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WASHINGTON NOTES.

WASHINGTON, May 2, 1898.

The war is going to get started in good earnest during the next few days, probably this week, by the landing of a portion of the regular army in Cuba. The capturing of prizes and the silencing of a few Spanish batteries in Cuba by the well directed fire from our warships was merely a little prelude, just to give the dons an idea of the marksmanship of Uncle Sam's gunners. The full program is likely to be delayed until some of the Spanish warships can be found to act as targets; then look out for trouble.

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The organization of the volunteer army is being pushed as rapidly as possible, in order that the men may be gotten into camps of instruction and seasoned for a campaign in the field. Some of its officers have already been selected, and the remainder will be announced in a few days. It is definitely stated that the command of the first section of the army of invasion will be given to Brig. Gen. Shafter, of the regular army, who has been selected for one of the volunteer major generals.

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Congress will probably at once pass the bill authorizing the enlistment of about 13,000 men for immediate service in Cuba who have had the yellow fever, it having been stated to the president that it would be an easy matter to secure such men in the extreme south. These enlistments will be in addition to the 125,000 first called for by the president.

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Every day the president is forced to decline offers of regiments of men, because he has no authority to accept them, the states having chosen to furnish their quota of volunteers from the national guard, and in nearly every case having protested because their quota was not large enough. Pennsylvania sent word that it would gladly have furnished the entire 125,000. Should there be a second call, which at this time looks very doubtful some of the regiments which have been offered will be given a chance for service.

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In addition to the share of the $50,000,000 recently appropriated by congress allotted to the war department, Secretary Alger has been compelled to ask congress to appropriate $34,000,000 to meet war expenses of that department during the two months remaining of the present fiscal year. The money will be promptly voted. It appears that Representative Dingley was speaking by the card when he said that the war expenditure had exceeded $25,000,000 a month since March 1, and would go much higher shortly.

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The wiping out of political lines in congress was not permanent. When it was only a question of voting money already in the treasury to enable the country to prepare for war, or of a declaration of war, party lines were obliterated, but as soon as it became necessary for congress to provide the money to fight the war party lines were again much in evidence. The democrats of the house with eight exceptions, and all of the populists voted against the war revenue bill because it provided for the issue of bonds, but as all the republicans, except two, and six democrats voted for the bill it was passed by a vote of 181 to 131. The bill will be taken up by the senate this week. The bond provision will be fought by the populists, the silver republicans and a majority of the democrats, but a sufficient number of democrats have announced their intention to vote with the republicans to make the passage of the bill a certainty, but the discussion may be savage and partisan in its nature. Some of the silver men have an idea that there may be a trick in the bond authorization, because it is so large—$600,000,000—but the administration men declare their only object is to make sure that the government shall not at any time be hampered in its conduct of the war, and that all of the bonds authorized will not be used unless the money shall be needed.

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The long list of nominations to civil offices sent to the senate by the president furnishes evidence enough that everybody has not got the war fever, and other evidence is found in the civil departments of the government, where patents and pensions are issued with the usual regularity and other business is attended to just as usual, and will continue to be. The fact of the matter is that this country is too big to allow its ordinary business to become disarranged by a little thing like a war with Spain. A few men will fight, fewer will gain fame and glory, but about seventy million of us will go right along attending to our every day affairs, with a little shouting on the side as the news of victories come in.

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War department officials do not like the manner in which military news has leaked from that department and movements been published about as soon as they had been determined upon. So a new rule absolutely prohibiting information being given by any official has been adopted, and prying eyes are to be kept at a distance by denying admittance to newspaper men and other outsiders to any of the offices of the department.

City Council.

Council met on May 3rd, with Mayor Warren in chair and all aldermen present.

Minutes of last regular and intervening meetings were read and approved.

Committee on matter of investigating bill of Jas. McNeny for $200.00 attorneys fees made report, after which it was moved and seconded and motion carried that matter be laid over.

The following bills were allowed on the several funds.

G. M. Bibby,	street work	$ 5 50
J. B. Carr,	" "	3 00
W. S. Williams,	" "	1 00
M. W. Dickerson,	" "	5 00
M. B. Robertson,	" "	4 00
Geo. Smelser,	" "	1 50
W. A. Brown,	" "	5 00
J. W. Kinsel, street commissioner		25 00
Ross & Rife, drayage		5 72
G. W. Dow, coal and freight		52 38
S. F. Spokesfield,	Judge of election	2 00
M. C. Sherman,	" " "	2 00
H. N. Rutledge,	" " "	2 00
M. W. Roby,	Clerk of election	2 00
T. J. Ward,	" " "	2 00
W. C. Gilham,	" " "	2 00
A. M. Aultz, drayage		11 55
C. W. Kaley, pollingplace		2 00
R. P. Hutchison, night marshal		10 00

Treasurer and water commissioner made their reports which were accepted by the council.

