

Makes his bow and extends to you a cordial invitation to visit his

## Headquarters . at McMILLEN'S

Where you will find everything heart could desire, from Baby to Grandpa. Come and see his immense stock of

# Christmas Novelties

A ticket free on the \$35 00 prize with each dollar purchase, and children with each 50c purchase on the \$5 doll.

\$5,000.00!

House for Rent.

rent or sale. Apoly at residence of

\$100,000.00.

advanced to make final proofs. Gilt

WAGONS! WAGONS!! WAGONS!!!

a large shipment of the celebrated Mil

BURN TUBLER AXE WAGONS, which

FOR SALE.

Fresh candies at the City Bakery.

they are ready to sell at fair prices.

Hall, Cochran & Co have just received

edged loans at 9 per cent.

tional bank

the reliable Olds wagon.

have to be enlarged.

the largest and finest in the city.

menting Christmas trees at Probst's.

or VASE LAMP call and see Me

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever,

ments. He has an immense line.

Lincoln on the 21st of January.

it will cease to exist as a Republic.

beautifully.

LYTLE BROS. & Co.'s.

To loan on needed lands. Money

C J. RYAN.

BABCOCK & KELLEY.

No delay if security is approved.

Hocknell Brick-Upstairs.

A. MCMILLEN, DRUGGIST.

# The McCook Fribune.

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 7.1888.

Remember Noble for groceries.

Noble for superb hanging lamps. Ladies' gold watches at McCrackens' for \$15 00.

Fresh sausage at the B. &. M. Meat Market. Fresh oysters, in cans and in bulk at

the City Bakery. Everything fresh and clean in the

way of groceries at Noble's store. Patent candle holders at the City

Bakery. The best in the maaket.

Cash paid for five stock, poultry and hides at the B. & M. Meat Market.

There is no other way. Buy your groceries, queensware, etc., of Noble.

All the latest things in Neckwear, Gloves and Hosiery. THE FAMOUS.

Drop in McCrackens' jewelry store and see what a dollar or two will buy. Engineers' and firemen's time books

and Settlers' Guides at THE TRIBUNE

Another lot of latest styles in Gents' Dress Silk Hats just received at THE FAMOUS

Plumbing in all its branches promptly and skillfully performed by F. D.

F. L. McCracken & Bro. are reducing their stock, and making special at the B. & M. Meat Market.

Just received at A. Mc Willen's Drug thing in the flour and feed line. Store a large assortment of the latest

designs in LAMPS. Everything desirable to Plain and Fancy Hautkerchiefs and Mufflers. An THE FAMOUS

In the line of plain and fancy groceries, C. M. Noble will fill your WEAR in McCook at THE FAMOUS.

every want satisfactorily. your wife and make her happy Christ-city. Inspect it.

mas. Call at Met racken's. The price of liberty is eternal

vigilance, but Noble's prices on groceries are sure to catch you.

The celebrated Olds wagon for sale by carries THE LINE of Christmas tree Leland & Morrow. Also spring wagons, buggies, etc. All very cheap.

A carload of Dakota Hard Wheat Flour just received at

C. G. POTTER & Co's. This week, Leland & Morrow have re-

ceived a car-load of fall and winter wheat flour. They carry the best grades.

Blank books of the very best quality at this office and at most reasonable prices. Call and see our goods and get

If you want nice tender beefsteak give the B. & M. Meat Market a call. They butcher none but the choicest of tary Laws for a roster of members of ordinary dish of "hashed in cream." If you contemplate building be sure

to consult M. A. Libbee. He guarantees his work to be the best and his prices the lowest.

Ladies, in making up your list, don't forget the many attractive, useful and serviceable goods we have suitable for THE FAMOUS men and boys.

Leland & Morrow carry a complete stock of corn, oats, chop feed, and in fact of everything belonging to a first class flour and feed store.

Strasser has two of the finest offices offens s in the postoffice department. in the city for rent. Front rooms, with And Don Dickinson points to that with vision will be made in the early spring. A bay windows. Call at once if you wan pride as "increased efficiency." to secure elegant office quarters.

Of fine residences M A. Libbee makes of this nation when the fame and pa a specialty. Don't fail to see him if you intend to build Good workmanship guaranteed. Prices the lowest.

