



SATURDAY.

Supervisor Berg is on the sick list. W. W. Gilbert was in Blomington yesterday.

Rev. Williams went to Superior this morning.

Miss Eva J. King returned to Red Cloud this morning.

For four days the fog has held sway in this locality.

Walter Jones has returned from the east after a few weeks pleasant recreation among the Pennsylvania hills.

A new dynamo will be put in soon by the Electric Light Company. The present one is furnishing "lightning" for 42 lamps, and as the demand is becoming greater for lights, the company find it necessary to put in more power.

Connor & Lockhart, who have been running the feed stable in the rear of J. L. Miller's harness store have left for a more congenial clime as they state in a letter, for reasons best known to themselves. Miller & Dennison are in possession of the barn. Uncle John Tomlinson manager G. W. Knight p. m. of Inavale, was in the city today.

J. J. Nye has returned from an extended visit in Indiana.

We stop this great metropolitan daily to note the fact that Chairman Hummel, of the county dads, is also dad of a new girl which he has decided to take in. George tried to declare it out of the general order, but on motion it was duly adopted.

The wife of Mart Pupkey, an old pioneer of Webster county, and formerly a partner of John Berenzen in the general merchandise business in this city had the misfortune of losing his wife by death at her home in California a few days since. Mrs. Pupkey is a sister of Anthony Arsenon of Inavale.

Fertilizing To Agriculture.

The executive board of the Webster County Agricultural Society met in J. S. Gillham's office Saturday afternoon and transacted the following business.

On motion Geo. J. Warren was elected to fill vacancy on the board.

On motion the annual fair was set for September 25 to 28 inclusive.

On motion the rules were ordered revised.

On motion O. McCall and G. W. Knight were appointed a committee to secure donations to assure the payments of premiums for the coming fair.

The following superintendents were selected for the following classes:

- A. J. Worthington, speed.
- I. B. Hampton, class 1
- John McCallum, class 2
- J. S. Rothrock class 3
- F. C. Buschow class 4
- M. C. Jackson class 5
- John Polnick class 6
- Dr. Schenck class 7
- D. B. Spanogle class 8
- Mrs. A. M. Wallace class 9.

L. P. Albright, was selected as superintendent of special premiums.

J. C. Warner was elected general superintendent.

A few other matters were attended to and the board then adjourned to meet on call of chairman.

That Company.

Last evening the entertainment at the M. E. church, given by Mr. Eppstein, wife and Miss Weeks was a very pleasant affair. The people have good talent, but the church was too small a room for the people to display their talent to good advantage. However, they are good and do their various parts well. Mr. Eppstein in his "Beauty and the Beast" was exceptionally good. The entertainers was good taking everything into consideration.

RED CLOUD.

Her Future Prospects To Become A Principal City In Nebraska.

For several years past it has been duly observed by thinking people, people who are farseeing and versed upon such things, that Red Cloud was destined to become a thriving and populous city at no distant day. Her position and surroundings are such that she cannot help but grow rapidly if her natural advantages are comprehended. She has an unlimited water power in the famous Republican River, enough to propel hundreds of manufacturing establishments and an adjacent territory that will be populous enough in a few years to support any and all such institutions that may wish to locate within her borders. The city is located four miles from the Kansas line and can, and does control a good portion of the trade in Smith and Jewell counties, the present population of both counties can be safely be put down at 35,000 souls, besides our own county has a population of 15,000 inhabitants. Think of it stranger and when you are hunting a place to locate remember that Red Cloud is the bast location in the west. No other town of any note is near us, hence the truthfulness of our predictions. Red Cloud itself is a beautiful city of nearly 4,000 souls, naturally drained, is lighted with electric lights, has a fine system of water works, a street railway under construction, fine school houses and churches, numerous brick business houses &c The famous B. & M. railway runs through the city and before the roses bloom again the Missouri Pacific will be running trains into the city, and also the Union Pacific. A canning factory will be located here in a few weeks and many other enterprises are on the tapis. The picture of Red Cloud is not over drawn, and if you are not located don't do so until you visit this city.

