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Time Table.
F. E. & M. V. Ry., Passenger.
Going west leave Harrison at 10:35 A. M.
Going east leave Harrison at 2:51 P. M.

Harrison Market.
Butter, 15c.
Eggs, 6c.
Poultry, per doz. \$2.40 to \$3.
Oats, per 100 lb. \$1.00
Corn, per 100 lb. 90c.
Bran, per 100 lb. \$1.10.
Feed, chopped, per 100 lb. \$1.35.
Potatoes, per bu. 25c.
Sorghum, per gal. 60c.
Onions, per bu. \$1.50.
Beans, per bu. \$1.00.

Literary entertainment May 18th.
Bert Carrier is now residing on his claim.

The supply of water in the new well is as plenty as ever.

A small shower visited us last Monday. Call again.

Lewis Gerlach's beaming face greeted us again last week.

Jones & Verity buy allowed claims against Sioux county.

Mr. B. E. Brewster arrived home from Cheyenne last Tuesday.

John I. Davis has moved into the Con. Lindeman property.

A valuable mare belonging to John Thornton died last Sunday.

According to a London dispatch a natural fountain of beer has been discovered in Corea.

J. W. Langdon, James Farnam, Chas. Brooks and Oscar Garton called on Monday last.

District Court will convene at Harrison on the 27th of this month, Judge Kin-kaid presiding.

James Kendall, son of Isaac Kendall, has been quite sick for sometime past is said to be improving.

Reports from all interested points tend to the effect that the Sioux Reservation will be opened this summer.

For a space of 111 years we are to have the figure 9 in our calendars. A sort of be-9 period, as it were.

If you fail to attend the entertainment at the Church on Saturday evening May 18th, you will miss a treat.

Messrs Murphy & Whitney have commenced work on the new bridge across Sow-belly creek at J. G. Morris's place.

Mr. Kelley has severed his connection with the store of W. R. Smith and is spending a few days with his brother at Whitney.

Will Davis, of the Herald force, is recovering slowly from his recent severe illness but is still unable to resume his work at the case.

Wm. Schonebaum, the harness maker, has about completed a fine log house on his claim on Jim creek and will reside there in the near future.

The 30th day of this month is Decoration Day and other towns are making preparation for its proper observance. Will Harrison celebrate the day.

Barber Galpin and blacksmith Carrier may be seen every evening with three soda crackers and a small can of water, traveling in a southeastern direction.

The Gordon Republican evidently has a few friends thereabout as it appeared last week with over a column of land notices. Shake boys, we expect to print a few ourselves.

Jacob Dometshauer, who recently located on section 2, township 33, range 56, arrived on Monday last with a car of goods and will hereafter permanently reside in our midst.

Dora Trimbur has been appointed marshal, street commissioner and city engineer and was instructed by the town board to lay pipe from the new well to the cistern at the old well.

Messrs Jake, Cornelius and Henry Vangorkom, of Sioux county, Iowa, acquaintances of A. W. Emery, arrived here yesterday with a view to locating. And still there is room for more.

Wanted, a middle aged lady to do general house work for family on ranch. Good wages and steady employment to the right person. Enquire at this office or apply to Jas. H. Cook, Harrison, Neb.

The Misses Slattery left yesterday for Denver where they expect to make their home for the summer. The ladies will be missed by their many friends who are wishing that they may get homelick for Sioux county and speedily return.

Last Wednesday's train brought to Harrison, direct from Germany, Domenick, Nickolas, Jean Piere, Katherina and Margaretha Haas and their mother. They were met at this place by their brother and started for the famous Hat Creek Valley the same day, where they expect to locate.

Corn planting is being commenced in more than one locality.

Morrison the Jeweller can be found at C. H. Andrews & Co's every day.

Mrs. Moore is having a house built on her claim five miles southeast of town.

Mr. W. Gould, of the Hamilton Loan and Trust Company, of Kearney, Neb., is at work in Sioux county examining loan applications and property.

A special train carrying the State Board of Transportation arrived here at five o'clock this morning. It will be remembered that the Hon. L. W. Gilchrist is one of the members. Governor Thayer was also one of the party.

