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At Opera House GRAND UNION MEETINGS LYON AND STENTZ BEGINS JANUARY 6th

Greetings For Everybody.

Christmas gone, and with the New Year come new resolutions. Our resolve will be to try harder to please all our patrons, and in the selection of goods, we shall try harder than ever to get only such as we can thoroughly recommend, and stand right back of.

In this way we hope to merit a continuance of your patronage and confidence.

Wishing you all a happy and prosperous New Year, we beg to remain

Yours truly,

MCCOOK HARDWARE CO.
W. B. MILLS. R. B. SIMMONS.

There is Great Rejoicing in Fremont on the part of the Christian people generally. The meetings conducted by Messrs. Lyon and Stentz were great not only from the standpoint of numbers, but there is the fullest confidence on the part of all the pastors and their people in the quality of the work. We believe these statements are prophetic in connection with the coming of these gentlemen to McCook in similar labors.

"Dick's Dilemma."

The second production by the Players' club at our city, drew a fair and appreciative house at the Bixler, last Friday evening. Dr. Beach was very successfully starred and afforded enough amusing situation, action, etc., for several plays.

After the Christmas and New Years turkey feed, you should have a Universal foodgrinder to make dainty dishes of the good things left over. McCook Hardware Co. sells them.

You Are Invited

to call and inspect the automatic gates at the McCook Hardware Co.'s. Every fence is deserving of a good gate and every farmer should have both.

Wanted.

An experienced lady book-keeper. Must know shorthand and type-writing. Address POWELL & NILSSON, Marion, Nebraska.

Wanted--Apprentices.

THE TRIBUNE wishes to employ several apprentices, boys or girls. Make application at once to the publisher.

F. M. KIMMELL.

Committee Meeting.

The evangelistic executive committee will meet in the Congregational church, Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

A. F. GREEN, Chairman.

Marseilles and Sandwich one and two hole shellers at the McCook Hardware Co.'s. Just the thing for gasoline engine or hand power.

For Sale.

New four-horse power Olds gasoline engine at a bargain. Inquire at shop. JOHN F. HUNT.

A new box rent schedule will go into effect, January 1st, 1907, in the McCook postoffice. The rates will range from 25 cents to \$1.00 per quarter, according to box capacity.

In quality, service and price we claim to excel.

L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

CHRISTMAS BUYING Made Easy at McMillen's Drug Store.

You doubtless have a list of friends to whom you wish to give presents.

We acknowledge a more than ordinary pride this year in our Holiday display of Seasonable goods.

Come and see our desirable line of inexpensive remembrances as well as the more substantial and attractive gifts.

We welcome you to our store with compliments of the season.
A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

IZORA ROLFE is ill with an attack of fever.

RAY VANDERHOOF is at home for Christmas.

P. WALSH was in Lincoln, early days of the week.

ELSIE CAMPBELL went to visit the Morrissy girls.

MISS ALICE BRADBURY spent Christmas at home--Imperial.

MISS KERSTIN STANGLAND is among the Christmas home-comers.

Mrs. E. H. DOAN is entertaining her son C. E. McMains, this week.

FLOYD PROPER is home from Des Moines, Iowa, for the holidays.

Mrs. S. C. BEACH and children are visiting Princeton, Mo., relatives.

Mrs. A. H. DOUGLASS is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brown.

MR. AND MRS. C. B. SAWYER entertained the Whist club, last evening.

OSCAR GREEN, a uni. soph., is enjoying home provender during the Yuletide.

LEWIS LUDWICK is home from Nebraska City, for the gladsome season.

Engineer and Mrs. Lambert Rodstrom arrived home, early in the week.

MISS ROWENA HAFER left for her home in Beardstown, Ill., yesterday morning on 2.

Mrs. J. B. MESERVE accompanied him home to Kansas City, Mo., Wednesday night.

MISS KATHRYNE SAWYER of University Place is gladdening parental hearts by a holiday visit.

MR. AND MRS. H. M. IRELAND are spending the Christmas time with Kearney relatives.

DOLLIE PENNELL and Mary Barbazette are up from Lincoln and school for the holidays at home.

MISS EDNA WAITE arrived home, Sunday, from the state university, for the Christmas holidays.

MISS MINNIE ROWELL went down to Minden, Monday to visit, during the mid-winter vacation.

MR. AND MRS. W. B. MILLS went in to Omaha, Wednesday morning, on a short visit before the deluge.

CONGRESSMAN NORRIS is with the homefolks during the Christmas vacation of the lower house.

B. M. FREES of Chicago, is in the city on his annual auditing tour. Mrs. Frees accompanies him.

Mrs. J. D. BURROUGHS left on 6, Wednesday night, for Iowa, called by the illness of her husband.

Mrs. F. A. WARD of Hamburg, Iowa, is here over the holidays, guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Stokes.

