

The McCook Tribune.

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Local Intelligence.

An end man—The undertaker.

Chas. Noble, the leading grocer. Heating Stoves at Cost, at W. C. LA-TOURETTE & Co.'s.

A full line of hardware, stoves and tinware at C. D. Palmer's.

The American Settler's Guide for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

C. D. Palmer, opposite McEntee, is the best place to buy your hardware.

Gilt and red seals for sale at THE TRIBUNE stationery department.

The best fresh and salt meats in the market at Brewer & Wilcox's meat market.

Brewer & Wilcox will buy your fat hogs. Call at their market, Main Avenue.

Drawing books at THE TRIBUNE stationery, blanks and blank book department.

Best Mince Meat in the market at Wilcox & Fowler's. Only 12 cents per pound.

It will pay you to call at C. D. Palmer's hardware store before purchasing elsewhere.

Bring the babies to Miller's photograph gallery now, while the weather is pleasant.

The latest and most accurate Nebraska state maps for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

The new grocery store of Chas. Noble is the place to purchase your groceries and provisions.

A well selected assortment of fresh candies at Chas. Noble's. His stock is fresh and clean.

Only three wagons left of last car. Will sell cheap to make room for new goods. C. P. RINKER.

Buy your baking powder at Chas. Noble's new grocery store, and secure one of those handsome pictures.

When you want a sack of good flour, go to Harvey Bros. feed store. They keep grades to suit everybody.

Miller takes every imaginable kind of pictures in the most life-like and artistic style, at the old Marble gallery.

A specialty of groceries, provisions, queensware, and in fact everything in the grocery line, at Chas. Noble's.

Remember that Chas. Noble is headquarters for everything fresh and clean in the staple and fancy grocery line.

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

Geared feed grinders, with four or six horse power and sheller attachments. Just the thing to make fat hogs, at Rinker's.

A line of very handsome library hanging lamps at Chas. Noble's. Call and see them.

Scissors, pen knives, carving knives and forks, all kinds of cutlery, as low as the lowest, at C. D. Palmer's opposite McEntee Hotel.

Another car of the best wind mills on earth just received by C. P. Rinker. Also in car, 5,000 pounds of pump fittings of every style imaginable.

Wiley & Bede are loaning money on farms at the lowest rates. Also have special bargains in real estate, at McCook Land Office.

They are very busy at Miller's gallery, just now, but if you desire your picture taken in an artistic manner, call and they will find the time to accommodate you.

The "Ne Plus Ultra Reclining Chair" is the finest chair we ever saw for the money. You can find comfort in any position. It takes the place of a crib, cot, hammock or sofa. Every family should have one of the chairs. No office can afford to do without them. Send to the Reclining Chair Co., Blue Springs, Neb., for a sample card. Price with fine brussels carpet, \$4.00.

We have just received the best assortment of blank books, composition books, correspondence tablets, counter books, drawing books, exercise books, invoice books, ladies' shopping books, ladies' visiting lists, letter copying books, manilla blanks, memorandums, such as butcher books, desk flexible American Morocco, flexible American Russia, flexible Persian Russia, press board and sheep, also notes, drafts, receipts, writing pads, vest pocket, press board and printed press board pass books, students note books, time books, etc., ever brought to this city. Call and examine them. We have the line and our prices will catch you. At THE TRIBUNE Stationery Department.

Try the Commercial House, when in McCook, just once!

Real estate transfers have been "looking up," the past week.

A nobby new delivery wagon at the Chicago Store, this week.

This issue contains the cards of T. E. McCracken and H. W. Keyes.

The Y. P. A. service will be held at the school building, Sabbath, 6 P. M.

Oil papers for letter books at THE TRIBUNE stationery department.

A neat and artistic sign now indicates the way to L. Bernheimer's, the merchant tailor.

Queensware in the latest styles, plain and ornamented, at the leading grocer—Chas. Noble.

