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Proprietors.

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

County warrants bought at the  
of Harrison.

Doctor Reichen filed on a home-  
in Chadron Wednesday.

There will be a good crop of pota-  
in Sioux county this year.

R. K. Post is erecting a new barn on  
in the east part of town.

A remarkable event happened this  
—Tom Boidy was off his feed.

Do not fail to call on THE JOURNAL  
you want a nice job of printing done.

The hay crop promises to be excel-  
the recent rains caused the grass to  
grow lively.

A house on the Stastney property  
of town adds much to the appear-  
ance of the property.

The farmers are getting ready to  
crop hay. The indications are that  
yield will be good.

August Mohr has taken a homestead  
claiming his pre-emption. He went to  
Monday to file on it.

General Manager Rurt and General  
superintendent Hughes passed over the  
town in a special car last week.

Always remember that Conley,  
Pillard are always ready to  
you a loan on the most reasonable  
terms.

Don't forget that THE JOURNAL is  
equipped to do all kinds of job printing  
neat and tasty manner, on short  
notice.

A party of soldiers and Indian  
wets camped near Harrison last Sun-  
day. They were in search of horses  
which had escaped from Fort Robinson.

A traveling tumbler amused the  
people of Harrison for a few minutes  
yesterday by giving an exhibition on the  
street. Of course he took up a collec-  
tion.

Last week THE JOURNAL was not out  
of press in time to catch some of the  
mail. We hope to avoid such an oc-  
currence in the future but delays are un-  
avoidable occasionally.

Harrison may not be enjoying much  
of a boom, but it is hard work to find a  
cupenter who has time to do a little  
job. No one is idle in this part of the  
country just at present.

See the card of L. E. Belden & Son  
another column, and when you want  
anything in their line call at their  
establishment and you will get a good job  
done at reasonable rates.

Judge Hunter has traded off his mules  
and the marshal has killed the hound,  
"Jack" and some of the people around  
town are wondering what they will do  
for something to play tricks on.

If you want to know where to buy  
goods to the best advantage or do any  
kind of business with business men, just  
watch the advertising columns of THE  
JOURNAL. It will prove a sure index.

One day last week L. O. Hull killed  
a large rattlesnake near his farm  
north of town. One had seven rattles  
and the other eleven rattles. The latter  
showed a good deal of fight, but a  
hand in the hands of Mr. Hull soon settled  
him.

In our columns this week appears  
the professional card of C. E. Holmes,  
attorney at law. Mr. Holmes is a thor-  
oughly educated lawyer and all business  
entrusted to him will be well looked after.  
He has his office with Jones &  
Verity.

J. R. Warn has opened a meat mar-  
ket in the building formerly used for  
that purpose south of Sheriff Post's  
implement establishment. He intends  
to have always on hand a supply of fresh  
meats. He is an old hand at the busi-  
ness and will rustle for the trade.

A traveling man remarked one day  
last week that the grass showed more  
rain in Sioux county than in any section  
east or west, through which he traveled.  
There is a bright future in store for  
Sioux county and our people should use  
every effort to induce their friends to  
come here and locate.

During the few weeks of our resi-  
dence here a very noticeable change has  
taken place in the appearance of the sur-  
rounding country. New houses have  
sprung up as if by magic and it is sur-  
prising what a difference they make in  
the view. As soon as the settlers get their  
land broken and a few trees growing it  
all tone down the scenery wonderfully.

During the past week the front of  
THE JOURNAL office has been treated to a  
good, thorough painting and a large  
sign has been painted across the entire  
front. This improves the appearance of  
the building and will enable people to  
find THE JOURNAL office without trouble.  
As to the quality of the work all that is  
necessary to say is that E. E. Massey did  
it for that is a guarantee of a good job.

—Jones & Verity will buy county  
warrants.

—Now is the time to subscribe for THE  
Journal.

—Do not fail to take advantage of our  
combination offer.

