

THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

REP. CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Notes in this Column cost a Line

Official Directory.

CONGRESSIONAL. W. T. Johnson, U.S. Senator, Lincoln, Neb.

EXECUTIVE. J. A. Tolson, Governor, Lincoln, Neb.

JUDICIARY. Geo. D. Lusk, Chief Justice, Lincoln, Neb.

WESTER COUNTY. J. A. Tolson, County Clerk, Lincoln, Neb.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRIPS. JUNIATA LEAVES Monday's Wednesday and Friday's 2 p.m.

HERVARD LEAVES Tuesday's and Friday's 6 p.m. arrives Tuesday's and Friday's 9 p.m.

FRANKLIN LEAVES Monday's and Thursday's 2 p.m. arrives Monday's and Thursday's 5 p.m.

DEARBORN LEAVES Thursday's 6 p.m. arrives Thursday's 9 p.m.

JEWELL LEAVES Friday's 12 m. arrives Friday's 3 p.m.

RIEDEL LEAVES Thursday's 12 m. arrives Thursday's 3 p.m.

ALL registered matter must be in the office before the mails leave.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Services every first and third Sabbath of each month at Red Cloud.

METHODIST CHURCH. Rev. Theo. McCreary, Pastor. Services every first Sabbath at 10 a.m.

SABATH SCHOOL every Sabbath morning at 11 a.m.

Parents meeting Sabbath and Thursday evenings. All hold at the school house just north of town.

News, 50 cents per gallon Garber & Co.

Tea, 50 cents per gallon Garber & Co.

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W. N. Richardson has a large supply of seed corn on hand, for \$1.25 per bushel.

NEW GOODS! A fresh stock of Dry Goods and Groceries will be sold at bottom prices at the Grange Store.

How is this for High? You can buy a good pair of kip boots for four dollars at the Grange Store.

Try some of that good Tea at the Grange Store.

PRINTS! The finest Prints in town can be had at the Grange Store.

If you want to get your Stationery cheap go to the Post Office.

Grange's, if you want good tea, coffee, sugar, and other groceries, call at the Grange Store, next door to the Post office.

Go to Smith & Calvert for Furnishings.

All kinds of Dry Goods in large supply and at reasonable rates at Garber & Co's.

Good warm felt and winter shawls and dress goods at G. & Co's.

A full stock of Boots and Shoes, for the fall trade at G. & Co's.

Grange's, if you want your Grange boots and shoes, call at the Grange Store. JOHN G. POTTER.

Matches, 5 cents per box at Garber's. Lamp chimneys, 3 or 25 cents at Garber's.

Three bars soap, 25 cents, Garber & Co. Soda 10 cents per pound, at Garber's.

GRANGE STORE. GOOD NEWS. GOOD NEWS. For the Farmers of Webster and Neighboring counties.

GRANGE STORE IN RED CLOUD. The store kept by John G. Potter having been appointed by the County Council.

GRANGE STORE. Patrons of Henderson will find it to their interest to trade here at the Grange Store.

Don't forget the place—Next door to the Post Office.

J. G. POTTER, Red Cloud.

A full assortment of ladies shoes, all the latest varieties at G. & Co's.

WANTED.—Every one to know that Beronzo & Co., are selling off their entire stock of Groceries, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, &c., at cost. This is no humbug.

Ladies, call at B. & Co's, and get a nice dress pattern for 50c. per yard.

Grange call and see if R. R. Sherwin, isn't selling Drugs and Paints, cheaper than any other house in the city, all others know it. Every thing warranted.

Dr. Thos. B. Williams wishes to say that all who are indebted to him must call and settle by Jan. 1st, either with the cash, or by giving a note.

Initial, Titled 197 grand envelopes at the Post Office. 2144

School crayons for 35c a box at the Post Office. 2144

If you want cheap reading go to the Post Office. 2144

To close out our stock we sell for each one.

Calico, 75c per yard. Best cloth, 85c. Boots warranted \$1.00. Mens shoes, \$1.00. Flannels best, 40c per yard. Extra sole leather, 60c. per lb. Sheepskin mitts, 90c.

We will rent our store with a good cellar for a very small consideration, to give a man a chance.

J. BERENZEN & CO. NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Webster Co., Neb., will meet on Monday April 10th, 1875 and continue in session three days, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments for the year 1875.

All who have complaints to enter will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly. By order of the Board.

J. A. TULLEYS, Clerk.

Notice For Annual School District Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of School District No. 2 of Webster County, Nebraska, for the Election of School District Officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at the School House in Red Cloud on Monday the fifth day of April 1875 at 2 o'clock p.m.

