

The Tribune

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TO OUR ADVERTISERS.

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Local Intelligence.

Graham Flour at City Bakery.

"Thunder and lightning" at Hayden & Co.'s.

Go to John A. Lee's for sewing machines.

Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines at Lee's.

All kinds of blanks kept for sale at this office.

For the best Flour in town call at City Bakery.

Choice raisins, 10 cents per pound, at Hayden & Co.'s.

If you want cheap pork call at John Farley's meat market.

WANTED.—A girl to wait on table at Israel's Restaurant.

We have just received a handsome assortment of calling cards.

L. W. Marbles photograph gallery is now open and ready for business. Give him a call.

Great bargains at Hayden & Co.'s. See advertisement on eighth page of this issue for bargains.

Travel and freighting for this part of the country now nearly all goes to McCook.—Atwood Citizen.

If you want the best flour in town, call at the City Bakery. Samples given to those who wish to try it.

In this issue we present, through the courtesy of Mr Cramer, the proceedings of the county convention.

R. S. Cooley has a number of timber claims to sell. Also, some homesteads and pre-emptions. Call on him, 1st door south of land office.

Complaints of inability to get milk are to be heard in the land, and the same are long and loud. A dozen good milk cows would be a paying investment.

William Hayden of McCook wants to rent a room to put in a stock of general merchandise at Oxford. Several other gentlemen are in the same fix.—Oxford Register.

Parties wishing to purchase a first-class machine can be accommodated by calling on John A. Lee, who has the agency for the celebrated Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines.

Let the school children take down their books, put on their studying caps, and be ready for the three month's summer term of school which begins on Monday morning, April 14th.

Starbuck Bros. have purchased the fine Bashaw-Morgan stallion brought by L. O. Marble from Iowa, this spring. This horse is a fine jet black animal of good action and points. He will stand during the season at McCook and Indianola.

Manufacturers of adulterated Baking Powder claim that their adulterations are not injurious. Possibly true. Water in milk is not injurious to health. Of few besides DeLand's Chemical Baking Powder can it be said however, "This Powder is made of Grape Cream Tartar and Bi-Carb. Soda only. Sold by Hayden & Co."

Levi Johnson has been doing some good work putting down wells. He digs the well, puts down the tubing, provides bucket, and everything complete at 40c. per foot. Anybody wanting a well dug will do well to call on Mr. Johnson, who will do the work for him in first-class shape. He refers to Dunbar & Olcott. Mr. Johnson also has for sale good building stone at the lowest figures. His stone have been used in most of the buildings that have been built in McCook. He refers to McIntyre or Collins as to the quality of his stone.

A large stock of wall paper just received and for sale cheap.

S. L. GREEN.

The Frontier County Faer will the name of the new paper, and A. E. Powers, its editor.

By the figures of Charlie Boyle, who was around taking the census of school children, last week, there are 166 school children in this district.

Our hardware men have sold an immense amount of barbed wire to parties living up on the Frenchman. McCook is attracting trade from great distances, north, south and west.

We direct the attention of parents to the fact that our summer term of school opens on Monday next. Have the children ready to start the first day and you will materially assist the teachers in organizing and putting the school in working order.

We present some interesting correspondence from every section, this week. We hope our correspondents will continue to send in their contributions. We are interested in hearing of the progress made all over the county, and southwestern Nebraska.

VanDyke & Kennedy are prepared to do all plastering in a first-class manner. If you want anything in their line of business done in good shape, give them a call. They take pleasure in referring to work done on the properties of Messrs. Daniels, LaTourette, Johnson.

It is said that the ground is wet deeper this year than the oldest settler has any knowledge of.—As near as possible range cattle have been driven out of the settlements and worked west of the Frenchman. This is done to save damage to crops when the grangers commence to plant.—Culbertson Sun.

Geo. Hocknell inform us that the Spring Creek Cattle Co., of which he is president, have purchased about seventy head of thoroughbred Hereford cattle, which they will ship in during the present month, and put on their range northwest of McCook. The cattle cost about \$10,000, but Mr. Hocknell thinks the improvement in stock will prove a good investment and as Geo. is a shrewd financier we guess it will.—Pioneer.

