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## MO. PACIFIC SHOP NEWS

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Many Interesting Items Reported By Employees of Missouri Pacific Division Yards

A small wreck occurred in the yards last night, an engine and four box cars were derailed. The wrecking crew was brought up from Atchison and put to work and this afternoon is about all cleaned away.

Supt. Beernardi of the big Missouri Pacific was here this morning looking over the division work.

Two rumors are afloat in railroad circles. Somebody please verify them. J. O. Russel and R. S. Wilson are reported to have pulled off several musical stunts at a private musical last night and were the most popular men there. Will some one please tell why. Also that Conductor Gale, a single man from Atchison was here today looking for a house. What does a single man want with a house.

## OFFICE SITE SELECTED

THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT SELECTS SITE

The Oswald Corner Proposition Has Been Accepted And Deal Will Soon Be Closed

Although no official announcement has been received at this office the daily papers are publishing the communication from Washington that the Treasury department has made its selection for our new postoffice and that the John Oswald corner has been chosen. This will be good news to our citizens as this site seemed to be the most popular of those available now for the new building.

When the telegrams came yesterday from the Treasury department accepting the offer for the Oswald corner it was announced he Heim property adjoining it to the south was not for sale and this was wired the department. The answer came back to condemn it but in the meantime the terms were accepted and the deal goes straight through.

**Brethren Church**  
Tonight the pastor of the church will preach on the subject, "The Friend of Sinners."  
The services last night were well attended and the interest good. A young man came forward to cast his lot with the church and thus enlist in service.

If you have not been attending you are missing a rare treat. If you are a lover of good singing, and a meeting full of fire, be sure and come as you will enjoy it. The meeting has a great beginning already, souls are being saved every night. You cannot afford to miss.

## SHORT SERMONS ON GOOD ROADS.

No farming section which has once had good roads would ever go back to bad roads.

High freight rates are not nearly as heavy a tax on the shippers of stock and other farm produce as bad roads are.

Only a very rich county could afford the tremendous financial drain of bad roads.

A good road is to a country district what a paved street is to the city property that adjoins it. It makes business for that neighborhood.

A farmer living on a good road is a free man. He is not dependent on weather conditions. He is able to sell his stock and grain and fruit at the best market prices. The railroads have to serve the man who can get his stuff to a shipping point any day in the year.

Money spent for good roads is as good an investment for improving the farm as is money put into stock sheds, grain cribs, fences, seeds or anything else that makes the farm pay.

Brains are as essential as money and muscle in roadmaking.

## WOMEN WIN AT TOPEKA

KANSAS HOUSE PASSES SUFFRAGE BILL, 94 TO 28.

If Senate Ratifies The Measure the People May Vote On It.

The house of Representatives, with very little discussion, voted to submit to the voters of Kansas a constitutional amendment providing complete suffrage rights for women. It is now up to the Senators of Kansas to say whether or not the women of that great commonwealth shall have the right to vote.

More than 1,000 people, mostly women were on the floor and in the galleries.

### Under New Management

Mr. Washburn of Columbus has taken charge of the Grand, which he purchased last week from Mr. Stanford. Miss Helen Gagnon is now ticket seller and Miss Hazle Ridley sings there each night. They are having fine patronage.

### FRUITS AS FOOD.

Some food analyses which have been made by the California, North Dakota and some other experiment stations show quite clearly that apples and other fruits have a food value that should commend them for use in the average family entirely apart from the fact of their fine flavor and the relish with which they are eaten by the average person. These experiments show that fruits are fairly cheap sources of energy and are to be commended on the ground of economy for combination in proper quantities with cheap protein foods to furnish a balanced ration. It has been found that 10 cents' worth of fresh apples used as food furnish 1,467 units of energy to the body, 10 cents' worth of porterhouse steak furnishes 444 units, while 10 cents' worth of dried beans furnish 892 units or calories. From this it will be seen that apples as well as other fruits are to be favored because of their food values, entirely apart from the fact that they are pretty to look at, fine flavored and have a wholesome effect on the digestive processes.

## BIG CIRCULATION CONTEST

TEN DOLLARS IN GOLD TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

The Above Amount is to be Awarded to the One who Nominates the Winner.

