On Wednesday morning registration booths were opened in McCook for the first time in her history, in pursuance of ing out and building of new highways the recent action of the city board of and bridges, is well known; and perhaps councilmen declaring this to be a city a few items concerning what has been having over 2,500 population.

In the first ward, first district, the registration board were located in the Comtered. The board for the second district ing. sat in Miller's restaurant; here 48 voters were enrolled.

In the second ward, 1st district, headquarters were established in the city hall, 50 voters were placed on the list. Registration for the second district took place in this district was 26. Total 182.

In order that even a large proportion of our voters shall be registered an extra has been laid out, with a 16-foot bridge. effort will have to be made between now and election day to get the people out.

We have it on thoroughly reliable legal not living within the city limits need mot register.

#### Republican Precinct Ticket.

The Republican caucus for Willow the following ticket: For justices of the necting with the Box Elder road. peace, J. E. Kelley and H. H. Berry; for Spotts; for road overseers, Frank Still- placed over Dry creek. man and Vance McManigal; for assessor, H. H. Troth. The primary was presided over by J. A. Wilcox; A. C. Ebert was isfaction, and its election by a generous bridge over Ash creek. plurality is doubtless assured.

Lowmans announce their cloak opening for next Tuesday, the 17th instant.

The Bazar millinery store sports a handsome new window sign, this week.

Boot legging is one of the active and profitable industries of our neighboring town immediately on the east.

After the recent session of county commissioners the county was just \$2,480.43 poorer than it was before the session.

This matter of registration should be attended to. Don't neglect it next Thursday.

If you haven't registered, do so next Thursday. Don't neglect it. You can't vote unless you do. You can't afford to lose your vote.

When it comes to tickling the screamer and thumping the skin-tub, in a political campaign, Colonel Peterson allows he is some pumpkins.

It is acknowledged by all that the re- repair at a much less expense. publican ticket is the strongest ever nominated in the county. The men on it are able, competent and honest.

There were 54 signatures to the peti- has dawned in Red Willow county. ion for submission of the proposition to adopt township organization, which will be voted upon at the coming fall election

The Republican county central committee will be in session at Indianola, Monday afternoon, October 16th. All in Meeker hall. Rev. Frank Durant, committeemen and nominees are urged rector. to be present.

This week, P. A. Wells moved into The Junior League at 3 p. m. new quarters, the front rooms over the Citizens bank, the room occupied by required by the bank for its own business.

That the Russian thistle has made its Farmers should take energetic means for Wood of Salina, Kansas. its extermination wherever the thistle shows itself.

for market. He is one of Red Willow attend. county's heaviest and most successful stock feeders.

We learn that efforts were made, with- same roost. out success, Sunday night, to enter several dwellings on the hill. Won't somebody please discourage this business followed by a welcome rain. with a load of birdshot? That's the quickest and most decisive way of putting an end to house-breaking.

Down in Gage county, where they are rich and populous, and have township organization, they are anxious to get the elephant off of their hands. A county. He has made a splendid officer. band will play, and there will be other petition was recently presented to the Vote for him. board of supervisors asking for a re-submission of the question. The were 2,-600 signatures of tax payers to the peti- and republicans should in the meantime tion.

They have the Jonah of township organization on board down in Adams county, and the Hastings Democrat says ber of homeseekers, who have since been that "Dispensing with township organization will save \$800 per annum in supervisors' fees." Now, why in common sense does Red Willow county want to so largely increase her running expenses at the dancing of the winter, outside of this time of depression and foreboding. those given by the various orders of the And the matter of supervisors' fees is city. We understand that no club will only one of the items of increased bur- be organized this season. den which township organization will bring. This is a question for the tax-

### ROADS AND BRIDGES.

THE TRIBUNE'S advocacy of improvement in our roads and bridges, the laydone in this section of the county under Commissioner Ryan's administration, resulting in a most gratifying measure from mercial hotel; there were 58 votes regis- this persistent agitation, may be interest-

> The road leading north from the city past J. A. Snyder's farm has been laid out, a sixteen foot bridge built, and the idly pushed along to completion. approaches and neighboring hills graded up in good shape.

