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The teachers' meeting at Guide Rock last Saturday, Sept. 24th, was well attended. Twenty-three teachers besides others interested in education were present. Mr. Jos. Dresbach was chosen secretary pro tem.

We shall speak of the papers in general. The papers read at the meeting were interesting and instructive, and showed careful preparation on the part of the readers.

The life of Page and the Primary course of the State course of study, brought forth the liveliest discussion. It cannot be said of our meetings of last year, and of our first meeting this year that a few persons did all the talking (a criticism often made of teachers' meetings in other places) as the young teachers as well as those who have been engaged in the profession for many years, manifested an interest in the work by taking an active part in discussing the various subjects brought before them for their consideration.

All joined heartily in singing from "The National School Singer."

Although this meeting was a good one yet we predict our having still better ones in the future as teachers give more attention to the Reading Circle work. All those who have not procured Reading Circle books, should do so soon, as we should ere long commence doing second month's reading, following the printed outline.

Our motto, "Our meetings are what we make them," was generally recognized by the teachers present and they made this meeting a grand success.

We wish the public to know who some of our live teachers are, and shall give the names of those present at the Guide Rock meeting. They are as follows:

R. E. Pope, Jno. M. Eerner, Maude Orchard, Olive Fox, Nettie Hummel, Tillie Fraser, Geo. M. Caster, Geo. Burton, Orpha Pettit, L. A. Kibontz, Wm. I. Fraser, Carrie Bill, Ella Van Wert, Lona A. Bailey, Carrie M. Hummel, Lulu Barber, Geo. C. Mann, Jos. Dresbach, H. W. Cox, Sylvester Frisbie, Jessie Arnold, M. M. Million and Lulu C. Albin. Some absent ones expressed regrets that they could not possibly attend the meeting at this time.

There are three things that we wish to make prominent in our meetings this year, viz: Reading circle, State course of study, and difficulties met with in our actual school work.

If any teacher meets with a difficult problem in arithmetic, a sentence in grammar, a case of discipline, or any other difficulty in his work upon which he would like to have the opinions of others, let him bring the subject before the meeting for general discussion. In this way we may be helpful to one another. By helping one another we benefit the schools.

We anticipate having a good teachers' meeting at Bladen next Saturday Oct. 1st.

Those in the neighborhood of Dist. No. 18 should attend the local reading circle meeting held at that place next Saturday evening, Oct. 1st.

We give, in this column this week the governor's proclamation in regard to the celebration of Columbus Day. Supt. Goudy's circular in regard to the day will appear in every paper in this county and in this column next week if possible. Webster county schools will not be behind her sister counties in the celebration of the four-hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus.

GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION.
The President of the United States

having appointed Friday, Oct. 21, 1892, as the four-hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, by his proclamation, a national holiday, and recommended its observance, and the department of superintendent of the National Education Association having heartily endorsed the idea of a national holiday, the celebration of which the public schools of the republic everywhere be the center, and such a celebration being at once patriotic and creditable in a state with so splendid a record in educational matters as our own; Now, therefore, I, James E. Boyd, governor of the state of Nebraska in accordance with the action of the president of the United States, and in response to the wishes of the National Education Association, do hereby designate and appoint Columbus Day, namely, Friday, Oct. 21, 1892, as a public holiday, and recommend that it be observed by the different schools throughout the state of Nebraska; that business be suspended on that day; that civil and military organizations take part in the celebrations and that the day be devoted to the inspiring of the children of this land with the true appreciation of the history, grandeur and destiny of this nation.

This work is especially committed to the Hon. A. K. Goudy, superintendent of public instruction.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the state of Nebraska at the capitol, in the city of Lincoln, this 6th day of September, A. D., 1892.

JAMES E. BOYD.
By the Governor,
JOHN C. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

A copy of the Official Program will be sent to every teacher in Webster county shortly.

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