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EDITORIAL

This week we printed a quantity of adhesive labels for the Qualley Dairy. They contain the following information—"The milk in this bottle was produced by cows which have been tested by a licensed veterinarian and found to be absolutely free from any tubercular infection. Every cow tested 100%. These labels are moistened and pasted on the milk bottles and are a guarantee of the purity of the milk.

During the spring migrations a number of birds are, accidentally, killed each year. We find them about the city and in all parts of the country. They are sometimes strange birds and if identified would add something to the knowledge of bird life. The editor is equipped to identify almost any bird he can secure and he will consider it a pleasure to name the birds and put the record in print if the specimen is sent to him. Never shoot a bird for this purpose but take advantage of the accidents.

Five cent lollypops have come. We have been enjoying the sight of a bunch of school girls or boys going down the street without saying a word, each holding onto one end of a lollypop and sucking the other end. They have looked so happy with their penny lumps of sweetness. Now comes the five cent lollypop which is five times as big and therefore five times as sweet as the penny brand. They fit some mouths and some have to be stretched. We wonder what the average chap would do with a ten cent lollypop or if the limit has now been reached.

Someone has asked us why we give such prominent front-page notice to the doings of the High schools, the scouts, the campfire girls and similar organizations of boys and girls. We have told them that the doings of the boys and girls are of more significance than most of the doings of us older people. It makes all the difference in the world to North Platte whether her young folks hold a High school debate or a Hollywood debauch. Boys and girls are about all that counts and if we will keep them constantly before our attention, paddling them when they are bad and praising them when they are good, we will be in better business than when we are doing much that attracts out attention and takes our time at present.

This is the time of year for the out-of-doors bulbs. Some of the yards are brilliant with hyacinths and tulips, and jonquils and other bulbs and there are still many of the later varieties to come out. We understand some of the finest displays are being guarded and that buckshot will greet anyone who attempts to desecrate the beds of blooms. We have not been

able to get a confession from any with whom we have talked but it may be true. Several times in the past years, citizens have suffered from the wanton destruction of beds of beautiful flowers and little blame could attach to anyone who would give such marauders a pretty hot reception. Hundreds of dollars worth of bulbs have been planted in these gardens and still more valuable time has been given to their care and those who have expended this time and money are entitled to share with the passer-by in the enjoyment of the beauty.

The Tribune does not need to be subsidized to give the news. A church society in this city recently came to us for the price on a little job of printing which it expected to pay for. We gave prices and later learned that the job had been placed elsewhere. We have given that particular society as much space to advertise its meetings and suppers during the past year as it would have cost them three times the amount of the job and we have given it freely. The officers of that society go on the theory that they will patronize the newspapers when they want free printing but will go elsewhere when they have a pay job. It hurts sometimes but we are going right on printing the news just the same. We do not hold it against the society that it has that kind of officials. We expect to print the news for our readers regardless of the business end of our shop and trust that a little light will trickle into the dark places. The Tribune does not need to be subsidized to give the news.

Elsewhere we are printing the full report of the Dawson County Taxpayers' League's special committee to investigate the spending of the peoples' money. It is an interesting and instructive document. Those who have seen it have inquired why Lincoln County taxpayers do not have such an investigation. There is enough rumormongering of this and that regarding taxation and the expenditure of taxes that would require investigation, to give the committee something interesting to work on. The farmers have their complaints, the laboring men have their grievances, the business men plan for tax reductions and almost everyone thinks he can see something wrong. There is no central authority to whom one can go and which is inviting us to come. The Taxpayers' League should be organized first and then the members should have a special committee composed of the most able and respected citizens of the county. This committee should make such investigations as it sees fit and hold such public hearings as seem best and then make a report to the Taxpayers' League. The taxing bodies of schools, villages, cities, county and state will give heed to recommendations of such a league if it sees fit to ask for any changes. Perhaps things are being run in Lincoln county as well as they can be it would be worth the trouble if we could be certain that is true and that the rumors and charges heard here and there are not true. Does Lincoln county want such a League?

LADIES OF W. C. T. U. TO STUDY PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. William Morris on Tuesday, May 2, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Morris lives at the west end of Fourth street. Mrs. I. L. Stebbins will have charge of the program which will consist of a study of parliamentary usage and practice. Lunch will be served by the hostesses. Ladies interested are cordially invited.

Mrs. Charles Barin and daughter returned to Melrose Tuesday after visiting at the Con Walker home.

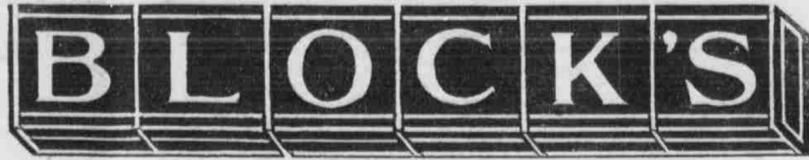


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ASSISTANT TO BE MADE MANAGER OF LOCAL RETAIL CONCERN

Frank de Bauernfeind, for several years assistant manager of the J. C. Penny Co. store here will be promoted to manager upon the resignation of H. J. Rathman which will take place at some time during the early summer. According to the J. C. Penny plan the North Platte store will start a new store in some other city and one of the local men will be manager of the new concern. Mr. Rathman has chosen to go to the

new store and that gives Mr. de Bauernfeind the local store. Mr. Rathman is now in Iowa making a selection for the location of the new store. When he left here he had directions to visit five or six places where the J. C. Penny Co. has secured options on desirable locations. The selection of Mr. de Bauernfeind as local manager meets with general approval. He has been quite active in religious, social and business circles since coming to North Platte and people have learned to respect and value him very highly. We predict the J. C. Penny store continue to gain in business and to win additional friends under his management.

Is your wife lonesome while you are away? Send her The Tribune.

Frank De Bauernfeind left Wednesday for St. Paul, Minn. where he will attend the J. C. Penny stores managers convention. He will be gone two or three weeks.



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