

The County Fair

affords an excellent opportunity for the pick-pocket to get your watch. If you would be proof against his skill, be sure that the bow (or ring) is a



This wonderful bow is now fitted to the **Jas. Boss**

Filled Watch Cases, which are made of two plates of gold soldered to a plate of composition metal. Look equally as well as solid gold cases, and cost about half as much.

Guaranteed to wear 20 years. Always look for this trade mark. None genuine without it.

Sold only through watch dealers. Ask any jeweler for pamphlet or send to the manufacturers.

Keystone Watch Case Co., PHILADELPHIA.

SOME GOOD THINGS.

Beauty in the heart will find its way to the face.

The ladder of fame has slippery rungs at the top.

When money grows timid it makes the rest of us shy.

After all the best way to make money is to earn it.

The "rolling stone" kind of a young man is frequently a brick.

The coming man sometimes turn out to be going the other way.

When a man has nothing better to do he sets in to revise his creed.

Vacation signifies "empty" but with some it means full right along.

In these days of bank stringency it takes an artist to draw money.

Pride is better than envy, but we may get along without either.

Every time a wise man makes a mistake it teaches him something.

It is better to have our paradise at the end of life than at the beginning.

Many a woman who cannot drive a nail or a horse, can drive a bargain.

When a speaker has a whole train of thought it takes him sometime to unload.

The milk business is one in which both men and measures are essential.

The man who has no business of his own to attend to, usually goes to bed tired.

A man always feels abused when he gets home and finds the house locked up.

Give me neither poverty nor riches, but if I must have one of them, give me riches.

So far no one has made the blunder of painting a cupid to look as if it had any sense.

One reason why there are not more good boys is because there are not more good fathers.

It will not do you any good to pray for ten talents if you are not improving the one talent given you.

There is no place like home to the man who has been pleasuring at the sea side with his wife and her new gowns.

Some men who are only four feet eleven inches high in the eyes of the world, are eleven feet four inches high in their own estimation.

Rheumatism.

Is a symptom of disease of the kidneys. It will certainly be relieved by Parks' Sure Cure. That headache, backache and tired feeling come from the same cause. Ask for Parks' Sure Cure for the liver and kidneys, price \$1.00. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

A Fine Farm For Sale. A Great Bargain.

If you want to buy a fine home you should not fail to see this farm. It will go for \$5000 if sold soon. Half cash and half on time, or will trade for valuable property. The house is 16x24 2 stories with L 14x20 with porch on each side. Good water, fine outhouse. Big barn 24x40 2 stories; cob and coal house 14x16; granary 12x14; corn crib 8x32; windmill (new). School house within 40 rods. 15 miles from county seat, two trading towns within 8 miles. If sold soon will sell everything on the farm including 11 cattle, 11 horses and mules, 17 hogs, farm machinery, buggies, etc. 160 acres, well fenced with galvanized wire. Apply at once to the Red Cloud Chief, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

Among the incidents of childhood that stand out in bold relief, as our memory reverts to the days when we were young, none are more prominent than severe sickness. The young mother vividly remembers that it was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured her of croup, and in turn administered to her own offspring and always with the best results. For sale by Deyo & Grice.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Scenes in The Cherokee Strip, As Seen by an Eye Witness.

