



Republican Caucus.

Notice is hereby given to the Republican electors of the city of McCook, Nebraska, that a caucus will be held for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the offices hereinafter named, for the annual election to be held in said city on Tuesday, April 24, 1899:

- One Mayor.
  - One City Clerk.
  - One City Treasurer.
  - One City Engineer.
  - One Councilman from 1st Ward.
  - One Councilman from 2nd Ward.
  - Two Members Board of Education.
- Said caucus to be held on Monday, March 13th, 1899, at 7:30 p. m. in the city hall.
- Dated at McCook, Neb., March 2, 1899.
- Committee: C. I. Hall, W. S. Perry, J. A. Wilcox, C. B. Gray and R. B. Archibald.

UNCLE SAM has taken hold of the plow in this Philippine question, and once having done so, no matter how distasteful the job may be, he will not look back nor let go, but go right on to the end of the row. He may lack experience in such cases, but not honesty and ability to solve any great question, no matter how thrust upon him.

GOVERNOR POYNTER has offered \$200 reward on the part of the state for the apprehension of the murderer of Silas Bailey, whose body was recently found in the Republican river near Benkelman. Suspicion attaches to a young man, who was with the deceased on the ranch near that place, just before the tragedy.

THIRTY-NINE ballots have been taken for U. S. senator in the Nebraska legislature without a choice. The Republican caucus has so far not been able to make a selection, but there are signs that the deadlock will soon be broken. The last ballot taken, last night, gave Hayward 40 votes, Thompson 13, Webster 10, Field 6. Necessary to choice, 50.

SOUTH SIDE.

Nine more weeks of school. Duck hunting is very good at present.

Frank Freelove will move on to J. B. Meserve's place.

W. S. Fitch reports the peach trees greatly damaged by the extreme cold.

Chas. Wasson expects to make a success of irrigation this spring by the aid of a windmill.

The Endeavor was well attended, last Sunday evening, even if it was a little cold and the speaking was good, indeed.

Some of our young people attended the literary at Vailton, last Friday evening, as they report the society doing nicely.

Mrs. C. L. Nettleton returned, last Friday evening, from a long visit among her many relatives in the east. She will be welcomed home by her friends and neighbors of the South Side.

PROSPECT PARK.

That was a fine snowstorm, last Saturday.

Mike Crocker has just put up a new windmill.

Katie Holbrook is the guest of Mrs. John Sly, this week.

Robert Barr drove a bunch of cattle over to the Beaver, last week.

No Sunday-school, last Sunday. Have not learned the reason why, for it was a fine day.

Mrs. James Harris and O. L. Thompson will discuss the question at literary, Wednesday evening.

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DANBURY.

Mrs. H. V. Lord is again very sick. Little Guy Bariteau is down with the measles.

Lulie Ruby's school finished, last Friday, in district 42. A good report from it.

Mrs. Fair, mother of Miss Ada, has been a great sufferer all winter from asthma.

Mrs. A. C. Furman, when nearly recovered from the measles had a relapse and is quite low.

Miss Mary Gibson is again in Danbury attending school after a severe sickness of two weeks.

John Cantral is able to be limping around the streets of Danbury. His ankle was badly wrenched and one bone broken.

Two teams, unhitched, dashed up the street from the elevator at a rapid rate—but fortunately were stopped before any damage was done.

Mr. L. L. Cann has supplied the Methodist church pulpit one or two Sabbaths in a very acceptable manner. He is an earnest worker in the Master's cause.

The pupils of Miss Ada Fair will give an entertainment for the benefit of the school library as soon as the new hall is completed. Miss Fair is one of our best teachers, a leader in all good work.

Dr. DeMay returned, from Kansas City, Saturday, where he had been to accompany Ed Ruby to have an operation performed on his eyes, and Geo. Harbor for treatment for a cancer on his lip. Mr. Ruby returned with the doctor, his eyes being much better and Mr. Harbor remained for further treatment.

