

The McCook Tribune.

TWENTY-SECOND YEAR

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 31, 1903.

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Junior Normal Concert a Success.

A success of a very gratifying sort was the Junior Normal School concert of Tuesday evening. The court-room was well filled with an appreciative audience and the affair passed off with every evidence of pleasure to those present. Mr. H. E. Bradford, director, the members of the normal and those from outside who assisted are each and all to be congratulated upon the artistic results achieved.

The chorus numbers were well rendered, showing happily the work being accomplished in the music department of the normal school. The selections were strong, tuneful and called forth volume and expression; opening with the "Star Spangled Banner" and closing with the stirring "Soldiers' Chorus" from Faust.

The ladies' chorus was simple but effective and melodious.

The piano duet by Misses Blanche McCarl and Louise Pitney was a delightful selection by Keler-Bela and its artistic rendering was well received.

Pinsuti's "Spring Song" as given by Misses Blanche and Ida McCarl, Mr. S. B. McLean and Mr. J. R. McCarl was accorded marked and hearty evidences of approval.

One of the sweetest and most artistic efforts of the evening was Miss Hazel Hare's violin solo, a "Concerto" by DeBeriot.

Fred A. Pennell received his usual and deserved applause for his euphonium solo, "Am Meer," by Schubert. Mr. Pennell is always worth while.

Mr. H. E. Bradford's singing of "Thy Sentinel Am I," called out a very hearty applause, to which he responded with a sweet little love song which was quite fetching indeed.

Mrs. W. B. Mills rendered "Chi-cip-pini," a Cuban dance, in an acceptable and enjoyable manner.

Mrs. W. W. Archibald was at her best in her reading of

Mr. H. E. Bradford and Mr. L. H. Lindemann were somewhat at a disadvantage in their duet, "Soft Fell the Dew of the Summer Night," by Glover, but made it a fairly pleasing number notwithstanding.

We append the formal programme as presented in full:

- PROGRAMME.**
- "Star Spangled Banner".....Chorus
 - Piano Duet, "Lustspiel," Keler-Bela.....Misses Blanche McCarl and Louise Pitney
 - "My Old Kentucky Home".....Ladies' Chorus Quartet, "The Spring Song" Pinsuti.....Misses Blanche and Ida McCarl, S. B. McLean, J. R. McCarl
 - Violin Solo "Concerto," DeBeriot.....Miss Hazel Hare
 - "Build Me Straight, Oh Worthy Master".....Chorus
 - "Take Her, Oh Bridegroom".....Chorus Euphonium Solo, "Am Meer" Schubert.....Mr. F. A. Pennell
 - Baritone Solo, "Thy Sentinel Am I," Watson.....Mr. H. E. Bradford
 - Piano Solo, "Chi-cip-pini Cuban Dance".....Mrs. W. B. Mills
 - Reading, Selected.....Mrs. W. W. Archibald
 - Vocal Duet, "Soft Fell the Dew of the Summer Night," Glover.....Mr. H. E. Bradford and Mr. L. H. Lindemann
 - "Soldiers' Chorus" (from Faust).....Chorus

NORMAL NOTES.
Rev. F. W. Dean of the Congregational church addressed the chapel gathering on Thursday morning.

Governor Mickey's lecture, Tuesday, August 4th, on "Character Building," should call out a crowded house.

A. O. Thomas was absent in Kearney and Lincoln, Saturday-Monday, resuming his work on Tuesday morning.

August 6th, 7th and 8th, state examinations for professional life certificates will be held here. Also examinations on work of the normal school for normal school credit.

The following teachers were newly enrolled this week: Millie Ward, Mabel Carse, Palisade; Lillian Walker, Ray Ham, Benkelman; Jennie Hoffmeister, Imperial; Jennie Loomis, Indianola.

And then on the 14th of August the Wesleyans will be here. They are guaranteed to delight you. They know how. There is only one thing that can interfere with your being mightily pleased—your absence on that evening.

