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We are pleased to show our goods. Blakeslee & Kaley.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Chris. Fassler is home from Ohio.
Rev. J. G. Tate was in the city this week.
Fred Dauchy was in Red Cloud this week.
N. W. Kingsland was in Superior this week.
Hon. Jas McNeny is in Salt Lake this week.
S. E. Cozad is in Chicago this week on business.
Dr. Chamberlain, the dentist was in Superior this week.
Mrs. David Keeler has been quite sick recently, but is getting better.
The Epworth League gives a social to-night at J. A. Tulley's residence.
Jeremiah Judkins will be at the social to-night. Be sure and see him.
E. J. Overing, Sr., returned home this week from a business tour in the west.
Mrs. Bracketfield got a serious fall from a defective sidewalk during the week.
There will be a special invitation ball at the Odd Fellows hall on the 26th.
Reese Thompson and his wife were pleasant callers this week while in Red Cloud.
Joe Herburger has a steam peanut roaster, and you can now get them hot or cold.
John Fuller of Riverton and family were the guests of E. B. Smith and family this week.
A petition is out asking the council to have the street car line plank and lowered to grade.
J. A. Tulley was in Omaha this week attending the annual meeting of the Scottish Rites Masons.
A petition is out for a jury term of court to be held in May to take the place of the regular July term.
Mel Sherman is now what is known as a "particular bicycle fixer." If you have any thing in that line see him.
Mrs. Geo. W. Lindsey has been on the sick list for several weeks, but we are pleased to learn that she is slowly recovering.
The council should either pass an ordinance that all walks should be brick or some like material, or of two inch plank.
John Myers bought the house that A. H. Gray occupied of M. R. Bentley and has moved it to some vacant lots in the north part of the city.
Trix Mizer, Geo. Mohart and Leonard Smith have returned from Hastings where they were in attendance upon the Christian Endeavor society.
Tuff Sutton recently paid \$15 for a very speedy horse, and the blamed thing could not get any faster and is now in horse heaven. Result, Tuff is out \$15.
Low Soderburg never forgets the Great Family Weekly. This week we received a copy of a Cheyenne paper containing a big writeup on the Comanche warriors.
WILLIE BRECKINRIDGE will now give his attention to finding out where the \$15,000 is coming from to pay Miss Poland that being the amount given her by the court for Willie's perjury.
The poor sidewalks of Red Cloud, should rise up and knock down every alderman on the council if they allow them to run in as bad condition as they have been for the last year or two.
By reference to Webster's dictionary, it is found that the pelican Charley White captured the other day is a native of the Mediterranean sea. He was certainly a long way from home, but probably came out west to grow up with the country.
Mr. Wetherell, one of the editors of the Republican City Democrat, was a pleasant caller this week, while in Red Cloud attending the A. O. U. W. entertainment. He is an ardent worker in that fraternity and will make his mark in the order.
The other morning one of our druggists carried a basket full of papers into the street with the intention of burning the paper, but while his attention was engaged elsewhere, some of the paper in the basket became ignited. He "kicked the basket," but all his efforts could not extinguish the flames and so he hid it an affectionate good-bye and walked mournfully into the store.
This week as John Wittwer was working on some land adjoining the Mattix property south-west of town, which belongs to Mrs. M. C. Sherman, he was driven from the place by Ed Mattix, who had talked of buying the property but had failed to do so, whereupon John had that war like young gentleman arrested. At the trial yesterday, Ed was placed under a \$50 bond to keep the peace.

BRIEF MENTION.