Another horse race occupied the attention of the "boys," Saturday afternoon. Two races were run. The first was run by a horse from the Driftwood, owned by Mr. Baily, and D. B. Duckworth's horse from the Beaver; in which Mr. Baily's animal, in language classic, "got there." A race was then made between the Driftwood horse and Starbuck Bros.' little dun, and again Mr. Baily's horse carried off the laurels of victory.

A gentleman from Atwood, Kansas, informed us, Friday, that M. A. Wilson of that place, who started in last fall with 2200 sheep, had lost 600 of his flock up to the date of the late storm, and that he lost 300 head during the continuance of the storm of April 1st. Also, that of another flock of 1300 that wintered in that locality, 240 died. This is certainly a fearful mortality, and sort of discounts the Dutchman's one per cent.

Fred. Carter and John Hensinger of Cullom, Ill., were in town, Friday, and called at this office. They have been all through the southern part of this state from the Missouri river westward, and have determined to put in a stake in the Upper Republican Valley. They have their teams with them, and are prepared to go to work breaking at once. Cullom, Livingstone county, Ill., is doing "yeoman's service" for Red Willow county in the way of emigration, and still there is land for more.

A gang of robbers operated in McCook, Monday night, quite successfully. The parties forced the tin which was acting as proxy for a pane of glass, in the door of W. C. LaTourette's store, turned the key, which was sticking in the lock, and thus effected a noiseless entrance into the building. Indeed so quietly did they operate that Tom Adams, who was sleeping in the room at the time of the robbery failed to hear them. Mr. LaTourette's loss is about \$75, the booty consisted mainly in cutlery, a Smith and Wesson revolver, and a few other articles. Some one, presumably the same party, also entered the residence of Mrs. Bates and purloined therefrom a valise and some articles of wearing apparel. The parties who committed the robberies, evidently knew the "lay of the land." We warned our citizens some time since, and we reiterate the warning. We want a little of the "eternal vigilance" sentiment to get rid of individuals of the midnight robber species.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the fact that we are publishing the largest paper in the county, and as to its merits, we prefer to have THE TRIBUNE speak for itself. If you have a neighbor who is not taking the paper, speak a good word for us, or send us in their names and we will send them a sample copy. We are trying to represent the interests of McCook and Red Willow county, as they should be, and our success depends in a great measure upon the interest the people take in THE TRIBUNE, and the patronage they give us. Nothing speaks better for a town, than a well sustained newspaper, and probably no one thing does more for the advancement of a town or county. We have a good county, and let your friends in the east know about it by sending them THE TRIBUNE.

For a month past the citizens of Driftwood have been having a huge scandal in the shape of an attempted rape case, and was intended only for home consumption, until last Saturday, when the party charged with the crime had a preliminary examination before Squire Smith and acquitted. We will not offend the public with the details of a rape case, but since an action has been brought before the courts, it becomes public property. The man charged with such a heinous offence is John Cruts, and the victim a 14-year-old daughter of Stanley Parsons. Complaint was first made before Squire Neifert, but a change of venue was taken to Squire Smith, where the form of a trial was hastily gone through, and he defendant discharged. The father of the girl is highly incensed at the way a mockery was made of so grave an offence, and was in town Monday for legal advice as to what course he should pursue.—Culbertson Sun.

What the people of this part of the moral vineyard want is less of this fast mail service humbug, and a thorough overhauling of the present service. A subscriber at Osborn, not more than 15 miles distant from McCook, writes us that his paper is delayed sometimes as long as two weeks before it reaches him. Where does the responsibility for such miscarriage lie? The paper is sent from this office—else it never would reach said subscriber. Once more, is there any good reason why McCook should not have direct mail service between North Platte and Oberlin, instead of the roundabout tedious route now in vogue. Under the present regime it takes over a week to send a letter to Stoughton and receive an answer to the same, even if not delayed, and only 10 or 15 miles separate the two offices. We move for a new count. The increasing business demands it; those on the south side want it, and we ought to have it. As the mail service is primarily intended for the convenience of the public, there is no question that a move in this direction will be successful.

