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TO OUR ADVERTISERS.

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Local Intelligence.

Graham Flour at City Bakery.

Chickens wanted at the City Market.

"Thunder and lightning" at Hayden & Co.'s.

A choice line of Cigars at the P. O. Lobby.

All kinds of blanks kept for sale at this office.

Oranges, Lemons and Fruit at the P. O. Lobby.

For the best Flour in town call at City Bakery.

Fresh fish every Tuesday and Friday at City Market.

The style of a new land agency is Butler & Clute.

Choice raisins, 10 cents per pound, at Hayden & Co.'s.

If you want cheap pork call at John Farley's meat market.

Blank notes, neatly bound, 50 in a book, for sale at this office.

A fresh stock of candies, nuts, figs, dates, etc., at the P. O. Lobby.

Highest cash price paid for hides, furs and pelts at City Market.

The family of Jno. A. Lee were in town during the season of entertainment.

The very choicest cuts of ham, beef, pork and mutton at the City Market.

Ira Waldo is building a new blacksmith shop on West Railroad street.

The construction train pulled out on the west end, the first of the week.

Go to Green's drug store for wall paper. A fine stock at bed-rock prices.

A new residence on Macfarland street, and this time L. O. Marble is the builder.

From the way the Valton mail is delivered, that office ought to be discontinued or brightened up.

Another new house on Macfarland street. H. C. Rider is putting up the same for Frank Cosgrove, a B. & M. brakeman.

Call at City Market for early vegetables: Tomatoes, peas, string beans, onions, sweet potatoes, raddishes, lettuce, etc.

Are we to have a Fourth of July celebration? If so, it may be well to talk the matter up, and ascertain the sentiments of the people.

The continued rains has gladdened the hearts of the farmers, as well as beautified the face of nature, which has assumed a deep green.

A steady stream of land seekers continues pouring into this county, and the number of land agents increases with the demand—aye more.

A building is being erected on West Dennison street, adjoining the Wilcox Bros. store, and the same is to be occupied as a millinery store.

We are happy to chronicle the fact that Minnie Boyle, who has been so seriously ill for two weeks past, is now considered out of danger and improving.

The four residences being built by C. A. Frederick in West McCook are rapidly nearing completion, and make a fine showing on the elevation upon they stand.

Farmers continue buying new wagons, plows, purchasing teams of horses, and selling their old, slow-going oxen. Verily, the indications of the times are encouragingly bright.

Look out for the bread wagon! Beginning Saturday next, the City Bakery will deliver bread, pies, etc., to any point in the city, once a day—before dinner. Be prepared with your orders.

A little breeze of excitement which rippled the usually serene sea of life in McCook was occasioned by an incipient runaway, Monday afternoon. The horses were caught before much damage was done.

Our whilom visitor, the dude, was in town, the first of the week, but did not proceed to paint the town red—only his own proboscis—in which undertaking he was pre-eminently successful.

On Monday evening the Plunkett Sisters Dramatic Co. tendered a complimentary benefit to the management of the Opera Hall. The play produced was the well-known "Milky White," which was favorably received by those present.

The excellent music discoursed during our recent theatrical festival is due to the efforts of Prof. Yager, T. L. McCracken, J. F. Kenyon and Miss Lee. Miss Nellie makes an excellent accompanist, being precise and accurate in her playing.

A large addition is being built on to the building now occupied by Wilcox Bros., general merchants. This will give them the much needed room their large stock requires to have it properly displayed. They will add a fine stock of groceries, this week.

Parties are in town making arrangements for opening up another saloon. Work has been commenced on the building to be used for that purpose, adjoining the City Market on West Dennison street, and other arrangements are being perfected to procure this necessary license.

The Oberlin papers are in favor of a mail route connecting North Platte and Oberlin and running through this place, and doubtless express the sentiment of their readers. We believe that those really interested in this new route are all favorable to it, and why not have it; if not, why not?

The round-up commences at the head of the Frenchman on Sunday. Different outfits have been wending their way toward that point for the past three or four days. The round-up at the head of the Frenchman is a grand sight, as a large number of cattle and horsemen will be on the ground.

