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Entered at the post office at Red Cloud, Neb., as second class mail matter.

What has become of the Cuban agitator.

The populist rejoices at the continued absence of prosperity, because it keeps his cause alive.

And every town but Red Cloud has been asked to express its views on an Omaha appropriation.

The Nation still lives with Richmond gone, but the English grammar is in worse shape than ever.

We believe that W. H. Munger who has lately been appointed federal judge for this district, will be even a better appointment than Judge McHugh.

Since the county judge's office is the popular forum, why would it not be a good idea for the county board to arrange it in a more convenient shape?

Attention to the city government will show that there has been no more successful administration under such adverse circumstances as the one now in power.

If the present legislature would pay some attention to the poor laws it might be possible to clear up a considerable degree of doubt which now exists as to the proper pauper authorities.

By the way, we note that populists object to the republican measure of 1895 calculated to secure better printer's service, that is, the law defining a legal newspaper.

Mr. Dobson demanded a call of the house upon it. The call showed two members absent. The call was dispensed with, and on roll call the bill was passed by a vote of 63 to 30.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Position, Party. Includes Ankeny, Hill, Severe, Billings, Hill, Sheldon, Campbell, Holland, Hull, Clark of Rich, Holt.

The recount of ballots cast at the last election ordered by the populist legislature simply means that war on the money power is to be continued by overturning the decided law, and incidentally the repudiation of Judge Maxwell as a jurist.

In justice to the republicans who took Senator Thurston's word that he had severed connection with the Union Pacific, the senator should cease his agitation against what appears to be a chance for the government to secure the larger part of its claim.

One of the hardest things to do in this world is to live a good, consistent, Christian life in a small town where every move you make is known to everyone in the place before night - Bizby.

We wonder if Bix meant that item for the know all saints of Red Cloud.

Jack Walsh is talking creamery and he is like the kid who was hunting for his mail pouch, "he won't be happy until he gets it." In his speech this week under the delusion that he has been approached on the subject by several citizens, he takes upon himself the duty of giving a history of what everybody knows. As Gov. Garber would remark, "he is an old settler." Jack has been here for perhaps three years, or thereabout, but in his vanity he has pictured to himself that he is an old resident and therefore entitled to criticize everything and everybody. People don't mind a peacock when it struts about showing its gaudy plumage, but they hate to eternally hear the insane screech of a guinea hen.

CASTORIA. The signature of J. H. Pritchard is on every wrapper.

HERE AND THERE.

Red Cloud was the scene of an accident, last Tuesday afternoon, that was at least entertaining to the onlooker if not to the participants. Tuesday evening, the opera "Princess Bonnie" was to be played by home talent in Superior, with the assistance of some Red Cloud people. Six ladies and two gentlemen got down to the depot at Red Cloud, Tuesday afternoon, just in time to see the smoke of No. 64 as it pulled out ahead of time. Oh, my, but we were mad. The ladies had prepared elaborate toilets, and from the tips of the plumes in their hats, to the tips of their needle pointed shoes, the ringlets in their hair, the rustle of their silks all indicated that they had spent hours in preparation for the event, and then to just think that the mean old train had gone off and left them. An appeal was made to Supt. Campbell at McCook, to run a special. They offered to pay ten fares, and because this would not pay to steam up an engine, the B. & M. got a good roasting from the handsome ladies. One lady wanted it understood that she wasn't a B. & M. republican, another said she wasn't a B. & M. pop, another was indignant because they didn't have another railroad at Red Cloud that had some accommodation about it, while another, the color of whose tresses shall be nameless, kicked the depot building quite vigorously. Supt. Campbell could not hear the angry remarks over the wire and was inexorable, so the party drove 30 miles to Superior.—Harian County Democrat.

