

STATIONERY. SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

SCHOOL BOOKS

The Tribune Office,



At Publisher's Prices.

BLANK BOOKS. LEGAL BLANKS.

Remember Noble for groceries. Sweet cider at the City Bakery. Noble for superb hanging lamps.

Fresh candies at the City Bakery. Fresh sausage at the B. & M. Meat Market.

Fine jersey coats and cardigan jackets. Fresh and smoked meats of all kinds at the B. & M. Meat Market.

A consignment of nice fresh oysters just received at the City Bakery.

Everything fresh and clean in the way of groceries at Noble's store.

Cash paid for live stock, poultry and hides at the B. & M. Meat Market.

There is no other way. Buy your groceries, queensware, etc. of Noble.

Go to McCrackens for musical instruments. We have everything in that line.

A full line of strictly pure spices for pickles, sauces, etc., at the City Drug Store.

Plumbing in all its branches promptly and skillfully performed by F. D. Burgess.

Children's suits, overcoats and caps. Latest novelties and largest stock.

The celebrated Olds wagon for sale by Leland & Morrow. Also spring wagons, buggies, etc. All very cheap.

A carload of Dakota Hard Wheat Flour just received at C. G. POTTER & Co.'s.

This week, Leland & Morrow have received a car-load of fall and winter wheat flour. They carry the best grades.

Dolls! DOLLS!! DOLLS!!! All kinds. All sizes. All prices. At McMillen's Drug Store.

We pay particular attention to orders for wedding outfits, or any goods of which sizes and qualities are not in stock.

If you want nice tender beefsteak give the B. & M. Meat Market a call. They butcher none but the choicest of beefs.

Leland & Morrow carry a complete stock of corn, oats, chop feed, and in fact of everything belonging to a first-class flour and feed store.

Of fine residences M. A. Libbee makes a specialty. Don't fail to see him if you intend to build. Good workmanship guaranteed. Prices the lowest.

If you want something handsome in the way of a hanging lamp, call on C. M. Noble. He is just in receipt of the largest and finest stock of hanging lamps ever brought to southwestern Nebraska.

At McCrackens you will find a fresh lot of strings for the following instruments: VIOLIN, BANJO, GUITAR, CELLO, DOUBLE BASS.

AMERICAN political history has few parallels to the swift growth of General Harrison in popular estimation. When he was nominated, only his neighbors who had touched hands with him and knew his qualities, rejoiced with complete assurance. It was their fire that warmed the perfunctory acclamations of the multitude into genuine enthusiasm.

It is represented that Lord Salisbury is no less agitated about West Marchion's letter than is Col. Dan Lamont or Secretary Bayard. He has telegraphed the administration that the British government will do everything possible to counteract the injury that has been done to the democratic cause by the unfortunate slip over of her majesty's representative at the court of St. Grover.

What the British government will do remains to be seen. Perhaps the best thing it can do is to issue a solemn proclamation under the great seal of the lord chancellor, to the effect that Victoria is a protectionist and is going to vote for Ben Harrison. That ought to knock the British minister galley-west, as it were.

Pay Your Subscription.

Quite a number of our subscribers are in arrears one year or more. A cordial and pressing invitation is extended such to call promptly and settle. THE PUBLISHER.

\$5,000.00! We have \$5,000.00 to place on good farms during the next 20 days. No delay if security is approved.

\$50.00 REWARD. \$50.00 reward for the detection and conviction of the thief who took plow and single trees from the Commercial House farm. G. E. JOHNSTON.

\$100,000.00. To loan on deeded lands. Money advanced to make final proofs. Office opposite Arlington Hotel. C. J. RYAN.

A GIRL WANTED. At the Commercial House. Call immediately. WAGONS! WAGONS!! WAGONS!!!

Hall & Cochran have just received a large shipment of the celebrated MILLBURN TUBLER AXE WAGONS, which they are ready to sell at fair prices.

ATTENTION, FARMERS! I can make you farm loans at lowest rates. Office 1st door west of Citizens bank. H. G. Dixon or Chas. H. Boyle.

FRESH BUTTERMILK. We deliver daily fresh buttermilk from the McCook creamery. EATON & Co.

Go to Noble for your family groceries. Dr. Hall's office, over First National bank.

Fresh oysters at the City Bakery. Just received. Fine overcoats, suits and pants our specialty. THE FAMOUS.

Remember that Leland & Morrow sell the reliable Olds wagon. Nothing but freshest and purest drugs at the City Drug Store.

Go to Leland & Morrow for everything in the flour and feed line. CITY HOTEL & STAR RESTAURANT!

