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Local Intelligence.

18 LOAVES OF BREAD FOR \$1.00 AT THE CITY BAKERY.

Fresh candy at the City Bakery.

E. M. Brickey & Co. for clothing.

City Drug Store. Chenery & Stiles.

Go to W. W. Palmer for your harness. 32-4f.

Seale books for sale and in stock at this office.

E. M. Brickey & Co. are sacrificing overcoats.

If you want a superior letter file, call at this office.

Ladies, ask Mrs. Lowman about Dr. Collins' work.

The largest line of fine cigars at the City Drug Store.

New curtain scrim and new goods at Wilcox & Fowler's.

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

Fowler Wilcox is adding a barn to his Madison street property.

Go to E. M. Brickey & Co. for honest goods and lowest prices.

The Metropolitan drug store keeps a full line of fancy box papers.

Brewer Bros. butcher only corn-fed steers. No cows or range cattle.

Sweet Michigan Cider of excellent quality at the City Bakery.

The Travelers paid over \$3,000 a day in 1884 for accident losses alone.

White Russian or White Prussian soap only 5c a bar at Wilcox & Fowler's.

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

Go to C. D. Palmer to buy your hardware. Next door west of Wilcox & Fowler.

The latest and most important invention for machinists and railroad men at McCracken's.

Two pounds of Arbuckle's, Dilworth's or XXXX for 25 cents at Wilcox & Fowler's.

The old Mack property on Main Avenue has been purchased by the present lessee, E. C. O'Donnell.

G. W. Bede has some special bargains in real estate. Office 4th door south of U. S. Land office. 27-4f.

Services at the Congregational church next Sunday, in the evening only, at 7 o'clock, mountain time.

The choicest meats at the Central Meat Market of Brewer Bros. corner of Main and Dennison streets.

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

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

Fine note paper, legal and congress cap, linen and news paper in tablets, calling and regret cards, etc., at this office.

The first fire plug was planted at the Citizens Bank corner, Monday. Merchants in the immediate vicinity breathe more easily.

No other accident company in America could meet the payments which The Travelers has daily to make for death or injury to its policy-holders.

FOR SALE—Lindner & Erman have work oxen, steers, cows and heifers for sale at their barn, one block west of the Commercial House, McCook, Neb.

The next M. E. sociable will be held at the residence of W. W. Palmer, Friday evening, March 5th. Note well the time and place, or may miss an enjoyable evening.

No more trouble with watches. A medium priced movement as good as the finest for correct time if protected with one of those Anti-Magnetic Shields. Drop in and see them at McCracken's.

Our school children enjoyed a holiday, Monday.—Washington's birthday. Both of our banking institutions were closed during the greater part of the day, otherwise Father George's birth occasion was not extensively observed.

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

The Taylor Sisters, skatorial artists, violin soloists, et cetera, appeared at the Palace Skating Rink, Saturday evening, before a fair audience. The little girls performed quite well on skates, but as musicians and vocalists it is not likely that they will astonish the world.

E. M. Brickey & Co. the clothiers.

Pure Drugs and Chemicals, at City Drug Store.

Fresh and salt meats of the choicest quality at Brewer Bros.

Fresh oysters, fresh fish and chickens at Brewer Bros.' meat market.

Prescriptions accurately compounded, day or night. City Drug Store.

Lonsdale or Fruit of the Loom muslin 10 cents a yard at Wilcox & Fowler's.

Go to C. D. Palmer to buy your hardware. Next door west of Wilcox & Fowler.

W. W. Palmer is closing out horse blankets and robes. Now is the time to buy. 36-4fs.

Over 1,000,000 policies have been written by The Travelers, or more than any other company in the world.

Land and legal blanks in stock at this office. A full line at State Journal prices, constantly on hand.

Remember you can never have a reliable time keeper, unless it is protected with one of those Anti-Magnetic Shields. For sale by F. L. McCracken.

