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## THE BON TON'S

**15c MEAL:**  
STEAK, EGG,  
BREAD, BUTTER,  
PIE, COFFEE.

Reduction in repairing on shoes sold from our stock only, others regular price.

Nailing mens' half soles.....50  
Ladies' half soles.....40  
Boys' half soles.....40  
Misses and youth's half soles.....35  
Children's half soles.....25  
Patches.....10  
See regular ad.  
Cincinnati Boot and Shoe Store  
A. H. Kaley, Prop.

### BRIEF MENTION.

Rev. E. L. Ely is expected in the city Sunday.  
Paper hanging at hard times prices.—F. P. Hadley.  
Our merchants are preparing for spring business.  
T. W. Harrington has moved from Cowles to Kansas.  
For a fine hair tonic call on Hutchinson & Hiatt, the barbers.  
St. Patrick's day in the morning will occur, as usual, on the 17th.  
Please come in, you that can, and pay your subscriptions; we need the money now.  
There will be a Sunday-school rally at this place on Sunday, March 15. Everyone invited.  
Rev. E. L. Ely will preach in the Congregational church March 15th, morning and evening.  
The W. C. T. U. will meet every Thursday afternoon during March with Mrs. Alice Pope.  
Before you paper your house you should see F. P. Hadley. He will do your first class work at reasonable prices.  
We received a letter this week from Otto Stocke, Grandview, Iowa. He says they are having fine Nebraska weather there.  
Sid Cox expects to take a tour of the west in a few weeks for his health. His wife will accompany him, and they will go overland.  
An effort is being made to do some good work on the roads leading to Kansas. A lot of volunteer work is being arranged by overseers of highways.  
One Minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold? Then don't cough. C. L. Cotting.  
The estate bank is doing business in the little office room back of the banking room, while the Bentley block is being repaired of the fire loss of a few weeks ago.  
The B. & M. will run homeseekers' excursions from points east of the Missouri river to points in Nebraska and Kansas on March 10th, April 7th, April 21st, May 5th.  
Robt. M. Martin, Jr., Nobe Robinson, and others of the Red Cloud contingent in Cripple Creek, report the weather cold and the snow deep. That is what might be called getting gold under difficult conditions.  
Quite a change in the weather the first of the week. Dealers in furs were circulating with smiles frozen on their features, but they were rapidly thawed out yesterday when Old Sol made his appearance.  
The Holland House is doing a nice business these days, and the jolly landlord, L. D. Oatman, shakes his fat sides with merriment, while he feeds the hungry people with the abundance that he always keeps in his larder.  
John Fred Peterson will sell his horses, cattle, hogs and agricultural implements, on his farm on section 7-11, just east of Oliver McCall, on Tuesday March 10, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms 12 months without interest. Col. Winfrey, auctioneer.  
There will be a meeting of the ladies' auxiliary to the Webster County Agricultural Society on Tuesday afternoon, March 10, at 2:30, at the residence of Miss Mollie Ferris. All are invited, and all officers are requested to be present.  
By ORDER PRESIDENT.  
Owing to the day being so disagreeable on last Wednesday, the Red Cloud members of the Farmers' Institute, which was to be held at Cowles, did not attend. The interest in those institutes should not be allowed to wane, as they will be a great help to the farmers.  
The revivals at the M. E. church are still progressing, and Pastors Maxfield and Hummel think they see the light appearing, and that soon there will be a great revival in our midst. There is no doubt but that a good revival would be a lasting benefit to the church and city.

### Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"MYSTIC CURE" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by H. E. Greice druggist, Red Cloud.

### A Good Farm for Sale.

Four miles north-west of Red Cloud, containing 160 acres. Terms reasonable. Apply to Mrs. Jan Kirkwood, Fairfax, Atchison county, Mo. 45-66.  
A good liver with a torpid liver will not be a long liver. Correct the liver with DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Little pills cure dyspepsia and constipation. C. L. Cotting.

### A Pleasant Reception.

On last Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miner gave a very pleasant reception to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Miner, who were recently wedded, and had just returned from a wedding tour in the east. Their handsome residence was beautifully decorated with flowers, etc., and together with the sweet music from Jenkins' Parlor Orchestra, which was comfort ably accompanied at the head of the spacious hall, the large number of guests caught the inspiration and all went as joyously as a marriage bell. The company was received in the north parlor by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miner, the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Miner, Mrs. Caroline E. A. Cather, and the Misses Mary and Margaret Miner, and from there they were escorted into an adjoining parlor, where delicious creams, sherberts, and delicious cakes and coffee were served. The Misses Irene Miner, Jessie Cather and Mabel Howard presided over the table, which were elegantly decorated with rare flowers of many kinds. It was an auspicious occasion, and started the young couple out on the matrimonial voyage with the best wishes of their numerous friends in this city. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miner and their estimable family thoroughly understand the art of making their guests feel at ease, and this was no exception, as they all aver that this was the most pleasant event that has transpired in this city for many months. All present extended to the young couple their congratulations and the best wishes for a long and happy life.

