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Local Intelligence.

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After considerable persuasion and a liberal use of a cane, Policeman Banks succeeded in juggling a belligerent drunk, Friday evening. The demand for girls to do general house-work is unusually brisk just now, while the market is short—its ordinary condition in this country. It is a matter of indignation and regret to the good citizens of McCook that the city officials do not clean out the horde of gamblers and prostitutes that now infests the town. THE TRIBUNE is indebted to J. F. Forbes, who is on the ground, for a handsome paper descriptive of the great Knight of Pythias demonstration at Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Quite a goodly company of our people were present at the reception, at the M. E. church, last Thursday evening, given to Rev. Wheeler and bride on their arrival from the east. Rev. Joel S. Kelsey of the Congregational church will speak next Sunday morning upon "The Preacher's Circle of Duty," and in the evening upon "Christianity and Education." A diminutive antelope, as kind and as gentle as a kitten, was to be seen on our streets, yesterday. It had been captured in Colorado, a short distance beyond our state line, a few days ago. The base ball game between the home club and Culbertson boys, last Saturday afternoon, was a regular walk-away for McCook. The Culbertsonites failed to make the game more than funny. In fact hardly that. We hope our people will take as active an interest in the proceeding of the county institute now in session in the city as their time will allow. Lend encouragement by your presence as often as may be. If the base ballists of this city are unable to get along without the aid of two or three tin-horn gamblers they had better retire from the field. A club with such an item of membership is a disgrace to the community. Last Saturday's matinee races did not pan out very heavily, and the large crowd, which turned out on the occasion, expecting some good races, were disgusted and sorely disappointed, and not a little chagrined at the finale. Among the lecturers before the county institute, next week, will be Prof. G. E. Barber of the University, who will lecture on Wednesday evening, July 28th. Superintendent W. W. W. Jones will lecture on Thursday evening, July 29th. The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a basket sociable at the old skating rink building, to-morrow (Friday) evening. Admission free. The ladies extend a general and cordial invitation to the people to come and enjoy the occasion. The third annual meeting of the Ministerial Association, Republican Valley District, will be held at Indianola, Neb., on August 10th, 11th and 12th. An interesting program has been prepared for the occasion, and a grand meeting is expected. According to the published estimate of city's expenses, there is no general fund, and no fund for streets and alleys, two of the most needed funds in the city government. But we have \$2,000 for salaries, and \$150 for incidentals, or \$35 more than 10 mills on the assessed valuation. REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS—H. G. Dixon, real estate agent, reports the following sales: Lots 9 and 10 in block 2, 11 and 12 in block 13, 10 in block 16, first addition to McCook, to S. L. Dixon. Also, S. L. Green's timber claim to Mr. Dimmitt. Consideration, \$1,000. Also, resold lots 9 and 10 in block 2 to Mr. Phillippi of Illinois. One of the actions of the late special term of district court was the granting of a divorce to H. C. Rider, on the grounds of extreme cruelty, it being alleged that Rider's wife had caused him, upon sundry occasions, "extreme anguish of body and soul." Oh, Lord, how we poor delicate men do suffer at the hands of weakly, crippled women! The drug firm of Chenery & Stiles, this week, dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Stiles retiring. Mr. Chenery has associated Mr. H. T. Anderson with him in the business, which will be continued at the old stand. The new firm starts out in the commercial world with a nicely established business and with a bright prospect ahead. THE TRIBUNE wishes for their success. Money to loan, 3 or 5 years time. J. D. Turner, McCook, Neb.

