The Last of Earth.

On last Sunday afternoon, from the late residence of the departed, were enacted the last scenes in the sad drama of which the opening and fatal act occurred in the Burlington yard, last Thursday afternoon, when the bright and hopeful young life of Charles H. McCarl went out under the cruel wheels in an accident. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Badcon of the Methodist church, and they were attended by an immense concourse of sympathetic people, for the sad accident stirred the community to its profoundest depth, showing the tenderness of the real and great heart of this people in the hour of tragic bereavement. After the affecting services at the house, a large funeral cortege followed the remains to Longview, where amidst most tender and tearful scenes and the subdued, impressive services of urday. the Quaker faith, the remains were tenderly and lovingly mingled with Mother Earth. The touching particulars of the closing scenes of this sorrowful and universally deplored event will not soon fade from the memory of this community.

The members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of which the deceased was a member, attended the body, and marched to the funera. cemetery as an organization.

The pall bearers were: J. F. Kenyon, G. R. Johnson, W. V. Gage, H. H. Miller, G. R. Snyder, F. A. Pennell.

The floral tributes were overwhelming in profusion and of rare beauty and

in Grinnell, Iowa, April 3d, 1867. At an early age entered the telegraph service, and came to Nebraska, entering the service of the Rock Island railroad at Fairbury. He entered the train service of the Burlington at McCook in August of 1893, and a promotion to freight conductor awaited him on his return from was fatally injured. He was not only his frequent, but welcome visits. popular with his fellow railroad men but stood high with the officials of the road.

September 12th, 1897, and they but recently occupied their own home on Marshall street, which they were rendermarried life of a few brief months was tragically sundered.

A wife, mother-Mrs. Sarah McCarl, two sisters-Ida and Blanche, three brothers-Bert, Tom and Ray, remain to mourn his untimely and tragic demise; but they have the memory of a loving, faithful and dutiful son, husband and brother, which they will carry through life as a memorial.]

Memorial Sunday Services.

The Union Memorial services held in the Methodist church, last Sunday morning, filled the structure to its limit. The church was decorated with bunting and flags in taste and the scene was one to fire the heart. In the enforced absence of Rev. Howard Stoy, who was called away by a funeral, Rev. T. L. Ketman of the Baptist church delivered the ser- companied by Anna May. mon. His discourse was a forceful and excellent one, meeting the approval of sang a number of appropriate selections. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Bell of the South McCook Methodist church, and Rev. J. A. Badcon pronounced the benediction. A collection was taken for the benefit of the G. A. R. post of our city. It was pleasant and profitable to have been there.

Burned by Powder.

Michael O'Leary, junior, was quite painfully burned, Monday morning, about the face, with powder. One of the small cannons failed to discharge promptly and as he went up to the gun to apply the fire the cannon went off, burning thing but decorative effect.

Large Purchases of Cattle.

The close of last week, Messrs. Wilcox & Flitcraft of our city purchased 1,170 head of cattle in Denver and shipped them to this point. On the same date, take in the exposition. H. T. Church purchased 60 head and the Standard M. & L. Co. 57 head.

Be as Reasonable as You Can.

If you can't be reasonable, be as reasonable as you can. Too much should the late C. H. McCarl. not be expected of an exclusive diet of unmarketable prunes.

Drug Store.

"UNCLE SAM'S NAVY."

This coupon and ten cents get a copy of the peerless "Uncle Sam's Navy" Portfolios, at THE TRIBUNE office. The supply is limited, so call early before the assortment is broken.

UNCLE SAM'S NAVY COUPON NUMBER 2.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Wednesday.

C.W. BARNES was a Lincoln-Omaha visitor, midweek

A. GRASS was up from Hastings on business, Wednesday.

MRS. B. D. DAVIS came to the city, Monday evening on No. 5.

Orleans visiting friends here. AL. GIBBONS went down to the farm

at Orleans, this morning, to work. MRS. M. A. METZNER is up from Alma, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Bal-

had business in the valley's finest, Sat-

MRS. C. E. MAGNER has been over from Kearney on a visit to McCook

friends.

J. E KELLEY has been over in Smith

county, Kansas, part of the week, on

the opening of the Omaha exposition, ples of the heroic in ancient and modern Wednesday.

COURT REPORTER EISENHART was in [CHARLES HENRY McCARL was born | the city, Tuesday evening, on his way to Lincoln and Omaha.

