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The Matrimonially Inclined.

Last Friday evening, October 16th, 1903, Rev. C. Richard Betts of the Baptist church united in marriage Mr. Edward L. Confer of Pennsylvania and Miss Marie S. Hansen of McCook, performing the ceremony at the parsonage. Mr. John R. Doering and Miss Mary Pesch, both well known and highly esteemed people of Yuma, Colorado, became husband and wife, Wednesday, October 21st, 1903, at high noon, Rev. C. Richard Betts of the Baptist church performing the ceremony at the residence of Charles E. Ryan. Mr. Norman B. Silver and Miss Lela McMurrin, both well known young people of our city were united in marriage, Wednesday, October 21st, 1903, by Rev. C. Richard Betts at the Baptist parsonage. The bride is a daughter of D. H. McMurrin and the groom one of the proprietors of the livery stable opposite the National hotel.

McCook Laundry Prize Contest.

Three beautiful pieces of hand painted china to be given to the three most popular working girls in McCook. Contestants stand as follows:
Miss Ona Hendricks, telephone operator... 189
Miss Nellie Smith, book-keeper for Coleman... 112
Miss Mamie Frank, cashier B. & M. Eating House... 29
Miss Edna Yarger, postoffice... 19
Miss Maud Best, book-keeper Barnett L. Co. 3
Miss Joe Mullen, cashier DeGroff's store... 3
Miss S. Brady, clerk DeGroff's store... 3
Miss Maud Burgess, clerk Grannis' store... 3
The contest will end December 1st, so that the ones starting with the least number of votes will have plenty of time to win one of these prizes. Votes will not be counted on lists not dated by us on or after October 19th. For rules of contest phone No. 35.

The Awl O's "Shower" a Member.

Tuesday evening of this week, the young ladies of the Awl O's society "showered" a departing member Miss Edith Oyster. The place of convocation was the residence of Mrs. Louis Sues and stockings and handkerchiefs were the articles involved in the "shower." The meeting was in the nature of a farewell to Miss Edith, who on 13, Wednesday, departed for her future home in San Francisco, California. The gathering anticipated another event, of which the scene will be California, and Miss Edith and Rufus Carlton the high contracting parties.

Progressive High Five.

Mrs. Charles M. Bailey entertained a company of the young folks of the city, last Friday evening, in honor of her guest Miss Bertha Graham of Holdrege. There were about 35 present and the evening was very happily passed. Miss Stasia Brady won the head prize and Mr. Stewart McLean the booby. Refreshments were served, Mrs. J. M. Trammell assisting.

IS A CANDIDATE.

I wish to correct the opinion which seems to be prevalent that I have declined the nominations of the democratic and populist parties for the office of county superintendent of schools. I have accepted both, and wish it to be understood that I am a candidate for that office. -10-16-3ts.

FLORA B. QUICK.

Paints and Oils.

For barns, sheds and out-buildings; can furnish a mineral of different colors that will not fade and makes a cheap paint. We carry the best mixed paint - The Lincoln. Now is a good time to paint as oil is very low in price. Let us figure with you. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

Sunday, October 25th, and November 1st.

The committee on pulpit supply of the Congregational church has arranged to have the pulpit of the church occupied on Sunday, October 25th, and November 1st. Rev. George A. Conrad of Park City, Utah, formerly of Omaha, will preach on both of these Sundays, morning and evening.

A Harvest Home Festival.

The members of the Baptist church will hold a "Harvest Home Festival" at their church and parsonage on Wednesday, October 28th. The dedication of the parsonage will be an incident of the affair. A cordial invitation is extended all.

The largest line of steel ranges in the city and at the lowest prices at W. T. COLEMAN'S.

Complete line of mens' short storm coats at \$1, \$1.45, \$1.75, \$2, \$3.50 and \$4 at the Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Ladies' ample, well-made fleecy-lined wrappers 75 cents. Others to \$2 at the Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Duck and covert cloth coats, all colors and kinds at the Bee Hive.

Choice perfumes, soaps and toilet articles at Cone Bros.

Glass, paints, oils and wall paper at McMILLEN'S.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Mrs. M. S. PARKS was a Denver pilgrim, Monday.

Mrs. H. L. PREVOST is entertaining her mother from Kansas City.

JAMES HATFIELD is in Decatur, Illinois, on a visit to his parents.

J. E. KELLEY and George Beck were Akron business pilgrims, Tuesday.

MISS URILLA E. FITCH has gone to Colorado Springs, Colo., on a visit.

F. S. WILCOX went down to Kansas City, Mo., Tuesday night, on business.

Mrs. C. R. LIGGETT and Mrs. Walter Stokes were Hastings visitors, Wednesday.

