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Local Intelligence.

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McCracken's Jewelry Store

Is now located on the corner north of Postoffice. We pride ourselves of having the FINEST JEWELRY STORE in the valley, and we are better prepared to do all kinds of work than ever before.

Another big drop on Watches and Clocks. Now is the time to buy at wholesale prices. We have the best assortment of Gold Watches, Jewelry, Clocks and Silverware outside of Omaha.

Remember we give particular attention to repairing of Fine Watches and Engraving.

Chas. Noble, the leading grocer.

Dancing slippers at J. F. Ganschow's.

Unlaundried dress and night shirts at The Famous.

Dancing slippers at J. F. Ganschow's. Let us all try a pair.

For choice cuts of meats of all kinds, call at McHugh Bros.

WANTED—A good fresh milk cow. Farmers & Merchants Bank.

A complete line of ladies' and gent's fine shoes at J. F. Ganschow's.

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

Young man, call at The Famous and see latest things in Suits and Pants.

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

A good young stallion for sale. Part cash and balance on time. Call at my office. C. P. RINKER.

Monarch gasoline stoves at Lytle Bros. & Co's. The very best in the market.

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

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

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

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

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

A nice fit is always wanted. Try J. F. Ganschow, the practical boot and shoe dealer. You will never fail.

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

Ladies, those who love to dress their boys neatly and with taste, call at The Famous and see new style suits just received.

New Crown Sewing Machines at Rinker's @ \$5 per month until paid. These are the finest Sewing Machines in the market.

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

The new meat market of McHugh Bros. is prepared to sell you the best of everything in their line. At the old Palmer stand.

If you have anything in the line of photograph work you want done take it to Miller, and give him a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed.

The ladies in particular, those who do the buying for their husbands and boys, we invite to call at The Famous and examine the new styles.

The finest and best lady's shoe is made by John Kelly, and J. F. Ganschow always keeps them in all widths and sizes from B. to EE. Try a pair.

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

Fry & Snow's old stand is the place to buy your Flour and Feed, also Garden and all kinds of Farm Seeds. We have come to stay and will make prices reasonable. HARVEY BROS.

We carry the largest variety of cuts and are best prepared to print horse bills of any job office in the Republican Valley. Call and see us if you want anything in that line. Our work and prices commend themselves.

Our prices are below any competition in the state. It pays to deal with the reliable firm of J. C. ALLEN & CO'S., The Leaders.

Beautiful weather, eh! Dancing slippers at J. F. Ganschow's. A desk for sale at this office. Cheap for cash. The city election transpires on Tuesday, April 5th. Still the tide of emigration comes surging up the valley. Observe change in "The Famous" advertisement, this week.

WANTED—A good fresh milk cow. Farmers & Merchants Bank.

Large line of hosiery and underwear just received at The Famous.

Business men advertise on the principle that it's a paying investment.

Large line of Fancy Shirts for men and boys just received at The Famous.

Considerable important matter fails to appear, this week, for lack of space.

The K. of P. order of the city is organizing a uniform rank of that rising society.

The teachers' reading circle met with Miss Rachael Berry, Monday evening of this week.

Everybody should attend the grand opening of Spring Millinery at Mrs. J. B. McCabe's.

On our eighth page will be found the proceedings of the late commissioners' meeting.

Don't buy anything in boys' or men's wear before you see the new styles at The Famous.

The Y. P. A. prayer service will be held next Sabbath, at 6 P. M., in the school house.

Two sisters of charity are in the city, to-day, soliciting aid for a hospital at Grand Island.

Applications for proof made out free at this office. We carry a full line of the necessary blanks.

It is stated on pretty reliable authority that W. O. Saylor will not be an applicant for license, this spring.

The city council met, last evening. Among the more engrossing subjects of discussion was the fire plug tax question.

There were the regular dances at the McNeely hall, Thursday evening, and at the Opera hall, Friday evening, of last week.

The school census will be taken by Mr. Webster, between March 26th and April 4th, the law requiring it to be taken at that time.

A young people's meeting will be held, next Saturday, at 2 o'clock, P. M., mountain time, at the school building. All are cordially invited.

Rev. Joel S. Kelsey will speak, next Sabbath morning, upon "The King's Penknife," and in the evening upon "The Death of Beecher."

The creditors of W. H. Peck will meet at Indianola, Monday, March 28, for the purpose of choosing an assignee to succeed Sheriff Welborn.

Occasional chilly mornings and evenings remind us of the advisability of sticking to flannels until those nether garments stick to the wearer.

Lot 18, block 8, with the residence thereon, on Macfarland street, was purchased, last week, by Frank Harris, from W. E. Fry. Consideration \$600.

