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CITY NEWS.

F. P. Hadley carriage painter.  
Miss Nellie Kaley returned to Tecumseh Tuesday.  
Elmer Crone spent several days the first of the week in McCook.  
Charley White left Thursday for Omaha where he will remain for some time.  
Mrs. O. C. Teel and children returned home from a visit at Indianola Wednesday.  
Here's to your good health! Use "Economy Boneset Cordial." C. L. Cotting.  
FOR SALE—A good Knabe piano. A good instrument for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.  
Homer Bayles of McCook was in the city Wednesday. He is now firing an engine out of that city.  
C. W. Kaley was in Hardy Thursday looking after real estate interests and while there disposed of some property.  
L. H. Rus is mourning the loss of twenty fat Plymouth Rock chickens that somebody gobbled onto one night this week.  
Wm. Richardson and Julia A. Knox were married by Judge Duffy on December 27th. The Judge made an extra hitch in this knot.  
Misses Nettie and Carrie Hummell spent several days in Blue Hill and Bladen the past week. A very pleasant visit is reported.  
Wm. G. Osborn and Miss Alma Musser of Campbell were united in marriage in this city by Judge Duffy on Wednesday, December 29th.  
Hon. E. J. Burkett of Lincoln will lecture in the interests of the A. O. U. W. and Degree of honor on Tuesday evening, January 11th, at 7:30 p.m.  
Our correspondents should remember that all correspondence should be at this office by Thursday noon in order to insure publication. Please bear this in mind.

James Cochrane who has been visiting during the holidays with his brother Robert and family returned the first of the week to Crete where he is attending school.  
The Congregational church will hold cottage prayer meetings for a few weeks, meeting next Wednesday evening with Deacon Warner. During this time the bell will ring once, at seven o'clock.  
Hugh McCall, son of Mrs. Oliver McCall, a boy of about thirteen years old, fell out of a wagon and sustained a badly wrenched shoulder on Tuesday morning last. He was brought in to Dr. McKeeby for treatment.

POSTPONED—Owing to the fact that Dr. Peters, professor of veterinary science of the State University of Nebraska will be unable to attend the annual meeting of the Inter-State Swine Breeder's association at the date set, the meeting has been postponed until February 1 and 2, 1898.

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.

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AROUND TOWN.

See Hadley for paper hanging.  
Lois Pope returned to Lincoln Saturday morning.  
Dell Able was here from Hebron the last of the week.  
Fred Turnure after a purchasing trip in Chicago is home again.  
Cotting the Druggist can supply you with any kind of sewing machine needles.  
Ed. Smith, of Norton, Kansas, is visiting with J. H. Smith and family and other friends.  
O. C. Teel has moved his insurance office in the building lately occupied by J. H. Bailey.  
Mrs. L. H. Fort and daughter Grace spent the last of the week with P. W. Shea and wife at Orleans.  
J. W. Runchey has moved his household goods into the Douglass property across from the Odd Fellows building.  
Samuel E. Peck and Miss Mina Gay, both of Campbell were married on Wednesday, December 29th, by Judge Duffy.  
Roy Hutchison has been appointed as deputy sheriff under Sheriff Wells. The appointment of Mr. Hutchison is a good one.  
Wm. Person and Hilda C. Bringelson, both of this county were united in marriage by Judge Duffy on the last day of the year.  
Mrs. Geo. Matkins returned Monday evening from Beatrice, where she has been for some time past receiving medical attention.  
J. A. Boyd and Frank Dazgett, representing the Red Cloud Marble & Granite Works, are in the city.—Phillipsburg (Kansas) Herald.  
Services next Sabbath morning and evening at the Congregation church. Preaching by Rev. E. B. B. of Orleans. Come out and hear him.  
V. H. Scrivner, real estate man, will sell your farm for you for a reasonable per cent, or will trade your farms for Missouri lands. Address, V. H. Scrivner, Red Cloud, Nebr.  
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.  
Don't fail to hear the original Tennessee Jubilee Singers at the opera house, Saturday evening, January 9. The company come for the Congregational Christian Endeavor society and should sing to a full house.  
A pleasant marriage in which the contracting parties were Mr. Edwin W. Clark and Miss Mary A. Clark, both of Akron, Colorado, occurred at the home of T. C. Macker on Thursday at 8 p.m. Rev. Darby officiating. Mr. Clark is engaged in the stock business in Colorado.  
The new county clerk James Hale, the county treasurer, C. D. Robinson, the county judge, James Duffy, the county superintendent, Mrs. O. C. Case, and the sheriff, L. D. Wells, assumed the duties of their several respective offices on Thursday. They will make a pleasant set of officials.  
The retiring county officers and their deputies and the county commissioners had a pleasant little banquet at Joseph Herburger's on Wednesday night. Those present were J. W. Runchey, L. H. Fort, James Duffy, J. S. White, Chas. Reigle, Will Parker, C. D. Robinson, John McCallum and E. B. Smith.  
Sam Stewart, the young son of Geo. Stewart met with a painful accident on Tuesday last. The lad was riding a goat down by the railroad track and the animal threw him off and gave him a butt which landed him against the railroad rail. He sustained a broken collar bone. Dr. McKeeby was called to look after the injury.

