THE SIOUX COUNTY

JOURNAL.

L. J. Simmons, Editor and Prop.

F. E. & M. V. R. R. Time table.

Going West.	Going East.
No. 5, mixed.....10:40	No. 6, mixed.....7:00

The Toledo Weekly Blade and Campaign of 1896.

With a great presidential campaign coming next year, every thoughtful citizen will need, besides his local paper, a great national weekly. The greatest and most widely known of these is the Toledo Weekly Blade. For thirty years it has been a regular visitor in every part of the Union, and is well known at almost every one of the 70,000 postoffices in the country. It is edited with reference to a national circulation. It is a republican paper, but men of all politics take it because os its honesty and fairness in the discussion of all public vuestions. It is the favorite family paper, with something for everp of the household. Serial stories, poetry, wit and humor; the household department (best in the world), Young Folks, Sunday School Lessons, Talmage's Sermons, the Farmstead, the Question Bureau (which answers questions for subscribers), the News of the Week in complete form, and other special features. Specimen copies gladly sent on application, and if you will send us a list of addresses, we will mail a copy to each. Only $1 a year. If you wish to raise a club, write for terms.

Address The Blade,
Toledo, Ohio.

—Valentines to suit all at the drug store.

—For the highest cash price for wheat see Grant Guthrie.

—Fine line of jewelry and clocks at Pioneer Pharmacy.

—The storm last week was of short duration and fine weather followed.

—The protracted meetings at the M. E. church have been closed.

—The infant child of Marcus Valdez was reported to be very ill on Tuesday.

—A. McGinley was at Crawford the first of the week and returned yesterday.

—Geo. H. Turner received a large invoice of clothing and invites all to call when in need of such goods.

—Isador Richstein, Jr., has started in to learn something of the printers' trade in THE JOURNAL office.

—Horehound compound cough syrup the great remedy for coughs and colds at the Pioneer Pharmacy.

—If you want a farm paper get one published in Nebraska. THE JOURNAL clubs with the *Nebraska Farmer*. Call and see a copy of it.

—THE JOURNAL acknowledges receipt of an invitation to the opening ball at the syndicate theatre, Crawford, on tomorrow evening. A good time is promised those who attend.

—June Smith lost a cow and after searching for some days he offered a reward for her return. Mrs. Smith went to look for her and found her the first day. Mrs. Smith knows how to keep money in the family.

—Deputy U. S. Marshal Liddiard was here Tuesday and arrested G. W. McElhaney and James Frazier on the charge of cutting government timber. They were taken to Chadron Wednesday night and given a hearing before Commissioner Dorrington. There were other parties who were wanted on the same charge but they could not be found.—Crawford *Gazette*.

—Eggert Rohwer informs us that he and Ed Schwarz have lost several cattle of late. They were not certain that they had not either strayed or fallen victims to wolves, until a few days ago one of their cattle was found with a bullet-hole in its head and a couple of gashes across its throat. He says that explains the disappearance of the others as wolves do not carry guns and knives. The theory is that the would-be rustler shot the animal, stunning it, and his knife being dull, the attempt to cut its throat only served to revive it and it escaped. Such work may get some one into trouble.

—In the case of John Tinnin vs. The F. & M. R. R., in which the jury rendered a verdict of $3,000 for plaintiff at the last term of court in Sioux county, Judge Kinkaid has sent up a written opinion from O'Neill setting the verdict aside and granting a new trial. This case was tried previously before Judge Bartow in Sioux county and a verdict rendered against the railroad for $2,000. Judge Bartow set verdict aside on the ground that it was not sustained by the evidence. On the new trial before Judge Kinkaid the verdict was increased to $3,000 which verdict is again set aside as excessive. Judge Kinkaid says in his opinion "I regret very much to make a ruling which necessitates another trial. I think it would be to the mutual advantage of the plaintiff and the company to make a compromise of this case if they can agree upon any reasonable terms." Attorneys Fisher and Clark who tried the case for Tinnin say they will recover more upon the next trial.—Chadron *Signal*.

Quarterly Meeting Notice.