For kalsomining see F. P. Hadley.
W. T. Auld was in Omaha this week.
See those new refrigerators at Wright's. Mrs. Sapp was visiting in Inavle over Sunday.
I. B. Adams was up from Superior Monday.
If needing spectacles see Dr. Cullimore in April.
Mrs. Thornburg has been quite sick this week.
Go and see the bargain shoe counter at Wiener's.
Henry Kuehler was down from Blue Hill Monday.
T. Cummings of Riverton was on our streets Monday.
W. Sawyer of Riverton was on our streets Monday.
Richard J. Spickalis of Bladen has received a pension.
Call at the Wegmann gallery and see samples of his work.
R. M. Stark and wife of Riverton were in the city this week.
Shea & Turnure have put a vegetable sprinkler in their store.
Edward Sheldon of Republican City was in the city Monday.
C. W. Kaley returned Friday from a business trip to Omaha.
Wiener has put in a bargain shoe counter. Call and see it.
Go and see Calmes for all kinds of bread, cakes, candies, &c.
See Dr. Cullimore's dates in Red Cloud with Dr. McKeeby.
Congressman McKeighan departed Monday for Washington.
F. O. Bill of Riverton was in Red Cloud the first of the week.
Any one in need of carriage painting should call on F. P. Hadley.
A. J. Benjamin and wife of Riverton were in Red Cloud Monday.
Now is the time to call on Wegmann and have your picture taken.
Remember that McNitt keeps both the top and bottom onion sets.
Go to J. B. Wright's for fine new and second hand goods, Moon block.
Supt. D. M. Hunter returned from the east accompanied by his sister.
E. J. Overing left for Oxford and other points along the road Thursday.
Albert VanDyke who has been in California has returned to Nebraska.
Farm for sale. I will take city property for part pay.—V. WILLIAMS.
F. N. Reid has gone back into the livery barn recently managed by H. E. Pond.
Miss Ella Lucas departed Sunday evening for Yuma, Colorado to visit her parents.
A \$9,000,000 rain fell in this community since our last issue and farmers feel excellent.
Quite a crowd came in on the train Monday evening to attend the A. O. U. W., doings.
The crop of winter wheat is now assured. The late rains have made that cereal a certainty.
P. S. Williams and wife of Riverton were in the city Monday attending the A. O. U. W., banquet.
EYE and EAR SURGEON, Dr. Cullimore in Red Cloud on April 23d and 24th with Dr. McKeeby.
Save your quarters for the "Dream of Fair Women," at the Congregational church Friday, May 4th.
More goods are being sold for a dollar at the Chicago Clothing Store than any where else in this country.
Go to McNitt for your Mammoth Clover, German Millet and White Russian oats if you want good seed.
Curt Evans has everything you want in the second-hand furniture line. See him Blue Front, south Webster street.
Wanted—Fifty head of cattle to pasture this summer; 25c per head per month.—U. G. KNIGHT, Inavle, Neb.
Frank Mentgen, the very handsome photographer of Blue Hill was in Red Cloud last Saturday and just "dropped in."
You have put it off too long but call at the Wegmann gallery at once and he will make you the finest photos you ever had.
Everything in hats just received all the new styles and colors; elegant line of childrens caps; all the new novelties at the Chicago Store.
S. P. Docher, one of Franklin's hardware merchants, was in the city Thursday, and purchased a monument of the Red Cloud Marble works.
C. A. Miel and wife and Mr. Percy Fleck and wife and Mrs. Earnar were up on Elm Creek attending the closing exercises of John Earnar's school.
Elmer Crone, entertained his young friends on Saturday night very handsomely, with a party. The young folks report a jolly time and hope Elmer may see his way clear to have them visit him frequently.
A. F. Giwits has just returned from Lincoln, and brought with him one of the finest collections of potted plants ever seen in Red Cloud. Call and see them opposite Lindsey's ice house, or at the Fair Store.

CITY NEWS.

