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The Same Money—Better Goods.

There is no necessity for anyone to buy inferior meats of any kind from peddlers, when better and more reliable meats can be secured for the same money at Paul Anton's meat-market. He offers his customers only good meats—nothing rejected, travel-injured or too poor for the market, but sound, fat, good stuff every time. And you can get such meat at from 5 to 7 cents for beef and 7 cents for pork. And as a matter of fair-play don't you think the regular dealer who has pulled through the long hot and expensive summer season is now entitled to your patronage when the less expensive cold season is at hand? Just consider these facts when you come to buy your meats, and as a fair man, a live-and-let-live citizen you can't help but buy of the regular market, where you know that you are getting absolutely reliable meats—and in addition, mark you, it isn't costing any more than poorer, inferior, unmarketable meats offered by the peddlers.

The Tribune Was In Error.

THE TRIBUNE was in error, last week, in its reference to the new "student" idea to be enforced on the Burlington. We stated that the present "student" plan would be done away with. This is a mistake. The present "student" plan of the company is entirely satisfactory, and the company claims that they have as a result of this system, at least so far as the Western division is concerned, as fine and competent a body of stationmen as can be found on any road in the country. Hence the existing system will obtain and will be encouraged as producing results which cannot be excelled by any other known plan. It is the policy of the Burlington to make its own men as far as possible and practicable, and in its stationmen this plan has been exceptionally successful and satisfactory.

Collection Came High.

The style of collection practiced upon W. F. Porter by Joseph Spotts and John Miller, Thursday night of last week, both failed of its purpose and proved rather costly for both of the collectors. Joe and John put up cash bonds in the sum of \$25 each for their appearance in court, last Friday morning. As Joe had his car already loaded and was ready to proceed west to his new home in Utah he evidently thought it was worth more to him to go that night than to wait over till the next day and fight the case in court. Hence the bonds were both forfeited. Ere this Joe has reached his destination, and the case is closed.

Was Held Up For His Purse.

Glenn Hupp, who is now in Lincoln attending the state university, had the new and rather uncomfortable experience, last Sunday night, of being "held up" in the state capital for his pocket-book and contents. Glenn reports that the gun the hold-up showed in his face looked about the size of a 16-inch cannon, and that it didn't take long for him to present the robber with his purse and contents. He fortunately was not relieved of his handsome watch and chain, and feels pretty good on that account.

Is Nearing Completion.

The Catholic church will likely be completed by the first of the coming year. This handsome structure will cost about \$8,500.00, and of this large sum all has been subscribed for but about \$500.00. This is a fine showing. The building will be in the best section of the state, a credit to McCook and the pride of St. Patrick's congregation.

Grinding Your Teeth

on tough beefsteak is certainly annoying,—but have you tried ours? Our meats are selected by careful and competent judges of quality, and we use every effort to furnish none but fresh, tender and nutritious meats for our trade. This is the way it is at Marsh's meat market all the time.

Would you think it? A great big load of Izzer batts in and gone in 60 days! More on the way. Best batt on earth. Largest circle of admiring and advertising friends any batt ever had. Modest, but worthy. Price only 10c for 12 ozs. Sold only by The Thompson Dry Goods Co. One price, plain figures, cash only.

The Western Mutual Life and Accident Association of Lincoln, Nebraska, has organized an advisory board composed of F. A. Pennell, J. H. Bennett, Dr. S. C. Beach, C. H. Boyle and R. A. Green, and are ready to insure you against accident or sickness.

R. A. GREEN, Local Agent.

W. W. McMillen will, for the next 30 days, sell buggies and spring wagons at big reductions. They are sold on account of room. 12-4-4ts.

Where did you say the place was to buy Christmas goods? Why Coleman has the finest assortment.

Smoke a Bachelor cigar, and you will have no other.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

MRS. J. J. CURRIAN was a Hastings visitor, Wednesday.

MRS. W. J. WOLEBEN is the guest of Mrs. Axel Backstrom, this week.

REV. AND MRS. JAMES R. PARKER departed, first of this week, for Dayton, Ohio.

MRS. JOSEPH KUBICEK is down at Red Cloud visiting her daughter Mrs. James Moranville.

MRS. GEORGE M. REID of Pueblo, Colorado, is here the guest of her daughter Mrs. G. D. LeFlew.

C. H. RUSSELL, formerly of Indianola but now located in Lincoln, was a business pilgrim, Thursday.

MRS. JOHN SHEPHERD and Miss Della returned, first of the week, from their visit of a few weeks in Beatrice.

