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CITY NEWS.

The county commissioners have been in session this week.

Andrew Berg of Hastings is here this week visiting friends.

Pabst Beer on tap at the Bohemian saloon. Always fresh.

Boyd Munsel returned the fore part of the week from Texas.

FOR SALE—Pure three-year-old cider vinegar.—MRS. BRADSHAW.

Harvey Starkey has our thanks this week for a dollar on subscription.

Fred McKeeby was looking after business matters in Omaha this week.

Lumber at cost at Cowles, Neb. Closing out.—A. L. HILDRETH, Manager.

Mrs. Henry Eckman of Denver is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.

Paul Story of Cowles has accepted a position in the clothing store of Galusha & Wescott.

Will Brewer has resigned his position as express man at the depot and will go to Kansas City.

Miss Maud Rothrock who has been visiting friends in the city left for her home at Reynolds Wednesday.

A force of men and teams have been at work this week repairing the road between the railroad and the river bridge.

There will be services Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the school house in Dist. 14, on Indian creek, by Rev. T. E. Horton of Hastings.

Lumber Yard for sale cheap for cash or will trade for good farm lands in Webster county.—A. L. HILDRETH, Manager, Cowles, Nebraska.

Palmer & Brown of this city were awarded the contract to build the county poor house on the county poor farm, their bid, \$1650 being the lowest.

The Orris Ober Co. carries ten people each and every one an artist in his line. Best of specialties. An amethyst magnifying glass with thirty life size moving pictures.

Miss Jessie Gant who has been visiting in the city the past month the guest of Miss Ethel Hosmer, returned to her home, St. Joseph, Missouri, the first of the week.

Lloyd Richardson is in the city this week on a visit with his parents and renewing old acquaintances. He is at present holding down a good position at the Denver stock yards.

Percy McBride, who has been located in Hastings for some time past, has been here during the first part of the week visiting the folks. He left Thursday night for Ft. Morgan, Colorado, where will go into business.

The Blue Hill "kids" came down on Wednesday and crossed bats with the Red Cloud "kids" with the avowed intention of beating them so bad they never would want to play again. For once the Blue Hillites run up against a snag. The score stood thirteen to twenty-one in favor of Red Cloud.

"That there thin chicken, with the draggled feathers," said the farmer to the summer boarder, "is the one I call the populist. Know why?" Of course the boarder did not know. "Well I'll tell you. I call him that 'cause he spends so much time chasin' the other chickens to get their vittles away from 'em, that he don't find no time to pick up none for himself."

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

AROUND TOWN.

Walter Kaley is home from St. Joe. J. H. Wegmann was in Blue Hill this week.

THE CHIEF is prepared to do your job printing.

Pabst Beer on tap at the Bohemian Saloon. Always fresh.

Pabst beer on tap at Bohemian saloon. 5 cents a glass.

Beer at wholesale at \$2.50 per keg at the South Side Sample Room.

See Peterson's twine before you buy. He has just received a car load.

Nels Longtin returned Tuesday from a brief visit at Clyde, Kansas.

Wm. Zeff has decorated the front of his barber shop with a new awning.

Boyd Munsel arrived in the city Sunday night from his home in Texas.

Wm. Waldo, the Franklin livery man was in the city the fore part of the week.

A. B. Wiggins who has been quite ill the past week with fever, is reported much better.

Harry Conover and wife returned Saturday evening from a several weeks visit in Illinois.

A. Cook couldn't hardly get along without the Great Family Weekly and so planked us down a dollar this week.

The Union Fire Insurance Company is the best mutual. Combine risks; in installments 3 per cent.—J. H. SMITH, Special Agent.

The Egyptian Remedy Co. outfit quietly folded their tent and left the first of the week for a country where there are more suckers.

A. J. Carey and wife left Wednesday for Lincoln where they will visit for some time and will then go from there to the state of Washington.

Robert McBride has resigned his position with the firm of Galusha & Wescott and has accepted a similar position with the firm of Freymark & Co.

Daniel Williamson and Miss Erin Cinnamon of this county were married on Monday, July 12th, by Rev. S. Austin. The bride is fifteen years of age and the groom twenty.