This week, C. D. Palmer, the West End hardware man, hangs his banner on the outer wall. See first page of TRIBUNE.

The Moss property on Marshall St. has been purchased by I. J. Starbuck. A half section of land is the stated consideration.

The new drayman, C. W. Stoddard, experienced the misfortune of a runaway, Monday evening, luckily with but nominal damages.

Lutheran services at the school house, next Sunday morning, subject, "The price paid." Evening, "The battlement." All are welcome.

A valuable gold watch is being raffled off by Master Mechanic Archibald. There are 100 chances at \$1.50, and they are going like hot cakes.

The "Famous" has a handsome line of Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods in addition to their large line of clothing, for men, youths, boys and children.

W. C. T. U. will meet at the residence of Mrs. Hollister, Saturday afternoon at 2:30, mountain time. Mrs. C. A. FREDERICK, Sec.

From the contractors of the city we learn that the prospects are bright for a sprightly building boom, in the spring. Already some ten or fifteen new residences are contemplated.

The song service meetings of the Y. P. A. are attracting large audiences. Remember the next meeting at the school house, Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, mountain time.

We willingly devote considerable space, this week, to G. A. R. matters. Every soldier will peruse the same with interest. It is contemplated to keep them advised upon all general orders hereafter.

Among last week's transfers was that by J. E. Cochran to F. L. Brown of lot 8, block 16, on Main Avenue, just south of THE TRIBUNE office. Consideration, \$600. Mr. Brown has secured a very desirable lot at a bargain.

On Monday, C. L. Bowman and H. G. Dixon consummated a deal whereby Mr. Dixon became the owner of the former's property in this city, Mr. Bowman receiving some land near Hayes Centre in return therefore.

A young child of Benjamin Sterns, of West McCook, died, Tuesday, of a malady our reporter was unable to ascertain. The funeral occurred, yesterday. We learn that the bereaved ones are new-comers and in needy circumstances.

The advent of the pay car east an unusual "halo of glory," so to speak, around this municipality, Friday morning, while the placid pool of finance received its monthly "troubling" to the joy and profit of merchant and creditors in general.

A large corps of railroad civil engineers pitched their tents in this city, Monday, since which time speculation and conjecture have been running high among our citizens. The engineers are now running lines west and northwest from this point.

The Palmer property on Main Avenue, lately bought by C. D. Ercanbrack, has again changed hands, Messrs. Stern & Strasser being the latest purchasers. \$2,800 was the amount of the consideration. So does the city continue to boom right merrily.

The dissolution notice of Messrs Noble & Brickey appears in this issue. Mr. Brickey takes the drug store at Scotia, while Mr. Noble assumes entire ownership of the grocery establishment in this city, and will make settlement of the firm's affairs here.

We have it from Frank H. Spearman that he will shortly commence the erection of a two-story cottage on lot 4, block 30, second addition, the same to be for rent. Also, that in the spring he will build four or five more, in various parts of the city, for the same purpose.

The Oakes Merrie Makers played to a crowded house in this city, Monday evening, giving a very creditable and satisfactory performance throughout, which was devoid of many of the objectionable ones, while possessing not a few of the pleasing features of similar entertainments.

The breath of life has again been breathed into the W. C. T. U. of this city. We hope the ladies may be able to keep alive the essential and vital spark and accomplish great things for "God and Home and Native Land." THE TRIBUNE will second all such efforts to the extent of its ability.

The railroad building idea has taken firm root in the McCook mind. Main and branch lines are being constructed with astonishing rapidity in that imaginative quarter. Brick blocks, street cars, electric light, and such other trifles light as air, are numerous in the mind's eye.

Take your hides, butter and eggs to Brewer & Wilcox, Main Avenue.

A clever genius has taken advantage of the fact that the bustles now in popular favor with the fair sex are of such pronounced amplitude in their generous proportions, and has invented a combination stool and bustle, having in view comfort and style too, which the patient fondly hopes may become "quite the proper thing."