We are informed by Contractor Collins that he has purchased the necessary machinery, and will shortly commence the manufacture of brick at the yard east of town.

Insure in The Travelers, not in irresponsible hat-passers with empty treasuries, which guarantee nothing except the privilege of paying your own losses. R. S. COOLEY, Agent.

We apprehend that it is manlier to strive to elevate the public taste than to pander to the lowest instincts of man, by publishing "smut" just sufficiently vague probably, to avoid incurring the penalty of the law against obscene literature. Will our bourbon contemp. try it?

The social at the residence of Register Laws, to-morrow (Friday) evening, promises to be one of more than usual interest. A program, novel and interesting, is being provided, and the prospects are that the attendance will be large and the evening joyous. Don't fail to be present.

Our reporter rushed frantically out of the office, the other evening, to ascertain the wherefore of a certain disturbance, expecting to be liberally rewarded with a column tragedy or something of the kind. 'Twas only the hotel drummers getting in their work, however, upon the arrival of 39, and the boys' vocal organs are in excellent shape at present.

Immigration is on the move in dead earnest. Yesterday afternoon, a special of 17 box cars and a coach, pulled through this station, en route for Bird City, Kansas, via Benkelman. The party is composed mostly of Illinois people, who are well-to-do, as their fine stock, farming implements, etc., denoted. A similar train is expected, this afternoon.

The Ladies Union of the Congregational church meets next Thursday, March 4th, at the residence of Mrs. Carl Clark. In this connection, let us suggest that, any persons needing carpenter, kitchen or dress aprons, dusting caps, sleeve covers, etc., would do well to call on the ladies, who keep the same on hand or will make them to order if desired, at reasonable rates.

Dr. G. H. Collins, the celebrated "Capital City" traveling dentist, will visit McCook on March 8th, 9th and 10th, and only as much longer as the business demands. Go in and see him as soon as he arrives and make your appointments, so that you may have the proper amount of time in which to have your work done. He refers by permission to Lowman & Son. There are many others in this place who are acquainted with him and his work, all of whom endorse him.

The pews for the Catholic church have been ordered and shipped, and are expected to put in an appearance any day. The pews 28 (double) in number are to be of white pine material, with walnut trimmings, will be provided with kneeling stools and book racks, and will be withal handsome and comfortable. A number of other improvements are contemplated, which will be carried out as the necessary means are forthcoming.

A city bus line, which was established the first of the week, by W. M. Springer of Perry, Iowa, is our latest assumption of metropolitan aims. The rig now in use is but a temporary one, and Mr. Springer purposes replacing it with a handsome new bus in the not distant future. Such an enterprise carefully husbanded will make money for its projector and will be a credit to our city, and such it is Mr. S.'s object to make. Mr. Springer also brought a car-load of draught horses with him from Iowa, most of which he has disposed of to parties in this city and Trenton.

CLOAKS, CARPETS AND MEN'S CLOTHING AT COST! EXAMINE THEM WHAT MORE DO YOU WANT? THE EARTH? HAYDEN & CO.

THE McENTEE HOUSE.

On Monday evening of this week, the McEntee House, frequent notice of the progress in the erection of which has appeared in THE TRIBUNE from time to time, was thrown open to the public, though not yet fully completed in every detail. The McEntee is a fine two-story brick structure, 52x100 feet in dimension, with a one-story addition, 24x30, for kitchen. The office and dining hall are both large, well-lighted and finished throughout in good style. (as, indeed, is the entire building,) the former being 28x36 feet dimension, while the latter is as to size 23x50 feet. The hotel contains 32 sleeping rooms, of an average size of about 12 feet square, and are in the main large and comfortable. Large sample rooms have been provided on the basement floor, 28x36 feet. The McEntee in all its appointments is first-class and a credit to our city, and under the management of Mr. McGee is destined to make one of the most popular hostleries in the Valley, as the success of the B. of L. E. banquet, which was given so auspiciously at the McEntee on the opening occasion, indicates.

