

# The McCook Tribune.

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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.

CONE BROS., Druggists.

## Fraternal Memorial Day.

Sunday last was Memorial Day for the Workmen and Woodmen orders and their auxiliaries the Degree of Honor and Royal Neighbors, and there was a proper observance of the day by the local lodges.

In the morning committees from the order and auxiliaries repaired to the several city cemeteries and the graves of deceased members and of members of families were appropriately decorated by loving and generous hands.

In the afternoon services in memoriam were held in the Methodist church, the orders in uniform in part attending and marching from their respective halls in organization. These together with citizens in attendance making a goodly audience. The memorial address was delivered by Rev. Carman. The invocation was uttered by Rev. Carson. There were solos by C. H. Miller, F. M. Kimmell and Rev. A. B. Carson.

## Called a New Pastor.

At a special called meeting of the members of the Congregational church Monday evening, a call to the pastorate of the local church was extended to Rev. Dwight H. Platt, now pastor of the Congregational church, Smith Center, Kansas, who occupied the local pulpit, last Sunday one week.

## Dance.

Remember the dance to be held in the McCook skating rink on Tuesday evening, June 20, 1905, by the K. of P. orchestra. Tickets admitting lady and gentleman \$1.00. All spectators 25 cents—6:25.

## Desirable Residence For Sale.

My residence on corner of Marshall and Dakota streets. Inquire at residence. M. U. CLYDE.

## "Doan's 91"

is the Cream of all that's good. The sensitive touch of the most experienced miller can produce no better flour.

## Helpful Rest

can be secured by purchasing a comfortable hammock at McMillen's drug store.

One of the very finest entertainments McCook people will have opportunity to hear will be the recital next Wednesday evening at the opera house by Henry L. Southwick, dean of the Emerson school of oratory, in Boston. Dean Southwick will render the Cardinal-King from Bulwer-Lytton's "Richieu." A large audience should avail itself of this favorable chance to greet probably the foremost exponent of the spoken word in America.

One dollar down and one dollar per week will get you an Edison phonograph. With a phonograph in your home you may enjoy the music of a high-class band or orchestra, a concert of operatic music or a minstrel show. Come in and hear the music and let us show you the machine. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

It's in The Citizens Bank building—the new Stokes grocery. The stock is new and fresh and clean. You will receive courteous attention in the store and prompt delivery of your purchases. Try him.

McCook has an enviable reputation as the foremost city of enterprise in the western country. Doan's 91 patent has been one of McCook's best advertisements.

All who are owing me will please call and settle by June 20. I am going away and settlement must be made. J. VANDEPOEL.

There is a blue sack coat at THE TRIBUNE office for the owner. It was found on the road near J. A. Schmitz's, last Saturday.

Dr. S. C. Beach is now located two doors north of the post office.

Ladies' and men's umbrellas, 50c to \$5.00, at Thompson's.

Linen lawn shirt waist suits \$1.50, at Thompson's.

WANTED—Girls at McCook Laundry.

## MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

S. R. SMITH was up from Indianola on business, Wednesday.

LEWIS LUDWICK is home from Nebraska City for the summer vacation.

MRS. MARY SHEAFFLER of Holdrege is a guest of Mrs. E. L. Hawkins.

E. J. MITCHELL and family returned, close of last week, from Sedalia, Mo.

O. W. DEWALD of the Trenton Register was in town, Monday, on court-house business.

DR. R. E. CAMPBELL of Buffalo, N.Y., is with us again, arriving in the city, first of the week.

O. M. KNIPPLE has commenced the construction of a large and handsome porch in front of his Main avenue home.

MR. AND MRS. W. A. DOLAN of Indianola were guests of her parents Deputy Treasurer and Mrs. I. M. Beardslee, Monday, driving up and back.

IRA JOSEPH CLARK graduates this year from the scientific course, Nebraska University. Clinton Jesse Campbell, literary course, is also credited to McCook, this year.

MISSES CELIA AND SALLIE GORBY left Thursday morning. They will visit briefly in Red Cloud, Superior and Nelson, but will be in University Place for the summer vacation.

REV. HARMON BROSS of Lincoln was a guest of his son Perry, Monday night. Rev. Bross was on his way east from a trip up the Imperial line on Congregational church business.

