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Everything warranted to be as represented.  
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Corn, Meal, Bran, Chopped Feed and  
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Visit the Red Cloud Grocery, Feed and Provision store which you can't see for nothing.  
Highest market prices in cash paid for grain. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods. Goods delivered to all parts of town free of charge.

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(Successor to G. A. Brown.)  
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—BY—  
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Keeps constantly on hand a full line of HARNES, COLLARS, SADDLES, HORSE-BLANKETS, WHIPS, COMBS, BRUSHES, HARNESS OIL.

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THE BEST IS IN THE MARKET  
held at lowest prices

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**THE CHIEF.**  
LOCAL MATTERS.  
R. V. E. R. Time Table.  
Taking effect Sunday, Oct. 17, 1880.

Eastward Passenger leaves	6:30 a. m.
Freight arrives	7:30 p. m.
Westward Passenger leaves	8:30 a. m.
Freight arrives	5:30 p. m.

**EASTERN DIVISION.**  
Eastward Accom. leaves 6:30 a. m.  
Westward Accom. arrives 5:30 p. m.

Trains daily except Sunday.  
O. W. HOLMES, Superintendent.  
A. E. TOUZALIN, Gen'l. Manager.

Miner Bros. sell Superior flour.  
A. S. Marsh sells Red Cloud Mills patent flour.  
A valuable lot and business house for sale. Address this office.  
Judson, with a little "j" craves notoriety at the hands of the newspapers. Commissioner Stevenson, backed up by May, has already saved the county \$700.  
E. C. Farney, traveling man of the Omaha Herald, called last Thursday.

Now we know who are the men of "consequence" (?) in this humble hamlet.  
Rev. C. S. Harrison is expected to continue his labors next week, preaching every evening.  
The W. C. T. U. will meet at the house of Mrs. E. H. Jones on Friday February 4th at 3 o'clock.  
Besley & Perkins sell the Eclipse Wind Mill, the only perfect and complete one made. Call and see them.  
The county Board under the new regime says, no more stealing if you please, if we can help it, and we think we can.

You can get estimates for all kinds of Pump and Wind Mill work, of Besley & Perkins. They do their work first class.  
Commissioner Stevenson deserves the thanks of every tax payer in the county for what he has already done in their behalf.  
Just received at Roby's—Silver Thread Sausages, New Boston Fresh Shell Bark Hickory Nuts, Black Walnuts, 50 pairs of lard, and Boss syrup in kegs.  
The Dedication Services of the Congregational church are set for Sabbath, Feb. 6th, Chancelor Fairfield of Lincoln will preach morning and evening of that day.

Don't ruin yourself and make yourself disagreeable to other people by your continual coughing. A 25 cent or 50 cent bottle of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup will cure you.  
Mr. D. G. Harvey started yesterday for Brigham City, Arizona, having obtained a position with the R. R. surveying corps at that place. He expects to be absent two years.  
We have a few remarks to make in the near future in regard to a little \$700 account which commissioners Stevenson and May "sat down on" at the last meeting of the Board.  
We can recommend our orders to use Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup in all cases of cough, cold, etc. It only costs 25 cents and 50 cents a bottle, and is warranted to cure. Sold by all druggists.  
Mr. R. A. Simpson, Land and loan agent, at Blue Hill, called at this office last Tuesday and will be supplied with stationery. Mr. Simpson has recently been appointed Notary Public.

Besley & Perkins are selling door loads of the Golden Barb Wire. Better call and see them, and place your orders for what you will want this spring. It will be higher by April first.  
Read the notice to owners of bored wells in another column. We've been waiting for some reliable information before making comments, but will have something to say next week about it anyway.  
Owing to the snow drifts the trains have not run very regularly for the last few weeks. Parties going west have been compelled in a number of instances to lay over here for several days, snow bound.

We have received a copy of the Nebraska Tree and Fruit grower, by C. S. Harrison of York, Neb., price 25 cents. It is really a valuable little work, containing much valuable information in regard to tree culture in Nebraska, and is profusely illustrated.  
We have received with the compliments of J. F. Zedler, assistant clerk of the house of representatives, a neat little book called the Nebraska Manual for 1881. It contains the constitution of the State of Nebraska, a list of all the county officers in the State and much other information that makes it valuable as a book of reference. Thanks.  
The following complimentary notice of our representative in the legislature we clip from the Alma Herald:  
JUDGE KALEY, representative from Webster county, is making himself heard upon all questions which interest the people in the present legislature. He is fearless and outspoken and may be ranked as the leading man of the lower house.

We have had occasion heretofore to speak of the immense popularity of the Commercial Hotel, under the able management of its present popular landlord, Mr. Holleran, who formerly kept the Central House in Orleans. The business of the Commercial has steadily increased since its present proprietor took charge, until he finds it impossible to accommodate all who come. Mr. Holleran contemplates building a large hotel in the spring, which plan we hope he will carry out, as, with the increasing business and rapid growth of Red Cloud the present hotel accommodations will soon be insufficient.

