

BURLINGTON TIME TABLE.

East—Depart—(Central Time):
 No. 6 11:10 P. M.
 16 5:00 A. M.
 2 5:50 A. M.
 13 9:45 A. M.
 12 6:45 A. M.
 14 9:20 P. M.
 10 5:05 P. M.
 West—Depart—(Mountain Time):
 No. 1 12:35 P. M.
 3 11:42 P. M.
 5 arrive 8:30 p. m.
 13 9:40 A. M.
 15 12:30 A. M.
 9 6:25 A. M.
 Imperial Line—(Mountain Time):
 No. 176 arrives 3:30 P. M.
 No. 175 departs 6:45 A. M.
 Sleeping, dining and reclining chair cars (seats free) on through trains. Tickets sold and baggage checked at any point in the United States or Canada.

For information, time tables, maps and tickets, call on or write D. F. Hostetter, Agent, McCook, Nebraska, or L. W. Wakeley, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebraska.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Driving brasses on 1066 repaired this week.
 No. 2901 received some repairs to her superheater.
 A set of new flues/were placed in engine 2530 this week.
 The fire box of No. 1765 is receiving repairs, this week.
 The front end, steam pipes, etc., of the 1963 were overhauled, this week.
 Engine 944 has been run into the backshop for an overhauling. The 1182 is ready to go out, after an overhauling.

The company has taken the switch engine out of service at Red Cloud at present, and Engineer A. G. Goth is back in McCook.

Engineer Viersen reported seeing 90 bums in the Akron yard, one day this week. That is some bums—or Viersen sees double or more.

The tanks of wreck engines 2825 and 804 are being further dismantled to allow of their being transported on flat cars to Havelock to be scrapped.

Al. Armstrong, after an absence of some time, has returned to work in the backshop, as a machinist. He has been at Havelock and elsewhere.

One of the big engines at the depot went upon one of the new switches last evening and as the track was new the rails spread and let it down in the mud. It nearly turned over and could not be replaced upon the rails by usual process and so the wrecking train was sent down from McCook and soon had it back and ready for duty. — Red Cloud Com. Adv.

Card of Thanks.

We are thankful to all for flowers and sympathy in connection with the funeral of our dear one, Fireman T. H. Bowers, and especially to the B. of L. F. and A. O. U. W. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bowers. Mr. and Mrs. James Turner.

Engraved Cards.

Orders for engraved cards will receive prompt and satisfactory attention at The Tribune office. Cards and invitations also printed tastefully. Call and see samples and we will quote you prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JUST PERSONAL MENTION.

Arthur Long spent Sunday with relatives in Republican City.
 Miss Hazel Clark of Orleans is visiting her aunt Mrs. J. E. Kelley.
 Frank McCallum was down from Wauwata, early in the week, returning home, yesterday in his car.
 Mrs. E. J. Kates will leave for home, Lincoln, tomorrow morning.
 L. Morse is down from Benkelman, today, on matters Masonic.

Beauty is Balanced



—by the skill with which we bring it out in the photographs we make of you. Many people are much better looking than they appear in ordinary.....

Photographs

You may think you are one of the few whose portraits cannot be made attractive. Come and sit for us and your friends' delight with the pictures will prove you mistaken.

KIMMELL STUDIO
 Phone Red 428
 McCook Above Commercial

Marriage Licenses.

Albert D. Bellamy, (23); Leona Pearl Moslander, (22), both of Cambridge, Nebraska.
 Arthur E. Knowlton, (31), Orleans, Neb.; Mrs. Josephine Pearl Leisure, (31), Danbury, Neb.
 Joe Vlasin, (23); Wauneta, Neb.; Rosie Kucera, (21), Thornburg, Neb.
 Andrew Rask, (26), Frances Johnson, (23); both of Yuma, Colo.
 Ralph M. Derrick, (24), Freedom, Neb.; Veronica McDonnell, (24), Indianola, Neb. Married June 5th, by the county judge.
 Aubrey F. Ervin, (27); Vera Dwyer (23), both of McCook.

Cement Stone Retaining Wall.

H. N. Rosebush of The McCook Cement Stone Co., is busy building a cement stone retaining wall on the east and south front of the court house grounds. This will be a decided improvement over the old sloping grade which was quite impossible to keep sodded. The stone wall will improve the appearance of the grounds as well as make it practicable to grow a lawn.

Peter Wesch, Jr., Passed Away.

Peter Wesch, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Wesch died at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon, June 6th. He was 14 years old at the time of his death. Cause of death was inflammation of the stomach. Funeral services were held and the remains were buried in the Traer, Kansas, cemetery, Wednesday afternoon.

Lacks One of Sixty.

Today the attendance on the normal has increased to a total of 59. Those in charge expect this enrollment to be increased considerably next week.

McCormell for drugs.

For special on sauer kraut by the gallon see Wagner.

CORDED A CROCODILE.

Turning a Greedy Water Devil Into a Trussed Up Mummy.

It is known that a crocodile will sometimes leave a river stocked with food, explore for miles an unsuitable tributary, then wander inland until it finds a pool.

In this way three crocodiles once found their way to Taiping lake, in the Malay peninsula. So long as they confined their attention to the fish and an occasional duck no one objected to their presence, but when one of them began to take sheep off the bank as they came down to drink it was felt that the saurians ought to be exterminated, and an Englishman and his servant made the attempt.

Obtaining a dugout, they paddled into deep water. The servant was already barefoot, and the Englishman himself took off shoes and stockings, so that his bare feet might have as good a hold as possible on the smooth bottom of the canoe. A bait was attached to a heavy rattan, and soon a tug and a plunge indicated that the crocodile was fast to one end. Immediately the canoe began to move through the water. After a protracted struggle the Englishman managed to get the crocodile within a few yards of the canoe. At one moment the open jaws would surge out of the broken water and snap together in unpleasant proximity to the men's legs; the next moment the heavy tail would swing free of the water and with the weight of a falling pole would hit the side of the canoe a blow that made it shiver.

As the crocodile surged close to the canoe and the open mouth appeared above the water the servant slipped a noose of stout cord over the upper jaw and pulled it tight some six inches behind the point of its nostrils. Then, with a quick turn of his wrist, he slipped the slack of the cord round under the lower jaw. He drew the cord tight, and the teeth of each jaw pressed home into the sockets of the other. The servant now grasped the point of the long, narrow head with one hand and with the other rapidly wound the cord round the clinched mouth. Another noose was slipped over a fore leg. It pulled the leg up to the animal's side. The servant slipped the line over the creature's back and caught up the other fore leg. Then he noosed and tied together the hind legs. The effect he had achieved was wonderful. In a few minutes he had transformed a ravening water devil into a trussed up mummy, and his only weapon had been three pieces of box cord. The beast was afterward dispatched, and the servant received the government reward.—Harper's Weekly.

Thieves Steal Dentists' Gold.

Fremont, Neb., May 29.—Some time during the night burglars entered the office of Dr. Stockfelt, a dentist in the Wolz Turner block, and of Dr. Guy Baird in the Commercial National bank building. They were after gold and got several hundred dollars' worth in the two places. An attempt was also made to break into Dr. Murphy's dental office in the Union block. There is no clue to the parties.

High Wind Does Damage.

Arapahoe, Neb., May 27.—The gale that has swept over this section of the state for the last twenty-four hours has done much injury to growing crops and also severe damage to buildings and windmills.

BE CRITICAL

Look into the merits of our work clothing. RED SEAL, RAILROAD KING OVERALLS recognized as the finest garment of its kind made. Highest grade 220

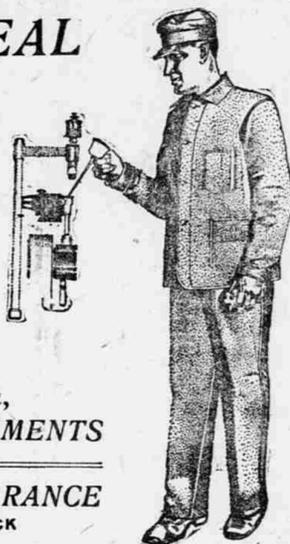
denim full proportions, cut for comfort, sewn for service.

RED SEAL OVERCLOTHES

have become an absolute necessity to every mechanic capable of appreciating the advantages of

Easy Fit, Thorough Workmanship, Clean Finish, PROPER APPOINTMENTS

ELEGANT APPEARANCE ALL SIZES IN STOCK



C. L. DeGROFF & COMPANY

IF IT'S IN TOWN IT'S AT DeGROFF'S

RED SEAL ON DUTY SHIRTS

all soft collars and cuffs can be laundered if desired. Fine enough for dress, strong enough for work. Cut roomy, beautifully made. We have them in all sizes to fit men of any build. Red Seal garments are UNION MADE, SOLID, SENSIBLE AND SATISFACTORY.

We carry the best line of gloves made. The Brotherhood glove. THEY FIT AND WEAR.

From

\$1.00 TO \$2.50

MCCOOK MAN SAYS NORRIS CAN BE ELECTED SENATOR

C. E. Eldred of McCook, who lately filed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for judge in the Fourteenth judicial district, was in the city yesterday on business. Mr. Eldred was for three successive terms mayor of McCook and was later county judge and county attorney in Red Willow county. He declared after twenty-one years of residence in that vicinity he felt qualified to make an effort to try for a position higher up. "As far as my own personal campaign is concerned I have little to say," he asserted "but of course I will try to give the people an equitable administration of justice if I am elected.

"I would much prefer to talk about some other phase of politics," he continued. "For instance, perhaps you might want to know how people out my way regard the probability of our fellow townsman, Congressman Norris, coming out for United States senate. We have no positive ideas on the subject as Norris has given nobody, so far as I know, any intimation as to his future plans. Some think that he will get into the race, while others think that he will stay in the congressional race for some time to come. But most of the people out our way are of the opinion that he can defeat Norris Brown for the nomination and later can whip Shallenberger if he defeats Thompson, at the general election. While it is true that the ex-governor has many friends back of him and has the support of his party organization we feel that next year will be a republican year, and that republicans will grace most of the offices after the smoke has cleared away.

"This state, I believe, is strongly progressive and that fact added to the well known fact that George Norris is the leader of the progressives as far as the west is concerned would justify that opinion."

In regard to the new primary law enacted at the last session of the legislature the Red Willow county man said that people in general had had little opportunity to read it and that until they had seen it tried out they would not venture an opinion upon it. "After we have seen it go through the next two campaigns we can tell more about its good points and its defects than at the present time. The early primary next year will mean a more constant and a longer strain for candidates and will undoubtedly have an effect on the general results. Which way nobody can tell, but it's pretty sure that it will make an appreciable difference in votes."

Mr. Eldred, while having to contest in one more county than formerly, under the provisions of the Placek bill which rearranged the judicial districts of the state, said that he does not mind that as far as he is concerned. "The Fourteenth district has no reason to complain of its treatment in that measure," he said.

Changing the subject to the recent action of the board of public lands and buildings in locating the new agricultural school at Curtis the McCook man while admitting that his people were disappointed declared that they cherished no hard feelings in the matter. "We were good losers in the proposition, anyway," he said. "We would have liked to have had it, but as long as we didn't get it we won't cry over the matter."

Boys Are Working Up Stunts.

The boys in charge of preparations for the railroad men's picnic, June 20th, at Cambridge, are working up some stunts to amuse all. Their reception committee idea will be unique. The committeemen will be equipped with policemen's uniforms, stars, clubs, etc., with Engineer Rodstrom as chief—and he will be some chief.