On next Sunday, the 18th, there will be a Sunday school rally at district No. 64 known as the Burr school house and a good program is expected there. Everybody is invited. Three o'clock p.m. is the hour.

Out of about four hundred boys who had their girls out buggy riding last Sunday only one was noticed particularly as he passed up and down the street. He had one of those Studebaker buggies that terson sells.

Street Commissioner Kinsel has a force of men and teams at work this week filling up the holes made by the recent heavy rains. At some places holes were washed out near the cross walks which made travel nearly impossible.

Last week in mentioning the Fourth of July celebration THE CHIEF made an error in stating that the large flag was presented to the Modern Woodmen as the largest delegation. It should have been the A. O. U. W. We are sorry the mistake occurred and take pleasure in rectifying it.

Monday night the great play "Mr. Wright of Wall Street." This play is written to please one and all; having just enough of the comedy element to satisfy those who come to laugh; while the dramatic situations reaching an exciting climax in the third act, the stock exchange scene, always call forth rounds of applause.

Sheriff Runchey arrived home yesterday having in custody William Scott alias George Jansen another of the men wanted for the burglary of Fuller & Good's store at Cowles some time since. This is the third man of the gang and not one of the ones who were caught the first time. He was apprehended in a saloon in Lincoln.

One of our exchanges is responsible for the following paragraph: "An inventive genius has gotten up a contrivance that ought to sell like hot cakes in church circles. It is in the shape of a contribution box, and is certainly a triumph in its way. The coin falls through slots of different sizes. All dollars, half-dollars, quarters and dimes land on velvet, but the nickels and pennies drop on a Chinese gong." If the invention is introduced in some of the churches of this city the ringing of the gong might break up the services.

An effort is being made to boom Oklahoma in this part of the country, obviously for the purpose of getting Nebraska farmers to go there. The scheme might have been worked two or three years ago, but Nebraska farmers have learned a few lessons, and are now satisfied with their own country. Oklahoma is about the last place that a civilized man should want to go anyhow. Better Arkansas or Missouri. It gets the worst of the drought and hot winds and cyclones, and its population there is too large a percentage of the dead tough element.—Beatrice Express.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

Twine at Peterson's for 6¢ per pound. Webb Josselyn of Orleans was here Monday.

Geo. Buck of Franklin was in the city Tuesday.

Go to G. A. Harris, Cowles, Neb., for hats and caps at cost.

Pabst Beer on tap at the Bohemian saloon. Always fresh.

You can buy twine at Peterson's cheaper than anywhere.

Beer at wholesale at \$2.50 per keg at the South Side Sample Room.

Orris Ober Co., at the opera house all next week, admission 10c and 20c.

Buckeye binders and mowers, the best on earth for sale by Jas. Peterson.

Norton Watson and Homer Kinsel departed for a visit at Blue Hill Thursday.

Beer sold at the South Side Sample Room in quantity from one keg to one million.

J. A. Baum came up from Superior Saturday night and spent Sunday here with his family.

C. C. Cowden returned Monday night from St. Joe where he went to attend the funeral of a sister.

The Orange Judd Farmer and the American Agriculturist Almanac together with THE CHIEF for \$1.35.

C. L. Cotting, sole agent, will refund your money if not satisfied after using one bottle of Dr. Fanners famous medicine.

Why try to harvest your crop of small grain with an old binder when Jas. Peterson sells new ones as cheap as he does now.

The Franklin ball team passed through town Thursday overland, bound for Superior, where they will play ball today and tomorrow.

D. J. Myers horse ran away last Tuesday morning, throwing John out without injuring him, but smashed the buggy up considerable.

The American Agriculturist Almanac a book which treats on hundreds of subjects, The Orange Judd Farmer, one of the best farm papers published and THE CHIEF all one year for \$1.35.

The Sunday school rally at district No. 13 on Elm Creek on last Sunday is spoken of as a great success and will have the effect of awakening new and deeper interest in the work in that wide awake district.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending July 15th, 1897.

Ben Cullins, J. D. Christy, (card) Mrs. Ford, S. C. Kirkpatrick, 2
These letters will be sent to the dead letter office July 30th, if not called for before.—FRANK W. COWDEN, P. M.

