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## To Correspondents.

THE CHIEF desires, crisp, and newsy correspondence from all parts of the county, correspondence and other interesting subjects will be published.  
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## CURRENT NEWS.

Leap, girls, leap with care,  
Leap with a pop at your partner,  
No more need for trip and snare;  
Pop, girls, to the bachelair.

Read our new advertisements.  
Try those racket cigars at Cotting's  
If you want wall paper or window shades, go to Cotting's.

"St. Patrick's day in the morning" was duly celebrated in Red Cloud.

Mrs. J. C. Warner has gone to New York with the remains of her mother. See Oscar Patmor before buying your. He has made a big reduction.

You can trade your old furniture for new, at the blue front furniture store.

C. L. Cotting has the finest stock of pocket knives in the city at low prices.

Oscar Patmor has moved his flour and feed store to Perkins & Mitchell's old stand.

Johnson & Co., deal in new and second hand furniture, at the blue front, south of Miner Bros.

F. V. Taylor, allows no one to sell more goods than he does, at prices that are low, for good goods.

Col. Gage of Franklin, was in Red Cloud this week. The Colonel is one the jolliest men we have ever met.

I. H. Thomas, C. Buchow and Fred Hampton, have paid for the Great Family Weekly since our last issue.

We neglected to mention last week that Mrs. O. C. Case had been secured as teacher in the Kindergarten school.

It is the judgment of all that Cotting has the finest selection of wall paper in the city, and in prices he can't be beat.

Farm loans at lowest interest. Strictly first-class loans at lower rates than has ever been given in this county before. Option to pay part or all at end of any year.—C. F. CATHER.

S. I. Cozad has added his name to the Great Family Weekly. By the way Mr. Cozad has purchased the Jake Nye dry line and is prepared to do all kinds of draying with promptness. He solicits your favors through THE CHIEF. We hope he will succeed.

On Monday evening, Miss Augusta Ohmstrom, the justly celebrated singer, assisted by an able company held the boards at the Opera house to a good audience. The lady is a fine singer, in fact she is far above the average. Her audience were highly pleased with the evening's entertainment.

Who would have thought of it? The idea of Judge Gaslin being sued for breach of promise. The old Judge has always been supposed to have been a woman hater, and yet a blushing damsel of 50 or 60 summers has sued the old Judge for \$50,000 for unrequited affection. We are afraid that the Judge is in it this time.

L. H. Deyo, has just received another large invoice of those celebrated Strassman spectacles. He has sold several hundred of these glasses within the last two years, and they have proved to give perfect satisfaction. They are by far the best glass on the market. He has spectacles and nose glasses in steel, nickel and gold. Also extra lenses.

Charley Buchow, ex-county treasurer of Webster county, but now a prominent banker of Colby, Kansas, was in Red Cloud this week and made THE CHIEF a very pleasant call. Charley is always welcomed in Red Cloud, and to see his familiar face upon our streets makes our people feel good. We are pleased to learn of his prosperity in Kansas.

A few evenings ago at one of our leading churches, the choir were practicing. A young lady visitor was present and was intently listening to the rendition of the various pieces. After the choir had sung several pieces and were in an interesting part of one of them, the lady without a moment's warning sung out "low bridge." She had evidently been to the freeman's entertainment recently held in this city.

The entertainment given by Miss Lenore K. Murray, under the auspices of the A. O. U. W. lodge of this city, was one of the finest elocutionary efforts ever produced in this city. Miss Murray, was in Red Cloud five years ago, and during the intervening period has made some wonderful strikes in the direction of elocution. She is certainly one of the best that we have ever heard. The people of Red Cloud were highly pleased with her efforts here.

## LOCAL BREEZES.

Paper, 'tis said, will keep us warm;  
This fact, poor friend, pray note—  
And in your vest the ticket wear  
For your pawned overcoat.

Wall paper at Cotting's.  
Mrs. Sellars is visiting in Alma.  
Neatsfoot and harness oil at Deyos  
H. C. Scott has been on the sick list.

G. R. Chaney was in Lincoln this week.

Condition powders of all kind at Deyos.

Buy your paints and brushes at Cotting's.

Don't forget that Arbar Day will soon be here.

