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**Thurston and Adams.**

Senator John M. Thurston and Captain Claire E. Adams, Republican nominee for congress in the Fifth district, addressed a comfortably filled opera house here, Wednesday afternoon, of attentive and enthusiastic hearers. When the time of day is considered and the fact that the farmers and business people are too busy for politics—in marked contrast with the conditions two years since—the meeting was altogether gratifying and satisfactory, both speeches being accorded a most respectful and interested hearing, frequent and enthusiastic applause punctuating and emphasizing their earnest delivery.

\*Captain Adams first addressed the meeting. He indicated that the issues of this campaign are practically the issues of the late successful war with Spain. That this is an era of history-making in which the Republican party is the chief mover and no time for Democratic obstructionists. In fact the captain made bold to claim that about all the American history of the past forty years worth remembering is the record of the accomplishments of the Republican party, which has the happy faculty of fulfilling its promises to the people. The captain thought it is the manifest destiny of the Republican party to have a large hand in running the earth and had no hesitancy in urging that Republican congressmen should be sent to congress to assist President McKinley in successfully carrying out the plans and in reaping the fruits of our late victories. The captain uttered a soldierly defense of the war department and the conduct of the war and concluded with a glowing tribute to the present administration. He made a very favorable impression on his hearers and McCook will be in line for the gallant captain in November.

Senator Thurston opened his speech with the statement that the county was "suffering" from too much business for politics; that this is not a political year but a patriotic year. He dwelt upon the difference between the present and two years ago, when the country had an over-supply of politics and a shortage of business, and upon the large increase in the volume of business in all branches. The senator referred to the claim made by the opposition, two years ago, that there was not enough money in the country with which to do the business of the land, and stated that now we are doing from 20 to 30 per cent more business than then and have plenty of money. European gold is rolling in by the hundred million to swell our circulating medium on account of the restoration of confidence and the wise protective policy of the Republican administration. The senator admitted the charge that it looked very suspiciously as though Providence and the Republican party were in a close corporation partnership for the good of America and humanity, and felicitated the party on the confidence bestowed on it from that high source when the cause of humanity was involved, when the freedom of Cuba was at stake. The senator took issue with Governor Hoicomb's position and lack of backbone in the question of mustering out Nebraska's excess of soldiers, and expressed regret that Col. Bryan was unable to get into the campaign and divide the gate receipts. "This is God's war," the senator said, "and pregnant with a glad fruition for humanity and the earth." It had with one mighty bound united the north and south, and placed America on high in most enviable repute among the earth's nations. After paying highest tribute to President McKinley and extolling the glory and righteousness of his administration, he closed amidst hearty and warm applause.

The Stayner drum corps added an acceptable and appreciated dash of patriotic inspiration to the occasion by playing a number of stirring selections in front of the opera house before the meeting. Private Secretary Snyder accompanied the senator.

**An Old Case Compromised.**  
The old suit of A. H. Andrews & Co. against the school district of the city of McCook, to recover on a claim of \$1,200 for furniture bought by the district from the company, many years ago, was settled by the district court at this term, judgment being entered in the sum of \$600, by way of compromise. This furniture was bought twelve years ago when the East ward school building was built and has been in litigation ever since, going up to the supreme court, and being remanded for new trial, the decision of Judge Welty being reversed in part. This is a very advantageous settlement for the district, which has had the use of the furniture all these years.

H. P. Waite sells three of the best stoves in the market. The IXL steel range, the genuine Beckwith ROUND OAK and the RADIANT HOME base burner.

**MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.**

MRS. IDA STURDEVANT of Akron, Colorado, is visiting Mrs. Mary Clary.

MISS ONA SIMONS returned, last Friday morning, from her visit to Iowa.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE BROWN are taking in the exposition, this week.

MRS. J. R. PHELAN of Alliance is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Gage.

G. C. BOATMAN, C. D. C., spent the early days of this week at the exposition.

GEO. W. KOONZ arrived on Sunday, from Chicago and is the new salesman at the Famous.

A. J. HATCHER was an exposition visitor, this week, swelling the crowd on Nebraska Day.

MRS. J. H. GRANNIS returned home, first of the week, from a visit of a few week's duration.

