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WE CONTINUE OUR

## CLEARING SALE!

OUR IMMENSE STOCK

### MUST BE SOLD.

IN EVERY DEPARTMENT

## ALL WINTER GOODS

WILL BE SOLD AT SUCH PRICES AS MUST CLEAR THEM.

**JONAS ENGEL, Manager.**

McCook, Neb., Jan. 1st, 1891.

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BY PRICES AT

### LAWLER'S CLEARANCE SALE!

Before invoicing on Jan. 1st, 1891, we will close every line

## AT -- ACTUAL -- COST!

The following are some of the prices:

10 dozen of MISSES' TOBOGGANS at 25c. Worth 75c.  
 10 dozen of MISSES' TOBOGGANS at 50c. Worth \$1.25.  
 10 doz. suits MEN'S UNDERWEAR at \$2.50. Cheap at \$5.  
 10 doz. suits MEN'S UNDERWEAR at \$1. Cheap at \$2.  
 LADIES' UNDERWEAR at ONE-HALF regular price.

A FULL LINE OF

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Men's Shoes  
**AT BEDROCK!**

Notwithstanding that shoes have advanced 20 per cent. We will make this absolutely

## cheapest sale of goods ever offered

in McCook and vicinity. We have a full stock of

## GROCERIES

to select from AS LOW AS THE LOWEST. Give us a trial and be convinced that

We are THE CHEAPEST DEALER in the City.

YOURS ANXIOUS TO PLEASE,

**H. LAWLER.**

### OFFICIAL Commissioners' Proceedings.

County Clerk's Office, Indianola, Neb., Jan. 8th, 1891.  
 Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Henry Crabtree, Isiah Bennett and Stephen Bolles, commissioners, and George W. Roper, clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.  
 On motion the following claims were audited and allowed and clerk directed to draw warrants on county general fund, levy 1890, as follows, to-wit:  
 Mrs. H. McCulloch, care C.H. McCulloch, \$ 28.35  
 Henry Harsch, work on roads, 9.00  
 Wm. Hierskorn, work on bridges, 31.17  
 A. P. Baker, work on roads, 3.50  
 A. C. Bartholomew, work on roads, 3.50  
 Arch Mann, work on roads, 3.00  
 James Doyle, work on road, claim \$30.65, allowed at, 2.80  
 R. H. Harrison, work on roads, 4.50  
 F. B. Cecil, work on roads, 7.50  
 Frank Schmoltdt, work on roads, 7.50  
 Martha Kincaid, work on roads, 3.00  
 Ira Harrison, work on roads, claim \$11, allowed at, 9.00  
 E. G. Brown, drayage, 2.00  
 John Peake, drayage, 5.50  
 James T. Conlon, glazing in court house, 1.75  
 J. L. Gentry, work unloading supplies, 2.00  
 J. H. Russell, repairing jail pump, .75  
 Potter & Eaterday, flour for Mrs. Purdy, Brisbin and Carroll, 6.25  
 M. N. Eskey, medicine for McCulloch, 7.95  
 Huddell Lumber Co., coal for N. Wallace, Mrs. Meyers, A. Anderson, 9.40  
 Omaha Republican, chattel m'g files, 12.00  
 Omaha Republican, estate record, 18.00  
 R. M. Snively, co. att'y. last qr. 1890, 200.00  
 Eliza G. Nettleton, co. supt. last qr. 1890, 204.63  
 Willis Gossard, postage and expenses, 4.65  
 Harlow W. Keyes, postage and expenses, 14.50  
 Geo. W. Roper, postage and express, 67.74  
 R. McDonald, work on roads, claim \$12.15, allowed at, 6.00  
 Grass & Miller, boots, etc. for Chas. Ebert, A. L. Goodrich, 6.75  
 Annual settlement made with various overseers public roads and on motion clerk directed to draw warrants on county general fund, levy 1890, as follows, to-wit:  
 S. O. Hoagland, overseer district 31, \$14.10  
 Harry Wade, overseer district 35, 19.42  
 M. Fossen, overseer district 33, 9.65  
 James Barber, overseer district 28, 4.36  
 R. McDonald, overseer district 6, 26.86  
 A. E. Crosby, overseer district 12, 5.94  
 J. C. Lafferty, overseer district 27, 20.20  
 S. E. Vandervort, overseer district 20, 17.14  
 James M. Horton, overseer district 23, 11.59  
 M. L. Custer, overseer district 32, none  
 C. H. Jacobs, overseer district 30, 6.92  
 Frank Schmoltdt, overseer district 13, none  
 U. J. Gathercole, overseer district 18, none  
 James Doyle, overseer district 26, none  
 Wm. Hierskorn, overseer district 24, none  
 Samuel Ellis, overseer district 17, none  
 On motion the following official bonds were approved:  
 A. A. Andrus, overseer road district 17.  
 Simeon Billings, overseer road district 3.  
 Samuel Young, overseer road district 12.  
 S. A. Teel, overseer road district 5.  
 L. F. Nichols, overseer road district 18.  
 W. S. Fitch, overseer road district 9.  
 B. F. Brown, assessor Missouri Ridge precinct.  
 J. W. Spaulding, assessor Box Elder precinct.  
 C. J. Ryan, assessor Willow Grove precinct.  
 Jacob Randal, assessor Red Willow precinct.  
 A. T. Hardin, assessor East Valley precinct.  
 John Horton, assessor Lebanon precinct.  
 John Broomfield, assessor Indianola precinct.  
 John Dodge, county attorney.  
 Michael Coyle, constable Coleman precinct.  
 Jas. Spaulding, J. P. Box Elder precinct.  
 F. M. Pennington, J. P. Lebanon precinct.  
 On motion it was ordered that Mrs. H. McCulloch be allowed \$12 per week from Jan. 1st, 1891, until further orders. Said Mrs. H. McCulloch agrees to provide and care for herself and son, C. H. McCulloch, and to be of no further expense to Red Willow county.  
 On motion board adjourned to meet January 8th, 1891.  
 HENRY CRABTREE, Chairman.  
 Attest—Geo. W. Roper, Clerk.