MRS. C. W. BRONSON returned, Monday evening, from Denver, where she has been in a hospital for past two months after an operation, from which she is now recovering gradually.

MISS CORA GARVEY entertained some forty young friends, Tuesday night. Light refreshments were served, dancing and card playing were the items of entertainment enjoyed by the young folks.

DR. J. D. HARE is attending the commencement exercises at the Chicago Musical college, where his daughter Hazel is completing one of the courses in violin study. The family will return with him to McCook, June 26th.

WILL L. BROWN came in from Los Angeles, Calif., Sunday night, and has been the guest of his father and aunt this week. Will likes the work and country on the coast. His is here on a brief business-social visit.

JOHN D. MUNDIS, Denver, was one of the nine successful candidates for registration under the pharmacy laws of Colorado at the meeting of the Colorado Board of Pharmacy, in Denver, June 23. There were 32 applicants.

LEWIS CASTEN and Clarence Hoff departed, Thursday, for Cheyenne, Wyo., where they will both work for the Union Pacific. The boys have the best wishes of many friends here for their contentment and success in their new home.

REV. M. B. CARMAN, Misses Lillie McChain, Ethel Middleton, Cora Garvey, Rena Hillers, Clara Anton and Tacie DeLong are representing the League here at the Holdrege District Epworth League meeting held in Cambridge this week.

DR. W. F. JONES, U. S. cattle and sheep inspector, left on No. 6, Sunday night, for Norfolk, Nebraska, where on Wednesday, the 14th instant, he was united in marriage with Miss Martha McNish of that city. After a trip to Portland, Oregon, and the Pacific coast, they will return to McCook, where the doctor will be stationed a while longer in the performance of duties pertaining to the bureau of animal industry, U. S. department of agriculture. Here's a hearty congratulation, doctor.

## 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.

Flag bunting, 5c a yard at Thompson's.

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

All shoe repairing promptly and neatly done. Bring in your work. THE BEE HIVE.

The Sawyer dwelling, partially destroyed some months since by fire, is being restored by the company.

W. Meyers, an old-time shoe maker, from Lincoln, has accepted a position at The Bee Hive.

The fire ladders were indulging in a little practice, last Saturday evening. Some of the fire-plugs were tested this week. Both should receive more attention.

Quite a severe thunder and electric storm prevailed in this neighborhood, Thursday morning, but little rain fell. East of here the precipitation was heavy in some localities during the day.

## ONE BIG MAN COMING

Big in thought, big in experience, big in his ability to instruct and entertain

REV. SAM P. JONES

Still retains his hold on the American people and remains one of the most popular lecture attractions in the country. He is always in great demand, but through an early invitation of a friend, he stops off here between trains to deliver one of his most pleasing lectures, on his way to the Boulder, (Colorado) Chautauqua, where he spends two days. The fame of this man as an original speaker, evangelist and man has caused such wide spread talk and criticism, and his good deeds and charities are recorded by so many men and women, that he stands in a unique place of his own. There is here only one Sam Jones and he will be here FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1905

This lecture will be given in the commodious and comfortable auditorium of the new M. E. church under the auspices of the E. L. and Y. P. of the L. A. Tickets will be on sale after June 12th at L. W. McConnell's drug store or by members of the society.

## Grant Them Permission.

THE TRIBUNE is at a loss to understand why the city council of McCook should refuse the Bartley Telephone Co., independent, permission to run a line into the county court house.

Such a line would be a great accommodation to the people of the eastern end of the county in communicating with the county officers on business of the county. Granting the permission would be at no cost to the city. The city authorities had the same legal right and moral obligation they had when they granted the Nebraska Telephone Co. a franchise.

THE TRIBUNE considers the action taken an error, which should be rectified at an early date.

The fact that this city is friendly to the Nebraska Telephone Co., and pays a good round price for the excellent service received, does not mean that the people of McCook are opposed to so reasonable and proper an action as the granting of a permit to the Bartley Telephone Co. to run a line into the court house.

The people and business interests of McCook are not and cannot be in fairness and reason opposed.

THE TRIBUNE is not in favor of high board fences, but leaves a fair show, equal opportunity. And the people of McCook are with this proposition.

