

# The McCook Tribune.

Thursday, October 20th, 1885.

**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 notified in local.

GEORGE DUGAN, Pastor.

**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 new church. All are cordially invited. Seats free.

W. S. WHEELER, Pastor.

**CATHOLIC.**—Services will be held in the church once every four weeks.

THOMAS CULLEN, Pastor.

**MCCOOK LODGE A. F. & A. M.**—Regular meetings, Tuesday night on or before full moon of every month. S. L. GREEN, W. M. F. L. MCCracken, Secretary.

**WILLOW GROVE LODGE K. O. P. U.**—Meets the first and third Wednesday evening of each month. J. W. CAMPBELL, C. C. A. M. SPALDING, K. R. S.

**HOCKNELL HOSE COMPANY.**—Regular meetings on the first Wednesday evening of each month. R. B. ARCHIBALD, Chief.

**KNIGHTS OF LABOR.**—Electric Light Assembly No. 522 meets the first and third Friday of each month. J. A. WHITCOX, M. W. WILL. A. CLUTE, R. S.

**B. O. L. E.**—Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Meet first and fourth Saturday of each month. S. E. HOGG, Chief. J. C. ANDERSON, F. A. E.

**J. K. BARNES POST G. A. R.**—Regular meetings second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at Opera Hall. J. A. WHITCOX, Commander. J. H. YARGER, Adjutant.

## POST-OFFICE HOURS.

Open from 7 A. M. to 8 P. M., M. T. Office will be closed thirty minutes before arrival and departure of mails. SUNDAY, office will be open from 7 to 8 A. M. and from 4 to 5 P. M., M. T. A. P. SHARP, P. M.

## B. & M. TIME TABLE:

EAST LEAVES:	WEST LEAVES:
No. 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100.	No. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101.

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

## Local Intelligence.

Fresh candy at the City Bakery.

The City Council meets to-night.

For Tansill's Punch Cigar go to the Commercial House.

Moody & Winter, City Dairy, for pure and wholesome milk.

25,000 white and colored envelopes just received at this office.

Remember Church & Whittaker for choice fresh meats of all kinds.

Sweet Michigan Cider of excellent quality at the City Bakery.

Lytle Bros. have stoves at \$3.50 and upwards. See them before buying.

The Swiss Bell Ringers at the Opera Hall, Monday and Tuesday night.

A nice line of hanging and stand lamps at the Metropolitan Drug Store.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A good pony, saddle and bridle. Inquire at this office.

The best boot in America. The Walker boot. Sold only by C. H. Rogers.

Money to loan on real estate and patented land by the McCook Loan and Trust Co.

The finest line of perfumes and extracts in the city at the B. & M. Pharmacy.

For the most elegant and perfect Base Burners, the square Gold Coin at Lytle Bros., down the world.

Credit is due The Courier for the article in this issue relative to the Red Willow teachers' association.

They are having a perfect rush at the Commercial House, these days, and are feeding over 100 guests for dinner.

Ten and twenty cents to hear the Swiss Bell Ringers at the Opera Hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings next.

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

The Central Meat Market of Church & Whittaker has at all times the choicest cuts of steak and other meats for their patrons.

To insure peace and contentment in your family, go to Lytle Bros. and get one of the latest style Base Burners. They are "daisies."

Come all ye who want anything in the dental line to E. S. Carl, McCook Banking Co.'s building. Reasonable charges and work guaranteed.

Our little newsboy has joined his robustious nibs many creditors to the tune of 45 cents. Verily, all is vanity, and striving after wind.

They have just received a choice consignment of candies at the City Bakery, and lovers of that toothsome article are requested to call and sample them—by purchase.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to me on account are requested to call and settle, as soon as possible, either by cash or bankable paper.

C. H. ROGERS.

Nebraska flour for Nebraskans. The City Bakery received a car-load of that celebrated Grand Island Flour, this week. The shipment contains the new brand of flour, "White Frost" which is without a peer, and is guaranteed to be the very finest brand in the city.

Oyster supper at the M. E. church, next Wednesday evening, November 4th, the first of the season.

Farley & Donahoe have just added two fine marble slabs to the equipments of their establishment.

Remember this office when you want a well-displayed dodger. We have the only large wood type in the city.

Next Tuesday, the voters of this Co. will decide, who will be at the head of county affairs for the ensuing term.