> HARRY DOLE is employed in the Bullard lumber yard, going to work on Wednesday of this week.

DAVE F. SMITH dropped over from was highly complimented for stalwart the trip he was about to take when he Wilsonville, Sunday evening, on one of unterances which revealed a supreme

F. S. Wilcox and E. F. Flitcraft were idea. He was married to Miss Lillian Troth, both in Denver, close of last week, to purchase a large bunch of cattle.

ing so cosy and attractive, when a happy to Omaha, Tuesday night, to be at the to the cemetery was taken up in the opening of the Omaha exposition.

CARL DENNIS spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday in Arapahoe, relieving the Barnett Lumber Co.'s agent at that

counts for the delay in the issning of his

down to Omaha, Tuesday evening, to departed heroes were decorated: witness the opening ceremonies of the C. L. Miller,

MRS. T.A. ERB was down from Akron, close of last week, on a visit to McCook friends and on business. She was ac-

the high school the past term with satis- monument was dedicated to the unhis large audience. The Methodist choir faction and success, left for his home in known dead and to the memory of those Harvard, Monday evening. J. L. Houchin, special agent of the

Nebraska Mutual Merchantile Insurance of Lincoln, was looking over this territory, fore part of the week

A. BARNETT and Ethel went down to Arapahoe, Sunday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Tanner, wife of the local manager of the Barnett Lumber Co.

MR. PATRICK, who has been here from Red Oak, Iowa, on a short visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Gunn, returned to his home on Tuesday morning.

E. HOPT, who has taught the Seventh him quite severely in the face, into and Eighth grades of the schools here which the powder was blown with any- during the past two years, departed, last Saturday evening, for his home near Cambridge.

M. J. ABBOTT of the Hayes Center Republican went through our city, Wednesday, on his way to Omaha and Council | Memorial Day exercises. Bluffs, to see his wife and incidentally to

CALEB CLOTHIER of Marengo and J. but others remembered their dead with G. Stokes of Hayes Center, were down the floral tribute of beauty and sentifrom Hayes county Saturday, to attend ment. the sad funeral of their departed relative,

Guaranteed Mixed Paint at McMillen's part of this week. George has enlisted occasion. in company L, Third Nebraska regiment, and will soon be off for the Phillipines.

JOHN CORDEAL is expected home from Chicago, the close of this month. THE TRIBUNE rejoices to learn that John is passing his examinations with highest credit and honor. He will visit briefly in Wisconsin before his return.

down to Indianola, tonight, to play at tions. the commencement exercises of the Indianola high school. A few bicyclists will wheel down if the conditions are Star" was issued from this office, on favorable.

Remembered the Dead Heroes.

Monday afternoon, the people of Mc-F. O. FRITZ was at headquarters, Cook and surrounding country remembered the dead heroes of the late war in ceremonies of touching interest and in- p. m valuable significance. The ceremonies were held in the Christian tabernacle, which like all other structures in which it has been the habit to hold these exercises annually, was too small by far for the people that gathered to hear and MISS MAUDE VAN SICKLE is up from take part in them.

The people assembled at the tabernacle at two o'clock, to the music of the Brigade band, and at the appointed hour the exercises were opened by the singing of the immortal hymn, "America," the children of the public schools leading and the audience assisting. The band J. A. KIRK, the Culbertson merchant, played a medley of patriotic airs, which 8:00 p. m. were received with evident pleasure.

The Congregational church choir then

sang "For the Boys That Wear the Blue are Growing Gray." Rev. W. J. Turner uttered a fervent prayer on behalf of the MISSES MARY AND MINTA SCOTT of pitched their tents on the other side. Benkelman have been visiting McCook Acting Adjutant A. G. Dole read the orders of the day, the school children CHRISTNER and Ellinger, two Star sang another selection, and the orator of Jupiter Deputies, were at headquarters of the day, Judge and Comrade William R. Burton of Hastings, Neb., delivered Union at 3 p. m. Baptist Young Peoone of the most stirring, enthusiastic ple's Union at 7 p. m. Gospel service at and patriotic orations heard in McCook S p. m. Morning subject, preparatory to in many days on a like or any other occasion. "The Heroic the Highest Ideal", REGISTER A. S. CAMPBELL took in was the judge's text, and he cited examtimes that stirred his audience most pro- Preaching at 11; subject, Talents put at foundly. His reference to the immortal Usury. Class at 12. Junior League at mission of the Anglo-Saxon race and 2:30. Epworth League at 7. Preaching idea wrought his hearers up to a high at 8; subject, Rewards. Teachers meetpitch of enthusiasm. His utterances ing Tuesday evening at 8. Prayer and were characterized by breadth and lofti- Bible study Wednesday evening at 8. ness quite a relief from the customary All are welcome. speeches on such occasions. The judge