Don't use bill heads or statements in which you have to write your own name. Get them printed in an up-to-date style. There is nothing which will make your customers think you are of the disposition to be penurious so much as this. If you are stingy in one way what reason is there to believe that you won't be in other ways. Get your printing done right at the CHIEF office.

A bicycle party had an outing and moonlight picnic at Amboy on Wednesday night. Owing to the bad roads the going and coming was not very pleasant, but the ones who got to the picnic grounds in safety had a good time. Miss Stella Ducker was quite badly hurt by taking a header from her wheel in going down a hill and there were some other minor mishaps. It wouldn't be a bad idea to send some one ahead to flag for bad places in the road after such rains as we have had.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites, can be taken as easily in summer as in winter. Unlike the plain oil it is palatable, and the hypophosphites that are in it aid in digestion and at the same time tone up the system.

For sickly, delicate children, and for those whose lungs are affected, it is a mistake to leave it off in the summer months. The dose may be reduced if necessary.

We recommend the small size especially for summer use, and for children, where a smaller dose is required. It should be kept in a cool place after it is once opened.

For sale by all druggists at 50c and 60c

Something New!

The celebrated

Waukesha

White Rock

Mineral Water,

now for sale by the glass or by the gallon at

Cotting's Fountain

and don't forget those

Ice Cold Sodas

and Phosphates

so refreshing this hot weather.

Geo. McCall of Guide Rock spent Sunday here.

Dell O'mstead and wife of Iowa are here on a visit.

A. J. Hayes of Guide Rock was here during the week.

W. G. Warren was up from Superior the first of the week.

Geo. Lohff of Franklin is in the city this week visiting friends.

Jas. Mitchell is home after a visit in the eastern part of the state.

Numerous new board walks are in process of construction this week.

Henry Clark began making regular trips with the oil wagon this week.

J. L. Miner and Geo. Coon returned Thursday evening from Kansas City.

J. F. Winters returned last Saturday from an extended trip in the Dakotas.

Fred Peterson sends the CHIEF this week to L. C. Chaffes at Salida, Colorado.

Miss Lola Fulton of Riverton is in the city visiting with Misses Lillian and Pearl Smith.

Miss Iva Skelton of Blue Hill has been visiting with the family of C. D. Robinson this week.

Mrs. D. M. Potter and sons returned Tuesday from a week's visit with friends and relatives in Campbell.

Rev. C. R. Welden delivered his farewell sermon at the Baptist church last Sunday evening to a large congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Davison who have been visiting J. A. Tulleys and family returned to their home at Lincoln Monday.

Jas. Blair, wife and child, who have been visiting with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blair, returned to their home in Concordia, Kansas.

Orlin, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turnure, died on Wednesday morning about 6:30. Funeral services were held from the residence on Thursday at 10:30.

A horse race in which Fair's Sleepy Jen and a spotted pony belonging to E. Pinger of Hebron for \$40 a side will take place on the fair grounds here on Saturday, July 31st.

Don't nauseate your stomach with teas and bitter herbs, but regulate your liver and sick headache by using those famous little pills known as De Witt's Little Early Risers. C. L. Cotting.

M. M. Bly, who went to Georgia several years ago to grow up with a "colony" returned home last Friday night. He seems to think that this state is still good enough for him.—Bloomington Echo.

On August 1st, at 3 p.m., the Cowles workers will hold a rally at the McCune school house, known as the half way school—in section 18, Pleasant Hill precinct—between Red Cloud and Cowles at which time they will be assisted by a quartet from Red Cloud.

Dr. Bowius will give another of his famous lectures to the Teachers' Institute on next Thursday evening. These lectures are not for teachers alone and every person who can should attend. Mr. B is a very able and educated lecturer and much good common sense can be derived by attending these lectures.

Considerable sport was created for a train of Endeavorers at noon yesterday by an impromptu Wild West show given by Jack Perkins, Len Sherwin and others. After displaying their horsemanship the boys offered a purse of \$5 to the excursionist who would ride one of their bronchos. A West Point cadet, a son of Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, promptly ascended to the hurricane deck of a sorrel mare and awaited the cyclone. It came soon enough and he was shot heavenward like a sky rocket. He came down before the train started and shook some bird nests out of his hair. His introduction to the woolly west was certainly emphatic.—Sterling, Colo. News.