The place for a good meal and clean bed. Farmers, the place for you to stop at is the City Hotel & Star Restaurant.

George M. Cheney at the City Drug Store makes a specialty of prescriptions. Railroad men will find the City Hotel & Star Restaurant the place for them.

No house can show you one half as many styles in underwear or other goods as THE FAMOUS.

Noble, the leading grocer, carries the most complete line of queensware in the city. Inspect it.

If you are in search of a really delicious drink of soda water wander into the City Drug Store.

McMillen's drug store is the place to find the largest assortment of DOLLS ever brought to McCook.

In the line of plain and fancy groceries, C. M. Noble will fill your every want satisfactorily.

JUST RECEIVED! Two barrels of extra sweet cider at the City Bakery, which will be sold at 50 cents a gallon.

Prepare to pay your election bets. We have just received another lot of latest styles in stiff, soft and silk hats. THE FAMOUS.

If you contemplate building be sure to consult M. A. Libbee. He guarantees his work to be the best and his prices the lowest.

Strasser has two of the finest offices in the city for rent. Front rooms with bay windows. Call at once if you want secure elegant office quarters.

The whole country will be gratified with the decision of the New York court sustaining the validity of Mr. Tilden's will. The foundation of a great free library was perhaps, the best possible use to which Mr. Tilden could have devoted his wealth.

THE effect of prohibition in Iowa is beginning to be seen in the reduced population of the penitentiaries in that state. During September there were but twenty-two commitments, the smallest number in thirteen years.

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FOUR MONTHS ENDING OCT. 26, 1888. HIGH SCHOOL. Boys enrolled, 28. Girls enrolled, 28. Total, 56.

SECOND GRAMMAR, MARY MYERS. Boys enrolled, 13. Girls enrolled, 13. Total, 26.

FIRST PRIMARY, ANNA MCKENNA. Boys enrolled, 34. Girls enrolled, 34. Total, 68.

FIRST PRIMARY, SECOND YEAR, LELLA CONYDENT. Boys enrolled, 44-77. Girls enrolled, 44-77. Total, 88-154.

FIRST PRIMARY, FIRST YEAR, EAST SIDE, M. J. BROWN. Boys enrolled, 32. Girls enrolled, 32. Total, 64.

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From the above report it will be seen that three rooms have each had three cases of tardiness during the month. The west side primary making the best record as to the number of minutes lost. The schools are improving in regularity and punctuality of attendance, yet there is still too much absence. Will parents co-operate to still further improve the record?

The following is the condition of the BANK OF MCKOOK, NEB. Balance on hand, Sept. 1, \$155,422. Interest to Sept. 1, 7,055. Deposited since, 58,677. Checks out, 25,625. Due depositors, 183,311. Balance, 289,529. No deposits.

Parents and friends are invited to visit the schools. We will move into the new building in a few weeks. The board of education at their meeting will determine the rooms the various departments will occupy. Notice of this will be given in due time.

A Vacant Chair. On Sunday, the 28th instant, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith were called upon to mourn the death of their only son, a bright young lad of a little over four summers. Typhoid fever, with a brain complication, wrought the fatal result.

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THE RAILROAD.

Mr. Frank Harris is entertaining his sister, Mrs. Palmer, of Galva, Ill. C. H. Dietrich arrived home, Sunday, after a short absence in Colorado.

Mrs. J. H. Burns arrived home, yesterday on the flyer, from a short visit down the line. Supt. Phelan was down from Holyoke, Colo., Tuesday, on railroad and political business.

Tom Melroy came in from Trinidad, Sunday evening, on a few days' visit to his family here. Ex-Conductor F. C. Stuy has entered the service of the company in the engine department.

Right-of-way man, Tom Barnes of Hastings, was looking over the city of his interest and pride, Tuesday. J. E. Durden and W. J. Jackson returned, Saturday, from attending the brotherhood convention at Atlanta, Georgia.

D. E. Thompson, division superintendent of the H. & M., with headquarters at Lincoln, and A. Campbell, division superintendent at McCook, arrived in Omaha, Sunday.—See.

Supt. Alex. Campbell, of McCook, was in the city Monday on railroad business. He denied point blank that he was in politics, but gave it out that Mr. Laird had a walkaway.—Hastings Democrat.

Mr. J. W. Trammell, the Burlington Eating House man, made a short business visit to his house at this place, Sunday, and of course found everything moving along swimmingly under the local management of our popular Ed Jordan.

"Watch the signs of the times, and you can tell the people in advance something about the coming changes in the Union Pacific," said a gentleman well posted in railway affairs. "I'm not very much mistaken in your opinion, but I don't think you're right."—See.

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