

# THE CHIEF

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TELEPHONE, SEVEN - TWO

Bully for the Japs!

What is the Roosevelt club doing?

How would you like to be a Russian just now?

The Japs have at last wearied of Russia's double-dealing and proceeded to give the bear a lesson.

The official call for the Republican state convention, to be held at Lincoln, May 18, has been issued by the state central committee.

The serious illness of Senator M. A. Hanna has caused considerable apprehension in the ranks of the Republican party. Senator Hanna will be a power in the Republican party as long as he lives.

The sympathies of the American people, and of all other civilized nations except France, are with plucky little Japan in her fight against the aggressions of Russia. France has been unfortunate in her friendships.

The dignity and wisdom displayed by Judge Keeney in his conduct of the preliminary hearing of Frank Barker showed that the voters of Webster county made no mistake in electing him to the office of county judge.

In many respects the Baltimore fire was remarkable. The property loss has never been exceeded in this country except by the great Chicago disaster; the rapidity with which the flames spread was thought to be impossible under modern conditions, and the remarkable absence of fatalities in a conflagration so great is astounding. Not a single life was lost, and the severely injured were few in number.

John Otho Yeiser, formerly of this city, now of Omaha, has announced his return to the ranks of the Republican party after having been in outer darkness since the Populist craze sprang into existence. This announcement is probably due in some measure to the statement made by Alfred Sorenson (who is booming himself in his paper, the Omaha Examiner, for the United States senatorship) that when he is elected to the senate he will have Yeiser appointed attorney general of the United States.

France will probably decline to join the movement inaugurated by the United States and concurred in by the other powers, tending to maintain the integrity of China, no matter who wins in the present contest. France is still sore at the United States over the result of the Spanish-American war. Then, too, the miserable failure of the French in their efforts to build the Panama canal, which work will be carried to completion by the United States, has aroused unreasonable jealousy in the breasts of some Frenchmen.

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Take cold easily? Throat tender? Lungs weak? Any relatives have consumption? Then a cough means a great

## Cherry Pectoral

deal to you. Follow your doctor's advice and take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It heals, strengthens, prevents.

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Ayer's Pills increase the activity of the liver, and thus aid recovery.

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But how about the children? Are they fed according to science, a bone food if bones are soft and undeveloped, a flesh and muscle food if they are thin and weak and a blood food if there is anemia?

Scott's Emulsion is a mixed food; the Cod Liver Oil in it makes flesh, blood and muscle, the Lime and Soda make bone and brain. It is the standard scientific food for delicate children.



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### Atchison Globe Sights.

Laugh when a friend tells a joke; it is one of the taxes you must pay.

If a brakeman speaks the language he refers to his caboose as "the hack."

No man can go hunting or fishing without making an explanation afterwards.

The trouble with sympathy is that if it is not given to you, it is so apt to be misplaced.

We have remarked that when we receive a letter from Washington, we are referred to as "Hon."

They say of a certain man that he is so badly shaped that he can wear nothing ready-made except an umbrella.

When a woman dies, the papers say she was a society woman, thinking it a great compliment. But it's not.

Don't worry about the failure of the ice crop this winter. You can keep the butter in the well next summer, and get along.

Some people straighten their arms up and out a few times, walk around the block and imagine they have enough exercise for the day.

As soon as a woman marries she gets her teeth fixed. As soon as a man is elected to a good big office, he begins to lay off weeks at a time, owing to "illness."

An old fellow is making a fool of himself in Atchison over a woman. That sort of thing should be laid aside at thirty or forty; earlier if possible. An old fellow should be able to defend himself.

About all the difference between a guest from New York and one from Smith's Cross Roads is that the former refers to the servant girl as a maid, and the latter wants to sit in the kitchen and visit with her.

Once a thing is pronounced proper it goes on forever. In the days of barbarism, it was necessary to watch the bodies of the dead to keep wild animals from getting at them. We still watch the bodies of the dead at night.

A boy took his teacher a half an apple. The teacher thanked him for his thoughtfulness, and offered him a part of it. "As a matter of fact," the boy finally confessed in refusing, "I ate my apple, and half of yours."

It Keeps the Feet Warm and Dry. Ask today for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures chilblains, swollen, sweating, sore aching damp feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. 12 4

Pretty Miss Nellie Hascumb, Omaha: "I owe my good looks and health to Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea. Have fully regained my health." Tea or tablets. 85 cents—C. L. Cotting.