WILL BUILD.

P. C. O'Brien, a B. & M. "king of the road," has purchased two lots on the hill and will shortly commence the erection of a dwelling 28x30 feet, with a wing 16x24 feet, the same to be complete with porches, bay windows, and other ornaments, and will make, when finished, one of the cosiest homes in the city.

E. F. Day of the postal service has also purchased two lots in the second addition to the city and will commence the erection of a residence thereon at once.

In addition to the above, Mr. Colfer, the Lincoln Land Co.'s agent, informs us that there are thirty-one other buildings, both business and residence, contracted on the company's books to be built within the next six months. The probabilities are that most if not all of these buildings will be erected, while others are assured, as the company is selling no lots without the building clause attached.

Among the most successful and prosperous stockmen of our county is A. W. Corey, who owns a fine river ranch about three miles southeast of this city. This winter Mr. Corey has been following somewhat different tactics. He moved over 200 head of cattle and 25 head of horses over onto the Beaver, where hay and corn are more abundant, and with care and attention, together with ample food and water, he has wintered the entire number without the loss of one, and his bunch looks as well now as they did upon entering the winter. The changing seasons have made this course necessary, and Mr. Corey's success, this winter, fully demonstrates its wisdom.

We are credibly informed by parties in the city that H. C. Rider will return to this city early in March. The following from the Crete Vidette throws some additional light upon the subject:

J. C. Smith received a business letter from H. C. Rider, yesterday. He was in Washington City right up with care, attending strictly to his own business. He directed him to address his answer to Owego, Tioga county, New York, the home of his birth, where he expects to visit for a few days. He will be in Crete about the first of March, and will doubtless be very anxious to have his so-called friends tell him all about his escapade through the country with another man's woman.

An engine and caboose were derailed at the west end of the yard, Sunday afternoon, just as No. 40 was pulling into this station. The accident was occasioned by the carelessness of the switchman, who threw the switch from under the approaching engine. The locomotive and car were promptly restored to the track, the pilot alone being slightly the worse for the accident, while No. 40 was delayed about an hour. A large crowd witnessed the process of restoring the locomotive to its native element.

Property-owners in South McCook are complaining bitterly about the horde of soiled doves, which infest that locality, depreciating their property, etc. Some of these owners are offering their property at what they can get for the same, being willing to sacrifice most anything to get out of the pestilential region. Justice, where art thou?

THE B. OF L. E. BALL.

As was confidently expected, the first annual ball of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of this city, which occurred at the Opera Hall on the evening of Washington's birthday, was in point of numbers the most extensive and successful social event that has ever transpired in this city. The Opera Hall, which was handsomely and befittingly decorated for the occasion, with evergreens, red, white and blue bunting, appropriate banners, mottoes, scenes, etc., was crowded to its utmost capacity, it being estimated that there were between four and five hundred guests present, including many invited guests from various points on the B. & M. between Lincoln and Denver; and a general good time was enjoyed by the large company, considering the terribly crowded condition of the hall, in so much that the dancing was continued until between four and five o'clock in the morning, when the weary dancers reluctantly disbanded. THE BANQUET.

Prominent among the features of the affair was the banquet at the McEntee House. Ample arrangements had been made for the occasion, a bountiful repast was spread in good taste and style, and served attentively and with all expedition possible. Over four hundred people partook of the feast, and many, probably one hundred persons, on account of the lateness of the hour, left the house without their suppers. Mr. and Mrs. McGee are to be congratulated upon the successful manner in which they fed the hungry multitude, which besieged the door of their dining hall during the continuance of the banquet—some four hours.

A HAPPY HIT.

