

WAITING FOR A REPORT



Waiting for the report from you regarding that which you need.

You've thought about it and talked about it.

"Guess work" will no longer do in this day of enterprise and American push.

The man who never carried a reliable timepiece has missed half the joys of life.

We know watches from the factory to our case. In buying here you get our experience and best judgment—worth something but costs nothing.

Newhouse Bros.,
JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

Telephone No. 97 for your gasoline

Henry Clark returned last night from Chicago.

Do you want a new cook stove? If so see Wright.

Two residences for sale in city. See S. B. Lightfoot.

Miss Georgia Scott of Guide Rock was here Thursday.

The tailor shop of F. Birkner is receiving a new coat of paint.

Hugh Betzer has sold out his business and gone to Cripple Creek.

Lizzie Marker left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends in Virginia.

For a good smooth hair cut or shave go to J. J. Baker's on Webster street.

Walter Roby sells the Singer sewing machine. Prices right. Get the best.

Pay your subscription and get a calculating pencil. They are a little wonder.

Mrs. Noble Sanford after a visit here returned to her home at Axtell, this state Monday.

Holiday rates via the Burlington Route, July 3 and 4, between stations not more than 200 miles apart.

Mrs. Neise Longtin left Saturday for Aurora, Kansas where she will visit with relatives and friends.

J. A. Hosmer of Des Moines, Iowa, was here the first of the week visiting with his brother A. C. Hosmer.

Porter Hedge and wife of Lincoln visited with Mrs. Anderson Hedge and family over Sunday and then returned home Monday morning.

Do you want a sound liver, vigorous digestion, strong healthy kidneys, regularity of the bowels? Take Prickly Ash Bitters. It has the medical properties that will produce this result. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

Your children will beat you at figures if they have the Chief Calculating Pencil. A wonderful little educator they can stick into their pockets. Simple as a clothes pin to manipulate. Bring us in that dollar, its a small piece of money but if we get a hundred of them we will pay off the mortgage on the farm. See advertisement in another column.

Michael Berry of Oxford, who is out on bond for appearance in the district court here at the next jury term, to stand trial for robbery at the home of Geo. W. Lindsey some time ago, is again in trouble. This time he is charged with the robbery of valuables from a Hastings traveling man and was apprehended and taken to that place from Oxford Monday by the Adams county sheriff.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

For cow pasture see J. N. Pope.

Jim Cather was in Hastings Thursday.

See Wright before you buy a gas or gasoline stove.

F. B. Dauchy formerly of this city was here Monday.

Mrs. D. M. Abel returned Thursday from a visit at Omaha.

Miss Blanche Hollingsworth of Wymore is here visiting with old friends.

Charley Crabill and George Van Camp are visiting in Hastings this week.

Jesse Baker invites his old friends to visit his tonorial parlors on Webster street.

Mrs. Roy Young left Thursday night for a visit with relatives and friends at Hopkins, Mo.

Geo. B. Lea left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends and relatives at Columbus, Ohio.

John O. Yeiser spent Monday here leaving for his home in Omaha again Tuesday morning.

Miss Mabel Day left Tuesday for a summer visit with relatives and friends at Baltimore, Maryland.

I. B. Stanser and wife and George Amack and wife returned last night from a trip to Missouri.

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Carpenters have been busy at work on the new mill and it will not be long before the structure will be completed.

Wm. West and wife and Edwin Emigh left Wednesday for Seattle, Washington, where they will live in future.

Jesse Baker, one of the popular tonorial artists in Ward Hiatt's shop, has purchased the shop of Hugh Betzer on Webster street.

Will Kellogg left for Hastings yesterday where he will join the other boys and they will continue their journey to the northwest.

If your brain won't work right and you miss the snap, vim and energy that was once yours, you should take Prickly Ash Bitters. It cleanses the system and invigorates both body and brain. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

The republican electors of Webster and Adams county are requested to send delegates to meet in float convention in the Bostwick hotel in Hastings, Nebraska, on Saturday, July 7th, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of pinning in nomination a candidate for float representative for the 46th district. The counties are entitled to representation as follows: Adams county 18, Webster county, 12—ADAM BREED, Chairman.