A 48-foot bridge has been put in near in Philip Blatt's office. The enrollment S. D. McClain's, northwest of the city, comed, j. t. s. and the approaches properly graded.

Up in Coleman precinct a new road An 8-foot bridge has also been put in near Tom Ryan's place.

In Perry precinct a 32-foot bridge has authority that persons in this precinct been built near William Divine's. In the neighborhood of James Doyle's a 16 and an 8-foot bridge erected. Both have been graded in good shape.

On the road to Box Elder a 16-foot bridge has been put up. Also a similar Grove precinct held in the city hall, Mon- sized structure on the road leading east day night, resulted in the nomination of from Thomas Ruggles' farm and con-

On the highway leading west from October 20th. constables, A. G. Bump and Joseph Oscar Russell's farm a bridge has been

> A 40-foot bridge now spans the Driftwood near Frank Everist's place. In Bondville precinct a new road has

secretary. The precinct ticket is a good | been laid out, running east from the one, and will no doubt give general sat- North Star school house, with a 24-foot

In Grant precinct three 8-foot bridges have been put up in the Frank Allen road district.

At the last meeting of the board an important road was opened up in Coleman precinct running from J.N. Smith's county treasurer. He stands well and farm to Matt Droll's place. This con- will make a strong race for the treasurnects south with the river road into Mc- ership. Cook from the west; is 5 or 6 miles long, on smooth land; and will make a fine outlet into market from that neighbor-

It is gratifying, too, to notice that the bridges now being built are better and much more substantial than those put up in the past.

To be sure Commissioner Ryan had ments from the farmers, the city, and ferocious wolf. others.

Another matter worthy of mention and commendation is the disposition of the commissioners to lav out roads on good, smooth land whenever it is possible,-rather paying reasonable damages than to take rough consent land. In the long run this will be economy. Such

Altogether, considering the amount of money at disposal, much good work has been performed during the past year, and a new era in bridge and road work

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Y. P. S. C. E .- At the Lutheran church at 6:30 in the evening. EPISCOPAL-Usual morning services

EPWORTH LEAGUE-Meets in the Methodist church at 6:30 o'clock, p. m.

BAPTIST-The usual services will be held in the Lutheran church at 11 in the him in the First National building being morning and at 7:30 in the evening by Rev. D. L. McBride.

CONGREGATIONAL-Morning and eveappearance in this section the specimen ning services at II and 7:30 o'clock releft at this office, the other day, discloses. spectively. Preaching by Rev. Samuel the number of days in which they should

METHODIST-Services by A. W. Coffman at II in the morning, subject, Tuesday morning, J. F. Helm of Red "What Makes a Presbyterian." Sermon Willow shipped in 90 head of steers from at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Redeeming the Colorado, which in addition to 60 head Time." Prayer meeting Wednesday The Hastings Nebraskan says: "There he already had, he will feed this winter evening. All are cordially invited to are about 700 signatures to the petition

> You perhaps have noticed that politics in the county." strings a peculiar lot of pullets along the

The church fair season approaches and already a number of our churches are preparing for those interesting occasions.

E. R. Banks deserves a re-election at the hands of the people of Red Willow

do everything possible to assure the success of their county ticket. Tuesday's excursion brought in a num-

It it not a long time to election day

looking over the adjacent country in company with our land men. The dancing class will likely provide

advantages to be derived from township season is amply demonstrated by the imorganization come entirely too high for mense sample tubers left at this office

## Wait for Thanksgiving,

Potatoes are selling for 75 cents a

That horse "Pills" is a sanctified scamp, and no mistake.

Only one session of public school on account of the rain, Wednesday.

Duck and geese hunters are thick along the river and irrigating ditch.