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19 YEARS.

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J. L. MINER.

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Wish to announce to the public that they are still in the lead.

Latest Styles in Summer Dress Goods.

Lawns,

Dimitys,

Organdies,

Ginghams,

and Calicos,

Groceries,

Queensware,

Hats and Caps,

Boots and Shoes,

Millinery Goods,

All Millinery at Cost to make room for fall stock. We carry the largest stock of Dry Goods in the Republican Valley.

MINER - BROS.

AMONG THE EXCHANGES.

It certainly would have been a great benefit to the railroad officials if they had been able to hear and see everything that took place here last Saturday, because the train to the Orleans celebration was four hours and a half late. One young lady was so mad, when 64 pulled in, that she walked up to a stock car and gave an innocent steer such a surprise punch from his rear side that he kicked the top of her parasol off.—Republican City Democrat.

Doctors, as a rule, are not overburdened with horse sense. They think it an awful sin against the ethics of their profession to advertise in the newspapers, and they go around worshipping those ethics, and trying to knife each other in a quiet way. When a doctor comes into the town and does some advertising, and gets all the business, as is right and proper. The old fashioned doctors envy the successful man, but they haven't the enterprise to cut loose from the state nonsense of their ethics, and make some money.—Beatrice Express.

Rev. C. R. Welden, who has been pastor of the Baptist church in this place and Red Cloud for some time past, departed this week for Rochester, New York, where he will take a further course of study in a theological seminary of note. He will stop in Missouri for a visit of several weeks with friends and relatives. Mr. Welden has been a faithful and conscientious laborer in the cause of the church and the many friends he made during the time of his pastorate here will be pleased to hear of his future advancement wherever he goes.—Guide Rock Signal.

An exchange is responsible for the following story of how a brute of a man interrupted the thread of a girl's commencement essay. She started out by saying, "I am a human being, placed in the midst of a great world. Far and wide it extends on every side. Majestic in its vastness, bewildering in its ever changing forms, it overwhelms by its immensity. Over it bends the eternal heavens, and far away in the infinite realms of space gleam the lights of other worlds. And I, what am I?" A receptacle for soda water and ice cream yelled the brute back in the gallery, and the applause that followed the reply so broke up the girl that she was unable to complete the reading of her essay.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

The Hebrew word for "shut up" or "keep still," is dam, a word which is heard occasionally in this town. Aleck Smartboy was in the midst of a discussion concerning a knotty point when one of his antagonists quoted some Greek to him. Now Aleck could not understand Greek, but his Hebrew lore came back to him and he quickly reiterated "O, dam" much to his opponent's disgust and surprise. "What, Aleck, are you swearing again?" "Oh no, not at all, I guess you do not understand Hebrew, that's all. That word means shut up." And Aleck winked a solemn wink and sticking his thumbs in the arm holes of his vest, walked jauntily away leaving his antagonist rooted to the spot.—McCook Republican.

CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST.
Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30.
Sunday school at 11:30.
Junior league at 4 p.m.
Senior league at 7:00.
Chapel Sunday school at 3:00.
Preaching Sunday evening at 8.
Prayer and Praise service on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
Ladies Aid Society on Friday afternoon.
Seats free and strangers welcome.
REV. J. M. DARBY, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Themes for serious morning and evening respectively, for Lord's day, April 18:
"The Genius of Success."
"The Unpardonable Sin."
The public is cordially invited.
L. A. HUSSONG, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Sunday School at 11:45.
Junior Society at 4 p.m.
Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p.m.

To California Comfortably.
Every Thursday afternoon, a tourist sleeping car for Salt Lake City, San Francisco and Los Angeles leaves Omaha and Lincoln via the Burlington Route. It is carpeted, upholstered in rattan, has spring seats and backs and is provided with curtains, bedding, towels, soap, etc. An experienced excursion conductor and a uniformed Pullman porter accompany it through to the Pacific coast. While neither so expensively finished nor so fine to look at as the palace sleeper, it is just as good to ride in. Second class tickets are accepted for passage and the price of a berth, wide enough and big enough for two, is only \$5. For fuller giving full particulars, call at nearest Burlington ticket office, or write to J. Francis, G. P. A., Burlington Route, Omaha, Neb.