Mrs. W. D. BURNETT and Darvie joined the Ben Hur pilgrims to Denver, Monday.

Mrs. J. H. VAN BURGH of Holbrook visited her brother G. E. McBride, close of last week.

FRANK CARRUTH has been down from Denver, part of the week, on a business visit.

Mrs. H. A. BEALE went down to Kansas City, Mo., Wednesday night, on a visit to her sister.

A. E. PETTY is enjoying a visit from his mother, who arrived from Michigan, last Friday, on No. 1.

G. A. NOREN departed on Tuesday night for Orleans, Mrs. Noren following on the morning train, Wednesday.

JUDGE J. S. LEHEW of our city has been drawn on the federal petite jury, which sets in Omaha in November.

MISS FLORENCE PURVIS left, this week, for Fremont, to make her home there with her mother and brother J. N.

MISS EDITH OYSTER left on 13, Wednesday morning, for San Francisco, Calif., with the best-wishes of many friends.

BRUCE CAMPBELL, George Burgess and Herbert Frey witnessed the great Ben Hur performance in Denver, last Saturday night.

MR. AND MRS. WILL LEE have been out from Omaha, the past week or two visiting his mother Mrs. Hoag of Indianola and sister Mrs. Gray in McCook.

CHARLES EBERT of Ash Creek has been very ill for the past week or so with a serious complicated bowel, liver and kidney trouble. He is better at this writing and slowly improving.

GEORGE D. LEACH has moved to Bloomfield, Nebraska, where he is now engaged in the hardware business, being associated with J. B. Gossard, late of Herman, Nebraska. Here's success to them.

J. H. LUDWICK has been very sick for the past week. He is now better and left this morning for Lincoln on a short visit to his sister Mrs. Helen Trowbridge, and later contemplates going south for his health.

J. G. STOKES departed, last Saturday, for St. Louis, where he is running a rooming-house. Mrs. Stokes will leave tomorrow to join her husband in the latest world's fair city. May their portion be success.

W. H. COOPER, a former resident of this part of the county, arrived from Red Bud, Kansas, where he has been living the past few years, and will make his home in McCook, this winter, to afford his children our excellent school facilities, intending to farm here again, next year. He still retains his real estate interests southwest of here.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.
160 acres unimproved timber land in Reynolds county, Mo. Price, \$2,000; or will trade for unimproved farm in Red Willow county, Neb.
Address, ED. WILSON, Boss Station, Jasper County, Ill.

The annual meeting of superintendents and principals of schools of Nebraska has been in session, closing days of the week, in Lincoln. Sup't G. H. Thomas of our city schools has been in attendance, and is on program for a discussion of certain subjects.

People who buy factory bed comforts are "soon parted" from their money. We make all the comforts we sell and give you 14 yards cloth with 6 Izzer batts between, well tacked and hemmed for \$1.65. Others to \$2.50. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

500 pairs of bed blankets in woolen, half woolen and cotton from \$7.50 down to 65 cents for full sized satisfactory blankets at the Thompson Dry Goods Co. One price, plain figures, cash only.

THE TRIBUNE is looking and sighing for a competent correspondent to represent it in the Lebanon field.

The best and choicest things in stationery are found at Cone Bros.

\$5 and \$6 patent bluchers at \$3.50 and \$4 at Diamond's clothing store.

FOUND—A sum of money. Owner inquire of G. E. Thompson.

Michael Coyle Buried on Monday.

Michael Coyle, whose death was briefly referred in last week's issue, was buried in Calvary cemetery on Monday morning, from the residence of Maurice Griffin, where services were held by Rev. J. J. Loughran of the St. Patrick's Catholic church at ten o'clock.

Michael Coyle was born in Nebraska City, this state, December 24th, 1861; died in McCook, Nebraska, October 15th, 1903, at half past seven o'clock, p. m., from injuries received some time since by being kicked by a horse. Deceased was sent to a city hospital for treatment but all efforts for his good and recovery proving fruitless, he was brought home, last week, and passed away in a few days after his arrival.

The members of the family all have sincere sympathy in this sad death.

CARD OF THANKS.

We feel deeply grateful for all the kindnesses shown and assistance so willingly and promptly rendered during the illness and after the death of our dear one and take this means of expressing to all our thanks and appreciation.

MR. AND MRS. PATRICK COYLE, AND FAMILY.
MR. AND MRS. JOHN COYLE.
MR. AND MRS. MAURICE GRIFFIN.

Models for Passenger Carrying.

