

THE SIOUX COUNTY
JOURNAL.

L. J. Simmons, Editor and Prop.

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RANCH SUPPLY HOUSE.

—Dr. Phinney has moved his family into the Hough residence property.

—Fine line of jewelry and clocks at Pioneer Pharmacy.

—The man who brought the rain on Monday should allow himself to be known.

—Geo. H. Turner returned from a trip to Omaha on Friday, having gone there for medical advice. He has been in poor health for some time but it is hoped that he will soon be all right.

—This office received a package of garden seeds Monday from the department of agriculture for which Secretary Morton has our thanks. The rain came on the same day so that nature and the government have each done its part to enable us to start a garden.

—On last Monday the parties interested in the premium won at the state fair last fall on native grasses got three distinguished parties to arbitrate the matter of the division of the money. By their decision M. H. Green and Eli Smith each got \$7.50 and L. DeBock and Jerry Will each got \$2.50. This matter has been hanging fire for a long time and as the writer was drawn into it without his knowledge or consent he is glad that it has been settled.

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—And it rained.
—W. R. Smith has moved into the Jameson property.

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

—A girl is reported to have arrived at the home of Sheriff Bartlett on Tuesday.

—FOR SALE OR RENT—160 acres near Harrison. Free from incumbrance and well improved. Inquire at this office.

—A new school house is to be built at Andrews. Schools houses are the landmarks of the intelligence of the nation and the educational laws of our state should be observed.

—Beds were at a premium on Monday night by reason of so many being detained on irrigation matters. Most of them got reasonably comfortable quarters, as every one opened their houses.

—WANTED—A reliable lady or gentleman to distribute samples and make a house to house canvass for our Vegetable Toilet Soap and Pure Flavoring extracts. \$10 to \$15 a month easily made. Address CHORP & RICH, Chicago, Ill.

—It is reported that the railroad company contemplates making earth fills where the track is now built on wooden trusses. Earth fills are the more durable. Some of our people hope to get employment in making the improvement.

—Shortly after noon on Monday it began to rain and it kept it up until far into the night. The result is that people all over the county are rejoicing for the rain was much needed. The ground is now in condition to keep things growing for some time and now that the rain has started more is likely to follow.

—THE JOURNALS for Glen last week failed to reach their destination. They were put into the mail sack and delivered to mail clerk. Some one either on the train or at Chadron must be careless as the same thing occurred not long ago.

—The latest one on Bob Ingles, who has the reputation of being the champion trout catcher who visits White river, is that on a recent trip he was not satisfied with angling for members of the flony tribe but went to catching the settlers' chickens with hook and line.

—Andrew Christian came down from Douglas, Wyo., Friday evening, having attended a meeting of the board of commissioners of Converse county, of which he is a member. This is the nearest railroad point to his home, but his mileage stops at the state line and he has to "dig up" out of his own pocket the rest of the way.

—Sealed bids for building a school house in school district No. 30 (at Andrews), Sioux county, Nebr., will be received by the school board until 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, May 25, 1896. Specifications can be seen at the house of F. Force, one mile east of Andrews. By order of the school board.

F. FORCE,

P. O. Harrison, Neb. Director.

—C. J. Grable informed us that in the case of the Crawford Irrigation Company against the people along White river and its tributaries it is not the object to prevent the owners of small irrigation plants from using the water but to have the amount of water to which they were entitled established by the courts, that the company may know the amount of water on which it may base its operations. That being the case the defendants can go ahead just the same as before.

—The last of the week some of the remaining personal effects of E. G. Hough were taken into Wyoming and the first of the week what was left of the family took the train east and it is supposed the destination of all is some point in Kansas. A great deal might be said in this connection, but other than remarking that he, like some other good(?) people who have left the county, leaves an unpaid account on our books, we will simply express the opinion that he devoted the same energy to his legitimate business that he did to his efforts to run the politics of the county and "do up" THE JOURNAL and its editor, he might not have left this place as he did.

PERSONAL.

George Earnest was up from Chadron last week.

A. T. Clark moved up from Chadron the last of the week.

Mrs. M. J. Blewett is visiting her parents in Warbonnet.

L. Larson was up from Running Water the last of the week.

Mrs. Rose was in town Monday and made a pleasant call at this office.

Mesdames Montgomery and Jordan were up from Gilchrist the first of the week.

J. L. Smedes writes us that he and Mrs. Smedes will return here in the near future.

LeRoy Hall was up from Crawford on Monday looking after his interests in water rights.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Sutton over Sunday.

B. E. Brewster arrived from the east last Saturday to look after his interests in Sioux county.

Mrs. D. H. Griswold and children started last evening for a visit to relatives and friends in Iowa. Mr. Griswold accompanied them as far as Alliance.

C. J. Grable, the Crawford irrigationist, Miss Burriss, his stenographer, J. B. Hixson, engineer of the Crawford Irrigation Company, the latter accompanied by his wife, were up from Crawford the first of the week.

—Since the rain the first of the week the weather has been rather cool for the time of the year. A few warm days would benefit vegetation.

—Chris Christensen informed us the first of the week that the fish ladder for the railroad dam at Andrews had been received and put in at once. Others having dams should follow their example.

—E. B. Hamlin has moved his family to his homestead at Pleasant Ridge and expects to move his sawmill near the same place in the near future. He expects to have a better location for his mill and be nearer home.

—The writer had a pleasant chat with Judge F. G. Hamer, while in Harrison the first of the week. He presided over this country as district judge when Sidney was the place of holding court.

—While in town the first of the week B. F. Moore called at this office and gave us an order for stationery. Such things cost but little more than blank paper and are much more convenient.

Irrigation Matters.

Pursuant to the notice given the hearing of the irrigation claims began here on Monday. Secretary Akers and Stenographer Harry Scott, representing the state board of irrigation, arrived on the train and work began immediately after dinner. The matter brought more people to the county seat than did the district court. Between seventy-five and a hundred cases are docketed and the watering of thousands of acres was represented.

The hearing was not complicated and consisted mainly of verbal testimony by the claimants along the line of the papers previously filed. Some abandoned claims were discussed and instructions given to correct or amend defective proceedings. All papers in cases now on record if filed within 20 days from the date of the hearing will be given the same priority as those now on file.

The next step will be the measuring of the waters of the streams by representatives of the board of irrigation, after which the apportionment will be made by the board, after which if any are not satisfied they may take their grievance to the district court.

The work passed off quietly and pleasantly as no contested cases were heard. Judge Hamer, of Kearney, represented the Crawford Irrigation Company and Judge Crites, of Chadron, represented LeRoy Hall and others whose interests were threatened, but both wanted permission to keep quiet and they got it as the case will be tried in the district court of Dawes county.

Quarterly Meeting Notice.

Our third quarterly meeting will be held at Pleasant Ridge May 23d and 24th by Rev. R. J. Devenport. On Saturday, the 23d at 8 o'clock p. m., Bro. Devenport will preach, after which the business session of the 3d quarterly conference will be held. Sunday, the 24th, at 10:30 a. m. he will preach again, after which he will administer the sacraments of the Lords supper. All cordially invited. D. J. CLARK, Pastor.

Estimate of Expenses.

At the regular January, 1896, meeting of the board of county commissioners of Sioux county, Nebraska, the following estimate of expenses was made for the current year:	
District court expenses.....	\$2,500 00
Salaries.....	1,500 00
Stationery.....	200 00
Roads and bridges.....	2,500 00
Printing and publishing.....	400 00
Incidentals.....	100 00
Issue and poor fund.....	500 00
Incidental.....	2,000 00
Soldiers relief fund.....	100 00
Officers fees.....	500 00
Special debt fund as indicated by registered warrants for the years 1887, 1888 and 1889.....	3,000 00
Total.....	\$13,200 00
Dated Harrison, Nebraska, May 13, 1896.	
M. J. BLEWETT,	
County Clerk.	

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 notices and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Alliance, Neb.,
April 7, 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, Neb., on May 16, 1896, viz:

Joseph Ross, of Gilchrist, Neb., on behalf of heirs of Richard Ross, deceased, who made H. E. No. 264 for the sec. 1, sec. 5, tp. 22 n., r. 22 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John F. Meyer, Frank Meyer, Paul Serres, all of Gilchrist, Neb.; Jackson Knudsen, of Badare, Neb.; viz: Otto Tietze, of Harrison, Neb.

who made H. E. No. 263 for the sec. 1, sec. 1, ne. 1/4 sw. 1/4 & sw. 1/4, nw. 1/4, sec. 25, tp. 22 n., r. 22 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Isador Richstein, I. Gerlach, Grant Guthrie, B. L. Stouck, all of Harrison, Neb. [1436] J. W. WEBB, JR., Register.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Alliance, Neb.,
April 27, 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 District Court, at Harrison, Neb., on June 6, 1896, viz:

Joseph P. McCaslin, of Harrison, Neb., who made H. E. No. 1222 for the sec. 14, nw. 1/4, sec. 1, and sec. 1, ne. 1/4, sec. 31, tp. 30 n., r. 26 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Bourret, William Bolden, William H. Hough, William Gerlach, all of Harrison, Neb. [1435] J. W. WEBB, JR., Register.

Timber Culture, Final Proof, Notice for Publication.
United States Land Office, Alliance, Neb.,
April 30, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that William W. Seymour, of New York, has filed notice of intention to make final proof before M. J. Blewett, Clerk Dist. Court, at this office in Harrison, on the 30th day of May, 1896, on timber culture application No. 325, for the sec. 1, of section No. 21, in township No. 31 n., range No. 27 w.

He names as witnesses: W. A. Rigelow, B. F. Johnson, W. J. Hoyt, Henry Warneck, all of Harrison, Neb. [1434] J. W. WEBB, JR., Register.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of May, 1896, W. H. Brown, filed his petition with the county clerk of Sioux county, Nebraska, signed by a majority of the resident free holders of White River precinct, Sioux county, Nebraska, praying that the board of county commissioners of said county grant to him a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors as a beverage for a period of one year from the date thereof, in White River precinct, and all protests and remonstrances thereto must be made in writing as provided by law or said petition will be granted without reference thereto. W. H. BROWN.



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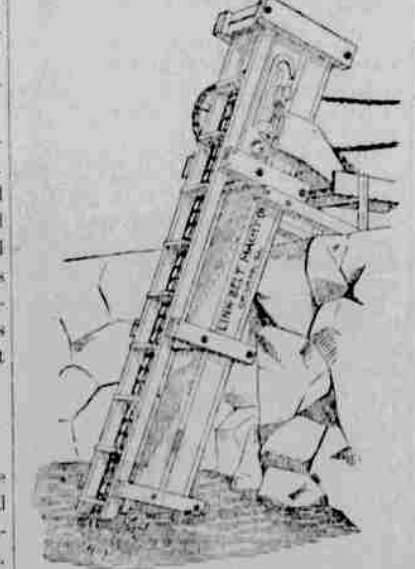
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