

BARGAIN SALE

COMMENCING

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14th

The J. H. Grannis Stock

which has just been inventoried and amounts to about \$15,000, will be closed out regardless of cost. This stock must sell and prices on everything are bargain prices. The earlier you come the better selections you will have. **WE MEAN BUSINESS**, and you can not afford to miss buying your share of this stock, as the prices are below what you have had offered you before. **EVERYTHING** kept in an Up-to-Date Dry Goods Store will be offered at prices that will pay you to lay in a supply for future use. This sale is for the benefit of creditors and must be **STRICTLY CASH**.

C. E. BISHOP, Manager.

Tooth Talk Truthfully Told

Scores of people innumerable, neglect what are confessed to be a vital necessity to health—happiness—and long life, viz., their teeth. Poor teeth as well as lack of teeth cannot masticate food properly, hence poor health which frequently results from this cause.

Your immediate action makes provision for both teeth and health. One assurance that my operations cause continuous satisfaction—patients enjoy to recall and tell their neighbors about the easy time they had in the dentist's chair at my office.

IT WILL PLEASE ME TO MEET YOU AT ONCE.
Office Over McConnell's Drug Store
DR. H. J. PRATT, Dentist,

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

The accession list is increased this week by twenty-one volumes. Three of these are of the natural science class, as follows: "Electric Power Transmission", by Louis Bell; "Alternating Electric Currents", by Huston and Kennelly, and "Universal Wiring Compendium", by Carl Herring. These, with the two magazines, "Power", and "The Electrical Review", added to the works on electricity already upon the shelves, furnish a good working library for those who are interested in the study of electrical science and machinery. They are much read and are helpful works.

The other books just added are a set of historical novels, eighteen volumes, by Louis Muhlbach. They are not classed a history, but as a series of historical fiction. It is said of Miss Muhlbach, (Clara Mundt), that she has the whole of Europe as her field, and that she gives good pictures of the life and times of which she writes. She is sometimes sensational, and from a literary standpoint is inartistic, but has excellent descriptive power.

One would hardly think it possible that pure vandalism would enter into the spirit of patrons of the library. Yet we must believe it is true when we find a simple paragraph story cut from "That Reminds Me" page of the magazine. There is always paper and pen at hand and any visitor is welcome to copy a "joke" that appears in the magazines. But to deliberately cut or tear from any of the pages is the result of a thought which no right minded person would be willing to indulge. One means of growing in grace, is to grow in respect for books, even though they are public property and paid for from public taxes.

LIBRARIAN.

The public sale season has opened early and with some vigor. Indications point to more than ordinary number of fittings in the early spring, California, Texas, Colorado and Oklahoma being objective points.

BARTLEY.

The Bartley flour mill was burglarized, Monday night, two sacks of flour and some small change being taken. Petty thieving is quite prevalent in this place.

The Bartley people will pay "the devil" to play "The Devil" in the opera house, Friday evening, Jan. 15th. We will no doubt have a devil of a time without "T. R." or "Ben T." being present on the stage with pitchforks or big club.

Ball Brothers are now invoicing their large stock of hardware. Mr. Frank Ball from Holbrook is here assisting in the work.

The painting and paper hanging in the Christian church is nearing completion.

The week of prayer at the Methodist church proved to be of much spiritual benefit.

The ice men are all busy this week putting up the best ice ever stored in Bartley. It is obtained from a lake east of town belonging to W. E. McKilip. The ice is from 11 to 13 inches thick, clear as crystal and free from slush or dirt of any kind.

One of the Evans boys is quite sick with sore throat.

Miss Lena Flint has been teaching school this week, supplying for her sister Grace, who is under the doctor's care.

Mr. Western of Cambridge will move into the Fletcher home in the north eastern part of Bartley, this week.

Mrs. L. O. Davis returned, this week, from Iowa, after a four weeks' visit with her mother.

Special Meetings.

Special meetings will begin at the Congregational church, January 26, under the leadership of Rev. Perry A. Sharpe, pastor of the Congregational church at Marshall, Minn., who is already favorably known to many McCook people through his work here, three years ago.

DANBURY.

C. W. Rogers and Dan Cashen were Cedar Bluffs business visitors, Saturday. A large delegation from Lebanon was up, Saturday night, for roller skating. The ice harvest has begun.

Mrs. W. A. Stone is visiting in Beaver City and Hendley.

Hal DeMay came up from Wilsonville on Friday last and visited the homefolks until Monday.

Charlie, the little son of Rea Oman, is quite sick.

Word from Oberlin announces that Mr. and Mrs. Pierre MacFee are proud parents of a baby girl.

Will Yates has purchased the meat market of Lumb & Wise.

George Thomas left, Friday, for Fairbury, to enter a position in a hardware store.

O. L. Overstake of Lebanon was in town on business, last Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. O. DeMay are rejoicing over a visit from the stork, Monday, the 11th instant.

James Springer and family moved to Indianola, Tuesday, to enter the employ of the telephone company.

O. B. Woods and wife arrived home, Tuesday, from their trip to Denver and other points in Colorado.

Mitchell Young is clerking in the Yates market.

Oscar Thomas is clerking in Stone's store.

John DeLong departed, Monday evening, for Superior, this state.

S. E. Ralston of Lebanon was in town on telephone business, Tuesday afternoon.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY NO. 1.

Mrs. G. Fred Randel arrived home, last Friday. Fred went on to Texas to prospect that country a little.

Charles Downs is temporarily living on the Wilcox place recently purchased by his father.

W. E. Bower and Zelia were visitors, Tuesday, on Frank Dudek's.

W. P. Broomfield lost a valuable colt, end of week, from worm dust, presumably.

A. E. Price and Jud Thompson are cutting wood on the Joe Crocker place.

A 7½ pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Phillippi, last Saturday afternoon. Mother and baby doing nicely and Ed is as proud as a peacock.

Typewriter ribbons, papers etc. for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN—Bible-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. All are welcome.
R. M. AINSWORTH, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at St. Alban's church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are welcome to these services.
E. R. EARLE, Rector.

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.
WM. J. KIRWIN, O. M. I.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermons by pastor at 11 and 8. Class at 12. Junior League at 3. Epworth League at 6:45. Prayer meeting, Wednesday night at 7:45.
M. E. CARMAN, Pastor.

BAPTIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 8:00. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.
E. BURTON, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—Regular German preaching services in the frame building of the East Ward school every Sunday morning at 10:00. All Germans and Russians cordially invited.
REV. WM. BRUEGGEMAN,
607 5th st. East.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.
G. B. HAWKES, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—219 Main Avenue—Services, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading Room open all the time. Science literature on sale. Subject for next Sunday, "Sacrament." New members will be received into the society Sunday. A collection will be taken for the earthquake sufferers.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 1:30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 4:00 p. m. Prayer meetings every Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7:30. All Germans cordially invited to these services.
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