

The Tribune

Thursday, April 9th, 1885.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS.

All local under this head at the rate of 5c. for first insertion, and 3c. per line for each subsequent insertion, and same will be run until ordered out, unless time is specified. Job work spot cash. Statements will be presented at the end of each month.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Sunday School at 10 A. M. every week. Preaching services every Sunday night at 7:30 P. M. Also, every alternate Sunday morning at 11 A. M. T. Exceptions to the above will be noticed in local.

METHODIST.—Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. mountain time. Sunday School at 3 P. M. The services and Sunday school will be held for the future in the school house. All are cordially invited. Seats free. E. J. HALL, Pastor.

CATHOLIC.—Services will be held in the Opera Hall once every four weeks.

A. F. & A. M.—McCook Lodge, U. D., meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

B. & M. R. R. Time Table.

EAST LEAVES: No. 2, 7:10 A. M. | No. 40, 5:40 P. M.
WEST LEAVES: No. 39, 1:30 P. M. | No. 1, 9:55 P. M.

Eastbound trains run on Central Time, and westbound trains on Mountain Time. Freight trains do not carry passengers.

Local Intelligence.

Hams and bacon at Farley's.

Fresh candy at the City Bakery.

E. M. Brickey & Co. for clothing.

Call and see Spanogle & Rinker's top Buggies.

New Goods at E. M. Brickey & Co.'s this week.

Remember! Clothing at cost at Wilcox Bros.

See E. M. Brickey & Co. for custom made clothing.

Boston Brown Bread at the City Bakery constantly.

Call and see our horse bills. Best lot of cutters in the county.

Spanogle & Rinker have the Grass Hopper Rod Breaker.

Waves and Frizzes in the very latest styles at the Emporium.

Great Reduction in Watches and Jewelry at McCracken's.

All grades and qualities of Shingles at Pike's Lumber Yard.

The City Livery Stable, B. F. Olcott, proprietor, for fine teams.

Some CHOICE claims near McCook. For sale by Cochran & Helm.

A full line of Pumps and Pump fittings, at Spanogle & Rinker's.

A car-load of Plows and Harrows just received at Spanogle & Rinker's.

Pike sells strictly up to Chicago grades. No culling or picking over.

Two sets of harness, (one light and one heavy,) for sale at B. F. Olcott's, very cheap.

Parents will observe that the spring term of school commences on Monday morning, April 13th.

We direct attention to the advertisement of the New York Millinery Store, appearing elsewhere in this issue.

That baled hay at Olcott's barn is just the thing for breakers and teamsters, besides being bright and eatable.

The B. & M. Pharmacy has just received a spring stock of glass, paints, oils, dye stuffs, drugs, calomine, etc.

Stock boarded by the day or week at Olcott's barn, opposite Colvin House. Also buys and sells stock on commission.

Although the company was small, a very enjoyable time is reported at the dance, last Thursday evening, at the Palace Rink.

An excellent quality of sweet Michigan cider at City Bakery. Also, a car-load of Apples which will be sold cheap by the bushel.

The spring term of school will open on Monday morning next. Make a good beginning, scholars, by being present the very first day.

If you want a suit of cloths cut and made in first-class style, call on R. A. Cole, first door west of B. & M. Pharmacy, McCook, Neb.

If you want a suit made to order, call on E. M. Brickey & Co. Fine goods, perfect fit, superior workmanship, and low prices, are their attractions.

A home without a newspaper is like a house without a window. Subscribe for THE TRIBUNE and permit the light to penetrate many homes now in darkness.

WANTED.—A few more pupils to receive instruction on the piano and organ. I also teach voice culture. Call at Dr. Boyle's Dental Office.

MINNIE BOYLE.

New Orleans Syrup at Wilcox Bros.

A choice lot of candy just received at the City Bakery.

First-class 12 in. Stock Boards at Pike's Lumber Yard.

The very highest cash price paid for hides at Farley's Meat Market.

A very stylish roadster is that driven by Mr. Furst of the B. & M. Eating House.

6 ft. and 8 ft. Stock Boards, just the thing for stables, or "claim shacks," at Pike's Lumber Yard.

We have a fine lot of apples on hand that must be sold at once to make room for other stock. We will sell them at \$1.25 per bushel. PROBST BROS.

The Great Western Furniture Emporium of McCook has just received a car-load of Furniture, and it must be sold to get it in the house. Come early.