M. L. D. Oatman, who has just returned from the Cherokee strip, told our reporter some interesting facts concerning that country, its resources, &c. On the 8th of September he in company with Sammy Spry, started for the opening of the strip, and having two horses besides the team which he drove, and being hitched to a tight rig, they took their time, knowing they would have no difficulty in reaching the strip in time to make the race for land. They journeyed nearly due south and after passing farms rough and improved, sterile prairies, sand hills, burnt districts, and various other features of minor importance, they arrived in Caldwell, Kan. two days before the race, and from this place they with many thousands made the run for the precious government land. Mr. Oatman said that after passing the two north tiers of counties in Kansas, the effects of continued drought were more obvious, and an examination of the corn in the fields of which there is a large acreage, disclosed a decidedly bad condition of the same, the ears being shrivelled and soft, and probably unsalable, and with the deception of small fields in the low lands and valleys, there will be little corn of any kind. Farmers were sowing fall wheat, and said that the average yield of wheat there this year would not exceed 10 bushel per acre. Having arrived at Caldwell, which was only 25 miles from Ponca creek, a place laid out for a county seat in the strip, they stopped and were obliged to go through the preliminaries required, of forming into companies, and making registration. Mr. Oatman said that notwithstanding the thousands present, the best of order was maintained, and every one was good natured and striving to excel. Hundreds of families in destitute circumstances, and people of all nationalities were there to secure a home. Now the strip is about 200 miles long and 60 miles wide, and is so divided by the government that it is exactly two counties in width, and in each county was staked off and laid out a county seat. The strip was then divided in to three equal parts, known as the eastern, central and western, the eastern division being the most expensive and the western the cheapest. Finally the 16th came around which was the day to make the race, and the entire north end of the strip was a line of people 200 miles in length ready to start for land, but under penalty of death, could not go until the given signal at high noon on Saturday, Sep. 16th. Now was the time for shrewd schemes which were not neglected, and as near as can be learned, a combination of merchants and bankers, bought up the swiftest broncho ponies, and secured the lightest riders who were accustomed to such animals and formed them in the procession. Then they proceeded to sweeten the trainmen which they did to perfection, and when the train with three engines and 35 box cars all loaded to the utmost with an average of 100 people on top, it was a 25 mile race between the train and the horses. The conductor kept the train slowed down and the ponies belonging to the combination sped onward their riders alighted and stuck their pins on the choicest corner lots of the city of Pond Creek, while the wagons and slower horses, and the thousands on the train were content with land of inferior quality, and poorer location. Mr. Oatman told of many ludicrous occurrences. At one time another party of land seekers harnessed one of Mr. Oatman's horses and drove away in the night causing him to search a good share of the next day, and by chance came across the horse which was immediately turned over to its proper owner. He also saw riders thrown from their horses, wagons wrecked, people injured on the train, &c. At one time when the clerks had taken up their secured \$20 which was given the clerks to proceed and relieve the many people who were tired out waiting for their papers. Some good horses were sold before the race for \$5 a head so that the owners could make the race by train, and not be bothered by horses with no feed, as the strip had been burned off, and hay sold at 80 cents and \$1 per hundred.

Rather Steep.

Than take in any other form is what many people think and Parks' Tea is made for just these folks. It cures constipation and though not a cathartic moves the bowels every day. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

A TRAMP WHO TUMBLED.

How a Base Trick Made Him Rite Up with indignation.

He had a Newfoundland dog as big as a yearling calf, and for three years not a tramp succeeded in getting to the house. He lived just outside of town, and but for the dog would have been "struck" three or four times a day. It was fun to see a tramp come along, take a square look at the house, and then reach over and unbolt the gate. The click of the bolt was the signal for "old Rose," who had his quarters under the veranda, to rush out, and at sight of him the caller would make a skate down the highway as if fired from a cannon.

One night a thunderbolt struck the corner of the house and the dog was killed in his bed. When the sad discovery was made, the owner determined to stuff the body and see if it wouldn't prove a scare-crow to tramps. He got a taxidermist, and at the end of a week "Old Rose" was set up under a cherry tree at the corner of the veranda. He was in the shadow and faced the gate. His false eyes glared and his teeth were all on exhibition, and to one standing at the gate he looked like a live dog ready to devour all comers. He had been in position about an hour, when a weary pilgrim was seen coming over the hill and sizing up the house. Everybody made a skip, and five minutes later the tramp reached over and shot the bolt. As he swung the gate back he saw the dog, and after one brief glance he muttered:

"Durn your buttons, Bill Wheeler, but you don't want nothin' here!" He shut the gate and started off in a hurry, but he hadn't gone a hundred feet before he stopped and scratched his head. Then he went on a few feet and stopped and scratched again and seemed puzzled. He advanced ten feet farther, and then turned square around and held a sort of counsel with himself. The result was that he returned at a brisk walk, opened the gate with a bang, and walking straight up to the dog, he lifted the "stuffed" in his arms and dumped it into a bed of atrium thirty feet away. He then walked to the back door, in which the man and his wife were standing in a paralyzed condition, and said:

"I'm a tramp and don't deny it, but though I'm ragged and dirty and hard up, I've got feelings. When a man sets a live dog on me that's all right and accordin' to Hoyle, but when a fellow plays me low down with a stuffed canine he injures my feelin's and hurts my self-respect and I don't want no truck with him!"