Once more we repeat the admonition to clean up. There are a number of pestilence-breeding quarters that need immediate attention.

Preaching at the Methodist church, next Sunday, by the pastor, at 10:30 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M., mountain time. All are welcome.

Communion services will be observed at the Congregational church, next Sunday morning, November 1st. Preparatory services on Saturday at 2 o'clock. P. M., mountain time.

NEW QUARTERS—Squire Fisher and Deputy County Surveyor Castberg now occupy one of the rooms above Farley & Donahoe's new market. They have very pleasant quarters.

The little daughter of Em. Kendall was quite painfully burned, last Thursday evening, while sitting near the stove in the restaurant, by the accidental overturning of a vessel of hot coffee upon her person.

A school house, (in the new district just formed,) is now in course of erection on school section 16, about two miles northeast of town. M. L. Brown is kicking because it is not nearer his place. Whyfore?

The exceeding smoothness with which Blanchard, the fugitive telegrapher, secured those tickets at Red Cloud for El Paso, Texas, stamps him as a sharper of unusual ability. It was evidently not his first exploit in this direction.

Considerable work, much-needed work, is being done on Main Avenue and Denison street, this week. The water courses are being changed from the centre of the streets to the gutters on the side, and these streets are being otherwise improved in a desirable manner. We hope the good work may continue.

Next Monday, Noah H. Pike, President of the Illinois Lumberman's Association, and cousin of H. W. Pike of our city, will arrive here with a party of some fifteen from Chenoa, Ill., who are coming after land. Akron and vicinity is the objective point. Most of the party seek timber claims, but a few will locate permanently.

Eighty-four car-loads of steers were shipped east from Haigler, Benkelman and Culbertson, Saturday night. The snow storm which occurred during the round-up, scattered the cattle largely, making a necessarily small gather, but those the boys succeeded in holding, which were shipped, Saturday night, were fine and averaged well.

Tuesday morning, school was opened in the Tully building on Main Avenue with an enrollment of 64 and an attendance of 54. This department embraces the first grade of our public school, and its establishment was necessitated by the over-crowded condition of the primary department. It is in charge of Miss Ella Rhatigan of Dubuque, Iowa.

The miserable performance of the organist at the Opera Hall, Monday evening, cannot be considered sufficient excuse for the noisy and unseemly conduct of a few of the audience. If the jargon grated too severely on the highly sensitive tympanum of the musically inclined, probably distance, instead of noise, would have lent enchantment to the scene.

We are reliably informed that the man Munsinger, who spent some months in the county jail, this summer, for setting out prairie fires, and was released some time since, is terrorizing his entire neighborhood with threats of killing, poisoning, etc. From the actions of this man it were a fair inference that he is either a fiend or lunatic, and he ought to be taken in hand by the authorities.

It is a most painfully noticeable fact that the appointments made by Grover in this state have been largely to the exclusion of those life-long democrats who have served honorably and faithfully in the democratic ranks for so many years, and to the forcing upon a suffering public hybrids like the puffy toad who gives your mail to somebody else, and somebody else's mail to you, at this place; appointments which are an insult to the intelligence of any community.

ANOTHER D. B. NON EST.—S. N. Staysa, the contractor, seems to have become inoculated with the epidemic—departing between days and failing to liquidate liabilities. Wednesday night of last week, Staysa, bag and baggage, left for another and a greener field perhaps, ostensibly for the gold-bound shores of California. We will keep his memory green best by the bills he has left unpaid. One by one the roses wither, one by one the dead beats go hither.

Music Hall was crowded again last night to hear the Arions Specialty Co. The performance was good, Mr. Williams making a decided hit which insures a good house each night this week. This entertainment is far superior to many of the higher priced ones that have visited our city during the past winter. The shadowgraphs still continue to excite interest. No one who has attended has been heard to express themselves as being disappointed. —Daily Sun, Clinton, Iowa.

OPERA HALL—Monday and Tuesday evenings, the Robert Buck Dramatic Co. placed Fanchon, the Cricket and Rip Van Winkle on the boards, to rather small audiences. The company comprises some good talent, but being without fair support or an orchestra of any kind, their performances, which averaged well, were not appreciated as they deserved. Robert Buck makes a rollicking Rip, keeping the audience in a continuous laughter. Under more favorable auspices the company would have made a much better impression.