If you want something handsome in the way of a hanging lamp call on C. M. Noble. He is just in receipt of the largest and finest stock of hanging lamps ever brought to southwestern

Nebraska. Chairs! CHAIRS!! CHAIRS!!! We have now on exhibition in our furniture emporium the madsomest and most elegant line of rocking chairs ever brought

to Western Nebraska. Call in and examine them. LUDWICK & TROWBRIDGE.

## FOR SALE.

A choice bunch of teeding barrows, , also a lot of small pigs.

J. F. BLACK,

Red Willow, Neb. | sense of the word.

Nebraska continues in her pleasantest atospheric mood.

The Fanous less a beliday announcement or its patrons, in this issue,

Put \$1,50 into the publisher's pocket and get THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE for one year.

Preaching at the Lutheran church, next Methodist social, next Thursday evening at All invited.

Canon City, and other grades of soft coal. Drug Store, and both Pennsylvania and Colorado hard coal at Butlard's lumber yard.

weighing out, these chilly days.

Bullard has "the cream" of the coal trade, He keeps in stock a large supply of best grades of both hard and soft coal.

grades, at the Bodger humber yard.

Messrs. Bowen & Laycock have something new to relate to you in this issue of THE TRIBUNE which will repay a careful reading.

The Citizens bank pavement on Dennison We have \$5,000.00 to place on street has been elevated a few inches to hargood farms during the next 20 days. monize with the Main Avenue grade, and new planks have been provided.

If you are contemplating starting a new se of books, the first of the year, it will be to your advantage to call and inspect our stock Eight rooms and cettar Two blocks and learn our prices. We can save you money.

from postoffice, on the hill Four of the upstairs rooms are furnished and day and Friday of last week, was in keeping consumed in the investigation. Below we rented to roomers. The furniture is for | with all their efforts, successful and remun- give the finding of the jury, which speaks for erative, as the energy and enterprise put into | itself: REV J. W. KIMMEL | them righly deserves.

The "Magic City" is little by little expanding into the symmetrical proportions of the bright and energetic little metropolis she is destined to become in a few years at longest. Mossbacks, clear the way!

lays 9,000,000 eggs. How insignificant thy work, then, O, hen? Get thee, and go to the cel, thou cackler; consider her ways, and glut the local market—it needs it badly.

Did you ever think of it that you can get 250 envelopes printed with your name and business, if any, on them for the same price their hands, the day and year aforesaid. you pay for them by the single pack? This is true. Call at this office and see samples.

A Miller piano, one of the best make. This week, Messrs, Lytle Bros. & Co. re-Inquire at McCrackens' jeweiry store duced to grade the sidewalk along the south side of their business place and made the same regulation width the entire length of the Go to Noble for your family groceries, let. An improvements pedestrians will ap-

Dr. Hall's office, over First Na Wedding and visiting cards and anything from that up to a full sheet sale bill printed One touch of winter makes the coal with dispatch, in a neat manner and at reasonable rates at this office. Call and see sam-Remember that Letand & Morrow sell

Fresh and smoked meats of all kinds a prayer book, with cedar wood, plush back men's hearts wax warm and memories of present and participated in a very enjoyable Go to Leland & Morrow for everyand silver clasp." Our line of caudies for Christmas is

man who starts out to buy Christmas presents, this year, for, judging from the displays of Plain and colored candles for ornaholiday goods already on exhibition, there will be something for everybody and a good

The only complete line of UNDER-Give them a rest. We mean those Demo cratic citizens who had eaten crow, shaved Noble, the leading grocer, carries the off half their mustaches, transfet a wheel-Buy one of those gold watches for most complete line of queensware in the barrow, permitted themselves to be thrown car tare but a big day's wages beside. Try it present anticipated. in the river and various other foolish things on and you will be entirely convinced. which they promised their Republican breth-Watches are the most useful thing ren to do if Grover got left. for a present, and can be had for \$7 00

Man born of a woman is of but a few day. without a moment's warning. Then the good el to be on fire, the smoke issuing in dense Don't forget that the City Bakery ing him a year's subscription.