**The Prizes**  
Maxwell Automobile.....\$650.00  
Upright Piano.....350.00  
Four \$50 Gold Watches.....200.00  
Four \$37.50 Diamond Rings.....150.00  
Victoria Phonograph.....60.00

**The Votes.**  
Weekly. Daily.  
Old New Old New  
3 mo. .... 50— 250— 1,000  
6 mo. .... 100— 500— 3,000  
1 yr. .... 500— 1,500— 5,000  
2 yrs. .... 1,250— 3,500— 12,500  
3 yrs. .... 2,000— 5,200— 20,000  
4 yrs. .... 3,000— 7,000— 27,500  
5 yrs. .... 5,000— 10,000— 35,000

Here is a chance for everyone. We want a few more nominations before we publish the list of names, so we are going to give ten dollars in gold to the person who nominates the winner. This is something everyone can take a hand in. If you think of any one, young or old, girl or boy, man or woman, who might be a good contestant fill out the blank below and send it in to the office. The nomination blank counts one hundred votes right to start with and with a little start right at the first your contestant may be the one to win.

Fill out and send in this blank to the Contest Editor of the Tribune.

**I NOMINATE**  
....., whose  
address is, .....,  
My name is, .....,  
It is understood that the editor will not divulge my name

There isn't anything poetical about the manure spreader, but it can make three blades of grass grow where one grew before.



Group of steers taken from a carload fattened on Mile's ranch, south of Dawson, by Mr. Harbaugh. These steers brought the highest price ever paid in the Kansas City market up to that time. It is an illustration of what can be done in Richardson county, if right methods are followed

### SOME FAULTY STANDARDS.

There is one serious criticism that can be fairly lodged not only against stock shows as usually held, but also corn shows—namely, that the standards of excellence adopted for judging tend to encourage the development of abnormal and artificial rather than practical and normal types attainable under every day animal husbandry and agricultural conditions. The standards set up in the fat stock show tend to the ruination for breeding purposes of all animals exhibited, while the prize-steer usually requires from two to four nurse cows to put him in shape to carry off the blue ribbon. Ordinarily more attention is directed in the prizes awarded to a pampered, unnatural individual than to the production of the best bunch of steers possible under conditions which are practicable in the average feed lot. In all too many corn shows the tendency is to encourage the growing of ears of corn of a fixed, artificial standard rather than of a type which will produce the largest number of sound ears—that is, the most marketable corn—per acre in a given latitude. Those interested in the welfare of the stock and grain business as handled by the average man have noted these and similar defects in shows which have been held and are hoping for some change in standards which will offer greater incentive to the class of agriculturists most in need of encouragement and assistance.

## MAYOR IS OUSTED

A PLURALITY OF 4,000 FOR RECALLING HIRAM GILL, SEATTLE'S MAYOR.

Women Voters Largely Responsible For Election of G.W. Dilling.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 8.—Mayor Hiram Gill, who was elected last March by a plurality of 3,500 votes, was recalled today for alleged misconduct in office by a plurality of 4,000 the votes of women who were recently enfranchised in Washington, are admitted to be responsible for the result. Gill was blamed for forming out the vice privileges to a syndicate for a liberal graft. The women were very active in the election. Mayor Gill's troubles began when he appointed Chas. Wapstein, Chief of Police. Wapstein has had a bad record.

### Married in St. Joe

Mr. John Sawyer and Mrs. Nettie Prizer were quietly married in St. Joe, Tuesday, and returned to Falls City Wednesday, where they will be at home to their many friends. The undersigned take this method of wishing them a long and happy life, and that their path may be strewn with thornless roses.

WM. RICE,  
AL BENSCHOTER,  
B. A. JACKSON,  
J. R. JENKINS,  
WM. CONWILL,  
WM. CASHELL,  
H. CASHELL,  
DICK JONKMAN,  
ART LORGENFRIE.

## SENATORS KILL COUNTY OPTION

SUNDAY BASE BALL PASSES BY A VOTE OF 19 TO 13.