While entertainments take some money from all communities they serve a good purpose at all events. It gives those so lucky as to possess them, an opportunity to open up new trunks and air their fine "togs," and then it does all good to get out of the old ruts occasionally, and see how your neighbor looks.

That was indeed a worthy example set by Wilson & Hickling in removing the offensive accumulation from the rear of their restaurant. Would that more might follow in their footsteps in this matter. There are two or three places in our town that can discount a glue factory two to one, and are outrageous, to put it mild.

We are requested to announce the Methodists will hold their Quarterly Meeting in the Opera Hall, next Sunday. Services will be conducted by Rev. J. M. Mann. Preaching at 10:30, Mountain time; communion service at 3 P. M., and preaching in the evening at 8 o'clock. A general invitation to be present is extended.

We notice that V. Franklin has been making improvements on his house and premises. He has had an addition built and other changes made to beautify and make more convenient and pleasant his home. Engineer Jack Rollins has also added materially to the appearance of his property by the erection of a neat picket fence in front of it.

We have the best arranged and most thoroughly appointed Opera Hall in the Republican Valley. The scenery is new, bright and pretty, the hall well lighted and of good proportion, the stage large and convenient, and the dressing rooms, ticket office, etc., fill the bill completely, and under the present management must needs be a success.

In the face of the well demonstrated fact that two things cannot be satisfactorily performed by one person at one and the same time, we insisted upon something more lucid, and succeeded in making, while operating our job press, last Friday, a most decided impression, pronounced hit—on our left hand. So much so as to break one finger and mash two others severely.

The auction sale of wild ponies held by J. T. Wray of Culbertson in Dunbar & Olcott's yard attracted a large crowd and was the source of endless amusement, as a wild pony can go through about as many antics before submitting to his master as most any four-legged animal we know of. Quite a number of them were sold, and we hope the sales will continue as contemplated, every Saturday.

The new blacksmith firm of Warren & Woerner are looking up a location upon which to build their shop. Both of these gentlemen are experienced mechanics, and will be prepared to do anything and everything in their line of business.

The town of McCook is a marvel. It is only a year old but has already 1000 inhabitants, a complete system of water-works costing \$25,000, and the principal shops of the B. & M. road between the Missouri river and Denver. Society there is good, and business prosperous.—Norfolk Journal.

Among the new houses commenced this week are those of A. Constable and R. S. Cooley. Mr. Constable is building on the brow of the hill east of town, and has one of the finest locations in McCook. The view from that point up and down the valley is superb, and makes that location one of the most desirable within this corporation. Mr. Cooley is having a residence put up in West McCook, adjoining Thos. McInroy.

George Hocknell, Sr., died at the residence of his son, Representative Hocknell, after a protracted illness, last Thursday afternoon, about 3 o'clock. The old gentleman had over-reached the allotted time to man, being 72 years of age, and had been falling in health for some months, and he quietly passed away from this scene of activity as above stated. His earthly remains were laid away in their last resting place in the cemetery west of town, Friday afternoon.

The Chinese hold to the theory that the immortal part of man is located in the region of his anatomy labeled stomach, and hence the more aldermanic the stomachic protuberance, the greater the mental force. This seems to be the theory of our contemporary. The larger the paper, the more rot and nonsense, the better the journal. We acknowledge it as being the largest paper, it is in bulk, but when the claim includes the BEST paper, we object mildly. Quality, not quantity.

Now let those interested in creameries see what they can do toward securing the erection of a building for that purpose. John Stewart of Anamosa, Iowa, a pioneer in the creamery business, was in town, Tuesday, for the purpose, if our citizens would aid him in the enterprise, of establishing a creamery at this place. His plan is to have \$4,500 raised here, and he will take \$1,000 stock himself. He will put up the building all complete and operate the same. This is a business which will bring money into our community, and will pay the stockholders good profits if entered into in earnest. At any rate agitate the matter.