As per notice appearing in the Courier, Albert H. Steadman seeks a divorce from Mary B. Steadman on the grounds of abandonment. Answer day is set for August 23d. Sophia Merkle also desires to be released from the "bonds of holy wed-lock," with Carl Merkle, on the ground that Carl secured her consent to marriage by trickery, fraud and deception, also on the grounds of extreme cruelty. August 9th is the day fixed for hearing in this case. The frequency of divorce proceedings is becoming one of the most disgraceful features of our courts, which are deluged with them upon every regular and special term. This divine institution seems to be held at a very low and trifling consideration. We clip the following from The Capital published at Washington, D. C. Mr. Davis, with his family, expects to locate in McCook about August 1st. Mr. C. W. Davis, of the General Land Office, has voluntarily resigned his position, and will remove with his family to Nebraska, where he intends to pursue the practice of the law, making a specialty of all cases arising under the public land laws. Mr. Davis is a lawyer of ten years' experience, and from 1877 to 1880 was district attorney in Southwestern New York. His experience of four years in the General Land Office on all classes of contested cases will necessarily render his services of great value to those having business either before the local offices in Nebraska or before the department at Washington. As a matter of information we below append the names of the members of the county central committee, of which J. E. Berger is chairman. CENTRAL COMMITTEE. BEAVER.....A. P. Bodwell. BONDVILLE.....W. B. Spain. DRIEFTWOOD.....W. S. Fitch. DANBURY.....W. W. Dunham. EAST VALLEY.....Ora Clark. GERVIER.....John Higgins. GRANT.....James Hill. INDIANOLA.....E. Peterman. NORTH VALLEY.....J. W. Daniels. RED WILLOW.....W. T. Hamilton. VALLEY GRANGE.....Harmon Eaton. WILLOW GROVE.....C. H. Boyle. "No one will believe for a moment that \$2,000 will be expended, this year, for salaries, in McCook," says the saloon organ on one page of last week's issue; on another page it says, in the city's estimate of expenses, "For salaries, city officers, \$2,000." "For incidental expenses, \$150." THE TRIBUNE does not believe that \$2,000 will be spent for salaries, simply because the city's income will not be \$2,000. It seems to THE TRIBUNE to be apropos that repentance is not always so much regret for the evil done, as ardent fear of its consequences. That its purifying, cleansing power consists largely in the degree in which the wrong done is righted. That it is not a single action, but the continuous dropping from penitential clouds. Save? \$28.18 is the amount of cash found in the Chase county bank, by the creditors, when the institution succumbed to "financial distress," last week. How's that for banking? The deposits amounted to over \$2,000. The loss falls upon the settlers heavily, some of them having their entire earthly possessions in the bank. We note the arrival, last Friday morning, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris on North Main, of a sweet little parcel of femininity, of the usual weight and vocal powers. Parent and child are doing well, although some solicitation was for awhile entertained for Frank, who is convalescent. The party who telegraphed the Omaha Bee the account of the Benkelman bank failure ought to keep a bag of ice conveniently near his head. The amount of defalcation is nearer \$5,000 than \$100,000, the sum stated in the sensational telegram sent from this city. Well, the clouds have been weeping copiously, the past three days, and the grangers are smiling with an audibility proportionate to the amount of rain fall and the consequent assurance of good crops. Lift up your heads, oh ye disconsolate, and be ye lifted up! POOR FIDO!—E. M. Brickey's little dog became afflicted with the rabies, last Thursday, and the Chief of Police found it necessary to remove him from this ungrateful world, via the lead route. The city of McCook has two first class bands. McCook is a hustler in all things, and if a lot of thugs and gamblers could be cleaned out it would be a desirable town to live in.—Nebraska City Leader. If your business is not worth advertising, why hunt around and find some fellow you hate real thoroughly, and present it to him. We guarantee that he will be a corpse in a six-month. Said the preacher, last Sunday, "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord, thy God, in vain," should be written all over the sky west of the Missouri river. Amen.

