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GENERAL CITY NEWS.

Curtains at cost at Taylor's.
 Everything at cost at Taylor's.
 Interstate Fair, Sept. 11th to 14th.
 Take your harness repairing to Fogel and Hutchison.
 Monroe Barber of Bloomington was here Tuesday.
 It will pay you to see Peterson before you buy a drill.
 C. H. Potter and wife are visiting in Omaha this week.
 See the new Hoosier all steel disc drill at Peterson's.
 Have you seen that fine line of nets and dusters at J. O. Butler's.
 Mrs. Ed McCune returned from a trip up the valley Wednesday.
 See those little Hoosiers at Peterson's. They are good and the price is right.
 Mrs. Samuel Garber returned from a visit at Guide Rock Wednesday evening.
 Prof. Geo. I. Kelley returned Wednesday from the eastern part of the state.
 Dan Garber returned Tuesday night from a several weeks stay in the mountains of Colorado.
 Will Mitchell of the firm of Mitchell Bros., was doing some work at Guide Rock Wednesday.
 See W. W. Wright's line of refrigerators. He handles the Herrick which is the best on earth.
 Largest line of nets and dusters in the Republican valley at the lowest prices.—J. O. BUTLER.
 Will Smith left Saturday night to visit his sister Mrs. E. O. Caaney at Minneapolis, Minnesota.
 J. R. Van Horn moved his household goods to McCook this week and the family will reside there in the future.
 Samuel Garber of Atwood, Kansas, arrived in the city Tuesday night to visit with his wife and other relatives here.
 Earl Pond and Herb Conover spent Wednesday in Superior and then took in the reception to the soldiers at Nelson on Thursday.
 Having decided to close out my business in this city I offer my entire stock of furniture, carpets, curtains and wall paper at cost.—F. V. TAYLOR.
 The Misses Myrtle and Lula Chamberlain who have been visiting friends and relatives here returned to their home at New Boston, Illinois, Wednesday.



**WHEN HUNGRY
 EAT
 AT
 THE
 Star Bakery,
 J. O. WILES, Prop.**

WEEK'S HAPPENINGS.

Ball game during the fair.
 Furniture at cost at Taylor's.
 "Rocket" store, Moon block.
 Hammock's at cost at Taylor's.
 Harness of all kinds at Fogel and Hutchison's.
 Base ball games on the Fair Ground during Fair week.
 Attorney Blackledge was in Oxford the first of the week.
 If you want anything in the harness line see Fogel and Hutchison.
 See Wright's line of warm weather gasoline stoves before purchasing.
 Lincoln Absolutely Pure Mixed Paints are the best, and sold by Cotting.
 Will Yeiser was down from Oxford the last of the week visiting with the folks here.
 A. N. Patmor returned Friday from a visit with friends and relatives in Iowa.
 W. N. Richardson was looking after business matters in Beatrice the first of the week.
 James Yeiser left Monday for Omaha where he will enter the law office of his brother John.
WANTED:—One or more carloads of suckling and yearling colts, standard and pure bred.—C. L. WINFREY.
 Sam Dyer returned Tuesday from a trip to North Branch where he purchased a wagon load of chickens.
FOR SALE:—148 head of two and three year old steers, which are now in this county.—L. P. ALBRIGHT.
 J. O. Wiles has placed a street lamp in front of his restaurant to light the steps of patrons to the Star Bakery.
 Don't stand the heat of a cook stove this summer but buy a gasoline stove of W. W. Wright. He has a fine line of them.
 Mrs. M. Carmony of McCook arrived in the city Tuesday and is visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cox near Lester.
 Calvin Kenady arrived in the city Sunday night to visit with his parents, W. P. Kenady and wife and other friends and relatives.
 Silas Beal and S. V. Beal, relatives of our Webster county Beals, arrived in the city the last of the week to look after business matters.
 Butler, the harness man is headquarters for all kinds of first class harness, both light and heavy. If you want anything in his line see him.
 Miss Lena Sperling who has been running the lunch counter near the depot for some months past departed for Dewitt this state the first of the week.
 Ernest Welsch has added much to the appearance of his restaurant by placing incandescent gasoline lamps in the interior and a street lamp out in front.
 Charley Bishop, editor of the Superior Sun was here Tuesday night and accompanied the members of the First Nebraska to that place Wednesday morning.
 Howard LeFeber, Fred Cavan, Charley Morgan and James Davis of Superior came up on train 15 Tuesday night to meet members of the First Nebraska who came through on train 14.
 The Hastings street fair, that is to be held September 18 to 23, promises to be the grandest affair of its kind ever witnessed—and the best of it is free. Grand display of fireworks every night.
 The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. C. Pope during the month of September. All members are requested to be present at the annual election of officers which will occur Thursday, September 7th.
 Fred and Dell Turnure have arrived home from their buying trip in Chicago. While there they personally inspected and purchased a large invoice of goods for the different departments of their store.
 See the base ball games between Superior and Lebanon teams at Red Cloud Neb., during Fair week. These are both very strong teams this year and will play a very interesting game. Be sure to come and see it.
 Mrs. Frank Nicholson of Kansas City arrived here the first of the week to look after the welfare of her son Robert who is convalescing after an illness of typhoid fever. They returned to Kansas City Wednesday morning.
 Insure your hogs against loss from disease in The Farmers Mutual Hog Insurance Association of Omaha. Plan mutual. Absolutely safe, costs less and more equitable than any other association or company. Write or see H. E. Pond, Supt. of Agencies, Red Cloud, Neb. Office in Moon Block.
 Many new and interesting features will be introduced at the Interstate Fair, at Red Cloud, Neb., Sept. 11th to 14th. Good speaking, good ball games, good races, fine exhibits, brass band, etc. You cannot afford to miss this rare treat. Each and every feature will be well worth your price of admission. Grand balloon ascension.

