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Books and School

Commissioner's Proceedings.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, March, 15th, 1887. Board of county commissioners met

pursuant to adjournment. Present Messrs. Crabtree, Duckworth and Bolles, commissioners, and C. D. Gramer, county clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and

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approved. On motion the following claims were allowed and the clerk directed to draw warrants for the same as follows, to-wit:

1886 COUNTY GENERAL FUND. H A Mondscheirs, clerk for clerks office.....\$ 8 50 State Journal Co., office supplies 1 10 6 75 McCartney & Co., " J C Scuer, assisting surveyor... 1 50 G W Minkler, surveying road claim \$5, allowed at 2 50 Adolph Reeschick, boarding pauper, claim \$24, allowed at .. 18 49 E C Ballew, fixtures for office... 4 35 Frees & Hocknell Lumbe Co., coal for pauper McCook 10 70 Frees & Hocknell Lumber Co., coal for pauper McCook 3 65 McMillen & Weeks, medicine for pauper McCook 4 55 John W Welborn, jailors fees... 33 00

Wm Doyle, commission on proceeds of sale of Bartley bridge vs. A! A Prehm:

C B Hoag, road appraiser..... 2 00

James Wilson, witness...... 3 00 Frank Spear, 3 00 John Edwards, W A Minnear. Henry Stannard, J C Ashton, Levi Allington

Frank Bishop, Josie Easter, Abijah Lester, 3 00 William Parsons, William Burbridge, 3 00 William Kelley, BF Sibbett. ******* Charles Cooper,

... 1 00 State vs. Casper F. Fetters: Henry Baxter, county judge....\$ 4 50 John W Welborn, sheriff 1885 COUNTY GENERAL FUND. B B Duckworth, county com....\$ 5 00 Stephen Bolles, " " 7 20 Henry Crabtree, " " 12 00

B F Brodbury, judge election and reture poll books 5 80 1886 LEVY COUNTY BRIDGE FUND. Frees & Hocknell Lumber Co.. bridge material. \$217 90

W H McCarty, repairs bridges 41 00 Herian & DesLarges, drayage claim \$3, allowed at Frees & Hocknell Lumber Co., bridge material.....

On motion county treasurer is directed to refund to Robert Drysdale \$3 out of the funds of Road District 29, on account of poll tax erroneously assessed against him for year 1886.

On motion the county treasurer is directed to refund to J. W. Rodgers \$3 out of the funds of Road District 18. He being a pauper and assessed with poll tax for the year 1886.

On motion the county treasurer was directed to refund to F. M. Kimmell \$3 out of the funds of Road District 29. for poll tax erroneously assessed against him for 1886. He being a member of the Hocknell Hose Co. of McCook.

On motion the following official bonds were approved: Nelson D Blakely, overseer road dist 20. John Broomfield, " " " 11. " " 30. E J Henderson,

W T Henton, assessor Beaver precinct. Wm Coleman, " Coleman " On motion the following overseers were appointed:

E J Henderson, road district 30. Irving Whitesel, "

Petition for consent road by S. A. Murphy and others granted, establishing public road commencing at the Kansas line in township 1, range 26, on section line between sections 32 and 33, running thence north three and one half miles between sections 32 and 33, 29 and 28, 20 and 21 and one-half mile between sections 17 and 16, intersecting the road running east and west at this point and terminating thereat.

Petition for consent road by M. J Pearson and others granted, establishing public road commencing at the southwest corner of section 25, town 4, range 30, running east two miles between sections 25 and 36, town 4, range 30. Also between sections 30 and 31, town 4, range 29, terminating at the southeast corner of section 30, town 4, range 29.

Petition for consent road by Paul Egger and others granted, establishing public road commencing at the southwest corner of section 33, town 2, range 28, thence running north three miles to the southwest corner of section 16, thence west one-half mile to the northwest corner of the northeast 1 of section 20, town 2, range 28, terminating

thereat. Petition for consent road by R. C. Catlett and others granted, establishing a public road beginning at the northeast corner of section 25 in town 4, range 27 and running south on section line to the southeast corner of section 36-4-27 intersecting valley road.

Petition for consent road by F. C. McDonnell and others granted, establishing a public road, commencing at the southwest corner of section 31, town 1, range 26 west, running thence east on south lines of sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in town 1, range 26, terminating at the southeast corner of

sections 36, town 1, range 26. On motion George H. Green was appointed constable for East Valley precinct and his bond was duly approved. Petition of James W. Thomas and 45 others asking that Beaman precinct be annexed to Indianola precinct granted. Annexing all of town 4, range 27, known as Beaman precinct to Indianola

precinct. In the matter of the application of Samuel J. Stockton to have certain school lands appraised for the purpose of sale, the commissioners designated

On motion board adjourned to meet April 12th, 1887.

HENRY CRABTREE, Attest: C. D. CRAMER, Chairman. County Clerk. By W. H. Dodd, Deputy.

BANKSVILLE.

Prof. Webster made a visit to his claim on

Weddings and rumors of weddings are as thick as the "leaves on the strand," particularly the latter.

A little rain just now would be hailed by the farmers with as much joy as the shower of manna in the "wilderness." We understand that Arthur Dodge has con-

coming season, in consideration of a team of Two of our fair citizens are doing the pedestrian act, for reasons that we are unable to state, unless it be in anticipation of the fair

tracted to work for Ed. Lawthers during the

Miss Flora Bell and Miss Fannie Richardson two of our most intelligent and enterprising Monday of this week.

the coming fall.

Miss Maggie Goodwin took a flying (?) trip to McCook, last Thursday, to meet a friend from Crete, Miss Jennie VanLoon, who was on her way to Colorado, to avail herself of her rights in the "public domain."

"Old Boreas" reminded us of his power on Saturday and Sunday in a very effectual man-Henry Baxter, county judge \$14 10 | ner. The soil was blown off the wheat in farmers in consequence are barrowing again.

> A number of our young people, both fair and otherwise, met on Friday evening, at the residence of W. H. Benjamin, to worship at 3 00 the shrine of Terpsichore. All appeared to ness on the part of some one living northwest that I have received my stock enjoy themselves in the most approved man- of us.

The railroad and the probable benefits that will be derived therefrom, are the common subjects of conversation among our enter- John Harris'. prising citizens at present. But they all declare their preference to be in favor of the Rock Island.

Two of the "boys" who participated in the gathering spoken of above, must have been very much "rattled" as they were unable to identify their spring seats, after having disposed of their fair cargo, and as a consequence left the wrong seat in the right place. Wonder if they could identify their "girls"?

Mr. John Winsor, the genial and persistent agent for the F. U. Ins., Co. is building a new much so for a school teacher, at least. Therehouse on his place. By the way, John is a fore there was a great deal of dissatisfaction thoroughbred in the insurance line, and if he should open his "grip" and begin upon any of our readers we would advise them to "surrender at discretion," as John will surely caring the works, either by assault or siege.

Prairie fires are becoming alarmingly frecareless until someone is summarily dealt with, which should be soon, else somebody near future. Those who have not should im- kind ever shipped to Red Willow county. mediately secure their property from danger from this source by securely guarding their premises, in other words lock the stable before it is burnt or you won't have any to lock. March 22, 1887.

BARTLEY BOOMINGS.

The Barnhart-Schur block is nearly finished. Nebraska zephyrs are around quite numer-

Messrs. Bently and Liep have bought the livery stable at this place. The new furniture man has arrived and ex-

pects his goods in a few days.

Miss Hannah Solberg has opened a dressmaking shop in the Barnhart block.

W. S. Wheeler and wife attended the Ministerial Association at Cambridge, last week. Messrs. Raines & Yarger have bought the

The Choral Union is struggling with the cantata, Rebekah, which they propose to render at commencement, in June.

J. H. Harrison's store will hereafter be known as the Regulator, as designated by a bright new sign over the entrance. On Sunday, the 20th inst., the choir sang

their first anthem from the new Anthem Books provided for their use by the congrega-J. S. Kickendall's car of household goods and stock arrived, a few days ago. His fam-

ily will come in a few days-as soon as the

new house is ready for them. J. M. Graham has bought a new buggy, and when he has his colts hitched to it, it makes a neat and useful turnout, which is much enjoyed by a certain young lady.

The new bridge is completed and open for public use. This places us in direct communcation with a large tract of country that will find it very convenient to come to Bartley to

Dr. Baker had quite an adventure one night last week, while going to see a patient, his horse ran away and upset the buggy, and damaged it to such an extent that the dector

W. H. Emerson has opened a restaurant and bakery, in brick block, corner Commercial Ave. and Walnut street. Mr. Emerson is also proprietor of City Hack Line, and will be found at the depot on arrival of all trains, ready to take passengers to any part of the city. March 22, '87.

SOUTH SIDE LOCALS.

If we were inclined to be at all profane, we would say d--- the man that would set out a prairie fire and then ride around in his wagon and let women and his neighbors fight it. Tenderfoot fires are getting to be altogether to soon, and if some were prosecuted they would "look a little out."

Purify Your Blood.

If your tongue is coated. If your skin is yellow and dry, If you have boils, If you have fever, If you are thin and nervous,

If you are bilious, you are constipated, If your bones ache, If your head aches, If you have no appetite,

If you have no ambition, one bottle of Beggs' Blood Purifier and BLOOD MAKER will relieve any and all of the above complaints. Sold and warranted by

PLEASANT RIDGE ITEMS.

From the record of time, I, we and us, have been noting the following:

That some one is taking a very large scope of country for Pleasant Ridge; therefore I Instrumental Music take up my pen in behalf of District No. 25, to make an explanation. In the fall of 1880, District No. 25 was formed, and in due time there was a meeting of the legal voters of said district to locate a school house site therein, and which the majority carried to the center, and that center was upon the quarter section of a very worthy and estimable young man, who has since passed into the unseen. He was the one who chose the name of Pleasant Ridge for District No. 25, and if any one of our neighbor districts wish to choose the same name, they will have to use the abbreviation, Jr.

Mr. Hammond planted potatoes last week. We have been hearing the song of the Meadow Lark, the past week.

James Kanouse, our obliging blacksmith, is crowded with work, so they say.

The pleasant weather continues and the farmers are getting right down to business.

John Calkins has in ten acres of the hunyoung ladies, commenced their schools on dred he expects to sow to wheat, this spring. E. Green has in twelve acres of spring wheat. He will add fifteen acres more to that.

> West Gerver has sold his farm of 80 acres to a gentleman from Indiana. Consideration The Pleasant Ridge district has a new frame school house, which needs seats and paint to

The Fowler brother are prepared to turn up prairie sod, this spring. They brought home

three new breaking plows last week. The fire flend came sweeping down upon us, Wednesday morning. Some more careless-

West Gerver has moved onto the Frank Laverick place, having rented it for this year.

Rev. Mason preached at Pleasant Ridge school house. Sunday evening, the 6th inst.,

date, in the evening, Who is director of school district 25? As the office was vacated by the moving of Mr. Laverick, and if there is a director, it is time he was getting the notice of an annual meeting

Our school of four months, closed to-day. The teacher, Mrs. Kneff, was quite deaf, or too GUESS. among the patrons.

PLEASANT RIDGE DOINGS.

Our good old March has changed his old ways of snow, sleet, etc., to the old eastern quent. We suppose people will continue to be blow, dust, smoke and dirt. Look out for sore

W. W. Dunham has received some choice will be mourning the loss of stock, etc., in the | seed potatoes from St. Louis. The first of the If anyone wants to take a quick ride and go

through the world flying, just jump in the

wagon of W. F. Thorpe when he hitches up his colts, as he calls them. They are high flyers and no mistake. The Beaver slope will resemble some of our eastern countries in a short time in regard to

tame grasses. W. H. Allen has some 10 acres of tame grass and clover, mixed. W. W. Dunham has got 8 acres to sow to clover. Fred E. Dunham, son of W. W. Dunham, will start for Bartley, April the 7th, to attend the University and take higher branches of

studies than can be learned in districts schools He thinks an education will pay better than plodding along after a plow or harrow on the There seems to be some apprehensions that this coming year will be a dry season. This apprehension is only by the new settlers who are afraid that they can raise nothing this Bartley meat market formerly owned by John summer. Let me say, your humble corres-

pondent has been in this country since 1879. and has not seen but two years outside of which we had very fair sowed crops, corn and vegetables. Our country was new and not much broken, but it is older now, and more land under cultivation. Put in your crop in a husbandman-like manner and the Great Ruler of all things will take care of the rest. YOUR CORRESPONDENT.

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Will relieve that cough almost instantly and make expectoration easy. Acts simultaneously on the bowels, kidneys and liver, thereby relieving the lungs of that soreness and pain and also stopping that tickling sensation in the throat by removing the cause. One trial of it will convince any one that it has no equal on earth for coughs and colds. McMillen & Weeks have secured the sale of it and will guarantee every bottle to give satisfaction.

WHEN WOMEN VOTE.

When women shall rule by the ballot, Which they hope to attain soon or late, How grand will sound President Flossie, And Mamie (Department of State)! How dignified Gertie and Winnie Will sit in the Cabinet chairs,

And Gussie, and Lulie and Kittie Transact Governmental affairs! How majestic will Chief Justice Bertie, Inspire with judicial awe Sweet Roxie, and Sadie, and Myrtie,

The learned expounders of law! And when the great General Mollie. With her troops at the battle arrives, Her name will strike fear to the terrified foe And they'll turn and run for their lives!

C. V. Baxter, an experienced and success ful druggist at DeWitt, Iowa, says one family there created an immense sale for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by using and reccommending it to their neighbors, during siege of whooping cough, now it sells rapidly on its own merits. It has no equal for coughs, colds and croup. Sold by Willey & Walker and McMillen & Weeks.

Young John A. Logan was married at noon yesterday to a young lady in Youngstown, O. Among other presents was a check for \$50 000 from the bride's father.

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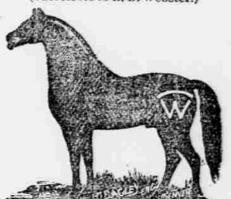
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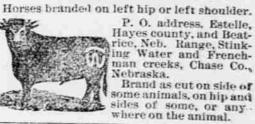
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