



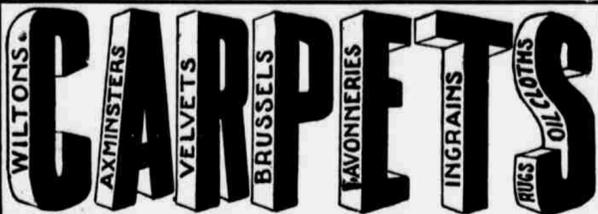
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MINER BROS.,

RED CLOUD, NEB.



Remnants and Carpet Samples.

1 yd. square samples of all wool Ingrains, 25c each. Axminster and Velvet Samples and Carpet Remnants, 65c yard.
 1 pattern Union Carpet, special selling at 25c yd.
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	Myra Rugs, 30x60 in.....\$2.00.
	Smyrna Rugs, 36x72 in.....\$3.00.
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Money Back if You Are Not Satisfied.

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FOR SALE
8 Duroc Jersey BOARS,



All eligible to register. Inquire of M. W. Dickerson or at my farm, 2 miles south and 3 miles west of Red Cloud. J. E. JACKSON.

City Dray and Express Line.

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Goods Delivered to any part of the city.

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Lumber, Lime, Coal and Cement.

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Items of Interest as Reported by Chief Reporters at Several Nearby Localities.

GUIDE ROCK.

The needed rain has come to complete one of the heaviest crops of corn per acre in the history of Webster county. There are about 20 acres in one field near Guide Rock which it is said by good corn raisers will make 90 bushels per acre, and that is good enough.

Pearl Roland and wife have returned from their visit in the east part of the state. They report a very pleasant time.

Ad Howard has purchased what used to be known as the John Means farm. Price, \$3,300.

Mrs. Norris has her house almost completed.

Amos Dillon has the new addition to his house almost done.

W. H. Barcus has his new barn finished and will move to his new house soon.

Mr. Walker, from South Dakota, is expected to arrive in Guide Rock with his family about September 5, to make this place his home.

Rev. Covert, pastor of the Baptist church, preached his farewell sermon Sunday night. He has made many friends here in the past two years.

Wilford Hagan bought a half interest in the restaurant with Frank Guy. The boys are quite energetic and we predict success for them.

Wm. Sawyer is at Hardy moving a large house this week. Last week he moved a large building for T. W. Cole at Nelson.

Joe Feliman is in town this week. He formerly lived north of town, but left here with his parents several years ago. His parents now live in St. Louis.

Colvin & Barcus are expecting land buyers soon from Iowa and Dakota. List your property with them if you want to sell.

Colvin & Barcus take subscriptions for the Superior Journal, Webster County Argus, Nebraska Farmer and THE CHIEF.

James B. Colvin has opened a repair shop at Fairfield, Neb.

William Montgomery sent a load of fine young poultry to Red Cloud Tuesday.

County Clerk E. S. Garber was down Sunday and Monday.

W. A. Seelye's new triphammer can be heard pretty regularly now.

Rev. Covert has his goods loaded and ready for shipment to Illinois.

Sam Smith of Bostwick was on our streets Monday.

Lisha Woodward and son brought in a nice load of watermelons Wednesday.

Two loads of Yankee pumpkins were for sale on the streets this week.

John Ogelvie was over from Kansas Wednesday. John says prairie hay is good and plentiful this year.

Sheriff McArthur was here Wednesday. Of course there is no one in Guide Rock that he is looking for.

The Hagan brothers have returned from their trip north. They report corn extra heavy to the Dakota line.

BLADEN.

John Kropp has returned from Kansas to take charge of his school.

Percy Grandstaff and James Morey leave Monday for Fremont, where they will attend school.

W. W. Keith will have a public sale August 28. He expects to go south for the winter.

Elmer McCoy bought a bunch of western horses, which he is breaking and fitting for sale or trade.

