

The McCook Tribune.

TWENTY-THIRD YEAR

MCCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 25, 1904.

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At a Noon Luncheon.

A numerous representation of McCook society enjoyed a quite perfectly arranged and executed noon luncheon, Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Boyle, who with Mrs. Mary A. Northrup and Mrs. J. J. Curran were hostesses on the auspicious occasion.

Mrs. F. W. Bosworth and Mrs. J. G. Stokes assisted the hostesses in receiving the guests.

Luncheon was served from large tables in three different rooms, the guests receiving designating cards and colored ribbons indicating which room and their partners. A four-course luncheon was served with befitting accessories in wares and napery. Mrs. Albert McMillen and Mrs. V. H. Holliday served in the pink room, Mrs. R. M. Douglass and Mrs. Walter Stokes in the yellow room. Mrs. Ray Vahue and Mrs. Herman Pade in the blue room.

The floral decorative feature of the yellow room was yellow chrysanthemums; of the pink room carnations; of the blue room white chrysanthemums. Besides the dappery, refreshments and decorations generally, which were tasteful and profuse, carried out the color effect in each room.

During the serving of refreshments Mrs. C. L. Fahnestock played softly on the piano, affording an enjoyable particular.

High five and flinch were among the social diversions of the afternoon.

Education For Farmers.

Commencing January 2, 1905, the University of Nebraska offers a course of instruction in the principles and practice of agriculture. The course covers the subjects of soils, field crops, dairying, butter and cheese making, breeds and judging of live-stock, diseases of farm animals, agriculture, shop work, farm machinery, and English. No examinations are required for entrance.

It would seem that many students from this county should attend and take advantage of the instruction offered, for the knowledge gained will not only enable young farmers to get better returns from their land but will also help them to save money in carrying on farm work.

Thanksgiving Day in McCook.

McCook observed Thanksgiving day in quite usual fashion. A few attended the union services in the Baptist church, where Rev. Burt of the Christian church delivered an appropriate and excellent sermon and the Baptist choir provided music of a seasonable and enjoyable sort. Business was suspended for most of the day, and dinner parties were in quiet evidence in not a few homes. The bunners were thicker than leaves in Valmontosa, which interfered with the gratitude of the innocent birds and animals for life and well-being. Charity was dispensed wherever necessary and a number of homes were thus made more comfortable.

Conductor Becomes Insane.

George R. Souter, a well known and very popular conductor on the Burlington, employed by the railroad company for the last twenty years, was this Saturday morning taken to the insane asylum here for treatment. Mr. Souter was taken ill several days while out on his run and telegraphed in to headquarters for relief. Upon his arrival in Lincoln it was found that he was extremely nervous and was laboring under the hallucination that his wife and family were in great danger. It is believed that he will speedily recover.—Lincoln cor. Omaha Bee.

A Victim of Typhoid Fever.

John T. Vandervoort died of typhoid fever, November 19, 1904, aged 24 years. The remains were brought to Indianola for burial. Services were conducted at that place by the writer, Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1904.

Deceased was born in Hastings, Neb., July 30, 1880. He was greatly beloved by all who knew him. About three years ago he united with the U. B. church and has since led an exemplary life. The family consisting of the mother, two sisters, and four brothers has much tender sympathy in this sorrow and loss. G.T.B.

For Sale or Trade

For McCook property or land near McCook, 480 acres of land 2 1/2 miles from railroad station in south part of Lincoln county, Nebraska. Good frame house. Large barn and sheds and other buildings. One section fenced and lots of range. Fine lay-out for cattle. Ill-health cause for selling. Would also dispose of 85 head of cattle, 100 tons of hay etc., or might leave some on place on shares to responsible party. Price \$1,250.00, one-half down, balance well secured. Write R. J. HARPER, Beaver City, Neb.

Cancer Calls an Aged Citizen.

D. C. Jackson, long a sufferer from cancer, died on last Saturday, and was buried from the Christian church, Sunday afternoon. For the past five years the aged man has been a great sufferer with cancer of the lip.

Saddle Mare For Sale.

Six years old. Also Pueblo 40-lb. saddle. Can be seen at Wilson's west barn. 11-25-11* C. H. HOSKIN.

Self-heating roasters at Coleman's. Nothing equals them.