In a special car, attached to No. 40, Governor Alger and family of Michigan passed through this station, Tuesday evening, en route home from California.

The democratic deity of harmony is not propitious these piping times of war, and clouds and darkness enshroud our-bour-bordom. Hence these lachrymose drip-pings.

Lutheran services by the pastor, next Sunday, at the public school building, at 10:30 o'clock, A. M., and 7 o'clock, P. M., mountain time. Everybody invited.

This evening, Misses Mamie and Dora Hunt will entertain a company of young friends at their home in West McCook. Progressive euchre will form the basis of enjoyment.

The Burlington has issued an order recalling all editorial passes on or before midnight of March 31st. Knights of the quill will test their walking qualities thereafter.

This office printed three briefs, Friday and Saturday of last week, aggregating twenty-five pages. We are unexcelled in this line, as well as in all other plain and fancy job work.

From a private source we learn of the sudden death of W. F. Wallace's father, in New York city, recently. Mr. Wallace's friends in this city will hear this news with sorrow and regret.

A FEW SALES—This week, H. G. Dixon has sold the following property: Lots 11 and 12, block 7, first addition, M. Yager. Lot 3, block 7, 1st add., and lot 7, block 3, original town, to Benj. Haumer of Polo, Ill.

This week, Frank H. Spearman bought for Thomas Lonergan of Chicago the Charles Anderson property, southwest corner of Dennison and Macfarland streets. Consideration, \$1,750.

To a disinterested outside spectator it appears that W. O. Saylor is ahead of the game, so to speak, in the prevailing democratic unpleasantness. While the doughty Judge is enshrined in glory and anathemas.

A large body of workmen in the employ of Fitzgerald, the railroad contractor, passed through here, yesterday, en route for the Upper Beaver, where they commence operations on that branch of the B. & M.

The Young People's Association will meet at the residence of Dr. Kay, on Marshall street, to-morrow evening. The customary general invitation is extended. A profitable and enjoyable occasion is assured.

A young coon, who has been loafing around the depot, lately, stole some articles out of a stranger's grip, this morning, and the last seen of him he was energetically counting railroad ties between here and Indianola.

A Minden dry goods man was in the city, Tuesday, looking over the town with a view of locating here. He was most favorably impressed with our city, but his determination in the matter of removal we are unable to report.

We call your attention to the advertisement of Prof. Watt, appearing in this issue. The professor is a thorough musician and instructor, and those desirous of taking a course in music will do well to call upon or address him.

Remember the spring opening, Saturday, at Mrs. J. B. McCabe's.

On Friday evening, April 1st, the close of the present term of school, an entertainment will be given in the Opera hall, by the scholars of the public schools of the city. Of this we will write more specifically and at length in our next.

Something entirely new in the line of gasoline stoves, at Lytle Bros. & Co's.

We understand that the Watkins Bros. of Blue Hill have disposed of the "good will" of their paper at Blue Hill, and that they will ship their outfit to Indianola and shortly commence the publication of a paper in the county-seat.

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

An accident happened Peter Carty, a switchman in the B. & M. yards, last night, which resulted in his losing the first and second fingers of his left hand. His hand was pinched in making a coupling. Dr. Davis performed the amputation.

Corn Stalk Cutters at cost at Rinker's for the next 30 days.

This morning, death claimed as his own a young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanderson, who has been ill for a week or ten days with that dread disease—diphtheria. The funeral took place, this afternoon. The sympathy of this community is hereby extended to the sorrowing parents.

Blue Grass and Clover seed at W. C. LaTourette & Co's.

On Thursday of last week, death robbed Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gillespie of the South Side of their infant of tender age. The little one was tenderly consigned to Mother Earth's keeping in Fairview cemetery, Friday. The young couple have the sincerest sympathy of many friends in this, their first sorrow.

Choice fresh and salt meats at the new meat market of McHugh Bros.

The Lutheran brethren of the city are now engaged in soliciting funds for the erection of a church edifice. They are meeting with encouraging success, and hope to commence work on the building about April 1st. Its estimated cost is \$3,500. Is to be built of brick, and will be a credit to our city, when complete.

Nebraska City Breaking Plows at C. P. Rinker's.

The B. & M. is arranging for a fast train between St. Louis and Denver. The distance is 840 miles, which is to be compassed in 28 hours, or an average of 30 miles an hour, including stops for water, change of engines, etc. It is expected that the fast train will be put on in June, or as soon as the Rulo bridge is completed.