# LOCALETTES

Stock saddles at Joe Fogel's. Light harness at Joe Fogel's. Joe Blair was in town this week. Try that calf meal at Caldwell's. Car best Colorado coal at Caldwell's. Leon Marsh went to Hastings Tuesday.

Mrs. J. L. Miner went to Blue Hill Tuesday.

The tenth grade had a half holiday Tuesday.

Walt Kaley was up from Chester this week.

G. W. Black was down from Alma this week.

Mrs. Charles Robinson is reported to be very ill.

J. W. Wallin is home from Sour Lake, Texas.

Infants' all-wool white shirts, 50c. F. Newhouse.

Herbert Conover was down from McCook Saturday.

Try Ward Hayes for a first class shave or hair-cut.

P. A. Williams was down from Riverton Sunday.

Ed Gillard made a short trip to Napoleon this week.

Mrs. Fred Turnure has returned from Maryville, Mo.

G. W. Hite was down from Campbell this week on business.

Furnished Rooms for Rent—Inquire of Mrs. J. A. Tulleys.

If you want the best and cheapest harness, go to Fogel's.

See Joe Fogel for anything in the harness or saddlery line.

Place your orders for next car Sheridan coal. J. O. Caldwell.

Shippin's big horse sale Wednesday 24th, don't forget the date.

Miss Mary Peterson was in Guide Rock the first of the week.

Miss Moody of Blue Hill visited in Red Cloud the first of the week.

Cook wanted at the Bon Ton; \$20 per month, board, room and washing.

Moranville's Perfection Hair Tonic for sale at Schaffnit's barber shop.

Quick service and first class work is the motto at Schaffnit's barber shop.

Charles Gust went to Kansas city with some cattle the first of the week.

Grant Turner, who last week quit the dry line is now working at Johnston's.

Mr. J. L. Miner and daughter Irene have returned from their eastern trip.

Mrs. Kralick visited in Franklin with Mrs. Nellie Moore the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Latta entertained their neighbors and friends last Tuesday.

Ed Walters came home from Lincoln to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Alice Barker.

Rev. A. A. Cressman of Grand Island and Rev. Wm. Hauptmann will exchange pulpits next Sunday.

Mrs. Charles M. Cord arrived from Denver Monday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Alice Barker.

County Clerk E. S. Garber has purchased the residence of D. J. Myers in this city and will soon take possession.

Arthur F. Kuhlmann of Republic, Kan, and Miss Matilda Bergfield of Guide Rock were licensed to marry Monday.

Roscoe Sellars will leave tomorrow for Denver, Col., where he will be in the employ of D. J. Myers, formerly of this city.

The Schubert Mandolin and Guitar Club will render some very bewitching selections at the Schubert's concert on Thursday, February 25.

Llewellyn D. George of Broken Bow, Neb., and Miss Arvie Larrick of Bladen were married at Bladen Tuesday by Rev. E. L. Wolf.

The entertainment given by the De Moss Lyric Bards at the M. E. church Monday night was well attended and those present report an enjoyable time.

Charles Ailes, living over in Garfield township, had the misfortune to break one of his toes Tuesday, while handling some logs. Dr. Damerel dressed the injured member.

Roy Garber came up from Guide Rock Thursday night. He has a job as timekeeper for a gang of B. & M. concrete workers and has been at Humbolt, Neb., for some time past.

Drs. Weirick and Riddle of Hastings will meet eye, ear, nose and throat patients and those needing glasses fitted. In Red Cloud Friday, February 19, in Dr. Creighton's office.

The Red Cloud football team will give a social dance at Potter's hall Friday night February 19. Yourself and ladies are cordially invited to attend. Good music and good order. Dancing 50c.

It isn't how much cold cream a woman puts on her face but how much Rocky Mountain tea she takes inside that brings out real beauty. Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea complexion stays. 85 cents. Tea or tablets.—C. L. Cotting.

At the meeting held last Saturday those interested in establishing a

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central for the rural phones in this city decided that all rural lines should build to Red Cloud, where they will consolidate under the name of the Farmers' Mutual Telephone Co.

