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Down at Hastings they are having a postoffice scrap that's a hummer, but one of the candidates, however, is sitting back, looking wise and taking matters coolly. He says Bryan promised him the job several weeks ago and he knows he will get it. If that's so Burlington and Hitchcock are simply wasting their time and energy looking after postoffice matters and might as well go way back and sit down. Hereabouts, it is thought most likely Bryan is cock of the walk in postoffice affairs, as well as all other democratic matters, with Wilson and the rest of the cabinet officers merely aids to his bossism.

In a letter received a few days ago from Geo. Benschoter, he says he has just had a sale of his stock on his ranch near Schill, Nebr., leased his ranch to his sons and moved to Broken Bow to live for a while at least, and may go into business there. To newcomers to this section, we will add that Mr. Benschoter was formerly owner of the Northwestern, from whom we purchased the paper on the first of January 1904. We wish George all kinds of good success in his new home and possible new business venture. Of course, it must be a newspaper George thinks of going into, as how could an old war horse keep out of the harness for any great length of time.

Loup City Commencement

The Sixteenth Annual Commencement of the Loup City high school will be held at the opera house in this city next Wednesday evening, May 21st. There are 17 graduates, whose names were given in these columns a short time since. The address of the evening will be given by ex-State Superintendent of Schools J. L. McBrien of Lincoln. The baccalaureate address will be given by Rev. J. C. Tourtellot Sunday evening, May 18, also at the opera house.

Rockville Commencement

The Third Annual Commencement of the Rockville high school will occur next Wednesday evening, May 21, at the opera house in that village. The graduates are Anna Sundstrom, Charles Cords, William Rasmussen, George Woten and Roy Strom. A program will be rendered as follows: March, Miss Branscomb. Invocation, Rev. J. C. Tourtellot. Bass solo, Prof. J. H. Burwell. Address, Rev. Tourtellot. Presentation of Class, Principal Burwell. Presentation of Diplomas, Mr. Geo. Woten. Quartet, Mrs. Petersen, Mrs. Lay, Dr. Dickinson, Prof. Burwell.

Additional Local

W. F. Mason and C. Bradley were passengers to Lincoln this morning. The Loup City mills shipped five car loads of flour to various points last week, one going to Chicago. Mr. Geo. Dinsdale and Miss Elizabeth Dinsdale returned home to Palmer this morning after a short visit here. Uncle Billy Jacobs of Bristol township was a Loup City visitor last Tuesday afternoon. Uncle Billy is jubilant over the big crop prospects. Dr. Carson of Grand Island will be in Dr. Longacre's office Wednesday, May 21st, prepared to treat the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and also to Fit Glasses. Word was received here last (Wednesday) evening that a cyclone visited Tamora, in Seward county, about 5:30, but as the wires were out of commission because of it, word came here from Aurora. No particulars were received.

Methodist church: Preaching Sunday morning, May 18, by the pastor. Subject—"Why I am a Methodist," by request. No services at night. Sunday school board meeting Friday at 8 p. m. All other services as usual. The public is cordially invited. D. A. Leeper, Pastor.

E. G. Taylor on Tuesday of this week purchased 400 acres of land adjoining E. A. Pinckney, in Webster township, the deal being through the First Trust Co. and A. L. Zimmerman. The land was owned by a non-resident living in Lincoln. About two weeks ago, Mr. Taylor also became owner of 240 acres about four miles east of town.

The Northwestern starts a new serial story next week on its inside pages which is of intense interest. The central figure is "Fran," a circus girl and lion tamer, with all the thrills of romance connected therewith. We have read the advance copy of the story and can promise our readers it is a novel well worth their time to peruse. Read the opening chapter next week and you will be impatient for the arrival of the following papers to get the succeeding chapters.

A phone message from Pleasanton was received here Tuesday and again on Wednesday regarding an eloping couple from that place, and as to whether they had been here and applied for a marriage license, or had been married. The names of the

parties were given, but as the wires were in bad shape it was impossible to secure the name of the young man, hence we refrain from giving the name of the young woman in the case. However, if they were here they left without calling on the county judge. Both parties were under age.

