

ONE of the sound recommendations of the recent meeting of Nebraska commercial clubs in Omaha in annual convention was, "No railway passes and a two-cent fare." The first would be in the clear interest of a square deal; and with the dead-heads all lopped off the two-cent fare ought to be doubtless would net the railways a profit.

"IMMUNITY" is the cry of the arrogant packers when there seems to be a prospect of their getting "soaked" a few. They have evidently been practically immune from all the laws effecting the average concern and business in the past—and they have been "soaking" the public to their hearts' content and profit. THE TRIBUNE hopes "the big stick" will get them good and hard and where it will do them the most good.

THE TRIBUNE has not been entirely disenchanted of the conviction that the American people can be depended upon to do the right thing, if fairly and freely and frankly and honestly informed in the premises. Nothing permanent of good comes by indirection and still-hunts. THE TRIBUNE believes at any rate in all public matters, especially those involving taxation, in taking the people into the confidence. Give us light clearly.

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Full feathered ducks we pay \$1.50 a pound for. Full feathered geese we pay 75c a pound. Hens 7c a pound—Roosters 2c to 3c a pound. Springs weighing 2 1/2 pounds to less 11c a pound. Turkeys 11c, old Toms 9 and 10c a pound.

THE GURNEY POULTRY CO.
McCook Nebraska.

McCook Market Quotations.
(Corrected Friday afternoon.)

Corn	27
Wheat	58
Oats	25
Rye	40
Barley	23
Hogs	5.50
Eggs	10
Good Butter	20



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Price 25c for a large can, at all druggists and dealers

SAMPLE BALLOT

Shall the City of McCook, Red Willow county, Nebraska, borrow money and issue the bonds of said city in the sum of ten thousand dollars on the first day of May, 1906, in a series of five hundred dollars each, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable on the first day of May of each year after the issuance thereof, the principal and interest thereof to be payable at the fiscal agency of the state of Nebraska in the City of New York, said bonds to mature on the first day of May, 1926, provided that any or all of said bonds may be redeemed at any time after the first day of May, 1911, at the option of the City of McCook.

Shall the Mayor and Council of the City of McCook annually, at the time required by law for making estimates for levy of taxes for city purposes and in addition thereto levy a tax of two mills on the dollar valuation on the taxable property, both real and personal, within the corporation limits of said city to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund to pay said bonds, to be known as the Sewer tax.

Said bonds to be sold for not less than par value thereof and the proceeds to be applied to the construction of the main sewer of the McCook Sewer System.

FOR Sewer Bonds and Sewer Tax.....

AGAINST Sewer Bonds and Sewer Tax.....

Burlington Bulletin.

ADDITIONAL TRAINS TO THE NORTHWEST.—Commencing February 11th, two daily trains to Montana, Washington, Puget sound and Portland, via Billings, Montana, short line.

SPECIAL HOMESEEEKERS' RATES.—Greatly reduced round trip rates to the North Platte Valley and the Bighorn basin, Feb. 20th, March 6th and 20th. Less than one fare for the round trip.

COLONIST RATES.—Special low one way colonist rates to points in Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and California, February 15th to April 7th, inclusive.

HOMESEEEKERS' EXCURSION RATES.—To points in Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, Feb. 20th, and Mar. 6th and 20th.

SEND FOR FREE FOLDERS, descriptive of the irrigated lands in the North Platte Valley, the Bighorn Basin, the Billings district and eastern Colorado. Specify which you want.

TO THE SUNNY SOUTH.—Winter tourist rates daily until April 30th. Return limit June 1st, 1906.

Write me just what trip you have in mind and let me advise the least cost and the best way to make it. 2-23-2ts.

G. S. SCOTT, Agent C. B. & Q. Ry.
L. W. WAKELY, G. P. A., Omaha.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY NO. 1.

Will Duborko, who has been staying at Nelson Downs for a while has been sick.

John Brittain arrived home, last week, from his absence of a few months in Missouri.

E. J. Baker and A. R. Sageser with their families departed, this week, for Washington, where they expect to make their home.

W. E. Corwin has rented Lakewood ranche. He expects to go to New York in a few weeks on a visit. Upon his return he may become a resident of McCook.

Fred Wagner, Jr. is back from Bone-steel, S. D., where he went about a year since to take charge of a claim he drew in a government allotment. We understand that he sold his place for \$2,700. Thieves and fire made his life for a while unpleasant up there, but he came out pretty well in the wind-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Downs received word, Sunday, of the death of the infant child of their daughter Mrs. William Staddler of Minden. The child was born on last Friday; died on Sunday, and was buried on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Downs went down to Minden, Monday on 12, to attend the funeral.

Ayer's

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Short Hair

BARTLEY.

Robert Gregory was a Bartley visitor, Friday of last week.

Mr. Carnahan moved into his beautiful new home in the north part of town, Monday.

Dr. J. M. Brown and Ira Sheets started, Tuesday evening, for a trip into the Indian Territory.

James Finnegan has purchased an interest in G. W. Jones' furniture and hardware store.

A. F. McCord returned, Tuesday, from an extended visit among relatives and friends in Missouri.

Harry Payne left Thursday, for his new home in Idaho. His wife and children will follow him, Saturday.

C. J. L. Trainer and wife drove to Cambridge, Tuesday morning, where they took the train for Oklahoma.

Harry Payne and wife, Mr. Farrel and wife and Mr. Grimes and wife took dinner with J. R. Sipe and family, Sunday.

Will Bueler returned on No. 12, Monday morning, from Wray, Colorado, and Denver where he had been on business.

S. W. Clark has received the appointment of postmaster and will put an addition onto his store building in the near future.