The average father of a family will hail with unusual delight the statement that, "The fashions for the forthcoming winter are going to be marked by their simplicity and economy. Rich raiment of silk and velvet is to be rejected, prohibited, as it were, and plain woollen stuffs of useful tints are to be worn. Not only in dress is this simplicity to prevail. This simplicity and economy will also effect the cuisine. Already there is quite a run on the homely "steak with fried potatoes." We move the adoption of the above—the latest from Paris.

The Lincoln Land Co. has made our city fathers a proposition regarding the fire plugs, which will be considered tonight, and we think favorably. It is in effect that the company agrees to put in a number of plugs at different points in the city, where the same are most needed, for the use of the authorities in case of fire, at the company's expense, for which they propose to charge the city a yearly rental of \$60 per plug. This it would seem to us is a very fair proposition, and we imagine that it will be embraced by those in authority. The planting of more plugs and the purchase of more hose will doubtless perceptibly reduce the rate of insurance now paid by our business men and citizens.

The business transacted at the U. S. Land Office at this place has been unusually large, the past quarter, which closed September 30th. We append a statement: There were made during the quarter 772 homestead entries, embracing 121,687 acres of land; 477 timber-culture entries, 75,650.96 acres; 323 pre-emption filings, 51,680 acres; 24 homestead filings, 2,840 acres; 30 final homestead proofs, 4,716.97 acres. The following lands were disposed of under the cash system: 11 proofs under act of June 15, 1880, 1,746.36 acres, \$2,029.29; 63 commuted homesteads, 9,918.33 acres \$12,397.91; 106 pre-emption proofs, 15,311.05 acres; \$19,338.81; 86 excess receipts, 275.45 acres, \$344.31. Total acres, 27,251.19. Total cash from same \$35,900.93. Total receipts of the office during quarter, \$52,295.43. Total number of acres entered, 266, 574.93. Thus Uncle Sam's domain is rapidly dwindling away in Nebraska, at the rate of a million acres a year.

## Precinct Voting Places.

The following are voting places in the various precincts of the county: Willow Grove—Thomas Scott's old P. O. building, McCook. Driftwood—House of J. S. Holmes. Grant—House of W. H. Benjamin. Gerver—House of Frank Bushong. Valley Grange—School house, dist. No. 31. Bondville—W. O. Bond's store. Danbury—Al. Prehn's store. Beaver—School house, district No. 6. Tyrone—School house, district No. 26. Missouri Ridge—School house, dist. No. 23. East Valley—School house, district No. 14. North Valley—School house, dist. No. 9. Indianapolis—Law office of Johnson & Berge. Red Willow—School house, district No. 1.

WANTED—A boy between 12 and 15 years of age, who wishes to go to school during the winter, to make himself generally useful about my house, build fires, milk cow, etc. A good home offered to a good boy. GEO. HOCKNELL.

E. M. Brickey & Co. for clothing.

The Schuberts were here, yesterday evening, they sang and delighted their large and intelligence audience and departed for Denver on No. 1, the same evening. Afflicted as we have been in the past and will be in the future, of necessity, with entertainments chiefly memorable for their mediocrity, it affords us unusual pleasure to report an entertainment of the artistic excellence of that given by the Quartette, last night. Individually and collectively they sing with rare sweetness, precision, expression and harmony. The Quartette's rendition of "Remember Now Thy Creator" so held the attention of the audience that you could almost hear yourself breathe—it was superb. Mr. Stone's "When George III was King," was exceedingly laughable, without the outrageous extravagancies usually indulged in by singers en costume. Mrs. Goetz's first solo made her popular with her audience. She is a beautiful singer, with a voice well cultivated, strong, but sweet and expressive. Did our space permit, it would be our pleasure to make more specific mention. The entertainment throughout was of a high order, and our citizens are to be felicitated, as well as Prof. Webster, that the professor was enabled to procure talent of such recognized ability.

Hard and soft coal, best quality, at Hallack & Howard's lumber yard.