MRS. H. L. KENNEDY arrived home, last Saturday morning, after a long absence in Omaha.

MRS. C. F. LEHN has gone to Portsmouth, Iowa, on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Frank Jurgensmair.

A. A. BATES returned, Monday night, from his sad trip home to Iowa to the funeral of a soldier brother.

MRS. C. ARMSTRONG was down from Culbertson, fore part of the week, on business connected with her commercial interests here.

MR. AND MRS. J. A. WILCOX returned home, Sunday night, from their visit to the exposition and to their daughter Mabel at Juniata.

A. T. MCCOY of the Palisade Press was down on some matters of business, Tuesday night, returning on the Beverly the following morning.

LAWYER SEARLES of Nuckolls county was in the city, Wednesday, on his way to Culbertson to make a speech for the Republican cause and candidates.

RECEIVER PIPER and Mayor Kelley went down to Holdrege, Wednesday night, to hear Thurston and Searles speak. They had a full opera house.

J. N. PURVIS, C. T. Watson and G. W. Shearer indulged in a trip to the exposition and Lincoln over Sunday, returning home, Monday morning, on delayed No. 1.

REGISTER AND MRS. F. M. RATHBUN visited the exposition, early days of the week, as Mrs. Rathbun was on her way home from visiting friends and relatives over in Iowa.

NORMAN CAMPBELL, Albert Thorgrimson, Albert Berry and Harry Troth visited in Denver over Sunday. The Alberts returned home on 2, Monday; Norman and Harry on 6.

H. H. BERRY, who has been doing organizing work for the Star of Jupiter in Cripple Creek and other Colorado points for the past month, returned home, Sunday on No. 6.

MRS. JEANNETTE MCCARL accompanied her mother, Mrs. T. W. Smith, down to Lincoln, Sunday morning on 2, on a visit. On her return she will make her home with her sister, Mrs. F. A. Pennell.

J. E. KELLEY spent Sunday with Mrs. Kelley in Denver, returning on No. 2, Monday morning, going up on No. 3, Saturday night. Mrs. Kelley is getting along nicely and expects soon to return home.

J. G. DOLE, a private in company I of the Third Nebraska, arrived home from Jacksonville, Florida, Saturday night. He is on a furlough, and being in a sadly impaired physical condition, hopes to be mustered out of the service.

CONGRESSMAN SUTHERLAND made us a brief visit, last Saturday. He was on his way to a point up the Imperial line on a speech-making trip. The "warming pan" is just as warm as ever, and not lacking in political cleverness.

MISS BIRD L. MITCHELL of Eau Claire, Wisconsin, who has been here during the past summer, the guest of Mrs. A. P. Bonnot, departed for her home, Sunday morning on No. 2. Miss Bird made a number of warm friends during her residence amongst us by her bright and ever cheerful manner.

FRANK DILLON, who has been out from Dillon, Illinois, looking after his land interests on the South Side, left on Tuesday evening for home. His mother accompanied him. He is well pleased with the farm results on his place over on the South Side. Says the corn is as good as it is in his county, Tazewell, the heart of the great corn belt of Illinois, and they didn't raise any wheat to speak of.

**As to Box Rent.**

Box rent becomes due on the first day of January, April, July, October, and under express and absolute orders from the postoffice department, MUST BE PAID WITHIN TEN DAYS OF THE MONTHS ABOVE MENTIONED.

At the end of ten days the postmaster is emphatically instructed to vacate every box not paid for and to place the mail of the delinquent box-holders in the general delivery. And in the event of the postmaster failing to follow this instruction, he is personally liable for all delinquent box rent.

All box rent belongs to the government and is in no sense a perquisite of the postmaster, who is held to the strictest accountability by the postoffice authorities and the department laws.

Some of the above facts are evidently not known by all the patrons of the office. Prompt compliance with the laws and rules of the postoffice department will relieve the postmaster of imperative, unpleasant duty in connection with the matter of box rent and will lead to better understanding all around.