PERSONALS. Under this head we would be pleased to have our friends throughout the city acquaint us of the arrival and departure of their visitors. Ed. Wilcox has gone up to Yuma to spend a few days. W. H. Davis of the dispatcher's office passed Sunday at Hartwell. H. G. Dixon made a visit down the road, Friday evening last on 40. District Attorney Morlan of Arapahoe was in town, Monday, on legal business. George Hanlein went down to Riverton, Saturday morning last, on a visit to relatives. Messrs. Lippincott and Cotton of the State Journal Co., spent Sunday in the city. Clark Ward of Indianola and J. C. Moore of Tyrone were visitors at the metropolis, Monday. Chas. Fisher, Commissioner elect of Chase county, came down to the city, yesterday, on a short visit. C. W. Ballard went up to Akron, Monday, to start the publication of another newspaper at that place. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wray of Culbertson were among the Monday visitors in the principal port. J. G. Stokes was down from the Willow, Tuesday, with some cattle which he disposed of to our local butchers. Rev. P. C. Johnson and wife of Indianola were present at Rev. Wheeler's reception at the M. E. church, last Thursday evening. T. A. Potts of Columbus, general agent of the Wheeler & Wilson Mfg Co. of Chicago, was a business tourist in the chief city, Tuesday. C. W. Shurtleff of the Bank of Stratton was a business ambassador to this commercial centre, yesterday. Dr. Beck of Red Cloud visited in the city, a number of days, the fore part of the week, the guest of Train Agent Josselyn of East Dennison street. V. Franklin visited B. B. Duckworth at his home near Danbury, last Sunday, finding him improving and in hopes of being around again in a short time. A. W. Agee of Aurora, of the law and loan firm of Agee & Wiley of our city, spent the fore part of the week with us, returning home, yesterday morning. Jay W. Kennedy, representing Chamberlain & Co., manufacturing pharmacists, Des Moines, Iowa, was in the city, Monday, in the interests of that company. Mrs. L. F. Britton, and daughter, Miss Carrie, are visiting in the city, guests of W. D. Paine. They arrived from Elgin, Ill., last Friday, and will remain some time. Cashier Brown of the First National spent two or three days, the close of last week, at Benkelman and Imperial on business connected with the Beltzer bank failures at those points. Mrs. Miles and Miss Theo., mother and sister of Mrs. R. C. Fisher, who have been visiting in the city for a few weeks past, started this morning, for their home in Quincy, Illinois. County Clerk Vollers, County Judge Israel and a number of other Benkelman people, were business tourists in the city, Monday. This office acknowledges a pleasant call from the party. Senator M. C. Quinn and daughter Mollie of Peoria, Ill., arrived in the city, last Saturday noon on 39, on a short visit to Thomas Colfer, Esq. They continued their journey to the mountains, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moody drove down from Stratton, yesterday. Mr. Moody returned to his business on No. 1, the same evening, but Mrs. Moody will remain the city a number of days, the guest of Mrs. J. B. Meserve. S. J. Mathes of Los Angeles, Cal., a brother to J. P. Mathes of our city, was a short visitor here, Tuesday, leaving on No. 39, Tuesday, for California. Mr. Mathes is manager for the celebrated Sigler Chicago excursions to Los Angeles. Mrs. Dr. Mitchell, Miss Lowman and Miss Schwab, all of Lincoln, came up to the city, Saturday evening, on a visit to L. Lowman and family. Mrs. Mitchell returned home, Tuesday morning, but the other ladies are still enjoying the freedom of the city and the company of relatives. A. E. Hill, the successor to Van Winkle & Kirkpatrick, is a man of business capacity and push, and will keep up the high reputation of the old firm. He has been in business for years in Brownville, though lately from McCook, Neb. Good luck to the old firm, success to the new.—Falls City Journal. The gambler Henderson, who was arrested, Tuesday, for threatening J. F. Liddell with a revolver, the preceding night, appeared before Squire Colvin, yesterday, and waived examination, giving bonds to appear at the next term of district court. During the preliminary Liddell was completely knocked out of time by Henderson, before the Justice's office, showing the gambler not only to be an adept at cards, but with his fists at well. Judge Gaslin may have occasion to reward him for his proficiency at the expense of the county or state. Either would be very acceptable to the people of this city. Courier Mr. Crabtree informs us that his firm have commenced work on a two-story brick at Bartley, to be 50x80 feet and that they will probably build another like it, to include some 600 thousand brick. They will also burn two more kilns at this place this season, making an output of over one million brick. Most of these are already contracted and our town will still continue its modest, yet steady and substantial growth. Clean out the gamblers and demimonde!

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THE COUNTY INSTITUTE. STILL BETTER. EDITOR TRIBUNE.—On reading your editorial notes in last week's TRIBUNE on the 8-foot corn of Mr. Church on Red Willow I took a ten-foot pole and went to my corn field. The first hill to which I applied the measure gave me 9 feet 7 inches with tassel just coming out of the sheath. A little farther and I had to splice my measuring rod—had 10 feet 2 1/2 inches. I then crossed the road and entered my neighbor's (J. A. Taylor) field and I found plenty of stalks over 10 feet high and one 11 feet 2 1/2 inches with a circumference of 7 inches. In neighbor J. E. Helm's I found a stalk 11 feet 8 inches with the tassel only about half out of sheath; three-ear sets, the upper one 8 feet 4 inches from the ground. The fine showers of past three nights are giving new vigor to our corn fields and we can climb up on these measurements not a little in the course of ten day. We shall have to employ tall men this fall to gather corn. ROYAL BUCK. THE Journal is officially informed that the schedules for the retail price of Canon City coal along the line of the B. & M. railroad is as follows: Price at the yards at all points in Nebraska west of McCook, \$6.65. At McCook and all points west of Indianola, \$6.80. At Indianola and all points west of Bartley, \$6.95. At Bartley and all points west of Cambridge, \$7.10. At Cambridge and all points to the Missouri river, \$7.25.—State Journal. In addition to his bran new livery barn, Oscar Russell also sports a son of tender age, who put in an appearance at the Russell mansion, last Friday. FARM LOANS. Made by the McCook Loan and Trust Co. on deeded land, or on final receipts, when proof is unquestionable, without sending east for funds. No interest is payable in advance, but ten per cent. straight. Money paid as soon as abstract can be obtained. Office in First National Bank. FOR SALE. B. F. Oleott has two second-hand top buggies for sale, or will trade for horses. Also remember that Oleott has the finest road stallion in the west, and farmers and stockmen should see him before breeding elsewhere. PROFESSIONAL NURSE. Those in need of my services please call at the residence of G. W. Minkler, N. W. of School House. Mrs. Almida Wellington. FOR SALE OR TRADE. Parties wishing to purchase or trade for a first-class hotel property should inquire at this office. 5-ff. ORGAN FOR SALE. A second-hand organ, in good condition, will be sold cheap. Inquire of M. A. SPALDING.

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