Boys all-leather mittens 10c pair at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

The largest assortment of cut glass—water glasses. Prices right at W. T. COLEMAN'S.

Have you bought your heating stove yet? See Ludwick's line. Cut prices balance of season.

Those very snug and warm beaver top, flannel lined shoes for women are at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Watch the B. & M. meat market for a special sale on lard.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

BERT GRIGGS is home on a short visit to his mother.

Mrs. F. W. BOSWORTH was a Denver visitor, Tuesday.

GEORGE A. CAMPBELL was a Lincoln pilgrim, Saturday.

MISS GRACE HUSTON is a guest of her sister Mrs. J. J. Curran.

Mrs. J. F. KENYON departed, Wednesday, for Iowa, on a visit.

H. W. KEYES of Indianola had business in the capital, Monday.

MISS CORAL WHITE is spending the Thanksgiving at home in Edison.

Mrs. W. E. HEFFELBOWER's parents were with her over Thanksgiving.

LOYD JENNINGS was at home from Akron, Colorado, for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. J. A. COLBER was an east-bound passenger on 12, Wednesday morning.

MISS FANNIE MARTIN is here from Harvard, guest of her brother George.

FAY STAYNER and Clara Anton are in Loomis visiting in Dell I. Davis' home.

J. T. LEHEW is home from Havelock, where he has been working for the company.

MISS DELLA SHEPHERD is home from Salt Lake City, Utah, on a visit to the family.

MR. AND MRS. E. L. SWAIN welcomed a daughter into their home, Monday of this week.

Mrs. JOHN STEVENS is down from Denver, guest of Mrs. Matella Gordon and other friends.

Mrs. MAGGIE GINDHART and Master Harry are here from Marion, Indiana, guests of Mrs. J. V. O'Connell.

FRANK S. HYDE, a California civil engineer, is doing some work on the Culbertson ditch, with C. H. Meeker.

MR. AND MRS. V. FRANKLIN and daughters were Benkelman visitors, Thursday, spending the day with W. B. Wolfe.

Mrs. GEORGE LEHEW went up to Pueblo, Colorado, last Saturday, to visit relatives, returning home, last night.

J. P. A. BLACK was up from Hastings, Tuesday, on business. He carried his initials in a suit-case for prudential reasons.

PETER MESEN has bought W.B.Mills' corner lot on north Marshall street and will commence a residence for himself at once.

Mrs. F. M. KIMMEL and Schell are spending the Thanksgiving vacation with Mrs. E. E. Magee in Fairmont, Nebraska.

GEORGE C. HILL came in from Cripple Creek, Colo., close of last week, and has been visiting relatives here and in Indianola.

SHERIFF WYATT of Kearney county was in town, Tuesday, on business and visited with his niece Mrs. I. L. Rodstrom.

J. B. MESERVE left on No. 1, Monday, for Sheridan, Wyoming, on a visit to his son Leonard, who is running an engine out of that point.

Mrs. H. A. BEALE left, Monday, for Rock Island, Chicago and other points east on a visit to relatives and to be gone till after the holidays.

Mrs. V. H. SOLIDAY and Miss Millie Slaby are spending the vacation days with Red Cloud relatives and in Kansas, south of that place.

Mrs. SAM BUNTING of Bicknell, Indiana, and Mrs. W. P. Dye of Lincoln, Nebraska, are guests of M. O. McClure and S. N. Wilson this week.

FRANK S. VAHUE, who has been spending a few weeks here closing some business matters, resumed his work on the road Wednesday of this week.

MR. AND MRS. N. P. McCLELL of Vincennes, Indiana, are guests of their son M. O. McClure. Their granddaughter Elaine accompanied them from Indiana.

MISS REEFY GAMMILL of THE TRIBUNE force is spending the week in Stockville and other points and Leroy F. Rolfe is making good for her in the office meanwhile.

SAM ROGERS and John Stevens, both of Denver, have gone to Mexico on business connected with the copper mine in which a number of McCook people are interested.

JESSE NADEN and Edward Byfield were over from Danbury, Saturday, the former to be examined by the county superintendent, the latter to see the home folks.

MISS OLIVE RITTENHOUSE departed, Thursday night, for Oklahoma City, where she will be employed as stenographer in the law office of Shartel, Keaton & Wells.

Mrs. BANKSON, sister of Mrs. Frank Stillman, is visiting at the Stillman home. The Bankson family expects to reside for a couple of years at least on the Stillman farm.

