

# The McCook Tribune.

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McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 20, 1891.

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## The McKinley Bill Knocked Out BY PRICES AT Lawler's Great Clearance Sale!

Before invoicing on Jan. 1st, 1891, we will close every line

### AT :- ACTUAL :- COST!

The following are some of the prices:

10 dozen of MISSES' TOBOGGANS at 25c. Worth 75c.  
10 dozen of MISSES' TOBOGGANS at 50c. Worth \$1.25.  
10 doz. suits MEN'S UNDERWEAR at \$2.50. Cheap at \$3.  
10 doz. suits MEN'S UNDERWEAR at \$1. Cheap at \$2.  
LADIES' UNDERWEAR at ONE-HALF regular price.

A FULL LINE OF

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Men's Shoes  
AT BEDROCK!

Notwithstanding that shoes have advanced 20 per cent.  
We will make this absolutely

cheapest sale of goods ever offered  
in McCook and vicinity. We have a full stock of

## GROCERIES

to select from AS LOW AS THE LOWEST. Give us a trial and be convinced that

We are THE CHEAPEST DEALER in the City.

YOURS ANXIOUS TO PLEASE,

H. LAWLER.

## GROCERIES.

In addition to my line of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, NOTIONS, Etc., I have just laid in a stock of

## FRESH STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES.

I have determined to sell all my goods at "hard times" prices. Call and see me at the old Oppenheimer stand in the Babcock-Morlan building, and I will do the square thing by you.

## FRANK EVERIST.

## The Frees & Hocknell Lumber Co.

DEALERS IN

## LUMBER!

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, CEMENT, LIME,

Also Hard and Soft Coal.

## The White Line Transfer,

Wm. M. ANDERSON, Prop.

### PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Citizens and Visitors Briefly Mentioned. We Have Had Our Eye on You.

"I Know Not What the Truth May Be, I Tell it as 'Twas Told to Me."

Dick Tate of Carrico was in town, Tuesday.

Att'y Starr was up from Indianola, Monday.

Mrs. W. C. LaTourette visited in Culbertson, Tuesday.

Henry Crabtree was up from the yellow ochre burg, Wednesday.

F. D. Burgess went down to Arapahoe, yesterday, on business.

C. E. McPherson and J. H. Painter of Holyoke were city visitors, Sunday.

U. J. Warren basked in the sunshine of admiring Culbertson friends, Sunday.

Cashier Eubank of the Hayes County Banking Co. was a city sight-seer, Sunday.

Attorneys Jennings and Hart had a professional call to Culbertson, Monday.

W. Sanford Gee of Stockville filled the Congregational pulpit, Sunday evening.

Mayor W. C. Rittenhouse of Holdrege was in the chief city, Tuesday, on business.

Cashier Lawson of the First National was in Omaha, the first of the week, on business.

Country Clerk and Mrs. Roper of Indianola felt the thrill of metropolitan life, Tuesday.

M. Y. Starbuck left for Indianola, Iowa, Wednesday, to be absent about two weeks.

J. R. McFaul, Trenton's leading hardware dealer, saw the metropolis by electric light, Monday.

D. H. Mercer, the popular young politician of Omaha, was a Commercial House guest, Wednesday.

Mr. P. A. Wells arrived home, Tuesday night, from his business trip in various cities in eastern Nebraska.

Squire W. J. McKillip of Thornburg, Hayes county, came down to the metropolis, Monday, on some business affairs.

O. P. Smith, of sight-draft pill fame, was down from the village to the west, yesterday, on pharmaceutical business.

C. H. Meeker went in to Lincoln, Tuesday night, on irrigation business, in which he is deeply and energetically interested.

Frank Carruth was up from Plattsmouth, Friday and Saturday of last week, looking after his extensive interests in this city.

DeWald of the Trenton Register mingled his tears with the devotional exercises constantly in progress at this office, Tuesday.

Miss Leta Harlocker took last evening's passenger for Kearney to resume her art class, after a delightful visit among friends.

F. L. Brown is learning the ropes at the land office preparatory to taking the clerkship under the new register, the 1st proximo.

James Hatfield gave the people of Hastings an opportunity of gazing on his ample proportions, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Commissioners Bolles, Hodgkin and Graham were up from the county-seat, last evening and this morning, looking after the poor of this section.

