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## STAM. PICTURES

FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY

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## DON'T MISS IT!

GET WHAT YOU WANT  
WHEN YOU WANT IT!

You Will Have to Hurry!

FEBRUARY 15, LAST DAY

Over Stein's Clothing Store  
in the DIAMOND Building

### Just Third Place.

Red Willow county was awarded third place in the Southwest Nebraska declamatory contest at Stratton, Saturday night. Miss Minnie Nelson of Lebanon securing that position.

It was the original purpose to divide the contestants into classes—dramatic, humorous etc.—but the limited number of contestants precluded such a course and the six applicants for honors went in under the same classification—making difficult of course the decision of the judges.

Miss Gertrude Morrissey represented the McCook high school, although having but a few days in which to prepare a long and difficult selection. Miss Claudia Hatcher accompanied her.

### Death Relieved Her Suffering.

Mrs. William Caldwell, who has been a sufferer for a long time with cancer, passed away, last Sunday morning. A requiem high mass was conducted at St. Patrick's Catholic church, Monday morning at nine o'clock, by Father Paquette, after which the remains were interred in the parish cemetery.

The deceased was 50 years of age, and has for many years lived in our city, being survived by her second husband, several children, a sister Mrs. S. A. Haley and a brother George Foster, who removed from here several years ago.

### Men Wanted!

Men are wanted for the special men's meeting to be held at the Congregational church next Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. P. A. Sharpe will speak to the men on the subject, "A Full Grown Man." Every man ought to hear him. Come and bring a friend.

### Notice—Personal Taxes.

Personal taxes for 1908 were delinquent Dec. 1st and draw 10 per cent from that date; should be paid by not later than Febr. 1st next, as on and after that date they are subject to collection by distress warrant. C. NADEN, Co. Treas. McCook, Neb., Jan. 20th, 1909.

### The Eclipse Wind Mill

is probably as good a wind mill as is made, we sell these as well as the Dempster, Woodmanse, Perkins and others, also put them up, also make or repair your wells, also furnish all kinds of supplies. Prices reasonable.

McCook Hardware Co.

### Vette and John Deere Buggies

and spring wagons at the McCook Hardware Co. They always have a good line to select from, and every article guaranteed.

### One Cent Upwards.

We have valentines from one cent up. See them. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

Dr. R. H. Gatewood, dentist; office over McMillen's drug store; phone 163. McConnell for drugs.

### Attention, R. A. M.

There will be a Royal Arch degree conferred tonight. Supper will be served in the banquet room at 6 o'clock by the ladies of the Eastern Star. All Royal Arch Masons invited. W. B. WHITTAKER, Secretary.

### Special Meeting A. F. & A. M.

A special meeting of McCook Lodge No. 135, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, February 9th, at 7:30 p. m. Two Entered Apprentice degrees. By Order of the W. M. LOX CONE, Secretary.

### All Three Were Injured.

Thomas Williams' little but spirited black driving horse ran away, Tuesday evening, causing more or less painful injuries to all three of the occupants of the buggy. Mr. Williams had been in East N. looking investigating a real estate proposition, and in returning home one of the front wheels became cramped and dropping into a ditch, threw Mr. Williams out of the buggy, the wheels passing over his chest. H. C. Shriner was also in the buggy and he subsequently jumped out fracturing his left foot at the ankle. Latter in the affair Mrs. Williams was thrown out, sustaining painful injuries, though no bones were broken.

### Lincoln Anniversary.

The 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln will occur on Feb. 12, 1909. The federal government and the government of our state have recommended the appropriate observance of this day in memory of the illustrious citizen and martyred president. It is highly desirable that the citizens of McCook appropriately decorate their homes and places of business and that all houses of business may be closed from 1:20 o'clock p. m., to 4 o'clock p. m., that the memorial service, to be conducted by the G. A. R. in Menard's opera house, may be attended by those so desiring. J. H. STEPHENS, Mayor.

