

# A Proposition I

We have just put it a complete line of the muchly known

**Parker Lucky Curve Jointless Fountain Pen with Anti-Break Cap.**

To distribute these as rapidly as possible we make the following proposition.

Come get a pen, take it out, try it, if it don't suit return it and try another. If you fail to find one satisfactory your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Pens from \$1.50 up.

**Newhouse - Bros.**

Red Cloud, Neb.

## WEEK'S HAPPENINGS.

Cut down the weeds.  
Stove repairs at W. W. Wright's.  
A No. 1 good work shirt for 40c at The Fair.  
For anything in the hardware line go to Wright's.  
Mrs. Aaron Conover visited in Lincoln this week.  
On the way to Albright Brothers, a carload of furniture.  
Miss Edith Palmer left Thursday for a visit at Iowa City, Iowa.  
Fred Temple is seeing the sights of the state capital this week.  
L. H. Rust and wife are visiting in Lincoln and taking in the state fair.  
Visitors are always made welcome at Albright Bros. whether you purchase or not. Always glad to see you.  
S. W. Foe has purchased the Blair property on Seward street and moved his household goods there Thursday.

# 25 per cent Discount

We have a few Croquet sets that we will close out at one-fourth off.

This makes a four ball Croquet Set, complete with arches and stakes at

**56c.**

Other styles and sizes in proportion.

Take advantage of this price as the stock will not last long.

We have prices on

**Wagon Covers, Wagon Bows, Galvanized Measures,**

**Header Forks 70c, Ball Bearing Grind Stones, \$4.50.**

**Scoops, Etc.,** that are money savers.

Give us a chance to figure on your hardware bill, it means a saving of dollars to you.

**MORHART BROS. HARDWARE Co.**

## MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

Lamps from 20c to 65c at The Fair.  
James Burden is a Lincoln visitor this week.  
Geo. W. Hummel of Dewesse was here this week.  
Rev. Blackwell of Ayr was in the city this week.  
Al Holdrege of Riverton was in the city Wednesday.  
E. T. Merriman of Guide Rock was in the city Saturday.  
The finest line of stoves in the valley can be found at Wright's.  
Charley Fort visited with friends at Franklin on Wednesday.  
Mrs. S. F. Spokesfield left Wednesday morning for a visit at Lincoln.  
A. L. Funk, a former citizen of this place was here the last of the week.  
The red sand stone for the walk at the Wright-Potter building has arrived.  
Miss Stella Ducker arrived home from a trip to Lincoln the last of the week.  
Grant McFarland of Hastings was looking after business matters here Saturday.  
Have you seen the latest styles of nets and dusters? Butler's is the place for them.  
A. Morhart is taking a lay-off from business cares and seeing the state fair this week.

The public schools of this city opened last Monday with an unusually large attendance.  
Roscoe Gather left Thursday morning for Carleton, Nebraska, where he will teach school.  
Miss Ella Cook left Monday evening for Omaha where she will attend a school of pharmacy.  
Louis Kendall, wife and children of St. Joe are here visiting with Jacob Nustein and family.  
Yancey Sorenson left Saturday morning for Nebraska City where he will visit with relatives and friends.  
Farm loans at 5 per cent interest on good improved land. C. F. Cather, office over Cotting's drug store, Red Cloud, Neb.  
John L. Wicken and Stella Buhr, both of Adams county, were united in marriage on the 4th of September by County Judge Edson.  
Leroy Davis and Miss Carrie Green, both of Mt. Clare, Nuckolls county, Nebraska, were united in marriage by Judge Edson on September 4th.

Jud Clark left Saturday morning for Red Oak, Iowa, having received a telegram bearing the sad tidings that his father had been killed by the cars.  
Dr. G. E. McKeeby and wife of Guthrie, Oklahoma, who have been spending the summer months in Colorado, were visiting old friends in the city this week.  
Bridges arriving and being placed on the ground preparatory to the building of a brick sidewalk in front of the Damerell block. This is another good move in the right direction.  
Peaches for sale on the George Hill farm ten miles south of Bostwick, Neb. Ripe fruit by the tenth of September, lasting ten days, in any quantity at reasonable prices. Address Geo. Hill, Mankato, Kansas.  
An early morning marriage was performed at 8:45 o'clock Monday morning at the M. E. parsonage by Rev. J. H. N. Cobb, the interested parties being Miss Nellie A. Davis and Mr. Crayton L. Redenbo, both of Superior.