Mrs. Leonard, nee Roth, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is the guest of Mrs. Pashby.

Phillip Wolf, Ray McIllice and Elmer

Pashby expect to attend school at Grand Island this winter.

Mrs. Miller Adams of Hastings came down from Hastings to visit her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Reed.

It is reported that H. Pounds has purchased of Philip Fassler the eighty acres just east of town, for which he paid \$3,000.

We have had several good rains the past week, which insure the corn crop, help fall plowing and put a smile upon everybody's face.

C. E. Hicks lost a stack of wheat by fire one day this week. It is supposed to have been struck by lightning. By hard work other stacks near it were saved.

Sheriff McArthur was up in this vicinity looking for some horse thieves one day last week.

Frank Burden will move into the Boyd house, across the track.

James McBride and Miss Lottie Doyle were married at the home of the bride on Thursday, the 21st, by the Rev. Young. The couple are among Bladen's best young people and have the good wishes of their many friends.

A young daughter came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drescher.

Mrs. Wash Reed returned home the latter part of the week from Red Cloud, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Newhouse.

Our deputy postmistress presented the postmaster with a young son Monday morning. Of course Will was surprised.

GARFIELD.

We have had a number of good rains lately, for which we are thankful.

Mrs. Herbert McKean, who has been seriously ill, is now a little better and hopes are entertained of her complete recovery.

A. B. Wiggins arrived home last Saturday from a landseeking excursion in Harlan county, Kansas, and Colorado. This is his second homeseeking this year and he is now homeseeking that there are worse places than Nebraska.

This time it is a boy and G. W. Drake wears a broad smile.

Henry Parsons has rented Frank Henson's farm and has moved onto it. He is satisfied to take the experience of others about money growing on bushes in various other localities.

Mr. Ormsby, the United States special examiner of rural free delivery routes, was looking over a route in Garfield Saturday. He says that if the farmers do not immediately repair the roads his report will be unfavorable.

J. J. Smith is at home again after a short visit in Illinois.

Dean Smith is back from Kansas for a short visit with his parents.

Frank Daugherty is now riding his bike around the neighborhood trying to sell naps to those in need of geographical and historical lore.

Mrs. L. D. Fox left Tuesday on an extended visit to friends and relatives in Michigan, her old home, which she has not visited since moving west in 1879.

The sewing circle held at Mrs. Mary Ailes' on last Wednesday was well attended. Good cheer was in abundance at noon and an enjoyable time was had. The ladies did the work, as usual on such occasions, and the men wasted their time pitching horseshoes.

LOWLES.

Farmers feel very much encouraged since the rain.

Fall plowing has commenced. Mrs. Wm. Peak and children returned Friday from Franklin, where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Edith Edson went to Deweese Saturday for a visit with relatives.

A number of teachers came in on

the train Saturday from Red Cloud, where they had been attending the institute.

Norton Watson and bride of Lincoln are visiting the family of J. B. Watson.

Mrs. George Hager and sons and Miss Mabel Waller returned Saturday from the reunion at Franklin.

Henry Keeney and wife are attending campmeeting at Deweese this week.

The ladies of the M. E. church served ice cream in the rooms back of the postoffice Saturday.

A social dance was given at the home of N. W. Crawford Monday night. All report a pleasant time.

Bladen and Cowles played their third game of base ball on the Red Cloud diamond last Saturday. The game was very interesting and exciting and resulted in a score of 7 to 3 in favor of Cowles.

A number of our young folks are enjoying an outing at Le Roy this week.

LINE.

Weather cloudy and cool; some rain.

Mr. Shuck is busy hauling brick and lumber to repair his house. William Campbell has the contract to do the work.

David Tripp is doing some masonry work for W. J. Haskins this week.

W. J. Haskins and S. C. Shuck are the owners of a cream separator of the latest improved pattern.

The United States rural free delivery route inspector was in Line this week locating a route.