If we could trace dyspepsia to its source, it would lead back to our kitchens. In fact, the secret of good health is good cooking. If well cooked foods are partially digested, if poorly cooked, they are less digestible than in their raw state. If you are a victim of faulty cooking, that is, if you suffer from Dyspepsia, the rational cure must be looked for in an artificially digested food, and a food which will at the same time aid the digestion of other foods. Such a preparation virtually rests the tired digestive organs, thereby restoring them to their natural strength. The Digestive Cordial, as prepared by the Shakers of Mt. Lebanon, is just such a preparation, and a single 10 cent bottle will convince you of its value. If your druggist doesn't keep it, he will be glad to get it through his wholesale house.

LAXOL is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

Talking about manufacturing interests in Nebraska, a speaker at a recent meeting held in Omaha gave utterance to the following strong words: "Experience, in the use of all kinds of expedients has taught us that nothing short of newspaper advertising can stem the tide. It is coming home to them, as indeed it does to all manufacturers, that any brand of flour, cereal or product tastes better to the consumer if seasoned with printer's ink, and that a brand of soap, although capable of cleansing the foulest fabric without washboard or mangle, will remain on the grocer's shelf until Gabriel toots his horn and the fly specks on the wrapper are as thick as the rust on the scoop in his salt barrel unless its merits reach the good housewife through the medium of the local paper."—Ex.

Revival services at the Methodist church are attracting great crowds every evening, souls are being saved and the city seems to be stirred up in great shape. Mr. Darby preaches a

Mrs. Kate Etter

OF MISSOURI, Is Cured of Heart Disease by Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.



MRS. KATE ETTER wrote from Neosho, Mo., in March last. "Two years ago I was severely troubled with my stomach and kidneys, and a great affliction so unnerved me that my condition became alarming. The telegraph brought a prominent physician in a consultation which resulted in no benefit. I went to Wyoming for change of climate without benefit, was brought back to Atchison where nurses worked with me night and day to keep me alive to reach my friends here. My heart became so bad that my friends gave up all hope. I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine alternately and was restored to health. It is now months since and I am perfectly well." Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on Heart and Nerves sent free to all applicants. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

religion for humanity which he says makes people better. Better fathers, better mothers, better citizens, more loyal to their country, and loyal to the interests of our fellows. He extends an invitation to our business men to drop into the services, after business hours, if it is even late, better late than never. There will be no services on Saturday evening, but on Saturday afternoon there will be a great mass meeting held at 2:30 at the church. Teachers, school children, people from the country, and from the city are all invited. Mr. Darby will preach at that hour.

Perhaps it would be a good thing for our farmers to look out for a gang of traveling grocery sharks who are making the rounds of farm houses in some of the counties east of us, but are steadily working westward. From all accounts they are good talkers and can easily convince the most skeptical that they can sell you groceries cheaper than you can buy at home, and soon have orders for a cartload of groceries. When shipped the goods come C. O. D. and must be paid, including freight, before the car is opened. The stuff received is of a very poor quality and will not compare very favorably with the samples carried by the fakirs, and before the end you will find you have paid more for your groceries than you would have to pay your home merchants.

- Save a dollar on a mackintosh at the Chicago Store. Save 15 cents on a pair of overalls at the Chicago Store. Save 25 cents on a shirt at the Chicago Store. Save 50 cents on a pair of jeans pants at the Chicago Store. Save \$1.00 on a pair of pants at the Chicago Store. Save 10 cents on a linen or celluloid collar at the Chicago Store. Save one half price on a trunk or valise at the Chicago Store. Save \$1.00 on a hat at the Chicago Store. Everything goes at some or no price at the Chicago Store.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Fredericks-town, Mo., was troubled with chronic diarrhea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its continued use cured him. For sale by H. E. Grice, Druggist.

Of all heathenish practices that of photographing kids with no clothes on is the worst. Imagine how your son must feel when he grows up, fond mother, and finds that in his helpless infancy you toted him before a photographer attired only in balm Nebraska atmosphere. Other people may smile when they look at that picture, and pronounce it cute, but the man himself is liable to pronounce nothing but cuss words.—Superior Journal.

