



OUTING SHOES.

It long ago seemed as though shoes could never be better and never be cheaper, but they are better now and cheaper now than they ever were before. The great every day favorite is our men's and ladies' shoe. It is as much a boon to the pocketbook as it is to the feet. It won't wear you out to wear it out. You don't need to take care of it; it takes care of itself. It will give you solid comfort for the simple reason that a better shoe for knockabout purposes has never been produced. If prices never appealed to you before, the price of this shoe will, for it costs only \$2.50. It will look nicer and wear longer than any shoe on earth.

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The
Old Reliable

For Fine Book Cases and Dining Tables go to the New Furniture Store.

Machine oil of all kinds at Predmore Bros.

For Lamps, Chenery's City Drug Store.

McMillen has a large assortment of lamps—cheap.

Paints and Oils, Chenery's City Drug Store.

Predmore Bros. keep the best cylinder oil in McCook.

Buy the best Machine Oils at Chenery's City Drug Store.

Buy your school supplies at Chenery's City Drug Store.

Wayson & Odell are putting out some handsome rigs these days.

Dr. A. J. Thomas, Dentist, office in Union block, over Knipple.

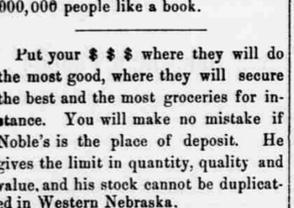
Noble, the leading grocer, makes a specialty of fresh, clean family groceries. He will treat you right.

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

It is funny to hear men who fail in running their own affairs successfully bragging how they know all about national finances and how they could manage the monetary affairs for 65,000,000 people like a book.

Put your \$\$\$ where they will do the best good, where they will secure the best and the most groceries for instance. You will make no mistake if Noble's is the place of deposit. He gives the limit in quantity, quality and value, and his stock cannot be duplicated in Western Nebraska.

What is this



Non-pull-out

anyhow



It is the only bow (ring) which cannot be pulled from the watch. To be had only with Jas. Boss Filled and other watch cases stamped with this trade mark. Ask your jeweler for pamphlet. **Keystone Watch Case Co., PHILADELPHIA.**

Residence property for sale in all parts of the city by C. J. Ryan.

Machine Oils at 20c, 25c, 30c. and 35c. at **KNIPPLE'S.**

Groceries at Nobles'.

Fancy rockers just received at Pade & Son's.

Elegant Perfumes at Chenery's City Drug Store.

Pure drugs can always be found at Chenery's City Drug Store.

S. M. Cochran & Co. keep repairs for all kinds of machinery.

Slight scurries of snow early this morning, with a stiff northwester.

Absolutely rust proof tinware is sold by S. M. Cochran & Co., the west Denison street hardwaremen.

Domestic, White, Standard and New Home sewing machines on \$5 a month payments at Pade & Son's.

Wayson & Odell can fix you up comfortably and stylishly in any thing you may desire in the livery line.

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

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

A fine line of Plush Goods, Albums, Manicure Sets, Perfumes, Sponges, Toilet Articles, etc., at Chenery's City Drug Store.

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.

12th annual session National Farmers Congress, Lincoln, Neb., Nov 22 to 27. Fare one and a third rate for the round trip. Tickets on sale Nov. 19 to 27 inclusive.

We are printing the date to which each subscriber has paid his subscription to **THE TRIBUNE** along with the address. Watch the date and you will know if you are in arrears. If you are, please come and see us.

The nation can give thanks sincerely today because it has lived for thirty-two years under the economic policy of the republican party. During that period it has advanced from a condition of industrial and social distress and impending public bankruptcy to a place at the head of the list of the proudest and strongest nations on the globe. It has become the leader in wealth, industry, commerce and all the activities of civilization. It is today the wonder and the admiration of the world. The United States has much to be thankful for, and the first of all it is thankful that the republican policy has been put into practice and that no opposing party will be found bold enough to wipe out the republican laws from the statute book.