### A Victim of Croup.

Little Clara, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zeiler, died on last Friday, of croup, after a brief illness. The little one was born, August 22, 1907, on the ocean, while the parents were coming from Russia to America. The little remains were buried in Riverview cemetery, Sunday afternoon, after services of a brief nature at the home by Rev. G. L. Henkelmann. There were some very pretty flowers of tender tribute to the sorrowing parents.

### Bartley Degree of Honor.

Mrs. Augusta Anton, deputy grand chief of honor, D. of H., went down to Bartley, Thursday, of last week, to assist in boosting the D. of H. at that place. The drill team of the local lodge went down on Friday to help along and give an exhibition drill. It was the occasion of Bartley's "four-season" social, and a big program was pulled off, with several initiations, a spread and general fine time.

### Died at Hot Springs, S. D.

Mrs. C. H. Barrett of our city, now living at 1260 Mulvane street, Topeka, Kansas, is in receipt of a telegram announcing the death of her brother William Crockford, an old and early resident of Red Willow county. There are no particulars given, save that Mr. Crockford died on January 31st, 1909.

### One-Fourth Off Sale.

See Rozell & Barger's announcement of a genuine one-fourth off sale on winter goods. All goods marked in plain figures. Real values at 25 per cent off. Regular goods. Solid worth. Take advantage of this opportunity while it lasts.

### Buttons Imperative.

Most profuse is the display of buttons in the coming spring styles. We are now well supplied with the moulds for making all four of our sizes and can promptly turn out the buttons. Bring the scraps,—our machine does the rest. The Thompson D. G. Co.

### One-Fourth Off Means

in winter suits at Rozell & Barger's: \$20 suits at \$15, \$16 ones at \$12, \$12 values at \$9. And the other values reduced accordingly. Take the benefit.

### Chickens Are High.

This should interest you in the Lindsey incubator at the McCook Hardware Co. Only twelve dollars.

### A Handy Receipt Book.

Bound duplicate receipt books, three receipts to the page, for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

### FARM LOANS.

Whittaker & Gray, 107 West B, McCook, Nebraska.—25-tf.

### LOANS.

If you want a farm or city loan, call on C. F. LEHN.

### Farm Loans.

Optional payments. No cash commission required. P. S. HEATON.

McCConnell's Balsam cures coughs.

Use McMillen's Cough Cure. 25c.

McCMillen's Cold Cure will break up your cold.

Try our crackers in tin boxes. You will never use any other. HUBER.

Dr. R. H. Gatewood, dentist; office over McMillen's drug store; phone 163.

Special cards for Washington's Birthday, St. Patrick's Day, St. Valentine's Day etc., at this office.

## SUBSCRIPTION ACCOUNTS.

Notices have been mailed to all subscribers of this paper owing for the year 1908. All such accounts not paid by March 1st, 1909, or satisfactorily arranged for will be placed in the hands of an agency for collection, and the names removed from our subscription books.

Notices will also be mailed to all subscribers covering the present year—1909—and we hope responses to these will be prompt and numerous. Business conditions make it imperative that subscriptions shall be as far as possible in advance.

Kindly observe.

THE PUBLISHER.

## DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The following cases have been disposed of at the term of district court being held in our city, this week:

The Western Land Co. vs. Margaret H. Heade et al.; tax foreclosure; continued.

Vocanees Franklin vs. The City of McCook; damage; settled and dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

Acme Harvesting Co. vs. Edward Curlee; civil; motion to separately state and number.

E. C. Clark vs. C. B. & Q. Railway Co.; damage; plaintiff allowed 10 days to plead; motion to separately state and number cause of action overruled; plaintiff excepts; motion to strike answer from files overruled; plaintiff excepts.

C. L. Hawkins vs. D. E. Ewing; appeal; verdict for \$100.

Peter Holmes Updike vs. Eli Titus et al.; equity; order disposing of surplus.