Presiding Elder A. R. Julian will hold our 2d quarterly meeting at Harrison on Feb. 25th and 26th. Tuesday, the 25th the Elder will preach at 7:30 p. m., after which he will administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper Wednesday, the 26th, he will again preach to us at 2 p. m., after which he will hold the business session of the quarterly conference. Come one and all. D. J. CLARK, Pastor.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Sioux, and State of Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said Court in favor of Commercial Investment Company and against Isadore Richstein, Fanny Richstein, Thomas F. Schilt, Mary Schilt and Charles E. Schilt, and to me directed, I will on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1896, at the hour of ten o'clock, a. m., at the East front door of the Court House in Harrison, in said County, offer and sell the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter (N. E. ¼ S. E. ¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), and the North half of the Southwest quarter (N. ½ S. W. ¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), and the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter (N. W. ¼ S. E. ¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), in Township Thirty-three (Twp. 33), North of Range Fifty-six (56) in the county of Sioux and state of Nebraska, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Order of Sale in sum of $439.75 with interest at 10 per cent per annum from November 13th, 1894, and costs and accruing costs.

[23-28] DAVID BARTLETT, Sheriff of Said County.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the county of Sioux, and State of Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said Court in favor of Commercial Investment Company and against Philip Becker, Jacob Marking, Levi C. Pollard, and Mrs. Pollard, his wife, christian name unknown, and C. H. Toncray, and to me directed, I will on the 16th day of March, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the Court House in Harrison, in said county, offer and sell the following described real estate, towit:

The southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of section seventeen (Sec. 17), Township Thirty-Three (Twp. 33), Range Fifty-Four (Rg. 54), in the County of Sioux and State of Nebraska, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Order of Sale in the sum of $425.74, with interest thereon at 10 per cent per annum from November 25, 1895, and costs and accruing costs.

[23-27] DAVID BARTLETT, Sheriff of Said County.

SHOT HIMSELF AT DENVER.

Joshua Baker, Formerly of Sioux County, Ends His Own Life.

On last Monday Postmaster Marsteller received a telegram from the coroner at Denver inquiring for relatives of Joshua Baker, that person having suicided in that city. In case no relatives were here it was requested that the message be forwarded to Charles Newman at Bodarc. The address of an uncle residing in Iowa was sent to the Denver authorities and the message sent to Bodarc, where the address of a brother was learned.

The Denver *Times* of Saturday contained an extended account of the affair, accompanied by a cut of the deceased.

He went to the Saxon hotel, Denver, on February 4th and registered as George Adams, but he had been there in September under his right name and had left his trunk there, taking receipt therefor, which receipt he presented on his return.

At 7:45 Saturday morning the occupant of an adjourning room heard a pistol shot in Baker's room, followed by the falling of the body. On investigation it was found that he had washed and almost completed dressing, when he placed a small mirror on the table to enable him to take good aim and sent a bullet into his brain, killing himself instantly.

He left a letter stating that disappointment in love had driven him to dissipation and from that to desperation and death. Baker lived in Sioux county for several years and had many friends here. He was last seen in this part of the country about the first of the year at Fort Robinson. None supposed that he would end his own existence.

Correspondence.

BODARC, NEB., Feb. 11, 1896.

Elder Harr has gone to Box Butte county to hold a series of meetings.

Charles Grewell has treated himself to a fine top buggy.

C. B. Hollingsworth received 1450 pounds of California dried peaches last week.

Miss Phoebe Olinger was visiting with Mrs. Sam Tebbet last Saturday.

Mrs. C. B. Hollingsworth is giving the young ladies of the valley lessons in fancy work.

Final Proof Notices.

All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notice and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Alliance, Nebr., January 6, 1896.

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 M. J. Blewett, Clerk District Court at Harrison, Neb., on February 15, 1896, viz:

William Slattery, of Harrison, Neb.,

who made H. E. No. 2347 for the s. ½ ne. ¼, n. ½ se. ¼ sec. 13, tp. 33 n., r. 57 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Leonard Daut, Leslie Crane, Samuel Leeling, Clemence Leeling, all of Harrison, Nebr. also

James Slattery, of Harrison, Neb.,

who made H. E. No. 2361 for the s. ½ se. ¼ sec. 13, & n. ½ ne. ¼ sec. 24, tp. 33 n., R. 57 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Leonard Daut, Leslie Crane, Samuel Leeling, Clemence Leeling, all of Harrison, Nebr.

[18-24] J. W. WEHN, JR. Register.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Dec. 24, 1895.

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 M. J. Blewett, Clerk District Court at Harrison, Nebraska, on February 1, 1896, viz:

Harrie C. Armfield, of Harrison, Neb.,

who made H. E. No. 875 for the lots 2 and 3 and sw. ¼ ne. ¼, sec. 1, tp. 28 n., r. 56 w., and sw. ¼ sw. ¼ sec. 32, tp. 29 n., r. 56 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Andrew Meadows, W. H. Hoover, J. W. Earnest, all of Harrison, Neb., Robert Acree, of Bell, Neb.

