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SPLINTERS

Gathered Up by Chief Reporters in And About the City and County.

Hail storm last night.
\$6 will buy a good harrow at A. L. Funk's.
Deyo takes subscription for any paper published.
Plain linen scrim for fancy work at Mrs. Newhouse's.
A. L. Funk has had his dwelling house nicely painted.
The firemen's festival held last Friday evening was a grand success.
Henry Cook is now engaged in building an addition to his residence.
Mrs. Newhouse has had a porch built on her house, occupied by C. F. Cather.
Umphenour makes a specialty of plowing and cultivating gardens and orchards.
The latest designs in laces, Swiss embroideries and Hamburgs at Mrs. Newhouse.
Fred Sleeper and family have moved to Omaha where Fred has a good job at his trade.
Squire Pond of Kansas is in the city. He is talking of starting a jewelry store here.
H. C. Lillibridge, and old friend of Harry E. Pond, stopped at the Pond residence over Sabbath.
All kinds novelty braid, rick-rack, feathered, gilt and silver braid, and tinsel at Mrs. Newhouse.
The young folks held a picnic on the Kaley farm on Indian creek last Saturday. They report a nice time.
The best assortment of white goods, challies, summer flannels, satens, and ginghams at Mrs. Newhouse.

Remember that Deyo has a registered clerk so your prescriptions can be filled accurately at any time at his store.
Rev. A. S. Fos of Della Pa. will preach in the Presbyterian church this following Sabbath morning and evening.
C. L. Cotting is now engaged in building a new dwelling house. He has the foundation laid and the lumber on the ground.
W. H. Howe of Cowles one of our oldest subscribers was in Red Cloud Saturday. He has been laid up several weeks with sciatica, but is recovering slowly.

Cal Kenady has taken a position with our popular barbers, Hutchison & Edgell, and is learning to sling lather. By the way Hutchison & Edgell have their tonsorial parlors fixed up in nice style. The boys are hard to beat in their profession.

Miss Carrie Brown of Red Cloud who has been visiting here for some days returned home this evening. While here she made many warm friends and was escorted to the train by a number of them who were sorry to see her depart and will warmly welcome her to their midst at any time in the future.—Blue Hill Daily Leader.

Get Deyo's prices on paints and oils.
Frank Cowden was in the city this week.
G. R. Chaney has arrived home from the far west.
S. T. VanHorn came down from Blue Hill Monday.
Mr. Kenyon Skeen who has been east on business has returned home.
Over 250 ladies trimmed hats sold this spring at Young's C. O. D. Emporium.
James McKinley of Iowa, a relative of N. E. Worley, was in the city this week.
The smiling countenance of Gus. Lauterbach, of Colby, was visible in this vicinity Sunday.
Mrs. M. W. Dickerson was called to Kirwin, Kan. this week by the serious illness of her sister.

The farmers are all busily engaged getting in their crops and hope to reap a munificent harvest. Hope so.
25 per cent saved by buying your white goods, lawns, challies, ginghams, etc at Young's C. O. D. Emporium.

It is rumored that Seward Garber intends resigning the secretaryship of the board of transportation or that of bank cashier.

The foundation of our new jail has been commenced. It will not be long before the jail will rise up in a shapeless mass of brick and mortar.

It is rumored that Joe Garber is to be appointed receiver of the land office at McCook. THE CHIEF would like to see Joe get the appointment.

Joe Garber and Col. Hoover were in Beatrice last Saturday interviewing Senator Paddock on behalf of their friends. We have not heard the result of their visit.

W. N. Richardson has shipped 35 carloads of cattle this week, and has 65 more cars to ship making 100 cars in all, which will aggregate over 1000 head. A good showing.

It is reported in the Omaha papers that Dr. Janss has been arrested at West Point for some misdemeanor. Whether it be true or not we do not know further than the report.

The improved new high arm, Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, lightest running lock stitch machine in the world. For sale at Young's C. O. D. Emporium.

In another place in today's paper will be found the list of prizes to be competed for by the firemen of the state when they meet here in July. The railroads have reduced the fare to the tournament so that all can come, and they'll be here.