In response to the call of Director Laws, some fifty members of school district No. 17 met in the church building, Monday night. This being the regular yearly meeting of the board, the Director read his report of the financial condition of the district which also contained the recommendation that a nine month's term of school be held. (We will give a synopsis of the report next week.)

The Treasurer, Squire Fisher, read his report, which is substantially the same as the Director's. Moderator McCormick appointed a committee, to audit the reports. The committee finding the same correct, so reported, and recommended their acceptance and adoption, which action was taken. The meeting then proceeded to the election of a Director, which resulted in the re-election of Mr. Laws, unanimously. In the ballot for Moderator, J. R. Phelan was the choice of the house.

The important matter of voting school bonds then occupied the attention of the meeting. After some discussion of the subject, a ballot was taken, in which 38 votes were cast for their issuance, and 1 against. The amount voted was 5 per cent. of the valuation of the district. Said valuation being \$94,000, the bonds would amount to a little over \$4,500. As a committee to confer with Mr. Phillips concerning the selection of a site for the school house, Messrs. Campbell, Phelan and C. F. Babeock were appointed, said committee to report at the next meeting. The Moderator also appointed Messrs. A. Campbell and J. B. Meserve, as a building committee to act in conjunction with the Board in the erection of the building. Adjourned to meet on the 21st of April, 1884, at 7 o'clock.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

Mrs. Meredith went to Red Cloud, Tuesday on a visit.

Mr. Carl Clark is entertaining his brother from Chicago.

County Treasurer Goodrich was in the metropolis, Wednesday.

Bert. Thompson from Illinois is clerking in Hayden & Co.'s store.

Clark Ward was among the visitors from the county-seat in McCook, Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. D. Phelps and a number of friends from Culbertson, were in town, Wednesday.

W. J. McGillin of Benkelman was in town, Wednesday, on his return home from a visit in the east.

Senator Dolan, Major Criswell, John Maiken, Henry Baxter and Wm. Short of Indianola were in town, Friday.

Mr. Byfield is visiting J. F. Black at Red Willow. Mr. Byfield is the owner of the Byfield hay lands, near Red Willow.

Mrs. John Sanders, Miss Gertie Johnson and Master Ray have returned from an extended visit in the eastern part of the state and at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCartney of Indianola, and Miss Papan of St. Louis, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. McCartney, were visitors in town, Sunday.

Mr. Gatewood, representing Andy J. Snyder & Co., live stock commission merchants of Kansas City, stopped over in McCook, Thursday, on his way in from the west.

Rev. and Mrs. Dungan went to Napoleon, Tuesday, to be in attendance at the district conference of the Congregational church, which will hold its session at that place.

J. C. Wilson, one of Oberlin's best men and attorneys, was in town, a number of days during the week. He made THE TRIBUNE a pleasant call during his sojourn amongst us.

John Dyer one of our railroad boys, is preparing to build a home on east Dennison street. The foundation has been laid and cellar dug, and the carpenters are busy at work putting up the house.

Willis Gerver, nephew of J. D. Gerver, returned to his home in Wawaka, Ind., Monday. He has taken land south of town, which he will occupy in due time. THE TRIBUNE will keep him informed in the interim.

Mr. Stevenson of Burlington, Iowa, and recently from the mountains, has been selected as principal of our schools for the summer term, and Mrs. Kneff of Indianola, as assistant. The wages have been put at \$75 and \$50 respectively.

General Manager T. J. Potter, Assistant General Manager G. W. Holdredge, General Superintendent T. E. Calvert, and General Freight Agent Thomas Miller, passed through McCook, Wednesday, on their way to Denver. Supt. Campbell joined the party at this place.

