

The McCook Tribune.

TWENTIETH YEAR

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 28, 1901.

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Will Soon Retire.

Early in July Cashier W. F. Lawson of the First National Bank, who has been connected with the bank in one capacity or another since its establishment in our city, will retire from the cashiership and the bank will remove to Covina, Los Angeles county, Calif. Mr. Lawson hopes to get his affairs in shape to enable him and family to start for their new home in California about the 10th proximo.

Cashier Lawson's character and abilities have not only placed him at the active head of the greatest financial institution in Southwestern Nebraska, but have endeared him to a wide circle of admiring and trusting friends. His coming departure will be regretted by no one more keenly than by THE TRIBUNE publisher.

No formal action has yet been taken by the board of directors, but the succession of Asst. Cashier Pennell to the cashiership is practically certain; also Book-keeper Louis Thorgrimson's advancement to ass't cashier and cage work. No selection has been made for the book-keepership, but the matter is now under consideration.

In Californian Mr. Lawson will continue with Mr. Hocknell in business, Mr. Hocknell having large fruit and other interests there.

A Superb Gift.

This morning, Cashier W. F. Lawson of the First National bank, who will in a week or two retire from the bank and remove to California, was superbly remembered by the officers of the bank in a farewell gift of cut glass—a rich, handsome and elegant gift, embracing a water set of three pieces, berry and finger bowls, set of sherbet glasses, olive and jelly dishes, oil bottle and spoon tray. It is a happy expression of the high regard in which Cashier Lawson has always stood in the First National, with the directors, officers and employes and the public as well.

A Prominent Feature.

A prominent feature of McCook's Fourth of July celebration will be the game of base ball between the Arapahoe club and the McCook team. Both will put strong clubs in the field and a superb game may be expected.

The Curfew Whistle.

Curfew call is one long blast of the Water Works whistle at 9:30 p. m. The ordinance will be enforced on all children under 16 years of age out after that hour.

C. B. GRAY, Chief of Police.**Complimentary Band Concert.**

On the evening of next Wednesday, July 3rd, the Nebraska Brigade band will give a complimentary band concert, commencing at 8:30 and continuing until 10 o'clock, before leaving for Lincoln on 6. It will be something fine.

Lost-Reward.

A large pocket-book containing over \$200.00 in currency. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of the same to S. M. COCHRAN & CO.

Children's Fancy Parasols 10c to 75c. The Thompson D. G. Co.

At night ring the door bell at Loar's store and the clerk will do the rest.

Wall-paper, paints and oils at lowest prices. A. McMillen.

S. M. Cochran & Co. have the best \$19 riding cultivator ever sold for that money.

Nazareth Knit Waists for Boys and Girls. Elastic, durable, cool. Price 25c. The Thompson D. G. Co.

Speaking of headers, S. M. Cochran & Co. have the Plano, Harvester King, Hodges, Deering and Randolph.

The Deering twine is the only hopper-proof binding twine on the market. It's the only twine, and S. M. Cochran & Co. sell it.

Eyes examined and glasses accurately fitted by Dr. Hare, who is permanently located in McCook. Office over Mrs. DeLuanty's millinery store.

Enough wall paper to cover an ordinary room, side, ceiling and border, complete from one dollar up.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

Special 4th of July sale of Silk Waists. They are going rapidly and every one will be gone by July 4th. \$3.25 now gets the most stylish \$4.00 waist we have ever had. \$5.00 pays for any \$6.00 waist. The Thompson D. G. Co.

Another point in favor of our ready-made departments is the alterations that are made without charge. If a Dress Skirt is too long or too large waisted we make the necessary alterations skillfully, quickly and without charge. Same way with any garment. Dress Skirts from 65c to \$9.00. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

MRS. A. F. SWART has gone to Geneva, Neb.

WAYNE BRINTON returned to Lincoln, last week.

MISS JESSIE POPE was a Denver visitor, this week.

MRS. C. S. ELHERRON was a Denver visitor, mid-week.

O. V. P. STOUT of Lincoln was a Commercial guest, Friday.

WALTER THORGRIMSON is employed in W. S. Morlan's law office.

MISS BERTHA CHILDE is making her headquarters in Franklin, just now.

MRS. G. L. MILLER went up to Denver, Wednesday night, on a short visit.

J. M. SEWELL, the Hastings elevator man, was in the city, Sunday, on business.

MISS DEBIA D. BRINTON is home from Iowa on a visit to her parents and the family.

W. W. BARNROVER was over from Stockville, Saturday and Sunday on business.

MRS. W. E. CROWELL of Culbertson is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Evans.

H. E. DOLE was up from Steele City, a few days early in the week, on a visit to the family.

MRS. MAX ANTON returned home, Sunday night on 5, from her business trip to Omaha.

M. H. LEGG departed, Tuesday night, for Malcom, Iowa, where he expects to make his home.

MRS. BARNEY LEWIS and boy returned home, the first of the week, from Eastern Nebraska, Engineer Lewis going down to meet them.

J. H. BAYSTON of the Stockville Faber was down on a little matter of business, Friday evening last.

MRS. SYLVESTER CORDEAL has been visiting her son John in Chicago since the close of last week.

A. W. BERRY left, Wednesday, for Denver, to take a position in the Colorado Southern service.

MRS. F. G. WESTLAND and Lillian Roman returned home from a visit to Axtell, Sunday night on 5.

MR. RALPH HAGGARD of the Burlington store-house, Lincoln, was the guest of McCook friends, Sunday.

CLARA AND IDA ANTON returned, Sunday night on 5, from a month's visit in Omaha, Holdrege, Oxford and Farnam.

GEORGE HOCKNELL arrived from California, Thursday night of last week, and is looking after his interests in our city and this part of the state.

LOUIS SUESS went down to see the children near Crete, Sunday morning, returning home on Wednesday.

MISS BERNICE HUGHES of Edwardsville, Illinois, is visiting in the city, guest of her aunt, Mrs. N. E. Fahnestock.

MRS. W. A. MITCHELL of Red Cloud has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. E. DeLong, since the close of last week.

MISS AIMEE STRASSER, formerly of McCook, has become engaged to Mr. Alex. Blumenthal, a successful young business man of New York city.

MRS. HENRIETTA FOWLER departed Tuesday morning on 2, for her home in Englewood, Ill., after a visit of a few weeks here, guest of Mrs. Fowler Wilcox.

MR. AND MRS. J. B. MESERVE left Lincoln, Monday night, for the great north-west, to spend a month or six weeks in looking over that land of promise.

FRED ZOLLINGER came in from Chatsworth, Illinois, and will be the guest of S. D. McClain for a few days. Mrs. Zollinger, who is a sister of Mrs. McClain, has been here for several weeks and her health has been materially improved by her visit.

W. H. KILPATRICK, R. J. Kilpatrick, J. D. Kilpatrick of Beatrice and S. D. Kilpatrick of New Castle, Wyoming, came down the Imperial line, Tuesday evening, all going east on 6 but J. D., who returned to the ranch on the Frenchman and Stinking Water on Wednesday morning.

MRS. ALBERT BARNETT entertained a small company of lady friends, last Saturday afternoon, in honor of her guest, Mrs. H. L. Kennedy of Cambridge. Miss Ethel Barnett and Elsie Campbell assisted in recitation and music in the entertainment of the guests. Refreshments were daintily and tastefully served. It was a joyous social hour for all present.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand piano, for \$25. W. F. LAWSON.

The Odd Fellows Decorate.

Sunday was Odd Fellow's Memorial day and the event was appropriately commemorated by McCook lodge.

Services were held in the Congregational church at four o'clock, the Odd Fellows and others present being addressed by Rev. and Brother William Hardcastle of Cambridge on the "Brotherhood," in which he eulogized love as the one thing absolute, final and worthwhile.

A male quartette provided the music for the occasion.

After the services in the church the members of the lodge repaired to the cemeteries in vehicles and the graves of deceased brothers and of deceased members of their families were lovingly covered with garlands of flowers. The services at the cemeteries were after the ritual of the order and were conducted by Brothers Hardcastle, Hall and Green.

The following graves were decorated in LONGVIEW CEMETERY.

C. T. Brewer C. G. Holmes

John Coleman — Hill

Mrs. J. A. Badon Mrs. George Poh

C. A. Jacobs' children.

Charles Bogg's children.

J. H. Ludwick's children.

RIVERVIEW CEMETERY.

M. B. Brown C. W. Barnes' child

A. A. Bates' child.

The extreme heat and disagreeableness of the weather reduced the attendance of brethren and others materially.

Are Not "Suckers."

Dr. C. L. Fahnestock's peculiar conduct, nights, of late, has been a source of some curiosity to his neighbors and friends—not to say, some apprehension. But all suspicion has been happily allayed. It seems that back in Illinois the fish-worms have an accommodating habit of coming to the surface, nights, to enjoy the moonlight and the dewey eve, and are promptly swiped by the fishermen, for bait on the morrow. The doctor has been producing a little moonlight with a lantern to fool the local angle-worms out to surrender themselves, forgetting that he had removed from "Suckerdom."

A Premature Alarm.

The curfew whistle, Tuesday evening, was premature and was mistaken by the department and populace for a fire alarm. It was not intended that the alarm should be given until the public had been given due notice in the city press. Tuesday evening's alarm was sounded through a misunderstanding. It is the purpose of the city authorities to enforce the curfew ordinance, however, and 9:30 p. m. is the time when the ordinance becomes effective. Children found on the streets after that time will be arrested and fined as provided in the ordinance now in force.

COURT-HOUSE NEWS.**COUNTY COURT.**

Marriage licenses issued since last week:

J. Frank McCart of Lebanon and Sadie J. Oblinger of Daubury. Married by county judge, June 21st.

William E. McKillip of Cambridge and Amanda H. Johnson of Indianola.

Edward Curlee and Bessie McCullum, both of Bartley.

Claim of a Half Thousand.

One item of the storm aftermath is the filing by James McAdams of a claim for \$539.45 for damages sustained to stock by water, hail and mud. The claim has been temporarily referred to the streets and alleys committee, but will doubtless be carried to a conclusion by Mr. McAdams.

Notice to Dog Owners.

All parties who own or harbor a dog are hereby notified to pay to A. C. Eibert, city treasurer, the license tax on such dog or dogs as they have harbored. All dogs will be destroyed at once that are not licensed.

C. B. GRAY, Chief of Police.**Ice-Cream Social.**

An ice-cream social will be held in the North Star school-house, tomorrow evening, for the benefit of the organ fund of the Congregational Sunday-school. The purpose is a good one and it is hoped that a liberal patronage may be received.

A Dollar and a Half

buys a gallon of good outside or inside paint; roof paint and barn paint much cheaper.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

The Straight Front is the newest in corsets. You will find them at DeGroff & Co.'s.

Best Carpet Warp 18c for white, 20c for colors per lb. Good Cotton Towing 3c yd. Best Apron Check Gingham, 5c yd. Best Indigo Blue Print 5c yd. Best Shirting Prints 4½c yd. Best Black and White twilled Shirting 10c yd. 6 big Blue or Red Bandana Handkerchiefs for 25c. We save you 10 per cent to 25 per cent. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. W. H. Armstrong is ill with an attack of fever.

Way-car 77 from the Cheyenne line is due for an overhauling.

Holmes Blair, chief engineer, Lincoln, was in the city, Tuesday.

Way-car 33 is receiving a new cupalo and other improvements.

Machinist Jack Lawler has quit the service here and gone east.

Engine 150 was sent to Plattsmouth, Sunday for an overhauling.

Engineer and Mrs. Hugh Brown were Holdrege pilgrims, Sunday.

Engine 339 is just out of the shop, after a complete overhauling.