January 6th, 1891.  
 Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Henry Crabtree, Isiah Bennett and Stephen Bolles, commissioners and Geo. W. Roper, clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.  
 On motion board commenced making annual settlement with Willis Gossard, county treasurer, and continued the settlement during the day.  
 On motion board adjourned to meet January 7th, 1891.  
 HENRY CRABTREE, Chairman.  
 Attest: Geo. W. Roper, Clerk.

January 7th, 1891.  
 Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Henry Crabtree, Isiah Bennett, Stephen Bolles, commissioners, and Geo. W. Roper, clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.  
 Annual settlement was made with the following overseers public highways and clerk directed to draw warrants on the county general fund levy 1890 as follows, to-wit:  
 John Long, overseer district 2, \$ 25.24  
 George Huntwork, overseer district 4, 20.20  
 On motion the following official bonds were examined and approved:  
 M. L. Brown, constable Box Elder precinct.  
 Andrew Carson, overseer road district 6.  
 On motion petition of Daniel Harrison, Joseph V. Harrison, et al, asking that part of road No. 54 be vacated read and considered, and on motion was rejected.  
 On motion the following claims were audited and allowed and clerk directed to draw warrants on county general fund levy 1890 as follows, to-wit:  
 George B. Morgan, supplies for Balms, Lamb, Kirk, et al, \$ 20.25  
 Glen & Stimson, merchandise for Jessup, Steuke, et al, 16.75  
 Duncan Bros. mdse. for Kealeher, et al, 7.20  
 Frees & Hocknell L. Co unloading aid coal, etc., 34.73  
 J. L. Gray, mdse. for A. F. Myers, 3.05  
 Frees & Hocknell L. Co., lumber furnished districts 6 and 31, 19.11  
 G. W. Curfman, med. attend. pauper, 5.75  
 P. D. Armstrong, med. attend. pauper, 5.75  
 G. W. Curfman, med. attend. pauper, 13.85  
 A. P. Baker, 4.75  
 Frees & Hocknell L. Co., coal and lumber, 1.00  
 J. S. Murtha, witness State vs. C. Lanham, 17.50  
 Isiah Bennett, services as com., 15.00  
 Henry Crabtree, services as co., 15.00  
 On motion county treasurer was directed to

refund to G. W. Curfman \$28.21 being amount of erroneous assessment paid in receipt No. 368 for the year 1890.

