

The McCook Tribune.

VOLUME V.

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1887.

NUMBER 47.

---THE CASH--- Bargain House

HAS
**The Largest Stock!
The Lowest Prices!
The Latest Novelties!**
---OF THE SEASON---

BIG SALE OF DRY GOODS
AT SPECIAL LOW PRICES.

GROCERIES---Wholesale and Retail.

Did You Hear Anything Drop?

Well it did drop just the same, as you will notice from our Bill of Fare this week.

WHAT DO YOU SAY TO THIS?

20 lbs. Choice Rice.....	\$1 00
10 lbs. Choice Raisins.....	1 00
6 lbs. Rio Coffee.....	1 00
5 lbs. Arbuckles Coffee.....	1 00
18 lbs. Light Brown Sugar.....	1 00
1 lb. Jack Pot Tobacco.....	25

We call such figures pure, undisguised, christian charity.

Merchants in adjacent towns should write us for Wholesale Prices. We are as Low as Omaha or St. Joe jobbers,

J. C. ALLEN & CO.,

THE LEADERS AND ORIGINATORS OF
LOW PRICES IN McCOOK,

CASH BARGAIN HOUSE.

W. W. CURTIS,
Formerly Chief Clerk,
Gen'l Land Office.

S. S. BURDETT,
Formerly Commissioner,
Gen'l Land Office.

CURTIS & BURDETT, Attorneys in Land Cases.

925 F. St., N. W., WASHINGTON, D. C.

SPECIALITIES: Cases relating to the Public Lands before the Land Department and U. S. Courts. Particular Attention to land cases arising under Act of Congress approved June 13, 1880.

Practice in the Court of Claims and in Supreme Court of United States.

N. B.—CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.

REFERENCE: WM. H. PHELPS, Esq., Beaver City, Neb.

JULIUS KING'S



F. L. McGracken's

Best Place in McCook

Have Fine Work Done.

Corner North of P. O.

HENRY PENNER,

LOCALER IN



OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Repair Work Done Promptly and Neatly.

FIRST DOOR WEST OF "THE FAMOUS," - McCOOK, NEBRASKA.

A WISE man said, "God could not be everywhere, so he made mothers."

THE Alma Tribune comes to our table, this week, enlarged to a nine column folio.

THE Capital City Electric Light Co. is to introduce the incandescent light in Lincoln.

CHEYENNE, Wyoming, is assuming the habiliments of a powerful boom, since the B. & M. move in that direction.

THE author who wrote, "There is beauty in extreme old age," probably never tackled an "over nursed egg."

THE stench of the railway pass Chestnut cryeth aloud to high heaven. It is an auspicious time for the fool killer to get in some elegant work.

IN the prairie fire of Friday, April 8th, Decatur county, Kansas, sustained a loss of \$50,000. The town of Norcatuar being \$15,000 a loser.

CONTRARY to some expectations, the railroads appear to be endeavoring to make the inter-state commerce bill as obnoxious and seemingly harsh and unjust as possible.

THE Capital Hotel at Lincoln has been purchased by W. H. B. Stout for \$120,000, and the house been leased by E. P. Roggen, late secretary of state, for a term of years.

MONTANA's legislature has enacted a law licensing gambling houses. This is a pointer to the "gents of the green cloth" hereabouts. Montana is or will be the "Gamblers' Paradise."

THE Postmaster General has issued a circular letter, to postmasters calling attention to the advantages of the special delivery system and urging them to commend its use to the public.

HON. A. J. WEAVER, late congressman of the first district, died at his home in Falls City, Monday night, after an illness of three day's duration, with congestion of the brain and pneumonia.

ARBOR day comes, April 22d. It is asserted that there are 605,000,000 trees now thriving in this state, where but a few years since none were to be seen, all directly traceable to Arbor day.

THE initial number of The Red Willow County Times is at hand. Watkins Bros. are the publishers and proprietors and Indianola the place of publication. Their introductory paper is a commendable production. We wish them success.

E. L. HARKRADER, late of the Sutton Democrat, left for unknown parts, between two days, last week, and Receiver Steinmetz of this city has again assumed ownership of his half of that journal, Harkrader having failed to make payment therefor.

ARTICLES of incorporation of the Eastern Wyoming Railroad company, G. W. Holdrege, J. G. Taylor, C. D. Dorman, W. A. Higgins, C. J. Greene, trustees, have been filed. The road is an extension of the Grand Island & Wyoming Central and runs from the eastern boundary line of Wyoming at a point on the North Platte river through Lincoln, Albany, Carbon, Sweetwater and Uniona counties to the western boundary of the territory. The principal office of the company will be at Cheyenne.

It is now thought that Kansas' prohibition law is perfect. Under the provisions of the new act a druggist can sell liquors only for medicinal and manufacturing purposes, and to do this he must first obtain the signatures of twenty-five men and twenty-five women. He must be a graduate in pharmacy; of good moral character, have a stock of goods exclusive of liquors valued at \$1,000, and he himself must not use intoxicants as a beverage. He must also give a bond in the sum of \$1,000 for faithful compliance with the law. The man who purchases the liquor must obtain a permit from the county judge, which is furnished free of charge, providing the applicant makes affidavit that the liquor is to be used as medicine, stating under oath the nature of the disease. This is certainly iron-clad, and will go a long way in solving the question of the age, "Does prohibition prohibit."