The waste-picker and press are now in place and ready for operation.

Switchman M. M. Fisk is recuperating in Denver from his recent injury.

Engines 146 and 171 went in the shop, Wednesday, for a thorough overhauling.

Engineer Jack Henderson came down from the west end, Monday, on a special.

Conductor John Morris and boys returned, Tuesday on 1, from their Illinois visit.

Brakeman John Hegenberger had business in Oxford, Wednesday, between trains.

There are pinches when the Western division could use more motive power to advantage.

Brakeman L. A. Hurlburt was called to Wynore, first of the week, by the illness of the baby.

Engine 289 went out on the road, Thursday, after repairs to her back and front cylinder-heads.

Engineer F. G. Westland has been breaking in the 56, which has just been fitted with new brasses.

Flagman E. O. Scott, who has been off duty for a few days with a sprained ankle, returned to work, Wednesday on 1.

J. M. Johnson, the new third vice president of the Rock Island road, went into railroad work in 1870 as a station agent at Franklin, Ind.

Engineer S. V. Ives and Fireman C. E. Cameron were up from Oxford, Saturday, on business at headquarters.

Deck Harding arrived in the city, the first of the week, from Chicago, and has been greeting oldtime friend.

T. C. Blue of Plattsmouth went to work in the blacksmith-shop, Monday. He is at present in the fine department.

The band-saw is now in operation, and the word of caution is to let Dick do all the tinkering with the band-saw.

Conductor A. J. Dwyer of the Wyoming line is visiting in the city, the guest of his brother, Conductor Steve Dwyer.

W. C. Bulger's friends here will be pleased to learn of his advancement in the Santa Fe service in El Paso, Texas, to general foreman of the yards at that place.

Con Kildow, Mack Hughes' Dutch-Irishman, says he is going after the gasoline stove on the Fourth of July, if he can get his best girl in the humor by that time.

Among the papers read before the Master Carbuilders' association in Saratoga, N. Y., this week, was an able and practical one by Asst. General Sup't G. W. Rhodes.

Dispatcher E. L. Cann and bride arrived from Salt Lake City, Utah, Tuesday evening on 2. They have gone to house-keeping in the furnished home of E. E. Rowell.

Yard Foreman J. H. Frankenfield and bride have returned to Oxford from their bridal trip and he has gone to work, relieving C. W. Tyler, who has returned to headquarters.

Switchman H. E. Donaldson, who has been switching in Akron yards for past six months, has been transferred to McCook vice M. M. Fisk, who is laying off with a sprained ankle.

Brakeman and Mrs. R. J. Moore returned, Monday night, from their wedding trip, and are at present occupying quarters in J. H. Ludwick's residence. Upon its completion, they will occupy the Boyle-Lehn residence over on Monroe street.

Sup't A. Campbell's private car to returned from Plattsmouth, first of the week, where she has been undergoing quite extensive repairs. Large windows have been placed on both sides of the observation end of the car, which has been painted the regular standard coach color—dark green. The new fittings are in brass and the car presents a very fine appearance now.

City Council Doings.

The fathers were in regular session Monday evening; present, Mayor Eldred, Councilman Coleman, Moore and Osborn.

Salary bills as follows were allowed:

W. T. Coleman.....\$12 50

S. A. Moore..... 12 50

R. M. Osborn..... 12 50

W. S. Perry..... 12 50

A. C. Ebert..... 18 75

C. E. Eldred..... 18 75

W. R. Starr..... 12 50

E. J. Wilcox..... 25 00

Claim of James McAdams for damages to the extent of \$539.45 was presented, and referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

Ordinance No. 99 was passed and approved and appears in full elsewhere in this issue.

Councilman Osborn made a report on water whistle. Marshal Gray was instructed to notify the public of the fact that in future the water-works whistle would be sounded at 9:30 in the evening to announce the curfew hour.

The matter of compiling and printing city ordinances in pamphlet form was laid over until next meeting.

The councilmen by a unanimous vote declined to confirm the appointment of C. B. Rowell as sexton of Longview cemetery.

