

CHRISTMAS GREETING.

Fancy Goods
Novelties
Toilet
Articles

With compliments of the season, you are cordially invited to call and inspect our fine display of HOLIDAY GOODS, on and after Saturday evening, November 29th. In prices it is our purpose to make this a "MERRY CHRISTMAS" indeed for all our customers. On Dolls are price is a record breaker. Come quick! Come early!! Come all!!!
Respectfully,
A. McMILLEN.

Dolls
Toys
Gift
Books

At McMillen's Drug Store.

The McCook Tribune.

McCook, Neb. 700
Indianapolis, Ind. 100
Chicago, Ill. 100
St. Louis, Mo. 100
Kansas City, Mo. 100
Omaha, Neb. 100
Lincoln, Neb. 100
Des Moines, Ia. 100
Sioux Falls, S. Dak. 100
Rapid City, S. Dak. 100
Spearhead, S. Dak. 100
Aurora, Neb. 100
Beatrice, Neb. 100
Harrisonville, Mo. 100
St. Joseph, Mo. 100
Warrensburg, Mo. 100
Kirksville, Mo. 100
Boonville, Mo. 100
Cassville, Mo. 100
Sedalia, Mo. 100
Warrenton, Ore. 100
Astoria, Ore. 100
Astoria, Wis. 100
St. Paul, Minn. 100
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Car of flour and feed just received at A. T. Campbell & Co.'s.

FOR RENT—Two dwelling houses. Inquire at THE TRIBUNE office.

Lieb's Ryeningine Flap Jack preparation. POTTER & EASTERDAY.

It is said that half the reserved seats the Indianola theatre are occupied Mossbacks.

Millen, the druggist, has a fine line of hanging and piano lamps at low prices.

Do ill if you praise, and still you reprove, in a matter you know nothing about.

Children, have you seen that large assortment of Dolls in McMillen's window? They are beauties.

The B. & M. meat market will give the highest market price in cash for live stock, poultry and hides.

Noble, the leading grocer, makes a specialty of fresh, clean family groceries. He will treat you right.

The B. & M. have placed on sale tourists tickets to all prominent resorts at reduced rates for the round trip.

Ladies' kid and goat button shoes, solid leather, for \$1.50 at BOWEN & LAYCOCK'S.

McMillen, the druggist, is now busy opening up Holiday Goods and will have them ready for display in a few days.

IN QUEENSWARE Noble carries the largest assortment and the richest designs of the season. His prices are reasonable.

The business men of McCook believe in "tooting their horns if they don't sell a clam." And THE TRIBUNE is their favorite vociferator.

Do not allow yourself to be misled. The B. & M. meat market sells the choicest meats of all kinds and at the very lowest living prices.

The "mutations of time" are making quite an impression on the newspapers of Western Nebraska, as well as on the rest of the business world.

Make Noble your family grocer and many other blessings will fall to your lot, besides having the best groceries on your table that the market affords.

The McCook TRIBUNE advertises to take surprises on subscription: We take it that some one has paid the TRIBUNE a dollar on subscription.—Herndon Courier.

In the future William Murphy of Indianola will enjoy the benefits of Uncle Sam's kindly policy toward his valiant veterans. He was granted an original pension, Thursday of last week.

There are nine thousands five hundred and thirty-one ex-soldiers in Nebraska on the pension list. There are one hundred and sixty in Red Willow county; seventy-nine in Frontier; one hundred and sixty-four in Furnas; eighty-three in Hitchcock.—Inter-Ocean.

Go and see LUDWICK'S mammoth stock of second hand goods. Furniture, cook stoves, heaters and gasoline stoves, bought and sold. Will also rent goods by the week or month. A pawn broker's business in connection. Second door west of the McEntee Hotel.

The fence lumber at the ball ground is being utilized in the construction of an ice house. This reminds the consumer that there is a prospect that competition will reduce the cost of ice, next season, and that apothecary scales will be discarded by those handling the luxury, next summer.

Ground oil cake. POTTER & EASTERDAY.

McCook is becoming noted for her pop corn stands, of which she has four in number. Some time ago a "dago" made his appearance in the city and started the pop corn business, and, as he seemed to be coining money, many others embarked in the business. The people are now tired of pop corn and the venders are compelled to depend upon the country for support. People from the country, passing up Main Avenue, are in immediate danger of being snatched bald-headed if they don't buy a bag of corn.