C. E. Lee, of Omaha, was in the city this week.

The Wright Bros. have moved into the K. Skeen property.

What are our organizations doing towards Memorial day?

Farmers get your Blue vitrol for soaking wheat at Cotting's.

The most complete line of patent medicines in town at Deyos.

Our city is beginning to loom up again on enterprising subjects.

J. A. Tomlinson has been making the walks around the jail passable.

The Reese Twin Brothers, acrobats and drum majors with Shootin' Crapps.

The Lincoln mixed paints are the best on the market. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

Mr. C. Wiener will, during the coming season, display special bargains in his show windows.

J. Tedmore Colvin, Piano tuner will be in the city March 17th to 24th. All work guaranteed.

Lost, on Thursday morning a breast pin. Finder please leave at L. M. Vance's and receive reward.

Johnson & Co., make a specialty on second hand goods, at the blue front, four doors south of Miner Bros.

Mr. Chapron, of Lincoln, father of Mrs. McNeeny and grandfather of Mrs. S. W. Garber, is in the city.

Prince Arthur, Dr. Moranville's thoroughbred trotter is making a fine showing on the streets this week.

A humorous fact about Hood's Sarsaparilla, it expels bad humor and creates good humor. Be sure to get Hood's.

A House and lots in Red Cloud to trade for a farm. Will assume the mortgage. St. C. W. KALEY.

The largest colored aggregation traveling in the world. All to be seen in Shootin' Crapps, at the Opera House.

Sam Foe, is highly spoken of as a candidate for clerk. Sam would make a good clerk, and we would like to see him elected.

The revival services at the Christian church have closed, 94 having united with the church since the meetings commenced.

The new millinery and dress making establishment of Mesdames Johnson and Baker is now open in the old Kaley law office.

The queen of colored lady songsters, Miss Ida Deltour, to be seen at Shootin' Crapps, the latest metropolitan success, at Red Cloud, March 21 and 22.

Are we going to have the streets paved? Yes, if our business men will say so, and we believe that they will as soon as they can see the advantage of these necessary improvements.

Red Cloud is surrounded with fine farming land, and those eastern men who are hunting for good land at fair figures should not pass us by. The soil of Nebraska beats the world.

The ladies of the Congregational church will give a tea Friday, March 18th, at the residence of Mrs. Walker. Refreshments served from 5:30 to 8:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

Our business men have got the right move on them now, and in a few weeks THE CHIEF hopes to be able to chronicle some developments that will show that the people are in earnest to make Red Cloud go.

The eastern people who are selling their farms for fabulous figures and coming west, should be induced to come to Webster county, where land can be had that will raise anything that can be grown for a price much less than eastern land is sold for.

To be seen with Shootin' Crapps: Mr. A. L. Sales, wide-mouthed, eccentric comedian; Mr. Ed L. Anderson, tongue of fun raker, and Jerry Mills, the grotesque and legman, southern plantation, silbo and fun dancer: 25 people, all colored. At Red Cloud March 21st, 1892.

About 300 teams were in the city on Saturday, and our streets presented a decided metropolitan air. That is what should occur every Saturday if the proper inducements were held out. Let our business-men's association see that the inducements are not only held out but that their banners are floating from the out walls at all times with that strange device, but with "welcome" to every man, woman and child who desire to trade in Red Cloud, and who has always done this and will do so again.

**Do You**  
want a good sewing machine? Then see those New Home Machines at Ebersole's the implement man.

Why suffer with acute or chronic malaria which is only the forerunner of deadly typhoid fever? "Hepaticure" will positively cure. C. L. Cotting.

## An Educational Column.

Next week THE CHIEF will commence publishing an educational column. A circular has been sent to each county superintendent containing the report of a committee appointed at the last meeting of the state teacher's association. It is desired by the committee to have educational news and the best things said by the best men and women in the educational field read by the patrons of the schools. "Nebraska is in the midst of an educational revival. This has come more because there have been unusual and vigorous efforts to extend information regarding educational work and methods than from any other one cause." The Nebraska State Journal will soon publish weekly educational news from all parts of the state. Let teachers, school officers and patrons send any item of school news to the county superintendent, D. M. Hunter, so that he may get it by Saturday of each week, and it will appear in the next week's issue of THE CHIEF.

