The McGook Tribune.	Best Grades
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THE MESSAGE IN BRIEF. The president felicitates congress on the evidence of national prosperity, and the proof of growing strength and power of republican institutions; on its ex- tended citizenship and marked growth in population and education. The Chinese question is given ex- tended consideration and the uprising	BARNETT LUMBE.

tended cit in populat The Ch tended co in that country carefully summarized. The president reiterates that the United

States does not seek territory nor will it countenance needless war upon the Chinese, but insists on protection of its citizens and the open door in trade.

Relations with other foreign powers are declared friendly, and our commercial relations with them extended. Minor disputes, as a result of creditable efforts on the part of our diplomatic representatives, have been amicably adjusted or are in course of settlement.

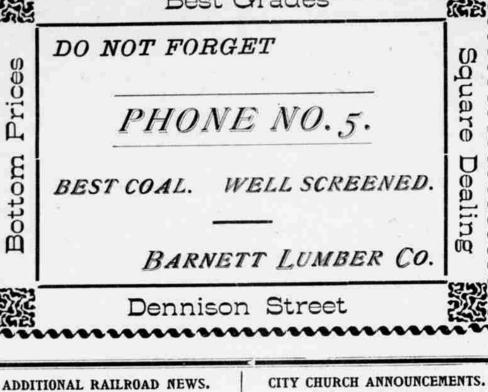
The display of the United States at the Paris exposition is commended.

The excellent financial condition of the country is cause for congratulation. legislation of the past congress the revenues have been ample for government expenditures and the balance is again on the right side.

The president concurs in the belief that a part of the war taxes may be abolished.

with thoroughness. Progress is noted in the suppression of the insurrection, and the president endorses the methods of the civil commission now on the islands. He favors the fullest measures of self government for the natives when by their acts they show they are capable and sincere. He sums up his instructions to the commission and finally makes it plain that the sovereignty of the United States, now established, must policy first announced.

Legislation on trusts is recommended heavy hammer. so that there may be no formation of combinations of capital in restraint of trade.



Engineer C. G. Franklin and family expect to move to Denver.

Tom Hampson and Dan Taylor are braking for the Burlington out of Nebraska City.

A. W. Berry did the night vocalist act vice J. G. Schobel, while the band boys were in Denver.

Conductor A. P. Bonno was taken sud- evening Litany, discontinued until fur-The president shows that as a result of denly ill, Tuesday, at the depot; but ther notice. Holy communion to be anquickly recovered.

> There were three sections of 77, both Wednesday and Thursday; and three 10. Preaching at 11. Y. P. S. C. E. at extras on Thursday besides.

There were two sections of No. 1, Thursday, caused by the Kansas City subject, "Redemption is Social." Even-The Phillippine question is covered train being a number of hours late.

> W. H. Johnston, chief clerk of the master mechanic's office, was in Cambridge, yesterday, to see a sister who is ill with typhoid fever.

Dan McClure was quite severely injured at Brush, Colorado, Thursday, and was taken in to Denver on No. 1, for treatment in the hospital.

Frank Traver is off duty with an ugly wound in his head, just over the right Preaching at 7:45. Prayer-meeting at be acknowledged and that there will be temple. He was in a fire box cutting no halting or turning back from the off rivets, when his helper missed the chisel and hit him on the head with a Christian?" Evening, a sermon for the

> Burned by Oil. Mrs. Louise Penner, aged thirty-five

CATHOLIC-Mass at 8 o'clock a. m. braska. She brought her religion and High mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m. her faith with her, and her pious Christwith choir. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. like life gave cheer and encouragement

All are cordially welcome. REV. J. W. HICKEY, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL-Services during summer: Sunday-school at 10. Evening prayer and sermon every Sunday at 8 o'clock. Sunday morning service, also Friday HOWARD STOY, Rector. nounced.

CONGREGATIONAL-Sunday-school at 6:45. Preaching at 7:30. Prayer-meeting, Wednesday evening, at 7:30. Morning Christly lives and meet her where suffering subject, "The Words of Jesus." All are welcome. W. J. TURNER, Pastor.

BAPTIST-Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Preaching at 7:45. Prayer-meeting on presence of a large concourse of mourn-Wednesday evening at 8. Morning sub- ing friends and neighbors; and just as ject, "How Shall We Consider the the sun was hiding its face behind the Bible? " Evening subject, "Good Works." GEO. L. WHITE, Pastor.

METHODIST - Sunday-school at 10 Preaching at II. Epworth League at 7. 7:30, Wednesday evening. All are welcome. Morning subject, "What is a young people,

L. M. GRIGSBY, Pastor.

than it has received before during the CHRISTIAN-Bible-school at 10 a. m. past five years. The inquires show that



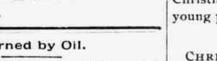
THESE CRIMPY MORNINGS

make a fellow wish he could have his summer's wages to spend over again. 💥 💥 He knows that among other things he wouldn't forget to lay in a good supply of Winter Underwear, and a little investigation would determine that his purchase could be made only at "Honest John's" -- if he considered his own interests. 🗯 🗯 But it don't take much money to get a fine thing in our Underwear; you should see the selection before you buy.