The social and supper given by Willow Grove Lodge No. 42, Knights of Pythias, of this city, at the Opera Hall, last Friday evening, commemorating the twenty-third anniversary of Pythianism, was the most felicitous affair of the kind that has ever transpired in our town, and will long remain, to those participating, among the brightest ornaments which adorn memory's hall. The evening's program embraced music, speeches, card playing, etc., and the occasion was gracefully rounded off by an elegant repast, for which the ladies are to be complimented and thanked. The following Knights and invited guests were present:

MR. AND MRS.—G. L. LAWS, A. Campbell, J. B. Meserve, S. Seaman, T. B. Campbell, Chas. Noble, John Gordon, R. L. Fisher, L'Roy Allen, W. F. Lawson, W. E. Dauehy, M. A. Spalding, Frank Harris, E. M. Brickey, E. M. Marquis, Ed. Hawksworth, J. F. Kenyon, F. L. Brown, R. R. Woods, S. D. Hunt, A. E. Lytle, and T. G. Rees.

MISS.—L. L. Johnson, T. S. Bosley, G. A. Noren, and M. W. Newman.

MISS.—Cecilia Ryan, Mamie Vollbehrl, Della Hollister, Mabel Meserve, Mattie Smith, Dell Menard, Lou Clark, Clara Gooding, Dell Smith and Amy Avery.

MESSRS.—B. B. Davis, E. E. Lowman, J. F. Forbes, A. E. Ebert, Geo. M. Chenery, J. M. Campbell, F. L. McCracken, R. A. McCracken, Thos. Glasscott, L. B. Stiles, W. H. Davis, W. E. Fry and C. W. Ballard.

OYSTER SUPPER.

Last Thursday evening was the time, and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown's commodious parlors the scene of another of a series of surprise parties in which our young people have been engaging this winter. Miss Amy Avery was the object of the surprise, which was tendered by the following ladies and gentlemen: Misses Dell Menard, Clara Gooding, Cecilia Ryan, Nellie Fisher, Mabel Meserve, Jennie Shaw, Josie Menard, Lillie Rowell, Maggie Vaughn, Eda Menard and Miss Johnson. Messrs. C. M. Ashmore, E. E. Lowman, C. W. Ballard, A. C. Ebert, Thos. Glasscott, Sam Ashmore, E. L. Laycock, E. A. Eaton, E. S. Ryan, R. B. Wahlquist, Will Fisher and W. E. Fry.

Forest Trees! Forest Trees!

One hundred car-loads of Nebraska grown Forest Trees, ranging in height from six inches to sixteen feet, suited to timber-claim planting, or ornamental shade trees. Varieties: Yellow Cottonwood, Sugar and Soft Maple, Hardy Catalpa, Blade and White Walnut, American Sweet Chestnut, Black and Honey Locust, Ash, Elm, Box Elder, Linden, Sycamore, Native, Russian and French Mulberry, Poplar, Pecan, Birch, Red Bud, Coffee Tree, Persimmon, Yellow, White, Diamond and Basket Willow. By the single tree, hundred, thousand, or car load. In car lots special rates will be given. Also, a general Nursery Stock. Write for prices.

ROBT. W. FURNAS, Brownville, Neb.

FOR SALE.

Hay, loose or baled. Also, some White Star, Beauty Hebron and Clark No. 1 Seed Potatoes. Also, a few fresh milk cows. Call on or address me at Red Willow, Neb. J. F. HELM.

They have the purest, kettle-rendered lard in the city at Brewer Bros.

E. M. BRICKEY & CO.,

IF YOU WANT AN ELEGANT FITTING SUIT OF CLOTHING, CUT IN THE LATEST STYLE, MADE UP EQUAL TO THE BEST CUSTOM WORK, CALL ON E. M. BRICKEY & CO. THIS APPLIES TO OUR CHEAP AS WELL AS TO OUR BEST SUITS. OUR SPECIALTY BEING: PERFECT FITTING AND WELL MADE GOODS.

WE HAVE RECEIVED A FINE ASSORTMENT OF SPRING SUITS AND PANTS AND GUARANTEE OUR PRICES LOWER THAN ANY HOUSE IN THE VALLEY.

