

The McCook Tribune.

TWELFTH YEAR.

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 22, 1893.

NUMBER 31.

Cheese. Wisconsin, Pineapple, Club House, and Ed a m.	Nuts. Hickorynuts, Walnuts, Filberts, Pecans, Almonds, English Walnuts and Shelled Almonds.	Pickles, Imported and Domestic, by the Gallon or the Bottle. Sweet, Sour and Mixed.
Spices, Strictly Pure.	Lamps, Hanging, etc.	Lamps, Banquet, etc.
Lamps, Stand and Hand.		

Plum
PUDDING,
and Plum
Pudding Sauce.
Pudding
Preparations.

... AT ...

ANDERSON'S.

New England
Mince-meat,
and
New England
Pie Preparations

Dried Fruits. Apples, Peaches, Pears, Nectarines, Plums, Prunells, Pitted Cherries and Apricots.	APPLES, ORANGES, FIGS, GRAPES, LEMONS, and HONEY.	Candies of all Descriptions. Holiday Goods. Everything is New and Fresh. Call and see my Holiday Novelties in Queensware.
Lamps, Large and Small.	Chamber Setts.	



Roadmaster Haley got the watch in Jim McAlpine's drawing, the close of last week.

The company recently let out of the engine service four men at Denver, for joining the brotherhood.

Felix Kennedy went down to Plattsmouth, Sunday night, in quest of a job. Felix is a workman of acknowledged ability.

A law requiring railroads to post bulletins of the arrival and departure of all trains over ten minutes late has just passed the Connecticut legislature.

Mrs. Henry Hanlein and little daughter Mildred, who have been enjoying the past week among relatives and friends, returned to their home at Akron, Colo., Saturday night.

Railway Record: Master Mechanic Archibald, or "Neighbor," as he is called, has the finest looking engines on the system. No pool in his... Engineer Johnson on the west end thinks the 324 is all right. So she is, Johnson, old boy.

Foreman James Ritchie returned from the Black Hills country, close of last week. After sizing up the situation in that country Jim wisely concluded that McCook was about the proper caper for him and family, and he will continue to hold down his old job here with his old time efficiency and satisfaction to the company.

Mrs. James Swearingen and children left, Wednesday night, for a visit in McCook... J. D. Crans was in McCook on Wednesday... Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Reid, who recently assumed the restaurant business formerly controlled by Ernest Welch and wife, are enjoying a profitable trade. They are courteous and attentive and for a first-class lunch there is no better place in the city.—Red Cloud Chief.

Some idea of the magnitude of the movement by which the railways of the country are being thrown into the hands of receivers can be gathered from an article upon that subject that has recently appeared in the Railway Age. It shows that during 1893 nearly 13 per cent of the entire railway mileage of the country, representing over 12 per cent of the entire capitalization, has gone into the hands of receivers. It has become quite a fad in railway circles.

Roadmaster Haley has recovered his driving horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dwyer are the parents of a boy baby, born Wednesday night.

Little Alice Harris had a mild attack of tonsillitis, this week, from she is rapidly recovering.

Sam Moench is running out of McCook now. Himself and wife came up from Orleans, Sunday.

Roadmaster McFarland of Red Cloud was at headquarters, Monday, on matters and things of his position.

Mrs. C. W. Bronson spent Sunday in Denver. She will leave for Iowa, Sunday, to spend Christmas with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Foster lost their new-born infant, Wednesday. In which sorrow they have much sympathy.

The "European plan" should obtain on the dining cars of all railroads. Pay for what you eat, not for an elaborate bill of fare.

The Lehigh strike of a few weeks is estimated to have cost the company a cool million dollars, and the strikers a very large sum in addition.

Wages have been cut by Pullman, but the traveling public will continue to pay Mr. Pullman the same price for an upper berth as for a lower, and to disburse enforced tolls to his servants under the name of tips.

Elmer Rowell will not go into the train service, but has entered the office of J. E. Kelley and will have charge of Mr. Kelley's collection and insurance business. Elmer is a competent office and business man and all wish him success in his new position.

Ticket Agent Robertson of the B. & M. received a letter, a few days ago, from B. S. Marvin, who was at his at his former home at Grand Rapids, Mich. Mr. Marvin's mother died on Saturday, the day he left here... Agent R. R. Woods at Sheridan has resigned and accepted the position of general superintendent of the Sheridan Fuel Co.—Alliance Grip.

The new calendars for 1894 of the Burlington Route are out, and contains a map showing the route of their several lines, and their new lines recently completed. The main line will shortly be completed to Tongue River, which is only a short distance from Billings, Mont., on the Northern Pacific. The connection will shortly be made, thereby giving the Q. a trans-continental line several hundred miles shorter than any other company, and running through the richest stock and mineral country on the globe.—Alliance Grip.

