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Will buy and sell Real Estate on Commission, and pay taxes for non-residents.

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RED CLOUD, NEB.

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Buy and sells Western Securities.

School Bonds a Specialty.

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Real Estate Dealers,

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Have constantly for sale a large quantity of Choice Land in Southern Nebraska. Also buy and sell on Commission and pay taxes for non-residents.

As a special inducement to the purchase of land, we will give the local and general landholders, and Secretary of the Interior.

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Is always ready to do work in his line at any time. Call on or address him at Wells P. O., Webster County, Nebraska.

La Glade House,

Red Cloud, Nebraska.

H. S. DILL, Proprietor.

Good Stable in Connection with the House.

This hotel has been refitted and refurnished throughout. Come in Men, Railroad Men and all parties visiting Red Cloud, will find comfortable accommodations at this hotel.

Red Cloud Mill's!

We are prepared to do custom work.

Flour Feed and Corn Meal for Sale.

Satisfaction guaranteed in quality of flour sold, and CUSTOM WORK. Farmers should be particular to secure the best of seed wheat.

Potter & Frisbie!

BARBER Shop.

BY A. B. HANNER,

at the Billiard Hall, Red Cloud.

Shaving, Shampooing and Hair-cutting in the highest style of the art.

City Meat Market.

JOHN BARBER.

Has just opened a Meat Market on Webster Street, next door south of Park's Shop. Sit up where he will keep and sell fresh meats of all kinds.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR BEEF CATTLE, HOGS, AND HIDES.

Red Cloud, - - - - - Neb.

GEORGE ZEISS,

DEALER IN

Wines & Liquors

CIGARS,

Chewing, Smoking, Tobacco

CANNED FRUITS

OF ALL KINDS,

AND

CONFECTIONERIES,

A Specialty.

Fresh Lager Beer from "Antelope" Brewery, constantly on hand.

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Office 34 door South of Court House.

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RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

Republican River

STAGE LINE.

T. T. WEBB, Proprietor.

Regular trips will be made between

JUNIATA and RED CLOUD.

I shall be pleased to carry passenger upon the days mentioned, leaving Red Cloud at 6 A. M. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leaving Juniata at 6 A. M., on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Fare reasonable.

Half Fare Rates

IN THE

Republican Valley.

H. B. HOLMES, Proprietor.

This Stage Line running from Bloomington to Guide Rock connects with the line from the north, also the one coming from the south.

Arrives at Red Cloud (from the west) Mondays and Thursdays, and returns Tuesdays and Fridays.

Good time; sober drivers and comfortable wagons.

HAMPTON & RALSTON.

Red Cloud.

Having leased the Wagon and Blacksmith shop, lately occupied by Ira Sleeper, am 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.

RED CLOUD, NEB.

NEW HARNESS SHOP.

Jno. H. Phillips, - Prop.

Has just opened a harness shop in this place, and solicits the patronage of the public. He will keep constantly on hand the best material the market affords.

Repairing done on a short notice and reasonable terms.

All Work Warranted and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop opposite the Elkhorn Hotel.

Riverton, Franklin County, Nebraska.

RIVERTON HOUSE.

W. C. THOMPSON, - Prop.

Will entertain his guests in the most gentleman-like manner, with as good fare as the market affords.

To the traveling public we would say give him a call.

RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

M. O'SULLIVAN,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

NOTARY PUBLIC AND REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Riverton Franklin County Nebraska.

Claims for sale-and tailoring done in the latest style.

WELL AUGER!

Having obtained the agency for the State of Nebraska for

OWENS CELEBRATED WELL BORING MACHINERY.

And provided ourselves with first-class machinery for making Wells, we take this method of soliciting orders from all who seek water supply.

We are prepared to sink wells with the utmost speed, and in a satisfactory manner.

Grain and other staples taken in exchange for work.

Being the duly authorized agents for this State, we offer County, Township, and individual rights for sale.

SPLendid BUSINESS FOR A SMALL CAPITAL.

\$25 a Day Guaranteed using

this Well Auger.

OWEN & MONTGOMERY.

Guide Rock, - - - - - Neb.

THE RED CLOUD CHIEF

RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Notices in this Column 10 Cents a Line

Arrival and Departure of Mail from the Red Cloud P. O.

JUNIATA Leaves Monday's Wednesday's and Friday 7 a. m. Mail closed 9 p. m. Arrives Tuesday Thursday and Saturday 7 p. m.

HARVARD Leaves Tuesday's and Friday's 6 p. m. arrives Tuesday's and Friday's 9 p. m. Mail closed 5 p. m.

FRANKLIN, going east, Monday's and Thursday's 2 p. m. Going west Tuesday's and Friday's 10 a. m.

PLEASANT HILL leaves Thursdays 6 a. m. Arrives Wednesday's 4 p. m. Mail closed 9 p. m.

JEWELL, Kansas, arrives Friday's 12 m. Leaves Friday 1 p. m.