At the National Farmers' Congress at Lincoln, this week, there was an exhibit of Nebraska products by counties. Nineteen counties were represented, to-wit: Adams, Buffalo, Burt, Clay, Cuming, Custer, Dodge, Fillmore, Gage, Hall, Holt, Johnson, Lancaster, Nemaha, Polk, Platte, Red Willow, Saline and Seward. The exhibit from Red Willow was more than twice as large as any other county represented. The largest corn and vegetables in the entire show was in this exhibit and attracted universal admiration. It was the only exhibit from west of the 100th meridian. At one end and in the center of the exhibit were two cards, 12x24 inches in size, on which was printed "From west of 100th Meridian." Cards were placed at different points in the exhibit on which were printed "Grown in Red Willow County, Southwestern Nebraska." It was the most attractively arranged exhibit and received more friendly comments than any other exhibit in the hall, and added largely in bringing Red Willow county prominently before the visitors as a grand agricultural county. The success of the exhibit was due largely to the efforts of Wm. Coleman, who had charge of the exhibit.

M. M. Hen is headquarters for all kinds of lamps.

The middle bridge has been newly planked and repaired, this week.

A girl wanted to do general house work. Inquire at J. Albert Wells' store at once.

The children of the public schools enjoy a holiday today in addition to Thanksgiving day.

The only complete abstract of the official vote of Red Willow county was published in **THE MCCOOK TRIBUNE.**

December term of district court in and for Red Willow county will be held on the 19th instead of the 12th as calendar.

One of McCook's butchers and stock dealers and shippers in a recent month checked out \$54,000 in payment of stock purchased.

Miss Sylvia Williams will teach a term of school in the Frederick district, having completed the term in the Pickens district.

If you know of a news item, a marriage, death, birth or a personal item, or other news, send it to the **TRIBUNE** the first thing you do.

LOST—A book on the highway leading into McCook from the northwest. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Miss Mand Doan had the misfortune to smash her fingers quite painfully on Saturday last in a swinging door at Dr. A. J. Thomas' dental parlor.

Ben Jackson is the proud owner of two running horses, which he feels quite confident can throw dust in the eyes of any horse flesh in these diggings.

All persons having books of the McCook library association are urged to return the same at once to this office, as the library has been turned over to the public schools of the city.

NOBLE, Purveyor to the Great Common People, is now exhibiting about the handsomest and largest assortment of plain and fancy lamps to be seen in Southwestern Nebraska.

C. L. DeGross purchased a lot and a half on the corner of Marshall and Dudley street this week, with the view of building a dwelling house thereon in the spring, of a commodious and comfortable sort.

The Lincoln Herald advises democrat-independents to leave the people's party and go back to the democracy and **THE TRIBUNE** conjures the republican populists to return to the grand old party before they are everlastingly swallowed up by the democrats.

The Menard opera house has been leased by W. H. Harris, of Cambridge, for theatrical purposes. We understand that Mr. Harris has leased a number of other houses in the valley and will manage quite a circuit. Such an arrangement ought to give us some fair plays this winter.

The county judges of Nebraska will meet in Lincoln November 29 and 30 to discuss matters relating to the amount of smile it is necessary to use in forking over marriage licenses and the etiquette proper to use towards charming widows that are well remembered in wills.

Is it or is it not just a trifle odd that Congressman McKeighan, (whose famous utterance, "I mean no disrespect to the defenseless dead when I say that I am no democrat," will cause his name to go thundering down the corridors of time,) should be called upon to furnish the oratorical pyrotechnics for a democratic jollification?

The next Nebraska legislature should early change the election law making it compulsory for elections boards to have the returns at their respective county seats within 24 hours after the close of the polls. The present plan of allowing four days in which to make returns is an abominable nuisance; and every county seems to have its quota of hobos who delight in keeping back their home election returns until all the country has been heard from.

VICTORIOUS DEMOCRATS.
They Celebrate Grover's Success With Much Enthusiasm.