The principal's report of our public school will be given in our next issue. The lady teachers are absent on their vacation, and have not yet reported to the principal.

The only Exclusive Furniture House in the country, have not a better variety to select from and lower prices. We give the business our undivided attention. Berger's old stand.

Dr. Gibson, dentist, will visit Oberlin, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 13th, 14th and 15th. Hence will be absent from his office in McCook on the above named days.

THE TRIBUNE has the very best facilities and workmen for doing Job Work in Southwestern Nebraska. We guarantee neat and tasty work, and entire satisfaction in execution and prices.

Car-load of Grand Island Flour just received at the City Bakery. Will be sold at from \$1.90 to \$3.00 per hundred. Also, a fresh supply of White Bolted Corn Meal and Graham Flour.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Gibson is prepared to receive calls in his new office, opposite the post-office. If you want first class, reliable dental work, at moderate prices, give him a call. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed.

We are informed by D. W. Irwin, of Stratton, that he has secured the services of a printer, and that his paper will be issued on Thursday or Friday of this week. Stratton will navigate in rather an elevated atmosphere, so to speak.

We ask our patrons to bear with us patiently. Not having access to the post-office, we are unable to deliver THE TRIBUNE as early as we would like, nor as accurately. The annoyance is great and aggravating, but we hope for a speedy deliverance.

FOR SALE.—A good 1/4 sec. of deeded land, with good improvements, and on good terms. Will also receive stock to pasture, for the season, but will not be responsible for accidents, should any occur. For information inquire of J. P. Squire, 6 miles S. W. of McCook.

The number of school children has increased so rapidly that the indications now are that another building will have to be provided in the near future—probably as early as this fall. The present building will not comfortably accommodate our school children.

Culbertson remains true to her traditions, witnesseth: "At a meeting of the village trustees on Tuesday night, the salary of the village clerk and attorney was fixed at \$175."—Sun. The village of McCook goes Culbertson \$150 better—does without an attorney and pays her clerk \$25.

Freight train No. 83 pulled eight car-loads of stock through this station for western ranges, Friday evening. The stock were picked up in car-load lots at points along the B. & M. from Axtell west, and were billed to parties in Colorado. No. 81 also came in with a few car-loads of young stock.

A closely contested land suit has been occupying the local land officials' time for the past ten days. The land in dispute is in the neighborhood of Stratton. Irwin & John, R. M. Snavely and Cochran & Helm were the attorneys in the case, which closed on Monday evening to the relief of many.

Many of our citizens can fully appreciate what a pleasant thing it is to be without butter. It seems to be impossible to purchase any of that very necessary article anywhere. The cry comes from all sides for butter, and there is great lamentation and pulling of hair because that unctuous substance is not.

Eleven car loads of yearlings, aggregating in the neighborhood of 500 head, were shipped in, Thursday evening last, by Kilpatrick Bros., of Beatrice. They were unloaded at Stratton, from which point they were driven up to the Kilpatrick ranch on the Frenchman River, where they will range this summer. They are Eastern Nebraska stock.

"To be, or not to be," is the question that is agitating the souls of those living on the east end of Dennison street. Whether it were better to bear the outrageous stiches arising from the manure piles and carcasses in that neighborhood with further resignation or not is a troublesome question. We again suggest the propriety of having the offending matter removed, to the authorities.

The Chicago Lumber Yard's trunk of frisky mules indulged in a playful prank characteristic of those long-eared quadrupeds, Friday morning, wherein Morris, the driver, received quite a painful injury (the wagon with about a ton weight running over his arm,) and the window sash, etc., with which the wagon was laden was somewhat demoralized and made unfit for immediate utilization. The periodic pranks in which the mild and even-tempered mule engages ordinarily comes when least expected.

The B. & M. company, through its officers at this place at least, recognizes the necessity of its employes being sober, and further that they buck not the festive tiger. All employes who have made a practice of gambling or drinking have sooner or later received notice to step down and out and make room for better men. Only recently the official ax fell, and judging from the habits and associations of certain ones, that instrument will not long be idle. The demand for sober, conscientious and honest men grows daily.

The following business was transacted at the annual school meeting held in the public school building, Monday evening: It was voted that this district have nine months school, with four teachers, (we have not learned anything to the contrary, and presume that the old force of teachers is retained.) Ten mills is the levy voted. It was also voted to enclose the block in which the building is erected, and to set out some trees on the same. F. L. McCracken was elected Treasurer, vice W. W. Fisher, whose term of office expired with this school year. The school census, taken by Prof. Webster, shows a grand total of 285 school children as against 178 last year.