On motion duplicate warrant was drawn in favor of W. L. McMillan on general fund for $30.50 same having been drawn on judgment levy fund and afterward canceled, said warrant to be paid over to water commissioner.

This finishing the business for the municipal year 1897, Mayor Warren administered the oath of office to his successor, L. H. Beck and the old council adjourned sine die.

The new council met and the new members were sworn in on Wednesday evening.

The council granted saloon license to the two applicants John Polnicky and M. M. Stern.

The following bills were allowed;

W. L. McMillan, printing		9 00
J. M. Sellars, salary		40 00
Samuel West,	Judge of election	2 00
J. A. Tulleys,	" " "	2 00

Council then adjourned.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

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For ladies prefering a corset waist we have the incomparable Jackson Corset Waist. We have them in either summer or winter.

$1.00 buys the most perfect Ex-Ex short corset. Latest shape. The wearers of these goods insured the most perfect fit and solid comfort.

40c buys a $1.00 corset. 25 corsets, broken lines and sizes.

We carry a complete line of C-B and C-C, Favorite and Jackson corsets.

Dress Goods.

55c for Bayadere skirt pattern, latest novelty in spring and summer skirtings; regular price 65c.

80c for latest combinations in colors in silk and wool novelties, only one pattern of each kind, regular price 90c.

$1 per yard for 7-yard dress pattern in silk and wool novelties, only one pattern of each, regular price $1.10.

56c for Spring Suitings for tailor made suits, handsome line and colors.

De Bierge Novelties, all colors, 40c per yard.

50c per yard for Brocaded blacks and colors.

50c per yard for all wool silk finish Henriettas.

20c to $1 for 36-inch Henriettas in blacks and colors.

25c for Blue and black serges, 40-inch.

70c for 48 inch extra quality serge, all colors.

Spring and Summer Wash Goods.

10c to 50c for Organdies Raye and Suisse and Organdies.

10c to 20c for Dimities.

7c to 30c for White Wash Goods.

India Linons, 10c to 50c per yard.

12½c for Organdie Linings, full line of colors.

10c Dublin's Skirt Linens; neat, pretty patterns.

Carpet Warp.

We handle the B B carpet warp. Spools or skein. None better. Five bunches white, 18c; colored, 20c.

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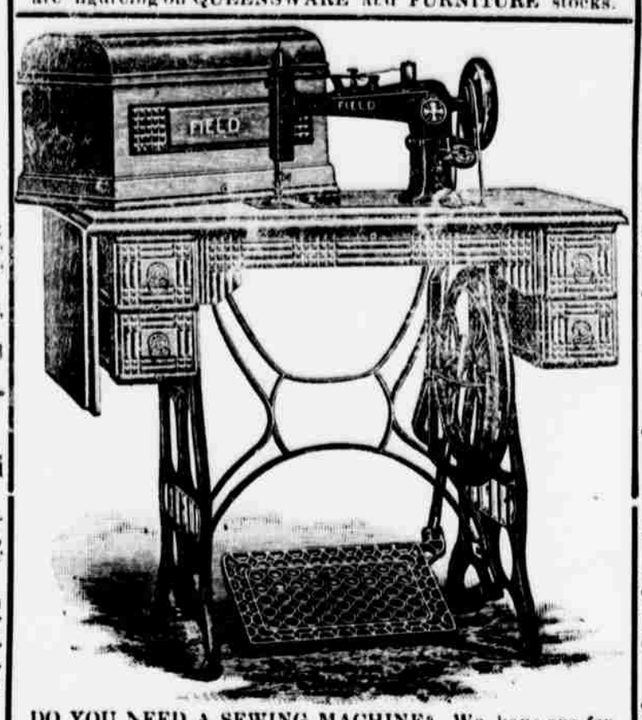

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Steel frames, nobby handles, worth a dollar.

Yes but you can have them at 75c.

Compare our $1 and $1.25 Parasol with other $1.75 goods.

They have the quality style and finish, and such beauties at

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Carpets.

Our competitors tell you that they can sell you carpets from samples cheaper than we can where we carry them in stock, because they do not have large amounts of money in stock. In the first place they pay from 5c to 10c per yard more for their carpet when selling from samples, they consequently have to ask that much more for goods.

We carry 15 patterns of Ingrain in stock, ranging in values from 30c to 75c per yard. An all wool carpet at 70c that you cannot match in quality for less than 80 to 85c.

15 pieces Chinese and Japanese mattings, from 15c to 35c per yard.

3 pieces Hemp, ranging from 15c to 30c per yard.

We carry a very nice line of Moquett carpets. We cut to fit and make with or without borders for $1 yer yd.

