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LOCHE MALE QUARTETTE

The Last Number Junior Normal Course

OPERA HOUSE

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 1905
8:30 p. m.

This company is the successor of the famous Wesleyan Male Quartette, which sang here two summers ago. Their last engagement was for five days, this week, on the big Nebraska Epworth Assembly program at Lincoln.

Reserved seats Tuesday, August 8, at McConnell's; sale on Wednesday.

This number takes the place of Roberson who could not come.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

All Traveling Library books should be in tomorrow as they are to be sent away.

"Rhoda's Teacher and Her School," by Arthur Gilman, may be found in the August Atlantic Monthly. This should be of interest to all teachers.

The American Monthly Review of Reviews gives a short and concise account of the Russo-Japanese peace negotiators. Also of John Hay as a man and as a statesman.

One of the latest novels, "Fair Margaret," by Marion F. Crawford, author of "Mr. Isaacs," "Corleone," "In the Palace of the King," is now running in Munsey's. It began in the June number.

The steel railroad bridge across the gorge below the Victoria Falls is nearly completed and Mr. Van Wagenen gives a brief description of the cataract in the June Century. An object lesson in irrigation, the Truckee Carson system, which was opened June 17, is found in the Review of Reviews.

ACTING LIBRARIAN.

\$7.40 to Lincoln And Return.

On account of the Nebraska Epworth League Assembly the Burlington will sell tickets to Lincoln and return at \$7.40, August 1st to 11th inclusive.

An educational, interesting and amusing program is offered to which the following will contribute: Mr. Mark Guy Pearce of London; Governor E. W. Hoch, of Kansas; Bishop David H. Moore, of Portland; Dr. Robert S. MacArthur, of New York; Fred Emerson Brooks, Poet of the Sierras; Dr. Geo. R. Stuart, of Tennessee; Colonel H. W. J. Ham, the Georgia Humorist; Dr. Anna Shaw, of Philadelphia; Dr. D. F. Fox, of Chicago; Dr. Stephen J. Herben, Editor of the Epworth Herald; Frank R. Roberson, World Traveler; Mr. Clinton N. Howard, of Rochester, N. Y.; Dr. Wm. F. Anderson of New York City; Mr. Ralph Bingham, Promoter of Mirth; Spence and MacDonald, Scottish Entertainers; Kafir Boy Choir from South Africa; The Locke Male Quartette; Rosani, Famous Manipulator; Oxenham with his wonderful moving pictures, and many others.

Write for pamphlet "Souvenir Talent" which will tell you all about it.—7-23-2ts.

L. W. WAKELEY,

General Passenger Agent, Omaha.

Have Strengthened the Bridge.

The bridge over the Driftwood at Captain I. H. Wasson's farm has recently been materially strengthened and is now safe for threshing machines—an outfit passing over the bridge, the last week. This bridge was condemned years since. The bridge is now in good condition.

Two Important Land Sales.

Last week, W. F. Everist sold the Watt ranch in Hayes county to a gentleman by the name of Bryson of Gage county. Consideration, \$15,000. This week, he disposed of the home ranch, embracing a section of land on the Driftwood, to Ambrose Strawder of Adams, Nebraska, for \$8,000.

W. H. Ferguson Sells

Pictou Maitland lump coal at \$7.75 ton Best lump threshing at 7.00 ton Best nut threshing coal at 6.50 ton Best egg coal at 5.75 ton

He also pays the highest market price for all kinds of grain. Try him.

August 14th in the Congregational church, Dr. Fox, the commencement orator of 1905. Those he delighted then will be more than pleased to hear him again. Tickets 50c.

Dinner sets, tea sets, toilet sets, plain ware, decorated ware, good cheap dishes, fine dishes, everything in the line at Ludwick's.

Helpful Rest

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

The pain of sunburn stops as soon as you apply McConnell's Fragrant Lotion. It cools, soothes, heels. 25 cents.

Use McMillen's Cream Lotion for sunburn and tan.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Miss Esther Smith has returned to Collegeview.

Miss Mamie Sharkey is up from Lincoln on a visit.

Edna Moore goes to Crete tonight on a week's visit.

J. G. Rossiter is a new clerk in The Model Shoe Store.

C. H. Boyle has been in Denver all week, visiting his parents.

Mrs. E. M. Day is in Michigan, called by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Yorker and Miss Gray have gone on to Denver to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. G. Schobel and Marjory visited Denver relatives over Sunday.