We clip the following "little words of praise" from the York Republican, whose editor, Mr. Morgan, recently made this country a visit: "There is a fine country here, that will rival the eastern and middle portions of the state in a few years, which is being rapidly settled up. Homesteads and pre-emptions are readily obtained, but tree claims are scarce. The rush at the McCook land office reminded us of the days of '71 in Lincoln. McCook, the end of the "Mountain Division" of the B. & M., is one of the neatest towns we have seen in the state. Population, 1,000. It has water-works, and about 8 miles of pipe laid. The town site slopes up from, and commands a fine view of the Republican valley.

The opening of the Menard Opera Hall, Friday evening, was an occasion to which all looked forward with pleasurable anticipations, and a crowded house greeted the Plunkett Sisters Dramatic Co., whose pleasure it was to give the first entertainment in the hall in which our citizens take such a conscious pride, and for the provision of which Mr. Menard has the hearty thanks of the community. "The Ticket of Leave Man" was on this evening performed, and met with the approval it merited. On the following evening the company presented "Flirtation," a play, which in our opinion, was far better adapted to the troupe, and in which they seemed to be perfectly at home. L. O. Hart, in the character of the Yankee lawyer, was brim full, bubbling over with humor, and kept the audience convulsed with laughter whenever he appeared on the stage, and the other members of the company sustained their parts well.

This is the kind of weather when our people are interested more than usually in having sidewalks and crossing. Where are they?

The post office has been scrubbed.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

F. M. Rathburn of Cambridge was in town, Wednesday.

Mrs. Haworth was an east bound passenger, Tuesday.

Ed. Boat of the Courier force was in town the first of the week.

Joseph Menard's family arrived from Chicago on No. 1, Tuesday night.

Jos. Williams has moved up to town to engage in the real estate business.

Dr. A. J. Willey was called up to Eckley, Colo., on professional business, Sunday.

J. B. Meserve and outfit started for the round-up at the head of the Frenchman, Thursday.

Senator and Mrs. Dolan were present at the entertainment in the Opera Hall, Saturday evening.

Col. Snively, Major Criswell and a number of other Indianola people were in town, Saturday.

Jno. Lamburn was among the Indianola people present to hear "Flirtation," Saturday evening.

Fred. Lytle has been up on the Frenchman for a couple weeks looking after some stock interests.

G. L. Boyle of Kansas City, son of Peter Boyle, has been in town the past ten days, called here by the serious illness of his sister, Minnie.

Misses Papin, visiting at Indianola, were up at the opening and remained in town until Sunday afternoon, attending Saturday evening's performance.

Charlie Fisher and Mr. Chapin, an Illinois friend who has been rusticating on the ranch for the past ten days, came down from Hayes county, the first of the week.

T. H. Leavitt and wife, Mrs. Hoock and H. J. Roessig of Omaha, were registered at the B. & M. Eating House, Wednesday. Mr. Leavitt was formerly connected with the B. & M. railroad as assistant auditor.

James Hatfield returned from his home in Illinois, on business, the first of the week. He informs us that his father and he have purchased a mill plant in Decatur, Ill., which they will operate, and he is here to straighten up their business here.

L. Morse of Benkelman was in town, Wednesday and Thursday, arranging for the making of a number of water troughs to be used on his ranch, also for the erection of a wind mill. Mr. Morse is one of our most successful stockmen, who believes in shelter and feed, and his loss was practically nothing the past winter, showing his theory to be correct. He just recently shipped on to his ranch a number of grade yearling heifers, for which he paid a good price.

HAMBURGH ITEMS.

ED. TRIBUNE:—I see nothing in your valuable paper (which reaches me regularly) from this part of the county and thought a few items might interest your readers.

Assessor Barnett is now making the rounds of our precinct taking the assessment.

Our district school has been running for several weeks, and our teacher, Miss Phillips, is giving very good satisfaction so far.

We are having frequent and copious showers of rain, and the Beaver valley presents a very beautiful sight robed as she now is in her mantle of green.

Mr. Williams and family of Danbury, and Mr. Russell and family of Hamburg, spent a pleasant day at the residence of J. L. Townley, Esq., one day last week.