Register Lindsay will be over from Beaver City tomorrow with his household goods and will in a few days have his family altar erected in our midst.

S. P. Hart took a shipment of cattle to the Omaha market, the first of the week. He expects to start for Chicago to-morrow with another shipment of fat stock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Corey of the Famous Quarter Circle "C" Ranch, arrived home on Wednesday evening's passenger from their winter sojourn at San Diego, Cal.

Mr. Louis Lowman left, Tuesday, for the east to make his purchases of spring and summer goods. He promises to bring an unequalled stock both as to quantity and quality.

Mrs. Nettleton, supt. county schools, was called to Lincoln, early in the week, by the announcement of the illness of her son Edward, who is following the printer's trade in that city.

A. E. Chapman is up from Lincoln, this week, looking after his interests over in Driftwood precinct. He will continue to follow carpentering in the capital city for the present.

Judge Cochran has been in Lincoln, part of the week, looking after the legislative feature of the irrigation question, of which he is one of the chief promoters in this section of Nebraska.

R. S. Cooley and family have moved back from Danbury in order to secure treatment for Mr. Cooley, who is in very poor health, the result of a paralytic stroke sustained many months since.

Secretary of State Allen, who has been at home for a few days on business matters, left for Lincoln, Tuesday evening, his family accompanying him to take up their residence at the state capital.

John A. Healy was down from Kearney, the early days of the week, reviving his memory of McCook and her people. John holds the position as instructor in the bakery department of the State Industrial School at that place.

J. B. Coupe left, Saturday evening, for his Richardson county farm, where he will reside in the future. He retains his interest in the meat market, however, which will continue under the management of R. A. Coupe, the energetic senior of the firm.

### COURT HOUSE NEWS.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE LEGAL AND MATRIMONIAL MILL.

#### COUNTY COURT.

Isaiah Bennett vs. Chas. W. Hodgkin; dismissed.

George W. Burt vs. Wm. T. Henton; dismissed.

Bank of Bartley vs. Allen Bartley, John Weeden and R. C. Fidler; action to recover the sum of \$361.10 alleged to be due upon promissory note.

James W. Dolan vs. Joseph Spotts; plaintiff sues for \$64 for rent of building in McCook.

Albert Stegman vs. Red Willow County Co-operative Association Patrons of Husbandry; for trial March 9th.

Vashti B. Teel has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Ammi C. Teel, Sr.

#### BRIDAL BULLETIN.

Mr. James F. Utter, 25, McCook. Miss Clara J. Reinsmith, 20, Benkelman.

Mr. Henry J. Boylan, 28, McCook. Miss Frances H. Mullen, 27, McCook.

#### DISTRICT COURT.

998. Bank of Indianola vs. W. N. Millikin, filed Feb. 12, petition in equity.

999. W. A. Woods Mowing and Reaping Machine Co. vs. H. W. Pate, filed Feb. 12, appeal.

1000. Kansas Manufacturing Co. vs. C. P. Rinker, filed Feb. 14, petition on note.

1001. Annie M. Beebe vs. James S. Doyle, filed Feb. 16, petition in equity.

1002. Henry S. Bartholomew vs. Henry Small et ux, filed Feb. 18, petition in equity.

578. Kansas Manufacturing Co. vs. C. P. Rinker, filed Feb. 13, transcript of judgment, amount \$146.10, date of judgment Feb. 11.

579. Same vs. same, amount \$90.93.

#### BANKVILLE BUDGET.

In reading a communication in the State Journal written by Samuel Ellis of Gerver precinct, I was very much taken with it. Had heard it talked of some before, but seeing it in print makes it look like a scheme worthy of much thought. Finally, sufficient action might prove its efficacy. The proposition was "to dam the canyons and hold the surplus water from the rainfall to temper the air." If we could get water that way and hold it, would it not be somewhat fatal to hot winds? Now if hot winds are abated and an increased rainfall encouraged by making ponds of the canyons a part of the irrigation question would be solved. This plan would be a good opening for some of the irrigation money that is wanted appropriated for irrigation. A tax levied to work roads across canyons on section lines would help test the scheme. It might be possible to successfully irrigate a part of this country by the streams, but where we are full of canyons, I think some other method will be forced to be successful, such as ponds in the canyons, artesian wells. Our condition would be benefitted more by encouraging industries and reducing the surplus products after we have done our best in planning to grow reasonable crops. There should be much care and thought on questions that require state backing, so that the plan will give good returns especially to the under dog.