The A. O. U. W. temple is being rap-

Wednesday's rain wasn't official, exactly, but it was wet and gleefully wel-

Mrs. Andrew Brongart and Miss Annie Goldstrap have been on the sick list for the past week.

There will be no lying down in the harness this year by the republican candidates or workers.

Farmers W. N. Rogers, George Randel and J. M. Hewitt are all making improvements on their places near the city.

The city has instituted another suit against Perry Stone over the license question. It will come up for a hearing

Frank Everist went up to Hayes county, first of the week, after the bunch of horses out of which a granger up there had attempted to swindle him.

Colonel Peterson and his Discussion club did not have as much fun as they figured on, last Tuesday evening. There wasn't anybody there to discuss with

A. H. Barnes is qualified in every particular to make a faithful and efficient

George W. Roper has made one of the most popular, obliging and capable officers Red Willow county has ever had. He should be staunchly supported by all approved, and license granted.

Kapke, the tailor, has acquired quite a local celebrity as a nimrod since he slew a deceased calf, the other day, while much help on many of these improve- under the impression he was killing a

> The Populists held a political picnic down in Fritsch precinct, last Saturday, which was pretty well attended. It was addressed by several of that party's candidates and others.

Col. Easterday will at once build on his Marshall street lot, and Mr. Cordeal roads are cheaper to make, and keep in will make considerable improvements to the property, recently bought by them from T. G. Rees.

> decided to add a bath tub to the accom- Invocation . . . . . . Rev. A. W. Coffman. modations of the club rooms. A small Opening Ode ..... charge will be made members. will meet with the joyful approval of all.

> Shooting craps is a favorite occupation of some of the school boys. Their par-doses of strap oil. Perhaps a severe case of chronic gambling might thus be cured.

The publisher has had occasion, this week, to test the excellence of some sweet potatoes grown by C. H. Meeker under the ditch. All his farming operations have been very successful, this

Business men should observe that unless the cards on their envelopes specify be returned the postmasters will hold them the necessary thirty days required by regulation.

Adams county has that expensive nuis ance, the supervisor system, in vogue. to go back to the commissioner system

the office of county judge, like his prede- half rates. Your last chance. The terrific wind-storm of Tuesday cessor Judge Keyes, has been pains-taknight and early Wednesday morning was ing and clean and altogether satisfactory to the people, who will support him strongly this fall.

> weeks Rev. Frank Durant of the Episco- a-coming. pal church expects to announce a concert at the opera hall. There will be vocal and instrumental music, the Pythian attractive features to the programme, which will be announced in due time.

The nomination of J. C. Moore for the important office of county superintendent of public instruction is a peculiarly fitting one. Mr. Moore is a well-informed teacher of progressive educational ideas. fully qualified and amply endowed to fill and profit to the schools of the county.

The matter of ownership of the saloon on the southeast corner of Main and Railroad streets was discussed at the last Indianola, Iowa, any train now. meeting of the city council. W. M. Lewis stated under oath that he owned That potatoes can be and have been the saloon and that J. K. Ellis is running payers to consider seriously. The few grown on the high divide even in a dry the business for half the profit. The Lewis, while the government license is Red Willow county to adopt it at this recently by John M. Ford, of Gerver pre- in Ellis' name, so that the sufficiency of the bond is perhaps still in doubt.

#### THEIR FIRST MEETING.

Below we append the programme of races to be held by the Indianola trotting association, October 18, 19, 20, 1893. \$1,000 will be hung up in purses. The management is determined to make this their opening meeting a success.

The program is as follows: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18. Trotting, 3 minute class, . . . . \$150.00

Running, 1/2 mile, 3 in 5..... 125,00 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19. Trotting, 2:45 class, . . . . . . \$200.00 Pacing, 2:50 class, . . . . . . . . 150.00 FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20.

