



China's Sphere of Influence.

Hold before the eyes, move with a circular motion, and you will get the idea of the coming Chinese revolution.

When these spheres of influence begin to revolve, "John" will feel as dizzy as does a person with defective eye sight, when things begin to swim. The latter may find relief from his "dizzy spells" by using properly fitted glasses. "John" may find none.

Newhouse Bros.,

Red Cloud, Neb.

Jewelers and Opticians.

WEEK'S HAPPENINGS.

Stove repairs at W. W. Wright's.

For farm loans call on C. W. Kaley.

Special price on buggy whips.—FOGEL & HUTCHISON.

Milton Fairbrod of Guide Rock was in town this week.

L. P. Albright made a business trip to Lincoln this week.

F. B. Dauchy, a former citizen of this place was here this week.

By Shepardson of Riverton was on the streets one day this week.

Good pasturage for cattl in stalks and straw. Inquire of O. D. Hedge.

Alfred Hadell is making quite a change in the interior of his store this week.

Geo. Briggs of Clay Center, this state was seen doing business on our streets this week.

Charley the eight year old son of Chas. Smelser died at his home in Inavale of pneumonia last Monday.

There will be regular service held at the Christian church each Lords day at the usual hours.—H. S. SOLDER, Pastor.

County Surveyor Kuehn has been quite busy part of this week hunting corners in this city and finding the grade of the principal street.

Anthony Shafer made us a pleasant call this week. He informs us that he is going to sell his truck farm on the south of town and go to Oregon in the spring.

We wish to extend our heart felt thanks to the kind friends who assisted us during the illness and death of husband and bio her.—Mrs. Jessie M. Irpny and Sisters.

FOR SALE—Four full blooded Durham bull calves, one year old, eligible to registry, and one full blood Jersey bull calf same age. For particulars inquire of Jno. Griffith, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

The city dads held a meeting last Friday evening and ordered another batch of sidewalks built. The walks ordered are along the east side of Webster street between Fifth and Seventh avenues.

The house movers have been busy this week. The building formerly occupied by Geo. Blair and Wm. Zeluff were torn down and removed and the building of C. H. Potter on the corner was raised and new sills put under it and moved to the place where the two former were taken out.

Lindley's Restaurant

HALE BUILDING, Red Cloud, Nebraska.

Warm Meals at All Hours.

Nice, Comfortable Lodging Rooms.

FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY, NUTS AND CIGARS.

OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE.

ALL KINDS OF HOT AND COLD LUNCHEES

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

THE CHIEF \$1 per year

Canvas leggings at cost.—FOGEL & HUTCHISON.

Go to Roby for the best and cheapest coal in town.

Robert Showburg of Guide Rock was here Monday.

W. C. Hurd of Cowles was here the first of the week.

The line of heating stoves at Wright's is superb. See them.

Omer Doling was visiting with old friends here las Sunday.

Herbert Conover visited his folks here the fore part of the week.

J. H. Wegman returned from a business trip to Blue Hill Monday.

Don't fail to get our prices before buying.—FOGEL & HUTCHISON.

I have a few first class sewing machines to trade for stock.—F. V. TAYLOR.

Mrs. George W. Francis was visiting friends up the valley the first of the week.

County Junge Edson visited with his family in the north part of the county Sunday.

H. C. Nicholson of Superior was looking after business matters here Saturday.

Louis Soderburg who was here for a few days has returned to his home at Longmont, Colorado.

Little Paul Polnick was taken very suddenly sick last Monday with spasms, but is better now.

Will Ward of the Nation is visiting friends in Omaha and taking in the State Editorial association.

E. B. and John Ozg of Fillmore county, this state, were here this week conferring with D. J. Myers in regard to the purchase of land.

We notice by one of our exchanges that Mrs. Mary J. Guwits of this city has been granted an original widows pension of \$12.00 per month.

We have put all our 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25 men's laundried shirts on our tables at 50c and 75c. Big bargains for shirt wearers.—COWDEN-KALEY Co.

