

LOCALETTES

"Cremple" at Fulton Grocer Co.
See L. A. Haskins for fine potatoes.
Good thing to eat at Fulton Grocer Co.
Charlie Godsey spent Thanksgiving at Alma.
Ruth Warren will do your burnt wood work.
Front room for rent. Inquire of Jas. McQuire.
Some bargains in canned goods at Fulton Grocer Co.
See Ruth Warren for all kinds of burnt wood supplies.
Missy moved his family into the Sam F. property Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bonnell of Lawrence were in Red Cloud Saturday.
Three cars lump coal for sale, \$7.50 per ton if sold in ten days. J. O. Caldwell.
John Wegner leaves Saturday for Weber where he will teach school this winter.
Alex Kohler of McCook spent Thanksgiving with his parents at Cowles.
Joe Fogel returned Thursday morning from a trip to the Pan Handle of Texas.
Wm Rieber passed through Red Cloud Thursday on his way to his home in Bladen.
L. E. Tait returned Thursday morning from his trip to the Pan Handle of Texas.
S. F. Spokesfield of Hebron was shaking hands with old friends in Red Cloud Tuesday.
Bert Felts and some friends were in Red Cloud Sunday. They came up in an automobile.
Wm Good of Cowles was visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Paul Storey the first of the week.
A. L. Hewes living south of Red Cloud suffered quite a loss by a fire the first of the week.
We were obliged to omit some correspondence and other matter this week on account of our lack of time.
Correct time is received every day at 4 o'clock from Chicago by Newhouse Bros. on their electric regulator.
Mrs. J. Bent, Red Cloud was here Saturday and Sunday visiting her sister Mrs. John Rose-Blue Hill Leader
Misses Gretchen Maser and Rudy White were down from Franklin yesterday and Thanksgiving with her friends
Mr and Mrs. I. Frisbie spent Thanksgiving in Lincoln with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cox.
Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, daughter and children of Gade Rock spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. John Street.
Oloyd Cummings, accompanied by sister, Mrs. Ethel Hunt, went to Beatrice the first of the week for medical treatment.
Newhouse Bros. adopted on the first of October the cash plan of doing business and are now selling goods cheaper than ever.
Mrs. Weirick & Riddile, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialists. Glasses fitted. Over German National Bank, Hastings, Nebr.
Union Thanksgiving services were held yesterday at the M. E. church. Services were also held at the Episcopal church.
The attendance at the band concert last night was very large, and the concert is said to have been very well enjoyed by all.
Ray Palmer, who has a position on the B. & O. at Laird, Colorado, spent Thanksgiving Day visiting his parents in Red Cloud.
Edward Hanson and family, accompanied by Miss Dane, who has been visiting with them, left for Iowa, Monday morning for a visit with Mrs. Hanson's mother.
Wash Reed of Reed Bros. of Campbell, Neb. passed through Red Cloud Thursday on his way home from a trip down in Kansas.
The Relief Corps met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Ducker Thursday afternoon of last week and gave her a pleasant surprise party.
L. P. Albright and family and Mrs. J. W. Sherwood spent Thanksgiving at Norton, Kans. with the son of the former, Sherwood Albright.
G. Olmsted of Guide Rock, the recently elected county commissioner from the 5th district, was transacting business in Red Cloud Saturday.
The city council ordered the night watch to arrest the gamblers. Now they should also make the attempt

to have the Slocum law enforced.

Last Wednesday morning, after a few words with her husband, Mrs. Geo. Hummel left for a three weeks visit with relatives at Muscatine, Iowa.

Congressman Norris of this district has in a letter to Shaffer's Alma Record, particularly placed himself on record as opposed to the parcels post law.

Perry Karg, who has been braking between Red Cloud and Oxford for some time has rented the McBride property and will move his family here.

Dr. Warrick, the specialist, will meet eye, ear, nose and throat patients and those needing glasses properly fitted at Dr. Damerell's office Tuesday, Dec. 10.

There is a large and growing sentiment in Red Cloud against the saloons and we should not be surprised to see the town go dry at the spring election.

Madison R. Bacon and Miss Bessie Dredge, both of Blue Hill were made one at the Hotel Royal this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, Rev. Geo. W. Hummel officiating.

Mrs. Carrie West, Mrs. N. Bie West Caster and Miss Dalia Perry went to Bartly, Neb., Wednesday morning to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. West's son, Will West.

A large number of Red Cloud nimmers participated in the turkey shoot on the E. B. Smith farm last Friday afternoon and secured material for their Thanksgiving feasts.

Blotches, pimples, coarse pores, blackheads are unsightly and denote impure blood. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 Cents, Tea or Tablets. C. L. Cotting.

It is healthful, wholesome. It's as good for one as the other. A little dose will make you sleep and eat. Makes people happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 Cents, Tea or Tablets.

