

**TO OUR ADVERTISERS.**

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**Local Intelligence.**

Graham Flour at City Bakery.  
 Fresh Oysters, Celery, etc. at Israel's.  
 Cold mornings and nights, but fine days.  
 Smoke the Verbena 5 cent cigar at Israel's.  
 Choice Apples, \$4.50 per bbl., at Rogers'.  
 Warm meals and oysters at all hours at Israel's.  
 The finest lot of Candies in McCook at Israel's.  
 Buckwheat, Flour and Maple Syrup at Rogers'.  
 "Victor" Flour at Israel's. Warranted. Try it.  
 For the best Flour in town call at City Bakery.  
 Arapahoe Creamery Butter at J. P. Israel's. Try it.  
 Monday was an exceedingly busy day for our land officers.

The famous Boot Jack chewing tobacco for sale at the B. & M. Pharmacy.  
 For cough or colds use Jamaica Rum and Maple Sugar, to be had at B. & M. Pharmacy.

Claim hunters and claim jumpers are scouring the Frenchman and its tributaries.—Sun.

E. E. Breece of Indianola, has opened up a photograph gallery in the Wickwire building.

Contractor Collins is building a carpenter shop on Dennison street, opposite McCook Hotel.

Just received, 5,000 "Doctor's Choice," the best nicle cigar made, at B. & M. Pharmacy.

Lumber for the Menard building is on the way, and Mr. Collins informs us that work will be commenced in about a week.

Young lady from the Stinking Water visiting in the East: "I live on the Bad Smelling Water Creek, but I don't think it smells bad."

We put up all letter heads, note heads, bill heads, etc., in blotter tablets, if desired, without extra charge. They are very convenient.

The force engaged in the B. & M. shops at this point work on Mountain Standard time. Churches and schools also use Mountain time.

Postmaster Scott's pet prairie dogs have been coming out for a short time during the past two weeks. They were all out, Sunday afternoon, absorbing the sunshine.

Rev. V. F. Kletzing of Alma, Neb., will preach at the church at 7 o'clock, P. M., the 26th day of this month. We hope there will be a good turnout to hear him.

Elder Pardee of the Christian Church has been conducting a series of successful meetings on the Willow, during the past two weeks. The meeting is still in progress.

Hereafter we will require that all contest notices and proof notices be paid for at the time of their first insertion. We are compelled to do this as a matter of protection.

While taking our weekly exercise at the Washington, last week, we were honored by a short call from the following Indianolians: Messrs. Phillips, Quick and Hunter. Again, gentlemen.

The Catholic brethren are preparing to dedicate their church at Indianola. A choir is in training at this place which is to render the music on that occasion. Due notice will be given in time.

A fine up-land, deeded claim for sale. Inquire at this office.

Mr. Marble informs us that he will either erect or rent a building and open up a photograph gallery, at a date in the near future. We have seen specimens of his work, and they indicate that he is an artist of more than average taste and execution.

Perchance it is not generally known that there is an ordinance prohibiting the discharge of fire-arms within the corporate limits. A fine of not less than \$1, nor more than \$100 being attached. To put it in its mildest form, it is a dangerous amusement.

We are not adding names to our list at the rate of one hundred per week, but our list is increasing at a rate which clearly indicates to our mind that the people of Red Willow county appreciate the efforts being made to produce a good, newsy, local paper. Such is our purpose, and we feel assured of a goodly support.

A number of cattle are being killed every day on the B. & M. west of McCook. The "Kings of the road" use every precaution, but explain matters thus: The trouble seems to be one of orders. Stock never have orders to make more than 20 miles an hour, and we frequently go 30 better, and as a consequence the ambitious bovine is summarily bounced.

An order recently issued by the B. & M. to the effect that all stock killed on the road west of McCook, in this state, must have the hides taken off and placed where an inspector can examine the brand, will meet the approval of a majority of the stockmen in this part of the state. All differences about ownership are thus settled, and the proper parties are paid for the losses sustained.—Sun.