Rye flour. POTTER & EASTERDAY.

Monday afternoon, the department was called to the northeastern part of the city by the burning of the coal house on the Gaston property. The fire was probably caused by hot ashes being placed too close to the building, which was entirely destroyed before water was thrown by the department. While on the way to the fire a collision occurred at the intersection of Dakota and Madison, between hose cart No. 1 and the hook and ladder wagon, each drawn by double teams at full speed, but fortunately no one was seriously injured and the damage was slight, a broken pole and fifth wheel covering that. A misfit connection caused some delay at the fire plug. This emphasizes the importance of uniformity of connections.

Through chair car service has been put on the B. & M. from Superior to Red Oak, Ia., via Beatrice and Nebraska City, east bound, leaving Superior on train No. 98 and connecting at Red Oak with C. B. & Q. No. 2, through vestibule train. This insures patrons of the line chair car service to Red Oak and all points east on the C. B. & Q. West bound, C. B. & Q. train, No. 5, connects at Red Oak with B. & M. train No. 161, which will take the chair car to Nebraska City, at which point it is put on B. & M. train No. 97, for Superior.

Christian Convention, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 26th to Dec. 1st. All agents may sell tickets to Chicago Nov. 24th to Dec. 1st, inclusive. Geo. F. Mizen, room 401, Pullman Building, Chicago, will sign certificates. For the above occasion passengers paying full fare going will be returned at one-third fare on presentation of certificate signed by the proper officer of the meeting, on guarantee that there has been an attendance of one hundred or more who have paid full fare on the going trip. J. FRANCIS, G. P. & T. A.

Beaver City Tribune: Chas. Ramsey of Richmond precinct is building a dam across the Sappa and will dig a ditch to irrigate about sixty acres of his farm. The results of this undertaking will be watched with great deal of interest by his neighbors and if he is successful others will do likewise.

Rev. P. S. Mather will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church next Sabbath; in the morning on, "What Constitutes True Worship?" In the evening on, "The Light of the World." All persons cordially invited. A special invitation is extended to the young men.

An unknown person died on No. 2, this morning, between McCook and Benkelman, of hemorrhage. He had a ticket for Hastings and about \$40 on his person. The body awaits identification at Pade's undertaking establishment.

Indianola has served notices of contest on Treasurer-elect Henton and Commissioner-elect Hodgkin. As a matter of economy they will await the result of the state contest.

This is the time of the year when the young man begins to toy with the hair on his chin and lay away ten cent pieces for a world's fair fund.

The next time you want an examination tablet call and see the attractive new tablet kept for sale in THE TRIBUNE stationery dept. Price 5 cents.

THE TRIBUNE understands that Messrs. Floyd, DeWald & Floyd of the Trenton Register have made overtures for the purchase of the Indianola Courier.

LATE FASHION DECREE: Wear street gowns the color of your hair, house gowns the color of your eyes, and evening gowns the color of your complexion.

The seating capacity of the several churches of the city will accommodate an increase of attendance, say about fifty per cent. The public is welcome to all services.

With a quarter of a million dollar bond behind him, the funds of Red Willow county will be tolerably safe in the hands of W. T. Henton. His bond for about that amount was filed this week.

The project on foot at present is to tap the Republican river at Benkelman and convey the water on the south divide the same to be returned to the river at McCook. The object being to irrigate the south divide. Expert engineers say the plan is practical.

And this is the way the rains come upon the land: Every year a layer of the entire sea fourteen feet thick is taken up into the clouds. The winds bear their burden into the land and the water comes down in rain upon the fields to flow back through rivers.

A new use is reported to have been discovered for hops—namely, for the curing of bacon. It is found that a sprinkling of hops in the brine when bacon and hams are put in pickle adds greatly to the flavor of both and enables them to be kept an indefinite period.

Full of years, Richard Lewis passed from this life, last Friday, the 21st instant, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George Laverty. The deceased was nearly 73 years of age. The remains were taken to Louisville, Neb., on the evening passenger, for interment.

