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THE BIG STORE!

THE LARGEST STOCK.

Purchased for Cash.

Bought at Opportune Times.

A clearing sale, we mean an actual clearing sale. No marking up prices and then selling at old prices, but a discount from regular selling prices.

Cloaks, Jackets and Capes.

Our immense fall trade has broken lines and sizes. Rather than stock up on sizes we are going to place our entire stock of Cloaks, Jackets and capes on special sale at prices that mean a saving of from \$2.00 to \$3.00 on each garment.

Underwear.

Men's Fleece Lined Underwear, good weight, regular 40c grade, special clearing sale, 33c. Children's Camel Hair Underwear size 16 regular price 6c, special sale at 3c, raise of 3c on a size.

Men's Boots.

25 pairs Men's Boots, size 6 at \$1.50 per pair. A few pairs No. 8, 9 and 10 at \$2.00 per pair.

These are only a few of the many values we are offering. Special sale prices on

Dress Goods.

Carpets,

Duck Coats,

Staple Dry Goods,

Outing Flannels,

Groceries,

Queensware,

Shoes,

Men's Gloves,

Underwear,

Overalls,

Furniture.

OUR SPECIAL SALES

Mean prices last as long as goods are here for selling.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR PRODUCE. PRICES PAID IN EITHER CASH OR TRADE.

Miner Bros., Red Cloud, Neb.

City Dray and Express Line.

E. W. ROSS, PROP.

Goods Delivered to any part of the city.

Charges as low as the Lowest

CITY AGENTS FOR ADAMS EXPRESS CO.

TELEPHONE NO. 52.

The Red Cloud Chief

and Weekly Inter-Ocean

One Year for \$1.25.

ADVERTISING POINTERS.

There are some merchants in this city who have (and probably always will) contended that advertising does not pay. This is the kind of man that makes a newspaper man laugh when he happens to make the rounds of our city on a day when there is a good crowd in town, and casually glances into the various stores just to see how big the crowd is at each place. We wish some of the people who are persistently saying that advertising does not pay would just keep "tab" on one of the stores that believes advertising does pay and see how easily they could convince themselves that they are wrong in their views.

A favorite argument among the non-advertisers is that the people naturally go to the large stores whether they advertise or not. This is another fallacy. The articles kept by some other store are in all probability identical with goods kept by the large stores. All the difference is that the managers of the big stores have told the general public in their advertisements that they have what is wanted and invited them to come in and get it; while the other has not told them he has what is wanted and the customer has not been invited in to see whether he has it or not, and as a rule the average person hates to go where they are not invited. Aside from this the customer knows just where he can go and get what he wants without hunting the whole town over.

It is keeping your name a business constantly before the public eye that counts. There are merchants in this city who we actually believe are practically unknown to a large number of the new people of this county for the simple reason that the name never appears in connection with their business, and according to their views it would not benefit them a particle if we would tell the people they were alive and in business, and had something to sell. There is no business, no matter how small, but what it will pay the party conducting it to keep it before the public.

The Man in the End of the Seat.

A gentleman who is a member of a Beatrice church, and who attends regularly, asks us to print the following as voicing his sentiments to a dot: "I have often wondered why so many people who sit in the end of the seat at church refuse to 'sit over' when the usher brings some one else to the seat. They would prefer to have the bark scraped off their shins, their corns trod under foot and the entire congregation disturbed, rather than 'move over.' It seems so silly or absurd for a man or woman to doggedly and stubbornly hang onto a position like this. I've seen people compelled to stumble and fall over five or six persons while struggling to get a vacant place in a long seat. All this trouble could be saved if the end man would 'move over.' But he won't. At least he has not up to date. I often thought if I was an usher in church and steered a person into a seat and the end man refused to move over I'd gently bend over and whisper in his ear, 'Move over or I'll throw you over.' I don't suppose I'll ever be called upon to run a church. At least I'll never take charge of one as long as I'm in the newspaper business, for a fellow has enough on his hands if he runs a newspaper right, but if a church is ever placed under my supervision I'll have athletic, muscular fellows for ushers. I'll get them if I have to draw on a gymnasium for them. And I'll give them strict orders to 'handle' the bull-headed man who glues himself to the end of the seat and refuses to move over."—Walt Mason.

A Good Practice.

North Platte, Neb., Nov. 20, 1899.—Mrs. W. E. Goodwin, Box 374, says she has the very best of health, and she attributes it largely to the fact that they make a practice of keeping the blood pure with Dr. H. C. C. Sarsaparilla.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

BLUE HILL.

The bride and groom visited with the McCoy family Friday.

Ed Port and family came back to finish their visit at Blue Hill.

Mr. Lockwood, the Methodist minister, has not as yet moved his family to Blue Hill.

Mr. Shannon has changed boarding houses and is now to be found at Mr. Rowland's.

R. Armstrong put up a frame for a new chicken house for Mr. Rowland last Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Kershner and Mr. Andrews of Prairie Gem were married on Wednesday, the 22d.

Mr. Armstrong has been moving his son to Kenesaw where he intends to blacksmith the coming season.

We have had two weddings in Mr. Bostwick's family in the last two weeks, a son and a daughter leaving the parental roof to make homes for themselves.