The people of Red Cloud and Webster county should not forget the inter-state fair to be given in this city under the management of the Webster County Agricultural Society next September. This will be one of the best fairs ever given in the state, outside of the state fair. The dates are September 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19. The premiums will be \$5000, and \$2000 for speed. Paste the dates up and begin now to prepare exhibits.

### Corn and Oats Wanted.

Miner Bros. are buying corn and oats, and are paying the highest market prices. 10-11

The district meeting of the Knights of Pythias will take place in this city on the 19th. Grand Chancellor Ford will be here, and the following lodges will have representatives here:  
Lucullus, No. 93, Bloomington.  
Dalmation, No. 157, Alma.  
Red Cross, No. 58, Blue Hill.  
Beaver City, No. 77, Beaver City.  
Hastings, No. 28, Hastings.  
Calantha, No. 29, Red Cloud.  
This will be a lodge of instruction and every K. P. should get in line.

The following are the officers of the Red Cloud Fire Department, elected on last Monday evening:

Chief, A. J. Tomlinson.  
1st Asst., C. L. Winfrey.  
2d Asst., A. H. Gray.  
Sec'y, Geo. B. McCall.  
Treasurer, J. O. Butler.  
Trustees, J. H. Wegmann, H. P. Sowter, H. Diederich.  
Foreman H. and L. A. H. Gray.  
Assistant, W. L. McCord.  
2d Assistant, Geo. Huttenlocher.  
Hose Co. No. 1, J. O. Butler, foreman.  
Assistant, H. P. Sowter.  
2d Assistant, R. W. Ferris.  
Hose Co. No. 2, H. Diederich, foreman.  
Assistant, T. W. Hatfield.  
2d Assistant, Geo. B. McCall.  
The department tendered its thanks to Mayor Bentley for the donation of \$25.  
The department also voted thanks to Asst. Chief Runey for his efficient services while acting chief.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills C. L. Cotting.

### SCHOOL ITEMS.

Editor, Miss Mamie Weideman.  
Reporters: Mary Eames.  
There were only three pupils perfect in attendance and punctuality, they were Mary Eames, Lucy Eames and Mamie Weideman.

The General History class had quite a discussion on the following question: "That educated men fight better than those not educated."  
The Botany pupils are wearing weary looks now as the slips and paper have come.

Miss Garber and her Geology class went up to Mr. Kaley's Friday to see some specimens.  
John Eames was a caller Friday a. m. After the school had sung several songs Thursday a. m. the tenth grade favored us with their class yell.

Mr. Smith taught the Geometry class Thursday a. m. Prof. Wilson being absent.

Miss McClelland gave the boys of the ninth grade a catch problem to work. She said the rule could not be found in the arithmetic, geometry or trigonometry. One bright boy said maybe it could be found in "physiology."

John Tulleys was a caller in the high school Monday.  
Many pupils are absent this week on account of sickness.

Mable Howard has returned again to school after a few days of sickness.  
Miss Ray Letson taught the German class Tuesday.

Prof. Wilson used the rod on three pupils Wednesday.  
Miss Garber being sick last Thursday the Virgil class was taught by Mamie Weideman.

Miss McClelland read a very interesting story to the pupils Wednesday.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.  
**DR. PRICES' CREAM BAKING POWDER**  
MOST PERFECT MADE.  
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

### Another Railroad.

There have been many talks about getting railroads into Red Cloud, and numerous committees have talked railroad to all the railroad men of the country, but The Chief has a plan of action that, if taken up, it believes could be worked. The Santa Fe road runs into Barnard, Lincoln county, Kansas, three miles south of Red Cloud, or about 60 miles south of us. It is understood, so our informant said, that the Santa Fe folks desire to extend that branch northwest, and that they could be induced to extend the line through to this city, via Beloit and Mankato. A road of this description would tap the Kansas coal fields, and, if there is anything that would help Red Cloud, it would be to tap a coal field; and it would be a direct line to the Gulf. Our informant said further, that the road could be procured by united effort and, if it came here, Red Cloud would be made a division point. The commercial club will probably investigate the matter soon and see if there can be any inducements offered in that way. We need a good railroad; the managers of the Santa Fe are progressive fellows, and, with the help of Lincoln, Mitchell and Jewell counties, Kansas, and Webster county, Nebraska, there ought to be a splendid opportunity of securing this road. If the prospect for a crop is good, there might be such a thing as the whistle of the Santa Fe engines being heard in this city before snow flies next fall. We hope.

### Republican City Convention.

The republican voters of the first and second wards of the city of Red Cloud are requested to send delegates from their respective wards to meet in convention at the court-house in the city of Red Cloud, on Friday, March 13th, 1896, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of choosing the following candidates for city officers, viz:

Mayor.  
City Clerk.  
City Treasurer.  
Police Judge.  
City Surveyor.  
One Alderman from First Ward.  
One Alderman from Second Ward.  
Two members board of education.

The several wards are entitled to representation as follows, the apportionment being based upon the vote cast for T. L. Norval for supreme judge in 1895, giving each ward one delegate for each five votes or major fraction thereof:

First Ward, 18 delegates.  
Second Ward, 25 delegates.  
It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, but that delegates present be authorized to cast the entire vote of the ward which they represent.

Any voter believing in the principles of the republican party, and who will when challenged, declare his intention of supporting the ticket nominated by this convention, shall be entitled to a vote at the primaries herein mentioned.

R. B. FELTON,  
Chairman City Central Committee.

### City Primaries.

The republican primaries for the election of delegates to the republican city convention will be held on Thursday March 12th, from three to seven p. m., as follows:

First ward, at W. B. Roby's feed store.  
Second ward, at Firemen's hall.  
The following are appointed to act as judges and clerks of election at the foregoing primaries, viz:

2d ward—Judges, L. P. Albright, O. C. Bell and H. A. Howard. Clerks, H. E. Pond and A. C. Hosmer.  
1st ward—Judges, M. C. Sherman, D. L. Groat and Sherman Bruner. Clerks, D. C. Jenkins and S. W. Poe.

R. B. FELTON,  
Chairman City Central Committee.

If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails. C. L. Cotting.

### A Rare Offer.

The publishers of THE NEBRASKA AND KANSAS FARMER have decided to make GREAT INDUCEMENT to people to work for the paper, viz: To the person sending in the largest number of yearly subscribers between February 20, 1896, and July 1, 1896, to make said person a present of a \$15.00 SILVER WATCH, and to the second largest number a present of a \$10 WATCH. The 3d a gold ring worth \$5.

In addition to the presents a cash commission will be allowed on EVERY subscription so obtained.  
Agents wanted everywhere to canvass for subscriptions. Write for terms to customers.

Single subscriptions one year, 50cents.  
CLUBBING RATES.  
Clubs of 25, one year each.....25 cents  
Clubs of 50, one year each.....20 cents  
Clubs of 75, one year each.....15 cents  
Clubs of 100, one year each.....10 cents  
Sent to any part of the United States.  
Address all communications to THE FARMER Co., Publishers, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

The beautiful snow fell upon the virgin soil to the merriment of the small boy and the man who desired to put up ice.

Are you one of those unhappy people suffering with weak nerves? Remember that the nerves may be made strong by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which feeds them upon pure blood.

Hood's pills are the best after-dinner pills; assist digestion, prevent constipation. 25c.

Referring to the clause in our contract regarding delivery of low grade beets, we wish to explain that beet growers can have the privilege of otherwise disposing of beets below 12 per cent sugar with a purity of 80 after November 1, 1896, provided they pay us for seed.

Grand Island, Neb., Feb. 25, 1896.  
OXNARD BROT SUGAR CO.  
**Fine Jersey Bull.**  
Len Aultz has a fine thoroughbred Jersey bull for service. Can be found at his residence, northeast part of the city.

**Trees and Plants.**  
If you want any trees, shrubs or plants this spring, now is the time to order them. Strawberry plants, first-class, 60 cents per hundred. L. H. ROSE.

**The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.**

# SALVATION OIL

The Greatest Cure on Earth for Pain. Cures permanently Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Sprains, Cuts, Bruises, Scalds, Burns, Swellings, Backache or any other pain. SALVATION OIL is sold everywhere for 25 cts. Refuse substitutes.

See LANGE'S PLUGS, The Great Tobacco Antidote, 10c. Dealers of mail, A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md.



Latest Style!  
Best Leather!  
Best Wearer!

Only one quality, and that the best. Satisfaction guaranteed on each and every pair.

The greatest wearing Children's Shoes on earth.

Congo Calf Patent Tip.  
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Misses' Kid, But., square toe.  
Tans in all sizes.

Boys' Razor Toe, 3 to 5; Boys' Opera Toe; Boys' Square Toe.

We have just received a large assortment of Little Giant School Shoes for little men and women.

Remember we are sole agents.

CINCINNATI BOOT AND SHOE STORE,  
A. H. KALEY, Prop.

