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In exchange for Shoes. If you do not want groceries for all your produce, we will accept due bills or coupons the same as cash, in exchange for shoes, on any of the grocery stores in Red Cloud. We are giving special values and making very low prices on our goods. You cannot do better than give us all your trade on Boots and Shoes.

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Physician and surgeon, City and country calls promptly answered.

Over Cotting's Drugstore, RED CLOUD.

BRIEF MENTION.

C. W. Kaley is home from Lincoln. Joe Blair was in Superior this week. S. F. Spokefield was in Hebron this week.

Morris Stern returned from Omaha Thursday.

Miss Nellie Martin is up from Wymore on a visit.

There will be a special meeting of the council July 2nd.

Mrs. Ed Pulsipher was visiting in Hastings this week.

We must urge our subscribers to come forward and pay up.

Geo. Gilford received word this week of his father's death.

Ex-Congressman McKeighan returned from Lincoln Sunday.

If you want a nice, cool, healthy drink, try Cotting's soda.

Mrs. T. W. Thornburg will visit in Lincoln the coming week.

Charley Robinson and John Runchey were in Blue Hill yesterday.

Miss Jennie Dilley returned Wednesday from a visit in Hastings.

P. A. Williams editor of the Review, Riverton, was in the city this week.

P. P. Walters, a prominent farmer of Inavale, was a pleasant caller this week.

Mr. E. M. F. Grubb of Otto, was in Red Cloud this week, also Mr. Larrick.

Geo. Morhart is home from Tecumseh, where he attended a Sunday-school convention.

Sam Lindsey's son, Harry, while riding a horse was thrown off and received a fractured arm.

C. S. Potter, who has been visiting in the city two or three weeks, returned to Ames, Iowa, yesterday.

Dave Kaley says he can beat the Chinese making bird's nest soup and all the delicacies of the season.

The ladies of the M. E. church will serve ice cream and cake Tuesday eve, July 23, at the residence of Mrs. F. E. Goble.

Mrs. G. W. Dow entertained her Sabbath school last week by giving them a picnic at Amboy. A pleasant time was reported.

Mrs. Dr. Snowden of Davenport, and Miss Nellie Barnes, of same place, are visiting with the family of L. H. Fort this week.

Walter Warren has accepted a position in the marble works of E. J. Overing at Humboldt, this state, where he will go Sunday.

While Sheriff Runchey and Will Rife were scuffling the other day, Mr. Runchey, in falling, struck his head upon a stone, skinning his face slightly.

Mrs. N. M. Ball, recently of Akron, Col., has rented and thoroughly renovated the 4th avenue hotel, and anyone wanting a first-class meal will do well to call on her.

The regular union temperance meeting will be held Sunday evening at the Christian church. The speakers will be Mrs. Brakesfield, Revs. Marfield, Spelman and Mattox.

Frank Harris of Denver, a brother of our friend G. A. Harris of Cowles was in Red Cloud this week, visiting with County Clerk Crona, an old friend of the Harris boys.

On last Saturday the barn belonging to J. T. Mills, situated north of Cowles, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. No loss was sustained, as the barn was fully covered by insurance.

Mrs. N. M. Ball announces to the public that she is now prepared to furnish first-class board and lodging, also furnished rooms to let. Rates, 25c per meal; \$4.00 per week for board and lodging; day board, \$3.50. Location, 4th avenue hotel.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Julio Beall was in the city this week. Jno. Polnicky was in Wymore this week.

Envelopes 5c a package at Deyo & Grice's.

Charley White was down from Blue Hill this week.

D. L. Bishop of Franklin was on our streets Monday.

G. B. Holland went to Oklahoma the first of the week.

E. S. Miller of Beatrice was in Red Cloud Wednesday.

C. H. Kaley has some fine alfalfa hay to sell at \$8 per ton.

C. H. Paul was down from Hastings the first of the week.

A. M. Walters and wife were down from Blue Hill last Friday.

A complete new line of wall paper at Taylor's at bottom prices.

