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## Slippers

Men and Women,  
Children.

Elegant Xmas Gift. Kozy  
is the Best.

Viersen & Osborn  
113 W. B Repairing

### Library Notes.

The library represents to the readers the larger life, it opens to him a new world, the world of knowledge; indeed it opens to him a constellation of worlds. The beauty of every climate, the life of all lands, the riches of knowledge and genius garnered by the centuries, the whole body of truth which has been wrested from nature, these lie at the feet of the one who enters the library door.

That it may do its true work, and fulfill the end of its existence, the library aims to unlock the treasures preserved for us in literature and teach us to know the rare comradeship with high souls which acquaintance with books make possible.

The number of visitors for the month of November, 1908, and the number of books loaned, 1895.

I would again call the attention to the current magazines and daily news papers to be found on the tables.

### LIBRARIAN.

#### K. of P. Officers-elect.

E. O. Value, C. C.  
D. N. Cobb, V. C.  
Ray Lyon, Prelate,  
J. N. Gaarde, M. of W.  
Harry Woolard, M. A.  
George Kearns, K. R. S.  
J. F. Cordeal, Trustee.  
Ray Scott, I. G.  
Lloyd Jennings, O. G.

#### The Sure Edge

Exhibit window shown in the Saturday Evening Post will be found at McCook Hardware Co., together with a display of pocket knives, which are on sale at very low prices. Buy during this sale and save money.

#### Gold, Silver or Brass

initials and monograms, made to your order. The finishing touch to a fine purse or handbag.  
STOLL & CO.  
Jewelers.

#### The Main Store

#### On the Main Street.

If it is the freshest and best in groceries, fruits, vegetables etc., you seek, look no further than Huber's.

#### John Cashen, Auctioneer.

Indiana, Nebr. Dates booked at McCook National Bank.

Coffee—if you want the best, see  
MAGNER, Phone 14.

Canning pears by the bushel at  
MAGNER'S, Phone 14.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

L. W. McCONNELL,  
Druggist.



GET YOUR CARPETS CLEANED  
with  
ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER  
4 cents a sq. yd.  
Phone Black 74.

### Pupils to Give Program.

The pupils of Miss Donisthorpe's room in the high school building will give a public program next Tuesday evening, December 6th, in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock sharp. The little people have been working hard and hope to see their parents and friends out at the program, Tuesday evening. They have prepared to give two little operettas and one drill intermingled with musical selections. To pay incidental expenses a small admission of ten cents will be charged at the door. The proceeds over and above expenses, if any, will be used to buy an extra amount of industrial material.

The first play will be entitled, "Old Mother Hubbard," in which the following characters are portrayed in costume: Old Mother Hubbard, Her Dog, The King's Child, Fairy Queen, King Faithful and Attendants. The second play will be entitled, "Red Riding Hood," with the following characters presented: Red Riding Hood, Her Mother, The Wolf, Fairies and Woodsmen. All friends and patrons of the public school are cordially invited to attend this little program and see the little children perform.

### Nebraska's School Census.

The school census of the state has recently been made public. There are 376,335 children of school age in the state, or a child for every three and one-fifth of our population. In 1909 we had 373,067 children of school age, or an increase in the year of 3,268.

Red Willow has 3597 children of school age, or a gain of 35 over last year.

### For Quick Cash Sale.

I offer my 160-acre deeded farm in Dundy Co., six miles north of Haigler Neb., at bargain price of \$1,250.00. All fine, tillable land; 10 acres plowed. Clear title.  
Address, Mina M. V. Ramseur,  
Owner.

### Care of W. P. Norris,

Holdrege,  
Nebraska.

Give the children games and let them enjoy their evenings at home. We have enough games in stock for Christmas that every child in McCook could have one from our stock. L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist. First door north of DeGroff's store. Santa Claus' headquarters.

### Exclusive Agent, Exclusive Coffee.

Huber is exclusive agent in McCook for the unexcelled Barrington Hall coffees. Priced at 20c, 25c and 35c per pound.

### See Santa Claus

now on display at McCook Hardware Co. Watch this store from now on and you will find things to fit your desires in the Christmas line.

