

COOKING EXHIBITION

OF THE
GREAT MAJESTIC MALLEABLE AND CHARCOAL IRON RANGE

AT OUR STORE
ONE WEEK = November 16 to 21, Inclusive = ONE WEEK

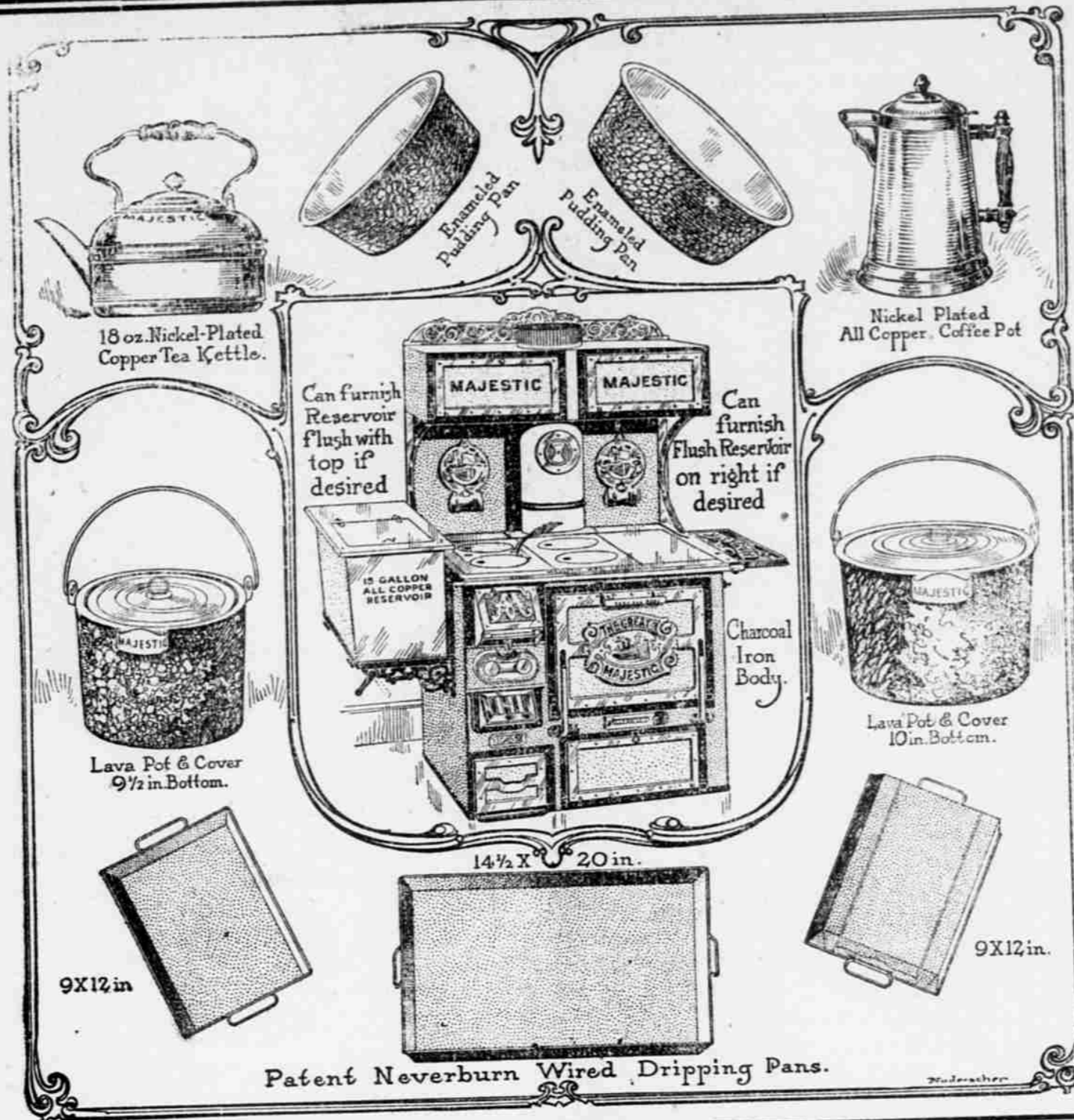
Free!

