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McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 31, 1900.

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Instituted Indianola Hive.

Indianola lodge No. 37, L. M. O. T. W., was instituted on last Saturday by Grand Organizer Lady Louie M. Bouk of Omaha, assisted by Grand Mistress at Arms Lady A. J. Rittenhouse, local organizer, of McCook, and a team of twelve ladies of McCook lodge, namely: Ladies J. A. Gunn, G. W. Willets, Anna Colfer, Margaret Oyster, E. E. Saddler, V. H. Solliday, F. M. Kimmell, C. B. Sawyer, A. J. Nowlan, Lottie Brewer, W. B. Mills and Nellie Gunn.

The lodge was instituted during the day and in the evening the officers were publicly installed, a feature of the installation being the marching of the uniformed and accoutered team from the McCook lodge of the order.

The lodge comes into existence with a charter membership of 25.

In the evening, after the installation, the gentlemen of Indianola lodge, K. O. T. M., served ice-cream and cake to the instituting officers, the ladies of the McCook team and officers of the local lodge, which was a pleasant social feature of the event.

House and Lawn Party.

Yesterday evening, from 5 to 8, Mrs. F. S. Wilcox and Mrs. C. F. Babcock gave a delightful house and lawn party to about fifty lady friends at the charming home of the former.

The floral decorations were in cut flowers—asters and cosmos; and at refreshments the guests received bouquets of roses and carnations.

The "magic hoop" and "telephone," a card game, were among the entertainment features utilized.

A three-course luncheon was tastefully served with pretty accessories, Mesdames J. F. Kenyon, H. H. Troth, G. A. Noren and Albert McMillen assisting. Miss Selma Noren presided at the punch-bowl, serving frappe. During refreshments, Mrs. Lillian McCarl presided at the piano.

In every particular it was one of the most felicitous social affairs of the summer.

Death's Unwelcome Call.

Death made an unwelcome call at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Betz of Coleman precinct, last Saturday, when the grim destroyer entered the home and carried away their youngest child, little Gladys, aged three years. The child was sick but a few days with an attack of cholera. Elder H. H. Berry held services at the home on Sunday afternoon, and the remains were buried in Riverview cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of all their many friends in country and city.

An Incendiary Fire.

Three stacks of wheat on the George Colvin farm, adjoining East McCook, were destroyed by fire, this morning, between two and three o'clock. The work was evidently that of an incendiary. Christ Buhler is occupying and farming the place. He reports that the wheat was insured. A coarse effort had been made to scatter trash from the railroad to the stacks to make it appear that a passing locomotive did the work, but the trash was damp and burned poorly. There is no clue to the perpetrators.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters were advertised by the McCook post-office, August 26th: Mrs. Best, Mr. Sam Goldflam, Mr. George Taylor, Mrs. Kate Bouchman.

In calling for any of these letters, please say that they are advertised.

F. M. KIMMELL, Postmaster.

At \$5 Per Ton.

Corn fodder for sale, fine quality, bound in bundles, delivered in McCook for \$5 per ton. Write or see J. W. BURTLESS, McCook, Neb.

Seed Rye for Sale.

Seed rye for sale. Inquire of FRED CARRUTH.

Ball and Bat Free.

To the boy who buys a suit of clothes at \$2.50 or up at DeGross & Co.'s.

The commissioners have closed the contract for plumbing and heating the county offices by steam. Burgess will install the radiation and Carruth will furnish the steam. It will be a great comfort and convenience for the county officers, besides being more safe and cleanly.

Black and Red Prints of best cloth and absolutely fast color, 5 cents per yard. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Bed-bug, roach and ant exterminators; warranted effective.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

Newest things in Stock Collars—polka dot velvets, at the Thompson Dry Goods Co.

McMillen is serving Cantaloupe Ice-Cream.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

L. C. DOLE entered W. S. Morlan's law office, Monday.

NINA TOMLINSON visited with the grandparents in Oxford, Wednesday.

MRS. L. F. GRIGGS returned, early in the week, from her month's vacation in Colorado.

L. T. THORGRIMSON arrived home, Sunday night on 6, from a week's visit in Colorado.

MISS MILLIE SLABY will depart for Peru, Monday, to resume her studies in the state normal.

MISSSES IDA AND CLARA ANTON went down to Oxford, Wednesday, to visit friends a few days.

