

ONLY ONE "BEST."

McCook People Give Credit Where Credit is Due.

People of McCook who suffer with sick kidneys and bad backs want a kidney remedy that can be depended upon. The best is Doan's Kidney Pills, a medicine for the kidneys only, made from pure roots and herbs, and the only one that is backed by cures in McCook. Here's McCook testimony.

Mrs. M. Carmony, 310 E. Fifth st., McCook, Neb., says: "Our experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has convinced us that they are the best kidney medicine to be had. A member of our family suffered a great deal from inactive kidneys. This person's back pained him all the time and often the misery was almost unbearable. Doan's Kidney Pills brought relief as soon as they were taken and continued use drove away the trouble."

Money carried on the person is not safe. Money loaned without good security is not safe. Money asked in speculation is not safe. But money deposited in the First National Bank is absolutely safe and will earn 4% annual interest for you.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

RED WILLOW.

Mrs. Glassburn and baby from Valparaiso spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Smith.

J. H. Whitaker of McCook spent several days at Ben King's and attended Sunday school and called on friends.

Mr. Hoagland moved last week from the Horace Taylor place to the Windhurst farm.

Mr. McDonald and family from Danbury were visitors at F. C. Smith's on Sunday.

Miss Hughes is boarding at Horace Taylor's now.

The children are still much troubled with colds.

Mrs. Taylor drove home from a month's visit to Freedom, much benefited and improved in health.

Charley Miller has moved onto the Horace Taylor place.

John Russell in his auto and Charley Miller with his team, collided one evening, and the horses were considerably damaged.

"Foley's Honey and Tar is the best cough remedy I ever used as it quickly stopped severe cough that had long troubled me," says J. W. Kuhn, of Princeton, Neb. Just so quickly and surely it acts in all cases of coughs, colds, lagrippe and lung trouble. Refuse substitutes. A. C. Millen.

McCook Tribune, \$1.00 a year.

MARION.

County Assessor T. A. Ensley of McCook, was in town on business last Friday.

Martin Nilsson was a business visitor at the county capital last Thursday.

Geo. Bull of Fairview moved in G. R. Shorey's property first of last week.

Miss Myrtle Sies closed a successful term of school in the Bethel, Kansas, district last week.

W. F. Van Pelt was to Cedar Bluffs one day last week and purchased a four-passenger Reo auto.

O. A. Harrison's moving picture show at the school house recently was well attended and appreciated by all.

Our bank believes in being up to date and have recently installed a No. 9 special Burroughs adding machine. They invite any of their customers having long lists to total to bring them in and get them added on the machine.

H. W. Parker and daughters from northeast of Danbury visited W. H. Eifert's Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Bartholomew attended the funeral of Mrs. E. E. DeVoe at Lebanon Monday.

Several from here attended the church services at Cedar Bluffs Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Boyer and son Ralph of Danbury were visitors at John Matson's last Sunday.

Alex Ellis of Gerver precinct was on the market with a load of hogs on Monday.

County Superintendent Miss Bettcher of McCook visited our school on Tuesday.

BOX ELDER.

Mrs. Thurston Doyle and daughter and Miss Hazel Hughes visited from Friday until Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Little near St. Ann.

Edith and Darrel Lytle entertained at their home the Misses Dorothy and Bessie Doyle and Gladys Randall and Walter and John Modrell after services at the church Sunday morning.

Rev. C. C. Hauxwell preached at the church last Sunday morning and evening.

The Mite Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Randall on Friday evening of this week.

Rev. L. Cann will preach at the church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Topic for Epworth League lesson next Sunday evening, "Numerous and Dangerous Foes" 1 Peter 2:11; 1 John 2:16; Rom. 7:23; 1 Cor. 9:27; 1 Peter 5:8. Miss Bessie Doyle will be the leader. Everybody invited to come and bring a Bible.

Will sell, or let out to the right party, the well-known stallion, "Harry Russell," 2:19 1/4. See R. M. Osborn.

The Change That Was Wrought.