Trotting, free-for-all, ..... \$300.00 Running, 1/2 mile, 2 in 3, ..... 75.00 CONDITIONS: Entrees to all races to close Monday, October 16. Entry fee to all races to per cent of purse. Five to cago-ward, Sunday morning, to do the enter three to start: Purses divided 50, fair. 25, 15 and 10 per cent. American trotting and running rules to govern all races, with the exception that, any horse distancing the field or any part thereof shall be entitled to first money only. Records made on or after September 1, 1893, no bar. All trotting and pacing Friday last.

races to be 3 in 5. All purses guaranteed and paid on Saturday, October 21, 1893. Entries must be made with the secretary. For further information write the secretary. J. B. MATHER, W. R. STARR,

President. Secretary Echoes From Council Chamber.

The city fathers were in regular session, on Wednesday evening, Mayor Brewer, Clerk Warren, Attorney Rittenhouse, CouncilmenMcAdams, Spickelmier, Yarger and Steinmetz being present.

Following bills were allowed: A. E. McManigal, salary ......\$50.00 Thomas Devitt, salary..... 50.00 Joseph Spotts, salary..... 45.00 C. W. Barnes, printing..... 20.75 Predmore Bros., blacksmithing. . . 1.50 John Weintz, blacksmithing..... 1.00 State Journal Co., registration bks. 50.00 Petition and bond of F. D. Burgess

for a plumber's license was read, bond Application of A. D. Johnson to with- nesday of this week. draw from W. M. Lewis' bond was read but no action was taken, city.attorney informing the council that they could

not grant the request. Report of H. H. Berry as police judge was read and referred to finance committee. His report as cemetery superintendent was referred back for correction.

Reception and Entertainment.

Crystal Lake Tent No. 16, K. O. T. M. of our city have invitations out for a reception and entertainment at Menard's opera hall, Saturday evening, October 21st, 1893. The following is the

PROGRAMME: Master of Ceremonies, A. Weaver, Com ddress of Welcome F Music . . . . . . . . . A. O. U. W. Band. Piano Duet . Hattie Yarger, Lillian Troth. Address, "K. O. T. M.".....

..... Major N. S. Boynton, Sup. R. K. Address, "L. O. T. M."..... ...... Miss Bina M. West, Sup. R. K. Closing Ode.....

## Last World's Fair Opportunity.

October 15th to 31st, the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets to Chicago at less than half rates, tickets good for return until November 15th. This is positively your very last opportunity of Tuesday evening for the World's fair. cheaply and easily reaching Chicago during the World's fair. Do not allow it to pass. A lifetime of regret is in store for everyone who fails to to visit this greatest of all great expositions. See your nearest Burlington Route ticket agent companied them and will remain there and obtain full information about rates for six months or a year.

## Do Not Fail

To take advantage of the World's fair rates now offered by the Burlington Charles W. Beck's administration of Route. Round trip tickets at less than

There are 623 pupils in actual attendance in the several departments of our public schools. The South McCook room is terribly overcrowded, there being At some time within the next two 82 scholars in attendance now, and more

> Special round trip rates to St. Louis, October 15th to 31st, good to return until November 15th. Good only for continuous passage in each direction. Tickets now on sale for only \$15.39.

The announcement of the Boston shoe store will at once claim your attention in this issue. In time of peace prepare for war. In dull times advertise vigorously.

Mrs. E. M. Jones of Omaha, who is is visiting her parents in Palisade, is exthat high trust with credit to himself pected in the city on a short visit, this Register Lindsay is expecting his par-

> Dick Tate of the Palisade milling com pany is in the city today on business.

I. A. Sheridan and C. H. Russell are up fram the county-seat, today.

## PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Friday, on 6.

A. Wells' office.

Saturday, on grain business.

E. T. MADDUX has been up at Imper

in this metropolis, Monday night.

M. W. EATON winged his flight Chi-

visited Indianola in a business capacity, Monday.

bridge-on-the-Medicine were city guests,

day night, after a business absence of a dress, few weeks.

white city.

left for Chicago, Wednesday, to be absent | 10th, 18th and 26th and November 3d a week or two.