The man almost entreated him to come in and sit down to a square meal, and offered to fit him out with a suit of clothes on top of that, but the tramp wiped a tear from his left eye and made off with the reply:

"Can't do it, sir—can't do it nohow. We've got to preserve our self-respect in this line o' bizness or it can't last! If it had been a live dog I wouldn't hev nuthin' to say, but to go and ring in a cadaver on me and jump me off my dignity is playin' Bill Wheeler altogether too fine! You keep your old clothes and cold vittles for some galoot who hain't got no feelin's and can't be insulted!"—Detroit Free Press.

STRAWBERRY SUN PRESERVES.

How They Are Made in the Old Virginia Houses and How They Taste.

It is a curious fact, but well known to scientific folks and to experienced house-wives, that the direct action of the sun is at once surer and more satisfactory than that of any other known heat.

So when you learn it is a tradition of old Virginia cookery to preserve strawberries in the sun in place of over the stove there is little occasion for surprise, but only an opportunity to realize how much those famous cooks can teach.

The berries treated after the following recipe are both richer and more perfect than those prepared in any other way.

The object of the glass is of course only that of concentrating the heat, and the effect is not dissimilar to that known to every child who has played at the old trick of burning the skin by catching one of old Sol's rays upon a bit of broken glass.

The peculiar purity of the sweetness combined with the succulent redness in this sun-cooked preserve gives a suggestion of some oriental conserve; and were it possible to consider such an anomaly, the fruit might be described by the term "liquid crystallization."

The berries seem to be permeated with the sun's sweetness in addition to their own, and the sirup becomes rich, pure and clear as sirup can be.

The berry retains its shape and comes unbroken from the jar, which alone is cause sufficient for recommending this especial preserve.

The Virginia rule requires three-quarters of a pound of sugar to a pound of strawberries.

The sugar is mixed with just enough water to wet it and put it on to boil. It is to be taken off before it thickens much, and poured over the strawberries. Then the berries are set in the sun two days, covered with a pane of glass. They are occasionally stirred.

On the third day pour off the sirup and boil it again—it will be found much thinned by the juice of the fruit.

While boiling drop in a lump of alum the size of the top of your little finger. Pour the hot sirup over the berries and set in the sun again under glass.

The next day pour all into the preserving kettle and boil until the berries plump up. Then set in the sun again for a day. The next morning seal the preserve in small jars with branded paper on top.

Strawberries preserved in this manner never mold nor ferment. They are delicious for roll puddings, for filling tarts, for layer cake and to serve with glass custards, but most toothsome of all with Old Dominion "beaten biscuit."

—Literary Aunt—"Are you fond of Crabbe's Tales, Edna?" Edna—"Don't know, aunty, I've never eaten them, but I love the meat in lobster's legs."

—Demorest's Magazine.

AYER'S PILLS

cure constipation, dyspepsia, jaundice, sick headache.

THE BEST

remedy for all disorders of the stomach, liver, and bowels.

Every Dose Effective

Harvest Excursions.

It is with satisfaction that the Burlington Route makes the following announcement regarding this year's Harvest Excursions.

The dates which have been fixed for these excursions are August 22, Sept. 12, and October 10. On them, all railroad agents west of St. Louis and Chicago will sell round-trip tickets to Burlington Route stations in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, South Dakota and Wyoming, at extremely low rates. Tickets will be good for 20 days and will admit of stop-over on the going trip at any point west of the Missouri River.

These facts brought to the notice of the residents of the different states reached by the Burlington Route in order that they may inform their friends in the East that, during the next few months, three unequalled opportunities of coming West will present themselves.

The Passenger Department of the Burlington Route will gladly aid the people of the towns along its lines in their efforts to induce Eastern people to avail themselves of the advantages of these homeseekers' excursions. The undersigned on request, will not only mail to any desired address a supply of advertising matter, but he will also be pleased to put interested parties in the way of obtaining the most favorable rates of fare.