The publisher takes some pride this week, in presenting his patrons with the best all-at-home newspaper ever issued from a local press. THE TRIBUNE aims to be in the van of Nebraska's representative weeklies, and the encouragement extended warrants the mark.

On Friday of last week, Carrie, the ten-year-old daughter of James Hill, one of our Grant precinct farmers, died from an attack of typhoid fever. Three more members of the family are down with the same fell disease, and a fatal termination is feared in the case of at least one of them.

An eastern man has discovered a process of making soap from corn. He claims that 40 pounds of soap can be made from one bushel of corn. A Council Bluffs man is investigating the matter with a view of building a factory at that place. Flour, sugar, starch and soap all out of one corn field makes corn indeed King.

Women doctors say and many prove it in practice, that by going up stairs slowly, with the foot—heel and toe alike—put firmly on each stair, one may arrive at the top of four flights of stairs really rested, instead of gasping for breath, as when one runs up stairs. Going up stairs is a good manner of exercise, if one goes at in the right way to gets its benefits.—Ex.

Our fellow-townsmen and secretary of state-elect, J. C. Allen, was the recipient of a nocturnal visit, Saturday, from Mr. Mayberry, the nominee of the independent party for secretary of state. While not unexpected, the notice of contest served by the visitor on Mr. Allen was not welcome or pleasant news; nor does the act indicate a dangerous amount of delicacy abiding with Mr. Mayberry.

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Rye flour. POTTER & EASTERDAY.

84 patent flour at POTTER & EASTERDAY.

McCook flour—all grades. POTTER & EASTERDAY.

School shoes at a great reduction at Ganschow's, the old reliable.

Some men never think; they only fancy with a broad A.

Use caution in beginning to feed green corn to stock.

Blue is the color in highest favor, this season.

Catholic fair, December 13th.

How about an ice house?

THE CHARITY BALL AND BANQUET.

The Splendid Success Highly Gratifying to all Persons Interested.

It affords THE TRIBUNE distinct and large pleasure to record the highly gratifying, royal success which conspicuously attended the zealous, well directed efforts of the ladies of the Benevolent Society in their charity ball and supper on Thanksgiving eve. It is safe to state that McCook's fair social history does not contain a brighter page—does not produce a leaf picturing results more desirable and felicitous, or object more laudable and worthy, than characterized this charming affair, which has realized every fond and reasonable anticipation, won golden opinions on all hands, and produced a gladsome fruition which will bring joy to many a needy, deserving heart.

The attendance was large; the people were there; and when the ball opened with the stately and graceful maneuvers of the grand march, the beholder gazed with admiration upon one of the most brilliant scenes ever enacted in Western Nebraska;—and the spirit of the auspicious inauguration pervaded the occasion until the closing hours, which suggested the rapid approach of the Day of Thanksgiving.

The supper was spread with generous hands in the Morlan building, and from the early opening hours the public accorded this feature a liberal patronage,—which, moreover, the splendid repast served so tastefully and attentively, richly merited, and which the people gave abundant evidence of appreciating fully.

As about everything was donated, the expenses were nominal, and the Benevolent Society now has in its treasury a sum of money which is a credit to the liberality of our people, and complimentary to the energy of the society. The outcome is a proper source of general congratulation.

DEATH OF JUDGE BUCK.

The many friends and acquaintances of the deceased and family will be deeply pained to learn of the death of Judge Royal Buck, which occurred on Friday last at his late home near Branchville, Md., after a lingering illness. Judge Buck was one of Red Willow county's pioneer settlers, moving to Red Willow from Nebraska City early in the seventies. As president of the Republican Valley Land Co. he was largely instrumental in the settlement of the upper valley. He was for many years an honored and respected citizen of Red Willow county. His early decease is largely attributable to the exposure and privations of pioneer life, and the sympathy of their numerous Nebraska friends go out to bereaved wife and children in their dark hour of sorrow.

Benevolent Society Notes.

Applications for aid may be handed to Mrs. Lowman, chairman.

Contributions of money, fuel, clothing and provisions may be sent to the president, Mrs. C. M. Noble, or to the treasurer, Mrs. Hocknell.

The Benevolent Society, of McCook, will meet with Mrs. Johnston, at the Commercial House, Tuesday, Dec. 2d, 2:30, P. M. All ladies interested in the work of benevolence are cordially invited to meet with us, and "lend a helping hand" to the "good work."