Danbury people are agitating the subject of temperance, and there is need of it. Rev. Hayes in his sermon, last Sunday, made some very appropriate remarks to call the attention of his hearers to this important matter before the new election of our town board. Rev. Hayes is doing good work at Danbury.

It will be learned with satisfaction by its numerous readers in this section that THE TRIBUNE has again been designated the official county paper by the commissioners. A record of all county business and legal notices, in addition to the tax list, will appear in its columns, and no tax payer in this county can afford to be without it.

The First Congregational church of Danbury is now ready for plastering and painting. It is a neat, plain, unpretending house, well located to add a pleasing feature to our rapidly growing little town. S. Billing has done his work in a satisfactory manner and his personal interest in the building of a good, durable house in good taste and within our efforts is most gratefully acknowledged.

NORTH COLEMAN.

There is some corn to husk in this part of the county yet.

D. J. Osburn is building a bridge over the Willow to accommodate himself and the public.

W. H. Epperly sold some porkers, last week, for which he received \$3.10 a hundred-weight.

G. H. Simmerman finished his 1898 threshing, last week. Has about 650 bushels from 35 acres.

J. B. Smith is ready to thresh his 1898 crop; when he is done, the threshing will be over in this precinct until another crop is raised.

The farmers will soon begin to think about putting in their spring wheat. The ground will be in fine condition to receive the seed when the frost is out.

The cold wave predicted came with a vengeance and snow; about three inches of the beautiful fell, and there was a strong wind to help it on its southward-way.

J. B. Smith has 70 porkers shut up to fatten, and has bought several hundred bushels of corn with which to do the job, paying 25 cents a bushel for it.

We receive the mail daily now at Osburn, which is quite an accommodation for its patrons—one from the north and one from the south. They meet at Osburn and feed their horses and eat dinner themselves, then return.

BARTLEY.

E. R. Moon's little ones have the measles.

W. G. Sheppard of the Valley's Finest, was here, Wednesday.

Clyde Lake has again gone to work on the section, after a tussle with the measles.

E. M. Gallatin is assisting on the dray line, this week, vice Jamie Fletcher, resigned.

Freem Utter of McCook was visiting with friends and looking after his farm interests, Wednesday.

A traveler bound for Colby, Kas., had a very valuable horse take sick and die at the livery barn, Monday.

C. E. Matthews has been engaged to nurse William Smith of the Inter-Ocean during his severe illness.

Charlie Lee departed, Saturday evening, for Hygiene, Col. He expects to spend the summer there.

The storm necessitated a postponement of the school entertainment from Saturday to Monday evening.

Frank Untiedt sold to J. H. Rosenfelt, Tuesday, a bunch of 120 hogs of his own raising that averaged 250 pounds.

A large delegation of teachers and pupils were down from Indianola to the school entertainment, Monday evening.

It is rumored that Lyman Jennings has bought the postoffice building, and in the near future it is to be a hardware store, under the management of Puckett and Jennings.

W. B. Downs and Miss Irene Bentley were married at the home of the bride, Wednesday. The wedding was a very quiet affair, only the relatives and a few friends being present. A banquet was given at the residence of the bridegroom's parents, the following day in honor of the happy event.

The school entertainment in the hall, Monday evening, is considered by all to have eclipsed anything that has heretofore been attempted in that line. It's perfect success can only be attributed to the untiring efforts of the teachers in drilling their pupils. The proceeds are about \$30 and will be used in purchasing a library for the use of the school.

A SENATOR'S WIFE.

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In perhaps no other particular are the masses of the people so recklessly neglectful of their own interests as in the matter of catching cold. Not only do the great majority fail to provide themselves with sufficiently warm clothing, but when a slight cough or hawking or running at the nose warns them a cold has been contracted, little or no attention is paid to it. There are, comparatively, so few people who regard a cold as of sufficient consequence to require prompt and efficient medical treatment, that not only is the death rate of the Northern States increased one-half thereby, but our land is swarming with invalids and half-sick people as a direct consequence of neglected colds. Pe-ru-na is equally valuable to prevent, to cure, and to entirely remove the effects of a cold. No family, especially at this season of the year, ought to be without this excellent preventive and cure for that most insidious, ever-present disease-breeding malady called a cold.