ALL KINDS **UNDERWEAR**. \mathbf{OF}

We have Underwear to suit every taste, and from the cheapest garment to the highest in price, it is the best that can be procured any= where for the money. 🗯 🗯 Come in and see the goods and we will quote you prices that will "jar" you.

PRODUCE AS GOOD AS CASH.



The president explains that the way is clear for action looking to the construction of an inter-oceanic canal.

across the Pacific to connect our new possessions is explained.

Conditions in Cuba, Porto Rico and Hawaii are found satisfactory, and wise consideration of problems affecting those islands is urged.

dispute are referred.

legislation looking to the increase of the army.

The work of the navy is praised and its needs explained.

The president pays considerable attention to the different domestic dethe postal system and rural free delivery.

congress to be mindful of expenditures and to guard against extravagance.

IRRIGATION.

Every western paper is interested in seeing this development accomplished. construction? The immediate stimulation would be enormous and the future benefit greater. This policy should be inaugurated and the western press should urge it with one voice. It is a national matter; it can be productive Thursday. only of great good; the east is responsive;

to work.

It is the opinion at Washington that \$40,000,000 will be appropriated by this congress for river and harbor improvements. Of this the western half of the United States will get, judging by previous records, a couple of million or so. Whatever are her possibilities, it is not contended that the west is as important or influential as the east. She has not yet the dense population; but why she not get at least a fair share of this great appropriation? Why should she not get a fourth of it to be applied to the building of the great storage reservoirs to be filled with flood waters for use in irrigation, under a system of internal improvements?

The government is spending large sums in aiding in the development of foreign trade and the opening of foreign markets for American manufacturers. It is believed that we should push our goods into every market of the world and sell them. The belief is also gaining ground that the government should also develop its home market for American products and manufactures. This it could do by reclaiming the 75,000,000 acres of western arid land and settling them with thousands of industrious home-builders. Eastern merchants are more than willing to see such an undertaking. The west should take the initistive. The McCook Circle No. 33, Ladies of G. A. R., meet the first Saturday of every month in Odd Fellows hall.

forenoon, while starting a fire with kerosene.

Mrs. Penner poured the oil in the kitchen stove while her baby was near by. An explosion followed, enveloping both the woman and baby. Mrs. Pen-Negotiations on the Alaska boundary ner was burned from head to foot, and her condition is regarded as critical. The president shows the need of early The baby may recover. Neighbors who heard the woman's screams for help appeared and quenched the flames which had entirely consumed the woman's clothes .- Omaha cor. Wednesday's Lin-

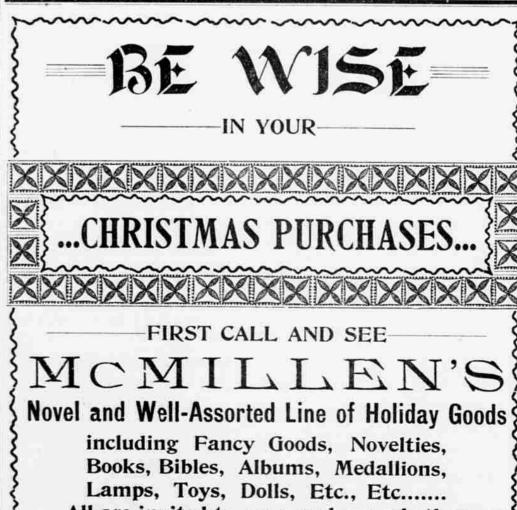
coln Journal.

Mrs. Penner, nee Markwad, is well partments, especially to the extension of known here, where she lived for a number of years, (while her husband was in hall, Wednesday afternoon, December In conclusion the president warns business in our city,) and where her parents and other members of the family still reside. The news of her terrible accident will come as a great shock to B11.

LATER.

Mrs. Henry Penner, who poured coal What would be the result of an appro- oil on the kitchen fire at her home, 3514 priation of eight or ten million dollars Charles street, yesterday morning, and spent annually in the west for irrigation was badly burned about the neck and breast, died as a result of her injuries. burned, is not seriously injured. The this year. It is a real pleasure to see burial .- Omaha cor. Lincoln Journal, possess some of them!

The remains arrived here, last night, will the west be aggressive? It is time and were buried from Pade's undertaking establishment, today.



