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Main Avenue will loom up large with four new brick buildings.

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If you want a nice buggy at reasonable figures please call on G. B. Nettleton, agent.

The City Bakery's bread is known all along the B. & M. west of here for its excellence.

Pianos and organs rented at the Metropolitan Drug Store until the rent pays for the instrument.

Please do not forget to call and settle your account with me at once, and oblige, W. W. PALMER.

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

Pocket state maps at this office. These maps are just from the press and are accurate and complete to date.

G. B. Nettleton is agent for a horse power feed grinder, with attachment for shelling corn or any other kind of rotary work.

The Red Willow grist mill is being so over-run with business as to require an addition, work on which is now progressing. The proprietors have a snug little mill, which turns out first-class work, and is making its owners money.

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Commercial Hotel Baths.

The Republican County Convention will be held at Indianola, Saturday, Aug. 21st, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Precinct caucuses are recommended for next Thursday afternoon, August 19th, from 1 to 7 o'clock.

The Lincoln Land Co. has purchased 80 acres of land at Wray, Colo., and will lay out a town at once.

The old Gazette building on West Dennison street is now occupied by a dealer in shells and other trinkets.

The Methodist pulpit will be occupied, next Sunday morning and evening, by P. C. Johnson, P. E., of Indianola.

In the line of improvements we notice a commodious addition, by Leon F. Moss, to his residence on Marshall street, this week.

On and after August 16th, this will be a money order office. An announcement that our people will hail with delight.

We understand that H. W. Pike has decided to locate in Kansas City, in business, the nature of which we have not learned.

Ten Cents will buy a nice box of paper, containing 25 sheets of paper and 25 envelopes, at THE TRIBUNE stationery department.

Young man Friday of the "Democrat for revenue only" is accurately described as the "Truth Colorer," by an admiring friend.

Cholera morbus and typhoid fever are the prevailing ailments. Judgment and prudence should be taken by the people in large quantities, as preventives.

I now offer my store room on Main street, as good a location as in the city, for sale cheap for cash, from now to September 1st. W. W. PALMER.

The small building being erected adjoining Colfer & Cordeal's old law office on South Main will be occupied, next week, by Geo. Sheppard, with his jewelry stock.

A man by the name of Ihle, who lives a few miles south of this city, was arrested on Wednesday of last week and taken to Iowa. On what charge we have not learned.

On the inside of this issue will be found an interesting biography of the departed Sage of Grammery Park, who laid down the cares of earth, at Greystone, August 4th.

The south half of the Scott building has been rented by R. C. Fisher, who will at once open a cigar store and factory therein. THE TRIBUNE wishes him success in this new business enterprise.

Three or four hundred dollars worth of new and additional machinery has just been put in the McCook Feed Mill by C. A. Nettleton, and he is in better form than ever to meet the increasing demands of his trade.

Rev. Joel S. Kelsey will speak next Sabbath at the Congregational church upon "Agriculture and its Merits." A special address to farmers, yet of interest to all. In the evening the subject will be "The Black Tongue."

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Not having the legal means of raising the money to pay the unreasonable salaries of the city officers it has been necessary to resort to schemes to compass the desired end. And a more disgraceful travesty on the law were hard to imagine than the course pursued at the beginning of this month. We understand that the police simply went around to the gamblers and prostitutes and taxed them so much, amounting to \$140, which money instead of being placed with F. L. McCracken, the City Treasurer, to the credit of the school fund, as the law requires, was applied on the salaries of the city officers, entirely contrary to law. As a matter of law and justice the police have no more authority to lay an embargo on these outcasts, in this manner, than they have upon the most immaculate citizen amongst us. These people should be arrested, brought before the Police Judge, and fined, according to law, and the officer that pursues any other course, does so at his peril. The procedure is illegal, outrageous and nasty, and the man who dabbles in it, throws himself open to severe criticism.

