



### With a Base Ball Bat

Some men should be beaten with a base ball bat instead of with a broom. If there is anything that will try a good woman's patience it is—bun coal. If you want coal that will please, let us sell you. If your wife does not say that she never had better coal for the money we will take the beating and remove the coal at no expense to you. All we ask is a trial order. You take no chances. We agree to deliver coal with all good qualities. Give us a trial order. Ask our customers.

**Stansberry Lumber Co.**



## SANTA

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## Stockings

and leave

## Money in Your Purse

at the

## Ideal Cash Store.

### The First National Bank of McCook

is the oldest NATIONAL BANK in Southwestern Nebraska, and in point of Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$90,000, the strongest.

We give you a personal invitation to make this bank your depository whether you have a small sum or a large one to lay aside for safe keeping.

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#### BARTLEY.

Maran Anello, who lives on the old Kaubaus place, north of Bartley, will soon have a sale and move to the eastern part of the state.

Mr. Caton, who came here about one year ago, and bought land just north of town, which he afterward traded to John Wolf for his farm near Dry Creek, will have a sale in a few days.

G. W. Jones will go to Hot Springs for a while to benefit his health.

The death of O. Frost recently reported in the newspapers brings to the mind of the people here one of the pioneers during the perilous days of '94 and '95 when it took nerve to keep things going. Mr. Frost was a zealous friend to Bartley, although sometimes mistaken, his intentions were good.

Peter Hickman has had several years' experience in raising sheep on his farm south of Bartley. He and his neighbor Lyod McMahon recently shipped in from the west four carloads of good sheep which they will feed out for the market.

G. W. Jones has sold his business building to Nelson & Son and they will occupy it soon with their large stock of hardware.

### FRED WIGGINS, AUCTIONEER



will cry your sales any time any where. Bills posted in the Sappa country and tin cups furnished for your free lunch with out extra charge.

Terms \$10 first \$1000 or less 1 per cent on all sales running over \$1,000. Dated made by The Danbury News, Danbury Nebr.

**Engagement Announcement Party.**  
Announcement of the engagement of Miss Ada Hammond, of this city, and Mr. Samuel N. Bayless of Colorado Springs, was made at a party given in honor of the bride to be by Mrs. Hugh Brown at her home 1329 West Third street, Wednesday evening. The news was a complete surprise to Miss Hammond's friends and she was showered with enthusiastic well wishes. The party was very attractively arranged and included a number of novel features of entertainment, one of which was an auction of miscellaneous articles of every corresponding to things which will be worn by the bride on her wedding day. Miss Grace Hoppe proved a very skillful and successful auctioneer. Another feature which added to the enjoyment was a symposium on the "Ideal Husband," each guest writing a sketch of a real or imaginary person to whom the term might properly apply. The announcement of the engagement was made on heart shaped cards. The decorations were pink and white. A two course luncheon was served.  
The wedding will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brown on December 22. The couple will reside at Colorado Springs, where Mr. Bayless is chief machinist in railroad shops. Miss Hammond is a capable young woman and has held responsible positions in business houses here.  
Mrs. Brown's guests were: Misses Zelma Brown, Myrtle Rose, Winnie Moore, Grace Haines, Myrtle Eymann, Lulu Hoppe, Blanche Myatt, Guiljelma Reed, Charlotte Lloyd, Pearl Rawson, Merle Merritt, Lorena Helmick, Lura Rose, Helen Wigert, Grace Hoppe, Beulah Erwin, Olive Coulston—Daily Tribune, Hastings.

#### No. 10 in an Accident.

Passenger train No. 10, last Sunday morning, was derailed at the Northwestern crossing at Exeter. The engine, two coaches, a mail and a baggage car left the track. A. R. Gilman, a Burlington engineer who was returning to Lincoln, "deadhead" on the smoker, was the only one hurt,—severe bruises and a scalp wound being his injuries. The train ran into the emergency derailer, Engineer G. W. Connor not seeing the stop signal. It seems that a new bulletin was issued, last Friday. Among other changes, it contained information in regard to the new semaphore recently put in at that place. Engineer Connor had failed to carefully read the bulletin and did not notice the information in regard to the semaphore. When he approached the crossing he was looking for the old signal near the ground and did not notice the stop signal on the semaphore as the snow was blinding at the time. Both the caution signal and the stop signal were out against him. A new automatic interlocking plant has just been installed there. Neither the engine nor any of the cars were completely overturned, and the escape from loss of life, severe injury or large damage is considered remarkable.