The new chair cars recently placed in service by the Burlington railroads are models for passenger carrying. They are built along the lines of Pullman construction, with floors made of angle iron girders and steel frame bracing. They are heavy, weighing as much as the average Pullmans, fifty-three and one-half tons. They are seventy-six feet in length, and are carried on a double truck such as is used under ordinary coaches. They are vestibuled after the Pullman idea, and are finished in the regulation Burlington pattern. They have seats for eighty passengers, are well lighted and are comfortable riding. The construction is of the best. It is cheaper to operate such cars, because of the greater carrying capacity, but they weight down a train heavily. These cars are in service on all Burlington through trains.

Cash Sugar Beet Premiums.

On October 31st, I will give cash premiums at my store as follows for the heaviest and largest sugar-beets grown on upland and for the same grown on low land: The first cash premium will be \$3.00; second \$2.00; on upland beets. The first cash premium for low land beets will be \$3.00; second \$2.00. Beets are to be delivered and placed on exhibition at my store on or before Saturday, October 31st. Bring in your beets and let us make an exhibition that will be attractive and that will at the same time show the possibilities of this country as a great sugar-beet growing land.

W. T. COLEMAN.

You Want the Best

For your money—and it's your fault if you don't get it. That's why you should come to our market. Our market supplies only the best. Selected meats, too, for those who want something especially nice for the table. Try us. Test us. MARSH'S MEAT MARKET.

Announcement.

I wish to announce to the voters of Redwillow county, that I am a candidate for sheriff and will be thankful for their support regardless of their party affiliations. C. J. RYAN.

The Attraction is in the Quality.

If you're buying for short use, don't mind quality, but if you want them to last come and see the "Oneida Community" ware. W. T. COLEMAN.

For Rent or Sale.

My residence in first block east of park for sale. Contains all modern conveniences. Also some furnishings in good condition for sale. F. G. WESTLAND.

For Sale.

My household goods. Call at the residence of K. M. Stangland.

Mrs. EMMA DIXON.

The two weeks-old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cain died, early Wednesday morning, after a short illness. The remains were buried in Calvary cemetery, Thursday afternoon.

We make our own vanilla and lemon extracts and you will find them far superior to the kind ordinarily sold. McCONNELL, Druggist.

Full or broken sets in the Hermis Titian sunburst and all of the new patterns of cut glass just received at W. T. Coleman's.

Furnished rooms for rent. Inquire of Mrs. F. B. Nichols, second residence east of DeGroff's store.—10-16-1f

Remember the preaching services in the Congregational church, next Sunday morning and evening.

You will find overshoes selling just as low as they did when crops were poor at the Bee Hive.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

It is Engineer Robert C. Cole now.

Engine 157 is out of the shop, this week.

Ed Bateman is a new flue-borer, this week.

H. L. Holder and M. S. Parks are flagging.

Charles Cashen is a helper in the boiler-gang.

Thomas Britt, truck-packer, resigned on Tuesday.

J. W. McLey joined the gang of wipers, this week.

Otto Fisher is a new helper on the boiler-washing force.

Earl M. Snyder is nursing a mashed finger on his left hand.

Allen Noren is a new machinist's helper in the back-shop.

R. M. Marshall is a new addition to the night-force, this week.

Fireman William Jones of Akron was at headquarters, Tuesday.

J. E. LeBlanc and Joe Mokko were hunting, Sunday, near Wilcox.

J. Broderick of the round-house force has quit the service by resignation.

Foreman C. A. Ward of the carpenter-shop has been on the sick-list, this week.

C. J. Utterback has been transferred from the freight-house to the paint-gang.

Guy Tomlinson was out from Omaha, first of the week, on a visit to homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McBride were Holbrook visitors, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Brakeman C. B. Sentance was a business visitor in Benkelman, part of the week.

Way-car 164 has come out of the shop after an overhauling and is ready for service.

Conductor T. E. McCarl went a fishing to Cambridge, Monday, "I don't think."

Robert E. Lee is away on a leave-of-absence visiting the folks north of Indianola.

Engineer Alex. McLean was up from Oxford, Tuesday, on a visit at headquarters.

Chief Clerk W. P. Bross was an Oxford business visitor between trains, Wednesday.

Another of the new R2 compounds arrived here, Tuesday morning. She is numbered 367.

J. W. Rude, machinist's helper, has been made a fireman and is now firing on the "goat."

Engines 36, 116 and 121 left on 148, Monday, for Havelock, where they will be "scrapped."

I. L. Rodstom is hostling in Akron now and former hostler R. C. Cole has returned to McCook.

Brakeman and Mrs. J. R. Van Horn journeyed to Denver, to see the splendor of Ben Hur, Monday.

