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CITY NEWS.

F. P. Hadley carriage painter. Hear the Imperials on the 21st. J. W. Warren was in Superior Tuesday. Go to Butler for the best in saddlery and harness. F. V. Taylor is home from a trip to Kansas City.

AROUND TOWN.

See Hadley for paper hanging. I. C. Cooper of Bloomington was here Monday. Geo. Rodgers of Lincoln was here Wednesday. Mrs. Lester of Inavale was here the first of the week.

MERE MENTION.

See our book offer. Hadley paints buggies. W. A. Maynard was in Hebron this week. Mrs. C. H. Kaley is visiting friends in Lincoln.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

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We Are Waiting For You.

Doesn't make a particle of difference whether you are a buyer or not. Just take a

Look at Our Suits.

You'll do the rest.

We are sale agents for

SELZ, SCHWAB & CO.'S SHOES,

The best shoes in America for the money.

We still have a few

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left. They'll go at cost prices. Do not miss such a rare opportunity

FREYMARK & CO.,

(Successors to C. WIENER.)

Red Cloud's Reliable Clothing House.

Ben Ludlow and wife were in Hastings this week. Mrs. Amanda Cummings has been quite sick lately.

See those fine surreys at Peterson's and note the low prices. E. E. Burr and S. Columbia of Guide Rock were here Wednesday.

Miss Maud Merrill, who has been quite seriously ill is on the mend. Walter Hager has resigned his position in the Nebraska Mercantile Co's store.

Julian Sapp has returned from a several week's visit in Kansas City, Lincoln and Omaha.

On another page of this paper will be found a book offer which every subscriber should read.

Mrs. Lightfoot has had her property on Seward street improved by placing a new shingle roof on it.

F. J. Rolfe, a former resident of this city was here Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. G. Willis.

I can give you better buggies for the money than anyone else. I get them in carload lots.—JAMES PETERSON.

A stable for the use of Sheriff Wells is being placed on the northwest corner of the lots directly across from the jail.

"Economy Boneset Cordial" made by the famous old Harmony society, greatest of all appetizers. For sale by C. L. Cotting.

Rev. I. W. Edson of Iowa will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday, February 13th, morning and evening. All are cordially invited.

A pleasant party was given by Mrs. Geo. W. Lindsey on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Damerell of Hastings, and Mrs. James Glass of Kearney.

A new subscriber, or an old subscriber, who pays a year in advance of February 14th, 1898, will receive two good books. Read advertisement on another page.

Everybody is delighted to hear of the return of the famous Imperial Quartet, which will sing at the Congregational church on the 21st. An entire change of program.

FOR RENT—Stock ranch of 960 acres ten miles north of Red Cloud, known as the Enstis ranch, with buildings. Also a 500 acre river bottom pasture.—C. W. KALEY, Red Cloud, Neb.

The young people of the Baptist church will give a social at the church Friday evening, February 11. Sandwiches, pickles, cake and coffee will be served for 10 cents. A short musical program will be rendered. All are most cordially invited.

At a school meeting in a neighboring town the question of teachers wages was being discussed and one of the orators said: "Now you can buy a cow for \$15, but you can get a better one for \$20; and you can hire a school teacher for \$15 a month, but it pays better to pay \$20 for a good one. Your cheap cow won't give much milk and it's the same way with the cheap school teacher."—Baatrice Democrat.

Frank Sherwood was down town today for the first time since he had his tussle with cholera morbus. He says he drove thirty miles after he was taken and never came so near dying in his life. After this when he goes out in the country he will take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy with him.—Missouri Valley (Iowa) Times. For sale by H. E. Grace.

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

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CREAM BAKING POWDER

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

The way that the buggies go out from Peterson's denotes that he has the goods at the right price.

James Peterson has just received the finest carload of buggies ever brought to this place. Call and see them.

Good workmanship and material in harness is the same as in other goods. J. O. Butler's goods have both.

German of Freeport pays more taxes than any other insurance company in Webster county.—O. C. TEEL, Agent.

Eddie Gilmore of this county and Jennie Houck of Franklin county were married by Judge Duffy on Wednesday.

C. R. Besse was in Indianola this week for the purpose of looking after some farm property owned by him near there.

J. L. Miner and daughter Mary left the first of the week for Chicago where they will look after the purchase of a large invoice of goods.

Elmer Hawkins, Geo. Sutton, Geo. Wilson and Frank Bushee were up from Guide Rock Saturday night and attended the dance here.

Mrs. M. W. Dickerson returned home from Beatrice Monday evening. Her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Wilson, who is very sick, is much better.

F. C. Johnson, a prosperous farmer of Rosemont was in town Thursday and called on us, leaving two dollars on subscription as a remembrance of his visit.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will give an oyster supper at the home of Mrs. W. E. Roby on Tuesday evening, February 5th. Supper 15c. Everybody come.

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, Neb.

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.

A. D. Finch of the Bible school work of the Church of Christ in Nebraska, has been lecturing at the Christian church this week. The lectures were very excellent, we are told, and were free, which perhaps accounts for the small attendance.

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The Osborne Farmer says: Each member of the Kirwin Congregational Sunday school has been given a penny to invest which is to be returned at the end of four weeks with an increase and the sporting editor of the Topeka Capital adds that this is where the wicked little boy who knows how to shoot craps will shine as a particularly bright star.

Miss Nora Graves, the vocal teacher of this place will give a musical Thursday evening, February 17th, at 8 o'clock in the Methodist church. A most enjoyable program will be rendered. Selections will be rendered by the children of her choral class. You will also hear the new ladies quartet and the male quartet, and numerous other interesting selections. The price of admission will be 15c and everyone is especially invited to attend and enjoy a rare musical treat.

