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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

CITY NEWS.

F. P. Hadley carriage painter.
A new stock of old liquors at Stern's.
Dee Best is the new operator at the depot.
C. Hildreth of Bloomington was here Sunday.
James Griggs of Franklin was here Tuesday.
We want to do your job printing and will do it right.
Aaron Conover is reported as being quite sick at present.
Geo. Fentress is back again in the barber business at the old stand.
Here's to your good health! Use "Economy Bonaset Cordial." C. L. Cotting.
M. M. Stern has just received from the warehouse a new stock of old bonded goods.
FOR SALE—A good Knabe piano. A good instrument for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.
Mark Parkes went back to Campbell after a visit here Sunday.
Miss Mackey of Reynolds, this state, is visiting Mrs. J. W. Moranville this week.
An adjourned term of district court will convene in this city on next Monday.
A. C. Potter, editor of the Register at Spearfish, South Dakota, is here visiting friends.
Mrs. M. E. Dollarhide of Sterling, Nebraska, is the guest of Geo. Hutchison and family.
A nice bedroom set is just what your wife wants. See our line before buying Christmas presents.—F. V. TAYLOR.
I. B. Colvin of Guide Rock was a pleasant caller at this office the first of the week and left us a dollar on subscription.
Keep it in the house, whenever you get "blue" or feel "shaky" or indisposed, one small dose of "Economy Bonaset Cordial" sets you right. For sale by C. L. Cotting.
The Merry-go-Round club held their first reception and banquet at the home of Miss Helen Wright on Tuesday evening of last week. Quite a crowd was out and a very pleasant time was had.
Penman has some hot bargains for you in long gold chains, finger rings, watches, stick pins, watch charms, spectacles, silver novelties and all kinds of jewelry until January 1st. Located in Cook's drug store.
At a meeting of the Modern Woodmen lodge of this city on Wednesday evening the following officers were elected: John Wegmann, V. C.; F. E. McKeeby, W. A.; F. N. Richardson, banker; F. V. Taylor, clerk; H. C. Maurer, escort; Fred Giwitz; Watchman; Wm. Eames, sentry; E. W. Ross, manager; F. E. McKeeby, physician.
Drink and the gang drinks with you, swear off and you go it alone, for the bar room bum that drinks your rum, has a quenchless thirst of his own. Feast and your friends are many; fast and they cut you dead; they'll not get mad if you treat them bad, so long as their stomachs are fed. Steal, if you get a million, for then you can furnish bail; it's the great big thief that gets out on leave, while the little one goes to jail. Advertise and the dollars come to you, quit and they fail to come in; for what care the men who have dollars to spend, for the man who don't care to see him.—Canton Champion.

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DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

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

AROUND TOWN.

See Hadley for paper hanging.
C. M. Monroe of Denver was here Monday.
Jos. Hunter of Guide Rock was here Tuesday.
O. A. Edgerton of Guide Rock was up Tuesday.
THE CHIEF is prepared to do your job printing.
N. V. Copelan of Guide Rock was here Saturday.
H. J. Wilson of Richmond, Illinois, was doing business here Tuesday.
C. H. Paul of Hastings was looking after business matters in the city Monday.
A new sidewalk has been built in front of the Baird property on Seward street.
G. M. Albin of Mt. Clare was a pleasant caller today and left us cash on subscription.
If you want a buggy top see Fogel & Hutchison. Also a complete stock of light harness.
Orlando Swain a prominent attorney of Beatrice was here this week visiting with James Burden and family.
White, New Home and Monarch sewing machines at Taylor's. One of these will be all right for Christmas.
The Union Fire Insurance Company is the best mutual. Combine risks; in installments 3 per cent.—J. H. SMITH, Special Agent.
Direct your steps toward Cook's drug store and look over Penman's Christmas goods. You cannot help but find something suitable for a Christmas present. Come early.
The Up-to-Date club gave a reception and banquet to a number of young gentlemen friends at the home of Miss Bertha Talbot on last Friday evening. A report from the young people present is that a very enjoyable evening was the outcome.
A disgusted Memphis editor petulently remarks: "Sometimes we wish that white wings would occasionally grow weary, that our girl wasn't a high born lady, that all coons didn't look alike to us, and that Mr. Johnson would turn that fellow loose and tell him to go to the devil.—Lebanon Critter."