A. E. Powers and brother and Mr. Nelson of Frontier county called at this sanctum, during our absence, Saturday. Mr. Powers expects to have the first issue of his new journal out in about three weeks. We congratulate the people of Frontier county in their editor.

Mr. Wilbur F. Saunders of Stoughton, called in to see us, Monday, commenced the publication of his final proof notice, subscribed for THE TRIBUNE and ordered a copy sent to his sister who resides in Valley, this state. Mr. Saunders is one of our early settlers, and appreciates his home paper.

Samuel Tate, J. G. Stokes, the Ashmore Bros., F. D. Hess, and outfits, worked up the Republican river to Culbertson, Friday, gathering up their stray cattle. Mr. Tate informed us that the Red Willow Cattle Co.'s cattle would be fed at Culbertson until in condition for driving over to the Willow.

Emigration is coming into Nebraska with an unparalleled rush, and the Republican Valley is receiving the major portion of them. The Creston, Iowa, Gazette, gives the following as an instance: "On Thursday night ninety-six cars of emigrants passed through Creston, and yesterday another colony of fifty-two cars were in the yards, and to-day twenty-two cars of emigrant stock passed through, all bound for Nebraska, making in all one hundred and eighty cars of emigrants in the past two days."

BLACK WOOD.

L. E. Dyer has erected a house.

Dade Tomlinson still uses crutches.

John Dyer has nearly completed a wing 14x20.

New grass has weakened bovines to some extent.

A new addition has been built to the Miss Hughes house.

Considerable land is being mellowed preparatory to receiving early vegetables.

A snow squall to-day lasted about four hours. It melted as fast as it came down.

Of dead cattle along this creek there are about 60 head. The greater percent are cows and heifers.

March went out midst the splash of falling rain and thundering of heaven's artillery. April was ushered in with clouds of snow.

Edward Wheaton from the Willow, took in the Blackwood, last week. He said their loss on stock would not exceed 2 per cent. Braugh's about the same.

April 6th, 1884. W.

SOUTH SIDE.

Mrs. Forsey is quite sick.

Eaton Bros., are preparing to extend their pasture fence.

Two "balky" boys and horse had a circus here last week.

J. A. Davis lost a choice cow Sunday by falling down a bank.

J. A. Davis has sold his river claim to John Whittaker for \$1,000.

George Gowing and family of Carrieco are visiting at N. Burtless'.

H. W. Davis and Mr. Thomas have gone over on the Medicine creek to look for a ranch.

The annual school meeting of Dist. No. 8 was adjourned till the 21st inst. to be held at the house of J. A. Davis.

One of Mr. Forsey's fine horses got seriously injured by coming in contact with a wire fence one night last week.

Mr. Wheaton of the upper Willow was over, last week, during that "blizzard." He says, "I never struck this country except in a storm." We hope he will appear to us occasionally during the dry season next summer. JOSIE.

Election Notice.

There will be a meeting of the Red Willow County Agricultural Society, in Lynch's Hotel, at Indianola, Neb., on Saturday, April 12th, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and carrying out plans for the coming fair. All should be interested and come.

H. W. WEST, Pres't.

INDIANOLA, Neb., April 7th.

THE IDEA

Of sending resolutions to Bismarek! What good would they do him? What could he do with them? Now, he is a practical man and expects something practical from American people. If they had sent him one of our cards, he would have smiled all over like a plate of suetknecht. But what can you expect in a country where they want to put the dogs under bonds? Call at Pike's New Lumber Yard for particulars.

Mrs. H. A. Fryling

Respectfully announces to the ladies of McCook and vicinity that she has received a fine selection of handsome Spring Goods, such as Hats, Bonnets, Flowers, etc.

Another large sale of cattle took place last week that illustrates the immense capital in that business. Major Mayberry of Texas sold his herd on the range northeast of Cheyenne, consisting of about 16,000 head, among which are a number of fine steers, to Mr. Paxton, of Omaha, for \$400,000—an average of \$25 a head.