MR. AND MRS. W. H. STARKS came down from Colorado, Saturday night, and are passing the week with relatives.

CLAUDE BAILEY is home from the Sacred Heart school in Denver to be with the family during the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. F. C. FULLER, Misses Stella and Gladys were Christmas guests of Mrs. Pickard at Havelock, returning home on 3, Wednesday night.

Mrs. E. E. MAGEE and Master Bruce came up from Ashland, last Friday on No. 1, and are the guests of the publisher during the holidays.

Mrs. L. V. KEAGY spent last week visiting in Lincoln. Mr. K. joined her there for Christmas, both returning here, Thursday on No. 3.

Mrs. F. J. ROLFE and son Will were involved in a runaway, Christmas afternoon, in which she was considerably bruised but not severely injured.

J. B. MESERVE arrived from Kansas City, Sunday on 13, to be with the family over Christmas. He returned to the City on the Kaw, Wednesday night.

Mrs. ALBERT BARNETT and Master Frank enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mr. Barnett up on the high line, where he is absent on end-of-year business.

Opera Glasses.

We carry a very nice line of these goods and will order specially any variety we have not in stock. These are articles that people usually buy but once in a lifetime for their own use. Hence quality is of the utmost importance. Years of satisfaction or dissatisfaction depend upon the selection made.

We know just what we are selling; tell the customer just what he is buying and any claim we make is guaranteed to be correct.

L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

"Nothing Succeeds Like Success."

Our skirt department demonstrates its value to womankind daily. The correct reflection of the latest fashion tendencies; the superior draping qualities of the materials used; the skill with which needed alterations are made all contribute to make a very useful and successful department. \$2.00 to \$7.00. Alterations free. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Simply Staples.

Simpson's mercerized gray prints... 5c

black and white " " " 5c

American " " " " 5c

silver gray " " " 5c

dark and light indigo blue prints..... 5c

American shirting prints..... 5c

Best table oilcloth..... 15c

Best two-bushel, sixteen-ounce seamless bags..... 20c

Best apron check gingham..... 5c

Peerless colored carpet warp, per lb. 23c

Two pairs half woolsox..... 25c

Good yard-wide muslin..... 5c

All colors Saxony yarn, per skein... 5c

Fleischer's German knitting yarn... 25c

Ladies' fleece-lined wrappers..... 75c

Men's all-leather gloves..... 18c

Boys' all-leather gloves..... 13c

Men's black fleeced underwear..... 50c

Men's good blue denim overalls..... 50c

Boys' good blue-black 3 piece suits \$1.00

1,000 other fair-priced articles.—Thompson's—one price, plain figures, cash only.

Goodenberger-Lyons.

Walter H. Goodenberger and Ethel Lyons, two estimable young people of Marion, this county, were united in marriage at the Methodist church Dec. 22, 1906, Rev. M. B. Carman, officiating clergymen. The young folks will enjoy a brief honeymoon in Fort Collins, Colorado, after which they will return to Marion, and settle down in a newly furnished, cosy home ready for their reception.

Adopted Son Dies.

Last Friday, after a long illness, the eighteen-months-old boy recently taken into their home by Mr. and Mrs. Orville Furrow from the Omaha Orphan's Home, passed away. The remains were on the following day interred in River-view cemetery. Brief home services were conducted previously by Rev. M. B. Carman.

Death of Baby Murray.

Death claimed for its own the ten-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray, early Monday morning, December 24th. Early Tuesday morning the little remains were taken to Cambridge for burial. Brief services were conducted at the home, Monday evening, by Rev. M. C. Carman.

Greatest Treat of the Season.

THE TRIBUNE is pleased to announce the greatest treat of the season in the appearance of the Boston Ideal Opera Co. at the Bixler, December 28th and 29th. Friday evening in the delightful "Mikado," Saturday afternoon in the mirthful, catchy "Mascotte" and Saturday evening in "Fra Diavolo."

Buckley-Oswalt Marriage.

Monday, December 17th, 1906, Rev. A. F. Green of the Baptist church united in marriage Abraham Buckley and Anna Oswalt, both of Traer, Kansas, the wedding ceremony being performed at the home of James Miller in South McCook. They will make their home in Traer, Kansas.

New Year Postoffice Hours

The McCook postoffice will be open from 8 to 9 in the forenoon, and from 2 to 3 in the afternoon, New Year. Registered matter will be received and delivered. Rural free delivery routes will not make usual delivery and collection of mail. F. M. KIMMELL, P. M.

Roll Call and Social.

The Annual Business meeting and Roll Call of the Congregational church will be held next Thursday, Jan. 3rd, at 8 p. m. The pastor will entertain the members at the parsonage. Let every member be present.

Settle Up.

