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CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN—Bible school at 10 a. m. The state evangelist will preach at 11 a. m. All are cordially invited.

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.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday school at 10. Sermon at 11. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7. Preaching at 8. Prayer and conference meeting, Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Rev. J. Perry Ratzell of Cambridge will preach both morning and evening.
 GEORGE A. CONRAD, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday School at 10. Preaching at 11 a. m. Class at 12. Epworth League at 7. Junior League at 3. Preaching at 8:00 p. m. Morning sermon, "Brotherhood." I will preach in South McCook next Sunday at 3.
 M. B. CARMAN, 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 a. m. 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. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, at 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Awakening of the Soul." Evening subject, "A Passing Show." All cordially invited.
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Real Estate Filings.

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

Wm. Doyle to W. L. Zint, wd to lot 15 and pt 16, blk 27, McCook.....	2,800 00
J. J. Vetter to M. W. Green, wd to sw qr 22-27.....	1,100 00
United States to J. E. Hathorn, pt se qr 19-23.....	5 00
A. Bartley to M. J. Hodgkins, wd to pt sw qr 6-3-26 5 acres.....	100 00
L. Jennings to R. F. Fisher, wd to lots 14, 15, 16, 17, blk 54, Bartley.....	900 00
C. A. Stone to Emma C. Stone, wd to lots 5 and 6, blk 4, Willow Grove.....	350 00
G. B. Berry to V. Franklin, wd to lot 10, blk 18, 1st McCook.....	300 00
Lincoln Land Co. to E. J. Mitchell, wd to lot 8, blk 9, McCook.....	300 00
S. D. McClain to H. C. Brown, wd to sw qr 19 nw qr 30-4-29 sw qr 24 ne qr 25-4-30.....	3,400 00
A. L. Haley to R. Smith, wd to lot 3, blk 6, Malmrose add.....	15 00
Anna and Ben Baker to Wm. Byfield, wd to n hf se qr s hf ne qr nw qr ne qr hf nw qr ne qr sw qr 24-3-29.....	4,000 00
W. E. Schmidt to J. R. Frederickson, wd to lot 5, blk 11, 2nd McCook.....	140 00
B. F. Bradbury et al. to F. Quadnor, wd to lot 49, blk 1, Lebanon.....	10 00
W. T. Mendille to L. A. Sheldon, wd to ne qr ne qr se qr 22-25.....	4,000 00
P. P. Bodwell to S. R. Jolley, wd to pt se qr nw qr 17-1-25.....	354 10
R. F. Goresley et al. to H. Poole, wd to ne qr 10-2-26.....	950 00
A. C. Furman to J. L. Simms, wd to lot 18, blk 5, Danbury.....	950 00
I. Nutt to J. L. Simms, qed to lots 16 and 17, blk 8, Danbury.....	350 00
P. Anton to E. Anton, qed to lot 7, blk 2, South McCook, and lot 4, blk 6, West McCook.....	1 00
J. W. Hupp to J. A. Porter, wd to n hf sw qr se qr sw qr 21-1-26.....	750 00
L. R. Smith to M. B. Dutcher, wd to lot 1 in block F, Esther Park.....	23 00

CULBERTSON.

J. B. Korrell has sold his homestead. Robert Knowles went to McCook Wednesday.

John Brown, our county sheriff, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Latta went to Kenesaw to visit her daughter, this week.

Bert Warnock and family have moved to north of Hayes Center.

Mr. Fordyce and Maude from Beverly were in town, Wednesday.

Mrs. Hougan went to Holbrook, Friday, to visit her daughter.

Byron Joy and wife were trading with our merchants Wednesday.

We are glad to note that Mr. Hill is able to be in the store again.

Mrs. Oswald of Holbrook was visiting her brothers Chris and Jasper Hougan.

Tom Beach passed through Culbertson on his way to McCook, Wednesday.

Grace Huree was absent from her school last week on the account of being sick.

The high school boys went up to Palsade, last Saturday, and came back with the honors.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY ROUTE NO. 1.

W. N. Rogers is "snapping" corn. C. W. Graves was along this route, Wednesday.

C. W. Roper visited friends on Ash Creek, first of the week.

Miss Maude Middleton of McCook is a guest of Mrs. W. P. Broomfield.

Part of August Ball's windmill was blown down by the wind, last week.

Denton Stroud arrived home, Sunday morning, to be with homefolks a week.

Dennis St. German, well known on the South Side, is here from Kankakee, Ill.

Miss Susie LeHew of McCook visited the family of Nelson Downs over Sunday.

Mrs. M. J. Stroud went down to Omaha, last Friday, returning home, Sunday night.

East McCook Sunday-school expects to have its Easter program, next Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ida Downs came home from McCook for Sunday dinner and the rain and mud held her a prisoner until Wednesday.

This steady rainy weather has tested carrier No. 1, but he has made the route every day without a skip and very little off schedule at that.

Miss Ruth Jones of McCook visited at Ernest Neumann's from Friday to Sunday, and had the pleasure of coming to town, Sunday evening, in the rain.

Miss Clara Wollenburg of DeWitt, Neb., left on 2, Saturday morning last, for her home, after a visit of several weeks with her sister Mrs. Mike Esch.

Chester Rodgers came up from Lincoln, close of last week, to visit the homefolks awhile. He expects to return to his university work, Sunday evening next.

Ask For It.

We have it, if it should be handled in an up-to-date hardware store.

W. T. COLEMAN.

ORIGIN OF LLOYD'S.

Humble Beginning of Europe's Great Maritime Agency.

Two centuries ago a man who had a cargo to send to the Mediterranean contrived to get rid of some of the risk by inducing a friend to take an interest with him. It was necessary to write out a statement of contract to which the guarantors subscribed. This was the first underwriting. These two men happened to be frequenters of Lloyd's coffee house in London, which was a favorite place for the merchants of the town to gather to discuss business or to gossip.

