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Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

CITY NEWS.

Lawn social at J. S. Gilham's Aug. 6.
Mrs. Lulu Pease of Hastings is in the city.
J. A. Baum was here from Superior Sunday.
Mrs. Ed. Dyer is visiting in Hastings this week.
Hugh Miner has placed another neat porch to his residence.
Pabst Beer on tap at the Bohemian saloon. Always fresh.
Warren Edson is visiting in the city the guest of L. E. Tait.
FOR SALE—Pure three-year-old cider vinegar.—MRS. BRADBROOK.
Med Lavallee and Chas. Irway of Riverton were in the city Monday.
Lumber at cost at Cowles, Neb. Closing out.—A. L. HILDRETH, Manager.
The household of Tony Clark was greeted by a fine baby girl on Wednesday.
Miss Dora Ward has gone to Omaha where she has secured a position as stenographer.
Miss Emma Cook returned Sunday night from Iowa where she has been teaching school.
"Put" Fuller of Riverton was in the city Tuesday attending the funeral of his brother Frank.
Henry S. Nyberg came in the first of the week and had us place his name on our books for a year.
Mrs. Bell Burban of Marspalto, Iowa, is visiting here the guest of her sister Mrs. Anna M. Sapp.
Mrs. A. T. Ayres left Wednesday morning for Lincoln to again take treatment at the sanitarium.
George Coon went to Akron, Colorado, Tuesday night to inspect some cattle with a view of purchasing.
The weeds and grass in the school house yard are being mowed which greatly improves the appearance of that place.
C. E. Wescott of the firm of Galusha & Wescott after a several days stay here, left Sunday for his home in Plattsmouth.
Lumber Yard for sale cheap for cash or will trade for good farm lands in Webster county.—A. L. HILDRETH, Manager, Cowles, Nebraska.
Samuel Bruner was in the city the first of the week and gave us a dollar and fifty cents on the subscription of H. B. Brubaker, of Ornsburg, Mo.
The Red Cloud, Neb., CHIEF weekly is credited with the largest circulation accorded to any paper in Red Cloud or in Webster county or in the Fifth congressional District.—Printers' Ink, July 28th.
Editor Jenkins has taken down the sign "Boy Wanted" as one arrived at his home on Tuesday. He is now advertising for Mother Winslow's Soothing Syrup and a patent baby quietener. We are not a bit jealous.
Corn cultivating for this season is a thing of the past, and while thousands of acres of clean corn can be found in this county, there are occasionally weedy fields, occasioned by the heavy rains in the earlier part of the season, keeping the farmers from getting into the fields till so late that those with large acreage were unable to cultivate it all as they should have done had the wet weather not prevented. This year's crop bids fair to break the record.

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.

Ed. Cotting is running the oil wagon.
Ed Funk of Rosmont was here Thursday.
THE CHIEF is prepared to do your job printing.
Mrs. D. Kesler is visiting in Grand Island this week.
Pabst Beer on tap at the Bohemian Saloon. Always fresh.
Pabst beer on tap at Bohemian saloon. 5 cents a glass.
Mrs. J. R. Van Horn left Tuesday on a visit to Ft. Scott, Kansas.
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.
A fine baby daughter arrived at the home of Ed. McCrillis last Sunday.

A new sidewalk around the State bank considerably improves the appearance of that place.
Miss Susie Kenady left Tuesday night for Holyoke, Colorado, on a visit with her brother Cal and family.
Chas. Buschow of Colby, Kansas, accompanied by his two daughters, were visiting in the city this week.
Mrs. E. J. Tucker, one of the efficient teachers of the county institute, returned to her home in Lincoln last Saturday.
The Union Fire Insurance Company is the best mutual. Combine risks, in installments 3 per cent.—J. H. SMITH, Special Agent.

Rev. Brenkama and wife of Rosemont were here Tuesday. The gentleman was a pleasant caller at these headquarters.
Several of our townspeople visited the west end of the county Tuesday to witness the devastation caused by Monday's hail storm.
J. H. Smith writes combined insurance for a term of five years at 3 per cent. On schools houses, churches and farm property on the installment plan. Drop him a card at Red Cloud, Neb.
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.