ANNOUNCEMENT—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of probate judge in and for Webster county, Nebraska, subject to the will and decision of the peoples independent party convention to be held in Red Cloud, September 10, 1901.—L. A. HASKINS.

Nate Kingsland who was a former resident of this city and manager of the Haskell & Bosworth butter and egg house here is now manager of The Newport restaurant at 126 south 13th street, opposite the Funke Opera House, Lincoln.

Last Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker in the northeast part of the city occurred a very pleasant event, at which time Miss Gertrude A. Whitaker was united in marriage to Charles D. Snydam of Fairview, Illinois, C. B. Smith, officiating. The young couple will remain in this city a short while and will then go to Fairview, Illinois, to make that place their future home.

Miss May Green, a daughter of Dillon Green of Mt. Clare, met with quite a serious accident last Tuesday. While enroute to this city together with her sister and others in a two seated spring wagon, about seven miles east of town the team gave a sudden lurch forward, and the back seat toppled over the rear end of the wagon, throwing Miss Green out and quite severely injuring her spine. She was brought at once to this city and placed under a doctor's care, but how badly she is injured, it is difficult to determine.

## LOCALLY

Some choice new water sets at The Fair.  
I. B. Colvin of Guide Rock was here Tuesday.  
F. E. McKeeby was up from Superior last evening.  
Charley Ball left Sunday night for a visit at Denver.  
The Chief and Chicago Inter Ocean are year for \$1.25.  
A. Clark of Oxford was in the city the last of the week.  
E. W. Copland was a visitor to the state capital this week.  
Jewett Henderson of Smith Center was in the city Tuesday.  
Ernest Welsh is gazing on the big pumpkins at the state fair this week.  
Miss Sadie Overing went to Guide Rock Saturday, where she will teach school.  
E. B. Smith left the first of the week for a visit with friends and relatives at Lincoln.  
Miss Clara McMillan is visiting with the family of John Winters in Lincoln this week.  
Special sale on nets, dusters and light harness for the next thirty days at J. O. Butler's.

Elmer Crone who is an employe of the B. & M. at McCook was here the first of the week.  
Ora Pitney and wife of Inavale were among the number of visitors to the state fair this week.  
Ivans Heim left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends and relatives in the eastern part of the state.  
Charley Emick left Tuesday morning for New Whatcom, Washington, where he will reside in the future.  
Miss Trix Mizer left Tuesday morning for Chicago where she will teach in the Chicago Conservatory of Music.  
When you want nails, screws, bolts, barb wire or anything else in the hardware line call on W. W. Wright.  
The work on the Polnick building is being rushed as fast as possible so that he will be able to occupy it by fair time.  
S. C. Potter who has been visiting at his old home in New York and taking in the Buffalo exposition has returned home.  
Finest line of rocking chairs and the greatest variety of dining chairs ever thrown upon the market found at Albright Bros.  
H. B. Musselman, traveling auditor of the Nebraska Telephone Company, was in the city the fore part of the week looking after the company's interests.  
Wednesday a report was current on our streets that Ringling Bros. shows would be in this city the latter part of this month. The report has not as yet been confirmed, but we hope it will be.  
T. J. Ward, Chas. Besse, R. T. Potter and L. A. Haskins were in Blue Hill yesterday. The two former went as delegates to the democratic county convention and the two latter were attending to business matters.

Geo. W. Blair and wife left Wednesday morning for Concordia, Kansas, where they will make a visit with their son James before proceeding to their future home at Sterling, Illinois. Joe and Bert left Thursday morning.  
Mrs. Henry Varnum, who with her two children has been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams in this city during the past summer, departed Thursday for her home at Guernsey, Wyoming. Mr. Williams accompanied her for a short visit.  
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Interstate fair held a meeting Sept. 4th. The ladies of the auxiliary are anxious to have the fair a success and extend a cordial invitation to all persons and earnestly request them to make a special effort to have an exhibit of some kind at the coming fair.

