

LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF Shoes IN THE VALLEY.

WHO WILL PASS A GOOD THING?

WHAT YOU CAN DO. WHAT WE WILL DO.

We save you money when you buy of us. We give you money to buy of us.

HOW IT IS DONE:

BARGAINS FOR EVERY-BODY.

\$5.00 to the person coming the nearest to supplying the missing words to our announcement below, thus making the ad read as the original. \$3.50 to the person coming the second nearest; and a pair of our best \$2.50 Shoes to the single person making the most trials or guesses. Each trial must be accompanied by the purchase of a pair of our popular shoes, or Oxfords. Original copy deposited with People's Bank. Contest to close June 1st. Everybody give it a trial; it costs you nothing. We have such bargains as were never offered before.

ROCHESTER STYLES.

Come and examine our nobby line of Ladies Fine Shoes. Regular styles in Needle, Narrow, Square and Quarter Dollar Toe, new broad heel. These are values never offered before.

\$3 and upwards.

OXFORDS! OXFORDS!

A handsome line of Ladies' and Children's Oxfords.

Dongola, Vice Kid and Grain in black, tan and combination colors, beautiful shapes, great wearing qualities. no trash.

\$1 and upwards.

Men's Fine Welts and McKay sewed Shoes, black and tan. Boys, we have not forgotten you. We have a large assortment of Boys' handsome Razor Toes, Narrow Square Toes, Opera Toes, Broad Toes. Great wearers.

All kinds of Shoe Dressing.

Tan and Patent Leather Polish.

SHOE BLACKING.

Black and Tan Laces, In-soles, and Shoe Supplies.

Let 'er Rip, and Remember This:

If shoes rip, we sew them free. If soles come loose, we tack them free. If straps come off, we replace them free.

If our shoes do not give proper service, we will make them satisfactory.

OUR SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT.

- 1 We have now for our... 2 a large assortment of... 3 which we have... 4 a large and appreciating... 5 for some time... 6 We have now the finest assortment of shoes the... 7 of this community have ever had the... 8 of seeing, and at such... 9 as will make them very... 10 We have never depended on the... 11 of handling the common low... 12 goods entirely, although the... 13 of the country has compelled us to... 14 this class of goods more than at any... 15 time. We have in the finest line and styles it is... 16 for experienced workmen to... 17 While our store is not a... 18 We have been and will be... 19 to keep a clean, bright, and attractive... 20 where the most fastidious or humble... 21 can come and be carefully and... 22 fitted with a handsome... 23 of elegant and fashionable shoes to... 24 or with the heavier and more serviceable... 25 Travel from the Atlantic or the... 26 and you will not find a single... 27 who should be better satisfied or more... 28 than we, on account of the liberal... 29 given me. It has encouraged us and... 30 the way for greater and more... 31 efforts to satisfy each and every one of our...

John Strootman's Ladies' Fine Shoes.

We have a large assortment of these popular shoes at \$2.25 and \$2.50. Best wearing Shoes made. Razor, square, and opera toes; all widths, C to EE, sizes 2 1/2 to 7.

For Rough Service or Farm Wear,

Men's Grain Seamless Shoes, Tip, lace or congress. Plow Shoes, 95c and upward. Children's Serviceable Grain and Calf Shoes. Women's Heavy Dongola Grain, Calf, and Kangaroo Calf Shoes. Large Ankle Shoes.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE

Little Giant School Shoes. Warranted. BEST CHILDREN'S SHOES ON EARTH.

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!

Shoes and Overshoes, high and low cut, to fit all shape shoes.

LAST BUT NOT LEAST!

48 pairs \$3.50 to \$5.00, Ladies' Fine Turn Shoes; Plain Toes we offer you for \$1.95.

63 pairs same as above, with tip, at \$2.15. These are odd sizes and must go at a loss. Do not accept our statement, but come and see for yourself.

Yours for honest endeavor and increased trade,

A. H. KALEY,

Proprietor Cincinnati Boot and Shoe Store, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

The republican convention did the proper thing this week, when they gave the Hon. Wm. McKinley a ringing endorsement. Of all men, he is the one that the people want for president, and they will have him, if the politicians let them have their way.

HON. JACK MCCALL makes the announcement to THE CHIEF that he will be a candidate for governor, subject to the will of the republican state convention. Jack McCall is one of those substantial men whom we should be pleased to see get there. If he gets the nomination, he will be elected.