L. D. Mouser of Imperial was on our streets the first of the week.

D. M. Abel returned home Saturday evening from a visit in Iowa.

The heavy lightning of last Friday killed a horse for S. E. Cozad.

A. E. P. Rasmussen and wife went to Troy Junction, Kansas, Tuesday.

Envelopes? Yes, how much? Five cents a package.—Deyo & Grice.

M. McGenk and wife of Parnell, Ia., were in the city one day this week.

C. H. Mehagan, of Chicago, was in Red Cloud the fore part of the week.

J. L. Fuller and L. C. Wilson of Cowles spent last Sunday in Red Cloud.

Mrs. W. P. Kenady returned last Saturday from a visit with relatives in McCook.

C. L. Cotting will fill your prescriptions accurately and at a reasonable price.

C. W. Kaley went to Beatrice on last Saturday to attend the chautauquas for a few days.

Go to the Bon Ton bakery for fine ice cream. You can also get 40 loaves of bread for \$1.00.

W. S. Bense, the Bon Ton baker, had on display a fine wedding cake for Riverton parties this week.

Young Charley Kaley says he has four acres of rye that will go forty bushels to the acre. That is good.

E. A. Fletcher of Franklin was in the city this week, consulting one of our physicians for some ailment.

Drs. G. E. and F. E. McKeeby have moved their office to the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Damerell. They are very pleasant quarters.

Mrs. A. Mehlis and daughter, Ella, who have been visiting with Mrs. C. B. for a few weeks, returned to their home in Grinnell, Iowa, Tuesday.

S. E. Prentiss, formerly of this place, but now a resident of Denver, was in Red Cloud this week. He has just returned from an extended eastern trip.

The people should not forget that Mrs. Julia Richardson is having a forced sale of millinery goods. If you are in need do not fail to see her. Great reduction.

Red Cloud and Cowles teams crossed "horsehide precipitators" over the home plate at Cowles last Saturday. The game terminated in favor of the former, 29 to 19.

C. B. Lake of Yuma, Col. and C. H. Lake of Winnebago City, Minn., father and son, were in the city this week, looking over Webster county land with a view to investing.

Rev. H. D. Platt, of Franklin, made a short stop in the city last Saturday while en route to Cowles, where he preached Sunday from his former pulpit in the Congregational church.

Last week we omitted to mention the game of ball between the Hastings and Blue Hill nines, played at the latter's grounds, which was attended by a large delegation from Red Cloud.

Miss Beesie Sellers, who for the past year has been book-keeper for Haskell & Bosworth, has resigned her position and departed for an extended visit with friends and relatives in Iowa and Wisconsin. Miss Sellers was one of Red Cloud's most estimable young ladies, and THE CHIEF hopes that success may attend her wherever she may choose to go.

The following are the officers installed by the Masonic lodge Monday evening:

A. G. Willis, W. M.

J. C. Myers, S. W.

B. E. Grice, J. W.

H. W. Brewer, S. D.

J. Kubick, J. D.

J. A. Tulleys, Sec'y.

M. B. McNitt, Treas.

Allen Ayres, T.

R. B. Fulton, Trustee.

Prof. D. C. Jenkins, who for the past year has instructed the Red Cloud S. of V. band, left this morning for Marshall, Mo., where he has accepted a lucrative leadership of the band and orchestra.

Prof. Jenkins is a thorough musician and an able bandmaster, and the band of Marshall is to be congratulated on having secured the services of so talented a person. He is an agreeable companion and has won a host of friends in this city who are sorry to see him leave.

Waverly bicycles, the best in the world, for sale by W. W. Wright. Prices reasonable. See him if you want a bike.

BREVITIES.

Call and see Taylor's carpets before buying.

A large assortment of envelopes just received at Deyo & Grice's.

Miss Alice Garber of Guide Rock is visiting Miss Mable Day this week.

James Cochrane is home from Chadron, Neb., where he has been teaching.

Mr. Harry Cozad, of Nebraska City, is visiting his parents in the city this week.