**DELIVERY NOTICE.**

All parties who have given orders for the Portable Pantrys please be ready to receive same between the 25th of October and November 1st. The pantry will be delivered at your residence according to contract, or if convenient, call at our warehouse in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Leach. Your order reads as follows:

McCook, Neb. . . . . 1898.  
Portable Pantry Co.: Deliver to me in the month of September or October, 1898 or soon thereafter as convenient a Portable Pantry for which I will pay to you or your order upon the delivery of the same the sum of fifteen (\$15) dollars. The Pantry and its attachments must be as good as sample shown otherwise I will be under no obligations to pay for the same. This order not subject to countermand. Very truly yours,  
PORTABLE PANTRY CO.

**Called Away From Earth.**

Laura Isabelle Lloyd, better known as "Daisy" Lloyd, departed this life on Tuesday, October 18th, 1898, aged 17 years, 2 months and 13 days. She died at the home of her parents, four miles north of Indianola, and was buried on Wednesday afternoon, near that place. Daisy was loved by all who knew her; and especially by her young friends and schoolmates of Valley Grange precinct, where she lived about a year. It seems so sad to think we shall never more see her here again, or hear her gentle voice. Let us hope that she is in that better country, where no sorrow comes; but all is peace and joy. A FRIEND.

**DeWald-Jones.**

Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Jones, in Trenton, Rev. J. A. Badcon of our city united in marriage Mr. O. W. DeWald and Miss Alice L. Jones, both of Trenton. The groom is one of the editors of the Trenton Register and a resident of Trenton from its beginning. The bride is an accomplished and charming daughter of Sheriff Jones of Hitchcock county. THE TRIBUNE joins in the grand refrain of congratulations and well-wishes.

**Lessons in Pastry Making.**

A practical demonstration in the art of pastry-making will be given at J. A. Wilcox & Son's store on October 27th, and at C. L. DeGroff & Co.'s store, October 28th and 29th. Delicious pies, cakes and puddings will be prepared and served free to all who call. Lessons in pastry-making, morning and afternoon.

**COURT HOUSE NEWS.**

**COUNTY COURT.**  
License to marry has been issued to Finley Scarrow and Mary E. Musgrave, both of Danbury.

**Box Elder Circuit.**  
There will be regular preaching service at Box Elder, Sunday morning, October 23d, at usual hour, and at the Willow in the evening. D. L. MATSON, P. C.

The Famous Clothing Co., this week, presented its customers and friends with handsome souvenir vest pocket memorandum books, containing considerable valuable and interesting information.

Mrs. Vina Wood and Miss Maud visited Culbertson friends, Tuesday. Miss Babe Davenport accompanied them on their return, Wednesday and she is now visiting friends here.

**FOR SALE—Ticket to St. Louis, cheap.** Inquire at St. Charles hotel.

You can buy your hard coal right at Bullard's.

McConnell's Balsam cures coughs.

**CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

**CATHOLIC**—Mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30, a. m., with choir. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially welcome.  
REV. J. W. HICKEY, Pastor.

**EPISCOPAL**—Sunday-school at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 8:00 p. m. Evening song and instruction on Thursdays at 8:00 p. m.  
REV. HOWARD STOY, Priest in Charge.

**CHRISTIAN**—Bible school at 10 a. m. and Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. each Lord's day. Preaching morning and evening every alternate Lord's day. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.  
T. P. BEALL, Pastor.

**CONGREGATIONAL**—Sunday-school at 10 Preaching service at 11. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Endeavor at 7. Preaching service at 8. Prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. A welcome to all.  
W. J. TURNER, Pastor.

**METHODIST**—Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11; subject, "North Wind." Class at 12. Junior League at 2:30. Epworth League at 7. Preaching at 8; subject, "Love and Gratitude." Prayer and Bible study, Wednesday evening at 8. Please bring Bibles. All are welcome.  
JAS. A. BADCON, Pastor.

**BAPTIST**—Bible-school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11. Junior Union at 3 p. m. Baptist Young People's Union at 7. Gospel service at 11 and 8. In the morning the pastor will speak on Foreign Missions; subject, "Seeking Christ's Kingdom." In the evening he will speak on "Ingratitude." All are welcome.  
T. L. KETMAN, Pastor.

Rev. T. L. Ketman will preach at the Zion Hill Baptist church at 3:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon.

The members and friends of the Christian denomination are soliciting funds and subscriptions for the purpose of building them a church. They are meeting with encouragement. We sincerely hope they may be able to secure the needed for their modest purposes.