Tooy Clark, wife and family arrived in Red Cloud from Bedford, Ia., the first of this week. Their household goods have also arrived and they will hereafter make their home in this city again.

N. P. Klowgard will leave Sunday for Los Angeles Cal., which he will make his future home. He has been employed for the past year in the law office of L. H. Blackledge as stenographer.

S. B. Kizer and Wm Walters put a new floor in the office of Clerk of District Court Hutchison, in the court house this week. The 1d floor had become so badly worn that it was dangerous.

At a regular meeting of the Odd Fellows Monday evening the following officers were elected: R. D. Runchy, noble grand; N. B. Corner, vice grand; O. C. Teel, secretary; Joe Fogel treasurer; G. W. Hutchison was re-elected trustee.

It begins to look as if the school bonds would be purchased by local people. Certainly there is no safer place to invest money as the security is much better than any farm loan and the rate of interest is but a very little less.

Mrs. Stephen Swenke swore out a complaint of insanity against her husband Tuesday. At his hearing Wednesday it was decided that he was sane, and he was dismissed and returned home with his wife. M. A. Swenke of Martell, Neb., a brother of Stephen Swenke, came to testify at the trial but arrived too late.

Ernest Graves went to Bladen Sunday to be present at the funeral of his niece, Miss Blanche Riggins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Riggins, which occurred at that place Monday. Miss Blanche was born in Webster County nineteen years ago and died at McCook last Saturday of tuberculosis. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. White in the M. E. church and interment was in the Plainview cemetery.

G. W. Oles, the famous American violinist, gave an entertainment at the opera house last Saturday evening which was enjoyed those present. Mr. Oles very clearly demonstrated the fact that he was a master player and that he pleased the audience was shown by the applause after each selection. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Red Cloud orchestra, who rendered a few selections during the evening. Our only objection to the orchestra is that they did not play a few more selections.

The Cowles Enterprise has been launched with Karl Spence as publisher and Jas. McBride as business manager. The paper is a six column quarto and is neatly and tastefully

CASTORIA

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gotten up. Application has been made at Bladen for entry as second class matter. Apparently the office of publication will be in Bladen and will be in connection with the Bladen Enterprise of which Mr. Spence is also the publisher. The paper starts with a goodly amount of advertising patronage and there is undoubtedly a field for it. We wish the proprietors abundant success in their venture.

In Webster county Judge Edison and District Clerk Hutchison were re-elected, the republicans winning the balance. But worst of all the \$50,000 court house proposition was defeated. It looks very much now as if some one with charity in his soul will have to build some decent sort of a court house with suitable vault rooms for Webster county. They surely need a court house, and the people of the county don't seem to want to build it. This is the second or third time that the court house bonds have been defeated down there.—Hastings Democrat.

Panhandle Country we have heard so much about is fully up to the descriptions we have had of it and is without doubt the largest tract of perfect agricultural land in the U. S. on the market today, or that will be on the market and as some of our advertising matter stated, it is the last west, and the most perfect surface and as productive a soil as can be found in any on earth. We are perfectly safe in recommending this land as advertised as we looked it over and find it a good safe land proposition to offer to our friends. We understand the rates are going to raise the first of Jan. so if you want to go it would be cheaper to go with us on our excursion Dec. 3d The Red Cloud Investment Co. I. H. Holmes, Pres. A. R. Sellers Sec.

At a meeting of the Retekahs Thursday evening of last week, officers were elected as follows: Miss Clara McWilliam, noble grand; Mrs. Chas. Hale, vice grand; Miss Mary Peterson secretary; Mrs. I. Holmes, treasurer. Mrs. I. Frisbie was elected delegate to the district meeting to be held at Nelson Dec. 5. Dan Garber was elected captain of the degree team. After the election of officers an elaborate banquet was served.

"If I had J. D.'s money," said old man Swain.

"I would make everybody happy from Oregon to Maine; You don't need money, just be free. Give your family Rocky Mountain Tea." C. L. Cotting.

Yesterday was not only Thanksgiving day, but it was additionally important as having been also the twenty-fifth anniversary of Charlie Crabb's birth, which, by the way, also occurred on Thanksgiving. Upon coming downstairs in the morning he found a merry group of his friends seated around his breakfast table, which later proved to be a little surprise party arranged for him by his wife.

Wireless Money Lending.

One of the most interesting types on the American track is the professional money lender. Money lending is absolutely forbidden, and so the entire transaction must be conducted sub rosa, but if a person who is on goes broke and he has some article of jewelry of value with him it is easy for him to realize money on it.