Dated this 16th day of March 1875. J. W. TULLEYS, Director.

Corn Planters. Two thousand pounds of seed corn, to close out, my stock of Agricultural implements.

M. B. McNEELY. Dr. Williams wishes to give notice that all accounts due previous to January last, will be put in the hands of a collector, if not paid April 1st.

T. B. WILLIAMS. WANTED, TEAMS. J. Q. Potter wants all the teams he can get, to work on repairing the mill-dam.

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READ THIS. The advertising rates for space in THE CHIEF for the year 1875, will be as follows:

One column per year - \$75.00 One-half column do 40.00 One-fourth column do 25.00 Business Cards, 8.00

do when inserted for short time, per month, 1.50 Local notices (third page) to regular advertisers, 5 cents per line for each insertion.

Transient notices, per line, 10 cts. Under the head of "Specials" set in solid Nonpareil, notices will be inserted for 25 cents an inch or less, for each insertion. This last form we wish to introduce to those who want to sell or buy stock, land, or for the general wants of the community.

Legal notices at Statute rates. Attorneys and officers of the law will be held responsible for the legal notices they hand in.

Lodges and other Associations, will be charged 5 cents per line for all notices not of interest to the general public.

Standing advertisements and local notices from regular advertisers payable at the end of each quarter.

Transient advertisements, and notices from strangers must be paid to advance.

These rates will be adhered to, except as regards filling contracts.

No person need ask any deduction or discount from the above rates on conditions.

All who would like to assist in organizing a Lodge of the Sons of Temperance will assist in the cause by meeting at the school house Friday evening April 10th.

There will be a singing school on Saturday night of this week, at the school house. Come out all who love vocal music.

At the Annual School Meeting of the Red Cloud District held Monday, W. E. Jackson was elected Treasurer of the District by a unanimous vote. The outgoing Treasurer, Dr. Head, presented a statement of the financial condition of the District which was examined and found correct.

Last Sabbath Alex. Rathbonds little boy was bitten by a rattlesnake that was concealed in the basement of their house. It is thought he will recover soon from the bite.

Ed Kellag had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last week.

The vote of Red Cloud precinct, on Tuesday was as follows: James Laird, 179, L. B. Thorne 169, M. V. Muly 1, J. C. Wilson 1, and two blanks.

The entire vote was 173, which is the largest ever polled in the precinct. The weather was unfavorable for a full turnout in the county.

Curtis Deal, of Batin gave us a friendly call this week, and from him we learn that matters in that section are about as usual. Those that can do so will put in considerable small grain.

Mr. Crouch has over eighty acres under the plow, and John Lavery will cultivate 100 acres, the most of which will be in small grains.

Chas. Lane, of Guide Rock, brought up the election returns of that precinct, and reports sixty votes cast, all for Laird and Thorne. Mr. Lane is one of the largest farmers in his township, having over one hundred acres under the plow. From Mr. Lane the Superintendent, we learn that the Guide Rock Union Sabbath School is in a flourishing condition, with an average attendance of over thirty.

WANTED. A boy 16 or 18 years old, to herd stock this season. J. C. HOLCOMB, 34-4f Walnut Creek, Webster Co., Neb.

Mrs. J. G. Potter and Miss Sarah Chapman called to-day. Call again ladies.

Early in the week James Laird, D. H. Freeman and C. R. Jones, all prominent citizens of Juniata made a flying visit to this place.

The Commissioners met on Tuesday and adjourned until the next day. It is the regular April meeting of the Board.

Last Sunday morning A. S. Neff and family started for California, in tending to make the entire journey with teams. Mr. Neff was one of the earliest settlers in Webster county.

More reports have been coming in concerning the devastation by late prairie fires. A large amount of damage was done in Harmony precinct but we have been unable to get the full particulars. On Willow Creek, we learn that Frank Borin lost hay and stable. Mr. Baily, hay, stable and many small articles. Mr. Lyberger, the same, and other losses not reported.

L. H. Haines, Robert Quiggle and Dr. Hawley, all of Oak Creek, called on Tuesday. From them we learn that the people of that township have got their crops in the ground, so far as they have been able to procure seed, and they kindly furnished the following items: There is a large and flourishing Sabbath school, held at the school house in Dist. No. 5, R. M. Jones, Supt. The regular attendance will average fifty or seventy persons. Daniel Mearns lost about sixty bushels of wheat by the prairie fires. Two Bohemian children were badly if not fatally burned by the fire near Fairfield. Mr. John Riley has over 100 acres under cultivation, of which 70 acres are already sown with small grain. Cattle have wintered well and are in good condition.