W. T. Clark was appointed by the mayor as sexton of Longview cemetery. No action taken on motion to confirm.

The mayor was authorized to contract for material for sewer pipe and stone for crossings at following crossings:

Three crossings at Dodge and Main. One each over Melvin at Denison, Dolan at Main, Dennison at Main, Main at Railroad. Sewer pipe across Dodge at Main, Dodge at Manchester, Main at Douglass, Manchester and McFarland. Adjourned.

Both Well Received.

Two recent suggestions of THE TRIBUNE have called forth favorable comment:

First, its plea for the protection and preservation of the birds.

Second, its suggestion as to the advisability of having a Fraternal Memorial day, next year, instead of separate days by the several orders that now observe the day.

It is pitiful to hear some of the stories of the cruel—we might say savage—destruction of birds in and about the city. We hope to help form a sentiment among adults and children which will make such cruelties impossible. A society for the purpose might not be amiss.

As to the Fraternal Memorial suggestion, it will bear remembering and can be worked out successfully.

St. John's Day.

McCook lodge 135, A. F. & A. M., celebrated St. John's day, Monday evening, in their hall, with a social of enjoyable features, which was participated in by a large company of Masons, their families and a few invited friends.

The evening was spent in playing various games, dancing etc., as suited the fancy, and passed all too pleasantly and swiftly. An orchestra added to the pleasure of the evening and furnished inspiration for the devotees of Terpsichore.

Refreshments were served on small tables and constituted an appreciated feature of the social. Punch was served during the evening from a booth presided over by G. H. James, Sup't Campbell's chef.

Altogether the social was true to the traditions of No. 135.

Wall Paper.

We have a few remnants left from the finest stock of wall paper ever shown in Southwestern Nebraska; enough for one room of each pattern. These we will close out at astonishingly low prices. See them before they are gone.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

Have PORTER photograph your stock.

Hammocks—all styles and prices at McMillen's.

Order your binder, header and mower repairs early of S. M. Cochran & Co.

Wall-paper, paints and oils at lowest prices. A. McMillen.

The Deering mowers and rakes are not equalled in the market. S. M. Cochran & Co.

Our dollar and a half hammock is a "corker". We have them at all prices, 75 cents up.

McCONNELL & BERRY.

Mrs. Shultz is making a good recovery from a surgical operation performed by Doctor Hare, last week. Doctor Loper of Lincoln assisted in the operation.

Silk Mitts 15c to 75c. Kid Gloves 5c to \$1.50. Gauze Underwear 5c to 35c. Folding Fans 3c. to \$1.00. Ladies' Parasols 65c to \$4.25. 10 per cent to 25 per cent saved. The Thompson D. G. Co.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Fireworks, McCook, July 4th.

Watch Loar's window each week.

For clothing go to DeGroff & Co.'s.

Hammocks—all styles and prices at McMillen's.

Some people wear glasses because they can see too well.

Don't fail to see Loar's line of wall paper before you buy.

Games amusements, sports of different kinds, July 4th, McCook.

See the "Midway," July 4th, McCook. "Continuous performance."

Hammocks, prices from seventy-five cents up at McConnell & Berry's.

Loar's line of wall paper was fine last year, but it is simply grand this.

You will be sorry if you fail to see Loar's line of wall paper before you buy.

Rethemeyer Bros. make delicious ice-cream any time for any event. Try them.

Say, why not celebrate by buying a Fourth of July buggy of S. M. Cochran & Co.

Doctor J. D. Hare, McCook, Nebraska. Special attention given to chronic diseases.

FOR SALE—Belgian hares. Call on or address Schell Kimmell for prices and particulars.

Children's gauze Undershirts with and without sleeves 5c to 22c. The Thompson D. G. Co.

FOR SALE—A vacant lot in West McCook. Inquire of or write to Thomas Burge, McCook, Neb.

White Shirt Waists in the very latest styles 50c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$2.00. The Thompson D. G. Co.