Geo. O. Yeiser was in Omaha this week.
Ludlow Bros. are putting in city water.
Mrs. Wetherald was visiting Mrs. S. F. Spokesfield.
Grant Usher's father arrived from Iowa Thursday.
Mrs. Shepardson of Riverton was in the city Monday.
A. Holdrege and wife of Riverton were in town Monday.
J. D. Campbell and Monroe Boner renewed this week.
New designs in gasoline stoves that beat the world at W. W. Wright's.
Two pair of pants with each suit and cap to match, they are bargains.—Chicago Store.
You can buy shoes at two-thirds the original price at Wiener's bargain shoe counter.
N. W. Kingsland returned from Beatrice Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Kingsland.
L. M. Vance, the jeweler, has taken the petition out of his store to obtain more room.
Read Miner Bros. advertisement in another column and see what you can get for \$2.50.
World's fair portfolios at Miner Bros with every \$2.50 purchase. Read their ad in this issue.
Mrs. A. L. Funk of Alcovia, Wyoming is in Red Cloud where she comes to attend to her sick mother, Mrs. Thornburg.
WANTED.—Ladies to use some very nice perfume. Some new and very exquisite odors just received.—Deyo & Grice.
SEE DR. CULLIMORE, Eye and Ear Surgeon, meets patients in Red Cloud, April 23d and 24th with Dr. McKeeby.
Remember that when cleaning house \$1.00 will buy enough wall paper to paper an ordinary bed room.—Deyo & Grice.
A small water-spout was observed in the eastern portions of the heaven during the blustering stormy weather of Thursday.
Shea & Turnure have just received a car load of choice Northern, Beauty's and Hebron potatoes. They are fine for table or seed.
Roadmaster McFarland had the misfortune to have his two dogs poisoned. The bird dog died and his mastiff was pretty sick, but survived.
B. J. Wright returned from Kansas City Tuesday evening with his brother, Eugene. We are pleased to note the improved state of the latter's health.
When you get ready to buy children clothing come and see us look at our combination suits extra pair of pants and cap given with every suit.—Chicago Clothing Co.
Cheapest suits ever shown new ready for you every suit at lowest prices, workmanship best in the country and best fitting goods ever brought to the city.—Chicago Clothing Store.
From a card received by a friend we learn that Geo. W. Barker formerly of this place was united in marriage on the 12th of April to Miss Jessie Gertrude Smith, of Erie Pennsylvania.
THE CHIEF believes that the new council should re-engage Mr. Sellars as engineer. He has been a splendid officer and this office can testify to the fact that there has always been plenty of water sufficient to run our presses at all times.
Mrs. Heester A. Patmor died today at the age of 52 years at her residence on North-west street of inflammation of the brain. Her funeral will take place tomorrow at two o'clock at the residence.—(Santa Anna, California) Weekly Blade.
James A. Garfield Relief Corps will celebrate their tenth anniversary Thursday evening May 3d, assisted by the G. A. R., S. of V., and D. of V. An extensive program is being arranged which will be published later. Deputy officers are expected to be present.
Den Lindsey has got down three hundred feet with his well boring machine on Mr. Griffith's farm, and expects to strike kerosene, before he stops, or a flowing well of water. Who knows by the time he gets through but what our people will get up and call him blessed.
Messrs. Miner Bros. have, within the last month, paid out about \$7,000 for hogs which they bought at the highest market price, making the tenth carload which was shipped yesterday morning. They are preparing yards, scales, etc., and are going into the business on an extensive scale.
Alfred Hadell of the firm of G. A. Ducker and company had the grateful thanks of a "transpiring" audience, at the opera house on Monday evening, during the A. O. U. W., meeting, for furnishing them with fans. Alfred is a man who is an expert at advertising, and never fails to advertise at the right time. He knows the value of printers' ink, and together with perseverance and energy is always sure to get there.
Peter Beachy and Postmaster elect Frank Cowden went fishing the other day, with the usual fisherman's luck. They fished and fished and fished, but not a bite did they get, not even a bite to eat. Finally they spied a boy with some fish, and bought them several of which were little minnows. They came to town with them on a string but the boy gave the bait away and THE CHIEF gives the story, although it may be a little fishy.
Remember THE CHIEF if you want a good family local paper. First because it gives you all of the local news. Second because it gives you all of the county news. Third for its general news. Fourth because it is the only paper that can publish Foster's weather predictions. Fifth because it publishes Talmage's sermons and an educational column, besides much miscellaneous matter. Sixth because it is the product of Red Cloud. It is all home print and devoted to the interests of Red Cloud and adjacent territory. There is no other all home print paper in Webster county. Only \$1.00 per year.
Prevention is better than cure, and you may prevent that tired feeling by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will keep your blood pure and free from acid taint and germs of disease.
Hood's Pills do not purge, pain or grip but act promptly, easily and efficiently.
Seed Potatoes at Myers & Usher's store. They are fine.

AROUND TOWN.