Heating Stoves at Cost, at W. C. LA-TOURETTE & Co.'s.

By an unfortunate, though unavoidable accident, Register Hart lost a valuable horse, last Friday. It seems that the animal had been set free in the yard adjoining the stable, for exercise, and that in attempting to jump out of the enclosure it fell and broke its neck, death shortly ensuing. The equine was highly prized by Mr. Hart.

Lenons, Oranges and Sauer Kraut at WILCOX & FOWLER'S.

Our reporter recently overheard a visitor dilate upon the quality of McCook whiskey. This is his closing period: "Why," said he, growing eloquent, as he smacked his lips in token of remembrance, "it will actually make a man to steal his knife out of one pocket and put it into another, and then go home and break into his own trunk."

Bargains in stoves and tinware at C. D. Palmer's.

The Yuma conspiracy (?) case, in which a number of prominent citizens of that place were involved, was properly and promptly dismissed at Denver, last week. In the language of Special Agent Hobbs, "I don't propose that the government shall protect so horrible a fellow as this Embelen, and shall at once dismiss the case. You need not trouble yourselves further about the trial."

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The Y. P. A. meeting, Friday evening, at the residence of Geo. Hocknell, was the most largely attended and one of the pleasantest sessions of the association since its organization. The program of the occasion was meritorious, instructive and enjoyable. These meetings have come to be looked forward to with pleasant anticipations by the young people of the city, who are thus brought together under the most favorable and profitable auspices.

A fresh lot of candies received at Chas. Noble's, this week.

In attempting to prevent the runaway, Monday evening, E. R. Hineman sustained a painful injury to his foot. We are advised, in this connection, that a suit for damages will be prosecuted against the city, by C. W. Stoddard, it being averred that the fragrant and slightly manure pile which now ornaments North Main Avenue, besides protecting the water mains against the influence of Jack Frost, was the cause of the accident, or at least responsible therefor in a measure.

Anything in the line of hardware or tinware at C. D. Palmer's.

The close of last week, Mrs. Mary E. Clyde purchased the Black & McKillip meat market property on Main Avenue, paying therefor the neat, round sum of \$5,500. Shortly afterwards the same property was bought by Messrs. Brewer & Wilcox for \$5,600, which goes to show the confidence these gentlemen have in the city's future. It is not perhaps inappropriate to state that the signs of the times are to the effect that the coming spring will be a season of the greatest activity that this city has ever experienced.

Eggs wanted at Chas. Noble's. The highest market price paid.

Articles of incorporation filed, Monday afternoon, in the office of the secretary of state, gives notice of the intention of the B. & M. railway to construct another important branch in western Nebraska. The name of the company thus organized is the Republican Valley & Wyoming railroad. It is to run from a point at or near Culbertson, in Hitchcock county, in a generally northwesterly direction through Hitchcock, Hayes and Chase counties, to the Colorado line. The capital stock is placed at \$1,400,000. The incorporators are G. W. Holdrege, J. G. Taylor, W. A. Higgins, P. S. Eustis and C. D. Dorman.—State Journal.

Note change in the Famous Clothing Co.'s adv.

"Still the villain pursued him." Some wag has evidently been perpetrating another "cod" on our County Attorney. We would advise Rufus Moses to go gunning, or words to that effect. Here it is:

INDIANOLA, NEB., Jan. 17.—[Special.]—Col. Moses Snavely, states attorney for Red Willow county, departed to-night, for Lincoln, on receipt of a telegram from the Republican Valley members who are booming the distinguished attorney for senatorial honors as a dark mule. Ex-Senator Dolan and delegation also left to-night, also in charge of the colonel's boom.—Journal.

THE JUDGESHIP.

