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Highest authorities on the eyes say you have not. Today the absolutely perfect eye is unknown. Is the defect in your eyes sufficient to cause harmful results? This may be determined by our scientific measurements of the eye, and in no other way. Use of glasses advised if you need them—otherwise not. Glasses sold if you want them—but no compulsion about it.

Newhouse - Bros.
Red Cloud, Neb.

WEEK'S HAPPENINGS.

Stove repairs at W. W. Wright's. Harry Goble of McCook was here Tuesday. John Fulton of Riverton was here this week. Fifty cent silk foulards at 35c. a yard.—MINER BROS. On the way to Albright Brothers, a carload of furniture. E. U. Overman returned Tuesday from a trip to Denver. Fine best French gingham, regular 30c. a yard, our price 22c.—MINER BROS. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crabill visited friends and attended the ball game at Superior Wednesday. Dr. I. W. Tulley left Thursday evening to enjoy the coolness of Colorado Springs and the mountains. Visitors are always made welcome at Albright Bros. whether you purchase or not. Always glad to see you.

Hot Weather

has raised thunder but it hasn't raised the price of

Hardware

We are still hammering away and can save you money on

**Forks,
Galvanized
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Measures,
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BROS.
HARDWARE
Co.**

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

THE CHIEF \$1 per year.
Clair Nesbitt is messenger boy at the B. & M. depot. Our special price on dollar corsets is 60c.—MINER BROS. A fine line of summer lap robes and fly nets at Fogel & Hutchison's. Have you seen the latest styles of nets and dusters? Butler's is the place for them. Omer Doling who has been visiting here returned to his home at Holdrege Monday morning. Elmer Crone has gone to McCook where he hopes to get employment with the B. & M.

Nine cars of cattle, feeders, were shipped through here Thursday to Paisdale, this state.

Dr. F. E. McKeedy of Superior passed through the city Monday morning on his way to Denver.

Don't forget the date and place of the special sale of nets, dusters and light harness at Butler's.

Mrs. Harry Beale of McCook arrived in the city Wednesday morning on a visit to friends and relatives here.

Mrs. M. Finch leaves tonight for an extended visit with relatives at Canon City, Colorado, and Boise City, Idaho.

J. A. Reid left Tuesday for Oklahoma with a view to hunting up a location and taking a claim in the new territory.

J. J. Huffer who has been making a visit with his son Frank Huffer here left Tuesday for his home at Rossville, Illinois.

Farm loans at 5 per cent interest on good improved land. C. F. Cather, office over Cotting's drug store, Red Cloud, Neb.

Arthur Cozad, formerly of this place arrived here this week from his home in Kansas, called by the serious illness of his brother.

Lost.—Round pearl ring watch charm with square and compass in center. Finder please return to this office or to Jas. Chaney.

Fat lady—Don't sleep too much; exercise; don't eat fats and sweets. To reduce rapidly take Rocky Mountain Tea. Acts directly on the fatty tissues. 25c.—C. L. COTTING.

We were asked this week what was the height of indecency. We answer thusly: To offer the water commissioner a drink of city water when he is trying to collect the water tax.

Mrs. Dr. Damerell and daughter Mary, and Mrs. E. U. Overman and little daughter, are enjoying an outing 'neath the shadows of the pines in the Rocky mountains. They expect to be absent several months.

There's something new in town. They're not members of the great consolidated, combined, colossal, magisterium and mastodontic monarch of the minstrel world either. We would advise our young men not to try to double up and beat the game.

Lots of people are enjoying the cool atmosphere of the mountains this torrid weather. If a thousand of our subscribers would come in and give us a dollar we might be able to go as far as Denver and spend a day, after paying up our own delinquencies.

During the past week covered wagons containing from one to ten occupants, and all bound for the promised land in Oklahoma, have been quite numerous. Had the government had sufficient foresight they no doubt would have divided the whole territory up in town lots so everyone could get a chunk.

The republican county central committee is hereby called to meet at the office of L. H. Fort in the city of Red Cloud, on Wednesday, July 24, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of fixing date for holding the republican county convention and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before it.—L. H. FORT.

Lewis Clapp was called to Bloomington Saturday evening on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Sarah A. Clapp, who passed away on the following morning at 8:30. The deceased had lived in Franklin county since 1872, and had reached the ripe old age of 88 years, 11 months and 14 days. The funeral occurred on Monday. Our townsman has the sympathy of many friends in his great bereavement.

A week among the geysers. Through Yellowstone Park is the most enjoyable holiday trip that can be planned. There is nothing like it on earth. And the beauty of it all is that the trip takes less than ten days. You can stay longer if you like, of course—and you certainly will if you have the time. Write to J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Burlington Route, Omaha, Neb., for folder giving full information about the park. It contains a large map of the park, as well as a description of the principal points of interest. Excursion rat's daily—ask the ticket agent about them.

