

# THE FALLS CITY TRIBUNE.

### Prof. Barrett.

Some twelve years ago Prof. Barrett came to our midst and founded the Falls City business college. He did this in the face of discouragement on every hand, the general prediction being that such an institution could not be placed upon a paying basis. This idea has long since vanished for this college has grown into a grand and useful institution which is now tempting many from other parts of the state to this seat of learning.

The poor and rich receive the same treatment here and many worthy, poor, young men can testify that but for the kindly aid of Prof. Barrett he would never have been able to reach out into the business world. Through this source many a girl and boy have finished the course and found employment that could not have entered another school for want of funds. None are turned down who are worthy and want an education and not a year has passed that he has not furnished text books and other necessities to advance pupils who were cramped for means.

While helping others he has also won an enviable reputation as an educator and the college has swelled in numbers from year to year until it now yields a handsome profit to its founder.

As a public spirited citizen he is second to none.

Aside from his handsome home he has erected two modern cottages on the half block and has beautified the grounds with every convenience possible, laying more concrete walk than any other citizen the past year. He is public spirited in every sense and gives due credit to Falls City and vicinity for the liberal patronage he has received at the college.

This is not the first time Prof. Barrett has been before the good people as a candidate; having made the race twice for assessor against one of our most popular citizens; winning the first time by 116 majority and second by 132 votes to his good.

### Married.

Charlie L. Frakes and Mrs. Eva L. Gentry were married on last Thursday evening, ceremony being performed by Judge Gagnon. The wedding was witnessed by a very few. Mr. and Mrs. Frakes left Saturday for a few days visit in Nebraska City.

At the residence of Mr. Kent in Crook and Towse's addition, by L. A. Lindenmeyer, Minister of the First Christian church, on Feb., 28th 1906 at 4:00 o'clock p. m. Mr. Oliver Heikes of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Iva Jellison of near Salem. It was a very quiet wedding witnessed only by a few intimate friends. The bride has lived with her parents on a farm about 10 miles southwest of this city and is well liked by all her associates. The groom formerly of this city, is now engaged in the grocery business in St. Joseph, and is a fine young man. Mr. and Mrs. Heikes left for St. Joseph their future place of residence.

On Thursday evening at eight o'clock occurred the wedding of Olive Belle Stewart to Ralph W. Moore, at the home of the bride's parents in Salem. In the presence of about 100 guests the solemn ceremony was performed which bound together this popular young couple. The bride is a daughter of C. A. Stewart and is a social favorite. The groom is a fine young man possessing an excellent character and habits. Their extensive circle of friends wish Mr. and Mrs. Moore success in their new life.

### The Republican Ticket.

Persuant to call the republicans met at the court house Monday evening for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various city offices to be filled at the city election April 3rd.

At the appointed hour a large and enthusiastic crowd had gathered and after reading the call, Dr. Yutzy was chosen chairman of the convention and announced that nominations for the office of Mayor were now in order.

George Holland in a fitting speech presented the name of Prof. Barrett which motion was seconded by a dozen voices. No other names were proposed for the head of the ticket and on motion Prof. Barrett was nominated by acclamation.

A city clerk was then chosen in the person of Bert Baker, who on motion was nominated in the same manner.

For city treasurer, Irvin Bode was the unanimous choice of the convention.

J. L. Cleaver received the same treatment for the office of Police Judge.

For members of the school board Dave Reavis and Dr. Mathers in lieu of their faithful services, were re-nominated.

The First, Second and Third wards then presented their choice for councilman of their respective wards as follows: First, J. A. Hill; second, R. Horracks; third James Cornell.

On motions these nominations were confirmed by the convention and declared the choice of that body. Moved that a committee of three be chosen to fill vacancies should any occur and the chair named the following gentlemen as such committee; George Holland, Fred Sebolt and Joseph Culp.

In the above selection as a representative republican body we feel sure that no one doubts that each individual, if elected public servants, will do their whole duty as they see it, none will question. That these gentlemen are competent and above reproach no one dare hint. As the republican majority in this city is close to one hundred and these gentlemen are justly entitled to their party support, there is certainly something wrong with the party and not the candidates if the ticket is defeated.

### F. W. Wittrock's Red Hogs.

Among the leading Duroc Jersey breeders of this county F. W. Wittrock is classed among the successful ones.

His late sale proved that his judgment has not only been good along blood lines but he is an expert at culling his herd. His late offering consisted of twenty-five beauties and while there was not a breeder from a distance present, they averaged \$29.80 and all were sold within a radius of ten miles of this city. Bert Veach knows a good one when he sees it and is always willing to pay the price consequently he topped the sale on a fall yearling at \$75. When we take in consideration that there were but three of the bunch yearlings or better, the average price is a very good showing for the herd and Mr. Wittrock can feel a just pride in his success as a breeder.

### Foley's Honey and Tar

Cures coughs and colds. Cures bronchitis and asthma. Cures croup and whooping cough. Cures hoarseness and bronchial troubles. Cures pneumonia and la grippe. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys and bladder right. Contains nothing injurious. For sale at Moore's Pharmacy.

### High School Debate.

The preliminary debate of our high school was held at the Methodist church last Friday evening, preparatory for the contest between the eight principal high schools of Richardson County to be held at the Gehling Theatre, March 9th. The opening number was a well rendered selection by the High school chorus composed of eight young ladies. Prof. Tobie in a few well chosen remarks gave the purpose of the evening program. Each spring of the year the eight principal High schools of the county meet for a debating contest.

Of the six debaters taking part Friday evening, one was to be chosen as a representative of the Falls City High School in the county debate.

Twelve minutes was allowed each participant. Question was: Resolved—That all property of deceased person exceeding \$100,000 should revert to the state.

Lloyd Shafer the first speaker on the affirmative has a convincing manner in delivering his ideas, good logic in his debate, and will, if he continues, be among the foremost of debaters.

Myrtle Yycam, first speaker on the negative, has a good clear voice and with her natural ability as a speaker made a good record. James Jaquet, second speaker on the affirmative had some of the most convincing arguments of the evening. Alice Yoder second on the negative delivered a splendid argument replete with facts and figures. Blaine Yoder third on the affirmative, held the earnest attention of his audience with a forceful article and cited some good, modern examples. Guy Eversole the last speaker on the negative, closed their side of the question with some saving statistics, Lloyd Shafer closing the debate in a manner deserving especial commendation.

The judges, V. G. Lyford, D. D. Reavis and R. C. James retired to an adjoining room to compare notes. During this time Rev. Cline gave a very interesting extemporaneous speech. The judges returned and V. G. Lyford in a few well chosen remarks, announced their decision as follows:

Question decided in favor of the Affirmative. Individual debaters stood in the following order:—1st, Alice Yoder; 2nd, Lloyd Shafer; 3rd Blaine Yoder. The announcement was received with tremendous applause. Miss Alice Yoder will represent the Falls City High School at the County Debate March 9th with Mr. Loyd Shafer as substitute.

On account of the threatening weather there was not such a large attendance at the debate Friday evening, but it was fair. There is not enough outside interest taken as might be, in the school work, and we are sure your time could not be more profitably or pleasantly spent than in attending their affairs whenever the opportunity is offered.

Our High School ranks very high in Nebraska and we should be justly proud of it. Just bear this in mind the next time you see a school poster.

### Anti-Saloon Campaign.

Anti-saloon campaign will begin promptly at 8 p. m., March 13, 1906. Darnell will start the saloon after the ice man.

W. H. MADDIX,

Chairman anti-saloon league.

### Citizens Caucus.

A number of the citizens of Falls City met at the Jenne Opera house on Monday evening for the purpose of nominating a city ticket to be voted on at the spring election. The event it seems, turned out to be an oratorical contest between a favored few, who did full justice to the occasion. Democrats were very much in evidence.

George Fallstead acted as temporary chairman and called the meeting to order.

W. H. Crook was then elected permanent chairman and upon taking the chair told the assembled citizens of the object of the meeting. Among other things he said that he thought politics should be eliminated from the city's government.

Judge Gillispie in an old time democratic oration placed in nomination for mayor, the present officer, W. S. Leyda. The nomination was seconded by J. M. Whitaker in another rousing address, telling of the efficiency of the nominee as mayor. No other nominations being made Mr. Leyda was declared nominee for mayor. He was called upon for a speech and responded, thanking the people for the favor shown him.

Among other things he explained the reason of the raise in the flat rate for the electric light in this city, to his entire satisfaction, and promised an all night service.

J. M. Jellison placed in nomination for City Clerk, Fred Beaulieu, who was nominated by acclamation.

J. W. Spragins was nominated for Police Judge.

There were two nominees for City Engineer, M. N. Bair and John W. Crook. It was decided by ballot of 126 to 29 in favor of Mr. Crook.

Irvin Bode was nominated for re-election as City Treasurer.

The nominations for members of the school board were then called for and J. H. Morehead and Geo. Holt were nominated for these positions. Mr. Whitaker moved that the caucus nominate, or the chair appoint, a City Central Committee for the purpose of handling the campaign. Motion carried and the committee elected were;

J. M. Whitaker, 1st ward; E. E. Burris, 2nd ward; Thos. Jenkins, 3rd ward.

The chair appointed a committee to fill vacancies composed of H. C. Davis, J. M. Whitaker, and J. E. Leyda.

The caucus was then divided into their respective wards for the purpose of making the nominations for the city council.

"Con" Horan in the "bloody third" created all the excitement in that event in his nominating speech wherein Ed McKiever was made the recipient of that office. Councilmen nominated were: John W. Powell, 1st ward; Grant Windle, 2nd ward; Ed McKiever.

### A Broken Rib.

Will Hoffman met with a very painful accident the first of the week. He fell against a crib, on his farm, thus breaking one of his ribs and sustaining several bad bruises.

### New Engine at B. & M.

The engine has been installed in the new wind mill tower in the Burlington yards. The wheel on the tower is an unusually large one and will certainly give good service. The engine is a daisy.

R. M. Howard was over from Morrill, Kan., Saturday.

### Society News.

Winifred Taylor entertained a number of her friends at a whist party on Monday evening. Mrs. Bollman proved to be the best player of the evening and captured first prize. Delightful refreshments were served.

Council No 1312 K. & L. of S. enjoyed an interesting meeting on Tuesday night. After the business had been disposed of, the evening was given over to dancing.

The Women's Relief Corps served one of their far famed suppers on Thursday from 5 to 7 o'clock in the G. A. R. headquarters. The ministers and their wives and the newspaper men and their wives were extended an invitation to this most pleasant affair. As is usual with their entertainments, no pleasures were omitted and those present were very fortunate.

The chicken pie supper given by the ladies of the M. E. church last Thursday evening was very successful. These suppers are all eagerly watched for and a large crowd is generally in attendance.

Council No. 610 K. & L. of S. held an exceedingly pleasant session last night. This order is growing rapidly in numbers and popularity.

On Saturday evening the local, popular order of Royal Highlanders held forth at a masquerade ball in the Bode hall. It was given to the members only, and fifty-four were masked. Dancing formed the evening's pleasure and it was very reluctantly that the guests dispersed. Lemonade was the order on most goods. Altogether it was a success which goes to show what an excellent membership the Highlanders enjoy.

Last Thursday evening the young ladies Kensington society of the Presbyterian church was entertained by Mrs. Geo. Inskip. The guests were gowned in the typical Martha Washington style and were busy with various fancy work patterns. At ten o'clock the hostess assisted by Mmes. Leister and Loree served an elaborate two course luncheon. This was one of the most pleasant affairs in the club's history.

Ethel Cade was hostess to the members of the D. D. and H. S. M. C. clubs and a few guests on Saturday evening at her home in the east part of town. The evening was a delightful one and every guest thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Refreshments added to the many other pleasures.

O. P. Heck was completely taken by surprise on Monday evening by about thirty-five of his friends and neighbors. He celebrated his 48th birthday on Sunday, and Monday evening's affair was in honor of the event. Mr. Heck attended the caucus meeting and when he and Mr. Werner, a neighbor, arrived at his home, his friends had gathered there to remember his anniversary. After an evening of games and pleasantries an elegant oyster supper was served. The guests presented Mr. Heck with a fine rocking chair which he treasures most highly.

The ladies of the Episcopal church gave a mid-winter picnic to the parish and friends in the Wahl hall on Tuesday evening. Drop-the-handkerchief, ring-a-round-a-rosey and other games afforded much merriment. Each one took their basket of luncheon which was enjoyed in true picnic style. Dancing and cards assisted in making the event complete in pleasures.

The Shakespeare club met Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 27th, with Mrs. E. S. Towle. The lesson was most interesting, as it gave the orations of Brutus and Antony. The discussion following was on the dramatic power of the past.

The Friends in Council enjoyed a most pleasant evening Saturday with Miss Barry, as hostess, at her millinery parlors. Roll call was responded to with current events. An excellent paper on "Oliver Wendell Holmes," American poet and prose writer, was read by Miss Wilson. Miss Keim gave in a charming manner "Selections from Autocrat of the Breakfast Table." "The life and writings of Edward Everett Hale" was equally interesting by Miss Morton. This most popular club always has very pleasant meetings and this one was among the first.

Mrs. Fred Brecht and Mrs. Geo. Jenning entertained about forty of their lady friends at the home of the former last Friday afternoon. Both ladies are charming hostess and made the occasion a very delightful one.

On last Monday evening Sallie Schoenheit gave a six o'clock dinner to a number of her friends in honor of Miss Mamie Eustice of Auburn.

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Cline entertained the members of the choir of the M. E. church on Tuesday evening at the parsonage. About thirty were present.

The ladies Kensington of the Presbyterian church spent an enjoyable afternoon yesterday with Mrs. D. M. Davies.

The ladies of the Woodmen circle entertained the grove in W. O. W. hall Feb. 24th. A most enjoyable evening was spent in playing games and a two course supper was served.

The ladies Guild of the Episcopal church enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs Hargrave on Monday.

The young married ladies Kensington club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bert Simanton. It was an enjoyable meeting.

Ruth Wilson entertained a number of her girl friends on Wednesday evening in honor of her 14th birthday. Various games and refreshments made the evening a most pleasant one.

### Ex-Treasurer Gone.

Martin Zook and family shipped their household effects Wednesday evening to their new home at Hope, Kansas. The family will go Friday morning from Verdon where they are now visiting. Mr. Zook served for two terms as treasurer of Richardson County and was always faithful and pleasant in the discharge of his duties. He is a model citizen and we are sorry to lose both he and his excellent family, who made a large circle of friends during their residence in Falls City. They will reside on a farm near Hope, and will keep posted on events here by The Tribune.

We wish them a pleasant and prosperous future.

### With The Sports.

If you could have seen the hunter's carryall on Tuesday morning you would have known there was something doin' from the size of the box located in the center of the bed. It was hunters rations and Jim Powell, Tom Frank, Peter Frederick and Jake Norris were the possessors. The boys went on a four days hunting trip out north of St. Deroin, where the "big game runs wild," in the hopes of bringing home a "good old bear."