In the district court yesterday, William S. Garber brought suit for damages to the extent of \$50,933 against the Imperial Insurance company of London. He alleges that in the Colorado Springs judicial precinct on January 18, a complaint was filed against him by W. S. Boynton and also by a man named Reynolds at the instance of the defendant company charging him with arson. He was imprisoned for eleven days and when his trial occurred was cleared from all blame. He was forced to expend \$933 for attorney's fees and other expenses and suffered his reputation to the extent of \$50,000 worth. He says that in Webster county where he is, there is no agency of the company sued. He therefore brings suit in Lancaster county.—Lincoln State Journal.

Mildred Hazelton of Kansas City is here visiting with her brother Chas. Hazelton and wife.

Every lover of good music will hear the Imperial quartet at the Congregational church on the 21st.

T. C. Haeker and wife returned Monday morning from a several month's visit at San Francisco, California.

Next Monday, February 14, is St. Valentine's Day, and that in will be appropriately observed there is no doubt.

A very pretty window display, is that at Miner Bros. As an artist in this line Bert Ducker is getting to the front.

THE CHIEF, a set of Christy pattern knives, and a bound book, all for one subscription paid in advance. Subscribe now.

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

The Congregational ladies will give a literary and musical social, February 25th at the residence of Mrs. C. W. Kaley. Admission 10c.

H. C. Cutter was a pleasant caller the first of the week and left us several pieces of silver on subscription, for which he has our thanks.

By the time our paper reaches the people another night operator, Ed Hall, who was here several years ago, will be installed at the depot. This is the seventh.

Mr. Dwight Jones has been very seriously ill this week. Physicians from both Superior and Red Cloud have been called in consultation on his case.—Guide Rock Signal.

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.

The dance under the management of Henry Diederich and Henry Holzman held at the fireman's hall on last Saturday night was a decided success both financially and otherwise. It is getting to look like old times.

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A rare musical program at the M. E. church next Thursday evening.

Harness that will wear, keep its shape and look neat is the kind made by J. O. Butler.

Fred Padden, who is traveling in the interests of a Kansas City grain firm, was here this week.

Mrs. G. L. Griffin, after a visit with her mother Mrs. Rife and other friends has returned to Lincoln.

Alvah McCord and Miss Mary Walker, both of Bladen, were given license to wed by Judge Duffy on Monday.

Musicals by Mrs. Graves' choral class at the Methodist church, Thursday evening, Feb. 17. Admission 15c.

A. R. Carswell was up before the insanity board yesterday. His case is not serious and he will be taken back home.

Quite a good sized company of Modern Woodmen visited with the brethren at Guide Rock on Monday night. A splendid time is reported.

Wm. McClelland, accompanied by his son was here the first of the week putting down his new patented steel track on the bridge east of town.

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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.

Mrs. L. A. Hussong had the misfortune this week to trip on a loose sidewalk board and quite seriously sprain her knee and sustained several other bruises.

I. Freymark, of the firm of Freymark & Co., has returned from his eastern purchasing trip and soon a large invoice of spring goods will be arriving as evidence of the trip.

Dr. G. E. McKeedy of Guthrie, Oklahoma, has been successful in securing two important positions at that place, having been appointed surgeon of the United States penitentiary and physician for the deaf and dumb asylum.

The poultry editor of the Conway Springs Star concludes, after extended experience, that jack rabbit meat is the best thing to make hens lay that has ever been discovered. Kill rabbits and feed them to your hens and get eggs.—Beaver City Tribune.

TO THE PUBLIC.—I wishto announce to the public that the yellow oil wagon will continue to make daily trips over the city as it has for the past eight months since I have been the proprietor. I ask the continued patronage of my old customers and will guarantee them the best oil for the least money.—E. L. COTTING.

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.

In a recent letter from Washington, D. C., to an old friend, Major J. A. Studer, for twenty years United States consul at Singapore, says: "While at Des Moines I became acquainted with a liniment known as Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I found excellent against rheumatism as well as against soreness of the throat and chest (giving me much easier breathing). I had a touch of pneumonia early this week, and two applications freely applied to the throat and chest relieved me of it at once. I would not be without it for anything." For sale by H. E. Grace.

The time is nearly here for a change in postmasters and THE CHIEF would like very much to see Mr. T. C. Haeker placed in charge. If one man more than another has been loyal and serviceable to the republican party during the trials of populism, that man is T. C. Haeker. For years a successful business man, and that is one requisite of an official, always a staunch advocate of republicanism, upright, of good repute, with a host of friends in town and country, no better man can be found. It may have become a reproach in this community that the office should seek the man, but we believe that the principle is good, and there's a good chance to start with Haeker.

Mrs. Lizzie Willis, wife of A. G. Willis passed from this earth on Monday afternoon at the St. Elizabeth hospital at Lincoln where she had been taken for treatment. The remains were brought home on Tuesday morning being shipped via Oxford and were met at the depot by a circle of sorrowing friends.

Mrs. Willis' maiden name was Lizzie J. Leake and she was born at Stanton, Fayette county, Ohio, September 16, 1862. She in company with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Leake came to Nebraska in 1878. She was married to Mr. Willis at Kearney on December 1, 1884.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church of which the deceased was a consistent member, Rev. Darby preaching the last sad rites of burial. The church was appropriately decorated by the Ladies of the Eastern Star of which society she was also an honored member.

Mrs. Willis had made many friends since her residence here and the services were largely attended. The floral tributes of friends here and from Lincoln were beautiful and showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The sympathy of many friends goes out to Mr. Willis in his hour of affliction.

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