Our system of water-works are now undergoing extensive repairs, improvements and enlargements. The past year has doubled the demand for water, which is increasing, to meet which the company is extending its service and making every needed improvement. Trenches are being dug for over two miles of additional water mains, in the additions recently made on the east and north, to the original town site, and pipes will be planted as soon as the ditches are ready. Two other wells of the capacity of the one now in use, 20 feet deep and 20 feet in diameter, are being sunk in the bottom south of the pump house. When completed, the three wells, which will be about 100 feet apart, will be connected. The suction pipe leading to the pump house will be materially enlarged, assuring a flow of 1,200 gallons per minute, a much larger volume than at present. The engine house will also undergo some changes, and in the spring the probabilities are bright that a powerful engine and pump will replace the smaller one of the two now doing service. The company is determined to keep abreast the improvement of our city. Charlie Meeker has the matter in charge.

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HAVE PASSED OVER—Early Monday morning, the 26th inst, I. J. Vore, (father of Mrs. R. B. Archibald and Frank Vore of our city,) died at his homestead near Bondville, after an illness of a few hours, of some spinal trouble. The deceased was 45 years of age. His remains were interred at Indianapolis, Tuesday afternoon. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of many friends.

On the same morning, Mr. Farrel of South McCook also passed from this scene of action, at the advanced age of 73. His remains were consigned to mother earth in Prospect Cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, quite a number of relatives and friends being present at the last rites.

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## MARRIED.

HUNTER—WOODS—On the evening of the 27th of October, 1885, at the residence of the bride's brother, in this city, Mr. George C. Hunter to Miss Percy R. Woods, both of Benkelman, Nebraska.

After the wedding, the young family gathered around the table to enjoy a repast of fried oysters and other luxurious viands of the season. Our genial B. & M. depot agent, R. R. Woods, was the host of the occasion. Mr. Hunter is a well to do ranchman and we predict a happy future for the young couple.

Mrs. E. D. York and May have been in McCook for more than a week visiting friends and attending the fair at that place.—Atwood Citizen.

THE TRIBUNE will club with any journal in the United States at reduced rates. Select your paper and call for figures.

Listen! Every pair of the Walker boots and shoes warranted. Sold by C. H. Rogers.

Hard and soft coal, best quality, at Hallack & Howard's lumber yard.

Great Reduction in Watches and Jewelry at McCracken's.

## PERSONAL POINTERS.

Dick Tate of the Willow took in the city, last week.

John T. Wray came down from Culbertson, Sunday evening.

Tom Clark of East Valley was on our streets, Saturday.

Miss Kinghorn of the Willow visited in town, last week.

Squire Colvin made a flying visit to Trenton, Sunday, returning on 40.

W. G. Hills, B. & M. special agent, was in town, the first of the week.

V. Franklin made a flying visit to the county-seat, Tuesday evening.

Jerome Lewis, of the firm of Lewis Bros., has returned to his home in Iowa.

Mr. Hayward, representing W. T. Seaman of Omaha, made this town, Monday.

Peter Robidoux, merchant at Benkelman, was in the city, Saturday, on business.

Senator Dolan and Editor Watkins were Friday visitors in this burg, last week.

Mrs. Hollister, who was quite ill, last week, is much improved and rapidly mending.

M. A. Daugherty of Crete was in town a few days, the first of the week, on business.

D. W. Irwin of the Stratton Herald was detained in town, Monday, on a contest suit.

A. F. Dyer, county surveyor of Hayes, was among the Commercial's guests, Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Lytle and the baby went up to Culbertson on a few day's visit, last Friday.

Mrs. and Miss McGibbon of Culbertson were registered at the Commercial, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jennings returned from a visit to Culbertson friends on 40, Sunday.

Friend Abbott of the B. & M. Agent's force, has been a gentleman of elegant leisure for a few days past.

W. E. Babcock of Cambridge passed thro' on 40, Sunday, on his return home from a visit in Colorado.

R. Q. Stewart of Riverton was in the city, Monday, in the discharge of his duties as Deputy U. S. Marshal.

M. J. Abbott of the Hayes Centre News, was in town, Monday and Tuesday of this week, on business.

H. H. Troth drove down from Hayes Co., Friday, after supplies, returning to the ranch Saturday afternoon.

O. M. Vaughan, of Winings & Vaughan, Benkelman real estate agents, had land business in town, Monday.

W. H. Kilpatrick of the Kilpatrick ranch came up to town on 30, Wednesday, on his way to the Frenchman.

Will Fisher, Chas. Ashmore and Leonard Meserve came down from the Culbertson round-up, the last week.