The following business firms have decided to close up their places of business all day during the Fourth with the exception of the meat markets which will close from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. W. A. Mitchell, Cowden-Kaley Co., W. W. Wright, Nebraska Mercantile Co., J. O. Butler, Galusha & Wescott, Sherwood & Albright, State Bank, Morhart Bros., Alfred Hadell, Fogel & Hutchison, Pope & McClaren, S. R. McBride, R. E. McBride, J. C. Wolfe, Newhouse Bros., C. D. Morse, Mrs. S. F. Spokesfield, Miner Bros., James Peterson, Platt & Frees Co., Traders Lumber Co., Turnure Bros., B. F. Mizer, Berg & Smith, W. E. Rife, Henry Diederich, Albright Bros., Thos. Penman and A. R. Reynolds.

The wedding of Miss Ida Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker of Lester to Mr. George Wilson of Guide Rock took place at the home of the bride's parents on last Sunday, June 24th, a large number of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties being present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. A. Barnes pastor of the Methodist church of this city. The bride is well and favorably known in this county and is an accomplished and charming young lady. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker old and respected residents of the county for many years. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilson of Guide Rock and is a young man of sterling worth. The Chief along with their many friends unite in hoping that their lives may always be filled with sunshine.

A special telegram to the Daily State Journal of Tuesday from Wymore, gives an account of the fatal shooting of Pete Baker by his brother Jake at Hanover, Kansas, on Sunday night last at the home of the former. It seems that the brothers had been running a beer stand at a picnic near Hanover on Sunday and that during the day Pete had become intoxicated and had a fight. That night as they were settling up the day's business some reference was made by Jake in regard to the fight which made Pete angry and he attacked Jake and the shooting followed. These two brothers are well known here having run in here on the Burlington as brakemen for several years. They both were powerful men and had the reputation of being great fighters and would stay by friends through thick and thin. They were participants in the fight with Night-witch Miller here several years ago. The coroner's inquest exonerated Jake, the shooting being in self defense.

Fountain Drinks
AT THE
Bon Ton Bakery.

- FIVE CENT DRINKS.**
Ice Cream Soda, Crushed Fruit Soda,
Coca Cola, Cherry Phosphate,
Wild Cherry, Root Beer,
Champagne Cider, Egg Lemonade,
Ginger Ale, Grape Lemon,
Grape Kola, Noxle,
Grape Orange, Lemon Sour,
Soda Lemonade, Cherry Ripe,
Celery Phosphate, Fruit Phosphate,
Grape Phosphate, Lemon Phosphate,
Orange Cider, Paris Bromides,
Cherry Ripe Phosphate.
- TEN CENT DRINKS.**
Queen's Favorite, Egg Phosphate,
Charlotte Rusee, Mountain Fonda,
Bavaria Cream, Ladies' Favorite,
Soda Fizz, Persian Sherbet,
Orangeade, Fruit Sundae,
Grape Phosphate, Plain Claret,
Seltzer Lemonade with Cherries.
- FIFTEEN CENT DRINKS.**
Claret Lemonade, Cherry Glace,
Moorish Sherbet, Catawba Flip,
Raspberry Punch, Sherry and Egg,
Claret Punch.

W. S. BENSE, Prop.

WEEK'S HAPPENINGS

All kinds of garden tools at Wright's.

All kinds of wire fencing at Wright's hardware store.

Grant McFarland of Lincoln was here this week.

Alfred Hadell and wife returned Tuesday from Denver.

Charles Baschow of Colby, Kansas, is visiting in the city today.

Wright has every article of ware that is needed around the kitchen.

The Misses, Gertrude Kaley and Bertha Talbot have gone on a visit to Iowa.

Mrs. W. A. McKeighan left Thursday for a visit with friends at Endicott.

All kinds of repairs for the Champion binders and mowers can be had at W. B. Roby's feed store.