#### Mask and Wig Officers.

At a meeting of the Mask and Wig Dramatic club, last Sunday afternoon, there was an election of new officers as follows: Max W. Hare, president; Fred I. Archibald, secretary; George Allen, treasurer; Dr. S. C. Beach, coach.

The club has started work on a four-act, twenty-five character production, to be staged in the new Temple theatre, on Tuesday, the eighteenth of January.

#### Taken to Lincoln.

Deputy United States Marshal Hensel returned yesterday from McCook with Harry Green, who is under indictment in federal court on the charge of taking mail from the postoffice and opening it when he knew it belonged to another man of the same name. Green is twenty years of age. He was arrested last June and has been in jail at McCook since that time.

#### He Is Now Chief.

Engineer J. B. Wade of Denver spent last Friday in the city. He was on his way to Galesburg, Illinois, to assume the presidency of the Order of Locomotive Firemen, the present head official having resigned, and Mr. Wade succeeding him from the position of vice-president. J. B. is a comer. We expect to see him make good. The position carries a salary of \$2500 per.

## CHAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy

Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, Grip and Whooping Cough.

We are pleased to inform our readers that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy does not contain narcotics of any kind. This makes it the safest and best for children.

It makes no difference when you caught that cold, you have it and want to get rid of it quickly. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

It won't do to fool with a bad cold. No one can tell what the end will be. Pneumonia, catarrh, chronic bronchitis and consumption invariably result from a neglected cold. As a cure for coughs and colds nothing can compare with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold everywhere at 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

# DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

A Specialty for Home Baking



Fifty Years the Standard. Makes finest cake and pastry, light, flaky biscuit, delicious griddle cakes—palatable and wholesome.

Ingredients found in the low-priced baking powders are deleterious. The active principle is a mineral acid derived from sulphuric acid, oil of vitriol.

NO ALUM

No Lime Phosphates

## Closing Out Sale.

I mean business. If you have money I can prove to you that "Money Talks." I am offering for sale the following properties:  
No. 1—Lot 8, blk 11. 2nd add. to McCook; unimproved except as to a few trees; location No. 903 W. 2nd st.  
No. 2—Lots 5 and 6 of blk 27, 2nd add. to McCook; improved; house No. 401 5th st. East; one block from school; 7-room house, good repair, fitted with gas for cooking and light; shade, lawn and cement sidewalk; corner lots.  
No. 3—A lovely suburban home adjoining the town of Indianola; 40 acres of land; brick house of 10 rooms one-half mile from post office; frame barn,

well, wind mill and three cisterns. Possession March 1st.  
No. 4—E 1/2 Sec. 27-2-30; 320 acres improved; farm 8 miles from McCook; 140 acres in cultivation, 160 acres in pasture. This is a nice farm and in plain view of city—with good roads. Frame house of 4 rooms; stable 16x40; well, wind mill and cistern; some trees. Possession March 1st.  
Object for selling is to quit business. I will make reasonable terms.  
If interested come and see me and look over the properties. If they suit you we can deal. If you deal with me you have no commissions to pay.

## I. M. Smith, Owner

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Mrs. S. Joyce, Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years' standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it."

After exposure, and when you feel a cold coming on, take Foley's Honey and Tar, the great throat and lung remedy. It stops the cough, relieves the congestion, and expels the cold from your system. Is mildly laxative.

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## The highest medical authority

on foods,

Sir James Crichton Browne, LL.D.—F.R.S. of London,

gives the best reasons for eating more

## Quaker Oats

In an article published in the Youth's Companion of September 23rd, 1909, Dr. Browne, the great medical authority on foods, says, about brain and muscle building—

"There is one kind of food that seems to me of marked value as a food to the brain and to the whole body throughout childhood and adolescence (youth), and that is oatmeal.

"Oats are the most nutritious of all the cereals, being richer in fats, organic phosphorus and lecithins."

He says oatmeal is gaining ground with the well-to-do of Great Britain. He speaks of it as the mainstay of the Scottish laborer's diet and says it pro-

duces a big-boned, well-developed, mentally energetic race. His experiments prove that good oatmeal such as Quaker Oats not only furnishes the best food for the human being, but eating it strengthens and enlarges the thyroid gland—this gland is intimately connected with the nourishing processes of the body.

In conclusion he says—"It seems probable therefore that the bulk and brawniness of the Northerners (meaning the Scotch) has been in some measure due to the stimulation of the thyroid gland by oatmeal porridge in childhood."

The Scotch eat Quaker Oats because it is the best of all oatmeals.