

J. F. GANSCHOW,

—THE—
OLD RELIABLE.

THE LEADING
BOOT AND SHOE
DEALER.

MCCOOK, - NEBRASKA.

FARM LOANS.

I am prepared to fill a few good applications at once. Money on hand when application is approved.
J. E. KELLEY.

Circus the 22d.
Noble, The Grocer.
This is CORN weather.
Plant your celery plants.
Rye harvest has commenced.
Family Groceries at Noble's.
Next year will be Leap Year.
CHENERY'S CITY DRUG STORE.
What is home without a newspaper.
Staple and Fancy Groceries at Noble's.
A new postal card is soon to be issued.
Try Knipple for fruits of all kinds.
Union block.
Dr. A. J. Thomas, Dentist, office in Union block, over Knipple.
Before painting your house consult Chenery at the City Drug Store.
Superior flour.
POTTER & EASTERDAY.
A full line of stationery at popular prices.
CITY DRUG STORE.
Ice Cream Soda and Mineral Waters.
L. W. McCONNELL & Co.
Feed of all kinds.
POTTER & EASTERDAY.
The Eagle Clothing Store is displaying a stylish stock of spring clothing.
Kapke, The Tailor, guarantees you the lowest prices and the most stylish and elegant clothing.
Crete flour has no superior and but few equals. Knipple has just received an entire car load of it.
Parties wishing 500 pound lots of flour will save money by calling on POTTER & EASTERDAY.
An elegant line of perfumes, toilet articles, etc., at CHENERY'S CITY DRUG STORE.
S. M. Cochrane & Co. are agents for the Plano and Walter A. Woods Binders. They are the best in the market.
If you want a stylish fit at the very lowest figures, KAPKE, THE TAILOR, is the man to patronize. Rear of The Famous.
IN QUEENSWARE Noble carries the largest assortment and the richest designs of the season. His prices are reasonable.
You will be needing binding twine soon. S. M. Cochrane & Co. are prepared to fill your orders at lowest market price.
Groceries, fruits, confectioneries and the like must be fresh and clean to be desirable. Knipple makes a specialty of these points.
If you need a Binder or a Header call on S. M. Cochrane & Co. They sell the Walter A. Woods and Plano Binders and the Randolph Header, machines not excelled in the world.
Marsh, the Liveryman, by his square dealing and excellent service, is gradually gathering the cream of the livery trade. He is becoming more and more fully equipped every day to give the public the best livery service in the valley.
The blind may see,
The mute may talk,
The deaf may hear
The maimed may walk,
And Johnnie may have the possession of his gun; but the time will never come when you can buy first-class clothing at the low prices obtainable at the EAGLE CLOTHING STORE.
Red Cloud flour.
POTTER & EASTERDAY.

WATER TAX.

According to ordinance water will be turned off from all property where the tax is unpaid today, July 10th.
C. H. WEEKER, Supt.

Sealing Wax for fruit cans at Chenery's City Drug Store.
Try Knipple for staple and fancy groceries. Union block.
Knipple has just received a car load of the celebrated Crete Mills flour.
Ice Cream Soda at L. W. McCONNELL & Co.'s.
Corn meal.
POTTER & EASTERDAY.
White and Figured Windsor Ties—all the rage—at the Eagle Clothing Store.

Noble carries a large and complete stock of the best brands of canned goods of all kinds.

A piano for sale or trade for a team of horses, or McCook property. Inquire at this office.

See Knipple in his new quarters in the Union block. Everything nice in fruits, groceries, etc.

Drink Seltzer Water,—the most cooling and refreshing drink known,—at Chenery's City Drug Store.

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

Chenery at the City Drug Store uses only pure fruit juices in making syrups for his soda fountain.

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

Do you want the latest and best and cheapest? Well, they keep a large variety at the Eagle Clothing Store.

Noble is the only exclusive grocer in the city. His stock is the largest and his prices correspond with the times.

Use "The Best" Sticky Fly Paper, made fresh daily at CHENERY'S CITY DRUG STORE.

The Randolph Header is sold by S. M. Cochrane & Co. See them before buying your harvesting machinery.

Chauncey Depew has "no patience with the weak-kneed, spindle-shanked, water-brained dyspeptics who despair of this republic."

The Eagle Clothing Store is in the clothing business. They will dress you up handsomely and stylishly, and do it at a very reasonable figure.

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.

Atchison Globe: As they grow older, a man's nose grows fatter, and a woman's grows sharper and thinner; a good sign that it is the woman whose nose is kept to the grindstone.

