



Miner Bros.

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Embroideries.

250 pieces 4 1/2 yard remnants of Embroideries in Swisses, Muslin and Nainsook. Embroideries worth 35c to 65c, special to close,

25c

(On center table.)

Silk Gingham.

33c

Regular 50c grade, white with black stripe, lace stripes and fancy colors. Special price,

33c

Furniture.

Chair specials at

\$1.00

Two patterns heavy wood seat, backs with fancy pressed wood.

50 new iron beds, a special. Prices,

\$3 to \$6

1 1/2 inch posts, some with straight rod filling, others with fancy scroll fillings, all with angle irons, enameled with pink, greens, reds, blue and blacks.

(Second floor)

Linens.

Natural color, 31 in. wide, for shirt waist suits, children's clothes, etc., a hot weather article,

25c yard

Pongee.

36 in. imported Silk Pongee, the cloth of fashion; regular \$1.00; special,

85c yard

Laces.

Special values, 1 in. to 3 in. wide,

5c yard

(On center table.)

Collars.

Sample line 5 dozen ladies' collars, worth 35 to 50c. Special prices,

25 and 30c

Imported China premium dishes at now in. See the display in our show window.

A berry set of 13 pieces to be given away with cash and produce trade.

"Satisfaction or money back."

MINER BROS

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Items of News Found in The Chief of Twenty Years Ago This Week

N. Longtin of Clyde, Kan., paid our city a visit last week.

With this number THE CHIEF closes its eleventh volume. THE CHIEF was the first paper published in the Republican valley.

Miss S. H. Perry will again open her dress-making shop.

J. D. Leach brought in a specimen of corn of 50 days growth which was 9 feet 11 inches high.

There was a party at J. L. Miner's on Monday afternoon in honor of the 13th birthday of their daughter Mary. David Heffelbower threshed his wheat on Wednesday, which yielded over twenty bushels to the acre.

Wm. Parkes has received a quilt from his mother which contained over 4,000 pieces. His mother is 75 years old and Mr. Parkes is proud of his present.

The U. P. surveying outfit are again in camp on Crooked creek.

The Reds of this city played the Blue Hill boys on the 30th and won by a score of 20 to 15.

A number of lightning rod peddlers who have been working this vicinity for several weeks past, attempted to beat their board bill at the Gardner house, but the proprietor was too quick for them and had an attachment issued for their tools and stock in trade. The case was compromised upon the payment of \$59 by the lightning rod men.

During the absence of his parents, one day this week, an eleven year-old lad living near Blue Hill tied his four year old brother to a horse and the latter was kicked to death.

On Saturday afternoon a number of the members of the Webster County Agricultural society and several other citizens met to make arrangements for holding a county fair. President M. H. Warner occupied the chair and Mr. Jones acted as secretary. It was decided to hold the annual fair in September, and committees were appointed to make arrangements for holding the same.

The county teachers' institute opened on Monday with a good attendance.

It is reported that the B. & M. has given orders for the construction of the Red Cloud & Kansas Southwestern branch from this city to W. Keeney, Kan.

Nelson Cone of Guide Rock lost 100 acres of grain through the recent hail storm.

Judge Gaslin has decided to throw off his judicial ermine and run for congress in this district.

C. Gust, a Line township farmer, started his harvester to work the other day, when his team ran away, smashing things up, but doing no personal damage to Mr. Gust.

Child Lost—On Monday morning last the 17-months-old son of Mrs. Dan Wagoner disappeared and no trace of him has yet been found. Mrs. Wagoner was visiting at the home of her father, Mr. Van Dyke, in Line township. The child was missed about 8 o'clock in the morning and search was at once instituted, but no trace of it could be found. On Wednesday a delegation of nearly one hundred, headed by Sheriff Warren, went out from Red Cloud to join the search, but their efforts were fruitless. The general conclusion is that the child was kidnaped by a gang of campers who had been staying in the neighborhood, and circumstantial evidence points strongly in their direction. Mrs. Wagoner is now in a precarious condition from nervous prostration. A reward of \$50 has been offered for the recovery of the child. [The body of this child was discovered in a little gully several weeks later, where it had evidently fallen in and drowned.—Ed.]

