

# The McCook Tribune.

ELEVENTH YEAR.

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 24, 1893.

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...J. ALBERT WELLS...

## Special Reduction Sale.

J. Albert Wells' Special Reduction Sale will continue until March 1st. All Winter Goods will be sold at Great Reductions to make room for the Large Spring Stock.

Mr. Wells is now in New York making his spring purchases.

## Special Reduction Sale.

J. ALBERT WELLS.

CASH BARGAIN HOUSE.

20 Per Cent Discount

ALL WINTER GOODS

MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

Short Length Dress Goods and Remnants of all Kinds Included in This Sale.

Our Stock Must be Reduced

to make room for immense stock of Spring Goods.

C. I. DeGROFF & CO.

SUCCESSORS TO J. C. ALLEN.



Fireman Stalker has quit the road.

The Reading railroad has passed into the hands of three receivers.

A number of firemen will be elevated within the next few months.

Jay Tubbs was at headquarters, yesterday, going down to Holdrege, O. S.

Brakeman Ditton, whose arm was recently amputated, is getting along nicely.

Eng near F. G. Westland has been visiting friends in Lincoln for the past week.

Engineer J. F. Reynolds has been up from Republican City a few days of this week.

A promising young brakeman will shortly assume the dignity and joy of married life.

There are indications that the B. & M. will build west from Sheridan, Wyoming, in the spring.

Conductor W. G. Reddin indulged in a brief whiff of capital city life, Sunday, coming in on 3.

James Chambers is down from La Junta, Colorado, on a visit of a few days to his family and dear friends.

The electric lighting service in the round house has been materially increased to the satisfaction of all the night force.

Mrs. Fred Bosworth has been down from Cheyenne, Wyoming, a few days on a visit to McCook relatives and friends.

Engineer Oyster will not go to Mexico for the present on mining business, but will make an extended visit there later on.

Brakeman John O'Neil broke the index finger of his left hand, last Thursday evening, while making a coupling at Yuma, Colorado.

No. 1 was delayed a couple of hours, on Monday, by a serious wreck at Havelock, in which three stock specials were involved, a few men hurt, many cattle killed and much damage occasioned.

It was worth the full price of admission to see Engineer Westland approach Prince David of the Hawaiian islands on 6, last Wednesday night, and insist upon a "shake" with an American citizen. His royal nibs "shook."

One hundred boiler makers and helpers of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway struck at Galesburg, Monday morning, for an increase of wages from \$1.40 to \$1.50 per day. The company offered them \$1.50 per day which was refused.

A. G. Machesney, machinist, had the misfortune to smash a toe quite badly, last Friday afternoon. He is a new arrival from Plattsmouth, and had only been at work a few hours, when he accidentally let some thing heavy fall on his foot.

The Famous Clothing Co. and Joseph Reizenstein both served garnishment papers on the company, Tuesday afternoon, on the wages due W. G. Cole. The question of priority has not been settled. One set of papers was issued by Squire Kelley and the other by Squire Berry.

Mr. Nelson the B. & M. agent at this place did not tarry long with us, he now hold the Farnam platform down, while we have the Farnam man with us. Very much to the satisfaction of all concerned at this place and everybody seems to be satisfied with the change.—Morefield cor. Stockville Faber.

There has been little said about it yet but it is a fact that in a short time the B. & M. will put on some of the finest fast trains in the world. These trains will be new especially for the World's Fair through business and will be solid vestibule Pullmans and run from San Francisco to Chicago. The coaches for these trains are now nearly completed and are said to be the finest cars ever turned out of a car shop in the world.

It is understood that the Chicago switchmen have made up their minds that they can not afford to strike this spring. They realize that they would stand little or no chance of winning, since all the roads, without a single exception, have announced unequivocally that they will accede to no demands for higher wages. Chicago switchmen are better paid than those at any other point. A peculiar feature of the situation is that the move for higher wages was started by non-union switchmen, and the union men came to their support.

It has been announced in authoritative manner that the Burlington road will expend considerable amount of money this season in the enlargement of the shops at Havelock. The gentlemen owning land out there are making no noise about it, but their confident movements show that they know that no booming is needed to keep the price of real estate moving. Among the buildings to be erected immediately will be a boiler shop 90x300 feet in size, and a five stall round house. The two will cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000.—Lincoln Journal.

O. P. Smith will remove his goods to Iowa in a few days.

William Carter has moved onto and will improve the G. W. Colvin place, just east of the city.

Mrs. A. H. Burdick is entertaining her brother E. A. Robb, of St. Johns, Michigan, who contemplates remaining here permanently.

E. C. Ballew got as far as Aurora, Neb., on his way to Sheridan, Wyoming, yesterday, and then returned home. He will make a new start soon.

## PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

C. W. Knights visited briefly in Denver, this week.

S. W. Huddleston is visiting in Kansas City, this week.

Frank Carruth is visiting in Plattsmouth-on-the-muddy.