After a song by the Congregational choir the parade was formed by Marshal MR. AND MRS, H. P. SUTTON went in J. A. Wilbox and his aids and the march following order: Band; President of the day with mayor and orators in carriage; Post and old soldiers and sailors in carriages commanded by Acting-Commander J. H. Yarger; Ladies of the G. A. R., McCook Circle No. 33, E. J. MITCHELL of the Courier has Mrs. E. E. Utter, President in Charge; been ill and confined to bed. This ac- churches; civic societies; citizens in carriages, wagous and on horseback.

At Longview cemetery the parade was MR. AND MRS. A. BARNETT went reformed and the graves of the following

Chester Ward, Charles E. Fox, D. L. Clement, Thomas B. Walker. Elias H. Conrad. Smith Gordon, R. S. Cooley, J. D. Gerver, J. B. McCabe.

After the completion of the decoration of the graves, which were lavishly strewn GEORGE H. THOMAS, who taught in with flowers by loyal, loving hands, a who went down in the "Maine." In the decoration of the graves the beautiful G. A. R. ritual was used, and Comrade W. R. Starr delivered an appropriate and feeling address over the dedication of the temporary monument, which it is proposed in due time to make a permanent thing of beauty.

> This concluded one of the most satisfactory and impressive memorial days ever celebrated in McCook. May the sweetness and beauty significance of the day never lessen.

SNAPSHOTS ON THE MARCH.

Longview is growing into a most attractive and suitable "city of the dead."

unpleasant incident. We are never prouder of our band

than when it adds its inspiration to The decoration of graves was not confined alone to those of the absent heroes,

Many of the conveyances were elaborately decorated with flags and bunting GEO. LOCKER, late of the Indianola artistically arranged. The busses were

Reporter, is assisting on the Courier, especially attractively prepared for the

Woods-Davis.

Albert Fred Woods of Lincoln and Miss Bertha G. Davis of Washington, D. C. were married in the national capital, employ in the agricultural department. Mrs. Woods is a former resident of our city, where she is favorably known by The Nebraska Brigade band will go desire to extend warmest congratula-

> The June number of "The Mystic Wednesday.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN-Bible school each Lord's day at 10 a, m. Social and communion services at II a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7-

CHRISTIAN-Mrs. Minnie G. Hines, who was to have been at the tabernacle, last Sunday, will be here, next Sunday morning and evening. Everybody in-

CATHOLIC-Mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30, a. m., with choir. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially welcome.

REV. J. W. HICKEY, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL-Sunday-school at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 8:00 p. m. Evensong and instruction on Thursdays at REV. HOWARD STOY, Priest in Charge.

CONGREGATIONAL-Sunday-school at 10. Morning subject, "Significance of Piano solo-Valse" Arabesque" Jesus' Death." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Junior Endeavor at 3. Ennation and remembering those who have deavor at 7. Evening subject, "And the Truth Shall Make You Free." All are W. J. TURNER, Pastor.

> BAPTIST-Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at II a. m. Junior communion, "Our Lord's Mysterious Sorrow." Evening theme, "A Good Conscience." All are invited.

METHODIST - Sunday-school at 10.

JAS. A. BADCON, Pastor.

Rev. T. L. Ketman preaches at the confidence in the ultimate victory and Pickens school-house at 4 o'clock, Sunworld wide supremacy of the American day afternoon.

> The members of the Baptist church gave a reception in the church, last evening in honor of Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Ketman. There was a large and felicitous participation in the affair. Refreshments of a suitable sort were cleverly served, and the occasion will be remembered with pleasure and pride.

The Separating Station Opened.