In view of the fact that bills are now pending in the legislature, looking to the redistricting of the judicial districts of the state, THE TRIBUNE takes this pleasurable occasion to suggest the name of J. E. Cochran, Esq. of this city, for the judgeship of the new district, embracing the counties of Furnas, Red Willow, Hitchcock, Dundy, Gosper, Frontier, Hayes and Chase, proposed to be formed out of the western part of the present eighth district. Mr. Cochran has been an esteemed and able member of the legal fraternity of this city for the past three years. His character as a citizen has been unimpeachable, while his studious application to his chosen profession has been a matter of general observation and remark, and such as to qualify him for the duties attached necessarily to the important office of judge. Should the contemplated changes be made, as provided in bills now before our law makers, Governor Thayer will meet the approbation of this constituency in the appointment of J. E. Cochran.

THE SENATORIAL SITUATION.

Below we give the results of the ballots taken for United States Senator up to the time of going to press:

TUESDAY NOON.

Van Wyck	44
Morton	32
Paddock	12
Weaver	16
Cobb	10
Laird	6
Reese	2
Thayer	2
Dundy	2
Miller	1
Majors	1
Maxwell	1
Livingston	1
Dilworth	1
Nance	1

WEDNESDAY NOON.

Van Wyck	49
Miller	19
Paddock	17
Weaver	14
Cobb	8
Laird	5
Munger	5
Thayer	3
Reese	2
Scattering	11

THURSDAY NOON.

Van Wyck	60
Paddock	25
Weaver	17
Munger	8
Cobb	8
Thayer	5
Scattering	10

A NEW RAILROAD.

The charter was filed on Dec. 28th, 1886, for a new railroad, to be known as the Nebraska, Kansas & Texas R. R., of standard gauge. The initial point being North Platte, Nebraska; thence south through Nebraska to the north line of Decatur county, Kansas, thence south through Decatur, Sheridan, Gove, Lane, Hodgman, Clark, Mead and Seward counties, Kansas, across the Pan-Handle to Wormwood, Texas. The principal place of doing business will be at Oberlin, Decatur county. The number of directors shall be fifteen, to wit: J. B. Hitchcock, C. E. Chandler, G. F. Bogue, W. A. Frazier, Tully Scott, A. L. Patchin, D. C. Moser and L. G. Parker, all of Oberlin; J. B. Beal, of Gainfield, Gove county; L. S. Steele, of Ravanna, Hodgman county; George M. Hoover, of Dodge City, Ford county; M. J. O'Meara, Mead Center, Mead county; Joseph McConnell, of North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, and George Hocknell, of McCook, Red Willow county Nebraska. The capital stock will be \$2,000,000, divided into 20,000 shares of the value of \$100 each. Estimated length of road, 500 miles. Officers for the first year—J. B. Hitchcock, president; G. E. Chandler, vice president; G. F. Bogue, secretary; W. A. Frazier, treasurer; L. G. Parker, director. A survey of the road will be made as soon as the weather will permit, and propositions made to each county on the line of road as soon as the survey is complete. Such a line of road will open up a large territory now comparatively unoccupied, and be of great benefit to the various counties through which it would pass.

Very satisfactory results crowned the labors of the ladies of the M. E. church, at their oyster supper in the McNeely brick, Friday evening of last week. The generous and thorough preparations made by the ladies, received a merited recognition in the splendid patronage received.

Owing to a little ice and a pool of water, Jim McAdams failed to attend the dance at the Central Hotel, last night.

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.

J. W. Ferguson returned to the claim, near Trenton, Tuesday noon.

Fred Lytle was down from Benkelman, Friday evening, a few hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cramer arrived from Albia, Iowa, the first of the week.

J. A. Peterman of Indianola was a Commercial guest, yesterday afternoon.

Miss Alice Murphy, of the city schools, visited friends at the county-seat, Saturday.

H. Trowbridge made a tax-paying pilgrimage to the county-seat, yesterday evening.

Miss Lue Chrysler, of the Indianola schools, was in the city, a few hours, Saturday afternoon.