The school entertainment, Friday afternoon, upon the occasion of the closing of the winter term, was attended by a considerable number of the patrons of the school; and the program was rendered throughout in a manner very gratifying to those parents and others interested in the very important matter of education, upon which the safety and perpetuity of our grand commonwealth depends. The children demonstrated a willingness and earnestness in their work that speaks well for those who have had charge of them during the past term. When children become interested and are naturally led to study and application, half the battle of education is compassed. We will not take the space necessary to speak of individual merit, but will simply sum up the program as an entirety, in saying that all present were well satisfied with the progress evinced by the scholars in their work.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees held Saturday night, the finances of the village were investigated, all bills allowed, and warrants therefor ordered issued. Well on to \$300 have been expended in crossings and on our streets by the present board, and although the expenses consequent upon the organization of a village and putting the same in working order have been necessarily heavy, the village of McCook, we are proud to say, is in excellent condition financially. The amount now owing by the corporation in excess of means to meet obligations does not exceed \$165; and as but a little more than half of the levy has been received from the County Treasurer, the above amount now owing ought shortly to be paid, and doubtless will be. Although the present Board of Trustees has not enforced the ordinances of our village as rigidly as we had hoped they would, they have been careful guardians of the finances of the same, and have succeeded beyond our expectations in the matter of improvements in streets and crossings. No town in the state is in better condition, and none of its age can boast of better pavements, crossings, etc.

We have never had occasion to measure and ascertain the length of the lane wherein there is no turn, but it sometimes happens that the distance is shorter than we anticipate and that the turn is more abrupt than we expect. Tuesday morning, the confidence men, gamblers, dead beats, bummers, and the entire saloon element of this town, entered the field with great confidence and braggadocio, and through the negligence and indifference of the business men of our town, almost criminal in difference, they succeeded in accomplishing their purpose—running the village election. This is the first time in the history of this town, that such an element ever dared step in and dictate, and the success with which they met turned their heads, in so much that W. M. Lewis, through the advice of an attorney, who knew better, but who evidently, had become dry, opened up his saloon to the excited hoodlums, in direct violation of the law. But the transgression from the house of rejoicing to the house of lamentation, is not always long, and this violation will meet with a punishment that will cool the transgressors' ardor completely. And further, the effects of this suppositious victory for this element have been such as to arouse the people to a realization of the true interests of the town, and the various establishments that have flourished in our midst since the town was established will feel the strong arm of the law—long outraged with impunity. We believe our people are not only determined to route out the confidence men and gamblers, but DESTROY THE NESTS, and in this event the scamps will have no places in which to work their nefarious schemes. We have great reason to hope that this dose of hoodlumism will prove the very stimulant our village authorities and people need. So stand firm in under.

USQUEBAUGH.—Jim Nealy of Benkelman came down, Monday, to do the city, and after drawing \$1,035 from the Citizens Bank, proceeded to get most gloriously full of coffin varnish, with the above object in view. Just as molasses attracts flies, so does a man with plenty of money and in a beastly state of intoxication draw to him the dead-beats, bummers, tin-horn gamblers and men of like ilk. So in a very short time Jim's resources had been diminished in one way and another about \$200, and had not a good Samaritan taken him in tow about supper time on Monday evening, there is no telling how much of the \$1,000 he would have had by morning. Just such miserable, weak specimens of humanity need some protection by the law and from the sharks, who are always numerous and ready to take a stranger in.

The two confidence men, Bowman and Lee, who beat a young man from New York, Emil Goettelin by name, out of over \$60, Wednesday, were arrested at Culbertson by Deputy Sheriff Walsh, and came up for a hearing in the Justice Court of Squire Colvin, this morning. Both the tin-horns were held in a \$1,000 bond to appear at the June session of the district Court, and are now in the city cooler.

We call attention to the advertisement of Stayca & Herrman, Contractors, which appears on the editorial page of this issue. These gentlemen have built a shop on Main Ave., the old Babcock lumber yard, and are prepared to do anything in the contracting line, and guarantee to do it well.

A gentleman by the name of Abbott of Thayer County, will issue his first paper at Hayes Centre, this week. The publishers of the Trumpet say they will issue a paper at once. Slow music and red lights.

