SUPERINTENDENT OUTLINES POLICY

Clemmons Tells School Heads Educational Needs in Nebraska.

Rural high schools and the elimination of normal training courses in the regular course of study in city high schools were advocated by State Superintendent Clemmons, in his address before the county superintendents of Nebraska at the Lindell hotel Thursday evening.

"County and city youths should have the same opportunities for a high school course," he said. He urged more unity between country and city schools and more thorough instruction in common branches.

The average high school graduate, he said, is not old enough in training and judgment to study teaching, and he advocated that normal training be made post-graduate work in the high school, only to be undertaken after a regular four-year course is completed.

Superintendent Clemmons has little to say about consolidated rural schools. He does favor, however, the consolidation of rural districts for high school work. He would leave the matter of travel to and from these schools entirely up to the farmers of the community.

The convention will close with a program, Friday forenoon, where schools as community centers will be discussed by Superintendent Addie Spangler of Chase county; boys' and girls' club work, by Superintendent W. H. Brokaw of Seward county; state fair exhibits, By Gertrude L. Coon of Webster county; and emergency certificates by Lillian D. Green of Fillmore county.—Lincoln Star.

A GREAT DEAL OF SICKNESS IN CITY AND COUNTRY

The past few weeks has brought a great deal of sickness to the city and there is scarcely a home in which there is not some sick folks suffering from grippe and other maladies peculiar to this season of the year and it has kept the physicians of the city busy looking after them. A number of children in the south part of the city have been taken with slight attacks of diptheria but these cases are not as yet spreading and do not seem to be more than usual in a city of this size. The efforts of the school authorities and parents united should be able to check this disease from spreading among the children in that section of the city. A great many persons always enlarge upon these cases of contagious diseases and make it a great deal worse than it really is and it can be assured that what few cases there is existing will be carefully watched to prevent them spreading. The public should assist in every way in seeing that the cases of contagious disease are not spread and in assisting in keeping the quarantine regulations which have been established for the protection and then there will be little danger of other cases developing.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the hour of bereavement and death of our beloved father, C. F. Lau, and for the kindness bestowed upon us during the time of the funeral, and also for their beautiful floral tributes.

Sons and Doughters of Mr. C. F. Lau.

FOR SALE.

300 seasoned oak posts; a few hedge posts; 1 Poland-China male hog, 200 pounds; 1 Shorthorn bull; 15 head shoats, 4 to 6 months old. Phone No. 1302. C. E. Schwab, Murray, Neb.

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Money in Eggs.

Eggs are not bankable but the money from their sale is. This money is yours for the effort. How do you treat the hen that lays the Golden Eggs? Dr. B. A. Thomas' Poultry Remedy will keep the poultry in good condition and increase the yield in eggs. We guarantee this and refund your money if not satisfied.

H. M. Soennichsen.
Puls & Gansemer.

Good furnished room for rent—heated—reasonable. Phone 200.

THE OWNERS TO REBUILD WEEPING WATER MILL

The residents of our neighboring city of Weeping Water are greatly interested in the plans for the rebuilding of the mill and elevator in that city which was destroyed by fire two weeks ago at a loss of $12,000, and the owners of the mill are being given the greatest encouragement to rebuild at once. The owners of the mill are planning to rebuild the mill and put up a first class building with the latest equipment for handling the production of grain, and expect to install the best and latest machinery in the plant when it is completed. Before building they will inspect a number of the larger mills throughout the state and get a line on the kind of machinery that is demanded in a mill of the size they propose erecting.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAM "TRIMS" PRESBYTERIANS

Last evening one of the best basket ball games of the season was staged at the roller skating rink when the Plattsmouth High school team "trimmed" the team of the Presbyterian Bible class by the score of 24 to 19. The game throughout was very interesting and the high school boys, taking advantage of the over-confidence of the Presbterians, were soon able to accumulate a lead that it was impossible for their opponents to overcome. For the high school, Hilt Martin, Burdette Briggs and Johnnie Sattler were able to secure several difficult goals, while Juno Marshall at center was one of the contributing factors to the victory by his clever playing, which kept the Bible class on the defensive the greater part of the time. The lineup of the teams were as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL.		PRESBYTERIANS.
Martin	F.	F. Kronstedt
Sattler	L.F.	L.F. Larson
Cecil	F.	
J. Marshall	C.	C. F. Marshall
Elliott	R.G.	R.G. Neil
Briggs	L.G.	L.G. Speck

In the girls' game the first high school team defeated the second team, 24 to 0.