M. LEACH, the Lincoln architect, was in the city, Wednesday, on A. O. U. W.

temple business. FRANK CARRUTH went down to Plattsmouth, Tuesday night, on business of

DR, AND MRS. A. J. THOMAS are en-

cago on Saturday last. MATT DROLL packed his grip, Sunday

J. P. DUNGAN shipped the remainder of his stallions back to Kearney, Wed-

World's fair, Sunday afternoon. L. D. Gockley's family has moved to

MR. AND MRS. WILLIS GOSSARD of the county-seat drove up to the metropolis,

BANKER O. FROST of Bartley came up, Monday night, on business, returning

Tuesday, on a shopping excursion.

H. H. BENSON was down from Paxton over night, Tuesday, renewing old ac-

residence in the city for the winter, occupying the Rawling's dwelling, this week.

Hill, Saturday night, on a brief visit to his sister and to friends. He returned Monday evening. A. H. BARNES was up from Indianola,

GEORGE BRADY arrived from Chatsworth, Illinois, Wednesday noon, on a

visit to his brother who lives a few miles

Wednesday evening, doing a little mis-

north of McCook. MR. AND MRS. ED. FLITCAFT left on They will also visit at his old home at

MRS. FRED PITNEY left on 6, Monday, for Chicago. Master Walter Boyle ac-

briefly during her absence. MISS MARGARET ALLEN, who has been the guest of the Misses Johnston Ellis, Samuel.

city, Saturday, on business connected with her property interests here, leaving

tion meeting.

Indianola, Saturday, doing some shopping in this busy mart. Miss Allison of the public schools accompanied her home and remained over the Sabbath.

REV. FATHER HICKEY departed on 6, Sunday afternoon, to take a last look at the world's greatest exposition. He will be home, Saturday night, and will conduct the usual services at St. Patrick's ents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Lindsay, from on coming Sunday.

DEPUTY SHERIFF BABCOCK was up in Hayes county, Monday, to help Frank Everist straighten out his horse-land deal with M. C. Lugar. The horses were regular retail price of these articles. recovered. Mr. Lugar will be more careful in future, perhaps, to trade only actual land down in the Ozark country of The Pleasant club met with Miss Etter, Missouri. And Frank won't trade right away again by proxy.

GEORGE PIERCE went in to the fair,

MISS LULU COMBES is clerking in P.

J. M. SEWELL was up from Hastings,

E. F. TURNER was a passenger on 6 Tuesday, for the world's fair.

ial, this week, with his gallopers. JOHN R. HART represented Wannets

A.W. COREY and family expect shortly to make their home in California.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK SELBY of Cam-

MAX WAYSON arrived home, last Fri- lot more. Write for sample copy. Ad-

MR. AND MRS. S. P. HART were passengers on 6, Sunday afternoon, for the

MR. AND MRS. L. W. MCCONNELL

C. P. Viland, salary..... 50.00 joying the World's fair, leaving for Chi- McCook, Neb., Oct. 6th, 1893.

afternoon, and whirled off east to the World's fair on No. 6.

DR. AND MRS. A. P. WELLES joined themselves to the great rush to the

Cambridge to reside permanently. Frank Gockley has located at Danbury.

home on Tuesday morning's freight.

quaintances and doing a little business. JOHN WHITTAKER has taken up his

JAMES FRASER came up from Blue

sionary work on his own behalf for the

Liberty, Indiana.

