

# The McCook Tribune.

By F. M. KIMMELL.

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

TOM FLOYD speaks of Ira Cole as young and beautiful—the old anarchist.

THE wood is full of "bully boys with vitreous eyes with whom it is a pleasure to trade horses", but there are not offices enough in the county to accommodate them all.

WITH the eye of faith Ira Cole peers through the exquisite parting of his voluminous hirsute heritage and declares that the day is swiftly approaching when international bimetalism will be a glittering reality. Let her glit, Ira.

MR. J. C. MOORE of Tyrone precinct, who made such a gallant but unsuccessful canvas for the county superintendency at the election two years since, is a candidate for renomination to that office at the coming Republican county convention, so we learn from a private source.

THE true aristocracy of the world is generally in rags, lays some times on straw and dies on the streets. Riches are a curse to the race when hoarded to oppress. Something is radically wrong. The present must find the way; the past is inadequate.—Rev. Dr. Gunsaulus.

J. G. TATE, grand master of the Nebraska A. O. U. W., is enjoying an ocean trip, and will be absent a couple of months. At the late meeting of the supreme lodge he was elected supreme foreman, and in the natural order of succession Mr. Tate will advance to the head of the order at the next national meeting.

NOTWITHSTANDING that it is quite early, the list of candidates for the nomination for the Judgeship of the Fourteenth district is already pretty long. Among those mentioned from the Republican ranks are: Norris of Beaver City, Benson of McCook, Keyes and Starr of Indianola. From the populist party, Smith of Indianola, McClure of Beaver City and Blackledge of Culbertson, are willing to be slaughtered if need be.

J. A. TULLEYS of this city has for the second time been appointed custodian of the grand lodge. Mr. Tulleys is a 33rd degree Mason, and has the confidence of his brethren. Mr. Tulleys has no equal as far as efficiency in masonry goes. He belongs to some fifteen or twenty different societies and with a numberless number of degrees, yet it is said of him that he never makes a mistake in any of the lodges but has the work down to perfection in all of them. The grand lodge has made no mistake in this appointment.—Red Cloud Chief.

"NEVER since I have been in the business", says Chauncey Depew, "has there been such utter demoralization in freight rates as at the present time". Speaking of the inter-state commerce commission the gentleman adds that that body "cannot enforce its rulings and convict railroad officials for rate cuttings because of the esprit du corps among railroad men, which prevents them from giving evidence against each other". Absolute government control seems to be the logical conclusion of this vitally important matter. Pools, associations and commissions have so far all failed.

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## INDIANOLA.

Sheriff Banks and Lawyer Starr were both McCook visitors, last evening.

The assessed valuation of Red Willow county is \$76,000 less than last year.

S. J. Stockton has been granted a reissue of pension. Also William Akers.

Miss Lena Hill took in the Orleans Chautauqua over Sunday, returning home on Monday evening.

T. J. Floyd of the Trenton Register visited in the city, Monday night, between trains, on some business.

You would hardly consider this an "off year" to see the number of patriots already out after the county offices.

The school meeting, Monday evening, was a quiet, uninteresting affair, contrary to the expectation of some.

The total valuation of the county is just \$1,166,038.20 as returned by the precinct assessors, this spring.

Our postmaster can sympathize with the McCook postmaster in having a hundred dollars lopped off his salary.

A. P. Day and wife left, this week for Denver, where he will reside and engage in his business of auctioneer.

Lawyers Kelley and Cordeal and Editor Barnes were down from McCook, Monday, on business before the county court.

Quite a numerous fishing party from here and McCook "grabbed" fish in the Willow at Helm's, Sunday, getting some carp weighing from 10 to 15 pounds.

Farm mortgages to the amount of \$125,230.07 and releases to the amount of \$85,021.44 were filed in Red Willow county up to the year ending May 31, 1895.

Miss Ada Rankin was kicked in the face by Henry Powell's horse, Monday, and quite severely injured. She was leading the animal to water when the accident occurred.

Candidates for the several county offices are falling over themselves in the brush. There is more room in the open, gentlemen. Trot out and display your names and countenances.