WE ARE NOW CLOSING OUR HEAVY GOODS REGARDLESS OF FORMER PRICES TO MAKE ROOM FOR BALANCE OF OUR SPRING STOCK. IF YOU WANT A SUIT TO WEAR AL THE YEAR AROUND CALL NOW AND TAKE THE GOODS AWAY.

We have all the Latest Styles in Hats, and it will interest you to see our assortment.



The Clothing & Hat House!

PERSONALS.

Jos. Menard returned on 40, Saturday evening, from his trip to Denver.

Fred S. Work of the Driftwood was circulating around this burg, Monday.

Fred Lytle came in from Benkelman, yesterday, on 40, on a short business trip.

J. P. Hymer of Stockville, was in town, Tuesday, in the discharge of business.

Harry Stern of Holdrege, made a short visit on business in the city, Tuesday.

C. C. Cobb, Trenton's genial banker, transacted some business in the city, Monday.

Inspector Geo. B. Colburn came up from Lincoln, Monday, on government business.

Hiram Powell and two of Palisade's belles were viewing the sights in this city, Monday.

F. M. Kernan and wife of Wray, Colorado, were registered at the Eating House, Monday.

G. G. Burton, of Burton & Harcourt, real estate dealers, Trenton, was in town, Tuesday on business.

Benj. Bird of Benkelman came in from the east on 39, Saturday, en route to his ranch south of Benkelman.

Frank McGee of the McEntee, went up to Fort Collins, Colo., yesterday, to close up some business matters.

B. F. Rawalt, wife and daughter of Hastings were among the guests at the Engineers' Ball, Monday evening.

Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. R. B. Cappon of Carson, Iowa, were guests at the B. & M. Eating House, Saturday.

B. F. Rawalt delivered a short, but interesting speech at the Opera Hall, Monday evening, after the banquet.

S. H. Colvin is building a residence on his brother's (G. W. Colvin of Arapahoe) timber claim, just east of town.

F. C. Stuby, wife and three children arrived in the city, Sunday, and have gone to house-keeping on the east side.

John Gordon, the B. & M.'s trusted agent at Arapahoe, and his estimable wife were participants in the K. of P. festivities, Friday evening.

W. M. Springer departed, Tuesday for Iowa, to purchase a new bus wagon and to transact some other business at his home at Perry, Iowa.

Receiver and Mrs. C. F. Babecek arrived home, Sunday night on No. 1, from their extended visit in New York state, having enjoyed a delightful visit to the old homestead.

Thos. Glasscott, has been confined to bed at the residence of Thos. Colfer, since Sunday, with a severe attack of bilious fever; but, we are pleased to report, is now improving.

M. R. Lovell of Hyde, Colo., "cow coroner" for the Colorado Stock Association along the B. & M. lines west of here, spent two or three days, the close of last week, in the city, on stock business.

Sylvester Cordeal came down from Akron, Saturday, on a short visit to his family and on business matters. He is contemplating starting a bank at Akron, in conjunction with N. W. Newman.

Mrs. A. J. Briggs, Mrs. H. O. Broadstone and Mrs. H. C. Vollbehrl, all of state superior, arrived in this metropolis, Tuesday, and will sojourn here some time the guests of Mrs. Ed. Hawksworth.

Misses Lillie Rowell and Josie Menard made a flying visit to the county capital, Saturday evening, to see their friends, Mrs. W. H. McCartney and Miss Rita Papin, before their departure for St. Louis, Sunday morning.

J. W. Burney and wife, Misses Emma Johnson, Trella Thomas, and Ruby Van Patten, and Messrs. W. C. Ashwill of the Herald and O. E. Johnson, all of Stratton, participated in the B. of L. E. ball on Monday evening.

Mrs. L. Lowman went down to Lincoln, yesterday morning, where she will visit her daughter until Saturday, when Mr. Lowman will join her. Together they will proceed to Chicago, possibly New York, to lay in a spring stock.