Sunday Aug. 1st, there will be a Sunday school rally at district 75, four miles and a half south-west of Cowles and four miles and a half north-east of Red Cloud, at 3 p.m. All are invited to come and participate. Good music, good speaking and a good time.
Ed Reiher and another gentleman were in Hubbell yesterday to see if they could identify the effects in the hands of the coroner of the man who suicided or was murdered near that place about a week ago. They recognized some of the articles as belonging to a young man named Shellman who disappeared from this county some time ago.

Wm. Scott, alias George Jansen, who was captured in Lincoln several weeks ago and brought from there by Sheriff Runchey and lodged in jail here as one of the men who burglarized the store of Fuller & Good at Cowles, had his preliminary before Judge Duffy Thursday and under the evidence was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$800 bonds.
Considerable has been said this summer in regard to cutting down weeds and in some cases it has been done and well done but in others the weeds remain and are an eyesore to the town. It wouldn't be a bad idea to set apart a day, two days or a week as weed cutting time the same as Arbor day and then cut them down here, there and everywhere. So cut down your weeds.
Charles Wiener who has for many years been allied with the best interests of our city in a business way and otherwise left last Saturday night for his future home in New York. While we are glad to know that he still retains a business interest in the city the CHIEF is sorry that he has departed. Mr. Freymark accompanied him east and will lay in his fall and winter stock.

We have been informed that the item printed in this paper on June 18 in regard to the appropriation of a bicycle by Bert Carpenter belonging to Roy Crawford was not exactly "straight goods" and as we are always willing to make correction we do so in this case. We hope people who have a piece of this class of news will please keep it to themselves and not bring it to this office. We want news but desire no neighborhood quarrels.
L. H. Rust makes the following statement of what small fruits he has already taken off of his 8 1/2 acres of ground west of town with the price received from same: 4000 boxes of strawberries at 84 cents; 1485 quarts of cherries at 5 cents; 285 boxes of raspberries at 10 cents; 235 boxes of gooseberries at 5 cents. The whole amounted to \$447.83. Besides these he has plums and grapes which are well loaded with fruit and he will have a few apples, crabs, apricots, peaches, currants and some very large dewberries.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

Twine at Peterson's for 64 per pound.
Miss Pearl Smith visited in McCook the first of the week.
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.
A good bicycle for sale cheap. Enquire at Bon Ton Bakery.
Prof. Hussong of Hardy is visiting his brother Rev. Hussong.
Beer at wholesale at \$2.50 per keg at the South Side Sample Room.
Buckeye binders and mowers, the best on earth for sale by Jas. Peterson.
Beer sold at the South Side Sample Room in quantity from one keg to one million.
Mrs. J. Nustein and daughter Lenore left last Tuesday for a visit with relatives in St. Joseph, Mo.

The Orange Judd Farmer and the American Agriculturist Almanac together with THE CHIEF for \$1.35.
Mrs. Nannie McGrew of Burlington, Michigan, is visiting in the city the guest of her sister Mrs. L. H. Rust.
The pop central committee met at Cowles last Saturday and called their county convention for August 28th.
C. L. Cotting, sole agent, will refund your money if not satisfied after using one bottle of Dr. Fenners famous medicine.
Mrs. Minnie Leggett left Tuesday on a visit to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gates, near Butler, Missouri.

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 Misses Lizzie and Alice Botsford who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. Kesler returned to their home in Parsons, Kansas, Saturday.

Jas. Murphy left Tuesday for Kansas City where he will undergo an operation for a swelling on the side of his face which supposed to be a rose cancer.

Politics have begun to warm up and in a short time the pot will be boiling over. From present indications there will be but about half a dozen candidates for each office.

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.

Campbell Bros. show drew quite a large crowd to this city last Monday. The show is considerably above the average wagon show. Owing to the heavy wind and rain no performance was given in the evening.

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.

The state central committee met the first of the week and named the 26th day of August as the time for holding the state convention. The date is entirely too early and we hope the county central committee will call a convention to name delegates to the state convention and not have the regular nominating convention for county officers until at least the last of September. Deliver us from a campaign of over four weeks duration.

