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Rev. R. T. BAYNE, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at St. Alban's church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Communion—1st Sundays 11 a. m., 3rd Sundays 7:45 a. m., each month. All are welcome to these services.
E. R. EARLE, Rector.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8:30 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.
Wm. J. KIRWIN, O. M. I.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermons by pastor at 11 and 8. Class at 12. Junior League at 3. Epworth League at 6:45. Prayer meeting, Wednesday night at 7:45.
BRYANT HOWE, Pastor.

BAPTIST—Sunday school at ten o'clock a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible study on Wednesday at 8 p. m. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.
FRANCIS E. JAMS, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 1:30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 7:00 p. m. Saturday meetings every Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7:30. All Germans cordially invited to these services.
Rev. GUSTAV HENKELMANN,
505 3rd street West.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—219 Main Avenue—Services, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading Room open all the time. Science literature on sale.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—Regular German preaching services in church, corner of E and 6th street east, every Sunday morning at 10:30. All Germans cordially invited.
Rev. Wm. BRUEGGEMAN,
607 5th st. East.

BARTLEY.

Norris stock is above par, Cannon, Balinger and Burkett stock greatly depreciated in Bartley.

Twenty members added to the A. O. U. W., Tuesday night.

Bartley is to have a street sprinkler and keep some of the dust down.

Mrs. Mose King is quite sick, this week.

G. W. Jones was operated on Sunday by Drs. Kee of Cambridge, Mackechnie of Indianola, and Arbogast of Bartley. The operation was successful and Mr. Jones is doing well at this time—Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Minnie Reimers' marriage in Council Bluffs, Iowa, to Mr. Ray A. Stansburg of New York is pleasant news to her many friends in Bartley. Mr. and Mrs. Stansburg will reside in Omaha.

John Helm was a Bartley caller on his return from the McKillip sale. Mr. H. bought a fine cow and heifer said to be some of the finest stock sold.

James Sipe is in S. E. Colorado looking at the country in Prowers county.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges of Cambridge visited here, last week.

Miss McNeil of Indianola visited here with Miss Sallie Minnick, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Ebbecka cultivated the trees in the town part, this week.

Mr. Lohr has been making some improvements around the opera house, this week.

C. M. Babbitt will put in a fine soda fountain soon.

F. F. Stillebauer sold the land north-west of town which he recently bought of Dan Richmond to Tinnis and Fausen for a nice profit in the deal and yet the parties got a bargain in the purchase.

The marriage of Scott Wolf and Barbara Richmond was the union of two among our best young people and all join in wishing them prosperity and happiness. They are located on a farm north of Bartley about 8 miles.

R. F. D. No. 1.

A short series of revival meetings closed, last Friday evening, at the Calkins school house. Rev. L. L. Epley, presiding elder of the United Brethren church, preached and took into the church six converts.

Mrs. Fred Wagner, Sr., arrived home, last Saturday, from Immanuel hospital, Omaha, where she has been for several weeks.

Charles Downs moved, last week, to a farm seven miles from Culbertson.

BOX ELDER.

Mrs. W. F. Satchell returned to her home at Imperial, last Thursday morning.

Miss Daisy Younger is on the sicklist, this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at Mrs. J. A. Modrell's, Wednesday of this week.

Rev. Tyler commenced special meetings at Garden Prairie, this week.

Would Have Cost Him his Life.

Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Kentucky, writes: "I have used Foley's Kidney Remedy, and take great pleasure in stating that it cured me permanently of kidney disease, which certainly would have cost me my life." A. McMillen.

Legal Blanks Here.

This office carries all kinds of legal blank forms and makes special blanks to order promptly and accurately.

Leading Educators to be Present.

A number of the leading educators of the state, as well as some of the leading public men, will take part on the program of the Southwestern Nebraska Educational association at Alma, April 6, 7, and 8. Governor Shallenbarger, State Superintendent E. C. Bishop, Director J. L. McBrien of the University Extension, Dr. George E. Condra, Superintendent W. M. Davidson of Omaha, Superintendent N. M. Graham of South Omaha, besides a full evening concert by the Steckleberg Concert company.

In addition to these people for leading parts, there will be programs suited for both the grade and rural teachers. The last evening will be given over to a declamatory contest between the leading schools in southwestern Nebraska. The contest will be divided into three classes— oratorical, dramatic and humorous. McCook, Holdrege, Alma, Benkelman, Stratton, Trenton, Culbertson, Oxford, Beaver City, Bloomington and Wilcox will have teams in the contest.

All in all, the program promises to be one of unusual worth and merit for all school people. Programs can be had of County Superintendent Bettcher, at McCook.

BEGGS' CHERRY COUGH SYRUP cures coughs and colds.

Entertainment Course.

An Entertainment Course has a certain, definite value to a community worth cultivating—though such courses are not per se intended or expected to be a source of profit financially to individuals or community. They present a quality and character of entertainment and education not obtainable through any other source available to smaller communities more or less remote from large cities and centers of culture. McCook has a distinctive position and a responsible standing in this part of Nebraska, and cannot well afford to let pass the opportunity. Let us give the matter deserved attention, and be in line to take on a course beginning with coming fall. It simply requires the interest of more citizens. Can we have it genuinely and actively?

Just Business?

Is it true that the government of the City of McCook is a matter of business solely? A plank in the platform adopted in the city caucus of last Friday evening so claims. Just sordid business! Only dirty dollars! THE TRIBUNE thinks not. There are moral considerations in clean government. The making of just and righteous laws and their proper enforcement are involved in the matter besides dollars—just business. McCook needs law-enforcement, civic purity, more than it needs "just business methods" of municipal government. Business has its prominent place, too.

Publicity.

In all matters effecting the public purse—the spending of the people's money—THE TRIBUNE has always advocated publicity. Not that we mean to reflect upon the integrity of officials past or present, but simply because we consider that the people are justly entitled to know how their tax money is expended. Not for long would the people of Red Willow county rest content and satisfied were no proceedings published of the business and accounts of the county. It has never been quite clear to the writer why there should be any reluctance on part of city or school board to officially publish their proceedings and to make full financial showings of the public affairs of the people. For several years, by caucus resolutions, the voters have expressed their wishes in this matter. In the case of city councils, we believe the law is explicitly mandatory about financial reports. THE TRIBUNE hopes the board of education will take the people into their confidence—especially as a large and unusual sum has recently been expended in building a new high school structure—the pride of our city.

"Let the People Rule."

The purpose of the initiative and referendum may be expressed in a few words: "Let the people rule!" America is the country on the globe in which the people are supposed to make the laws which govern them. The initiative and referendum is designed to make the rule by the people easier, more direct, and more effective. Hence it should receive the support and votes of all fair and progressive citizens. Do the people want a certain action taken in some important matter, if their lawmakers and executives fail or refuse, initiative and referendum provides the people with the means of securing the relief or change by a direct appeal to the ballot. Is there some obnoxious or undesirable or dangerous law or ordinance in force in a city, the initiative and referendum offers the people, if they so desire, the opportunity of repealing the same. Does some city official fail or decline to do his duty, to enforce the laws or ordinances he has solemnly sworn to do, the initiative and referendum places it with the people at any time by petition and ballot to remove such official from office. It gives the people a direct and effective way of handling its disposal of valuable franchises, of voting or withholding bonds, of passing on municipal ownership propositions, etc. It is intended to give the people the quick, direct and efficient weapons against corrupt or negligent officials, to remedy bad laws and to enact progressive measures for the common good. Of course lawbreakers, those who do want certain laws enforced and those who commercially or politically profit from both of these classes may not desire that the people shall be equipped with this powerful instrument, but this fact should not blind the people to the value of the law and should not deter them from securing its benefits. When you vote for city officers, April 5th, fellow citizens, don't fail to vote for the adoption of this law. Remember, too, that it provides always that the majority shall rule.

Only One Opportunity.

Some citizens of McCook are evidently led by the activity of the saloonmen against the initiative and referendum proposition to believe that it is the sole and only purpose of this proposed measure to secure an opportunity to vote on the saloon question. Such is not the case. The saloon question is but one of many opportunities the law affords the people to express by ballot their desires and for the majority to rule.

In the Limelight.

In leading to a successful issue the great fight against the house rules, Congressman Norris of this city and of the Fifth Nebraska district has by one meteoric spurt burst forth into the limelight of national importance. The committee on house rules will hereafter consist of ten members, six of the majority and four of the minority party, with the speaker conspicuous for his absence from the committee. Few political events in late years measure up to this one in importance and intensity of interest. The victory came after days of consuming interest and parliamentary conflict, and the end projected Congressman Norris into the political sky as a star of the first magnitude, and a prominent candidate for advancement.

UNCLE JOE would doubtless rather be right than on the house rules committee.

TEMPERANCE or moral issues of any kind were not mentioned in either city caucus.

MIN HASTY is said to be not unwilling to succeed Ed Allen as postmaster of Arapahoe.

AFTER a mild bluff at regularity, the Democrats in Saturday's caucus quite dropped the bars—endorsing several of Friday evening's nominees.

THE larger interest in both caucuses was in the school board—and we believe women voted for the first time in a McCook caucus, on school board nominees, of course.

THE resolutions adopted by last Friday evening's caucus, and the fact that many Democrats participated in the caucus without objection, places the city campaign again where it has been for years—entirely outside political or partisan lines.

SINCE Bryan's pronouncement in favor of county option, Gov. Shallenbarger seems to less and less in love with the idea. Well, if the governor wants to line up with Mayor Dahlman and his tribe he will lose more than his self-respect and record.

WITH the certainty of the nomination for congress, an increasing call to stand for the United States senatorship, others suggesting his special fitness for governor of Nebraska, and now still others in a wider circle mentioning his name in connection with the presidency it is all well calculated to carry off his feet our townsman Congressman Norris. He doubtless is familiar with the wooden horse of the Greeks.

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Capt. Bogardus Again Hits the Bull's-Eye.

The world famous rifle shot who holds the championship record of 100 pigeons in 100 consecutive shots, is at present living at Lincoln, Illinois. Recently interviewed, he said: "I have suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble, and have used several well-known kidney medicines, which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley's Kidney Pills. Before taking Foley's Kidney Pills I was subjected to severe backache and pains in my kidneys, with sup-

pression and oftentimes cloudy voiding. While upon arising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley's Kidney Pills and feel 100 per cent better. I am not bothered with kidneys or bladder, and once more feel like my old self. All this I owe solely to Foley's Kidney Pills, and I always recommend them to my fellow sufferers.

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Salem Peach Orchards Yield Big Sums—Thousands of Trees Are Being Planted on River Bottom Lands Near the Capital City.

Portland, Ore., August 14.—Sixty-four thousand dollars was the price paid today for an 80-acre orchard of young trees by Henry C. Peters, a capitalist of Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. Peters purchased the property, which is situated in the heart of the east side apple belt, from Willis VanHorn, one of the VanHorn brothers, who have the biggest orchard land holdings in the valley.

The land purchased by Peters is in three-year-old Spitzenberg, Newtown Pippin and Ortley trees, and the price per acre was \$800. It adjoins the large tract recently bought by a Philadelphia man, for which he paid \$96,000. It is the intention of the purchaser to erect a fine dwelling on the place and make it his summer home.—Portland Journal.

TWO ACRES YIELD \$1,200.00.

Strawberries Are a Profitable Crop at Montezano.

Montezano, July 20.—C. E. Wagner of Oregon, has a prize patch of strawberries, from which he sold this season 600 crates, at an average price of \$2 a crate, or a total of \$1,200 for the crop. There are two acres in the patch and no special treatment was given the plants save a small smudge plant, which was brought into use to prevent damage from frost, at a cost of about \$65.—Portland Journal.

J. W. LAMAR, EDISON, NEBRASKA.