Movements Of The Missouri Pacific.

Last Thursday a committee from this town, consisting of I. W. Cray, R. S. Proudfit, T. D. Doudna, C. C. Bradford and T. Auld, and committees from Red Cloud and Bostwick, had a conference with Col. Everest, at Superior, the last named gentleman representing the Pacific railroad company. Briefly stated, the company will require from this precinct bonds to the extent of \$20,000, right of way, through the precinct, and depot grounds in town. Red Cloud we understand is ready, willing and anxious to give the right of way from the west line of this precinct to and through Red Cloud, depot grounds in the city, and \$52,800. A railroad meeting will be held in the rink building tonight, which it is hoped every citizen of this precinct will find time to attend. The proposed road, when completed, will form a part of the great Missouri Pacific system, and a worthy competitor of the B. & M. The benefit this country would derive from it cannot be overestimated. —Signal.

That Only "H."

If Hastings gets the B. & M. car shops, it will add 2,500 to its population, in all from 500 to 1,000 more families and cause an annual expenditure of money for labor of from \$350,000 to \$500,000.—Hastings Independent.

If the dog hadn't got through the bars, he'd had to go through the gate. Red Cloud stands a better show for the B. & M. shops than Hastings does.

"BEAUTY AND THE BEAST."

The Entertainment at the Opera House a Grand Success.

On last Saturday evening as announced the entertainment at the Opera House for the benefit of the indigent poor of this city took place with a large and appreciative audience present. It was probably the largest crowd that was ever present at any like entertainment in this city. The young folks who took part in the comedy were in training for about two weeks, under the management of Mr. W. F. O'Brien and Mrs. Sill, and to say that they merit great praise in the matter would be putting it in a light form. Every thing seemed to be perfect, and the various parts taken by the young ladies were rendered with that ease and perfection that only characterizes the most perfect training at the hands of the instructors and the adaptation of each part best suited to the individual who would be most apt to go through with it without failure. For instance WILLIA CATHER took the part of "The Merchant" and carried it through with such grace and ease that she called forth the admiration of the entire audience. It was a difficult part and well rendered.

MARY MINER

as "Chimpanzo" a prince transformed into a beast, was an excellent character, and as she appeared upon the stage representing a bear, it was the signal for a general uproar of applause. If she had been "old bruin" himself she could not have acted her part better.

NELLIE WEST

as "Goblin Page" performed her part of "Attendant on Beast" with perfect composure and good judgment.

MINNIE McAVOY and TRIX MIZER as first and second daughters of Merchant, rendered their several parts to the utter satisfaction of the audience, who applauded them frequently.

MARGARET MINER

as third and favorite daughter of Merchant, played her part splendidly and without fault and come in for the share of applause.

PEARL SKEEN

as "Little Fairy" acted her part charmingly, and looked a veritable fairy from fairy land as she tripped lightly to sweet strains of the piano in the mazy waltz.

NELLIE MERRIDE

as "The Fairy Aunt of Chimpanzo" rendered her part without a fault, and seemed "Monarch of her Fairy Garden," as at her will princes were turned into beasts and vice versa.

In fact every one of the young ladies did their several parts so well that it would have challenged the most careful critic to observe a single fault in any of them during the rendition of the drama and especially was the dancing one of the most noticeable and pleasing features.

The farce "In Want of a Servant" was produced by the same characters with the exception that little Irene Miner took the place of Nellie West. It was rendered in keeping with the above.

During the entertainment the orchestra rendered delightful vocal and instrumental music. Indeed the whole affair was a great success in every way. The fund raised will be used in relieving the wants of our city poor. Great credit should be given to Mr. O'Brien, Mrs. Sill and others for their unceasing efforts to make the entertainment a grand success.

FRIDAY.

Rev. Geo. O. Yeiser will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church Sunday morning.