On December 24th, 25th, 31st, 1897, and January 1st, 1898, the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets to points within a distance of two hundred miles, with final limit of Jan. 4th, 1898, for Christmas and New Years holidays for one and one-third fare, for the round trip, minimum selling rate of fifty cents.—A. CONOVER, agent.

The coming of Blind Boone and his associates to the opera house on last Saturday evening elicited a warm welcome from music lovers. As on former occasions the house was well filled by an appreciative and well behaved audience. Boone, with his renderings on the piano, and Miss Stella in her singing brought out round after round of applause.

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.

H. E. Grice moved this week into the new building lately completed for him on the site of the old building. Mr. Grice can now boast of having one of the best equipped and most handsomely furnished drug stores in the state. The counters, shelving, cases, desk and prescription case are all in oak finished in the latest style and the front of the prescription case is decorated with large plate glass mirrors.

At the regular meeting of James A. Garfield Post, No. 80, G. A. R., held on Saturday evening, November 4th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

- P. C.—J. A. Boyd.
- S. J. C.—A. D. Brown.
- J. V. C.—D. L. Groat.
- Q. M.—J. W. Warren.
- Chaplain—H. A. Howard.
- O. D.—W. B. Roby.
- P. S.—G. W. Knight.
- Guard—N. E. Ladd.
- Delegate—N. E. Ladd.
- Alternate—J. S. White.

If you have not been making home pleasant and attractive, better commence now, and by the beginning of the new year it will be so pleasant that it can be done without much of an effort. Some homes—far too many—are only such in name. They are mere abiding places. They afford a place to stop, and are perhaps better than outdoors, but they are usually uninviting. The only thing necessary to do to bring the home up to the level where it belongs is to begin at once and make it the best on earth. A home need not be built in luxury, but it should be inhabited by a happy family. This means many things, and it means all. "It is not all of life to live nor all of death to die."—Ex.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

Hadley paints buggies.
R. B. Archibald of McCook was here Saturday.
F. W. Cowden and wife were in Superior Sunday.
The fake rug man is again in the city. Shun him.
Geo. Connor of Riverton was here this week for a day or two.
M. M. Stern has received a new stock of old bonded liquors.
Mrs. Isaac Shepherdson and son By of Riverton were in the city Wednesday.
Miss Della Meeks has resigned her position in the Nebraska Mercantile store.
Samuel Temple returned home Wednesday night from a trip to Kansas City.
A fine new line of Rockers at Taylor's. See them before buying your Christmas presents.

Why not buy something useful for a Christmas present. Anything in the furniture line at low prices at Taylor's. "Economy Bonaset Cordial" made by the famous old Harmony society, greatest of all appetizers. For sale by C. L. Cotting.

Mrs. A. Schlosser of Tecumseh, accompanied by her son of Wymore, after a visit of several days with W. S. Bense and wife left Tuesday morning for home.

Rev. Mr. Darby will present the subject of church attendance next Sunday morning from the standpoint of the business men of Red Cloud. Let the business men make a special effort to hear this sermon. Services begin at 10:30 a. m.

The Imperial quartet held forth at the opera house last Monday evening to a well filled house. The quartet have lost none of their good features since their previous visit to this city but in fact have added many new and interesting features to their program.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold a bazaar in the Moon block Friday and Saturday of this week, where you will find many useful and fancy articles suitable for Christmas presents. On Saturday they will serve a chicken pie dinner and supper. Also home made candy for sale. Everybody invited to come and see what they have if you do not buy.

Following are the officers elected by Garfield W. R. C., No. 14, at their last regular meeting, held on Saturday, December 4th:

- President—Mrs. Kate S. Judson.
- S. V. Pres.—Mrs. Carrie S. Richardson.
- J. V. Pres.—Mrs. Matilda Ladd.
- Treas.—Mrs. Emma B. Knight.
- Chaplain—Mrs. Savilla Rife.
- Conductor—Mrs. Lydia F. Bohrer.
- Guard—Mrs. Nellie G. Talbot.
- Installing officer—Past Pres. Carrie L. West.
- Delegate—Mrs. Nancy Turner.
- Alternate—Mrs. Matilda Ladd.