Ever since the magnitude of the late democratic landslide became apparent the local faithful have been eager and impatient to paint the town in becoming depths of vermilion as mildly expressive of their exuberant joy. So when last Friday evening was announced as the date for the ratification, the enthusiastic bournons were on hand from all over this section of the state, cocked and primed for an adult blow-out.

The demonstration was inaugurated with a torch light procession, which was participated in by about two hundred souls, carrying torches, transparencies, brooms and other ceteras of victory and gratification. In payment of a wager Postmaster Troth with with a transparency occupied a conspicuous position in the ranks. William Huber also squared a similar transaction by hauling Charles Hine in a wheel barrow in the procession throughout the entire and lengthy march. Sutton's band headed the procession and provided choice music during the entire celebration.

Following the procession was a speech by Congressman McKeighan, who spoke briefly from the veranda of the Commercial hotel, and in his accustomed strain. He was introduced by Chairman Moore of the democratic committee, while Representative-elect Sheridan also occupied a seat on the veranda beside the speaker.

At the conclusion of the address quite a pyrotechnic display was made from the top of the city hall. After which came the good, old fashioned part of the democratic celebrations, over which we will draw the mantle of charity.

In its totality the ratification was quite a large and juicy affair.

Thanksgiving day was becomingly observed in McCook. There was a general closing of business houses; and a general slaughter of turkeys. Union services were conducted in the Methodist church, Rev. D. L. McBride preaching the sermon, which was one of his best efforts. The Methodist choir provided the music. The attendance was not as large as it should have been—doubtless owing in a measure to the inclemency of the weather.

The Wesleyan seminary proposition should be given thorough, business-like consideration by our people. If the scheme commends itself as being feasible, has the elements of success in it and back of it, and is within reach of our means, let us grasp the situation vigorously. But let there be a full and free understanding of what is proposed and of what is expected. Every feature must be thoroughly and intelligently canvassed.

The library association of our city has donated the books, book-cases, etc., of the association to the public school, where the same have been removed. Members reserve perpetual rights to the use of the library. This move will doubtless meet with the approbation of all; and will provide the children with easy access to quite a library, which it is contemplated to enlarge as fast as means are available.

The comet about which astronomers have been making such a fuss lately is declared to be without a nucleus and envelopes, to have less density than the vacuum of an incandescent lamp, and to be made up of measly little pieces of substance. If this thing keeps up by Saturday night it will have been discovered that the whole thing was a cobweb on the telescopes.

R. R. Stewart, a late arrival from Cortland, this state, has purchased the M. Y. Starbuck farm northeast of the city, and the residence property of A. F. Moore in the northeastern part of town; \$1,900 cash is the consideration for the latter. Mr. Stewart is quite largely interested in horses and has commenced the building of a barn for their accommodation.

Mr. Crawford, father-in-law of Engineer Moore, has purchased the J. Byron Jennings "thoroughbred stock farm" on the Driftwood.

Practical advertisers are already reserving space in **THE TRIBUNE** for their holiday announcements.

There are six comets in the heavens and more coming.

D. PRICE'S
Clean Baking Powder.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

A GRATIFYING SUCCESS.
The McCook Workmen Entertained a Multitude of Friends in Supurb Style.

The members of the McCook lodge A. O. U. W. gave their first annual complimentary banquet to invited friends and brethren in Meeker's hall, Monday evening, and it is quite the unanimous verdict of all present, and the attendance was enormous, that the affair in every particular was one of the most delightful ever held in McCook, a pronounced and most gratifying success throughout, adding more lustre to the bright enviable social record of the Workmen and their indispensable and inimitable co-laborers of the Degree of Honor.

The banquet which opened at eight o'clock was spread with great taste and richness and the menu was elaborate and tempting. This feature of the auspicious occasion was under the exclusive management of the Degree of Honor, and in providing such excellent fare for nearly three hundred guests the ladies acquitted themselves handsomely and are entitled to great credit.

There was amusement for all: card playing, dancing and a wealth of chatty, social intercourse; and there was plenty of evidence to even the casual observer that both guests and members enjoyed the occasion highly.