\$7.50 Set of Ware

With every Majestic Range sold during this Cooking Exhibition, we will give ABSOLUTELY FREE one handsome set of ware as shown. This ware is worth \$7.50 if it is worth a cent. It is the best that can be bought. We don't add \$7.50 to the price of the range and tell you you are getting the ware free, but sell all Majestic Ranges at the regular price. You get the ware free. Remember this is for exhibition week only. Ware will not be given after this week. This ware is on exhibition at our store and must be seen to be appreciated.

Come in any day during the week. Make our store your headquarters. Have coffee and biscuits with us.

Come, whether you intend to buy or not; the information gained will serve you in the future.



Facts about the Great Majestic Range

It is the only range in the world made of Malleable and Charcoal Iron.

It has, beyond any question of a doubt, the largest and best reservoir.

It uses about half the fuel used on other ranges, and does better work by far.

The Majestic All-Copper Nickered Reservoir heats water quicker and hotter than any other. It is the only reservoir with a removable frame.

The Charcoal Iron Body of the Great Majestic Range lasts three times as long as a steel body.

Being made of non-breakable material, there is practically no expense for repairing the Majestic.

As for baking, it is perfection; not only for a few months, but for all time to come.

A GREAT MAJESTIC RANGE lasts three times as long as a cheap range, but it doesn't cost three times as much.

PROOF—We don't ask you to take our word for any of the above statements, but if you will call at our store, a man from the factory where Majestic Ranges are made, will prove to your satisfaction that these are absolute facts, and will show you many more reasons why the Great Majestic Range is absolutely the best that money can buy.

Everybody Welcome **McCOOK HARDWARE CO.** Everybody Welcome

The McCook Tribune.

By F. M. KIMMELL

Largest Circulation in Red Willow Co.

Subscription, \$1 a Year in Advance

THERE are millions of American citizens, irrespective of political affiliations, who would be "delighted" to see Theodore Roosevelt don a senatorial toga from the Empire state.

THE annual report of the Northwestern railroad just filed with the state shows an increase in passenger receipts for 1908 over 1907 of \$377,814.15. During the same period freight receipts decreased \$817,516.09. Operating expenses decreased 4 cents per train mile during the last year. Evidently the 2-cent passenger rate has not injured the Northwestern.

Security for Depositors

The National banking laws make every stockholder of **The First National Bank of McCook** liable to depositors for twice the amount of stock owned. The liability of stockholders to depositors of this bank is \$50,000.00; to which add its paid up and unimpaired capital of \$50,000.00, surplus of \$25,000.00, and undivided profits of \$10,000.00, making a total of \$135,000.00 securing depositors of the bank. In addition to this amount are the general assets of the bank—cash, notes, bonds and other securities—amounting to more than \$435,000.00 which secure the depositors of the strongest bank in Southwestern Nebraska—

The First National Bank

of McCook, Nebraska

THE way Phelps county lined up for Congressman Norris saved the day.

REPUBLICANS will have to take the bitter with the sweet. Uncle Joe will doubtless reign in the next house of representatives.

SATURDAY, the U. S. circuit court ruled that the American Tobacco Co. is a trust and on Monday the trust's common stock fell off 32 points.

EVIDENTLY the famous "skidoo" number 23 will have no future terrors for Congressman Norris. Those two digits even in that order and relation looked good to him, this year.

Real Issues Are Moral. Another great national campaign has closed. We have heard from men eloquent and prosy, brilliant and stupid, brainy and dull, patriotic and designing, as to the issues of the campaign. And this leads the writer to his conviction that the real issues before the American people have only incidentally been considered and discussed during the campaign. That the real and true issues deal not so much with high or low tariff, transportation charges, labor, wages etc., as they have to do with morals and righteousness. The question is not so vital "who shall rule" as "what shall rule?"

New elements of discontent and discord and dishonesty have crept into our national life during its unparalleled prosperity and development. The allurements and greed of gold, ambition for place and power, the desire to get and to rule rather than the how to acquire and to administer seem to dominate. Employers seeking more the annihilation of competitors than the production of honest goods at a fair price and the paying of just wages. Labor often more intent upon number of hours and size of wages than concerned about quality and quantity of service rendered.

Law-breaking and disregarding trusts have begotten a distrust and a disregard of law in the individual citizen, even to the children. The disparity in law-enforcement between the rich and the poor has quickened and embittered this disregard and distrust.