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

Carpets at cost at Taylor's.
 Wall paper at cost at Taylor's.
 W. W. Wright has a fine line of the best refrigerators.
 For hand made harness go to Fogel and Hutchison's.
 Dr. Robt. Damerell and Ed. Overing were in Bladen Thursday.
 All kinds of useful articles at the Racket store, Moon block.
 Now is the time to get a hammock at Cotting's at your own price.
 The largest stock of new dress goods in the county.—MINER BROS.
 Mrs. Simonds of Wisconsin is visiting her niece Miss Mollie Ferris.
 Mr. S. Day had five dozen spring chickens stolen Monday night.
 Mrs. Nellie Finch returned home this week from a visit in Colorado.
 See the "American" hog fence at Mitchell Bros. Best on earth.
 Geo. Newhouse and wife were taking in the reunion at Bladen this week.
 Peterson has just received a car of the Hoosier drills. Call and see them.
 Walter Roby sells the Singer sewing machine. Prices right. Get the best.
 W. H. Cloud who bought the Prentiss ranch near Inavale was here Sunday.
 Miss Speake returned Tuesday morning from a visit to her home at Bloomington.
 Ira Darby of Hardy is here this week visiting with his uncle J. M. Darby and family.
 Mrs. Hendershot and daughter of Hebron visited in the city this week, the guests of S. F. Spokefield and wife.
 The ladies of the Christian church will tender a reception to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winters, at T. C. Hacker's Saturday night.
 Rev. Darby received a telegram on Thursday requesting him to come to Bladen and deliver an address at the soldier's reunion.
 Dr. Mosshart, Eye, Ear and Throat specialist of Lincoln, Nebr. will be at Dr. Beck's office, Saturday Sept. 9th. Consultation free.
 Thomas Hickson and wife of Jimulco, Mexico, are here visiting with Harry Stroup and family. Mrs. Hickson is a sister of Mrs. Stroup.
 Mrs. Clarence Kizer who has been visiting at the home of her parents at Hebron for several weeks returned home again Friday night.
 The Congregational Choir will give a Song Service next Sunday evening. Every body invited. A collection will be taken to purchase new anthem books.
 D. B. Spanogle left Sunday for Denver and returned Thursday morning accompanied by Mrs. Spanogle who has been visiting there for several weeks.
 R. B. Fulton and wife returned Thursday morning from Franklin where they had been in attendance at a meeting of the Republican Valley Baptist association.
 Douglas Cather who has been visiting with the folks and other friends here returned to Cheyenne, Wyoming, to again assume the duties of his position with the B. & M. at that place.
 G. J. Creeth, a former well known newspaper man of Hastings was here the first of the week looking after matters pertaining to the Hastings street fair. He assures us that Hastings is preparing to show the people a great time.
 Hastings will furnish enough free amusement to supply the world during its street fair and carnival as \$10,000 will be spent to make everybody have a good time. There's no doubt but what it will be the grandest entertainment of its kind ever witnessed in the west.
 The Lebanon and Superior base ball teams will play three games on the Fair Grounds here during Fair week. These are much the strongest teams in the country and will play the best games that have ever been witnessed in Red Cloud. Fair Sept. 11th to 14th.
 Members from the First Nebraska whose homes are at Superior and Nelson passed through the city Wednesday morning. At Superior a big crowd gave them welcome, the band played patriotic airs and the ladies gave them an early morning banquet.
 Balloon ascension at the Fair Sept. 11th to 14th. Besides this feature there will be many things of interest that you cannot afford to miss. Good races each day, fine display of everything that will interest you. Good speaking. Large exhibit of fine stock, poultry, swine, etc.
 A little mistake of one letter in a printing office sometimes causes a whole lot of trouble. The Minneapolis Messenger made one of its correspondents say that "Mr. (instead of Mrs.) so and so stayed over night with Mrs. _____ while her husband was in the city" etc. On account of the omission of that letter the Messenger editor is still camping in the brush.