The ladies of the M. E. Church are making extensive preparations for a musical and literary entertainment to be given in the Church on Sat., May 18. The proceeds are to be applied to the organ fund. No pains will be spared to make this one of the best entertainment ever given in Harrison and the object is so meritorious that a good attendance should be given them.

Mr. Joseph Parsons suffered a severe loss on last Friday by the burning of his house and barn. Mr. Parsons was away from home at the time and it was only by a strenuous effort and the assistance of Mr. White that a part of the household goods were saved. Mr. Parsons also lost a valuable horse that was burned with the barn. The loss is sorely felt by Mr. Parsons who is a hard working, industrious citizen and a good neighbor.

We are in receipt of the Superintendent's announcement of the coming teachers institute to be held in the court house at Harrison, commencing June 18, and ending June 28. This is a move in the right direction and one that will be a benefit to the teachers of Sioux county if they properly apply themselves to the work which we doubt not they will.

The announcement also states that Prof. A. J. Babcock will deliver a lecture to the teachers on the evening of the 27th. This is wrong. The excess of knowledge lies with the teachers and they should deliver the lecture and allow Babcock to be the audience. He could learn many things from the teachers of Sioux county that would be entirely new and strange to him.

Dry Antelope Items.

Mr. Fred Stemmer got his intended better half's picture and he is in a great hurry to build his house. He will put up a house 14 by 22, frame, this fall large enough for two. Fred is a rustler.

Mr. Langdon will go to Van Tassel and break some ground for Mr. Brown. He will be gone about two weeks.

It has been very windy for the last few days. (Of course everybody knows it.)

Mr. W. F. Shepherd, of Squaw Creek, is a rustler, so his friends say, but there isn't rustle enough about him to get him a housekeeper.

J. W. Langdon and J. A. Pratt went to Clark's saw mill, in Plum Creek canyon, Wyoming, last Monday. They say: "Oh my such roads!"

SOD BREAKER.

Secretary Noble has rendered a decision regarding entries under the timber culture act and places a different construction upon the law to the one hitherto held. He says: "No arbitrary rule can be established for the government of every case. It should be the desire of the department to ascertain what the intent and purpose of congress was in the passage of the act. Clearly it was to encourage the artificial growth of timber in a prairie country. It is within the experience of all minds that in all mankind living regions, that in drains and ravines a few scattering trees are to be found, and it would not seem that congress intended to exclude every tract of that kind from the timber culture act. It stands to reason that it was not the purpose to deprive the occupants of the vast prairies of the west of the benefits of the act if there happened to be a single tree upon the section. I take it that words prairie land, or land devoid of timber, within the spirit of the act, means lands practically so."

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Contributions by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at the usual hour on Wednesday, May 8th, at the school house, but "owing to circumstances over which they had no control," they concluded to hold their session OUTSIDE of the building instead of INSIDE; and, as the aforesaid circumstances seemed rather adverse, devotional exercises were dispensed with.

Not much business was transacted, and a motion of adjournment was speedily in order. They adopt as their motto for this occasion "Nils Desperandum."

The Two Neighbors.

MARTHA J. HADLEY, IN BOSTON TRAVELER.

There lived two neighbors in our little town.

Both, in their way, of great and wide renown;

One fierce and warlike; peaceable the other,

Trying to make of his dread foe a brother.

One king was called, and one the poor man's friend,

Which led them often hotly to contend;

And long the war was waged, is raging still,

Which has the greater power, the stronger will.

At last the people met, and sought intent to see

If these two foes could dwell in unity.

But, after earnest prayer and long debate,

Which served still more to aggravate the hate,

Have now decided, every one and all,

No more to tolerate King Alcohol,

But to accept, and greetings true extend,

To pure Cold Water, everybody's friend.

A London periodical states that cholera carried away ten thousand of the drinking class of society without being fatal to a single member of the temperance societies.

In New Orleans in 1850, the yellow fever scourge swept away 1,000 intemperate men before it touched a single sober person.

During a cholera year in Rotterdam, 900 persons died of the disease, of whom but three were total abstainers.