John Morrissey is listed for an appearance which will fill a long felt want after the strenuousness of the day.

There will be something doing all the time.

No Farmer Can

afford to be without a "Chore Boy" gasoline engine on his farm. They will work for you any time, pump your water and do a hundred other things for you without grumbling. We sell and guarantee them.

MCCOOK HARDWARE CO.

The McCook Tribune. It is \$1.00 the year in advance.

Buy Elkay's Dog Remedies. L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Lily Patent Flour—when once used none other will satisfy you.

Mystery to be Solved.

Havana, June 7.—The first stage of the actual work of uncovering the wreck of the battleship Maine was completed at 5 o'clock yesterday evening when pumping operations ceased after the water level within the cofferdam had been lowered five feet.

This leaves the portion of the wreck visible above the water practically the same as on the night of the disaster before the hull had time to become embedded in the mud at the bottom of the harbor. There is now visible a long stretch of the starboard side of the quarter-deck which is slightly raised, owing to a list to port of the after two-thirds of the ship.

The sighting hood and a portion of the roof of the ten inch after turret on the port side are above the water. All the newly exposed portions are covered with barnacles and a rank marine vegetable growth, the removal of which is necessary for sanitary reasons before decomposition sets in. The pumping is to be suspended until June 15 when the water level will be reduced another five feet. The work will then be suspended again so that a minute examination may be made of all sections of the coffer dam after which the pumping will be continued at intervals, dependant upon the result of the examination of the dam until the bottom is reached three or four weeks hence. In the meantime the work will be continued of refilling the repaired caisson, laying a substantial platform over the ellipse of the twenty caissons composing the coffer dam, and installing therein appliances for the removal of mud and such detached portions of the wreck as may be discovered.

Bullard's have dry stove wood.

For special on dill, sour and sweet pickles see Wagner.

FOR SALE, FOR RENT, ETC.

FOR SALE—Fence posts, 5c to 10c. each. Stove wood, \$1.50 per rick. A. R. Clark, on the Willow, 9 miles N. E. of McCook. Phone No. 1 on 4. Havana.—18-4ts.

FOR SALE—No. 1 fresh milch cow, at a bargain. A. R. Clark, phone Havana exchange.

BARN FOR SALE—Inquire 607 E. 2nd st., or phone black 290.

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room residence with bath and furnace. 607 Main avenue. Phone black 149.—18.

FOR RENT—Three desirable dwellings. Whittaker & Gray, phone Black 283. Room 3, Temple building.

WANTED—Pupils on piano and organ, beginners preferred. Terms 50c per lesson. Susie McBride, phone black 464.

FOR SALE—A Staphope buggy in good condition. Phone black 46.

BOY WANTED—I have a permanent position for a bright, energetic school boy. The right boy can make from 50c. to \$2.00 or more a week, without interfering with his other duties. W. E. Hart, 320 Main ave.

Work for a bigger and better McCook, and use "91 Patent."

Drink "Wedding Breakfast" coffee and be happy. At Huber's only.

After a day's outing save your complexion with a jar of McConnell's Cold Cream. 35 cents.

All grades of Oxford flour, and each sack guaranteed at the McCook Flour and Feed Store.

Huber's coffee cannot be beat. Coffee from 15 cents to 35 cents, and "Wedding Breakfast" heads the list.

30 Days Special

ON

Carpets and Rugs

Best Axminsters, 9 x 12 **\$22.50**
 Others in proportion

Body Brussels, 9 x 12 **\$25.00**
 Others in proportion

We have rugs in all sizes, however, and all go at the same low price, at cost.

Special Sale China Closets

We have a splendid line of these as well as all goods in the furniture line—and we are putting the slaughter knife in deep for the next thirty days.

Drew Furniture and Carpet Co

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES

MOST FOR YOUR MONEY