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MERE MENTIONINGS.

Machine Oils at Cotting's.
 Ben Ludlow and Leslie Graves were in Hastings this week.
 Anson Higby of Deadwood, South Dakota, is in the city.
 Mrs. L. Hussong was in Hastings the fore part of the week.
 Sewing machines \$20, cash; five year guarantee.—MINER BROS.
 Geo. Rogers of Lincoln is visiting with L. H. Fort and family.
 The McClelland sisters have moved into Mrs. Ducker's property.
 Citizens water meeting at the Fireman's Hall Monday evening at 8 p.m.
WANTED:—A good steady girl at Earnest Welsch's lunch counter near the depot.
 A number of our citizens were in attendance at the reunion at Bladen this week.
 Mrs. Ball of Akron, Colorado, sister of Mrs. T. C. Hacker arrived Wednesday on a visit.
 Horace Spanogle who has been for some time in Deadwood, South Dakota, is home again.
 Harvey Cox went to Geneva today where he will teach school during the next school year.
 Mrs. Geo. Hollister returned from a visit with her brother Fred Lutz and family at Chadron, this morning.
 John Winters will load his household goods on a car Saturday preparatory to the removal of the family to Lincoln.
 Johanna von Pilsun, of Pella, Iowa, the new assistant principal of the Red Cloud High School, arrived in the city this morning.

Dr. Mosshart, Eye, Ear and Throat specialist of Lincoln, Nebr. will be at Dr. Beck's office Saturday Sept. 9th. Consultation free.
 W. J. Turner an old and respected citizen of this county living south of the river died suddenly this morning from heart failure.
 Mrs. William Houser and daughter who have been visiting with William Dickson and family returned to their home in Michigan Thursday.
 Mrs. Frank Parker of San Francisco arrived in the city Tuesday night to visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hacker and other friends.
 The Methodist and Congregational Sunday schools united and had a picnic in Hummel's grove last Tuesday. An enjoyable time was reported.
 A. G. Diehl and family and Mrs. T. E. Ham of Edgar arrived in the city Monday for a short visit with the families of Dr. Reed and G. W. Francis.
 Dr. G. E. McKeely and wife arrived in the city last night from their home at Guthrie, Oklahoma, to look after the welfare of their son Fred who is sick with a fever.
 Mrs. S. Levi, mother of Mrs. M. M. Stern, who has been visiting in this city for some time past, left Thursday for a month's visit at Hastings, accompanied by Mrs. Stern.
 There will be balloon ascensions daily band concerts daily, a magnificent display of fireworks on three evenings, and numerous other attractions, all free as the air. Where? At the Hastings free street fair.
FOR SALE:—The Red Cloud Breeding barn and stock consisting of four Kentucky Jacks and one imported English Shire Stallion No. 3136. All in good condition and a test guarantee for every animal. C. L. Winfrey.