We are getting our share of emigration; nearly all available land in our town, having been taken by men who are pushing improvements with great rapidity. The crop prospect was never better. Small grain is far ahead of any of previous years. Corn is all planted and growing nicely. A very large acreage has been put in this spring, especially small grain.

Wm. M. Irwin has just erected a Enterprise wind mill on his claim north-west of town for the convenience of the town herd. He is agent for the Enterprise in this county and asks an inspection of the working of the same.

The post office is being remodeled, the boxes being placed across the room instead of along the side as formerly. J. P. Israel occupies one side with a stock of fancy groceries.

District Court Proceedings.

MAY TERM, 1884.

Court convened at the Court House, in Indianola, May 15th, pursuant to order therefor, made by Hon. Wm. Gaslin, Judge 8th Judicial District of Nebraska.

Present: Hon. Wm. Gaslin, Judge; J. W. Welborn, Sheriff; C. D. Cramer, Clerk.

The following cases were disposed of:

F. B. Moore, vs. C. H. Rogers. Appeal. Case dismissed, for want of prosecution, at plaintiff's cost.

Henrietta L. Savage vs. John H. Savage; Divorce. Default of defendant taken, and divorce decreed as prayed for.

Page T. Francis vs. The State of Nebraska. Continued.

George C. Crosby vs. Charles Bowles, et al. Dismissed as to Ann Jacobs. Case dismissed unless security for costs is given by plaintiff within 60 days.

Noble McKim vs. Thomas M. Scott. By consent of parties, defendant granted until July 4th, 1884, to file amended answer, and Referee J. E. Cochran allowed until the first day of the next regular term of court to report his doings in said case.

John Plunkett vs. Mary E. Plunkett; Divorce. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Hetherington & Bishop vs. Sylvester L. Gordon and Marin J. Gordon; To enforce contract. Settled and costs paid.

William J. Harmon vs. Danforth L. Harlow; Proceedings in attachment. Motion to make plaintiff's petition more specific and certain submitted to the court. Plaintiff granted 30 days to file amended petition, leave to answer within 70 days, and plaintiff granted 30 days thereafter to reply. Motion to dissolve attachment taken under advisement.

J. W. Dolan vs. Jones & Magee; Mechanics lien. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

J. Byron Jennings vs. J. P. Israel and Letitia Israel; Foreclosure mortgage. Default of defendants taken; count finds due from defendants to plaintiff \$319.00, judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale of mortgage property.

Badford C. Harlow and James H. Symonds vs. John W. Welborn, Sheriff; Replevin. Continued by consent.

C. H. B. Appleton vs. Wm. K. Lynch; Petition for dissolution of partnership. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Consolidated cases. Frees and Hocknell vs. John R. King. Before F. G. Hamer, Judge, presiding on the trial of this case. Judgment for defendant for \$128.91. Motion for a new trial overruled. Plaintiff's excepts 40 days given plaintiff's to reduce their bill of exceptions to writing.

L. E. Barton vs. Charles E. Phillips; Petition in error. Court found error in proceedings of court below. Judgment that the costs to present time be taxed against the defendant in error and execution awarded therefor, and that this cause be retained in this court for trial and final judgment.

State of Nebraska vs. John Whittaker; Libel. Defendant gives own personal recognizance to appear on the first day of the next regular term of court in the sum of \$100.00.

The following persons made proof and received their naturalization papers:

Andrew J. Broman, Soren Simonson, Alex. Swanson, Stafford Plunkett, Jas. Ferrell, John Pool, Edward Price, John Gieve and John Peter Simonson.—Courier.

CARRICO.

J. R. Richards of Lincoln, member of the Red Willow Cattle Co., is here.

J. K. Paxton is fencing in a number of acres for pasture.

Grim winter does not allow gentle spring assert herself in very loud tones.

The festive and fleet antelope abound near the head of the Willow.

Ervin Bostwick has just finished working on his tree claim near the headwaters of the Willow. Of the trees set out by him last spring, but a small percentage have died, and the remainder are growing finely.