Preaching at 11 and 7:30. Christian En- a great loss has been sustained by the years, the wife of Henry Penner, who is deavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on feeding of cornstalks. This is one of a clerk in the carpet department at the Wednesday evening. All are invited. the mysterious diseases that seem to Boston store, living at 3514 Charles Meetings will continue over Sunday. baffle the scientists. The Division is-The necessity for the laying of a cable street, was probably fatally burned, this Elder Speck will give a lecture at the sued a bulletin in 1898 on this subject, church, Sunday afternoon at 3:15; sub- which discusses the various theories

ject, "That Great Man."

J. W. WALKER, Pastor.

Cheap Trip to Lincoln.

McCook, Neb., to Lincoln and return for \$6 90 on December 25, 26 and 27, on has been reported that cattle have died account of the annual meeting, Nebraska in stalks that were heavily infected with State Teachers' association. Return these insects. As near as can be told, limit December 29,-11-30-4ts.

Attention, Comrades!

I hereby call a special meeting of J. K. from this pest. Barnes post to meet in the I.O.O.F. 12th, 1900, at one o'clock.

LYMAN MILLER, Commander. JACOB STEINMETZ, Adjutant.

Change Place of Meeting.

meet with Mrs. L. C. Doll, next Friday from their having been frosted. afternoon at 2:30, December 14th, infirst announced.

For holiday goods S. M. Cochran &

You can save money by buying early. A. MCMILLEN.

with probably the exception of a few new theories that are being advanced this year.

Obituary.

DIED-At her home in Box Elder, November 30th, 1900, aged 68 years, 2

months, 11 days, Mrs. A. W. Campbell. Nancy Johnson was born in Rhone

county, Tennessee, September 19th,

1832, where she lived until 1863, when,

being intensely loyal to the union, she

and her husband were given transporta-

tion to the north by the government.

On June 24th, 1852, she was married to A. W. Campbell, who, with eight chil-

dren and one brother, lives to mourn her

death. She nnited with the Methodist

church in 1852, and ever since has lived

a most consistent and devout Christian

life. Born in the south in the days of

of that institution and amidst the trying

times previous to and during the war of

the rebellion, she never faltered in her

Soon after the close of the war, she

and her husband came west and were

among the first white people to locate

in what is now Red Willow county, Ne-

to many a discouraged pioneer. The

neat church and parsonage at Box Elder

are a monument largely to her efforts

intensely from that dread disease, can-

cer, but bore it all patiently, often ex-

pressing her readiness and desire to de-

part and be with her Master. When

the time came she was perfectly con-

scious and prepared to go; and calling

each member of her family present to

her bedside, she exhorted them to live

The funeral services were conducted

by the writer at Box Elder, Sunday

afternoon, in the church where she had

worshiped so many years, and in the

western hills the mortal remains of Sister

Campbell were laid to rest in the Box

Cornstalk Disease.

The Division of Animal Pathology of

the Nebraska Experiment Station has

received, within the past few weeks,

more inquiries regarding the disease in

cattle known as "cornstalk disease"

H. H. BERRY.

ing and parting are no more.

Elder cemetery.

For over two years she had suffered

and Christian zeal.

oyalty to the union or the church.

slavery, surrounded by all the prejudices

There have been quite a number of The Burlington will sell tickets from inquries as to whether this disease could be caused by chinch bugs, for it this has little or nothing to do with it, because there are numerous out-breaks keeper; Miss Stella Norval, finance where the fields were apparently free keeper; Mrs. Margaret Oyster, chaplain;

> experience it can be said that the frost ist. has very little to do with it, for cattle

have died in stalks in very severe, cold weather, so for that reason could not The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will recommend the use of stalks simply

toms indicate a brain affection, give Wm. Stine, chloral hydrate in repeated doses at in- Evert Thorpe, quarters of an hour apart, as long as the say that they are advertised. symptons may require. Give from an onnce and a half to two ounces at a dose. Mix the chloral with a little linseed water or flour water, and give in about a pint to a quart of water as a drench. Many cases have been cured by this heroic treatment. For further

Clerical Permits-1901. Applications for clergymen's half-fare building. The proceeds will be used to hands of the order. permits for, 1901 should be filed at the earliest possible date with the local their use. agent of the B. & M. R. R. R. J. FRANCIS, G. P. A. Wanted! Wanted! afterward of a banquet. 100 to 150 head of cattle to winter; feed, buffalo grass and cornstalks. In-UNE office. Best in the market. quire at Blue Front barn. It's sure-McMillen's Cough Cure. W. H. ACKERMAN.



Lady Maccabee Officers-Elect. The election of officers by the Lady Maccabees, last evening, resulted thusly: Mrs. C. E. Pope, past lady commander; Mrs. A. L. Knowland, lady commander; Mrs. Charlotte Brewer, lieutenant commander; Mrs. G. W. Willetts, record

Mrs. U. J. Warren, mistress at arms; A question that is asked in almost Mrs. V. H. Solliday, sergeant; Mrs. every case is, whether it is safe to turn Harry Conover, sentinel; Mrs. W. H. home, this morning, from playing for in cattle after a heavy frost. From past Brown, picket; Mrs. W. B. Mills, organ- the great Silver Serpent ball in Denver,

> The hive has added forty new members, this year.