What we all want is a trifle less cor ruption in politics, even if the juils do Now that the East Side river bridge is completed early legal steps should be taken to vacate a road through the Randel land, to If you want a real nice HANGING the end that the traveling public be soon relieved of the nuisance of opening and shutting the wire gates. The road through the bottom can be materially improved, too, by a A few second hand heaters suitable

for store rooms. For sale very cheap at Restauranteurs and hotel men will be interested in the announcement which comes from the east that a new mode of cooking pobecome as popular as the famous "Saratoga" WE are under obligations to Secre-

the next legislature which meets in A great deal is said about what newspapers ought to do for the people. It now and then The message has a dreary, hopeless might be quite proper to hint that the people style calculated to give the blues to ought to do something for the newspaper. If persons who had enough confidence in the people would do half as much for their home" to a large company of their young Mr. Cleveland to bet on his statesman. home papers as the papers do for them, it friends throughout the city. The entertain-A handsome lot of caudle reflectors advance their interests.

for the holiday trade at the City Bak-There is nothing to be gained by harling ery. Nothing like them ever seen in cheap sarcasm at the present city bastile. Its the city. They set off a Christmas tree 2x6 cuticl, will remain unimpaired and the half-blown irony will fall to the earth harm-During the year eight hundred and less. The present structure will have to serve nivety one persons were arrested for the purpose until a new and better and proper building is provided and we hope this prosuitable building will embrace all d part- med, W. F. Lawson Chas, W. Knights, F. O. If the time ever comes in the history fire department.

The startling assertion goes forth that the Mary Myers and Mr. W. E. Mullen. triotism of the men who saved it are chewing gum habit is having a bad effect upquestioned by a majority of the people, on the eyes of many American maidens. The process of mastication has a secondary influ-Thirteen thousand names, says Susan, chewing weakens the sight if it does not preserve your health, dignity and eyesight.

"Should women propose marriage?" is the General Harrison is proving himself question which has closely followed the disgreat listener and an exceedingly cassion of the treadbare topic "Is marriage close-monthed student of men and a failure?" The question is non-sensical. events. The politicians get no promises | Who doesn't know that ever since marriage and the newspaper correspondents no became a custom among men-and it became interviews upon public questions. A usual soon after there were people enough to man who keeps his own counsel so well, marry-women have done the proposing. especially when he is a first class talker Not that they say the words which, with the and as genial and sociable a companion answer, make breach of promise suits possias Benjamin Harrison, is pretty certain | ble, but they generally engineer the scheme to prove stong, sensible, and seif pos-to prove stong, sensible, and seif pos-sessed in any tests to which he may be sessed in any tests to which he may be interesting to the ones on the outside. To a subjected. The one thing most certain wo nav with tact-and the ones without it Merrie Cocktails." The frame work of Mike's college is shaply a survival of an obscure about the next admidistration is that are very rare-every year is a cap year and greatest effort, perhaps, was laid with approthe president will run it in the fullest the man doesn't think so is very badly fooled priate ceremonies on Tuesday morning of In may be a little late, but Grandfather's hat gressing rapidly, this fine weather. About Main Avenue. There is a great improvement community.

#### Attention, Farmers!

The state board of agriculture holds their annual corn exhibit in Lincoln, commencing January 16th, 1889, and it is especially desired that Red Willow county be represented with a fine exhibit of corn. What is wanted is the greatest variety, in fact all the varieties | Benkelman Democrat was a Commercial guest known from the small "Tom Thumb Pop" | Tuesday. Sunday at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M., by the pastor. to the "Mammoth Dent." Twenty ears of each variety are wanted. Select the largest residence of T. J. Pate, northeast of the city. and best developed ears of all varieties. We trust that each farmer in the county will take an interest in the matter, and feel that he is especially invited to take a part in it for the benefit of the county. After the exhibition closes the corn is to be sent to Washington, Bullard doesn't sell drugs; but it is a cau- and from there to France, to be on exhibition tion the amount of hard and soft coal he is at the Exposition and World's Fair held in the city of Paris for six months during the year 1889. We hope the farmers will commence at once to select the corn and not put it off. Select it and lay it away until Dec. 25. Between that date and the 1st of January Is your coal bin empty? If so consult Bul bring it to the nearest station where a place the city, Monday, leaving her parent much lard, dealer in "dusky diamonds" of best will be provided for it. Due notice will be better. given through the county papers, as to where it may be left in Bartley, Indianola and Me-Cook. We want every variety, red, white, yellow, striped, calico, yellow and red, white Nebraska. and red, white and yellow, deep yellow, pale Joel S. Kelsey will speck, next Sabbath | Yellow, squaw corn.dark, spotted, eight rowmorning, upon "Truth and its Knowledge," ed, yankee, King Phillip, Hickory King, all and in the evening upon "Truth and its Pow- kinds and colors of sweet and pop corn, in fact every kind and variety of corn grown. WM. COLEMAN.