Miss Nellie Bon of Cowles was in Line this week visiting friends.

Reuben Keagle is the owner of a new team, wagon and harness.

Lee Parson was in Line this week.

The Fruit brothers are threshing near Mount Hope this week.

Al Slaby has crossed the river and will soon thresh for Mr. Maynard.

S. C. Shuck has leased the Dave Anderson place for \$1 per acre cash.

Rev. J. J. Campbell will preach his farewell sermon September 1 at 11 a. m., at Pleasant Dale.

STILLWATER.

Cool and damp.

Good weather for corn.

Farmers are busy plowing for wheat.

Bessie Smith is on the sick list this week.

Will Finney and family took dinner at J. R. Crozier's Sunday.

Jem Downing and his partner of Mt. Clare were buying cattle in this vicinity last week.

Henry Britten has rented one of G. W. Francis' farms, the place now occupied by Mr. Price.

Ad Howard has bought Dave Fishel's farm of 160 acres; consideration, \$3,200. Mr. Fishel thinks of going into business at Bladen.

Hi Hendrix and wife, from near Blue Hill, were visiting at Dave Fishel's last week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Mary Dault and Jessie and Addie Williams of Douglas, Neb., sister and nieces respectively of Mrs. Hendrix and Dave Fishel. The ladies are still visiting at Dave's.

WALNUT CREEK.

Rain enough to make a good crop of corn.

Adolph Jessen sold his fine span of mules for \$235.

Frank Coulson is hauling his wheat to Riverton, getting the highest market price.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton of Minden have been visiting their brother on Walnut creek.

Sara Arneson spent last week with Bortha Rinker at Franklin.

J. C. and H. S. Holcomb have some very fine watermelons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coulson spent Wednesday with Frank Coulson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagwell have moved onto Mr. Arnold's farm.

Tom Blankenbaker is putting up his alfalfa.

Books

Given

Free.

Commencing,

Saturday,

June 21st.

Below we give a partial list of the books we have on hand at present.

Arabian Nights (2) New and Revised Edition	Scott
The Fortunes of Nigel	Scott
Ivanhoe	Scott
Beyond the City (2)	A. Conan Doyle
Strange Secrets	A. Conan Doyle
All Sorts and Conditions of Men	Besant and Rice
Jet	Edwards
Knights Errant	Lyall
Heppo the Conscript	Anthony Trollope
Chicot the Jester	Dumas
Countess de Charny	Dumas
Love and Liberty	Dumas
The Conscript	Dumas
Vicomte de Bragelonne	Dumas
Consuelo	Sand
The Countess of Rethelstadt	Sand
Indians	Sand
Fanchon the Cricket	Sand
Delice	Warden
Confessions of an English Opium Eater	De Quincey
Gold Etile	Marlitt
A Daughter of Beth	Black
The Frontiersmen (2)	Atwood
The Blithedale Romance	Hawthorne
Ardath	Marie Corelli
Uarda	Ebers
Pilgrim's Progress	Bunyan
The Deemsters	Hall (Aime)
Humphrey Clinker	Smollet
Corinne	De Stael
Paris Sketch Book	Thackeray
The Man Who Was Good	Menikoff
Jack Horner	Mary S. Tiernan
Homoselle	Mary S. Tiernan
Woodlanders	Thos. Hardy
The Desire of the Eyes	Grant Allen
Not in the Prospectus	Danforth
Ramuntch	Loti
A New Note	McMahon
Dragon's Teeth	Serrano
The Cedar Star	Mann
The Crystal Button	Thomas
A Living Lie	Bourget

One of these books will be given with every dollar you pay on subscription. If you pay one years subscription in advance or one dollar of back subscription you get one of these handsome books free. If you pay two dollars on subscription you get two books, if you pay \$3 on subscription you get three books, etc. For every dollar you pay on subscription you get one of these handsome books.

Come in and get one before they are all gone.