J. FRANCIS, Gen'l Pass'r Agent Burlington Route Omaha, Neb.

The Lowest World's Fair Rates Ever Offered

by the Burlington Route will be in effect September 10th and 11th, when agents in Nebraska and Kansas will sell round trip tickets to Chicago at the one way rate. No such favorable opportunity as this of seeing the Great Fair will ever again present itself. Do not, therefore, allow it to slip by unimproved. Ask the local agent of the Burlington Route for full information about the specially reduced World's Fair rates of September 10th and 11th. They're the lowest ever offered.

Persons troubled with chronic diarrhoea should try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Many cases have been cured by it after all else had failed and skilled physicians were powerless. For sale by Deyo & Grice.

When in Riverton be sure and stop at the Banks house. \$1.00 per day. Livery in connection. By far the most pleasant place in Riverton.

The Army Bill

Is not the one that worries us but the doctor's bill. Keep a supply of Beggs' Family Medicines on hand and reduce your doctor's bills 95 per cent. Sold by Deyo & Grice.

Wright keeps the best gasoline stove in the market.

Go to Sherwood and Albright for your groceries. They keep the best in town.

WANTED:—Men to sell our hardy varieties of Nursery Stock, our own growing. Salary or commission. Answer with references, L. G. Bragg & Co., Kalamazoo, Mich.

McNITT will exchange flour and feed at cash prices, for corn, oats or potatoes at market prices.

TAYLOR keeps the largest and best selected stock of wall paper ever brought to Red Cloud.

ALL fancy rockers 15 per cent discount of 30 days. F. V. TAYLOR.

See W. W. Wright's for the finest gasoline stoves in the city of Red Cloud.

New hay can be had by leaving orders with McNITT.

For Sale.

A Webster county farm, of 160 acres, with well finished frame house, stable, 100 acres fenced in to pasture, over 30 head of cattle, over 40 hogs, over 300 bushels of corn; offer all for a short time for the small sum of \$2,100. A good prairie farm of 160 acres with no improvements, price \$1,650. 80 acres in Jewell county, Kansas, \$1,100. 80 acres in Jewell county Kansas, \$1,200. Improved Webster county farm of 160 acres, price \$2,000.—GEORGE O. YEISER, agt. Red Cloud, Neb.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

When she was a Mother, she gave her Children Castoria.

When she was a Grandmother, she gave her Grandchildren Castoria.

When she was a Great-grandmother, she gave her Great-grandchildren Castoria.

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School Supplies.



Our line of the above goods is complete and prices the lowest.

Deyo & Grice.

BALD HEADS

What is the condition of yours? Is your hair dry, harsh, brittle? Does it split at the ends? Has it a lifeless appearance? Does it fall out when combed or brushed? Is it full of dandruff? Does your scalp itch? Is it dry or in a heated condition? If these are some of your symptoms be warned in time or you will become bald.

SKOOKUM ROOT HAIR GROWER

Is what you need. Its production is not an accident, but the result of scientific research. Knowledge of the diseases of the hair and scalp led to the discovery of how to treat them. "Skookum" contains neither minerals nor oils. It is not a dye, but a delightfully cooling and refreshing tonic. By stimulating the follicles it causes falling hair, cures dandruff and grows hair on bald heads.

Keep the scalp clean, healthy and free from irritating eruptions, by the use of "Skookum Skin Soak." It destroys parasitic insects, which feed on and destroy the hair.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send direct to us, and we will forward promptly, on receipt of price. Grower, \$1.00 per bottle; 6 for \$5.00. Soap, 10c per jar; 6 for \$5.00.

THE SKOOKUM ROOT HAIR GROWER CO., 57 South Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Those Wonderful Giants in Town!

If you wish to see them call on Deyo & Grice and ask for Beggs Little Giant Pills. Every bottle guaranteed.

First Class Boarding

Mr. S. Bayles wishes to announce to the public that he is prepared to take boarders at \$3.50 per week, sleeping included. Apply at 4th Avenue Hotel.

Coal, Flour and Feed.

Don't you forget that L. P. ALBRIGHT sells more coal, flour or feed for \$1 than any one. See him.

CHAS. SCHAFFNIT, Agency Fire, Lightning and Tornado Insurance.

Written in the best and oldest companies, at lowest rates. Call and see me. Office over post office, Red Cloud, Neb.

A New Joke

On the liver. When it is out of order and you feel blue, try a few doses of Beggs' Little Giant Pills. Your liver will appreciate the joke. So will you. For sale by Deyo & Grice.