SHIRTS TO ORDER. White or fancy. Gents who are accustomed to have their shirts made to order give us a trial order. We guarantee a good fit and reasonable prices. THE FAMOUS.

Nothing succeeds like success. Nothing in the livery business takes the public eye and fancy like good horses and comfortable vehicles. With these Marsh gives prompt service and courteous treatment.

A Nebraska school teacher assures the New York Witness that all the sweet milk he can drink whenever he feels the longing for the filthy weed coming upon him will help anybody to quit the use of tobacco. Try it.

THRASHING MACHINES—I have for sale on easy terms several Thrashing Machines, with horse-powers or engines, which have been used only one season and are as good as new.
5-4ts J. B. JENNINGS, McCook, Neb.

The season of the year is approaching when pants will be fashionable. We do not refer to the dog days. We have in mind the large stock and fine assortment of pants just received by the EAGLE CLOTHING HOUSE. They have anything you want in size, color, or quality. Prices are right.

All smokers are interested in securing a good, pure article of the weed when they are looking for a cigar. Purity and excellence are important and count with all who are judges of quality in tobacco. Reizenstein makes his own cigars right here in McCook. He selects none but the best tobaccos and his manufactured product cannot be equalled in the city. He carries a large stock of cigars and tobacco, besides a well selected line of smokers' articles.

An addition to the McCook Roller Mill is one of the improvements soon to be under way.

Now that the track is being put in shape some interesting races between local steeds may be expected.

USUAL SERVICES—In the Congregational church, next Sunday morning and evening, by Rev. W. C. Stevenson, pastor.

Fast driving on some of the streets of the city continues to be the ruling fad. It is a fad which should cost the drivers of the horses a good round fine.

BAPTIST SERVICES—Will be held in the Lutheran church on next Sunday morning and evening at 11:30 and 8:30 o'clock respectively, Rev. D. L. McBride conducting.

The local market gardeners are doing a thriving business these days. A greater amount of garden produce has been raised in this locality this season than for many years.

A choral class was organized at the Congregational church, on Wednesday evening, by Rev. Stevenson. He starts out with a membership of 17, which will be increased at once doubtless. Future meetings will be held on Thursday evenings.

A small purse was raised, first of the week, and the race track is now being placed in condition for more satisfactory use by our owners of fast horses. The weeds are being removed and the track graded up in places, and McCook will have one of the best tracks in the valley.

Those individuals who persist in larding their stock across the streets should remember that there is a city ordinance prohibiting the practice and a penalty for its violation. Some day they may have a forcible reminder of the fact. It is dangerous and should be stopped.

The McCook Electric Light Co. is now fully organized with the following officers and directors: Frank Carruth, president and treasurer; George Hocknell, vice-president; C. A. Leach, secretary; N. Costenborder, superintendent; board of directors, S. W. Huddleston, J. A. Wilcox, George Hocknell, N. Costenborder and Frank Carruth.

The various celebrations in the county, as well as that at Red Cloud, were attended by goodly delegations from our city, which was pretty well deserted until evening. At night private parties over the city set off a variety of fireworks—which was about the only local indication of patriotism and observance of the day.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Services as follows: Sunday School 10:30 A. M., morning service 11:30 A. M., evening service 8:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8:30 P. M.; Young People's Choral Society Thursday night 7 P. M.; teacher's meeting 8:30 P. M. The church and pastor extend a hearty invitation to all these services. The pastor especially invites all the young people of the city to the Choral Society held every Thursday night.

In the young lives of the twin daughters of Engineer and Mrs. G. R. Oyster Wednesday, July 8th, 1891, will mark a bright and happy day. Then Ethel and Edith entered their thirteenth year of blooming girlhood, and the event was celebrated most becomingly. In the evening a large company of young friends gathered under the pretty parental roof on Upper Main and made merry with them with all the tirelessness and joyousness of enthusiastic youth. Various sports and games and refreshments profuse and elegant made up the sum total of a memorable evening to all present.

Young man, dost thou go abroad in the land at night, and rush the growler and perambulate with the feminines? Dost thou hoop 'em up with the boys and figure for the substance of the jack pot, and bank thy shekels against the ever-slippery tiger? Art thou a guzzler of beer and a player of cards? Dost thou suck a ten cent cigar, and hast thou lost thy grip on the ways that are right, and wisdom which is good in the world? Verily, verily, I say unto thee, thou art in a bad row of stumps, it will not be long ere thou dost know thy name is pants. Thy heels will fly up ere long, and thou wilt wake up and find thou hast fallen into the soup. Keep thy eye on the gun and monkey not with the intoxicating juice of the bug. Steer widely of the man with the ace and in the ripened years of thy life thy pockets will be full of the collateral of the earth, while those who mind not these commandments are partaking of the lunch which is free.—Brick Pomeroy.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Eleventh Annual Institute of Red Willow county, Nebraska, will be held at Indianola, August 17th to 28th, 1891.