A "flossie" race with "grace" was one of the evening's entertainments at the bicycle track the other night.

I have a few hundred dollars of private money to loan on real estate at 10 per cent per annum. Time to suit.—M. R. Bentley.

Mac Pope closed his school last Friday with a picnic. Mac is a genial teacher and has given satisfaction to all the parents and scholars of that district.

Last Sunday the committee of the Webster County Sunday-school Union was in district 14 where they did some good work. They will visit district 33 next Sunday.

Sunday night the awning over the Butter and Egg store caught fire and had it not been for the prompt action of a few passers by very serious results might have occurred.

Messrs. Haskell and Bosworth have decided to discontinue their branch house in this city and consolidate it with the Beatrice house. THE CHIEF is sorry that they have arrived at this conclusion, as the institution, under the management of Mr. N. W. Kingsland, was doing an immense business, but the firm wished to curtail expenses for the time being and took this method. We hope they will decide to relocate it at no distant date.

Thursday evening, about 8:30, Sheriff Runchey and Nightwatch Miller captured a wandering gentleman who was in possession of a bicycle which had been stolen from Greeley, Col. Sheriff Runchey noticed the fellow standing on the State bank corner, the wheel standing near by. On comparing the wheel with a circular in his possession, John gave the nightwatch the wink and they immediately foreclosed on the party, who declared his innocence and wanted a chance to identify himself. While on the way to the jail, the two policemen proposed entering E. McFarland's store to give the thief his chance, but that wasn't the chance he was looking for. Giving the wheel a shove into the store, he took to his heels, with Runchey and Miller in hot pursuit. The nightwatch drew his gun and, calling on the fellow to halt, began firing at his feet, but this only increased his speed, if that were possible. So the race continued a few blocks, until our fleet-footed bicycle rider ran into a wire fence around some vacant lots and was again taken into custody. Being only a block from the Hotel d'Runchey, he was escorted to that domicile and registered. He gave his name as F. T. Rutledge, and, from certain articles found on his person, he is supposed to be more than a common thief. He had safe blowers' tools, and newspaper clippings concerning a bank robbery in Ontario, Canada, with which it is thought he was connected. A reward of \$10 was offered for the wheel and \$10 for the thief at Greeley. If the bank robber suspicions prove correct, there will probably be a nice fat reward coming from that quarter. There were two wheels stolen at the same time from Greeley, and Rutledge is supposed to have a partner somewhere.

Take your wagon work to Stapleton. He forges all irons for buggies out of the best Norway iron, uses no malleable iron in repairing buggies.

One of our traveling salesmen, who travels for a clothing firm, has a novel way of enjoying himself while on the road. Entering a clothing store, he will politely salute the merchant, at the same time taking a huge overcoat from a grip and handing it to the clothier to examine. The hotter the day the hotter the fun. After enlightening the merchant on this and that point, our salesman finally induces him to try the fit. He then tells the merchant how nice the back sets, etc., for about ten minutes, walks round and buttons the front up tight, showing him how the chest fits and complimenting the double row of buttons which show the full length, then turning up the ten inch collar he explains how it is impossible for any snow or cold to reach the head or neck, also the band across the front to guard the chin and mouth from the wintry blasts—and all this for half an hour in the hottest of June weather. Think of that thermometer at 1.10 in the shade and that man at 1.47½ in the coat, trying to breathe with that strap across his mouth and the corner of a lapel in each nostril, and to make things hotter, the traveling man keeping up a constant fire of words. Talk about energy; he's the "hottest" traveler we've got. The merchant sweat nineteen coats of perspiration and several pants, but he wouldn't invest.—It's a fact; our reporter heard it was.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Bicycle Races.

Quite a large crowd of our citizens gathered at the cycle track Wednesday evening, at seven o'clock, to witness the races of some of our speeders. The evening was perfect, the track in excellent condition, and the riding very exciting. Promptly at seven the riders were turning the track, taking a "scorch," enthused with lively music from the band stand.