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The supreme court adjourned without giving a decision in the county judgeship case and Judge Duffy still remains on duty.

He eats heartily in the hottest weather who uses Prickly Ash Bitters. It keeps his stomach liver and bowels in perfect order. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

WHY do the ladies prefer the New Home sewing machine to all others? Because, with its double feed, it carries the work through without their having to guide it. For sale by F. V. Taylor.

The rear portion of the restaurant of Wm. Bense was discovered to be on fire last Sunday morning about 10 a. m. An alarm was turned in and the fire boys responded promptly and soon had the fire out. Before the firemen arrived the blaze was kept in check by a bucket brigade. The loss was small.

The Chief Calculating Pencil enables any one to figure faster than the brightest brain can without its aid. A twist of the wrist brings the result. Instructive, interesting and highly useful. From this date we will give one with each dollar paid on subscription.

Burk's Big Pavilion Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., with their excellent band and orchestra will make their first appearance here on July 5th, evening only. This is one of the largest and best companies organized, and aside from a well rendered production of the time honored drama, they give a select musical program consisting of overtures, selections and popular melodies, making an evening of mirth, music and melo-drama. Select open air band concerts at noon and 7:30 p. m. Admission, adults 25c, children 15c.

Mr. Geo. R. Boomer, late of the First Nebraska has been engaged by the republican central committee to open the campaign of 1900 in this county, with a lecture on the Philippines illustrated with 150 stereopticon views taken while there. He appears in Bladen July 2d, Rosemont July 3d, Cowles July 4th, Guide Rock July 5th, Inavale July 6th, and Red Cloud July 7th. Everybody should hear the question intelligently discussed by one who was there and knows whereof he speaks.

Obituary.

Annie B. Ringland was born in Sweden in 1859 and came to America in 1866. Both her parents died in 1867 at Allimakee county, Iowa. She went to Davenport, Iowa, in 1872 and there was married to Dr. Brown in 1877 and moved to Dakota in 1879. She was the mother of five children, three of whom survive her. She came to Nebraska in 1885 and was married to M. C. Judd in 1891. To this union one child was born August 3d, 1898, Olive Lawrence Judd, who is still living.

Mrs. Judd died Wednesday morning June 27th, and funeral services were conducted Thursday morning at ten o'clock at the home by Rev. G. W. Hummel. The body was laid to rest in the Red Cloud cemetery. The deceased is a sister of Mrs. J. W. Saladen and Mrs. Berg of this city. She was a member of the M. E. church of this place and had many admiring friends who deeply sympathize with the bereaved.

N. M. H.

ALMOST FORGOTTEN.

Incidents of Every Day Life Which Very Few People Stop to Think About on Account of Their Littleness.

Last Sunday's fire at the restaurant of Wm. Bense was a close call.—This should make many who are located in frame buildings think of the jeopardy they have to run when they have fine stocks of goods or fixtures.—A person who has several thousand dollars of an investment in fixtures and stock as in this case can well afford to pay an additional rent for a brick building rather than pay exorbitant rates for insurance with an additional risk.—In this instance the insurance rate is \$35 a thousand on stock and \$37.50 on building.—The rate on similar located brick buildings on the same side of the street is \$11 and \$12 a thousand.—On the east side of the street where there is practically nothing but frame buildings the rate is \$50 and \$50.—Now in order to be safe and to have the additional comfort and nice surroundings of a brick building it stands to reason that a much better rental can be obtained.—There is also the additional saving of fuel.—We cannot see why some of our moneyed men do not make an investment in brick buildings.—A number of one-story brick business houses, built on solid foundations so that a second story could be built on later would be a blessing to the town.—They would be occupied at once and would pay a good interest dividend that would be absolutely safe.—When once anything is started in Red Cloud it gets to be a fad.—The use of the buggy whip to right grievances has become a fad.—So far no pictures of irate women wielding buggy whips over the shoulders of the woman who monkeyed with the affections of her hubby have been pictured from here in the Police Gazette.—Three deals in buggy whips are said to have cut a central figure lately and the price of them ought now to advance rapidly.—Of course if the fad is to be kept up we will have to notify the Gazette and have them send an artist to fix the matter up right.—It is dangerous to be safe while such modes of warfare exist.—Next Wednesday is Fourth of July and the small boy will be happy.—And of course the small boy isn't the only one who is going in for a good time.—The young man and his best girl are making preparations to go away from home even if it is not more than a dozen miles and put in the day drinking lemonade, red pop and dancing.—Fourth of July is a day that shows life's other side.—You will see mixed in the mazy dance on this day the young man dancing with the young lady to whom he would not speak the next day and the young lady grasping the hand of the young man whose salutation on the morrow she would greet with a glance of withering contempt.—Of course you will see others of both sexes who act the lady or gentleman wherever or in what society they are thrown and treat each other kindly.—These are the chosen of God's creation.—And after all is said the high and the low, the rich and the poor come to the common point that six feet of earth make all men of one size.