We are much pleased this week to chronicle the marriage of Mr. Paul M. Story of this city and Mrs. Fannie G. Kyle of Cowles which occurred at the residence of the bride's parents in the latter place on Wednesday, January 5. Rev. James G. Day officiating. The participants in the happy event are well known young people the bride being a daughter of Wm. Good and the groom the son of C. M. Story, both residents of Cowles. Mr. Story is one of Galusha & Wescott's accommodating salesmen. The CHIEF extends best wishes.  
On last Friday evening a number of invited guests assembled at the home of J. W. Runchey to help him and his hospitable wife to celebrate the eighteenth anniversary of their marriage. The fact that it was New Years eve helped to make the festivities of the evening lively and those present enjoyed themselves to the uttermost. Light refreshments, which the hostess knows so well how to prepare, were served. After watching the old year out and seeing the new year a short time on its journey the guests departed, saying best wishes and leaving a fine silver piece as a remembrance of the occasion.

More or less personal.  
Hadley paints buggies.  
A. J. Hayes was up from Guide Rock Monday evening.  
Elmer Kaley was here from Tecumseh the last of the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler are home from their visit to Aurora.  
Jos. Kubick was down from McCook visiting with his family this week.  
The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. C. Pope during the month of January.  
Will Mitchell and family returned from a visit up the valley Monday morning.  
Dell Wells, our new sheriff, has moved his family into the sheriff's residence at the jail.  
The county commissioners were in session this week making the annual settlements with the county officers.  
Fred Sleeper and wife who have been visiting here for some time past, left for their home in David City Tuesday.  
Mrs. Corning of Bennet, this state, accompanied by a son were visiting with D. W. Turnure and family this week.  
District Court convenes here again next Monday. It is to be hoped that it will be run in better shape than the last term.  
L. H. Fort is now located over the postoffice where he will give his attention to the business of the Fort Abstract Co.  
"Economy Boneset Cordial" made by the famous old Harmony society, greatest of all appetizers. For sale by C. L. Cotting.  
Harry Mann, of Red Cloud, Nebraska, is spending the holidays in this city with his parents.—Phillipsburg (Kansas) Herald.  
Howard Elliott and Miss Lottie C. Huff, both of Burr Oak, Kansas, were married by Judge Duffy on Wednesday, December 29th.  
Mrs. Samuel Temple and Mrs. Weideman left Wednesday evening for Atlantic, Iowa, called by the serious illness of their mother.  
Mrs. Minerva Ank died in this city at her home on last Monday. The funeral was conducted on Tuesday morning by Rev. Darby.  
C. E. Oglevie of North Branch, Kansas, and Miss Ora M. Guy of this county were married in this city by Judge Duffy on December 27th.  
Keep it in the house, whenever you get "blue" or feel "shaky" or indisposed, one small dose of "Economy Boneset Cordial" sets you right. For sale by C. L. Cotting.  
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.  
Carl Jenkins has been named as deputy treasurer by C. D. Robinson. This appointment will give general satisfaction as Carl is accommodating and will make a popular servant of the people.  
The Jubilee singers are drawing large crowds everywhere they give their entertainment. The seat sale for Saturday night is already large but some good ones can yet be obtained at Cotting's drug store.  
At the regular meeting of the fire department last Monday evening the secretary was instructed to issue to H. P. Sowler and J. O. Butler their second exemption papers. They have both served two five year terms and are the only charter members remaining in the department.  
As prophesied by us before election Judson Bailey was the first person who appeared at the county clerk's office on Thursday, calling himself deputy, and this in the face of the positive declaration to us that he had no idea of being deputy and would not take the position under any circumstance. This is what Webster would call pervarication.