#### The Coroner's Jury's Finding.

At request of relatives of the deceased, the emains of Bert L. Johnson, the man killed in the McCook yards, Monday night of last week, were exhumed and a coroner's inquest was held in due form, Tuesday morning of this week. Quite a number of witnesses The Catholic fair in Menard's hall, Thurs- were examined, most of the morning being

THE VERDICT. STATE OF NEBRASKA, ( RED WILLOW COUNTY, (
At an inquisition holder at McCook, in said county, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1888, before me, C. T. Brewer, coroner of said county, upon the body of Bert tohnson, lying dead, by the jurors whose names are hereto subscribed, the said jurors upon their oath do say: That the deceased, Bert L Johnson, on the 26th A common, ordinary, every-day, adult cel day of November 1888 at about 10:30, P. M. M. T. came to his death by his foot being caught in a froz of the B. & M. rathcoad, in the McCock vard, and run over and killed while employed to the capacity of switchman and vard master by said company; and we, the said jurors, d find, from the evidence produced, that said frog was not properly blocked or covered, whereny we attach gress negligence on the part of the railroad company. In testimony whereof, the said jurors have hereumto set

A. MCMILLEN, A. E. LYTLE, Jurors. GEO. E. JOHNSTON. M. E HORNER, C. B. GRAY.
ATTEST: C. T. B. DEWER, Coroner,

An Unsurpassed Market. For new, seasonable, down to bed rock goods the McCook market has never been approached in Western Nebraska. What is true of the past is equally true of the present. It will pay any one that is fond of the beautiful to come to town and feast the eyes with ful goods our merchants have selected for ture. This item, from Fashion and Fancy, will their customers in the leading marts of the convince any one of puritanical tendencies country. And at no season of the year is that the millenium is still far distant: "A there so great, so bewildering variety for the case for playing cards is made in imitation of purchaser as just before the holidays, when six of Master Willie's young friends were happy childhood's hours reign supreme, affair, The injunction, "put money in thy purse," | Each year seems to be an improvement upon should certainly be duly considered by the its predecessor, and each year new and start-1888, just fairly opened in McCook, is far days. His glove caught on a sliver and held ahead of any we have yet had and we extend his hand. to all of our readers a cordial invitation to

A Narrow Escape. About midnight Sunday, the McEntee who would enjoy a "fat take" at the govern-He cometh forth as a flower, and is cut down House on West Dennison street was discover- ment crib, say as register or receiver of the editor forces his pen to indite an obituary clouds from the basement of the building lothat would bring tears to the eyes of a pota- cating the trouble in the laundry. Great ex- last Saturday morning, after a delightful visit to, without even mentio ding that he died ow- eitement prevailed among the guests and em- of a few weeks to friends in McCook. Mr. C. ployes for the time, the house being quickly | B. Wahiquist of the democrat accompanied vacated without particular attention being his sister, returning to his newspaper work paid to the order of going. The fire department arrived on the scene in due time, and the fire was confined to the basement and finally extinguished. The indications are in the city clo ing up some business matters unmistakable that the fire was of incendiary with Reporter Gaston with whom he has formorigin. To the fact that the flames smoulder- ed a co-partnership in the law business. Mr. ed from absence of draught the salvation of Potter returned east on the evening passenger. the house and perhaps some of the guests are due, as kerosene was plentifully used and in ed into one of the Coffer residences on East places best calculated to cut off safe retreat | Dod\_e street, where they will remain until from the house. Mr. McEatee sustains a loss their elegant state of five rooms over the new and so are Probst's Christmas tree orna- tatoes has been discovered which promises to of \$300 or \$400, mostly in table and bed linen; First National bank building are ready for ocbesides the interior of the house was considchips," The new dainty is known as "Sliver- ably smoked. As it is, we have a fortunate mercal. thorn potatoes," and is very much like the escape to chronicle. Too severe punishment is inconceivable for the party or parties guilty of an offense so fiendish.

## Another Gay Evening Party.

On the evening of Tuesday of this week, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Brown were "at would not only insure a first-class paper in ment was in the nature of a progressive euevery community, but would more rapidly chre party, (refreshments being an enjoyable tion of the gathering until a late hour. Mrs. within the range of possibilities. E A. Leach carried away the laurels of victory; Mr. A. S. Hart receiving the booby after Monday morning. for the city of Omaha, a close and heroic contest. Hereto is append-

LIST OF GUESTS PRESENT. MR AND Mas .- B. B. Davis, A. S. Hart, C. P. Halls, Samu I Strasser, Moses Erman. Miss.