We are in receipt of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company's "Red Rock" which was evidently gotten up at a considerable cost of time and labor. It contains a complete tabular statement of last fall's election returns, and is valuable as a book of reference. It is, in fact, a complete political text book. Send stamp to C. K. Lord, General Passenger Agt. Baltimore Md. and receive a copy of the book by return mail.  
ED. CHIEF.—The Argus gives Hon. Kaley the following hard hit. "Mr. Kaley has for some years been a member of the Normal School Board, an done of its most useful members, too. He has therefore a better opportunity of judging of the utter worthlessness of the Institution at Peru." I have a better opinion of Judge Kaley, and the institution of whose board he is the "most useful member." Editors, and all other citizens, in the matter of education, should rise above sectional preference, and foster that which is for the general good.  
J. MAKINSON.

An exchange utters the simple truth which every experienced editor will recognize as such, when it says: "Our experience as an editor and publisher for several years has taught us that no matter how many good things you say about people and the enterprise in which they are interested, you seldom hear from them words of approval; but if perchance, something should get in they do not like, you will be sure to have a storm of abuse that will forcibly remind you of an approaching 'tornado.'" In our earliest editorial days we were quite sensitive to ill founded blame. But we've grown out of that now, and in fact rather like it. We don't shun being fact faced with and say to one and all who get mad at us for nothing, (for we would not intentionally injure any) just get mad as often as you like—stay mad as long as you like—it is all the same to us. If however you should prefer (having as you think just cause of complaint against us) to come to us in a manly or womanly way, and say so, we will make amends, if to blame, just as sure as the sun shines or grass grows. But for the grim dumps we won't waver a hair. We weren't made to please everybody and have long since learned the fallacy of trying to do so.

**MARRIED—ROVER—DAVIE**—At the Commercial Hotel parlors, on Sunday evening Jan. 23d, by Judge Wilcox, Mr. Geo. A. Rover to Miss Hattie Davie, all of Red Cloud, Nebraska.  
On Sunday evening a few invited guests assembled in the parlor of the Commercial to witness the ceremony which was performed by Judge Wilcox in his usual "short and sweet" style. After the ceremony and congratulations were over the bride and groom and guests were ushered into the dining room where a sumptuous repast prepared by skilled hands awaited them, and which was enjoyed by all present. Mr. Holleran the popular landlord of the commercial and his estimable lady did everything to make the occasion an enjoyable one, which, assisted by their fair daughter, Minnie, who entertained the company with some very fine selections well rendered on the piano, they were eminently successful in doing.  
Mr. Rover is a young man for whom his acquaintances have great respect. He is one of the most popular conductors on the B. & M. R. road, and though temporarily off duty it is his intention to resume his position at an early date, and with his blooming bride, settle down to the enjoyment of matrimonial life and make Red Cloud his permanent home. The CHIEF, in common with a host of other friends wishes the happy and worthy couple a pleasant and a prosperous voyage down the stream of life and a happy admittance to the pearly gates beyond.

There is an effort on the part of a few enemies of Mr. Kaley to create an ill feeling against him here at home, by misconstruing his actions in the late Senatorial contest. They say that he proved traitor to his principal supporters—to those who were foremost in giving him a seat in the legislature—that he never would have been elected to represent the county, but for having pledged himself to support Paddock, all this is false. Kaley, prior to his nomination and election and afterward, never led any one to suppose he was a Paddock man. One of the main causes of his election was that, instead of being Paddock, he was anti-Paddock. And according to the wishes of a majority of his constituency, his efforts, from the beginning to the end, has been in behalf of Weaver. As to these self-named principal supporters, they were his supporters only after his election was assured, and then they were from a belief that in the end Mr. Kaley might, caused by a felling of obligation, support Paddock. But no, not for a moment did he forget the interests of his county. Thus far Kaley's actions have been entirely honorable, and in accordance with the demand of a majority of those whom he represents.

Prof. Tice's Almanac for 1881 is out. Besides the usual Almanac matter, it contains the Forecasts of the Weather, their wonderful Verifications in 1880; how to guard against deep wells, mines &c, how to bake and roast. Cause of blighted Fruit trees, and much other valuable matter. Altogether the present, surpasses any former issue in practical information.  
For sample copy and terms to the trade, send 20 cents to THOMPSON TICE & LILLINGSTON, Publishers, 520 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo.

**Two Hundred Dollars Reward.**  
The above reward will be paid for the discovery and capture of the party, or parties who robbed the safe of the Bloomington office of the B. & M. R. R. Co., on the night of January 24th, 1881.  
A. E. TOUZALIN, Gen'l. Manager, B. & M. R. R.