## New Livery Stable Firm.

The east Dennison street livery barn has been purchased, this week, by C. B. Gray and L. D. Vanderhoof, who are now in charge. The new firm expects to improve the service by additions to the live stock and vehicles as the case may demand, and guarantee the public all the advantages of a first-class livery, feed and sales stable. Give them a trial.

## \$350 Takes Them All.

A Crown piano, with Angelus piano-playing attachment and about 30 tolls of music. \$350 buys them. Angelus is also an organ. All in first class condition. Can be seen over Pade's furniture store. GEORGE BECK.

## Fourth Bond-Paying Social.

M. E. church, next Monday evening, June 19th, beginning at 8:15. Program by Junior League, upstairs free. Refreshments in basement for 15c a plate. Proceeds to pay off their bond to the new church.

## McCook Won.

The ball game, yesterday afternoon, between McCook and Indianola teams was won by McCook. Score, 8 to 6.

## Free Dirt. Free Dirt.

Several loads of good dirt around the M. E. church. Come and help yourself.

Attention is called to the fact that the reservation of seats for Dean Southwick's entertainment begins Monday morning next at 7:30 o'clock, and that first preference will be given the holders of season tickets. No single admission tickets will be sold until Tuesday morning.

First in the hearts of all good bread lovers is Doan's 91 patent. You need the flour, to keep well fed, Doan needs your trade, to knead your bread.

The mills of the Gods grind slowly, but never grind finer—flour than Doan's mills produce.

American A, 2-bushel seamless grain bags, 16½¢ at Thompson's.

Best carpet warp on spools 19c, at Thompson's.

WANTED—Girls at McCook Laundry.

## Children's Day Exercises.

METHODIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

The Sunday-school of the M. E. church gave an instructive and delightful Children's Day program, last Sunday evening, before an audience which filled the church. Twenty-four girls composed the chorus which gave four chorus numbers during the evening. Frank McClure delivered a short address, entitled, "The Chart For Our Journey." The primary children were on program for two pretty songs. Rachel Berry and Olive Armstrong sang solos. Josie Stewart, Grace Willetts, Mable Anton and Lorene Armstrong gave recitations. The pleasure and pride of the evening is in a goodly measure chargeable to Miss Celia Gorby and Miss Rose Akers, who had the children in direction and charge. An offering of \$10.00 was given by the school to assist Methodist young people through school who need help.

CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

Just a fair audience witnessed the Children's Day program in the Congregational church, Sunday evening, but the efforts of the little folk were enjoyed and appreciated.

The program opened with a piano and violin duet by Miss Emma Perry and Roswell Cutler. There were recitations in turn by Frank Barnett, Mary Boyle and Helen Sollday, Gertrude Norris, Martha Rogers, Leta Monks, Roy Rank, Marguerite Perry, Pauline Burns and Harlan Benedict, Gertrude Sues, Wilhelmine Berdine, Hazel Norris and Mabel Randal. Vocal solos by Ruth Wiehe, Gladys Fuller and Marion Norris. A duet by Helen Burns and Dora Oyster. A song by the little ones of the primary department. A trio by Velma Sutton, Helen Burns and Marjory Schobel. Brisbane Hofer, Roswell Simmons, Cecil McMillen and Mart Lawritson lifted the offering and recited in the same connection. Miss Lillie Campbell played the offertory. A song by the entire Sunday-school, opening and closing prayers by Rev. Conrad completed the program, which was prepared under the direction of Mrs. W. M. Stoner, Mrs. F. M. Kimmell and Miss Millie Slaby. A collection amounting to \$10.60 was taken by the children for the benefit of the Congregational Sunday-school Publication and Missionary society.

Potted plants, cut flowers, ferns, palms etc. in pretty profusion made up a very effective decoration.

BAPTIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

The exercises by the children of the Sunday-school, Sunday evening, attracted a good audience and none went away disappointed. The program was of considerable length and very pleasing: An organ voluntary by Hazel Rouch opened the services, responsive reading and prayer following. There were four chorus numbers by the school. Vocal solo by Elsie Everist. Duets by Edna Maxon and Florence Jacobs, and Helen Thompson and Raeburn Carson. Recitations by Clara Schlagel, Alfa Scott, Helen Thompson, Julia Schlagel, Raeburn Carson, Ethel Huber, Charlotte Blanding, Florence Jacobs, Elsie Everist, Mabel Maxon, Marjorie Inglis, Aurilla Koebel, Edna Maxon, Belle Moore, Hattie Woolard, Agnes Huber, Bessie Everist, Helen Knipple. A tableau, "Kiss Me Good Night," by Elsie Dukes and Ruth Woolard. Tableau, "Nearer My God To Thee," by Hattie Woolard, Albertina Phillippi and Ida Allen. An address by the pastor and benediction concluded the program.

The church was handsomely decorated with potted plants, cut flowers, palms, ferns, and patriotic bunting.

Largest line of Japanese kimonos at Thompson's.

Lawn dressing sacques 44 cents, at Thompson's.

A few years ago all machinery was made from wood and today any piece of farm machinery that is not made of steel is out of date. The latest is the steel wagon. In a few years there will be nothing but steel wagons. W. T. Coleman has them now. You should call and see them.

Stokes' new grocery in The Citizens Bank building is now open and ready for business. Everything in groceries, fruits and meats new and fresh. Call and see.

You surely will want one of those Quick Meal gasoline stoves, or a refrigerator, or an ice cream freezer, at Coleman's before the big celebration.

WANT TO RENT—A five or six room modern cottage; only two in family. Will take lease. E. M. BIGELOW.

The freshest, newest and cleanest in groceries, fruits and meats at Stokes' new grocery.

Best apron check gingham at 5 cents a yard at Thompson's.

Boys' and girls' gauze union suits at Thompson's.

WANTED—Girls at McCook Laundry.

## Commercial Club For It.

The adjourned business session of the McCook Commercial club, last Friday evening, was one of the most interesting held since its organization.

The club first disposed of a grist of routine business, allowing bills etc. and then settled down to the consideration of the application of the Bartley Telephone Co., an independent line, for a franchise from the city of McCook to run its line into the court house.

The matter was thoroughly and warmly debated, and THE TRIBUNE is more than pleased to note that the ultimate decision was a just and proper one, that is, in favor of the city authorities granting their request. Local Manager Hall of the Nebraska Telephone Co. and a few members opposed the granting. Congressman Norris and a majority of the members favored the proposition. A right conclusion was reached.

That this action of business-men of the city was subsequently turned down by the city council, Monday evening of this week, is certainly a surprise.

## Attention Farmers and Stock Men.

I, Wm. D. Acor of Colorado Springs, Colo., will be in McCook for the next ten days, for the purpose of introducing Acor's Healing Liniment. I hereby wish to announce that I will go, free of charge, any distance under fifty miles, to see any bad wire-cut or other bad injuries, snake bites, or blood poison wounds, for which I make a specialty. I will give five hundred dollars to any man in America that can equal my treatment in all the above ailments, or to free rheumatic pains in the human family. Call for me at the new Palmer Hotel or Blue Front Livery Barn. I will furnish free medicine to any doctor for use to patients.

## Pythian Memorial Day.

The Knights of Pythias will observe their memorial day in the Methodist church, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. All Knights will assemble at the castle hall at 2:30 for ritualistic service, and from the hall will march to the church, where there will be an address and other exercises appropriate to the occasion. The invitation is general.

Our Mr. Meyers will get your shoes repaired promptly at The Bee Hive.

Handsome line of jet and ivory collars at Thompson's.

Largest line of allovers and laces at Thompson's.

## Special on Wall Paper.

We have some desirable patterns in better grade papers at special prices. Come in and see them. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

## Take a Note Book

and walk through the house and you'll be surprised at the number of little things that could be made to look better by a coat of paint. The Sherwin-Williams Family Paint is made particularly for the little things about the house. It is put up in small cans. It looks well—wears well—dries with a gloss. It helps to keep the house bright and cheerful. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

The marked and distinctive difference between Ancient Gaul and modern gall is in that the ancient article is said to have been divided into three parts. Not so the modern sort. It's indivisible, imperturbable, inextinguishable, quite damnable. You can see this breed at the opening rush of the sale of seats to one of our attractions in the opera house any time the rush is on.

"It is mighty hard to talk sense for a whole hour and not bore some greenhorn." "I wouldn't like to be in heaven with a lot of fellows who have swindled me here." Sam Jones said these. You can hear him at the M. E. church, Friday evening, July 21st.

On Trinity Sunday, June 18th, there will be a celebration of the Communion and sermon in St. Alban's Episcopal church at seven o'clock in the morning. All are welcome.