On motion the following claims were audited and allowed (Mr. Bolles voting against allowing same) and clerk directed to draw warrants on county general fund, levy 1890, as follows, to-wit:

S. R. Smith, legal services county-seat contest, claim \$350.00, allowed at \$200.00.  
 Frank H. Strout, legal services county-seat contest, claim \$262.50, allowed at \$100.00.  
 Henry Crabtree, services as county commissioner county-seat contest \$140.20.  
 Isiah Bennett, services as county commissioner county-seat contest \$78.00.

The board having made a careful examination of the accounts of Harlow W. Keyes, county judge of Red Willow county, find that the following is a just and correct statement of all fees received by him from July 1st, 1890, to December 31st, 1890, both inclusive, viz:

\$79.85, and that all fees received by him from Jan. 1st, 1890, to Dec. 31st, 1890, is \$676.15.

The board having made a careful examination of the accounts of W. A. McCool, sheriff of Red Willow county, find that the following is a just and correct statement of all fees received by him from July 9th, 1890, to Jan. 24, 1891, both inclusive, viz:

\$676.85, and that the whole amount of fees received by him from Jan. 9th, 1890, to Jan. 24, 1891, is \$1,633.98.

On motion board continued making settlement with Willis Gossard, county treasurer, during the day.

On motion board adjourned to meet Jan. 8th, 1891.  
 HENRY CRABTREE, Chairman.  
 Attest: Geo. W. Roper, Clerk.

Indianola, Neb., Jan. 8th, 1891.  
 Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, C. W. Hodgkin, Stephen Bolles and S. S. Graham, commissioners, and Geo. W. Roper, clerk, Willis Gossard and W. T. Henton, county treasurer. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion board proceeded with annual settlement with Willis Gossard and continued same during the day.

On motion board adjourned to meet Jan. 9th, 1891.  
 STEPHEN BOLLES, Chairman.  
 Attest: Geo. W. Roper, Clerk.

Indianola, Neb., Jan. 9th, 1891.  
 Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, full board present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion board continued making annual settlement with Willis Gossard.

On motion board adjourned to meet Jan. 10th, 1891.  
 STEPHEN BOLLES, Chairman.  
 Attest: Geo. W. Roper, Clerk.

Indianola, Neb., Jan. 9th, 1891.  
 Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, full board present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion board continued making annual settlement with Willis Gossard.

On motion board adjourned to meet Jan. 10th, 1891.  
 STEPHEN BOLLES, Chairman.  
 Attest: Geo. W. Roper, Clerk.

**Obituary—Thomas LeHew.**  
 DIED—At his residence in Delphos, Ohio, Jan. 8th, 1891, Thomas LeHew, aged 91 years, 5 months, 21 days.

Deceased was the father of J. S. LeHew, Esq., of this city. He was born of French parents at Frontroyal, Va., July 17, 1799. In 1805 his parents emigrated to the new state of Ohio and settled at Muskingum Falls, now known as Jansenville, Ohio. In 1830 he married Catherine Fletcher, who bore him twelve children. The death of his good wife only separated them after 66 years of wedded life. The children all lived and were married before death visited that household. Seven of them were boys, five of whom served in the union army during the war of the rebellion, their aggregate service was more than 15 years. He voted the democratic ticket until after the breaking out of the war, when he voted for Abraham Lincoln and has continued to vote the republican ticket. The citizens of Delphos will long remember Father LeHew, who in pleasant weather, to within a few months of his death could be seen upon the streets of that city, staff in hand, giving to each passing acquaintance a kindly word of recognition. Life to him was a joyous reality. There was naught of bitterness in his nature. He was in love with the world and at peace with his fellow men. His was a kindly, gentle spirit, living beyond the fulness of its year when the reaper came it was not death to him.