RUSSEL, Kansas, arrives Thursday's 12 a. m. Leaves Thursday 1 p. m. Office open from 4 until 6 p. m. Sundays.

All registered matter must be in the evening before the mails leave.

M. B. McNeill, P. M.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Services every first and third Sabbath of each month at Red Cloud and Inavale. 7 o'clock p. m. at Inavale. Every second and fourth Sabbath at Batin and Harmony Precincts. REV. A. MAXWELL, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH—REV. THOS. MULLOW, Pastor. Services every fourth Sabbath at 7 p. m.

SABBATH SCHOOL every Sabbath morning at 10 a. m.

J. Q. POTTER, Supt.

Prayer meeting Sabbath and Thursday evenings. All held at the school house just north of town.

NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Bloomington, Neb., September 24th 1875.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Thomas W. Wilby against Lucinda Bailey for abandoning her homestead entry, No. 2278, dated May 18th, 1874, upon the north-west quarter section 24, township four (4), range 12 west, in Webster county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 15th day of November, 1875, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

C. B. WALKER, Register.

7-4t EVAN WORTHING, Receiver.

NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Bloomington, Neb., October 9th, 1875.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Joseph Wencinger against John D. Moore for abandoning his timber culture entry, No. 538, dated May 23d, 1874, upon the north-east quarter, section 34, township four (4), range nine (9) west, in Webster county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 22d day of November 1875, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

C. H. WALKER, Register.

10-4 EVAN WORTHING, Receiver.

NOTICE.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of Webster County Nebraska, for furnishing twelve cords of dry wood, said wood to be full length of four feet and to be delivered on or before November 15th 1875. Proposals received up to October 29th.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

J. A. Tulleys, Clerk.

Red Cloud Oct. 6th. 1875. 9-3t

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Webster County Nebraska will on the 29th day of October 1875 at 10 o'clock A. M. receive proposals for the construction of a bridge across Elm Creek on the Juniata Road. Specifications will be given on said day before receiving bids.

By order of the Board.

J. A. Tulleys, Clerk.

Red Cloud Oct. 6th. 1875.

From the State Journal, Lincoln Market.

LINCOLN, Oct. 14th 1875.

The following are the quotations on the street to-day:

Wheat, active at 55@80 cents.

Corn, inactive and unsettled; prices weak and almost nominal at 25 cents, almost none in the market.

Oats, dull and heavy, 20@25; quality poor and demand light.

Barley, inactive and lower; No. 2, 50@55; offerings small; No. 3, and rejected at 45@50, and poor demand.

Rye, no offerings and prices nominal.

Potatoes, dull and heavy; 10@12.

Beef cattle, per cow, 24@30.

Hogs, per cwt., 4@44.

Sheep, per head, 2 50@30.

Turnips, per bu., 10@20.

Chickens, spring, per doz., 3@4.

Butter, 15@20.

Eggs, dull and lower; 10@12.

Hides, green salt, 6@8; green salt, 6@8; green salt, 6@8.

Wool, per ton, 3 00@3 50.

Large and no demand.

—This weather is delightful.

—Crocket is on the decline in this place.

—Notice the ad. of J. D. Woods of Riverton.

—Maple Sugar only 20 cents per pound at Mrs. Lutz.

—Go to the new Photograph Gallery to get your pictures taken.

—We will soon be able to furnish the Ladies with elegant visiting cards.

—W. N. Richardson bought 50 head of fat cattle from some parties up the river last Tuesday.

—We have not seen any thing of that wood some of our friends thought of bringing us.

—Fuller & Wiant of Riverton, keep the largest and best stock of Boots in the Valley. Go and see them. 6 2t

—A larger crop of corn will be gathered in this county this fall than has been gathered any two previous years.

—WANTED.—Spring calves for which I will pay the highest cash price at Red Cloud.

Peter McNeill.

—We noticed a nice new sign in front of L. Baum's new Store, painted by Rufus Misch. Rufus did a very good job.

—As watermelon season is about over next week we will give a list of all that was brought in and their different weights.

—The Picture Gallery is now in full running order. The proprietor is now prepared to do work in his line with neatness and dispatch.

—The family of W. H. Ludlow arrived from Iowa last Saturday where they have been for the last year. They are pleased to get back to their old home.

—Election passed off pleasantly although quite lively. No one was hurt and altogether it was more like an election than any we have seen here before.

—For pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Lamps, Stationery, Glass, Putty, Dyes and all appliances belonging to the drug trade, call at Dr. Razez's Drug Store in Riverton, east side of creek.

—Just see how easy it is to pay for your paper. If you haven't the money you can pay for it with any of the following articles.

Wheat, Oats, Barley, Corn, Rye, Buckwheat, Flour, Meal, Potatoes, Cabbage, Squash, Barley, Beans, Pumpkins, Wood, Pork, Beef, Chickens, Butter, Eggs. And we were never yet known to refuse money.

