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WHILE

we are not the largest dealer in the state we sell the best shoes in the world without exception such as

A. C. Nettleton & Co., N. Y.
Queen Quality, Boston
Pierce & Co., Ohio
H. B. Reed, Manchester

Therefore when you get our shoes you get as good as you can get in New York. You can see them now.

VIERSEN & OSBORN

Corner Store 201 Main

Mr. Bortner Badly Injured.

Wednesday morning about 11 o'clock, H. J. Bortner, who resides about twenty miles northwest along the Willow, rode up creek taking his dogs with him. Later in the morning he rode into the home ranch in such condition that it is remarkable that he kept his seat in the saddle. The left eye and side of his head were badly bruised as if he had been thrown from his horse. He was taken into the house and a physician summoned. One of his dogs returned with him all cut up, and another didn't get back for several hours. Mr. Bortner's sons went up the creek and found a large coyote that had evidently been killed by the dogs. Nothing definite could be gotten from Mr. Bortner who was in a completely dazed condition, but he spoke vaguely of a "big fight." The theory is that Mr. Bortner and his dogs killed the coyote, and that his horse became frightened and threw him as he tried to carry the dead animal away with him on the saddle.

K. of P. Officers.

At the annual election of officers, last Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for McCook lodge No. 42 Knights of Pythias: D. N. Cobb C. C.; H. H. Woolard, V. C.; H. P. Sutton, Jr., Prelate; George Stroud, K. R. S.; G. H. Watkins, M. E.; N. J. Campbell, M. E.; George Kearns, M. W.; A. T. Scott, M. A.; C. W. Kelley, I. G.; J. N. Gaarde, O. G.; Dan O'Brien Trustee; Lon Cone, Representative Grand Lodge; Matt. Lawritson, Alternate.

O. E. S. Kensington.

The next O. E. S. Kensington will be held at the home of Mrs. Z. L. Kay, Wednesday of this week, Mrs. Kay and Mrs. Kimmel being the hostesses of the occasion.

Rock Bottom

prices on diamonds this month—any size, any mounting.—4-2t. STOLL & CO., Jewelers.

Surely fine toilet articles will be included in your list of gifts to be bought. This is the place to come for them. Our stock is full of new things—many of them just on the market for the first time. A line of toilet articles, such as ours affords wider choice of useful things than almost any one line to be thought of. You can find something in this superb showing at any price you can wish to pay. Here's just a partial list: Bristle goods of all descriptions. Comb and brush sets maniere sets, toilet sets, mirrors, traveling cases, toilet cases, poudties, etc., etc.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist

Fresh fruits at Magner's.

Thoroughbred Shorthorn bull for service. \$1.00.

McCOOK HARDWARE CO.

If you want THE NEWS read The Tribune.

Foremost in His Line.

A Chicago weekly has the following paragraph concerning a former Red Willow county boy, son of C. W. Kneeland of the South Side:

"George Jackson Kneeland, the man who supervised collecting of the facts that made the report of the Chicago Vice Commission such an astounding and most convincing array of facts, has had a wandering career as sheep-herder, cigar maker and divinity student. Probably no man in world has collected first hand as complete a report on the life of the underworld as Kneeland has put together. Kneeland's report proved that at least \$15,000,000 a year are the profits on Chicago's vice. It showed an immense army of poor, unfortunate girls exploited by men for money—hotel-keepers, druggists, brewers, real estate agents, property owners. It showed that Chicago was not worse than other cities and that this pathetic underworld makes up a universal situation among our cities and towns—a situation which it is time that we take in hand."

DON'T

overlook those doors and windows that are in bad shape. Call us up and let us figure with you in our

Dust Proof Metallic Weather Strip.

and save a large coal bill as well as a lot of extra house cleaning, say nothing about the wear and tear on your nerves worrying over the coal bill and house cleaning after every dirt storm.

Would you go all summer long without screens? No. Then why go 12 months in the year without protection from the dust and cold winds, when the cost is very little more, if any?

Call us up and let us call and demonstrate our patent device. On all orders received before Jan 1st, we will make you a special price.—23-4ts.

A. E. HOTCHKIN, phone 29.

Another Party.

Investigation so far has only brought to light the fact that a third party is involved in the check forging of recent date. It now appears that Jake Eiemann, the payee of the checks, is not the artist who forged them, but another party forged both the name of the payee and of the drawer of the checks. He has not as yet been apprehended.

Some Increase.

In 1878 Enos Rishel of our city purchased a quarter section in Gage county paying \$1,000 for the same. Close of last week he closed the sale of the same piece of land for \$16,000.

Everything in drugs. McConnell.

McConnell for drugs.

Give Kodaks for Christmas. Premos, Brownies and Kodaks from \$1 up.

McCONNELL, Druggist.

Next Saturday our entire holiday line will be placed on display. We invite you to call and see the superb new stock at that time. It will offer many gift suggestions that will be of great help to you in making up your Christmas list.

McCONNELL, Druggist.

Dr. W. E. Taylor, who is at the head of the soil culture department of Deere & Co., Moline, Illinois, spoke to the high school students at 11:20 this morning. The doctor is an enthusiast on farming. He calls the attention of the rising generation to the highest calling of man, that of tilling the soil.

Gloves, in cotton and in leather, you will find a good assortment at the right prices at Huber's.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a bazaar in the basement of church, Saturday, December 16th. Hot lunch will be served any time during the day. Home cooking a specialty.—27-3w

Huber handles the Carhart gloves and caps also, and a full line of other makes.

Social Activities of the City

A miscellaneous "shower" was given at the home of Engineer and Mrs. L. S. Viersen, on last Wednesday evening, for Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Viersen. Many handsome and useful presents were received by the young people. A social hour was happily passed in vocal and instrumental music, guessing games, etc.

A splendid seven o'clock dinner was a feature of the meeting of the J. O. C. whist club, on last Thursday evening, with Mrs. H. C. Clapp as hostess. The guests of the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. A. McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woodworth, and Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Reed.

There was a private dance at the Monte Cristo hall, Saturday evening.

The 1904 card club met with Mrs. F. S. Wilcox, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Perkins entertained at a Thanksgiving dinner of pleasant particulars. Mrs. W. H. Dungan and daughter Miss Dorothy of Denver and Dr. and Mrs. Z. L. Kay of our city were the guests. A theatre party in the evening closed the social affair.

Frances and Elizabeth Simmons gave a happy Thanksgiving season party to a company of little friends on Friday afternoon last from 2:30 to 5:30. A five o'clock dinner was served to the twelve girl guests. Besides all had a joyous social afternoon.

Friday afternoon, a score or more little friends enjoyed a party at Dorothy Perkins' home, from 2 to 4:30 o'clock. Games, music and refreshments filled their childish hearts and appetites. Mrs. W. H. Dungan, Mrs. E. Sawyer and Mrs. Mae Douglass assisted.

Doings in Cupids Domain

Miss Florence Middleton, daughter of Councilman and Mrs. W. A. Middleton, and Mr. James C. Brown, a brakeman in the Burlington employ at this place, were married by Rev. L. E. Lewis, last Thursday evening at nine o'clock, at the parental home, the members of the immediate family and a number of the girl friends of the local telephone office witnessing the happy event. Mrs. Gustavson and Miss Stephens of Holdrege were out-of-town guests. A two-course lunch was served. The young folks left on the following morning for Ridgeway, Missouri. Mr. Brown's home, where they will remain until end of this week, expecting to arrive home, coming Sunday. They have the congratulations and best wishes of many friends, in which The Tribune shares.

Mr. Edward H. Ranft of Bluffs, Ill., and Miss Anna Tressa Cappel of McCook, Neb., called at

the Methodist parsonage Thanksgiving day at 3 p. m., in company with George Cappel and George Peter Cappel, father and brother of the bride, where they were united in marriage by L. E. Lewis, pastor of the M. E. church. Mr. and Mrs. Ranft will visit friends in McCook for about ten days, and will then take their departure for their new home in Bluffs, Ill. We trust their lives may always be full of sunshine and their home full of joy.

Walter H. Duff of Denver, Col., and Rosalind Wood MacConnell of Pittsburg, Pa., were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage, November 30, 1911, at 6 p. m., L. E. Lewis pastor of the M. E. church officiating. Two sisters of the bride, Miss Laura G. Wood and Miss Helen Wood were at the wedding and left McCook for their home in Pittsburg, Pa., on No. 6, same evening. Mr. and Mrs. Duff left for their home in Denver, Colo., on No. 3.

New Time Changes Dec. 10th

On Sunday, next, the Burlington will reduce service on its line west of Oxford, to its winter standard, cutting off the runs of Nos. 9 and 10 at Oxford, and combining Nos. 2 and 16 west of Oxford. These changes are briefly dealt with in a circular issued by the passenger department of the road at Omaha.

On the new schedule No. 9 will end its run at Oxford arriving there at 6:45 a. m. On its westward run it will leave Omaha at 11:45 p. m., arriving at Lincoln at 1:35 and depart at 1:45 a. m.

No. 10 will start its eastern trip at Oxford, instead of Denver, leaving there at 3:45 p. m. It will connect at Holdrege with No. 152 from Sterling and will arrive at Lincoln at 9:25 p. m. and depart at 9:45 p. m. It will be scheduled east via Omaha and Plattsmouth, arriving at Chicago at 2:25 p. m.

Nuts and Fruits. Huber makes a specialty of nuts and fruits for the Christmas trade. He carries for your inspection and purchase a full and complete stock of the best and freshest the market affords. Just look in at the Main store on Main street for the proof of this.

The front basement under the Commercial hotel is being renovated and will be used by Mrs. J. M. Trammell as a storeroom. She will stock the same with ladies' wear of various sorts. She will rent her home and live in the store room.

Advertise in The Tribune and get results.

SOUTH McCOOK ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boston and family, Thanksgiving, at a five o'clock dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lowley had a family reunion, Thanksgiving. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crasman and family of Box Elder, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Creasman and family of Danbury, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Irons of our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Ward entertained Mrs. Martha Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. George Shields, on Thanksgiving.

F. E. Smith went to work, on Thursday evening, but became sick and had to lay off. Oh, you turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Craning departed, Saturday morning, for Russia.

Miss Gladys and Master Delbert Branson returned, Sunday morning, to their home in Cambridge.

The trees in the water works park look bare since they were trimmed. Many loads of branches have been hauled away.

There seem to be echoes around the water works pumping plant that sound like "Pape Underhill."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hyatt have located in South McCook.

Grandpa Underhill is able to be up and about again.

It seems a shame to see the Methodist church in South McCook go to rack and ruin like it is.

CHRISTMAS CANDIES.

Huber Has Hundreds of Pounds of Sweet Stuff.

Before making your purchases of Christmas candies, see what Huber has for you to make selections from. Literally hundreds of pounds of it. Good stuff, too. He is making specially low prices for churches and Sunday schools. Better buy early while the assortment is complete and the stock is full.

Pleased Many.

The production of "A Royal Slave," Thanksgiving night, in the Temple, was greeted by a fine house, and pleased many. The out-of-town contingent was especially numerous. Doubtless, it was one of the best of the medium-priced shows we have had. Mr. Molyneux gave a good account of himself as the royal slave, while Mr. Jones, the newspaper correspondent and all-around man, went even more directly to the public heart in his vocal efforts and comedy stunts.

A Clock Wouldn't

be a bad gift for anyone. There's always a place for it—den, dining room, parlor, bedroom. Think over a clock gift.—42t.

STOLL & CO., Jewelers.

We are getting our

Holiday Goods

On Display

and invite you to visit our store and look them over. Make choice early while stock is complete.

A. McMILLEN
DRUGGIST

Try Tribune want ads.

Remember The Tribune's phone is 19. We will appreciate an item any time.

A specialty of typewriter supplies at The Tribune Shop. Papers of all weights, sizes and qualities. Ribbons for every machine, carbon papers, manuscript covers, etc. All kept in stock.

DAILY MARKET.

Delivered free any place in McCook
Corn chop, per 100 \$1.30
Bran, per 100 1.20
Shorts, per 100 1.35
Wheat, per bushel 1.00
Corn, per bushel70
Oats, per bushel50
Alfalfa, per bale50
Ground alfalfa meal for chicken and cow feed per 100... 1.05
McCOOK MILLING CO.
Phone 29

Lost at Red Cloud.

The McCook high school football eleven played Thanksgiving at Red Cloud, losing the game to that fast aggregation by a score of 15 to 0. The Red Cloud Commercial Advertiser remarks as follows:

"Hurrah for the Red Cloud football team. On Thanksgiving day they played the cracked football team of McCook, and shut them out 15 to 0. Now that is going some and puts our boys winners of the high school teams in this valley and also of the college teams. Now Franklin should come down for a friendly bout and go home whipped. That is, that is the way we look at it. We have a great team and how they did play football yesterday was a caution."

Notice to Owners.

Sec. 5 of Ord. 97:
"Sec. 5. Any person who shall own, keep or harbor any dog, male or female, within the City of McCook, and who shall refuse or neglect to pay the license fee required by this ordinance, and obtain the license for said dog, or violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than two dollars nor more than fifty dollars, and stand committed till such fine and costs are paid.

FRED SCHLAGEL,
Chief of Police.

The Main Store—On Main Street

If it is the freshest and best in groceries, fruits, vegetables, etc., you seek, look no further than Huber's.

Don't Wait Until

the rare things are all gone. Our Christmas stock is here now. Later you'll hurry and worry—avoid the crowds—take your time—4-2t STOLL & CO., The Jewelers.

The Only Union-Made

overalls in the city are the Carhart. Huber is the exclusive agent. Also jackets and caps. The phone is 97.

Read The Tribune. \$1 a year.

For special on dill, sour and sweet pickles see Magner

If you haven't, perhaps you had better do it—pay your dog license to the city treasurer. The regular county taxes are not enough.

It is the proved quality of Magner's groceries that accounts for their increasing popularity with the buying public. Every patron is a satisfied patron.

Classified Advertisements

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light house keeping. Inquire 216 West B St. Phone black 271.—4tf.

FOR RENT—About 200 acres irrigated land in Frenchman river valley. Ideal for beet culture. Four miles to railroad. A ten-room house and other buildings. Address R. B. Sheridan, McCook, Nebraska.—4-4w.

FOR SALE—Two Red Duroc Jersey Males. W. C. Cooper, route 3.—27-4t.

WANTED—Pupils on the piano and organ. Beginners preferred. Terms 50c per lesson. Susie McBride. Phone black 464.

FOR SALE OR RENT—The 200-acre place known as the Fraser farm, 5 miles southwest of McCook; 100 acres fenced, 80 acres in cultivation; 3-room house, wind mill, tank, outbuildings, orchard, etc. Address, giving and making proposition, H. E. Moers, room 15, Carbury building. St. Joseph, Mo.—20.