The members of the Baptist Ladies' Circle completely surprised their president, Mrs. F. A. Stark, at her home early Tuesday evening. Later in the evening the husbands of the "elect ladies" appeared upon the scene, just in time to participate in the refreshments and the general good time.

Rev. W. J. Turner departed for eastern Nebraska on Monday evening, to be gone most of the week. He will attend the state meeting of Congregational churches at David City, Tuesday; from there going to Omaha, where he will meet the wife and family and spend a few days at the exposition; arriving here tonight, and at once going to house-keeping in the new parsonage just completed. Here's a warm welcome to the family.

**Christian Endeavor Convention.**

The sixth annual Christian Endeavor convention of the Red Willow county Union will be held at Red Willow, Sunday, October 30th, 1898. Each society is asked to send three delegates. The Red Willow Endeavorers are preparing to give a royal welcome to fellow workers, so let us meet with hearts tuned to sing praises to Him from whom all blessings flow. Corresponding secretaries are requested to send names of delegates to Jacob Longnecker, Indianola, Nebraska.

**PROVISIONAL PROGRAM.**  
10 a. m.—Sunday-school.  
10:30—Short Address—"Christian Endeavor in the Sunday-school".....R. T. Eller  
11:00—Convention Address—"The Christian Endeavor in its Relation to the Church".....T. P. Beall  
2:00 p. m.—Song and Prayer Service.....  
2:30—President's Address.....  
3:00—Report from Societies.....  
3:15—Election of Officers.....  
Five-minute Papers on the following topics: "Our Society Work and how to Better it".....  
.....Indianola  
"The Importance of Fulfilling Our Obligations".....Holton Longnecker  
"Christian Endeavor Literature".....  
.....McCook Society  
"The Leader Unprepared".....Lebanon  
"The Leader Prepared".....Danbury  
8:00 p. m.—Song service.....  
8:15—Report of State Convention.....  
8:30—Address—"More Power".....L. A. Turner  
9:00—Consecration Meeting.....

We advertise the ROUND OAK as the best all around heating stove for any kind of fuel on the market. It is the original, the first one and still the best. When you need a heating stove take a look at it.  
H. P. WAITE.

Just stop at Bullard's and leave that coal order. They will do the rest.

McConnell's Balsam cures coughs.

**Their Eighteenth Anniversary.**

Last Saturday evening, in the capacity of surprisers, a company of neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Borneman dropped in upon their quiet and devoted home life and celebrated with them the eighteenth anniversary of their happy married life. There were about a score of congenial spirits in the party and a very pleasant evening was passed by the self-invited, though welcome guests and the host and hostess, in games and social intercourse. Refreshments were spread. As a memento of the occasion and of the regard of the guests a handsome silver tea set was presented Mr. and Mrs. Borneman. All will join with us in wishing them many happy returns.

**PUBLIC SCHOOL ITEMS.**

**LAFAYETTE ENTERTAINMENT.**

There was only a fair attendance at the Lafayette entertainment in the high school assembly room, Wednesday evening, for the purpose of raising funds to help in erecting a monument to the great Frenchman. The program was short the lantern feature on account of not receiving the slides for that special occasion. The program rendered was as follows and was well received:

Song .....	Choir
Reading .....	Eva Lewis
Duet .....	Miss Cordeal, piano, Tom O'Connell, violin
Song .....	Choir
Duet .....	Nina Doan and Ida McCarl
Reading .....	Kenneth Welles
Recitation .....	Eva Catt
Address .....	Walter Clark

Bessie Otopolick is lying dangerously ill with typhoid fever at the home of her mother in South McCook.

Walter Clark is gaining some attention among his schoolmates as an orator. His address, Wednesday night, was noteworthy.

Miss Mary Powers of the Fourth grade visited the exposition, last Friday and Saturday. Millie Slaby substituted for her on Friday.

Today is Library Day in the public school and special programs are being given by the children below the high school, of which more next week.

Miss Minnie Rowell leaves for a visit at the exposition, tonight. She will return Sunday night in company with Miss Nellie Gunn, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Iowa.

Senator J. M. Thurston, Captain C. E. Adams and Private Secretary Snyder visited the schools, Wednesday morning. The high school was addressed briefly by Senator Thurston and Captain Adams.