We regret to say that George Rule, who has been employed here by the Burlington for about two years past as clerk at the round house, has been called to McCook, leaving for that place, last Thursday. He accepts a position at that point as storekeeper for the company. The boys who are employed at the round house, aware of the fact that Mr. Rule was about to leave them, on last Saturday gave him a pleasant surprise by presenting him and his estimable wife with two valuable presents. We all regret that Mr. Rule and family are called from among us, but we congratulate him on his well earned promotion.—Holyoke Mail.

For Little Girls Only.

On Christmas Day, 1893, we will give to 25 little girls in McCook and vicinity 25 doll hats and bonnets. Every girl, 12 years of age and under, will be given a ticket for the asking.

For Grown People.

With Every Twenty-five Cent Cash Purchase we give you a Chance to win a Fifteen-Dollar Silk Comfort.

On Account of the Uncertainty of the Tariff Question we have decided to sell any article in our store containing wool at cost and less. Some Articles Sold for Less than cost of manufacture.

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DRY GOODS, CARPETS, MILLINERY.

CLOTHING AND OVERCOATS!

OUR STOCK IS UNUSUALLY LARGE FOR THIS SEASON, AND TO REDUCE IT WE WILL OFFER SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS.

SHAWLS, BLANKETS, UNDERWEAR AND EVERYTHING WARM FOR WINTER WEAR. WE HANDLE THE SELZ BOOTS AND SHOES; THERE IS NO BETTER. WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF GROCERIES. WE HAVE THE GOODS AND WILL MAKE THE PRICES RIGHT.

CASH

Bargain House.

C. L. DEGROFF & CO.

REPUBLICAN CITY.

Operator Forsyth manipulates the "lightning" at Orleans.

Brakeman Bunting takes Cropp's place with Conductor Benjamin.

Operator Dinsley handles the key at Republican in Washburn's absence.

Messenger Lawrence is back on his run again—Hastings and Oberlin—after an absence of a few days.

Engineer Sprague has his difficulty adjusted and handles the oil can on the 147 with his usual dexterity.

Present indications are that Jack Williams will not affiliate with the Burlington as agent in the future.

W. W. Green sprained his ankle at Wilsonville on last Thursday. He returned to work on Tuesday.

Engineer Cook is taking a lay-off during the holidays and Harris pulls the throttle on the 66 in the meantime.

Conductor Williams is serving time, supposedly on general principles, as Joe says he don't know what it is for (?)

34 cars of stock on No. 174, Tuesday morning, and still there are those who say there is no stock on the Sunflower line.

Conductor Cropp works the punch and flirts with all the good looking lady passengers on Joe Williams' run while Joe rests.

Frank Jordan shovels the ebony colored diamonds on the 147 while Siders assists in moving his family and effects to this railroad centre.

Extra Agent VanWye is acting agent at Lebanon during Agent Delanoy's absence at Blue Hill, attending the funeral of his sister.

Len. Harding goes to Cowles as agent, vice Glenn Bailey, who goes to Almerna in place of Charlie Baxter. Did not learn where Charlie goes.

Fred Wilson has again taken up his position of learning to be a conductor, after recovering from the squeeze he received in his hand.

Agent Davis of Cedar Bluffs received a letter from the hospital in which his boy is receiving treatment, stating that amputation would not be necessary, but that they could cure the leg. This is cheering news to Mr. Davis amid all his misfortunes.

Statement TO THE PUBLIC.

The past week has been the biggest one, so far, of my closing out sale, and there is every reason to look for a daily increase as the news spreads farther, and while the stock continues large and attractive. I am pleased that my advertisements have been taken at par and not considered as false pretense.

Remember, everything goes, my entire stock of Dry Goods, Millinery, Notions, Men's and Ladies' Furnishing Goods, Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps, etc., selling at cost and below. Nothing reserved. Store for rent. Fixtures for sale cheap. Cash Only. No goods exchanged or sent out on approval.

Respectfully,
GEORGE E. THOMPSON.

Saturday morning, Charlie Noble was quite painfully bitten by a farmer's dog which he was in the act of removing from among his choicest glass and china ware in one of his front show windows. The owner of the dog had gone out of the store, leaving the animal inside. The dog in its wild endeavors to follow made an attempt to go through one of the big front windows, springing up among the dainty and delicate wares in the window with disastrous results. Fearful of harm, when seized and removed from the window, the dog bit Mr. Noble's right hand. The wound was promptly cauterized and is doing nicely. The damage was not so large as might have been expected. It was the dog's first experience in the city and it was too much for his agricultural nerves.

A DOLLAR

or two is considerable these hard times, but there are times when you are wholly justified in the expenditure. For instance if you are looking for a

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