The newly appointed Deputy Sheriff, Mr. Walsh, recently arrived from Iowa, strikes us as a strictly-business officer. The way he handles prisoners, indicates that he is a stayer. He might make a good City Marshal.

The Republican Valley Association of Congregational Churches meets at Indianola, Tuesday evening, April 14, and continues until Thursday evening.

"Where is my wandering boy, to-night," should be revised thusly: "Where is my fickle hubby, to-night," to meet local circumstances.

The new church at Indianola will be dedicated Thursday P. M., the 16th. Sermon by Rev. Willard Scott of Omaha.

Close figures and bottom prices given to cash buyers at Pike's Lumber Yard. Cash is what talks in this country.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

Tom Glasscott of Michigan City now clerks for Thos. Colfer.

Charlie Noble arrived home from Chicago, Wednesday noon.

G. G. Burton of Trenton was in town, last Friday, on business.

Senator Dolan was in town on business, Saturday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. LaTourrette made a short visit to Culbertson, Sunday.

Fred. Weed, late one of the B. & M. conductors, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Anurish of Arapahoe, was the guest of friends in town, last week.

S. L. Green went down the road a short distance on 40, Saturday evening.

Judge Ashmore of the county-seat was in town on land business, Monday.

Mr. Stockton of Hamburg made two or three trips to McCook, this week, on business.

C. H. Rogers left on No. 2, Tuesday morning, for Chicago, to purchase a spring stock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phelps of Beaver City, were registered at the Dining Hall, Tuesday.

W. O. Moody came down from Stratton, Saturday evening, and spent the Sabbath at home.

F. L. Watkins of Blue Hill, and Mr. Lathrop of Indianola, were callers at this office, Saturday afternoon.

C. S. Fosselman and D. J. Reynish of Beatrice were registered at the B. & M. Dining Hall, Saturday.

Aaron Woodson, late chief cook of the Restaurant de Coon went out west to cook on a ranch, Saturday.

Miss Lou Clark is entertaining her friend, Miss Jennie Babcock of Hastings, who arrived in town, Saturday.

R. R. Woods has moved into the house recently built by the Land Co., just south of Thos. Colfer's residence.

E. M. Congar of Whitewater, Wis., was in town a number of days last and the present week. He went east, Tuesday.

Editor Borin of the Oberlin Eye came up to town, Tuesday evening, on a little business, returning on the Wednesday morning hack.

William Fisher and mother arrived from Gage County, Sunday. They will spend the summer on the old Clifford ranch on the Willow.

Barrister Boyer of Boyer & Crawford of Kansas City, was in town the first of the week on land business. He returned to Kansas City on 40, Monday.

Ex-Coroner Shaw, formerly of this city, but now located at the thriving town of McCook is watching the Lincoln city election to-day.—Lincoln Evening News.

S. F. Clifford and family started for Liberty, Gage County, on Thursday. Mr. Clifford has disposed of his interest in the "Anvil brand," and will make his home in Gage County in the future.

Rev. Wheeler of the M. E. church was taken ill, suddenly on Sunday, and left on Monday for Holdrege, his home, where he will receive better attention should his illness be of long duration.

W. C. Bullard, Culbertson's energetic young lumber-man, was in town, last Thursday, on business. He reports "plenty of amusement" in his line, just now, and expresses an earnest desire to stay with "the boys" until the last armed foe expires. THE TRIBUNE will henceforth occupy a conspicuous place on his family altar.

G. W. Daniels went up to Culbertson, Thursday, where he will engage in the general merchandise business, at the old Mowery stand, Granville is a sterling citizen, whom we are sorry to see leave our town. He needs no introduction to the citizens of Culbertson, being already favorably known to them.

W. C. Furst, the late chief clerk of the Windsor, Denver, arrived in McCook, last Thursday, and is now duly installed in the management of the B. & M. Eating House at this place. Mr. Furst is a genial gentleman of the material of which hotel managers are made, and will doubtless be popular among the patrons of that house. Mrs. Furst accompanies him.

M. A. Daugherty of Crete was in town, Monday, looking after the interests of his brother, whose claim in Hitchcock County has been repeatedly contested, under peculiar and most aggravating circumstances, if our information is correct, \$200 has already been paid parties to improve the claim in accordance with the law, and still this is the third time the claim has been contested. A little peculiarity about this matter is the difference between the printed notice of hearing, and the personal service notice. There is a discrepancy of two days in the notices, and the query naturally arises, wherefore? Time will eventually answer a number of such questions.