The ladies of the Benevolent Society wish to thank the citizens of McCook for the very liberal manner in which they responded to the call for contributions to the charity supper. Both charity ball and supper were well patronized, and were a decided success, financially and socially.

ATTENTION!—The president of the Benevolent Society of McCook wishes to inform the presidents of the several alliances in this part of Red Willow county that there is a quantity of coal at this place for distribution. Applications may be made to the President Mrs. C. M. Noble or to Mrs. Louis Lowman, chairman of distributing and investigating committee. Mary Battershall, Sec.

The county clerk is expecting a car load of coal from George A. Hoagland of Omaha, coming week. It will be distributed by Manager Warren of the local lumber yard.

HANGING LAMPS—Noble is headquarters for hanging lamps. He carries a large and splendid selection.

What must you do to be saved? Why buy your groceries at Noble's, of course!

A special meeting of Bondville Alliance, Saturday evening, the 29th.

Dr. A. J. Thomas, Dentist, in Union block, over Boston shoe store.

Stop and see the bargains at Ganschow's.

My entire stock of Hard and Soft Coal Heaters at ACTUAL COST. W. C. LATOURETTE.

AID!

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, Indianola, Nebraska, November 25th, 1890.

To the Justices of the Peace of Red Willow county. Gentlemen—The Omaha Board of Trade has shipped to me, at this place, one car of coal for distribution among drought sufferers. It will be distributed by me as follows: Any person in your precinct who has no means of buying or procuring fuel will apply to you for fuel and if you are satisfied that such person is entitled to aid you will give them an order on me for 500 or 1,000 pounds of coal. Not more than one-half ton will be furnished any person or family at this time, and it is advisable for you to only order 500 pounds at this time for each family in order to make this car of coal go as far as possible.

I understand the B. & M. R. R. Co. have donated another car of coal for this purpose and that it will be here soon. Please inform all persons likely to need aid in your precinct of above notice.

Yours Very Truly,
GEO. W. ROPER, Co. Clerk.

FOR PEOPLE OF MCCOOK AND VICINITY.

An Omaha citizen has shipped one car of coal to me at McCook and requests that I distribute it among the drought sufferers in the vicinity of McCook. It is impossible for me to distribute this car in person so I have given the car of coal to the Ladies of the McCook Benevolent Society to dispose of as they see fit among you. If you know of any one who is unable to procure fuel please report to them.

GEO. W. ROPER, County Clerk.

The Circle Front Livery

Has always been at the head of the business in McCook, and will in the future continue to be more than ever the best equipped establishment of the kind in Western Nebraska. This week, A. T. Maddux of Wauneta takes a partnership in the business with C. B. Gray, and these gentlemen will not only keep up the present reputation of the "Circle Front," but by the addition of new vehicles and fresh, sound animals, it is proposed to improve the equipment to a degree that cannot fail to meet with the appreciation and patronage of the public.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the twenty-seven subordinate alliances in Red Willow county that there will be meetings of the Alliance Relief Committee in the opera house in Indianola at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the following dates: Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29 and Dec. 6 for the transaction of important business that will come before the committee.

J. F. BLACK, Chairman.

The City Livery Stable

Is at the front of the procession. Prompt, courteous attention and good teams in clean rigs have placed it there. I make a specialty of pleasing my trade in this way. Opposite the Arlington Hotel. D. C. MARSH, Proprietor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

This issue of THE TRIBUNE contains a number of new advertisements. It will be advantageous to the reader to give all business announcements a careful perusal, and act accordingly when in need of such articles.

The School Children

Will be pleased with the new examination tablets just placed on sale in THE TRIBUNE'S stationery dept.

LADIES!

We would call your attention to our new \$2.00 and \$2.50 Kid Button Shoes. BOWEN & LAYCOCK.

PARENTS

Save money by buying school supplies, for the children, at Chenery's City Drug Store.

For Sale.

A carriage and a base burner heating stove. Inquire at once. E. LINDNER.

PRESCRIPTIONS

Accurately compounded, day or night. CITY DRUG STORE.

Pearline meal—the finest in the market. POTTER & EASTERDAY.