The McCook Fribune. - COAL -The different grades gave short, appropriate programmes on last Friday By F. M. KIMMELL. afternoon. It's an old adage that "when OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER. Miss C. A. Gorby, principal of the the days begin to lengthen, the High school, departed on 2, Saturday Largest Circulation in Red Willow Co. coal begins to strengthen." morning, for Nelson. COAL Subscription, \$1 a Year in Advance COAL Sup't Thomas departed on 2, Saturday Today is the shortest day of morning, for Harvard, where he will the year. Better fill up the coal A Nebraska Senator. spend part of the holiday vacation. HARD house and be prepared. Thar's The Washington Post has the follow-The public school library in the East SOFT ing to say about Nebraska's own Geo. a cold wave coming. This fine building will be open each Saturday D. Meiklejohn. It is very pleasing to morning during the holiday recess, when weather can't last always. the Republicans of the state, in fact to books may be secured or returned. Remember, we sell the best all good citizens, to learn that her son The usual morning programme in the is deserving of the good reports of him for the least money. High school assembly-room, Friday, was that have from time to time come home: changed to the afternoon, and partook of Hou. George D. Meiklejohn, assistant the special character of the season. secretary of war, is a conspicuous ex-BARNETT LUMBER CO. Sup't Thomas, Principal Gorby, ample of the subordinate coadjutors or mmmmmm Teachers Schobel, Thomson, Leonard cabinet officers-of the conscientious and hard working "assistants" who and Wibley attended the meeting of state teachers in Lincoln, latter days of really do four-fifths of the departmental ADDITIONAL PERSONALS. Veterans Endorse Thompson. this week. The superintendent and Miss chores, and do it with intelligence and MRS. M. G. R. FORD visited Bartley Headquarters Nebraska Union Veter-Thomson each had numbers on the profidelity. We incline to Mr. Meiklejohn, ans' Republican Club, Lincoln, Neb., relatives, this week. primarily because he is a conscientious gramme. and efficient laborer, and next because Dec. 17, 1900. MRS. H. C. SMITH was in Denver The several out-of-town members of At a regular meeting of this club, held he has proudly refrained from seeking with Roy, Christmas. the teacher corps are spending all or part cheap notoriety and cheaper adulation at G. A. R. hall, this evening, the folof the two-weeks holiday at the follow-MRS J. E. BEYRER came down from lowing endorsement of the candidacy of through the medium of the newspapers. ing places: Sup't Thomas, Harvard; Mr. D. E. Thompson for United States Denver, Wednesday. So far as we can see, Mr. Meiklejohn Principal Gorby, Nelson; Mrs. Schobel, senator was enthusiastically adopted by MRS, W. H. BROWN visited her folks has contented himself with honest and Minden; Mrs. Duffy, Grafton; Mrs. a rising vote: in Hastings, Christmas. enlightened activity in the discharge of Hedlund, Kansas City; Miss Powers, "Whereas, the Nebraska Union Vethis official duties, and has left the mat-MRS. W. J. CRAWFORD was with the Trenton. erans' Republican club of Lincoln, havter of his fame and celebration to confamily in Akron, Christmas. ing a membership of more than five The pupils of the City hall Primary temporaneous history. We do not reschool were concerned in one of the hundred ex-soldiers of the civil war, find MISS LILLIAN SMITH of Red Cloud is call in his case a single instance of heartprettiest features of the holiday season: unusual cause for rejoicing because of visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Burnett. to-heart confabulation with the corresthe little tots making gifts for their the fact that Republican principles as expondents. We cannot put our finger MRS. A. J. WELCH of Stratton has parents out of kindergarten materials. emplified by our comrade, William Mcupon an ebullition or even a paragraph been visiting John Hunt and wife, this And it is surprising how well they suc-Kinley, president of the United States, that connects him with any conspiracy have met at the hands of the intelligent ceeded in evolving articles useful and to parade Meiklejohn as a hero, a victim, pretty, showing quite unexpected skill thinking voters of our country, such a IRA AND WALTER CLARK departed, or a wonder. Above all things, he has magnificent indorsement. And more Thursday, for Lincoln, to enter the state in their handiwork. been modest and self-abnegating. particularly do we rejoice that our own university. It seems proper, however, to refer to DRIFTWOOD. state-Nebraska-has again, by its vote, Mr. Meiklejohn's useful services in the W. E. BECHTELHEIMER spent Christindorsed the principles that have stood Miss Fern Acheson's schoolmates gave OF war department; his honest and courmas at home,-Juniata,-returning here the most crucial tests for more than her a pleasant surprise on her fourteenth ageous treatment of the canteen queson I, Thursday. forty years, and realizing that in politics, birthday. tion, and his uniform courtesy toward MRS. GEORGE WILLETTS and the as in other affairs of life-to the victor those who have had contact with him in Grandma Dodge is still very poorly, children have been visiting Denver relbelongs the graver responsibilities-rehis official capacity. All our under sechaving been on the sick-list for the past atives, this week. sponsibilities that now confront the Reretaries are beset and overworked-Mr. two months. publican party that must be met and DEP'T INSPECTOR MARY GRAY O

People having places to rent, sell, etc., should advertise in the papers; we think it would be better for all parties concerned.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

M. E. Hartman and family from Clarinda, Iowa, are at present with E. A. Dodge's, Mrs. Hartman being their only daughter. Mr. Hartman is wanting to



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.

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PRODUCE AS GOOD AS CASH.

Meiklejohn is a conspicuous type. We believe that those who have knowledge of him will certify to our commendation. Republican party in the campaign just now closed. A citizen of Nebraska, there, some time ago, and took with him the propaganda of the Philadelphia platform. It is not for us to say that he alone carried Nebraska for Mr. McKinley, but we know that he was conspicuous in the Republican fight; that he gave weeks to the advocacy of the cause; that he was prominent among the orators and champions of his party, and that in the end Nebraska gave a handsome and most unexpected majority for McKinley. It occurs to us, therefore, in the light of all these facts, that Nebraska can go cate. farther and fare worse in search of a man to represent her in the United States senate. We disclaim the impertinence of a suggestion to the Nebraska legislature. Enough for us to present our estimate of Mr. Meiklejohn's services and to picture him as he is regarded here in Washington.

settled in such a way as will retain for our party the confidence and support of But this is not all. Mr. Meiklejohn has the people. Among these responsibilicontributed much to the success of the ties is the election of two United States senators by our legislature soon to convene. And having full confidence in the which state was supposed on all hands ability, integrity and loyalty, both to to be a Bryan state, he nevertheless went party and to country, of Mr. D. E. Thompson of this city, firmly believing that with this splendid business ability, tenacity of purpose and character he her spent the Christmas season with would bring to the duties of United States senator the qualities that are the best guarantee of success, and that would best subserve the material interests of our state and nation. And having abiding confidence in his appreciation of the rights of the soldier element of our country, that in the councils of our nation we would have in him a friend and advo-"Therefore, We, the Nebraska Union Veterans' Republican club, in regular session assembled, do hereby indorse the candidacy of Hon. D. E. Thompson for the office of United States senator and do most earnestly petition members of the legislature to give him their support and vote." J. W. BOWEN, President. Attest: R. C. HAZLETT, Secretary.

Omaha was in the city, Wednesday, and visited the McCook lodge of the Ladies' circle, G. A. R.

MISS LIZZIE STEVENS of Lincoln is visiting in the city, coming up from Hastings, Wednesday night, with her sister, Mrs. Frank Kendlen.

EVEN his bitterest opponents are forced to admit the existence of a marked change of sentiment toward D. E. Thompson, the Lincoln senatorial aspirant, whose candidacy is assuming correspondingly greater proportions.

THE farewell banquet given by Governor Pingree of Michigan was in some respects the most unique and remarkable ever tendered by a retiring governor of an American state. Some of his epigrams and paraphrases will not soon be forgotten by friends or forgiven by foes.

MR. MEIKELJOHN'S appearance in the senate chamber as a member of that body will take from the war department, it is true, the best assistant secretary of war by a long and intimate acquaintance be in flames. with departmental and service affairs, has made him a particularly wellequipped representative of the military establishment. He has been entrusted with the actual duties of the head of the war department at various times for a longer total period than any other official. He served with great ability and untiring devotion a responsible duty during the momentous days of the war with Spain. The army needs such a friend in the senate and the citizens of Nebraska will have no occasion to regret the choice of their legislature should it fall, as seems most likely, upon Mr. Meiklejohn. He has been a faithful, enthusiastic and industrious assistant secretary of war and he is bound to be equally valuable to his state in the United States senate. -Army and Navy Journal.

Cheap Trip to Lincoln.

The Burlington will sell tickets from McCook, Neb., to Lincoln and return for \$6 90 on December 25, 26 and 27, on account of the annual meeting, Nebraska

COURT-HOUSE NEWS.

COUNTY COURT.

Licenses to wed have been issued, this week, by the county judge, as follows: Joseph W. Higby of Spokane, Wash., and Jennie K. Goheen of Driftwood pre-

cinct, this county. William J. Fleischman of Perry precinct and Augusta Lepper of Coleman precinct, this county.

Loss About \$1,500.00.

The frame dwelling on the W. F

Everist ranch on the Driftwood was destroyed by fire, Saturday evening, together with entire contents. F. A. Brott occupies the place. He had been the country has ever had, but it will to McCook and on his return to the place on the floor of the senate the best ranch built a fire in a stove and went out friend the service can have there. His to the barn to do the necessary chores. familiarity with army matters, gained Shortly after he discovered the house to

> The loss is about \$1,500; partly covered Wednesday evening, at 7:30. All are by insurance. The fire probably resulted welcome. Morning subject, "The River from a detective flue.

alone saved the valuable barn, granaries etc. from destruction, and was a fortunate circumstance in the case.