L. B. Stiles went up to Denver, Monday evening, to meet Mrs. Stiles who was on her way home from an extended visit to her parents at Salt Lake City. They arrived home on No. 2, yesterday morning.

T. B. Babecek passed through the city, Sunday noon, on his way to Yuma, Colo., from Prattburg, N. Y., where he has been enjoying a reunion of the Babecek family and the golden wedding of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoeknell are still sojourning at the Crescent City, where they will remain until the end of their visit—not going to California, as was their intention at the out-start. They will return home about the middle of March.

John Lewis left, Monday, with the Exeter Band for Red Cloud. He will not return to Exeter, but proceed from Red Cloud to McCook, where he will probably remain some time.—Enterprise, Exeter, Neb.

M. B. Moody left for Chicago on Tuesday morning. Mr. M. has secured the position of traveling salesman for Clark & Wise, wholesale dealers in lubricating oils. He takes with him the best wishes of our citizens for his success.—Stratton Gazette.

O. C. Smalley of Trenton, who has been visiting some time, this winter in Iowa, drove through town, yesterday morning, en route for his Hitchcock county home, with which he is better pleased than ever since his visit to his old Fremont county home.

M. C. Rider arrived from Fairbury, Tuesday, (where he has been spending the winter,) and has taken up his abode on his homestead near town, which he is contemplating improving largely, the coming spring, by planting trees extensively, etc. His daughter accompanied him.

Ed. Pierson, who sold his beautiful farm east of this place, last week, to a Mr. White, of Carson, Iowa, has purchased three quarter sections of land on the Beaver, in Red Willow County, where he expects to move about the 1st of March. Mr. Pierson is one of our oldest residents, moving here nine years ago, and will be greatly missed by his old neighbors and many friends. Webster County will lose a good citizen and one of its most successful agriculturists, but what is our loss will be Red Willow county's gain.—Blue Hill Times.

Mr. Elwood of Iowa, a brother-in-law of R. H. Williams of our city, arrived in town, Monday, on a land hunt. The youngest child of Mr. Williams accompanied him. R. H.'s eldest daughter was unable to come at this time on account of having frozen her fingers and hands during the cold weather in Iowa, while going to school. For a time it was feared the frozen members would have to be amputated, which, fortunately, was not necessary. She will arrive later.

HIGH SCHOOL EXERCISES.

The following is the program for Friday, February 26, 1886:

- Music—Duetto—Nellie Lee and Anna Collins.
Recitation—Nellie Lee.
Dialogue—May Clark, May O'Brien, Theo. Laws, Eddie Wilcox and Elmer Helm.
Music.
Dialogue—Nellie Fisher, Bertie Laws, Elmer Helm, Lovell Clyde.
Declaration—Willie Perkins.
Essay—Amy Avery.
Music.

JOHN CORDEAL, SECRETARY.

MILK! MILK!!

Having the best range for the purpose in the county, we will start a milk dairy in the spring, prepared to furnish milk in any quantity.

34-Sts. EATON BROS. & CO.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

Parties wishing to rent dwelling houses should enquire at the Citizens Bank of McCook.

HOUSE AND LOT

On Macfarland street for sale. Inquire of F. P. Allen or at this office.

FOR RENT.

A 3-room house in West McCook for rent, cheap. Inquire at Lindner & Erman's office.

SQUARE UP.

Parties owing me are respectfully requested to call and settle at once. 29-4f. M. A. SPALDING.

GIRL WANTED.

To do general housework in a small family. Inquire at C. G. Potter's, West McCook.

FOR SALE.

The Jack formerly owned by J. D. Newton. Inquire at W. O. Russell's barn, McCook, Neb. 38

MCCOOK GRAIN MARKET.

Table with grain prices: No. 2 Wheat, per bushel, 45c; No. 2 Rye, per bushel, 27c; Barley, per bushel, 25c; Oats, per bushel, 25c; Corn—New, per bushel, 24c; Hay—wild, per ton, \$1.00; Baled Hay, \$1.00.