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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONER—James Hatfield, McCook

It must make even Colonel Bryan sweat drops of blood when he feels the iron heel of imperialism on his neck. And yet dreamers must dream.

The way the Democratic platform is put up will work out about like this in the campaign: Hard money in the east and soft money in the west. A convenient straddle.

Burlington's Low Rate Summer Tours.
Go somewhere this summer. If not to St. Louis then to the mountains, lakes or seashore. Examine this great scheme of vacation tours:

St. Louis and return—All kinds of reduced rates daily, besides special coach excursions each Monday in June.
Chicago and return—Either direct or via St. Louis, daily low rates; also very cheap June 16 to 20.
Indianapolis and return—\$24.35, June 26 and 27.
Atlantic City and return—\$12.25, July 9 and 10.
Cincinnati and return—\$9.40, July 15 to 17.
Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Glenwood Springs, Salt Lake—Practically half rates all summer.
Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin—The lake resorts and lake steamer tours—very favorable rates—stopovers at St. Louis on through tickets. See the grandest creation by the hand of man.

Ask the agent for full details, or write L. W. Wakeley, general passenger agent, Omaha, Neb.

One Lady's Recommendation Sold Fifty Boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

I have, I believe, sold fifty boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets on the recommendation of one lady here, who first bought a box of them about a year ago. She never tires of telling her neighbors and friends about the good qualities of these tablets.—P. M. Shore, druggist, Rochester, Ind. The pleasant purgative effect of these tablets makes them a favorite with ladies everywhere. For sale by all druggists.

Real Estate Filings.
The following real estate filings have been made in the county clerk's office since last Thursday evening:

E. E. Smith to J. Catlett, wd to lots 1 to 21 in Esther Park, Bartley	282 50
Smith Bros. to L. J. Shippee, wd to se qr 18-2-26	900 00
L. M. Godfrey to Minnie Schneider, wd to part lots 10 and 11, South McCook	500 00
Sarah J. Richardson to C. H. Boyle, wd to part lot 1, block 1, in South McCook, and part sec 33-3-29	1,300 00
A. C. Crabtree to Charles C. More, sd to all 14-27
United States to Ed Kanous, patent to nw qr 5-1-23
Lincoln Land Co. to Mattie G. Welles, wd to lots 1 and 2 in block 4, Second McCook	500 00
S. S. Morrison to M. C. Covey, wd to w hf se qr 7-1-20	800 00

L. W. McConnell
asks the readers of this paper who are suffering with indigestion or dyspepsia to call on him at once and get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. If you knew the value of this remedy as we know it, you would not suffer another day. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a thorough digestant and tissue-building tonic as well. It is endorsed personally by hundreds of people whom it has cured of indigestion, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart and stomach troubles generally. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It is pleasant, palatable and strengthening.

She Tried Five Doctors.
Mrs. Frances L. Sales of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney trouble five years; had severe pains in my back and a frequent desire to urinate. When riding I experienced much pain over the region of the kidneys. I tried five physicians without benefit and then concluded to try Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three \$1 bottles I was completely cured." Sold by A. McMillen.

Disease takes no summer vacation.
If you need flesh and strength use
Scott's Emulsion
summer as in winter.

Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York,
and all druggists.

Populist County Convention.
The electors of the Peoples Independent party of Red Willow county, Nebraska, are hereby notified that a delegate convention of said party will be held in Indianola on Saturday, the 6th day of August, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day for the following purpose to wit: To nominate one candidate for county representative, one candidate for county attorney, one candidate for commissioner—3d commissioner district. To select eight delegates to attend the state convention at Lincoln, August 10. Eight delegates to attend congressional convention, eight delegates to attend senatorial convention. To select new county central committee and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The basis of representation shall be one delegate at large from each precinct and one additional delegate for each 15 votes or major fraction thereof cast for W. A. Poynter for governor in 1900 which gives the following representation from each precinct to wit:

Alliance	4	Grant	2
Beaver	5	Indianola	2
Bondville	4	Lebanon	2
Box Elder	3	Missouri Ridge	3
Coleman	2	North Valley	4
Danbury	3	Perry	3
Driftwood	3	Red Willow	3
East Valley	4	Tyrone	3
Fritsch	4	Valley Grove	2
Gervey	2	Willow Grove	12

Total.....81
It is recommended that precinct caucus for the purpose of choosing delegates to this convention be held Thursday, August 4th, at 3 p. m., when not otherwise called by precinct committeemen. It is recommended that no proxies be allowed. By ORDER OF COUNTY COMMITTEE.
L. M. SMITH, Secretary,
July 15, 1904.

ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.
MRS. JOHN AMEN is visiting relatives near Beverly.
MISS LIZZIE BECKSTEAD is a guest of Mrs. Vina Wood.
MRS. F. J. ZAJICEK is visiting relatives in Holdrege.
COL. DILWORTH is in the city, today, on legal business.
MRS. F. BLOCK is visiting relatives in Bloomington, this week.
MRS. J. B. WADE was an Imperial pilgrim fore part of week.

MISS CORA KELLY returned to her home in Harlan, Iowa, Monday.
CHARLES MCCONNELL is here from Illinois on a visit to his brother L. W.
MRS. H. T. BRUCK of Broken Bow is a guest of her sister Mrs. R. M. Douglass.
MISS MARY MUGAN and Gasoline were passengers on 14, Tuesday, for the mountains on an outing.
H. W. W. BELL of Crete has been a city visitor, this week, guest of his daughter Mrs. I. D. Moore.
MISS MILIE AND ROSE ELBERT will leave in a few days for a visit with friends and relatives in Illinois.
MISS LIZZIE FITZGERALD has gone to Alliance to spend the rest of the summer with her sister Mrs. R. C. Knox.
J. S. SENSITAFER came in from Look-aba, Okla., first of the week, and is attending some real estate matters.
CHRIS. EASTIN of Miami, Mo., arrived in the city, Wednesday, for a visit with his father-in-law Frank Stillman.

MISS BESSIE BEAM left on No. 3 Wednesday night for a six weeks' visit with friends in Canyon City, Colorado.
MRS. A. P. WELLES went down to Lincoln, Thursday night, to visit the doctor, who is steadily improving.
MRS. H. H. KINGSBURY and sister Miss Rogers went up to Denver, Wednesday, on a visit to another sister.
MRS. L. T. CADY and daughter of Mount Clemens, Mich., are guests of the former's sister Mrs. M. A. Northrup.
MISS SADIE COYLE of the postoffice force will leave tomorrow night for St. Louis on a visit to her uncle and the fair.
DUANE SMITH's little boy's mouth and a tin whistle made an ugly combination for the lad, poisoning the mouth. It is improving, however.
MISS JEANETTE DUTTON arrived home, Wednesday, to visit the family for some time. She has just been visiting the St. Louis exposition several weeks.
MISS MILLER, who is here from Kansas City for her health, it is a pleasure to note, is improving. The Millers are very comfortably located with the Sheldons in the northeastern part of the town.
FRANK BARNETT will remember his eighth birthday manyaday and his young friends will forget it not many moons. It was Saturday and the visions of good things and the remembrance of a joyous time remain.

Advertised Letters.
The following letters were advertised by the McCook postoffice, July 18, 1904:
Brown, Mrs. William Hanlon, Lizzie
Claus, J. H. McBride, Mrs. C. B.
Collins, Mrs. J. H. Nelson Bros.
Dow, Henri Rhude, Jud
Earle, Mrs. Anna Stephens, Linton
Thompson, Mrs. T. G.

When calling for these letters, please say they were advertised.
F. M. KIMMELL, Postmaster.

Piles Upon Top of Piles.
Piles upon top of piles of people have the piles, and DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures them. There are many different kinds of piles, but if you get the genuine and original Witch Hazel Salve made by E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, a cure is certain. H. A. Tisdale of Summerton, S. C., says: "I had piles 20 years and DeWitt's Salve cured me after everything else failed." Sold by L. W. McConnell.

When bilious take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all druggists.

PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY NOTES.
A book that has already been mentioned in this column, but which is deemed worthy of more extended notice, is the Journal of the Lewis and Clark Expedition. It is a work that should be read by every American, and is, of course, of especial interest to us who live in a part of the vast territory the exploration of which was the object of this party. You may begin the two rather ponderous volumes with a feeling that it is tasking your patriotism too severely to be required to finish them, but once in the story, you will deserve no credit for reading it to the end.

