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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE
McCook, Nebraska.

G. L. LAWS, Register. C. F. BABCOCK, Receiver.
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Office at Churchill House.

DR. A. J. WILLEY,
SURGEON B. & M. RAILROAD.

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McCOOK, NEBRASKA.

T. B. STUTZMAN, M. D.,
Eclectic Physician and Surgeon,
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McCOOK, NEBRASKA.
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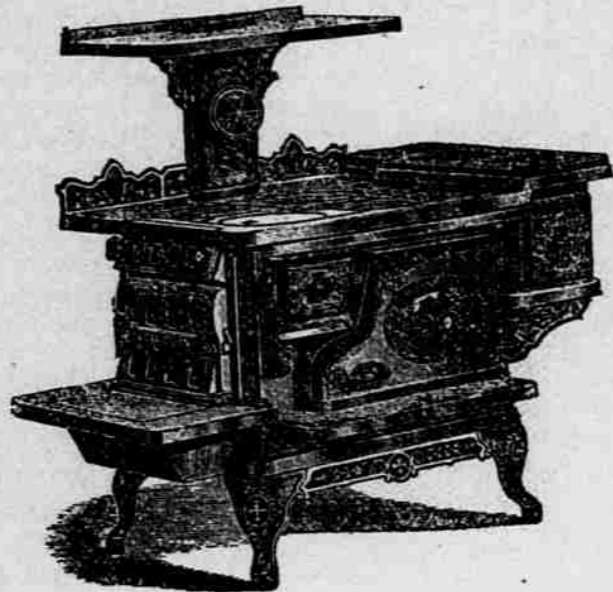
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ly to carry in stock the best of everything, but to
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Consumption, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It
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Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest
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ting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.
Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor
little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers,
there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and
diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures
wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation,
and gives tone and energy to the whole system.
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is
pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one
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You will run no risk whatever by buying
of McCracken, who guarantees everything,
being backed by the manufacturers.

BELVA ON THE 27th.

CLOCKS AT HALF PRICE.

McCook Boometh.

Hotels are crowded and running over.
Land agents are kept hard at work.
Lots on the main street bring enormous
figures. Rent is very high, and carpen-
ters are very busy. Monied men are
coming in continually and erecting for
their business, not the cheap wooden
structures that characterize most new
towns, but handsome, substantial bricks.
Two large churches are being built; and
sadly are they needed, for verily the
city is a second Nineveh in some re-
spects, only she wouldn't repent in forty
years. Already two papers flourish and
disseminate orthodox republicanism, and
Thompson of the Hastings Democrat is
about to start an opposition sheet—just
to give the journalistic department in
McCook a good moral tone.

In the north of town is the U. S. Land
Office, G. L. Laws, register, and C. F.
Babcock, receiver. These gentlemen em-
ploy several assistants, yet all are kept
in a fever of dispatch; for though land
entry is, in a measure, over, the crop of
"final proofs" is coming in in rich
abundance. All applicants here receive
prompt and polite attention. The in-
spector was here not long since and can-
celed numerous shaky claims.

From McCook run stage lines to Ober-
lin and other points south.

McCook's cornet band owns no super-
ior in the state, being composed almost
entirely of professional musicians from
the eastern states, well equipped with
the best instruments. There is also a
fine string band in the city.

Land about here is unexcelled, and
decided quarters sell at from one to two
thousand dollars. Crops are magnificent.
Speculators are happy. The Star of
Promise beams brightly over all this sec-
tion. Time only is needed to make it a
demi-paradise with McCook, for the
centre piece.—I. Bindar in Fairbury
Herald.

At the 104th annual announcement
of the Grand Lodge of Free and Ac-
cepted Masons of the State of New
York, which convened in the Metropolis,
Tuesday of the past week, Grand Mas-
ter William A. Brodie gave utterance
to the following words concerning the
Deity:

I believe that the honor of our grand old frater-
nity demands that in these days, when infid-
elity is rife and when even some so-called Ma-
sonic periodicals make light of that founda-
tion stone of Freemasonry—belief in the Su-
preme Being—there should go forth from offi-
cial sources words on this subject of no uncer-
tain sound. If there be no God in Masonry—
ay, if belief in God be not the corner stone
upon which Freemasonry is founded—then in-
deed is it in its decadence and its days are num-
bered. But, brethren, we have not reached this
low plane. I know that as I here and now put
the question to the more than seven hundred
representatives of lodges in this great Juris-
diction, "In whom do you put your trust?" that
your hearts throbb back the answer, "In God."
Freemasonry is neither godless nor anti-chris-
tian, nor is it sectarian. It embraces in its
membership men of all creeds and no creed—
Jew, Mohammedan, Christian, all are found
within its broad fold, but none who do not ac-
knowledge the existence of a Supreme Being,
who ruleth all things and to whom all owe al-
legiance. To my Hebrew brother it is the God
of Israel, to the Mohammedan the God as re-
vealed in the great open book of the starry
decked heavens, to the Christian the God and
Father of our Savior Jesus Christ.

"It has been charged that had they (the Mas-
ons) courage of their convictions they would
pluck the name of the Supreme Being out of
their ritual. Nothing could be further from
the truth than such an assertion. To eliminate
the name of the Deity from our ritual would
leave it but an empty shell. Yes, there is room
within our broad fold for those of all creeds
and no creed, but our doors are not open to the
atheist, nor is there room within our portals
for him."

W. F. WHITE, general passenger and
ticket agent of the Santa Fe road, gives
this account of the Thomas-cowboy im-
broglio at Coolidge, last week. It would
appear as though the whole transaction
were an advertising dodge on Thomas'
part:

"I have received the details of the affair of
the cowboys and the Theodore Thomas orches-
tra at Coolidge," said Mr. W. F. White, general
passenger and ticket agent of the Santa Fe
road, yesterday. "The train stopped at Cool-
idge for dinner, and remained an hour perhaps.
Among the loungers at the station was an old
man from up the creek, and a half a dozen of
his men, clad in frontier style and wearing
their revolvers just as they do every day in
the year. They learned who the party was,
and some of the ladies and gentlemen conversed
with them. The boys were very much elated,
and agreed to give them a short exhibition
of cowboy tactics, which they did—riding in
all manner of positions and shouting and cir-
cling around the settlement, which contains
only a few houses. This occupied about five
minutes. When "the exercises" were conclud-
ed, the cornet player brought out his instru-
ment and gave the boys a "tune." They were
delighted and cheered the company as the train
pulled out a moment later.

TULLY SCOTT of Beloit, Kansas, has
been appointed Receiver of the Oberlin
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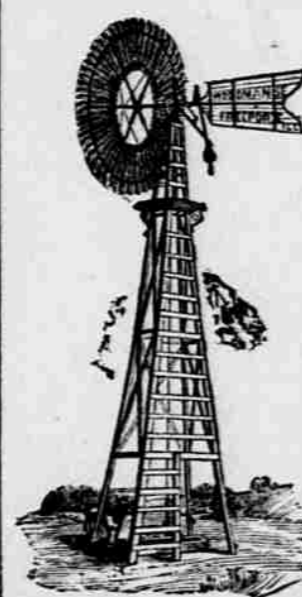
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of McCook, or at E. Johnston's, 2 miles S. E., and at Hewitt's Market
Garden, S. E. of McCook, and examine the working of the Woodmanse.

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Woodmanse Windmill Co., Freeport, Ill.

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