"I tell you Bill," said the old man as he sat by the kitchen stove anointing his boots with the oil of pork, "it is the stayer that gets there. I've had a hard pull in Kansas, but I never give up. I've suffered from drouth, been plagued by grasshoppers, had my crops twist and curl before the hot winds, and to cap the misery seen the pops get control of the state and run it with about the same success that I would manage a man of war. But I stayed with 'em Bill, I stayed with 'em. And now the good times have come, and the pops are going back and the troubles don't seem half as bad as when we were going through the n. Remember, Bill, it is the stayer who wins out."—Gaylord (Kansas) Herald.

Wasting in Children

can be overcome in almost all cases by the use of Scott's Emulsion of Cod-Liver Oil and the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. While it is a scientific fact that cod-liver oil is the most digestible oil in existence, in

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It is not only palatable, but it is already digested and made ready for immediate absorption by the system. It is also combined with the hypophosphites, which supply a food not only for the tissues of the body, but for the bones and nerves, and will build up the child when its ordinary food does not supply proper nourishment.



Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and fish are on the wrapper. All druggists; see, and \$1.00. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

MERE MENTION.

Al Holdrege of Riverton was here Saturday.
Mrs. C. F. Cather returned Monday from a visit to Lincoln.
Med Lavallee was down from Riverton the first of the week.
Claude Enigh left Monday morning for Lincoln to take medical treatment.
Sarah Baxter was a pleasant caller this week and left us cash on subscription.
Clem Bruner of Cowles was in Monday and gave us a dollar on subscription.
Mrs. Oscar Yarger, after a visit here left for her home at McCook Monday evening.
C. W. Kaley was in Lincoln this week attending a meeting of the state board of regents.
I. B. Hampton was doing business here Saturday and came in and gave us a dollar on subscription.

The Minneapolis, Kansas, Messenger, says it isn't always to a man's credit that he stops drinking. Some times it is lack of credit.
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by H. E. Grice.

The managers of the opera house should either remove the "gallery" row of chairs or have a special police appointed to keep the gang of kids quiet who generally sit there and disturb everyone.

For Homeseeker's excursion dates via the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway, and information of their tourist sleeper arrangements, address G. A. McNutt, D. P. A., 1044 Union avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

The new creamery commenced business Tuesday of this week as advertised and the managers were greatly pleased with their first day's work. The Signal expects to give interesting figures in regard to the enterprise next week.—Guide Rock Signal.

The Nation, published at Red Cloud, has changed its head, which adds much to its general appearance. It is now the Red Cloud Nation, instead of the Nation as formerly. We suggest that the editor change his physical head to correspond with the improvement made in the paper.—Bladen Enterprise.

A school marm down at Orleans the other day told her C class to each write a sentence with the word delight in it. Little Johnnie was the first one to hand his in, of course, and the school marm with a sweet voice read: "The wind blew in de winder and blew out de light."

Commencing with the excursion of December 7th, the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway will inaugurate a system of tourist sleepers on their excursion dates, between St. Louis or Kansas City and South Texas points. For further information address G. A. McNutt, D. P. A., 1044 Union Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

How dear to my heart is the old yellow pumpkin, when orchards are barren of stuffing for pies; when peaches and apples have both been a failure, and berries of no kind have greeted the eyes; how fondly we turn to the fruit of the cornfield, the fruit that our children are taught to despise; the old yellow pumpkin, the mud covered pumpkin, the big bellied pumpkin, that makes such good pies.—Ex.

There are some farmers, we are sorry to note, who are in the habit of driving to town and tying their teams on some out of the way corner and proceed to the saloon and fill their hides full of "booze" leaving the team stand out in the cold all day and many times until late in the evening, without a drink of water or a thing to eat. Why would it not be a good plan to have the authorities put all teams or horses found in this condition in one of the feed barns and let the owners pay to get them out. It might be a good lesson to a number.