Cowles—A. C. Teel, a suburban resident, is making some substantial improvements... Mr. Gifford has added some improvements to the front of his store room... On Thursday evening last W. H. Howe was thrown from his horse against a fence post with such force as to dislocate his shoulder... C. W. Fuller moved this week into his new building.

Wells—F. J. Potter has sold his drug store to S. Metcalf of Red Cloud... William Hoffman was very sick last Sunday, but is recovering... M. F. Randall had a severe attack of heart disease last Sunday.

Hull Creek—June Bent recently added a new broom corn cutter to his family. It weighed about ten pounds... A. W. Hollengreen has built a new residence... Wheat is running from 20 to 25 bushels to the acre.

Pleasant Hill—Joe Saladen will go into the hotel business at Guide Rock... There is talk of another mill on Elm Creek... Lightning killed a yearling bull for C. C. Cox the other night... F. N. Richardson has received \$35 in payment for a cow that was killed on the B. & M. tracks in April.

Guide Rock—Dr. Robinson has overhauled his drug store... Dr. Moranville came here to adjust some business, but was compelled to return to Colorado on account of the poor state of his health... Three of our society young men drove into the country Sunday to see Cleopatra, but she had flown and the young men were grievously disappointed.

Atchison Globe Sights.

Some women wear white dresses too long.

There is a type of man who doesn't know he's a fool. He is always a fool.

Suppose a man could cause as much trouble, in proportion to his size, as a chigger.

When a man is sick, and thinks he is going to die, he is so badly scared that he is not cross.

"There are a lot of things I would like to know, just for my own satisfaction."—Parson Twine.

When you do a thing you shouldn't do, ever notice how everything seems to conspire to see that you are caught.

"I can't help being poor," a man said today "John D. Rockefeller made me poor by charging me so much for coal oil.

We can't see much difference between the average dress worn in a kitchen and one that has been through a blackberry patch.

It is distressing how rapidly time flies from the day a man acted the hero and how it drags from the time he acted the coward.

Notice to the young men: The girl who is always out in front sweeping the front porch as you go by; that's one kind of bait.

After a man has boarded a number of years, he begins to think a vegetable garden a more beautiful sight than a flower garden.

If it is perfectly proper for a woman to sit on a porch in the evening wearing nothing but a white dress, why isn't it proper, then, for a man to sit on the porch in his nightgown?

There is nothing to be alarmed about if you find a fresh bite on you when you undress at night, but if you find a fresh bite when you dress in the morning—my, but that's different.

You have remarked, no doubt, that after a man meets with reverses, he engages in the real estate and insurance business. But he never makes much money. We don't know what the trouble with the insurance business is, but according to Church White,

This beautiful gravy ladle is one of the

"Oneida Community Quality"

pieces of silver-plated tableware that are famous for possessing the



originality, the art and the finish of the best "Sterling." It is made in the plate heavier than triple, called "Triple-plus," and is guaranteed for twenty-five years.

The Oneida Community's Avalon pattern with its beautiful French gray finish is the most perfect reproduction of "Sterling" that has ever been attempted. It is sold here about the price of ordinary plate. We will be glad to tell you more about "Oneida Community Quality" silverware.

and to show you many rich and beautiful sets that make refined and lasting gifts

For Sale by Newhouse Bros.

this is the trouble with the real estate business: A real estate agent takes a man to look at a lot or a farm. The man is pleased, but says he must first consult his wife. In order to show that he runs things, the wife refuses to take it, and the real estate agent loses his commission.

"I find this world divided into two classes of critics," writes a young mother to this office; "those who criticize when I whip my children, and those who blame me when I don't."

To hope to retain the intense appetite of youth, is to be a glutton. The ravenous appetite of youth exists for a purpose, and that purpose is fulfilled with physical development. Don't eat too much.

At a late concert, a wise guy who sings in an amateur way, said to a man near him: "Notice that tempo!" Whereupon the man said: "I did not notice it; indeed, I do not know what a tempo is."