All persons indebted to Predmore Bros., R. J. Predmore or G. W. Predmore & Sons must settle up soon. The books will be found at G. W. Predmore and Sons' shop.

Dress Making Wanted.

Will do sewing by the day or at my residence. First class work. One and one-half blocks north of Bixler opera house. 12-21-tf.

Mrs. J. E. MORSE.

Three Hundred Dollars

will buy a good eight-horse power engine and a four-hole sheller in good condition at McCook Hardware Co.'s. This outfit only been used a short season.

Cambridge Flour.

Red Line, Silver Leaf and Oak leaf brands always on hand.—12-21-4ts* J. E. NELMS.

Second Hand two-horse Gasoline Engine for sale cheap at the

MCCOOK HARDWARE CO.'S

A-C-O-R-N.

Let Ludwick explain the new gas burner to you.

A Card of Thanks.

We are more grateful than mere words can convey to all the kind friends and neighbors for assistance and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our dear baby.

MR. AND MRS. EARL MURRAY.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES.

METHODIST.

At the Methodist church on Christmas Eve the cantata "A Visit to Santa Claus" was rendered under the efficient direction of Mrs. Will Dungan who has been untiring in her training of the children during the last few weeks. Audience and League rooms were crowded showing the anticipation of the people, and they were not disappointed.

The first scene represented a company of school children planning a visit to Santa Claus. In a chorus by the children, duet by Grace Willets and Loreen Schroebe and a solo by Miss Rachel Berry, it is decided to make this visit in a balloon under the leadership of Jack Frost.

The second scene represents Santa Claus at his own fire side, surrounded by his wife and three children, fairies and brownies, talking over the fact that he will be unable to make his usual trip on account of the crippled condition of his reindeers. During this family conclave, solos were most effectively rendered by Miss Virginia Heckman, Florence Rosebush and Alma Weidenhamer.

In the midst of this, telephone message is received from Uncle Sam, that he will attend to the matter, and later, another that a company of school children has started in a balloon to visit Santa Claus at his home, their escort and guide being Jack Frost. They arrive safely, bringing with them a bicycle as a present for Santa.

Albert Berry makes a very genial Santa Claus, and the children ask so many questions that Santa is overcome and the brownies are called out to respond with a chorus. The children are aucuted at home by Miss Columbia, who in sweet tones fears for their safety but is assured by Jack Frost's wife Dewdrop, that he will bring them home without harm.

A very pleasing cantata it was, and thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

At the conclusion the distribution of presents proved conclusively that Santa Claus had been as generous this year as of yore in proofs of his love for children.

Below is given a cast of the characters: Santa Claus, Albert Berry; Santa Claus's wife, Virginia Heckman; Santa's children, Glen Callen, Florence Rosebush and Alma Weidenhamer; Santa's fairy Dew-drop, Ruby Lineberg; Miss Columbia, Rachel Berry; Jack Frost, Fred Heckman; troops of fairies, brownies and school children.

CONGREGATIONAL.

The Congregational Sunday school exercises filled the church, Monday evening. Recitations, songs etc., by the little folks made up a program greatly enjoyed. There was a tree and the usual wealth of presents and good things to eat, besides a Santa Claus to delight the little ones. The tree and rostrum were prettily decorated in red and white, to which Chinese lilies, potted plants etc., gave an added grace and beauty.

BAPTIST.

A crowded house greeted the Christmas exercises at the Baptist church Monday evening, by the Sunday school. They had a beautiful tree, a bountiful treat, recitations and songs by the little folks, an anthem by the young ladies, and a very happy occasion withal. The decorations were appropriate and tasteful.

CHRISTIAN.

The Christian Sunday school anticipated the season of peace on earth and goodwill to men—having their exercises on Saturday evening last. Their plans embraced a "fire place," and recitations and songs of an appropriate nature and a liberal treat made up the sum total of joy.

EPISCOPAL.

After a short prayer service at the chapel, Monday evening, an adjournment was taken to the Bixler opera house, where an appropriate program was given by the children, who were beneficiaries of an abundant treat. A "rump" concluded the happy occasion.

EAST MCCOOK.

The East McCook Sunday school had appropriate exercises during the regular meeting hours, last Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The children were given a treat of good things, and altogether had a joyous time.

GERMAN CONGREGATIONAL.

The children of the German Congregational Sunday school were delighted with a tree and treat, Monday evening. The children also gave a program. The church was crowded.

SOUTH MCCOOK.

The Sunday school enjoyed a tree and treat and gave an appropriate program of song and recitation, which pleased a full house.

CATHOLIC.

At St. Patrick's church there were the usual three days for the day—at 8, 9, and 10:30 in the morning.

Bargains, this week, at the Ideal Store.

McConnell sells Eastman kodaks and supplies.

The male quartette will sing, Sunday evening, in the Baptist church.

Kodaks and Kodak supplies at C. R. Woodworth & Co.'s, Druggists.

