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The McCook Tribune.

By F. M. KIMMELL.

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THE gentleman from the notorious Third ward swings a vigorous, dirty quill; and he is doing his dirtiest.

Six lives were lost and \$150,000 worth of property destroyed in a fire at Hot Springs, Arkansas, last Friday morning.

THE party that impairs or cripples the Slocumb law will have something to answer for, the fullness of which may not now be fully understood and appreciated. Hands off!

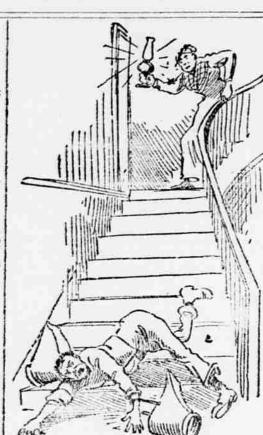
A MEMBER who will vote for the contemplated amendments to the Slocumb law now proposed in our state legislature should be and doubtless will be politically and morally damned beyond recovery. The present legislature should be as decent as it can be, at least. The integrity of the Slocumb law must not be impaired.

seed and feed have been tested salaries of employes need not be have remorselessly and relentlessly reported unless asked for by the paralyzed the proposition aforesaid. These hard times make the question of bonding especially obnoxious. And again, there is a bitter popular prejudice against bonding for any purpose.

This movement for pure food ought not to stop with the smashing of the oleo industry in Nebraska. The oleo manufacturer is almost a saint compared with the fellow who makes syrup out of old rags and concocts "Pure Michigan Cider" without the aid of a single apple. If we are to weed out frauds, let us do a thorough job of it.—Journal.

The warning given by Professor Bessey concerning the new forage plant, "saccaline," before the stock breeders' association, should be repeated to every farmer and stock raiser in the state. The seedsmen are doing their best to convince the people that the new plant will enrich every man who invests a few dollars in seeds, especially if he be located in the semi-arid regions. Professor Bessey finds that saccaline is a fraud, without a single redeeming virtue, and that the chief anxiety of the farmer who sows it will be rid himself of the plant before it overruns his farm and becomes a pest.—State Journal.

THE crying need of the people of this state just now is grain for stock and seed grain for spring planting. Without it there can be no crop put in, no matter how favorable the weather may be. The prosperity of the farmer, the merchant and, above all, the railroads, is solely dependent upon an adequate and prompt supply of grain. The unfortunate tillers of the soil must not be left to the mercy of money sharks who will rob them of their crops in consideration of Buy your writing paper at advancing money for seed grain. THE TRIBUNE office. All kinds in It is the duty of this state to provide a means whereby grain may be provided for actual land owners and farmers. The importance of ing, bloaters, etc., at Knipple's. this subject must impress itself upon the minds of all intelligent supply of tablets and box papers,



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Congress by joint resolution has interpreted the income tax law so as to make it a trifle milder. The time for reporting incomes this year is extended to April 15. Fire insurance and necessary repairs may be deducted from incomes, THE various counties wherein also dividends if they are subject the proposition to vote bonds for to taxation elsewhere. Names and McMillen, druggist. collector for verification. - Journal.

DANBURY.

Mrs. Hiram Parker died Monday

Al Smith visited Wilsonville on Monday last.

Rained all day Monday and Tuesday here.

Farmers are beginning to sow their small grain.

Alford Matson returned from

Mrs. Ruby is improving after three weeks illness.

Missouri, Monday.

Sanford Cass is under the doc-

tor's care, this week. Epworth League social held at

McDonald's, Tuesday evening, was greatly enjoyed by all. William Sandon and Clifford

Naden rode over to the county-seat

on their bikes, Sunday. Born-To James Toner and wife on Monday a son. Jim is setting up the cigars like a captain.

PROSPECT PARK.

Nice spring weather.

R. M. Wade finished hauling wood, Wednesday.

James Boatman and son are hauling wood, this week.

Rev. J. E. Tirrill held services in the school house, Sunday.

Mrs. Holbrook has been on the sick list, but is improving at this

writing. The rain, the first of the week, was a very good one, and did considerable good.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Caldwell and daughter spent Sunday after-

noon with Mr. and Mrs. Wade. Quite a number of friends and neighbors called on Eugene Dunham, Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in games and music.

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THE TRIBUNE is entirely at a loss to harmonize the position Highest Honors-World's Fair, taken by the Lincoln Journal on the proposed amendments to the Slocumb law in its issue of Saturday with its editorial utterances on that subject in the Sunday issue. Will the Journal kindly explain its sudden and apparently complete change of heart on this miserable death blow at Nebraska's liquor law, which has been and is properly considered a model of its kind.

A REMARKABLE suit to recover \$758,000 has been begun by Edward McGillen of Youngstown, Ohio, against John Claffin and others, comprising the old dry from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant, goods firm of H. B. Claffin & Co. Mr. McGillen, who is well known in the western dry goods trade, asserts that he was "fraudulently induced" by Mr. Claffin and the latter's partners to transfer two big dry goods stores that he owned in Cleveland, Ohio, to "two dummies" for a price much below the actual value under circumstances that he sets out at great length. Mr. McGillen's attorneys, who have brought the suit, are Bourke Cockrane, Congressman Foran of Ohio and Wales F. Severance. H. R. Claffin & Co. say that McGillen feed they would all be busy. was merely a partner in the Cleveland dry goods house, and that he diverted large sums of the business, investing them in a ranch enterprise. In this manner he almost wrecked the dry goods houses. it is declared, and when McGillen's firm was on the verge of bankruptcy, he came to them and besought given the black eye, we would like them to take over the business in to ask those that did it how we are order to avoid the losses that necessarily would ensue if an assignment was made. The plaintiffs in this suit are well known in the upper Republican valley.

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BOX ELDER.

Rev. Vivian preached to a well filled house, Sunday.

William Doyle is building a fine esidence on his lower farm.

Will Mall is residing at P. A. Brower's for a short time.

Welcome pleasant spring. Now f the farmers had the seed and

Tobias Brown of Frontier county, a few miles north of here, died on Monday morning. Funeral at Box Elder church, Wednesday afternoon, services by Rev. Vivian.

Now that the bonds have been to get seed and feed. There are some who carried around remonstrances who need feed and seed ust as badly as the writer, and we cannot see how they could do it. being men of good horse sense. Not only does it keep us from feed and seed, but it will stop relief from coming in. The people in the east will say that we had a way to help ourselves but would not. Little did you think you were in the employ of a few who cared only for their own welfare and not your own. This has been done by the creek and ditch farmers who raised a few beans and potatoes, and have a few quarters of land they want to catch some unfortunates with; and after they do this they have the gall to come and say, "we will get you seed on shares." We do not believe they can get enough to supply the demand, and if they do how can the renter pay one-third rent and one-third for use of grain. What have you left for you labor. I do not think the needy people have given this matter enough thought. There is some seed that has been shipped in, but it takes money to get it, and the question is how are we to get the

SOUTH DIVIDESCHOOL

Miss Condon was a visitor of Josie Houlihan's for a few days.

Will A. Wallin was a visitor at Bentz Gockley's, Friday evening

The farmers seem to think i

about time to begin spring work A seven pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ritchey

on Saturday morning. The Night Cap social held on Friday evening last in District 72 was well attended. The program delivered is said to have been quite

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