LOCALLY

Says the grasshopper to the chicken "Don't you think that I am nice?" But the chicken says "I'd pass you up. For a great big chunk of ice."

Bolts are cheap at The Fair. Colonial bust forms 60 cents each at Miner Bros.

The CHIEF and Chicago Inter Ocean ne year for \$1.25.

Fly nets and dusters in endless variety at Fogel & Hutchison's.

Grain ranch and 500 acre pasture for rent.—T. J. McKINNY, Hoxie, Kansas.

You can get granite and tinware cheap at The Fair. A new line just received.

F. A. Good of Cowles left here Sunday morning for the eastern markets to buy goods.

Mrs. O. C. Teel returned Sunday from a visit with relatives and friends at Indianola.

Special sale on nets, dusters and light harness for the next thirty days at J. O. Butler's.

A stock extra of twenty cars of horses passed through here Thursday on their way to St. Louis.

Mrs. A. C. Hoamer and Miss Ida Kinsel returned the fore part of the week from a visit in Missouri.

C. D. Robinson and James Burden with their wives, departed for Denver and the mountains last evening.

Special Lace and Ribbon Sale. 25 percent discount on all Lace and Ribbon from July 22 to 27 at The Fair.

Finest line of iron beds and fancy rockers in the valley, at bed-rock prices at J. C. Wolfe's, the furniture man.

Geo. W. Francis and wife left Tuesday morning for a protracted visit in the far east and to take in the Buffalo exposition.

Latest music by most popular authors found at Music Store. Any thing not in stock ordered at once. All music at lowest possible prices.

Wanted to know who has a copy of Benj. Van Dyke's Prison Life. Book was loaned and lender has forgotten who received it. Please return to this office.

Farm Insurance!

German - Insurance - Co.,
OF FREEPORT, ILL.
The largest old line company in the west.

Farmers Mutual Ins Co.,
Of Nebraska, of Lincoln.
Largest mutual in the state with over 300 policies in Webster County.

O. C. Teel, Agt.,
RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

Proceedings were commenced in the district court against the city this week by J. M. Chaffin as attorney for Mrs. E. B. Knight for damages to the extent of \$1,000 caused by a defective sidewalk.

The iron for the front of the new Polnick building arrived yesterday and the work will be rushed from now on. The Oatman hotel building will be ready for the second floor joist by Saturday evening.

A very pleasant farewell was tendered to Miss Bernice Higby on Wednesday evening at the residence of L. P. Albright. A number of her young lady and gentlemen friends were present and did all they could to make the affair one long to be remembered by her. She expects to leave tomorrow for her home in Deadwood, South Dakota.

Elsewhere in this issue we print an ordinance levying an occupation tax against fire insurance companies doing business in the city. The money collected under the ordinance goes to the fire department. It is a good ordinance and should have been passed long ago. The fire insurance companies are benefited and should help keep up the expenses of the department.

John Polnick the other day concluded to show some of the boys how much of an acrobat he was. He caught hold of one of the dead limbs on the tree in front of his new brick and from appearances we were fully convinced he was going to skin-a-cat. He got part way up when alas, the limb broke and two hundred and fifty pounds of avoirdupois landed in a heap with the limb on top. The next time John tries to be acrobatic he will do the contortion act on the floor instead of tackling trapeze and horizontal bar work.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

E. E. Burr of Guide Rock was here Thursday.

Girl Wanted, at the City Bakery.—JOS. HERBURGER.

A. M. Walters of Blue Hill was in the city yesterday.

L. D. Oatman is still confined to his bed with a sprained ankle.

E. T. Benton and G. G. Hoyt were here from Cowles Thursday.

Mrs. T. J. Ward leaves today for a visit with relatives in Omaha.

Miss Beatrix Mizer will give a recital in Red Cloud in the near future.

L. J. Capps of Hastings was looking after business matters here Thursday.

Geo. Ricketts who has been visiting in St. Joe, returned home Saturday evening.

You are missing bargains every day by not watching the Special Sale window at The Fair.

I. N. Brown and Henry Fox Jr. of Nelson were looking after business matters here Friday.

Miss Nellie Warren is visiting in Lincoln and Hastings this week. She will return home Monday.

Miss Willa Cather returned Saturday from the east. She will remain home during the summer months.

"Mort," "mort," "brick," "mort," "brick," "hard brick," "water," and that's all we hear now all day long.

