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Let Us Help You.

We want to assist you in the choice of your wall decorations, furniture polish, enamels, stains and other house cleaning necessities.

If you need a painter or paper hanger, let us know; we save you the trouble of finding him.

Remember we are headquarters for wall paper in all grades and that our prices are the most attractive ever offered you for such goods. We know we can please you and also save you money on your wall paper purchases.

See our windows for some of the things you need in spring house-cleaning campaign and remember that we carry only the best of everything in such goods and at the same time you save money when you give us your orders.

COSE BROS., Druggists.

A "Sneak Day" Picnic.

As a result of the "sneak day" picnic indulged in by many of the 8th-12th grades of the McCook high school, Wednesday, the offending pupils were sent home for the rest of the week, upon their appearance in school, Thursday morning. Just what additional may be required of those who have so grievously broken the laws of the state and school has not yet been divulged. The punishment, if it fits the crime, will discourage future acts of that sort.

Those participating in the "sneak day" picnic have been deprived of the right to play in the high school club, hence that organization will go into "retreat" for this season. Alas those pretty togs.

Fourth of July Committees.

Following committees have been appointed: Finance—G. E. Thompson, chairman, J. H. Bennett, William Lewis, W. T. Coleman, W. A. Middleton; E. S. Howell, Transportation—G. S. Scott, chairman, Advertising, F. M. Kimball, chairman. Speakers and music—A. Barnett, chairman. Amusements and program—S. C. Beach, chairman. Grounds and privileges—Barney Hofer, chairman. Barbecue—Harry Barbazett, chairman. The chairman of these committees are all requested to be at a meeting in the club rooms, next Thursday evening, May 18th, at 8:15 sharp, to determine plans.

Death From Accidental Poisoning.

Dudley, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Doyle, son of William Doyle of our city, took some poison, last Friday, in his childish ignorance, dying a short time thereafter. The funeral services were held at the farm north of the city, Saturday, by Rev. M. B. Carman of this city, and the remains were brought to McCook, and buried in Riverview cemetery, Saturday afternoon. The young parents are in the greatest distress as a result of the sad tragedy. Dudley was their oldest child, born December 24, 1902. They have tenderest sympathy of many friends and relatives in this sorrow.

Incubator For Sale.

I have on hand one more incubator than I need, and offer the machine at a great bargain. Machine guaranteed, and as good as new. If you want an incubator, now is your time to get one at half the price of a new one.

BEN GOSSARD.

Saving On Latest Buggies.

We have just bought a job lot of fine new surreys, phaetons, carts, driving wagons and stanhops direct from the manufacturer. We have bargains in all the above vehicles.

W. T. COLEMAN.

Dwelling for Sale.

My three-room dwelling-house in West McCook. Four lots—all in bearing fruit. Everything fenced. House well finished. Barn 16x36, chicken house 16x26.

PAUL MILLER.

We Repair To Wear.

Let us do your tin work. We can please you.

W. T. COLEMAN.

For Sale or Trade.

A complete photographer's outfit. Will sell or trade at a bargain. Address lock box 522, McCook, Nebraska.

American Beauty corsets and girdles in coutil, in gauze, extended hip, attached hose supporters, all colors, sizes and prices, 35c to \$1 at Thompson's, exclusive agents.

Ainsworth Monks and D. W. Colson have contracted with Coglizer & Bush for concrete walks along the west front of their residence properties on Marshall street.

Wait for the Fourth of July. It's coming—and McCook will celebrate.

We sell nothing but good shoes at The Bee Hive.

Boys' suits 85c, \$1.25, \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5 at Thompson's.

Long check gingham aprons for 20c at Thompson's.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Mrs. PETER CARTY came over from Lebanon, first of the week.

Miss FERNE SOLOMON was down from Culbertson, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. V. F. ROFINOT of Chicago is in the city, guest of relatives—the Menards.

WILLIAM HAMMEL is entertaining Dr. E. B. Cummings of Bronson, Kansas.

Mrs. T. G. REES of Arapahoe was a guest of McCook friends, first of the week.

W. E. HART received word, Wednesday, of the serious illness of his aged mother.

Mrs. R. E. GIDDINGS of Beatrice is a guest of Dispatcher and Mrs. Albert Calhoun.

Mrs. A. W. HUNT of Wilsonville is here with a little child, who is receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. MARY E. JONES and daughter Miss Edna S. Jones have gone to Sprague, Nebraska.

Mrs. ADELE PHELAN is extensively improving and remodeling her residence on Marshall street.

A. W. HUNT came over from Wilsonville, Tuesday night, on a short visit to the wife and baby.

Mrs. ANNA SAYERS went to Kansas City, Thursday last, to be absent with friends a week or two.

Mrs. C. P. RINKER and children of Council Bluffs, Iowa, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Menard.

CLAUDE J. KEM, son of the ex-congressman, is in the city and this part of the state, taking census information.

Mrs. J. G. STOKES departed on No. 2, Tuesday morning, for her old home in Hamburg, Iowa, on a visit of a week or two.

Mrs. W. L. THAYER, who has been visiting the homefolks for a few weeks, departed, Thursday, for Norwood, Ohio, a suburb of Cincinnati.

Mrs. A. CAMPBELL arrived home, Wednesday on 1, from Chicago. Mr. Campbell will remain there a while and receive treatment in a hospital.

MR. AND Mrs. C. H. BARRETT are remodeling and improving their dwelling in the northwest part of the city, formerly the Murphy residence.

C. F. LEHN joined the family, first of the week, in a visit down at Orleans and other points in that neighborhood. They returned home, yesterday.

W. H. FERGUSON of Lincoln, the great elevator man, who is heavily indebted in McCook and Red Willow county, was in the city, Tuesday, on business.

J. H. BENNETT knocked the persimon, the second ballot. He will make one of the strongest men on the finance committee of the A. O. U. W. of Nebraska.

BARNEY HOFER has succeeded Johnnie Morrissey as "Horatio at the bridge," and proposes to have a new and seemly opera house for McCook within a twelve-month.

L. W. COX, manager for Barnett at Scotts Bluff, was a guest of Mr. Barnett, close of last and first of the present week. Mr. Cox has been ailing and is laying off to recuperate.

Mrs. SYLVESTER CORDEAL arrived home, Monday night on No. 3, from attending the O. E. S. convention in Lincoln and visiting her daughter Mrs. James Whiteford in Omaha.

J. G. STOKES resigned his position with the company as mail carrier etc., Tuesday morning, and is now devoting himself to the task of preparing to open a grocery store in the Citizens Bank building, June 1st.

Mrs. MARY C. KLEINT, (daughter of Mrs. C. H. Barrett), who recently graduated from the medical department of Creighton college, is now in the city and a guest of her mother, expecting to remain here this summer.

Miss ELSIE DUKES was happily surprised at her home, Tuesday evening of this week, by her young friends in numbers. A four-course supper and a delightful social evening were among the particulars. There were about forty present.

Mrs. W. S. PERRY entertained the "Awl-O's", Tuesday evening, in honor of her daughter Mrs. W. L. Thayer of Norwood, Ohio, a member of the club, who departed, Thursday, for her eastern home, after a visit of a few weeks here, guest of her parents.

Our Paints.

The Lincoln absolutely pure are giving entire satisfaction and sold on a guarantee. If you want the best mixed Paint or Lead and oil, varnishes and stains, we would like to figure with you.

McMILLEN, Druggist.

Men's, boy's, and children's hats at The Bee Hive.

All-leather gloves for men, 15c at Thompson's.

Uniformly Excellent Program.

A crowded house greeted the May Festival program, last Friday evening, in the Methodist church, despite the rain and mud, and none went away disappointed a whit. In total it was one of the most agreeable and enjoyable programs given in McCook in many moons.

The choruses given by an organization of about thirty voices from among McCook's best vocal talent, directed by Miss Budlong, were well rounded and the volume was full and harmonious. Their work was pleasing and creditable, and a treat not often enjoyed in this city.

The efforts of the orchestra of nine instruments were welcomed by many evidences of appreciation. It seemed like old times to hear the boys.

The vocal solos were given by such old favorites as Mrs. C. W. Britt, Mrs. A. P. Bonnot, Miss Elsie Campbell and Mr. C. W. Britt. Their voices always have attentive ears and appreciative hearts among McCook audiences.

The piano numbers were by such talent as Miss Edna Barr, Mrs. W. B. Mills and Mrs. W. L. Thayer and were up to the high standard usually maintained by those performers.

The trio and quartette work were among the most pleasing features of a program without weakness.

F. A. Pennell's euphonium solo was a favorite as usual. His occasional appearances are ever welcome.

Mr. Roswell Cutler gave evidence of a promising performer on the violin in his solo.

Perhaps no number of the evening received more genuine marks of approval than did the instrumental trio by Messrs. Gaarde, Sutton and Miss Barr.

And finally the two readings by Miss Abbott and Miss Storer were notably well received. Miss Abbott gave an unexpectedly enjoyable symposium of contrasts, and Miss Storer gave a generous dose of James Lane Allen's charming love story, "Kentucky Cardinal," in a delightful manner.

The May Festival was given under the auspices of the McCook chapter X, P. E. O. The ladies are to be congratulated upon the financial achievement and the members on the program upon the artistic success attained. And we are not sure but that the people of McCook are to be felicitated more than either upon the fact that this city can present from among its own people an entertainment of such merit.

The formal program was as follows:

- March—"Entry of the Gladiators", Fucik.....
- Chorus—"Song of the Sea", Veazie.....
- Euphonium solo..... F. A. Pennell
- Vocal solo—"For All Eternity"..... C. W. Britt
- Piano solo..... Miss Edna Barr
- Ladies' quartette—"Carmena", Wilson.....
- Mrs. Thomas, Miss Stangland
- Miss Budlong, Miss Daigh
- Reading..... Roswell Cutler
- Violin solo.....
- Vocal solo..... Mrs. A. P. Bonnot
- Mrs. A. P. Bonnot
- (Violin obligata by B. J. Sutton.)
- Trio—"Memory".....
- Mrs. Thomas, Miss Ida McCarl
- S. B. McLean
- Orchestra
- Chorus—"Dance Song", Holcomb.....
- Vocal solo—"In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree"..... Miss Elsie Campbell
- Piano duet—"Il Trovatore"..... Mrs. W. B. Mills
- Mrs. W. L. Thayer
- Reading—from "Ken" zy Cardinal, Allen.....
- Miss Storer
- Trio—"The Tempest".....
- Miss Hannah Stangland
- Miss Carrie Budlong
- Miss Winnie Daigh
- Instrumental trio.....
- J. A. Gaarde
- Miss Edna Barr
- B. J. Sutton
- Vocal solo—"A Song of Thanksgiving", Allitson.....
- Mrs. C. W. Britt
- Orchestra—"Moonlight Serenade", More.....

The participants were—Sopranos, Mesdames Bonnot, Sues, Thomas, Misses Stangland, Storer, Powers, Rowell, Akers, Abbott; altos, Mrs. James, Misses Daigh, McCarl, Jones, Santee, Gorbey and Colvin; tenors, Messrs. Lindemann, McLean, Clapp, Cutler and James; basses, Messrs. Dungan, Britt, Heber, Fowler, McCarl and Stangland. Orchestra—B. J. Sutton, F. M. Dickey, F. A. Pennell, J. E. Ludwick, J. A. Gaarde, G. S. Scott, J. E. Wilcox, A. P. Ely, J. G. Schobel.

Box Social.

The young people of the Baptist church will give a box social, next Tuesday evening, and furnish an entertaining program. Place to be announced later.

"Elite" mercerized black petticoats—the kind with habit back and graduated hook fastening—\$1.50 to \$3 at Thompson's.

The M. W. A. will observe their Decoration Day or Memorial exercises on the first Sunday in June.

Newest belts, gloves, ties, laces and trimmings at Thompson's.

See that road wagon at Coleman's for \$38.50, it's a peach.

We sell nothing but good shoes at The Bee Hive.

All-leather gloves for men, 15c at Thompson's.

Free Instruction in Music.

Miss Edna Barr will on each Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon of each week hold a FREE class in music to children from six to ten years of age. The number of children will not exceed twenty and they must have had no instruction exceeding a term. The instruction will consist of the rudiments of music, note-reading etc. This work will be put in the hands of Miss Barr's advanced pupils and will be superintended by her, great care being given to the work and due attention paid each pupil. Those wishing to register their children will please call at the studio at Mrs. N. E. Fahnestock's residence.

Continue Till May 17th.

The meetings at the Christian church will continue until May 17th. The attendance has been good and State Evangelist Whiston has shown himself able to please and instruct. He will speak and sing each night at 8 o'clock and at both services on Sunday. The meetings last but one hour and hence the evangelist is anxious to have all on time. Subjects as follows: Friday, "Fools," Saturday, "What Must I Do?" Sunday 11 a. m., "The Tenses of the Christian Life;" 8 p. m., "Open Windows." Monday, "Excuses." Tuesday, "The Passing Harvest." Wednesday, "The Throne of Grace." *

High School Alumni Officers.

The high school alumni association held its annual meeting, last Thursday night, for the purpose of electing officers, with the following result: President, J. E. Ludwick; Secretary, Miss Bessie Bosworth; Treasurer, Charles W. Kelley; Members of the executive committee, Mrs. W. B. Mills and Miss Laura McMillen. It was voted to tender the class of 1905 a reception and banquet on the evening of Monday, May 29.

Acting Chief Engineer.

Chief Engineer John F. Wallace of the Panama canal, during his absence from the isthmus, has appointed W. E. Dauchy, formerly of this city, but now division engineer of the Culebra division of the canal, to be acting chief engineer. The circular making the announcement is dated March 28th, and a copy of the same was just recently received by a friend in this city.

Some Damage on the South Side.

The rain and hail of Tuesday caused considerable damage on the south side and on a southeasterly direction. Fruit and crops were more or less injured by the hail. Farther south toward Danbury and over in Kansas the storm developed into a small cyclone and in places heavy damage was occasioned, but no injury to limb or loss of life.

Examined a Class of Six.

Postmaster Kimmel held a civil service examination for rural free delivery carriers in the city hall, last Saturday morning. There were six members in the class—Robert C. Orr, Frank W. Hoobler, William C. Staples and William C. Huntzinger of Lebanon, and Clarke Hedges and Joseph F. Rollins of Indianola.

The S. W. Family Paint

is made particularly for the little things about the house. Wears well. Dries with a gloss. Easily applied. Can be scrubbed. Put up in small cans. Sold by McConnell, druggist.

Carpenter's nail aprons 25c at Thompson's.

A good second hand surrey for sale cheap at W. T. Coleman's.

The newest styles in Japanese crepe kimonos at \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.25 at Thompson's. One price, plain figures, cash only.

A. C. Ebert is having cement blocks laid along the south side of his residence property, much to its improvement. Coglizer & Bush are doing the work.

FOR SALE—A nice front door for a residence, with screen door to match. Also window frame and two sashes with glass. Will sell very reasonable. Call at this office for further particulars.

Rural free delivery routes 2 and 3 have been authorized out of Indianola. They will be carried by the same carrier, who will on alternate days go over the routes, which cover the territory southeast and southwest of Indianola.

W. S. Moran commenced work, yesterday, on the 50-foot addition to his business building on Main street. This will be only one story high, but will give J. H. Grannis a store-room 130 feet deep and consequently one of the best in the city.

Wall Paper.

In price, colorings and variety, we think you can be suited in our line of wall paper. The very latest in crowns, stripes and oriental designs. Let us show you.

A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

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Our stock of wall papers affords you the widest possible choice in material, pattern and price. Veloutines, ingrain, embossed golds, stripes, florals, Japanese grass cloths, crowns tiles and etc. All new, all artistic and all superior papers for the money. Wall moulding and beads—natural wood finish and tints to match the paper. McCONNELL, druggist.

Commencement Exercises.

In two weeks the public schools will finish their year's work and close for the summer vacation. Preparations are rapidly being completed for the annual graduating exercises, in which there will be the usual general interest by the citizens and patrons.

The members of the graduating class have chosen Rev. E. R. Earle to preach the baccalaureate sermon. This will occur on Sunday night, May 21st, and as the custom is, it will be a union service.

The class day exercises will be held Thursday evening, May 25th, at 8:30 o'clock. A varied program of essays, orations, recitations, debate and music will be rendered by members of the class. Admission will be by free tickets issued by the graduates.

Commencement day is Friday, May 26. The class address will be delivered by Dr. D. F. Fox, of Chicago, for ten years past the successful and accomplished pastor of the California Avenue Congregational church in that city. He will take for his subject, "A Neglected Cavalier."

On Monday night, May 29th, the Alumni Association will tender the annual reception and banquet to the graduates.

McCook Junior Normal Faculty.

The state superintendent, Mr. J. L. McBrien, in arranging for the third summer session of the junior normal schools, has announced the following as the faculty for the school at McCook: Principal, George H. Thomas, McCook; C. M. Barr, Neligh; C. H. Miller, Lincoln; Miss Eva O'Sullivan, South Omaha; Miss Nellie M. Schlee, Lincoln; and James O'Connell, county superintendent of Hitchcock county, Trenton. Friends of Mr. Miller and Miss O'Sullivan will be especially glad of their return here this summer. Miss Schlee will have charge of the model school and Mr. O'Connell will serve during the last half of the session only. One additional instructor is afforded over the assignment a year ago.

High School Athletics Will Contest.

The annual contest of the Southwestern Nebraska High School Athletic association will be held in Arapahoe, tomorrow afternoon, May 13th. The high schools of Holdrege, Cambridge, Arapahoe, Alma, Beaver City, Oxford and McCook will have teams in the several contests. There will be a 100-yard dash, standing broad jump, running high jump, 50-yard dash, standing high jump, 120-yard hurdle race, base ball throw, 200-yard relay race—four men, potato race, running broad jump and tug-of-war. A fine cup will go to the winners as a prize.

McCook high school will not be represented in the contest for painful reasons to state.

"Awl-O'sian" Anniversary.

Tuesday evening's gathering of the "Awl-O's" proved of uncommon interest, being the sixth anniversary of the club. The attendance was unusually large, over thirty members and a few invited friends being present. Among those present were a number of the old members of the club, and a few from outside the city.

The refreshments served were on an uncommonly elaborate scale.

The S. W. Aluminum Paint

applied to steam or water pipes, boilers, stoves ranges, picture frames, picture moulding or any metal or smooth wood surface gives a finish as bright as silver. Very decorative. Has a large covering capacity and wears well. In 1 1/2 pt., 1 1/4 pt., 1 quart cans.

McCONNELL, druggist.

Let Us Fill It.

Your paint order. Hammer Paint wears longest, looks best and is as cheap as any good paint. For sale by

W. T. COLEMAN.

Third bond-paying social in the Methodist church, Tuesday evening, May 16. Literary and musical program and ice cream and cake served in the basement during the evening. Everybody invited. Admission 15 cents.

Men's suits \$3.50, \$5, \$6.50, \$8, \$10, \$13.50 at Thompson's.

We sell nothing but good shoes at The Bee Hive.

Best apron check gingham 5c at Thompson's.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

McCormell for drugs.

Silverware at W. T. Coleman's.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

Get your straw hat at The Bee Hive.

Sugar beet seed at W. T. Coleman's.

Those three-for-one hats at The Bee Hive.

Sugar beet cultivators at W. T. Coleman's.

Fifteen styles men's hats \$1.50 at Thompson's.

For furniture—the latest out—go to Pade & Son.

Men's genuine colt skin shoes \$2.50 at Thompson's.

We sell nothing but good shoes at The Bee Hive.

Ladies' and misses' gauze knee pants at Thompson's.

The Quick Meal gasoline is the very best stove made.

See those lawn and porch swings at W. T. Coleman's.

New arrival of portieres and couch covers at Pade & Son's.

Extra sizes in ladies' gauze vests and pants at Thompson's.

Floor Lac makes old floors look like new. Sold by McConnell.

The best hardwood refrigerator on the market at W. T. Coleman's.

Rooms for rent over the market.

D. C. MARSH.

Timbale irons, potato scoops and all kitchen utensils at W. T. Coleman's.

FOR SALE—A fresh cow. Inquire at C. E. Emerson's. 5 2ts*

Ladies' gauze union suits with long sleeves and ankle length at Thompson's.

Let the wind take your old hat. We have an all-new line at The Bee Hive.

Gauze union suits for boys, girls, men and women 25c to \$1.00 at Thompson's.

Cut glass in the latest patterns, quality best and price right at W. T. Coleman's.

Leave your order for a fish globe. We carry them in stock at The Bee Hive.

Sewing machines, all standard makes, at the lowest market prices at Pade & Son's.

Some of the most handsome driving wagons as well as Stanhops at W. T. Coleman's.

\$9.50 a ton is the price for that extra fine bright baled hay just shipped in by Knipple.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. R. B. Archibald.—5-12-1f.

We have beautiful presents for a graduation remembrance. Let us show you. W. T. Coleman.

Knipple has just received a carload of nice bright baled hay, which he is selling at \$9.50 a ton.

White bed spreads in fringed, in hemmed, in cut corners, in square—all grades, at Thompson's.

The very finest of surreys at W. T. Coleman's and just the thing for pleasure at this time of year.

Argentine ware is the latest. If you haven't any, try a piece and be convinced, at W. T. Coleman's.

Pearl trimming slides, crochet covered ditto, small pearl trimming buckles, cut steel ditto at Thompson's.

Rugs and carpets have advanced in the market. Our large stock goes at old prices. PADE & SON.

C. R. Liggott, John Morris and F. S. Wilcox have added to the beauty of their residence properties by having Coglizer & Bush lay concrete walks on the east front of entire block 23.

For the next ten days I will give great bargains on buggies and driving wagons. My buggy room was never so full of bargains