Contrast the condition of affairs in Western Illinois, as described by the Monmouth Gazette, with our own Western Nebraska, the "Great American Desert," where we have plenty of moisture and superabundant crops:

"It would be possible but not profitable to talk long about the weather. Suffice to say that the mercury keeps up in the nineties, it doesn't rain and the drouth has probably placed the corn crop beyond redemption, even by copious showers. Stock is being shipped for want of feed and water, and all the unpleasantness of the largest dry spell for years is being endured."

Last Monday afternoon, while doing some shopping at Wilcox & Fowler's store on West Dennison St., Miss Mary Melia, was a victim of some miserable sneak thief, who relieved her of her purse containing about \$25 in cash. Miss Melia had gone over to the McEntee House to see some samples and had placed her shopping bag, containing the purse and money, on a shelf in the above-named store. Upon her return from the hotel, the purse and contents were gone. No clue to the thief. The loss falls the heavier upon Miss Mary at this juncture, when she has the greatest need of it.

It is a matter of humiliation and regret that the base ball players of this city do not possess the good taste, the regard for the day, and the respect for the feelings of others, to refrain from playing on Sunday. The yelling and profanity of those engaged in this sport in past Sundays, has plainly been heard by the residents in the eastern part of the city. It is to be hoped that this reference to the matter will suggest to the base ballists of the city the propriety of observing the day in a more civilized and becoming manner.

The county central committee convened at Indianola, last Saturday, in pursuance of a call of Chairman Berger. The time for holding the county convention was settled upon for Saturday, August 21st, and Thursday, August 19th was recommended as the time for holding the various precinct caucuses. The basis of representation is the same as of the past two years, the vote for Regent Burnham being the criterion for this year. Elsewhere we give the call, which contains the number of delegates from each precinct.

Among the officers to be elected at the coming fall election, none are of more vital importance than that of County Commissioner. To this office, the second district, which comprehends the city of McCook, is entitled. It is time that the people were casting around for some active, business man to represent the second district on the board of county commissioners. The time for holding the county convention draws on apace.

Last week, Dr. L. J. Spickelmier, who lives just northeast of the city, threshed 340 bushels of oats from a planting of 7 bushels. The oats is of the white variety, and the threshers declare it to be the heaviest yield they ever handled in their years of experience. A neighbor of the doctors also threshed 65 bushels of wheat from a 3-acre patch. A very fair yield, by the way.

The wet goods organ is quite profuse with its advice to other towns "to fire out the festive demi monde, that they are productive of no good," etc., but for "fear of giving the town a bad name," you know, never raises its voice against that element in our city. It may be a little difficult for that organ to "sting the hand that feeds it," however.

PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

We, the undersigned, residents of McCook, Neb., believing that an organization having for its object the advancement of popular intelligence by means of a public library, hereby extend to all ladies and gentlemen a cordial invitation to attend a mass meeting for the organization of a Public Library Association, on August 24th, 1886, at 8 o'clock P. M., M. T. at Menard's Opera Hall:

G. L. Laws, J. Byron Jennings, T. M. Helm, Bowman & Frederick, M. E. Walters, J. E. Cochran, Chenery & Anderson, H. Trowbridge, B. B. Davis, Geo. Hocknell, A. Campbell, Joel S. Kelsey, J. B. Meserve, Colfer & Cordeal, F. M. Kimmell, W. C. LaTourrette, S. L. Green, S. Strasser, V. Franklin, Justin A. Wilcox, Sarah Roberts, Moore & Herbert, M. E. Walters, J. E. Cochran, Chenery & Anderson, H. Trowbridge, B. B. Davis, Geo. Hocknell, A. Campbell, Joel S. Kelsey, J. B. Meserve, Colfer & Cordeal, F. M. Kimmell, W. C. LaTourrette, S. L. Green, S. Strasser.

THE TRIBUNE WOULD LIKE TO SEE

The stock market brace up.

The brick building boom continue.