M. S. Marsh left Thursday night for various parts of the state to bill the towns for the state tournament which takes place in Red Cloud July 16, 17, 18, and 19. The tournament will be one of the grandest affairs ever held in this part of the state.

Rev. Falkenburg has gone to Chester, to attend the ministerial institute. He will read a paper entitled "The Origin of the Devil," and proving that nobody else knows nothing about the origin of his satanic majesty, we acknowledge, that he does not.

John Tomlinson is kept busy these days writing for the tournament. He has written over twelve hundred letters so far, and every day comes hundreds of inquiries from all parts of the state and John answers all of them which is no small job. He has expended about \$40 for postage up to date.

Preparations are being rapidly made by Garfield Post G. A. R. and the W. R. C. for memorial services. The people of the county should make it a point to be in Red Cloud and take part in the services. Forty-two girls dressed in red, white and blue, representing every state new and old, will take part.

In another place in today's paper will be found the report of the First National bank of this city. By reference thereto it will be found that that banking house leads all of its competitors in solidity and volume of business. The Shirey boys are affable and courteous gentlemen and careful and successful bankers, and their patrons are always sure of fair and honorable treatment at their hands. Their deposits foot up to about \$90,000, showing plainly that the people have confidence in their ability as bankers. Success is our best wishes for the First National.

Railroad Rates to the Tournament.
The following letter was received by A. J. Tomlinson, Chairman of the executive committee of the state firemen's tournament to be held at Red Cloud July 16, 17, 18, and 19:
OMAHA, May 18, 1889.

A. J. Tomlinson, Red Cloud.
Dear Sir:—Referring to the 7th annual Nebraska state firemen's tournament to be held at Red Cloud, July 16, 17, 18, and 19, inclusive, I take pleasure in advising you that the following rates will be made: From points within 75 miles of Red Cloud, one fare for the round trip. From points where fire companies are located, who will attend the meeting at Red Cloud, one fare for the round trip. All other territory in the state of Nebraska not included in the above, at a rate of one fare and a third on the certificate plan.
Yours Truly,
J. FRANCIS.

General ticket and passenger agent B. & M.

That Everlasting Bergfeld Case Again.

On Monday Sheriff Scott was busily engaged in serving summons on J. S. Rothrock, A. A. Pope, August Cook, David Heffebower, R. R. Sherer, H. A. Watson and Jak. Miller, bondsmen for J. S. Rockrock. It is an old score reopened. Some years ago Mr. Bergfeld came to the city and purchased liquor at Rothrock's saloon, and on the road home, became so intoxicated that he upset his wagon and killed himself. The case has been tried several times and finally went to the supreme court where we understand it was dismissed. Now comes Jno. O. Yeiser, as guardian *ad litem* for the minor heirs and reopens the case for the children in the district court. The proposition now is to recover damages off of the bondsmen for the killing of the father through the intoxicants alleged to have been procured of Rothrock.

Railroads Again.

THE CHIEF during its career in the last 17 years has built more railroads than anyone in the Gate City of the Republican valley. THE CHIEF aided in building the only road we have, and has always been ready and willing and with its influence in building any others that might come this way, yet without the concerted action of our entire community nothing can be accomplished in the line of enterprises, where money is at stake. By reference to a Hastings paper we notice that the Grand Island railway is to be built to the southwest. What is the matter with our people that we can not make an effort to get it? If railroads will make Red Cloud let's get them, if not, hold our peace.

Bird cages at Deyo's.

Frank Quigley has taken a position with C. Wiener, the clothier.

R. M. Martin's Arabian horse which has been sick for a few days died Wednesday.

M. S. Marsh has moved his billiard hall into the room lately occupied by N. Longton as a saloon. It is a nice place for a billiard hall.

Marshal Shankle returned from Kearney this week, where he had been, for the purpose of taking Johnny Laasing to the reform school.

Lost at the Amboy mills, a little leather colored hand-satchel, containing a pair of scissors, a bottle of camphor, thimble, etc. Finder will please leave it at THE CHIEF office.

The "Outing Club" were out in the cold world all night Tuesday night indulging in aquatic sports, etc. The crew was a sleepy looking outfit the next morning, but we understand they had enough fun to pay for all the loss of sleep.