Now that there is a good prospect for crops and all nature seems bent on the making of plenty, it seems to us would be a very opportune time for those in arrears to come in and pay their subscription. As we have said before it is not the large amount of each individual who is in arrears, but taken as a whole it amounts to a large sum. Take for instance the fact that of five hundred delinquents, fifty owe from two to three years, two hundred owe two years and the balance or two hundred and fifty owe one year. This collectively makes a large sum. Some people seem to think that they should receive a paper right along without paying a cent, but they don't stop to think that the publisher has to be eternally putting up the cash. When you read this article stop and think if you are one of the many and then do the right thing. We'll not become a bloated bond-holder but in turn we will pay what we owe.

by using one of Cotting's Hammocks. All prices from \$1.00 to \$4.00. If that don't cool you off try one of our cold ice cream sodas.

C. L. COTTING,
The Druggist.

Keep Cool

by using one of Cotting's Hammocks. All prices from \$1.00 to \$4.00. If that don't cool you off try one of our cold ice cream sodas.

C. L. COTTING,
The Druggist.



Seasonable Clothing.

We have just received a big shipment of

Children's & Boys' Wash Suits

and PANTS which we will sell at very low prices. These goods were bought at late season's prices and will be sold accordingly

Child's Wash Suits, 3 to 8 years
45c and 50c.

Boys' wash Suits, 9 to 14 years.
\$1.00 to \$1.25.



Knee Pants 20, 25, 35c

New shipment of young men's suits bought at a very low price to close out. Prices on these goods which are bargains.

Boy's and Children's

STRAW HATS

in endless varieties.

Prices 5c to 75c.

Cowden-Kaley Clothing Co.

Outfitters for Little Fellows.

The "Boxers" Cut and Slash

We are not "Boxers" but we cut and slash the prices of hardware.

Here are a Few of Our Prices:

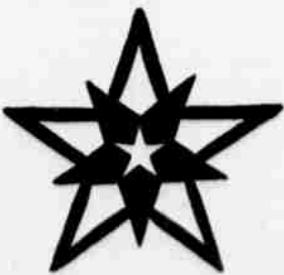
- 4 tine Manure Fork, - - - 50c
- Long Handled Shovel, - - - 90c
- Long Handled Spade, - - - 90c
- Galvanized Bushel Measure, - - - 65c
- Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, - - - 90c
- Genuine Baker Wire, - - - \$3.75
- Bloomer Patent Hog fence, per rod - 35c
- Eureka Post Hole Digger, - - - 70c
- Solid Steel Guaranteed Claw Hammer, - 40c
- 8-inch steel Monkey Wrench, - - - 30c
- 4 quart "Wonder" 5 minute freezer, - - \$2.35
- 14-quart cream can, no gauge, IX tin, - - 35c
- 14-quart cream can, with gauge, IX tin, - 45c

We make no leaders in prices but sell all goods on small margins.

Take advantage of it and save your money.

MORHART BROS. HARDWARE Co.

ANOTHER OF THOSE BIG SUNDAY DINNERS NEXT SUNDAY.



Star Bakery,
J. O. WILES, Prop.