The sun forgot to shine upon us last week, but is making up for lost time this week. It rained about two inches in this locality during the week and left fall grain in good shape.

During the darkness last week a young lady lost her hat and before it could be picked up a young man on horseback allowed his horse to step on it utterly demolishing the hat and almost breaking the young lady's heart.

Evangelist Redding still draws great crowds every night and three times on Sunday. He preaches a plain outspoken gospel, and in no way does he try to compromise with sin or the world. He will not under any consideration countenance sin of any kind.

QUILLDRIVER.

LINE.

Cold wave Wednesday.

Corn gathering will soon be a thing of the past.

Mrs. Richard Turner is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. L. A. Haskins was the guest of William Van Dyke Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Van Dyke and daughter Sundayed with her parents Mr and Mrs. Harris Noble.

Mrs. Sutherland and Mrs. Phillips of Beatrice, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wildey this week.

The Thanksgiving social at Penny creek Dist. 34, was largely attended and all report a good time.

Ernest Haskins contracted five hundred bushels of corn to Daniel Norris for twenty-five cents per bushel.

L. A. Haskins finished gathering corn on the Sherwood ranch this week. It was the best that has been raised for some time.

Rev. G. W. Hummell will hold a series of meetings at Mt. Hope, Kansas commencing December 10. A cordial invitation is given to all.

Miss Sheppard closed her first term of school in Dist. 8 Thursday. She has given good satisfaction. There will be two months vacation.

OBITUARY.

Mary Johnson, deceased, wife of Frank Boom, was born in Sweden April 6th, 1845, being fifty-five years, six months and seventeen days old at the time of her death. She came to America in the fall of 1869, and was married to Frank Boom on July 26th, 1860, at Burlington, Iowa. Six children were born to this union. They moved to Bladen, Nebraska, in the spring of 1886. She united with the M. E. church at Plainview in 1894, and lived a devoted and christian life, and was ready to meet her Savior. Her husband and children were all present with her through her last illness and at her bedside when the summons came. She also leaves many friends to mourn her loss. The funeral services were held in the Baptist church in Bladen and were conducted by Rev. G. W. Hummell, it being her request that she be sent for. It was a sad funeral as it was the first of its kind in a perfect home and deprives a family of a good christian mother, but God's ways are the best.



Some grocers are so short sighted as to decline to keep the Ivory Soap, claiming it does not pay as much profit as inferior qualities do, so if your regular grocer refuses to get it for you, there are undoubtedly others who recognize the fact that the increased volume of business done by reason of keeping the best articles more than compensates for the smaller profit, and will take pleasure in getting it for you.

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GUIDE ROCK.

Bert Crow was in Superior Monday. Chas. Guy moved into his new house in town Monday.

A Thanksgiving ball was given in Montgomery's building.

The Degree of Honor had a supper in the Montgomery building Tuesday evening.

D. O. Leith bought thirty-two head of horses and mules here last Thursday and Friday.

Montgomery Bros. moved their restaurant into the Parker building the first of the week.

Ed Parker was passing around the cigars, a fine son having arrived at his home Saturday night. Mother and son doing well.

The Sunday school rally at the Baptist church last Sunday was well attended. People from Blue Hill, Eckley, Cowles, North Branch and elsewhere were present.

John Golding and Miss Dowler were married last Sunday at Danbury, Red Willow county, Nebraska, and will live on the Chas. Guy farm the coming season. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Chas. Molley.

AMIDOWN.

INAVALE.

Patrick Gilroy and family spent Sunday at O. B. Harvey's.

There has been a good many turkey raffles around here this last week.

Clarence Jones expects to move into his new house the last of this week.

Mrs. Knight and Miss Maud Knight of Red Cloud have been visiting old friends in Inavale this week.

There were rumors of a Thanksgiving wedding in the neighborhood. Will give particulars next week.

Miss Mabel Eddy drove to Franklin Tuesday returning Wednesday in company with her brother Louis Eddy.

L. H. Luce left Saturday for an extended visit at his old home in Connecticut. His many friends will regret his departure.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Harvey spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Hedge, the mother of the latter, who lives near Red Cloud.

Cash Paid for Rare Coins.

\$2.50 premium pro rata paid for silver U. S. dimes of any of these dates—1875, 1842, 1882. Send dimes to Secretary of the International Coin Collecting Agency, Boston, Mass.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever, nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Be Careful

No woman can be too careful of her condition during the period before her little ones are born. Neglect or improper treatment then endangers her life and that of the child. It lies with her whether she shall suffer unnecessarily, or whether the ordeal shall be made comparatively easy. She had better do nothing than do something wrong.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

is the one and the only preparation that is safe to use. It is a liniment that penetrates from the outside. External applications are eternally right. Internal medicines are radically wrong. They are more than humbugs—they endanger life.

Mother's Friend helps the muscles to relax and expand naturally—relieves morning sickness—removes the cause of nervousness and headache—prevents hard and rising breasts—shortens labor and lessens the pains—and helps the patient to rapid recovery.

From a letter by a Shreveport, La., woman: "I have been using your wonderful remedy, Mother's Friend, for the last two months, and find it just as recommended."

Druggists sell it at 51 per bottle.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO. ATLANTA, GA.

Send for our free illustrated book, "Before Baby is Born."