John Hatfield, Jr., of the stock firm of Jno. Hatfield & Son, of Illinois, is in McCook, at present, looking after his stock interests, near this place. On their ranch, situated in the Republican Valley about 4 miles east of McCook and comprising some 1500 acres of deeded land and a leased school section, they have a bunch of 350 as fine graded heifers as can be seen in the Republican Valley. The ranch is under the management of L. B. March.

Rev. Dungan, of the Congregational Church, assisted by Rev. Dean of Bloomington, and Rev. Bartley of the Methodist Church, McCook, has been conducting a revival meeting during the past week, which, while but few conversions have been consummated, has been a feast to the professed followers of the meek and lowly Saviour, giving them renewed strength, establishing their faith, and has been in many respects a source of profit to those in attendance. Rev. Dean and Rev. Bartley formed a happy combination of sentiment and practice, and their words and work will be remembered.

There are two divorce cases on tapis in Red Willow county which will prove most interesting and mayhap warm for some of the parties interested. John Plunkett of this city petitions for divorce from Mary E. Plunkett who resides in Indiana, on the grounds of adultery. The second case is that of J. M. Plunkett, also of McCook, who petitions for divorce from Elizabeth Plunkett, a resident of the Hoosier State, on the ground of extreme cruelty and impotency. The facts in these cases we will refrain from mentioning just at this stage. One of the same we have from the best authority. Mrs. John Plunkett of Montgomery county, Indiana, wife of John Plunkett has five children dependent upon her, and she is now in destitute circumstances, and her husband whom she has been under the impression was in Denver, in the "mining" business, has been living in McCook all the time, paying the gallant to another. Our information is authentic and much more extensive than here in set forth, and we anticipate warmer weather about February 5th, unless the matter is continued.

**PERSONAL POINTERS.**

Senator Dolan was in town on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Braun returned to Sutton on Tuesday.

Royal Buck, of the Willow, was in Lincoln, the last of the week.

Judge Ashmore of Indianola was in town on business, Saturday.

Mrs. T. S. Bosley was a passenger on the east bound train, Tuesday afternoon.

R. M. Snavely had business before the land officers, a number of days this week.

Messrs. Straut, Hunter, Taylor, Love and Wray, of Culbertson, were in town Monday.

W. H. McCartney spent Sunday in town, returning home on the early train, Monday.

Mrs. S. H. Colvin who has been seriously ill for some time, is now on a fair way to speedy recovery.

J. F. Collins has been awarded the contract for the Menard brick. He advertises for a number of good mechanics elsewhere in this issue.

H. C. Rider returned from an extended visit to Lincoln and other points, Saturday. Mr. Rider went east on business again on Monday.

J. Beaver of Clyde, Kansas, is in town. He has purchased the building now occupied by J. P. Israel from J. W. Dolan. Mr. Beaver informs us that he will remove to McCook about the 1st of May.

Col. Burch of Kansas City, was in town the first of the week. The Colonel reports his forth-coming handbook of Red Willow county as progressing finely, being held back alone by the cuts.

Fred. Boehner, of the Arapahoe Pioneer, was in town Thursday on business and made us a pleasant call indeed. Mr. Boehner is also in the pork packing business, which, perchance, he finds more remunerative, at least, than journalism.

Rev. Dean of Bloomington, who has been assisting Rev. Dungan, pastor loci, in the series of protracted meetings which have been held in McCook during the past week, returned home on Wednesday. Rev. Dean made many warm friends during the meeting.

W. W. Davis, the live correspondent and solicitor of the Northwestern Live Stock Journal, a "cow paper" whose initial number was recently issued at Cheyenne, Wyo., spent a number of days of last week in McCook. We received pleasant calls from Mr. Davis during his short sojourn in the Magic City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoeknell and child, started for New Orleans, on Tuesday afternoon. They will stop at San Antonio a short time on their journey to the Crescent City, whither they are wending their way for the benefit of the baby's health, which has been very poor for some time. Mrs. Byron Churchill accompanied them. Mr. Hoeknell will return the first of the week.