## An Entire Solar Eclipse.

New Year's day, 1889, will be ushered in ence on the nerves of the eye. Constant with more than the customary eclat. In addition to the usual terrestial attractions of B Anthony, have been added to the wholly destroy it. Surely the custom of turkey and trimmings, the celestial feature cause of woman suffrage in this state | chewing gum has nothing to recommend it, of the day will be a total eclipse of the sun, the United States will take place on the second Nebraska never takes a back seat even and there are many reasons why it should be visible mainly on the Pacific coast, but partial Tuesday in January. On that date the electorwhen it comes to signing fruitless pe- abolished. Throw away your gum girls, and throng out the entire United States. A at cottege of each state meets at its state capitotal eclipse of the sun, visible in the United | tol. The electors cast their vote for president States is an unusual occurrence, and through- and vice-president. The vote is read, certified out the West, California, Dakota and Nebrus | and sealed, and three copies are prepared, one ka the path in which the phase of totality to be taken to Washington by a special mescoast-line about the location of the great Lick functory. The electors are no longer free to free of charge. observatory, where very elaborate preparate choose whom they think proper persons for tions are being made for observations. The the high office as was intended by the fathers point of contact in the far west will be short- of the republic. They are mere machines "in-

present week.

#### PERSONALS.

Squire W. W Fisher is down from Wanneta Mrs. B. S. Haywood of Benselman was the guest of Mrs. Supt. Nettleton, Saturday.

Edgar Howard, the presiding genius of the

Mrs. Peller of North Bend and Mrs. Smith, of Fremont were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.

A. Nelis, last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McBride, Mrs. and Wiss

Goss of Oberlin, Kansas, were the guests of F. A. Wonner, the first of the week. Amos Dresser, Jr., was in the city, Monday

evening, in the interests of Marder, Luse & Co., the well-known type founders. Mr. and Mrs. C. Canfle'd of Harvard, this

state, arrived in the city, last week, on a visit of a week or two to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perry. Miss Sarah Marr, who was called to Culbert son by the illness of her father, returned to

Luman N. Howe was in from Trinidad, Colo.

Cashier Brown of the First National went up to Dundy county, Wednesday morning, on a

Miss Lutie Babcock of Cambridge spent Sunday in the city, guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Babcock-coming up on the night train, Satur-

Charlie Watkins of the Indianola Times, who gracefully carries the reputation of being the hands mest newspaper man in the county. made a business trip to the commercial cen-

held in that city.

Allen Bartley, Mallalien's indefatigable business manager, was a city visitor, yesterday He reports Bartley as prospering nicely, her trade growing, and work on the canal progressing satistactorily

gentleman, had business at "headquarters," Southwestern Nebraska.

illustrated boom paper on McCook. Not re- and Holdredge and south of the Platte. It will country that your profries are nothing much, ceiving sufficient encouragement, however, cross the Burangton at Bertrand and pass he dropped the matter for the present.

ples and prices before placing orders elsethe rare, the practical, the useful, the beautiFloyd and Torrey on matters of a general nato have it. If built, this will make another line florences of such reports is to exhibit our pro-Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Scott gave a party, Monday afternoon, in celebration of the tenth an-

niversary of their eldest son, Willie. Twenty-

former employe of the McCook yard, received each other on same track at full speed. Three ling novelties astonish the eye, delight the his initiation, the other night, in the degree of trains doing this will be subjected to severe ear and soothe the senses. The season of a pinched finger that will lay him off a few

Little Jessie Johnson has a paiofully lacer. their seats and not spit tobacco juice on the come, see, select and purchase. There is no ated face-the result of a bite from an ugly floor. one in the county, come from what part of it dispositioned dog that would better subserve he will, who cannot upon the purchase of a the public welfare under the daisies. Although reasonable bill of goods not only save his the wound is an ugly one, no bad effects are at

Mr. M. L. Thomas of the Benkelman Pioneer was a business visitor at these headquarters. Tuesday. M. L. is another of the "profesh."