## ODDS AND ENDS.

There will be services in the Catholic church next Sunday, the 20th at 10:30.

Joe Kubick and Dave Rudd are mentioned as candidates for aldermen in the south ward.

Engineer J. H. Swearingen adds his name to the Great Family Weekly this week. Thanks.

Miss Lucy Parkes has arrived home from Council Bluffs where she has been visiting for the past six months.

The Red Cloud creamery is fast assuming proportions and soon Red Cloud will be in it on creamery enterprises.

Married: At Red Cloud, Neb., March 16, 1892, Miss Fannie Coleman of this city to Mr. Al Squires of Jewell county, Kansas. We extend congratulations and wish the young couple a happy journey through life.

Mrs. Johnson and Baker invite the ladies of Red Cloud and vicinity to call and examine their stock of Millinery goods which are all new and of the latest styles. They also do dress-making and teach the tailor system of cutting and fitting; all work guaranteed, prices reasonable. One door north of city bakery.

Our nomination of Hon J. D. Gage of Franklin, as state senator seems to meet the approbation of our people. The colonel was a brave soldier and a man who has never been found wanting when there was any duty to perform in the republican ranks.—Red Cloud CHIEF.

No better man and braver soldier could be named in the district by the republicans, or any other party for that matter, for the position, Nuckolls county endorses Col. Gage.—Superior Journal.

Married, on the 22d, Mr. Wm. Martin to Miss Della Nickerson, both of this place, Rev. Barker of Geneva officiating. Both the groom and bride are well and favorably known and have hosts of friends who extend their congratulations and best wishes for a long and prosperous journey through life.—Grafton Leader.

The young lady mentioned in the above paragraph has many friends in this county who will be pleased to congratulate her on the occasion and wish her prosperity through life's journey. THE CHIEF extends congratulations.

An important mining deal was consummated yesterday between Mr. Maryatt of Del Norte and some Aspen gentlemen, by which the Ten Strike claim located on Miner's creek in Sunny Side mining district changed hands. The bond calls for \$60,000. One thousand dollars was paid Mr. Maryatt when the papers were signed, and the remaining \$59,000 must be paid June 1, or the bond will be forfeited. The Aspen parties contract to put two shifts to work and keep them busy developing the prospects during the term of the bond. Sunny Side is attracting much attention in consequence.—Denver Sun.

We are glad to note that our old friend has struck it rich. \$60,000 is not a bad rake off but we believe our friend will enjoy it.

A non-partisan convention has been called for Monday night. Good men should be the motto, and we have them. The candidates now mentioned for mayor are: B. F. Mizer, C. F. Cather, Geo. O. Yeiser, C. W. Kaley, and C. J. Platt. For alderman, L. H. Deyo, A. O. Berg, J. D. McFarland, Ed Pullaifer, Aaron Conover and several others have been mentioned. In the North ward, D. J. Myers, L. P. Albricht, D. B. Spangole, F. G. Blakeslee and others.

For clerks we have heard the names of T. J. Ward and H. C. Pond. Either of these gentlemen would fill the bill.

For city treasurer, we have the names of Henry Cook, A. H. Kaley, S. F. Spokfield and C. L. Cotting.

Any of those mentioned above would fill the bill.

**Can You Eat.**  
heartily, with relish, and without disgust afterwards? If not we recommend you Hood's Sarsaparilla, which creates a good appetite and so invigorates the stomach and bowels that the food is properly digested and all its nourishment assimilated.

Hood's pills are purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, effective but do not cause pain or gripe. Be sure to get Hood's.

## Assessors' Meeting.

In pursuance of law the assessors of Webster county, Neb., met March 15, 1892, at the office of the county clerk in Red Cloud and proceeded to business by electing Mark Noble as chairman and C. Schenck, secretary. On motion the roll of assessors was called to which the following responded: O. E. Ramey, Catherton; M. B. Corner, Elm creek; E. Harrison, Harmony; J. Bromfield, Inavale; Otto Stoeke, Line; Al. Riley, Oak creek; A. Buschow, Potsdam; A. Hedge, Red Cloud Tp.; C. Schenck, Red Cloud city; R. H. Allen, Stillwater; Mark Noble, Walnut creek.