The first race on the program was a quarter mile dash, Ben McFarland, Chas. Landmesser and Frank Richardson to fight for honor. The former started out with a hot pace and finished first, with No. 2 a close second. No. 3 was handicapped by a heavy wheel but gave them hard chase, all three finishing in a bunch. Time, 37½.

The second event was a boys' race for a quarter mile, which aroused a great deal of enthusiasm. Bert Morhart took first, Frank Peterson second, and Clarence Winters third.

Geo. Morhart, Homer Sherwood, Joe Blair and Frank Cowden composed the third race, which was to be a half mile. The first quarter was made at a warm clip, paced by Wallace Wright. At this place Frank Cowden made a spurt and took the lead until on the home stretch, where he was passed by Geo. Morhart, who crossed the tape half a wheel's length ahead. Time, 1:25½.

After the excitement had somewhat subsided, Hugh Miner rode a mile with a flying start, against time, but the time keeper had a stop-watch and was unable to announce the time.

The fifth and last event was a half mile race, with Charley Landmesser, Frank Richardson and Ben McFarland as competitors. Ben took the lead from the start, setting a 2:20 pace, and the outlook was in his favor until near the close of the last quarter, when both of the other riders succeeded in passing him, Charley Landmesser first. The time was 1:17.

There were no accidents to mar the pleasure of the evening's sport, and it is needless to say that the races were enjoyed by everyone, participants included. The boys may continue to give these exhibitions, giving one every two weeks. If they conclude to do so, it will be something good to entertain the people and be an inducement for the riders to train for better time.

Matrimonial.

On Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock occurred the wedding of Miss Addie Reigle, one of Red Cloud's fair and accomplished young ladies, to Mr. Fred Liggett, the popular and cultured cashier of one of the Hebron banks. Miss Reigle has resided in Red Cloud since her earliest recollection and has grown to mature womanhood within the confines of our city, where she has hosts of friends among all classes, and while her many friends are sorry to lose her from Red Cloud society, yet they are most happy to have the honor of extending hearty congratulations over the pleasant event which changed her name from Miss Addie Reigle to Mrs. Fred Liggett. The happy couple took the 10:30 train for their future home, Hebron, amidst a grand shower of rice, old shoes and best wishes of a multitude of friends and relatives who followed them to the depot. The wedding was unostentatious and was solemnized in the presence of a very few friends, by Rev. H. O. Spelman of the Congregational church. THE CHIEF bids the young couple godspeed and unalloyed pleasure in their conjugal relations.

The other day our reporter went into a certain restaurant in town and found the clerk busily engaged in waiting upon a young lady. After the young lady had departed, the clerk walked round and absent mindedly took the reporter's order for a milk-shake. Taking the jar of flavoring from the upper shelf, he poured the necessary amount into a glass and then gently sat the jar under the counter among the lemonade glasses, at the same time asking who the young lady was. He then shaved the ice, put it in the glass, and then, holding the glass under the water tank, longingly inquired where she lived. The other party didn't answer the question, but asked the clerk who he was making that mess for. On being brought to his senses he was told what kind of a mixture he had, and he then declared he was making strawberry pop. Nevertheless, he set 'em up to the reporter.

A special meeting of Charity Chapter No. 47, O. E. S., was held June 24, 1895, for the purpose of installing the following officers:

Mrs. M. L. Brewer, W. M.
Mr. E. B. Smith, W. P.
Mrs. Emma Lindsey, A. M.
Mrs. W. R. Parker, Sec'y.
Mrs. L. J. Willis, Treas.
Mrs. McFarland, Cond.
Mrs. Carrie McKeeby, A. Cond.
Mr. Geo. O. Yeiser, Chaplain.
Miss Mollie Ferris, Adah.
Mrs. Nellie Talbot, Ruth.
Mrs. Emma Strohm, Eather.
Mrs. E. B. Smith, Martha.
Mrs. Emma Knight, Electa.
Mrs. G. W. Knight, Warder.
Mr. H. W. Brewer, Sent.