—We are still on deck and ready to  
make you the best terms in the matter  
of a loan on your farm.

CONLEY, RUBY & POLLARD.

—We hear some complaints about the  
enforcement of the dog ordinance. Some  
of the owners of dogs have paid the li-  
cense and others refuse to and the dogs  
on which the license has not been paid  
go free. In such matters there should  
be no favoritism. If the law says that  
a license tax should be paid the owner  
ought to be made to pay it or take the  
consequences.

—Send the names of your friends in  
the East who wish to visit you, or who  
are seeking new locations, to J. R. Bu-  
chanan, Gen'l Passenger Agent of the  
Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley R.  
R. Co., Omaha, Neb., that he may send  
them information relative to the "One-  
Fare Harvest Excursions," which occur  
August 6th and 9th, September 10th  
and 24th, and October 24th.

—Our people should be careful not to  
endanger the health of their children by  
going where a family is afflicted by a  
disease that can be spread. It might be  
well for the village council to pass an  
ordinance making it obligatory for peo-  
ple who have contagious diseases among  
the members of their family to put out  
flags so that others will not unwittingly  
expose their little ones to the danger.

—County Commissioner J. G. Morris  
has purchased the Nole ranch, located  
about twenty miles west of this place,  
and took possession last Tuesday. He  
will not, however, change his residence  
for some time, at least, and we hope he  
will arrange it so that he will continue  
to be a resident of Sioux county. The  
establishment cost him about \$5,000 and  
we hope the investment will yield him a  
liberal reward.

—The recent heavy rains have washed  
the dirt out still deeper which winds  
down the center of Main street. We do  
not claim to be much of an engineer but  
it looks as if the better course would be  
to dig down the south side of Second street  
west of Main, that would relieve the last  
mentioned place of a good deal of sur-  
face water and stop the cutting of ditches  
in the middle of the street. As it is  
now it is hardly safe to drive a wagon  
across the street. It is to be hoped that  
the village board will take this matter  
into consideration and have it fixed up  
in decent shape.

—When you write to your friends do  
not fail to impress on them that the  
question of fuel need not be considered.  
We have been in counties in Nebraska  
where the only fuel the farmers could  
afford was corn stalks and hay. In a  
county a long way east of this we were  
once caught on a prairie in a very severe  
storm. We finally packed a sod house  
and were glad to seek shelter there. All  
that the family had to keep them from  
freezing was hay, and it kept one mem-  
ber of the family busy all the time to  
keep the fire going. Here in Sioux  
county it is different. Wood can be had  
for the trouble of gathering and hauling  
it and coal is cheap enough to be within  
the reach of all.

Died.

MAINE.—Arthur Lee, oldest son of Mr.  
and Mrs. S. L. R. Maine, of diphtheria,  
at the family residence, near Harrison,  
Neb., July 19, 1889.

Deceased was born in Valley Co., Neb.,  
Oct. 18, 1822. For six years and 9  
months did this lovely branch in the  
bosom cheer and comfort the parent hearts.  
Little Arthur was a sweet, religious  
child. He was cradled amid religious in-  
fluences and seemed happiest when talk-  
ing of God and Heaven. He was ad-  
mired and loved by all. His patience  
during all his suffering was remarkable.  
The funeral sermon was preached by  
the writer from 1 Sam. 20: 18, "Thou  
shalt be missed because thy seat will be  
empty."

The parents have the sympathy of the  
entire community in their bereavement.

R. H. FROST.

School Report.

The following is a report of the term  
of school district No. 20: Term com-  
menced April 1, and closed July 11, 1889.  
Number of pupils, males 10 females 7;  
average attendance 11; number living in  
district between the ages of 8 and 14  
years 9; number of those who attended  
school 12 weeks or more during school  
year, none. There was one visit by the  
county superintendent and none by the  
director. IDA L. HESTER, Teacher.

Long Pine Chautauqua.