MR. AND MRS. C. F. BARCOCK joined in the Babcock reunion in Cambridge, Thanksgiving. Tiff Babcock of Yuma, Colorado, and W. W. Babcock of Prattsburg, York state, were present.

PRESIDING ELDER SHUMATE of North

COME HERE FIRST

when you need anything in the way of drugs, toilet articles or the thousand and one little things that you expect to find in the better drug stores.

Next month we will have all of our CHRISTMAS GOODS displayed and then we know it will pay you to come here first, because we have just what you want and at the price you want to pay.

L. W. MCCONNELL, DRUGGIST.

ONLY FIVE CENTS EXTRA

THE McCOOK TRIBUNE one year \$1.00

And—THE WEEKLY INTER OCEAN one year \$1.00

BOTH—One year for \$1.05.

This offer open only a few weeks and may be taken advantage of by old subscribers who will pay one year in advance, as well as new ones.

Platte was in the city this morning. He left during the day for Moorefield, driving his own horse which has been here since his removal from the city.

GLEN E. CONGDON is giving notice to Mary E. Congdon, non-resident, of his intention to secure a divorce from her in the district court of this county, on the grounds of wilful desertion and extreme cruelty.

CONGRESSMAN NORRIS and family went down to Wymore, last Saturday, to make a brief visit to Mrs. Norris' sister at that place. They returned home, Sunday night. The congressman and family will leave, next Sunday, for Washington, where they will spend the winter.

MISS OLIVE RITTENHOUSE entertained the "Aul-O's", Tuesday evening, at the home of Mrs. Charles M. Bailey. The affair was in the nature of a farewell, Miss Olive departing on No. 14, Thursday night, to assume a position in Oklahoma City. Miss Olive has spent much of her life in our city and her friends are many. All regret her leaving, while she carries with her the well-wishes of many.

The Opening Event.

The opening event in the citizen's entertainment course, last Saturday evening, was a gratifying omen of the undoubted success of the entire course. Frank W. Roberson was at his best and the topic of his illustrated lecture, Russia and Japan, could not have been more pertinent and timely.

The audience crowded the house, was appreciative and demonstrative. The pictures thrown upon the canvas spoke more eloquently than words of the might and cruelty of Russia and the peaceful simplicity of the "Yankees of the East" whose performance so far in the unequal struggle with the cruel Cossack is the wonder and admiration of the day the world around.

The lecturer's judgment is with the resources of the Russians, his sympathy with the righteous cause of the Japs. His words were scarcely less instructive, entertaining than were his numerous and realistic, beautiful pictures.

We await the following events of the course with confidence.

Real Estate Filings.

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

W. V. Gage to E. C. McKay, wd to lots 11 and 12 in block 29, Second McCook. 300 00

Sarah Ogden to W. A. Minnear, wd to wd lot 29 and nw cor and wd lot 29 q-22-27. 2,100 00

I. M. Beardlee to G. W. Short, wd to pt lots 23 and 24 in block 30, Indianola. 4,000 00

M. E. A. Van Vleet to J. F. Whitford, wd to pt lot 18-19-30. 200 00

M. E. DeLong to E. C. McKay, wd to lot 7 in block 12, Second McCook. 150 00

F. S. Sovers to W. Devoe, wd lot 11 in block 7, Lebanon. 500 00

F. G. Stillbomer to M. A. Rittenberg, wd lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 7, Esther Park. 120 00

W. B. Mills to P. Miessen, wd lot 7 in block 14, Second McCook. 200 00

United States to A. Utter, pat e hf sw qr and lots 3 and 4 in 31-26. 200 00

A Runaway Bicycle.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. Its just as good for burns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at L. W. McConnell's, druggist.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters were advertised by the McCook postoffice, Nov. 21, 1904:

Boyer, Dave Haskin, O. E.
Chapman, W. J. Hall, John
Dean, Miss Opal Stewart, F. P.

When calling for these letters, please say they were advertised.

F. M. KIMMEL, Postmaster.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Rooms For Rent

at the Smith boarding house.

Dolls.

A large line of all sizes and prices at McConnell's drug store.

Special prices on heating stoves at J. H. Ludwick & Son's. One of the best assortments in the city.

