

# The McCook Tribune.

Nebraska State Historical Society

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## DENTAL ANNOUNCEMENT

After an enforced absence of two months abroad, Dr. Herbert J. Pratt now takes pleasure in informing his patients and friends that he has returned and is ready to resume his professional duties at his office upstairs over McConnell's drug store. Dr. Pratt further announces that during his limited stay in London, England, he took the rare opportunity of attending at several of the best known medical and dental hospitals, chief among them being the Royal Dental Hospital of London. He was thus enabled to take up a series of lectures and practical demonstrations, under able teachers, in certain branches of dentistry hitherto not practiced in this section of the state, consequently he will shortly make some important up-to-date additions to his already modern outfit, which will give him an equipment second to none in Southwestern Nebraska.

## Reception to Pastor and Wife.

The members of the Congregational church tendered their new pastor and wife Rev. and Mrs. George B. Hawkes a reception of happy particulars, Friday evening of past week, a goodly company attending and meeting them with kindly greeting and welcome.

Mrs. E. J. Mitchell greeted the company and introduced them to the receiving line which was augmented by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hefelbower and Mrs. M. A. Northrup.

A decidedly worthwhile program was rendered during the earlier part of the evening: There was a piano solo by Miss Lillie Campbell, vocal solo by Mr. Roswell Culter, recitation by Miss Bessie Bosworth, piano duet by Miss Edna M. Barr and Miss Ruth Wiehe, a solo by Miss Ruth Wiehe, violin and piano duet by Miss Hazel Hare and Miss Edna M. Barr, violin solo by Miss Hazel Hare, vocal solo by Mrs. C. W. Britt.

After the program light, dainty refreshments were served in the east room of the church.

The church was very attractively decorated for the occasion, colored electric lights adding a pretty detail to the pulpit platform decorations.

## Red Willow County Fair.

The premium lists for the Red Willow county agricultural society's twenty-fourth annual fair are now ready for distribution. Write the secretary, J. W. Dutcher at Indianola, for a copy. The dates are September 26, 27, 28, 29.

The county commissioners, at their meeting, last Friday morning, decided the protest in favor of the agricultural society, which will receive its financial assistance from the county as usual, this year, and the officers are now at work with a will to make the meeting in September a success.

The proper observance of Carnival Week is easier if there is a plentiful supply of belts, gloves, fans, ribbons, neckwear, and other small accessories to dress ready at hand. They are easily obtained by a visit to Thompson's store.

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

The following merchants of McCook will deliver goods ONLY IN THE AFTERNOON during Carnival Week:

C. L. DeGroff & Co.  
J. A. Wilcox & Son  
James McAdams  
John H. Grannis  
M. E. Knipple  
Ed. Huber

Gentlemen's needs for Carnival Week in the way of dress are satisfactorily met in suits, hats, shoes, gloves, shirts and all furnishings at Thompson's.

Cramps and other sudden bowel pains relieved with McCONNELL'S BLACKBERRY BALSAM. McCONNELL, Druggist.

## MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

A. W. UTTER is in Long Island, Kas. Mrs. LEOTA SHAW is a guest of Mrs. S. M. Cook.

C. S. QUICK of Indianola was a visitor, last Friday.

H. L. Kennedy has purchased the J. H. Bennett's residence.

Mrs. L. S. SAGE of Alliance is the guest of her sisters.

MISS MEDORA SANTEE arrived in the city, first of the week.

Felix Kennedy, the boiler inspector, is at headquarters, this week.

D. C. PALMER went down to Hastings, Tuesday morning, on business.

MISS GEORGIA B. PARKHURST of Virginia, Ill., is a guest of the Berrys.

CHARLIE BEARDSLEE departed on No. 13, Tuesday, for Cripple Creek, Colo.

Mrs. M. S. PARKS went down to Holdrege, Tuesday, to see the harvest festival.

R. KNOWLES, one of Culbertson's real estate men, was a city visitor, Friday last.

Mrs. F. W. HAWKSWORTH of Lincoln is a guest of her mother Mrs. M. A. Hobson.

DR. DALY, the Cambridge dentist, was in the city over Sunday, a guest of Dr. Pratt.