Excursion tickets will be on sale from  
July 18th to 25th, inclusive, to Long  
Pine and return, at one and one-third  
fare with 25 cents added for admission to  
assembly grounds. Tickets good for re-  
turn until July 30th.

J. C. Northrop, Agt.

## PERSONAL.

Chas. E. Govey was at Harrison yes-  
terday.

A. Hart's little girl was taken ill on  
Tuesday.

Mrs. C. L. Tabbs has been quite sick,  
but is convalescing.

Daniel Klein was a visitor at the coun-  
ty's capital Tuesday.

Squire S. H. Jones spent Sunday in  
Wyoming, with friends.

Miss Maud Markee, of Gordon, is the  
guest of Miss Emma Weir.

Wm. Severe, of Rushville, is visiting  
E. A. Weir for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith returned  
from Whitney on last Saturday.

H. A. Wertz made a trip to Crawford  
on Monday and returned Tuesday.

Dick Simler, the genial tinner, gave  
us some cash on subscription Tuesday.

Mrs. El. Maine was on the sick list  
last week, but at last reports was better.

J. H. Cook, of the Amate Springs  
stock farm, went to Crawford on Mon-  
day.

Another child of S. L. R. Maine is  
quite sick. We hope to hear of her re-  
covery.

Dr. Waller, of Chadron, was in Har-  
rison on Monday in consultation with  
Dr. Shaffer.

Jacob Henry, of Montrose, was in Har-  
rison on Monday and enriched the printer  
to quite an extent.

Julius Palmer left last Monday for the  
southwest. His objective point is Den-  
ver, where his uncle resides.

Mrs. H. T. Conley and Miss Emma  
Weir made a trip to the canyons last  
week to sketch some of the scenery.

James Farnam, of Jim creek, called on  
us yesterday. Jim is lamenting the par-  
tial loss of fifteen acres of corn caused  
by a hail storm.

Geo. Beckman, M. Ashenfelter and  
John Messing, from Indian creek, were  
at the county seat on Wednesday on  
final proof matters.

Willie Hunter has been quite sick for  
the past week, but is recovering, one of  
his sisters is now sick but is not consid-  
ered in much danger.

Attorney C. E. Holmes returned on  
Tuesday from his trip down the road. He  
took an active part in the base ball  
games at Chadron last week.

J. B. Bradley, of Bodare, was in Har-  
rison on Saturday and made a pleasant  
call at this office and gave us a liberal  
amount of silver before leaving.

Arthur Barta, from below Running  
Water, was in Harrison yesterday and  
gives us the information that crops are  
looking fine in his locality owing to the  
recent beautiful rain.

Mrs. Ellen Griswold, accompanied by  
her grand-daughter, Miss Jennie Phil-  
lips, arrived from Avoca, Iowa, last  
week and will make an extended visit  
to her son, D. H. Griswold.

In another column appears the card  
of R. E. Massey, the well known painter  
and sign writer of Harrison. In the past  
Mr. Massey has not been able to do much  
in the line of carriage painting on ac-  
count of lack of shop room. He has re-  
cently had the large building on the  
south side of Second street fitted up for  
his use and is now prepared to take care  
of all work in his line. His work is so  
well known that all that is needed is to  
know that Mr. Massey did it, to be as-  
sured of a good job.

Some time last Sunday night Me-  
Nab, the horse thief, succeeded in once  
more regaining his liberty. He had  
managed to get hold of some tools, a  
wrench being included, and got the bolts  
off the door of the jail. He was shack-  
led at the time of his escape and was  
tracked by his short steps a short dis-  
tance along the railroad, going west.  
Here the short steps stopped and no  
tracks could be found. Men were sent  
out in different directions and Sheriff  
Post sent word around the country by  
mail, but so far no trace of him has been  
found. Judge Kinkaid had sent word  
that he would be here on Monday or  
Tuesday to sentence him, so that he got  
away just in time to save a trip to the  
penitentiary at Lincoln. It is thought  
by some that the fellow had assistance  
from the outside, but the general opin-  
ion is that he had picked up the tools  
with which he gained his liberty while  
out to his meals. The chances are that  
he will not be caught again. It risks  
Sioux county of him, but it is not carry-  
ing out the intent of the law. Criminals  
should be given to understand that in  
Sioux county they will be punished and  
not allowed to go free. The escape of  
one man who commits a crime encour-  
ages another to violate the law in the  
meantime, and it is to be hoped that in  
the future a place will be prepared where an  
offender can be confined and kept until  
his case can be disposed of by the courts.