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

An entertaining lecture on foreign missions, by Miss Brooks, of Omaha, was delivered in the Congregational church, Sunday evening, to a small audience, though an interested one. The young lady arrived one week earlier than was expected, so her lecture was practically unannounced, which, together with the execrable weather, conspired to make the number of hearers limited. Miss Brooks has been in the missionary work, under the American Board, in Turkey, for the past five years. Her remarks were delivered in a conversational style, and coming from one who has spent years among the denizens of that benighted and oppressed people, were full of interest and inspiration, with occasional strains of lively and pathetic experiences. We are sorry that more of our people were not present.

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

The concerts given by the Choral Union of the city at the Opera Hall, Thursday and Saturday evenings of last week, though not patronized to an encouraging extent, were creditable and deserving, especially so when material and length of time in preparation are taken into the balance. The choruses, solos, duets, both vocal and instrumental, were well rendered, in the main; and withal the performances were fairly excellent throughout. Upon Saturday evening, the director, C. P. Rinker, was made the recipient of a handsome gold-headed cane, by the members of the Union, as a slight token of their appreciation of his efforts in their behalf. Suffice it to say that Mr. Rinker holds the present in high estimation. In conclusion, we desire to congratulate the Union upon the good work already accomplished and to add a word of encouragement to renewed and persistent efforts in the future.

See the latest departure in gasoline stoves at Lytle Bros. & Co's.

Farmers who raise plenty of potatoes, turnips, onions, cabbage, squashes, tomatoes, mellons, and such truck, reap a rich harvest, as all such articles are ready sale at remunerative prices. It is a singular thing that more farmers do not raise such crops for the market. It is just as honorable to sell a bushel of potatoes for 40 cents as it is to sell a bushel of wheat at 40 cents, and a good deal more profitable, while you raise 100 bushels of potatoes on the same amount of land that you raise ten bushels of wheat.

A full line of gasoline stoves at Lytle Bros. & Co's.

The next regular meeting of the Children's Mission Band of the Lutheran church will be held at the School House, Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. At this time the Band will give Rev. E. J. Hall and his pupils of Pleasant Ridge a public reception and participate in the closing exercises of their school. An interesting programme has been prepared and the young folks very cordially invite all their friends to be present.

Blue Grass and Clover seed at W. C. LaTourette & Co's.

DELAYED!

Owing to the delay in shipment of our Boot and Shoe stock, we were unable to open our store on the date previously given. The goods are on the way and will arrive in a few days. We will then be prepared to show the trade unique surprises in styles; also important modifications in prices. We desire the confidence of the trade. We will never betray it. Our basis will be excellent goods, prompt and courteous treatment and modest prices, which, we are confident, will win. Those who wait for our goods will have no cause to regret it. Respectfully, BOWEN & LAYCOCK, Citizens Bank Building.

Dancing slippers for ladies and gents at J. F. Ganschow's.

TO THE FARMERS.

BEHOLD THIS! I am on deck this spring with the most complete line of farm implements ever offered the farming public in this part of the country. Call and examine. Compare goods and prices. I am always glad to see you. Respectfully, C. P. RINKER.

Ladies and gents can fit their feet in fine shoes and slippers at Ganschow's.

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, 43-45 Indianola, Neb.

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

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.

Mrs. Dr. Mitchell of Lincoln is the guest of L. Lowman and family.

A. P. Leach arrived from Iowa, last Friday, after an absence of two months.

Frank Israel of the Benkelman Pioneer was a guest of the metropolis, Sunday.

William Fruin, who has been in Illinois all winter, returned to the city, last evening.

J. Y. Winings, of Benkelman, had business of a land nature in the city, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Thoman returned from their extended visit in Illinois, Saturday last.

R. O. Phillips of the Lincoln Land Co. was a flying business visitor in the city, yesterday.

G. W. Daniels of Culbertson came down to the city, last evening, on fraternity business.

W. E. Fry took the night train, Sunday, for Central City, Colo., where he is engaged in mining.

Roadmaster Ed. Highland was up from Red Cloud, Tuesday afternoon, on railroad business.

Mrs. Will Taylor of Canton, Ill., is visiting in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meeker.

A. J. Johnson, Esq., of Indianola, spent Friday and Saturday of last week in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Webster will attend the State Teachers' Association at Lincoln, next week.

D. Guernsey of Waukena, Chase county, came down to the city, yesterday morning, on business.

Ira Hall and wife and Miss Andrews of Stratton were registered at the Commercial, yesterday.

T. E. McCracken was quite ill, the first of the week, being considerably improved at this writing.

Editor Martin of the Orleans Sentinel was a pleasant caller at these headquarters, yesterday afternoon.