R. A. COPPE of Falls City was a guest of C. J. O'Brien, Sunday, while passing through the city.

DR. C. L. FAHNESTOCK arrived home, last Friday night, from his trip to Sheridan, Wyoming.

Mrs. AXEL BACKSTROM and children returned home, Sunday, after an absence of several weeks.

Mrs. G. D. LEHEW returned home, early part of the week, from her visit to Pueblo, Colorado, relatives.

MR. AND MRS. W. M. STONER and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Stayner were excursionists to Lyons, Colo., Sunday.

J. R. McCARL arrived home, close of last week, from spending a few days at Sheridan, Wyoming, fishing.

DR. A. P. WELLES, who has been in the lake country for several months for his health, arrived home, Sunday.

ALEX SMITH has been out from Sioux City, Iowa, on business connected with some stock interests in this section.

MR. AND MRS. R. L. CLYDE and her sister Miss Pettit returned, Sunday morning, from their Colorado visit.

MR. AND MRS. SAM PICKARD and the children were up from Havelock, over Sunday, guests in the Fuller home.

Mrs. J. G. SCHOBEL and Marjory are visiting Denver relatives. Mr. Schobel spent Saturday and Sunday last with them.

FRANK VAHUE of Allegan, Mich., arrived in the city, close of last week, on matters of business, which held him a few days.

MISS C. LOU JAMES of the Nebraska Children's Home Society has been in the city, part of the week, on work of the society.

Mrs. A. J. JACKSON, after a visit of a few weeks with W. O. Marshall and family, has gone to La Crosse, Kas., to visit a daughter.

Mrs. N. E. FAHNESTOCK departed, Monday evening, for Staunton, Illinois, to be absent several months on a visit to relatives and friends.

SHERIDAN CLYDE of Elwood, Indiana, was in the city, Sunday and Monday, visiting members of the family, on his way home from attending the great Eagles' meeting in Denver, last week.

Mrs. W. B. MILLS, Mrs. A. L. Knowland, Mrs. G. R. Snyder and Mrs. J. E. Kelley took in the Holdrege festival, Wednesday. Mrs. Kelley acted as one of the flower parade judges.

MARION POWELL of Lincoln was in the city, Sunday evening, between trains, on his way home from a business visit to Red Willow county, to see his large interests in this section.

JOE HARRISON, J. W. Dutcher, N. J. Uerling and other Indianolaites appeared before the county commissioners, last Friday morning, and successfully presented the case of the agricultural society in its application for the usual county financial assistance. A protest had been filed against its allowance.

MISS GRACE E. SMITH of our city is entertaining her friend Miss Grace E. Smith of Media, Ill. These young ladies are not related, but were brought together in a peculiar manner, by a communication written to the "Bay Window" of the Sunday School Advocate, eleven years ago, which came to the notice of the other and a correspondence followed. A friendship was formed and a desire to see each other increased until Miss Grace visited her correspondent at her home in Ill., two years ago. Miss Smith of Ill., is now returning the visit which is mutually enjoyed.

## ARRANGEMENTS ABOUT COMPLETE

The arrangements are about complete for McCook's Street Fair and Carnival, which will open next Monday, August 28, and continue until Saturday night, September 2.

In the line of pleasure, the Parker Amusement Co. will be the feature, and that is the same as announcing on authority that there will be something doing in the entertainment line all the time—day and night.

The Live Stock and Agricultural Exhibit will occupy special place, Monday and Tuesday, August 28 and 29.

The Woodmen will be at the center and front of the stage on Thursday, August 31, with their Second Annual Log-Rolling contest.

Friday, September 1 will be Traveling Men's Day, with the Flower Parade a good second.

Saturday will be McCook Day, and will close the Carnival in a blaze of glory, so to speak.

The stock pens and agricultural display buildings have already been constructed, the decorations are up, the streets wired for the electric light display—in fine, McCook already has on most of her glad clothes, and calmly awaits with confidence the coming of her thousands of guests, next week.

## Base Ball Schedule.

One of the ever-absorbing items of interest, any time in the season, of base ball, and to meet this demand of the people, lovers of the national game will have an opportunity of seeing at least four games during the carnival. And this is the schedule:

McCook vs. Sheridan, Wyo., Tuesday and Wednesday.  
McCook vs. Arapahoe, Thursday.  
McCook vs. Oxford, Friday.  
McCook vs. Hayes Center, Saturday.