Riley Miller, stepson of Mrs. Mary Miller, has arrived from the Black Hills. He has come with the intention of giving chase to the wild horses at the head of the Willow. Being accustomed to hunting and catching wild horses it is quite probable he will succeed in bringing in a few at least. PHILO.

WEBSTER'S UNABRIDGED ILLUSTRATED.—Viewed as a whole, we are confident that no other living language has a dictionary which so fully and faithfully sets forth its present condition as this last, edition of Webster does that of our written and spoken English tongue.—Harper's Magazine.

Attention!

All Odd Fellows that are interested in the organization of a lodge in McCook, will please meet at the office of Dr. Johnson, Wednesday evening, May 28th. SEVERAL ODD FELLOWS.

DEATHS.

HOCKNELL.—In this city, May 15th, 1884, of paralysis, George Hocknell, Sr., born in Albany, N. Y., Feb. 22, 1812, aged 72 years.

"BEST OF ALL."

Marsh's Golden Blood and Liver Tonic is an Excellent Remedy.

"My wife was cured of Liver complaint and disordered Blood, with MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC. It is the best of all remedies." Jas. J. Wright, Des Moines, Iowa.

"Your GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC is an excellent remedy for biliousness and loss of appetite. I have used it several times."—Mrs. Mary Thomas, Fort Scott, Kans.

"My Blood, Liver, Kidneys, Stomach and Bowels, were out of order. I used several remedies and prescriptions without benefit. MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC cured me. It is a grand medicine."—John G. Hill, Kansas City, Missouri.

MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC, the great Blood and Liver purifier, and MARSH'S GOLDEN BALM, the famous Throat and Lung medicine, are for sale by S. L. Green, druggist, McCook. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

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

Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines at Lee's.

Go to John A. Lee's for sewing machines.

We have just received a handsome assortment of calling cards.

A complete stock of hair goods at Mrs. Fryling's. Hair waves at from 50 to 75 cents.

We might as well be out of the world as out of the fashion. So call and purchase one of those lovely jet Bonnets at S. A. & L. C. Rowell's.

A thing of beauty is a joy forever. Examine the new stock of millinery received at the East Side Millinery Store kept by S. A. & L. C. Rowell.

Parties wishing to purchase a first-class machine can be accommodated by calling on John A. Lee, who has the agency for the celebrated Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines.

Noah Mishler's celebrated stallions, Tampaco Messenger and Marquis will stand at Russell's barn, McCook, on Saturday of each week, from May 1st to August 1st. Call to see them.

SIMPLE justice requires that DeLand's Soda should be given the leading place in the public esteem. It has been, and is, one of the greatest health promoters of the age. Sold by Hayden & Co.

Blank Deeds, Real Estate Mortgages, Leases, Bills of Sale, Bond for Deed, Quit Claim Deeds, Contracts for Building, Mortgage Deeds, Release of Mortgage, Official Bonds, Soldiers Discharge Petition for License, Notes, Receipts, etc., at THE TRIBUNE office.

I have just received a large invoice of fine millinery goods to which I call your attention and inspection. Such as flowers and laces, misses' and children's hats and bonnets, in the latest summer styles and shapes. Also, a handsome stock of general millinery.

MRS. H. A. FRYLING.

Deeded Claim For Sale.

I offer for sale one of the best farms in the valley, only 4 miles west of McCook, in section 21, township 3, north of range 30 west. There is a new wind mill, good stabling and shedding, cellar house and 50 acres under plow, 3 acres of nice growing timothy. Price, \$1,500. Call on or address MIKE WEICK, McCook, Red Willow county, Neb.

Notice to the Public.

I have just purchased 28 head of the finest beef steers in Western Nebraska, and am now prepared to furnish the choicest cuts of beef at the City Market. C. H. DUNGAN.

Wood Wanted.

I have opened up the old Rider brick yard, and want about 40 cords of wood at once. H. P. KELLY.

Wanted.

A competent seamstress at Mrs. H. A. Fryling's.