

### Hood's Is Wonderful

"As harvesting time I took a severe cold which settled in my limbs, and in a short time developed into Rheumatism. After spending a good sum of money for different remedies and suffering all winter, I became so crippled that I had to walk with the aid of crutches. By the kind advice of a friend I was prevailed upon to buy six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I took the medicine and it has fully restored me to health and I think it saved my life. I will cheerfully answer all who may wish to correspond about my affliction or statement." A. W. COOLEY, Clifford, North Dakota.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Be Sure to Get Hood's Cures  
Hood's Pills cure nausea, and biliousness

#### EDITORIAL NOTES.

REMEMBER that Hon. Jas. McNeny will be the next judge.

The county republican ticket will be elected and no mistake.

ROSENWATER, SO TUMOR GONE, is going to resign the office of chief editor of the Bee in favor of his son Victor. He had better done so some time ago.

Gov. HOLCOMB and Pilot Rosenwasser got it in the neck by the supreme court decision in regard to the Omaha police commission. The pilot and his man Friday can't always bull their plans through without warrant of law. No, sir.

DURING this week the editor of this paper visited in Missouri, and found that that state was also flushed with a grand crop of everything that a farmer raises. Take the democracy out of Missouri and she is a pretty good state all round for agriculture, but no better than Nebraska under favorable circumstances.

THERE are some men who are afraid of getting justice meted out to them if the Hon. Jas. McNeny is elected judge and of course they are working against "Mac." He will do right, no matter whose case comes before him. He is a lawyer, and a good one, too, and when you put that kind of men on the bench there is no fear of injustice.

The republican party is in the harness, and, no matter how much some fellows try to stand in with the other fellows, the republican ticket will be elected, and don't you forget it. The idea of republicans hobnobbing with other parties to down their own men is simply outrageous. Be true to your colors, boys; do not go into the enemy's camp expecting to get thirty pieces of silver for playing false to the republican party. You won't get it, and you know it.

Mayor Bentley and the two councilmen, Martin and Kubie, are to be congratulated in giving the city water for sprinkling the streets. It would be an outrage not to acquiesce in the merchants' requests for water so they could do business without being annoyed with the volumes of dust that blow at times. There is no use of being too stingy when matters determine that things shall be different. It is all right for the mayor and council to guard the business of the city with a zealous eye, but not to be too conservative when there is no use of it, and when the interests of the merchants demand it otherwise.

There is no interest so manifestly advantageous to the farming community as that of milling interests of any city or county. A good flouring mill always furnishes a home market for small cereals and often saves the farmer many dollars in transportation. THE CHIEF is pleased to note that so well known firm as Templeton & Guthrie have leased the Red Cloud Flouring Mills, and will soon be ready to operate them in full blast. This firm comes highly recommended to Red Cloud and have a state and national reputation as millers of the best character, and we believe that Red Cloud is to be congratulated in having them operate the Red Cloud Flouring Mill. There is no better mill in the state and no better water power in the north-west. We hope the people of Red Cloud will do their best to help the enterprise along by making a specialty of their brands of flour. With two full sets of roller mills Webster county and vicinity ought to find good markets for their cereals. Success to the new firm of Templeton & Guthrie.

E. W. Ross received a telegram this morning inclosing the sad news of the death of his father, A. W. Ross of Naléigh, Neb., at the age of 62 years. Mr. Ross left today for that place to be present at the funeral.

No one expects to carry everything with him when he dies but Red Cloud expects to see everybody at the fair and will offer all the hospitality to visitors that can be afforded in any city of greater pretensions.