Juniata kept the County Seat by five votes.

James Laird, of Juniata, and L. B. Thorne, of Webster County are elected as delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

WANTED. To exchange a yoke of 3 year-old steers for a young mare or horse. J. C. HOLCOMB, 34-4f Walnut Creek, Webster Co., Neb.

The spring term of the Red Cloud School will open on Monday next, under charge of Prof. C. W. Kabby.

The section has been favored with a heavy rain, lasting two or three days. This will be a good thing for the seed already in the ground, as well as putting the soil in the best condition for corn planting.

MEETING OF THE P. E. OF THE COUNTY. Red Cloud, April 3, 1875.

Webster County Council of the P. E. met pursuant to adjournment, minutes of last meeting called for and reported not to be found, as the old Secretary is away East.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John D. Leach, President; G. W. Knight Vice President; O. R. Downes, Secretary; Casper Ross Door Keeper; J. D. Leach Purchasing Agent and Corresponding Secretary. J. D. Leach and O. R. Downes act as committee to correspond with the State and National Grange as to the best plan for a co-operative Store.

Resolved: That we as members of the County Council, P. E. of Webster county Neb., will use our best endeavors to punish according to law, any person or persons who are willfully or negligently guilty of setting out prairie fires, and we ask all Patrons to cooperate with us in this matter.

Resolved: That a copy of these Resolutions be presented to the CHIEF for publication. J. D. LEACH, President Co. Council. O. R. DOWNES, Secretary Webster Co. Council.

RED CLOUD GRANGE, No. 557. In answer to a letter in the CHIEF, signed by the County Committee, we would say concerning Mr. Kirkwood, that he is not an imposter, and his departure from this place was not sudden to the grange. At a regular grange meeting, held Jan. 7th, it was thought best by the lodge to send out a solicitor for the benefit of the grange, and was objected to by W. M., who said he thought they would get ample supplies from the State Grange, but after considering the matter a short time, Mr. Kirkwood was nominated and legally elected by a vote of the lodge to go out and solicit aid among the grangers for the benefit of this grange. His papers of record were made out and signed by the legal officers, and the grange seal put there upon. He also took some letters of introduction and recommends from individual friends that had relatives in the east. He did not start until immediately after our next regular meeting, which was in two weeks after his election. Since Mr. Kirkwood has been a granger among us he has proved to be a man of his word, and one in whom we could place confidence. It is strictly against the rules of the order for brothers or sisters to slander, or wrong each other in any way, and where such conduct can be proven against any member, they will be expelled from the order. We feel that that letter in the county paper was not only slander to one of our members, but was intended to injure our order, but hope we are mistaken in the latter—other grangers in the county took offense from it also. The grangers in the State as a body are united, and are working for the interests of its members, and by so doing are in hopes to promote the interests and welfare of our country, and we sincerely wish to be peaceful quiet citizens. Although our enemies might be double handed against us (we hope not), they cannot prevail, for we have many brothers and sisters in the east that are looking forward to our success, if they are not with us in person, they are in sentiment, and lend us a helping hand, to whom we render our sincere thanks for such kindness. It was moved and carried that this Grange adopt this letter and have it printed and signed by W. Master and W. Secretary. J. D. LEACH, P. HEAD, Master.

THE GENERAL WORK.—A list of the acts passed during the session and the closing scenes of the Forty-third Congress are all presented in the March number of THE REPUBLICAN magazine, published at the seat of the Federal Government. The failure of the first session of that Congress is attributed to the business crisis and the general distress prevailing throughout the country. The second session has been a more successful one in practical results. The cause of the failure of the soldier's bounty bill is shown, and the work of the session is critically reviewed. This number of THE REPUBLICAN contains some twenty articles on historical and current topics and prospective issues in the coming Presidential campaign. THE REPUBLICAN is a reliable, carefully written political monthly, issued at the very low price of \$2.00 a year, including postage, by the Republic Publishing Company, Washington, D. C.

FOR SALE. My personal property, consisting of cows, calves and yearlings, horses, one yearling colt, logs, two ton hay, wagon and harness, farming implements, one breaking plow, one stable plow, and one double shovel plow, one half interest in a new, cook stove, and lot of native lumber, four thousand pine shingles, and other articles to tedious to mention, all of the above will be sold cheap for cash. Also a farm for sale or rent, time will be given on the farm, if desired a deed can also be given. For further particulars apply to F. N. RICHARDSON, On Elm Creek four miles east of Red Cloud.