T. B. GRAVES is here from Wisconsin on business connected with the estate of the late Eliza G. Nettleton.

HARRY CAMPBELL will go to Franklin, Monday, to enter the academy for the fall and winter session.

MRS. P. F. MCKENNA is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Reid, who arrived from Chicago on 3, last Sunday night.

REV. W. J. TURNER and family, who have been spending a few weeks in Franklin, arrived home on 1, Tuesday.

MISSSES MAUDE AND LAURA MCMILLEN will return, tonight, from spending the summer at their old home in Pennsylvania.

MRS. J. F. KENYON, who has been spending a couple months in New York state and the east, returned home, Tuesday on 1.

MRS. E. E. SADDLER went down to St. Joseph, Wednesday morning, to make her fall and winter purchases of millinery.

MISS GENEVIEVE FEENEY returned, Monday morning on 12, to her Hastings home, after visiting McCook friends, a few weeks.

MRS. PAULSON of Denver arrived in the city, Wednesday, and is spending a week here, guest of Mrs. Vina Wood, and her brother, Roy Kleven.

ERWIN HOPT of Cambridge was in the city, Tuesday, on his return home from visiting in Denver. He went home on 12, Wednesday morning.

MISS JOSIE MOORE, a niece of Mrs. Vina Wood, arrived in the city from Gresham, Nebraska, Tuesday, and will remain here two or three weeks.

MRS. H. P. WAITE and children and Miss Folmer went down to Cambridge, Wednesday morning, to see the logging and visit relatives briefly.

MRS. VINA WOOD and Miss Maud were Omaha visitors, close of last week, going down on 6, Thursday night, and returning home on 3, Saturday night.

MRS. J. F. FORBES and daughters went down to Arapahoe, last Saturday, and have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tomblin, all this week.

MR. AND MRS. C. L. DEGROSS of Nebraska City are fondly exercising parental interest in a fine ten-pound daughter, born on Thursday morning of last week.

MRS. ELIZABETH FORD and children, who have been visiting relatives in the city for the past few weeks, departed on 2, Monday morning, for their home in Green Bay, Wisconsin.

IRA COLE of the Culbertson Era passed through the city, Wednesday morning, on his way to Montana, at some point in which warm state he expects to run a hot Republican newspaper.

DR. E. H. WATERS and C. H. MEeker were at Edison, Wednesday, doing some surveying for an irrigating ditch in which the doctor is interested, having a farm in that neighborhood.

JUDGE G. W. NORRIS arrived home, Wednesday on 1, from his trip to Wisconsin. Mrs. Norris and the children, who have been visiting meanwhile in Beaver City, returned on No. 5 the same day.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. KELLEY and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Corwin arrived home, Monday morning on 2, from Manitou, Colorado, where the ladies have been spending a few weeks of the heated season, being joined by the gentlemen about a week since.

MRS. E. H. EDSON came out from Omaha, Sunday night, to assist her brother, M. H. Holmes, pack up some of his effects for shipment to their mother in Omaha. She departed on 6, Monday night, for home.

HELEN LAWS gave a trolley party, last evening, in honor of her friends, Misses Lucile and Helen Lawson of McCook. They had a most delightful ride and returned to the home of Mrs. Will Hardy, where dainty refreshments were served.—Lincoln Daily Post.

Should be Nipped.

We understand that the girl who, a few weeks since, secured goods from various McCook merchants by false pretenses,—using the name of Conductor T. F. Enright to secure the articles on credit or approval,—is now in Denver, after misusing the sympathy and confidence of the Burlington agent at Brush, Colorado. It is related that the girl became or feigned illness at Brush and the agent and wife took a kindly interest in her and helped her on to Ft. Morgan. After she had gone, various articles and about five dollars in a child's bank were missing. The girl is evidently a criminal of no mean ability for her age, and she should be promptly taken in charge by the law, and an end made of her petty thievery before she branches out into the larger and worse avenues of crime.

Initiated Thirteen.

The Lady Maccabees held a special meeting of the local hive, Wednesday afternoon, at which time they initiated thirteen new members into the lodge. Grand Organizer Lady L. M. Bouk of Omaha was present. Most of the new members became endowment members of the order. After the regular business session, the ladies of the entertainment committee served ice-cream and cake to the members, old and new. The McCook hive is being rapidly recruited at this time, and bids fair to become one of the strongest hives in the state.

Entertained the Awl-Os.