Are you going to buy a sewing machine? If so I have the best machine for the money ever offered. Do not fail to see it before buying.—F. V. TAYLOR.

Rockers and iron beds at greatly reduced prices for the next thirty days to make room for holiday goods at Wolfe's furniture store. We mean business. Come and see.

When you have urgent business with someone in another town or city, remember you can reach your party the quickest and best by the long distance telephone. Rates made known on application to "Central."

If you are going to give a banquet and want some swell menu cards, if you are going to get married and want up-to-date wedding cards, if you are going to have an opening in the spring and wish to please in this line, if you want typewriter paper or stationery of any kind, either printed or plain come and see us. We have a fine line.

At a revival in Cullom, Ill., a man rose and said that he was the wickedest man in Cullom. "I'd go straight to hell if I should die tonight," he concluded. Immediately an old deacon started the hymn. "If you get there before before I do, lookout for me, I'm coming, too." And then the deacon wondered why everybody laughed.—Ex.

The next regular meeting of the Relief Cases will be Saturday afternoon Feb. 2nd and it is very necessary that all members shall be in attendance as committees are to be appointed and much other business done. On that day memorial services will be held for departed sister Mrs. Julia Wolcott, at 4:30 p. m. The Comrads of the G. A. R. and all of Mrs. Wolcotts friends and neighbors are invited to attend.—Pres.

We will soon again commence the agitation of the building of an opera house in the city. There is no reason why the project should not be pushed. There is a number of people here who would take from \$200 to \$500 worth of stock and enough others who would take a smaller amount to insure the sale of \$5000.00 worth of stock in a short while. Nothing would pay better dividends or better interest on the money invested.

The members of James A. Garfield W. R. C. met last Saturday and installed their officers for the ensuing year as follows:

President—Emma B. Knight.
S. V. P.—Sarvilia Rife.
I. V. P.—Luis McKeighan
Sec.—Harriet Howard.
Treas.—Fannie Doul.
Con.—Carrie West.
Gaxod.—Lella Bohrer.
Asst. Con.—Nellie Taylor.
Asst. Guard.—Maudie K. Ward.
1st color bearer.—Nancy Turner.
2nd color bearer.—Julia Warren.
Delegate.—Harriet Howard.
Alternate.—Lime's Chaney.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

Omer Doling of Blue Hill was in the city this week.

The CHIEF and Chicago Inter Ocean are year for \$1.25

See the fine display of heating stoves at W. W. Wright's.

35 cents gets a 50 cent whip at Fogel & Hutchison's.

R. A. Simpson of Blue Hill was on our streets Monday.

Col. Charles Winfrey cried a sale at Guide Rock Tuesday.

Caldwell's \$6.00 coal makes your stove hot and cook happy.

We are closing out our leggings at cost.—FOGEL & HUTCHISON.

Omar Doling of Holdrege was visiting in the city the first of the week.

Walter Roby sells the Singer sewing machine. Prices right. Get the best.

Pay your subscription and get a calculating pencil. They are a little wonder.

F. C. Russell of Superior was here this week looking after the purchase of horses.

M. E. Fairfield of Guide Rock was a business visitor to the city the first of the week.

Miss Bina Blaine, of Portland Oregon a niece of Mrs. Thos. Penman is visiting in the city this week.

A marriage license was issued this week to Clarence Cox and Lourisa Mallick, both of this county.

Roy Tait was down at Omaha this week attending the annual meeting of the State Press association.

Editor A. C. Potter of the Lead, South Dakota, Call is in the city this week visiting relatives and friends.

M. W. Dickerson has again gone down to Lincoln to see the legislature work and look after other business matters.

Mr. Boyer of Juniata, this state, was being shown around the country hereabouts this week by our real estate man, D. J. Myers.

On Saturday evening the case of Florence Galbreth vs Bert Cady was settled and dismissed upon payment of \$250 by the defendant.

Geo. Briggs and Mrs. Lucy Wilson, brother and sister of Mrs. J. A. Tulley were in the city this week in attendance at the funeral services.

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Los, Kobiek of McCook was in the city Thursday.

Alden Ely of McCook was here visiting with friends Sunday.

T. J. Lionberger of Superior was looking after business in the city this week.

A pleasant social dance was held at the B. & M. eating house on Tuesday night.

C. M. Smith was looking after business matters in Superior the first of the week.

Chas. Bronson of McCook was here Thursday attending the funeral of J. A. Tulley.

G. D. Follmer of Oak, this state, was here this week in attendance at the funeral of J. A. Tulley.

One carload of Jackson county, Ohio coal. Best coal for cook stove in the U.S.—W. B. Roby.

Mrs. Harry Goble after a visit with friends and relatives here left for her home at McCook Sunday.

C. E. Wescott and son Cliff who have been sojourning with us for about a week returned Tuesday to their home at Plattsmouth.

Mrs. D. H. Wentworth, wife of the supervisor at the Hastings insane hospital was visiting with Ed. Pulsipher and family here this week.

Jimmy Wintersteen, the genial representative of the State Journal Co., was here Sunday. He set type on the CHIEF some twenty-three years ago.

Last week we made a mistake in the item of the death in Lonie Soderbergs family. In our ite a we stated it was his wife. It should have read his son.

There is more sickness reported in this city than for a long time. The prevailing ailment is grip, and about one person out of every three or four have it.

John Young Jr., accompanied by his brother were here from Cedar Bluffs, Nebraska, looking for land. Real Estate Agent Myers was showing them round.

Godfrey Monis, a prosperous farmer from Guide Rock was looking after business matters in the city Monday. He is much pleased with the rural free mail delivery system in that vicinity.

The Nebraska Mercantile Co., this week made an assignment in favor of its creditors. The liabilities of the firm are about \$14,000.00, the assets about \$10,000.00. In all probably the matter will be amiably settled in a short while and the firm will again resume business.

We are pleased to chronicle the change of the firm name of Galusha & Wescott, to Galusha Wescott & Storey. The new member of the firm has been a clerk in the store for some time past and we are glad to see his name added to the list of proprietors. We wish him an abundance of success in his new venture.

Insurance, Abstracts, Notary Public.

O. C. TEEL
RED CLOUD, NEB.

Mrs. J. F. Winters was in the city the first of the week having her residence in the north part of town repaired. F. G. Turnure will occupy it when finished.

Wm. Corcoran who has been visiting the family of E. W. Ross, departed for his home in Arkansas City, Arkansas, Wednesday, accompanied by Mrs. Ross who goes for a brief visit.

Joe Blair, the popular young dry goods clerk who has presided behind the counters of the Nebraska Mercantile Co. for several years, departed yesterday for Hastings where he has accepted a position a large department store. We are sorry to see Joe leave the city but we are glad to hear of his good fortune.

Ladies desiring to learn a first-class tailor system can do so by taking a term of lessons with Mrs. Willits who is in the city organizing a class. You can cut all garments for ladies and children by actual measurement. Full course \$5.00. Lessons unlimited. For further particulars please write me or call at the residence of Miss M. Ferris.—Miss J. F. WITTELL, Nebraska State Manager.

List of letters remaining unclaimed for at the postoffice at Red Cloud, Nebraska, for the week ending Jan. 25th, 1900.

Norman Bargfeld, N. J. Andrews, R. M. Chidlow, Margaret Grant.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office February 24th if not called for before. When calling for above please say "advertised."—T. C. HACKMAN, Postmaster.



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We are going to start the new year and the new century right. During January we will offer unheard of bargains in

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We will only ask a small margin of profit, just enough to keep things going during the month. Don't miss this sale. It is the opportunity of the century.

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It cleanses the liver and bowels, strengthens the kidneys and aids digestion, thus the system is regulated and the body fortified to resist disease.

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