### THINK?

There is nothing better than a Kodak for young or old. Life long enjoyment at any price from \$1.00 up.  
L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

"Health and Heredity" will be the W. C. T. U. topic, December 2nd, tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. S. E. Calen will be the hostess and Mrs. Ruby, leader.

Remember Fred E. Bortfelt will be in the city soon to do your piano tuning and repairing. Leave orders at 512 1st street west, or phone black 301.

### Money to Loan on Farms.

See Rozell & Sons at clothing store

Get our RATES on FARM LOANS.  
DORWART & BARGER.

## NOTED RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

Seeley, Who Fitted the Czar of Russia, Will be at the Commercial Hotel, McCook.

F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the Commercial hotel and will remain in McCook this Saturday only, Dec. 10. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield Truss as now used and approved by the United States government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate relief, but closes the opening in 10 days on the average case, and costing only proportionate with common trusses." This instrument received the only award in England and Spain, producing results without surgery or harmful injections. Mr. Seeley has documentary references from the United States government, Washington, D. C., for your inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested, call he will be glad to show the truss without charge or fit them if desired. Anyone ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this unusual opportunity. His home establishment, 70 Dearborn Street, Chicago, 12-1-2ts.

## Xmas Gifts

Jewelry is one of the most appreciated and appropriate of gifts, not a gift that lasts for a day, but one that lasts for years.

Below are given a few of the many suitable gift things we carry:

For Men—Cuff links, scarf pins, fobs, chains, charms, signet rings etc.

For Women—Rings, bracelets, lockets and chains, bar pins, pendants, brooches etc.

For Babies—Neck chains, bracelets, rings, lockets, pins etc.

The H. P. Sutton Co.  
Jewelers

### G. A. R. Bean Dinner.

The G. A. R. and Ladies of the G. A. R. will give their annual bean dinner (and supper) Friday, Dec. 9th, in the Methodist church. Dinner, 11:30 to 1:30; supper, 5 to 7.

### MENU FOR DINNER.

Escalloped Chicken Mashed Potatoes  
Roast Beef with Brown Gravy  
Boston Baked Beans  
Cabbage Salad Cranberry Sauce  
White Bread Brown Bread  
Pickles  
Cheese Pumpkin Pie Tea Coffee  
Cold Roast Pork Apple Sauce  
Escalloped Corn  
Creamed Potatoes Fruit Salad  
Pickles Bread  
Assorted Cakes  
Tea Coffee Doughnuts  
Price 25 cents.

### Nebraska's Increase.

The figures just given out for Nebraska show a total population of 1,192,214, or an increase of 11.8 per cent. In 1890 the figures were 1,058,910. In 1900, 1,066,300.

Red Willow county is credited with 11,056, as against 9,604 in 1900. This county scores a very net per cent of increase in the past ten years. Our neighboring counties of Frontier, Furnas and Gosper have not been so fortunate, all of them show a small decrease in population.

Red Willow county's increase is doubtless due to the growth of the city of McCook.

### Subscriptions.

If you want to subscribe for or renew your subscription to any daily paper or magazine, call on me and I will save you money.

BARNEY HOFER,  
McCook News Co.

### It's Time Right Now

to be choosing that Christmas gift and get the advantage of an overflowing stock. Stop in and see our jewelry display. You're welcome whether you buy of us or elsewhere.  
L. C. STOLL & CO.

### Burlington Pays Taxes.

The Burlington swelled Red Willow county's treasury, this week, to the amount of \$24,753.50. This is for taxes of 1910.

### Majestic Ranges

—not the cheapest, but the least expensive. You buy for life when you get one of them.  
MCCOOK HARDWARE CO.

### Special Bargains

in Cook Stoves and Heaters at the C. W. Graves Second Hand store.

Traveling sets of finest ebony in grain leather cases. Anyone who travels much would appreciate one of these.  
H. P. SUTTON CO.,  
Jewelers.

Drink "Wedding Breakfast" coffee and be happy. At Huber's only.