Yesterday Was A very Busy Day At The State Capitol—Much Interest Was Shown

The county option bill was defeated in the Senate yesterday by a vote of 17 to 16. Several senators felt it necessary to explain their position on the question when they voted.

The Sunday base ball bill was passed by a vote of 19 to 13.

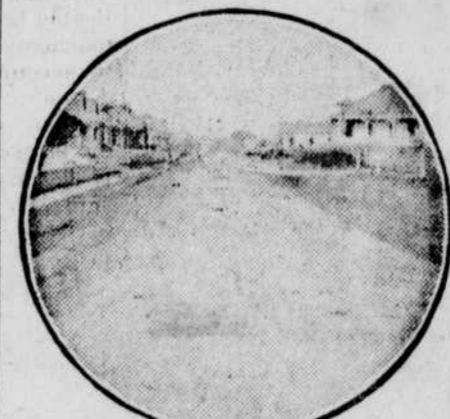
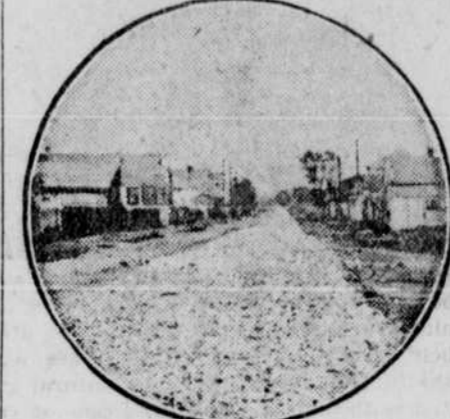
The Colton resolutions against reciprocity with Canada were defeated. The senators who voted for the measure did so because they thought no harm would come to western farmers by the removal of the tariff restrictions between the U. S. and Canada.

## OILING SHELL ROADS

The Successful Results of Trials of Houston, Tex.

The application of oil to the shell roads which are more or less common in the south, as well as in some of the northern coast cities, has apparently been tried successfully in Houston, Tex., the mayor stating that the results were so satisfactory that he hoped to be able to treat all the shelled streets in that city in the same manner.

The material used was an asphaltic oil which was heated to something



SHELL ROAD BEFORE AND AFTER OILING. (Courtesy Good Roads, New York.)

over 200 degrees before application. It was shipped in tank cars fitted with steam coils, by means of which it was heated by a portable boiler and allowed to run into distributing wagons. The roads were first cleaned of all dust and the oil applied at the rate of about one gallon a square yard. The street was allowed to soak up as much of the oil as possible, the surplus being absorbed by sand or dust spread over the street and then swept off, exposing the original surface.

AS TO G. J. CROOK

Mr. Crook Does Not Write Definitely As To Conditions.

Postmaster Crook will return from Washington, where he went a week ago to enquire into the cause of his suspension. He does not write definitely as to the conditions. The fact has been established here however, that there is no shortage. The complaint comes from a very unfortunate circumstance. The fact is the inspector came here just at the close of one of the busiest seasons in the post office. While all accounts were straight Mr. Crook's books had not been balanced and the inspector of course noted it. Whether there was any personal feeling in the matter or not, remains to be seen. However, the most careful checking of accounts fail to show any shortage. Just what steps the government will take, remains to be seen also. In as much as there is endless red tape to government business, it is more than likely this order was issued before Mr. Crook's balanced report reached the department. His friends are anxious for his return and also to see his good name cleared of suspicion.

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## SOCIAL CIRCLE HAPPENINGS

AS 'TAS TOLD TO THE TRIBUNE REPORTER

Various Kinds of Entertainment By And Churches

Mrs. Mahoney is entertaining the Catholic Ladies kensington today.

Mrs. R. B. Simpson will entertain the FIVE W's and a few invited friends next Tuesday afternoon.

The M. E. Aid Society is holding a reception for new members at the home of Mrs. Lyford this afternoon.

The Hutchins home was the scene of the third and last party of the present series given by Miss Hutchins and Miss Ethel Hutchins. Fifty ladies were present and enjoyed whilst during the afternoon. Six games played and at the close it was found that Mrs. Will Uhlig and Miss Hancock had the highest score. On a cut the bouquet of carnations was won by Miss Hancock. There was the spirit of thorough enjoyment during all the pleasant afternoon hours. Delicious refreshments were served at half after five o'clock, the young ladies had the assistance of Misses Helen Lyford, Camille and Lucille Leyda.