ESCRAY NOTICE. Taken up by the undersigned living on Sec. 9 T. 12, on the 25th day of April, 1875. One black mare about four years old, when taken up had a rag tied around its left hind foot—no other marks. THOS. VAUGHN, 34-34 Red Cloud, April 28th, 1875.

TAKE NOTICE. Guide Rock, Webster Co., Neb. March 25th, 1875. Sarah E. Dickson having left my bed and board without cause or provocation; all persons or persons are hereby forbidden or trading here on my account, for I will pay no debts of her contracting whatever. D. M. DICKERSON.

Ferry! Ferry!! New Ferry at Guide Rock. Good crossing at all times. WM. MONTGOMERY.

Teacher's Institute. There will be a Teachers Institute held in Red Cloud on Thursday and Friday, April 22nd and 23rd, 1875. All teachers and others interested in this and adjoining counties are urgently invited to attend. It is also desired that every teacher prepare a short address, essay, reading exercise, or declamation to be ready when called for. I shall endeavor to secure entertainment through the kindness of the citizens of Red Cloud for all that may attend. An examination will be held on Saturday following. H. S. KALEY, County Superintendent.

LEGAL NOTICE. In the District Court of the 1st Judicial District, State of Nebraska, in and for Webster County, Nebraska. Levi Moore, Plaintiff, vs. John Kneer, Defendant.

The above named defendant will take notice that on the 25th day of March 1875, the plaintiff Levi Moore did file his petition in the office of the Clerk of the District Court in and for Webster county, Neb., setting forth that on the 29th day of June 1874, the said defendant John Kneer, and I, the plaintiff Levi Moore, did execute and delivered his promissory note to plaintiff for the sum of \$388.48, due on or before Sept. 1st, 1874, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum. That as a consideration of said note plaintiff executed and delivered to you a certain title bond or lot 11 and 12, block 2, in the town of Red Cloud, Nebraska, conditioned that upon the payment of said note with interest, the said plaintiff would execute a deed of warranty for the same.

Said petition prays a judgment against you for the sum of \$388.48 with 10 per cent interest from June 29th, 1874, also a forced sale and cancellation of said bond and a sale of said property to satisfy said amount, interest and costs. You are also further notified that you are required to appear and answer said petition on or before the 3rd Monday after the 23rd day of April 1875.

H. S. KALEY, Atty for Plaintiff. 32-5 \$12.

LEGAL NOTICE. In the District Court of the 1st Judicial District, State of Nebraska, in and for Webster County, Nebraska. Patrick Barry, Plaintiff, vs. Michael Cook, Maria Cook, Solomon Brunswick, Hyman Brunswick, doing business under the name and style of S. Brunwick & Bro., defendants.

The above named defendants will take notice that the plaintiff in the above entitled action did on the 27th day of Feb. A. D. 1875, file his petition against you in the office of the Clerk of said District Court, setting forth that the defendant Michael Cook and Maria Cook gave a mortgage to plaintiff Patrick Barry on lots one and two, block 14, in the town of Red Cloud, in said county, to secure the payment of one hundred and fifty-five dollars and interest according to a certain note referred to in said mortgage. That the same Solomon Brunswick, Hyman Brunswick, doing business under the name and style of S. Brunwick & Bro., claim some interest in said premises, under and by virtue of a certain mortgage given to them by the said defendants Michael Cook, plaintiff ask judgment on said promissory note for \$135.00 with interest at 10 per cent. from the 20th day of Feb. 1874, and that said premises be sold to pay the same and the defendants are notified that they are required to appear and answer said petition on or before the 26th day of April, 1875.

H. S. KALEY, Atty for Plaintiff. 30 57 pf 15.

LEGAL NOTICE. In the District Court of the 1st Judicial District, State of Nebraska, within and for Webster county, Nebraska. Solomon Brunswick, Hyman Brunswick, doing business under the name and style of Brunswick & Bro's, vs. Michael Cook, Maria Cook, & Patrick Barry, Debtors.

The above named defendants will

take notice that the plaintiff in the above entitled action, did on the 11th day of March, 1875, file their petition against you in the office of the Clerk of the said District Court, setting forth that the defendant, Michael Cook, gave a mortgage to the defendants on lot one, block 14, in the town of Red Cloud, in said county, to secure the payment of one hundred and eighty dollars and seventy five cents (\$187.50) according to six several notes referred to in said mortgage. That the defendant, Maria Cook, has since become the wife of said Michael Cook, and as such claims some interest in said mortgaged premises. That the defendant Patrick Barry claims some interest in said mortgaged premises, under and by virtue of a certain mortgage given to him by the defendant Michael Cook and Maria Cook.