### OLD SETTEERS' REUNION.

#### THEY MEET AND HAVE A GOOD TIME IN SPITE OF THE WEATHER.

#### New Organization Perfected.—The Meeting Bound to Result in Much Good for the Organization.

The unfavorable weather almost spoiled the Old Settlers' picnic. Still a goodly number were present from all parts of the southern half of the county. The three stockades built for protection against Indians by the settlers of 1870 at Red Cloud, Guide Rock and Edna were all represented. L. D. Thomas came all the way from Elm Creek. Uncle Walker brought his seventy-eight years from Farmers creek, and was the oldest man on the grounds. Elisha Woodward was up from Guide Rock with the news that he was Grandpa Woodward, while his grandchild's mother was born in Webster county. What old settler can beat that? There are some who can equal it, but their names do not occur to the writer. Mr. Dickerson and wife were present. Mrs. Dickerson's father was Uncle Hardy, one of the first commissioners of the county. Aunt Betsy was not there, she was missed. John and Gottlieb Rasser were there to remind Joe Garber how, in 1870, as they first approached the stockade, Joseph pointed a gun at them supposing them to be Indians. Of course Allen Ayers was there, but a little silent and shame faced. You see Allen went back on us once and thought he would try Tennessee, and he doesn't walk as proudly amongst the old fellows as he would if he hadn't done that. Chris Cox and wife may be sure were there, and of course Joe Holcomb and his sister Mrs. Arneson, would come in any kind of weather to a gathering of old settlers. Uncle Holdrege gave in to the weather, so did scores of others, and we don't blame them, but there were at least a hundred present, and each one told of several others that intended to come, but were scared out by the storm. Even Emanuel Peters and Donald McCallum, the first two in the county, failed to put in an appearance. There is no excuse for Peters, because he is only a boy—that is he was twenty-five years ago, just old enough to vote. But those of us who were there had a royal time. First of course was dinner and then the women chatted while the men elected officers and transacted business.

Then the Hon. I. B. Hampton made the best talk of his life, and demonstrated that the old settlers were more precocious than the friends they had left in the older states.

Then Oliver McCall told some stories of life in 1871, and told them well. Oliver labors under the delusion that none of the old settlers are growing old, and thinks they will never die. He doesn't know that his beard is white and that the top of his head is getting bare, very bare.

G. W. Knight made one of his bright, entertaining speeches, reminiscent of struggle and peril, humor and seriousness of 1871.

Joe Garber, well Joseph flunked out right. While at dinner Joe told a story and somebody wanted him to prove it by a present witness, and Joseph refused point blank, to make a speech.

All that were present came away feeling better, kindlier and more hopeful for the meeting.

The following names were chosen as vice-presidents from their various precincts:

- E B Smith, Red Cloud township.
- I B Hampton, Guide Rock.
- L D Thomas, Elm Creek.
- Geo. Hummel, Line.
- Geo. Cather, Catherton.
- J. Vance, Beaver Creek.
- Jas. Gilham, Red Cloud City.
- J. Holcomb, Walnut Creek.
- G. W. Knight, Inavale.
- Wm. Patterson, Harmony.
- Jno. Rasser, Pleasant Hill.
- W. E. Thorne, Glenwood.
- F. Buschow, Potsdam.
- W. C. Laird, Oak Creek.
- Robt. Harris, Batin.
- Charleton Andrus, Garfield.
- Reese Thompson, Stillwater.

On motion of J. S. Gilham secretary was instructed to correspond with each of above vice presidents requesting them to form township organizations.

Resolved, chairman and secretary be instructed to file with county clerk a request to county board for an appropriation to purchase book and pay for copying therein such papers relative to early settlement of county as will be of permanent historic interest.

Motion by Joseph Garber that committee be chosen to request Governor Garber's permission to hold next annual meeting in his grove, Permission granted.

Moved by G. W. Knight that president and secretary consult with the various vice presidents to fix time for next meeting.

Moved by J. S. Gilham, Joe Garber and secretary be a committee to consult with county fair in regard to offering premiums for old settlers.

Moved by J. S. Gilham that Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hacker be considered members of this society, by reason of their long residence in the state.

Moved by Mr. Hampton that all persons who have been residents of the county for twenty years be considered members of this society.

Moved by Governor Garber that the president, secretary and J. S. Gilham be appointed a committee to draft constitution and by-laws.

Thanks tendered to Governor Garber for use of grove.

After short address by Hampton, McCall, Knight and Gilham meeting adjourned.

#### BRIEF MENTION.

Miss Myrtle Stubbs went to Omaha Saturday.

W. N. Richardson attended the state this week.

Custom Milling a specialty.—Templeton & Guthrie.

Mrs. Ed. Beyrer of McCook is in the city visiting relatives.

Jas. Peterson is attending the state fair in Omaha this week.

E. J. Pulsipher was down from Hastings this week on business.

A complete new line of wall paper at Taylor's at bottom prices.

B. G. Grice and wife are in Omaha this week attending the fair.

Are shoes advancing? Read A. H. Kaley's ad at the head of locals.

Editor Nowmeyer, of the Guide Rock Signal, was in the city Monday.

A. Galusha returned Saturday from a business trip in the eastern part of the state.

We buy all kinds of grain.—Templeton & Guthrie, Red Cloud Flouring Mills.

Read our display ads. They are interesting and profitable to you.—Deyo & Grice.