[16-21] J. W. WEHN, JR. Register.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Jan 28 1896.

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 M. J. Blewett, clerk of the district court, at Harrison, Nebr., on March 7, 1896, viz:

John J. Hines, of Bodarc, Neb.

who made H. E. No. 3155 for the se. ¼ sec. 31, twp. 33n, range 54w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:

Michael Ruffing, John Mack, Louis Ruffing, Thomas Doyle, all of Bodarc, Neb. also

Maggie A. Wunder, of Bodarc, Neb.

who made H. E. No. 2956 for the w. ½ sw. ¼ sec. 2 and n. ½ nw. ¼ sec. 11, twp. 33n, r. 54 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Michael Ruffing, Stephen Serres, Louis Ruffing, Paul Serres, all of Bodarc, Neb. also

Michael Ruffing, of Bodarc, Neb.,

who made H. E. No. 2194 for the sw. ¼ ne. ¼, w. ½ se. ¼, ne. ¼ se. ¼ sec. 29, twp. 33, r. 54 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Stephen Serres, John J. Hines, John Serres, John W. Hunter, all of Bodarc, Neb.

[21-26] J. W. WEHN, JR., Register.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Sioux, and State of Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said Court in favor of American Investment Company and against John Pieterson and Louisa Pieterson, and to me directed, I will, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1896, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., at the East front door of the Court House in Harrison, in said County, offer and sell the following described real estate towit:

The Southwest quarter (S. E. ¼), of Section Twenty-four (Sec. 24), Township Thirty-five (Twp. 35), Range Fifty-five (Rg. 55) West of the 6th p. m., in Sioux County, Nebraska, at public action to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Order of Sale in the sum of $492.80 and interest at 10 per cent per annum from May 1st, 1895, and costs and accruing costs.

[23-28] DAVID BARTLETT, Sheriff of Said County.

PERSONAL.

J. W. Earnest returned Monday from a trip to Omaha.

Will and Frank Philips were in from Highland yesterday.

C. B. Hollingsworth was at the county seat the last of the week.

J. W. Christian was up from Bodarc Monday and dropped in to see us.

William Miller, of Bodarc, called at this office while in town yesterday.

E. J. Wilcox was up from Warbonnet Monday and remembered the printer in a substantial manner.

Judge S. Barker stopped off for a d y the last of the week on his way to Rushville, where he takes a position in the Exchange Bank of J. G. Armstrong. He was connected in business for some years with Mr. Armstrong in the Bank of Harrison.

Crazy Tea Social.

Arrangements are being made for a Leap-year Crazy Tea Social at the church on Friday evening, February 14th. A great time is expected. Supper will be served on the European plan —you pay for what you get. Don't miss it. The following is the menu:

Appetite Sharpeners, 3c.
All Things to All Men, 4c.
The Historical Stone, 5c.
A Faithful Detective, 2c.
One of Noah's Sons, 3c.
The Captives in Oil, 2c.
A Man's Wife, 5c. Unruly Member, 5c.
The Lay of the Last Minstrel, 2c.
Boston's Pride, 5c.
Red Sea and Plain Beyond, 1c.
A Lean Wife, 6c. Women of Grit, 5c.
Tax on Tea, 2c.
The Skippers' Home, 2c.
Mineral Cake, 4c.
Tree Cake No. 1, 5c. Tree Cake No. 2, 5c.
Tabby's Tea Party, 3c. The Duchess, 4c.
Boston's Overthrow, 5c. Quavelo, 5c.
Springs' Offerings, 2c.
Fruit of the Vine, 5c.
Pain, 10c. Goat, 2c.
What a Boy Calls his Sweetheart, 2c.
Arabian Stimulant, 4c. Sweet Sixteen, 2c.

Call for Commissioners' Meeting.

The board of county commissioners of Sioux county, Nebraska, are hereby called to meet at the office of the county clerk at Harrison, Nebraska, on Wednesday, February 19, 1896, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the transaction of ordinary county business.

M. J. BLEWETT, County Clerk.

Agricultural Society Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Sioux County Agricultural Society in hereby called to meet in Harrison on Saturday, February 15, 1896.

H. S. WOODRUFF, President.
L. J. SIMMONS, Secretary.

To Each of You.

If you owe Geo. H. Turner or Hough & Son either by note or account it will be to your interest to call at once and settle. GEO. H. TURNER.