The kensington given yesterday by Mrs. Norman Musselman and Mrs. Mary Metz at the Musselman residence was one of the successes of the social season. Quantities of carnations were used in decorating the large and attractive rooms and with the beautiful potted plants in evidence a charming effect was achieved. There were sixty ladies present to enjoy the cordial hospitality of Mrs. Musselman and Mrs. Metz and the afternoon was made a continual round of pleasure. For those who desired, there were blindfold games where the guests were required to pin a tail on a paper dog or cat. This created a good deal of merriment. Mrs. Tom Davies favored the ladies with several musical selections. Needlework, though it was in evidence, received but little attention. Splendid refreshments were served at five o'clock. Every moment was an enjoyable one for those who had the pleasure of attending this function in the week's social events.

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### Mr. Ramsey, Buys New Property

J. M. Ramsey bought the W. H. Crook property at the corner of Chase and 20th Streets Tuesday. Rev. Day now occupies the place but will soon give possession and Mr. Ramsey's son, Will Ramsey and family, will move there from the Wesley Crook cottage. Mr. Crook and family will move into the cottage now occupied by Will Ramsey.

## EXTRA SESSION THREATENED

PRESIDENT TAFT MAY FORCE A VOTE ON RECIPROCITY TREATY

Sends For Senators Crane and Carter And Assures That They Must Take Action

The president today in conference with Senators Crane and Carter, made it plain that he will insist upon the Canadian Reciprocity treaty being voted upon at this session. If congress rebels, he threatens to call an extra session immediately after the adjournment, March 4th. As is reported the president places the Canadian treaty above the tariff board measure, and will insist that the Senate gives it due recognition.

**Brethren Church**  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Preaching—10:45 a. m.  
Y. P. S. C. E.—6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Service—Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
J. F. Watson, Pastor

### Long Overland Journey

Gotha, Germany, Feb. 7.—The dirigible balloon, Gross III, left for Metz at 6:05 o'clock this morning and at noon passed over Hanau, heading in the direction of Frankfurt-on-the-Main. The airship is being transferred from the Berlin balloon sheds to Metz, to make room in the former for the dirigible Gross IV, which has just been completed and is awaiting trial. The new air craft is 344 feet long, and is expected to be the speediest dirigible yet constructed, being capable of making forty miles an hour.

### Christian Church Notes

Special services at the new church, H. H. Harmon of Lincoln will preach tonight at 7:30, it will be a grand sermon by a princely man. Come and hear him.

Friday night J. E. Davis will speak. This will be a splendid treat.

One of our leading business men came forward and confessed his faith in Christ Wednesday evening.

Unveiling of the G. A. R. Memorial window next Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Special patriotic services.

We are now in our new church ready for work, Bible School next Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Organization of classes and launching of front rank Bible School.

We give you a hearty invitation to come and worship with us.

## BIG PETITION SENT TO LINCOLN

A PETITION IN FAVOR OF THE INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

The 11,350 Names On The Petition Represent Voters in 70 Nebraska Counties

Through the efforts of Mrs. Frances E. Heald, president of the Nebraska W. C. T. U., a huge petition, bearing 11,350 signatures has been prepared and was presented to the legislature yesterday.

The petition reads as follows: "We, the undersigned legal voters of \_\_\_\_\_ county Nebraska respectfully petition your honorable body for the enactment of a law providing for state wide initiative and referendum measure."

House Approves Capital Removal Yesterday, the House, by a vote of 54 to 43 approved of the resolution favoring the removal of the state capital from Lincoln. This action was taken after a long and heated discussion in which the western part of the state was arrayed against Lancaster county.

### Attention Comrades

All Soldiers of G. A. R. and W. R. C. you are requested to meet at the Hall, Sunday, Feb. 12, 1911 at 10:30 o'clock to go in a body to the First Christian church to listen to a Patriotic sermon on Lincoln's birthday, and dedication of the Memorial window. By request of Commander, Levi Frederick.