The little man was explaining to his audience the benefits of physical culture. "Three years ago," he said, "I was a miserable wreck. Now, what do you suppose brought about this great change in me?" "What change?" said a voice from the audience. There was a succession of loud smiles, and some persons thought to see him collapse. But the little man was not to be put out. "Will the gentleman who asked 'What change?' kindly step up here?" he asked suavely. "I shall then be better able to explain. 'That's right!' Then, grabbing the witty gentleman by the neck: 'When I first took up physical culture I could not even lift a little man. Now (suiting action to word) I can throw one about like a bundle of rags.' And finally he flung the interrupter half a dozen yards along the floor. 'I trust, gentlemen, that you will see the force of my argument and that I have not hurt this gentleman's feelings by my explanation.' There were no more interruptions.

Two Collars on a Dog.

Having bought a dog that he admired, a man undertook to buy a dog collar. The dog had a neck nearly as big as his head, and the dealer advised the man to buy two collars.

"What for?" said the man. "He's only got one neck, so I guess he can get along with only one collar, can't he?"

"Maybe so," said the man, so the man went away leading the dog by his new collar and chain. In less than a week he brought the dog back.

"I'm afraid I can't keep him," he said. "He is too obstreperous. I can't keep him tied up. His neck is the biggest part of him, and he is as strong as an ox, therefore it is a cinch for him to slip his collar off."

"That was why I wanted you to take two collars," said the dealer. "Put both on and fasten the chain to the back collar, and he can tug away all night without getting loose. He may commit suicide, but he won't get loose."—New York Sun.

Disappointed in Her.

"And so your father refuses to consent to our union."

"He does, Rodolphus."

The sad youth swallowed a sob.

"Is there nothing left for us, then, but an elopement?" said he.

"Nothing."

The girl was fond, but firm.

"Do you think, Clementine, that you could abandon this luxurious home, forget all the enjoyments of great wealth, banish yourself forever from your devoted parents' hearts and go west with a poor young man to enter a home of lifelong poverty and self denial?"

"I could, Rodolphus."

The sad youth rose wearily and reached for his hat.

"Then," said he, "you are far from being the practical girl I have all along taken you to be."

And with one last look around on the sumptuousness that some day he had hoped to share he sobbed and said farewell.—Browning's Magazine.

Had to Take His Own Medicine.

George Barr McCutcheon was waiting for a train in Chicago, and as he passed through the station he saw one of his latest best sellers displayed on the newsstand counter. He picked it up, wrote his name on the fly leaf and handed it to the boy behind the counter. He was moving away when the boy called excitedly:

"Hey, mister, come back here. You've got to buy this book 'cause you've spoiled it by writing your name in it."

"Yes, but did you see the name?" the author asked.

"That don't make no difference," the lad insisted; "nobody'll want to buy it now."

And, hearing his train called, Mr. McCutcheon was forced to pay real money for one of his own books.—Success Magazine.

Outdone.

Teacher—Now, boys, I want to see if any of you can make a complete sentence out of two words, both having the same sound to the ear.

First Boy—I can, Miss Smith.

Teacher—Very well, Robert. Let us hear your sentence.

First Boy—Write right.

Teacher—Very good.

Second Boy—Say, Miss Smith, I can beat that. I can make three words of it—wright, write right.

Third Boy (excitedly)—Gee! Hear this—wright, write rite right.

Teacher (thrown off her guard)—Whew!—Topeka Journal.

Wanted It to Show.

A rich old farmer once had his portrait painted. When the portrait was finished the old farmer looked at it, shook his head and said to the artist: "Very good. Very good, indeed. But there is one fault that you must remedy. Please make the right side of the chest bulge out. That is where I carry my wallet."

The Sad Part.

"Doesn't it make you sad," exclaimed the member of the Audubon society, "to see women wearing on their hats the feathers of the poor little birds?"

"It isn't the feathers that make me sad," replied the practical married man. "It's their bills."—Philadelphia Record.

Collected Some Alimony Also.

She—This is Maud's third husband, and they all bore the name of William. He—You don't say so! Why, the woman is a regular Bill collector.—New York Times.

It is a great evil as well as a misfortune to be unable to utter a prompt and decided no.—Simmons.

The correspondent, re-echoing the cry for schoolboy mistakes, gives a few examples: "Mute, imbecile, idiot"—these epithets are used by a writer who was envious of a schoolboy poet orient. He finds "stone in stones" expresses the same idea as Wordsworth's "the restless stone that all day long is heard." Calvin was a noted scientist and peer, who died lately. Naples is an independent state in the north of India. Shakespeare made a mistake in mentioning Galen, who did not live until a hundred years after his time. The feminine of fox is foxhen. John Burns was the name of one of the claimants to the throne of Scotland in the reign of Edward I. The pyramids are a range of mountains between France and Spain. The three highest mountains in Scotland are Ben Nevis, Ben Lomond and Ben Jonson. Wolsey saved his life by dying on the way from York to London. When the English first landed in Australia the only four footed animal in the country was a rat. Monsoons are fertile gorges between the Himalayas.

When Bjornson Died.

Bjornson's son, in describing the last hours of his father, writes: "Now and then the bright flame of his humor flickered up. The doctor felt his pulse and said it was good. With his face beaming with humor he turned toward us and said, 'I am the first man to die with a good pulse.' He said one evening—and it seemed as if an old wise man was speaking with the weight of experience, 'Now I could write—yes, now I could write, for I have been in the realms of death and have felt the pain that attends death.' And when all of us thought that the indifference of death was upon him—my mother, who always gave him his food, which he would receive only from her, stood at the bedside with a brooch on her breast which she had worn at her confirmation—then he opened his eyes and looked at her. He smiled, lifted his hand and touched the brooch. This was the last sign to the outer world he was able to give."

A Cold Ride.

All through his life Senator Dolliver of Iowa had a horror of fast trains and possible railroad wrecks. Once he was on a train with Vice President Fairbanks.

Dolliver awoke in the middle of the night, and it seemed to him that the train was going at terrific speed. He climbed out of his berth and, arrayed only in his pajamas, started down the length of the train to find the conductor and ask him to order the train run at less speed. It was a cold night, but the senator did not mind that until the door of his car snapped shut and locked behind him and he found that the door of the next coach was also locked. He rode sixty-five miles locked out in the cold of the vestibule before he could wake up anybody to let him in. Mr. Fairbanks finally heard his cries for help and rescued him.—New York Tribune.

Necks and Legs of Animals.

With few exceptions there is a marked equality between the length of the necks and of the legs of both birds and quadrupeds, and whether they be long or short is determined chiefly by the place where the animal must go for its food. This is especially noticeable in beasts that feed constantly upon grass, in which case the neck has just a slight advantage in that it cannot hang perpendicularly down. Crocodiles, lizards and fish have practically no necks. Fowls that feed in the water also offer an example of this correspondence between the members, with the exception of swans and geese and some Indian birds, which gather their food from the bottom of pools and must have long necks for that purpose, while the short legs make it more convenient for them to swim.—Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette.

A Story Pepys Tells.

Pepys tells in his diary that in the reign of King Charles II. a customer bargaining with a London merchant for claret hired a confederate to "thunder (which he had the art of doing upon a deal board) and to rain and hail—that is, make the noise of—as to give them a pretense of undervaluing their merchant's wines, by saying this thunder would spoil and turn them, which was so reasonable to the merchant that he did abate two pistols per tun for the wine in belief of that."

A Mighty Difference.

Brougham used to tell an anecdote about the flight from Waterloo. Napoleon was greatly depressed. His aid riding beside him thought he might be sorrowing over the loss of so many old comrades at arms and tried to comfort him by saying that Wellington also must have lost many friends. "He has not lost the battle," was the reply.

Utterly Useless.

"Pa, what is a futile remark?" "The one a man makes for the purpose of changing the subject when his wife complains because he has forgotten their wedding anniversary."—Chicago Record-Herald.

She Was Wise.

"I asked Miss Jimps to sing something, and she refused point blank. Is she grouchy?" "No. She's trying to make a hit with you. Cheer up."—Toledo Blade.

A Sound Reason.

Mistress—Didn't you hear me calling, Jane? Jane—Yes'm, but you told me the other day never to answer you back.—Throne and Country.

Whatever enlarges hope will exalt courage.—Johnson.

DANBURY.

Mrs. Rida Drath and children from west of Chicago, came Thursday and are visiting at the S. W. Stillebouer home.

C. A. Pickering, the deputy of the Grand Master Workman lodge, was here Thursday on business.

A. E. Bower lost a valuable horse Wednesday night.

An Iowa editor recently printed in his paper that if the rain didn't stop before long, everything in the ground would be peeping out. An old subscriber reading the prognostication went out in the back yard and dumped another load of rock on the grave of the family cat.

W. A. Stone was a Lebanon visitor Thursday evening.

M. M. Young is on the sick list this week.

The Christian Endeavor had a social at the R. W. Green home Thursday night.

The next band concert will be on April fifteenth.