The outgoing officers, L. H. Fort, county clerk, J. W. Runchey, sheriff, and J. S. White, county treasurer, turned over their respective offices on Thursday morning and are once more in the ranks of private citizens. During their term of office they have been faithful to their trust, and accommodating and painstaking toward the citizens of the county as public servants. No better set of officials have ever administered to the affairs of the county and they retire to take up other pursuits with the best wishes of many friends.  
We are especially glad to note improvements, and this week an improvement of more than passing note has been announced. The energetic firm of Miner Bros., on account of their largely increased business have concluded to remove the wooden structure at the rear end of their brick store room and will extend the building to the alley, making their store room thirty-five feet longer. The new addition will be built to conform with the old, with the exception that it will be several feet wider. When completed it will be the longest building in the city. Ludlow Bros. have the contract for furnishing the brick.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

G. A. R. and W. R. C. Installation.  
Garfield Post No. 80, G. A. R. and their auxiliary, Garfield W. R. C., No. 14, held a public installation of officers at Masonic hall on the 1st of January. The meeting was called to order by President F. S. Dow, who called the senior vice president to the chair, and Mrs. Dow proceeded in her usual happy way to install the following officers for the ensuing year:  
Pres.—Kate S. Judson.  
S. V. Pres.—Carrie S. Richardson.  
J. V. Pres.—Matilda Ladd.  
Treasurer—Emma B. Knight.  
Chaplain—Savilla C. Rife.  
Conductor—Lydia F. Bohrer.  
Asst. Conductor—Carrie F. West.  
Guard—Nellie G. Talbot.  
Asst. Guard—Lona B. Turner.  
After the above had been installed Mrs. Martha L. Brewer installed Mrs. Fannie S. Dow as secretary.  
After the close of the ceremonies S. V. Pres. Richardson in behalf of the corps presented the retiring president with a gold recognition pin, the emblem of the order, Mrs. Dow being the only president of this corps who has been elected to serve two terms in succession.  
At this time many repaired to the supper room where a bountiful table was spread while the post proceeded to install their officers, W. B. Roby being installing officer.  
P. C.—J. A. Boyd.  
S. V. C.—A. D. Brown.  
J. V. C.—D. L. Groat.  
Adjutant—H. E. Pond.  
Q. M.—J. W. Warren.  
Chaplain—H. A. Howard.  
Surgeon—G. W. Knight.  
O. of D.—W. B. Roby.  
O. of G.—N. E. Ladd.  
S. M.—Samuel West.  
Q. M. S.—S. Kizer.  
After supper speeches were in order and Comrade Chaffin, Rev. L. A. Hussong and Comrade Willis entertained the audience with patriotic words. Then T. J. Ward was called on. He came rather reluctantly as if afraid the blue and gray were still antagonistic, but spoke of the days when north and south met face to face in mortal combat and thought if the people of the two sections were better acquainted they would be more friendly. The W. R. C. extend hearty thanks to all who in any way aided them on this occasion, which has added materially to their finances.

Wedding Bells.  
On New Year's night of 1898, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cramer, at Bladen, Nebraska, 7 p.m., Miss Flora Cramer and Mr. Charles Cowley were united in marriage, Rev. G. W. Hummell officiating. Several intimate friends besides the family witnessed the ceremony, after which a most excellent supper was served, consisting of the substantial articles that go to make up a delicious meal, and was enjoyed by all.  
The bride is one of the most accomplished and popular young ladies of Webster county, and is very highly esteemed by her large circle of admiring friends, and will make a worthy helpmate to her husband. The groom is an excellent young man, well and favorably known, following farming as an occupation. Charles is very popular and is highly esteemed by all, and is well worthy the excellent lady he has won. Both have been residents of this county since childhood. Many valuable presents were received from the many friends.  
The happy couple left on Monday morning for a visit with relatives in Lincoln. The best wishes, for the future welfare and happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Cowley, are extended by a large circle of friends among which THE CHIEF desires to be included.  
They will make their home on a farm near Bladen on their return, which is a very cosy place prepared in advance for the reception of the bride.

