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Fraternal Insurance Order Cards.
R. C. I. P. A.—Lodge No. 612 meets first and third Thursdays of each month. McCook's hall, 8:30 p. m. E. B. HUBER, President, W. S. GUYER, Secretary.

ROYAL HIGHLANDERS—McCook lodge No. 307 meets on second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at eight o'clock in McCook hall. R. W. DEVINE, Illustrious Protector; J. C. MITCHELL, Secretary.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Noble camp No. 882 meets second and fourth Thursday afternoons at 8:30 o'clock in McCook's hall. Mrs. THAD SHEPHERD, Oracle; Mrs. AUGUSTA ANTON, Recorder.

CONGRESSMAN NORRIS has gained the reputation of being a tireless worker in the interest of his constituents. He is especially active in looking after the interests of old soldiers in his district. It is entirely safe to bet that he will be found on the right side of all the questions of national importance that confronts the coming congress.—Beaver City Tribune.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S attitude in the general postoffice scandal will strengthen him hugely with the American people. Inflexible, straightforward, fearless, he stands by Mr. Bristow in the latter's effort to cleanse the department and to bring to justice the grafters who have disgraced themselves and brought disrepute upon that arm of the government service. The president's policy is to see that no guilty man escapes.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday. J. J. LOUGHRAN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services in St. Alban's church as follows: Every Sunday in the month Sunday-school at ten o'clock a. m. Morning-prayer at 11 and evening-prayer and sermon at 8. The third Sunday in the month Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. All are welcome. E. R. EARLE, Rector.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Sermons at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Bible school at 10 a. m. Junior society at 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m. Mid-week prayer-meeting, Wednesday, at 7:45 p. m. In the morning the sermon will be one appropriate for the hour. Evening subject, "The Ear Marks of the Fool." Our pulpit stands for a rational, practical Christianity. If you have no church home, worship with us. Excellent music, a warm heart, a warm hand and a living, present Gospel are the attractions. You are invited. C. R. BETTS, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m., lesson, "Solomon's Wise Choice," 1 Kings 3:1-15. Preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "The Christian's Badge." Class meeting at 12 o'clock. Junior League at 3 p. m., Mrs. H. A. Beale, sup't. Epworth League at 7 p. m., subject, "Lost and Helpless—A Man Without Christ." Preaching at 8 p. m., "The Object of Christ's Death." Good gospel singing in connection. You will find a welcome here. We expect to begin special revival meetings the second week in January following the week of prayer. Sunday school at South McCook every Sunday at 2 p. m. A visiting brother will preach there next Sunday at 3 p. m. We will have a Christmas tree. M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

Special meetings are in progress at Zion Hill and will continue next week. Come.

Mrs. Allie Laughlin, sup't of the Methodist hospital of Omaha, was in the city, Tuesday.

Elder J. J. Schaumburg of the First Day Adventist church arrived in the city, first of the week, and is arranging to hold services in the city for a week or two. They expect to secure the courthouse, that being the only available building.

The members of the Redwillow County Medical Association are meeting in regular session in Danbury, today.

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The human mind is so constituted that it finds deeper interest in what it knows most about, than in what is new. A discovery may arouse the curiosity or appeal to the intelligence, but the old truths stir the heart strings. The Indian marvels not at the works of science. The now-civilized city dweller too frequently sees naught wonderful in the works of nature.

We, who are of the west, will read with more than ordinary interest a little book that has recently come from the press.—The Edge of Things by Elia W. Peattie. The book has for us, indeed, a double interest, for not only is it a western tale, but it was written by a woman who was once a Nebraskan, a fact that adds not a little to our pleasure in its perusal. It is rather a series of sketches than a novel, in which is told the story of the Californian shepherds. It is a tale of men exiled,—melancholy, as such tales must needs be, but told with a sweet sympathy,—such sympathy as women only feel. A man would not have written as Mrs. Peattie wrote, because no man is gifted with insight—the natural attribute of women—into the souls of things. A man may see, but a woman not only sees but feels. Pathetic the story is, yet brightened occasionally with the rustle of woman's garments, enlivened from time to time by accounts of thrilling adventures,—a good, wholesome story, clean and pure as the desert air.

It is unfortunate that all readers may not know the authors of the books they read. All good authors put much of themselves into their work, large part of which is lost to the reader who does not know his author. The deprivation is the greater in the case of Mrs. Peattie's stories, which are instinct with their author's charming personality.

"The Edge of Things,—how suggestive the title to such as we, for are not we ourselves children of the desert, and do we not live, or think we do at times,—on "the edge of things?"

Plea for Diversified Farming.

Sugar beets have become an established crop with the farmers in the vicinity of McCook, the acreage having increased every year since they were first introduced there five years ago. Many farmers have made a net earning of over \$20 an acre from their beets, this year, which was not as favorable as last. The crop is surer of making returns than any other. In some sections the sugar beet is raised to feed cattle, some cattle having been fattened on them exclusively.

In endeavoring to establish diversified farming, why do not some Franklin county farmers experiment with a few acres of sugar beets? If enough will agree to make the experiment the sugar factory will supply the seed and give directions throughout the season concerning cultivation etc.—Franklin Free Press.

Climatic Cures.

The influence of climatic conditions in the cure of consumption is very much overdrawn. The poor patient, too, can do much better at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of German Syrup. Free expectoration in the morning is made certain by German Syrup, so is a good night's rest and the absence of that weakening cough and debilitating night cough sweat. Restless nights and the exhaustion due to coughing, the greatest danger and dread of the consumptive, can be prevented or stopped by taking German Syrup liberally and regularly. Should you be able to go to a warmer clime, you will find that of the thousands of consumptives, the few who are benefited and regain strength are those who use German Syrup. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. L. W. McConnell.