#### WON BY AMERICANS.

In THE QUEEN'S last word contest, Dr. Edmund T. Stevens, of Buffalo, N. Y., won the first prize of a free trip to Europe and \$200 in cash, and Anne B. Turner, of Deposit, N. Y., secured the special prize of a handsome Shetland pony.

The publishers of this well-known magazine have decided to offer one more competition, and to the persons sending them the largest lists of English words (of not less than four letters) constructed from letters contained in the three words, "Dominion of Canada," they offer many useful prizes, including \$750 in cash, Shetland ponies, China dinner sets, gold watches, French music boxes, Portiere curtains, silk dresses, mantle clocks, etc., all to be awarded strictly in order of merit. An elegant silver tea service (valued at \$30) will be given each day to the persons from whom the largest list is received that day from the state in which they reside. The object of this special daily prize for each state is to increase the interest in The Queen's competitions in every locality in the United States. Those desiring to contest for one of these valuable prizes may start on their list at once, but send six U. S. 2c. stamps and receive last number of The Queen with full particulars before forwarding your list. Address

THE CANADIAN QUEEN,  
Toronto, Canada.

#### TERMS OF COURT FOR 1891.

Eleventh Judicial District of Nebraska.

CHASE:—February 24, jury; June 2, no jury; September 1, jury.

DUNDY:—March 2, jury; June 8, no jury; September 14, jury; December 7, no jury.

HITCHCOCK:—March 16, jury; June 11, no jury; September 21, jury; December 9, no jury.

RED WILLOW:—March 30, jury; June 15, no jury; October 5, jury; December 11, no jury.

FURNAS:—April 13, jury; June 17, no jury; October 19, jury; December 14, no jury.

HAYES:—April 23, jury; September 8, no jury; November 9, jury.

FRONTIER:—May 12, jury; September 10, no jury; November 17, jury.

GOSPER:—May 25, jury; November 30, jury. J. E. COCHRAN, Judge.

McCook, Neb., Jan. 1, 1891.

#### A Word in Season.

The barking of a pack of hounds may be music, but the barking of the human family is certainly discord. Stop that cough with Humphreys' Specific No. Seven.

## J. ALBERT WELLS, McCOOK, NEBRASKA. Dry Goods, Millinery and Carpets.

### SPECIAL SALES.

MONDAY, FEB. 23, ONLY.

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR,  
CHEMISES, CORSET COVERS,  
DRAWERS, NIGHT GOWNS,  
ALSO WHITE SKIRTS,

All Offered on This Day at  
Big Reductions.

### EMBROIDERIES.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25, ONLY.

We now have in our full line of  
NEW EMBROIDERIES in the latest  
styles. To introduce they will be offered on Wednesday at a sacrifice.

Our Dress Making Department will  
be open again on Monday.

## J. Albert Wells.

Special attention given mail orders.

## BARGAINS

We are prepared to sell you goods as cheaply as any house in this city. From now until we invoice we will give you EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS.

## Ladies' Cloaks and Jackets,

at from one dollar to ten dollars each—worth fully  
DOUBLE THE MONEY!

## New Dress Goods, Notions Etc., Etc.,

ARRIVING DAILY.

## BOOTS AND SHOES

LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

We are the only house that sells the Celebrated HONEY DEW CANNED GOODS.

GARLOAD GREELEY, GOL., POTATOES.

GARLOAD OF MINNESOTA POTATOES.

The best 50c. tea ever sold in the city.  
A big stock of

## HATS, CAPS, GLOVES, MITTENS ETC.

Come and see us and we will use you well.

## WILCOX & FOWLER.

## H. KAPKE, The Leader,

## PRICES AND IN STYLISH WORK,

Calls attention to the fact that he has just received another shipment of the latest and most stylish fall goods, and that he is prepared to make them up in the most stylish mode and at the lowest figures. Call and see for yourself.