

TEMPERANCE COLUMN

Conducted by the McCook W. C. T. U.

TELLS WHAT HE WILL DO.

Minneapolis, Aug. 24.—"If I am elected president of the United States on the third day of November and inaugurated on the fourth day of next March, I will call a special session of the congress of the United States the next day after my inauguration and ask them to legislate the liquor traffic out of existence." This declaration by Eugene W. Chafin, prohibition candidate for president, found hearty approval in the crowd of working men and others who met the candidate here today.

For a quarter of a century the church has been the football of the liquor sellers, but now the latter are scampering from the gridiron in dismay. They fear the storm that has already broken about their heads and grows blacker and more threatening with every passing moment. The saloon is learning to its cost that the church people have backbones and propose to stand up and fight for their rights as American citizens.—Rev. J. L. Scudder.

The tea held at Mrs. Rosebush's, last Friday afternoon, was well attended. The refreshments were very appetizing. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. E. E. DeLong's.

Members and all interested in the temperance cause, vote for Chafin, the prohibition candidate for president. All you ladies read up on the good things Eugene W. Chafin is saying and influence the men to vote for him. Keep on talking temperance; we can all do so much more than we do. It is to be regretted that all the women in our town couldn't hear Mrs. Armour of Georgia, who certainly would inspire you to greater work. Vote for Chafin!

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN—Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. All are welcome.

R. M. AINSWORTH, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at St. Albans' church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are welcome to these services.

E. R. EARLE, Rector.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.

WM. J. KIRWIN, O. M. I.

BAPTIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 8:00. W. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.

E. BURTON, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Services, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Meetings held in the Morris block. Room open all the time. Science literature on sale. Subject for next Sunday, "Christ Jesus."

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Subject, "The Fog-Horn." No evening service. C. E. at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

G. B. HAWKES, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 by Rev. C. C. Wilson, district superintendent. Fourth quarterly conference, Monday night, August 24 at 8 p. m. Epworth League at 7. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8. A cordial welcome to all.

M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

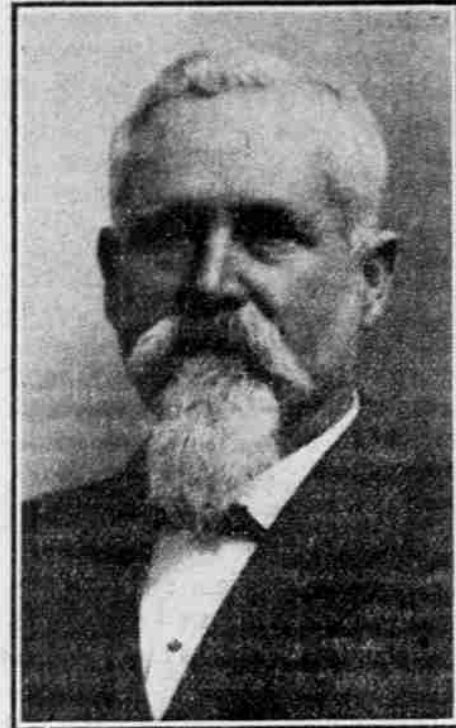
PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

Here is another of Henry Van Dyke's "plain maxims drawn from experience." "Read over again the ten best books you have already read. The result of this experiment will test your taste, measure your advance, and fit you for progress in the art of reading."

W. D. Howells, in one of his books entitled, "Heroines of Fiction," asserts and reasserts that the real greatness of any novelist depends upon his power to portray his heroines so truthfully that they seem living personalities to the reader. He analyzes the heroines of Jane Austen, Charlotte Bronte, Dickens, Thackeray, Charles Reade, George Eliot, Mrs. Humphrey Ward, Hawthorne, Cable and many others, almost denying greatness to names we have long enrolled among the immortals, and generously according near-greatness to other names that, while they have not been obscure, have hardly held place in our thought as belonging among the highest in literary fame.