Fred Weed of Benkelman made a trip down the valley, the close of last week, in the interest of Frees & Hocknell.

L. H. Lawton of Grand Island, a Frenchman stockman, had business in this city, the latter part of the week past.

E. W. Franklin of Frontier county, republican candidate for sheriff of that county, had business in town, Tuesday.

L. J. Gandy, who is interested in the town by that name in Sherman county, Kansas, was in town, the first of the week.

J. C. Birdsall came up from the Republican City branch, Saturday on 39, spending Sunday with the boys in this place.

L. Westgate, county clerk of Frontier, and G. W. Anderson of Stockville were registered at the Commercial House, Monday.

Mrs. Page Francis and little boy went out to Yuma, Tuesday, on a visit to Mr. F., who is located there in the land business.

C. H. Meeker of Lincoln, one of the B. & M.'s civil engineers, and Ed. White of the same place, came up to town, Monday.

S. E. Solomon of the Sna and G. W. Daniels, two of Culbertson's genial gentlemen, were visitors in town, Monday evening.

A. D. King of the Hitchcock County Bank of Culbertson was in the city, Saturday, returning home on No. 1, the same evening.

E. E. Stewart and wife of Oberlin were guests of the B. & M., Sunday. Mr. S. is one of our sister city's heavy hardware dealers.

Mrs. Thos. Clark of Hastings, who has been visiting at Supt. Campbell's, the past few days, returned to Hastings on 40, Monday.

Mrs. A. M. Wilson and two children, the family of engineer Wilson, arrived in town, Monday, and will hereafter dwell amongst us.

Al. Bonnot went down to take a passenger conductorship on the Kansas branch, the first of the week. His headquarters will be at Oberlin.

C. P. Rinker went down to Red Cloud, Friday evening, on business connected with the Western Implement Co. He returned on 30, Tuesday.

H. A. Pence, the gentlemanly editor of the Palisade Journal, came down to the metropolis, Friday, returning to Stratton, Saturday on 30.

Hugh Gearty, who has been working in this vicinity for a number of months past, returned to his home in Springfield, Ill., on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris went down to Kansas City, on 40, Sunday, on a short visit to Frank's brother Charlie. They returned home on 30, Tuesday.

Lloyd Hileman, a former resident of the south-side, who has been visiting his brother, R. S., for a week or ten days, returned to Exeter, his present home, on 2, Sunday.

Lew. Arnaeost, treasurer of Hayes county, was a passenger on 30, for Culbertson, en route to the Kilpatrick ranch on the Upper Frenchman, of which he is manager.

R. Thompson of Hastings was in town, Monday. Dick looks as though he had entirely recovered from the late democratic state convention, being as red and rosy as ever.

Leon F. Moss made a visit to Akron, Colo., Saturday night. Mr. M. is agent for the Lincoln Land Co., at Akron, and thinks there will be a big rush into the locality in the spring.

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

Hard and soft coal, best quality, at Hallack & Howard's lumber yard.

The courteous treatment and first class accommodations at the Commercial House are making that hostlerie popular.

The first fresh oysters of the season at Ed. Kuester's, first door above the P. O. Oysters by the can or served in every style. Fresh consignments every day.

FOR SALE—175 acres deeded land, with improvements to amount to \$500. Situated 2 miles from McCook. For terms call on or address editor of THE TRIBUNE.

R. A. Cole, fashionable merchant tailor, has constantly on hand as fine a class of goods as can be procured. Suits made up in the latest style, and perfect fits guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Shop two doors west of Citizens Bank, McCook, Nebraska.

## NOTICE TO PAY UP.

Having disposed of a half interest in the B. & M. Pharmacy to Mr. Walker, all persons owing me are requested to call and make immediate settlement of all accounts owing me. Oct. 22, '85. A. J. WILLEY.

## FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

A desirable restaurant stand, in a good location. Ill-health only reason for disposing of same. Inquire at this office for further particulars.

## Residence for Sale.

I am offering my residence property on the corner of Madison and Dodge streets for sale. J. B. MESERVE.

## SAFE FOR SALE.

A 1,000 pound Mosler Safe, fire proof, for sale cheap. LUDWICK & TROWBRIDGE.

## FOR RENT.

Two dwelling houses to rent. Inquire at the Citizen's Bank.

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