OUR EXCHANGES.

(From the Red Cloud Chief.)

Perry Howard, of McCook, is now located in the B. M. yards in this city as helper.

Mrs. Parkes, mother of John, William and Edward Parkes, of this city, is lying quite sick at McCook.

(From the York Republican.)

Mrs. J. E. Cochran came in from McCook on Wednesday with her two children on a visit to her old friends. She is stopping with her mother, Mrs. Beecher, and her sister, Mrs. Dr. Knapp.

(From the Oberlin Herald.)

E. M. Brickey, of the firm of E. M. Brickey & Co., clothiers and dealers in gents' furnishing goods, of McCook, Neb., was in town, last week, looking up a location. He succeeded in renting the room vacated by John Morrison, this week, and expects by the middle of the month to be on hand with a heavy line of goods.

EAST DENNISON.—We note, amongst the improvements on this street, the new house and stable recently completed for Stanton Rolla, and A. M. Kelly's addition to his residence.

Choice cuts of pork and beef at Farley's.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Bondville Blasts.

Spring, beautiful spring; but hold on or we will be a poet, before we know it; there it is again; well, this weather would make a poet of most anyone.—Small grain is nearly all in. Don't think the acreage has increased any over last year's sowing; farmers can't afford to raise wheat for 35 to 50 cts. per bushel; better raise corn at 25 to 30 cts and hogs at \$5.00 per cwt.—We noticed quite a croquet party at Mr. Boughton's, last week. Fine weather for croquet.—One of our fine young men trying to lasso his best girl, wonder if he has given up getting her in any other way?—Barney and Jim took a little run, the other day, and forgot to take John with them; \$10.00 or \$15.00 damages was the result. Well, John, you must keep a tighter line on the ponies, and don't ever tell Barney and Jim to "come on" unless you are ready to go with them.—F. Mowshot, one of the first settlers of Ash Creek, is again at home, from an absence of about three years in Colorado. Fred says Red Willow county is good enough for him, and he will remain and try his hand at farming in the future.—W. B. Spain is putting down a well. Mr. Armstrong is doing the excavating for him.—Another one of those pleasant parties at Mr. Miller's, the other evening, and although the band disappointed them, with Frank's help, we got along finely, and all enjoyed themselves.—The entertainment given by the Alpha Beta Literary Society, was a success in every way, a full house and all well pleased, is all anyone could ask for. But we do not think some of the members showed good judgement in disposing of the proceeds as they did; for we think it enough for the society to do to raise the money, without being held responsible by the fault-finders of the whole country for the expending of the same.

Bondville, April 6th. Useo.

Elder Barrow of the Christian Church has been occupying the Congregational pulpit, during the evenings of this week. He will preach again to-night, and probably every night this week.

J. J. Dunbar has disposed of his interest in live stock of the firm of Dunbar & Newton livery firm, to Mr. Newton.

Will Dolan has purchased a beautiful pair of gray horses, which in a bran new wagon, make the handsomest dray outfit in town.

Quite a number of locals are crowded out of this issue by reason of lack of time and space.

Mrs. Hills has returned from an extended visit east.

White Russian Soap, 5c. per bar, at Wilcox Bros.

Notice, Stockmen!

The annual meeting of the Red Willow Stock Association will be held at CARRICO, FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 1885, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing officers, fixing date of round-up, and transacting any other business that may properly come before that body. A full attendance is desired. Called by order of J. K. PAXTON, President.

Wanted.

Four good milch cows, not giving less than 12 quarts of milk daily. Inquire of W. H. Dolan, with Frees & Hocknell. MOODY & WINTERS.

Cheap Buggy.

Single top buggy, with new pole; also, a single harness. Both for \$75. J. B. MESERVE.

FLOUR FIGURES.

Choice Family Flour, \$1.75 cwt.
Gold Dust Flour, \$2.00 " "
Legal Tender Flour, \$2.15 " "
"84" Patent Flour, \$3.00 " "

WILCOX BROS.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

s under this head at a line for each insertion. Bills payable monthly.

H. W. Pike started a Lumber Yard in McCook, Neb., January, 1884, and has come to stay. Full assortment of Lumber, Sash, Doors, Lime and Building Material, sold at close prices, considering the freight.

First-class legal cap for sale at this office. Also the celebrated Omaha Mills Note Paper, with envelopes to match. All at reasonable rates.