The Bixby-Gregg debate on "Woman's Suffrage," in the court-room, Thursday evening, August 6th, will only cost you 25 cents, but it will be worth more. The way Miss Gregg goes after Bix keeps him busy and interested and cannot fail to entertain the audience, while Bixby's poetic and forensic ability are well displayed in support of the "lord's of creation."

Pearl buttons 2c per dozen at S. W. Lowman's.

Get your garden hose of F. D. Burgess.

FOR SALE.

One of the most desirable homes in McCook. Eight rooms, bathroom, closets, fruit, shade, lawn, etc. 7-3-1f. GEO. B. BERRY.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

BARNEY HOFER visited in Wauson, Monday, between trains.

H. W. KEYES was up from Indianola on law business, Monday.

MISS JESSIE POPE went up to Denver, Wednesday on 13, on a visit.

MISS LULL BOLES visited Miss Reynolds in Culbertson, Sunday.

MISS DAISY N. SKRELS of Republican City is visiting Miss Millie Slaby.

MRS. SARAH J. SPICKELMIER has been granted a pension of \$12 a month.

MISS JESSIE BISHOP went up to Denver, first of the week, on a visit.

J. A. WILLIAMS of Stockville was a business visitor, Wednesday evening.

MRS. J. H. MOORE is visiting her sister Mrs. J. J. Eller in Niwot, Colorado.

ROY DIXON is here from Sapulpa, Indian Territory, on a visit to the home-folks.

MRS. H. A. BEALE arrived, fore part of the week, from her visit back in Illinois.

MRS. E. H. PEARSON has been visiting in Holdrege, during his absence in Missouri.

MISS MARIE GIBBONS left on 13, Monday, for her home in Salt Lake City, Utah.

HENRY MEYER is here from St. Ansgar, Iowa, looking after his land interests here.

W. B. FEARN has commenced work on his new residence corner McFarland and Dodge streets.

MRS. O. G. VAHUE and sister Mrs. Polly Woodruff will depart on Monday for Allegan, Michigan.

DR. AND MRS. O. L. FAHNESTOCK spent a day or two at Lake Curtis, close of last week, going up on Friday.

MRS. S. E. GRIGGS is here from Missouri, guest of her son M. H. Griggs of the Burlington train-service.

C. E. THRONE, formerly of our city, late of Hastings, and family, moved to Longmont, Colorado, this week.

MR. AND MRS. L. W. MCCONNELL and Miss Maud Cordel returned, Sunday, from their outing at Lake Curtis.

MR. AND MRS. C. E. BENEDICT and Miss Myrtle Meyer have gone to Colorado for an outing of a week or two.

I. N. BIGGS has commenced building himself a residence over on south Monmouth street, just south of Roy Kleven's new home.

F. A. PENNELL is having a large addition built to his residence, which will greatly increase his comfort and convenience as well.

MISS STELLA SCHUMAN, who has been a guest of Mrs. H. A. Rouch for a few weeks, went up to Denver, early in the week, on a visit.

MISSES MILLIE SLABY and Vanche Plumb arrived home on No. 5, Tuesday evening, from their visit to Boston and other points east.

MRS. M. V. SHELDON has gone to Denver and Colorado Springs on an outing and to visit friends. She will be absent about three weeks.

MISS FLORENCE REYNOLDS left on 12, this morning, for Wilsonville, having been the guest of her sister Mrs. G. E. Denton for a few weeks.

MRS. H. A. BULL drove over from Marion, Tuesday, after her daughter Vanche Plumb who arrived here on 5, that evening, from her visit east.

FRANK H. STROUT has retired from the employ of the McCook Milling Co. and entered that of the Harvard mill. The family will be located here for the present.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS CONSTANT of Lincoln were guests of J. H. Ludwick, Sunday. They were on their way home from an outing in Colorado. The gentlemen are brothers-in-law.

MRS. E. E. WALLACE is here from Kansas visiting her sister Mrs. A. D. Johnston on the farm south of the city. She will be remembered by readers of THE TRIBUNE as Jessie Roper.

MRS. GEORGE SCOTT and the children came down from Maywood, Saturday night, and are spending a short time here with the acting agent. They are located with Mrs. E. M. Easterday.

HOWE SMITH returned home, the first of the week, from a bike ride over to Atwood, Kansas, and back, and finds it difficult to give a conservative statement about the small grain harvest between here and there. It's the finest and greatest he ever saw.

MRS. RAY VAHUE gave a kensington, last Friday afternoon, at the farm home over in Valley Grange precinct, in honor of Mrs. O. G. Vahue, who with her sister Mrs. Woodruff will depart for Allegan, Michigan, next Monday. Quite a large number of lady friends from the city were present.

Entertainments.

McCOOK JUNIOR NORMAL SCHOOL.

Tuesday, August 4, 8:30 p. m.,
HON. J. H. MICKY,
Governor of Nebraska.
Address: "Character Building."
Court room. Admission free.

Thursday, August 6, 8:30 p. m.,
DEBATE ON WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE QUESTION,
between Dr. A. L. Bixby, poet-humorist of the Nebraska State Journal, author of "Daily Drift," and Miss Laura A. Gregg, one of the ablest, brightest and shrewdest advocates of woman's equal political rights in the state. It will be funny. Miss Gregg is in earnest, and Dr. Bixby quite helpless. Therefore it will be interesting. Court house. Admission 25c.

Friday, August 14,
WESLEYAN MALE QUARTETTE.
They always please.

Court room. Admission 50c.
"For an entertainment that makes you laugh and makes you cry, awakens your spiritual emotions and every generous impulse; for tones that touch and vibrate every fiber of your being; for melodies that live in memory and enrich your whole life; for voices that in their combination are the finest, most perfect, most melodious, tuneful and harmonious—hear the Wesleyan Quartette."

Baseball News Rather Slow.
McCOOK 3, RED CLOUD 1.

Red Cloud, Neb., July 23.—The McCook team won in the tenth inning by a score of 3 to 1. The game was the hottest played on the home diamond this fall.

Score: R. H. E.
McCook.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—3 6 4
Red Cloud.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 2 2
Bases on balls—By Shop 2.
Batteries—Schopp and Bender, Scott and Whitcomb.

McCOOK DEFEATS ARAPAHOE.
Arapahoe, Neb., July 27.—McCook's team, leaders in the Central Nebraska league, defeated the Arapahoe home team here today by the following score:

McCook.....0 4 0 0 1 5 0 2 0—12
Arapahoe.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 2—5
Batteries—Kunkle and Bender, Saline and Patton.
Hits—McCook 14, Arapahoe 10.
Two-base hits—Bender 2, Rhodes, Wilson, Schopp, Bellamy and McKenna.
Umpire—Roy Walker.

THE GAME AT ARAPAHOE.
Arapahoe, Neb., July 28.—McCook and Arapahoe played a tie game here today. It was called at the end of the ninth inning to let the visiting team catch the train. Arapahoe played an entire home team, every player residing in Arapahoe. Score:

McCook.....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—3
Arapahoe.....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0—3
Hits—McCook 5, Arapahoe 4.
Errors—McCook 3; Arapahoe 3.
Three-base hits—Patton.
Batteries—Attridge, Schopp and Bender, Beltzer and Patton.
Struck out—By Attridge 3; by Schopp 1; by Beltzer 7.
Bases on balls—Off Attridge, 3; off Beltzer 3.
Umpire—Patterson.

Attridge and Wilson have been released by the locals.

Ahlin and Gaines, two well-known Minden men, have been signed by the locals.

The disbanding of the Minden and Giltner teams has rather seriously disorganized the Central Nebraska league.

Some Land Sales.
M. C. Shurtleff of Nemaha county, Neb., has bought the T. W. Ritchey farm five miles northeast of the city, and Tuesday, this week, the transfer was completed that makes him the owner of two quarters six miles southwest of the city, known as the Odwarker farm.

W. N. Cheney of Butler county, Nebraska was here last Friday and bought two quarters. Our Uncle Billy Coleman is at the bottom of all this.

Thirty Minutes Only.
During the heated period the Sunday evening services at the Congregational church will last only half an hour; 15 minutes for preliminaries and 15 minutes sermon.

Clean Your Alleys.
Property owners and occupants are requested to clean all manure and rubbish out of alleys.
C. B. GRAY,
Street Commissioner.

Dog Tax.
Dog tax is due. If you want to keep a dog, pay the license to A. C. Ebert, city treasurer, at once. C. B. GRAY,
Chief of Police.

Steady Work for Printer.
THE TRIBUNE has steady work at fair wages for a competent compositor. Write or call and learn particulars.

Samuel Bryan, who was severely cut by Clarence Simpson in an altercation, recently in Bartley, is recovering from his injuries and his chances are regarded good for an early recovery.

Republicans Name the Winners.

THE TICKET.

County Clerk.....E. J. WILCOX
Treasurer.....B. G. GOSSARD
Clerk of the District Court.....R. W. DEVOE
Sheriff.....A. C. CRABTREE
County Judge.....S. L. GREEN
Superintendent.....EUGENE S. DUTCHER
County Assessor.....JAMES WILLIAMS
Coroner.....DR. A. C. HARLAN
Commissioner—Second district.....F. P. ENO
.....SAMUEL PREMIER

The Republican county convention held at Indianola on Wednesday, July 29th, was one of the most harmonious conventions ever held in this county, where so many important offices have sought nominations. A large proportion of the delegates were in attendance, and the greatest interest and enthusiasm were manifested. Most of the nominations were made by acclamation, and even in those cases where more than one name was presented for an office, the utmost good feeling and harmony prevailed, and in each instance the successful candidate was made the unanimous choice of the convention.

The meeting was called to order by H. W. Keyes. By a vote of 81 to 26, H. H. Berry was chosen temporary chairman, and Frank Moore was unanimously selected as the temporary secretary. Upon the call of precincts the credentials of the several delegations were delivered to the secretary, and there being no contests the convention proceeded at once with the usual business.

F. M. Rathbun, Dr. J. E. Hathorn and W. A. McCool were appointed a committee on resolutions.

The nominations for the different offices proceeded without incident, there being but one name presented for each, until the call for nominations for county surveyor developed the first ripple of excitement. The names of James Williams and Jacob Korb, both of Bondville precinct, were presented to the convention. The former, by a vote of 85 to 32, received the nomination.

Charles Skalla of Bondville precinct and F. P. Eno of Beaver precinct were candidates for county assessor. Mr. Eno was the choice of the convention by a vote of 76 to 45.

The delegates from the precincts comprising the Second commissioner district, by a vote of 16 to 14, selected Samuel Premier of Alliance precinct over Elias Canaga of Redwillow precinct to represent that portion of the county on the county board, and their selection was endorsed by the convention.

A committee consisting of J. E. Kelley, J. W. Dolan and A. Barnett was appointed by the chairman to name the delegates to the state convention.

The only real conflict came over the endorsement of a candidate for district judge, and the selection of delegates to the judicial convention. W. A. McCool moved that each of Redwillow county's three candidates—H. W. Keyes, W. R. Starr and C. E. Eldred—be permitted to choose three delegates and that the chairman of the convention appoint the other two members of the delegation. F. M. Rathbun suggested, by way of amendment, that the convention indicate its preference among the local candidates, and that the candidates so chosen be allowed to select the delegates to the judicial convention. The motion and the amendment provoked considerable discussion, but on a viva voce vote, the motion was finally adopted as amended. The result of the balloting developed Mr. Eldred's overwhelming strength. The vote stood as follows: C. E. Eldred 80, H. W. Keyes 26, W. R. Starr 15.

When the convention proceeded to effect a permanent organization, L. B. Corbin was the successful aspirant over H. H. Berry for the chairmanship of the county central committee. The chairman being empowered to select the secretary and treasurer of this body, named Frank Moore and W. A. Dolan, the present incumbents, for the respective positions.

The county central committee was authorized to fill all vacancies on the committee itself and on the ticket, if any should occur.

On the whole it was as satisfactory and harmonious a convention as could have been desired.