W. C. Bullard of Culbertson took in the Merrie Makers, Monday evening, among the "gallery gods."

W. J. McGillin, of the Harlem Cattle Co., Stratton, was a business visitor in the city, yesterday evening.

J. E. Cochran, Esq., run down to the county-seat, Saturday evening, on a little matter of business.

H. W. Cole, Esq., went down to Lincoln, Saturday, to attend Supreme Court. He will return home to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Woods left, Sunday evening, on an extended visit to their respective homes in the Buckeye State.

Clarence A. Nettleton, who has been up in the Dismal country for a number of weeks, returned home, the first of the week.

Allen Bartley, the business manager of the "Varsity" town, consulted with legal talent in this metropolis, Friday afternoon.

Scott McCoy was called to his home in Iowa, Saturday, by a telegram announcing the illness of his mother. He left on No. 40.

Supt. Campbell, C. F. Babcock and W. S. Morlan hurried away to the seat of the Senatorial conflict, at Lincoln, Tuesday evening.

Frank Vore is still confined to his room and bed, but improving slowly under professional skill and the kindly ministrations of friends.

Abram Hammond of Stoughton returned, last week, from a visit to his old Indiana home, better pleased and satisfied than ever with Red Willow county.

Leon F. Moss purposes bidding final farewell to these parts, to-morrow. He intends locating in Los Angeles, Cal., as soon as his arrangements are completed.

Geo. Hocknell's old enemy—rheumatism—has been laying violent hands upon him, this week. He was able, however, to be at his office, this morning, with the aid of crutches.

T. J. Colfer left, Tuesday morning, for his home in Nineveh, Indiana. He has about determined to abandon the railroad life, his recent experience in the business being his sufficiency.

E. M. Brickey arrived in the city, Saturday noon, from Scotia, where he is now located in the drug business. After spending a few days looking after his interests in this place, he returned home.

Mr. Feagan, of Feagan & Morrison, made his final departure from this city, yesterday evening, for Mattoon, Ill., his old home, where he will engage in the practice of his profession—the law.

C. L. Bowman, of the Times, and R. A. McCracken, of the News, came down from the Centre, Sunday, on business. Mr. Bowman returned home, Monday, Mr. McCracken remaining here until to-day.

Mr. Leach of Wynore, the architect of the Citizens bank and Franklin brick, of this city, and the First National bank, at Indianola, came up to the county-seat, Friday night last, and has been finishing his work at this place, this week.

Bert Lufkin came up, Tuesday noon, from Red Cloud, where he has been for a number of weeks under treatment of the B. & M.'s surgeon at that place. He reported for duty at headquarters here, Tuesday. Bert's friends will be glad to learn of his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Odell, parents of Mrs. B. F. Olcott, departed for Brooklyn, Iowa, Monday evening, after quite an extended visit with their daughter. B. F. Olcott, Jr., accompanied them to Brooklyn, where he goes to attend school during the coming year.

The bill introduced in the Illinois Senate, by Senator Chapman, for the free publication and distribution of books to the pupils of the public schools of the state, provides that a competent number of the convicts in the Joliet and Chester penitentiaries be employed to manufacture such books. The work to be done at Joliet, and when the necessary number of men cannot be secured at the prison, the bill provides that, on a proper showing of the facts, the governor may order the transfer of men from the Chester penitentiary, to supply the deficiency. Provision is made for the purchase of a plant, at a cost not exceeding \$50,000, and sufficient to employ two hundred and fifty convicts. The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the President of the State Normal University at Normal, and the State University at Carbondale, and their successors in office, are constituted a committee to provide a uniform system of text books. They are to select, if possible, a series suited to the wants of the schools and not covered by copyright. If such series cannot be obtained, they are to negotiate for the privilege of copyright for the state upon such books as they may choose, limiting the amount to be paid for this purpose to a reasonable sum.

Rev. Joel S. Kelsey will speak, next Sabbath morning, upon the subject, "For whom did Christ die?" In the evening upon, "The wrong side."

The South Mission school of the Congregational church is held every Sabbath at the house of C. A. Scott at 2 P. M., mountain time.