E. F. Heberlee has been transferred from the wiping-gang to the back-shop as a machinist's helper.

Conductor T. H. Malen has reported for work and has been transferred to the Red Cloud-Oberlin run.

Conductor S. E. Callen has Conductor J. H. Burns' run while the latter is earning \$2 a day on the jury.

J. R. Fredericksen is out on the road now as an engineer and B. F. Briggs has his place on the switch-engine.

Howard Elliott, second vice-president of the Q, has been appointed president of the Northern Pacific to succeed C. S. Mellen.

It is rumored at Lincoln that the Burlington has appropriated ten million dollars for improvements on her lines west of the Missouri river.

Conductor and Mrs. J. W. Line saw the great play and spectacular performance, Ben Hur, Saturday evening last, in the Broadway, Denver.

A. C. Williams, fireman, from Oberlin, Kansas, visited headquarters' boys, Tuesday, on his way to Hastings to take the Hastings-Red Cloud run.

Brakeman L. I. Culbertson has E. M. Snyder's run while Earl is nursing that sore finger sustained at Holdrege, Tuesday, while unloading baggage.

A. N. Clappett of the Red Cloud-Oberlin run was slightly injured, Tuesday, and R. E. Benjamin was sent down to relieve him during his disability.

Tuesday, the mail catcher on No. 1 caught the corner of the diner Lincoln at Akron, breaking off the catcher and damaging the corner of the car somewhat.

Brakeman S. M. Cook, who has been relieving E. L. Hawkins, returned to headquarters, Wednesday. Hawkins and wife have been visiting in the vicinity of Eustis.

Conductor C. E. Pope came home, Thursday on 13, from an exploration

trip to St. Joe. He resumed his run on No. 2, Friday morning. F. M. Washburn relieved him.

The Burlington is hampered by insufficient equipment, especially in the motive power department. They are occasionally long on cars, oftener short on cars, but always short on motive power.

Engineer F. G. Westland and Fireman A. J. Dillon have been transferred to the Northern division with headquarters at Lincoln. Engineer Ainsworth Monks succeeds to Engineer Westland's run out of here.

Fireman George Mickelson is at home in Denver on account of two sore fingers. While working the ash-pan on the engine drawing 147, Saturday at Funk, the pan slipped and caught two of his fingers, with the result that part of each finger was cut off.

The Baldwin works will turn out this year nearly 2,000 locomotives, compared with 1,533 in 1902, 1,375 in 1901, 1,217 in 1900 and 901 in 1899. The company is building locomotives for roads in Brazil and Japan and is also turning out a good lot for Cuba, both of standard size and for plantation work.

Burlington officials in Kansas City were advised that F. A. Delano, general manager of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, had been promoted to second vice-president of the system to succeed Howard Elliott, who was recently elected president of the Northern Pacific railway company. C. M. Levey, general manager of the Burlington lines in Missouri, will succeed Mr. Delano. As second vice-president Mr. Delano will have control of the operation of the entire Burlington lines, including 8,000 and 9,000 thousand miles of track. Mr. Levey will change his headquarters from St. Louis to Chicago.

Filed Suit to Test Ramsey Law.

The first move in the proposed test of the Ramsey bill was made in the supreme court Wednesday evening, at 5 o'clock, when Ed P. Smith, of the firm of Smyth & Smith, filed an application, in behalf of C. W. McComb of Wilsonville, for a writ of mandamus compelling the Burlington railroad to furnish him grain cars without discrimination, at his station. McComb is an independent grain buyer at Wilsonville and alleges that the railroad company favors the regular buyer at that point. Judge Sullivan has granted a temporary writ, returnable November 4, requiring the company to supply him cars to ship his grain. The argument and ruling on the writ, it is expected, will establish the validity of the Ramsey bill.—Lincoln Star.

Those Who Buy

our meats and fish get the best—the very best—we can procure. In fish you get the freshest, and we give you the advantage of the best price possible. We handle all meats, and prepare them for you in the best and cleanest way. You can always get your choice cuts here. Let us have an order from you for prompt delivery. MARSH'S MEAT MARKET.

Buys Cream—Sells Separators.

James Cain will commence receiving separator cream next Tuesday and regularly every day after that. He will pay the highest market price in cash every Tuesday. He is also agent for Iowa Dairy Separator. See him for prices and terms.

Don't Knock Around

from place to place looking for the new and correct things in silverware and cut glass. We have a complete new stock from a nut pick to a baking dish and are always pleased to have you call and look over our goods. W. T. COLEMAN.