**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.

Wm. Zeluff will move to Omaha in the near future.  
By Shephardson of Riverton was in the city Tuesday.  
Hugh Reed has accepted a position with E. McFarland.  
Mrs. M. W. Dickerson is visiting with relatives in Lincoln.  
THE CHIEF and the Toledo Blade one year for \$1.25.  
N. A. Platt left Monday to assume the management of the lumber yard at Cowles.  
P. S. McGuire has purchased the H. P. Sowter residence property on north Cedar street.  
George Lindsey had a bunch of his blooded cattle on exhibition at the state fair this week.  
Jos. Fogel and Geo. Hutchison went to Lincoln Wednesday to take in the sights of the state fair.  
C. D. Robinson, M. M. Stern, L. H. Beck and others attended the ball game at Superior last Monday.  
A. H. Gray of Norton, Kansas was in the city this week shaking hands with old friends and acquaintances.  
Thos. Connerton, living ten miles due south of this city, will have a public sale of stock on September 12th.  
Charley Fort will leave Saturday for Fremont where he will take a course of instruction in a school of pharmacy.  
Mrs. Georgia Brown, formerly a resident of this city, now living down in Kansas, is here visiting with Mrs. A. O. Berg.


Alfred Hadell has returned home from a trip to New York City where he went to purchase a fall invoice of goods.  
Douglas Cather returned to Cheyenne, Wyoming, Monday, after a visit with his parents and other friends in this city.  
During the past week several threshing engines have been run up and down the streets in open defiance to the city ordinance.  
John Roth, the cobbler at Smith's shoe store, will leave shortly for Sutton, which place he will make his future home.  
Mrs. W. W. Chinnock and daughter Beulah who have been visiting friends in this city returned to her home in Falls City last Monday.  
A picked nine of ball players of this city played the Loganville, Kansas, club last Tuesday, with a result of the Red Cloud club getting done up badly.  
"There'll be a hot time in the old town next Tuesday," when the united parties of reform assemble in convention to nominate a county ticket on the fusion basis.  
Mothers write us that they have solved the problem of keeping their children well. Give them Rocky Mountain tea each week. A blessing to mother and child. C. L. Cotting.  
The city council met last Wednesday evening. A few bills were allowed and John Polnick was given a permit to move his saloon from its present location into his new building when it was completed.  
The river has had more water in it the past two or three days than there has been in it at any time this year. The raise was caused by the heavy rains in the western part of the state, where in some places the fall of water exceeded five inches.

We wish our correspondents would endeavor to get their items in each week and if possible not later than 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.  
Among the special features at the fair this year will be a flower parade and thirty-five dollars has been appropriated for premiums for the same. Another feature will be a five mile gas-you-please. Aside from these there will be other general sports and races.  
The brick work on the Potter-Wright building is almost finished. The building is a handsome and substantial one, and one that would be a credit to a city four or five times as large as Red Cloud. From the roof of this three story structure an excellent view of the surrounding country can be obtained.  
Mrs. Josephine Nesbit, wife of John Nesbit, died at her home in the south part of the city last Monday evening, September 2, after a lingering illness. At the time of her death she was aged forty-two years, eleven months and one day. She had been an invalid for some years and a sufferer from some ailment which baffled all medical skill. Deceased was daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Saunders of this city, and leaves a large number of relatives and friends to mourn her loss. The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. J. H. N. Cobb on Wednesday and the remains laid at rest in the Red Cloud cemetery. The bereaved husband and family have the sympathy of the entire community.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 50c, 10c. If C. C. C. fail, druggist refund money.

The untried democratic party of Webster county met in convention at Blue Hill yesterday and nominated a full county ticket. The ticket is as follows: Treasurer, Wm. McDonald; clerk, S. A. Temple; judge, Julius Horn; sheriff, Geo. Kosher; superintendent, E. H. Rookback; surveyor, F. A. Kuehn; coroner, — Swigart. The ticket will probably remain in the field until Tuesday, at which time an amicable division of the county offices will be made with the pops and with the exception of the candidates for surveyor and coroner the names will disappear as if by magic. The democrats of this county are some pumpkins when they get in convention by themselves, but when they get mixed up in the conglomerated masses of fusion they are like this year's potato crop—very small.  
A California opportunity. September 19th to 27th, both dates inclusive, any Burlington Route ticket agent will sell you a round trip ticket to San Francisco at less than the regular one-way rate. The occasion is the General convention of the Episcopal church, and the rate is open to the general public as well as to delegates to the convention. No more delightful outing can be imagined. The trip is made at a time of year when traveling is a pleasure and the climate of California at its best. The return limit—November 15, 1901, is an unusually long one for tickets sold at so low a rate. Stopovers are allowed at pleasure, both going and returning, at and west of the first Colorado, Wyoming or Montana point enroute. All in all, the opportunity is one which no man or woman who contemplates a visit to California can afford to overlook. Folder giving details mailed on request. Burlington ticket agents are in a position to give any further information that may be desired.—J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.