Just at present, we would suggest to our farmers, is the time to consider the matter of spring planting. The crops best adapted to the soil. The most successful modes of cultivating and planting. If you have not been successful heretofore, consult with those who have made a success in the matter. There are farmers in Red Willow county who have always successfully raised crops of small grain, others who have failed almost every year. Farmers, industrious men, we mean, will draw their own conclusion. We have heard it from the mouths of a number of homesteaders that they purpose planting more extensively the coming spring than ever before. They seem to be fully satisfied of success. Choose intelligently respecting crops to be planted, and cultivate industriously, and reap good crops next fall.

Fourteen degrees below zero at eight o'clock, this morning.

**Hayden & McCartneys**

Will sell the following goods at these astonishingly low prices after this date and until further notice:

Calicoes, Standard Prints, 6c.  
 Light Brown Sugar, 11lbs. for \$1.  
 Granulated Sugar, 10lbs. for \$1.

We are selling all other goods at correspondingly low figures. Make it a point to call and ascertain our reduced prices before going elsewhere. We have the goods and are selling them low to make room for spring stock.

**CARRICO COOINGS.**

The clang of the anvil for county organization grows louder.

Will and Charles Bailey have moved to their ranch at the head of Blackwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Fairbanks arrived on the 12th. Those who have met the bride, speak of her as being a lady of superior culture and of rare beauty.

Stock is being better taken care of this winter, than during any season prior. Riders are out every day looking for weak cattle. Of dead cattle on the Creek, only three head have been reported. Texas grades are looking the best.

Stock has increased so rapidly during the last year, that several of our first men talk strongly of moving their cattle to the northwestern part of the state, among the lakes at the head of the North Loup. They talk of starting soon after the spring round-up.

Carrico, January 1st. W.

This neighborhood is afflicted with the measles.

Elwood Paxton, brother of Postmaster Paxton, arrived a week ago Friday. He thinks some of making his home here.

J. G. Stokes has returned from New Jersey, accompanied by his brother-in-law, H. Troth, who contemplates investing in cattle.

Miss Force while coming from her home at Culbertson to her school on the Red Willow, became lost, and wandered around until eight o'clock in the evening, when she came to the house of E. N. Keeler, five miles above her destination. PHILLO.

Carrico, January 13th.

[Believing that Philo has failed to entirely understand our correspondent, "W.," we have seen proper to eliminate that portion of his letter. And, then, your own experience with the fair sex of course would make you very charitable, and the more so as the charge is only one of absent-mindedness.—ED.]

**A Slight Fire.**

We had a fire this morning about 8 o'clock, which might have proven more serious in its results had the same occurred during the night. Mr. Farley's kitchen was the scene. The stove pipe runs up through the roof—there being no chimney whatever. This morning being quite severe, and a very hot fire was a prime necessity, and the roof caught fire from the red hot pipe. The fire was speedily extinguished. This matter of running stove pipes up through the roof is dangerous, and our city dads ought to take the subject in hand, or one of these days we will have a conflagration of dimensions to report.

Sunday morning, January 13, near Otterbourne, Thomas county, in an altercation over disputed cattle range, Wm. Salsbury, a small cattle owner, shot and instantly killed Lewis G. Rider, a sheep owner. The quarrel grew out of encroachments on each others range.—Oberlin Herald.

**OUR CLUBBING RATES.**

We will furnish the TRIBUNE and any of the publications named to all who will pay up to date, and renew for one year, at the following reduced rates:

CHICAGO NEWS.....	\$2.00
OMAHA BEE.....	2.50
LINCOLN STATE JOURNAL.....	2.50
NEW YORK TRIBUNE.....	2.75
PHILADELPHIA PRESS.....	2.50
PHILADELPHIA TIMES.....	2.50

Any one who has recently paid up and renewed can take advantage of these reductions.