The Misses Oyster entertained the members of the Awl-Os club, Tuesday evening. There was a musical programme and an absorbing and exciting contest at adding the caudal appendage to an artistically designed tailless donkey. In this exhibition of blindfold skill Miss Mabel Wilcox won the prize, an olive dish with olives; and Miss Elizabeth Thomson the booby, a donkey with tails to burn.

Concerts Will Continue.

It is a personal pleasure to us to announce that the open air concerts by the Nebraska Brigade band of our city will continue regularly during the month of September at least, and that we may hope for an occasional treat after that. The impression that the concert of last Saturday night ended the season is incorrect. Concert as usual, tomorrow evening.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN—Bible-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. Union service in the Baptist church at 8. Morning subject, "Church Extension."

J. W. WALKER, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday-school at 10. Preaching at 11. Prayer-meeting, Wednesday evening at 8. Union service in the Baptist church at 8. Morning subject, "Personal Element in Service."

W. J. TURNER, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services during summer: Sunday-school at 10. Evening prayer and sermon every Sunday at 8 o'clock. Sunday morning service, also Friday evening Litany, discontinued until further notice. Holy communion to be announced. HOWARD STOV, Rector.

METHODIST—Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. Class at 12. Junior League at 3. Union service at the Baptist church at 8. Prayer and Bible-study on Wednesday evening at 8. All are welcome. Morning subject, "God's Handiwork." J. A. BADCON, Pastor.

BAPTIST—The coming Sabbath will be a day of rallying of the Baptist people upon the occasion of Rev. Geo. W. Shear's occupying the pulpit in the morning. Rev. Shear is expected to preach during September and the Baptist people are intent upon retaining him for the pastorate if it can be done. His many friends will be pleased to meet him and will be glad to know that he preaches the sermon at the union meeting in the evening, also held in the Baptist church.

On account of the absence of Rev. Hickey in the east, no mass will be celebrated in the Catholic church, Sunday.

The Populist county central committee met in McCook, last Saturday, and decided to call their convention at Indianola, Saturday, September 29, at ten o'clock in the morning. The Populists want to build a high board fence about the convention, or the Democrats will capture the nominations, sure.

Celebrated "F. C." Corsets; 4 weeks' wear and money back, if not dissatisfied. For sale only by The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

"The Right Place" to call up is No. 17. You are sure of getting just as close meats by phone as by personal inspection.

Lots of people are bilious, but not after taking Loar's Vegetable Pills.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Brakeman P. V. Royce is off duty and on the sick-list, this week.

Brakeman George Snyder was in Lincoln, early part of the week.

Sup't Campbell arrived home on 6, last night, from his western trip.

A. M. Cassell has purchased the Sutton residence now occupied by H. H. Tartsch.

Brakeman C. E. Ryan was called up to Yuma, Colorado, Monday, by the illness of his wife.

Two new carpenters entered Foreman C. A. Ward's gang, this week. L. W. Hayden and a Mr. Billings.

Conductor Mose Carmony went in to Omaha on 6, last night, on a visit. W. C. Pope will have his car till his return.

Traveling Engineer Dixon and family moved into the Woods residence, corner of Melvin and Douglass, Saturday last.

Conductor F. M. Washburn is entertaining his sister, who arrived from Broomfield, this state, Wednesday night on 5.

The heavy and extensive over-head shafting in the old shop section of the round-house is being taken down, this week.

Conductor L. E. Gilcrest is adding to his barn to accommodate the increasing stock and business of the "Ideal Rabbitry."

One of the old round dispatcher's tables formerly used in the office here is being overhauled for use in the station at Brush, Colo.

Three sections of the round-house are now being floored with vitrified brick. The pit timbers have also been replaced with new ones.

Knud and James Stangland were Denver visitors, Sunday and Monday, going up on 3, Saturday night, and arriving on 6, Monday night.

W. H. Johnston, chief clerk to Master Mechanic Archibald, went into Omaha, Monday night on 6, on business at Burlington headquarters.

No. 6 was late both Monday and Tuesday nights, caused by hot boxes. Tuesday night, a journal was burned off of one of the Pullmans, the end falling off in the McCook yard—a most fortunate circumstance.

J. A. Bingham started east, Thursday morning, on a fifteen-days lay-off, and C. E. Bobbitt is substituting on the McCook-Imperial R. P. O. run. If expectations are realized, the boys have a warm time in store for John upon his return.