Editor Solomon of the Culbertson luminary whiled away a few pleasant moments with us, yesterday morning.

Register and Mrs. Hart left, Friday evening last, on a visit to Lincoln, Auburn, Ainsworth and other points.

Inspector Geo. B. Coburn is in the city again in the discharge of his duties in connection with the interior department.

H. M. Wells of the Crete Vidette and W. J. Hughes of Montreal came up to the city, last evening, on a visit of a few days.

Misses Mabel and Edna Meserve went down to Lincoln, yesterday morning, on a short visit to Secretary Laws' family.

Dr. B. R. Davis went down to Beatrice, last Friday evening, on an interesting mission, returning home on Monday night.

Miss Dora Hunt returned from Atchison, where she has been attending school, the past winter, on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. F. L. Brown, who has been very ill with rheumatism, we are pleased to announce, is improving in an encouraging and satisfactory manner.

Mrs. L. Lowman and E. E. Lowman returned, Wednesday night of last week, from their trip east, where they purchased a large stock of spring goods.

Benj. Hammer returned to his home in Polo, Ill., last Sunday. Mr. Hammer has great confidence in this city's future—as his investments here and hereabouts attest.

Harry Clark informs us that he will spend a month or two at home, renewing and invigorating his health, which has become somewhat impaired by steady application to telegraphy.

Charlie and Will Fisher were down from Waukena, Chase county, Friday and Saturday. They inform us of the purchase of a townsite at the Falls by the Lincoln Land Co. The purchase embraces the lands of Messrs. Fishers and Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Piper, Mrs. H. J. Dobs, Mrs. J. A. Piper, Miss Edith Piper and Mrs. J. B. Piper, came up from Alma, Friday, to attend the funeral of Mr. J. B. Piper, whose sudden death at his home on the Willow was briefly noted in our last issue.

Miss Mary Roberts, one of our Gilman young ladies in Nebraska, a resident of McCook, will commence this spring to make the residence required by law on her homestead, near that place, and will make further use of her time by teaching school in the vicinity.—Gilman (Ill.) Star.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Rinker arrived, last Friday, from Winchester, Va. Mr. Rinker is a brother of C. P. Rinker of our city, whom he will assist in the implement business. They go to housekeeping in the Jennings residence, lately vacated by W. H. Peck's family, on Dakota street.

Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Lawson expect to leave, next Monday, on an extended visit in Wisconsin. Will contemplates an absence of three or four weeks. Mrs. Lawson and the baby, of as many months. Mrs. Lawson's health has not been vigorous for some time, and it is hoped the change will be beneficial.

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE.

Tuesday evening of this week was the time, and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perry on Monroe street the scene, of a felicitous progressive euchre party, which will occupy a pleasant nook in memory's hall with the following company of participants: MR. AND MRS.—S. H. Colvin, F. D. Hess, A. M. Kelley, C. N. Batchelor. MISSES.—Flora Smith, Maggie McAlpine, Lou Clark, May Clark.

MESSRS.—Scott McCoy, Harry Clark, Robert Doty, R. C. Fisher, Charles Dietrick, Jack McAlpine.

The prizes were won by Mr. Scott McCoy and Mrs. S. H. Colvin, respectively. Refreshments added their relish to the occasion, at a pause in the game.

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

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MARCH 16. J. T. Moriarty to C. H. Meeker—W. D., lot 5, block 16, McCook..... \$ 50 00 Lincoln Land Co. to N. J. Anderson—W. D., lot 7, block 22, Indianola..... 90 00 R. Phelan to E. H. Spearman—W. D., lot 4, block 30, 2nd add. McCook..... 1500 00 Jns. V. Carnahan to S. G. Barton—W. D., N. E. 1/4, 23-29, S. E. 1/4, 27-4-28, S. G. Barton to Elizabeth Y. Carnahan—W. D., same property..... 100 00 S. L. Dixon to C. G. Northrup—W. D., lot 10, block 16, 1st add. McCook..... 200 00 C. F. Babcock to same—W. D., lot 1 and 2, block 29, 2nd add. McCook..... 425 00 G. A. Tremel to D. A. Clements—W. D., N. W. 1/4, 22-2-29..... 500 00 S. M. Gray to J. J. Williams—W. D., lot 5 and 6, block 20, Indianola..... 166 00 United States to W. S. Hamilton—R. R., N. E. 1/4, 28-3-29..... 4 00 Same to Chas. Puelz—R. R., N. W. 1/4, N. E. 1/4, 24-1-28..... 1 00