Chicago, Pa., "Herald." Richard Vessel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs and colds, after all other so called cures had failed entirely. Mr. Vessel said it assisted his children through a very bad siege of measles. One Minute Cough Cure makes expectoration very easy and rapid. C. L. Cotting

Here is the latest story. A tramp asked for something to eat. She said she would furnish it if he would saw some wood. The tramp agreed to the proposition, was fed and shown the wood pile. The woman went into the yard an hour later to see how he was getting on and found the following note pinned on the saw buck: "Just tell them that you saw me but didn't see me saw."—Ex.

A few months ago, Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the whole length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by H. E. Grice, Druggist.

A paper of a neighboring town says that the best investment that a town can have is a creamery and a cold storage plant. That sounds nice in theory, but when you come down to cold, hard practice Beaver City has a creamery and cold storage plant for sale cheap and cash no object.—Beaver City Tribune.

FREE to any person suffering from dyspepsia in any form. A remedy that will cure you. Send name and address to J. Cramer, Box 18, Cevington, Ohio. He will send it free of charge. He wants your name for his mailing list.

DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. Quickly cures Dysentery and Diarrhea.

CHURCH NOTES.

CONGREGATIONAL. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. A ten minute sermonette will be delivered to the young people at this service. Subject, "How Can the Young Serve Christ." Subject for the morning discourse will be "Spiritual Sleep."

Sunday school 11:45 a. m., under the superintendency of Mrs. C. Pope. Junior Society of C. E. 4 p. m., led by Mrs. J. O. Butler, to which the young folks are especially invited.

Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Sincerity With One's Self, With Others, With God."

Evening service at 7:30. Subject, "Awake."

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subject, "The Duty of Our Church. What is it? How Will It Be Manifested?"

We aim to help and instruct in spiritual matters and to save. Come then with us and we will know the good, for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel.

All are invited to these services. Young men especially invited to the Sunday evening service.

O. E. TICKSON, Pastor.

METHODIST. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30. Junior League at 4 p. m. Senior League at 6:30.

Preaching at 7:30 on "Seven Abominable Things."

Chapel Sunday school at 3 p. m. each Sunday.

The public is invited to all these services.

REV. J. M. DARRY, Pastor.

BAPTIST. Services Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday School at 11:30.

Junior union at 3 p. m. Baptist Young People's Union at 6:30 p. m.

Evening services at 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to worship with us.

C. R. WELDEN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL. Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Services in the evening at 7:30.

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DeWitt's Little Early Risers, The famous little pills.

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 preceding the 3d Saturday of each month.

The standing desired for 2d and 3d grade certificate is the same—no grade below 70 per cent., average 80 per cent.; for first grade certificate—no grade below 80 per cent., average 90 per cent in all branches required by law.

D. M. HUNTER, County Supt.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PEOPLE'S BANK OF RED CLOUD (CHARTER NO. 346, at Red Cloud, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business December 31st, 1896.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes Assets (Loans and Discounts, Real Estate, etc.) and Liabilities (Capital stock paid in, Undivided profits, etc.).

SALVATION OIL. The modern Pain Annihilator, will positively cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Sores, Earache, Backache and all other aches. SALVATION OIL is sold everywhere for 25 cents. Only the genuine will do the work.

11c For Corn in Trade. During the Month of January, We will exchange shoes for corn at 11 cents per bushel. Corn to be delivered when goods are purchased. Our stock is the largest and most complete. All goods marked in plain figures. Our prices the lowest. This is an effort in your behalf. Embrace it. Cincinnati Cash Shoe Store.

SHERWOOD & ALBRIGHT, GROCERS. Humboldt, Minnesota and Amboy Flour. AGENTS FOR Chase & Sanborn's Coffees. FRESH VEGETABLES AND FRUITS OF ALL KINDS IN SEASON.

Harness! Harness! Harness! We are making Special Inducements on Harness this spring. We are selling harness to correspond with corn. Following you will find a few of the articles we are selling. 1/4-inch Harness from \$19 to \$25, 1/2-inch Harness from \$20.50 to \$29. SWEAT PADS FROM 45c TO 65c PER PAIR. All other goods in proportion. Call and be convinced. J. O. BUTLER, Prop.

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