Such an eminent literary critic as Mr. Howells, himself a creator of heroines, makes most interesting reading as he talks to us about the heroines of other writers. He quotes quite at length from the novels he discusses, and in so doing renews our interest in the ones we have read, and creates a desire for the acquaintance with the ones we have not known. After reading his critical essays one can hardly take up the next novel without looking at the heroine as that through Mr. Howells' glasses. It is refreshing to read, not only good books, but about books, and we have some excellent books about books in the library.

LIBRARIAN.



JOHN C. GAMMILL, Republican candidate for State Senator from the 29th Senatorial district of Nebraska, at primaries, September 1st, 1908.

My Platform.

Believing the people of the 29th senatorial district have a right to know where those seeking their support at the primary stand, I have pleasure and satisfaction in placing before the people my platform and ask their votes upon its merits and upon their confidence in me that I will do my utmost to carry out its promises if elected:

PLATFORM.

1. I unreservedly endorse the policy of the "square deal".
2. I believe that our primary law should be amended so that committees shall be elected by vote of the people.
3. I favor judicious legislation intended for the improvement of the public highways.
4. I will support any legislation recommended by Gov. Geo. L. Sheldon in line with the policy which he has so far pursued.
5. I will support reasonable legislation intended to supplement our national legislation and make it effective within our state.
6. I am in favor of permitting the people to vote upon any question of public policy whether it be in municipal, county or state affairs. Therefore, I favor a county option law and will support one if I have an opportunity to do so.
7. I will support any reasonable measure intended to regulate in a just and equitable manner the powers and duties of corporations. I believe the state should be bigger than any corporation in it, and where a corporation is a natural monopoly or where two or more corporations have formed a trust to create a monopoly I believe they should be placed under strict regulations by the state.

JOHN C. GAMMILL.

GERVER.

Arrangements are being made to move the school.

Quite a few of our young folks attended the dance at Harve Rowland's Saturday night.

That article in last week's TRIBUNE about preachers hunting game out of season will apply to some of our county officers. We have positive evidence of their hunting chickens before this time.

The rain of 2 1/2 inches Sunday night prevented Mr. Austin getting his wheat threshed first of the week.

T. J. Relph was in the vicinity looking for cattle to ship Tuesday.

Talking about it raining in Missouri and Iowa. This month has demonstrated that it can rain in Nebraska.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lant is visiting with them.

Miss Emma Dickenson will teach our school this term.

THE TRIBUNE—all home print.

A city display of rugs at city prices. That is the opportunity now offered the people of McCook and surrounding country by the Pade Furniture and Carpet Co. Quantity, quality, size and prices all right.

Typewriter ribbons for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

Stock Reducing Sale

Must have more room and to make it will sell for the

Next Twenty Days
AT DEEP-CUT PRICES
All Furniture in Stock

Look at these prices:
\$25.00 Com. Book Case at \$20.00
\$14.50 Com. Book Case at \$12.50
\$30.00 Buffet at \$22.50
\$25.00 China Closet \$20.00
\$20.00 2-in. Continuous Post \$15.00
\$30 Genuine Leather Chair \$23.00
Dressers from \$10.50 up.
Chiffoniers from \$8.50 up.
Mattresses and everything else in proportion.

FINCH'S West
Denison
Street

DINING-ROOM TABLES BE-
LOW COST

County Commissioners' Proceedings.

McCook, Neb., August 10, 1908.
The county board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion approved.
The state board of equalization not having made its report, the county board on motion adjourned to meet August 11, 1908.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 10, 1908.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion approved.
The 1908 levy not having been made, the board on motion adjourned to meet August 17, 1908.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 11, 1908.

The county board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

The state board not having made its report, the county board on motion adjourned to meet August 12, 1908.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 12, 1908.

The county board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

The state board of equalization not having made its report, the county board on motion adjourned to meet August 13, 1908.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 13, 1908.

