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Remember that THE JOURNAL office is headquarters for job printing.

P. N. Kirkpatrick has built a house on his homestead a few miles east of town.

B. L. Smuck has moved his barber shop into the room formerly occupied by Jenkins' shoe shop, two doors south of the court house.

The F. E. & M. N. will sell round trip tickets to Lincoln and return, good returning until September 17, for \$13.90. The above includes one admission to the state fair.

The town seems quite deserted since the institute has closed. It is too bad that we cannot leave the school-marms with us always.

Albert Whipple has contracted for 300 tons of baled hay at Harrison for \$1.50 per ton on board cars there. Crawford Bacon.

A bad fire occurred in the vicinity of Glen and although hard work was done to subdue it a large tract of land was burned over. No buildings were destroyed so far as has been learned.

The JOURNAL wants a correspondent in every settlement in the county who will send in the local news each week. If those who will act in that capacity will send us notice to that effect we will send them stationery at once.

A letter was received on last Friday from Pat Lacy. It was dated at Neligh and stated that there were thirteen in the party on their way to Sioux county to make their homes.

Joseph Hebbeln left for the eastern part of the state on Tuesday to buy a few hundred head of cattle to ship out to live on the grass on his range which would otherwise go to waste.

The Omaha Weekly Bee, 12 pages each week, from now to Nov. 15, covering the entire campaign, for 10 cents. Send stamps or silver to the Omaha Bee, Omaha, Neb.

Chris Burgle has disposed of his land to Claus Christensen and with his personal effects has started by team for Albert. He expects to be on the road from four to six weeks.

A number of railroad stations in the eastern part of the state have been closed. They had been established for convenience in corn shipments, but the failure of the corn crop makes them unnecessary.

Nine car-loads of cattle were shipped from here on Saturday evening. The good prices which have been received by those who have shipped have caused many to want to take advantage of the market.

A letter has been received from the hospital at Omaha stating that the child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sutton is in a fair way to be cured. It will be necessary for the patient to remain there for treatment for a number of months yet.

J. W. Earnest started east the first of the week to buy cattle to ship out here to eat up some of the feed he has on hand. He will not let any suffer if the owners will sell them so that he can see his way to make it pay him to send them out here.

The republican convention is called to meet at Valentine on September 14th. Sioux county is entitled to two delegates and has three elected, but it is safe to say there will be no trouble about it. It is hoped that good, clean, honest men will be nominated, for there is no use for the party to hope to win with any other kind of timber.

To much care cannot be exercised in preventing the destruction of the grass by fires. From all that can be learned a great deal of stock will be brought into this section of the country within the next few months and all the feed will be needed. Some arrangement should be made so that in case of a fire getting started plenty of help will turn out and extinguish it.

School will begin next Monday with H. L. Fisher as principal and Miss Cora M. Wurts in charge of the primary department. It was hoped that the board would have taken some action toward getting the school house in a location better suited to the purpose than the present site before the beginning of the term, but for some reason the matter was not taken up. A great many of the parents would feel easier if the school building was moved.

The lecture of Rev. John Power delivered at the court house on last Friday evening was something above the ordinary in its line. Mr. Power is a good speaker and has given much thought to his topic. These, coupled with the fact that he had spent years of his life in educational work, put him in an unusually good position to talk to the teachers gathered to attend the county institute, and if his suggestions and advice are followed every teacher who heard him will do better work in the school room in the future than in the past, and those who are not teachers will become better members of society.

PERSONAL.

Miss Tracy Will is visiting at Lusk. Irving Wilson was in town the last of the week.

F. M. Smith was up from Five Points the last of the week.

Harry Churchill was in town several days during the past week.

Mrs. C. Christensen has somewhat recovered from her attack of erysipelas.

Sol Wilson was up from Running Water Monday and called at this office.

Rev. John Power made an agreeable call at this office last Saturday morning.

Frank Phillips was in town Monday having completed his job on Running Water.