Dutch Fiat.

Mrs. F. Wittwer has returned from Lincoln much improved in health, and William Hilton is also improving nicely. We hope both may be restored to full health and vigor in the near future.

Cande Gibson had a tussle with the cultivator and came out second best, and later on the windmill tried to give him a black eye.

Presiding Elder Barber was present last Saturday and Sunday, gave us two fine sermons and attended to the business of the class. The meetings were well attended.

Mr. Hennon and lady of Jewell county spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. Houghtaling and family.

Mrs. York was visited by her sisters, brother and brother-in-law on Sunday.

Mrs. McCane was visiting her sister during quarterly meeting.

W. G. Shannon spent Saturday evening with Charles Torckmerton and found him much better.

Charles Boardsleg has stacked his second crop of alfalfa.

You should be careful what you say now, as the cornstalks have two ears, as a general thing.

W. G. Shannon will teach in No. 10 this season.

Mert and Howard Houghtaling and families of Jewell county, Kansas, were visiting relatives here on Sunday.

Line.

Good rain Wednesday. The second crop of alfalfa is now being cut.

B. S. Van Dyke is working for S. C. Shuck.

The Aubushon brothers have cut the weeds on the road along the northeast quarter of section 28, town 1, range 11.

Sunday school at Penny creek, district No. 8, every Sunday at 10 a. m.

Mr. Branner, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m.

S. C. Snuck has lost five calves and about fifty hogs from some unknown disease during the past month.

Prof. Shannon will teach an eight-months term of school near Guide Rock, beginning September 1.

District No. 8 will have seven months of school, commencing the first Monday in September.

Sunday school at Mt. Hope, Kan., every Sunday at 11 a. m., Mr. Cooper, superintendent.

V. H. Scrivner reports the prospect good for a big peach crop this fall.

The corn prospects are excellent.

The potato crop is good, spuds good, oats light, wheat good.

Special Rates

St. Paul and Minneapolis, July 18th to 18th, Inc. Aug 6th to 11th. In return limit Sept. 15th.

Colorado, Utah and Black Hills, June 1st to Sept. 30th. Limited for return Oct. 31.

Chicago Ill. June 1st. to Sept. 30th. limited for return Oct. 31st.

Rebub Indian Reservation, July 2nd to 22nd. return limit Aug. 31st.

Louisville, Ky. Aug. 13, 14, and 15, limited Sept. 15th

Indianapolis, Ind. June 20th. 27, limited to July 10th.

St. Joe, Mo. June 28, 29, 30, limit July 31st.

Atlantic City, July 9, 10, limited Aug. 3rd.

Cincinnati Ohio, July 15, 16, 17, limited Aug 18

San Francisco, Cal. Aug 15, to Sept 10th. return limit 23rd.—A. CONOVER, AGT.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It is the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, itching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Do not accept and substitute. Trial package free. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

Children who are delicate, feverish and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, making a sickly child strong and healthy. A certain cure for worms. Sold by all druggists. Sample free. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

Constipation, headache, backache, feel mean, no appetite, all run down. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. Money back, if it fails. 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. C. L. Cutting.

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

Bladen.
A fine rain fell here Wednesday morning.
Farmers are busy threshing and putting up alfalfa.
J. R. Horn and wife drove to Cowles Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. James McBride.
Miss Ethel Householder came home from Lincoln Tuesday.
Frank Burden moved, the latter part of the week, into the Ernest Spence property, in the north part of town.
Charles Morey will move into the H. B. Boyd property.
R. C. Chevalier of Campbell was in Bladen on business the first of the week.
Miss Flossie Burden of Red Cloud is visiting here.
Mrs. F. Burden and Miss Grace Reed visited at the home of their brother, Fred Reed, last Sunday.
Paris Orendorf of Campbell is visiting his uncle, James Lockhart, this week.
Mar Gagnon and family have moved into the Hoffman property.
C. E. Spence of Upland will move into the property which he purchased of O. Gagnon.
Mrs. Jennie Searls gave her Sunday school class a picnic at her home last

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