On Tuesday morning as announced the McCook separating station of the Beatrice Creamery Co. was opened for ousiness. The opening had been well advertised and there was a large attendance of patrons and others to see the process of separating the cream from the milk as carried out by this company. Sixteen hundred pounds of milk were delivered on the opening day, an amount which is very satisfactory to the company for the first day. On Wednesday 1,800 pounds were delivered and it is hoped to increase this amount very considerably in the near future. The machinery worked very satisfactorily for the first day and we believe the results were satisfactory to the patrons. If this institution is given the support that seems to be due it, the results to the farmers of this section will be profitable, and a hitherto undeveloped resource will bring returns that cannot be neglected. We hope that our farmers will give the separating station their staunch support.

In the afternoon a business meeting was held in the city hall, at which tests were made of the run of the day, and some matters of business were attended to. The tests run from three and one half to four and one half, which is stated as being a good average. W.W. Mar-Business was suspended during the ple and other members of the manageexercises, which passed off without an ment were here at the opening and they are well pleased with the way the separating station at this place starts out, believing it will be one of the most successful stations in the valley when the merits of the system become better known

District Endeavor Convention.

rare opportunity of hearing the state of- the birds. ficers. Come prepared to sing, speak, many readers of THE TRIBUNE. We pray, and in every way make this the best convention we have ever had. Yours for Christ and the church,

JACOB LONGNECKER, J. S. FERRIER, Secretary. L. A. TURNER, Supt. of Missions.

Commencement Exercises.

On last Friday evening, in the Menard opera house, were held the graduating exercises of the class of 1898, McCook high school. As is the unbroken rule on such occasions the attendance simply overwhelmed the accommodations of the house, and many failed to get an opportunity to hear or see the exercises. There were twenty-one members in the class and the scene was one to charm all.

PROGRAMME. The formal programme was as fol-

Chorus..... "The New Hail Columbia" Invocation . . . Rev. George W. Sheafor Chorus..... "Lead Kindly Light" Salutatory Mabel Beryl Bishop They are nice, and prices right. Oration. . Hon. H. H. Wilson of Lincoln Piano Duet-"LaBaladine".....

...... Mesdames Mills and Bonnot Class History Lee Albert WhittakerMiss Cordeal Valedictory Minnie Rowell Awarding Diplomas......W. R. Starr Solo-"The Land of Rest".....

......Miss Stangland Chorus "America" Benediction Rev. J. A. Badcon

CLASS ESSAYS. The essays prepared by the members of the class are as follows:

'Work and Play'' Martha Marie Stangland 'Every-day Heroes''.....Sarsh Elizabeth Oyster

'Character Building'' .. Nelle Mary Gunn The True Discoverer of America"... 'Humility of Great Men''

.... Maud Reed Wood of the Nebraska Brigade. The Cliff Dwellers"..... Frank Purvis 'The Influence of Association'' Mollie Ryan

Promptness"......Roxanna Brown ercises of closing week may be found at The Catacombs'' Florence Purvis 'Right and Wrong'' . . Ella Dora Snyder 'Music'' Katheryn Mullen 'Acquaintance'' Etta Marie Gordon 'Past and Present Civilization''

......Susie Jeannella Leland The Realm of Life".....Bertha Blanche Shaffer

Beauties of Nature"..... was a thoughtful production of much

The oration by Hon, H. H. Wilson of Lincoln was a splendid effort. The

xhibited much skill and technique in insurance taken. their performance of "La Baldine" on

sonal class hits which were enjoyed. Arabesque," a piano solo, with fine ef- Mr. Louis Yost.

Miss Minnie Rowell's valedictory was

Miss Hannah Stangland sang "The Land of Rest" with her usual sweetness, power and expression.

the benediction by Rev. J. A. Badcon mencement exercises were held, the reclosed another successful commencement | sult of burns received in an explosion of occasion of the McCook high school. The exercises were throughout of such a stove to have her clothes fired. character as to reflect credit upon instructors, pupils and the school system, and THE TRIBUNE congratulates.

Will Muster a Company.

Lincoln, first of the week, and started hibition at 10 a. m. show day. The the ball rolling at Indianola for the or- best show on earth for the money. Adganization of a company for the new mission 10 and 20 cents. Third Nebraska regiment of volunteers. Indianola, Neb., May 14. Fellow En- Already there are some 35 or 40 enrolldeavorers: The Twelfth District con- ments at Indianola, which has been are to be made glad by the coming of vention will be held at McCook, June 10, made the headquarters of the company. Cullins Bros'. New Enormous Shows. 11 and 12. President Tucker and Secre- A number of men will be enrolled from An old fashioned one ring performance tary Emma Gillespie of the State Union, Frontier county and there seems to be where you can see and hear it all. The and Mrs. J. S. Norvell, for years in no doubt but that the requisite number largest and best attraction for the price charge of Chinese Mission work in San of men will be easily secured for the traveling to day. An amusement enter-Francisco, will be with us; also other company, and that it will soon be ready prise free from any obnoxious characters, prominent Endeavorers new to the dis- for mustering into the United States acts, or words-the most refined family trict. McCook extends a hearty invita- service. It will be remembered with entertainment on the road. Will exhibit tion. Work up large delegations. Will humiliation that McCook let the oppor- in McCook, Tuesday, June 7th, afternoon you not make May 29th a day of special tunity go by unimproved to have this and night. Wednesday evening. Mr. Woods is an prayer for the convention? A feast of company organized here, where we have good things awaits you. Don't miss this patriotism of the finest quill to throw to

Settle Before June 15th.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to Mrs. C. T. Brewer will please | The youth of the city are enjoying the settle their accounts before the 15th day sweets of summer vacation. President Twelfth District. of June, 1898. All accounts will be put in the hands of a collector after that

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

FIREWORKS! at the postoffice lobby.

See McMillen's new stock of WALL

FOUND-Small sum of money in postoffice lobby.

FARMERS: If your hay stacker requires a long pole you can get what you want at Bullard's. There were two applications for mem-

bership at the Monday evening meeting of the Star of Jupiter. Call at Bullard's and see their new stock of white cedar posts and poles.

Fifteen cents will buy a box of paper at THE TRIBUNE office that will surprise and please you for quality.

LOST-A solid gold K, of P, charm and small link, double strand watch chain. Reward if delivered to A. P. Elv.

Cet out a coupon and bring it with ten cents to THE TRIBUNE office and get a copy of "Uncle Sam's Navy Portfolios."

The standpipe was cleaned this week, and the supply connection changed from the bottom to the south side of the

You want one of our series of "Uncle Sam's Naval Portfolios". They are 'Labor'' Alexander Gibbons | handsome and cheap. A coupon and ten 'Assurance'' Anna Belle Reeves cents gets a copy.

Since Monday evening, "There will be

Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight"

has added significance to Colonel Sutton Several parasols left at the East school building by ladies who attended the ex-

the office of J. E. Kelley, secretary of the

Those "Uncle Sam" portfolio pictures 'Thoughts'' Delon Mae Shepherd are going fast. They are splendid pictures of Uncle Sam's ships, sailors etc., and are cheap at ten cents a piece. THE

TRIBUNE office.

Mrs. M. E. Barger will have a special sale of ribbons June 11th, and of all trimmed hats and bonnets, from now un-The salutatory by Miss Mabel Bishop til July 4th. Big reduction on all goods to close out to make a change in her

See A. G. Dole for hail insurance. He speaker is an original, independent represents the Mutual Hail Insurance thinker, and his address was well re- Association of Fairfield. Insurance against loss or damage by hail for the Mrs. W. B. Mills and Mrs. A. P. Bonnot actual cost. Fire, lightning and cyclone

The following letters were advertised Mr. Bert Whittaker's class history was by the McCook postoffice on May 29th: oright and contained a number of per- Mr. Allen Hicks, Mr. Emmet Carrol, Mr. Numan Brans, Mr. Walter Smith, Joel miss mand Cordeal rendered "Valse Smith, Mr. B. Woods, Mr. R. J. White,

A. H. Snyder of Sutton's jewelry store carefully prepared paper and its deliv- had a narrow escape, this week, while soldering a little cartridge onto a pin. W. R. Starr delivered the diplomas in The cartridge was discharged by the very neat speech of original force and heat, the bullet whizzing past his head and through a front window of the store.

Miss Sarah Hayman of the Grand Island high school graduating class died With the singing of "America" and on the morning of the day the comgasoline, she being near enough to the

Cullins Bros' Shows are coming and will exhibit in McCook, Tuesday, June 7th. This is not a large railroad show but the good old-fashioned kind where you can see and hear every thing that State Treasurer Meserve was up from takes place. Free street parade and ex-

Once more the hearts of the children

20 Acres Bottom Land

Under the ditch. Will lease in small tracts to be planted to potatoes. Inquire at U. S. Land Office.

A full line of fireworks now in stock at the postoffice lobby.