

SUBSCRIPTION: \$2 PER YEAR INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THE time for the National Republican Convention approaches apace. Next Tuesday the ball opens, and just how long the music will continue is a matter of conjecture...

It was pretty tough on young Mr. English that the first business that came up in the House after he was sworn in, upon which his maiden vote was to be cast, was a resolution to investigate his papa on a charge that he had played roosts on the House in getting the young man in.

In view of the fact that this mundane sphere harbors a large proportion of "young bloods" who are always looking for "soft places," on account of a dislike for honest labor, it is suggested that that desideratum can generally be obtained by the y. b.'s aforesaid by removing their hats and running their dainty hands over the top of their heads.

THE charges of bribery against "Old Bill" English, in connection with his son's election contest cannot be made to stick. Mr. English made promises with great liberality, but with his well-known thrift, skipped from Washington before any of them were liquidated.

DELAWARE is bitten with a reform in the matter of umbrellas, and the first attempt she makes indicates the amount of pent-up indignation that the reform represents. They caught a man redhanded, with a neighbor's umbrella protecting his guilty head from Jupiter Pluvius, and they took him to the local cad for judgment.

THE business men of New York, apologizing for seeming to mix in something they do not understand, spoke very emphatically at the great meeting in Cooper union on Tuesday evening against a "change." It is an idea cherished by a good many successful business men to "let well enough alone."

A DISPATCH from New Orleans states that one hundred men with one field piece and small arms will go to New Iberia to seat Judge Gates, the democratic nominee in the recent election in the Twenty-first judicial district of Louisiana.

THERE is one thing that can be said in favor of the western railroads, and that is they pay their employes promptly each month. This is doing a great deal better than some of the eastern railroads.

FROM the appearance of the political horoscope, the contest at Chicago will be short and decisive. It is a question if any of the lesser candidates will appear at the first ballot except Sherman and Logan, representing sixty votes more or less.

There has been such a reign of lawlessness as now prevails. The outrageous state of affairs is due to the inefficiency of the police authorities, who have allowed the roughs and outlaws to have their own way and virtually run the town. In every city there is a certain percentage of the population made up of the criminal class, but in Omaha that class now compose an undue proportion of the population.

IN his lecture on Mormonism, delivered in Chicago last Sunday, Rev. Joseph Cook said that an intelligent writer of Salt Lake City, in a letter which lies before me, tells this story: A few years ago an educated journalist came to Salt Lake City from Europe with his young wife.

A LOUISIANA judge has just covered himself with notoriety, if not glory, by a decision worthy of Dogberry. The manager of a lottery company was on trial for violating the United States law forbidding the sending of matter referring to a lottery through the mails.

JACK HANLEY, one of the principals in the recent brutal prize fight, has been given work in Castle Nobe's for the coming three years. Nebraska can stand more of Judge Post's judgment.

FRESH FRUITS, fancy candies, fresh nuts, New York maple sugar, cider, and a fine selection of cigars, (new brands), and good meals and square dealing, go to the CITY RESTAURANT.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Bids will be received by the Building Committee and the School Board of School District No. 15, McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska, for furnishing all material and labor to complete a School House for such district, except foundation; also, separate bids for material and labor for painting and plastering; also, separate bids for painting and plastering; also, bids for furnishing stone from best Cambridge quarry and laying foundation.

Estimate of Expenses. At a meeting held May 28, 1884, the Board of Trustees of the Village of McCook, Neb., made the following estimates of expenses necessary for the ensuing year, to-wit:

NOTICE. OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE CLERK, McCook, Neb., May 28th, '84. Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of May, 1884, Patrick Walsh and Charles E. Boyd filed their bond and petition at this office asking the Board of Trustees of the Village of McCook, to grant them license to sell, malt, spirits and vinous liquors within the corporate limits of said village.

At a meeting at Alma, last Friday, Col. T. J. Pickett, of the Bloomington Guard, was elected president of the R. V. E. A. for the ensuing year. J. M. Hiatt, of the Alma Tribune, secretary, and C. L. Watkins, of the Blue Hill Times, treasurer.

UNITED STATES SENATOR COKE, of Texas, has a remarkably powerful voice, and it is said that when he was discussing the pleuro-pneumonia bill and got his throat valve wide open, the boy-pages put cotton in their ears and wedged the window shades to keep them from rattling and breaking the glass.

THE decline in stocks continues until the smartest of those posted in the special line of financing are at a loss to know why. The first few weeks of decline is understood as the squeezing out of the water that was in the stocks. But now it has gone beyond that.

MAINE will never hear the last of it. She has enjoyed prohibition for a third of a century, all her political parties put it in their platforms every six months or year; they have become so accustomed to the law that no one minds it, and yet here is Sam Carey, of Ohio, announcing that he is going to spend the entire summer in lecturing in that state on the "necessity of prohibition," and has had a tent built for camping out in the rural districts that will hold two thousand people.

THE supreme court of Dakota has reversed the decision of the court below and affirmed the validity of the capital removal act which makes Bismarck the seat of the territorial government. The case will go up to the supreme court of the United States. The question at issue is the power of a legislature of a territory to delegate its powers to a committee after its final adjournment.

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Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? It so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. It is the best remedy for this ailment, and will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, soothes the stomach, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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.

U. S. LAND OFFICE—McCook, Neb., May 21st, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by James P. Maloney against Edward Yake for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1141, dated North Platte, Neb., October 31, 1880, upon the south 1/2 northwest 1/4 and north 1/2 southwest 1/4 section 34, township 1, north of range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that Edward Yake has failed to break, cultivate, or plant trees, tree seeds or cuttings, any part of said tract from date of entry up to this time; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 28th day of June, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE—McCook, Neb., May 6th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Thomas B. Stutzman against George Root for abandoning his timber-culture entry No. 2328, dated July 20th, 1882, upon the east 1/2 southwest 1/4 and lots 3 and 4 of section 18, township 1, north of range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 10th day of July, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, June 7th, 1884, viz: Alfred B. Fuller, D. S. No. 285, for the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 section 19 and north 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 30, township 2, north of range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said land, viz: Ernest Fuller, C. Howard Moulton, G. Lloyd Clark and Stephen A. Rogers, all of Indianola, Neb., G. L. LAWS, Register.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, June 7th, 1884, viz: James W. Hatfield, homestead No. 75, for the southeast quarter section 31, township 3, north of range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Isaac J. Starbuck, William W. Fisher, John D. Messervy and Lewis D. March, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

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