**BANKSVILLE BUDGET.**  
 It looks now as if the farmers ought to start the "ghost dance," as it seems that the Indians get sympathy and rations that way while the farmers here are much left to their own resources and the drought got the resources.

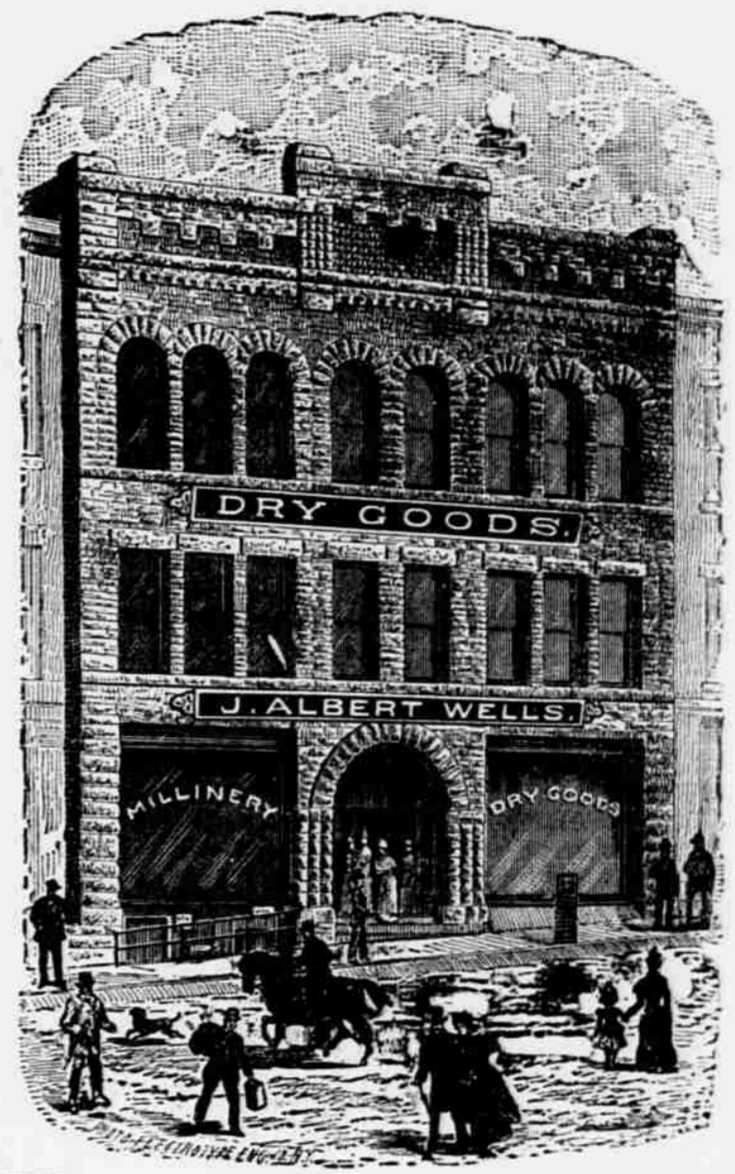
Don't forget to keep agitating the broom factory scheme. The country about McCook can raise broom corn and brooms are as staple as sugar and will always keep until sold and the whole country uses brooms and there is no reason to keep McCook from having as good a broom factory as any town in the state. The farmers can furnish the broom corn.

Our fine weather has got a snub, and the change started about the 7th inst., being so foggy all day as to shut off the view except a few rods, and at evening snow commenced falling, and the 8th was a stormy day, and the 9th when the storm ceased the snow was about one foot on the level. At this writing, the 12th, the snow is much drifted and travel is blocked except on horseback. Saturday, C. S. White, mail carrier for Banksville, took the mail via Valton to McCook and had to lay over at Valton and arrived at Banksville about noon.  
 OBSERVER.

**A Scrap of Paper Saves Her Life.**  
 It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; it helped her, she bought a large bottle; it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, plump, weighing 140 pounds. For fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, druggist, Fort Smith. Trial bottles of this wonderful discovery free at A. McMillan's drug store. 34.

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