McCook U. S. land office. Miss Freda Wahlquist returned to Hastings

here, the early part of the week. ing young barrister of Omaha, spent Saturday

Mr. George !tocknell and family have movcupancy. They continue to board at the Com-

Mr. E D. McConnell, of Minneapons, Mion. agent of the Dakota Loan & Trust Co., of which Baucock & Kelley are local agents, spent the week in the city and surrounding country in the interests of that company, which has a large amount of money placed in Western Ne-

Capt. R O. Phillips was in the city, a few every bridge on his section and see that the he urs on Monday afternoon, while on his way stringers are sound. festure,) and the affair was a thoroughly de- in eneck by his delay in delivering the stone | ahend with all steam on lectable one, absorbing the undivided atten- as per contract. Cap, will convince him if it is 18. In case of washouts, engineers should

Reporter and Mrs. O. C. Gaston departed, where Mr. Gaston will engage in business with a Mr. Potter, in the law. The PRIBUSE exments of city government, city offices, jail and Newman, W. M. Anderson, C. H. Dietrien, E. judicial district, Mr. Gibbs assuming the duties A Leach. E. Kelley. Mus -Z L. Kay, W. J. of his new position on Monday of this week.

MONROE-ADAMS-At the residence of Richard Lumb, near Danbury, Mr. Charles C. Monroe and Mrs. Louisa G. Adams, both of Lebanon Neo. R. S. Cooley officiating.

THE last act in the election of a president of appropriate ceremony. structed" delegates to register the nation's

was a genuine Benny fit.

## THE RAILROAD.

The official axe is kept bright with service

Engineer Frank Uhler was over from the Sunflower" line, yesterday. It is rumored that a few of the old men will

enter the company's service with the beginning of new year. "Fatty" Eillott's connection with the com-

pany, as freight man," has been ruthlessly severed, this week. Quite a number of conductors have been le

in all on this division, we understand. Sweeney Munson's "hog" came in from Akron, the other day, with its "nose" somewhat demornized in a slight collision in the Akron yards with an incoming freight that was not

under perfect control. The Hastings Democrat says that several tion of farm produce at state fairs? Two years Rev. Kimmel and family were the recipients they intend to do," continues the Democrat, tising we did, was the cause of inducing setof a barrel of apples, this week. A donation "but we have it from nequestionable authoristiers to locate in this county whose combined

There arrived in St. Louis, the other day, a over Sunday, to see his family and shake hands locomotive engine that knocks all preconwith his numerous and warm friends in the ceived ideas of that kind of mechanism into a cocked hat. It is double-ended, both endsbeing exactly alike; the cab, smoke stack, etc. in the middle, and in fact the whole thing is as business trip which will delay his return until sible to imagine. It has attained the remarks. much unlike an ordinary locomotive as is posble speed of ten miles in five minutes, a - is Mr C. F. Babcock, and Mr. E. D. McConnell, claimed can be run all day at the rate of a mile of Minneapolis, Minn., spent a couple of days a minute. It was built at the Grant Locomoup in Hayes county, the middle of the week, on live Works, Patterson, New Jer-ey, and a company with \$10,000,000 capital is to be organized to build more like it.

COLLISION AT HASTINGS. Hastings Neb., Dec. 5 .- (Special Telegram day, and returning home on Sunday evening's | to the Bee [-About 9 o'clock, this morning, M. yards at this place. By some misunder standing of signals the switch engine co fided with the engine of incoming freight train is the county. The past full, we attended thd in the total wreck of both engines. The engie is of both and one of the Bremen jumped in Messrs. T. G. Rees, J. A. Wilcox, Dr. S. L. time to save themselves from serious injury, Green and E. E. Lowman go down to Beatrice, but the fireman on the switch engine, Wil Tuesday of next week, to attend the grand Nolan, remained on his engine and was caught enapter meeting of Nebrasaa Masons to be between the locomorive and fender by one of the levers, which penetrated his body. He lay for twenty minutes in the scalding steam be fore he could be released. At this hour he is living, but his recovery is scarcely possible.

#### THE NORTHWESTERN.

It is talked of now in certain radway circles John S. Hughes, a prominent Hayes county | says an Omaha paper, that the Fremont, Etc. hora and Missouri Valley rational the North Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Me- western's Nebraska line) contemplates extend ing its line west ward from Hastings to Denver next season. The route, it is said, nearly par allels the Burlington. Leaving them it takes: Mr. J. F. Callen of the Omsha Engraving Co. shoot out through Kearsey and Phelps coun was in the city. Tuesday, trying to work up an ties, splitting the territory north of Minden tend with, as the belief is prevalent in our through Homerville, Stockville and Hayes T. J. Floyd, O. S. Torrey, A. A. McCoy and | Centre, and will be the most direct line from | 1 ved near McCoox, Nebraska, and that there Charlie Moore, all of Treaton, were city visit. These points to Denver. There is little doubt ors, Wednesday. McCoy and Moore were here that the Northwestern has a longing for a Colcrado line and this looks as though they means to Omaha as well as to Chicago, and will be a good thing for Denver.