Mr. Clements of Merrimac, Mass., who was here to attend the funeral of his brother C. E. Clements, returned to his home, Friday morning.

Dan Jennings came in on No. 5 Saturday evening, from Holbrook. He will visit a few days with his father Lyman Jennings and other relatives.

Tony Dietsch was suddenly taken very ill, Wednesday evening, and for a time his life was despaired of. He revived however, but is still very low.

Dynamos Driven from Car Axle.

The Great Western Railway of England is lighting its corridor trains by electricity obtained from dynamos driven from the car axle. Storage batteries are carried for use when the running speed is slow and for stops.

A Trite Saying.

It is a trite saying that no man is stronger than his stomach. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery strengthens the stomach—puts it in shape to make pure, rich blood—helps the liver and kidneys to expel the poisons from the body and thus cures both liver and kidney troubles. If you take this natural blood purifier and tonic, you will assist your system in manufacturing each day a pint of rich, red blood, that is invigorating to the brain and nerves. The weak, nervous, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people suffer from, is usually the effect of poisons in the blood; it is often indicated by pimples or boils appearing on the skin, the face becomes thin and the feelings "blue." Dr. Pierce's "Discovery" cures all blood humors as well as being a tonic that makes one vigorous, strong and forceful. It is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for like purposes that contains neither alcohol nor harmful habit-forming drugs, and the only one, every ingredient of which has the professional endorsement of the leading medical writers of this country. Some of these endorsements are published in a little book of extracts from standard medical works and will be sent to any address free, on receipt of request therefor by letter or postal card, addressed to Dr. J. C. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. It tells just what Dr. Pierce's medicines are made of.

The "Words of Praise" for the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, by leaders in all the several schools of medical practice, and recommending them for the cure of the diseases for which the "Golden Medical Discovery" is advised, should have far more weight with the sick and afflicted than any amount of the so-called "testimonials" so conspicuously flaunted before the public by those who are afraid to let the ingredients of which their medicines are composed be known. Bear in mind that the "Golden Medical Discovery" has THE BADGE OF HONESTY on every bottle wrapper, in a full list of its ingredients.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, invigorate the liver and regulate stomach and bowels. Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser will be sent free, paper-bound, for 21 one-cent stamps, or cloth-bound for 31 stamps. Address Dr. Pierce as above.

Consideration.
Jimson—Now, you wouldn't marry me, would you? Miss Sears—Most certainly not. But why do you ask such a question? Jimson—Just to decide a bet.

Let no man think lightly of good, saying in his heart it will not benefit me. Even by the falling of water drops a water pot is filled.—Buddha.

A Bit of Westmoreland.
The Westmoreland hills are the remains of an infinitely older world—giants decayed, but of a great race and ancestry. They have the finish, the delicate or noble loveliness—one might almost say the manner—that comes of long and gentle companionship with those chief forces that make for natural beauty, with air and water, with temperate suns and too abundant rains. Beside them the Alps are inhuman, the Apennines mere forest grown heaps, mountains in the making, while all that Scotland gains from the easy enveloping glory of its heather Westmoreland, which is almost heatherless, must owe to an infinitude of fine strokes, tints, curves and groupings, to touches of magic and to lines of grace, yet never losing the wild energy of precipice and rock that belongs of right to a mountain world.—Mrs. Humphry Ward in Century.

The Arab Steed.
An Arab steed of pure breed would probably be outpaced in a race by an English thoroughbred, but in other respects it outshines its western rival. It is so docile that it is treated by its owner as one of the family, and it has an iron constitution, for it sleeps out at night without covering or shelter. Nature protects the Arab horse with a thick, furry coat, which is never touched by brush or comb and which falls off at the approach of spring, when the body and legs, which had been shaggy as those of a bear, again resume their graceful beauty and glisten in the sun like polished marble.—London Chronicle.

North and South Korea.
In the northern part Korea is covered with transverse mountain ranges which gradually sink to a well marked lowland. The principal mountains, however, occur on the side of the sea of Japan. The rocks of the country are chiefly old formations—archaean and Palaeozoic. The easiest passage across the peninsula is along the depression of Chyukkaryong. South of this line lies the "Hanland" (south Korea), which differs in history, climate, topography and people from north Korea.

Her Unseemly Perversity.
Mrs. Hunks—I wish you wouldn't be so positive. There are two sides to every question. Old Hunks (with a roar)—Well, that's no reason why you should always be on the wrong side!—Chicago Tribune.

Plates.
Individual plates for table use were unknown to the ancients, who held their meat in their hands or employed the flat wheat cakes then made on which to hold their victuals. They are first mentioned in A. D. 600 as used by the luxurious on the continent, and in the ninth century they had come into common use both in England and on the continent. They were made of wood or some kind of earthenware, the former material being preferred because it did not dull the knives.



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Monday, February 26, 1906

One gray Mare, 10 years old	One sorrel Horse, 10 yr's old	One steel Hay Rake
One bay Mare, 8 years old	One yearling colt	One McCormick Mower
Two horse Colts	One blue Mare, 9 years old	One McCormick Corn Harvest-er
One span black Mules, 5 years old	One sorrel Mare, 6 years old	Two 16-inch Plows
One span mare Mules, 4 years old	70 Grade Hereford Cows, in lots of ten head	One double Gang Plow
One span Mules	One 3-section Steel Harrow	One Fan Mill
One Western Horse, unbroken, 5 years old	Three Wagons	One 2-horse Grinder
	One Truck Wagon	Two 30-gallon Kettles
	Harness	

Many other articles too numerous to mention

Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS: On sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; on sums over \$10.00 a credit of nine months will be given, purchaser to give note drawing eight per cent. interest with approved security. A discount of five per cent. will be given for cash on sums over \$10.00.

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