Men's and boys' heavy winter leggings, with clasp or lace, for 50c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

A prize with every ham. Seven-pound California hams for 84 cents at B. & M. meat market.

Fascinating that fascinate are at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Watch for date of special "cut glass sale" at W. T. Coleman's.

Skates for boys and girls at W. T. COLEMAN'S.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Sup't Campbell has been spending a few days in Chicago.

Engineer and Mrs. M. V. Traver are now located in Lincoln.

Brakeman W. G. Selby has been transferred from Oxford to McCook.

Conductor H. H. Miller has King's run and Conductor W. H. Brown has Willett's.

Conductor and Mrs. Will Turley are visiting relatives of her's at Greeley Center, this week.

A little daughter came, Tuesday, to delight the hearts of Conductor and Mrs. G. W. Bunting.

Trainmaster Kenyon went in to Lincoln, Tuesday on 6, to help in preparing a new time card.

Conductors Bunting, Beale and Benjamin went in to Lincoln, yesterday, on company business.

W. A. Cassell spent Thanksgiving day with friends in the country. C. A. Deloy with relatives in Alma.

Brakeman M. A. Moore went down to Red Cloud, Wednesday on No. 13, to be thankful with his parents.

Sick roster: Frank Rank, H. A. Rouch, Neal Beeler, Peter Carty, K. B. Covey, C. F. Allen, F. E. Brigner.

Storekeeper Waterman of Lincoln was in the city, Wednesday, and a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tartsch.

Conductor and Mrs. C. W. Bronson and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Schobel spent Thanksgiving with Minden relatives.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will give their first annual ball and banquet, Tuesday evening, December 20. Banquet at Palmer house.

Conductors George Willett and A. G. King are in Denver, this week, as witnesses for the company in the somewhat famous Hatch, ticket scalper, forgery case.

Engineer and Mrs. J. M. Trammell, her sister and cousin arrived, Wednesday, from Maryland, where Mrs. Trammell has been visiting the homefolks for several months.

The company put into operation their regular winter schedule of eight hours, Monday morning of this week. Men in the round house commence work at eight and quit at five now.

M. V. Traver, an engineer on the Burlington, has retired from the service in which he has been employed for 25 years, and with his family has moved to Lincoln.—Red Cloud Advertiser.

Conductor Douglas has way-car No. 14, 251 vice Rouch and Conductor Best is in charge of the 14, 139 during Beale's absence. Conductor Herman Hegeberger has the 14, 192 while Rank is indisposed.

It is stated, as one evidence of the peculiar sort of jimbilly's economy, that it cost the company \$57 more to do the switching in the Akron yard, last month during the new order of things, than it did previously when regular yard crews did the work instead of the trainmen as now.

Switchman A. G. Goth, who is visiting his mother in Bellevue, met with a mishap, first of the week, while driving in South Omaha with his mother. The horse became frightened and ran away, throwing both occupants from the vehicle. The mother was quite severely hurt and was removed to a hospital. A. G. was injured about the face and left arm.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

On account of sickness in the pastor's family there will not be any services in the Congregational church, next Sunday.

ADVENT—Sabbath school at 2 p. m., preaching at 3. Prayer meeting every Tuesday evening.

ELDER G. H. SMITH, Pastor.

Advent services will be held in the old Methodist church, both morning and evening, next Sunday. The Methodists will hold their usual Sunday-school, however.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.

J. J. LOUGHRAN, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Bible school, 10. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. every Lord's Day. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. Evening subject, "Christian Union." Good music. All are invited.

G. T. BURT, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services in St. Alban's church as follows: Every Sunday in the month, Sunday-school at 10 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—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Junior society at 3 p. m., B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:45 p. m. Sermon themes: Morning, "The Supreme Purpose of Discipleship." Evening, "The Master Consideration."

A. B. CARSON, Pastor.

WALL PAPER REMNANTS.

Special remnant sale at McConnell's drug store.

Watch for date of special "cut glass sale" at W. T. Coleman's.

Best quality table oil cloth 15c yd at Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Boys' 2- and 3-piece suits 85c to \$5.00 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Closing-out ladies' ready-trimmed hats one-third off at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

A prize with every ham. Seven-pound California hams for 84 cents at B. & M. meat market.