You should see McMillen's line of Musical and Durable Albums.

Fine Hand-Painted and imported China at McMillen's Drug Store.

Dolls, Dolls, Dolls, lots of them at C. R. WOODWORTH & Co's.

Books—Juvenile, copyrights and Gift Books. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

We sell drugs, they're fresh too. C. R. WOODWORTH & Co.

WANTED—To buy a second-hand roller top desk. MCCOOK LAUNDRY.

Toys, Dolls, Go-Carts, Hobby Horses, etc. in abundance at McMillen's Drug Store.

Cash paid for eggs—highest market price. Reynolds Poultry Co. Phone 285. Old Gurney stand.

Our White Pine and Tar cough remedy is a wonder for coughs, colds and hoarseness. C. R. WOODWORTH & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Diamond take this opportunity of wishing their many friends and patrons the compliments of the season.

Take your poultry and eggs to the Reynolds Poultry Poultry Co. Old Gurney stand. Get the best market price in cash.

Prevent lung trouble by wearing a good chest protector. We have splendidly made ones at a variety of prices. L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

The annual meeting of the Dorcas society of the Congregational church will be held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Wiehe on Thursday afternoon, Jan 3rd, at 2:30 o'clock.

Marsh operates on the theory that nothing is too good for his patrons—hence he buys only the best of livestock of all kinds and sells only the best of meats. You can prove it by a trial. Satisfaction absolutely guaranteed.

"The Mikado" Friday evening, Dec. 28th; at the matinee on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 29th, "Mascotte;" in the evening, "Fra Diavolo." Presented by the Boston Ideal Opera Co., in the Bixler, means three rare occasions to hear and see first-class productions by high-class artists.

Service of Seasonable Music. An enjoyable service of seasonable music replaced the usual service in the Congregational church, Sunday evening last. It was appreciated by a fair audience. The choir offered two anthem selections. Roswell Cutler gave a violin number, being accompanied by Miss Ruth Wiehe. Misses Dora Oyster and Helen Burns sang a duo and Miss Ruth Wiehe a solo, accompanied by Miss Nina Tomlinson. A short address by Rev. Hawkins with seasonable topic comprehended a worthwhile and appreciated evening.

Prescriptions for Colds. We have in our prescription department all of the drugs and chemicals being prescribed by the physicians for colds, la grippe and all other prevalent ailments. These drugs are fresh and of the best quality, thoroughly tested. We are prepared to fill any prescription correctly, no matter whose blank it is written on. Bring it to us. We will take care of it for you. L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Early Closing. THE TRIBUNE learns with satisfaction of the purpose of McCook's leading business-men to close their places of business, commencing with January 1st, at seven o'clock in the evening. We hope this will meet with ready acquiescence upon the part of the public. A further effort is forming to request the city officials to insist upon a more rigid observance of the Sunday-closing law. Good also.

Elect Association Officers. At a meeting of representatives, last night of the S. W. Nebraska Log-rolling association, Congressman G. W. Norris was chosen president; J. R. McCarl, secretary; G. H. Watkins, treasurer. The next meeting of the association will be held in McCook, next fall early.

Fined For Shoplifting. A well-known West McCook lady was arrested and fined, yesterday, for shoplifting, the goods being taken from the Thompson Dry Goods Co. The police judge assessed a fine of \$15.00 and costs.

For Sale, McCook City Property. My residence on north Marshall st. New house of five rooms with bath room. Furnace heat.—12-14-tf. WM. HEFFELBOWER.

All the cabbage you want at \$1.25 per hundred.

M. E. KNIPPLE.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

McConnell for drugs.

Everything in drugs.—McConnell.

McConnell's Balsam cures coughs.

Household goods for sale. Phone 291.

Buy an Edison Phonograph of McConnell.

See McMillen's large as well as medium type Bibles.

Day board at the National hotel, \$3.50 per week.—12-28-2t*

J. E. Barnegrove, McCook; Loans and Abstracts. 12-21-tf.

Dr. Kay's office is now one door north of Commercial hotel. Phone 97.

Choice bargains in remnant wall papers at WOODWORTH & Co's.

Rooms to rent. Furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. C. B. ROWELL.

Hot Springs Blood Remedy. We guarantee it. WOODWORTH & Co.

Bigline of silk embroidered suspenders at Diamond's, the working man's friend.

The Reynolds Poultry Co. will give you the highest price for your poultry and eggs in cash.

If in need of anything in fancy toilet preparations Woodworth & Co. have a fine new line to select from.

The ladies of the Episcopal guild announce their annual ball at the Bixler opera house, April 3rd.—1t.

If it is from Marsh's its the best obtainable. Anything and everything pertaining to the meat market business.

All kinds of fresh and salt meats, fruits and vegetables at MAGNER & STOKES'.