The get-rich-quick idea has weakened moral fibre, extending its fell influence in many ramifications of our national life, until President Roosevelt has touched his truest note in an appeal for civic and moral righteousness and justice—"The Square Deal."

Individual and commercial honesty, temperance, civic and individual purity, in a word it is righteousness that exalteth a nation and is the real issue.

JOE CANNON continues to endear himself to the people of the west by "knocking" on the waterways movement of President Roosevelt.

THE Fairbanks machine in Indiana got a solar plexus blow, practically every man Fairbanks named being defeated. But Beveridge looms up larger and more magnificent than ever.

GOVERNOR-ELECT SHELLENBERGER, a clever and able man, has a generous reputation as a side-stepper, and he will have ample scope for his ability in the ensuing two years, in trying to satisfy the whiskey and the temperance people, the railroads and the farmers,—all with their diametrically opposite demands and claims.

A CORRECTION OR TWO.

Victory verified and reason reasserted, the publisher has a word to offer touching an incident or two of the close of the late campaign:

Mr. Ashton in his speech here with some warmth charged THE TRIBUNE with being the mouth-piece of Congressman Norris. Mr. Ashton was mistaken.

When Mr. Norris' re-election hung in the balance for a few days a few individuals in this city with unhealed sores became industrious in charging the supposed defeat to THE TRIBUNE. This was equally false and absurd with the charge of Mr. Ashton.

THE TRIBUNE of the past month or more is ample proof, in measure not excelled in this district and up to the fullest expressed wish of the congressional committee, that the publisher unqualifiedly supported Mr. Norris without money and without price!

The basis of the alleged treason is the fact, doubtless, that the Democratic committee purchased space in THE TRIBUNE at usual advertising rates in which during the campaign to present their side of the issues—the Democratic party having no newspaper in the county. The conditions were twice stated in the paper, the authorship and responsibility for the utterances of the same being placed with the Democratic committee. This, we hold, should have been sufficient for any tolerant and intelligent reader, and did not in any wise exceed the limits of fair play. Other interests were accorded the same privileges on similar terms, the railroad men, the temperance people etc.

We submit that in the absence of newspapers representing their special interests these people had the same right to be represented in publicity for which they paid as had the Republican candidates and cause to receive pages of free political publicity.

INDIANA seems to be the western presidential dead-line.

A Piano at a Nominal Price.

Chicago's largest music house, Lyon & Healy, announces a rebuilding clearing sale of pianos. Nearly one thousand splendid instruments are offered without reserve until all are sold. In this stock are fine new Mehlin, Hardman, Ivers & Pond, Smith & Nixon and other noted pianos formerly owned by the Thompson Music Co., the Healy Music Co., and the big F. G. Thearle Piano Co. All these concerns were bought out for spot cash by Lyon & Healy and the public may now share the advantage. In this sale are also a number of Steinway and Weber pianos. In upright pianos neat instruments at \$100, \$120, \$140, \$150, \$165, \$190, \$200 and upwards. This is an unprejudiced opportunity that will not occur again. Any piano not proving entirely satisfactory may be returned at their expense. Address Lyon & Healy, 10 Adams street, Chicago. Distance is no obstacle, for in proportion to the saving to be made the freight charges are insignificant. Any banker will assure you of the entire responsibility of Lyon & Healy, and their record of 45 years for honorable dealing. Write today so as to avoid disappointment.

Charles H. Morrill Honored.

At the late election in Cheyenne county, it carried by a decisive vote to divide that large county, the line of division to extend across what is now Cheyenne county just above Dalton, about 20 miles north of Sidney. Mr. Charles H. Morrill of Lincoln, without effort or solicitation, was honored by having the county—the northern and rather larger half—named after him. It is expected that Bridgeport will be the county seat. The people of the new county honored themselves as much as they honored Mr. Morrill, who is one of the men Nebraskans properly hold in high esteem.

Club Officers.

Officers of the Men's Sunday Evening Club of the Congregational church as elected Sunday evening last: Chester A. Rogers, president; J. D. Young, vice-president; H. C. Clapp, secretary; Scott Doan, treasurer.

Committees: Advertising, B. H. Stewart, C. D. Ritchie and L. Sues; music and program, Rev. G. B. Hawkes; Dr. J. A. Toren and Henry Best; ushers, Scott Doan, Ralph Randel and Bryce Jones; membership, F. L. Wolf, J. D. Young and A. McMillen; social, H. C. Clapp, T. F. Rowell and F. L. Schwab.

Read the eight pages—all home print.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

- Foot balls at Hofer's.
- Pancake flour at Scott's.
- Mince meat at Scott's.
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- Pure maple syrup at Scott's.
- THE TRIBUNE—all home print.
- Everything in drugs. McConnell.
- Picture framing. The Ideal Store.
- Mary Harrison, nurse. Phone black 286.
- Fruits of all kinds at all times at Huber's.
- Kodaks and kodak supplies. McConnell's.
- Prunes in 25-pound boxes at \$2.25 per box. Huber's.
- Typewriter ribbons for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.
- Typewriter ribbons, papers etc. for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

Mortgagee's sale of the Tartsch stock of goods is now on.

Magner & Stokes for Wright's Pure Buckwheat Flour. Nothing better.

Full line of Hair Goods is now being carried at Miss Anderson's.

Dr. Hare examines eyes free, and guarantees satisfaction in fitting glasses.

Ten thousand post cards, new views of McCook and real photographs, finest on the market, price 3 for 10 cents, at Barney Hofer's.

H-O-O-S-I-E-R is the way to spell KITCHEN CONVENIENCE. The Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, the best made—by far. See them at Ludwick's.

Tomorrow is the last day of the Great Special Trimmed Hat Sale at Miss Anderson's. Large stock, handsome creations, greatly reduced prices.

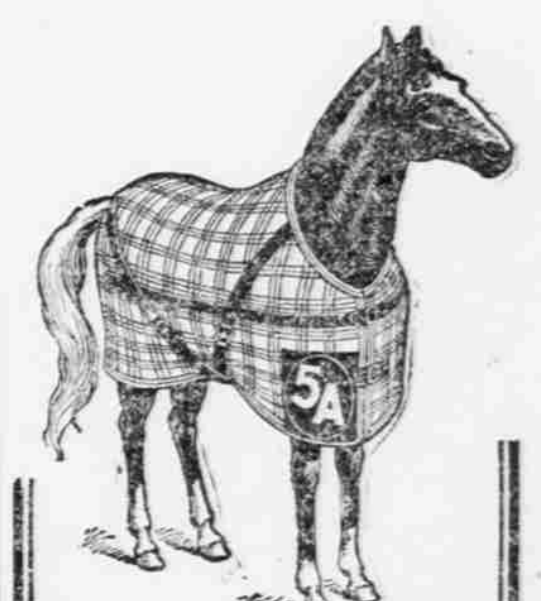
The American women have put their stamp of approval on the "Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet" by the number they have bought. The Hoosier is used in more homes than any six makes combined. There's a reason. Sold only by Ludwick.

A part of every man's business assets is his reputation for being there with the goods, of selling good articles for the money, for selling dependable merchandise in any department of trade. Haven't you often heard this stated of Marsh's meats?

BEGGS' CHERRY COUGH SYRUP cures coughs and colds.

FOR SALE, FOR RENT, ETC.

- FOR SALE—I have for sale a few choice family cows. Also a large boned registered Poland China boar. S. R. SMITH, Indianola.—6-3ts.
- FOR RENT—4 room cottage at 505 2nd st. E. Phone black 133.—1f.
- FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire of Mrs. James I. Lee, phone 43.
- FOR RENT—Seven-room house, two lots, on 1st street W. Fruit in season. Phone No. 5.
- FOR RENT—A good barn. Inquire of Julius Kunert.
- FOR RENT—New 6 room house. Phone red 349.
- FOR RENT—Furnished room, light and bath. Phone red 255, or call at 309 2nd street W.
- WANTED—Sewing by lady of experience. All work guaranteed. Miss Morris, rooms at W. E. Hart's residence.
- WANTED—A second-hand piano. Anna Bohling. Route 1.*
- MRS. UTTER, formerly Mrs. Simpson, dressmaker, rooms in Diamond flat, first stairway north of The Model Shoe Store.*
- Pure maple syrup at Scott's.



Splendid Blankets

Ask your dealer for a 5A Blanket. They are known the world over as the best and strongest, and the longest-wearing blankets made. Look for the 5A trade mark.

Buy a 5A Blanket for the Stable. Buy a 5A Square for the Street.

We Sell Them

McCOOK HARDWARE CO.