We have now in our employ a first-class shoemaker who will attend to all your shoes needing repair. THE BEE HIVE.

Out-of-town products are not in competition when quality and excellence are considered as factors in flour. There's none so good as "Doan's 91."

The new Stokes grocery is now open for business. The freshest of everything in groceries, fruits and meats. Give him a trial.

We take pride in getting your shoe repairing done promptly and at reasonable prices. THE BEE HIVE.

Shoes repaired and work guaranteed at the old stand. THE BEE HIVE.

Ladies' extra size gauze underwear at Thompson's.

## A RARE TREAT

a Recital by HENRY L. SOUTHWICK Dean of Emerson School of Oratory Boston, Mass.

OPERA HOUSE, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21, '05 8:30 o'clock p. m.

Auspices McCook Junior Normal

PART I—Honor of the Woods—W. H. H. Murray. Alphabetical Romanes. Lament of the Camel—Himself.

PART II—"The Cardinal-King"—Bulwer-Lytton's romantic and poetic drama. "Richieu"

ACT I—"The Lovers."

ACT II—"The Monk and the Spy."

ACT III—"The Lion's Skin and the Fox's."

ACT IV—"The Curse of Rome."

ACT V—"There at My Feet."

At present time Dean of Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, Henry Lawrence Southwick for several seasons has been a prominent and brilliant figure upon the lyceum platform. His work possesses the attractiveness and force that win the public, finish and artistic beauty which command the praise of scholars and thinkers. His personality will instantly command the interest of any audience. He is a man to be remembered among a thousand.

Mr. Southwick held me spellbound.

—Mrs. Mary A. Livermore.

Mr. Southwick had an immensely laughter-provoking way of reciting humorous selections.—Boston, (Mass.) Gazette.

Immensely pleasing.—San Diego (Cal.) Union.

I have had a wide experience, and have heard most of the lecturers and entertainers who have been prominently before the public during the last thirty-five years, and I have never listened to a more attractive lecturer than Mr. Southwick.—James L. Hughes, Sup't of Public Instruction, Toronto Ontario.

Fine literary discernment and rare eloquence of expression.—Toronto (Ont.) Mail.

A fine voice.—Madison (Wis.) Democrat.

Reservation of seats at McConnell's Monday, June 19, at 7:30 a. m. The plat will be held all day Monday for holders of season tickets, but will be opened for general sale on Tuesday morning.

## MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Stokes, the grocer.

McCormell for drugs.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

Men's helmet hats 20c, at Thompson's.

WANTED—Girls at McCook Laundry.

Carpenters' nail aprons, 25c at Thompson's.

Best table oil cloth 15 cents a yard at Thompson's.

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

Butcher's linen for waists and suits, 35c at Thompson's.

Complete assortment of gauze corsets and girdles at Thompson's.

All shoes bought of J. H. Grannis will be repaired free at Stulken & Bauer's.

J. H. Grannis' sale of summer dress goods, dress skirts etc., is now on. Do not miss it.

Linen sheeting for shirt waists and suits for \$1.00 a yard, 88 inches wide, at Thompson's.

Sunburn, tan or freckles need not bother you this summer if you will use McConnell's Fragrant Lotion.

The work of excavation is now being pushed by Pat Walsh on the cellars for his new buildings on Main avenue.

It's your move now. I'll move later. See Honest John's advertisement in another part of this paper for particulars.

Why not get one of those oak water three-gallon kegs to carry water to the field in? Take a look at those at W. T. Coleman's.

Our living friends are not our only advertisers. Competitive importations resort to devious methods to decry the merits of Doan's 91 patent.

FOR SALE—My property on Melvin st., No. 207, seven rooms, two closets, and china closet. Inquire of F. L. Traver, McCook, Neb.

The reduction prices on those summer dress goods, dress skirts, etc., at J. H. Grannis' are moving them fast. Get in before the best values are taken.

The J. & C. union-made railroad over-clothes are superior to all others. \$1.75 cash on the nail buys a suit. The Thompson Dry Goods Co., exclusive agents.

Water coolers at W. T. Coleman's. Place one in your store and see if you will help your trade.

Elegant patterns in fancy ribbons at Thompson's.

"Ideal" waists and shirt waist suits at Thompson's.