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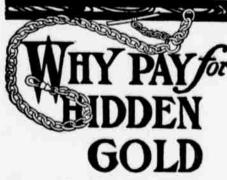
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RED CLOUD, At Blue Hill first Tuesday in each

month.

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

J C. Warner has been on the sick list for a few days.

D. F. Trunkey has commenced the

Rev. J G Aikman and C. L. Cotting were in in Crete this week on busi-

Vica Haskins, daughter of L. A. Haskins, who has been very sick is slowly recovering.

Hank Maurer is now enlarging his fish pond, so that he will have plenty of room for 20,000.

The Platt & Frees lumber company are making some substantial improvements in their yards.

John Tomlinson and Frank Mellor went west this week to look the

J. H. Smith and family are at Haigler, enjoying a vacation.

C. H. Potter purchased the old house known as the Lutz property, north of Abe Kaley's store. That building is about the oldest frame house in Red Cloud.

Mr. Napper of Bloomington has taken a position with the Nebraska but anything under 1100 pounds was Lumber Company in this city as book- neglected and ruled slow to a shade

J. L Miller, M. Birney, J. A Tulleys, James Potter, Mayor Tinker and H. F. Kinsey went to Oxford Saturday night for the purpose of paying a fraternal visit to Raywalt Lodge No. 138, A. F. & A. M.

Orange Taylor is shuffling boards for the Platt & Frees Lumber Com

Van Benson has returned from his eastern trip.

market to his father. T. C Hacker went to Brownville

Monday on a business tour.

Miss Carrie Newhouse has gone to Lincoln to attend the State University.

Geo. Holland scalded his hand badly the other day and consequently carries a large blister around with him as a pet.

academy.

Rev. Lenfest of the M. E. church preached his farewell sermon last Sunday and departed for conference.

Postmaster McNitt is in Beatrice this week. During his absence Lou Vance will help Deputy Quigley run the mail service.

Lew Hummell, of Iowa, who has been visiting in Red Cloud for a few weeks, has bought a farm on Buffalo

Vint Ludlow, who recently took s trip to Dakota for his health, has re

turned home. It has been reported that Walter Harris, who was in Red Cloud last fall with a herd of Texas ponies, was killed

some western state. Will Hicks, Hiram Hicks, Jim Holsworth, Bert Tennant go west on a and exploring expedition Monday.

by an encounter with the Indians in

E. W. Ferris, one of Red Cloud's solid young men, who has been studying law with Gilham & Rickards, for nearly a year past, left this week for Elwood, where he will put up a shingle for himself. The CHIEF wishes Ed

On last Thursday evening, September 3rd, Mr. Willis Rounds and Miss Lizzie C. McIntosh, of Red Cloud, were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock at Cowles by Rev. Page.

CATHERTON-Mr. Manning of Dublin, Ireland, a boyhood friend of John Edwards, has come over to seek a home in Webster county, the paradise of earth, as he calls it G. P. the distance.....Mr. Wright now Kenesaw Mr. Ball of Guide Rock Co., LeRoy, N. Y. was among us last week Mr. Smith of Nelson is canvassing this Orndoff of Wells was trying his skill postmaster has been appointed receiver for the Grant monument fundOscar Ramey of Otto attended quarterly meeting at Plainview Sun-

farmers, has removed to Cowles and ture is on each box. 25c.

occupies the parsonage, not as a par son, however, but will engage in the hardware business J. D. Schenck has bought N. W. Crafford's interest in the livery business and is now proprietor F. D. Hutchison and family of Walnut creek have been visiting a few days with their relatives Joseph Paul and family.

INAVALE-Platt & Frees sold their lumber yard to A. C. Hale Sev. eral from around here have gone to erection of a new dwelling on his Beatrice to attend the reunion At the sale of O. B. Harvey's cattle were sacrificed. Good cows only brought \$18 to \$24. Sa'es are becoming uaprofitable around here P. Eddy expects to start west soon, to seek himself a home.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

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

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KANSAS CITY, August 29-Receipt of cattle thus far this week are 35,-700; last week, 24,000; last year, 25,600 Monday's supply of cornfed beef steers was small and the market firm to 10 cents higher for them. Heavy grassers sold steady to 10 cents higher lower. Cows and heifers were steady to 10 cents lower; best stockers and feeders steady but common and medium grades dropped 5 to 10 cents. Receipts today were 17,500 and the market for cornfed steers steady to strong tops reaching \$6 10, highest since May 9 Grassers were barely steady. Cows

ruled steady to 10 cents lower. Best stockers and feeders were steady; others slow and weak. Bulls and veals held unchanged.

The following table gives quotations

Marshal Watson has sold the meat now ruling: Extra prime corn-fed steers. . \$5 45-5 80 Good corn fed steers..... 5 00-5 40 ters in the form of perforations. There Ordinary corn fed steers.... 4 50-5 25 are a vast number of other solutions Choice corn fed heifers..... 4 75-5 25 Good corn fed heifers...... 4 10-4 75 heat or on having a heated iron passed Medium corn fed heifers.... 3 50-4 10 Choice corn fed cows..... 4 00-4 25 Good 3 25- 385 Medium 2 75-3 25 Canners 1 50-2 50 Ezra Potter and George Newhouse Bologna bulls 2 00-2 50 Fair 3 25-3 60 Common 2 75-3 25 Good to choice heavy native feeders 4 00-4 40 Fair 3 50-4 00 Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders...... 3 50-3 65 Fair 3 25-3 40 Common 3 00-3 25 Good to choice stock heifers 2 75-3 00 2 25-2 75 Good to choice stock calves, steers 4 00-4 50 Good to choice stock calves,

heifers 3 00-3 50 Fair 2 50-3 00 Choice wintered grass steers Fair..... 3 40-3 75 Choice grass cows...... 2 75-3 15 Good · · · · 2 50-2 7 Common..... 2 00-2 50

Receipts of hogs thus far this week are 10,600; last week 11,000; la-t year, 10,600. Monday's market was steady to 5 cents lower and today weak to 5 cents lower closing very draggy Bulk of sales were from \$5.95 to 6.10; top \$6 1214.

Receipts of sheep thus far this week are 15,900; last week, 7400; last year, 8500. Monday's market was steady and today again steady but closing firm. We quote-choice lambs, \$720 to 7.30; choice yearlings, \$5 40 to 5.50; choice wethers, \$5 to 5 25; choice ewes, \$4.50 to 4.75.

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LIFE BUOY AND OAR.

How to Get Into the One and to Support Yourself With the Other.

Very few persons know how to get Into a life buoy, and, as in this uncertain world one never knows when one may need to make use of a buoy in real earnest, a little practice might prove of great value in an emergency.

Now, when the buoy is thrown into the water the temptation is to try to lift it over one's head and shoulders or to dive through it. This, however, is impossible. The correct thing is to grasp the two sides of the buoy, with fingers of the hands uppermost, lower yourself under the buoy and come up through the center, then rest your arms upon the sides, and you will be comfortably supported as long as it is necessary.

More often than otherwise, in case of accident, a life buoy is not at hand. In such event an oar may be used as a substitute. Now, there is some little art in saving oneself by this means, for an average sized scull is not buoyant enough to support a person if grasped as the first impulse would direct.

There is only one way in which the oar will support a human being. It must be ridden like a hobby horse. The haft is put between the legs and the blade allowed to project above the surface of the water in front of one. By this means the head is kept well above the water.-Pearson's Maga-

SOME SECRET INKS.

Writing That Remains Invisible Until Exposed to Heat.

Letters written with a solution of gold, silver, copper, tin or mercury dissolved in aqua fortis, or, simpler still, of iron or lead in vinegar, with water added until the liquor does not stain a white paper, will remain invisible for two or three months if kept shut up in the dark, but on exposure for some hours to the open air will gradually acquire color, or will do so instantly on being held before the fire.

Each of these solutions gives its own peculiar color to the writing-gold, a deep violet; silver, slate; lead and copper, brown, but all possess this common disadvantage-that in time they eat away the paper, leaving the letthat become visible on exposure to over them, the explanation being that the matter is readily burned to a sort of charcoal, simplest among which we may mention lemon juice or milk, but the one that produces the best result is made by dissolving a scruple of sal ammoniac in two ounces of water.

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DO WE TALK TOO MUCH?

A Plea For Enough Silence to Enable Us to Think.

In the United States we are prone to talk too much. We do not sufflciently appreciate the value and beauty of silence.

During the after business hours, at the lunch and dinner table we talk on and on without ceasing, as though there was nothing worth thinking about. We invented the first talking machine, and no American is considered properly equipped unless he can talk at all times and upon all sub-

Information must be imparted and ideas exchanged; it is essential to mental companionship and develops our faculties of expression. But there is no necessity for the endless and eternal talk in which so many of us in-

There is a great force and value in silence. It enables us to think. It forms and expresses character. The great men of the world were relatively silent men; they talked only when they had something to say, and the greatest of them said but very little.

We should study the beauty of silence and develop our thinking power state. rather than our talking power .- Chicago Journal.

The Bridal Wreath.

The bridal wreath is usually formed of myrtle branches in Germany; it is made of orange blossoms in France as well as our own country; in Italy and the French cantons of Switzerland it is of white roses; in Spain the flowers of which it is composed are red roses and pinks; in the islands of Greece vine leaves serve the purpose and in Bohemia rosemary is employed. In German Switzerland a crown of artificial flowers takes the place of the wreath.

The First Oyster Enter.

The gluttonous Vitellius is reported to have eaten 1,000 oysters at a sitting. "He was a very valiant man who first ventured on eating of oysters," King James was wont to declare, a sentiment echoed by the poet Gay:

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