

TWENTY YEARS AGO

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

L. Baum has opened a notion and clothing store.

A Schindlemesser, a piano tuner, has located here.

Spring chickens are selling for 50 cents each in Red Cloud.

Excavating for C. Wiener's new store building has begun.

Fred Main is assisting Station Agent Durrie in the freight office.

Ormsby & Dickerson shipped a car of eggs to Boston this week.

David Watson and Miss Emma Steffen were married last week.

A. S. Marsh purchased a stock of furniture in Lincoln this week.

W. N. Richardson shipped twenty-five cars of stock to Chicago Sunday.

H. B. Lutz & Co. have opened a grocery store in the north end of town.

Joseph Melker, stenographer for Gregg & Hubbell, has gone to Boston.

Arrangements are being made to put up a telephone from town to the depot.

James Snodgrass and Miss Ada Chance of Cowles were married Saturday.

Rev. George O. Yeiser left Tuesday for a trip to the Exposition at New Orleans.

C. W. Kaley has invested in a Texas broncho. It can run faster than anybody's horse.

Miss Alice Hutchinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Trunkey, died Monday afternoon.

Contracts have been let for the extension of the Burlington road from Republican City to Oberlin, Kansas.

Henry Cook and Dr. Sherer went to Omaha Tuesday to attend the meeting of the State Pharmaceutical association.

A tramp harness maker, who was given work by Jake Miller left without notice, taking with him about \$15 worth of tools.

Wednesday evening the incorporators of the Building and Loan association met at the office of J. H. Kellogg and elected the following directors: W. D. Forrester, M. Birney, A. H. Kaley, L. H. Wallace, A. C. Hosmer and D. B. Spanogle.

Miss Nannie Cline, the eleven-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cline of Cloverton, was burned to death last Saturday. She was in the field helping to burn stalks, when her clothing caught fire and before help reached her she was so badly burned that death resulted soon after.

Jarret Cox, aged 67 years, was accidentally killed while crossing the railroad near Amboy. Mr. Cox and wife had been making their home with their nephew, C. C. Cox. Mr. Cox had just arisen from breakfast and started for the home of Mr. Post, where his wife had spent the night, and in crossing the track he was struck by the southbound passenger train.

SCOTT—Farmers are slow about corn planting. S. B. Kizer and wife now ride in a new buggy.

COWLES—A. A. Pak is visiting this week with friends in Franklin county. A. Woolver has about 200 fat cattle ready for shipment. C. W. Fuller left last week for a business trip through eastern Nebraska and western Iowa.

CATHERTON—C. P. Cather is inclosing a fine pasture. Miss Sarah Brown is teaching the Plainview school. Lydia Lockhart, formerly of this place, has bought John G. Potter's store at Wells. Lloyd Crabill visited at C. H. Rust's Saturday. Rochefort Edwards is having a well put down.

WELLS—Sam Aultz has sold his mail route to S. Alexander. The G. A. R. camp fire was a success. G. W. Boyd is the successor to Hoffman & Co. Dr. Kehler and wife were in Red Cloud this week. James Burden is clerking in Mrs. Lockhart's store. Dr. Monroe lost a fine horse Saturday night. Hark Young's little son came near being drowned by falling in a pond.

INAVALS—It is said we are to have a saloon. There is no better place in the valley for a saloon man to starve to death. Mr. Sheldon of Jackson, Michigan, has been visiting at the home of L. C. Olmstead. The late heavy frosts have killed nearly everything green except the Argus correspondent. Cheese making is now in full blast. The new lumber yard, under the management of A. C. Hale is a success. Robert Cochran visited his parents Sunday.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

May 1, 1905.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present.

In the matter of the application to have the $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ 16-1-12 appraised for the purpose of sale chairman appointed W. Richard, Joe Fogel, and H. G. Sawyer committee to appraise same for purpose of sale.

Chairman also appointed F. H. Gerlach, W. R. Anderson and H. G. Sawyer committee to appraise $\frac{1}{2}$ ne $\frac{1}{4}$ 16-4-12 for purpose of sale.

Board proceeded to open and inspect bids for bridges as per advertisement, and after careful inspection the contract was let to John W. Towle, he being the lowest bidder.

Road overseers were appointed as follows: B. F. Hudson, district 16; Joseph Schrader, district 21, and bond approved.

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The following official bonds were approved: Joseph Goll, O H R D No 26; W. E. Buker, O H R D No 5; Joseph Schrader, O H R D No 21; Fred Goll, O H R D No 50; Joseph Hubacek, O H R D No 49; E. R. Sherer, O H R D No 3; Wm. McCord, O H R D No 34; J. H. Motter, O H R D No 36; Fred Sampson, O H R D No 19.

Board adjourned to May 2.

May 2, 1905.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, members all present.

On motion, county clerk was instructed to procure flag for county.

Sam Shirley was appointed a member of the Soldiers' relief commission for east district.

Bridge petition of F. E. Payne et al, referred to Commissioners Sawyer and Anderson.

Resolution offered by Commissioner Gerlach.

Whereas, It appears that the clerk of the district court, county judge and several of the justices of the peace have not made their reports according to the statute, therefore be it

Resolved, by the county board of Webster county, that the chairman and one other commissioner appointed by the chairman, with the assistance of the county attorney, be a committee to investigate the records of said officers and report to the board their findings at the next meeting.

On motion the resolution was adopted and Commissioner Gerlach was appointed to act with chairman and county attorney.

John F. Knigge was appointed justice of the peace for Stillwater precinct.

Resignation of Frank A. Kuehn as county surveyor was accepted.

Minutes read and approved and board adjourned sine die.

Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers for week ending Wednesday, May 10, furnished by J. H. Bailey of Webster County Abstract company.

Seth Stinson to Blanche I Hall lot 12 block 31 Blue Hill wd.	\$ 550
Fred Maurer et al Referees to Seth Stinson, same qcd	425
L H Fort et al Referees to Jos Freudenstein e2 ne4 12-19 qcd.	2600
Melchior Volk to Hans Skjelver part w2 ne4 32-3 12 qcd.	150
C F Gund and wife to Morgan H Davis e4 ne2 8-2-10 wd.	700
C E Paul and wife to Olive A Ritchey lots 3 and 4 block 10 Cowles wd.	400
Chas A Davis to John Martin $\frac{1}{2}$ lots 14 and 15 block 3 Rohrsers add to Blue Hill wd.	100
Fred E McKeeby to Emanuel Fitz and W J Scrivner lots 1 to 4 block 7 Red Cloud wd.	350
W J Scrivner to Emanuel Fitz lots 3 and 4 block 7 Red Cloud qcd.	350
W J Scrivner and wife to E Fitz lots 3 and 4 block 7 Red Cloud qcd.	200
L C Bloom to Minnie M Bloom e2 s 4 nw4 se4 and se4 ne4 22-1-9 wd.	3000
E Fitz to W J Scrivner lots 1 and 2 block 7 Red Cloud qcd.	350
O D Hedge to Melissa Hedge n2 se4 23-2 11 wd.	3000
Mary F Reed to Rosa Francis lots 16 to 24 block 18 Red Cloud qcd.	1500
Blanche E Beauchamp to John S Marsh part ne4 nw4 15-1-11 wd Lincoln Land Co to M Everett lot 16 block 9 Vance add to Guide Rock wd.	125
Total	\$23400
Mortgages filed	\$2500
Mortgages released	\$6000

CORRESPONDENCE

Interesting Items Gathered by Our County Reporters

BLADEN

A. McCord returned from Iowa last Wednesday.

C. E. Keith, the dentist was in town the first of the week.

Dr. Wegman and wife drove over to Blue Hill last Tuesday.

Floyd Williams returned from Hastings Saturday evening.

W. W. Keith of Hastings was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Albright of Red Cloud was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Joe Chevalier of Campbell was visiting in this city one day this week.

Miss DeMars and Miss Perkins went to Campbell Friday evening returning Monday.

Mrs. Burke and children visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Will Davis, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Chevalier drove over to Campbell Sunday and spent the day at that place.

Mrs. Chevalier of Campbell visited at the home of her son R. C. Chevalier at this place Wednesday.

Mrs. Byrd Kyle returned from Red Cloud last Monday, after visiting at that place for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughten and F. S. Vaughten and wife of Holstein were visiting at the home of A. Reed's last Sunday.

Miss Mamie Householder was a passenger for Rosemont last Tuesday, where she goes to visit her sister, who is teaching school at that place.

DUTCH FLAT

Corn planting is the order of the day, but it had to be laid aside for the rain.

A great many people of this locality went to town after the rain and there attended the telephone meeting.

Bonnie Beardslee is not improving as rapidly as we wish he would, but still we are in hopes of a change for the better soon.

One of the old settlers of our locality passed away on Monday evening, after suffering a great deal from paralysis. Mrs. Nancy Hilton was esteemed by all who knew her and her life was a well written book. She is mourned by five daughters, two sons and a great community of friends and neighbors. Her five daughters have been present for the last two weeks and one son who lived with her was present at the time of her death. Another son in Oregon failed to reach the death bed or attend the funeral. Rev. G. W. Hummel of Blue Hill preached the funeral sermon to a large concourse of neighbors and friends of the deceased. She was buried in the Webb cemetery Wednesday.

WALNUT CREEK

The farmers are busy listing corn.

A good deal of wind Tuesday, but little rain.

John Sutton lost a valuable mare last week.

Guy Tennant lost a yearling on the alfalfa last week.

Guy Tennant has his new barn finished and is having his kitchen enlarged and a porch built.

Norman Farnham, who has been visiting at home for a few days returned to Bostwick Tuesday.

G. N. Blankenbaker has a U. S. separator. A number of families are sending cream to Red Cloud.

Lulu Rinker celebrated her twelfth birthday, Monday, May 8. A number of little girls were present. A fine supper was served and a happy time was enjoyed by the young folks.

GARFIELD

Mrs. Louisa Allis is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Ollie Munger is quite seriously ill at this writing.

Lloyd Amack and A. W. Shipman were dipping hogs Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Smith was visiting Mrs. Bradshaw in Kansas last week.

Mrs. Emma Smith was visiting Mrs. Ollie Munger the first of the week.

Mrs. M. A. Amack had another attack of neuralgia last Saturday. She is a little better now.

The East Garfield telephone company's lines, after a long wait, were connected to central last Saturday.

Last Tuesday evening hail stones fell around here like huge chunks of ice.

The Secret of Good Coffee

Even the best housekeepers cannot make a good cup of coffee without good material. Dirty, adulterated and queerly blended coffee such as unscrupulous dealers shovel over their counters won't do. But take the pure, clean, natural flavored **LION COFFEE**, the leader of all package coffees—the coffee that for over a quarter of a century has been daily welcomed in millions of homes—and you will make a drink fit for a king in this way:

HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.

Use LION COFFEE, because to get best results you must use the best coffee. Grind your LION COFFEE rather fine. Use "a tablespoonful to each cup, and one extra for the pot." First mix it with a little cold water, enough to make a thick paste, and add white of an egg (if egg is to be used as a settler), then follow one of the following rules:

1st. **WITH BOILING WATER.** Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. **WITH COLD WATER.** Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

3 (Don't boil it too long. Don't let it stand more than ten minutes before serving. DON'T use water that has been boiled before.)

TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

1st. With Eggs. Use part of the white of an egg, mixing it with the ground LION COFFEE before boiling. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set aside for eight or ten minutes, then serve through a strainer.

2d. With Cold Water instead of eggs. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set aside for eight or ten minutes, then serve through a strainer.

Insist on getting a package of genuine LION COFFEE, prepare it according to this recipe and you will only use LION COFFEE in future. (Sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages.) (Lion-head on every package.) (Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

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Read our market letter in this paper. Write us for any special information desired.

One weighed 6 ounces and another measured 9 inches around one way and 11 inches the other. A number of window lights were broken out. S. C. Munger had a shoat killed by the hail and another badly hurt.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY, LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

OFFICES AT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA, SIOUX CITY, ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER.

KANSAS CITY, May 9—Receipts of cattle Monday were 6691 consisting largely of butcher stock and stockers. Light heaves were steady; heavies mostly 10 cents lower. Best cows and heifers were steady; others 10 cents lower. Best stockers and feeders were steady; others weak to 10 cents lower. Receipts today were 9,000. The supply of heavy well finished beef steers was the largest in months. Best ones sold weak to 10 cents lower; others 10 to 15 cents lower. Best cows and heifers were 5 to 10 cents lower; others 10 to 20 cents off. Stock cows and heifers were mostly 15 cents lower. Veals dropped 25 cents. Best stockers and feeders were quiet but steady; others weak to 10 cents lower.

The following table gives quotations now ruling:

Extra prime corn-fed steers	85-6-25
Good corn fed steers	5 40-5 85
Ordinary corn fed steers	4 65-5 40
Choice corn fed heifers	5 00-5 40
Good corn fed heifers	4 50-5 00
Medium corn fed heifers	4 00-4 50
Choice corn fed cows	4 50-4 85
Good	3 75-4 50
Medium	3 25-3 75
Channers	2 00-3 00
Choice stags	4 50-5 00
Choice fed bulls	4 00-4 50
Good	3 50-4 00
Bologna bulls	2 25-3 00
Veal calves	5 25-6 25
Good to choice native or western stockers	4 25-4 80
Fair	3 75-4 25
Common	3 25-3 75
Good to choice heavy native feeders	4 50-5 00
Fair	3 75-4 50
Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders	4 00-4 75
Fair	4 00-4 75
Common	3 50-4 00
Good to choice stock heifers	3 25-3 50
Fair	3 00-3 25
Good to choice stock calves, steers	2 50-3 00
Fair	4 50 5 00
Good to choice stock calves, heifers	3 25-3 75
Fair	2 75-3 25

Receipts of hogs Monday were 7954 and the market generally 10 cents lower. Receipts today were 10,300 and the market 5 to 10 cents lower, with bulk of sales \$5.15 to 5.27½; top 5 82½. This makes a drop of 20 to 25 cents from last week's high point. Receipts of sheep Monday were 6535.

Quality of offerings was good and trade was strong and active for everything. Receipts today were 7000 all but 6 double decks being southern grass sheep. Lambs on account of their scarcity held steady but sheep dropped 10 to 15 cents. We quote—Choice lambs \$5.60 to 5.75; choice yearlings, \$5.25 to 5.50; choice wethers, \$4.75 to 4.85; choice ewes, \$4.25 to 4.50. For woolled stock add 75 cents per cwt.

Here is Relief for Women. Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered an aromatic pleasant herb drink for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses and backache, kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. At all druggists or by mail 50 cents. Sample FREE. Address The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

An Only Daughter Cured of Consumption

When death was hourly expected, all remedies having failed, and Dr. H. James was experimenting with the many herbs of Calcutta, he accidentally made a preparation which cured his only child of consumption. His child is now in this country and enjoying the best of health. He has proved to the world that Consumption can be positively and permanently cured. The doctor now gives this recipe free, only asking two 3 cent stamps to pay expenses. This herb also cures night sweats, nausea, at the stomach, and will break up fresh colds in twenty-four hours. Address CRADDOCK & CO., 1032 Race St., Philadelphia, naming this paper.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued from the office of George W. Hutchinson, Clerk of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District, within and for Webster county, Nebraska, upon a decree in an action pending therein, wherein Harriet A. Milligan is plaintiff, and against lots numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of block number 10, in Kaley & Jackson's addition to the town, now city of Red Cloud, Nebraska, the unknown heirs of Stephen W. Coon and Rebecca Coon, deceased, John Doe and Mary Roe, real names unknown; the occupants of said lots, S. G. Dorr and the First National Bank of Lincoln, Nebraska, defendants, I shall offer for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the east door of the Court-house, at Red Cloud, in said Webster county, Nebraska, (and that being the building wherein in the last term of said court was holden, on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock p. m. of said day, the following described property, to wit: Lots numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of block number 10, in Kaley & Jackson's addition to the town now city of Red Cloud, Nebraska. Given under my hand this 5th day of May, A. D. 1905

J. A. McANNY, Sheriff.

L. H. Blackledge, Plaintiff's Attorney.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY. Mystic Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents and \$1.00. Sold by E. E. Groce Druggist, Red Cloud.

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