DELEGATES TO JUDICIAL CONVENTION.
W. S. Moran, F. M. Kimmel, U. G. Etherton, Ira Peterson, F. M. Rathbun, C. G. Cogizer, J. B. Cumming, J. E. Kelley, S. W. Clark, C. H. Harman, Lon Cone.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.
J. W. Dolan, C. I. Hall, R. P. High, J. E. Hathorn, William Hiersekorn, C. F. Babcock, C. W. Barnes, H. C. Lett, L. R. Corbin, J. E. Kelley, W. S. Moran.

COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE.
Alliance—David Beaman.....Indianola
Beaver—Philip Glien.....Danbury
Bondville—Charles Skalla.....Indianola
Box Elder.....
Coleman—M. H. Cole.....McCook
Danbury—M. B. Miller.....Danbury
Driftwood—L. H. Wasson.....McCook
East Valley—U. G. Etherton.....Bartley
Fritch—C. M. Gobin.....Indianola

Gerver—F. S. Lofton.....Cedar Bluffs
Grant—R. F. Peterson.....McCook
Indianola—F. B. Hardesty.....Indianola
Lebanon—E. H. High.....Lebanon
Missouri Ridge—Frank A. Tigard.....Indianola
North Valley—H. L. McElroy.....Bartley
Perry—C. H. Harman.....McCook
Redwillow—S. R. Smith.....Indianola
Tyrone—J. C. Moore.....Tyrone
Valley Grange—A. D. Johnston.....McCook
Willow Grove.....

1st ward, 1st pre.—A. Barnett.....McCook
1st ward, 2nd pre.—C. B. Gray.....McCook
2nd ward, 1st pre.—Lon. Cone.....McCook
2nd ward, 2nd pre.—C. G. Cogizer.....McCook

A Card.
We are astonished at the holding out of our staples considering the big trade on them during this removal sale. We still have lots of muslins, gingham, prints, toweling, table linens, table oil cloth, sun bonnets, skirts of all kinds, men's work shirts and pants, hosiery, underwear, dress goods etc., besides large lines of laces, embroideries, ribbons, handkerchief and general dry goods.

Our removal sale is a gratifying success and the patronage widening. Do not make the mistake of underrating its value to you. We invite your participation. THE THOMPSON DRY GOODS CO.
(Will occupy our new store building next to McMillen's drug store as soon as completed.)

Delightful Thimble Bee.
Mrs. Emerson Hanson entertained about thirty lady friends, Thursday afternoon, from 4 to 7 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Hanson's mother. The home was tastefully and lavishly decorated with sweet peas. A guessing game was an entertainment feature. Among the half dozen who tied, Mrs. James Hatfield was the successful one; a silver thimble was the prize. A three-course lunch was served. Thimbles were tied to the place cards with pink ribbon. The affair was a thoroughly delightful one.

A Sunday Evening Lecture.
Rev. G. Binyatian of Smyrna, Asia Minor, will deliver a popular lecture in the Methodist church, Sunday evening next at eight o'clock, on "The Origin of the Mohammedan Religion and the Armenian Crisis." Mr. Binyatian is an Armenian refugee who was converted by the missionaries, speaks English fluently, is a historian and humorist. You should not fail to hear him.

What You Like!
Just the meat you like in just the way you like it: Fine, firm and tender beef; young, wholesome lamb; clean and sweet pork; smoked and salted meats. And last but not least, whether you order from house by phone or come in person, your orders are given our best consideration; and we guarantee that you will be satisfied.
MARSH.

Poison Employed at Haigler.
Prof. Laurence Bruner and his assistant, Mr. Swenk, of the Nebraska university have been experimenting with grasshoppers in the neighborhood of Haigler, Dundy county. Poison is the new method employed. A few hoppers have put in an appearance in this county, but no damage has been reported up to this writing.

Safe Soaps
are the ones that leave the skin as good or better than they find it. You can't always pick up safe soaps. McConnell's Witch Hazel Soap is such a soap. It removes the dirt and keeps the skin active and healthy. 3 cakes 25 cents.
MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Feet Hurt?
A little of McConnell's Foot Powder sprinkled in the shoes will give relief. 25 cents a box.

Finishing braid 2½¢ per 6 yards at S. W. Lowman's.

McMillen makes a specialty of fine stationery, pen and pencil tablets.

Children's fancy parasols for 7c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

Ladies' \$1.50 street skirts now \$1.19 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

Boys' knee-pant suits now 50c to \$2.25 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

42½¢ half bleached table linen now 33¢ at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

Stout yard-wide muslin, by bolt or yard, 4½¢ at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

People come for miles to consult Dr. Oaks, the Kansas City specialist. He will be in McCook, August 6th and 7th. Do not fail to consult him.

Fowler S. Wilcox has bought the Stewart (Burtless) ranch property, consisting of 1,780 acres on Dry creek, southwest of the city, paying therefor \$8,000. Mr. Wilcox also owns about 700 acres of land on the Republican river, just south and east of town, for which he has recently refused \$20,000. Both are fine stock ranches.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Everything in drugs—McCONNELL.
Silk velvet 36c per yard at S. W. Lowman's.

See those enamel-lined refrigerators at Waite's.

Dollar kid gloves at half price at S. W. Lowman's.

Have a chocolate ice cream soda? Best in town. Cone Bros.

Best grade of garden hose at very low prices at F. D. Burgess.

Mowers and rakes—the Deering of course—at W. T. Coleman's.

Hot and thirsty? Get a champagne phosphate at Cone Bros'.

Beautiful satine, all shades, 36c per yard, at S. W. Lowman's.

75c wrappers now 49c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

H. P. Waite will sell you the best grade hose at the lowest figure.

20c sunbonnets now 13c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

A few good hammocks left at reduced prices. A. McMILLEN.

Belding's sewing silk 5c per 100-yard spools. S. W. LOWMAN.

Men's 50c overalls now 39c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

See that string of lawn mowers at Waite's. All sizes. Prices from \$3 up.

Men's \$7.50 suits for \$4.99 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

H. P. Waite has a full line of Alaska refrigerators and Jewel gasoline stoves.

Men's 50c work shirts 38c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

Boys' \$3.00 3-piece suits now \$1.99 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

Use Liquid Koal for chicken cholera, mites, lice, etc. For sale by James Cain.

Boys' corduroy knee pants now 37c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

Goodrich Rubber Co. make the best garden hose. All guaranteed by F. D. Burgess.

Men's \$2.00 corduroy pants now \$1.49 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

McConnell's Blackberry Balsam cures diarrhoea and summer complaint. In 25 cent bottles.

Men's 45c unlaundered white shirts now 29c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. removal sale.

The Jewel is the most economical and most durable of all the gasoline stoves. For sale by H. P. Waite.

The steadily increasing patrons of Cone Bros' soda fountain is sure evidence of the superiority of the beverages they serve.

You will need a five-hoe and disc drill, this season, and as the demand will be great, you had better call early at W. T. Coleman's and secure one.

After a good season's business in wall paper, we are now offering some marvelous bargains in our two-room lots.
CONE BROS.

Buggies—a new and large stock to select from—at W. T. Coleman's. You get a good article there for a fair price. See his stock and get his quotations and terms.

The Southwest Nebraska G. A. R. reunion will be held at Cambridge, August 31st to September 5th. Fine park. Plenty of tents for everybody. You are invited.

The Ocean Wave washer is maintaining its marvelous reputation as a washer without an equal. W. T. Coleman sells them and no one complains. Those who use them are loudest in their praise. If you need a washer, don't fail to see this one before you buy.

Do not forget that Dr. Oaks of Kansas City, specialist on chronic diseases will visit McCook, Thursday and Friday, August 6th and 7th. Office will be at Commercial hotel. If you are sick don't fail to consult him, as you do not often have the opportunity of consulting such a renowned specialist.

Every man to his trade and business. Paul Anton makes it his serious business to provide the juiciest, tenderest meats for his customers. It's his trade. He knows how. And then, again, he uses the best of corn-fed beefs. They are the only kind that produce really good meat. It costs you the same as the poor tough sort.

The Roseville bakery dishes are attracting considerable attention at the Bee Hive.