There are several very vile stink holes inside the city limits that should claim the attention of the city authorities. Hog pens may be healthy (?) but they smell to heaven. Why not look after them?

WHAT
The People Want!
Good Goods at Low Prices!

We can give you the best flour for less money than any one in the city . . .

- 1 lb good chewing tobacco 20c
- 1 lb good smoking tobacco 15c
- 20 lbs best Rice you ever saw for \$1
- 20 lbs best Raisin cured prunes for 1
- 1 lb best Tea for - 25 cents
- 10 lbs best Peaches for - \$1.00
- 10 lbs best Pitted Plums, - 1.00

Can't be bought anywhere for this money. . . .

One of the best nutmeg graters you ever saw for 10c. Every lady needs one. Come and see them.

We are selling evaporated apples for less than anyone in town. We want everybody to come and see the above goods

We can give you Salmon at 10c a can that is first-class goods. Everyone says it is fine.

We want everybody to bring their Butter and Eggs to me and get goods at way down prices.

Yours respectfully

B. F. MIZER.

Beware of circulars sent out by other Houses, as I will knock their prices galley west. Come and see me.

Abstract of Assessment.

The following is the abstract of assessment in Webster county, Nebraska, for the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-five:

PERSONAL PROPERTY	NO.	VALUE	AVG.
Horses of all ages,	4578	72344	8 54
Cattle of all ages,	14200	50225	3 28
Mules and asses of all ages,	796	7187	9 14
Sheep of all ages,	782	327	30
Pigs of all ages,	18643	12564	7 7
Steam engines, including boilers,	24	710	2 96
Fire and burglar proof safes,	73	458	6 28
Bills, and pigeon hole, bagg-tells, or similar tables,	5	44	10 47
Carrriages and wagons,	2884	11647	4 06
Watches and clocks,	2249	3364	1 48
Sewing and knitting machines,	1293	2071	2 07
Pianos, etc.,	78	1363	17 47
Melodeons and organs,	419	2147	5 12
Merchandise on hand, and material and manufactured articles,	2838	45487	
Manufacturer's tools, implements (other than boilers and engines)		2092	
Agricultural tools, implements and machinery,		14006	
Gold and silver plate and plated ware,		31	
Diamonds and jewelry,		111	
Monies of bank, banker, broker or stock jobber,		778	
Credits of bank, banker, broker, or stock jobber, Monies other than of bank, banker, broker, or stock jobber,		1400	
Credits other than of bank, banker, broker, or stock jobber,		3564	
Bonds, stocks, and state, county, city, village, or school district warrants and municipal securities of any kind whatever,		5885	
Property of companies and corporations, other than property hereinafter enumerated,		825	
Property of saloons and eating houses,		510	
Household or office furniture and property,		13336	
Investments in real estate and improvements thereon,		15467	
Amount of railroad property,		274684	
All other property required to be listed,		12900	
Total value pers'n prop'y,		\$505690	

Last Sunday afternoon from twelve to fifteen teams from Red Cloud loaded with Sunday-school workers drove to Fisher's school house in district 14 and joined the school at that place in a rally service consisting of songs and addresses. L. P. Albright led the singing and Mrs. Baum presided at the organ. R. B. Fulton, Mrs. Carpenter, Prof. Hunter, Mr. Michaels, J. S. White, Uncle Orndoff and Mr. Baum spoke words of cheer and encouragement. Mr. Cotting sang a beautiful solo the sentiment of which seemed to enthrone everyone present sufficient to join in the chorus. Two beautiful male quartets were sung which always please. Next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., in district 33, near Wm. Crabbill's farm, is the time and place for the next rally. All interested in the Sunday-school work should lend a helping hand to make these rallies productive of much good.

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We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of otarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's earrrh cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottles. Sold by all druggists.

The list of letters remaining at the post office uncalled for up to June 27th, 1895:

Jackson Mattie
The above letters will be sent to the dead letter office July 11, 1895. If not called for.—FRANK COWDEN, Postmaster.

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