T. A. Coffey and H. A. Simmons were in Harrison Saturday looking after stock shipments.

John Hebbeln was over from the north part of the county on business the first of the week.

Miss Alice Thomas went to Chadron Friday evening where she will attend the academy.

Commissioner Weber and D. S. Cox were up from the east part of the county on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. E. Lunsford and children left for Edgemont Monday evening, where they expect to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ward, of Lusk, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rohrer the last of the week.

Rev. J. W. Kendall left last evening for Hot Springs, S. D., and from there he will go to Chadron to attend conference.

Mrs. C. F. Carleton, accompanied by Mr. Carleton's mother, is expected to arrive to-morrow from Alliance for a visit to relatives and friends.

The Teachers' Institute.

The work of the sixth annual teachers' institute came to a close last Saturday, and the fruits of this work will be revealed as the schools progress during the year. It is certain that if the same earnest efforts are made by the teachers in the school rooms as was made by each and every one in the institute, and the instructions which they received there are adhered to, there will be a marked advancement in the school work of the county. The enthusiastic interest instilled by the instructors, Prof. Bennett of the Chadron academy and Jones of Hay Springs, from the start, was the principal factor which made the institute a success.

The mode of instruction in some of the branches was somewhat different from that which had ever been given before, particularly in reading and drawing. Prof. Bennett presented each of these in a clear, simple manner, and gave methods and illustrated principles that can be used in every school room and understood by every pupil.

Probably the most novel as well as one of the most instructive features of the institute was the legislative assembly which convened just after the close of each day's session. It was an original idea from Prof. Bennett and so far as we know is the first time such a feature has been introduced into institute work. It was composed of twenty-nine members, with Prof. Jones acting as governor, Prof. Bennett as speaker and Supt. Davis as clerk. Committees were appointed, bills introduced, referred to committees and reported back, and as far as possible the exact workings of a legislature illustrated. But one bill (providing for the registration of school orders and the payment of them in the order of their registration) was so fortunate as to pass and receive the signature of the governor. One providing for the extermination of the Russian thistle was passed but Gov. Jones departed without signing it. Other bills met the fate of so many of their like in "real" assemblies of being indefinitely postponed, left on the general file, etc., etc. A clear understanding of the lawmaking process was thus obtained, and also affording to a certain extent amusement and relief after the day's labor. The legislature will meet again on the first day of the '95 institute.

The character and quality of the special lectures provided for the teachers were of a nature to invite careful study, and were received with that attention which shows the desires of the teachers for a betterment of their condition in every respect. What teacher that heard the splendid sermon of Rev. Kendall Sunday evening and the eloquent lecture of Rev. Power of Chadron Thursday evening can fail to profit by the innumerable thoughts presented by them, or can fail to realize and be impressed with the great responsibility lying on them in the direction of the thoughts and the training of the minds of those who are in a few years to rule the nation?

As a result of the examination six third grade, nine second grade and two first grade certificates have been issued. The first grades are held by Miss Minnie E. Smith and H. L. Fisher.

W. H. DAVIS, Co. Supt.

Notice to Tax Payers.

Notice is hereby given that all personal taxes for the years 1887, 1888, 1889, and 1890 remaining unpaid October 1, 1894, will be collected by distress and sale if necessary.

H. S. WOODRUFF, County Treasurer.

For the annual encampment of the G. A. R. the F. E. & M. V. will sell tickets to Pittsburg and return for \$28.90. Here is an opportunity for any one to go east at small expense.

The State Fair Exhibit.

Last evening a car loaded with the products of Sioux county started for Lincoln where its contents will be placed on exhibition at the state fair which opens Friday. The car was pretty well loaded when it left here and a quantity of produce was to be put on at Andrews and Fort Robinson as it went down. The time has been short since the people decided to make an exhibit but there has been a lot of hard work done and as a result a very good showing will be made. It is out of the question for us to make personal mention of the articles contributed by the growers, but we must say that everything indicated that Sioux county would stand a very good chance of winning a good prize, if, indeed, it does not win the first premium.