T. S. Roop left Tuesday for a visit in Denver.

Mrs. Earl Peacock of Wilsonville, spent a few days with her mother at this place the first of the week.

The east bound passenger is due in here at 4:34 o'clock.

N. L. Ruby moved in the L. Cann place Wednesday.

The moving picture show in the hall Saturday night was well attended and a nice program rendered.

J. A. Gruber who lived on the Dan Logan place packed their belongings and left Tuesday for Palmer, Neb.

O. B. Woods left Tuesday evening for Lincoln on business.

Floyd Ressler of Wilsonville was up Friday on a business trip.

Tom Relf of Cedar Bluffs, Kans., was in town Friday in his auto.

There was a surprise party on Miss Christine Ashton Friday night. A fine time reported.

A number of the young people attended the social at Jas. Logan's on Saturday night.

The band gave an open air concert on the street Saturday afternoon.

Miss Edna Henton visited relatives in Beaver City Wednesday.

Large and Small Jobs



are equally well looked after. We are ready at short notice to fix all leaks or other repairs in your plumbing or in your heaters and stoves.

All Jobs Thoroughly Understood,

and after we are through with them you will find us the best men who ever did the same work for you, and we do it cheap.

Middleton & Ruby

Phone No. 182. -: McCook, Nebr.

Lincoln Sanitarium



Sulpho-Saline Springs

Located on our own premises and used in the

Natural Mineral Water

BATHS

Unsurpassed in the treatment of

Rheumatism

Heart, Stomach, Kidney and Liver Diseases

Moderate Charges. Address

DR. D. W. EVERETT, Mgr., Lincoln, Neb.

BEGGS' BLOOD PURIFIER

CURES and Purifies the Blood.

GET IN TOUCH WITH Opportunities "On the Burlington"

The new lines of railroad now under construction in Wyoming offer great opportunities for farmers and others for homebuilding.

The conditions and surroundings are very favorable for a new country and the new railroad brings transportation to the very doors of the new settler.

HOW TO GET LAND

You can buy deeded land, homestead Government irrigated homesteads or file on land under the Carey Act, getting desirable irrigated land on very easy payments at from \$45.00 to \$50.00 per acre; or you can homestead free lands that cannot be irrigated, in 320-acre tracts.

SEND FOR LITERATURE. Send for our free literature with large maps, telling all about these lands. Let me know what particular class of lands you are interested in. Write today.



D. Clem Deaver, General Agent
LANDSEEKERS INFORMATION BUREAU
1004 Farnam Street, OMAHA, NEB.

V. FRANKLIN, Pres. G. H. WATKINS, Vice-Pres.
R. A. GREEN, Csh.

The Citizens National Bank

of McCook, Nebraska

Paid-Up Capital \$50,000 : Surplus \$25,000

DIRECTORS

V. Franklin A. McMillen R. A. Green
G. H. Watkins Vernice Franklin

THE NEW WAY OF SMOKING MEAT

By applying two coats of WRIGHT'S CONDENSED SMOKE directly to the meat with a brush after the meat has gone through the salt, it will be thoroughly smoked, will have a delicious flavor and will keep solid and sweet and free from insects through the entire summer.

Wright's Condensed Smoke

Is a liquid smoke and contains nothing except what is obtained by burning hickory wood. It is put up in square quart bottles only, each with a metal cap. NEVER SOLD IN BULK. A bottle will smoke a barrel of meat (280 lbs.). For sale by all druggists at 75c. Every bottle guaranteed. Ask druggist for FREE BOOK, "The New Way." Be sure to get the genuine WRIGHT'S CONDENSED SMOKE. Made only by

THE E. H. WRIGHT CO., Ltd., Kansas City, Mo.

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

The McCook Tribune 1\$ per Year.



The Mail Man Telephones

"I'm bringing out a registered package and I wanted to make sure you'd be there to sign for it," the rural mail-carrier telephoned to one of the farmers on his route.

Government employees are great Bell Telephone users, because they have been taught the necessity of doing work quickly and systematically.

You, too, will find that when you want to get something done in a hurry you can depend on the local and long distant Bell Telephone service.



Nebraska Telephone Co.

CHAS. W. KELLEY, Local Manager.

BULLARD LUMBER CO.

SELLS
THE
BEST

Lumber and Coal

BULLARD LUMBER CO.

Phone No. 1.