Others immediately saw the advantage of the scheme which their colleagues had devised, and on the next voyage the risk was parceled out among a larger number of the patrons of the coffee house.

Out of this small beginning has grown the great European maritime agency, still bearing the name of the humble coffee house proprietor, and which not only writes risks on vessels, but rates them and publishes their arrivals at every port the world over, no matter how small or how remotely situated.—From "The Annals of the American Academy."

Hereditary.

Mrs. Maguire—"Tis Mary Ann O'Reilly that's th' foinest pianny player intirely! Mrs. Clancy—Shure, an' no wonder! Isn't her Uncle Barney a pianny mover?—Judge.

"The reason," said Uncle Thomas, "that some stupid men get along better than some smart ones is that they don't keep talkin' all the time and makin' enemies."

ORIENTAL JEWELRY.

PERSONAL ORNAMENTS MIXED WITH ODD SUPERSTITIONS.

Necklaces That Avert the Evil Eye and Beads That Are Potent Charms For Felicity—Legend of the Kaaba Stone—The Sacred Signet Ring.

The oriental's love of luxury, splendor of attire and personal adornment acts as a strong incentive to the eastern jeweler in the production of those exquisitely carved and multicolored creations over which the modern world raves and marvels. Nor are such decorations mere ornaments without other use or meaning.

The oriental jeweler, seated upon the floor of his little shop, inhaling the fragrant odors of his pipe and coffee, conceives his design and jealously envelops it with mysticism, adding to it the quaint charm of symbol and superstition. The bracelet, the earrings, the necklace, the clasp, the buckle and the button grow step by step into a special ornament according to the rank, means, tastes and wants of the wearer, an evidence of class and dignity.

Bracelets are by orientals worn in pairs. Each hand is provided with one, as otherwise jealousy will spring up between the manual members and evil deeds will follow. Earrings are popular among both sexes in certain parts of the orient. The ears are pierced at birth. The perforations are made unnecessarily large so as not to permit a residue of gossip. Then ornaments are offered the ears as consolation. Necklaces are worn most conspicuously to avert the evil eye and to denote dignity and distinction. Festoon necklaces seem to have been in vogue from time immemorial, and not infrequently do they adorn the whole chest of the wearer. In India the men often borrow their wives' necklaces to decorate themselves with. Masculine vanity of certain sects of the Persians far exceeds that of women, and, aside from wearing earrings and necklaces, they almost monopolize the tiny seed pearls by stringing them in their beards, each hair being literally covered with a lustrous pearl.

Beads are among the earliest forms of ornaments and are considered potent charms for felicity, as these are often cut and sold by priests or sheiks, who maintain themselves solely by this means. The pear shaped drop so much in vogue in Europe and America is of decidedly oriental origin and has attached to it a quaint myth. The Kaaba stone in Mecca has this peculiar shape, and according to the theory of the Mohammedans, this stone was the actual guardian angel who was sent to watch over Adam in Eden and was present at his fall. As a punishment for not having more vigilantly executed his trust the angel was changed into a stone and hurled from paradise. Most Mohammedans wear pearl shaped pendants made of wood or some precious stone as a reminder of Allah's wrath, and these are held among them in the same esteem as is the cross among the Christians.

Amulets are regarded as caste marks and are worn only by women. Anklets have a healing power and so are worn not as ornaments only. Little tinkling bells are often attached to these, which lend a pleasing sound to an approaching step and serve to denote the superiority and rank of the wearer and thus in passing render due homage. An Arabian poet describes these as "the awakener of dormant senses."

Rings are worn in great profusion and are made of all sorts of metals. However, they invariably have exquisitely carved or openwork shanks. Even the stones have their symbols and are worn accordingly. In the orient no prejudice exists against opals.

Signet rings were of great importance among the earlier orientals, and even to the present day letters are rarely otherwise signed by those who send them. Thus the authenticity of all orders and communications, even merchants' bills, depends wholly upon an impression of a signet ring. The occupation of the seal cutter is regarded as one of great trust and danger. Such a person is obliged to keep a register of every ring seal he makes, and if one be lost or stolen from the party for whom it was cut his life would answer for making another just like it. The loss of a signet ring is regarded as a disastrous calamity, and the alarm which an oriental exhibits at the loss of the signet can only be understood by a reference to these circumstances, as the seal cutter is always obliged to alter the real date at which the seal was cut. The only resource of a person who has lost his seal is to have another made with new date and to write to his correspondents to inform them that all accounts, contracts and communications to which his former signet is affixed are null from the day on which it was lost.—Jewelers' Circular Weekly.

Obviating the Rules.
 Mrs. Flat—I always insist that my husband wear evening dress when he dines at home. Miss Sharp—Yes, he told me that was the reason he took almost all of his meals downtown.—Detroit Free Press.

Did His Best.
 The Woman—George, this is the anniversary of the day on which I promised to be yours. Have you forgotten it? The Brute—No, my dear, I couldn't. But I've forgiven it.—Exchange.

Meet but Rarely Now.
 Greene—By the way, aren't Charley Brown and May Gray keeping company? White—Oh, dear, no; they've been married for more'n a year.—Boston Transcript.

That life is long which answers life's great end.—Young.

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Lot No. 2.—Terms cash. Sewing machine, 8 day clock, book case.

Lot No. 3.—Terms cash. Six dining room chairs, good as new; 2 stands, one marble top; bureau; refrigerator; a good one; gasoline stove, 3-burners, oven, a good stove; new washing machine; bed springs, 2 oil cans.

Lot 4.—Terms cash. Two seated surry, good condition, with pole and thills; et single harness.

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