For a ready-to-eat lunch try spaghetti.  
MAGNER'S, Phone 14.

Subscribe for the Tribune. \$1.00.

### Sorry You Weren't There?

The Odd Fellows had a box social, Monday night, assisted by the Rebekas, which it goes without the saying was a fine success. The Rebekas of the home lodge, assisted by others from other lodges made a raid on the boys and brought away, of course, lots of good things to eat. After the spread, there was an enjoyable social period.

Boys, if you weren't there, you missed it.

### Mission at St. Patrick's.

At St. Patrick's church, McCook, a mission will open next Sunday, December 4th, at 8 o'clock, p. m., and continue throughout the week. The mission will be conducted by the Rev. G. I. Nolan, O. M. I., of Buffalo, N. Y. The hours of service will be: 6 and 9 a. m., and 8 p. m. On Sunday, services will be at the usual hours: 8:30 and 10:30 a. m., and 8 p. m.

### Congratulations

are in order to those who have not yet purchased their winter wraps. A perusal of the large display advertisement of The Thompson D. G. Co. on another page will put you wise to their sensational offerings made at this (to you) lucky moment. Their reductions are bona fide and important.

### FOR SALE:

Mr. Drebert's residence  
907 Main Ave. Enquire at  
store or residence. Possession given Febr. 1, 1911.

Houses and equipment, breeding and feeding, hog cholera and the diseases, and in fact everything that pertains to the welfare of swine husbandry will be discussed scientifically and practically at the swine breeders' meeting at Lincoln, January 18, 1911.

### Buried in Box Elder Cemetery.

The remains of Montgomery Doyle day on No. 1, and were buried in arrived from Ingleside, Neb., Sunday on No. 1, and were buried in the cemetery at Box Elder, Monday afternoon.

Our ever changing window displays are worth watching these days. They give you all the gift ideas you'll want. Remember—entire display first door north of DeGroff's store.  
L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

### Piano Tuning and Repairing.

W. J. McGillin is in the city for a short time, and will do your piano tuning and repairing. Leave orders at Sutton's jewelry store.

### Bargains in Stoves.

Some slightly used Ranges, Cooks and heaters.  
MCCOOK HARDWARE CO.

Toilet sets, puff boxes and manicure articles in sterling silver, also in solid ebony, in beautiful cases.  
H. P. SUTTON CO.,  
Jewelers.

"Laxacoid" the new tablet for colds. They cure the cold without making you sicker, first.  
C. R. WOODWORTH, Druggist.

## Solve the Gift Problem at McMillen's Drug Store

Our carefully selected Holiday Line will impress you with its worth, beauty and reasonable prices. Don't lose the opportunity of selecting from our large assortment. There is much to lose and nothing to gain by waiting. Come early.

RESPECTFULLY,

A. McMillen, Druggist

### Good Work.

It is most gratifying to The Tribune and must be a source of satisfaction to the members of the McCook Commercial club, which organized and financed the campaign, to know that about one thousand acres of land in this neighborhood has been promised for sugar beet planting, next season. The committee representing the commercial club has been prompt and effective in its work and has secured assurances as above stated.

Representatives of the Great Western Sugar Co. of Denver expect to be on the territory in the near future to complete the formal contracts.

This action ought to result in reviving and stimulating this most important agricultural industry in our vicinity and we hope will lead to important developments along this line.

### Championship Game of Southwest Nebraska, Saturday.

McCook high school will play with the Beaver City high school at the east ward grounds, Saturday afternoon, at three o'clock, for the high school championship of Southwest Nebraska. Beaver City has defeated every team east of here and McCook has shown herself superior to all the teams in this part of the state by decisive scores. The Beaver City team averages 155 pounds to the man, which is about 25 pounds more than the McCook team. This will be the greatest game of foot ball ever seen in McCook. Come out and yell for McCook.

Only a few more days left to avail yourself of the big reductions in clothing, shoes, underwear, hats, shirts, etc., at Drebert Clothing Co.

### M. E. Ladies' Bazaar.

December 17th, the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will hold a bazaar in the basement of the church. They will have on sale lots of useful and pretty articles at a reasonable figure each. Just what you want for a Christmas gift. They will also have home cooking and a lunch counter.