S. C. King vs. I. H. Wasson; equity; settled and dismissed.

John Matthews vs. John Farrell; appeal; appeal dismissed.

Herman Brendt vs. Frank L. Spicer; specific performance; continued.

Bertha Quigley vs. Donald R. Quigley; divorce; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

Sarah J. Hickling vs. William Hammell; damage; continued.

Hiram C. Rider vs. William Huber et al.; suit on note; continued.

John F. Connor vs. Aaron J. Redfern; damage; leave given to withdraw answer and file demurrer.

David A. Goodenberger vs. Mary A. Fox et al.; equity; continued.

Wallace Plourd vs. Charles H. King et al.; injunction; dismissed, each party to pay half of costs.

Charles Hotze vs. Clarence S. Thompson; appeal; appeal dismissed.

Kettle Rivers Quarries Co. vs. R. N. Liberty and A. S. Ennis; suit on contract; continued.

William S. Eitch vs. Charles Jacobs; appeal; leave given to withdraw answer and file motion to dismiss.

Geo. W. Wyrick vs. John J. Strunck; equity; leave given to file answer instantly; leave given to file reply instantly; continued.

State of Nebraska vs. Arthur Forbes; appeal; nolle filed.

Harry Morris Bailey vs. C. B. & Q. Railway Co.; suit for damages; defendant allowed 10 days to answer.

William Jeffries vs. Herbert Beach; suit on damages; continued.

John J. Galley vs. Liona L. Easton et al.; foreclosure; default of all defendants; due plaintiff \$3,389, interest at 10 per cent from date; decree of foreclosure.

Ella W. Ford et al. vs. George W. Liston et al.; partition; continued.

Lavilla J. Burtless vs. Lovina Kendall; foreclosure; continued.

Alvin R. Scott vs. Dan A. Hewitt et al.; appeal; leave given to plead instantly to answer.

In matter of application of Sarah A. Crosby to sell real estate; stricken from docket.

Frank Stillman vs. C. B. & Q. Railway Co.; appeal; continued.

Mrs. G. W. Romans vs. Thomas D. Morrissey; appeal; motion for security for costs; motion confessed; security to be given in 30 days or order of dismissal; defendants 30 days thereafter to plead.

State Bank of Lebanon vs. Sophia and Joseph Boos; mortgage foreclosure; demurrer to petition overruled; defendants except; 30 days to plead.

William H. Kendall vs. ——— Murphy; equity; default of all defendants.

Josiah W. Gittens vs. Zachary T. McCollum; damage; motion for security for costs; continued on defendant's application.

Ora Troy Kelley vs. Abram Peters; appeal; settled and dismissed at costs of plaintiff.

Clara E. Smyth vs. Claude Smyth divorce; continued.

State of Nebraska vs. Henry N. Colling, mandamus; continued.

M. H. Hammond vs. J. O. Hammond et al.; partition; referee's report confirmed; referee's fees \$25; attorney's fees \$100; guardian ad litem fees \$5.

State of Nebraska vs. Noble E. McMurrin; appeal; nolle asked to be filed.

State of Nebraska vs. Bell Hall; criminal; plaintiff asked leave to file amended information—granted, filed and served; defendant in open court on being arraigned enters a plea of guilty to the third count in the information; thereupon sentenced the defendant to pay a fine of \$250 and to pay costs of prosecution, and to stand committed to jail till the fine and costs are paid; thereupon the county attorney asked leave to file nolle prosequi to the remaining counts of the information. Similar action was taken in like cases against Minnie Brown and Ruth Frost Barry.

Clarence B. Gray vs. C. B. & Q. Railway Co.; appeal; motion overruled; defendant excepts; 30 days to plead.

May Spaulding vs. Charles E. Spaulding; divorce; decree of divorce.

Minnie Luke vs. Anna Bohm; equity; sale confirmed and deed ordered; referee's fees \$10; guardian ad litem fees \$5; attorney's fees \$50.

State of Nebraska vs. John H. Dwyer; criminal; continued.

State of Nebraska vs. Luther Bush; criminal; forfeiture set aside.

Lavonia Finch vs. Chester A. Rodgers; plaintiff allowed 30 days to file petition; defendant 30 days thereafter to plead.

## MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

GUY L. CAMPBELL of Coleman precinct has moved to Macdoel, Calif.

Miss JENNE KUBICK was the guest of Red Cloud relatives, last week.

Mrs. R. D. AUSTIN went down to Red Cloud, last week, on a visit to her parents.

Mrs. T. E. McCALL returned, Sunday noon, from spending a few days with her homefolks at Cambridge.

Mrs. WILLIAM RICHARDSON of Haigler, a former resident of our city, was a city business guest, first of the week.

MISSES ELSIE CAMPBELL, Hazel Merle, Minnie Berry and Viva Phelan will entertain a company of friends, February 12th, in Monte Cristo hall.

Mrs. JAMES F. WHITEFORD arrived in the city, last Friday morning on No. 2, from San Bernardino, Calif., on a short visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Cordeal.

FRANK CULLEN, whose headquarters are in Omaha, but who travels for a South Bend, Indiana, concern, spent Sunday and Monday in the city, on business and to renew oldtime friendships. Frank thinks the old town is going some, and faith she is. So is Frank.

C. L. LITTEL, superintendent of Hitchcock county, was in the city, Tuesday, on the occasion of the visit of the Culbertson teachers to the McCook public school system. Lester is a McCook high school boy who is making good. And it is always a pleasure for him to visit his alma mater here.

ALTO J. ZINT, son of William L. Zint, late of our city but now living in Denver, has been chosen by the board of directors of the Colorado Manufacturers' association as their secretary. He assumed his new position, February 1st. Mr. Zint for three years past has been traffic manager for the A. T. Lewis & Son Dry Goods Co., Denver.

## Death of Little Floyd Raine.

Little Floyd, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Raine, suddenly expired, last Friday. He had been suffering from a severe attack of tonsillitis, which left his heart in a precarious condition, and finally resulted in the little fellow's death.

Services were held at home, last Sunday afternoon, after which the remains were laid away in Riverview cemetery.

The parents and relatives have tenderest sympathy in the death of little Floyd.

Floyd, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Raine, was born in Antigo, Wisconsin, in March, 1905. It is a coincidence that the twin brother who preceded him to the spirit land passed away and was buried on the same hour of the day and the same day of the week.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We are more grateful than mere words can express to all the kind friends and neighbors for assistance and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our dear little boy.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM RAINE.

## Numerous Small Damage.

Reports from over the county indicate that no severe damage was done anywhere or anyone in the county, but that the instances of damage are numerous. Windmills were blown down by the high wind of last week, fences went down by the miles, small buildings were blown over, chimneys suffered from the gale, housewives were given extra work, and so on ad infinitum, but the total loss and damage is not large and altogether we are to be congratulated upon escaping so easily from the storm, which compassed the land from ocean to ocean, gulf to Great Lakes, with wind of tornado force, below zero temperature and overwhelming snow in some sections.

## In Sealed Envelopes.

The postal regulations have recently been changed so that post cards bearing particles of glass, metal, mica, sand, tinsel, or other similar substance, are unmailable, except when enclosed in envelopes tightly sealed to prevent the escape of such particles. Heretofore, "tinsel" cards merely had to be enclosed in envelopes. Now, unless the envelopes are tightly sealed, the cards will be sent to the dead letter office. First class postage is required.

## You Will Be Glad

if you take advantage of our clearing prices on cloaks. Notice them:  
Ladies' \$5.00 50-inch coats red to \$2.89  
" 6.00 " " " " 3.89  
" 8.00 " " " " 3.99  
" 8.75 " " " " 4.99  
" 10.00 " " " " 5.99  
" 12.50 " " " " 6.99  
" 15.00 " " " " 8.69

Misses' and children's at similar sacrifice. Fur scarfs at 49c to \$5.85—about 1/2 price. The Thompson D. G. Co.

## Read This Big Ad.

Your attention is called to the big closing out sale ad of the Bee Hive appearing elsewhere in this issue. These bargains will be offered for ten days after the opening, Wednesday of next week. You should be on hand and get your share of the bargains offered. For particulars read the big ad on the eighth page of this issue!

## The Famous "Blue Book."

Rozell & Barger have just received the famous M. Born & Co. "Blue Book," and are prepared better than ever to secure tailor-made clothes for their customers in spring and summer styles from America's greatest merchant tailors. Guarantee them to fit and please you.

## Some Remodeling To Be Done.

The Pade Furniture and Carpet Co. is preparing to do some remodeling of the interior of their store room. An inside stairway and sky-light are among the improvements contemplated.

## Unequaled DeLaval Separators.

W. H. Harmon is the local agent and has in stock on West B street a number of these famous money making separators. Consult him.

## Specify the Lennox

Torrid Zone Steel Furnace, sold and put in by skilled workmen at as low prices as good work can be done. McCook Hardware Co.

Saddles, Bridles and Blankets of the latest designs for ladies and gentlemen at the McCook Hardware Co. Look them over before buying.

## "SUNKIST"

Best navel orange grown. All sizes. Only 65 cents a peck.

J. A. WILCOX & SON.

## valentines.

We have valentines from one cent up. See them. A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

Hacking Coughs soothed into silence with McConnell's Balsam. Price 25 cents.

## HOW VERY EASY

it is to spend small sums of money, when you have a large amount about you. How much safer and better it would be to keep your spare money in the bank. This bank is at your service.

## THE MCCOOK NATIONAL BANK

P. WALSH, President.  
C. F. LEHN, V.-Pres.  
C. J. O'BRIEN, Cashr.  
DIRECTORS  
J. J. Loughran P. F. McKenna

## The Time is at Hand.

The special meetings now going on at the Congregational church will close Sunday night. The meetings the past weeks have been largely attended and a deep abiding work has been done. Rev. P. A. Sharpe is interpreting the Gospel message in clear, reasonable appeals to conscience and will.

There will be meetings Friday and Saturday at 3:00 p. m. and at 7:45 p. m. Sunday three great meetings will be held. At 11:00 a. m. and at 7:45 p. m., mass meetings for all. At 3:00 p. m., a special men's meeting to which all men are invited.

The time is short. If you are to get into this work it must be at once. Come and get the blessing.

## See to Your Order or Lodge Card.

THE TRIBUNE has for some time been printing a lodge and order directory free on the promise that the cards would be kept corrected as to facts, officers etc. by the several lodges and orders. As we devote \$100.00 a year free to this purpose, we expect those receiving the benefit to keep the cards corrected. A glance at the directory reveals many errors, and we must insist upon the proper officers bringing in the facts. Otherwise we shall discontinue the cards which we find incorrect. Look to your cards.

## You Need Not Have Cold Feet.

No need to suffer from cold feet for a minute. A good hot water bottle covered with a flannel cloth will keep your feet warm all night. It also relieves toothache, neuralgia and any kind of pain that yields to the application of heat. Have them in all sizes and all prices.

L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Sharples Tubular Cream Separators are easy to run and easy to clean, and you can get the profit from your cows with one of these. Sixty-five dollars at the McCook Hardware Co.

Dr. R. H. Gatewood, dentist; office over McMillen's drug store; phone 163.

## SPECIAL BARGAINS

### IN PIANOS AND ORGANS

I have many bargains to offer in

### Secondhand and Shopworn Pianos and Organs

I wish to clean my floor of these instruments, that I may have room for my new spring stock, and will dispose of them at almost your own price.

### Pianos, \$50 and Up Organs, \$10 and Up

Come and see these instruments and get our payment plan.

H. P. SUTTON.