—It is claimed that D. S. Helvern raised more grain from the same amount of ground than any other man in the county. From 73 acres he raised 265 bush. Wheat, 260 bush. Barley, 351 bush. Oats and 70 bush. flax. Total 926. Who can beat that?

—"It's nice to see Father," is an old song, but we heard it revived the other morning by S. V. Ludlow, who thinks it rather new. It's a girl this time and weighs 71 pounds. We took a cigar to the health of the youngster.

—Baton-holing was all the go last Tuesday. Everybody was nearly talked to death by the different lobbyists who were as thick as g. hoppers ever get. After the votes were counted which was about 12 p. m., the boys got on a "high," and it took some of our merchants some time before they could proceed to business the next morning, in clearing away the boxes before their doors.

—One man in Webster county received one vote for Supreme Judge, one for Regent of the State University and four for Coroner. We suppose he wanted some office and thought he might secure one if he ran for enough of them.

—The annual meeting of the Webster County Congregational Church will be held at Red Cloud, October 16 and 17, beginning on Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m. General invitation is most cordially given to christians of all denominations and also to the public, to attend. Rev. H. N. Gates, of Omaha, Sup't of the Congregational Churches of Nebraska, will be present.

A. MAXWELL, Pastor.

—Tomorrow the mail line running from this place to Juniata will be changed to Hastings. This will be quite an advantage to us in many respects, for we will receive our mail from St. Joe one or two days sooner than heretofore. It will increase the travel to our place, and enable us to get all our light freights and express such as are brought here by the stage as reduced figures. Altogether the change will be beneficial to the town and county in general.

—The immigrants are coming into this and other counties along the river in a way that is pleasing to the settlers. Four families located in Stillwater precinct last week and some four or five in this, but still they come and yet their rooms.

—WANTED.

Twenty-five head of fat Cattle within the next ten days, for which the highest cash price will be paid.

W. N. Richardson, Red Cloud Neb.

WELLS! WELLS!

All wells with hand will do well to call upon W. W. HARVEY, Inavale, Webster Co., Neb.

Good wells taken if desired.

Webster County Confessed.

Webster Co., Neb., lies in the Valley of the Republican, is 150 miles west of the Missouri River and together with the State on the South. Winters are cold and dry, very little rain or snow falls in that season so little in fact that cattle live all winter with no hay or grain. Plenty of rain falls in the spring and summer. The summers are not disagreeably warm, as there is always a cool breeze especially in the evenings. The county first began to settle in 1875. In 1877 the county was organized with a population of 45. Its population is now between 2000 and 3000 and is rapidly increasing. There are at present 18 organized school districts within its boundaries and school facilities are therefore ample—better than those in some Eastern States. The apportionable school fund furnishes nearly enough money to pay teachers' wages. Farmers can buy R. R. land from \$1.50 to \$6.00 per acre—with ten years time. There is not a considerable amount of government lands for homestead, and pre-emption. As a stock raising country it is hard to excel. Cattle do well, and for sheep it cannot be beaten. It is just suited to that. Fortunes can be easily made by raising sheep as the expense of feeding is very small. That corn, oats, barley, potatoes, buck wheat, and all kinds of roots and vegetables, are grown here with little labor. 35 bushels of sod corn to the acre is nothing new. Wheat averages about 25 bushels to the acre. Fruit does extremely well. Every farmer has his orchard growing. Forest trees are rapid, Cottonwood, boxelder, whitewood, soft maple, and many other kinds of trees grow into timber large enough for fuel in about three years. (Large orange plants do nicely, and in a few years your live fences can be made. Mychambers and equipment are sold cheap. The very best and purest water is obtained by going from 5 to 100 feet. The cost is very small when the well is bored—These wells never go dry. The streams of this county are the Republican and its tributaries, which are as follows: on the south side of the river, Walnut, Dry, Buffalo, State, Poney, Cedar, Hicks, Ash, and Guide Rock creeks. On the north side are Willow, Elm, Cottonwood, Crooked, Indian, and Farmers creeks. In the north part of the county is the Blue River and its tributaries.

The soil of Webster county is a dark, rich vegetable loam. The wild grasses are nutritious and abundant, and make most excellent hay. Timothy, clover, Hungarian and millet will undoubtedly prove a profitable production. Those who have tried them so decide at least.

Our railroad prospects are good, and we will have a road as soon as we really need one. But the farmers for years will find ready sale for surplus productions in the newer counties west and to new settlers. By the time these markets are closed roads for cheaper transportation must will be opened.

Our climate is healthy, the air pure and bracing, and sickness of any kind is almost a stranger to the people here.

The county seat, RED CLOUD on the Republican River, near the corner east and west and a little south of the center north and south. In it are chances for business men of every branch of trade. The country around is such as to warrant a good business in every kind of merchandise. Red Cloud and Guide Rock are the only two laid out towns. For further information can be obtained from any land agent who advertises in this paper, or at this office.

Notice to Teachers.

Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to enter themselves as candidates for teachers of the primary or common schools of the county, at my office in Red Cloud, on the first Saturday of August, November, February and May.