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COLEMAN.

Harry Wales has a rick of corn about fifty feet long.

Miss Viola Corner is assisting Mrs. W. M. Sharp with her work.

J. N. Smith bought a fine carriage, and now the whole family can "all take a ride."

M. H. Cole and lady enjoyed somebody's company, some time, some place, Sunday.

Bert Wales drove one team and led another and in this way two loads of wheat went to town, Saturday.

The Rev. Mr. Satchell will preach at the Coleman school-house at 11 o'clock, next Sunday. Sunday-school at 10 and Epworth League at 4.

On last Sabbath the Sunday-school at the Coleman school house had the various committees appointed to arrange for a Christmas tree, on Christmas eve. Every one invited.

On Thanksgiving day, seven or eight families met at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Corner. Such a mess of goodies as our plump, pretty, rosy-cheeked wives and girls did fix up was a caution. Soon after noon a whole lot of fellows looked like they were just fresh off an alfalfa patch—all bloated up, you know. They all got over it and will be ready for another such mess, Christmas and New Year's.

Head About to Burst From Severe Bilious Attack.

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BARTLEY.

S. B. Rowe has gone to the country for a few days visit with his son.

Three new town pumps have been installed this week which were much needed.

The Degree of Honor held a pleasant social in the fraternal hall Tuesday evening.

Madam Rumor says marriage bells will ring merrily between now and the new year.

There will be an entertainment and Christmas tree at the Christian church on Christmas eve.

The road south of the river has at last received a much needed improvement and is now in very good condition for traveling.

Miss Lillie Burton, who teaches the Dry Creek school, will give a basket social Saturday evening. A large attendance is anticipated.

Rev. Wolford of Kearney, an evangelical minister, was here Tuesday making

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arrangements to hold a protracted meeting in the near future.

Elder Nichols of Indiana lectured in the Christian church, Monday evening. The lecture was fine but owing to the inclemency of the weather the audience was not large.

John Heagney and his new wife of Wyoming, Illinois, were here, Thanks giving day. They also visited R. J. Traphagan's family over in Frontier county. They were old neighbors back in Illinois, years ago. Mr. Heagney and wife went on to the mountains.

INDIANOLA.

Charlie Russell of Lincoln visited his family, this week.

Milo Ough went to Denver, Sunday evening, on business.

Milo Ough was a visitor at Cedar Bluffs, Kansas, Sunday.

Mrs. Stalcup is here visiting her daughter Mrs. Ola Hotze.

Miss May Moore began teaching last Monday southwest of McCook.

May Hotze has returned from her visit with her sister near Denver.

Pat McDonnell has taken up his duties as janitor of the school here.

Lee Gray of McCook spent Sunday with his grandmother Mrs. C. Hoag.

Miss Azubah McDonald is lying very ill with an attack of nervous prostration.

Miss May Moore spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend Nellie Adams, at McCook.

Floyd Welborn and wife of Denver visited the latter part of last week with homefolks.

S. F. Phillips and wife are enjoying a visit from their daughter Julia, of Leadville, Colorado.

Otto Halbersleben returned to Franklin, Tuesday morning, after a short visit with homefolks.

Miss Nellie Holland started for California last Friday evening to be gone for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Harry Letts is enjoying a visit from her father and mother from the eastern part of the state.

Mrs. Ora Mathews and her sister Miss Pearl Williams of Bartley attended the M. E. church here Sunday evening.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie, died Saturday evening of whooping cough and was buried Monday morning.

Miss McLaughlin, deaconess of the hospital at Omaha, gave a very interesting talk at the M. E. church, Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Jack Graves, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Holland, for a short time, returned to her home in Montana last Friday.

The social given at the hall last Thursday evening by the Degree of Honor was well attended. A fine program was rendered and a neat sum realized from the supper.

DANBURY.

Mrs. Charles Rogers is suffering with a sore throat.

J. L. Sims shipped two cars of hogs to Denver, Tuesday.

Mrs. Jacob Corb, reported very sick last week, is able to sit up.

The 3 months' old baby of Richard Hemptess, is sick with lung fever.

Frank Burbridge and Mr. Sexton of McCook were visitors here last week.

The new butcher shop and packing plant begins to look like an iron clad battle ship.

Frank Haun was in town Saturday shaking hands with old time friends who are legion.

A blind showman has been exhibiting here for a few days to the delight of the little boys and girls.

Thanksgiving was celebrated in the usual manner here. A big dance at the hall, a few solar plexus jolts caused by bad whisky brought from other towns.

There was a sound of yelping by night. And whining with pains in their stomachs. Strong men were sighing and women were crying.

While dogs were a falling coliform.

Voorhis Van Pelt pulled in from Ft. Collins, Colo., with a bride. We wish them smooth sailing, but we are apprehensive that there will be a few "little squalls," along life's journey.

At the call meeting of the town dads, Mose Young was appointed city marshal, and Mose Young was appointed night watch. A few weeks ago Mose Young was appointed postmaster, and last May Mose Young was appointed one of the town trustees, and at the Spring election Mose Young was appointed on the election board.

A Frightened Horse.

Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, cuts, sores, eczema and piles disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c, at L. W. McConnell's drug store.

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Barley	25
Hogs	3 1/2
Eggs	23
Good Butter	29
Creamery Butter	28

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