MR. AND MRS. W. D. BEYER were over from Bertrand, Thanksgiving holidays, visiting relatives. He returned home, Sunday night.

PRIN. E. M. SHORT went to McCook last Thursday night to attend a conference of superintendents-elect with State Superintendent Fowler.—Franklin Free Press.

MISS TILLIE PHILIPPI departed, Sunday morning, on No. 3, for Salt Lake City, Utah, with her aunt Mrs. Joseph Spotts, with whom she will spend the winter.

MR. DIAMOND left on Sunday morning for Chicago, to buy a full line of spring and summer clothing, shoes, furnishings etc., as well as some holiday goods for the Christmas trade.

MISS FLORENCE REYNOLDS came over from Wilsonville, close of last week, and has been the guest of her sister Mrs. G. E. Denton, this week. Miss Reynolds is connected with the Review.

MISS EFFIE ABBOTT entertained the members of the "M. O. O. B." society, Wednesday evening, at the home of Mrs. C. B. Rowell. Refreshments were served and a pleasant social time was enjoyed.

J. G. STOKES arrived in the city, Monday, and will resume his residence among us. His St. Louis deal fell through on account of the other fellow failing to come to time. He may engage in business here again. The family will return here from Hamburg, Iowa, as soon as he secures possession of his home.

MR. AND MRS. HERBERT LLOYD were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilcox, this week. They left for the east this morning on 2. Mr. Lloyd is engaged in high-class vaudeville work, his dates covering the principal cities of the country. He just closed a week's stand in Denver and opens in Omaha, first of the week.

\$30.00—IN CASH—\$30.00

To be Given to the Churches of McCook on Christmas Day, 1908.

Church receiving largest No. votes, \$30.00
Church receiving next largest No. votes, 10.00

Awards to be made under following conditions:

With every purchase made at our store we issue a Cash Register Check indicating the amount purchased.

Each 25-cent purchase represents one vote.

All the churches of the city are eligible.

These awards will be made only on purchases made between Dec. 1st and Dec. 25th, up to noon of latter date.

Checks should be turned in to member of committee representing church you wish to vote for.

Votes to be counted on Fridays, Dec. 11th, 18th, 25th, by a committee composed of one member appointed by each church. And no checks will be counted that were issued previous to date of last count.

Votes will be counted for each church according to the sum of the various purchases represented.

L. W. McCONNELL.

Held for Burglarly.

Harry Walters and Jack Hawkins are in the city jail charged with stealing \$170 from Thomas Plummer at Perry, some time yesterday. Walters had been painting on the Marion Plummer farm house. He was arrested in Culbertson, last night, and is said to have had \$170 of the money on his person when arrested. Hawkins it is thought only drove Walters to Culbertson, being connected with a city livery-barn. They are being held by Sheriff Crabtree. They will have a hearing tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock before Justice Berry.

The original 10c Bachelor now sold for 5 cents.

Come early and avoid the rush for Christmas goods at Coleman's.

The new fibre silk appliques in white and in black at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Santa Claus has arrived with a fine line of Xmas goods at Coleman's hardware store.

Very dainty lace edgings, insertings and beadings in sets, for handkerchief work, at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

One of the Finest Ever.

The reception and banquet tendered the young ladies of the "O. O. T." club by their young gentlemen friends of the Halloween party, Wednesday night, at the Palmer hotel, is with one accord voted one of the finest social events of the year. Every detail and appointment and particular was in the highest and delighted the young ladies. Incidentally they reflected great credit upon the young men and upon those serving.

There was dancing and games and music and social converse—something for every taste and whim.

The banquet was a four-course affair of exceptionally tasteful detail in the spreading, the serving and the decorations.

There were present about forty guests and hosts and the occasion will go down in the annals of the social affairs of the young set as a "top-liner."

ENTERTAINED THE "O. O. T." GIRLS.

The young gentlemen who were entertained by the young ladies club the "O. O. T.'s", Halloween evening returned the compliment Wednesday evening, December 2, in the shape of a reception and banquet at the Palmer hotel. The young people congregated in the parlor about 9 p. m., and proceeded in a body into the dining room where they enjoyed themselves by dancing until 11 o'clock, J. G. Schobel presiding at the piano. They then returned to the parlor and engaged in games and conversation and were also favored by a few selections by the young men's quartette until 11:30, when they were summoned by the hostess Mrs. Kendlen to a very elaborate spread. Mr. Burney spoke in behalf of the boys welcoming the young ladies and thanking them for past favors and Miss Kate Sawyer, president of the club, responded for the girls. The affair broke up about 1:30 a. m., and everybody voted it the most enjoyable and successful affair in the social calendar for many moons.

Are Still After Them.

They are still after the Lebanon bank robbers and hope finally to land them and give them a term in the penitentiary. J. W. Hupp went down to Lincoln, last Sunday night, to secure requisition papers from Governor Mickey, Tuesday on No. 1 he left for Salida, Colorado, with the papers. At Denver he presented the papers to Governor Peabody of Colorado, who named next Monday as the date for a hearing of the application. Sheridan Berlin, the man wanted, lives in Salida. They feel quite certain they have the right man. The guarantee company's man will be in Colorado, Monday, to look after the company's interests in this case. It is to be hoped they may be successful in landing their man.

Choose Gifts Early This Year.

You will find this much easier and more satisfactory than to put it off. Our entire line of holiday goods will be open for inspection on Saturday, Dec. 12th, when we would like to have you come and look around to your heart's content. Make a memorandum and come again. One or two trips and the worry will be over. Those who come to look are as welcome as those who come to buy.

Apron Sale

at Miss VanDoepe's millinery apartments, on December 22 and 23. There will be on sale aprons of all kinds and a small line kerchiefs, pillows and slipper cases etc., all useful and practical goods suitable for holiday gifts. We ask for a share of your patronage. Under auspices of Christian church.

COMMITTEE.

Death of an Infant Child.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George Walker died on Tuesday morning of this week, after a very brief illness. The remains were buried in Riverview cemetery, Thursday afternoon. The child was but three months old.

Satchel Lost

between South McCook and railroad track. Contained blue leather pocket-book and other articles. Reward if left at this office. 12-4-1t*

The ladies of this city will be pleased to learn that Mme. DeThier, a dermatologist of acknowledged ability and experience, has located in this city and guarantees satisfaction in all her work. Call at her home, first door north of Mrs. Colfer's, learn of her modes of treatment which are up to date and first class.

It's a great convenience to walk into 50 dress skirts ready for wear, and help at hand to make any needed alterations without expense to you. That's us. Or the same skirt to your own measure at the same price, \$2.50 to \$9.00. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Have you noticed the holiday goods display in Coleman's west window.

You get a 10c value for 5c when you smoke a Bachelor cigar.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Engine 3161 is out of the shop.

J. M. McLey is a new fireman.

Fireman J. F. Brown has resigned.

Engines 56 and 196 are in Havelock.

F. L. Mercer is another new fireman.

Sam Newton is the new clinker pit man.

W. Reed is a new helper in the round-house.

R. F. Lowman is a new fireman from Denver.

L. E. Confer is out on the road as a fireman.

J. Cook of the round-house force, has resigned.

S. H. Brenington is a new engineer out of here.

J. Leichner is a new helper in the round-house.

Fireman Halstead is also a new man from Denver.

M. H. Hammond is now firing the switch engine.

J. Moheng and William Borwege are new flue borers.

J. W. Archibald has again started to work as an apprentice.

E. Enyeart is a new wiper in the night force at the round-house.

O. G. Colpain is a new fireman graduated from the round-house.

Brakeman F. F. Neubauer is laid up again with his old illness.

H. C. Smith has been off on account of sickness for the past week.

Franz Nothnagel is a new helper on the night force in the round-house.

T. O'Rourke, the new engineer, made his first trip out of here on 145, Tuesday.

Engineer Charles Starr and F. A. Richey have been transferred here from Denver.

The new firemen here from Denver are R. L. Wade, J. B. Wade and Fireman Nungesser.

Operator and Mrs. Ralph E. Foe visited Red Cloud relatives, Sunday between trains 14 and 15.

N. B. Shirley of the round-house force has resigned and is now working in Murray's barber shop.

The new coalgates on the engine tenders are being provided with iron doors to be raised and lowered by levers.

Conductor and Mrs. J. E. Beyrer were among the Thanksgiving visitors in McCook, returning to Denver, first of this week.

Saturday evening Mrs. T. F. Enright entertained a few of her young friends in honor of the Misses Cavanaugh of Holdrege.

A. W. Campaign leaves tonight (last Friday night) for McCook to take a position in the Burlington shops.—Franklin Free Press.

C. O. Doing has been transferred from the train service to the mechanical department and is now helping machinist in the back-shop.

Floyd Proper came in on 13 from Red Cloud to attend the reception and banquet to the O. O. T. girls at the Palmer House, Wednesday.

Conductor and Mrs. Mose Carmony and children left on Tuesday morning for Angola, Indiana, to be absent 30 days on a visit to the old homefolks.

Engineer and Mrs. G. W. Starks were down from Denver during the Thanksgiving holidays, meeting relatives and oldtime friends in McCook and vicinity.

Conductors P. F. McKenna and V. H. Solliday and Brakeman B. F. Laughlin went up to Denver, first of the week, to appear in court as witnesses for the company in a law-suit.

Chas. W. Holt of McCook has been visiting in Franklin and Athol, Kans., this week, having taken a two weeks' lay-off on account of an accident.—Franklin Free Press.

Foreman Fuller and Boss Ritchie are temporarily and jointly looking after the duties of piecwork inspector since Inspector Krauter took the big lathe over that Dennis Cullen presided for so long.

Conductor and Mrs. A. P. Bonno left, first of the week, for Eau Claire, Wisconsin, where they expect to spend a month with her parents, partially on account of his health, which has not been very satisfactory lately.

Engine 280 came in from the Havelock shops, Thursday morning, with the assistance of two other mills. She had lost the effective use of both lungs on her maiden trip from the big shops, and is now laid up for some repairs.

Frederick W. Alves and Susan A. Crane, both from Juniata, this state, were united in marriage, Wednesday evening, in the Baptist parsonage, Rev. C. R. Betts officiating. They are recent arrivals in the city, Mr. Alves being employed in the shops. They will make this their future home.

Christmas Announcement.

The selection of just the right and most desirable gift as a remembrance, is oftentimes burdensome. We feel confident that we can smooth the way for the Christmas buyer by visiting our store and looking over our bright, fresh selections of up-to-date presents. We earnestly invite you to come in and let us make your Christmas purchasing a real pleasure or if you don't wish to buy, come anyhow. Our line consists in part of Bibles, gift books, juvenile books and latest novels, collar and cuff boxes, neckties, glove and handkerchief boxes, albums, picture frames, Japanese goods, medallions, oriental and rookwood vases, steins, wave crest ware, souvenir china plates, cups and saucers, stationery, holiday perfume and papereries, auto-chateleine wrist bags and purses, mirrors, French stag novelties and toilet sets, iron toys of all kinds, games, doll buggies and a large assortment of dolls, etc. Will give with each \$5.00 cash purchase a painted wall plaque. Yours for business. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

School Entertainment.

Miss McMillen's and Miss Santee's pupils, the fifth and sixth grades, will render an attractive program of about one hour's length next Thursday evening, December 10th, in the assembly room of the East Ward building. The same numbers will be repeated on the following evening to an audience of school children. The exercises will embrace drills, a pretty cantata, "Grandma's Dream," a colored chorus, besides recitations, dialogues and special music. The admission fee each evening will be 10 cents, and the proceeds be used by the teachers to decorate the rooms. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Happy Winners.

The Bee Hive guessing contest closed Tuesday, December 1st. The exact number of yards was 265. G. O. Grunden one of the rip track boys guessed 267, this being the nearest. The beautiful 100-piece set of dishes were delivered to Mr. Grunden's home. Jimmie Doyle took away the 12-piece chamber set with his guess of 269½. Mrs. Frank Colling of East McCook being the third nearest and very close took the large parlor lamp.

Runover By a Separator.

A young son of Engineer Harry E. Culbertson was runover by a separator, Tuesday, on East Railroad street, but fortunately not severely or seriously injured. The lad was riding on the tongue of the separator and in getting off fell and the front wheel of the separator ran over his left leg and thigh. No bones were broken, nor internal injuries received. At this writing he is well on the way to recovery complete.

It's All Over Now—

That is the election is over for this year—but the matter of good, wholesome, juicy meats is still of first and vital importance to all. It will interest you to know that Marsh has been elected by an overwhelming majority to continue selling the best meats to the people all the time. Same old location; same prompt service and courteous treatment.

Notice.

There will be a meeting held in the court house in McCook for several weeks. You are cordially invited. The subjects: "What is Man?" "Prophecy," "Our Lord's Second Appearing," "The End of All Things," "Repentance," "Final Doom of the Wicked," "The Home of the Saints." Meeting tonight. Come. ELDER J. J. SCHAUMBURG, Evangelist.

A Leap Year Kalendar Kook-Book, 1904.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church are arranging to put out a "Kook Book." It will contain only the very best, tried and trusted recipes for every day household use—many of them, alone, worth the price of the book, 25c. They hope to have it ready before the holidays. We predict a large sale for it.

COMMITTEE.

Wanted—Second-hand Cook Stove.

If you have a second-hand cook stove for sale 'phone the Commercial hotel.

Single Comb White Leghorn Cockerels

for sale. D. C. BENEDICT, Culbertson.

Everybody smokes Bachelor cigars.

McCormell's Balsam Cures Coughs.

Those new Klipper Klub skates are out of sight at Coleman's.

Underwear, wool hose, wristlets, ear tabs and all kinds of golf gloves at the Bee Hive.

Husband! One of those silver tea pots at Coleman's is what I want for Christmas.

The display of books, pictures and fancy lamps being shown by Cone Bros., is attracting much attention.

Flat fur muffs, flat silk-lined scarfs, round scarfs, children's fur sets—all priced—at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Only 5 Cents Extra.

For THE TRIBUNE and The Weekly Inter Ocean of Chicago, the leading paper of the West. Improved and strengthened by the addition of many new features: Enlarged farm department—forestry and floriculture—care of the home—Home Health Club—Mme. Michaud's health and beauty hints—new household ideas—practical cookery—latest styles for all ages—best fiction—full crop and market reports. The Inter Ocean is the only western paper receiving, in addition to the Associated Press reports, the entire telegraphic news service of the New York Sun and special cable of the New York World, besides daily reports from over 2,000 special correspondents. All this for only 5c extra. McCook TRIBUNE \$1. Weekly Inter Ocean \$1; both for 1 year for \$1.05. This offer open only a few weeks. And is open to all subscribers who will pay their subscription 1 year in advance, as well as to new subscribers to THE McCOOK TRIBUNE.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Everything in drugs. McCONNELL.

Kodaks and supplies at Cone Bros.'

McCormell's Balsam Cures Coughs.

5c will now buy a 10c Bachelor cigar.

Glass, paints, oils and wall paper at McCormell's.

Unequaled for twice the price—the Bachelor cigar.

McCormell's cough cure is fully guaranteed. Try it.

The Enterprise is the best meat chopper on earth at Coleman's.

Mittens, sweaters, caps, leggings and overshoes at the Bee Hive.

The best spring ear muffs at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

FOR SALE—15 brood sows, soon to farrow. P. WALSH.

Read the money-back advertisement of Liquid Kool on page 4 of this issue.

Skates, straps, sharpeners, files and all the things for skating at the Bee Hive.

You should get one of those 25c kitchen sets while they last at Coleman's.

Pure linen hemstitched handkerchief squares for 10c at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Men's black beaver and melton overcoats \$7.50 and \$10.00 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Don't be one, but smoke them—the Bachelor cigar. Extra quality. Entirely satisfactory. Only 5c.

One of the greatest sports on earth, for young and old, "Kodakery." Ask for catalogue at Cone Bros.'

McCormell's Cream Lotion for hands and face dries perfectly and leaves the skin smooth and soft.—11-6-4f.

For the finest stationery, choicest perfumes and best toilet articles of all kinds you should go to Cone Bros.'

Nicely furnished room with piano. Two gentlemen desired. Two blocks from postoffice. W. A. RICHARDSON.

White kid gloves in all sizes, \$1.00, at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. Complete assortment of colors and blacks.

"Kodakery" means "photography with the better left out." You may find a catalogue and get information at Cone Bros.'

The largest assortment of Xmas goods that has ever been in the city will soon be on exhibition at Coleman's hardware store.

Half-inch of ice Wednesday morning. Boys look up your skates and if there is anything needed we have a full supply at the Bee Hive.

Three very smart lines of cloaks—"Siegel's," "Palmer Garments" and "Ideal Garments" are to be found only at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Home-made bed comforts \$1.65 and up. Cotton blankets, full bed size, from 65c up. Wool-mixed blankets \$1.25 up. Fine, clean woolen blankets \$3.75 to \$7.00. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

James Cosgro and wife who have successfully conducted the Cosgro hotel in Cambridge for two years have made a deal for a house in Indianola and will open it by the middle of next month, having the exclusive hotel business of the town. Indianola is to be congratulated as Mr. and Mrs. Cosgro know how to conduct a modern hostelry.—Cambridge Keleidoscope.

That universal wrap, the shawl, that wraps the baby or the mother, and often both; that is the neighborhood visiting wrap, that serves as extra bed covering on cold nights, that often wraps the bread sponge as it sits over night, can be found in the right qualities and prices at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. One price, plain figures, cash only.