County Judge Beck did not allow the claim against the estate of the late Ex-county Treasurer Barnes, at the hearing before the court, Monday. The case will likely go up to the district court.

The rains last week and the preceding week were both attended with severe electrical demonstrations, at least two houses in this section being damaged by lightning. George Stocker's and Mr. McNeil's dwellings were both more or less damaged.

County Clerk Roper and Ex-deputy Treasurer Hendershot visited the clerk's farm up in Valley Grange precinct, Wednesday, looking after the fences in that neighborhood, and taking in the metropolis in the afternoon on their way home.

The annual meeting of school district No. 2 took place at the school house, Monday evening. A 25-mill tax was voted; 18 for teachers, 7 for general fund. The following officers were elected: For three years, J. H. Berge, A. Grass; for two years, W. O. Bond; for one year, S. R. Smith.

The following special telegram was sent from this place to the Omaha Bee on the 24th, as indicative of the feeling here over the latest supreme court decision: "The supreme court decision on the Red Willow county seat case, Saturday, is satisfactory to friends of Indianola. The merits of the case will now be shown up".

## NORTH DIVIDE RUBBINS.

Jay Kimball is working at Uncle Billie's.

Anything in the shape of a cultivator and horse is at a premium these weed-growing days.

The people of Box Elder are going to celebrate the Fourth by having a grand, old-fashioned picnic.

J. S. Modrell has a splendid outlook for a good crop of broom corn. He has planted a vast amount of this commodity.

"Jim" Brady has the finest, large piece of corn we have seen anywhere this year, and he is tolerably well satisfied with the prospects in general.

Eliza Johnson, who has been visiting down in Harlan county for the past few months returned home Friday evening, delighted with her extended sojourn.

Geo. Henderson has a pony that was pretty badly used up in some barb wire a few days ago, and it puts him out a good deal with his work at this busy time.

Hiram W. Johnson and wife are here on a visit to relatives and friends. They drove overland from their home at Paxton, this state, and will remain a few days.

About forty young people gathered at the home of the writer on Wednesday evening and had a right jolly good time. Refreshments were served and partaken of with much praise and gusto.

The anonymous letter writer, the incubus of society, is at large somewhere in the community and the writer hereof is in receipt of a few very touching lines that must have been done with a great deal of effort and painful exertion. A signature came along with the rest of the document but is unreadable and might mean any of the following: Commandery, constable, mandy or community. It is a perfect gem throughout and must have been done to order.

## RED WILLOW.

Mr. Benj. Baker was re-elected director of schools in Dist. 72.

In Red Willow district we learn that the teacher is to be chosen by election.

Miss Laura Woodworth is helping Mrs. Mott "straighten up" in her new home.

Dist. 72 voted to give Mr. Baker five dollars per annum for his services as director.

An ice cream social was given at Mr. Simpson's, Saturday evening, which was well attended and much enjoyed.

The Y. P. S. C. E. elected new officers for the coming year.

Jacob Longnecker was elected president; Charlie Byfield, vice-president; Willie Meyers, Sec'y; Mary Canaga, Treas. The various committees will meet at Mr. Canaga's, Saturday evening.

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## VAILTON.

Mr. Pate reports all well from Logan, Kan.

Lewis Fauss was able to attend church last Sabbath.

Joe Eller is once more in our midst. Glad to see him.

We observed a slight variation in temperature, Monday and Tuesday.

No base ball yet as our boys manage to get some exercise in the corn and wood yard for present need.

Remember Sabbath school at Vailton next Sabbath. We hope to hear an occasional sermon connected with the other work.

We notice some good corn and with plenty wet and warm weather combined, associated with vigorous cultivation we hope for a good crop.

Austin Dutcher rejoices in the coming to the front of a small boy. We trust he will cheer the prairie home for many years to come.

The funeral of Grandpa Strine was largely attended. Funeral services at the sod church next Sabbath. The deceased will be sorely missed as he was the very embodiment of all that is true and good. Eulogy here is unnecessary.

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