A more respectful observance of Sunday.

The grist mill project on its feet, ready for business.

The gamblers and demi-monde made beautifully scarcer.

Hon. G. L. Laws in the State Secretary's office at Lincoln.

The Mayor make a decent show of doing his duty, and executing the law.

A straight Republican elected to represent Red Willow county in the halls of assembly.

The most sanguine expectations for a profitably fast trade, realized by our merchants.

More pic-nic occasions—our people have too few recreation days—but less on Sundays.

Everybody speaking a good word for and taking an active interest in the coming county fair.

The would-be representative from this city, (who is so cute in barter and trade,) deliver the goods.

Greater harmony in the Republican ranks, and the bourbons getting away with less of the plunder.

A candidate for representative come forward who does not have to go to Indianola to make his announcement.

Some of our real estate and loan agents satisfied with the profits of their own business. Not laying an embargo on the publisher's.

A man elected representative from this county who has shown the very necessary qualifications of a law-abiding citizen. Not one who has grown rich, through years of violation of law, to a notorious degree.

WEDDING BELLS.

This evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, on Main Avenue, two of our well-known young people, Mr. Fred S. Harris and Miss Eda Menard, will be joined together in the bonds of Hymen, Squire S. H. Colvin officiating. The affair will be a very quiet one, only the members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Leach, and Messrs. F. M. Snow and E. L. Laycock are to be present. Mr. F. M. Snow and Miss Josie Menard, and Mr. E. L. Laycock and Miss Dell Menard, will be bride-men and bride-maids. The following is a partial list of the presents:

LARGE RUG—Miss Dell Menard. FULL SET CHINA—Bride's Father. PAIR LACE CURTAINS—Bride's Mother. SET SILVER SPOONS—Miss Josie Menard. SILVER BUTTER DISH—Bride's Grandmother.

CASE OF FINE OLD WINES—Bride's Grandfather, Chicago. TABLE LINEN, SET SILVER FORKS AND KNIVES—Bride's Mother. BED ROOM SET, CHAIRS, ETC.—F. M. Snow. PLUSH PARLOR SET, 7 PIECES—Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Leach.

ELEGANT SWISS CLOCK—Mr. E. L. Laycock and Mr. A. E. Cronwell. CHERRY WARDROBE—F. M. Snow. A number of useful presents from Groom to Bride.

THE TRIBUNE wishes them a bon voyage over the sea of matrimony.

L. L. Hulburd for County Attorney.

The members of the Red Willow County Bar held a meeting last night at the office of Jennings & Starbuck to express a choice for the office of County Attorney. The meeting was called to order and I. J. Starbuck made chairman. The following resolution was introduced and unanimously carried:

We, the undersigned, members of the Red Willow County Bar, do hereby pledge ourselves to support for nomination to the office of County Attorney, the person who shall be selected for that position by those present this evening, without regard to the politics of such person, and to request the nomination of such person by both political parties. We do further pledge ourselves to use every honorable means to secure the nomination of the choice of this meeting, and if nominated by either party, his election.

Signed by every member of the McCook, August 11, '86. McCook Bar. Motion made that a copy be furnished to every paper in the City and that the papers in the county be requested to copy, carried. Motion made that we now proceed to an election of a candidate for the office of County Attorney, carried. Ballot taken which resulted in the selection of L. L. Hulburd, who was then made the unanimous choice of the meeting. Motion made that a committee be appointed to present Mr. Hulburd's nomination to the respective parties as a non-partisan candidate for the office of County Attorney, carried. The chair appointed Messrs. Cochran, Cole, Williams, Colfer and Wiley as such committee.

This action was based on the broad ground that the office of county attorney is and should be a non-partisan one and that the man should be selected without regard to party lines and that the attorneys should have a voice in the selection of the man who should represent them in this professional office. Moved that we now adjourn, carried.