Just received a nobby line of ladies shoes in narrow square and needle toes lasts.—A. H. Kaley.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Shea and Ed. Brown and wife left for Omaha Monday for the purpose of taking in the fair.

I have the largest assortment of boots and shoes in the city and at such prices as will fit all pocketbooks.—A. H. Kaley.

All kinds of grain bought at the Red Cloud mills, and the highest market price paid in cash.—Templeton & Guthrie.

Miss Tilla McClelland, our efficient high school principal, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Bloomington.

A larger number of our citizens are visiting the state fair at Omaha this week than usually attend the Lincoln fair.

Morgan Davis, who is at present holding a position as cashier of a Nelson bank, was on our streets the fore part of the week.

Wm. Parkes and wife, Mrs. Frank Dickerson and Miss Knowles, niece of Mr. Parkes, went to Omaha Saturday to view the state fair this week.

Mrs. Almira Griffith, who has been visiting her son, Jno. Griffith, in this city for some time, returned last Saturday enroute for her home in Illinois.

Farmers, merchants, mechanics, and professional men generally will assist in making up the programme of amusements, instruction and entertainment.

Warren Edson returned from California to Red Cloud last Saturday, after an absence of about eight years. He is visiting at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Tait.

Rev. J. K. Maxfield was in Lincoln this week, in attendance at the M. E. conference held at that place. Mr. Maxfield is a member of the board of examiners.

Mrs. J. H. Holcomb departed this week for a visit at her old home in Indiana. On her return she will come by way of Missouri, with a view to purchasing a home there.

Everybody will be fully repaid for their trip to Red Cloud this year, as the program will interest every one. Bring along the watermelons, big beets, turkeys and squashes.

The number of people aside from farmers who are interested in the Webster county fair include the merchants, mechanics, bankers, artists, bakers and the long list that go to make up a community.

G. W. Lindsey departed last Saturday for a tour of the Black Hills, on a hunting expedition. Mr. Lindsey is quite an expert in this line, as a taxidermist, as the large elk and other animals which adorn his meat market will testify.

#### Ho There! 2:40, or Better, at the Fair.

6 bushels good corn, or 1 1/2 bushels best wheat or 2 bushels 2d grade, or 10 bushels of oats, delivered to J. O. Butler's, Red Cloud, any time before Oct. 10th, will pay for a season ticket for your whole family under fifteen years of age, including privilege of driving team in the fair grounds, etc.

John O. Mauger Editor of the Sunbeam Salinas, Mo., who named Cover Cleveland for the Presidency in Nov. 1882, while he was Mayor of Buffalo, N. Y., is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says "I have used it for the past five years and consider it the best preparation of the kind in the market. It is as staple as sugar and coffee in this section. It is an article of merit and should be used in every household. For sale by Deyo & Grice Druggists.

#### State Creek.

Fall plowing, sowing rye and baying is the order of the day.

Chas. Arbuckle is building an addition to his house.

Clark Stevens left last Sunday for a visit to his old Hoosier home.

O. A. Provalt is building a fine cellar and walling it with stone.

Clan Fairs has a new girl at his house and he has been six inches taller for the last few days.

Mrs. Dan Grewell has a boy.

Mr. Grewell and wife of eastern Nebraska are visiting friends and relatives in these parts.

John Morison has gone north on a visit.

Rev. Lewis of Salem held a meeting at Mt. Hope last Sunday.

Rev. Jno. Horton will start for Missouri or Iowa soon to live.

Wm. Sanders will go west if he can sell out.

Mrs. Jas. Stones received the sad news of the death of her brother.

Mr. Boyd of Red Cloud was in our cemetery last week setting up a fine monument for Mrs. F. Graham.

#### OCCASIONAL.

##### Garfield.

Lou Robins has returned from the mountains where he has been the past summer for his health.

Chas. Amack has a new boy, usual Nebraska weight. Chas. says you can smoke his pipe if you will furnish your own tobacco.

September 13 being Susie Amack's birthday, a large number of her friends gave her a pleasant surprise in the evening. All report a way up time.

Est-r Thornton returned from Blair where she has been visiting friends.

C. E. White's residence burned down. The fire was caused by a defective flue. It was insured.

S. P. Martin started for Texas Monday. We are sorry to see them leave but we wish them success in their new home.

John Earner threshed twelve hundred and eighty seven bushels of oats last week.

Broom corn harvest is at hand and an immense amount of help is needed. Work can be had for another month for, at least 200 men, wages ranging from 25 cents to less than \$5.00 per day. Come early and avoid the rush.