Conductor C. E. Pope and the children arrived home on 1, Sunday, from Lincoln, and Mrs. Pope on an evening train—No. 5. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. R. Sircolomb of Sheridan, Wyoming. His brother Sam is ill in Lincoln and in a very serious condition, small hope being held out or entertained of his recovery.

G. R. Johnson departed, Saturday morning on 2, for Rochester, Michigan, to assume a position on the Detroit, Rochester, Romeo & Lake Orion railway. George has for years been one of the "fly" engineers of the Western division in the fast passenger service. Here's continued success to him from THE TRIBUNE and many well-wishing friends.

A new wheel and axle dock is being built on the south side of the new machine-shops, heavy 5x9-inch stringers—shipped here from Plattsmouth—being used in the solid construction, which will be built along the entire south side when the work is finished. A depressed track has also been laid to the dock, so that heavy wheels and axles can now be loaded onto and taken from the cars more easily—the dock being on a level with the floor of both box and flat cars.

Why Think

Of sending away for a sewing machine, when S. M. Cochran & Co. do and will meet any competition on earth, quality considered. See their machines and get their prices and terms first, and you will buy of reliable home business men. They are here, too, to make good their guaranty.

Desirable House for Sale.

I will offer for sale at a low price my residence property, corner Marshall and Dearborn streets. Terms, time on spot, or will name an attractive price for part cash.—5-4-tf. W. C. LA TOURETTE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

C. F. BABCOCK, Local Agent. A base-ball team from McCook will play the Indianola club at Indianola, today. From these two aggregations a team will be selected to enter the tournament at Arapahoe, next week.

After Six Weeks' Illness.

The following account of the death of Mrs. S. E. Harvey, a former resident of our city, we clip from the Lincoln Journal of Monday, the 27th instant:

"Mrs. Ella J. Harvey, wife of Conductor S. E. Harvey of the Burlington, passed peacefully away at 3:40 p. m., Sunday, after six weeks' illness.

"Mr. and Mrs. Harvey came to Lincoln in 1889 and built them a beautiful home at Twenty-third and Y streets by the side of Mrs. Harvey's only sister, Mrs. C. A. Lyman. Mrs. Harvey was closely identified with the church and societies and during her short residence in the city had won the love and esteem of all who had made her acquaintance. She lived a true symmetrical Christian life, and her presence will be sadly missed, especially by the sister who had filled the place of mother and sister for many years. The funeral services of Mrs. Harvey will take place from the family residence, Tuesday at 3:30 p. m."

Another Small Grain Yield.

They finished threshing, Tuesday night, on N. J. Johnson's farm over in Grant precinct, and the total yield of small grain is reported to us as 3,700 bushels; 3,100 of wheat, 600 of rye. While this has not been a year to encourage bragging, the above results are quite satisfactory. Mr. Johnson rented his land to Will and George Tuttle and provided the seed, getting about 1,500 bushels of small grain in return for 250 bushels of seed and the rent of the land.

To the State Fair.

W. N. Rogers of Shadeland Park stock farm will depart, this evening, for Lincoln, with a car-load of Herefords for exhibition at the state fair. There will be ten of his choicest animals in the shipment, and if the Shadeland does not come home with some ribbons we shall be disappointed. Mr. Rogers, his son Amos, and Charles Preelove will accompany the "White-Faces."

Bell-Messner.

Percy M. Bell and Edith M. Messner were married by County Judge Bishop on Thursday of this week. Both of the young people hail from Danbury, where the groom is a prosperous barber. The bride is a daughter of S. D. Messner, one of the Beaver's most substantial farmers and stockmen.

Picnicks Two.

The members of the twelfth grade enjoyed a picnic on the Driftwood, last Saturday, on the Fitch farm.

About twenty young ladies and gentlemen of the city picnicked, Sunday, at Fitch's on Driftwood creek.

You'll Be Sorry.

If you paint or paper your house without seeing what we have to offer in end-of-the-season bargains.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

For Sale.

A good second-hand windmill, cheap. J. A. BRINTON, McCook, Neb.

The board of education has rented the store-room on West Dennison street, formerly occupied by J. H. Ludwick, for school purposes. This will relieve the overcrowded condition of the city schools somewhat, but unfortunately and unavoidably will still further disperse the children of the system.