Another invoice of ladies' dress skirts arrived this week, Wednesday—very bright, attractive styles. We show over 300 skirts from \$1.75 to \$8.75. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

NORTH OF TOWN ITEMS.

The sick folks at Harry Short's are better.

Henry Pate and George Cain are hauling beets.

D. C. Little and son Hugh are building a new house.

George Henderson and Jay Carter are hauling beets.

Martin Kennedy bought some sheep at the Ruby sale.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Houge are enjoying a visit from some friends from Iowa.

E. W. Glendon, teacher in district 41, has gone home to spend Thanksgiving.

L. C. Ruby had a very successful sale, last Thursday. Cows sold at from \$20 to \$28 and spring calves averaged \$15 a head.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY ROUTE NO. 1.

Amos Bower of the U. S. mail service is home for the Thanksgiving vacation.

They celebrated the completion of Charles Ebert's new barn, a few days since, with a dance.

Colonel W. E. Corwin of Lakewood ranch is having his dwelling house reshingled and other improvements made about the ranch.

The children from Rev. August Mueller's school have gone to the Kennedy school, taught by Mrs. Robert Johnston. They had to do some figuring to make room and provide seats for them all.

Rev. August Mueller leaves, today, for Grand Island, where he will spend a short time visiting relatives. From there he will go to Osage, Iowa, where he will take charge of a new pastorate. The parishioners of the Ash Creek German Lutheran church have not yet secured a pastor to succeed Rev. Mueller.

RED WILLOW.

Fine weather for corn husking.

Mrs. Black's little daughter is improving.

John Helm's new house is nearing completion.

Mr. Smith will move in the near future into their new home on the Willow.

Everest Moore will move to Lebanon and engage in the hardware business with his brother-in-law.

Several pieces of real estate have changed hands, recently. Pat McNeil has purchased the old McIntee 160-acre farm for \$3,900.

Mrs. E. A. Saxon has returned from an extended visit to her son and daughter in Henry county, Iowa, and her daughters in Aurora, Ills.

One of E. A. Saxon's horses became frightened while he and Mrs. Saxon were out driving on Sunday last, and caused them to have considerable repairing done to buggy and harness.

CULBERTSON.

Prof. O. H. Morris was a McCook visitor, the last of the week.

W. S. Collett, the popular Trenton banker, was in town, Wednesday.

W. Z. Taylor left for St. Louis, Thursday night, for a short visit.

Joe Hassler returned from his visit at Exeter and Omaha, Tuesday evening.

Miss Blanche Benedict came down from Rain, the last of the week, to visit the homefolks.

The social given by the ball boys, Saturday evening, was a success socially and financially.

David G. Knowles and friend Mr. Berge came up from McCook for a visit with David's folks, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMillen and children of McCook visited with relatives here, latter part of the week.

J. Wiggins received two double-deck car loads of sheep, this morning, which he will feed in his yards in the southeast part of town.

The farmers are still digging beets and hope to finish up this week. It is estimated that there 300 car loads in silo around Culbertson.

Dr. Duncan, this week, moved his office from the rooms in the rear of the Culbertson Bank to the old P. O. building, north of Solomon & Knowles' office.

H. Lehman left, Friday night, for Loveland and other Colorado points engaged in the beet industry. He had intended to buy a few car loads of sheep, but he found them scarce and consequently returned without them.

Mr. Longstreet is to be the new railroad agent, vice P. M. Green resigned. Mr. Green has been in the employ of the Burlington at this place for the past 14 years and has made a host of warm friends by his kind and courteous treatment of the patrons of the road. He moved into the rooms in the rear of the Culbertson Bank, lately vacated by Dr. Duncan. We hope he will continue his residence in Culbertson.

ITEMS FROM STRINGTOWN.

Dust is thick on the streets of Stringtown.

Nelson Downs was an Indianola visitor, Tuesday.

Charles W. Roper visited Nelson Downs, Sunday.

Emma Podolski visited with the homefolks over Sunday.

John Fiechtner left, Friday night of last week, to visit his brother in Denver.

Fred Wagner is the proud possessor of a new top buggy and a new family carriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Snow recently visited at the home of Rudolph Podolski and family.

Willie and Frank Duberko have recently returned from Idaho and will remain here this winter.

W. M. Rambauch and Henry Kisker have erected new brick houses—not "Nebraska brick" but "brick brick."

Thanksgiving day was celebrated by the German