The B. & M. freight headquarters have written Chairman Tomlinson that all fire apparatus intended for the tournament at Red Cloud will be transmitted free of charge each way provided, the departments that desire such favors report to Mr. Tomlinson by June 10.

A large number of our Red Cloud ladies and gentlemen picknicked at Amboy grove on Wednesday. All had a grand time. Nearly 40 people were on the grounds. Fishing was the principal sport, but the piscatorial artists who were lucky were very few and far between. A fine luncheon was spread and every one was made happy.

Mothers will find Dr. Winchell's teething syrup just the medicine to have in the house for the children. It will cure coughs, croup, sore throat and regulate the bowels. Try it.

WINFIELD PALMER

Shot Three Times by his Neighbor Van Benson, but Likely to Recover. The Wounds Serious, but not Necessarily Fatal. Benson Arrested.

On Wednesday morning Red Cloud was thrown into a fever of excitement by John Wilhelmsen appearing on our streets in an excited manner, announcing that Van Benson, while quarreling with Winfield Palmer, had shot and wounded him three times, and supposed that he was fatally injured. Finally prosecuting attorney Wilcox got out the necessary papers for Benson's arrest, and Sheriff Scott, Joe Warner and H. B. Simons went out to Van Benson's farm, eight miles north-west of Red Cloud and arrested him. He was brought to this city and held for trial before Judge Barker, the state producing the only evidence, introduced, which was enough to hold him however, until the district court. His bond was fixed at \$3500.

It is difficult to tell the cause of the rumpus any further than the two men, whose farms adjoin each other have been at outs for several years, as is alleged, and have been quarreling over one thing and another until it finally culminated in the shooting affray of Wednesday. The cause of Wednesday's trouble it seems was over a hog that Palmer had lost and claimed that Benson had it. This Benson denied, and says he offered Palmer \$25 if he could prove it. One word brought on another and finally Benson pulled a 32 Smith & Wesson revolver on Palmer, shooting him three times, twice in the abdomen, and once in the shoulder, making serious wounds, though not necessarily fatal ones. A number of conflicting stories were reported, but our reporter was unable to sift the fracas any further, than it was caused from general bad blood on both sides. What the result will be is hard to tell. Benson is still in custody of Sheriff Scott, having failed so far, to give his bond.

THE TOURNAMENT.

The Firemen of the State Making Big Preparations for Their Tournament to be Held in Red Cloud on the 16, 17, 18, and 19th of July.

The firemen of the state are now busily engaged in making preparations for a grand time in this city at their annual tournament on the 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th of July. The home company are getting everything in readiness to receive the boys and the affair is going to be one grand of pleasure for the various fire departments of the state. Mr. John Tomlinson, chairman of the tournament committee, reports that numerous fire departments will be here and that a number of prominent gentlemen and state officials will also be here. Every arrangement for the accommodation of the firemen and guests will be made, and Mr. Tomlinson will gladly answer all letters of inquiry in regard to anything in reference to the tournament. Everybody should make arrangements to be here and witness one of the grandest events that has ever occurred in the state.

Program for Memorial Day, Arranged by Garfield Post.

1st. Members of the G. A. R. and all ex-soldiers will meet at G. A. R. hall on May 30th 1889 at 12:30 p. m. sharp.

2nd. Line of march will form in front of G. A. R. hall on 4th avenue, head of column to the east.

3rd. Line of march beginning at 4th avenue marching to Webster street, thence north to 7th avenue, thence west halting in front of high school building, thence to Seward street, thence south to 1st ward school building, thence to cemetery.

4th. After the ceremonies, line will form and march back to the opera hall, where the proper respect will be paid and ceremonies will be given to the unknown dead by 42 little girls, representing the 42 states by strewn flowers and making short and appropriate addresses.

Teachers and pupils are requested to meet at their respective school buildings at 12:30 p. m. and form in line of march. All civic societies and citizens are requested to form in line of march and assist in decorating the graves of our dead soldiers, thus perpetuating the memories of those who gave their lives that the nation might live.

By order of committee on decoration.

D. E. Trunkay is dandy again, and is of course a few inches taller than usual. It is a boy.

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