**SEED WHEAT.**  
All farmers tributary to Red Cloud are requested to meet at the court house in Red Cloud on Tuesday, Feb. 1st, at 2 P. M., to make arrangements to secure seed wheat. All farmers who contemplate sowing wheat are requested to come with an estimate of the amount of seed they will require.

**IMPORTANT PATENT DECISION.**  
The Rotary-Drop Corn Planter patent, brought in the United States Court by Geo. W. Brown, against Beece, Mansur & Co. for infringement, has recently been decided in Mr. Brown's favor. The result of this suit is very important to all parties manufacturing, selling and using rotary-drop corn planters, as it makes each party, having no authority from Mr. Brown, liable for damages.  
Sprangle & Funk are the agents for The Brown planter in this County.

The sweeping tide of prosperity is shown by the immense increase of business in the Patent Office. General Land Office, Pension Office, and other Departments of the Government. Patent cases, Pension claims, Certified Land entries, or other business placed in the hands of Preshey & Greene, Attorneys, 529 7th st., Washington D. C., will have immediate attention.  
Enclose stamp for information.

**COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.**  
January 11, 1881.  
Board met in regular session. All present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.  
The following official bonds were approved:  
John E. Wilcox, County Judge.  
J. O. Burgess, J. P. Postland precinct.  
Judson Forsyth, Greenwood, " "  
E. S. Reed, " Elm Creek, " "  
J. W. Jones, " Walnut Creek, " "  
E. A. Young, " " " " " "  
A. A. King, " Oak creek, " "  
N. Hengen, " Postland, " "  
I. D. Crosby, " Harmony, " "  
R. M. Jones, Assessor, Oak creek, " "  
O. B. Downs, " Walnut creek, " "  
E. B. Smith, " Red Cloud, " "  
John May, " " " " " "  
Jacob B. Potter, " Stillwater, " "  
I. T. Irwin, " Blain, " "  
Isaac Fish, " Glanwood, " "  
O. C. Harvey, " Invalle, " "  
A. C. Olmstead, O. of H. R. D. No. 4, " " " " " "  
Alceus Riley, " " " " " "  
John McCoy, " " " " " "  
John Sogerson, " " " " " "  
S. Croton, " " " " " "  
W. E. Thorne, " " " " " "  
Perry Norris, " " " " " "  
I. Heinman, " " " " " "  
C. Johnson, " " " " " "  
J. W. Jones, " " " " " "

Road District No. 27 was formed from the west half of R. D. No. 5, and John Simpson appointed overseer.  
The following accounts allowed:  
Omaha Herald Co., poll books, \$ 9 00  
State Journal Co., blanks, " 7 52  
J. H. Cline, guarding and boarding insane woman, " 8 00  
Frank R. Gunn, canvassing election returns, " 1 70  
S. N. Smith, Justice fees (criminal case), " 2 00  
State Journal Co., books and blanks, " 65 83  
J. R. Wilcox, fees in criminal case, " 4 10  
Resignation of J. Q. Robinson, Constable, Stillwater precinct, presented and accepted.  
Sixty names were selected from which to draw Jurors for March term District court.  
Adjourned to Jan. 18, 1881 at 9 a. m.  
A. H. CRARY, ch'n.  
J. A. TULLY'S, clerk.

Jan. 12, 1881.  
Board met pursuant to adjournment. All present.  
The following accounts were allowed:  
J. A. Tully's, salary, express- age, &c., " \$114 30  
Smith Bros. & Thompson, money paid R. E. fare for pauper, 12 30  
J. R. Wilcox, cash paid for fixing safe &c., " 2 75  
J. W. Warren, Sheriff's fees, " 8 00  
L. H. Pace, com's fees, " 19 50  
A. A. Lopez, postage and expressage " 7 21  
Isaac May, com's fees " 18 20  
A. A. Pope, Co. Supt's fees, 246 00  
Accounts of A. Kaley and E. C. Hawley, overseers of the poor Red Cloud precinct, for \$97.42 and \$10.00 respectively were presented and approved.  
Account of Dr. E. A. Hall, \$6.00, was rejected.  
The following estimate was made of expenses for ensuing year:  
General fund, " " \$12 000  
Sinking fund, " " 4 000  
Road fund, " " 6 000  
Ponding bond fund, " " 6 000  
R. R. bond fund, " " 6 000  
Adjourned to Monday, April 11, 1881, at 10 o'clock a. m.  
A. H. CRARY, ch'n.  
J. A. TULLY'S, clerk.