A POLITICIAN requested a gentleman in Chicago the other day with the question, "Who are you for for president?" The reply came, "for McKinley." The politician replied: "H—, there ain't anyone for McKinley but the people," and that is right. The people are for McKinley, but the politicians are against him because he is honest, upright, and a loyal republican, standing out boldly for the people. Hurrah for McKinley!

The city election takes place next Tuesday, and the republicans should vote the republican ticket. The administration of the past year has been one that has worked on the lines of economy and has saved the city considerable money. What we want are men of economic tendencies to run the city government, and last year Mayor Bentley and council were that kind of men. Therefore we believe that the republican ticket should be elected on next Tuesday.

This week THE CHIEF takes pleasure in presenting the name of L. P. Albright, of this city, as a candidate for the nomination of state treasurer, subject to the will of the state convention. Mr. Albright is a gentleman who is well qualified, after long years of experience, to fill the office with credit to himself and party. He has a large personal following over the state, and is well known among the business men of nearly every city in the state. He is an expert accountant, and has trained along that line all his life. He has the solid support of Webster county to start with, and will go into the state convention with as large a following than any candidate so far named. We take great pleasure in presenting his name to the republicans of the state, not only for his sterling republican principles, but for his genuine fitness for the office, and we can say, if you select L. P. Albright for your candidate for state treasurer this fall, you will have no reason to regret the course you have taken. He has always been identified with the republican party, and is as enthusiastic today as ever.

It's all the same, a slight cold, congested lungs or severe cough. One minute cough cure, banishes them. C. L. Cotting.

Report of the Condition OF THE STATE BANK OF RED CLOUD. At Red Cloud, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business March 28 1896.

RESOURCES: Loans and discounts \$4710 18. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 313 72. Current expenses and taxes paid 406 60.

TO THE POPULIST PARTY. A coyote sat upon a hill, And warbled in the night most shrill, A thousand tunes—all in one key— That ended in "Calamity."

Food, undigested, is poison. Digested, it is life and strength. Millions of us suffer from indigestion, but we often don't know it. We think it is something else. Even doctors often mistake the symptoms.

The School Entertainment. On Tuesday evening Prof. Wilson and the high school gave a very interesting entertainment in the opera house to a large audience, although the weather was very inclement.

PROGRAMME. Song, Ladies Quartette—Mrs. Martin, Mrs. West, Mrs. Jenkins, Miss West. Drama, Courtship of Miles Standish. CAST OF CHARACTERS. Miles Standish—O. W. Pope.

Mr. Brown, the Only Young Man in Town. CAST OF CHARACTERS. Mr. Brown—Geo. Morhart. Matilda Dix—May Sanborn.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured. L. Wagner, Wholesale Druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of Sciatic Rheumatism, was laid up almost two months, was fortunate enough to get MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM."

Real Estate Transfers. For the week ending March 31, furnished by the Fort Abstract Co., bonded abstracters, Red Cloud, Nebr.

F H McNew and wife to C C McNew, e2 s4 3-3-9, wd. 1000 00. Adolph Schupbach and wife to Delila Thomas, s4 3-3-9, wd. 3500 00.

Jacob Severn to Charles E Vaughn, s4 and e2 s4 20-2-9, wd. 6000 00. Guide Rock Cemetery Ass'n to Jacob Severn, lot 1, blk 82, Guide Rock Cemetery, wd. 5 00.

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New Millinery! I am going to sell it, No matter what others do. Don't buy until you examine my stock and prices. SPECIAL SALE! Millinery, Kid Gloves. SILKS, SATINS, FACE VEILS AND SAILORS Tomorrow, April 4, Mrs. I. Bicknell

Are You Going to Paper? OUR SPRING STOCK OF Wall Paper. Is now displayed. We can show you some beautiful patterns at 10 and 12 cents. Fine Glits for 15 to 25 cents, and finer grades if you want them. We invite your trade in paper and paints. C. L. COTTING, The Druggist.

Open Air Concert. The band will render the following program on the street, Saturday: March... Honey Moon... Rosey Polonaise... Royal Decree... Swift Song and dance... Where Violets Bloom... Jenkins Galop... Alone... Wanemacher Selection, Around the Metropolis, Byrer Medley... National Airs March... Tenth Regiment... Hall.