Bloodhounds and Scotch Terriers.

Registered pedigree young Bloodhounds and thoroughbred Scotch Terriers for sale. See R. McDonald on the Morlan farm.

For Gentlemen Only.

All wool fleeces lined underwear; also medicated and union suits at Diamond's clothing store.

Largest line of dress goods ever shown by us—zibelines, brilliantines, chevots, tricots, venetians, sharkskins, broadcloths, Scotch suitings, meridian cloth, and all the staples from \$2 per yard down to 10 cents. The Thomson Dry Goods Co. One price, plain figures, cash only.

Elegant new zibelines from 60 cents to \$1.00 yard at the Thomson Dry Goods Co. One price, plain figures, cash only.

We have a line of gloves made expressly for handling sugar beets, at the Bee Hive.

The finest line of pictures ever brought to McCook is at Cone Bros.

McMillen's tough cure is fully guaranteed. Try it.

McConnell's for window glass.

It reaches the people.

Applest Applest Applest
Car of finest hand-picked Missouri apples will be on track Saturday, Oct. 24. Apples will be scarce this year. Supply yourself for the winter. Sample free.
M. A. RUNDLE.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Kodak supplies at Cone Bros.

Everything in drugs—McCONNELL.

We have mittens for men as well as boys at the Bee Hive.

Parlor lamps within reach of everybody's purse at Cone Bros.

All kinds of fur overcoats from \$10.00 up at Diamond's clothing store.

See W. T. Coleman, if you have any cane, millet or alfalfa seed for sale.

We are selling lots of fancy china. The prices help us, at the Bee Hive.

Scale books. Typewriter papers. THE TRIBUNE.

McConnell's fragrant lotion used frequently makes chapping impossible.

Fine, large furnished room for rent. Inquire of I. D. Moore in Odell's store.

Old settlers will keep in mind the picnic at Indianola, tomorrow, October 24th.

Good time to make kraut. We have the cabbage and the cutters at the Bee Hive.

McConnell's fragrant lotion cures chapped hands and faces and makes the skin soft and smooth.

Mens' suits at \$15.50, \$12.50, \$10, \$9, \$8, \$7.50, \$6.50, \$5 and \$3.50 at the Thompson Dry Goods Co.

The postoffice at Saint Ann, Frontier county, opened for business on last Friday, with Guy Garlick as postmaster.

FARM LOANS—I can negotiate a few loans on good improved farms. F. M. RATHBUN.

Union suits for men, boys, women and children. All sizes, kinds and prices. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

The McCook Milling Co. is giving 35 pounds of flour and 10 pounds of bran in exchange for a bushel of 60-pound wheat.

W. W. McMillen, harness maker, has just received a large shipment of wagons and buggies. Learn his prices before buying.

Look over the new line of harness just received at W. T. Coleman's. A Concord Double Harness for \$30.00. Beats them all. Look and see.

Read what Johnnie said to Pa in James Cain's advertisement elsewhere in this issue. It will interest and benefit you. Do not overlook it.

FOR SALE—Sixteen head of red Doroc Jersey hogs at Riverview fruit farm, one mile southeast of McCook.

10-9-1f FRED PLASMYERE.

Fine line of wagons and buggies just received by W. W. McMillen, the harness maker. His prices are as attractive as his stock. Get them before buying.

Those Estate Oaks are beauties and hold fire as long a time as any stove made; and they all have ash-pans, too. W. T. COLEMAN.

Strength and vigor come of good food duly digested. "Force", a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates.—9-11-1f

We sell the Smithsonian and American silver trusses, all kinds of hard rubber and elastic trusses, supporters, shoulder braces, etc. L. W. McCONNELL.

C. O. Brown, late with Zint, contemplates opening a barber-shop in the room now occupied by C. F. Babcock, about the first of November. Mr. Babcock will occupy the Kelley building just north of the Commercial hotel.

A ministers' conference will be organized at Stratton on October 26th, which will be composed of ministers of all denominations looking to the furtherance of Christian work in the district between Benkelman and McCook. A move in the right direction.

The Kempton Comedy Co. played a 3-evening stand here this week to crowded houses, giving much entertainment to their audiences. It is quite a meritorious company, and with an adequate opera-house and stage facilities with their special properties could do quite pretentious theatrical work.

F. Siegel & Bro's elegant magazine-advertised jackets for \$10.75 are to be found only at the Thompson Dry Goods Co. Made of best all-wool kersey lined with best Skinner satin, trimmed with gun metal buttons, with shoulder capes and straps they are extremely stylish and satisfactory. Three colors.