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\$3,000--One-third Cash; Balance on Easy Terms.

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CHURCH NOTES AND TOPICS.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Subject for 27th, "Christ Jesus."

CONGREGATIONAL—Morning subject, "Paul at Philippi"

METHODIST—Morning subject, "Jealousy."

At 8 p. m. there will be a union meeting at the Methodist church. Rev. C. H. Lewis, General Secretary of the State Sunday School Association will give the address at that time. He is a splendid speaker, and we invite everybody to attend.

Lenten services are being held every Thursday evening at eight o'clock, in the German Ev. Lutheran church, on 6th street east.

PRAIRIE DOGS.

It seems from the reports of several influential farmers who have been to see us lately, that the prairie dog pest is getting worse and worse all the time. These farmers are waging a destructive war on these little destroying animals, poisoning them with a preparation recommended by the U. S. Government experiment station.

We have obtained a copy of the recipe for preparing this poison, also the directions for using it. Anyone wishing to join in the war against prairie dogs can obtain valuable information along that line, free, at our store.

C. R. WOODWORTH, Druggist.

Some Staple Prices.

Simpson's prints 5c. (the best). Best table oilcloth 15c. American "A" 2-bu. grain bags 23c. Best apron gingham 6 1/2c. Unbleached muslins 5c., 7 1/2c., 10c. Bleached muslins 5c. to 12 1/2c. 9-quarter-wide bleached sheetings 25c. Men's blue denim overalls and jackets 33c. each. A heavier grade 69c. each. Boys' double-front and double-back overalls 39c. Rompers 39c. We mean business. We make business. The Thompson D. G. Co. One price, plain figures, cash only.

Buy the Giant Cleaner.

It perfectly cleans dresses, draperies, rugs, carpets etc. J. G. Stokes is local agent. He will demonstrate the cleaner and deliver.

Money to Loan

at low rate of interest on well improved farms occupied by the owner. J. E. KELLEY, McCook, Neb.

FARM LOANS.

Whittaker & Gray, room 3, Masonic temple. McCook, Nebraska.—25-1f.

A photo valentine would have been an appropriate gift. If it did not occur to you in time, better see Kimmell right away about getting some easter photos taken. First door north of Commercial hotel. Phone red 428.

FOR RENT—The National hotel, McCook, Nebraska. For particulars, see or write C. G. Bosworth, Prop.

COLLEGE SINGING GIRLS.

Wednesday Night, March 2.

Typewriter ribbons, papers etc. of sale at THE TRIBUNE OFFICE.

McCormell's Balsam cures coughs.

After the Show or Dance

STOP AT

Weidenhamer's

FOR

Hot Chocolate and Sandwiches

THAT ARE NICE.

Has Been Busy.
Rev. Gustav Henkelmann has been busy with home missionary work, lately: On the 15th and 16th in Sedgwick, Colo., where he baptized 3, confirmed 1, and administered the Lord's Supper to 44. On the 18th he was in Alliance, Neb., baptizing and preaching there. On the 19th he found time in Edgemont, S. D., preaching; on Sunday he preached in the Presbyterian church of that city, confirming 2 and baptizing 2; he preached morning, afternoon and evening here. Monday found him in Scottsbluff, Neb., doing some visiting.

ANOTHER BIG WRESTLING MATCH,

At Temple Theatre, Monday, Feb. 22.
DR. B. F. ROLLER vs. DR. FRANK DUCRAY & GEO. G. ON.
Dr. Roller was defeated by the Jeffries Gutch Combination, while Dr. Ducray is from our State University, and George Gion is one of the best heavy weights in the West.
People who enjoy such contests should not fail to see them.
Prices 50c., 75c., \$1.00 \$1.50

Stockholders' Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the McCook Driving Park association in the cigar store of W. E. Hart, Wednesday evening, March 2nd, at 8:30, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.
Attest: C. B. GRAY, ELMER KAY, Secretary. President.

Indifferent Success.

Hillman's Ideal Stock Co. played in the Temple, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, with but rather indifferent success. The company is strong and their offerings were above average, but they failed to strike the public's taste for comedy etc.

If You Get It Charged

it may be satisfactory to you to give \$5 for a Stetson—you get hat and time; but if you have the cash, get the Stetson hat from us for \$3.69. Others at \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50. The Thompson D. G. Co. Utmost value.

TEMPLE THEATRE,

Monday, February 28.

Greatest Wrestling Match of the season
Prices 50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.50.

COUGHS

are troublesome at the best. Often they lead to serious complications and therefore should not be neglected. You will find our cough cure effective.
A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

Only 55c.

a peck for large, juicy and sweet "Sun-kist" navel oranges.

J. A. WILCOX & SON.

John Cashen, Auctioneer,
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Farm Loans.

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

Straw For Sale.

Both wheat and barley straw. Phone cherry 1651. DAVE DEVENY.

For Sale.

Property with 8-room modern house at 412 6th street east.

Money to Loan On Farms.

See Rozell & Sons at clothing store.

A. McMILLEN, prescription druggist. Everything in drugs. McConnell.

Feed of all kinds, baled hay etc. at McCook Flour and Feed Store.

COLLEGE SINGING GIRLS.

Wednesday Night, March 2.

At the Intermission in Temple theatre building for the Judge Norris 10c. cigar and Novum Templum 5c. smoke.

We have the "Wedding Breakfast" syrup to go with the coffee at

HUBER'S.

I am agent for the Spirella corset. Ladies desiring to purchase one will find me at 504 west 3rd street. Phone red 136. THULIA MOLINDER.

Did you see a style or finish of photo somewhere that struck you as just what you wanted? Tell your troubles to Kimmell, and he will make you something as good if not better. First door north of the Commercial hotel. Phone red 428.

The word proposition has fallen heir to the unreasonable and unwarranted popularity for long enjoyed by the word thing. Both words are being used to describe the whole realm of man's imagination. Incidentally, they add to fluency, if they do not encourage elegance and exactness of descriptive diction.

CELEBRATE 46th PERIOD

McCook Lodge No. 42 Scored Another Social Success, Saturday Night.

A FINE SPREAD A FEATURE

Music by Pythian Orchestra, Panama Canal Pictures, Vocal Music, Addresses, Toasts, Make a Delightful Event.

One of the most notable social affairs in the history of McCook Lodge No. 42, Knights of Pythias, was realized, last Saturday evening, in their celebration of the 46th period anniversary of their splendid order, which is here so finely represented.

About 100 knights, members of their families and guests, participated in the celebration, which opened, following several enlightening numbers by the Pythian orchestra of ten pieces, with the reading of the annual greeting address of the grand chancellor, an inspiring presentation of Pythianism.

Miss Essie Campbell offered a vocal solo with her usual effectiveness. That masterful old pagan philosopher Pythagoras was the subject of a thoughtful address by J. F. Forbes.

A large number of most interesting pictures were then thrown on the canvas, illustrating the Isthmus and Panama Canal. These slides are the property of Congressman G. W. Norris, some of the pictures being taken by him in person during a visit to the canal zone. H. H. Rosebush projected them with his fine lantern, and Mr. Cons delivered the literary presentation. They were greatly enjoyed.

Following several selections by the orchestra, the assemblage proceeded to the banquet hall and negotiated an appetizing "spread," such as the boys know so well how to cater. Beautiful bouquets of white and red carnations were the decorative elements in the affair, besides the order colors were indicated in some of the viands—done in blue, red, and orange.

A brief post-prandial effort closed what will long leave a happy memory with all present.

Mrs. C. D. Ritchie spoke in encouraging tones and diction of the recently organized Pythian Sisterhood. Mr. Kimmell gave a brief historical sketch of the organization, institution of the order, etc., twenty five years ago; and Mr. C. A. Rodgers gave a short talk on the lodge as at present manifesting its tenets and activities in this city.

It is interesting to note in this connection, too, that the silver anniversary of McCook lodge occurs this summer or fall.

A. Barnett Gives Handsome Medals.

A. Barnett has offered a handsome gold and silver medal, to be awarded as first and second prizes for declamatory contest work in the high school. Eleven young people in the high school are working hard on their selections. The contest will probably be given about March 26. The winner, in addition to the gold medal, will represent McCook High school in the Southwest Nebraska High School Declamatory Contest at Alma, April 8.

IF THE THOUGHT

of spring house-cleaning is hovering about you like an ugly little shadow just fifteen minutes spent in looking over our beautiful new wall papers will banish it and cause you to look forward to the new bright walls with the keenest pleasure. Call now while the assortment is complete.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

To My Friends.

I wish to take this way of thanking all my friends for their assistance in the voting contest which won for me the beautiful watch. CLARA BURTON.

oid Trusty Incubators

for sale at the McCook Hardware Co.'s store, price \$9.80 for 100 egg machine. Right now is the time to buy.

Remember, if there is any error about your subscription credit this office will be most prompt and willing to correct it. We only want what is justly and really due us. No more.

For sale at a sacrifice if taken soon my residence. Hot water heat, modern. Investigate this bargain. F. S. WILCOX.

Ed. Walters commenced work on a five room cottage for C. L. Bunstock, this week.

COLLEGE SINGING GIRLS.

Wednesday Night, March 2.

A. F. & A. M. Meeting.

Regular meeting of McCook Lodge No. 133, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, March 1, at 8 p. m. Work in F. C. degree. By Order of the W. M. C. L. FARNSTOCK, Secy.

Declamatory Contest.
About March 28th, there will be a declamatory contest between members of the McCook high school for handsome medals. For some time preparations have been going on by a number of pupils under competent assistance for this event, which is anticipated with no little interest.

The medals are handsome and valuable, the gift of Albert Barnett, member of the board of education. One is a gold medal, the other is of silver.

The winners in this contest will represent McCook in the district contest to be held in Alma in April, during the meeting of the Southwestern Nebraska Educational association meeting.

More interest is being shown in debating and declamatory contests in this city and section of the state than ever before, and the McCook high school expects to be at the front in the matter.

Paul Anton Remarks.

Paul Anton and Mrs. Della Gilmore Kendrick, both of McCook, were married at the office of the county judge on Monday, February 14th. They left the same night for a western trip.—Trenton Leader.

Paul Anton and Della Gilmore Kendrick, both of McCook, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Judge John M. Williams at his office, Monday, February 14th.—Trenton Register, 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton arrived home, last Thursday, from their honeymoon in Denver, and have gone to housekeeping in the Everist residence on corner of 4th and 1st street east.

BE YOUR OWN MANICURIST.

A complete manicure outfit costs but little and it is a satisfaction to be able at any time to give your own hands attention.

We carry a full assortment of the latest manicure utensils and also the various reparations made by leading manicure specialists.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

File Claims for Damages.

The city is now brought face to face with the consideration of several claims for damages as a result of the recently completed viaduct at foot of 6th st. east. The claims filed already aggregate \$1,600 and are as follows: James Shepherd, \$1,000; Maria E. Simmons, \$1,000; Lulu Easton, \$1,000; Minnie Snyder, \$700; Jacob Frank, \$600; N. J. Johnson, \$400; L. C. Blount, \$400.

No action has yet been taken in the matter.

TO FARMERS.

This is the time of year to begin getting that team of horses in good shape for spring work. 50c or \$1.00 spent on them now will enable you to get a great deal more of labor out of them later.

We have several brands of stock food and condition powder, also a big supply of other veterinary remedies.

Remember us when you come to town.

WOODWORTH, Druggist.

Rowland Hartman Wedding.

Mr. Thayer E. Rowland and Miss Jessie E. Hartman were united in marriage Tuesday, Washington's birthday, by Rev. Francis E. Iams, at the Baptist parsonage. The groom is employed in the Burlington shops here. They will make their home in East McCook.

Get one of the those

Ice Cream Cones

Crisp and sweet, between acts, at the

BON TON

Always prompt service

Cream Separators.

The Sharples, Blue Bell and Domo, any one of them will pay for itself within one year by saving what you waste. McCook Hardware Co.

Hay For Sale.

Loose wild and baled hay and alfalfa hay for sale. Ed. Flicraft, phone cedar 3682.

COLLEGE SINGING GIRLS.

Wednesday Night, March 2.

Pierced Brass Materials and outfits.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

Don't forget Nyal's Beef, Iron, and Wine. Tones up people when they are all run down. \$1.00 per bottle. Six for \$5.00, at

Woodworth's Drugstore.

Why make boys' waists? We can sell them cheaper than you can make them. Best percales, stripes, checks and figures. 50c. to \$1.00. C. L. DeGROFF & Co.

Annual Sunday School Convention.
The annual Sunday School convention for Red Willow county will be held in McCook on February 27th and 28th: Baptist Church, Sunday, 27th.

2:30—Opening service. Invocation, Rev. Bayne. Music.

3:00—Address by Rev. C. H. Lewis of Lincoln, General Secretary.

3:45—Address by Miss Margaret E. Brown, State Elementary Sup't. Methodist Church, Evening Service.

8:00—Opening Service. Invocation by Rev. Iams. Announcements.

8:15—Addresses by Rev. C. H. Lewis and Miss Margaret E. Brown. Congregational Church Monday, 28.

9:00—Song and Praise service, led by Mr. Howe. Music.

9:30—Report of officers. 10:30—Addresses by Rev. Lewis and Miss Brown.

Afternoon Service. 2:00—Business, reports of committees, election of officers.

2:45—Address by Rev. Lewis. 3:30—Address by Miss Brown. Adjournment.