Throughout the evening Prof. Reizenstein's orchestra of six pieces made most acceptable melody; also providing the inspiration for the dancing which occupied the closing hours of the evening.

THE TRIBUNE wants to felicitate everybody upon the distinct and unvaried success of the evening's entertainment. It was good to have been there.

Come Into Court.

A rather sensational episode of the democratic ratification of last Friday evening was the serving upon Congressman McKeighan, who provided the brief oratory of the occasion, of a summons to come into Squire J. E. Kelley's court on the 30th day of November, 1892, at one o'clock in the afternoon to answer the action of "J. S. LeHew and E. C. O'Donnell for \$50 and interest from November 20, 1888, the same being the amount of a certain promissory note which was placed in the hands of the defendant for collection and remittance, he being judge of Webster county, this state, which said note was collected by the said defendant and feloniously kept, embezzled and appropriated to the use of the defendant and against the will and request of plaintiffs." Sheriff Banks served the paper on the Congressman in the cloak room of the Commercial hotel about eleven o'clock, some time after the delivery of the address. The congressman stoutly maintained that he couldn't understand it; that there is nothing in it; if he puts in an appearance on next Wednesday noon, however, the public may be better able to determine whether or not there is anything in it.

Horses for Sale.

Wayson & Odell keep horses for sale at their livery barn opposite the Central hotel.

Well, those demi-mondaine cases evidently did not materialize. Nobody really thought they would.

The steam swing has been purchased by Ben Jackson. The old proprietors have left the city.

COME AND PAY UP.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to me will please call at once and settle.
C. W. PAINE.

The Wesleyan Seminary.

Dr. A. P. Welles, Rev. A. W. Coffman and Mr. J. A. Wilcox arrived home from Holdrege, last Tuesday evening, quite hopeful of McCook's chances of securing the location of the proposed Wesleyan seminary here, their only strong competitor for the seminary being Orleans, at the meeting of trustees of the university. So a meeting of business men of our city was held in the First National bank on Wednesday night, to see what action McCook people felt like taking in the matter. It was ascertained that a seminary building and ten acre campus valued at \$10,000 and an endowment fund of \$20,000 were required by the trustees from the town in which the seminary should be located.

On motion Dr. A. P. Welles, J. P. Lindsay and F. M. Kimmell were constituted a committee to ascertain what land could be secured for the purpose, cost etc.

Messrs. J. P. Lindsay, Rev. A. W. Coffman and William Valentine were appointed a committee to correspond with Chancellor Creighton and ascertain just what the trustees offered and required, in writing.

It may be added that the trustees and Chancellor Creighton of the Wesleyan university at Lincoln will be in McCook on Dec. 6 and 7 to view what McCook has to offer and to more fully explain the unification plan under which it is proposed to build four seminaries in the state of Nebraska, one of which shall be in this part of the state.

It is expected that Chancellor Creighton will address an educational meeting in our city on the evening of Dec. 7.

MCCOFF-O'NEIL.

On Wednesday morning Rev. Father J. W. Hickey of St. Patrick's church, in the impressive ceremony of the Catholic church, united in marriage Mr. John McCoff and Miss Clara O'Neil, both of our city, and among our most estimable young people. **THE TRIBUNE** joins their many friends and well-wishers in hearty congratulations.

A wedding dinner was partaken of at the residence of the bride's parents, after which the young people took the train for Denver, where they are enjoying a happy honeymoon for a few days.

FQR SALE.

An imported English Shire and a Clydesdale stallion.

Anyone wishing to buy a first class stallion will make money by calling on me and getting prices. There are no better horses than these to be had and I will sell them for half the price you will pay for the same quality of horses elsewhere and on easy terms. Will trade for desirable property. If you want a horse, come and see me. I mean business.

J. B. MATHER,
Indianola, Neb.

THE TRIBUNE understands that Messrs. B. F. Troxel and C. B. Gray will shortly open up a first class restaurant in the building now occupied by A. H. Burdick, the furniture man.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE