

# FINAL TRUSTEE'S SALE!

The creditors of the Nebraska Mercantile Company for whom I am acting as trustee have ordered the balance of the stock of goods which was owned by the

## Nebraska Mercantile Company,

converted into cash by August 15th, 1901. On that date I am to make my final report to the creditors and the proceeds of the sale of this stock is to be pro-rated among the creditors at that time. My instructions are to sell this stock of goods at retail from now until Saturday night, August 10, 1901, at a

### Discount of 20 per cent to 50 per cent from Wholesale Prices!

After August 10th I am to do no more retailing. The goods remaining on hand at that time will be shipped back to the wholesale houses. After August 10th if you want any of these goods you will have to buy the entire stock as I am positively prohibited from selling at retail after that date.

## Saturday Night, August 10 This Store Will Cease to Do Business in Red Cloud.

If you want any of the bargains we are offering in the following lines

**Groceries, Dress Goods, plain and novelties, Summer Goods, in the latest effects, Percales, Prints, Outings, Shirtings, Tickings, Muslins, Table Linen, Notions, Hosiery, Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Carpets, Mattings, Mackintoshes, Overalls, Work Shirts, Ladies' and Gents' Underwear, Corsets and Shoes,** you must purchase them before Saturday night, August 10. We are going to sell everything in the store from now until Saturday night, August 10th at much below hot weather prices in order to avoid the expense of shipping the goods.

# R. D. GASTON, - TRUSTEE.



### Have You Perfect Eyes.

Highest authorities on the eyes say you have not. Today the absolutely perfect eye is unknown. Is the defect in your eyes sufficient to cause harmful results? This may be determined by our scientific measurements of the eye, and in no other way. Use of glasses advised if you need them—otherwise not. Glasses sold if you want them—but no compulsion about it.

**Newhouse - Bros.**  
Red Cloud, Neb.

### WEEK'S HAPPENINGS.

stove repairs at W. W. Wright's. Fifty cent silk foulards at 35c. a yard.—MINER BROS.  
Geo. W. Hummel of Dewese, was here this week.  
O. the way to Albright Brothers, a carload of furniture.  
Cap. Houchin left Tuesday morning for a trip to Oklahoma.  
Stewart Albright was looking after matters at Superior Tuesday.  
Fine best French gingham, regular 30c. a yard, our price 22c.—MINER BROS.  
R. T. Potter left Tuesday evening to enjoy himself at Salt Lake City during Tuesday morning by the animal going in a field of corn.  
Geo. Hollister lost a valuable cow on Tuesday morning by the animal going in a field of corn.  
Visitors are always made welcome at Albright Bros. whether you purchase or not. Always glad to see you.

### MORE OR LESS PERSONAL.

**THE CHIEF \$1 per year.**  
Jacob Kindeher of Guide Rock was here this week.  
Our special price on dollar corsets is 69c.—MINER BROS.  
A fine line of summer lap robes and fly nets at Fogel & Hutchison's.  
George M. Caster of Riverton visited with friends here the first of the week.  
Attorney J. R. Mercer was looking after business matters at Superior this week.  
Miss Cora Garber who has been visiting her parents here has returned to Lincoln.  
Mrs. Frank Steeper left Monday for a visit with relatives at David City, this state.  
Miss Lillie Burnett of McCook is here this week visiting with friends and relatives.  
Have you seen the latest styles of nets and dusters? Butler's is the place for them.  
Mrs. Mary Edburg of Stromberg, this state was here the last of the week visiting with friends.  
Don't forget the date and place of the special sale of nets, dusters and light harness at Butler's.  
Finest line of iron beds and fancy rockers in the valley, at bed-rock prices at J. C. Wolfe's, the furniture man.  
R. D. Gaston, trustee for the Nebraska Mercantile Co. is here this week looking after the final disposal of that stock.  
Farm loans at 5 per cent interest on good improved land. C. F. Cather, office over Cotting's drug store, Red Cloud, Neb.  
Mrs. Wm. Woods who has been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lindley has returned to her home at McCook.  
Latest music by most popular authors found at Music Store. Any thing not in stock ordered at once. All music at lowest possible prices.  
T. E. Penman, wife and little daughter returned Tuesday morning from a several weeks visit in the east and taking in the Buffalo exposition.  
Fat lady—Don't sleep too much; exercise; don't eat fats and sweets. To reduce rapidly take Rocky Mountain Tea. Acts directly on the fatty tissues. 25c.—C. L. COTTING.