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The finest Full Cream cheese on the market. The best that money can buy. Sold regularly for 20c, our price 15c.

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Santa Claus soap, equal of any on the market, 6 bars for 25c.

12 bars Arc soap for 25c.

7 bars of White Russian soap for 25c.

Ivory Soap, 7c per bar.

Gold Dust Washing Powder, 4 pound package 20c, usually sold for 25c per package.

GRANULATED SUGAR, standard grade, $6.25 per hundred.

Off grade granulated $6 per hundred. This is the sugar many call staadard goods.

Pleasure in living when you have good bread. Good bread you will be sure to have if you use Miner's No. 1 Patent Flour, at $1.35 per sack.

Riverton and Amboy Patents $1.55 per sack.

All flour handled by us guaranteed.

Package Coffee 10c per package.

Full weight pail of Jelly or Syrup 50c

6 pounds Prunes for 25c.

6 pounds Raisins for 25c.

6 pounds Missouri Peaches, 25c

One pound can Clover Leaf Baking Powder, 25c. We guarantee these goods equal to any on the market. Buy a can, use half of it, if not good return the balance and get your money back. That shows that we have faith in the goods.

Well Said.

Col. Jack Walsh, of the Red Cloud Nation, last week devoted a column or two of his more or less valuable space to an attack on the Signal because, forsooth, the paper contained a few complimentary words in regard to Senator Thurston. We trust that no one will expect the Signal to make any reply whatever to the base accusations and miserable assumptions of the Walsh as to the motives that prompted the editor of the Signal to a complimentary mention of a gentleman whose patriotic utterances have stirred the country from one end to the other. When the editor of a newspaper abuses his opportunities by deliberately and without provocation misrepresenting and traducing another he writes himself down as too thoroughly disreputable to be recognized by respectable newspaper men to the extent of being accommodated with a controversy of any kind—friendly or otherwise. Mr. Walsh needs to learn to be decent.—Guide Rock Signal.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

My son was afflicted with rheumatism which contracted his right limb until he was unable to walk. After using one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was able to be about again. I can heartily recommend it to persons suffering from rheumatism.—JOHN SNIDER, Fred, Calhoun County, W. Va. For sale by H. E. Grice.

Real Estate Transfers.

Real estate transfers for the week ending May 4, 1898, furnished by the Fort Abstract Co., L. H. Fort, Manager, Red Cloud, Neb.

Frank B. Orcutt to David B. Stunkard, n ½ sw ¼ 29-2-9, wd	$ 825 00
Martin Kilbourn to C. D. Robinson ½ lot 3, all 4 and 5, block 17, Red Cloud	700 00
Lincoln Land Co. to C. R. McCoy, lots 3 and 4, block 18, Bladen, wd	45 00
Walter S. Leake to A. G. Willis, lot 2 nd s ½ lots 24, 25 and 26 block 1, Jacksons addition to Red Cloud qcd	1 00
John L. Springer to James Amack, ½ se ¼ 27-1-10 wd	20 00
James Amack to Union Central Life Insurance Co. se ¼ 27-1-10 qcd	1 00
M. W. Dickerson to Hugh and M. Miner, part lots 19 and 21, block 21, Red Cloud wd	37 00
P. D. Moore to Julia E. Kellogg, lots 5 and 16, block 5, Smith & Moore's addition to Red Cloud wd	325 00

Red Cloud Market Reprt.

Hogs	3 25
Butcher's Stock	3 00—3.30
Fat Cattle	4 00—4.30
Wheat, No. 2	90
Corn	22
Oats	22
Barley	25
Rye	30
Eggs	7
Butter	10
Ducks and Geese	5
Chickens	4

Don't Invite Sickness

Which is better, to thoroughly cleanse and purify the blood just now, or make yourself liable to the many dangerous ailments which are so prevalent during summer? Impurities have been accumulating in the blood all winter, and right now is the time to get rid of them. A thorough course of Swift's Specific is needed to cleanse the blood and purify the system, toning up and strengthening it all over. Those who take this precaution now are comparatively safe all summer; but to neglect it is to invite some form of sickness which is so common during the trying hot season. It is now that a course of Swift's Specific

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will accomplish so much toward rendering the system capable of resisting the evil influences which are so liable to attack it during the summer when sickness is so abundant. It is the best tonic and system-builder on the market, because it is a real blood remedy and is made solely to search out and remove all impurities, and supply an abundance of pure, rich and red blood. S. S. S. is made exclusively of roots and herbs, and is Nature's own remedy. It is purely vegetable, and is the only blood remedy guaranteed to contain no potash, mercury or other mineral. Be sure to get S. S. S. There is nothing half as good.

Purify the Blood

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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When you come to buy this clock you will find that I have them and will not try to sell you something higher priced. You will find all I offer for sale equally cheap, such as

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