The Seventh and Eighth grades will be divided, next week, Miss Meserve going up into the high school with the Eighth grade, and Miss Case will take the Seventh. Some promotions from the Sixth grade are contemplated and an effort will be made in the direction of equalizing enrollment and work.

**ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.**

MISS ESLLA BURNS and Julia Gotl were exposition visitors, first of the week.

R. Q. STEWART, deputy internal revenue collector, was around on Thursday in the discharge of his duties.

E. C. UNDERHILL, employed for some time past as engineer in the McCook Mills, has resigned and gone to look for more remunerative employment.

MR. AND MRS. POGUE left for Denver, yesterday morning, after a visit to her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Beardlee, and at the exposition and further east.

H. W. COLE went up to Cheyenne, Wednesday morning, on Star of Jupiter business. F. O. Fritz has organized a lodge at that place with a membership of over one hundred.

McCook's building association is a local institution that has helped many a citizen to a home and profitable investment. If you believe in supporting your own, invest your savings with the local association. It saved many a modest home during the dark days. Remember it now with your investments when times are better.

Please notice that the genuine ROUND OAK has the double fire-pot with air space. It saves coal, gives a hotter fire, makes no clinkers and the outside fire-pot does not turn red. For sale by H. P. Waite.

T. J. Pate, who has been quite ill with fever and rheumatism for some time, is now getting better.

So far this has been one of the quietest county campaigns in the history of the county.

**MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.**

Just a touch of winter, this week.

And only the coal dealer is happy.

McConnell's Balsam cures coughs.

See McMillen's 5 and 10 cent school tablets.

WANTED—Short-hand pupils. L. W. Stayner.

Buy Sheridan coal at Bullard's and save money.

Again, internal revenue stamps are not good for postage.

Purses, pocket books and card cases at McConnell's.

Decorated crepe tissue 35 cts. per roll at McMillen's.

When you want good coal and fair treatment go to Bullard's.

The genuine ROUND OAK costs not one cent more than a poor imitation.

This paper and the great St. Louis Semi-Weekly Republic for \$1.75 a year.

Beckwith's ROUND OAK is the best heating stove on earth for any kind of fuel.

DeGroff & Co. held a successful cloak sale on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The weather, this week, has been a decidedly chilly reminder of winter's approach.

A copy of Uncle Sam's Navy Portfolio for 10c. The series of 12 for \$1. At THE TRIBUNE office.

H. P. Waite sells the RADIANT HOME base burner. The most perfect base heater in existence.

Why is a stock of goods without advertising like a gun without ammunition? Because it "won't go off".

The date for mustering out of the service of the government of the Second Nebraska is placed at October 24th.

See the new hot blast on the genuine ROUND OAK; makes soft coal smoke look like steam. For sale by H. P. Waite.

The McCook Building and Savings association has built many a McCook home. It needs your support, and should have it.

The high wind, Monday and Tuesday morning, kept the bricklayers off of the court house. But work was resumed on Tuesday afternoon.

County Clerk Green bought the C. M. Charles quarter section adjoining his farm, this week, for \$500 cash. It's a good quarter and very cheap.

Eleven colored soldiers of a regiment now quartered at Denver passed through here, last Saturday night. They came in on 5 and continued on west on No. 3.

Do not think because a stove is round and is called "Oak" of some sort that it is the genuine ROUND OAK. See that the name ROUND OAK is on the leg. For sale only by H. P. Waite.

Are you on the list? The delinquent tax list on the inside pages of THE TRIBUNE, we mean. If you are, walk up to the Captain's office and pay up before the property is sold by the county treasurer.

Monday of this week, S. C. John and William Darlington closed a deal whereby John came into possession of the Darlington quarter section in 9 near the city and Darlington became owner of the John half section up on the Driftwood.

THE TRIBUNE believes in expansion. In our bright lexicon there is no such word as contraction and selfishness. We believe in expanding our subscription list at the rate of one dollar cash in advance per annum. "Now is the accepted time to subscribe."

You will not regret the purchase of a navy portfolio. They are but ten cents apiece, and give besides beautiful pictures of the superb war vessels of Uncle Sam that smashed the Spanish navy east and west, much other matter of interest. You can have the entire series, twelve complete numbers, for one dollar.

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