### A Forever Present.

That's what the diamond is. It never grows old, loses its brilliancy or color and increases in value as the years go by.

Mounted in tiffany \$15 up.  
H. P. SUTTON CO.,  
Jewelers.

A. E. Martz will have a car of fine potatoes, next week. Sell at 90c per bu. Sacked.

### Did You Ever Feel Crowded?

That's the way we feel. Our store is just jammed full of the prettiest assortment of Christmas presents ever seen in McCook. Come see them.  
WOODWORTH, Druggist.

### Your Photograph

in a sterling silver, hand engraved frame would make an original gift—we have the frames.  
L. C. STOLL & CO.  
Jewelers.

### Baled Hay Sale.

We have a quantity of very high quality prairie hay for sale.  
MCCOOK HARDWARE CO.

### More Light?

Yes, Water White coal oil. 10c a gallon at  
MAGNER'S, Phone 14.

Quality and price, courtesy and promptness in delivery are making for success at the McCook Flour and Feed Store.

There is nothing that makes more suitable Xmas presents than pieces of furniture.

### —Some Suggestions—

For "Him"—  
Morris Chairs.  
Foot Stools.  
Rockers.  
Smoking Cabinets.  
Magazine Racks.  
For "Her"—  
China Cabinets.  
Buffets.  
Pedestals.  
Music Cabinets.  
Rockers.  
Ladies' Desks.  
Dressers.  
For the "Little Him"—  
High Chairs.  
Sleds.  
Rockers.  
Go Carts.  
Baby Walkers.  
Dishes.  
For the "Little Her"—  
Doll Carts.  
Rockers.  
Go Carts.  
Baby Walkers.  
We want you to come into our store and look through. Right now we are showing the largest stock we have ever shown.  
J. E. LUDWICK.

## The Foundation of Ever Happy Home is a Bank Account

No true happiness can ever come unless the fact of possible dependency has been entirely eliminated, and this can only be done by means of a bank account. You should acquire one, and once started if you add to it regularly, you will be surprised how easily and rapidly it grows.

Don't let your resolution be the end of the matter, but come in and make the start with

## THE MCCOOK NATIONAL BANK

P. WALSH, President.  
C. F. LEHN, V. Pres.  
C. J. O'BRIEN, Cash.  
DIRECTORS  
J. J. Loughran P. F. McKenna

### CHURCH NOTES AND TOPICS.

Baptist—  
Sunday morning subject, "The Humanity of Jesus." "He outlived and outdid the heroes of all ages."  
Sunday evening, the pastor will preach another special sermon entitled, "Horses," Prov. 26-1.  
We extend a hearty welcome to any who can to attend our services. We are especially glad to have the stranger worship with us.

Methodist—  
Preaching in the morning at 11 by the pastor. In the evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. J. W. Morris, superintendent of the Holdrege district, will preach. A special invitation is given to friends and members to come and hear Brother Morris. The quarterly conference will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Episcopal—  
Second Sunday in Advent: Sunday school at ten. Holy Communion and instruction, "Apostolic Succession," at eleven. Evening prayer and sermon at eight o'clock.  
Friday evening service at 7:30; choir rehearsal at 8.

Christian—  
Services in the Christian church, next Sunday morning and evening, by Elder J. W. Kaine of Bethany, Nebraska. Evening subject, "Heaven."

Christian Science—  
"God, the Only Cause and Creator," will be the morning subject, next Sunday.

Congregational—  
Morning subject, "The Print of the Nails." Evening, "The Eternal Question."

### The Only Union-Made

overalls in the city are the Carhart. Huber is the exclusive agent. Also jackets and caps. The phone is 97.



### NO CLOTHES

are better made than the suits and overcoats that our tailoring shop produces. Every garment we turn out you will find to be

### HONEST VALUE

in quality, tailoring and price. We always give special attention to the selection of our wools. This season our showing is exceptionally timely, the patterns are certainly neat, and the quality excellent. May we take your measure?  
LINEBURG & CO.