C. E. Wescott who has been looking after property interests here, has returned to his home at Plattsmouth.

F. E. Goble of this city and F. A. Swezey of Blue Hill left the last of the week by covered wagon route for Oklahoma.

Stephen Cozad, a former citizen of this place was here this week on account of the serious illness of his brother.

Finest line of rocking chairs and the greatest variety of dining chairs ever thrown upon the market found at Albright Bros.

A light shower last Tuesday evening brightened things up for a little bit, only to make them droop and wither worse than ever.

Geo. Law who some weeks ago had his leg badly hurt while manipulating a binder, is able to get as far as the lawn where he can enjoy the outdoor air.

Dr. G. E. McKeedy and wife formerly of this city, now of Guthrie, Oklahoma, passed through the city Saturday morning, enroute to the mountains of Colorado.

If you want some "just as good" "I make it myself" remedy, try an imitation Rocky Mountain Tea. 'Twill make you sick and keep you sick.—C. L. COTTING.

The water in the river has reached the extreme low water mark. What fish there are in it can be caught in the hands or with a pitch fork as they go over the riffles.

F. W. Chamberlain, formerly a dentist of this city is here visiting old friends on a return trip from Denver and the mountains. He is now located at Somonauk, Illinois.

The boys who attended the State Firemen's Tournament at Fremont from here were Henry Diederich, Horace Brown, Alex Smelser, Harry Brown and Ed. Fearn.

We have not the least hog instinct or appearance but darned if we wouldn't like to have just one mess of roasting ears this season. So far none have shown up at the stores in this city.

It made the driver of the street sprinkler hump himself several days during the past week to keep out of the dust that followed closely on his heels. The dust did not blow, oh, no.

Grace Episcopal, services Sunday, July 21, Seventh Sunday after Trinity, morning prayer and sermon 10:30 a.m. Evening prayer and sermon 5 p.m. Sunday school 12 m. The public is cordially invited.

We wish our correspondents would endeavor to get their items in each week and if possible not later than Thursday. No department of the paper is looked after by our readers more than this. If your locality is not represented send us in the news.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending July 18, 1901.

E. Bookhart, Frank Bookhart, Ellie Bookhart, Will Conslatt, Sanger Crumpacker, Chas DeLong, Thos Flynn, E. W. Feasle, Dale Frasier, Mr. Nider, S. S. Jones, Melissa Lambert, Richard Maynard, Susie Marshall, Fred Millbach, Gertrude McElwain, Elizabeth Petrie, J. C. Robinson, Clarence Tate, S. J. Tussey.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office August 1, if not called for before. When calling for above please say "advertised."—T. C. HACKER, Postmaster.

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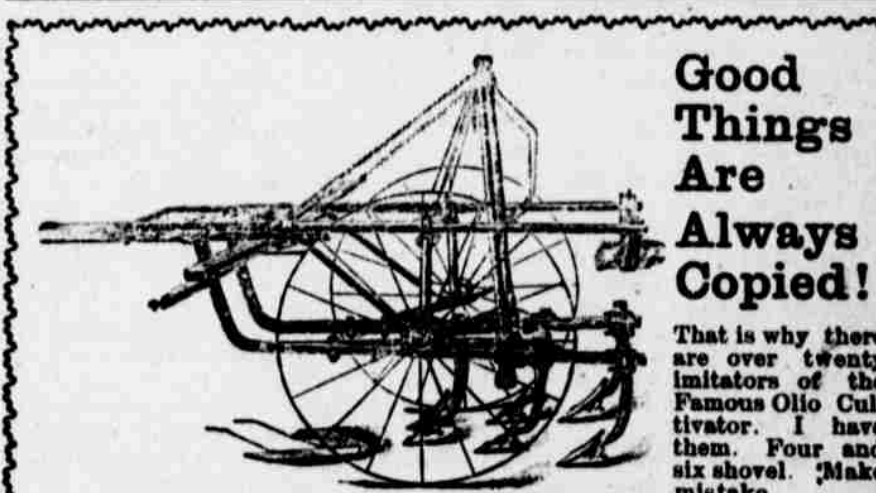
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THE STORE THAT NEVER DISAPPOINTS.



Good Things Are Always Copied!

That is why there are over twenty imitations of the Famous Olio Cultivator. I have them. Four and six shovel. Make mistake.

BUY THE ORIGINAL.

You will want something that you can go over your corn with before it is big enough to use a cultivator. I have the tools that you want and the price that I make will save you money.

Don't - Let - Anyone - Hold - You - Up.

See me before you buy anything in the farm tool line. I will make you some attractive prices on a

WINDMILL OR PUMP.

I will build you a job right.

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to have a sale?
If so get your**

Sale Bills

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