**Low Rates to Lincoln**  
Nebraska State Fair, September 2 to 6, the Burlington route will sell round trip tickets to Lincoln at half rates, plus 20 cents for admission to fair grounds.  
This will be "the big show" \$18,000 has been spent this year in permanent improvements on the fair grounds. \$30,000 in cash premiums. All entries, except speed, free.  
Ask nearest agent Burlington Route for particulars.  
**National Encampment, G. A. R.**  
Only \$25.85 from Red Cloud, Neb., to Cleveland, Ohio, and return, September 7, 8, 9 and 10.  
Splendid opportunity to go to the Buffalo Exposition and Niagara Falls. Return limit September 15. Extension to October 8 can be arranged for at Cleveland if desired.—J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebraska.  
Last week I went about,  
Full of trouble and of doubt,  
Now I'm smiling and dance with delight,  
I had some Rocky Mountain Tea last night. C. L. Cotting.  
Don't forget the date and place of the special sale of nets, dusters and light harness at Butler's.

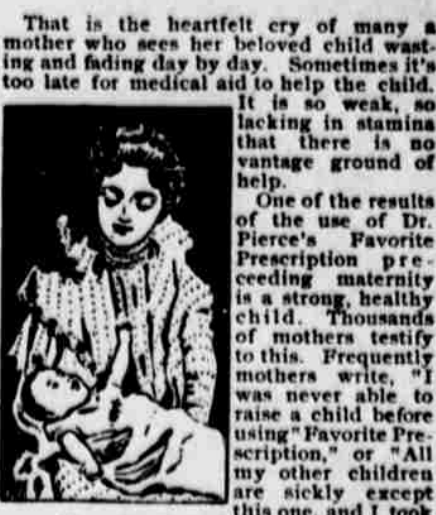


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Cools, Comforts and Heals the Skin, Enabling the Most Tender Face to Enjoy a Close Shave Without Unpleasant Results.  
Avoid dangerous, irritating Witch Hazel preparations, represented to be "the same as" POND'S EXTRACT, which usually cause and generally contain "wood alcohol," a deadly poison.

**CUT THIS OUT!**  
It is coupon entitles each adult holder thereof to one chance on premium listed below, to be given away at the Red Cloud Interstate Fair, September 24, 25, 26 and 27, 1901, when presented by holder on fair grounds for registration. Not to exceed two coupons can be used by any one person each day.  
By James Peter-on, One Rock Island Sulky Liver, Worth \$40.00  
By Ovaring Brothers & Co., One Card Receiver and Flower Bowl 25.00  
By Morhart Brothers, One Samson steel Windmill 30.00  
By James Petersen, one ten foot Acme self Dump Hay Rake 31.00  
By Miner Brothers, One Iron Head Sewing Machine 25.00  
By Chicago House Wrecking Co., One Panning Mill (By Mrs. E. J. Ducker) 25.00  
By Household Publishing Co., by D. I. Myers, 20 yearly subscriptions to the Household at \$1.00 each 20.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Despot Vapor Gas Stove 20.00  
By F. W. Bird & Son, Chicago, 3 rolls Naponeset Red Rope roofing 10.00  
By D. J. Myers, 30 yearly subscriptions of Farmers News 10.00  
By Newhouse Brothers, One Camera by 414 10.00  
By Miner Brothers, One Wood Air Tight Heater 8.00  
By Mrs. E. J. Ducker, 5 yearly subscriptions to Home and Flower at \$1.00 each 5.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Tea Pot 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Waterville Razor 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Set Ashes and Sad Irons 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Tea Kettle No. 8 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Dish Pan 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Water Pail, 1 quart 1.00  
By Newhouse Bros., One Brownie Kodak 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Tea Pot 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Coffee Pot 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Wash Pan 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Stew Pan 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Wash Pan 1.00  
By W. W. Wright, One Delph Drinking Cup 1.00

Be sure and bring this coupon with you as your number may be one of the lucky ones. Excursion rates on all railroads.  
For further information address,  
D. J. MYERS, Secretary, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

## "Save the Child!"



That is the heartfelt cry of many a mother who sees her beloved child wasting and fading day by day. Sometimes it's too late for medical aid to help the child. It is so weak, so lacking in stamina that there is no chance ground of help.  
One of the results of the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription preceding maternity is a strong, healthy child. Thousands of mothers testify to this. Frequently mothers write, "I was never able to raise a child before using 'Favorite Prescription,' or 'All my other children are sickly except this one, and I took your 'Favorite Prescription' this time."  
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