G. L. Laws was up from Holdrege, Monday, on land business.

R. H. Williams was down from Wauneta, yesterday, on business.

H. G. Terrill was in the city, Monday, on some matters of business.

Mrs. George Leming will go to Red Cloud, Monday, on a short visit.

Marion Plummer arrived from Craig, this morning, with his effects.

Mr. Spencer is assisting in J. A. Wilcox & Son's establishment now.

Miss Franc Bean of Hastings is in the city, guest of Mrs. J. E. Kelley.

C. H. Eubank and wife of Hayes Centre were city visitors, Monday.

Jesse Welborn and Willis Gossard were up from Indianola, Monday.

C. A. Leach is back from Plattsmouth and again at his bench at Carruth's.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Stevenson's baby is just recovering from a severe illness.

Colonel Frank Selby was up from Cambridge, Monday, on business of the law.

Mr. Clute, of the Times-Democrat, was a capital city visitor, fore part of the week.

C. F. Babcock left, Monday evening, for Lincoln and Omaha on a real estate deal.

James McAdams went in to Omaha, Monday night, on business connected with the new distillery.

A. H. Burdick was in Hastings, first of the week, looking after his large furniture interests there.

Col. Garner and Sheriff Banks measured the McCook stride, Saturday, on behalf of the county-seat friends.

Dr. W. A. DeMay, Danbury's rising young physician, was over to the metropolis, Monday, on some business.

A. A. Andrus, of Akron, Colorado, is in the city working up an illustrated "write-up" scheme of some sort.

Mrs. Georgie Coy, the well known nurse, is now making her home in Long Creek, Grant county, Oregon.

D. C. Stapleton of Omaha, came out, Sunday, on business connected with his southwestern Nebraska interests.

Mrs. A. N. Lewis, late of Wells' dress making department, expects to leave the city about the first of next month.

Harry Dungan, one of Hastings' rising, rustling young legal luminaries, transacted legal business in the city, Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Johnston left on Saturday morning for Missouri, to spend two or three weeks with St. Joe and Tarkio friends.

David Bellamy, father of Mrs. D. L. McBride, came in from Decatur, Illinois, this week, to look after matters on the ranch.

Representative L. G. Ruggles of Dundy sojourned a brief while among the middle of the road" friends of McCook, Monday.

J. P. Squire left for Beatrice, last evening on 6. He expects to start for California in about two weeks on a visit of exploration.

J. P. Israel of Benkelman, founder of THE TRIBUNE, was a business visitor Tuesday. He is now engaged in the grocery business.

Ed. Kanouse was down from Denver, fore part of the week, on business, guest of his brother James, who lives over towards Danbury.

Miss Lillie Rowell, who was called to Hastings by the misfortune of her brother John by recent fire, arrived home on Monday noon.

Dr. A. P. Welles went up to Denver, last Thursday night, to confer with H. C. Rider about the seminary prospects, returning home Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Garten, their daughter Blanche and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Harvey, all of Lincoln, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morlan over Sunday.

C. H. Pate, who has been back in Illinois on business, spent the early days of the week with relatives here on his way back to his Colorado mining interests.

Miss Cory of Wells' millinery department left for New York City, Tuesday, to lay in a large and fashionable stock of spring and summer styles for her department.

Mrs. Erwin has been up from Indianola, most of the week, endeavoring to rent a house for her daughter, Mrs. Winnie Stoddard, who desires to make her home here.

Mrs. E. C. Burkett was up from Indianola, early days of the week, and will make her home here permanently after March 1st when her husband secures control of a house recently rented by him.

Judge Burke of Imperial came in from Illinois, Sunday night, where he has been spending some time working up immigration to the Frenchman valley, which will be unprecedented in numbers.

Marsh Phillippi, who has been spending a few months in Illinois and Iowa in the interests of S. H. Colvin, land agent, arrived home on Saturday night last. Marsh has been sowing the good seed faithfully, and looks for a bountiful harvest of land seekers to follow in due course of time.

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Semi-Annual

## CLEARING

## SALE.

THIS week we inaugurate our 42d Semi-Annual Clearing Sale in Nebraska. Heavy Goods in all lines will be sold at Extraordinary reductions. Every article in our store will be sold at discounts never before given by us. Come in and see our prices. No other Mercantile Establishment in Western Nebraska will save you the same amount of money.....

We expect to go east soon; you know what that means.

COME AND SEE US.

L. Lowman & Son. . . .

GREAT SENSATION!

C. W. KNIGHTS,

Pants Down for Thirty Days!

Yes, it's a fact. I am over-stocked with pants, and as I need more room for my new spring stock, I have marked the price down to such astonishingly low figures that ANYBODY can now afford to wear pants. In fact my ENTIRE STOCK OF WINTER GOODS, such as

Overcoats, Heavy Clothing

Underwear, Gents' Furnishings

(and many other things too numerous to mention,

Must Go and Regardless of Cost

THIS IS A

General Slaughter Sale!

and will continue for 30 days only. Come and see me. I can save you money.

The Eagle Clothing House,

C. W. KNIGHTS, PROP.