NEW RULES OF THE ROAD. 1. Engineers are expected to keep their whis

2 Two trains going the same way on th same track are not allowed to race to see which 3 Only two trains are allowed to run into here to live."

4. When a passenger car rolls down the embankment, passengers are requested to keep

7. Persons killed will be furnished with re-

spectable burial by agents appointed for that 8. Passengers must not complain if their car in the hurry of business, is sometimes left on a siderrack for a day or two, or is coupled be-

not get excited in case the train runs off the expenses Mr. Rand returned home about six Mr. Potter, a leading stenographer and riskeep running right along till it runs on again. Courier. 10. Trunks stolen will be recovered by their

11. No conductor is allowed to go off without

12. In case the brakes give out, the train will be stopped by throwing logs on the track. 13 Trains starting off without the engineer

killed by the engine will be prosecuted to the futtest extent of the law. 15. The dangerous kerosene lamp is not used assistance and sympathy in our late bereaveon this read; the brakeman is expected to keep | ment. the stove so red hot that no lights will be nec-

14. Farmers along the route who have cows

section men before the passage of each train. Every section boss is required to jump forciply on the ties half way between the piers of

not attempt to jump the cousm except at highest speed.

as the company will not be responsible for

## Officers Elect.

At the annual election, has night, the fol-Chapter No. 35, of this city: E. E. Lowman, M. E. H. P.

. H. Peck, of Trenton, King.

W. C. Bullard, Scribe. S. H. Colvio, Treasurer. T. E. McCracken, Secretary. Installation of the officers-elect will take place on the first Thursday of January, with

## A TEN CENT SOCIAL.

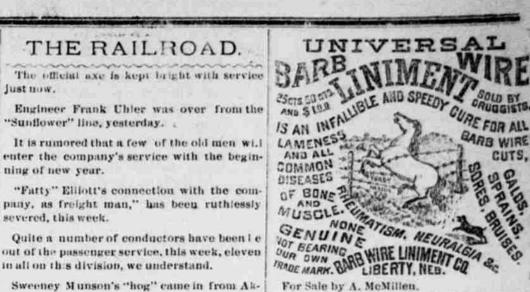
The ladies of the Methodist church will hold their next social at the residence of Mr. half of whom singly and alone cannot be T. J. Pate, northeast of the city limits, on handled by their respective parents, and she Thursday evening next. Sandwiches, cake at once puts them in the way of becoming senger and one sent by mail. The secretary and coffee will be served. A cordial invita- useful and upright citizens. At wirst expense will be visible, is not more than 120 miles of state bacwise receives a copy to be placed than it in is extended to all. Those going will of patience, toil and soul-wearmers. Do not wide. As though gotten up specially for the in the archives of the state. The business of meet at residence of J. H. Ludwick where imagine she is over compensated by the salary occasion, the cellipse will strike our western the college has become mechanic t and per- conveyances will be in readiness to carry a l. she receives

## DISTRICT COURT.

The December 50, 1886 term of District Court of Red Willow county is adjourned to December 19th, 1888, 8 o'clock, P. M., at which time itous supper, -besides furnishing not a little jurors are requested to appear instead of sec- amusement for the spectators, ond day of term. J. F. Cochran, Judge.

two miles of ditching are already finished. in a pentance and convenience.

McCook, Neb., Nov. 20th 1888.



#### DOES IT PAY

To present the advantages agriculturally of

this county through the medium of an exhibi-

Rock Island officials were in that town last ago, we attended the Iowa state fair with farm week looking up a route to the northwest from produce which we placed on exhibition in the Nelson, the present terminus of their line. name, and for the benefit, of Red Willow coun-"It is impossible to ascertain exactly what ty. That, in connection with some other adverfrom former parishioners in Nemaha county, ty that they will build into Hastings next capital aggregated \$40,000; while many others ocated in adjoining counties. Through the influence of those locating in this county. others have come. One year ago, we attended tracted more attention than agricultural and vegetable halfs combined. One morning, we shouldered a beet weighing nearly thirty pounds and waiked around agricultural and vegetable halls, in the presence of several hundred people, and on entering vegetable board, who said, "Well, Nebraska is going to wipe us out clean, this year, tashe." We repled, "We were sent here for that purpose and will do our best toward it." Recently we met a man who said, "I attended the Illis rois fair, last year, and saw your exhibition which attracted more attention than agricultand and vegetable halls combined." He is a rather serious accident happened the B. & now living in this county. Within twenty. sent out from Illinois were here looking over being under a full head of steam. It resulted flows stare fair with an exhibition, which was viewed by thousands with general admiration. Many, after careful inspection, said, "Well, in spite of all reports of hot winds and drouth ve hear runch of, this is convincing evidence; adesputable, that fied Willow county has not suffered much." During our short stay there, ve hear of here in a year. There is a wide pread belief that the soil in in this country is mostly sand, and that the crops are, quite frequently, dried up by hot winds or drouth, and turing the winter blinding blizzards prevail. Some parties from Audabon county, Iowa, were here and repeatedly expressed surprise and astonishment at the richness of the soil and absence of sand. They said they expected sand They took a sample of the top soil and out sand hills. A man traveling in Linn and othsome fifteen or tweaty have come to this country to see for themselves. They were highly pleased with this country. Some have ought, and others will come and buy. One nan, after driving out a few miles said, "There is just as good corn here as in Iowa, and the those and Lever saw 1 am satisfied Levil go back and self as soon as I can and come WM. COLEMAN.

Got His Money. Some time ago Mr. A. J. Rand, the loan broker, loaned one N. J. Thornley seventyfive dollars taking a chattel mortgage on a team as security. A day or two afterward the fact developed that Thornley had skipped waik about on the train, as it causes engineers out taking the team with hint. Mr. Rand made some search and sent word to the vari-6. In the event of a smashup passengers are one sheriffs throughout the state and a porrequired to get out from among the ruins as tion of Kansas giving a description of the man and team. The fore part or last week he received word from the sheriff at Ogallala to come up as his man was in sight. Taking deputy sheriff Starback with hun, Mr. Rand went to Ogallala, only to find his bird had flown. However he had left \$225.00 in the hands of the sheriff to cover expenses and as live stock must not be delayed at such times | pay the debt. Thornley judged and rightly too, that he had best not see Mr. Rand, in 9. No unaccessary delays are permitted: pas- fact did not care about renewing his acquaints sengers are requested to keep their seats and | ance with him. After paying the reward and

## "What's the Matter"

With Bullard's filling your order for hard or soft coal? "He's all right." So is his large stock of coal. So are his figures. Give him a trial order.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our thanks and grafitude to all the kind friends for their helpful MR. AND MRS. C. A. WARD.

#### Teachers' Exemination. The regular teachers' examination will be held at the school house in Indianola, Saturday, Dec. 15th. Mrs. C. L. NETTLETON,

Co. Supt.

Last Smaday night, whose returning from to benver to bring a dilatory stone contractor | 17. In case of trees, bonders or hard-slides attending services at the Congregational to a realizing sense of the fact that work on across the track, engineers will remember church, E. J. Hall was run down by a reckthe Lancoln Land Co-Meeker building is beid that trains have the right of way, and go less driver, at the corner of Madison and Dennison, and quite painfully injured, receiving a badiy sprained arm, besides being otherwise bruised. The eareless John, it appears, drove across the corner of the lot, in the darkness, at a rapid speed, and entirely regardless of unyone slew of a copy of an open window while pedestrians' rights. Mr. Hall was partially stimmed, and as the drayer continued on hisway unasindful of the arcident, he has no means of knowing who is responsible for his injuries, which will disable him for some time. It is perhaps not inappropriate businglowing officers were chosen by King Cyrus | gest here that there is too much rapid and particularly careless driving in the city for the safety of life and iii sh and a who ample might be made almost any day to the public advantage.

> The Schoolara'ara is the guiding star of the Republic. She takes the little bentling fresh from the home nest, full of his pouts and passions; ungovernable little wreich, whose own mother often admits she sends to school purposely to get rid of him. The schoolma'am takes a whole carload of these little anarchists,

At the M. E. social, next week, the blindfolded person who will draw the best horse on a black board, adding the person's signature to the representation, will receive gratu-

Pedestrians will appreciate Chief Palne's work of replacing the sidewalks and cross-Operations on the Burtley canal are pro- ings disturbed during the late grading of

## 7-25.