Dr. MacIntosh, of Edinburgh, says: "The first victims of cholera are particularly those addicted to the use of ardent spirits." It is stated that of 1,000 deaths in that city only two were members of temperance societies.

Dr. Mussey says that during cholera in Albany, of 5,000 members of temperance societies, only two died.

Though the mills of God grind slowly, Yet they grind exceeding small;

Though with patience He stands waiting, With exactness grinds He all.

Eli Perkins says, and sticks to it, that the liquor business does not thrive and prosper in Iowa, and that prohibition is a great blessing to the state. Eli met a Missouri farmer coming into the state who left one boy, killed a few weeks before in a drunken brawl, and was taking the others up into Iowa to save them.

Boggy Items.

Still dry, though the wheat and oats look fine. Several farmers are planting corn.

The herd law is putting a move on some of the small cattle men. They are hunting for herds, or herders, to take care of their cattle. That's right, go on in the good work and peace will follow.

Fvery one that can is grabbing after more land. If they can't get it by fair means they take it by foul ones, or take advantage of their neighbors misfortunes.

There is need for the opening and working of a few more roads so that the mail will have a straighter and better route.

More immigrants in the valley. Six men are camped on Hat Creek, they are from Kansas and looking for locations.

A nice rain Monday evening.

Lint Orton stopped on his claim the night of the 5th.

Has Mr. Hull found himself yet? He came to my house in the night hunting for Markings. I reckoned he got there as he didn't return that night.

Coffee is still making garden. He will supply Sioux county all right.

Wm. Corcoran has laid in his summer supply of hash.

Southworth returned home from Chadron the other day with a different colored horse.

Stray Notice.

Taken up by me on March 21st, 1889, at my place on section 31, township 33, range 56, in Sioux county, Nebraska, one roan heifer with slit in briscket, supposed to be 2 years old.

Oscar A. Garton.

For Sale—Pure Millet seed at W. R. Smith's.

Stray Notice.

Taken up by me at my residence on section 9, township 34, range 56, Sioux county, Nebraska, on March 29, 1889, one sorrel gelding, with white strip in forehead, white left front foot and right hind foot, brand on left shoulder—circle around q—and dim brand on right hip supposed to be M or 3. Age unknown. J. H. WARR.

Legal Notice.

John Culp, defendant, will take notice that on the 17th day of April, 1889, the Buffalo Gap Lumber Company, plaintiff herein, filed their petition in the District Court of Sioux county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mechanics lien upon lot No. 2, block No. 8, in the village of Harrison, Sioux county, Nebraska, for the sum of \$187.67 for which sum, with interest from the 3rd day of September 1888, plaintiff prays for a decree that defendant be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 27th day of May, 1889.

BUFFALO GAP LUMBER CO., Plaintiff. GEO. WALKER, Attorney.

Legal Notice.

The Board of Church Extension, a corporation organized by the Legislature of Pennsylvania; and O. W. Fiedler, non-resident defendants; will take notice that on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1889, The Buffalo Gap Lumber Company, Plaintiff herein, filed its petition in the District Court of Sioux county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mechanics lien upon Lot number twenty-eight in Block number three, in the village of Harrison, Sioux county, Nebraska, for the sum of two hundred and fifteen dollars and seventy-seven cents, (\$215.77), for which sum, with interest from the 14th day of April, A. D. 1889, plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 27th day of May, 1889.

BUFFALO GAP LUMBER CO., Plaintiff. GEO. WALKER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Chadron, Neb. }
April 6, 1889.

Complaint No. 1471 having been entered at this office by Charles L. Tubbs against Henry G. F. Junker for failure to comply with law as to Timber-Culture entry No. 5334 dated March 8th, 1886, upon the northwest quarter of section 27, township 31, range 56, in Sioux county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that the said claimant has failed to cultivate any part of said tract during the third year after entry, and that he has failed to plant either trees, seeds or cuttings upon said tract during the third year after entry, and has failed to cure the defects up to the date of initiating this contest, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 10th day of June, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M. to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

Testimony of witnesses will be taken before C. C. Jameson, Clerk of the Dist. Court, at his office in Harrison, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of June, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ALBERT W. CRITES, Receiver.

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