Program and Picnic

Miss Frieda Ohlsen of Dist. No. 4 will have a picnic dinner and a short program, at the close of school, May 23rd. Everyone is invited to come, especially the patrons of the school. Song—Welcome. School Recitation—Getting Information. Recitation—A Lucky Year. Ray Marvel Song—Jolly Boys. School Recitation—Childhood. Viola Marvel Song—I'm Going to Write to Papa. Three little girls Recitation—Little Bo-Peep. Elva Spencer Dialogue—A Spelling Match. Recitation—When I'm Grown Up. Herbert Olsenbruns Recitation—A Brave Little Dandelion. Rudolph Jung Song—Billy and Me. School Recitation—Village Blacksmith. Helen Taylor Flag Salute and America. School Recitation—A Little Eskimo. Agnes Mickow Recitation—Mr. Snail. Leonard Daddow Dialogue—A Peach Pie. Song—What the Cricket Says. School Recitation—Little Boy Blue. Willie Daddow Reading—How to Make a Leaf of Bread. Ruth McFadden Song—Duty and Inclination. School Recitation—An Awful Little Girl. Lucile Taylor Song—Says Johnny McCree. School Recitation—Jack and Jill. Rosie Marvel Song—Columbia Gem of the Ocean. School Recitation—Three Little Kittens. Ray Spencer Song—Smile, Smile. Four girls Recitation—Barefoot Boy. Martha Galloway Recitation—Old King Cole. Earl Galloway Song—Cuckoo Clock. School Song—Happy School Days. School Recitation—A New Book. Elsie Johnson

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I have for sale some 1200 acres of land near Ashton, some of the best farming land in this section. Also, 10,000 acres of Canadian land for sale, see or write me for particulars. J. J. Goc, Ashton, Neb.

Ashton News

Eggs for hatching—pure bred White Single Comb Leghorns, 35c per setting; \$2 per 100. John Rewolinski. Geo. L. Polski was an Ashton visitor last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ciochon and family went to Arcadia, Tuesday, for a few days' visit.

Henry Dethlefs and Ernest Moeller were in St. Paul Thursday last on business.

Mary Maciejewski was a St. Paul visitor Monday, returning in the evening.

Joseph Jolkowski and mother were called to Silver Creek last Thursday on account of the sudden death of a near relative.

If you wake up in the middle of the night and hear an awful noise, do not call the marshal or holler bloody murder, for it is only the high price of living falling down.

The parents of Mrs. C. M. Marohn (whose names we failed to learn) were here visiting at the Marohn home for the past few days.

Aug. Zochol and daughters, Laura and Anastasia, went to Grand Island last week Wednesday, from which place they intended going to Omaha for a few days' visit.

Wm. Lewandowski of Schaubps was here Tuesday, bringing his aged mother, who is over 90 years, with him to attend church services.

The Misses Anastasia and Laura Zochol and Aug. Zochol returned from their Omaha visit Saturday evening. August reports small grain and other crops as looking splendid throughout the state.

F. X. Badura went to Grand Island Tuesday morning to visit his son Peter, who is still confined in a hospital there. Reports are that he is getting along very nicely, having been able to sit up the past few days.

Our implement dealers are getting out their line of haying tools, etc., preparatory to gathering the alfalfa crop, which by all means will be a heavy one for the first cutting.

Geo. Kusak, O. Blumer and Jos. Jankowski were east bound passengers last Thursday for the Sunny South to look over that part of the country, with intention of investing in real estate, if conditions were found suitable.

On Sunday, May 18th, the Paplin married men ball team will be here to play our married men, this being a return game for the one recently played at Paplin, in which our team came out victorious. We want everybody to turn out and show the Paplin aggregation a good time. A small admission will be charged in order to defray the expense of the refreshments which will be served immediately after the game.

On Tuesday, May 13th, at the St. Francis church, occurred the marriage of Mr. Paul Lewandowski to Miss Mary Waskowiak. The bride is daughter of our townsman and county supervisor, Mr. Anton Waskowiak, while the groom is the youngest son of St. Lewandowski. They expect to go to housekeeping on the groom's farm near Paplin. Our best wishes go with them for a most happy and prosperous life.

