

Jim Dumps' physician once fell ill. Said he: "I'll have no draught or pill." Said Jim: "Ho, ho, you're on the shelf. You who cure others, cure yourself." Then Jim sent up some "Force" to him. "That's what he needs," quoth "Sunny Jim."

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**MARION.**  
The Marion postoffice has received a new cabinet.  
E. B. Stillebouer is stacking hay for J. C. Ashton.  
Mrs. J. O. Woods returned from Norton, Kansas, Thursday.  
A goodly number of our young people will spend the Fourth at Oberlin.  
Several of the farmers are contemplating to begin harvesting this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wade of Danbury spent Sunday with E. Galusha.  
Miss Edith Lafferty of Alma, Nebraska, is visiting her uncle J. C. Lafferty.  
H. Naden was elected treasurer at the school meeting held June 29th, in district No. 4.  
Marion Powell came over from Indianola, Saturday, and accompanied a shipment of two cars of cattle.

**BOX ELDER.**  
Small grain was never better.  
There is to be a picnic in Bolles' grove the Fourth.  
The Misses Jennie and Ada Drake, of Osburn, spent Sunday at the home of I. W. Shepherd.  
Mrs. J. F. Miller and little son Emory departed, Monday morning, for their home in Friend.  
The Misses Vanderhoof and Elliott were guests of Miss Maude Stone, Saturday and Sunday.  
Miss Nannie Campbell of Osburn, who is now attending the Normal at McCook, spent Sunday in this vicinity with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wilson gave a dance, last Friday evening, in honor of Mrs. Wilson's nieces, the Misses Richey of Wymore, who are visiting relatives here. A good time is reported.

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**CULBERTSON.**  
D. G. Knowles of Trenton spent Sunday under the parental roof.  
Cecil L. Wright returned from his visit to Arapahoe, Sunday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wiggins returned from their visit to Lincoln, Friday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Ford and daughter Mrs. E. Mattison drove to McCook, Tuesday.  
William Keller and daughter Miss Zita left for Mansam, Iowa, Wednesday, to visit relatives.  
G. L. Laws of Lincoln was in this section of the country looking up land interests, Sunday.  
Mrs. H. G. Marks came up from McCook, Sunday night, where she has been visiting relatives.  
Cooper Hougan, Elmer Reynolds, Cecil Baldwin and Frank Knowles were in McCook, Sunday.  
Harry J. Tillman left for Minden, Wednesday morning, for an extended visit with friends and relatives.  
Miss Maggie Whittington of Trenton came down, Monday morning, to visit her young friends at this place.  
Mrs. Frank Henderson, after an extended visit with parents and friends, returned to her home in McCook, Friday night.  
Cards are out announcing the approaching wedding of Miss Nannie Cole this place to James L. Magee of River-ton, July 8, 1903.

Low Ferrier and family returned to their home at Edgemont, S. D., Sunday morning. James Ferrier accompanied them as far as Denver.  
Misses Flora and Ethyl Kissick visited their friends the Misses Ford, several days last week, returning to their home at Colby, Wyoming, Saturday night.  
Master Allen and Gertrude Blackledge of Red Cloud, Neb., who have been visiting their many young friends here for some time, returned to their home, Monday.  
Mrs. Ira Cole of Forsythe, Montana, accompanied by her sister Miss Laura Harbinson of Fort Morgan, Colorado, came in No. 14, Friday night, to visit relatives and friends for several weeks.  
C. L. Deils, wife and children came in on No. 5, Saturday night, and went up to Hayes Center, Sunday morning, to their ranch. They came here from Belvidere, Nebraska, and will stay on their ranch till after harvest when they will move to Culbertson.

**Eastern Excursions.**  
On June 30th and July 1st the Burlington starts tourist cars from Lincoln, at 6:00 p. m., running through to Buffalo via Niagara Falls, arriving at Buffalo for breakfast the second morning. Ask me for particulars.  
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**July Bargains.**  
The Burlington offers round trip tickets as follows: Saratoga, N. Y., and return \$38.90, July 4 and 5; Atlanta, Ga., and return \$39.70, July 5 and 7; Baltimore, Md., and return \$40.40, July 17 and 18; Detroit, Mich., and return \$29.25, July 14 and 15; Boston, Mass., and return \$42.00, June 30 to July 4. Ask the ticket agent for particulars. 6-5-0t

**Miss Ida M. Snyder,**  
Treasurer of the Brooklyn East End Art Club.

"If women would pay more attention to their health we would have more happy wives, mothers and daughters, and if they would observe results they would find that the doctors' prescriptions do not perform the many cures they are given credit for."  
"In consulting with my druggist he advised McElre's Wine of Cardui and Theodor's Black-Draught, and so I took it and have every reason to thank him for a new life opened up to me with restored health, and it only took three months to cure me."  
Wine of Cardui is a regulator of the menstrual functions and is a most astonishing tonic for women. It cures scanty, suppressed, too frequent, irregular and painful menstruation, falling of the womb, whites and flooding. It is helpful when approaching womanhood, during pregnancy, after childbirth and in change of life. It frequently brings a dear baby to homes that have been barren for years. All druggists have \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**BARTLEY.**  
Sam Clark is using a liberal supply of paint on his new awning.  
The Mormon preachers are holding forth on the streets evenings of this week.  
The ladies' quartette at the Christian church, Sunday morning, was a pleasing feature of the services.  
Mr. Sipe shipped a carload of hogs, Sunday. The extreme heat during the day killed four of them.  
The eighth grade of the Bartley school went to Indianola, Wednesday afternoon, to have their picture taken.  
Charles Catlett came down from Stockville, Saturday evening, and visited over Sunday with the home folks, returning Monday.  
Guy Curlee and Frank Vickery were Cambridge visitors, Monday evening, brushing up in music with the Cambridge band.  
The new threshing machine belonging to Dan Richmond, Matt Tinnis and others was taken out of town, Wednesday evening.  
Ed Bechtol returned, yesterday evening, from Menlo, Iowa. He says his mother stood the trip nicely and is some better than when she left here.  
Quite an interesting game of ball was played, Saturday, by the Bartley and Pumpkin Ridge nines. The score was 5 to 6 in favor of the Pumpkin Ridge boys.  
A very large audience at the M. E. church, Sunday, were entertained by children's day exercises. It took over two hours to render the program, which was quite elaborate.  
Last Sunday was the anniversary of Mrs. E. E. Smith's birthday. The event was celebrated by a pleasant meeting of her friends and relatives. Refreshments were served during the afternoon.  
The Wilson house is a welcome addition to the business interests of Bartley. The traveling public speak in the highest terms of their entertainment there. Mr. Wilson has provided a free hack which makes all regular trains.

Children's day exercises at the Christian church, Sunday evening, were nicely executed from start to finish. The house was packed and about an equal number were standing outside. A large missionary collection was taken, which will be sent to spread the gospel in foreign lands.  
Henry McKean has just finished a commodious house on his farm near Bartley, and was in town, Monday, buying paint. Fred Huntwork has the contract for carpenter and paint work and Mr. McKean says it will compare favorably with the work of the best mechanics.  
**Catarrh of the Stomach.**  
When the stomach is overloaded; when food is taken into it that fails to digest, it decays and inflames the mucous membrane, exposing the nerves, and causes the glands to secrete mucin, instead of the natural juices of digestion. This is called catarrh of the stomach. "For years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach, caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure."—J. R. Rhea, Coppell, Texas. Sold by L. W. McConnell, druggist.

**SOUTH SIDE.**  
Miss Mamie Laffer returned to her home in Chicago, Wednesday.  
There will be a neighborhood picnic in Fitch's grove on the 4th. All come and get acquainted.  
Frank Cain and Road Overseer Dillon have been giving the west road considerable attention of late.  
Alfred Fitch, a nephew of W. S. Fitch, was summoned to Curtis, Oklahoma, by the sudden death of his father.  
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Overman, a baby boy, June 29. Bert will have plenty of help with six hale and hearty boys.  
Mrs. A. A. St. Germain and little daughter Blanche of Chicago arrived on No. 14, Monday, and are the guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. St. Germain.  
South Side held their school meeting, Monday evening, electing the old officers. No action was taken on building a new school house, which is almost a necessity.  
**Night Was Her Terror.**  
"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood; but when all other medicines failed, three \$1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me, and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la-grippe, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free, at McConnell's drugstore.

**Fourth of July Rates.**  
On July 3 and 4 the Burlington will sell round-trip tickets between stations distant not more than 200 miles, at very low rates. Minimum rate, 50c.  
Tickets good to return until July 6.  
6-26-0ts

**INDIANOLA.**  
Miss Lou Jaynes is home from Omaha on a visit.  
Miss Mabel Porter was a Bartley visitor, this week.  
Mrs. Sherman went up to McCook, Wednesday evening.  
Mrs. I. R. Andrews was on the sick list, a few days last week.  
Mr. Hall of McCook was in town, doctoring telephone wires, Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dow and two children were Cambridge visitors, Sunday.  
Miss Flora Quick left, Monday morning, for Boston, Mass., on an extended visit.  
Mrs. John Dunning returned home from Oxford, Wednesday evening, on No. 5.  
Miss Bertha Thompson from near Danbury spent a few days of this week with friends here.  
Mrs. Myrtle Thomas and two children and Roy and Mann were Bartley visitors, Wednesday.  
Miss Ruby Wheeler came up from Bartley, Wednesday evening, for a few days' visit with friends.  
Miss Mae Moore drove over to Wilsonville, last week, and spent a few days with her sister Miss Birdie Davis.  
Frank Hardesty and family drove over into Kansas, Sunday, and spent until Wednesday evening with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Holmes arrived, Monday evening, from New York City for a visit with Mrs. Holmes' parents Mr. and Mrs. Shackleton.  
Morgan Duncan and daughter left for their home in the eastern part of the state, Monday morning, after a few days' visit with relatives here.

The churches of the town held a union temperance meeting at the Christian church, last Wednesday evening, in which all present seemed to take a lively interest.  
The Lady Maccabees gave a social in Beardslee's opera house, last Saturday evening. A supper, consisting of strawberries, ice cream and cake, was served. Two features of the entertainment which were particularly interesting were the musical contest and the potato race.

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Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of McCook will receive sealed bids for the construction of brick sidewalks at the following locations: Along the west side of lots one, two, and three in block thirty, one hundred and fifty-six feet of walk five feet in width; along the west side of lot four in block thirty, fifty feet of walk five feet in width; along the north side of lot twelve in block thirty-three, one hundred and forty-six feet of walk five feet in width; along the east side of lot two in block ten, fifty feet of walk five feet in width; all the foregoing being in the Second Addition to the City of McCook. Also along the east side of lot four in block twenty-six, in the original town of McCook, fifty feet of walk five feet in width; walks to be constructed in accordance with provisions of Ordinance 107. All bids to be filed with the city clerk on or before 8 p. m., July 27, 1903; all work to be completed within thirty days from date of contract; and successful bidder to give bond for the faithful compliance with contract.  
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