Instructors—Supt. Valentine, of McCook; Mrs. E. F. Tucker, of Lincoln; Prof. Walter Rowland, of Indianola. The County Superintendent will instruct in grading and classification, botany and school law.

An interesting and novel feature of the institute will be several evening sessions. Tuition for the term including for examination \$1.00.

TO THE TEACHERS OF RED WILLOW COUNTY—If you intend to teach you will be expected to attend this institute as required by section 6, subdivision of the school law. The institute is held to enable teachers to do better work than heretofore, and I hope to see every teacher present the first day and all united in an earnest effort to improve. There is an urgent call for better teachers. Let us strive to meet the demand. Let teachers bring their books of reference "Campy're's Lectures," "Hawthorne and His Friends," "How to Grade a Country School" and their technical specimens. The work in Didactics and Methods will be based on "Campy're's Lectures." American Literature, based on "Hawthorne and His Friends," will be taken in connection with the history of our country. The people of Indianola will do all in their power to make our stay with them pleasant. Very favorable arrangements have been made for boarding.

We cordially invite the public to visit the Institute at any time, especially members of the school board, where they will be able to find the best teachers for their schools. Friday, Aug. 21, at 1:30 P. M., is named as the day for a meeting of the school boards at the school house in Indianola. This meeting is called to consider the question of school text books and any other necessary business. I would respectfully request the directors to defer any arrangements with booksellers until after this meeting.

In the work of improving our schools, I am, Yours Very Cordially,
ELIZA G. NETTLETON.

Echos From Councilmanic Halls.

The city fathers were in regular session, Wednesday evening, a full board being present.

Bills following were allowed:
Frank Carruth & Co., \$157.50
W. C. Bullard & Co., 16.19
Gray & Maddux, 50.00
James Carl, .50
Frees & Hocknell Lumber Co., 82.16
W. D. Paine, 107.05
Bill of F. P. Allen, \$13.80, allowed.
Clerk instructed to draw warrant for \$10 in favor of city treasurer as occupation tax for 1891, the balance to be turned over to the street commissioner for settlement.

Report of city treasurer was accepted.
Bond of Night Policeman John McCotter was approved. Adjourned.

NOTHING TOO RICH.

Gray & Maddux of The Circle Front Livery go on the splendid business principle that there is nothing too rich for their patrons; and they are constantly on the lookout for new attractions. Their latest purchase of Sheriff McCook's handsome and rangey team will doubtless be appreciated by all who take delight in drawing the ribbons over something in the horseflesh line which is stylish and spirited as well as safe and reliable. This recent acquisition fills all the requirements, and sustains the deserved popularity of The Circle Front.

THIS EVENING.

A farewell party will be given in honor of Miss Mary Myers, this evening, at the B. & M. Dining Hall, which promises to be one of the most charming social events of many days. It will be participated in by a score or more young people of McCook and from abroad. There will be dancing and a banquet and good time generally. Miss Myers will depart for her home near Beatrice to-morrow morning, with the regrets and best wishes of a numerous friendship here.

NOTICE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that I will not be held responsible for any debts contracted by my son, Charles Irwin.

WM. M. IRWIN.

MCCOOK, Neb., July 8, 1891.
TO TRADE FOR A FARM.
Will trade a quarter block, house 24x24 with basement, in Red Cloud, for a farm near McCook. Enquire at this office.

THE DRY CREEK CELEBRATION.

One of the most thoroughly enjoyable celebrations held in Red Willow county on our nation's birthday was that which took place under the shade and cool of Dry Creek on the Burtless ranch about seven miles south of the city. The celebration was conducted by the joint alliances of Valley Grange, Driftwood, Grant and Gerver precincts, and it was a most gratifying success in every particular. The grounds were pitched on the banks of Dry Creek in the immediate vicinity of the ranch buildings, and a prettier, shadier, cooler nook is not to be found in this section of country. The people came from all over the southwestern part of the county, and together with the scores who came hither from McCook made up one of the finest gatherings ever seen in Red Willow county. The rain of the early morn had settled the dust and cooled the air, the sun came out in all his glory, a gentle breeze blew, and the atmospheric conditions were simply perfect. Not to be outdone by nature, the people were rather in harmony therewith. It was a quiet, happy and contented company, each vying with the other in making the occasion pleasant and successful.