Plaintiff ask judgment for the sum of one hundred and three dollars and thirty-five cents (\$103.35), with interest from the 17th day of March, 1875; and that said mortgaged premises be sold to satisfy said notes and mortgage, and the said defendants are notified that they are required to appear and answer said petition on or before the 20th day of April, 1875.

H. S. KALEY, Atty for Plaintiff. 30-15 57 pf

LEGAL NOTICE. In the District Court of the 1st Judicial District in and for Webster Co., Nebraska. John T. Black, Plaintiff, vs. John G. Potter, Elizabeth Potter, Alfred E. Perry, James M. Blyden, and A. N. Schuster, Defendants.

Alfred E. Perry, A. N. Schuster, H. B. Kuehner, Isadore Weis, J. C. Ogden, S. T. Beck, and D. B. Harvey now residing defendants, will take notice that John T. Black of the county of Red Cloud, in the State of Nebraska, did on the 8th day of April 1875, file his petition in the District Court within and for the county of Webster, in the State of Nebraska, against the above named defendants, setting forth that the said John G. Potter and Elizabeth Potter, gave a mortgage to the said Alfred E. Perry on lot ten (10) in block twenty six (26) in the village of Red Cloud, Neb., and lots ten and eleven (10 & 11), in block one (1), in Richardson's addition to Red Cloud, all in said Webster county to secure the payment of the sum of three hundred (\$300) dollars, according to certain notes referred to in said mortgage, and also to secure himself against his liability on certain joint debts of the said John G. Potter, and Alfred E. Perry, assumed by John G. Potter, and that the said Alfred E. Perry assigned said mortgage to plaintiff, and that since the giving of said mortgage, the defendants composing the said firm of Schuster, Ketchum & Co., and J. C. Ogden & Co., claim to have acquired some interest in the premises so mortgaged, and praying that said John T. Potter may pay the sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars due plaintiff with interest from May 15th, 1874, or that said premises may be sold to pay the same. You and each of you are hereby notified to answer said petition on or before the third Monday after the 13th day of May, 1875.

JOHN T. BLACK, By WILLCOX & GILMAN, Attys for Plaintiff. 34-4-20

HAMPTON & RALSTON. Red Cloud. Having leased the Wagon and Blacksmith shop, lately occupied by Ira Steeper, are now prepared to do every thing in the line of

WAGON-MAKING AND BLACKSMITHING. WAGONS, BUGGIES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS. Repaired on short notice and in a Workman-like manner.

WAGONS AND BUGGIES MADE TO ORDER. HAMPTON & RALSTON. FITS CURED FREE!!

Any person suffering from the above disease is requested to address Dr. Price, and a trial bottle of medicine will be forwarded by Express. FREE!

The only cure being the Express charges, with owing to my large business, are small. Dr. Price has made the treatment of FITS OR EPILEPSY a study for years, and he will warrant a cure by the use of his remedy. Do not fail to send to him for a trial bottle if costs nothing, and he

WILL CURE YOU, no matter how long standing your case may be, or how many other remedies may have failed. Circulars and testimonials sent with FREE TRIAL BOTTLE. Be particular to give your Express, as well as your Post Office direction, and Address. DR. CHAS. T. PRICE, 67 William Street, New York.

CONSUMPTION CURED. To the Editor of the Cure. ESCRAYS Notice: Will you please inform your readers that I have a positive

CURE FOR CONSUMPTION and all disorders of the Throat and Lungs, and that by its use my patients have cured hundreds of cases, and will give

\$1,000.00 For a case it will no benefit. Indeed, so strong is my faith, with it as a complete cure, by any sufferer addressing me. Please show this letter to say you may know who is suffering from these diseases, and oblige.

Edithly Young, DR. F. F. BURY, 67 William St., New York.

VALLEY HOUSE.

J. C. WARNER, Prop.

It is always ready to attend to and make comfortable his patrons.

This Hotel is entirely new, having been fitted up for the express purpose of the traveling public.

STAGE LEAVES FOR THE RAILROAD ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND FRIDAY OF EACH WEEK AT 7 O'CLOCK A. M.

Claim to Have the BEST STABLE West of Lincoln.

Always keeping on hand a good supply of

HAY AND GRAIN.

Also a good conveyance for the purpose of conveying passengers from this place to any other at reasonable rates.

Red Cloud, Nebraska.

O. L. BATTLES & CO.

DEALERS IN SHELF and HEAVY HARDWARE.

AGENT FOR THE