The log-rolling at Cambridge attracted quite a number of Red Willow county people, Wednesday. The band at Danbury was one of the attractions of the day. There are twelve pieces in the band and the boys made very acceptable music.

It is not a debatable question—but one of privilege—to patronize Everist, Marsh & Co., when in quest of the best the market affords in the meat line. They are prompt and accommodating in the bargain. Phone 12.

LOST—One silverine, screw-bevel, Trenton movement watch. Finder will please leave same at R. T. Eller & Co.'s store and receive reward.

Your choice from 10 or 12 pieces of all-wool Dress Goods, in a skirt to your own measure, for \$2.50. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

It is stated that H. H. Tartsch contemplates building a two-story residence on his lot, corner Marshall and Dearborn.

Wall paper remnants—enough for one room—very cheap.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

Loar's Vegetable Pills cure constipation and headache; they are guaranteed.

SCALE BOOKS—For sale at THE TRIBUNE office. Best in the market.

Something new—McMillen's Cantaloupe Ice-Cream.

Take your prescriptions to Loar.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Delicious ice-cream soda with fruit flavors at McMillen's.

Make your dollars go as far as you can. Loar's is the place.

Dr. A. C. Harlan has sold his Frontier county farm to Frank Cramer.

Heavy Wagon Cover Duck, 13 1/2 cents per yard, at The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Recipe for blues: Buy your drugs, wall paper, glass etc. of Loar of McCook.

Handsome New Flannelettes, 20 patterns, 8 1/2 and 10c. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Just received—fresh supply of Lowney's high-grade chocolate—at Post-Office Lobby.

Handsome Black and Colored Poplin Dress Goods, 62 1/2 cts. at The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

The members of the new Shakespeare club held a picnic in the city park, last Friday evening.

Buy your confectionery at Taffy Charlie's candy kitchen, opposite Pioneer hardware store.

George Leland is building a small brick addition to his store-room on East Dennison street.

"Idleness is the devil's work-shop" is an old saying that can be conclusively proven in our city, any day.

Genuine Broadcloth with twilled back, 50 inches wide, in best colors for dresses, at The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Unheard of bargains in school supplies: 500-page tablets, 5c; double slates, covered, 10c; Loar, the druggist.

The McCook Circle No. 33, Ladies of G. A. R., meet the first Saturday of every month in Odd Fellows hall.

Our own make of Bed Comforts, 6 x 7 feet, with 6 big Cotton Batts, \$1.65 and \$2.25. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Soaps, perfumes and toilet articles; everything that's new.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

You know it! Everist, Marsh & Co. are at the head of the procession when good meats are on parade. Try their market.

This week, W. N. Rogers of Shadeland Park stock farm sold a fine Hereford to H. H. Leonard of North-Western Colorado.

Black Brilliantine Dress Skirts to your measure from our 65c piece of Brilliantine for \$3.50. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

The High School library in the East Ward building is open each Saturday morning from 9 till 10 o'clock, when pupils may return and draw out books.

Cupid is making all the necessary preparations for some effective operations, in the next few months in this city, or Dame Rumor is off her trolley badly.

The people will have the best and won't be satisfied with anything less; so S. M. Cochran & Co. have gotten on another shipment of that unequalled anti-rust tinware. It's "it."

One of Frank Arnold's twin babies died on Tuesday night of this week. Services were held at the home, Wednesday afternoon, and burial was afterwards made in Riverview cemetery.

There will be a regular meeting of Eureka Chapter No. 86, Order of the Eastern Star, on Friday evening, September 7th. All members requested to be present. J. A. WILCOX, W. P.

Clint Marsh is adding a barn to his new property on North Madison and will soon be able to move into his new residence. He will have one of McCook's most comfortable and convenient homes.

It is claimed that vertical penmanship is going out of fashion. It was quite a fad, a few years ago, and widely adopted in the public schools. It is said to be too slow and is not favored in commercial circles. Again, it destroys individuality in penmanship.

It is never too early in life to teach the rights of property. The property of others, even though it be so small and insignificant an article as a pin, should be held absolutely inviolable. The boy who will have regard for the melon-patch or orchard of another will as a man respect the rights and property of his neighbors religiously, and will be above the law.

Just received—fresh supply of Lowney's high-grade chocolate—at Post-Office Lobby.

McMillen serves pure fruit flavors with ice-cream soda.

Do you know Loar wants your drug trade?