Free Stereopticon Lecture.

The only reasonably safe suggestion will give a lecture profusely illustrated are more than pleased with the manner stead at Mrs. M. A. Northrup's, as at that can be given to anyone that wishes by grand stereopticon views, at the Bap- of their treatment and the warmth and to pasture his cattle in stalks is, to not tist church, Friday evening, December wealth of appreciation showered upon exclusively feed them on the stalks, but 7th. The lecture is designed to set forth them,-they are greatly delighted. to provide some grain ration-either the growth of our country and its devel- The programme rendered by the Bri-Her little son, George, who was also Co. certainly excel anything in the west, hay or oats or straw. By this is not opement, and the special demand for gade for the great occasion was a superb meant that the animals should be al- missionary work. This will be a rare and artistic one, and was most faultlessly remains will be sent to McCook for their holiday display and what a joy to lowed to run at will to a straw stack, be- treat to all who can attend. It will be and spiritedly rendered. cause there is some danger in that; but fully as attractive and interesting as Some of the members of the band Wall Paper Remnants, from 2c to 15c they should be compelled to be in an many entertainments for which an ad- had the pleasure of hearing the great per roll. Special low prices on all paper. enclosure for a certain length of time, mission of from thirty-five to fifty cents Melba in grand opera, last night, and a and during that time should be allowed is charged. The admission is free. A few remained over to enjoy the opera no cornstalks, but should be given hay, free will offering will be taken at the tonight. close for home missions.

ment is of no avail, because the animals by the McCook post-office, December 2d: expected by all its friends.

R. Humphrey, A. O. Grover,

F. M. KIMMELL, Postmaster.

called to meet at Box Elder, next Tues- lodge at least 100 during the month. day afternoon. The council will em-

pay for an organ lately purchased for



a near and graceful rked in silk. 10 cents per package, postpaid. One copy of the great popular song, "For the Flag I Die, Dear Mother," regular 60 cent sheet masie, sent free with every package. Address,

MRS. E. V. GLANDON, BARTLEY, NEB.

The Band in Denver.

The Nebraska Brigade band arrived Wednesday night. The boys were royally treated by the Slaves of the Silver Serpent; occupied a position of honor, were invited to the banquet and were highly complimented upon the su-Rev. D. D. Proper of Des Moines, Ia., perbly executed music. In fact the boys

The rehearsal, Tuesday night, attracted quite an audience, and the fine form of the organization was noted; the tri-The following letters were advertised umph in Denver, Wednesday night, was

Pushing the A. O. U. W. Work.

Deputy J. W. Robinson is in the city and will remain during the month of tervals of from half an hour to three- In calling for any of these letters, please December to push the work of increasing the membership of McCook lodge, which now numbers 275. It is the ambition of the deputy, with the assistance of local talent and members of the order, A council for Noble district has been to increase the membership of McCook

> In this connection, THE TRIBUNE is brace the churches of McCook, Cam- pleased to learn that C. B. Gray has enbridge, Stockville, Indianola and Dan- tered the list as an applicant for the important office of grand recorder of Nebraska Workmen. Mr. Gray is an enthusiastic Workman, and has for years been closely connected with the work in Pupils of the sixth and seven grades of McCook and the general business of the

> > Straw for Sale.

Advertised Letters. E. B. Lincoln,

James C. Marshall.

Congregational Council.

A Grade Entertainment.

the public schools will give an entertain- order over the state. He is well qualiment, Wednesday evening, December fied for the position, and certainly is 19th, in the assembly room at the east most deserving of this recognition at the

alfalfa, straw, or grain. Another inquiry that is always made is, what can we do for them when attacked? In almost all cases the treatare dead before treatment can be ad- Jacob Miller, ministered. In cases where the symp- Tillie Frane,

description and discussion of this disease ment Station, addressing the "Agricultural Experiment Station, The University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Neb."-University News-Letter.

residents of Nebraska should write for bury. Revs. Bross of Lincoln and Stew-Bulletin No. 52 of the Nebraska Experi. art of Aurora will also be present.

All are invited to come and see, whether you } buy or not. Don't miss the opportunity of first choice.

A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

Wheat and rye straw for sale. \$3 a The Masons conferred the third deload. Leave word at THE TRIBUNE ofgree, Tuesday evening, and partook fice or write N. J. JOHNSON, Box 66. 21s SCALE BOOKS-For sale at THE TRIB-

Don't fail to see the bargains in Wall-Paper at Loar's. Overcoats at DeGroff & Co.'s.