We were informed that Dr. Wank has decided to sell his home property, it being his intention, as we understand, to move in closer to his present office location. Anyone wishing a good, modern home, with plenty of ground, will do well to see him at once, as he is offering this very reasonable, with easy terms.

In last week's items, through an oversight on our part, we failed to mention that the business at the Ashton garage had so increased that it became necessary for Manager H. R. Lorentz to procure extra help, which arrived at the Lorenz home Sunday morning, May 4th, with intention of staying indefinitely. All concerned are doing nicely, while Shimmel carries a smile that won't come off and every once in a while you can hear him murmur: "It's a boy; it's a boy."

With continued rainy and cloudy weather the past week, there is but little doubt left in our mind but what this section of the country will enjoy a bumper crop, especially in the small grain line. Undoubtedly the largest winter wheat crop ever produced in the United States is indicated in the May report of the department of agriculture. The average condition of winter wheat on May 1st was 91.9 per cent, compared with 91.6 per cent on April 1st, and 79.7 per cent on May 1st of 1912, and 85.6 per cent average for the past ten years on the first of May.

Of late we have heard considerable complaint over our telephone system, and it would seem to us as though the management of this company was after all the money they can possibly get out of its patrons at this point, with the least possible expense. At present there is no one here to look after trouble, same being attended to from Loup City, which looks to us as a very inconvenient way of handling this. Another thing. The company has not furnished us with new directories for almost a year and a half. In this time there have been many changes, besides a good many have worn their directories out, in which case they are unable to call by number, which makes it very inconvenient for our central, taking up her time in looking parties up, and thereby taking up valuable time of others wishing to get a call through. At any rate, we are entitled to better service for the price we are paying, and unless same is forthcoming in the near future the present company may see competition, and we are not speaking at random when we say so.

Evidently, some of our fair young lads and lassies wish to gain valuable information through our items, as will be seen by the following questions which came to by mail the past week, with request that we answer same in this week's items. However, before we venture to put forth answers to the several questions, we wish to state that we do not claim to be a general information bureau, and should any question be mailed us to which we are unable to give a good, reliable answer, same will not appear in our column:

Q.—In going down the street in company with a young lady, how should I walk?—C.

A.—On your feet, with your face in front of you, of course. Did you suppose you would be expected to walk on your ears?

Q.—Kindly recommend a good and safe cure for pimples.—Inquirer.

A.—Chase the pimple around the room until you have run it out of breath, then grab it by the throat and choke it to death. If it comes to life again, knock it in the head with a hammer. Treat each pimple in this manner until you have discouraged them.

Q.—My complexion is too white. How can I remedy it?—A Young Lady.

A.—Our advice is to paint it the color you prefer. However, we would not recommend pea green or vermilion.

Q.—Will you please tell me in your news what I should wear when I am visiting?—Young Man.

A.—It is difficult to define a complete answer to your question in the space allotted to us, but might say that most anything would do that will prevent people observing too much of your natural scenery. Of course, if you go visiting in a petticoat or a pickle barrel, you will occasion remarks that will not be pleasant to you.

The Ashton Basket Ball Club will give a play entitled "His Mother-in-Law" at the Opera House Monday night, May 19th. The play is a three act farce, with specialties between acts.

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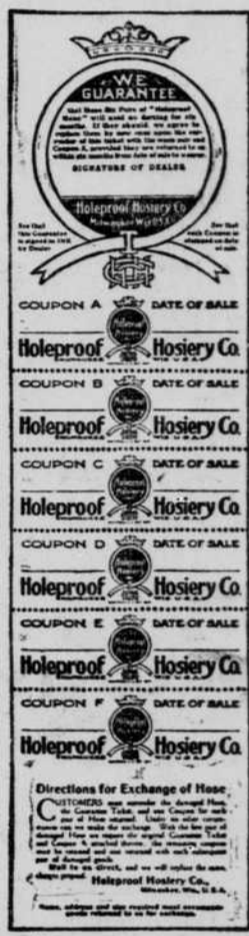
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