We are indebted to Hon. Chas. Manderson for a copy of the congressional record.

H. M. Tringley has taken the position of night car boss in the place of J. B. Wright.

Mr. E. J. Curtis and wife are visiting in Kansas City. They expect to be gone two or three weeks.

Warner & Wolfanger, our enterprising boot and shoe men have received one of the finest lines of boots and shoes ever brought to the city. The people of the city should call and see them at their quarters on south side of south Webster street.

M. L. Thomas, formerly editor of the Red Cloud weekly CHIEF, has purchased the Dundy County Pioneer. Here's our best wish, may you live long and die at your post, editing a first class newspaper. The Pioneer will be much improved under his management. Success.

It would not cost a great deal for a building for a canning factory. We believe that the washing machine factory owned by E. J. Curtis could be rented for that purpose, and it would be consequently located. Let the board look the matter up at once. Now is the time to get the canning factory in operation so that contracts can be made for crops.

Cuckle Burr of the Times-Winner goes out of his way to give "Our Noser Man" a little send-off. The poor dyspeptic editor of the T-W evidently had been indulging in "bile beans" and while engaged in pulling the old hand rakes became so turbulent that he was compelled to rest his mind by sticking his nose into "our Noser's business." Don't read it Burr if it shocks your modesty.

NOTICE.

The firm of Codman & Whitney is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The affairs of the firm will be attended to by C. G. Codman.

Dated Red Cloud, Neb. Jan. 19, 1888. 3W CHARLES G. CODMAN, ELLERTON P. WHITNEY.

Mr N. M. Frohlichstein, of Mobile Ala. writes: I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. King's new discovery for consumption, having used it for a severe attack of: bronchitis and catarrh. It gave me instant relief and entirely cured me and I have not been afflicted since. I also beg to state that I had tried other remedies with no good result. Have also used electric bitters and Dr. King's new life pills, both of which I can recommend. Dr. King's new discovery for consumption; coughs and colds, is sold on a positive guarantee. Trial bottles free at Henry Cook's drug store.

A Distinguished German's Testimony.

Rev. B. M. Pichon, President of the Methodist Protestant Church of South Carolina, writes from Greenville:

"About four years ago I was attacked with what the physicians pronounced neuralgic rheumatism, accompanied with erysipelas. My appetite failed me entirely, and I had an intermitting pulse and very irregular pulsations of the heart. A terrible pain soon came into my chest and shoulders, and I became so helpless that I could attend to no business at all. The pain was morable, and would sometimes pass from one part of my body to another. Finally the erysipelas broke out on my left hand and arm, and produced much swelling. I was for eighteen months afflicted in this way, and of course used a great many kinds of medicines, but nothing gave me relief. Friends finally persuaded me to try Dr. King's specific. I noticed a decided improvement while taking the first bottle. I continued its use until I had taken about one dozen bottles, when I found myself cured and well again, with no sign of disease left except a stiffness in my hand, a result of the erysipelas. While taking the medicine I gained on an average two pounds of flesh per week. I think it is a valuable medicine, and I frequently recommend it to my friends."

Write to the Swift-Hervey Co., Atlanta, Ga., for a Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases, mailed free to anyone.

JUBSON.

Mr. Hadly was buried at Mt. Hope cemetery. After burying the corpse Rev. Hummell preached the funeral sermon at the school house. It was quite a large funeral.

The ground hog failed to see his shadow, so we might expect an early spring, which will help the farmers to prepare for work.

German preaching next Sunday at the Star of Hope school house, all are invited to attend.

The literary is held at the same place every Wednesday evening with good attendance.

Mrs. Zion is on the sick list, also Grandma Graves.

Miss Emma Barrett has returned home from her trip north.

SID.

LENE.

Line, Neb., Feb. 7.—[Special Correspondence]—A large crowd was out at the Hummell school house last Sunday but no preacher.

Our ex-commissioner went to Smith Center last Monday.