The county board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

The state board of equalization not having made its report, the county board on motion adjourned to meet August 17, 1908.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 17, 1908.

The county board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

The board having completed the equalization of assessments and the state board of equalization and assessments having made its report to the county, finds that the total assessed value of the real and personal and railroad property of Red Willow county as returned by the assessors and equalized by the county and state boards of equalization for the year 1908 is \$3,129,259.99.

A motion was made by Gray, seconded by Premier, that the levy of taxes for the year 1908 be made as follows:

County General Fund	8 mills
County Road Fund	2 mills
McCook City	22 mills
Bartley Village	13 mills
Lebanon Village	5 mills
County Bridge Fund	3 1/4 mills
County Soldiers Relief	1-10 mills
Indianola City	11 mills
Danbury Village	4 mills

DANBURY VILLAGE AND SCHOOL DISTRICT BONDS.

Willow Grove Precinct Bond	3 mills
McCook City Sewer Bond	2 mills
McCook City Bond	2 mills
Bartley Village Bond	3 mills
School Dist. Bond	Gen. H. S. Tol.

1	1	10
2	2	20
3	3	30
4	4	40
5	5	50
6	6	60
7	7	70
8	8	80
9	9	90
10	10	100
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61	61	610
62	62	620
63	63	630
64	64	640
65	65	650
66	66	660
67	67	670

68	16	2	18
69	9	9	9
70	6	25	31
71	6	25	31
72	7	1	8
73	11	11	11
74	16	16	16
75	25	25	25
76	18	18	18
77	12	25	9
78	20	20	20
79	20	3	23
80	7	25	3
81	4	25	3
82	16	16	16
83	24	24	24
84	25	4	29

SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT TAX.

No. 1. North Valley precinct	2 mills
No. 2. Alliance precinct	5 mills
No. 3. Fritch precinct	1 mill
No. 4. Box Elder precinct	1 mill
No. 5. Coleman precinct	5 mills
No. 9. Indianola precinct	1 mill
No. 10. East Valley precinct	5 mills
No. 11. Tyrone precinct	1 mill
No. 12. Missouri Ridge precinct	1 mill
No. 14. Valley Grange precinct	2 mills
No. 15. Driftwood precinct	1 mill
No. 16. Grant precinct	3 mills
No. 17. Gerver precinct	1 mill

Motion to make this levy carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Skalla, seconded by Premier, that the board of equalization does now adjourn sine die. Motion carried unanimously.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 17, 1908.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

The following claims were audited and allowed and the clerk was instructed to draw warrants on the county general fund, levy of 1908, as follows:

For Jurors, February Term.

Hurley F. Dye	\$36.30
C. J. Suiter	50.20
Robert Highland	36.30
U. B. Bartholomew	47.00
Geo. Kearns	34.30
J. H. Wodell	50.40
Chas. Rogers	50.40
Jack Bryan	40.30
W. E. Hart	40.30
Patrick Callan	25.50
C. G. Budig	44.20
J. W. Fleischnman	43.35
Geo. Godown	50.50
G. W. Probasco	52.00
Frank M. Howe	47.60
E. S. Howell	42.30
Henry Vontz	48.50
F. M. Jennings	42.90
W. M. Weidenhamer	34.30
Fred Schlegel	46.20
Alex Ellis	44.00
P. J. Hickman	55.20
H. S. Shriner	42.30
W. H. Anderson	54.30

For Talesmen, February Term.

Harry Slosson	\$18.10
W. M. Rozell	6.10
Chas. W. Kelley	4.10
M. L. Search	6.10
F. L. Rolfe	8.10
Wm. Raine	6.10
C. R. Sheets	2.10
Mart Morris	5.50
Jacob Wislon	6.00
N. H. Wolfe	3.20
Gus Morosic	3.20
George Ridgeley	3.50
Joe Morris	2.90
Wm. Kamp	21.20
Henry Schamel	3.20
H. C. Whitmore	3.20
John Crocker	20.70
J. C. Dedman	21.20
Leroy Jones	5.00
Conrad Beck	4.20
L. A. Bible	21.20
A. T. Wilson	21.25
Robert Larrington	5.00
J. W. Turner	21.50
Orley Hadley	21.60
Ed. Lakin	5.40
Ira Neel	2.90
Wm. Zwieg	3.20
Frank Teel	3.20
T. M. Campbell	5.00
Chas. King	5.40
W. B. Sexson	5.00
Frank Lytle	5.00
Geo. Harrison	5.00
L. M. Brannan	5.00
Frank Lakin	5.30
S. O. Hoagland	5.30

H. I. Peterson, salary for March 100.00
H. I. Peterson, salary for April 100.00
H. I. Peterson, salary for May 100.00
H. I. Peterson, salary for June 100.00
H. I. Peterson, salary for July 100.00
H. I. Peterson, stamps and calling talesmen 7.25
H. I. Peterson, attendance district court 50.00
H. I. Peterson, attendance district court 18.00
H. I. Peterson, committing prisoners to jail 4.00
Geo. Fowler, salary as janitor, Jan. and Feb. 75.00
C. A. Rodgers, first quarter salary 100.00
H. I. Peterson, posting primary election notices 31.00
J. C. Moore, office expenses 2.97
R. M. Osborn, special deputy in Connor case 3.00
M. R. Osborn, special deputy in Connor case 8.20
W. C. Schenck, special deputy in Connor case 8.20
H. P. Waite, special deputy in Connor case 3.00
R. M. Osborn, salary deputy sheriff, Dec. 1907, and Jan. 1908 32.50
J. H. Snyder, services as special bailiff 66.00
Claudia B. Hatcher, junior normal fund appropriation 150.00
Claudia B. Hatcher, office expenses 27.35
Claudia B. Hatcher, office expenses 16.40
Claudia B. Hatcher, salary first quarter, 1908 200.00
Claudia B. Hatcher, salary second quarter, 1908 200.00
P. E. Reeder, salary first quarter, 1908 200.00
P. E. Reeder, salary second quarter, 1908 200.00
Chas. W. Kelley, surveying road 11.40
Chas. W. Kelley, surveying road 6.60
C. Naden, money advanced for freight bills and transportation of paupers 48.11
C. Naden, freight bill paid 9.84
C. Naden, office expenses 1st half year 1908 135.50
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies

to superintendent	17.10
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies to superintendent	4.50
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	17.40
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	12.15
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	3.65
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	20.00
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	3.15
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	1.75
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	11.05
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	12.20
Hammond & Stephens Co., school supplies to Supt.	1.65
Chas. Skalla, first quarter salary as clerk of board	75.00
Chas. Skalla, second quarter salary as clerk of board	75.00
Chas. Skalla, compiling real estate list for assessors	150.00
Chas. Skalla, office expense, February	8.32
Chas. Skalla, office expense, March to July 1st	49.50

The following claims were rejected and the clerk was instructed to notify the various claimants of the action taken by the board, to-wit: W. Godfrey, special deputy in Connor case \$3.60
Ed. Fitzgerald, special deputy in Connor case 3.60
J. E. Hathorn, professional services 10.00
L. A. Fitch, rig for sheriff 2.50
Charles Rousch, claim for damages on road No. 412 77.50
John Howe, collecting taxes in Frontier county 2.65
On motion the board adjourned to meet August 18, 1908.

F. S. LOFTON, Chairman.
Attest: CHAS. SKALLA, Clerk.
McCook, Neb., August 18, 1908.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present F. S. Lofton, S. Premier and C. B. Gray, commissioners, P. E. Reeder, county attorney, and Chas. Skalla, clerk.

On motion the clerk was instructed to draw a warrant on the county general fund, levy of 1908, to Stephen Bolles for the amount of \$100.00 for making an exhibit at the state fair.
A motion was made by Premier, second