We have received from a physician at present living in Boston Mass., an advertisement for a wife, which we cannot afford to publish. We, however, publish for the benefit of our lady readers the following extracts from his letter to us which the ladies can see, together with the advertisement, by calling at our office.  
Mr. Editor:  
Of course you will readily see that I cannot afford to pay for the enclosed as an advertisement, on the small chance of finding the wife that I want through the medium of your paper. If, however, having confidence in yourself or being willing to view it as an article of public interest to your unmarried Lady Readers you should give it publication, and if thereby I obtain the wife I faithfully promise to become a life subscriber to your valuable paper, and to see that each residing baby shall do likewise.  
Though I have already given nearly a year to this search and that without success, and that I have been told that I should in the end have only my labor for my pains, still I cannot doubt the soundness of my plan, and before abandoning it I have decided on giving it one more decided and final trial.  
The main impediment to its success is the impossibility of satisfying readers of the honesty of my purpose; and it is to be regretted that at this stage I can furnish no better guarantee than my assurance, which I here give with all solemnity that can attach to the word of a stranger, that I am entirely honest in word and intent.  
Men act with motives. Proceeding as I do, what motive could I possibly have beyond that stated? I could only be suspected of seeking a mistress. But a person would have to know little of this world to believe that a man would be called on to make all this rumus "just for a little thing like that." No sir, I seek exactly what I claim, i. e., a lady, and a description that will satisfy my judgement and that will warrant me in "trying to her" for life.  
Should you have but a poor opinion of my plan, or should these inducements fail to attract you in a business way, you can yet confer a favor by passing the circular to some kindly disposed acquaintance, or to a man of matured abilities; while you may, at the same time feel sure that you have given aid in a worthy cause.  
It will be necessary to say more to convince you that a person would honestly believe in advertising, even to the extent of seeking a wife thereby? Marriage is the most important event in life, and instead of giggling over it, it is rather a matter of fact, or becomes a fact in the way with which we would stand before our fate.  
Wives and husbands are so easily obtained, perhaps, that the happiness of marriage is never felt but the happiness of my search, [more properly defined one of the middle forms of unhappiness.]—the happiness that man is justified in expecting, is unfortunately rare; and the one event in his life that has most agency in making or marring it is his marriage; and, arguing from result to cause and thence to the means, it is the latter that we entirely in the selection of our mates; and it directly follows these considerations that the search for a suitable wife is worthy of the greatest effort man can make.  
I come here from my western home expressly to take a wife. She must be more than simply a woman—much more. She must be of a degree of excellence and freedom from eccentricities, and she must be of a certain age, in the middle-aged of the gender sex. She is absolutely one in one hundred thousand. [No one who cannot point her out, has a right to doubt it.] This statement is not meant to be a statement of rareness, but it is a statement of how rare such a woman is until he attempts to find her.]  
I have no such large circle of acquaintances; and I see at once that I had either to sit at street or at assembly, who appears to meet my requirements, it will take me a week or so to follow her home, find out who she is, get introduced to her, [I have even done this,] and there to discover that she is married, or that she is a widow with children, or that she has false teeth, or bad breath, or [to say nothing of possible] that she is not the woman who I have my definite idea of which my wife must be free. Nor is this even all. Let your imagination run riot, just for a moment. [I will be answerable for the consequences.] I will use that, and in the case of a wooden leg, humanity is given to many defects which are hidden from the most careful scrutiny of our associates, and these are the cases which occur to me for the orthodox methods, becomes enlightened only after compromising himself to a degree that I wish to avoid.  
For these reasons my plan is sound and it is particularly in view of the fact that I can afford only four months in which to find, woo, win, and marry a wife, and make a wedding tour, and return to my business.  
By actual only with parties on whose behalf I am first assured that they meet my requirements as far as I have stated them. By your kind assistance I expect to find this person in a matter of days, and, following this principle out, I hope in the shortest possible time to obtain findings, from Nova Scotia to California, of a few ladies to whom I shall immediately endeavor to make myself known and among whom I hope to find my wife.  
Yes, my dear sir my plan is good and I trust you will kindly finally fill a bachelor's grave; and my patient right therein I could be induced to waive only for the personal use of a gentleman for whom, as yourself with your permission, I have the very highest regard.  
Yours truly yours,  
W. HARVEY, M. D.

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Coffee 3 to 2 lbs. for 1.00  
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Notice is hereby given to all persons having bored wells, to call on W. W. Hoyer, at Judge Wilcox's old office, first door north of the Chief office, and settle for the right to use the same. The undersigned is the patentee of the well auger and extensible rod, and no other person has the right to use them. All persons using bored wells will be required to pay \$3 in cash or give a note for \$3 due in six months from date, to draw interest at the rate of ten per cent.  
Owners of well augers are also notified to call at the same place to make arrangements for the future use of the same. Red Cloud Jan. 18, '81.  
NATHANIEL C. CLARK, patentee.

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Owners of well augers are also notified to call at the same place to make arrangements for the future use of the same. Red Cloud Jan. 18, '81.  
NATHANIEL C. CLARK, patentee.

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