Literary is just a booming. Last Thursday evening the house was chock full.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney who have spent the winter with their daughter Mrs. Joe Norris, expects to return to their home in Iowa this week.

Mr. Ground Hog failed to see his shadow this time.

Line is perfectly safe with two detectives in the township and one on the west line. Look out boys.

UNCLE BILLY.

PLEASANT GROVE.

Pleasant Grove, Kan., Feb. 7, 1888 [Special Correspondence]—I will try and give you a few items from these parts.

I see that Mr. Rat is dead, I guess the cold wave froze him to death.

J. S. Wagoner is getting well again.

Mr. Ground Hog failed to see himself on the 2nd of this month.

The young ladies of this neighborhood are taking the advantage of leap year by taking gents to parties.

W. H. Saunders is the happy pa of a fine girl. Usual weight.

Harvey Merrill lost another fine young horse. That makes two for him this winter.

This warm weather makes the farmer have the spring fever.

If this don't find the waste basket you may hear again from.

UNCLE TOM.

GUIDE ROCK.

Guide Rock, Feb. 3.—[Special Correspondence]—Mr. Garber is still improving.

Mr. Corwin, it is feared has typhoid fever.

Mr. Jackson, the new merchant has come on and is overhauling the store room, preparatory to putting in a \$5,000 stock of goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Perry Sawyer are in town to-day looking after their interests in legal matters. They filed an affidavit for a continuance of 30 days owing to the impossibility of the attendance of one of their witnesses, whose baby, they had heard someone say, has the measles. Case continued.

ROCKY.

Woodstock, Kan. W. D. Hoyt & Co. Wholesale and retail druggists of Topeka, Kan., say: We have been selling Dr. King's new discovery, electric bitters and...

G. R. CHANEY.

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office in Moon Block.

Not a California Bear

Anybody can catch a cold this kind of weather. The trouble is to let go like the man who caught the bear. We advise our readers to purchase of Henry Cook a bottle of Santa Abie, the California king of consumption, asthma, bronchitis, coughs and croup cures, and keep it handy. The pleasing to the taste and death to the above complaints. Sold \$1.00 a bottle or three for \$2.50 California cat-cure gives immediate relief. The catarrhal virus is soon displaced by its healing and penetrating nature. Give it a trial. Six months treatment \$1.00 cent by mail \$1.10.

We will fill your prescriptions accurately and with the best goods made, a Deyo & Dorr.

COMING

On or about February 10th a representative of the Red Cloud Tank Line will pass your house daily with a complete line of Coal Oils and Gasoline 101-6t C. E. WEBB, Proprietor.

Mock Turtle and Okra, and Tomato soup at Hacker & Parker's the grocers.

WANTED—Quick, a car load of old machine castings. Highest market price paid. A. I. FUNK.

An Absolute Cure.

The original Abietine ointment in only put up in large two ounce tins, boxes, and is an absolute cure for cold sores, burns, wounds, chapped hands and all skin eruptions. Will positively cure all kinds of piles. Ask for the original Abietine ointment. Sold by Henry Cook at 25 cents per box—by mail 30 cents.

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By dispelling the symptoms so often mistaken for consumption, SANTA ABIE has brought goodness to many a household and by promptly breaking up the cough and cold that too often develops into that fatal disease will yet save thousands from an untimely grave. You make no mistake by keeping a bottle of this pleasant remedy always in the house.



CALIFORNIA CAT-R-CURE The only guaranteed cure for catarrh, cold in the head, hay fever, Rheumatoid catarrh, conjunctivitis and ear aches, restores the sense of taste and smell removed bad taste and unpleasant breath, resulting from catarrh. Follow directions and a cure is warranted by all druggists. Send for circular to AMERICAN MEDICAL CO., Asheville, California. Six months treatment for \$1 sent mail by \$1.10. SANTA ABIE AND CAT-R-CURE for sale by Henry Cook, Agent. H. T. GARDNER, Proprietor. Woodstock, Kansas.