A. E. McManical is here on a visit to relatives and friends of the olden times.

Mrs. P. E. Potter is entertaining Mrs. Julie B. Yorker and Miss Mina Gray.

J. E. Dillon of Wray, Colorado, was down from the west, early days of the week.

James Carmichael of Indianapolis was a business visitor of the county capital, Monday.

Miss Alberta Clark of Champaign, Illinois, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. James.

Miss Sadie Evans, who has been in Red Cloud for several months, returned home, Monday.

Miss Smith, late of the Indianola Independent force, is now working on the Republican of our city.

Mrs. Frank Henderson left on 12, yesterday morning, for Waverly, Neb., on a visit to relatives.

F. C. Kellogg was up from Republican City, close of last week and fore part of the present week.

Mrs. W. B. Mills went down to Lincoln, last Friday, on a short visit, returning home Monday night.

Miss Helen Jones, who has been a guest for part of the summer of Mrs. W. S. Moran, has gone to Wymore.

Miss Lettie Knipple accompanied Miss Bessie Crites home to Hastings, last week, and has been her guest since.

J. M. Hollingsworth of Cambridge, deputy state agent for the Columbia Insurance Co., was in the city, Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Marshall of Lincoln has been the guest of her parents, coming up from the capital city, Friday last on No. 1.

Miss Floyd Berry and the baby went home to Wilcox, this morning, with her mother Mrs. G. H. Mershon, on a visit.

Miss Jeannette Dutton returned from Hastings, Saturday, her friend Miss Lulu Alexander accompanying her on a visit.

Rev. Carman and family will return home, this week, and will occupy the Methodist pulpit, coming Sunday, morning and evening.

Glen Rowell went up to Boulder, Colo., last night, with his uncle John. He will return with Miss Minnie in a few weeks later.

Miss Mabel Wilcox was the genial and clever hostess to the "Aw-O's" at their fortnightly season of joy, Tuesday evening of this week.

L. R. Hileman will go to South St. Joseph, Mo., on the 15th of this month, to take charge of the management of the business of the Colorado Live Stock Commission Co.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Eaton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ebert, arriving in the city, Wednesday night, from Portland and the Pacific coast on their way home to Indiana. Martin was for a number of years employed in the Citizens bank in the early days. They will be here about a week.

DENTAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Dr. Herbert J. Pratt wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he will return to McCook, Nebraska, by August 10th, 1905, Atlantic weather permitting.

The God Within.

Hath wings of truth, outstretched and spread,
Swept swiftly onward o'er thy head?
Or hath thy God in mighty Love
Dropped olive branches from above?
Where dwelleth God? Thy soul hath cried.
Nor would thy question be denied.
Thou sought Him in the cloud-swept sky,
Thou sought Him where the sea gulls cry.
Thou sought Him in the busy street,
Thou sought Him where the waters meet;
But never yet hath God been found,
In all thy journeyings around.
For God is found within thy soul,
Thy hallowed Self, thy perfect Whole;
And all who wish the goal to win,
Must search the Kingdom found within.
Then naught can keep thee from thine own,
When once this secret, thou hast known.
—NOMAD.

The Judge's Busy Week.

County Judge Moore reports the following licenses issued the past week. In each instance he married the couples enumerated:

Robert Stiner (21) and Alice Morton (19), both of Oberlin, Kansas.

Gus Ring (24) and Eva Ring (18), both of Rain, Hayes county. They are cousins.

John W. Parker (31) and Eva M. Walker (22), both of Norcatar, Kansas.

Lucius A. Garwood (35), Oberlin, Kansas, and Mrs. Kate Bateman (30), McCook, Nebraska.

The judge also issued marriage license to George E. Abbott (30) and Viola Devoe (22), both of Lebanon, whose marriage was noted in last week's paper.

JUNIOR NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

The four additional enrollments this week bring the total up to 236.

Principal J. O. Lyne of the Juniata schools was a visitor yesterday and today.

Ella Powers, Bessie Duckworth, of Trenton; Mayme Garlick, St. Ann, and Nora Burk, of Stratton, were the new enrollments this week.

President W. H. Clemons, of the Fremont Normal School, came in Monday afternoon to visit the normal. He talked entertainingly to the teachers at the afternoon session.

Reserved seats for the Locke Male Quartette will be checked off to holders of season tickets Tuesday, August 8, at 7:30 a. m. The sale will begin on the following morning.

The normal instructors made little journeys to various places over last Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Hooper went to Omaha, Mr. Barr to Holdrege, and Mr. O'Connell to Trenton.

The present session of the junior normal school closes one week from today. There will be an interesting music program in the forenoon of that day, and in the afternoon the Locke Male Quartette will render a special concert.

Examinations will be conducted for state professional life certificates to-day and to-morrow at the East ward building. Candidates do not need to take all branches at this time, and such successful grades as they achieve now will hold good until the entire series is completed.

The junior normal school examinations which conclude the work of the ten weeks' summer course will begin next Monday. Such an arrangement will be effected that they will interfere as little as possible with the regular instruction and the general exercises, which will be continued as usual.

On Tuesday of next week Rev. Luther P. Ludden, a prominent worker in varied fields in Nebraska, will come to McCook to address the junior normal students. Besides his appearance during the day sessions, he will lecture in the evening in the East ward assembly room. Mr. Ludden is a forceful speaker, and all are cordially invited to come out and hear him.

Dr. J. A. Beattie, now of the Cotner University faculty, and formerly president of the Peru state normal, will be here Wednesday of next week, the 8th. In addition to his day talks, he will deliver a lecture in the evening, at 8:30 o'clock in the East ward assembly room. All friends are cordially invited to come out to hear him. There will be no admission charge.

Among the books in model school library, sent here at the beginning of the summer, one volume, "Krag and Johnny Bear," by Ernest Seton-Thompson has been lost. It is thought it may have been carried home by some child who attended the model school, and it is hoped that if this item falls under the eye of one who knows anything of the book's whereabouts care will be taken to return the missing volume.

A. O. Thomas, of Kearney, newly elected president of the state normal school at that place, paid the McCook junior school a friendly and professional visit Thursday. He addressed the teachers at the morning chapel exercises and again in the afternoon. Mr. Thomas is well known in this part of the state, where he has frequently been engaged in institute work. He was a member of the McCook junior normal school faculty two summers ago.

When Frank R. Roberson announced his inability to keep his engagements with the five Nebraska junior normal schools, State Superintendent McBrien went at once to work to find an acceptable substitute. Talent is busy at this season with chautauqua work, and he considers it fortunate that he was able to secure the Locke Male Quartette. These people are successors of the famous Wesleyan Quartette, which was on the course two years ago this summer.

The Locke Male Quartette is this week serving a five days' engagement on the monster Epworth Assembly at Lincoln, and their appearance there before the vast crowds that attend those gatherings should be guarantee enough for their excellence. The Locke Male Quartette will appear in McCook on Friday, August 11, the last day of the summer school.

Opening Uintah Indian Reservation.

The Uintah Indian Reservation will be thrown open for settlement on August 25th. Registration will commence, August 1st, at Grand Junction, Colo., Vernal, Price and Provo, Utah, closing August 12th. Reduced rates granted. Call for particulars. GEORGE S. SCOTT Agent.

Buy an Edison Phonograph and you will never be lonesome. A phonograph will bring more pleasures and advantages to your home than any other instrument you can get. No other instrument is so inexpensive; no other joy so endless in variety; no other servant so tireless. You can use it to date on the late popular hits and are always in a position to entertain your friends. Sold by McConnell, Druggist.

There are more fights and disturbances on the streets just now than the good people of this city appreciate. A more severe enforcement of law in this matter is needed. Make an end to trifling with such law breakers.

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.

RETURN ENGAGEMENT.

DR. D. F. FOX

Pastor California Avenue Congregational church, of Chicago

Who was high school commencement orator, this spring

will deliver his celebrated lecture

"CHARACTERS WE HAVE ALL MET"

Congregational Church

MONDAY, AUGUST 14, 1905

8:30 p. m.

Scores of friends, with delighted remembrance of Dr. Fox's lecture of last May, will be glad to greet him upon his return. He is a masterly man, eloquent, entertaining, with a rare command of language, and possessing noble and worthy ideals.

Robert McIntyre says: "Dr. D. F. Fox, my Congregational co-worker, of Chicago, is a man with a message. It is an unfeigned pleasure to speed the work of such a speaker. Let that man be untroubled who introduces him to an audience. He never fails to move and uplift. I say do not miss his lecture unless you have a grudge against yourself. Hear him."

For the Benefit of the McCook Congregational church

Tickets on sale by solicitors and at McMillen's and McConnell's drug stores, 50 cents.

Mrs. Henry Corcoran's Sad Death.

Mrs. Henry Corcoran, who was so terribly injured in an accident, last Saturday evening, died about one o'clock, Sunday afternoon, at her home in the Coleman precinct.

The circumstances of this accident are extremely sad. Mr. and Mrs. Corcoran had just arrived home from their usual trip to McCook on Saturday. Mr. Corcoran had gotten out of the wagon and started to unhitch the team. Mrs. Corcoran had stepped onto the double-tree and was in the act of reaching back into the wagon after her umbrella, when the colt which formed part of the team, suddenly began kicking, knocking Mr. Corcoran about ten feet away and rendering him unconscious for a while. The team then ran away. Mrs. Corcoran was thrown and dragged some distance, sustaining terrible injuries about the abdomen by the wheels passing over her body. She remained in great pain until Sunday afternoon at one, when she was mercifully released and passed to her home beyond.

(KATHERINE PARKS was born in Scotts township, Vanderburg county, Indiana, in 1848. She was united in marriage with Henry Corcoran, December 13th, 1884. After a short residence in Springfield, Illinois, they moved to McCook in 1885, locating in Coleman precinct, this county. Three daughters were born to them, Mollie, Jennie and Maggie, all of them with the husband surviving her. Besides two sisters and one brother—living in Evansville, Indiana, mourn her tragic, sad death. Died at her home in Coleman precinct, Red Willow county, Nebraska, July 30th, 1905.)

Funeral services were conducted at the farm house, Tuesday afternoon, by Rev. J. J. Loughran of St. Patrick's church, after which the remains were interred in Calvary cemetery of this city. There was present at the services a large concourse of neighbors and friends attesting the admiration and friendship they held for the deceased and sympathy for the bereaved father and daughters. There were a number of beautiful floral offerings to the memory of the departed.

Mr. Corcoran's injuries, while painful, were not of a serious nature. Many willing neighbors and friends in the country and city have vied with each other in every effort to assist and comfort Mr. Corcoran and family in this distressing sorrow and bereavement.

A Valuable Horse Killed.

Fred Wasson lost a valued horse, Wednesday night of last week, at the corner of Engineer William Woods' dwelling in West McCook, in a peculiar accident. Head and neck were driving home, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnes were coming to town. They met in the shadow at the point named, neither seeing the other in the darkness. The thill of the Barnes buggy penetrated the Wasson horse's breast and heart, and the animal died in a few minutes after the accident.

Milton Stoner Painfully Injured.

Milton Stoner was quite painfully injured, last Thursday night, by falling off of the National hotel balcony to the pavement below, a distance of perhaps fifteen feet. Fortunately his injuries were not serious, consisting of numerous painful bruises, but no fractures. He is now able to be about some and will soon be able to resume work.

County Examination.

There will be an examination of teachers conducted at the brick school house in McCook, on Sat. Aug. 12, continuing from 8 o'clock until 6 o'clock.

FLORA B. QUICK,
Co. Supt.

Flooded The Elevators.

The rain of last Saturday night, amounting to about three and a half inches, flooded the elevators on east Railroad street, in the case of the H. H. East-erly & Co. elevator particularly. Their damage will amount to about \$400.00. They had 16 feet of water in their pit, which of course means that the water arose in their bins and reached perhaps a 1,000 bushels of wheat, more or less damaging the same. Much mud was washed into the bins and pit, and it took a large force of men all day Sunday and Monday to pump out the water and shovel out the mud, and to get the plant in shape for operation, Tuesday morning.

W. H. Ferguson's old and new elevators both had some water in their pits,—the old one about seven feet and the new one six feet. But in neither case did the water rise high enough in the pit to reach the wheat in the hopper bins, hence their damage was very slight, and it was not necessary for them to suspend operations at all.

A glance at the ditch excavated for carrying off the drainage water on Railroad street shows one conclusively that it is entirely inadequate to the purpose in case of a heavy rain. The ditch has to carry practically all the drainage water of the city. It should be deepened and widened. The outlet at the railroad crossing east of the city is even more helpless to fill the requirements, being but two feet square. This culvert should be largely increased.

As THE TRIBUNE understands the matter, this ditch and culvert are on Burlington railroad property. If so, they should promptly make good the inadequacy. If the matter is within the jurisdiction and province of the city authorities they should lose no time to correct this condition.

Some one is in line for damages, and properly so, if adequate drainage is not provided. It is unjust to subject any one to such loss and inconvenience.

MUSICAL.

MISS EDNA M. BARR

and

MISS HAZEL HARE

assisted by others

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1905

at 8:30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Admission, 35c.

A real musical treat is assured by these two artists and assisting friends. A full house should greet them.

A Worth While Book Free.

The Boyles College, Omaha, 1905 catalogue is just out and is free for the asking.

As a review of the fields of labor open to, and opportunities beckoning to the young man or woman who will become a finished stonographer, book-keeper, or telegrapher, it is a perfect eye opener.

THE FALL TERM OPENS SEPTEMBER 4. If you are undecided as to just what vocation you should choose, get the catalogue, read every word of it, study its columns, weigh its arguments in your own mind. You will find it a source of great inspiration. Address: BOYLES COLLEGE, 1807 Harney, Omaha, Neb.

Cash Offer Wanted.

On lot 3, block 7, 1st addition to McCook, Neb., and the southeast quarter of 22-3-29, 1 1/2 miles east of McCook, Neb. Address owner, Bonj. Hammer, 1858 Emerson st., Denver, Col.

The advertising of The Thompson D. G. Co. is absolutely reliable. The goods offered in their clearing sale (see big advertisement on editorial page) are actually there and will be sold exactly as offered at the sensational reductions stated in the advertisement.

One of Frank Stillman's hired men and the horse he was riding narrowly escaped drowning in his barnyard, last Sunday morning. A big river canyon opens out just at the barnyard and was running a flood of water.

Some years ago all machinery was made from wood. Now all first-class machinery is made from steel. The latest is a steel wagon. And W. T. Coleman has them.

Get a hammock and enjoy yourself these "piping hot" days. Strong, roomy hammocks at McConnell's at money saving prices.

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

Farmers! Have you enough dishes for harvest? Ludwick has the assortment to select from.

Lincoln Mixed Paint will give entire satisfaction. Sold by McMillen, Druggist.

Here Dr. Fox in the Congregational church, Monday evening, August 14th.

"Characters you have all met" at the Congregational church, August 14th.

McMillen's Blackberry Balsam for summer complaint, etc.

Farm trucks as low as \$27.00 at W. T. Coleman's.

The Round Oak Chief steel range at Waite's.

Stokes, the grocer.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Ludwick for dishes.

McConnell for drugs.

Feed mills at Coleman's.

Stokes, grocer, phone No. 30.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

Detroit gasoline stoves at Waite's.

Try Stokes for groceries. Phone 30.

Cups and saucers 45c per set at Ludwick's.

Turnip and winter radish seed at Waite's.

Those bread mixers at Coleman's are bread winners.

Fresh butter of best quality at Marsh's meat market.

Hear Dr. Fox in the Congregational church, August 14th.

Remember phone No. 30 when you want nice fresh groceries.

The new "Press cut" glassware at Ludwick's. Have you seen it?

Coleman sells steel ranges as low as \$16.00. Call and see his line.

H. P. Waite & Co. have a large stock of bundle and header forks.

Cream in sealed 10c and 20c bottles for sale at Marsh's meat market.

That sliced halibut will capture you if you try it once. Stokes' grocery.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McMurrin died on Saturday last.

Still have a good supply of fly nets. W. T. COLEMAN.

French canned goods—peas, mushrooms, sardines etc.—at Stokes' grocery.

TO TRADE OR SELL—A new sewing machine. Inquire at THE TRIBUNE office.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve meals during the street carnival, this month.

This is weather to naturally remind you of the comfort of a lawn swing. See Coleman.

It cost Martin Donahue \$1.00 and costs for imbibing too freely Tuesday. He liquidated.

Thursday, the Baptist Sunday school held its annual picnic. They report an enjoyable time.

This is ideal weather for a gasoline stove. The Quick Meal is still the unequalled stove. W. T. COLEMAN.

Prof. C. H. Miller and F. M. Kimmell will sing a duet at the morning service in the Congregational church.

I want to buy two or three good Jersey cows not over five years old at fair but not fancy prices. S. R. Smith, Indianola, Neb.

The bridge northeast of town over the canyon was damaged by the flood last Saturday night, part of an approach being washed away.

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

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 Women's Missionary society of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. I. D. Moore, Wednesday afternoon, August 3, at three o'clock.

Diarrhoea, cholera morbus and cramps are speedily stopped with McConnell's Blackberry Balsam, the sure relief for summer bowel troubles. 25c.

Dr. Fox at the Congregational church, Monday evening, August 14th. The doctor's address to the graduates of 1905 marks him as a lecturer of the highest merit. Tickets 50c.

McCook