**ABSENT.**  
Thos. Anderson, Batjn; A. Dillon, Beaver creek; S. P. Martin, Garfield; George May, Glenwood; G. W. Hagan, Guide Rock, Wm. Hurd, Pleasant Hill.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed by the chair to recommend an average valuation per acre of real estate as a basis for assessment, consisting of A. Buschow, Potsdam; Otto Stoeke, Line; James Bromfield, Inavale.

A like committee on personal property was also, on motion, appointed consisting of Alceas Riley of Oak creek, O. E. Ramey of Catherton and R. A. Allen of Stillwater. The committee on real estate reported as follows: We, your committee on real estate, do recommend as a basis for assessment an average of \$2 per acre, which, after some discussion, was on motion adopted.

The committee on personal property reported the following, which was on motion adopted:

Stallions.....	\$50 to \$100
Horses of all ages.....	5 to 20
Cattle, fat.....	1 per cwt
Cattle of all ages.....	2 to 4
Swine of all ages.....	5 to 30
Asses.....	50 to 100
Hogs.....	1 per cwt
Carrriages and wagons.....	1 to 5
Sewing or knitting machines.....	1 to 5
Piano fortes.....	50 to 100
Melodions and organs.....	10 to 20
Sheep of all ages.....	20 to 40 per head
Corn.....	50 per bu
Wheat.....	150 per bu
Oats.....	50 per bu
Barley.....	50 per bu

All other property to be listed at a fair cash valuation.

On motion, the secretary was instructed to furnish the several county papers with a copy of the proceedings of this meeting for publication.

There being no further business the meeting was on motion adjourned.

C. SCHENCK, Sec.

MARK NOBLE, Chm.

**Willow Creek.**

Mr. Ernest Niece of Liberty, this state, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Bell Godwin.

Miss Eppa Adamson finished her third term of school at Mt. Hope the 26th of February.

Joe Brubaker has rented Mr. Moushang's farm for the coming summer and will make his home with them.

Mrs. Thompson has been very sick and on that account they will be obliged to give up going to Blue Hill and have leased a farm for two years on Beaver creek.

Willie Jackson talks of going to Iowa soon to join his brother Ed at work there.

Miss Edna Edson closed her second term of school at Beaver creek the 26th of February.

Snow two days the first of this month and now the ground is in fine shape for farming. MARITONA.

**Bladen.**

Winter still hangs on.

C. E. Hicks has business in Hastings Tuesday.

Married at Red Cloud, Mr. Bert Wauffie and Miss Willie Lee, both of Bladen.

Henry McKelvey spent several days with friends at Hastings and Juniata the fore part of the week.

Bladen is soon to have two church bells and there seems to be quite a rivalry between the two as to who will get the first one.

Wm. McDonald shipped two car loads of cattle to market this week and Wm. Brown a car load of hogs.

It is reported that John Stout has sold his farm for \$4000.

At the church fair and supper on the 9th, the Congregational church society cleared \$40 for their bell.

If Bladen had paved streets she is going to have sidewalk. The G. A. R. and citizens will give a supper this Friday evening, proceeds to go towards paving sidewalk to the hall. Let everybody turn out and help as this is a very much needed.

**Cowles.**

"Petroleum" in the Nation gets excited at your correspondent and was hot. "Petroleum" should get hot enough to make fire from spontaneous combustion, what a smell of burnt grease there would be.

Messrs Mills and Beidler, who had bought farms of Mr. Smith on Elm Creek have arrived with their families and goods, from Shickley. They are enteringprising farmers and good citizens and would them welcome.

The county Sunday-school convention was held according to program. As the president was sick, Mr. Chas. Keady of Hastings was chosen to preside. Delegations from Inavale, Red Cloud, Guide Rock and Hastings came and were helpful. The opening and closing addresses were highly appreciated. If weather and roads had been better attendance would have been larger.

The Convention in 1890 was held at Red Cloud and the newspaper of the county for freely publishing the program and notices.

# THROW OFF THE OLD WORN OUT FELTS, ARTICS And Heavy Boots. Let us fit you out of our BIG SPRING STOCK

With Seasonable Goods of the Best make, at the  
**LOWEST PRICES.**

We are confident of suiting all comers out of our well selected stock.