## Deadmans.

The present condition of crops in this  
vicinity is very flattering indeed, and the  
future prospects could not be better.

"Tige Rainy," (A. E. Rainey's bull  
dog) has joined the army at Ft. Robin-  
son. He now belongs to K troop, 9th  
cavalry. As a fighter and eater he can-  
not be excelled.

The Rev. Meredith preached to us at  
the upper Deadmans school house last  
Sabbath afternoon.

Harvey Howard has been up on the di-  
vide doing some breaking for Mrs. Han-  
aker.

We have now two Sabbath schools  
running, one up and one down this  
stream. Mrs. Hanaker is superinten-  
dent of the upper one and Mrs. Miller of  
the lower one.

Mrs. Fannie Suedaker started for Ft.  
Laramie Wednesday, where she will re-  
side with her sister.

Mr. Rigdon's family were all sick with  
sore throat last week but at this time  
are improving.

El. Sandy is putting up a barn for Mr.  
Devenport, in district No. 19.

This country is blessed with plenty of  
rain. From two to three good rains  
each week should satisfy every one.

We hear it rumored that Miss Janie  
Hunt will again teach the White River  
school. We hope such may be the case.

Frank McFarland, who has been in bed  
for 18 months from an internal injury,  
is now able to get about the house.

C. C. Carpenter is building a new  
house and has it about completed.

## Mary and her Brother Ben.

American Farm News.

The story goes that Mary had a little  
bird that sang to her all day; one day  
the cat upset the cage and birdie got  
away. Then Mary sat her down and  
tears streamed from her pretty eyes; she  
never found her birdie because she would  
not advertise. And Mary had a brother  
Ben whose herds and flocks near by were  
fine as any in the land, but nobody came  
to buy. In fact nobody knew of him ex-  
cept at the village store, where he  
bought his goods on credit and never  
wiped out the score. And so the sheriff  
sold his stock, but still he lingered near,  
and Mary came to drop with him a sym-  
pathetic tear. "How is it sister," said  
he, "that these other breeders here sell  
all their stock, and pay their bills, and  
thrive from year to year?" Remember-  
ing now her own bad luck the little  
maid replied: "These other breeders get  
there, Ben, because they advertise."

## NOTICE.

Bids will be received by W. R. Smith chair-  
man of the village board, up to noon of the  
1st day of August, 1889, for the furnishing  
of five cords of dry wood and twenty cords of  
green wood, for the use of the town. The  
stacks to be not over eight inches through  
and 35 feet long.

C. E. HOLMES,

Attorney-at-Law.

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President. Vice Pres.

CHAS. C. JAMESON, Cashier.

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New Goods,  
New Prices,

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Following Prices Will show.

Pacific robe prints, 5 to 6, worth 7 and 8
Charter Oak " 5 to 6, worth 7 and 8
Old Time " " 8, worth 10
Simpson satin finish prints 8, " 10
Simpson linen finish prints 7, " 10
Extra wide German prints 12 1/2 " 15
Turkey red Damask " 60 " 75
Turkey red Damask " 40 " 50
Summer dress goods " 12 1/2 " 20
Imported sateens " 16 " 20
Fine Victoria lawn " 10 " 15
Fine lace curtains " 1.25 " 2.00
Fine Turkish bath towels,
per pair, " 45 " 75
Summer veiling 15 to 20 worth 25 and 35
9 1/2 sheeting " " 27 worth 35

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