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March 8, 1897. *Samuel Pitcher M.D.*

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Pay Your Delinquency. In view of the better times, and higher prices for grain etc., the publisher expects those indebted to THE TRIBUNE for subscription to make good their delinquencies at once. During the continued hard times and failures no effort was made to force the collection of subscription accounts, but now that the conditions have changed greatly for the better it is expected that these delinquencies will be promptly paid up. Statements will be sent out to all in arrears and with the expectation that all will appreciate our past indulgence and respond at once.

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Facts to Remember. The postoffice lobby opens at 6:30 in the morning. The general delivery at 8 o'clock. Money order window closes at 5:30. Postoffice at 7:30. General delivery open Sundays from 12 to 1.

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See McMillen's new stock of WALL PAPER.

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Wheat75
Oats17
Rye30
Barley18
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Butter10
Potatoes10
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S. M. Geary, Pierson, Mich., writes:—"DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, is curing more piles here today than all other remedies combined. It cures eczema and all other skin diseases." A. McMillen.

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GERVER. John Green, son of County Clerk Green, is spending a short vacation with his uncle, Albert Waggy.

Albert Waggy and family spent Sunday and Monday in McCook the guest of County Clerk Green and wife.

The Pleasant Prairie school will close its doors after this evening. The scholars generally are not sorry in the least, as they have had a long and tiresome siege of nearly ten months.

John Goodenberger was a Lincoln visitor, going down on Thursday of last week and returning on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Goodenberger has for some years been working on an attachment for horse powers, in which interest he called at the Lincoln foundries to get the machinery cast.

It seems that the flag at the school-house disappeared in a somewhat mysterious manner, not long ago. And not until a search was in progress did it turn up at the school-house one morning as mysteriously as it disappeared. It seems to us that people should have more respect for our national honor than to deliberately steal the flag from one of our public institutions, wherein the future destiny of our country is shaped.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.

Nebraska Day at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

Tuesday, June 14th—Nebraska Day—will be a red letter day at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition. An especially fine program has been prepared. In addition to the usual attractions at the exposition—the exhibits, the "Midway" with its strange sights and curious people, the afternoon and evening concerts given by the U. S. Marine Band and Thomas' Orchestra—speeches will be delivered by many distinguished Nebraskans, chief among them being Hon. W. J. Bryan. The exercises will conclude with a magnificent display of fireworks.

Every loyal Nebraskan should make a point of spending Nebraska Day at the Exposition. The buildings are entirely finished. Almost all the exhibits are in place, and the "Midway" is in full swing. Nowhere in the United States can one pass time more pleasantly or with greater satisfaction and profit.

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During the summer of 1891, Mr. Chas. P. Johnson, a well known attorney of Louisville, Ky., had a very severe attack of summer complaint. Quite a number of different remedies were tried, but failed to afford any relief. A friend who knew what was needed procured him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which quickly cured him and he thinks, saved his life. He says that there has not been a day since that time that he has not had this remedy in his household. He speaks of it in the highest praise and takes much pleasure in recommending it whenever an opportunity is offered. For sale by L. W. McConnell & Co.

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NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS. ROAD NO. 38.

To Peter L. Byers, John H. Roberts, Hannah Fearn, William Fischer, Harry M. Wilson, John D. and Wm. D. Canelle, and Howard M. Gardner, and to all whom it may concern: The board of county commissioners has established and ordered opened a road commencing at the southwest corner of section 16, township 4, range 26, in North Valley precinct, Red Willow county, Nebraska, running thence south on section line and terminating at the southeast corner of section 32, township 4, range 26, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1898, or said road will be established without reference thereto. 5-20-98 R. A. GREEN, County Clerk.

MANY THINK!

when the Creator said to woman, "In sorrow shalt thou bring forth children," that a curse was pronounced against the human race, but the joy felt by every Mother when she first presses to her heart her babe, proves the contrary. Danger and suffering lurk in the pathway of the Expectant Mother, and should be avoided, that she may reach the hour when the hope of her heart is to be realized, in full vigor and strength.

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TIMBER CULTURE FINAL PROOF—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, McCook, Neb., May 14, 1898. Notice is hereby given that Kaiser Hakankamp has filed notice of his intention to make final proof, before register or receiver at his office in McCook, Nebraska, on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1898, on timber culture application No. 5812, for the southwest quarter of section No. 33 in Township No. 5 north, range No. 35 west, McCook City, Nebraska, Thomas Whitmer, George Brown, Fred Ruber all of McCook, Nebraska, David Oulson of Auburn, Nebraska.

5-25-98 A. S. CAMPBELL, Register.

ANNUAL ESTIMATE.

Estimate of expenses of Red Willow county for the year 1898.

County General	\$2,000.00
County Bridge	5,000.00
County Road	5,000.00
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Soldiers Relief	500.00
North Valley Precinct	1,000.00
Willow Grove Precinct	2,000.00
Indianola Precinct	800.00
Harley Village	500.00
McCook City	2,000.00
School District Bonds	7,000.00

5-27-98 R. A. GREEN, County Clerk.

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