Extra Agent C. H. Hardy is looking after the agent's business, at this depot, during Mr. Wood's absence in the east.

A social dancing club, to be known by the initial letters "Q. A. T.," has been organized in the city, with the following officers: E. E. Lowman, president; E. L. Laycock, secretary; W. J. Hills, treasurer and master of ceremonies. The club already enjoys a flourishing membership of 34. The first hop takes place at the Opera Hall, to-morrow evening. The club promises many delightful evenings to its members.

There will appear, in a few days, "Our District," a paper published in the interests of the Indianola District, West Nebraska Conference. It will be issued from Bartley by Presiding Elder P. C. Johnson. Subscription, 30 cents per year; single copies, 5 cents each.

Provided a sufficient number of pupils can be secured, H. T. Anderson has signified his willingness to instruct a class in book-keeping. All desirous of taking such a course should report to him at once.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held in West McCook, every Friday night, and in South McCook, every Tuesday night, under the auspices of the Congregational church.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell at my residence, one-half mile west of McCook, on

SATURDAY, FEB. 5th, 1887,

the following described property, to-wit:

75 High Grade Cows,
25 Common Cows,
2 Good Saddle Ponies,
1 Hay Frame,
1 Two-Horse Wagon,
1 Sett Double Harness,
1 Large Water Tank,
With numerous other implements not mentioned.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums under \$10, cash. Over \$10, 8 month's time, with good bankable security. All stock must be settled for before removing same from the yard. JOHN FARLEY.

BEST BARGAINS YET!

WE SELL

13 lbs. Granulated Sugar for - \$1.00
14 lbs. Extra C. Sugar for - \$1.00
16 lbs. Prunes for - \$1.00
6 Cans Syrup Peaches, 3-lbs. full, \$1.00

Also ALL Groceries, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Dry Goods, and Notions, as cheap as any house in town. WILCOX & FOWLER.

960 Acres of Land to Rent.

320 acres on the Driftwood, 50 acres under cultivation. 320 acres, 12 miles south of McCook, 65 acres under cultivation, house and well. 160 acres on the Frenchman, house and well. 160 acres adjoining the Akron, Colo., town-site, 25 acres broke. Will rent from 1 to 3 years. GEO. E. JOHNSTON, McCook, Neb.

FARM LOANS.

Cash Down. No Delay.

No need of waiting to send off applications. Money paid over as soon as papers are completed. Call on or address, RED WILLOW CO. BANK, 43-4f Indianola, Neb.

FOR SALE—CHEAP.

One new 3-seat, 3-spring wagon; one second-hand buggy. Also, one 2-seat covered carriage, second-hand. Will sell the above articles at decided bargains. Call and see me.

B. F. OLCOTT, Prop.,

City Livery, McCook, Neb.

Real Estate Loans.

We have completed arrangements whereby we can furnish those who want a loan, money on real estate, promptly and without the usual disappointing delays. Call and see us. We are also prepared to make chattel mortgage loans. CITIZENS BANK.

DON'T BE AFRAID

If you see Squire J. W. Bennett coming after you. Dr. Kay has placed his accounts in the hands of the deputy, who is rustling after the doctor's creditors in dead earnest, that's all.

Money to Loan

On improved farms. Money furnished for final proofs without delay and at low rate of interest. First door north of the depot. R. D. BABCOCK.

House for Rent.

A 3-room house in a desirable location. Furniture may be leased with building, or bought on easy terms. Inquire of WILEY & BEDE.

IMPORTANT.

Parties who have made final proof and desire to have patent issued for the land, should call and see DAVIS & TURNER.

FARM FOR RENT.

50 acres under cultivation. Good frame house. One mile from McCook. S. H. COLVIN.

SORGHUM SEED!

New crop cane seed for sale, wholesale or retail, by M. WILLSON, Blue Hill, Webster Co., Neb.

HOGS and CATTLE

For sale. Enquire of S. H. Colvin, McCook, Neb.

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