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DAILY MARKET.

Delivered free any place in McCook
Corn chop, per 100.....\$1.30
Bran, per 100.....1.20
Shorts, per 100.....1.20
Wheat, per bushel......95
Corn, per bushel......65
Oats, per bushel......60
Alfalfa, per bale......50
Ground alfalfa meal for chick-
en and cow feed per 100... 1.05
MCCOOK MILLING CO.
Phone 29

The Uni. Contingent Home.

The McCook members of the university at Lincoln are coming home for the Christmas and New Year holidays: Miss Emma Pade, Miss Margaret Thompson and Mr. Ed O'Rourke arrived on No. 5, last night. Miss Fay Stayner, Miss Florence Simmons, and Messrs. Clarence and Marvin Somerville arrived this noon on No. 1. All from the Nebraska university. Joseph Moore of the Wesleyan university arrived on No. 9, this morning.

Marriage Licenses.

James Walter Housley (18) of Freedom, Nebraska, and Mary A. Cozad (19) of McCook, Nebraska. Married by County Judge J. C. Moore, December 20, 1911.
Lewis Rouse (22) and Golden Olive Campbell (17) both of Cambridge, Nebraska.
Fred M. Clark (22) and Minnie Nothnagel (17), both of McCook, Nebraska. Married by County Judge J. C. Moore, December 14, 1911.

Notice.

Get your coal this week. We, the undersigned positively refuse to handle coal on Christmas day:
Bullard Lumber Co.
Barnett Lumber Co.
Real & Easterday.
Udike Grain Co.
Osborn & Burton.
Escher & Doing.
White Line Transfer Co.
Mrs. Hannan.

Will Retire From Business.

Mrs. J. P. Nies, who has been in charge of the millinery department of C. L. DeGroff & Co. for the past season, will retire from department and business about the first of the year, on account of ill health. The department will of course, be continued but a successor has not as yet been announced.

Subscriptions.

Don't forget that Barney Hofer will save you money on subscriptions, new or renewal, for any paper or magazine published. Get his new club catalogue.

If You Have

houses to rent list them with Whittaker & Gray. They have several applications on file now for houses. Phone black 253. Office in Temple block.

Christmas Cards.

Barney Hofer has the finest and largest stock of Christmas post cards and booklets ever shown in McCook.

"The Yankee Doodle Boy" is the best dressed character on the American stage.

Try "Flower Drops" Perfume. McMILLEN, Druggist.

You will find them fresh and clean at Wagner's grocery.

Pure Gold flour from winter wheat at Wagner's.

Classified Advertisements

FOR RENT—Furnished room modern house. Inquire 319, 1st W. Phone red 281.—W21tf.

Don't Delay

Buying Your

Christmas Presents

We have a good assortment left

A. McMillen
Druggist

ROBBED AT LINCOLN.

R. F. Loomis Loses Over a Hundred Dollars.

R. F. Loomis of Globeville, Michigan, wife and daughter, arrived in McCook, Saturday morning on No. 9, to visit relatives on Red Willow creek for a while. Mr. Loomis reports an unfortunate experience at Lincoln, Friday night, in which he was robbed of over one hundred dollars in cash.

He recalls that while passengers were getting on and off No. 9, in Lincoln, Friday night, one fellow came into the section where he was sitting in the chair car and made a bluff at looking for something he claimed he lost. About this time there was some crowding about Mr. Loomis and some jostling, but he did not attach any special importance to the occurrence at the time. After his arrival in McCook he had occasion to refer to his money and found that he had been robbed of all.

Owing to the hours intervening between the time of the loss and the discovery of the fact, there is small hope of ever recovering the money or apprehending the thieves. The robbery was, however, reported to the local officials by Mr. Loomis, who feels the loss keenly.

An Appreciation.

George S. Powell, grand high priest of Nebraska R. A. M., in his annual address to the companions, has the following paragraph referring to his recent visit to the chapter at this place, which will be appreciated by the members, for its complimentary reference to their efficient high priest C. B. Gray, and to the chapter in toto:

"On October 26th, 1911, on the invitation of Excellent Companion Clarence B. Gray, High Priest, I visited King Cyrus Chapter No. 35, at McCook, and witnessed the conferring of the Royal Arch degree, which was done in a most creditable manner, every officer being proficient in the work. This chapter, in the extreme southwestern part of the state, is a credit to the Grand Chapter. The Fraternity at McCook has erected a temple within the last few years that a city of fifty thousand people might well be proud of. It cost about sixty-thousand dollars, and is nearly paid for. There were about seventy-five companions present at the convocation, from McCook and surrounding towns, and it was a great pleasure to be with them.

"The Yankee Doodle Boy."

To know when to and when not to laugh has made mady a person rich. In "The Yankee Doodle Boy" you have no chance to use discretion. It forces you to laugh whether you want or not and to laugh all the time. In fact, it is a depository for unlimited laughs on which you draw constantly for two hours and thirty minutes. See it at the Temple theatre on Christmas night.

Closes at Noon.

Agent Hostetter wishes the fact announced that the freight office will be closed at noon Christmas day, to remain closed the remainder of the day. The same rule will be effective on New Year day. Patrons will save themselves inconvenience by remembering this bit of information.

Flowers and Plants

for Christmas. We have an unusually large stock of fancy flowers and plants. Order early and get just what you want.
MCCOOK GREENHOUSE.
Phone red 214.

Christmas Vacation.

The public schools will close on Friday evening, December 22nd, and will resume on Wednesday morning, January 3.

The Army was the festive scene of a holiday season dance, Monday night.

Books for every gift problem.
MCCONNELL, Druggist.

A. McMillen, Druggist.

OUR SOIL NEEDS MANURE.

Prof. W. E. Taylor Makes Public His Analysis.

Prof. W. E. Taylor who appeared here a few weeks since and gave our people and farmers a splendid lecture on agriculture, has sent his analysis of our soil, which The Tribune takes pleasure in giving to its readers: Moline, Ill., December 18, 1911: I herewith give you the analysis of your soil. There are three strata each 6-2-3 inches deep weighing approximately two million pounds to each acre.

Potassium. The first stratum contains .79 per cent or 15,800 pounds of potassium. The second stratum contains .67 per cent and third stratum contains .71 per cent.

Phosphoric Acid. The first stratum contains 133 per cent or 2,600 pounds of phosphoric acid. The second stratum contains .112 per cent and the third stratum contains .149 per cent.

Nitrogen. The first stratum contains .36 per cent or 7,200 lbs. of nitrogen. The second stratum contains .27 per cent and the third stratum contains .31 per cent.

The soil is not acid. This is a very good soil and contains all of the plant food elements which make a good crop with the exception of phosphorus. I would suggest that heavy applications of manure be made.

If there is anything about this analysis that you do not fully understand, do not hesitate to call on me. Yours truly,
W. E. TAYLOR,
Soil Culture Dept., Deere & Co.

At the Methodist Church.

Below we print the program of the Christmas exercises of the Methodist Sunday school, which will be held in the church, Sunday evening, Christmas eve, December 24th:

Program.

Orchestra, Selection.
Processional, Choir, "The Herald Angels."
Invocation, Rev. Lewis.

Responsive Reading, Superintendent and School.
Song, Choir, "Christmas Hymn."

Recitation, Mildred Rosander.
Song, The Primaries.
Recitation, Kenneth Frederickson.

Recitation, Lester Frederickson.
Class Exercise, Eight little girls.
Class Song, "Always the Best."
Wand Drill, Twelve little girls.

Recitation, Cyril Viersen.
Song, Choir, "O, Savior King."
Class Exercise, Seven boys.

Solo, Mary Brooks.
Recitation, Gladys Kent.
Recitation, Gladys Biggs.

Song, Choir, "What Would You Have Done."
Recitation, Glen Clark.
Recitation, Marie Howell.

Trio, Merle Rosebush, Josephine McClure, Virgie Bruce.
Wreath Drill, Twelve boys and girls.

Free Will Offering for the Poor.
Song, Choir, "All Hail the Messiah."

Benediction.
Orchestra, Selection.
Distribution of treat for the Sunday school.

The big musical success of the past two seasons, known as "The Newlyweds and Their Baby," entirely new in the field of musical comedy, is an early booking at the Temple theatre.

McConnell fills prescriptions.
Everything in drugs. McConnell.

All the fresh fruits of the season at Wagner's.

See McMillen's Brass Goods and Fancy China.

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens for man, woman, youth or miss. An appropriate gift.
MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Think Kodaks.
Buy Kodaks.
Give Kodaks for Christmas.
MCCONNELL, Druggist.

A SPLENDID SNOW.

Heaviest Ball of the Beautiful In Many Years.

The fall of snow in this section of Nebraska, Tuesday and Wednesday, is without doubt the heaviest that has fallen in many years. The precipitation was not accompanied by wind, hence the snow lies evenly on the ground to a depth of 8 to 10 inches, and it is not light, fluffy and dry, but is moist and heavy.

While temporarily complicating the live stock situation by reason of the feed shortage, the good fall grain, and to general soil conditions simply invaluable and is the most inspiring occurrence in many months from the farmers point of view.

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.

Annual Meeting Jan. 1st.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Masonic Temple Craft association will be held on January 1st, 1912, in the McCook Commercial Club rooms, at 2:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing three members of the board of directors, and transacting such other business as may properly come before such stockholders' meeting.

Buried in Alma, Yesterday.

Mrs. William Sullivan died in Hastings, Monday evening. The remains were shipped to Alma, on Tuesday, and on Wednesday interment was made in that city, her former home. Mrs. Sullivan has long been ill, and death comes as a welcome relief from an incurable malady. Mr. Sullivan has further sympathy in this city in his bereavement.

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.

I wish to inform the public that I shall continue in the dry business. The work will be in charge of B. C. Bowman. Thanking all the old customers for their patronage in the past, I solicit your work, and guarantee satisfaction in the future.

MRS. ELSIE HANNAN.

Phone Black 229.
"Handsome Is As Handsome Does" is the title of the song "The Yankee Doodle Boy" sings to his little country sweetheart, when she tells him she's not pretty enough to be his wife. It's worth the price of a dmission alone.

To The Point
MOORE'S
NON-LEAKABLE
FOUNTAIN
PEN

While it is true that a good fountain pen will not leak if properly cared for, it is also true that it is not always possible for the most careful to treat it as they ought, while the cap is on, and these leading troubles are all obviated in Moore's Non-Leakable Fountain Pen. This pen is true to its name, it's air-tight and cap-tight. It is also clean to handle and clean to fill, and for these reasons is a favorite among the ladies, travelers and students, as well as among business men.

NO INK FINGERS
CLEAN TO HANDLE
CLEAN TO FILL
UNLIKE ALL OTHERS

H. P. SUTTON CO.
Jewelers.

FOUND AGAINST THE CITY.

Verdict for \$500.00 in Favor of Lulu Easton.

The case of Lulu Easton against the City of McCook and the C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., came up before Judge Moore in county court, Monday morning. The case involves a suit by Lulu Easton for \$850.00 for damages on account of the building of the 6th street viaduct, she alleging that her residence property on lower 6th street east was damaged that amount by the building of the viaduct.

The city was represented in court by Fred L. Wolff, city attorney; the railroad by W. S. Morlan, its attorney; the plaintiff by C. A. Ready of Hayes Center and J. C. White of Curtis.

The case continued until Wednesday evening about five o'clock when the jury went out, to return in a few minutes, with the following verdict in form for the plaintiff:

We, the jury in this case, being duly impaneled and sworn, do find and say that we find for the plaintiff as against the defendant City of McCook, and assess the amount of her recovery from said city of McCook at the sum of \$500.00; and we further find in favor of the defendant, the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Co.

The jury in the case was composed as follows: A. D. Johnston foreman; W. P. Burns, August Markwad, William Hammell, F. S. Groves, D. P. Reisher.

While the papers have not as yet been made out, The Tribune understands that the city will carry the case up to the supreme court of the state of Nebraska.

There are four other cases of a similar nature against the city which will doubtless hinge upon the result in this case in the supreme court, involving in total several thousand dollars in alleged damages from the city on account of this same structure having been built.

FOR YOUR SMOKING FRIENDS.

An easy solution of the matter of gifts for friends who smoke, and to whom you desire to give some slight remembrance is a box of cigars.