"The Foot of a Fly"

As says an eminent English doctor, "will carry enough poison to infect a household." In summer-time, more especially, disease germs fill the air, multitudes are infected, fall ill, die; multitudes escape. These messengers of mischief do not exist for millions. Why not? Because they are healthy and strong—protected as a crocodile is against gunshot. It is the weak, the wasted, the thin-blooded who fall; those who have no resistive power so that a sudden cough or cold develops into grave disease. We hear of catching disease! Why not catch health? We can do it by always maintaining our healthy weight.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver Oil, is condensed nourishment; food for the building up of the system to resist the attacks of disease. It should be taken in reasonable doses all summer long by all those whose weight is below the standard of health. If you are losing ground, try a bottle now.

For sale by all druggists at 50c. and \$1.00.

Stephen's Famous Hog Remedy
for the cure of
Hog and Chicken Cholera
Preventative to all diseases.
Try it. Sold only by
C. L. Cotting, THE DRUGGIST.

Resolutions.
The fourth quarterly conference of the M. E. Church of Red Cloud, convened Monday afternoon, July 26th, 1897 at 4 o'clock, in the church, for the purpose of transacting such business as properly came before it, among which was a settlement with their pastor Rev. James Mark Darby, for the conference year ending September 15th, Rev. W. B. Alexander presiding elder of the Hastings district, in the chair. At the close of a pleasant session the following resolutions and requests were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Rev. James Mark Darby, our beloved pastor by his zealous and untiring efforts, has spiritually and morally quickened the church into religious fervor, and through such efforts has brought the membership as well as the friends of the church into closer relations, therefore be it

Resolved, That we the members of the quarterly conference now in session, realize that in his pastoral work the past year we as a church have been greatly benefited and that we as one branch of the Christian church recognize with profound gratitude to God the great work accomplished by his servant to our entire satisfaction

Resolved, That we appreciate the manner in which he and his esteemed wife and daughter have looked after, protected and beautified the parsonage and lawn

Resolved, That we as a church extend Bro. Darby a very warm and courteous invitation to return from conference as our continued pastor and earnestly request that our elder assist us to this end.

C. B. CROWE, Sec.

"'Twas a Dark Stormy Night"

After the rain of last Saturday night it was demonstrated how a little foresight might have caused less trouble, less hard feelings and less soiled garments and shoes. We do not wish this item to be meant as censure to the carpenters who were building the walk at the Bentley block, for we suppose that most any carpenter would have done the same thing, that is take up more of the old walk than they could put down of the new. But in these days of big rains it would be well to take a lesson from what happened Saturday night. Several of the ladies of the Orris Ober Co., in going home that night went off the partially built new sidewalk into about six or eight inches of mud and water. The attention of Night Watch Hutchison who with the assistance of a lantern was making the rounds was called to their predicament by loud screams from the ladies. On noticing that the gentleman bearing the lantern was the flower of the Red Cloud police force one of the ladies cried out, Oh, Mr. Policeman, oh Mr. Policeman come and pull us out of the mud. Mr. Hutchison, who by the way is a favorite with the ladies, when thus appealed to quickly responded to the cry for help and soon fished the ladies out of the muddy pool. He then escorted the ladies to their boarding place at the residence of Mayor Warren and received a deluge of thanks and rain-water for his timely assistance.

To Keep Off Flies.

At this season of the year the flies are simply frightful, and the sufferings of cows and horses are almost unendurable, unless something is done for their comfort. Cows are falling off from 20 to 50 per cent in their milk supply, and will continue to fall off, unless relief is afforded them. The majority of fly killers have serious disadvantages; fish oil, the most common, is nasty, sticky mess, that makes a cow smell like an old whale ship. Oil of tar is worse, and is liable to blister an animal. Here is a cheap preparation that will make life a comfort to your cow, no matter how thick the flies may be in the neighborhood. Steep fat meat fryings in tansy, and add a little carbolic acid; make lukewarm and apply with whitewash brush. This recipe appears in the '96 report of the Kansas state board of agriculture, and folks who have tried it say that it is excellent.—Beatrice Express.