THE new gambling law makes that innocent (?) sport a felony, with a penalty, upon conviction, of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500, or imprisonment not exceeding two years.

THE Omaha Herald, democratic, settles the disturbing prohibition question—in its own mind—by adopting the theory that prohibition is essentially a rural idea. All the better for that.

THE great naval achievement of the administration thus far is the christening and launching of one girl baby from the Navy Department. It was done during "a squall," and was a success.

THE new republican mayor of Philadelphia, in one week, has closed the gambling houses and dives, cleaned the streets, and made the gas men understand that they do not own the "Cradle of Liberty."

CONCERNING female suffrage in Kansas: In Wichita, of the 600 women who registered, previous to the late election, 200 registered as "sports." It is superfluous to add that the "sporting man" was elected.

THE Wisconsin legislature has passed an alien land bill fixing the maximum acreage which may be owned by a man who is not a citizen at 320. It will doubtless receive the governor's signature. Illinois has passed a similar law.

JOHN WANAMAKER, the Philadelphia merchant prince, is working out a very satisfactory solution of the labor problem. He shares all the profits above a certain amount, with his faithful employees. This year something over \$100,000 will be thus distributed. It is safe to infer that Mr. Wanamaker will never be troubled with strikes, walkouts, boycotts or any of the disturbing elements of the industrial world.

Now doth the giddy youth arise, for gaudy clothes he measures; and forward looks with beaming eyes, to one long round of pleasures. His day-dream pictures twilight walks, with one he'll love forever; he thinks of summer evening talks, while boating on the river. He holds his pen while mankind snores, and writes a chiming sonnet, to that bright maid whom he adores, the girl with Gypsy bonnet. He asks that maid to be his wife, while they are playing tennis, and for the first time in his life, he finds his name is Dennis. —Aetison Globe.

SAID Bishop Ireland, recently, in Buffalo, on the liquor question:

"A free government, depending upon universal suffrage, is not safe unless the deepest reverence for law permeates the public mind. By its defiance of law the liquor traffic is effectually undermining the foundations of society and working toward the disruption of the republic. The traffic is to-day the most dangerous enemy the country knows, and it amazes me beyond my power to tell that the American people, proud of their republican institutions, and conscious of their high mission to maintain bright and strong, for the teaching of the entire world the light of liberty, can stand idly by, as they do, and permit, almost without a protest, the liquor traffic to mock the enactment of the state and to proclaim its power to be a mere phantom."

A NEW terror in the way of decoration threatens females in the west. It may properly be called "a shrubbery craze." It hasn't reached to hats as yet, but how soon it may no man can tell. Just now the idiosyncy consists in wearing flowers, as many as possible, and the larger and uglier the better, all over the front part of the body from the waist to the chin. Roots, stems, buds, leaves and blossoms are scattered over the bosom in reckless disregard of order, waste, expense or appearance. At this season green houses are ravaged for anything with bloom upon it, and a little later home plants and yard beds will be raided for all they are worth. The broad-faced sun flower will not escape in his season, and the stinking "dog fennel" will be picked as a prize when its time comes. Where the rage will end is a question, but before it does and ere another winter's wind cold snows about leaf and blade, we may expect to see woman wearing hazel brush in their hair and full grown corn stalks on the skirts of their dresses. They have worn of nearly everything that grows on the earth or in the air or the sea, that could be carried at all, and now they threaten to attack young timber and become walking brush heaps.—Topics.

W. C. LATOURETTE & CO.

GENERAL

HARDWARE!

MAIN AVENUE,

McCOOK, NEB.

The First National Bank

OF McCOOK, NEBRASKA.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, - \$100,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL, - \$50,000.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

GEO. HOCKNELL, PRESIDENT. B. M. FREES, VICE-PRESIDENT.

F. L. BROWN, CASHIER. A. CAM'BELL. R. O. PHILLIPS.

1887. SPRING SEASON. 1887.

L. BERNHEIMER,

THE LEADING TAILOR.

My Stock of Worsteds, Scotch Suitings and the Latest Styles of Pants Goods have arrived. I take pride in saying that in Assortment and Styles nothing better can be found between Chicago and San Francisco. If you are very particular as to style of goods and about your fit, the only place to call is at the

TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT OF L. BERNHEIMER,

Dennison St., West of U. S. Land Office, McCOOK, NEB.

REAL ESTATE

—AND—
LOANS!

Proofs Examined and Reported Upon.
CHAS. F. BABCOCK.
Late Receiver U. S. Land Office, McCook, Neb.
Purchase and Sale
—OF—
Deeded Lands a Specialty.

Room 2, Hocknell Brick, McCOOK, NEB.

GEO. W. BEDE,

LAND ATTORNEY,

REAL ESTATE AND LOAN AGENT.

I am procuring LOANS on good farms readily at 9 per cent. Also, have special bargains in deeded lands and tree claims.

MAIN AVE., - - - McCOOK, NEB.

TRIBUNE OFFICE

—FOR—

School Books and School Supplies.