In our line of cigars we provide an assortment of choice goods put up in boxes of twelve, twenty-five and fifty. This makes it possible to give a small number of good cigars at small cost. 50c, \$1.00 and \$2.00 Boxes.

Under this plan you can get good goods at any price you care to pay. In many cases a box of 12 or 25 cigars will save buying a more expensive gift and suit the recipient better.
L. W. MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Buried in McCook.

The remains of Mrs. Wilkinson were brought here from Frontier county last Sunday, and buried in Riverview cemetery. Mrs. Wilkinson was in her 82nd year. For many years she has made her home with H. Clay Shepherd, her son-in-law, up in Frontier county, north of McCook. Services were held at the Shepherd home, on Sunday morning, Rev. Foutch of Box Elder conducting them.

Flowers and Plants

for Christmas. We have an unusually large stock of fancy flowers and plants. Order early and get just what you want.
MCCOOK GREENHOUSES.
Phone red 214.

Don't forget that brushes, perfumes, soaps, etc. make practical gifts.
MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Monte Cristo Cafe announces special table d'hote dinners from 6 to 8 o'clock, Christmas and New Year, with special music.

Don't forget pictures for your Christmas list.
MCCONNELL, Druggist.

Dolls and Doll Go-Carts to please the children.
A. McMillen, Druggist.

Freshest fruit at Wagner's.

Christmas Gifts

If you are puzzling over an appropriate gift, why not start a bank account. We know of no more acceptable gift than a nice new bank book.

Or, we have \$2.50 gold pieces—1911 mintage—that would be sure to please.

THE
MCCOOK NATIONAL
BANK
P. WALSH, President.
C. F. LEHN, V.-Pres.
C. J. O'BRIEN, Cash.
DIRECTORS
M. Loughbrae P. F. McKenna

Father Cleary's Lecture.

The deep snow of Tuesday evening interfered with the generous audience which otherwise would have greeted Father Cleary's lecture, under auspices of the Citizens Lecture Course; but despite the unfavorable weather a fair sized attendance may be noted. While the announced subject of lecture was American Citizenship, the delivered lecture rather a composite of American Citizenship and Church and State.

Father Cleary made a strong appeal for respect for authority and obedience to law, claiming that our priceless political and religious liberties rested upon law and authority. He took advanced position in opposition to a certain phase and type of socialism, and laid peculiar emphasis upon our ideal situation politically and religiously, in which are blended freedom and harmony.

He referred to the ancient boast of being a Roman citizen, but claimed boundless advantage and glory in favor of American citizenship. As a native of the state of Massachusetts, Father Cleary paid a tribute to the foreign born citizen, many of whom have been large and luminous figures in our glorious history of our country, the greatest and grandest country, in the lecturer's opinion, upon which the smile of heaven has ever rested.

The wisdom and patriotism of the fathers, Washington, Jefferson and their compatriots, was especially commended by speaker in the splendor of the Declaration of Independence and the constitution of our land.

But a little more fervor and enthusiasm would have added to the effectiveness of the reverend gentleman's strong and earnest utterances.

Real Estate Filings.

The following real estate filings have been made in the county clerk's office since our last report:

County Treasurer to Geo. W. Cramer, tax deed, 1 in 6, Malmrose Add.
J. J. Klein to Jacob Weber, wd., 3 in 6 6th McCook 340 00
N. Axtell et ux to W. A. Stone, wd., 1/2 int. 1-2 in 2 Danbury 150 00
McCook Irr. Water P. Co., to Charles H. Meeker, water deed, s hf sw qr lot 6 in 28 and lot 7 in 27-3-30.
Chester W. Dow et ux to J. W. Powell Co., wd., 3, 4 in 4 Cenr. Add. Bartley..
C. A. Phillips et al to Emil and Alfred Lindgren, wd., nw qr 10-2-26 5100 00
William A. Gold to Charles D. Noble, wd., pt. 1 in 27 McCook 1000 00
C. S. Quick to F. Gertrude Teel et al, wd., 10 in 28, Indianola 250 00

Ten big song hits and two hundred and fifty laughs are promised by "The Yankee Doodle Boy."

McConnell for drugs.