

Republican Convention.

The Republicans of the state of Nebraska are hereby called to meet in convention, at the Auditorium in the city of Lincoln, on Wednesday, June 18, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices, to be voted for at the next general election, to be held in the state of Nebraska, November 4, 1902, viz: One governor, one lieutenant governor, one secretary of state, one auditor of public accounts, one treasurer, one superintendent of public instruction, one attorney general, one commissioner of public lands and buildings, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

The basis of representation of the several counties in said convention shall be the vote cast for Hon. Samuel H. Sedgwick for judge of the supreme court, at the regular election held on November 5, 1901, giving one delegate for each 100 votes or major fraction thereof so cast for the said Samuel H. Sedgwick, and one delegate-at-large for each county. Said apportionment entitles the following counties to the following representation in said convention:

Table with 2 columns: County Name and Number of Delegates. Includes Furnas (12), Red Willow (11), Hitchcock (5), Dundy (4), Chase (4).

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed in said convention, but that the delegates present therein be authorized to cast the full vote of the county represented by them. Notice is hereby given that each of the odd numbered senatorial districts in the state is to select a member of the state committee to serve for the term of two years.

By order of the state committee. H. C. LINDSAY, Chairman. JOHN T. McALLISTER, Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Red Willow county are hereby called to meet in convention in the city of McCook on Saturday, the 24th day of May, 1902, at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the next general election, to be held in the state of Nebraska, on the 4th day of November, 1902, viz: One county at-large, one representative of the 63rd legislative district, one commissioner, first district, eleven delegates to the Republican congressional convention, eleven delegates to the Republican congressional convention of the 5th congressional district of the state of Nebraska, eleven delegates to the 29th senatorial district convention of the state of Nebraska, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said convention.

The basis of representation of the several precincts in said county shall be the vote cast for O. L. Thompson for county treasurer in the year 1901, allowing one delegate for each fifteen votes or fraction thereof cast for said O. L. Thompson, and two delegates at large for each voting precinct of said county. Said apportionment entitles the several voting precincts in said county to the following representation in said convention:

Table with 2 columns: Precinct Name and Number of Delegates. Includes Willow Grove (13), 1st Ward (2), 2nd Ward (2), 3rd Ward (2), 4th Ward (2).

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed in said convention, but that the delegates present therein be authorized to cast the full vote of the precinct represented by them. By order of committee. E. ELDRID, Chairman. B. G. GOSSARD, Secretary.

Republican Precinct Primaries.

The Republican electors of Willow Grove precinct will hold their primary elections as follows on Thursday evening, May 22nd, 1902, opening at eight o'clock, in the Commercial Hotel.

First ward, 1st precinct.—In the basement of the Commercial Hotel; to elect thirteen delegates to the county convention.

ALBERT BARNETT, Committeeman. First ward, 2nd precinct.—In C. F. Babcock's office; to elect eleven delegates to the convention.

W. T. COLEMAN, Committeeman. Second ward, 1st precinct.—In the city hall; to elect ten delegates to the county convention.

W. T. COLEMAN, Committeeman. Second ward, 2nd precinct.—In H. H. Berry's office; to elect nine delegates to the county convention.

C. I. HALL, Committeeman. The Republican voters of Grant precinct are hereby requested to meet in the Banksville school-house on the evening of May 22, 1902, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of selecting four delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in McCook, Saturday, May 24th.

H. I. PETERSON, Committeeman. The Republican voters of Valley Grange precinct are hereby requested to meet in the Pickens school-house at three o'clock on the afternoon of Thursday, May 23rd, 1902, for the purpose of selecting five delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in McCook, May 24th.

E. MCDONALD, Committeeman. BONDEVILLE. The Republican voters of Bondeville precinct are called to meet in the Pleasant View school-house in district No. 30, on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock on the evening of May 23rd, 1902, for the purpose of selecting five delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in McCook, Saturday, May 24th.

CHARLES SKALLA, Committeeman. EDITOR BARNES of the Republican will shortly realize the joy of having honor (and a neat salary) thrust upon him.

