

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

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

J. H. Fern is building a barn.  
 Fred Hummel sports a new buggy.  
 I. N. Taylor has rented David Lutz' property.  
 Miss Linna Owen is teaching school near Catherton.  
 Jake Kaley will build an addition to his house soon.  
 The wife of Rev. Geo. H. Brown has been quite ill for a few days.  
 Mrs. T. W. Hatfield is recovering from her recent illness.  
 A. J. McNeil, of Sterling, Illinois, a cousin of G. A. Duckler, was in the city Sunday.  
 The new school building has reached the second story and is ready for the carpenters.  
 Marvin Marsh's little girl, Nellie, swallowed a pin the other day, but is all right now.  
 G. W. Holdrege, general manager of the B & M., was doing Amboy and vicinity Wednesday.  
 The first of the "beautiful" gently descended during Friday night, but quickly disappeared.  
 P. A. Beachy has taken Ed Becker's position in the First National bank and Bert Cromwell has taken P. A.'s place.  
 C. L. Cotting is happy, all because he has a new baby at his house. This item should have appeared last week but we neglected it.  
 A mover wagon passed through Red Cloud the other day with a sign on one side which read: "In God we trusted, and in Dakota we busted."  
 J. K. Aultz and Mr. Wadsworth have entered into business and have opened a restaurant and farmers' lunch room under the Red Cloud National bank.  
 Hugh Brown, who was so badly burned at the B. & M. oil house during fair week, is again around although not entirely recovered from the effect of the flames.  
 J. G. Dodd secured the service of a 10 pound assistant in the windmill business on Tuesday night. It is said neighbor Dodd's boy is an exact fac simile of his papa.  
 Married, October 19, in Smith county, Kansas, at the residence of Rev. French, Mr. Alfred Hammond and Miss Lydia Munger, both of Smith county.  
 THE CHIEF has received a special from Peoria, Illinois, stating that Robert Furst (the obliging manager of the B. & M. dining hall at this place now visiting in Illinois) had been pre-

sented with a bouncing 10 pound boy T. E. Calvert, general superintendent, accompanied by other officials, passed through Red Cloud westward on a special train Wednesday on a tour of inspection.  
 Henry Cook, our enterprising druggist, has at an expense of something like three or four thousand dollars erected a handsome brick store room, on the east side of Webster street.  
 Miss Eva Schultz, of Carthage, Ill., was visiting Mrs. Damerell last week and expected to remain in Red Cloud for some time, but last Saturday received a telegram stating that her father had been seriously hurt. The young lady started home Saturday evening.

This week Webster encampment I. O. O. F., was duly organized in this city by the Grand Chief Patriarch with the following:  
 F. D. Hummel, C. P.  
 J. H. Smith, H. P.  
 A. J. Means, S. W.  
 T. E. Hart, J. W.  
 G. W. Treasurer.  
 W. B. Roby, Scribe.

Charles Metzgar, the murderer of Updegraff at Alexander, Thayer county, was brought here for safe keeping on Saturday, as the officers feared that old Judge Lynch would dispense justice in his case. He was taken to Alexandria and the preliminary examination was held Monday, and the prisoner was bound over to the district court on the charge of murder in the first degree.

COWLES—G. W. Wells will take a position in Ed Guilford's store during the winter. Mrs. A. A. Peak has returned from her visit in Franklin county. Mrs. D. R. Carpenter of Franklin county is visiting with her relatives—the Peak's and Latta's. C. H. Jackson has taken a position in J. D. Schenck's livery barn. T. J. Ward's mother has gone to her old home in Virginia to spend the winter. Among the recent improvements in this vicinity, none are more noteworthy than the new residence of E. H. Keeney, one-half mile south of Cowles.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers for week ending Wednesday, Oct. 18, furnished by J. H. Bailey of Webster County Abstract company.  
 Jama Rose and husband to Robert H. Allen lot 8 block 2 Rosemont wd. \$ 25  
 L. C. Cone and wife to E. Peters part e2 sw4 3-1-9 wd. 1000  
 C. E. Perkins trustee to L. C. Peisinger lot 1 block 11 Blue Hill wd. 40  
 E. C. Christy and wife to Hannah Crow part e2 sw4 3-1-9 wd. 300  
 Jane Tyler to Harm Rose lots 2 5 to 12 block 1 Tyler add to Blue Hill wd. 1500

C. W. Kaley to Rosa Warner lots 13 14 and 15 block 13 Red Cloud wd. 250  
 E. E. Gustens and wife to Herman Graves sw4 18-1-12 wd. 3000  
 L. E. Spence and wife to Cora France lots 8 and 9 block 8 Spence add to Bladen wd. 150  
 Isaac Bailey to Chas. Molley w2 nw4 8-2-9 wd. 1400  
 L. D. Wells sheriff to Neb Loan & Trust Co sw4 28-4-11 wd. 610  
 Neb Loan & Trust Co to Henry Gund Trustee sw4 28-4-11 wd. 1  
 Ella M. Parish and husband to L. H. Rust lots 26 to 29 block 1 Kaley & Jackson add to Red Cloud wd. 285  
 C. W. Fuller and wife to Wm. Schutte net 26 3 40 wd. 6000  
 A. Bruner to Wm. Wolfe lot 12 block 3 Garber add to Red Cloud wd. 175

Total .....\$14736  
 Mortgages filed.....\$3100  
 Mortgages released.....\$6800

### THE HIGH CLASS KOREAN.

Being a Drawing Room Gentleman, He Is a Slave to Dress.

The Korean is above everything else a man of the drawing room, and all his instincts move along the leisurely ways of life. Anything like haste or "en presement" is unknown to the eternal laws that govern him. This characteristic of his is evident in all his actions at all times and under all conceivable circumstances. Being a drawing room gentleman, dress is the great ambition of his life. From the shoes of his feet to the topknot on the top of his head he is ordered so as to be seen and admired of men.

His shoes while in mourning must be spotlessly white. No atom of dust or fly speck shall mar them. His socks, beautifully puffed, are stitched to perfection; his pantaloons, big enough for a Brobdingnag, are padded, quilted and ironed until they come forth looking like some mysterious fabric of polished marble; his jacket likewise and his overcoat and wristlets.

Not only has he a headband, a topknot and a hat on his head, but he buys a pair of spectacles and adds them to his already overcharged headgear, and thus rigged, with a ring on his finger and a fan in his hand, he goes forth to make his way through this troubled world.—North China Herald.

### Moros Are on Warpath.

Manila, Oct. 23.—The insurgents of the Cotabato valley, island of Mindanao, now threaten extensive operations in an endeavor to capture and kill all the Moros who are friendly to the government.

### Agony.

The Butler—Hand hevery night at the hour of midnight the ghost happens and groans and wrings its hands. Tourist—Ah, must have died in the cucumber season.—London Tit-Bits.

### THE COUNTY FAIR.

#### Were You Ever a Principal in an Incident Like This?

A face in the crowd will, as it were, sting your memory. "I ought to know that man," says you to yourself. "Now, who the mischief is he? Barker? No, 'taint Barker. Barklull? No. Funny I can't think of his name. Begins with 'B,' I'm pretty certain." And you trail along after him, as if you were a defective, sort of keeping out of sight, and yet every once in awhile getting a good look at him. "Mmmmmmm!" says you. "What is that fellow's name? Why, sure, McConica," and you walk up to him and stick out your hand while he's gassing with somebody and there's that smile on your face that says, "I know you, but you don't know me," and he takes it in a limp sort of fashion and starts to say, "You have the advantage of"—when, all of a sudden, he grabs your hand as if he were going to jerk your arm out of its socket and beat you over the head with the bloody end, and shouts out: "Why, hello, Billy! Well, suffering Cyrus, and all hands around! Hold still a second and let me look at you. Gosh darn your hide, where you been for so long? I thought you'd clean evaporated off the face of the earth. Why, how air you? How's everything? That's good. Let me make you acquainted with my wife. Molly, this is Mr."—but she says: "Now don't you tell me what his name is. Let me think. Why, Willie Smith! Well, of all things! Why, how you've changed!"—Eugene Wood in McClure's.

### THE MORNING BATH.

#### Conditions Under Which It Should Not Be Taken Cold.

Cold baths in the morning are undoubtedly beneficial, but only to those persons who have sufficient vital energy and nervous force to insure good reaction with no subsequent languor or lassitude. Many persons who are greatly refreshed by their morning bath feel tired or languid two or three hours after it. When this occurs it is conclusive evidence that the practice is harmful. Persons who have an abundance of blood and flesh, who are lymphatic or sluggish in temperament and whose nervous force is not depleted, can take a cold morning bath to advantage. Others who are inclined to be thin, whose hands and feet become cold and clammy on slight provocation, who digest food slowly and assimilate it with difficulty, who are nervous and who have much on their minds should avoid early morning cold bathing. For such the bath before retiring at night is recommended, as it should be followed by rest of brain and body till equable conditions of circulation are re-established. Some persons who are weak in nerve power have such excitable nerves that they get at once a perfect reaction from cold bathing, but lose in after effects more than the value of the bath. This class of individuals should not bathe too often and should always use tepid water, choosing the time preferably before retiring.

### A Wonderful Memory.

Magliabecchi had a memory so extraordinary that it seemed to dwarf all his other mental faculties. He read all ancient and modern languages that had a literature and was familiar with the title and contents of every known book. He once said that he could repeat the titles of over 500,000 books written in many languages on a diversity of subjects. His whole life was given to study. He commonly remained at work all night, and when nature could endure no more he lay down wherever he chanced to be, and with the floor for a couch, a book for a pillow and covered with an old tattered cloak he would sleep for a few hours, then rise and go to work again. He literally knew everything that was worth knowing in his time, but produced nothing of his own.

### Fixing a Watch.

"I dropped my watch today, and it has been gaining ten minutes an hour," said a man, at the same time handing the watch to a New York jeweler. The jeweler stuck a glass in his eye, looked into the interior of the watch, poked something with a small instrument, set the watch by a regulator and, handing it back, said, "It's all right now, and I've set it by the correct time." "How much?" said the customer, relieved. "Nothing," was the answer. "But I can't let you work for me without pay." "We never charge any one for such a service. Why should we charge you? The hairspring was doubled, and that made the watch run fast. A single touch set it right."

### The Luster of Opals.

Many gems often without any apparent cause suddenly become cracked or seamed, the damage being beyond repair. Opals, known as the unluckiest stones, are so sensitive that their beauty is frequently destroyed by their wearer's proximity to an open fire. The luster of this stone is caused by the presence of myriads of little fissures, which deflect the light into the characteristic prismatic color of the gem. The tiniest of these fissures is likely at any moment to destroy the stone.

### Work in Prospect.

"If you keep on," said the credulous layman, "you will find cures for all the

diseases that flesh is heir to. Then what will you do?"

"Then," answered the scientist, "we will proceed to seek cures for the new diseases to which our remedies have given rise."—Washington Star.

### Serious.

"How do you know that young Rounder's intentions are serious?" "He's quit giving me flowers and candy and substituted chafing dishes and cookbooks and things."—Cleveland Leader.

### He Knew.

"Come, Willie," said mother at the table, "sit up like a man." "Why, mother," replied Willie, "men sit down for their food; it's only dogs that sit up."—Exchange.

There is no path so steep as that of fame.—Hazlitt.

### 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.

### Are You Using Allen's Foot-Ease?

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures Corns, Bunions, Painful, Smarting, Hot, Swollen feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c.

### 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.

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To the Farmers

Out of 50 Insurance Companies doing business in Webster County the Geeman of Freeport pays one-third of the taxes and has over 500 policies in force. The Farmers' Mutual of Nebraska is the largest Mutual in the state, with over three-quarters of a million dollars insurance in Webster county.

For Good Insurance Call on

O. C. TEEL, Red Cloud.

FARM LOANS

I am well prepared to make Farm Loans in Webster, Smith and Jewell counties at lowest rates, either for five or ten years, with best of options.

Loans safely and carefully made for parties having private funds.

J. H. BAILEY, RED CLOUD, - - NEBRASKA

### Notice of Tax Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned on the 14th day of March, 1904, purchased of the county treasurer of Webster county, Nebraska, at private sale the following described lot sold for delinquent taxes, for the year 1902, and situated in Red Cloud. Lot twenty-one (21) in block (31) of the original town now city of Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, taxed in the name of John O. Yeiser. The above named person and all others who claim an interest in the above land will take notice that the time of redemption of said land from said tax sale will expire on the 15th day of March, 1906, after which I may apply for a tax deed for all of the above land that is not redeemed. Dated this 26th day of October, 1905. C. H. POTTER.

## A Food to Work On

Work! Work!! Work!!!

Lots of energy is needed to keep up the pace. In the struggle, the man with the strong body and clear brain wins out every time.

The man of to-day needs something more than mere food; he needs a food that makes energy—a food to work on.

Although some people may not realize it, yet it is a fact, proved and established beyond doubt, that soda crackers—and this means **Uneeda Biscuit**—are richer in muscle and fat-making elements and have a much higher per cent. of tissue-building properties than any other article of food made from flour.

That this is becoming known more and more every day is attested by the sale of nearly 400,000,000 packages of **Uneeda Biscuit**, the finest soda cracker ever baked. An energy-giving food of surpassing value—sold in a package which brings it to you with all the original flavor and nutriment perfectly preserved. *Truly the food to work on.*

Whoever you are—whatever you are—wherever you work—**Uneeda Biscuit**.

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