We are also prepared to give reduced rates on almost any publication in the United States. When making up your reading for the next year give us a call, and we will help at you out.

**"HAPPY RESULTS."**

**Marsh's Golden Blood & Liver Tonic is a Grand Remedy.**

"My wife has used MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC for Dyspepsia and derangement of the Liver with happy results."—T. H. Johnson, Austin, Minn.

"MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC has cured my little boy of Scrofula and General Debility. It is a grand remedy."—Thos. J. Smith, Kansas City, Mo.

"Your GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC and GOLDEN BALSAM for the Throat and Lungs give excellent satisfaction to my customers."—L. T. Dorsey, Druggist, Burlington, Iowa.

MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC, the great alterative and cholagogue, and MARSH'S GOLDEN BALSAM, the famous cough remedy, are for sale by S. L. Green, Druggist, McCook. Thousands of bottles have been given away to prove their extraordinary merit. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.

**BUSINESS POINTERS.**

Locals under this head 5c. a line for each insertion. Bills payable monthly.

Call and see our artistic designs in Envelopes.

Samples of the latest designs in Wall Papers at W. M. Sanderson's.

We always keep a number of extra copies of THE TRIBUNE to accommodate parties who wish to send the news of this locality to their friends in the East.

**LAST CALL.**

To those who are indebted to me on advertising in the McCook Tribune during my term, I hereby give notice that your accounts have been placed in the hands of J. Byron Jennings for settlement. Unless settled by February 1st suit will be instigated against said creditors. J. P. ISRAEL.

**Attention!**

Two dozen pairs of Roller Skates for \$1.00. Drawing to take place as soon as all the numbers are sold. Tickets for sale at B. & M. PHARMACY.

**WANTED.**

Ten good carpenters to work on the Opera House. None but good workmen need apply. J. F. COLLINS. McCook, Neb., Jan. 21.

**FOR SALE.**

I have for sale about 50 bushels of Pop Corn, at 3c. per pound. 31-4t. H. W. POWELL, Palisade, Neb.

**U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB.,**

January 11th, 1884.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Saxon B. Co-train against Benjamin F. Kelley for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1654, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the northeast quarter section 9, township 1, north of range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that Benjamin F. Kelley has failed to break the second five acres required to be broken during the second year of his entry and to this date; that he has failed to cultivate any part of said tract in 1882, 1883 and 1884 and to this date; that he has failed to plant the required amount to trees, seeds, or cuttings to this date; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. 34-4t. G. L. LAWS, Register.

**U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB.,**

November 29th, 1883.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Peter Boyle against John M. Hood for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1096, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the west 1/2 northwest 1/4 and west 1/2 southwest 1/4 section 2, township 3 north, range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said Hood has failed to break the second five acres required to be broken from October 1st, 1880, to October 1st, 1881; that he has failed to cultivate 5 acres or any part of said tract from October 1st, 1881, to October 1st, 1883, or at any time; that he has failed to plant to trees, seeds or cuttings five acres or any part of said tract at any time since making said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 5th day of January, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Case continued to Monday, January 28th, at 10 A. M. C. F. BABCOCK, Receiver.

**U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB.,**

December 17th, 1883.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Francis M. Kimmel against William A. Wallin for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1049, dated North Platte, Neb., October 1st, 1879, upon the southwest quarter section 3, township 3 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said William A. Wallin has failed to break the second five acres required to be broken from October 1st, 1880, to October 1st, 1881; that he has failed to cultivate 5 acres or any part of said tract from October 1st, 1881, to October 1st, 1883, or at any time; that he has failed to plant to trees, seeds or cuttings five acres or any part of said tract at any time since making said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 5th day of January, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Case continued until Friday, January 25th, at 10 o'clock, P. M. G. L. LAWS, Register.