MARCH 17. Walsh & Boyd to C. F. Babcock—W. D., lot 7 and 8, block 8, 1st add. McCook..... 300 00 C. F. Babcock to McCook Inv't Co.—W. D., east 45 ft. lot 1, block 27, Indianola..... 600 00 John Bent to Thos. Morrison—W. D., part block 14, West McCook..... 300 00

MARCH 18. Lincoln Land Co. to Jns. Barnes—W. D., lot 4, 5 and 6, block 31, Indianola..... 155 00 Samuel Scott to Benj. Hammer—W. D., lot 3, block 7, 1st add. McCook..... 150 00 V. Franklin to Fannie W. Carnahan—W. D., lot 1, block 27, Indianola..... 1000 00 A. J. Pate to same—W. D., lot 4 and 4, block 1, McCook..... 500 00 R. H. Pate to H. C. Cain—W. D., lot 1, S. E. 1/4, 13-4-30..... 1000 00 Lydia Ward to H. W. Marshall—W. D., lot 3, block 9, West McCook..... 280 00

MARCH 19. Geo. R. Reed to C. F. Babcock—W. D., lot 4, 5 and 6, block 31, Indianola..... 400 00 Fannie W. Carnahan to V. Franklin—W. D., lot 10, block 24, McCook..... 1400 00 J. C. Ashton to Glen & Stinson—W. D., lot 12, block 9, Danbury..... 50 00 J. H. Olson to Chas. Anderson—W. D., part lot 13, 14 and 15, block 20, McCook..... 1300 00 V. Franklin to Fannie W. Carnahan—W. D., W. D., 1/2 S. W. 1/4 and S. E. 1/4, N. W. 1/4, N. W. 1/4, S. E. 1/4, S. W. 1/4, 23-3-30..... 2000 00 H. C. Rider to A. H. Davis—W. D., lot 10 and 11, West McCook..... 150 00 Allen Bartley to Henry J. Higgins—W. D., lot 24, block 62, and lots 1 and 2, block 63, Bartley..... 2000 00 M. N. Eskey to Clark W. Simpson—W. D., lot 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 47, Bartley..... 180 00 Allen Bartley to J. C. Seurr—W. D., lot 6, block 54, Bartley..... 250 00

MARCH 21. Lincoln Land Co. to Scott Darnell—W. D., lots 4 and 5, block 21, Indianola..... 70 00 Scott Darnell to Ellen Adams—Release lots 4 and 5, block 21, Indianola..... 70 00 Ellen Adams to M. J. Adams—W. D., lot 5, block 21, Indianola..... 60 00 C. A. Dibble to E. V. Shirey—W. D., lot 1, S. W. 1/4, 14, N. W. 1/4, 23-1-26..... 1200 00 U. S. to Thos. Hanthorn—R. R., W. 1/2 N. W. 1/4 and S. 1/2 N. W. 1/4, 11-4-37..... 195 88

MARCH 22. Chas. F. Babcock to Minnie E. Newman—W. D., lots 4, 5 and 6, block 31, 1st add. McCook..... 500 00 Lincoln Land Co. to Thos. Morrison—W. D., lot 14, block 23, Indianola..... 300 00 C. A. Reed to P. C. Johnson—W. D., lots 11 and 12, block 17, Indianola..... 150 00 Fred Stull to John Weeden—W. D., E. 1/2 N. E. 1/4, 10 and W. 1/2 N. W. 1/4, 11-4-37..... 1400 00

MARCH 23. John A. Dunbar to F. L. Brown—W. D., W. 1/2 lot 7, block 18, West McCook..... 300 00 U. S. to W. H. Benjamin—S. W. 1/4, 23-1-30..... 4 00

NAPOLEON.

OWNED BY JAS. F. LIDDELL. This is a French Norman, light dappled gray Stallion, weighing 1,400 pounds. He is strong and small-limbed. He will stand the season at my place, on Railroad street, back of B. & M. Eating House. Come and see this horse before breeding your mare, if you want a good colt. Castrating done by the latest methods and insure safety and satisfaction. I have a few Rod Breaking Plows which I will sell cheap for cash. I warrant these to be perfect in every respect. Come and see them. JAS. F. LIDDELL, McCook, Neb. Railroad Ave., bet. Monroe and Madison.

MONEY TO LOAN

On farms—I am prepared to fill all loans from McCook. No sending away—no delays. Everything done and completed right here. Do not fail to see me before making application. I. T. BENJAMIN, Office—Over First National Bank.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY.

A number of good girls to assist in dress making. Call at once. Mrs. J. B. McCABE, Scott Building, Main Avenue.

HORSES FOR SALE.

I have for sale or trade a car-load of fine Texas work horses. Call at Oleott's barn and inspect them, if you want a good