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But another bargain such as we are offering in clocks is not probable.

## Clocks for Less Than Wholesale Cost,

We only have a few and when they are gone you can get no more for the same price. So get a bargain while you can. If you don't want a clock get a watch they are just as cheap, at

NEWHOUSE BROS., Jewelers and Opticians.

In F. Newhouse's Dry Goods Store.

**Deafness Cannot be Cured.**  
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's catarrh cure. Send for circulars, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.  
Sold by druggists, 75c.

**A FULL BLOOD JERSEY BULL**  
Is kept for service at S. Day's barn. This Bull was bred at Lincoln in the fall of 1892, while his mother was on exhibition at the state fair. This bull took first premium at the Webster county fair in fall of 1895. This is the best bred Jersey bull in Webster county. His weight is 1200 lbs. For further particulars, call at S. DAY'S BARN, Foot of Elm St, Red Cloud.

**Real Estate Transfers**  
For the week ending March 3, 1896, furnished by the Fort Abstract Co.  
L. C. Gilbert et al to A. Miner  
William H. & G. H. 3-2-10  
10-11 wd.....\$ 5000 00  
Stark Bros to Edward H. Poe  
nw 1/4 32-3-10 q d..... 1 00  
J. W. Runney sheriff to German  
Ins Co, sec 1/4 26-4-10, sheriff's deed..... 3043 00  
J. W. Runney sheriff to German  
Insurance Co, lot 36, blk 9, Blue Hill, sheriff's deed..... 600 00  
J. W. Runney sheriff to German  
Insurance Co, sw 1/4 3-2-10 sheriff's deed..... 1800 00  
J. W. Runney sheriff to German  
Insurance Co, e 1/2 and n 1/2 sec 1/4 9-4-9, sheriff's deed..... 3635 06  
William D. Reed and wife to S. F. Reed, 1/2 lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, blk 25, lot 4, blk 3, Morey's add to Blue Hill, wd..... 2000 00  
Wesley Street and wife to Frank Huffner, part lot 3 of 10-1-11 wd..... 500 00  
Pollie Lippette to Eva R. Roane  
nw 1/4 6-3-12 wd..... 2000 00  
Bert Lippette et al to Eva R. Roane  
nw 1/4 6-3-12 wd..... 2000 00  
Chris Fassler to Wm R. Snyder  
lot 2 blk 14, Blue Hill wd..... 1090 00  
Wm R. Snyder and wife to W. M. Dutton, lot 2 blk 14, Blue Hill, wd..... 1400 00  
Total.....\$21009 00

The list of letters remaining at the postoffice uncalled for up to March 6, 1896:  
Berry, Maud Borer, Jack  
Dubois, E. F. Ferguson, Jos.  
Haley, H. A. Wallace, C. E.  
Wilson, J. G.

This above letters will be sent to the dead letter office March 20, 1896. If not called for.—FRANK COWDEN, Postmaster.

Line.  
Rev. Blackwell has closed the meetings at the Hummel school house. They were a great success there being seventeen added to the church.  
Chas. Isom has moved into the Besse farm.  
A revival meeting will commence at Penny creek soon.  
Mr. Aubushon is rejoicing over the arrival of a nine pound girl at their house.  
The Grewell reports wages good at Cripple Creek.  
E. W. Anderson, G. Billington and R. Lewis will start to Cripple Creek the 14th of March.  
Amos Gust is building a sod house on his place.  
S. Garber is building a frame house on his farm south of the mill.  
The Penny Creek Sunday-school will be reorganized Sunday evening.  
Rev. Blackwell is going to organize the Epworth League at the Hummel school house the second Sunday in March.  
Mrs. Keagle has returned home. The box supper on Walnut creek was a grand success.  
The school will close at Penny creek next week.  
John Beauchamp will soon start for a business trip to Missouri. He will spend the summer with friends there.  
Miss Malvina VanDyke is attending the state normal school at Ch. Co, Cal.  
Union prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. M. Guthrie leader.

**DR. KILMER'S SWAMP ROOT**  
THE GREAT KIDNEY, LIVER AND BLADDER CURE

**Pain in the Back**  
joints or hips, sediment in urine like brick-dust frequent calls or retention, rheumatism.  
**Kidney Complaint**  
Diabetes, dropsy, scanty or high colored urine.  
**Urinary Troubles**  
Stinging sensations when voiding, distress pressure in the parts, urethral irritation, stricture.  
**Disordered Liver**  
Bleat or dark circles under the eyes, tongue coated, constipation, yellowish stools.  
At Druggists, 50 cents and \$1.00 sizes. "Swamp Root" is the "Swamp" brand. DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.