To appreciate its merits you must look beyond the words,—the somewhat monotonous repetition of the incidents in the daily life of the men who formed this intrepid band,—at the men themselves. At contemplation of the magnitude and grandeur of their undertaking, your admiration will not fail to develop into something akin to awe and reverence, and you will ask yourself whether the actors in this greatest of American epics were not beings superior to men. Columbus's accomplishment itself was not more wonderful. It were an easy matter to embark in a well provisioned ship and sail away on a voyage of discovery, but to journey for 4,000 miles through pathless wildernesses and trackless deserts, through lands swarming with wild animals and wild men, through other lands without human inhabitants, without living creatures of any sort, almost without vegetation, is an essentially different matter.

Recall the conditions that prevailed in the northern part of the region then called Louisiana. Beyond St. Louis there was then no settlement of white men. East of the Rockies, which our narrator calls the "Rock" mountains, a few traders navigated the water ways, and into what is now North Dakota a few Hudson Bay men came for the purpose of trafficking with the Indians. One hundred years ago these were the only white men who had penetrated the region. Among the mountains and in the country to the west, until you reached the harbors of the Pacific, none had been.

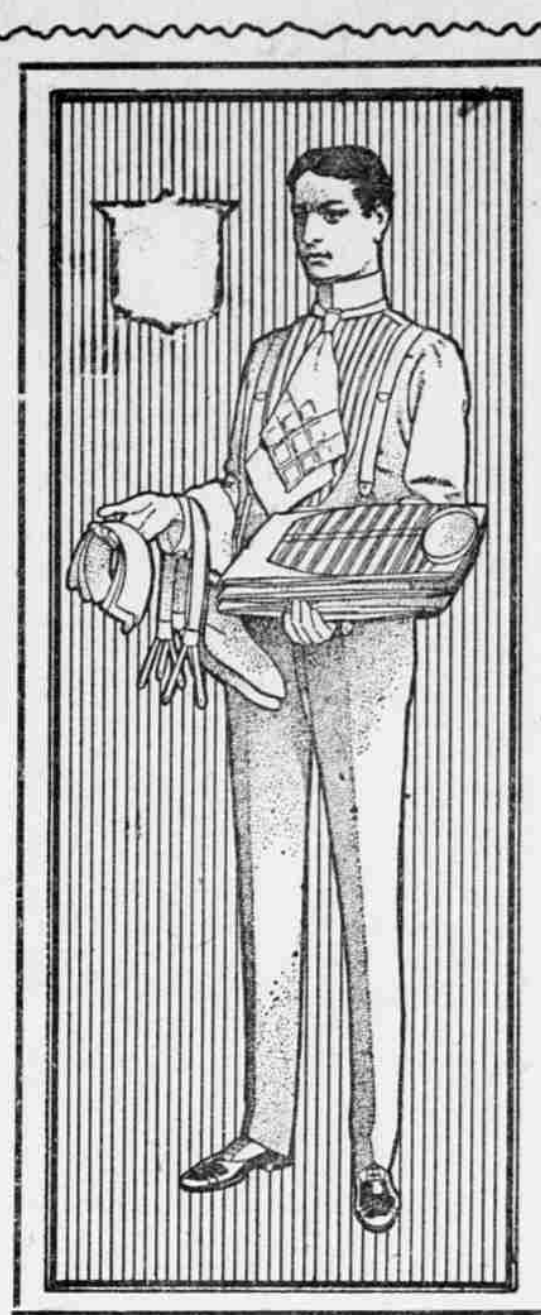
The leaders of this expedition and their men voyaged up the Missouri in a boat as far as they could go. Then substituting canoes for the larger craft they succeeded in reaching the head waters of that stream. Purchasing horses from the natives they crossed the mountains, and finally reaching a tributary of the Columbia where they could again embark their canoes, they floated down that great thoroughfare of the northwest to where it empties into the ocean. In the long journey they were frequently on the verge of starvation. In the mountains they were reduced to the necessity of resorting to horse flesh. At one time a dog was purchased as a delicacy for a sick man, and dogs came even to be esteemed as an article of diet. Wolves and vulchers were shot as food. Sometimes they had nothing but roots to eat, and sometimes they had nothing at all.