Well Children  
that are not very robust need a warming, building and fat-forming food—something to be used for two or three months in the fall—that they may not suffer from cold.  
SCOTT'S EMULSION  
of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda supplies exactly what they want. They will thrive, grow strong and be well all winter on this splendid food tonic. Nearly all of them become very fond of it. For adults who are not very strong, a course of treatment with the Emulsion for a couple of months in the fall will put them through the winter in first-class condition. Ask your doctor about this.  
Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and fish are on the wrapper.  
All druggists; 50c. and \$1.00.  
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Council Proceedings.  
Council met in mayor's office with Mayor Warren and all councilmen present.  
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.  
J. G. Sapp appeared before the council in regard to drawing salary as night marshal.  
J. S. Gilham appeared before the council in behalf of J. W. Moon for the purpose of compromising the suit now pending in district court between the city of Red Cloud and said J. W. Moon.  
The following bills were allowed on the several funds:  
J. M. Sellers.....\$ 40 00  
Ross & Rife..... 5 02  
J. W. Kinsel..... 18 00  
G. H. Hollister..... 3 00  
G. W. Dow..... 51 58  
H. N. Rutledge..... 3 25  
E. A. Douglas..... 1 60  
Evan Dickenson..... 2 75  
J. B. Carr..... 10 50  
G. M. Bibby..... 2 50  
Henry Stevens..... 7 00  
J. W. Kinsel..... 13 80  
W. L. McMillan..... 7 20  
Traders Lumber Co..... 35 35  
Traders Lumber Co..... 55 87  
I. O. O. F. lodge..... 25 00  
G. W. Dow..... 25 00  
S. F. Spokefield..... 12 50  
L. H. Beck..... 12 50  
L. E. Tait..... 25 00  
W. W. Wright..... 12 50  
G. H. Hollister..... 12 50  
Jas. Burden..... 9 30  
R. P. Hutchison..... 10 00  
Owners of lots 12 and 13, block 16, original town were ordered to build walks on south side of said premises.  
Council adjourned to meet at call of mayor.

CHURCH NOTES.  
METHODIST  
Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday School at 11:30. Chapel Sunday School at 3 p.m. Junior League at 4 p.m. Senior League at 6:30 p.m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. B. Alexander, presiding elder of this district will conduct the evening service.  
Preaching at Amboy at 3 p.m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
You are earnestly invited to attend these services. Strangers made welcome.  
REV. J. M. DARRY, Pastor.  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH.  
Regular services at the Christian Church next Lord's Day, December 24, as follows:  
Morning sermon at 10:30. Bible School at 12 m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 p.m. Senior Christian Endeavor 6:30 p.m. Evening sermon at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. A cordial invitation to the general public is extended.  
L. A. HUSSONG, Pastor.  
CONGREGATIONAL.  
Sunday School at 11:45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

Red Cloud Market Report.  
Hogs..... 3.10  
Butcher's Stock..... 2.50-3.00  
Cattle—Feeders..... 4.00  
Wheat, No. 2..... 70  
Corn..... 15  
Oats..... 14  
Barley..... 35  
Rye..... 30  
Potatoes..... 30  
Eggs..... 15  
Butter..... 12-15  
Ducks and Geese..... 5  
Turkeys..... 5-6  
Chickens..... 34  
FOR SALE.  
My farm seven miles north of Red Cloud, consisting of 160 acres, 100 acres in cultivation, house of three rooms, barn, corn cribs, and granary, fenced on three sides. The net section 34, township 3, range 11 in Webster county, Nebraska. Possession given by March 1st, 1898. For further particulars address,  
L. BAUM,  
71 Potomac av., Chicago, Ill.  
Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. fail, druggists refund money.  
Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder & Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.  
Beatrice Express.

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