A splendid program of addresses, recitations, songs, etc., had been prepared, and the same were rendered with most satisfactory and enjoyable results. Rev. D. L. McBride, Elder H. H. Berry and J. Byron Jennings were the orators of the day, and acquitted themselves nobly, Rev. McBride receiving words of warmest praise on all hands. Mrs. James Harris was also enthusiastically applauded for her short, but spicy speech. The recitations of the children, the songs of the choir, and in fact all the exercises were excellent and commendable. Those in charge are to be warmly congratulated upon the unqualified success thereof throughout.

The dancing platform was a very popular feature with the young. The tripping continued to a late hour in the evening, without material decrease in interest or activity.

The desires of the hungry and thirsty were ministered to by McAdams & Pate and Darius Kendall; and their refreshment stands seemed to be well patronized.

JOINT JOLLITY.

Last Friday, the sylvan shades of rustic Brush creek rang with the merriment which only school children on a vacation can make. The occasion was a joint picnic by the Pickets and Vincent public schools, of which Mr. James Fowler and Miss Edna Meserve are teachers respectively. The day was spent in literary exercises, singing, in disposing of a generous spread of good things provided for the pupils, and in playing games of various kinds. It was a time of happiness, a season of jollity, long to be remembered by the children, and reflects with credit to the promoters.

IN SHIP SHAPE.

Mr. E. H. Doan, the new proprietor, but well known to the patrons of the mill, is hard at it these quiet crop-assuring days putting the McCook Roller Mill in ship shape for the fall trade, which he confidently expects to be brisk and large. He will be prepared to take care of the rush when it comes, too.

In the meantime they are ready to promptly dispose of all business which comes, and are keeping their popular brands before the public as usual.

Visitation Academy, Hastings, Neb.

Boarding and day school for girls and young ladies. Thorough instruction in English, Science, Art, Music, Latin, French and German by native teachers. Book-keeping, Telegraphy, Type and Short-hand writing. Special attention given those wishing to become teachers, or who may not have had the usual advantages of an education. For terms apply to Rev. J. E. English or Sister Directress.

FOR RENT.

That is to say: Do you want to buy, rent or trade for a barn. If so call on or address E. LINDNER, McCook.

WILL SELL CHEAP.

A 4-room house convenient to the round house. A good cellar. Full acre lot. Inquire at this office for particulars.

A GIRL WANTED.

A competent girl for general housework can secure a place by inquiring at the store of J. ALBERT WELLS.
We allow no one to undersell us on flour. POTTER & EASTERDAY.

NOTICE.

Owing to the death of Frank H. Fowler of the firm of Wilcox & Fowler, all persons indebted to said firm are requested to call and settle on or before the 1st day of August, 1891. After the 10th day of July, 1891, all the business of said firm will be conducted on a strictly cash basis.
WILCOX & FOWLER.
June 22d, 1891.

Do You Want a Farm Loan?

If so, come and see me before making an application elsewhere.
C. H. BOYLE.

"People of all classes take tea. Dead people take eterniTY; gay people festiviTY; free people liberTY; fashionable folks socieTY; good people picTY; successful candidates majoriTY; unsuccessful ditto minoriTY; editors honesTY; solemn citizens graviTY; funny roosters leviTY; orthodox citizens DeiTY; polite people suaviTY; bashful fellows modesTY; kind ones chariTY; bachelors and old maids singulariTY; short people breviTY; cunning folks rascaliTY; romantic simpletons novelTY; respectable people ChristiatiTY; artistic people beauTY; strong people responsibiliTY; criminals penalTY, etc. (The 'I' pot cracked at this juncture.)"

FOR SALE—Part of my irrigated farm near McCook, in small lots to suit purchaser. Private ditch. No water rent. Good chance for small fruit farms. Have had two years' experience in Colorado and two in Red Willow county with irrigation.

ANDREW CARSON,

P. O. Box 311, McCook, Neb.

Beaver City Tribune: Dick Tinker, of McCook, was in town Wednesday looking up a land deal.

S. M. Cochrane & Co. for binding twine. They will give you the lowest price possible.

The Eagle Clothing Store has the only Genuine Dog Glove found in McCook.

A four-room house in good location for rent. Inquire at Bullard's lumber yard.

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

Ice Cream Soda and Mineral Waters.
L. W. McCONNELL & Co.

Rye flour.
POTTER & EASTERDAY.

A PIC-NIC

For buyers of Footwear. We have just opened our

40 FOOT TABLE

The greatest lot of bargains ever offered in McCook.

Prices = Red Figures

We never do things by halves except when we sell goods at

Half Price.

COME EARLY.