The lender is an irreproachably dressed person who sits on the grandstand with the rest of the crowd and is known in his true colors only to the habitués of the track. A man who wants some capital makes an unobtrusive sign to him and twirls a ring he may be wearing at the time. Shortly afterward both will proceed to a restaurant, where, for the benefit of on-lookers, they will greet each other as ordinary acquaintances. The exchange is then made over the drink they order; the loan broker has the ring and the better his capital. If the latter cashes in on the next race he will return the money and the agreed upon premium and will receive back his ring.—From "The People and the Ponies," by C. F. Peters, in Bohemian.

Spoiled the Encore.

The nobility and gentry of Little Plowboro were recently gathered in the village schoolroom to enjoy some tableaux vivants by local performers, says Pearson's Weekly.

The curtain had just fallen on a really creditable picture of the death of Nelson, shown to slow music, when one man, who was known to be a friend of the gentleman representing the greatest naval hero, rose and tried

Mixed on the Overcoat Question?

Well, it is certainly difficult to decide what to do when every Clothing store in town has "the best at the lowest price" and all "give satisfaction," "money back," "save you a third to a half," &c., &c., &c.

Now, there is only one way to settle this perplexing question rightly, and that is to investigate.

If you'll do this, we are right sure that we will sell you an Overcoat.

Every Store Says Overcoats at 8, 10, 12, 15 to 25 Dollars

Every store, perhaps, has Overcoats at these figures—but what do these prices mean until you see the Coats at the prices?

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to make his way toward the stage. "Keep your seats, please," said the stage manager. "We're much obliged for your kind applause, ladies and gentlemen, and we're going to give you the death of Nelson over again." "Oh, are yer?" came from the hero's friend. "Then if you'll tell Nelson 'is kitchen chimney's afore prayers 'e won't die so blessed lingerin'."

He Settled It.

An amusing story is told at Stratford-on-Avon. In the smoking room of a hotel there an Englishman and a Scotchman engaged in a heated argument. John Bull was declaring William Shakespeare to be the poet of the world, and Donald McPherson was standing up for his Robert Burns.

Words ran high and blows seemed imminent when a self confident little commercial traveler determined to throw oil on the troubled waters. "Gentlemen," he said, stepping between the heated disputants, "let me settle this amicably. Who is this Shakespeare-Burns?"—London Telegraph.

Crowded Out.

"I am thirty-five years old," announced a woman of fifty-six at a tea last week.

"And I am twenty-six," said the woman of forty-five. Then, turning to a girl of seventeen who stood near by, she asked, "How old are you, Ethel?" "Oh," replied Ethel, "according to present reckoning, I'm not born yet!"

Indestructible Cat.

While expounding to his wife the alleged fact that men can control their tempers better than women can, Mr. Hinks fell over the cat and nearly broke his nose.

"That settles it!" he hissed. "I've often threatened, but now I'll drown the brute!"

His wife begged him to be merciful, but his mind was made up. Accordingly he placed the offending feline, along with two large bricks, in an old flour sack and hastened upon his murderous errand. On reaching the canal he threw in the bag with such vigor that he overbalanced and fell into the muddy water. After struggling for half an hour and incidentally drinking half the water in the canal, he returned home wet and weary.

At the door sat the cat. "Well, of all!"—exclaimed Hinks. "Why, I drowned the brute!" "I don't think so," said his wife as she let him in. "You didn't give me time to tell you that there was a hole in that bag!"—London Answers.

Not a Plunger.

"This scheme of mine," said the promoter, "will make you rich." "Maybe," said the plain, easy going man. "But if I had the money necessary to take the chance I'd feel so rich that there would be no need of going any further."—Washington Star.

The remedial effects of laughter are really wonderful. Cases have been known where a hearty laugh has banished disease and preserved life by a sudden effort of nature.

The average amount of rainfall below the equator is twenty-six inches, while north of the line it is thirty-seven and one-half inches.

Waves of Water. Waves are deceptive things. To look at them one would gather the impression that the whole water traveled. This, however, is not so. The water stays in the same place, but the motion goes on. In great storms waves are sometimes forty feet high, and their crests travel fifty miles an hour. The base of a wave (the distance from valley to valley) is usually considered as being fifteen times the height of the wave. Therefore a wave twenty-five feet high would have a base extending 375 feet. The force of waves breaking on the shore is seventeen tons to the square inch.

I have purchased Len Aultz's Dray and will do all kinds of Light Draying. Leave your orders at Platt & Freese Lumber Co., 'Phone 50.

ERNEST GRAVES.

H. E. ASHER

Veterinarian

BLUE HILL -:- NEBRASKA

Will be in Red Cloud Saturdays at Smith's barn.

Barrington Hall The Steel-Cut Coffee



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When you buy a pound of Barrington Hall, you get a pound of the best part of the coffee only. It is cut, not ground, into fine, even particles and the bitter chaff containing the injurious element is removed.

Barrington Hall sells at 35 cents per pound tin. Buy a pound—try it in your home, and if you do not agree that it is the most delicious, healthful and economical coffee you have ever used, return what is left and get your money back.

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