Remember the place  
**CINCINNATI SHOE STORE.**  
**BLAKESLEE & KALEY.**

**W. W. WRIGHT,**  
Hardware, Tinware, Stoves,  
I will have a full line of

Gasoline Vapor Stoves about April 1st

The Best in the World. All kinds of tin work made specialty. Roofing, Spouting and shop work done on short notice.

Call and see me in the Kaley Block,

**GO TO THE  
City Bakery and Restaurant**  
For fresh Bread Pies  
All kinds of Cakes,  
Candies, Nuts, Cigars,  
and fresh Fruit, etc.

Meals and Lunch all hours  
Boarding and Lodging. Fresh Oysters and Ice Cream in Season.  
**JOS. HERBURGER, Prop.**  
Red Cloud, Nebraska.



**HO THERE!**  
J. O. BUTLER,  
THE  
**HARNESS MAN**  
Is better prepared than ever to sell you all kinds of harness collars, sadlery, etc  
In the Tinker Building. He has the largest stock in this part of the valley, and will make it an inducement to trade with him.

Miss Emma B. Knight of Inavale, was chosen president, and Miss Addie Hayes of Cowles, secretary.  
On the morning of Thursday, 16th the dwelling on the Ham Burton farm burned. Mr. and Mrs. Hodgson, the occupants, barely escaped with their lives.  
Rev. J. M. Steely preached on Sunday a. m. at the Congregational church an interesting sermon on prayer. The Pastor was just able to go to the service. Rev. Steely has attended the funeral of Mr. Chapin's babe on Saturday 12th, and on p. m. Robert Adamson officiated at the marriage of Mr. I. M. Boner and Miss Eppa Adamson. With his bank business and his ministerial duties, Bro. Steely is not likely to "rust out."  
When John Brown whispers to that gray team of his he can be heard all over the city, it wakes the sleepers, even if it would not raise the dead.  
Miss Moore, school teacher from Crowell, is spending vacation with her parents, to the great enjoyment of them all.

That restless, nervous, dull and heavy feeling which prevents sleep and causes us to feel like something terrible was going is going to happen is all corrected by "Hepaticure" which cures dyspepsia and constipation. C. L. Cotting.

**Coming, "Shootin' Crapps."**  
White man, I got you faded to see the greatest colored aggregation travelling, under the management of Will McKanlass the greatest of all performers white, or black, the peer of all colored managers in his new venture and metropolitan success and newest idea before the public, Shootin' Crapps, free from vulgarity, the wittiest and funniest of all performances and in it an original in every detail. The greatest and best brass band and orchestra that money can produce, and the only original street parade to be seen at soon sharp, on the main street of your city; don't miss it, it is the greatest of all. Have your money ready, as we pack every theatre to S R O, for we are the greatest colored company travelling. Admission, 25, 35 and 50 cents for reserved seats. Get your seats early and avoid the rush.

if your spirits are slumped; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain, you need a Sarsaparilla. For best rest results use Dr. Wills'. C. L. Cotting.

**ESTEY PIANO**  
TONE,  
DURABILITY AND FINISH  
UNQUESTIONED.

Terms to suit customers.  
SADA J. BAILEY, Ag't.

Rob Martin was in Lincoln this week.  
A. G. Willis was in Hastings this week.  
Charley Ball of Akron, is switching in the yards in this city.  
Dr. J. S. Emigh has been mentioned as a probable candidate for mayor.  
Engine 123 is doing service in the yards here helping trains in and out.  
Chase little Joe all around for a ticket to see Shootin' Crapps. Opera House.  
The non-partisan caucus will be held at the court house instead of the opera house as first announced.  
There will be an effort made to get up an excursion to Hastings tomorrow to attend a fine theatrical entertainment which is to be held there.  
The Hon. Jno. H. Powers, the late independent candidate for governor, addressed our citizens on the St. Louis platform of that party. His speech was well taken by his friends.  
Ho, there! Calmes, the baker, in Ira Sleeper's building north of THE CHIEF office keeps the finest bread, buns, cakes, pies, &c., in Red Cloud. Try him.  
On receipt of four cents to pay postage the Halle Proprietary Co., Blair, Neb., will send a set of handsome cards and a box of their Australian Salve free.