The entire Bar of McCook were present at the meeting and the enthusiasm with which this selection was made shows that the sentiment of the Bar is with Mr. Hulburd. SECRETARY.

To My Friends and Patrons.

On account of the failure of my father's health in the east, I am in duty bound to be near at hand with him, and I therefore offer you special bargains from now to September 1st, in harness goods. And I also ask those knowing themselves to be indebted to me to call between this and September 1st and settle up their accounts. Yours Respectfully, W. W. PALMER.



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USUALLY FOUND IN BANKRUPT STOCKS. WE STILL CONTINUE TO BE THE LOWEST PRICED HOUSE IN THE VALLEY.

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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.

H. W. Cole returned, Monday noon, from his Illinois trip.

E. S. Wood left, Tuesday, for Farragut, Iowa, on a three week's visit.

Louis J. A. Volters, county clerk of Dundy, had business in this chief city, Monday.

Master Mechanic D. Hawksworth of Plattsmouth was here on business, yesterday.

State Treasurer Willard of Lincoln went to McCook, yesterday.—State Journal of Sunday.

H. T. Anderson made a business visit to the county-seat, Friday morning of last week.

Editor Ralph McCracken of the News, Hayes Center, was a Sunday visitor in this city.

R. H. Hamilton of the county-seat transacted business in this commercial centre, Friday.

Mrs. Frank Everts has been very low with typhoid fever, with some improvement at this time.

Oscar Shaw, one of Indianola's business men, was in town, Monday, between trains 33 and 40.

Miss Jennie Richardson of Plattsmouth, niece of Squire Colvin, made a flying visit in the city, Tuesday.

W. E. Fry made a business trip to Lincoln, Beatrice and other points, Friday, returning home on Sunday night.

John C. Harlan of the Kaleidoscope and Frank Kelley of Cambridge were among the Sunday tourists in the city.

Sylvester Cordeal of Akron, attended the meeting of Constantine Commandery in this city, Thursday evening.

T. J. Floyd of the Trenton Torpedo was a caller at these headquarters, Saturday, while en route to the state capital.

Charles Buschow of Red Cloud, a member of the railroad commission, was a visitor in the city, Friday of last week.

Dr. L. J. Spickelmier went down to Blue Hill, to-day, expecting to be absent about a week on some business matters.

J. E. Cochran, Esq., went down to Crete, yesterday evening, on business. He will return to-night or to-morrow noon.

Judge Cobb of Lincoln, came up to the city, Tuesday, on a short visit to Register Laws, returning home, yesterday morning.

E. W. Viers of Elliott, Iowa, brother of Mrs. Jos. Spotts, arrived in the city, Friday of last week, on a short visit to his sister.

G. W. Jacobson of Girard, Saline county, was in town, the first of the week, and while here invested in some city residence lots on the hill.

Mrs. C. A. Scott and Miss Edith Crane, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Sutton, at Franklin, returned home, last Wednesday.

Frank Casebeer, of Somerset, Penna., stopped over in the city, a few days, the first of this week, on his return from Denver and the mountains. He has taken a position in the Gazette office.

R. C. Fisher went to Denver, Monday evening, to complete arrangements for opening up a cigar store in the Scott building in the immediate future.

Fred Harris returned from Brooklyn, N. Y., Tuesday evening, his sister having so far recovered as to allow of his return to his position at this place.

H. H. Troth is down from the Willow, to-day. He will remove his family here, the last of the month. He expects Mr. Clough from Philadelphia to arrive on to-night train, to spend some time on the ranch.

Rev. M. W. Hanna, D. D., of Baltimore, Md., an active member of the Board of Home Missions of the Evangelical Lutheran church, stopped over here, last week, to visit Rev. J. W. Kimmel, and while here took a drive north of or 10 miles. He was surprised, both at the beauty and growth of our city, and the fine prospects for crops. He said he had not seen so good corn west of Baltimore. He paid a compliment to our hotels, by saying that they were the best he had visited west of the Missouri.

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