Now that good times have come and good audiences greet amusement companies at the opera house, you hear from all sides the general kick in regard to the poor accommodations of the house. That the comfort of patrons of the house could be bettered goes without saying. With a little expenditure of money a raised elevation of seats could be secured, and going a little further and tearing out the front partition or a portion of it good ventilation could be obtained. The drop curtain which bears the advertisements of persons who have long since gone to heaven or are shoveling coal in a less comfortable place, might be removed and one more pleasing to the eye put up. Such shows as the Beach & Bowers minstrels drop about forty or fifty dollars for the privilege of showing in the opera house and it would not take many such to pay for the improvements. An opera house run on the right principle is a money maker, and sooner or later if something is not done for the comfort of the patrons they will refuse to attend and a stock company will result who will put up a modern floor opera house built upon modern ideas and for the comfort of its patrons.

Christmas Gift.

You are invited to come in and look at our beautiful Holiday Goods! Perchance you will buy for our prices are lower than ever.

COMMENCING

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11. We will give with every 50c purchase a ticket in the drawing of a \$20 music box.

C. L. Cotting, The Druggist.

CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST
Services Sunday morning at 10:30. Subject, "Why Do Not More Business Men Attend Church." Also some of their views on church going. Sunday School at 11:30. Chapel Sunday School at 3 p. m. Senior League at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "The New Woman." Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. You are earnestly invited to attend these services. Strangers made welcome.
REV. J. M. DARBY, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
The subjects for sermonic discussion on Lord's day, December 13th, at 10:30 a. m. will be "The Supreme Object of Preaching," and at 7:30 p. m. "The Sign of Jonas." Special music for both services. The next prayer meeting topic is "The Beloved Disciple." Jno. 13:21-27, 21:3-7. A cordial invitation to the general public is extended.
L. A. HUSSONG, Pastor.

A very pleasurable event which we have to chronicle this week was the birthday party given by Mr. John Polnick at his residence on Elm street on last Tuesday evening to a goodly number of lady and gentlemen friends and neighbors. The occasion was the 49th anniversary of that gentleman's birthday and as usual he and his estimable wife left nothing undone which would help to make their guest's stay pleasant. Light refreshments were served and the evening spent in the pleasant general to such occasions. During the evening the host was the recipient of a watch chain and charm and other presents, tokens of regard from his assembled friends.

Mr. Hardin Norris, clerk of the drug store of R. Shoemaker, Perry, Ill., says: "A man came into our store the other day and said, 'I want a bottle of that stuff that saves children's lives. I read in the News about it. The children may get sick when we can not get the doctor quick enough. It's the medicine you sell for croup.'" He alluded to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and bought a bottle before he left the store. For sale by H. E. Grice.

Pains in the chest when a person has a cold indicates a tendency toward pneumonia. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the chest over the seat of pain will promptly relieve the pain and prevent the threatened attack of pneumonia. The same treatment will cure a lame back in a few hours. Sold by H. E. Grice.

It is not what is grown on the farm but what is sold from it that makes the profit. As a rule the time to sell is as soon as the product is ready for the market. When all sides of the question of holding is measured this will be found to be a truism. Sell when you are ready and a buyer is found. Whenever a product is in demand, then it should be sold.

Some enterprising cuss up in Sarpy county is going among farmers buying chickens and other small articles usually found on a farm, and then tenders the unsuspecting tiller of the soil a confederate bill, receiving back the change in good money. A man who will be taken in on a game of this character needs no consolation.

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.

Perfectly harmless, but very powerful is "Economy Bonaset Cordial," a remedy par-excellence for all forms of indigestion. For sale by C. L. Cotting.

Red Cloud Market Report

Hogs	2.90
Butcher's Stock	2.50-3.00
Cattle—Feeders	4.00
Wheat, No. 2	70
COB	14
Oats	13
Barley	25
Rye	30
Potatoes	30
Eggs	20
Butter	12-15
Ducks and Geese	5
Turkeys	6-8
Chickens	8

Freymark's The Holidays

are near at hand and the mind of everyone is busy with the thought

Where and What can I buy that would be the most suitable for a present?

Call at our store. We feel satisfied that we can not only answer the question, but supply the want.

The grandest and most complete stock of

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In this neck of the woods and at prices that will suit you.

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