BLAINE, Notary Public



PRINCE ARTHUR

Will serve a limited number of choice mares this season.

He is 6 years old and strongly built, 15 1/2 hands high and a natural trotter, and has an excellent pedigree.

J. W. MORANVILLE, Prop. Red Cloud, Neb.

B. F. GIBSON,

DEALER IN

HARDWARE, STOVES & TINWARE,

To the citizens of Red Cloud and Vicinity:

I respectfully invite you to call and see me, get prices, and get acquainted. I expect to sell some goods in Red Cloud and vicinity and you will not know how cheap I can sell my line of goods until you examine my stock and get prices.

TO THE FARMERS

I wish to say that as soon as I can learn the necessities of the trade here you can buy anything you want the line of

Agricultural Implements, Harvesters, Wagons and Buggies.

Keep an eye on this space, it will change each week. The balance is yet to be told. Yours respectfully,

B. F. GIBSON.

FURNITURE AND AUCTION SALE!

SHINKLE & AULTZ, Props.

—Dealers in—

NEW AND SECOND - HAND FURNITURE.

In the Stern Building.

We shall have bargains that will pay you to investigate in our second-hand department.

AUCTION EVERY SATURDAY.

On Saturday commencing at 1 P. M., we shall have auction, to which we invite the public who are interested in procuring good bargains.

We buy and sell Second-hand Goods on commission.

SHINKLE & AULTZ,

RED CLOUD

TRANSFER LINE

S. I. COZAD, Proprietor.

All hauling entrusted to me will be promptly attended to.

THE TRADERS LUMBER CO.

—WILL MAKE—

FIGURES.

POSITIVELY

Lower than any yard in the world