Slurs Our Teachers.

During the Webster county institute several articles appeared in the Nation of this city in regard to the institute and gave the people to understand in short that the writer believed that most of the teachers were without learning. One article in particular was a very rabid roast. Last week an article appeared in the Bladen Enterprise which virtually says that the articles in the Nation were true. The fact of the case is that the articles in both papers were written by a certain professor who has been a resident of Red Cloud but about a year and who aspires to the position of county super-

intendent on the populist ticket. The teachers of this county will have a warm spot in their heart for the man who virtually says they are simpletons.

Obituary.

Died, at his home in this city on Monday, July 26, 1897, Frank Fuller, aged 45 years, 9 months and sixteen days. The cause of his death was heart trouble, and he had been in failing health since he was sick with typhoid fever some six years ago. He was born in the state of New York and moved west some nine years ago and settled on a farm in Smith county, Kansas, where he engaged in farming until about a year ago when he removed with his family to this city. He was buried Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, services being conducted from his late residence by Rev. G. W. Hammell. He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn his loss. He was an indulgent father and loving husband.

Experimental Farming.

The Burlington experimental farm at Alma promises to be a great educator in agriculture. The Campbell method of soil culture is in vogue there, and is said to be a decided success. Almost every kind of crop known to this latitude is growing and thriving there, far in advance of neighboring crops, attended by old methods. A great many fruit trees were set out during the past spring, and 99 per cent of them are growing. If the Campbell system can be adapted to all sections of the state, without too great an outlay of money for implements, it will be a boom to farmers.

Bound Over.

The parties mentioned as being taken to Grand Island by Tomlinson last week were J. A. Boyd and Henry Clark and when their hearing was had they were bound over to United States court in five hundred dollar bonds each. The case is one in which there is no doubt there is considerable personal enmity. As we know from personal experience that when staunch friends fall out friendship turns to hate, we hope that Mr. Boyd and Mr. Clark will be able to clear themselves of the accusations brought upon them and believe they will do so.

Commencing August 2
AND
Continuing for 15 days
we will hold a
CLEARING - SALE
of all
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS
in order to make room for our immense fall stock.

Examine the Bargains
Our Millinery Department.

MINER - BROS.

Destructive Hail Storm.

One of the most destructive hail and wind storms that has been witnessed for years visited the section of country in and around Riverton last Monday. The storm did considerable damage at Riverton, blowing down small houses and sheds, breaking window glass and wrecking several larger buildings. The hail which accompanied the storm laid waste a stretch of country about five miles wide. In many places where the hail was the most severe nothing but the stub ends of what was once a waving field of corn or grain could be seen the rest being driven entirely in the ground. The storm originated in the vicinity of Kearney and extended to W. N. Richardson's ranch in the west part of this county, where it seems to have broken up. This city was treated to a portion of the heavy wind but no damage resulted. The main part of the storm went in a south-easterly direction and but little hail fell on the south side of the river. At Mr. Richardson's place the corn and alfalfa crops are completely ruined.

A Misrepresentation.

The editors of the republican sheets must have filed a complaint against that "loose whiskey" business we heard so much of some time ago, but has quietly ceased of late. If you didn't file a complaint, how much did you get out of it boys?—Nation.

Anti-Prosperity Jack is again trying to misrepresent, but his whole time and energy has been devoted to misrepresentation. For his edification we will state that we did not file a complaint against that "loose whiskey" business, nor did we intend to. He intimates that we have been "fixed" and have not had anything to say of late in regard to the matter. If he will look at our last week's issue he will see that he has made a misrepresentation. We will say here that anti-prosperity Jack and his friend, the proprietor of the eating establishment who runs the "loose whiskey" joint haven't got enough 16 to 1 dollars to fix us.

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A man in the south part of town not being content with the ownership of his own hogs took one belonging to another party and although numerous neighbors identified the animal he would not give it up.

About the time preparations were being made to get out replies in papers the hog disappeared.

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A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder