# CHRISTMAS SEASON

is nearly here and we ask you to come in early and select Your Holiday Presents.

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# CHAS. L. COTTING, The Druggist.

## LOCALETTES

Leather Belting at Fogel's.

See the Duroc Jersey Hog Sale Adv. Marion Mercer was a Hastings visitor Friday.

Ezra Conner of Pawnee was in town Saturday.

All kinds of Electrical work done by Morhart Bros

H. J. Crow of Esbon, Kas., was in town Sunday.

W. T. Harris of Guide Rock was in town Tuesday.

Wm. Hackett of Riverton was in visit here with friends. town Saturday.

the city this week.

Miss Irene Kent visited friends in Guide Rock Sunday.

in the city Tuesday,

Dudley Browning of Iaqua, Kansas was in town Friday.

Dr. Henry Cook made an auto trip to Inavale Monday.

B. E. McFarland transacted business in Hastings Monday.

Morton Smith made his regular visit to Superior Sunday.

D. H. Najor of Oronoque, Kansas spent Sunday in town.

S. V. Brubaker of Cowles transacted business in town Saturday.

H. E. Brown of Hastings transacted business in town Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stevens of Alma

visited relatives over Sunday. L. M. Baker of Kansas City trans

acted business in town Saturday.

G. Strickland and J. W. Wonderly of Inavale were in town Tuesday on business.

Billy Rants and Miss Alfa Longton will eat their Thanksgiving dinner in Concordia, Kas J. C Saylor left Wednesday for Kearney where he will engage in the

practice of law. Ray Palmer, wife and baby of Arapaboe are visi ing his parents Mr. and

Mrs. Chas. Palmer. The Five Hundred club met with Mrs. McKeeby Tuesday evening and had an enjoyable time.

Henry C. Vain left for his home a Cheyenne, Wyo., Tuesday after a brief

Regular preaching service at the C. L. Dixon of Longmont, Colo, is in Christian church Dec. 34, at 11 o'clock. Also 7:30 in the evening.

The CHIEF for all kinds of Job Printing done with neatness and dispatch. Miss Elva Skiles of Cadams visited Printing that attracts Readers.

Announcements are out for the coming wedding of Miss Pearl B. Smith and Mr. Halbert A. Thomas Dec. 6.

The Y. P. club dance held forth Ormerod can straighten it out for you. Tuesday night at the Potter hall. Betz's orchestra furnished the music. Special attention given to diseases of eye and ear. Glasses accurately fitted, Dr. Stockman, Red Cloud, Nebr.

See the Duroc Jersey Hog SaleAdv. LOST - A leather folding pocket book

containing \$35. Finder please return same to Joe Hendersou and receive reward.

Rev. John Bayne, of Clyde Park, al church next Sunday morning and one of the best appointed markets in evening Dr. Cross will be in his office over

the State Bank everyday in the week.

H. C. . utter, of Red Cloud, Neb., came in today with a car of hogs that sold well -- Monday's St. Joe Stock Yards Daily Journal. The Job Printing Department of The

CMIEF Office is better than ever for all kinds of work. Quick service, neat workmaoship and reasonable prices.

Me, and Mrs. Geo. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Nod Grimes are in Blue Hill to may as the guests of J F Grimes and family to enjoy Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs Eda Cook Patrick and daughter returned to her home at Omsha Mor day after a seven weeks visit with her parents Dr. and Mrs. Henry Cook.

Allen Blackledge, Laird Potter, Will Storey, Leonard Reiher and Harold Turnure witnessed the Michigan Nebrasks foot ball game at Linc in Saturday.

The ladies of the Xmas club will entertain the gentlemen of the club at Mrs. Frank Perry's Thursday evening. Mesdames B E. McFarland and Frank Perry hostesses.

Mrs. Frank Campbell of Red Cloud who has been visiting with Mrs. Jas. Thompson left this morning for a visit with friends at Fairbury. -- Friday's Superior Express.

Dr Warrick, the specialist will meet eye, ear, nose and throat patients and these needing glasses properly fitted at Dr. Damerell's office in Red Cloud Tuesday, Dec. 12.

Kenneth Williams returned home from Talmage Saturday with a bride, surprising all his friends Never the ess the Chief joins in wishing the happy couple congratulations.

For coughing, dryness and tickling u the throat, hoarseness and all coughs and colds, take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Contains no opiates. For sale at Dr. Cook's drug store.

Ass't Coach Rathbone of the State University foot ball team arrived in town Monday to coach up the local high school team in their coming game with McCook High School today.

If it was what it looks to be and it / was what it isn't and then you knew it was what it wasn't and it really was what it never was, what then? Well,

The jury in the murder case at Bloomington of the state vs Chas. Clems accused of the murder of Frank J. Smith at Franklin on Sept 412, M brought in a verdict of acquittal Wediesday.

Will Koon has moved into his cement building on the east side of Webster street and his meat market presents a most pleasing appearance. He now has the room to display his meats in a Mont., will preach at the Congregation most creditable manner and he has southern Nebraska. We congratulate

Mr. Koon ou his thrift and progressiveness and bespeak for him an ever

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Prices to fit purse of every people.

We cater to the trade with the best and newest assortment of Shoes and General Dry Goods, in the county. Our desire is to have the privilege of showing you our lines.

# APPLES

Just received another car load of barreled apples. The finest we ever unloaded consisting of Jonothan, Pearmains, Snow, Grimes' Golden Seek no further, Stark, Willow Turg, Wallridge, Mo. Pippin, Iowa Blush, Wine Sap, Chantry Golden Beauty, Ben Davis, Dominee and Gano.

We'll take pleasure in showing these.

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Lloyd Hines came down from Hastings for a visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Ball Sundayed at Will Robertson's north east of town.

#### See the Duroc Jersey Hog Sale Adv.

O. A. Chapman was in Lincoln Saturday where he purchased an alfaifa huller.

JOHN YOST handles the best mince meat in town. Try some and be convinced.

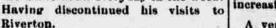
Don't miss the big foot-ball game the boys.

I will buy your furs, hides, poultry, and sell you hard and soft coal.-J. O. CALDWELL.

Clare Pope arrived home Sunday from Denver where he has been for the past year.

The D. of H. meets next Tuesday night and there will be initiation in the 2nd degree.

See J. H. Bailey for a farm loan. He has a reduced rate of interest and is sole agent for Trevett, Mattis & Baker who are noted for promptness and square dealing and are always ready for business



ness Man.

some time.

town Saturday for a week's visit and fracture of the collar bone, he was at this afternoon. Come out and root for spend Thanksgiving with Boyd Smith once brought to town where medical and family.

> Go to Sloss for wall paper, paints and varnishes. Also see Christmas ily he escaped with his life. Carburettes.

FOR SALE :- The two buildings occupied by the Chief Office and E. H. Newhouse's jewelry store. Inquire of E. H. Newhouse.

Bert Garber returned home Saturday from Sait Lake City where he on Dec. 4th and 5th. You deny yourplayed with that team in the Union self a pleasure when you miss this. league. Bert says he had a very suc And should you be uncertain as to cessful season and will report to Salt Lake City again next spring.

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ncreasing trade A very serious accident happened Foot warmers and all kinds of Lap Sunday morning about 6 miles south

Robes, everything to keep you warm of town. Guy Runyon and Otho while you ride. JOE FOREL the Har- Owens started for Lebanon, Kas., to spend the day. Runyon rode a motorcycle and Owens a bicycle pulled by Guy Bradbrook was home Sunday Runyon. At the place of the accident from Franklin enroute to Bladen Owens' bicycle not being able to keep where he will do electric wiring for up with the motor, collapsed, throwing Owene to the ground, striking on Frank Ringer of Lincoln arrived in his shoulder, causing a compound attention was given. The bone was so badly splintered that it had to be wired in order to hold it together. Luck-

> Wierd witches of the woods, dancing devils from the dells, impertinentimps from the isolated islands and fluttering, fascinating fairles from Fairyland are all to be seen in the mysterious performance given by the Great Ormerod, at the Red Cloud Opera House whether the entertainment is worth the price you need but to turn to another page of this issue of the Red Cloud Chief, and see there in Mr. Ormerod's advertisement, the statement that it is a guaranteed attraction, which means your money back if not satisfied.

### I. O. O. F. and Encampment **Elects** Officers.

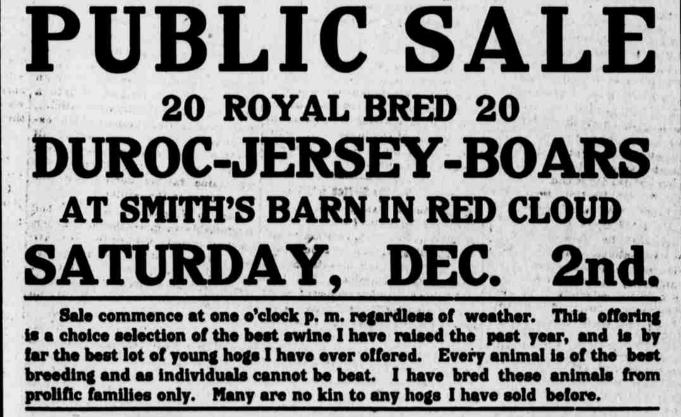
Monday night at the I. O. O. F. lodge the following officers were electod for the ensuing term: Noble Grand-Fred Wallin. Vice Grand-Harry Gilham. Secretary-O. C. Teel. Treasurer - S. R. Florance. Trustee-Paul Storey.

Monday night, Webster Encampment No. 25, elected the following officers for the following term: Chief Patriarch-Harry Gilham. High Priest-Fred Wallin. Senior Warden-Dan Garber. Junior Warden-Wilber Hamilton.

Scribe-O. C. Teel. Treasurer-S. R. Florance.

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If you cannot come to the sale, send your bids to Col. J. H. Ellinger, Auctioneer or to C. J. Pope, who clerks the sale.

## TERMS!

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Cash or Six Months time at 10 per cent Interest. All hogs must be settled for before being taken away. Crates furnished to hogs shipped, only. : : : : :

# JAMES CONKLING,

The Real Estate Department in the Chief Office has a large list of im-proved farms for sale that will inter-

est any land-buyer or home-seeker. A

number that will pay good interest on the investment. Several that can be bought on special payment terms. Many that will enhance greatly in val-

COUNTRY the Heart of the Great Alfal-

fs and Corn Belt. 'The hills look green

far away,' but the farm lands at home

are safest and offer the best induce-

several good local farm trades.

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These farms are located right

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