Yet through it all they seemed to be cheerful and happy. One finds no word of complaint from beginning to end of the book. The stoicism with which they faced the dangers of their situation and the unfeeling modesty with which the entire tale is told, cannot but arouse our heartiest admiration. The enterprise consumed the greater part of three years. It began in the early winter of 1803, and terminated at St. Louis in September, 1806.

Night Was Her Terror.
"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three \$1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1. L. W. McConnell, druggist. Trial bottles free.

Cured of Bright's Disease.
Robert O. Burke, Elnora, N. Y., writes: "Before I started to use Foley's Kidney Cure I had to get up from twelve to twenty times a night, and I was all bloated up with dropsy and my eyesight was so impaired I could scarcely see one of my family across the room. I had given up hope of living, when a friend recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. One 50 cent bottle worked wonders and before I had taken the third bottle the dropsy had gone, as well as all other symptoms of Bright's disease." Sold by A. McMillen.

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BANKSVILLE.
James Miller was here Sunday.
A little rain would be all right just now.
Ira Elliott had business at McCook, Wednesday.
Grain harvesting is well advanced only a few pieces of grain to cut.
Corn has about caught up to its normal height for this time of year.
Carrie Adams has been helping Mrs. B. W. Benjamin the past two weeks.
The postoffice here is still selling stamps at the regular price and is not affected by the strike.

Redwillow Above the Average.
George D. Follmer, commissioner of public lands and buildings, was in the city, Monday morning, to check up on the deed record for 1903, in an effort to determine by a comparison with the sale values of real estate, whether Redwillow county's real estate has been assessed high enough for 1904. The land commissioner thoroughly satisfied himself that the real estate of this county has been assessed at a value above the average. He went from here to Dundy county.

The Nest of the Kingfisher.
Our American belted alcyon, or common kingfisher, is an expert hole borer. There is scarcely a clayey bank along the streams of our middle and southern states but has its face cut by the door of one of these gloomy looking houses.
The hole is usually quite round and goes directly into the bank, with a slight upward slant to a distance of from two to four feet, where it turns nearly at right angles to one side or the other, ending in a large, jug shaped pocket, where the eggs are laid. The kingfisher is my most cheerful companion when I am out for a day's or a week's angling. It is an ever fresh delight to watch him swooping down into the clear brook water with a melodious plunge and coming forth sparkling like a flake from a blue sea wave or a fragment of turquoise. He rarely fails to catch the minnow he strikes at, but his appetite is unremitting and insatiable. He eats from morning till night.—Maurice Thompson.

Two Things That Scare a Negro.
Two seemingly harmless things excite the fear of the southern negro. One is the cracking of the finger joints; the other is to be stepped over as he lies prone upon the ground. The cracking of the finger joints seems to suggest to the negro imagination the rattling of a skeleton's bones, while to be stepped over is regarded as likely to bring bad luck to grown folks and to check the growth of children. A half grown negro boy will sternly command a playfellow who has stepped over his body to step back in order that the spell may be removed.

Uncle Sam's Recruits.
The following qualifications are required of every soldier selected as a recruit: He must not be under twenty or over twenty-five years old, he must be strong enough to lift a 100 pound weight with both hands to a position level with his chest, he must be 4 feet 8 inches in height and able to run a course of seven miles in an hour, and he must also be of good character.

Notice.
August 2nd, in the First Baptist church, McCook, at 8 p. m., there will be a Piano Recital, given by Edna M. Barr of the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass., assisted by Mr. C. H. Miller, instructor of vocal music at the McCook Junior Normal School. The program for the same will appear in next week's TRIBUNE. Everybody welcome. Admission 25 cents.

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Specially Low Prices
on wall paper at McMillen's drug store.
The high school boys walloped the Culbertson lads, last Friday, in a game, by a score of 16 to 5. Wednesday of this week, Oxford was the victim and the score 10 to 4. They expect to make Culbertson go some again today.
See W. C. Bullard before you let your contract for concrete walks. He has an expert to put them down, and furnishes everything.