These games will all be played in the afternoon, and at times not to conflict with the other attractions of the carnival.

The "Sheridan Cowboys" are admitted to be among the swiftest base ball players in the northwest.

## Special Train Service.

On account of the Street Fair and Carnival to be held in McCook, August 28-September 2nd, the following special train service has been arranged with the Burlington:

HOLDREGE TO MCCOOK, FRIDAY, SEPT. 1ST.

Lv. Holdrege.....7:30 A.M.  
Atlanta.....7:43  
Mascot.....7:53  
Ar. Oxford.....8:10  
Lv. Oxford.....8:15  
Edison.....8:30  
Arapahoe.....8:45  
Holbrook.....9:00  
Cambridge.....9:20  
Bartley.....9:40  
Indianola.....10:00  
Red Willow.....10:15  
Ar. McCook.....10:25 A.M.

Returning, special will leave McCook at 11:00 P.M. September 1st.

IMPERIAL TO MCCOOK, THURSDAY, AUG. 31ST.

Lv. Imperial.....7:30 A.M.  
Enders.....7:45  
Zell.....7:59  
Wauneta.....8:14  
Hamlet.....8:32  
Palisade.....8:51  
Beverly.....9:12  
Culbertson.....9:33  
Perry.....9:42  
Ar. McCook.....9:55 A.M.

Returning, special train will leave McCook at 10:00 A.M. Saturday, September 2nd, for Imperial, to return passengers.

An attractive program has been arranged for each day of the Carnival. For special low rates, enquire of agent.

## Republicans Name the Winners.

The Republican county convention that met at Indianola on Wednesday, August 23rd, made the following nominations to fill the several offices:

Ben. G. Gossard, County Treasurer.  
E. J. Wilcox, County Clerk.  
J. C. Moore, County Judge.  
H. I. Peterson, Sheriff.  
Flora B. Quick, County Sup't.  
Dr. J. B. Hare, Coroner.  
James Williams, Surveyor.  
F. S. Lofton, Commissioner, 1st Dist.  
C. B. Gray, Commissioner, 3rd Dist.

The convention met shortly after one o'clock, and was called to order by Lon Cone, the chairman of the Republican central committee. After the reading of the call by C. B. Gray, the secretary, the names of Phillip Gliem and Lon Cone were presented for the position of permanent chairman. Upon Mr. Cone's declination to permit his name to go before the convention, Phillip Gliem became chairman by the unanimous voice of the members. S. R. Smith of Indianola and C. W. Barnes of McCook were nominated to fill the offices of secretaries, and were the choice of the convention for those positions. There being no contesting delegations, the report of the committee on credentials was dispensed with.

The chairman, being authorized to select a committee of three to suggest the names of persons who should act as delegates to the state convention, named J. E. Kelley, E. E. Devoe and W. A. McCool, and instructed them to report after the other business of the convention was finished.

Ben G. Gossard and E. J. Wilcox were nominated by acclamation and with great enthusiasm, for the offices of treasurer and clerk respectfully, and each responded, to the demands for a speech, briefly thanking the members for the nomination and pledging themselves to a faithful performance of their official duties.

The first office on the list for which two contestants appeared was that of county judge. J. C. Moore of Tyrone precinct was nominated by his constituents, while Indianola presented a candidate in the person of J. E. Ryan. The ballot resulted in a vote of 88 to 43 in favor of the former.

H. I. Peterson of Grant precinct and D. C. Baker of North Valley precinct were placed in nomination for the office of sheriff. Peterson secured the nomination by a vote of 107 to 32.

The only real conflict came when the office of county superintendent was reached. The presentation of the name of Miss Flora B. Quick, the present incumbent, for nomination, was the provocation for more oratory than all the other questions that arose. Miss Quick's nomination was eloquently advocated by several delegates, while another element in the convention believed that in the absence of a Republican candidate for that office, the place should be left blank on the ticket. A motion to table the nomination was lost by a narrow margin of four votes, and thereupon, Miss Quick was nominated by acclamation for the position.

Dr. J. B. Hare of McCook was nominated, without opposition, for the important office of coroner. A spirited contest developed for the office of surveyor, James Williams and Jacob Korb, both of Bondville precinct, being candidates for that position. The ballot resulted in the selection of Williams, by a vote of 70½ to 67½.

On the informal ballot taken by the delegates from the precincts constituting the 1st commissioner's district, the names of four candidates were presented, F. S. Lofton, W. S. Fitch, W. T. Henton and Henry B. Colling. On the formal ballot Fitch and Colling withdrew, and the nomination went to Lofton by a vote of 22 to 21.

C. B. Gray had no opposition for nomination to the commissionership of the 3rd district to fill the unexpired term occasioned by the resignation of J. H. Bennett.

The committee appointed to select representatives to the state convention, named the following delegation:

Phillip Gliem.  
J. E. Ryan.  
W. S. Morlan.  
C. E. Eldred.  
W. R. Starr.  
J. R. McCarl.  
Charles Skalla.  
C. M. Malone.  
R. W. Devoe.  
W. B. MacKechnie.

Charles Skalla was made chairman of the county central committee, with authority to select the secretary, and the central committee was empowered to fill all vacancies that may occur on the ticket and on the committee.

The members of the county central committee, as announced by the several delegations, are as follows:

## Certificate of Succession.

Treasury Department, Office of Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, August 5, 1905.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF MCCOOK" in the City of McCook, in the County of Red Willow and State of Nebraska, has complied with all the provisions of the "Act of Congress to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence and for other purposes," approved July 12th, 1902.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK," in the City of McCook, in the County of Red Willow and State of Nebraska, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely until close of business on August 6th, 1925.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and seal of office this Fifth day of August, 1905. T. P. KANE, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Alliance, Sam Premer.  
Beaver, Wm. Hierskorn.  
Bondville, Henry N. Colling.  
Box Elder, Stephen Bolles.  
Coleman, Jacob Betz.  
Danbury, W. B. Miller.  
Driftwood, W. S. Fitch.  
East Valley, H. L. Brown.  
Fritsch, Emmett McCool.  
Gorver, C. S. Lofton.  
Grant, H. I. Peterson.  
Indianola, W. B. MacKechnie.  
Lebanon, J. B. Cummings.  
North Valley, William Wight.  
Perry, C. H. Harman.  
Red Willow, S. R. Smith.  
Tyrone, W. C. Crosby.  
Valley Grange, Rod McDonald.  
Willow Grove,  
1st precinct, 1st ward, J. R. McCarl.  
2nd precinct, 1st ward, John Brittain.  
1st precinct, 2nd ward, Lon Cone.  
2nd precinct, 2nd ward, .....

## MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

McConnell for drugs.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

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

Special prices on Hammocks at McMillen's drug store.

Note the new advertisement of Ed Huber, in Odell's old stand.

Dr. Kay, office on Dennison street, rear of Citizens Bank. Phone No. 98.

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

FOR RENT—the cottage just south of my residence. L. W. STAYNER.

Twenty different patterns in dinner ware to select from at Ludwick's furniture store.

The skating rink has been enlarged by addition of thirty feet of space to the east end of the rink.

Remember H. P. Waite & Co. have a large stock of lubricants. Have you ever tried Sunlight axle grease?

FOR RENT—Desirable furnished front room with bath. Call two doors south of Dr. Easterday's residence.

Read what H. P. Waite & Co. have to say about the Malleable steel range and its demonstration at their store.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Sewing or any light work. Mrs. S. A. Warner, second house north of brick school house.

DWELLING FOR SALE—Four-room house on lot 2, block 25, Original McCook. GEORGE SCHMIDT.

The dance by the K. of P. orchestra in the opera house, Tuesday evening of this week, was well patronized despite the heat.

Household Remedies—send us the receipts, we will make a specialty of their preparation.

McCONNELL, Druggist.

Carnival week will call for a new belt, new gloves, an extra fan, two or three sets of new ribbons. You get them all at Thompson's.

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.

If in need of a cook stove or steel range, call on H. P. Waite & Co. They have just received a carload of the handsomest and best goods in this line ever brought to McCook.

Carnival Week will be also in a large measure a show of dresses and toilets. If you have delayed your preparations we can quickly supply you with all the necessary waists, skirts, collars, neckties, gloves, belts, fans, ribbons and other accessories at Thompson's.