Miss Ella McBride gave her dramatic readings and recitations in the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, we are sorry to say, to a small audience, due probably in a measure to some misunderstanding in advertising the entertainment. Miss McBride came well recommended, and we think all were well pleased.

Saml. Ellis a prominent farmer of Ayr township and a ten year resident of Adams county, has concluded to move to McCook where land is cheaper. He will continue his favorite occupation of farming.—Gazette-Journal.

Quite a colony of German emigrants arrived in Red Willow county during the past two weeks.

S. L. Green is fixing up his drug store handsomely.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Locals under this head 5c. a line for each insertion. Bills payable monthly.

Extra copies of THE TRIBUNE at this office.

"Cleanliness is akin to godliness." Call at Sharp's barber shop, and become clean.

A. P. Sharp has all the conveniences and apparatus to insure a good bath. Give him a trial.

J. E. Cochran wants 20 more claims, in this county, to sell. Call on or address him. See card.

Hereafter we will require that all contest notices and proof notices be paid for at the time of their first insertion.

If you want to either buy or sell choice claims and deeded lands, call on or address J. E. Cochran, McCook, Neb.

We put up all letter heads, note heads, bill heads, etc., in blotter tablets, if desired, without extra charge. They are very convenient.

W. M. Sanderson is prepared to do all kinds of Paper Hanging, Kalsomining, and Carriage and Wagon Painting on short notice. Give him a call soon.

Blank Deeds, Real Estate Mortgages, Leases, Bills of Sale, Bond for Deed, Quit Claim Deeds, Contracts for Building, Receipts, etc., at THE TRIBUNE office.

STARBUCK BROS.

Have for sale Alfalfa seed, Sorghum seed, Millet seed, Sea Island Wheat and Oats. Buy before it is all gone.

WANTED.

Agents wanted to canvass Nebraska and Colorado. For particulars inquire of Mrs. S. A. Rowell. 42.

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"MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC is an incomparable remedy for purifying the Blood and regulating the Liver. I have used it myself and recommended it to others with unvarying success."—James H. Walke, Kansas City, Mo.

"Your GOLDEN BALSAM for the Throat and Lungs, and GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC, have cured my wife of incipient consumption. They are the best medicines in the world."—J. T. Fowler, Davenport, Iowa.

MARSH'S GOLDEN BLOOD & LIVER TONIC and MARSH'S GOLDEN BALSAM, are for sale by S. L. Green, Druggist, McCook. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.

PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS.

J. E. BERGER, Plaintiff, vs. Wm. H. HENDERSON, Defendant. In Justice Court, Red Willow County, Nebraska. Plaintiff, filed his action before W. W. Fisher, Esq., a Justice of the Peace of Red Willow county, Nebraska, against said Defendant, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a judgment, an account for goods sold and delivered to the amount of Fifteen Dollars and Seventy Cents, \$15.70 with interest from January 1st, 1884. Plaintiff has caused the following goods to be attached as the property of said Defendant, viz: One cook stove, one sofa, one bedstead, one bed spring, two mattresses, two pillows, one table, five chairs, one tub, one wash board, one pail, which said property is in said State and County and sought to be released by said attachment for the payment of said debt. You are required to answer said action on or before the 19th day of May, 1884. Dated April 7th, 1884. JENNINGS & STARBUCK, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE CLERK, McCook, Neb., April 3, 1884. Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of April, 1884, Joseph Braun filed his petition and bond at this office asking the Board of Trustees of the Village of McCook to grant him license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors within the corporate limits of said village. F. M. KIMMELL, Village Clerk.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The co-partnership existing under the name and style of DUNGAN & SHERKES at McCook, Red Willow county, Neb., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. C. H. DUNGAN continues the business at the old stand, and collects all debts and assumes all liabilities. C. H. DUNGAN, THOS. SHERKES. McCook, Neb., March 21, 1884.

Attention, Land Attorneys.

We have in stock "Cash Application" and "Proof" blanks, under act approved June 15, 1880. Same are put up in \$1 and \$2 packages, ready to mail. Send in your order to THE TRIBUNE, McCook, Neb.

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