A. B. C.

Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption result from a neglected cough or cold. Don't neglect but cure promptly with a few doses of Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup Sold by Deyo & Grice.

Of Course It's a Bargain.

I paid \$1,700.00 cash for the Shirey property and now offer the same for \$1,800.00, \$1,700.00 cash, and \$94.00 (margin) on or before 12 months, at 7 per cent. This property would be cheap at \$2,500. in good times.—JOHN M. CHAFFIN.

A Puzzle

To many ladies is how to keep their hair in curl on rainy days. The solution is easy. Ask Deyo & Grice for Nonpareil Hair curler and the puzzle will be solved.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, Ulcers, Salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Cotting.

Hay! Hay! Hay!

Bids will be received at the Red Cloud Marble Works for 50 tons of first class prairie hay, to be delivered at Red Cloud all properly stacked and weighed. Hay to be in the stack 30 days before it is measured. 8 cubic feet to constitute a ton.

Non-resident Notice.

To Nathan Goech, non-resident defendant, you are hereby notified that on the 15th day of September, 1893, the undersigned plaintiff filed in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, her petition against you, the object and prayer of which are to procure from you a decree of absolute divorce, and change her name from Goech to Boyd.

You are therefore required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 30th day of October, 1893, or said petition will be taken as confessed and decree of divorce rendered accordingly.

REBECCA GOECH, by CHASKEY & CHAFFIN, her attorneys.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, Webster County. In the matter of the estate of D. C. Snider, deceased.

To all persons interested in the estate of D. C. Snider, deceased. You are hereby notified that on the 25th day of August, 1893, Anna E. Snider administratrix of said estate filed her verified petition in the county court of our said county of Webster asking for a final settlement, for the allowance of the account filed in said county court on the 25th day of August, 1893, and for a discharge as administratrix of said estate. You are further notified that the hearing on said petition will be had in the county court room of said county on the 25th day of September, 1893, at 2 o'clock, p. m. JAMES DUFFY, County Judge.

CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN Church—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. and Y. P. S. C. E. Juniors at 4 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL Church—Services at 10:30 a. m., 3:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 11:30 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. and Y. P. S. C. E. Juniors at 4 p. m.

METHODIST Church—Service at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; Sunday School at 11:30 p. m.

EPISCOPAL Church—Services every two weeks, by appointment.

LUTHERAN Church—Every third Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

CATHOLIC Church—Services by appointment.

BAPTIST Church—No regular services, Sunday school (regular) at noon. B. Y. F. U. at 6:30 p. m.

CHAPEL—Sunday school at 2 p. m. every Sunday.

SOCIETIES.

A. O. U. W.—Each alternate Tuesday evening.

BEN Adhem Lodge No 186; I. O. O. F. every day night.

SALANTHE Lodge No 29, Knights of 1 Thursday evening.

RED Cloud Lodge No 68, Modern Woodmen of America, alternate Wednesday evening.

VALLEY Lodge No 6, Fraternal Order of Protectors, first and third Monday of each month.

CHARITY Lodge No 53 A. F. and A. M. each Friday evening on or before the full moon.

RED Cloud Chapter No 19, B. A. M. alternate Thursday evening.

CYRENE Commandery No 14 alternate Thursday evening.

CHARITY Chapter Eastern Star No 47 alternate Tuesday evening.

GARFIELD Post No 80 G. A. R. Monday evening on or before the full moon.

GARFIELD W. R. C. No 14 meets alternate Saturday afternoon.

MARY SEES MCHERRY Tent No 11 Daughters of Veterans Monday evening.

H. S. KALEY Camp No 25, S. of V. Tuesday evening.

SHERMAN Circle No 3, ladies of the G. A. R. first and third Saturday evening.

RED CLOUD Council No 18 Loyal Mystic Legion of America first and third Friday evening.

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AND ORGANS.

S. E. COZAD

Has a fine line of Sewing Machines and Organs from \$25 upwards.

Also keeps all kinds of Machine Supplies. Does repairing promptly. Call and see me.

Notice to Teachers.

Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the public schools of this county, at Red Cloud on the third Saturday of each month.

Special examinations will be held on the Friday preceeding the 3d Saturday of each month.