Jess Bean is going to evacuate to Missouri. He leaves the whole county to mourn his loss.

Joseph Taylor keeps a standing army in his peach orchard to keep the birds and other vermin off.

Roy Seearinger has left for parts unknown. We expect he will return "when the robins nest again."

D. M. Hunter held an educational meeting at the Wagoner schoolhouse, district 18, Sept. 11. It was well attended and much good comes from these meetings as the patrons, teachers and visitors exchange opinions and discuss methods and all questions relating to schools, thereby advancing the schools much faster than otherwise. Surly D. M. Hunter will be our next Superintendent.

Our boys are getting so well drilled in the art of ball playing that they actually challenged the North Branch nine to play them a matched game, which was reluctantly accepted. Score stood eleven to two in favor of North Branch. The boys are practicing at "one old cat" on Sundays so that by next 4th of July they can beat any base ball team (composed of old women) in the state.

Cattle buyers have picked up all the steek that could be found leaving nothing here but a few old cows.

#### JIMMEY.

When a person begins to grow thin there is something wrong. The waste is greater than the supply and it is only a question of time when the end must come. In nine cases out of ten the trouble is with the digestive organs. If you can restore them to a healthy condition you will stop the waste, put on new flesh and cause them to feel better in every way. The food they eat will be digested and appropriated to the needs of the system, and a normal appetite will appear. Consumption frequently follows a wasting of bodily tissues because nearly all consumptives have indigestion. The Shaker Digestive Cordial will restore the stomach to a healthy condition in a vast majority of cases. Get on of their books from your druggist and learn about this new and valuable remedy.

When the children need Castor Oil, give them LAXOL.—It is palatable.

The current number of the Hand-McNally Guide contains a new gazetteer of cities, towns and health and pleasure resorts of the United States, Canada and Mexico. On sale everywhere. Send subscription to 108 Adams street, Chicago.

## Famous College President.

REV. ERASTUS ROWLEY MADE WELL BY PAINE'S CGLERY COMPOUND.



As the school year opens, attention is directed to the oft-repeated advice of leading educators, warning teachers, parents and scholars against the fearful results of exhaustive brain work among young people.

To thousands of girls and boys, un-nerved by the strain of school life, Paine's celery compound, (which was first prescribed by America's greatest teacher, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Dartmouth College) has been a blessing, making them well and strong, feeding the brain and nerves, and enriching and purifying the blood.

The recent recommendation of Paine's celery compound by Principal Camp of New Haven and the equally outspoken praise of this greatest of remedies by ex-President Cook of the National Teachers' Association, are two of the thousands of such testimonials from parents and teachers throughout the country.

Nothing in the world so strengthens the weak, so readily restores lost nerve force, so surely makes the ailing and peevish young woman or growing boy well and cheerful.

And for the aged and infirm the world knows its wonderful curative powers. Rev. Erastus Rowley, president of the famous Kentucky Female College, writing to the proprietors of Paine's celery compound, says: "I was for several years a sick man. My sickness was attended with constipation, with nervousness and insomnia, and the least excitement would cause palpitation of the heart. I have in the last three or four years used several widely advertised preparations. Finally I took Paine's celery compound and I regard it as superior to all others, especially if used strictly as you direct. By using this I do not suffer from constipation, inability to sleep, or from palpitation of the heart as formerly. I am still using Paine's celery compound at times, and shall take pleasure in recommending it to others."

No matter how busy you may be you can afford to spend a little time this year and lay everything aside for general recreation at the fair. The Webster county agricultural society want the best efforts of every resident in the county.

**Whoop-La!**  
A car load of new and second hand goods at Wright's second hand store. Prices the cheapest.—J. B. Wright, Moon block. 36-ft

"Orange blossom," the common sense female Remedy, draws out pain and soreness. Sold by C. L. Cotting.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charlie L. Kahler a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had had colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest druggist. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Deyo & Grice Druggists.

**Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder**  
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

Special sale of 200 pairs of men's pants at \$3.00 for two weeks. These goods sold from \$9.75 to \$6.00.—A. Galusha, Manager.

**To the Public.**  
Having bought out the tank line of W. C. Jones, I will endeavor to merit your trade if prompt attention to business will win it. Set out your can in the morning and we will make the rounds every day as usual.

38-1m JOHN P. JESSEN, Prop. Tank Line.

**W. M. ZELUFF.**

**Tonsorial Artist,**  
2d Door South of Chief Office.  
First class barbering done with neatness and dispatch. Your patronage solicited.

**Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder**  
World's Fair Highest Award.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c.