MRS. A. KALSTEDT departed on 6, Sunday, for her home in Aurora, Illinois. She may also find opportunity to see the fair

for a few weeks past, departed for home | Eisenace, John, Jr in Tarkio, Missouri, Tuesday. MRS. N. L. CRONKHITE arrived in the

for Hastings on Tuesday evening. REV. D. L. McBRIDE and W. R. WOOD arrived home, Monday evening, from Wallace, where they have been attending the Southwest Nebraska Baptist associa-

MISS JENNIE HOLLAND was up from

# Have You Ever Stopped to Think

That you are only getting half as much for your dollar when you are taking a weekly as you would get if you were a subscriber to The Semi-Weekly Journal? It is a fact, however, because The Journal gives you two complete papers each week, with markets and telegraphic news, 104 papers a year, making it almost as good as a daily. Just now we are offering it to January 3, 1895, for One Dollar. It is the greatest Dollar paper in the west. It is both a national and state paper. The best editorials; the best condensed news; the best stories; the best special departments; the best of of everything, all for \$1.00 a year. Our premium department is a hummer. Send for a sample copy of the paper and see for yourself. Here are a few of them: Handsomely bound copy of Dream Life, Reveries of a Bachelor, or Drummond's J. E. KELLEY and JAMES HARRIS Addresses, and The Journal, \$1.25; Life of Spurgeon, U. S. History, Stanley in

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Africa, or Life of Harrison and Journal,

\$1.40; Oxford Bible and Journal,\$2.75;

Handy Cobbler and Journal \$2.25; Ne-

braska Farmer and Journal, \$1.50; N. Y.

Tribune and Journal, \$1.25; and a whole

Notice is hereby given that registration boards will be in session October and 4th, 1893, at the following places: First ward, preginct I, at Commercial

First ward, precinct 2, at C. L. Miller's

restaurant. Second ward, precinct 1, at City hall. Second ward, precinct 2, at Philip Blatt's bottling works.

U. J. WARREN, City Clerk.

Sixty Dollars

Will buy a complete set of the peerless Encyclopedia Britannica, bound in elegant half seal. If you mean business call at this office promptly.

COUNTY CLERK ROPER drove up from the county seat, yesterday afternoon, on important election business. It was discovered to be necessary to call the commissioners together in special session for the purpose of re-arranging the voting precincts of Willow Grove precincts, creating four districts instead of three as has been the case.

Wednesday night, from attending the meeting of the Grand lodge of the Degree of Honor, at Geneva, Nebraska, having been sent as a delegate from the McCook lodge. MRS. S. L. GREEN will leave for Cali-

MRS. L. R. HILEMAN arrived home,

constant sufferer from asthma. SHERIFF BANKS was up from Indianola, yesterday, circulating around among the natives on business and matters of a

political "tone of voice."

fornia, next week, to spend the winter,

for her health, she being a great and

E. C. BALLEW went up to Imperial, yesterday morning, to see the races and to swipe the unwary boot-legger.

home from Chicago, Wednesday. County Attorney and Mrs. Dodge are at the fair, this week.

MR. AND MRS. W. H. EDWARDS came

multitudes, Sunday. REV. GILL of Arahahoe was a city visitor, Wednesday.

Charlie Lehn will join the world's fair

H. Thompson is in Chicago taking in LIST OF PATENTS

Received at the McCook United States land office, October 10, 1893. Andrews, James W. Gunder, Harvey S. Arnold, Boen Alden. Frank H. Brown, John H. Brent, Arthur J. Blair, Charles S. Burns, Richard A. Cunningham, M. S. Clyde, Abben C. Deifendrof, Charles.

Dye, Cyrus A.

Fry, John W.

Fenton, George A.

Firestone, Cyrus.

Horton, James M. Hoyt, James D. Larison, Francis M. LeValley, Charles F. Leah, Samuel F. Murphy, James W. McCrory, James N. Nichols, Mollie A. Ostrom, Lavina. Orman, Andrew H. Purdum, George H. Pate, Charles M. Underhill, Isaac. VanBuskirk, Joseph C. Young, John R.

#### SPECIAL BARGAINS

THIS WEEK

-AT THE-C. O. D. STORE.

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00

with the following order amounting to \$2.25. r Pound Basket Fired Japan Tea ....6oc.

I Pound Assorted Spices......4oc. Pound Can Columbia Yeast Powder.25c. And remember that this is the

Cash paid for Butter and Eggs.

Proprietor.

J. W. McKenna,