Union Temperance Meeting.
The Methodist, Baptist, and Congregational people united, Sunday evening last, in a temperance meeting at the Congregational church, with Rev. Iams of the Baptist church as speaker of the evening. He gave a Christian citizen's view-point of the liquor question.

The meeting was well attended, and an interest and sympathy indicated which make it clear that temperance sentiment is growing in this city; that the inroads of intemperance are being more rationally and determinedly opposed by Christians.

Debate Trenton Saturday Night.

The McCook High school will hold a contest debate with the Trenton High school, at Trenton, on Saturday night. The question is: "Resolved, That labor unions are, on the whole, beneficial." This is the first of a series of debates to pick out the champion debating team of Southwest Nebraska. Adaline Koller, Ray Scott, and Helen Schwab will represent McCook, with LeRene Calhoun and Joseph Moore as alternates. Quite a crowd is going up from McCook.

Pierced Brass Art Work.

Art brass is becoming very popular, furnishing individual and artistic articles for the home, office and gifts.

SO EASILY DONE SO VERY EFFECTIVE

Most beautiful and dainty candle and lamp shades, necktie racks, vases, whisk holders, waste paper baskets etc.

We also have the brass work outfits.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

McCook Team Lost Decision.

In the debate at Wray, Colorado, last Saturday evening, between the McCook High School Debating team and the Yuma County High School Debating team, the locals lost the decision.

Their next debate will be with Trenton, next Saturday evening, on the same subject, "Resolved, That as a whole labor unions are beneficial."

Better fortune to them.

The Price of Speculation.

It is conservatively estimated by qualified individuals that in 25 years or longer of McCook's existence, speculation in various forms—and most of the speculation might well be otherwise spelled—has cost this city easily half a million dollars.

The assessed valuation of McCook, real and personal, is \$645,624.

Were Well Patronized.

The ladies of the Aid society of the Methodist church were given a liberal patronage of their excellent Washington's Birthday dinner and supper, Tuesday. Their bazaar was also remembered with quite open pocket-books. These annual dinner-supper affairs are always looked forward to by the public.

Our stock of wall paper has been large in the past but it is better than ever this year.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

FOR SALE—A fine high class piano, (Ludwig) nearly new. Will sell for less than half cost price. J. P. Meyers, East McCook.

Clothesart suits, made for you. Tailoring and fit unexcelled. Prices \$15 to \$25, at C. L. DeGROFF & Co.'s.

We now sell the Phoenician Massage Cream at 25 cents.

WOODWORTH, Druggist.

"Press Work" will be the W. C. T. U. topic, February 25th. Mrs. E. S. Waite hostess, Mrs. Inglis, leader.

COLLEGE SINGING GIRLS, Wednesday Night, March 2.

New lot of Spring styles in Wall-paper at Woodworth's.

YOUR BOY AND YOUR GIRL

will soon be grown up, ready to start in life on his and her own account. What will they have to begin with? A neat little sum to start with may mean a difference of thousands of dollars by the time they are forty years old. Start an account in the name of your boy or girl, and insist on their adding to it, and have something ready for them when they are old enough to use it.

THE McCOOK NATIONAL BANK

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

Some Interior Improvements.

The county commissioners are carrying out some interior improvements of a necessary nature at the court house, chiefly looking to a relief of the sanitary conditions in the basement. The water closets have been moved out of the dark lower hallway and placed in separate rooms for the sexes on the north side of the building, parts of the northeast basement room and of the boiler room being partitioned off for the purpose. The vault door in the north side of the basement has been changed to the hall for convenience's sake. Some slight changes were also made in the jail.

Notice.

It is with pleasure we are able to announce that Mrs. Heald, State President of the W. C. T. U., will give an address in the Baptist church, Monday evening, March 7th, at 8 o'clock. All should avail themselves of the opportunity to hear her. She is of a beautiful and charming personality, and will be an inspiration to all who are interested in the cause of temperance. She has the cause earnestly at heart. Nebraska may well be proud to have such a lady as their leader.

You will miss something good, if you miss this address. Come out and hear Mrs. Heald.

Ladies meeting in the afternoon. All invited. Date to be announced next week.

NOTICE.

Parties who are owing the McCook Electric Company will certainly confer a favor by making prompt remittance.

PLEASE.

McCook Electric Company.

Silk Petticoats
of black taffeta at \$3.99, \$4.25, \$4.50 and \$4.75. Colored ones in all the desirable shades at \$4.50. Don't pay \$8.00 or \$10 for skirts that are no better. We render you the utmost service for cash only.

The Thompson D. G. Co.

Vacuum Cleaners.

We sell the Regina, price \$25.00. Let us show you what it will do.