### LOCALLY

Boils are cheap at The Fair.  
Colonial bust forms 60 cents each at Miner Bros.  
The CHIEF and Chicago Inter Ocean are year for \$1.25.  
Fly nets and dusters in endless variety at Fogel & Hutchison's.  
Grain ranch and 500 acre pasture for rent.—T. J. McKINNY, Hoxie, Kansas.  
You can get granite and tinware cheap at The Fair. A new line just received.  
John S. Marsh of Guide Rock was here Wednesday looking after business matters.  
Special sale on nets, dusters and light harness for the next thirty days at J. O. Butler's.  
Mrs. J. A. Tulleys and children left Wednesday evening for a sojourn at Colorado Springs.  
Special Lace and Ribbon Sale 25 percent discount on all Lace and Ribbon from July 22 to 27 at The Fair.  
Sunday was the hottest day of the season. The thermometer went up to 112 and then stopped for want of more mercury.  
Numerous limbs were blown from trees in this city during the storm Tuesday evening. Aside from this no damage is reported.

### Farm Insurance!

**German - Insurance - Co.,**  
OF FREEPORT, ILL.  
The largest old line company in the west.

**Farmers Mutual Ins Co.,**  
OF NEBRASKA, OF LINCOLN.  
Largest mutual in the state with over 300 policies in Webster County.

**O. C. Teel, Agt.,**  
RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA.

### GENERAL CITY NEWS.

Mrs. George Wilson of Guide Rock was in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. Hunt of Riverton was visiting Miss Alta Smelser this week.  
Mrs. Charley Ball returned Monday from a visit with friends in Riverton.  
Mrs. Spaulding of Riverton was visiting friends in the city the first of the week.  
You are missing bargains every day by not watching the Special Sale window at The Fair.  
Sunday was about the hottest day of the summer in this city. The thermometer registered 112.  
Some of the masons at work on the Wright Potter building spent Sunday with their families in Hastings.  
Charley Amack, Bert Crowley and Elmer Wilson are among those who have gone from here to Oklahoma.  
The Grice Drug store building received a nice coat of paint this week which adds much to its appearance.  
Finest line of rocking chairs and the greatest variety of dining chairs ever thrown upon the market found at Albright Bros.  
E. J. Overing Sr., was attending to business matters in Burr Oak Wednesday. His daughter Sadie accompanied him.  
The heavy wind which accompanied the rain of Tuesday blew over Mike Finkbinder's wind mill and moved his large barn.  
James Burden and wife and C. D. Robinson and wife who have been taking an outing in the mountains have returned home.  
L. D. Oatman is able to hobble around on four legs after having been laid up with a sprained ankle for a couple of weeks.  
Mrs. Patti Jackson and Mrs. Walker of Topeka, Kansas, mother and sister of Mrs. Al Galusha arrived in the city Wednesday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ransom of Mankato, Kansas, and Mrs. Dunham, of Jaynesville, Wisconsin, visited with H. C. Cutter and wife last Friday.  
W. J. Hayes who was day operator at the depot here several years ago returned here Saturday and will work in transferring freight at the depot.  
Another fine shower on Tuesday evening. It was a purely local one and aside from cooling off the torrid atmosphere did not do much good.

Mrs. R. McDonald, who has been visiting with A. G. Stonebraker and wife, returned to her home in Shell Rock, Iowa, the fore part of the week.  
Wanted to know who has a copy of Berj. Van Dyke's Prison Life. Book was loaned and lender has forgotten who received it. Please return to this office.  
If you want some "just as good" "I make it myself" remedy, try an imitation Rocky Mountain Tea. 'Twill make you sick and keep you sick.—C. L. COTTING.  
R. E. McBride and family were visiting with relatives at Amboy Thursday. He reports a powerful lot of "sneakers" and a few cat fish at the mill down there.  
The republican county central committee met on Wednesday, and designated Wednesday, August 21, 1901, as the day for the republican county convention.  
John Brush, living east of town this week threshed out seventeen acres of wheat which went thirty-six bushels to the acre. Not so bad for a drouth stricken country.  
Some parties who went from this place to Denver to cool off are sweating in the heated atmosphere of that place which is always supposed to be cool, but where the mercury now goes to 100.  
The water commissioner has been busy this week shutting off water in different parts of town where the consumers did not care to pay for the quality furnished.  
Deputy Sheriff Burdick in stepping out or the way of a workman at the Oatman hotel building yesterday fell between the joist and hurt himself, but in a few hours was all right again.  
The assault and battery case of Adolph Jeasen vs. Samuel Heaton Jr. was tried again last week and Heaton was assessed a fine of ten dollars and costs from which he appealed to the district court.  
A gentleman came in this week and said he owed us something on subscription and would divide with us. If every one who owes us would have the same inclination to divide we would look into the future without misgivings.  
"Whist! Howld yer ears. The members of the batchler club hav' received notice that one of their members will soon change a loife of single blessedness for a loife of double cussedness." Further than this this exponent sayeth naught.

## Hot Weather Hardware

has raised thunder but it hasn't raised the price of

We are still hammering away and can save you money on

**Forks, Galvanized Bushel Measures, Galvanized Half-Bushel Measures, Scoops,**

Don't forget we make the prices the lowest that can be.

We want your trade and will save you money to get it.

**MORHART BROS. HARDWARE Co.**