The swine, poultry and cattle will be judged by expert judges at the Interstate Fair at Red Cloud, Neb., Sept. 11th to 14th. This will assure you that your exhibits will be judged fairly, as these gentlemen are entire strangers and will exercise their best judgment which will not be swayed by friendship or acquaintance.
 This spring prices commenced to advance on cotton goods. Before any advance took place we placed a very large order for cotton goods in prints, muslins and outings. Buying for cash in large quantities enables us to put a price on them. Outings at 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c and 15c. Prints 5c to 12c. Muslins 3c to 12c.—MINER BROS.

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LEADERS IN LOW PRICES.

Next Monday begins the fall term of school in this city, and parents should see to it that every child of school age is present when the bell rings. Under the new law parents are compelled to send their children between the ages of five and fourteen year to school at least twelve weeks during the school year, and also provides a heavy fine to be imposed on parents who neglect or refuse to send their children to school.
 List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending Aug. 31st 1899.
 Conner, A. A. Holmes, H. Walter, Summer
 These letters will be sent to the dead letter office Sept. 14th, if not called for before. When calling for above please say advertised.—T. C. HACKER, P. M.
 Every mail brings new inquiries relative to the exhibits, etc., of the Interstate Fair, at Red Cloud, Neb., Sept. 11th to 14th. People from all over this part of the state seem to be interested in the success of the fair this year, and many exhibits will be shipped in. Some by the carload. Incubators will be doing the hatching act at the fair. Balloon ascensions at the fair. Ball games all the fair. Races at the fair. Brass band at the fair.
 Notwithstanding the evening was not propitious, the silhouette social, Monday evening, by the Ladies' Guild at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tartsch, was quite successful. After some little difficulty the instrument was adjusted and turned out very creditable silhouettes, which were a source of much merriment. The literary-musical programme was first-class, each number being well received and several of them warmly encored. Miss Lillian Smith of Red Cloud and Prof. Watt of Chicago were among the out-of-town performers. Both were thoroughly appreciated.—McCookTribune.
 The friends and members of the Pleasant Prairie M. E. Church at No. 41 invited their pastor, Rev. A. G. Blackwell and his family to spend a day with them at a picnic in Uncle Jerry Ornduff's grove, on Wednesday, Aug. 16th. A goodly number was present, a splendid dinner was provided and ice cream and melons were in abundance and a very enjoyable time was had by all present. On the following day Messrs. Harry Micheal, Jerry Ornduff and R. K. Orchard came to Red Cloud, marched Rev. Blackwell into the clothing store and purchased for him a very fine suit of clothes and a hat, as a present from the good people from 41, to show their appreciation and love for him as their pastor.

M. Miller of Atlantic, Iowa, and Peter Levi of Shenectady, New York, the former a brother and the latter an uncle of Mrs. M. W. Dickerson, arrived in the city Wednesday for a brief visit. Mr. Miller is very much taken with the country and says on his return home is liable to sell out and move to this state.
 Rev. Edson of the Baptist Church was at Bloomington this week in attendance at the annual session of the Republican Valley Ass'n. He delivered the annual sermon on Tuesday evening, and was elected Moderator for the present year. R. B. Fulton and wife, Miss Rose Ricker, and Willie Edson also attended as delegates from the Red Cloud church.
 Prices on raw material have advanced, thus necessitating an advance in nearly all lines of manufactured goods. Furniture has been one line which has been advanced very materially. We expect another carload shipment in about ten days. We guarantee our regular prices lower than so-called closing out prices, from the reason that we buy and sell for cash. Buy direct from factories in carload lots.—MINER BROS.
 A most distressing accident befell Charles Etherton, a B. & M. car repairer in the yards here Monday. He tried to board a car on freight train No. 63 which was entering the yard at a good rate of speed when his right foot came in contact with the wheel of the car which passed over it crushing the end of the member. Drs. McKeely and Beck amputated the mangled portion. On account of later developments it was decided to amputate the foot and as Dr. McKeely was sick Dr. Walden of Riverton was called to assist Dr. Beck and the operation was successfully performed.
 One of the most pleasant occasions that has ever occurred in our city took place at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hacker last evening. The event was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Winters and the children whose early departure for Lincoln, where they will make their future home, is sincerely regretted by their many friends here. The reception was planned by the ladies of the Christian church and a large assemblage of the friends of the family were present and helped to make the evening one of great pleasure and long to be remembered by those present. The residence was tastefully decorated with a profusion of flowers, the handiwork of Mrs. Hacker, and which were grown in her flower garden. Splendid refreshments were served during the evening.