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INDIANOLA.

S. R. Smith was a McCook visitor on Monday.

J. S. Phillips attended court in Trenton, Monday.

Miss Maud Allen's school in the Barber district closes today.

Editor Mitchell and Deputy Sheriff Smith were on our streets, Tuesday.

W. A. Minniear of Danbury and W. O. Russell of McCook were in town, Tuesday.

Our merchants have been paying 25 to 30 cents per dozen for the past few days.

Miss Welborn spent two or three days in McCook, this week, on business of her office.

F. O. Gray's resignation as agent here took effect, Wednesday. He will move to farm near Edison.

Commissioner Crabtree was in McCook, Monday and Tuesday, attending sessions of the county board.

Ex-Commissioner James Carmichael and family left for their new home in Saline county, close of last week.

Mrs. Byrnes and family, who have been farming northeast of the city two or three years, left for Dubuque, Iowa, Saturday morning.

The A. O. U. W. social, Monday night, was a success, nearly all the members with their families and also the members of the D. of H. were present.

The sales in this vicinity cried by A. P. Day are well attended and good prices are received for stock sold—one cow and calf at the Byrnes sale selling for \$68.

C. S. Quick was on the Omaha market, last Saturday, with two carloads of cattle that were toppers. He is on the market today, Thursday, with another load of fine ones.

Our enterprising merchant, R. W. White, is moving his store building to the west side of Main street north of the postoffice. R. H. Thomas, the boss house-mover, has the work in charge.

The Boston auction store has not yet folded its tent, but it is to be hoped that they will soon pack up their worn-eaten and shelf-worn goods and leave the trade of the territory tributary to this town to the reliable merchants of the town, to whom it justly belongs.

TYRONE.

Gerold and Goble shelled corn here, last week.

Measles have been getting in their work in this vicinity.

Farmers here are mapping out the season's work on an extensive scale and are all full of vim etc.

Frank Moore taught school, last week, in place of the school ma'am, who spent the week in Furnas county.

Rev. Robertson preached an excellent sermon, Sunday, on the subject of "Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education."

Joseph Abdulah of Jerusalem stopped over night at J. C. Moore's and told many things of interest about Palestine as it is today.

Your Bartley correspondent grows facetious about the shooting there; but, really, is it right to treat so grave a matter in such a sportive way.

LEBANON.

Edna Ritchie left for Ohio, last week.

Lebanon has had a coal famine for the past few weeks, but coal arrived, last week.

Bruce Cummings has bought the J. T. Crees property and will move to town soon.

Horace Huron lectured in the church, last Wednesday night. Not quite eighty persons attended.

James Huntzinger was quite seriously hurt by a tree falling on him, last week, but is recovering.

Mr. Amos Thomas has purchased the two lots south of C. A. Waterman and has commenced building, this week.

Last Friday afternoon, Mr. Abbott's room gave an entertainment in honor of Washington's birthday, which was well attended by the patrons of the district.

On Tuesday night, a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Meeks met at their home and gave them an old time serenade. They were invited in and treated to cigars and oranges.