Remember that the 23d is Arbor day.
A. H. Gray was in Bladen this week.
Price our wall paper.—Deyo & Grice.
A Deal was up from Superior Wednesday.
Mrs. Bracketfield was in Omaha this week.
Miss Detour was in Guide Rock this week.
T. Paul of Cowles was in the city last Thursday.
Mr. Larrick of Otto was in the city this week.
Rev. Bishop Potter of Kearney was in Red Cloud this week.
W. J. Cozad and wife moved to Long Island, Kansas this week.
Miss Myrtle Jones of Guide Rock was visiting in the city this week.
Mr. E. Rife is home from Lincoln where he has been on business.
Wanted to trade a buggy for a good work horse.—M. W. Dickerson.
Bring your old photos to the social to-night and see if anybody knows it.
Mr. D. B. Potter of Fairfield was the guest of Fred Blakeslee this week.
Ex-mayor Spanogle received quite a fall from a defective sidewalk last Sunday.
John O. Parkinson, David Rudd and R. B. Leggett are new subscribers this week.
Mrs. Bert Lindley and little girl of Riverton were visiting in the city this week.
Mr. Judson Rich was in Red Cloud this week visiting with his wife Mrs. Rich.
Charley Platt is building an addition to his house and otherwise beautifying his residence property.
S. I. Cozad and family of Franklin, who have been visiting in the city couple weeks, returned home Tuesday.
If you want to enjoy yourself go to the Photograph social to-night at Mr. J. A. Tulley's and see Jeremiah Judkins.
C. H. Potter has had his new residence nicely papered and painted on the interior. N. E. Robinson was the handsome artist.
F. E. Ulter of Long Island, Kansas, an old acquaintance of S. Cozad, accompanied by his mother, was visiting in the city this week.
It whistled as it stood outside
The baker's daily toaster,
She thought it was a pretty stove—
And I heard the peanut roaster.
One of Lanney Smith's draymen unloaded a load of lumber unceremoniously on the street by accident which came near scaring several teams.
Next week we shall commence the publication of the life of Washington, which will run about 13 weeks. Start in with the first number and save your copies.
"Troubles never come singly,"
He sadly begins,
"And I know it is so, boys,
I'm the daddy of twins."
Remember our childrens clothing is cheaper and better made than ever. Reinforced seats and knees, elegant patterns and low prices.—Chicago Clothing Company.
The Photograph social to-night is something new. Bring your old photograph, guess who they are and get one of those nice prizes. Ice cream and cake 10 cents.
The Epworth League of the M. E. church will give a Photograph social at the residence of Mr. J. A. Tulley's, to-night. Ice cream and cake 10 cents. All are invited.
The 29th of this month is the Odd Fellows' anniversary. By the way what has become of the county organization that was gotten up for the annual celebration of this event.
Word has been received that Mrs. Clara H. Houghton died at the home of her father, Mr. A. U. Becker of Lincoln last Saturday. Her remains were taken to Buffalo, New York for interment.
C. J. Warner, wife and daughter, of Medina, Ohio, are visiting relatives in the city. They have been to California and are on their way home. They are the guests of J. W. Warren and Mrs. H. A. Howard.
The story is around town about a messenger boy who sent the following message to a certain gentleman: "Your little calf died this morning at 2 o'clock p. m." We can't vouch for its truth, but that's what the boy says.
See Mrs. Rich for your millinery. She has a fine line of French pattern hats that cannot be excelled and she is selling them very cheap. She has also a line of \$1.00 hats that she is selling for 25 cents. See her before you buy.
From the Womer, Kansas correspondent we notice that the man Shurtleff, who at one time lived in Inavle, plead guilty of passing counterfeit money, at Topeka, Kansas and was sentenced to eleven years in the Kansas state prison.
The public schools under the management of Prof. Caster and the teachers, will give two entertainments in the opera house on the 27th and 28th. Do not forget the days and dates. We made an error last week in announcing it for to-night.
ALAN, ALAN! "how great are the mighty fallen" the democratic congress and the democratic party, which howled Oscar Reed, down with Czarism, and a lot of other rot, have finally been compelled to adopt Tom Reed's ruling of counting quorum.
Thursday evening the home of W. Barry Smith was the scene of a very pretty wedding when the eldest daughter, Miss Jessie G. Smith, was married to Mr. George W. Barker, a successful young lawyer from the west. Only the immediate relatives were present when Rev. Solon Cobb performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Barker left on an evening train for New York to take a steamer for Europe, for a few months' travel.—Erie, Pennsylvania paper.
Notice to Ice Consumers.
To My Patrons:
I will furnish 500 pounds of ice for \$1 delivered at your door, to all customers who start in with me during the coming season. Don't forget it. Tickets at the office.—Geo. W. Lindsey.
Cabbage Plants Now Ready.
I have a nice line of cabbage and sweet potato plants now ready. Prices the lowest.—Isaac Ludlow. 391f
For Sale.
Some beautiful combinations in wall paper, ceiling, side wall and border to match. Prices very low.—Deyo & Grice.

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