Evidently acting under the belief that there was but one black sheep in a flock, a Henry county, Mo., woman secured a divorce from her husband and married his brother the next day.



A. B. TODD of Plattsmouth joined his wife here, first of the week, and with Traveling Engineer Dixon and family.

MR. AND MRS. A. A. HACKMAN of Long Branch, N. J., arrived in the city, last night. He has bought J. H. Bennett's cigar business and they will make their home with us again.

ALBERT O'NEIL and son have been visiting in the city, most of the week, coming up from York to spend the Christmas-tide with relatives. The O'Neils are very well pleased with York and York county.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SOUTH MCCOOK M. E .- Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Preaching, Sunday evening, at 7:30. Prayer-meeting, every Thursday T. G. GODWIN, Pastor. evening.

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. METHODIST - Sunday-school at 10 Preaching at II. Junior League at 3. Epworth League at 7. Preaching at 7:45. Prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

L. M. GRIGSBY, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL-Services during summer Sunday-school at 10. Evening prayer and sermon every Sunday at 8 o'clock. Sunday morning service, also Friday evening Litany, discontinued until further notice. Holy communion to be an-HOWARD STOY, Rector. nounced.

CONGREGATIONAL-Sunday-school at 10. Preaching at 11. V. P. S. C. E. at 6:45. Preaching at 7:30. Prayer-meeting, of Life." Evening, a sermon for the The favorable direction of the wind New Year." W. J. TURNER, Pastor.

> BAPTIST-Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at II. B. V. P. U. at 7 p. m. Preaching at 7:45. Prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. The Sundayschool will hold a special rally meeting, next Sunday, at 10 o'clock. There will be many attractive and interesting features in this service and all are assured of a happy and helpful hour.

> > GEO. L. WHITE, Pastor.

The members of the Christian church will hold a social in the church on next Monday evening. There will be a musical programme, and reports will be made from all departments of the church work. All the members, friends and interested parties of the church are invited to be present. Refreshments will follow the programme and business of the evening.

lease a place for a term of years and try the short-grass country.

When does the game law put a stop to the killing of quail, chickens, etc. They were quite plentiful, last fall, but we hardly see one now. I expect we will see plenty of grasshoppers next summer to pay for the good times that hunters have in their destruction.

BANKSVILLE.

J. H. Rolph and family spent Christmas with relatives at Cedar Bluffs.

Some of the boys are talking of having another shooting match on or about New Year,

Mr. Updegraff, who lived near here about six years ago, was in this vicinity, Wednesday. Rev. J. W. Walker has been holding meet-

ings at the school-house, this week, and considerable interest is being manifested.

COLEMAN.

John Droll is able to be around agaim. He has been quite sick.

Mrs. M. H. Cole is expected back from her Iowa visit, Thursday evening. H. B. Wales, J. W. Corner and John Hein-

lein, with their families, spent Christmas eve with W. M. Sharp and family.

at Suez on her object lesson junketing trip. A Chinese proverb says: "Great is the woman that holdeth her tongue." Great

curio, yes.

The battleship Kentucky spent Christmas



ache

is only a symptom-not a disease. So are Backache, Nervousness, Dizziness and the Blues. They all come from an unhealthy state of the menstrual organs. If you suffer from any of these symptomsif you feel tired and languid in the morning and wish you could lie in bed another hour or two -if there is a bad taste in the mouth, and no appetite - if there is pain in the side, back or abdomen-BRADFIELD'S FEMALE REGULATOR will bring about a sure cure. The doctor may call your trouble some high-sounding Latin name, but never mind the name. The trouble is in the menstrual organs, and Bradfield's Female Regulator will restore you to health and regulate the menses like clockwork. feed it with a bottle. Sold by druggists for \$: a bottle. A free Illustrated book will be sent to any woman if request be mailed to THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO. ATLANTA, GA.



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itable and doesn't care to express her opinion of another, she merely says she is queer.

When the stomach is tired out it must have a rest, but we can't five without food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "digests what you eat' that you can eat all the good food you want while it is restoring the digestive organs to health. It is the only preparation that digests all kinds of food. McConnell & Berry.

The North pole is much like a woman's pocket. We all know where it should be, but we can't find it

McConnell & Berry, druggists, guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, a not satisfied after using two-thirds of the con- well known cure for piles and skin diseases tents. This is the best remedy in the world It heals spres without leaving a scar. Beware for la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whoop-ing cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia.

A sporting man says the only way it is possible to beat the weather reports is to play them to lose.

An attractive woman thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the is One Minute Cough Cure, It is very pleasher face blooms with its beauty. When cure coughs, cold

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