AND Hinky Dink's smitthy was "awarded" the making of the premium-lists for the next county fair. If the fair shall prove to be as "fuzzy" as the premium-lists usually are after they make their escape from the chief blacks with of that shop it will be a credit to Red Willow county and no mistake. Virtue not only has its own reward—but incidentally so have "skill" and gall.

Advertisement for Cutler & Neilson Paints. Includes text: 'Are You Going to Paint? THEN USE CUTLER & NEILSON PAINTS READY FOR USE' and 'ASK YOUR DEALER TO SPREAD NICELY COVER FURTHER LAST LONGEST CUTLER & NEILSON PAINT & COLOR CO. KANSAS CITY, U.S.A.'

Hot Rolls,

hot muffins, hot cakes, made with Royal Baking Powder may be freely eaten without fear of indigestion.

M. Beaucaire.

It was toward the close of Mr. Mansfield's engagement. The Grand opera house presented an appearance of gaiety and warmth in striking contrast to the cheerless gloom of the April evening. The deep red walls rose to the lofty ceiling. The whole interior was ablaze with light. The curtain, a magnificent painting of the Grand Canon of the Colorado, framed by the silver presencium, is a work of exceptional merit. One may easily imagine, as he gazes upon it, that he is looking into the gorge itself, and from it may gain some conception of the canon's majesty and grandeur. Not the least interesting feature of the scene were the people who thronged the scene from orchestra to roof. Beautiful women, splendidly costumed, adorned with jewels that represented fortunes, and wearing lace that were priceless, filled the boxes and overflowed onto the main floor. Men prominent in the city's affairs, occupying seats by their sides, were all but overlooked in the preeminence of feminine finery.

The strains of an overture floated up from beneath the stage. The hum of conversation rose in a rumbling monotone. A bell jangled a signal. The orchestra ceased playing. The bell sounded again, and the curtain rose upon the first act.

The scene was laid at Bath in the time of George II. A number of gentlemen, attired in the brocades, the knee breeches, the silk stockings, the low, buckled shoes affected by the members of the fashionable world of that day, were seated and standing about, talking and drinking the waters. Presently they were joined by a large company of gentlemen and ladies. One of them retailed to the crowd, eager for a sensation, the latest bit of gossip from Paris. It seemed that the Duc of Orleans, who had been cast into prison for refusing to marry the woman whom his cousin, Louis XV had chosen for his wife, had escaped, and was at that time fleeing to England, disguised as a servant in the train of the French ambassador. While they were still digesting the latest scandal there appeared among them a man attired in sombre black. His eyes fell upon the Lady Mary Clifford, the most beautiful and haughty woman in England.

The stranger, fascinated by her charms, addressed himself to her. He was recognized by some of her companions as one who was known as a French hair-dresser, and, for his presumption and impertinence was forthwith expelled from the society of these superior folk. Before they could put him out, however, he told them he was M. Beaucaire, and that any who wished to play would at all times find him ready for a game. Among those who availed themselves of his invitation was the Duke of Winter-set, the greatest noble of the realm, whom he caught cheating one day. M. Beaucaire demanded as consideration for his silence, an introduction at the Lady Mary's ball to be given that night. The Duke at first indignantly refused, but was coerced. When he and the unbidden guest, the latter disguised as a French nobleman, appeared at the ball, the hostess to the consternation of the Duke, showed the stranger every mark of her favor. The Duke, himself an ardent admirer of the Lady Mary, aroused the ire of his friends by telling them the supposed nobleman was an impostor. They determined upon a course calculated to rid themselves of the interloper. Captain Badger, the best swordsman in England, insulted the Frenchman. The captain and the stranger retired to the garden, where, in the duel that was fought, the captain was quickly and easily overcome.

The Frenchman was not permitted to enjoy the fruits of his victory. While he and the Lady Mary were walking in the garden by moonlight, he was set upon by a pack of the Duke's ruffianly followers, and although he was one to their six, he put them all to rout. The Duke appeared opportunely, and denounced the supposed nobleman as an adventurer. The Lady Mary, convinced that she had been deceived, left him in the garden and rode away with the Duke. Finally, however, the disguise of M. Beaucaire being penetrated, he was found to be the Duc of Orleans himself. He and the Lady Mary, who protested that she had loved him for himself alone, were happily reconciled.

Beaucaire is a comedy from life, in which nearly every one, at some time, takes a part. Perhaps this is the reason crowds flock to see its presentation. They would rather hear the old story retold than to hear a new one. Indeed there are no new stories to be told. There is only this same old tale that has descended from generation to generation since men came upon earth. The setting, the stage scenery, is different each time, but the story is always the same. We are content with it because we do not even dream of anything else. We do not tire of it because its interest is intensely human. The only wonder is that when we can see so much that is genuine, we take such keen enjoyment in the fictitious, the spurious,—knowing that it is such,—that privileged to handle the coin current, we accept the counterfeit. The actors in the drama of life make love in reality, feel the sensations they profess to have. The people of the stage are moved not by passion, but by considerations the most sordid, by ambition, by infatuation of gain.

Up to date not a discordant note has struck our ear concerning the candidacy of J. Judge Norris of McCook for congressman in the Fifth district.

The announcement by Governor Savage that he is not a candidate for governor will be received by Republicans generally with satisfaction. It is wise on the part of the governor and timely for the party. And if Treasurer Steuffer should follow suit it would further greatly ease and simplify the situation.

ELBERT HUBBARD, editor of the Philistine, has been called upon by the supreme court of New York state to "show" them why he can't devote \$10 per week to the support of his child, born while he was living with a Miss Moore, a few years ago. Free love is bad enough, but free paternity is not to be encouraged in thrifty New York.

J. STERLING MORTON died at the home of his son Mark in Lake Forest, Illinois, Sunday afternoon, after a brief illness. Apoplexy was the immediate cause of his death. With his demise one of Nebraska's landmarks is removed. He was one of the state's builders, an able, aggressive, virile man, who, though he did not make friends of all, did command the respect of all and the admiration of many. He was a man of splendid ability and a citizen of unsullied character. In "Arbor Day" he will have an enduring memorial.

Their acting is not the expression of their emotions. Further, their genius is measured by their ability to simulate, not the real, but the ideal lover—an imaginary being somewhat better than the best of men. Is it this hope for the realization of our ideal, this insatiable desire for something above and beyond anything we know, that takes us to the play? Or is it the unaccustomed surroundings, the lights, the shades, the warm coloring, the display of rich fabrics, the superficialities,—those objects that appeal, not to the conscience, but to the consciousness through the sense of sight, that arrest our attention and interest us?

MRS. E. E. STAYNER went to Omaha on 6. last night. George Monks and Sam Hall went east on 2. this morning.

MRS. G. D. LEHEW and baby went to Carson, Iowa, on 6. last night. MRS. JEANETTE MCCARL returned, last night, from a visit to Lincoln.

Are you going to send away, this year, and pay more for seeds than the Bee Hive is selling them for?

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

APRIL MORTGAGE RECORD. Filings and releases for April are as follows: Farm filings, 7—\$18,411.27; releases, 11—\$7,695. Town filings, 12—\$5,845.12; releases, 5—\$2,750. Chattel filings, 89—\$15,210.49; releases, 29—\$3,571.46. Sheriff's deeds, 2.

LICENSE TO WED TO ERNEST FIECHTER and Jennie Atkins, both of Lebanon.

Did you hear any one say the Bee Hive had quit handling seeds?

Desirable House For Sale. My house and two lots, with barn, hedge, fruit and shade trees, corner of Dakota and Manchester streets, occupied by H. F. Pade. Fine location. Also lots 10, 11 and 12, block 12. First addition to McCook, fronting park. Apply to Mrs. H. G. DIXON, Kennett Square, Pa. 3 14-tf.

Two cents for a package of seeds at the Bee Hive.

A Spring Tonic. Every system, however vigorous, needs a stimulant. At this season of the year the blood also needs purifying. We believe that there is nothing better for this purpose than McConnell's Sarsaparilla, a preparation combining the best known blood remedies. We make it ourselves. We know it is pure. We guarantee satisfaction. Try a bottle. McCONNELL & BERRY.

We don't ask only 2c per package for seeds at the Bee Hive.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Corn (80), Wheat (65), Oats (60), Rye (55), Hogs (64), Eggs (12 1/2), Butter (17).

Northern-grown seeds 2 cts. per package at the Bee Hive.

Advertised Letters. The following letters were advertised by the McCook postoffice, April 28, 1902: Mrs. Maggie Behnke Mr. C. R. Green Lulu Hogeman Dr. John T. Marsden Miss Etta Harrington (2)

When calling for these letters, please say they were advertised. F. M. KIMMELL, Postmaster.

It's a fact! Garden seed at 2c a package at the Bee Hive.

Fraternal Insurance Order Cards.

K. O. T. M.—Regular meetings on second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month in McCook hall at 8. Visiting knights welcome. M. R. GATTS, commander; J. H. YABOKER, recorder; C. A. LEACH, finance-keeper. ROYAL HIGHLANDERS—McCook lodge No. 337 meets on second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at eight o'clock in McCook hall. J. R. MCCARL, Illustrations Pro.; Ron't W. DEVOL, Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 106.

An ordinance regulating and licensing omnibuses, peddlers, hawkers, canvassers, auctioneers, opera companies, minstrel troupes, circuses, animal shows, managers, variety troupes, slight-of-hand performers, fakirs, non-resident doctors, non-resident dentists, non-resident companies of firms, non-resident laundries, patent remedy companies, standing of jacks or stallions, shooting galleries, striking machines, cane racks, doll racks, merry-go-rounds, drays, shows or other advertising schemes, and bill posting and distributing within the limits of the city of McCook, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof and to repeal Ordinance No. 95, passed and approved April 24th, 1901.

Be it ordained, by the Mayor and Council of the city of McCook:

- Sec. 1. Every person, firm, association, or corporation, is required to pay for and procure a license before engaging in any business, profession or occupation within the limits of the city of McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska, hereinafter specified as follows: Non-resident cleaner of wall paper, per day \$ 2 50 Non-resident auctioneers per day 5 00 Hawkers or peddlers of merchandise, jewelry or medicine, per day 10 00 Non-resident dentists, per day 5 00 Non-resident doctors, per day 5 00 Opera companies, each performance 5 00 Minstrel troupes, each performance 5 00 Variety troupes, each performance 2 00 Shooting gallery, first day 1 00 Shooting gallery, each succeeding day 50 Striking machines, per day 2 00 Cane racks, per day 2 00 Doll racks, per day 2 00 Merry-go-rounds, first day 2 50 Merry-go-rounds, each succeeding day 1 00 Animal shows, traveling by wagon 10 00 Circus shows, traveling by wagon 10 00 Animal and circus shows, traveling by wagon 20 00 Circus, traveling by railroad 20 00 Circus and menagerie combined, traveling by railroad 40 00 Slight of hand performer, each performance 2 00 Fakirs, where prohibited by law, per day 5 00 Patent remedy shows, or shows for vending patent medicines, per day 10 00 All other advertising shows, per day 10 00 Bill posting and distributing advertising matter, per year 5 00 Non-resident canvassers, for books or other merchandise, to be delivered in the future, per day 2 00 Non-resident peddlers of marbled works, per day 1 00 Standing stallion or jack, per year 5 00 Transient painter and paper hanger, per day 1 00 Transient bill posters and distributors extending bill posters for shows and entertainments where a license is charged per day 5 00 Gathering and delivering goods for non-resident laundry, per year 10 00 Non-resident photographers, per day 5 00 Non-resident taking measure for and selling clothing by samples, per year 10 00 Peddling meat from house to house, per year 5 00 Milk wagon, per year 10 00 Drays—one two-horse dray 10 00 Each additional dray after the first 5 00 Each one-horse dray 5 00 Each team hauling by the load or job 5 00 Each omnibus 5 00

Sec. 2. The money arising from the license aforesaid shall belong to and be paid over each month, to the school fund of the city of McCook.

Sec. 3. Upon the payment of the license herebefore provided, the city treasurer shall give his receipt therefor, properly dated, stating the person paying the same, for what the same is paid, the amount paid, and when the license will expire. Said receipts shall be numbered consecutively and designated "License Receipts," and the treasurer of said city shall keep a duplicate of said receipt, and said receipt when issued and delivered shall be authority to do business under this ordinance.

Sec. 4. No licenses taken out under the provisions of this ordinance shall extend beyond the fiscal year for which they are issued.

Sec. 5. Any person, firm, association or corporation, or any employe of any person, firm, association or corporation, who shall engage in any of the above named occupations, callings, or businesses without first having procured a license as herebefore provided, or shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon the conviction thereof be fined in any sum not less than one dollar or more than fifty dollars, and be committed to the city jail until such fine and costs are paid.

Sec. 6. The license fees by this ordinance imposed are not assessed on any scientific or literary lectures or entertainments, or any singing or other musical entertainment given exclusively by citizens of this city.

Sec. 7. Ordinance Number 95 and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law. Passed and approved April 24th, 1902. Attest: C. E. ELDRID, Mayor. C. I. HALL, Clerk. (First Publication in THE TRIBUNE, May 2.)

ORDINANCE NO. 105.

An ordinance to amend section number eighteen of ordinance number forty-six of the city of McCook, entitled, "An ordinance providing for the supply of water to the city of McCook in the county of Red Willow and State of Nebraska, and its inhabitants, and authorizing the Lincoln Land company to maintain its system of water works, as now constructed and establishing a tariff of reasonable water rates, and requiring said company to erect and maintain a standpipe and put in nine additional fire hydrants and one watering trough, and to extend their water mains along Dennison street and through West McCook, and prescribe rules and regulations for the consumption of said water derived from said water works, and providing a penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance," and to repeal Ordinance Number 95, and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, and to repeal said original section number eighteen of said ordinance number forty-six.

Be it ordained, by the Mayor and Council of the city of McCook:

Sec. 1. That section number eighteen of ordinance number forty-six be amended so to read as follows: Sec. 18. It shall be unlawful for any person to tap the mains of said company with any other than lead pipe provided, however that the lead pipe used in tapping said mains need not exceed three feet in length, and all other pipe used may be galvanized iron or lead at the option of the party putting in the same.

Sec. 2. That said original section eighteen of said ordinance number forty-six be and the same is hereby repealed. Passed and approved this 28th day of April, 1902. [SEAL] Attest: C. E. ELDRID, Mayor. C. I. HALL, City Clerk. (First Publication in THE TRIBUNE, May 2.)

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION. Notice is hereby given that the firm of Value & Petty of the City of McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Asa E. Petty of said firm, retiring, and Frank S. Value to continue the business, collect all accounts owing to said firm and to pay all outstanding liabilities thereof. Dated this 14th day of April, 1902.—4-18-3e. F. S. VALUE, A. E. PETTY.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING. The stockholders of the McCook Creamery Co. are requested to attend the annual meeting to be held in the city hall, McCook, Neb., at two o'clock, p. m., May 13th, 1902. J. A. SNYDER, President.

Can't Keep It Secret. The splendid work of Dr. King's New Life Pills is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bless them for curing constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and indigestion. Try them. 2c at McConnell & Berry's drug store.

How are you anyway? Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a perfect laxative. Sold by A. McMillin. Now's the time, spring time. Take Rocky Mountain Tea; keeps the whole family well. A great medicine for spring tiredness. 35 cents. McConnell & Berry.

HOW TO RAISE MONEY

Advertisement for J. H. Grannis. Includes text: 'Plant a Dollar a Crop With HONEST JOHN and Harvest a Two Dollar Crop' and 'Headquarters for DRY GOODS CARPETS SHOES GROCERIES'. Also 'J. H. Grannis PHONE 16. McCook, Nebraska.'

The Model Shoe Store

I have purchased A. E. Petty's interest in THE MODEL SHOE STORE and have just opened up 100 cases of BRAND NEW, STYLISH, HONEST-MADE SHOES and am ready to serve the public with the best obtainable values and styles. An examination of our goods will convince you that our prices are most reasonable.

F. S. Vahue Proprietor.