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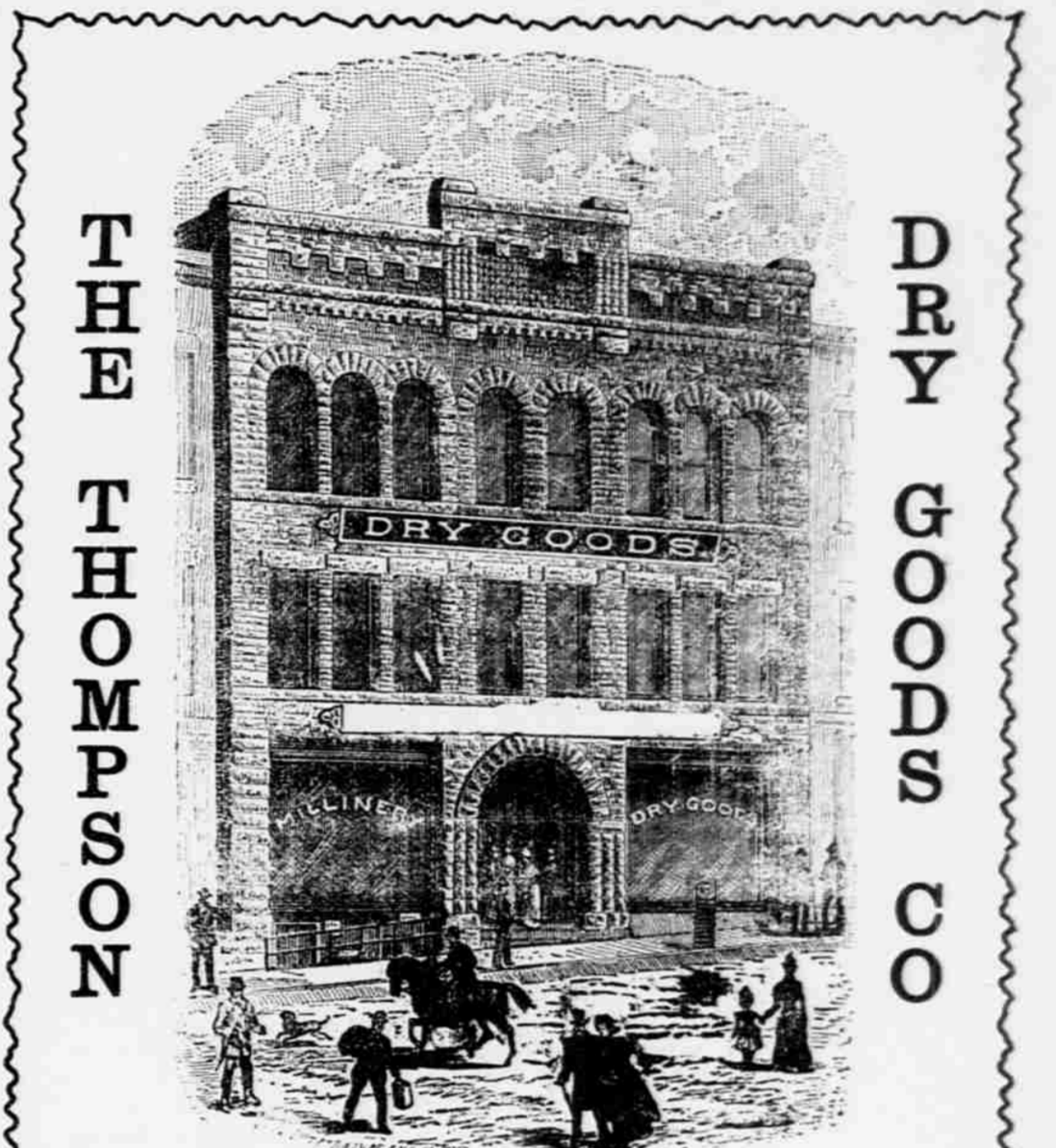
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Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton is going back on her record for fifty years by insisting that Mrs. Place of New York, who was convicted of a brutal and wanton murder shall not be electrocuted. Any man who committed such a crime, under the same circumstances, would have been executed without any protest from Elizabeth. And yet she claims to be the apostle of absolute equality before the law of the sexes—Journal.

Weyler stands appalled at the originality and genius shown by George Washington Simon Bolivar Napoleon Bonaparte Aginaldo in the matter of war dispatches. He vainly thought that he took the cake in that department of military greatness, but Aginaldo can give him so many points that he realizes that he is distanced on the first quarter stretch.—Lincoln Journal.



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