The great popularity of the Schubert Lady Quartette is not only their grand voices, but also because they study to please the people. All their encores are either amusing, or artistic arrangements of those sweet old melodies so dear to all American hearts. Hear them on Thursday, February 25.

It is some years since I heard Rev. A. A. Cressman's lecture on Lincoln, but there remains in mind a pleasant recollection of the force, power and personality of the speaker. I should advise all admirers of Lincoln and those who enjoy an intellectual treat to hear Mr. Cressman.—Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann.

Just as Lincoln's birthday draws near we have a chance to hear a lecture on his life and character. Rev. A. A. Cressman of Grand Island will deliver the lecture at the Congregational church on Monday night. Proceeds go to Young People's Christian association. Come, hear a good lecture and help a worthy cause. Admission 15c.

The concert of the Madrigal Ladies' Quartette at the M. E. church last night was well attended and everyone enjoyed the entertainment. Owing to a misunderstanding it was 9 o'clock when the entertainment began, but the crowd was well repaid for waiting. This is the last entertainment in the Ladies' Aid Society lecture course.

M. S. Marsh, proprietor of the Royal hotel, was obliged to eject a traveling man from the office of the hotel Tuesday. It seems that the party "had it in" for the U. C. T., the traveling men's union, and was "roasting" the order. As there were several members of the order present, they took exception to the remarks of the belligerent. To avoid a row, Mr. Marsh "fired" the offending person from the hotel.

For fifty cents you can buy ten yards of calico or ten pounds of sugar; a plug of tobacco; ten cigars; a circus ticket, a ticket to the theater, when we get those fire escapes, or five drinks of cheap whisky, or a bottle of patent medicine, but best of all with fifty cents you can buy a soldier's monument button, ornament your coat and your money will be crystallized in a thing of beauty, to be seen and admired for ages to come. For sale at all stores

### A Jaunt to Old Mexico.

On February 18 the Burlington will run a personally conducted excursion from Lincoln to Old Mexico and return. This is a rare opportunity to see the "Egypt of the Western Hemisphere" at minimum cost.

Early intimation of your intention to accompany this party is necessary. For full information write to G. W. Bonnell, city passenger agent, Burlington route, Lincoln, Neb.

### Farm Loans.

I have just prepared myself to make farm loans at a low rate of interest either in Jewell, Smith or Webster counties; can pay off at any time. J. H. BAILLY, Red Cloud.

### To Cure A Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

### For INSURANCE

against Fire, Lightning, Cyclones and Windstorms, see JNO. B. STANSER, agent for the Farmers Union Insurance Co., Lincoln, Neb., the best insurance company in the state.

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Red Cloud, - - - Nebraska.

### Order to Show Cause.

IN THE COUNTY COURT.

State of Nebraska, Webster County.

At a county court held at the county court room in and for said county, February 25th, A. D. 1904.

In the matter of the estate of Silve Erickson, deceased.

Ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of February, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., be assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county and show cause why the prayer of petition should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter, by publishing a copy of this order in the Red Cloud CHIEF, a weekly newspaper published in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

(SEAL) A. H. KREBY, County Judge.

### TIME TABLE.

Red Cloud, Neb.

LINCOLN	DENVER
OMAHA	HELENA
CHICAGO	BUTTE
ST. JOE	SALT LAKE CITY
KANSAS CITY	PORTLAND
ST. LOUIS and all points east and south.	SAN FRANCISCO and all points west.

TRAINS LEAVE AS FOLLOWS:

No. 13. Passenger daily for Oberlin and St. Francis branches, Oxford, McCook, Denver and all points west. 6:35 a.m.

No. 14. Passenger daily for St. Joe, Kansas City, Atchison, St. Louis, Lincoln via Wymore and all points east and south. 2:10 a.m.

No. 15. Passenger, daily, Denver, all points in Colorado, Utah and California. 8:15 p.m.

No. 16. Passenger, daily for St. Joe, Kansas City, Atchison, St. Louis and all points east and south. 10:35 a.m.

No. 17. Accommodation, daily except Sunday, Hastings, Grand Island, Black Hills and all points in the northwest. 2:00 p.m.

Sleeping, dining, and reclining chair cars (seats free) on through trains. Tickets sold and baggage checked to any point in the United States or Canada.

For information, time tables, maps or tickets call on or address A. Conover, Agent, Red Cloud, Neb., or J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebraska.