

# The McCook Tribune.

TWENTY-SECOND YEAR.

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 25, 1903.

NUMBER 17

**The Fusionists Name James L. White.**  
The Populists and Democrats of the Fourteenth Judicial district of Nebraska met in McCook, Tuesday afternoon, and after going through the usual and quite unnecessary formalities named James L. White of Curtis, Frontier county, as their joint nominee for the office of district judge.

**IN THE DEMOCRATIC WIGWAM.**  
The Democrats were chaired by A. W. Suiter of Trenton, while R. D. Logan of Stockville took notes.  
James L. White of Curtis, Frontier county, was made the unanimous choice of the convention for the district judge.

The candidate was allowed the privilege of naming the chairman and secretary of the central committee, which was chosen as follows by the different counties:

- Chase.....A. C. Clayburg, Imperial
- Dundy.....C. C. Barr, Benkelman
- Frontier.....Charles Compton, Curtis
- Furnas.....
- Gosper.....
- Hayes.....C. C. Hatch, Hayes Center
- Hitchcock.....A. W. Suiter
- Redwillow.....J. H. Bennett

**UNDER THE POPULIST TENT.**  
I. M. Linn read the call and called the convention to order. James H. Bayston was made temporary chairman and I. M. Smith, temporary secretary. This organization was afterward made permanent.

All the counties but Chase were represented in the convention by full sets of delegates.

On the first informal ballot the names of James L. White, John T. McClure, J. H. Lincoln and C. H. Boyle were presented. The first formal ballot resulted in the nomination of James L. White of Curtis, Frontier county.

Candidate White made a speech, as did also John H. Powers of Hitchcock county.

The following is the judicial central committee as named by the convention: Chase.....S. S. Bishop, Imperial  
Dundy.....Charles Walker, Benkelman  
Frontier.....W. C. Reed, Stockville  
Furnas.....Jonathan Higgins  
Gosper.....C. F. Smith, Elwood  
Hayes.....W. Shipley, Palisade  
Hitchcock.....John H. Powers, Trenton  
Redwillow.....I. M. Smith, McCook  
Loyal M. Graham of Stockville was made chairman of the committee.

**Cash Sugar Beet Premiums.**

On October 31st, I will give cash premiums at my store as follows for the heaviest and largest sugar-beets grown on upland and for the same grown on low land: The first cash premium will be \$3.00; second \$2.00; on upland beets. The first cash premium for low land beets will be \$3.00; second \$2.00. Beets are to be delivered and placed on exhibition at my store on or before Saturday, October 31st. Bring in your beets and let us make an exhibition that will be attractive and that will at the same time show the possibilities of this country as a great sugar-beet growing land.  
W. T. COLEMAN.

**Water Tax, Fourth Quarter.**

Office of Water Works, McCook, Neb., Sept. 20, 1903. Water tax for the fourth quarter of 1903 becomes due October 1st. Ten per cent will be added to all taxes not paid before 4 o'clock p. m., Thursday, October 15, 1903.—9-25-2ts.

J. E. KELLEY, Superintendent.  
Office hours: 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., Central time. Office: In room formerly occupied by Thompson Dry Goods Co., in postoffice building.

**Struck By No. 13.**

While driving over the railroad track at Redwillow, this morning, ahead of No. 13, John Kummer was struck by the train, but fortunately escaped serious injury. His wagon was demolished. The horses escaped injury. Mr. Kummer was hurt some about the head and side, but not seriously, it is thought.

**Farm and City Property For Sale.**

Two lots and two small residences west of city hall. Will sell separately or together.  
Also 160 acres of well improved land, 3 1/2 miles east of McCook.  
Reason for selling—leaving McCook—9-25-2ts. G. A. NOREN, Box 456.

**A Hint for Advertisers.**

The sworn circulation of THE McCOOK TRIBUNE for the six months ending on June 30th was an average weekly of 1,059 papers. The McCook city circulation is almost 500 and will doubtless reach the half-thousand mark by the close of this year.

Call at W. T. Coleman's and see the new combined beet puller and topper—the very latest improvement.

Who is your druggist? Should be Cone Bros.

White Pine and Tar—the best cough cure—sold only by Cone Bros.

**FOR SALE.**

One of the most desirable homes in McCook. Eight rooms, bath, room, closets, fruit, shade, lawn, etc. 7-3-tf GKO. B. BERRY.

**MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.**

MISS ORILLA WOODS is a guest of Mrs. E. E. Maxon.

J. C. MITCHELL is up from Red Cloud, for a few days.

Mrs. W. H. BROWN was a Lincoln visitor, Friday last.

Mrs. WILLIAM DEERE is in Omaha, this week, visiting.

Mrs. W. L. EGBERT visited Lincoln friends over Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. PALMER visited her parents in Holdrege, last week.

MISS DELLA SHEPHERD is down from Denver on a visit home.

MR. AND MRS. A. S. BARNES were Lincoln visitors, last Friday.

Mrs. J. T. BRADY has gone to Toulon, Illinois, to be absent a few weeks.

ED BYFIELD has gone to Franklin to attend the academy, current term.

Mrs. R. V. WALLS is with the home-folks in Wray, Colorado, this week.

A. B. TODD of Plattsmouth was a guest of Mrs. Emma Dixon, Wednesday.

MISS MATTIE BROYLES left on No. 2, this morning, for Irene, Kentucky, on a visit.

J. C. MITCHELL has another idea and is now employed in C. A. Leach's jewelry-store.

MISS MARY MUGAN and little Gesaline arrived home, last night, from Tomah, Wisconsin.

MR. AND MRS. KNUD STANGLAND and Mrs. Emma Dixon spent Tuesday in the city of Lincoln.

FLOYD BERRY is home from LaJunta, Colorado, for a week or two, on a visit to the home-folks.

LESTER LITTEL has gone to Lincoln, where he is now a registered student in the state university.

Mrs. NEWTON NEWKIRK arrived home, close of last week, from a long visit in Mattawan, Michigan.

JOHN STEVENS was down from Denver, first of the week, looking after some business matters in the city.

FRANK CARRUTH came in from the east, early in the week, and is spending a few days here before going on to Denver.

DR. AND MRS. PETER BOYLE came down from Denver, close of last week, and are the guests of their son C. H. Boyle.

Mrs. S. A. TRAVER left on Monday morning to be absent in Calamus, Clinton county, Iowa, until the first of next month.

Mrs. J. F. HELM of Redwillow went up to Stratton, Saturday, and spent the early days of the week visiting her daughter.

JAMES HARRIS, who made the Driftwood famous in the olden times, arrived from Pueblo, Colorado, Wednesday, and is visiting familiar scenes.

MISS EDITH SANTEE was down from Culbertson, over Sunday, guest of her sister Miss Medora Santee, teacher of the Fifth "A" and Sixth "B."

MR. AND MRS. JOHN B. JOHNSON arrived on No. 4, Tuesday night, from Plattsmouth, to make the folks a short visit up near Boxelder. He is working for the Burlington in the carpenter-shop in Plattsmouth.

ED PRICE has sold his property at Bartley and is temporarily making his home. He contemplates making a trip to England in a few weeks, to see the folks in Kent, having come to America from near Canterbury in 1872.

DANIEL EIKENBERRY, a resident of McCook in the olden times, was an arrival in the city, close of last week, on a visit to Ed Filcraft and others. He finds McCook very much improved of course and containing many new faces and a diminishing old guard. He comes from Edna, Missouri.

MR. AND MRS. C. W. LEPPER left on Tuesday of this week for Edgar, Nebraska, where they will make their home for the present, leaving the farm up in Coleman precinct in charge of the two boys. At Edgar he will go into partnership with another son in the harness business, having a prosperous business now established there in that line. He still retains his interests here and THE TRIBUNE expects to see them both back again in due time.

J. H. LUDWICK received the sad news, Monday evening, of the death of his oldest sister Mrs. L. E. Sample of Keokuk, Iowa, the word coming by phone from his sister Mrs. Trowbridge of Lincoln and latter by telegram. The deceased leaves ten grown children, five boys and five girls, to mourn the infinite, self-sacrificing care and love of a mother, whose helpmeet had preceded her to the grave several years. Mr. Ludwick on account of not feeling able physically to the trip was not able to attend the funeral. Mrs. Trowbridge was present, however. They have great and tender sympathy of friends.

**Shadeland Park Hereford Prizes.**

The report given in last week's TRIBUNE of the prizes taken by the Shadeland Park herd of Herefords was taken from the Lincoln State Journal and was supposed by this paper to be complete and accurate. Mr. Rogers states that the account is neither complete nor correct and he herewith submit Mr. Rogers' own statement of the case:

**OPEN TO THE WORLD.**  
Aged bull—First and second to Rogers. Bull calf—Second, three entries.  
Cow three years and over—Two entries, second to Rogers.

Cow two years and under three—Three entries, first on Shadeland's Maid 4th.

Cow one year and under two—Five entries, second on Dolly Rogers.

Calf under 12 months—Four entries, second on Shadeland's Maid 16th.

Aged herd—Two entries, first to Rogers.

Young herd—Two entries, second to Rogers.

Get of sire, four animals under four years—Two entries, first to Rogers.

Produce of cow, two animals under four years—Two entries, first to Rogers.

Sweepstakes—bull two years and over—First to Monarch of Shadeland 3rd.

Sweepstakes—cow two years and over—First on Shadeland's Maid 4th.

State prizes open only to stock owned and bred in the state:

Cow two years and under 3—1st to Rogers.

Cow one year and under 2—1st to Rogers.

Calf under 12 months—1st to Rogers. Sweepstakes on female any age, on Dolly Rogers 3d.

Rogers won every first premium in state on females. Had no entries on bulls. His herd won six first prizes, six second prizes and five sweepstakes and medals.

**No Hunting Allowed.**  
Statutes of Nebraska of 1903, page 881, section 3588, (Consent of owner of land). No person shall shoot on or from a public highway at any game, song or insectivorous or other bird, or hunt game on any land not public land, without the consent of the owner or person in charge of the same. We will not allow any hunting on our farms or land in our care.

W. S. Hamilton, John Heulen, Harry Cochran, August Droll, W. M. Shary, H. B. Wales, Wm. Coleman, M. H. Cole, J. W. Corner, Pat Coyle, Bert Wales, J. B. Smith, Henry Fato, James Ryan.

S. H. Simmerman, Theo. Whitmer, J. N. Smith, A. Smith, George Howell, W. M. Rozell, B. F. Wilson, D. H. Shepherd, Jacob Betz, Harry Wales, C. C. Wales, J. T. Trapshagan, Ed Osbourn, Joe Sanders.

**Those Who Buy**  
our meats and fish get the best—the very best—we can procure. In fish you get the freshest, and we give you the advantage of the best price possible. We handle all meats, and prepare them for you in the best and cleanest way. You can always get your choice cuts here. Let us have an order from you for prompt delivery. MARSH'S MEAT MARKET.

**Evangelistic Meetings in Christian Church.**  
Evangelist J. R. Parker will commence a series of meetings in the Christian church, Sunday, September 27th. He is strongly endorsed by the state board. Mrs. Parker accompanies the evangelist and assists her husband in the work. Come out and hear him.

**When in Need**  
of pepper, allspice, cloves, cinnamon, mace, nutmegs, caraway, coriander, mustard, ginger, capsicum, cardamom, turmeric, curry or other spices or condiments it will pay you to call on McCONELL, Druggist.

**For Sale.**  
A few Registered Poland-China sows with young pigs; also spring pigs of either sex. Ben Baker farm five miles east of McCook. P.O. address, Redwillow. 9-23-2ts. W. J. COX.

In their new location next door to McMillen's drug store, The Thompson Dry Goods Co. will open for business tomorrow (Saturday) morning, showing large lines of new goods at the most attractive prices. Your inspection invited.

The September number of the American Boy is filled from cover to cover with good things for the boys. Published by the Sprague Publishing Company, Detroit, Mich. \$1.00 a year; sample copies 10 cents each.

The ladies of the Christian church wish to announce that they will have all sorts of home cooked dishes on sale at Odell's store every Saturday.

Remember W. T. Coleman's offer of prizes for largest sugar-beets. See particulars in another column.

The largest line of steel ranges in the city and at the lowest prices at W. T. COLEMAN'S.

**WANTED—Boarders and roomers.** Call on Mrs. Richard Carroll, near brick school-house.—9-25-2ts.

**RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.**

George D. Burgess is home for a while. C. R. Oliver was in Trenton over Sunday.

Machinist apprentice John Archibald has resigned.

Fireman W. B. French is a Denver visitor, this week.

Engine 268 is to go down on the Republican City-Oberlin line.

Dan Deane retired from the round-house force, last Friday, by resignation.

Brakeman and Mrs. J. R. Moore are visiting the folks near Macon, this week.

Manager T. A. Erb of the Akron eating-house had business at headquarters, Monday.

Brakeman G. B. Brooks was over from Oberlin, part of the week, on a headquarters visit.

Sup't Campbell went down to Lincoln, Monday night on No. 6, returning home on 1, Wednesday.

Agent W. C. Hanson of Bartley has a new assistant in the person of B. J. Brown of Prairie View, Kansas.

R. H. Trowbridge, arrived home, Sunday night, from his long absence up in the northwest country.

W. L. Swartwood, the day stationary fireman, resigned his post on Friday last. M. F. Harrington succeeds him.

Brakeman P. A. VanCleve is a Wilsonville pilgrim, this week, and C. A. Delay is at Franklin, both visiting the home-folks.

Switchman and Mrs. S. M. Cook are away on a ten-days' visit to include Grand Island, Omaha, St. Joe and Kansas City.

Joseph Kubicek is down on the farm near Red Cloud visiting his two sons, this week.

L. R. Scott assumed the position, this week, of front-end inspector in the round-house.

Fireman Anthony Mitchell has resigned from the service, and expects to follow farming.

It is feared that Arthur Richardson, whose eye was injured by a piece of steel, some time since, will lose the sight of that eye.

Brakeman M. G. Stephenson is visiting Oberlin relatives while recovering from a slight disability. Mrs. Stephenson accompanies him.

H. E. Rude, machinist's helper in back-shop, handed in his resignation, last Saturday. J. Schauerman, machinist's helper, followed suit on Monday.

Ralph D. Fuller has been appointed into the railway mail service as a substitute clerk and left for Lincoln, Monday night, to enter upon his duties as they may offer.

Fireman and Mrs. Anthony Mitchell arrived home, close of last week, from their visit of about a month over in Illinois, near Lincoln, where they visited his grandfather, now 102 years of age.

Brakeman W. H. Starks is able to be about on crutches, after a long illness on account of an accident on an engine, some weeks ago. K. B. Covey is also about some, his injured ankle improving.

Conductors McClure and Benjamin spent most of the week in Lincoln meeting with the grievance committee of the trainmen. Conductor Utter had the 55 and Conductor Bunting the 104 meanwhile.

Commencing on Monday the Republican City-Oberlin train service was extended to Red Cloud from Republican. The train runs under the old plan as a mixed train to Republican City and from there to Red Cloud as a freight.

M. Y. Starbuck of the Pacific Junction—Denver railway mail service was quite severely injured in Omaha, first of the week, by being violently thrown from the mail-wagon to the sidewalk, striking on his shin and splintering the bone between the ankle and knee somewhere.

Conductor T. H. Malen went down to Omaha, last week, to undergo a minor operation in a hospital there. Conductor L. S. Watson has gone to Republican City to run opposite Conductor Quigley during Malen's absence. It is thought he will be able to return to duty in a week or two.

**Paints and Oils.**  
For barns, sheds and out-buildings; can furnish a mineral of different colors that will not fade and makes a cheap paint. We carry the best mixed paint—The Lincoln. Now is a good time to paint as oil is very low in price. Let us figure with you. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

**You Want the Best**  
For your money—and it's your fault if you don't get it. That's why you should come to our market. Our market supplies only the best. Selected meats, too, for those who want something especially nice for the table. Try us. Test us. MARSH'S MEAT MARKET.

**One of the Best Issues.**  
Last week's TRIBUNE was one of the best numbers Bro. Kimmell has reeled off in a year. Such a paper is worth seven times as much to the town as the business men of McCook seem to realize.—Indianapolis Reporter.

**Shorthand Class to be Started.**  
A shorthand class will be started on Monday evening, October 5th, in the east school building, and all contemplating taking lessons will please communicate with L. W. Stayer.

**Estrays—Taken Up.**  
Taken up in my pasture in South McCook, 2 cows, 3 heifers, 2 bull calves. Owner can have same by proving property, paying charges.  
HENRY BRENING.

**Home Cooking Exchange.**  
All day Saturday, September 26th, first door south of TRIBUNE office, by the ladies of the Baptist church. Come and see us.

**Heating Stoves for Sale.**  
One hard-coal burner and two soft-coal burners. Inquire of Mrs. R. B. Archibald for particulars.

**Stove For Sale.**  
A Radiant Home baseburner for sale. MRS. A. RARNETT.

**Some Wall Paper Bargains**  
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The ladies of the Congregational church will give a supper and bazaar, Saturday, October 17th, concerning which more particulars will be given in near future.

Owing to the floor being repaired in the opera house Mrs. Brown will hold her opening on a later date.

The finest stock and lowest prices of stationery at Cone Bros.' drug store.

**Ducks Are Flying South.**  
This ought to remind you of the cold north winds and the fact that you will need a good heating stove. Cole's Hot Blast or the Riverside Oak with ventiduct that warms every part of the room alike, have no equals. It will pay you to see them. W. T. COLEMAN.

**For Exchange.**  
A nearly-new soft coal heating-stove for a good wood-stove.  
G. A. NOREN, Box 356.

Anybody can take pictures with a kodak. Call at Cone Bros.' and see them.

**A Continuous March of Improvement.**

The approach of cold weather does not seem to retard or discourage the march of improvement in the city. Indeed quite a number of new residences are now under way and contemplated in the immediate future.  
President V. Franklin of the Citizens Bank is having ground broken for a fine residence on the corner south of the city park. It will be one of the city's finest dwellings.

Congressman Norris's residence west of the city park is undergoing extensive remodeling and improvement, including some of the most modern conveniences, which will render it decidedly up-to-date and convenient. Heat, light, bath-rooms etc. are on the list.

J. W. Eastman has let the contract for a new residence over on South Monmouth street, adjoining I. N. Biggs's residence on the south. It will be largely a duplicate of the Biggs's dwelling.

While out in the country a number of houses, barns, etc. are under way or approaching completion.

James Hatfield is building an extensive barn on his ranch east of the city, and it will be provided with every convenience and comfort for their fine cattle.

Ernest Neumann and August Nohngel of the German settlement over southeast of the city are building comfortable residences on their farms.

The people of district 8, over in Driftwood precinct, are building a new school-house, which will cost them about a thousand dollars.

Other new buildings and improvements are on tap which will make this a busy building fall, and will keep carpenters and others busy well into the winter.

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**MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.**

**Lost! Lost!**  
A large black pointer dog. White toes on hind feet; a little white on breast. Nothing like him in this part of state. Liberal reward.  
Leave word with JAMES McADAMS.

**Everything in drugs—McCONELL.**

The P.E.O.'s have resumed meetings.

The kids all want that big pencil tablet at the Bee Hive.

Are you a kodaker? Buy supplies at Cone Bros.' drug store.

We pay the highest price for butter and eggs at the Bee Hive.

Milk cow for sale. MRS. W. M. IRWIN.

The best line of school shoes we have ever offered our trade. THE BEE HIVE.

Your tablets, pencils, slates and all kinds of school supplies at the Bee Hive.

You'll notice the difference in quality as well as price in our hosiery. The Bee Hive.

Cane topers that take two rows at a time. Will trade for cane seed at W. T. Coleman's.

FOUND.—A small sum of money. Owner can have same by describing property. J. A. WILCOX.