In the line of canned fruits the only ones who did anything toward making a show were Mrs. S. B. Coffey, Mrs. J. C. Eberspacher and Mrs. J. M. Smiley and what they furnished was certainly fine and will attract much attention as a part of the exhibit and will be the means of having a fine display of fruits in future exhibits.

The display of grain, both threshed and in the sheaf was excellent and far exceeded in quantity and quality any effort ever made in the past. The collection of native grasses was not nearly so good as last year, but it will hold its own in pretty good shape with other county collections. The corn was fine, consisting of a large number of varieties, of good quality. When the vegetables were taken up they were a series of surprises. Potatoes, beets, onions, parsnips, carrots, radishes, tomatoes, cabbage, and, in fact, almost everything that is grown was represented and the quality of the very best. Turnips so large that six could not be put into a half-bushel and other things in proportion. The result will be that Sioux county will make a showing in a dry year which will give people some idea of what her soil is capable of producing under favorable conditions.

Commissioner Weber was in town on Tuesday and stated that he would have a fine lot of produce to be put into the car at Fort Robinson so that taken as a whole the work of getting up the exhibit has proven quite satisfactory.

The quantities gathered this year have been with a view to conforming with the rules of the state board, so that the score of points ought to run much higher than ever before. The committee who will go with the exhibit will make a special effort in the arrangement and display of the exhibit and that also counts in the score of points. If a prize is not won the showing will be good enough to repay all for the work and money expended.

Correspondence.

BODARE NEB., Sept. 4, 1894.

Rev. Curran and daughter, of Omaha, are visiting in this neighborhood. J. H. Montgomery was baptized by Rev. Curran on last Monday.

The Bodare people are congratulating that they have secured Mrs. Sara Montgomery to teach their school for the next six months, beginning Sept. 10th.

Your correspondent is under obligations to Mrs. Peter Schaefer for a nice lot of plums.

Mc Rickard has decided to attend Bellevue college for the next year, making five from Bodare.

The many friends of Mr. and S. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hall will be sorry to learn that they intend to leave Sioux county in the near future for southwestern Missouri.

On last Sunday THE JOURNAL family made a visit at the place occupied by P. N. Kirkpatrick and on the way passed the place of H. J. Smiley. By the looks of their grain fields and stack yards one is convinced that there is not a crop failure in this locality. The people of Pleasant Ridge say that the crop in that locality is the best in seven years and they never had a failure.

Supt. O'Brien of the fish hatcheries writes that he will have a nice supply of black bass, crappies and German carp for distribution this fall and any who desire a supply of those kinds of fish can get them by making application. Send your name, postoffice address and the kind of fish you want to M. E. O'Brien, South Bend, Neb., or leave word at this office and we will send it for you. There is no expense attached and the fish will soon be profitable if you have a place for them.

At the regular meeting of the board of village trustees on last Tuesday evening the details were completed for the funding of a large portion of the village indebtedness. This is acknowledged by all to be a wise course as it was with the advice and consent of more than two-thirds of the resident tax-payers it must certainly meet with popular approval. J. W. Scott was appointed street commissioner and he will see that those who desire any work out their poll tax and road tax.

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Notice for Publication. Land Office at Alliance, Neb., August 27, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of District Court at Harrison, Nebraska, on Oct. 6, 1894, viz:

Francis M. Hall, of Bodare, Neb., who made H. E. 1701, for the sec. 1, sec. 22, tp. 23, rg. 65.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Zimmerman, C. H. Grewel, Earnest Gungo, John Frost, all of Bodare, Neb. J. W. WEISS, JR., Register.

Notice for Publication. Land Office at Alliance, Neb., August 28, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of District Court at Harrison, Neb., on Oct. 6, 1894, viz:

James Davis, of Harrison, Neb., who made H. E. No. 219 for the lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, sec. 1, T. 23 N., R. 27 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William F. Shepherd, George H. Turner, Wes Langton, John Dunt, all of Harrison, Neb. J. W. WEISS, JR., Register.

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