SURPRISED ON HER BIRTHDAY BY LADY FRIENDS

On Thursday evening Mrs. John Bajeck was surprised by a number of her lady friends in a most delightful manner that will long be pleasantly remembered by the members of the party. Mrs. Bajeck was not aware of the plot of friends to give her the surprise and it was not until they arrived at the home that she was aware of the very pleasant treat in store. Each member of the party came with well laiden baskets of the good things to eat which formed a very dainty four-course luncheon by the ladies. The evening was spent in playing progressive high-five and a great deal of pleasure was derived by the ladies at the facinating game of skill.

The ladies also enjoyed the fleeting hours in visiting and a general social time until a late hour when they wended their way homeward feeling that it had been a most pleasing event to all. Those in attendance were Mesdames Joseph Hiber, Sr., John J. Svoboda, Thomas Svoboda, Harold Thomsen, James Bulin, Anton Trilety, Tim Kahoutek, R. B. Moffet, J. W. Peters, E. A. Wurl, Emmons Ptak, A. J. Snyder, Antony Nesdelak, John Bajeck and Mike Bajeck.

KEEP UP THE DOG.

Were you ever kept awake at night by the howling or barking of a dog? If you know how it sounds keep your dog locked up at night. Put him in your barn or outshed so that his music will not make your neighbors say things which should be left unsaid. Keep him up so that your yard will not be filled with tin cans and rocks aimed at the dog—poor innocent creature. He is only mourning for his friend who has strayed into a sausage factory. Lock him up friend, and you will not only add luster to your crown in the hereafter, but your neighbor will rise up and call you blessed.

F. J. Hennings and wife of Eight Mile Grove drove in Saturday from their farm home to visit for a short time attending to the week end shopping.

IN PLATTSMOUTH FORTY YEARS AGO.

Andy Taylor shipped 48 head of the finest kind of steers on Tuesday. Andy is the boy who can do it and no mistake.

J. N. Randle father of the Randle boys visited our town on Monday. The old gentleman looks quite weel, improved really.

Billy Wells started for his farm Tuesday. Going to build a barn for his team and go to plowing. Who wouldn't laugh to see him following a plow. But he'll do it just the same.

They are kalsomining and fixing St. Luke's church very handsomely. It needed it badly, but whether the prayers that ascend will be answered any better through the beautiful walls, history leaves no record.

Our friend at the poor house (not an inamte but Croft the boss), tells us that he has eight regular boarders. Four insane, two with consumptino, one with rheumatism, and old Mr. Abbott, of old age. He has some nice fat cattle too, but he boards them outside.

Chaplain Wright has been making some of the best and most permanent improvements of all our enterprising citizens. He has added eight feet to the west end of his house thereby making a handsome additional room and gaining that much more house room. Besides he has built a new stable and fixed up more nice things on these lots, than one can imagine unless they go and see them.

THE DISTRICT COURT

Convened at 3:15 p. m., Monday, with his honor S. B. Pound on the bench, O. A. Mullen, court reporter, at his desk, W. L. Wells, clerk, and C. P. Moore, deputy. Among the lawyers present we notice our new district attorney, J. C. Watson; Hon. T. M. Marquette, Gen G. S. Smith, S. M. Chapman, R. B. Windham, J. E. Morrison, E. D. Stone, Willet Pottenger, U. W. Wise, E. H. Eaton, F. M. Van Dyke, G. W. Covell, J. H. Foxworthy.

List of grand jurors was called and after excusing quite a number the following were empannelled, charged by the judge, and sent to their room:

T. W. Shryock, foreman; H. M. Bushnell, C. J. Hoffman, Jerry Hartman, H. W. Farley, James Hull, J. M. Higgins, W. J. Laughlin, John Murfin, John Richardson, Sam'l Stalnacker, G. F. Shryder, Alva Drew, Horny Kirkhma.

The petit jury was then called and the following answered to their names:

M. D. Abbott, J. W. Barr, Chas. Barrow, Daniel Thingham, Jas. McGee, Andrew Pitman, L. B. Hoffman, F. S. plepser, Peter Coon, J. J. Roberts, Thos Hill, M. L. White, Theodore D. Buck, Austin Matz, Anderson Root, David Graham, L. Elkoff, D. Sampson, and Samuel Rector.

The rest of the day was spent in arranging the docket that the jury cases might be called this week, so that jurors might be allowed to return home as soon as possible, leaving all cases in equity until the later part of the term.

IT'S SPRINGTIME

That So Many Plattsmouth People Fail to Recognize Kidney Weakness.

Are you a bad back victim?
Suffer twinges; headaches, dizzy spells?
Go to bed tired—get up tired?
It's surprising how few suspect the kidneys.
It's surprising how few know what to do.
Kidney trouble needs kidney treatment.
Doan's Kidney Pills are for the kidneys only.
Have convinced Plattsmouth people of their merit.
Here's a Plattsmouth case—Plattsmouth testimony.
Kidney sufferers hereabouts should read it.

Mrs. H. Brinkman, 1223 Vine St., Plattsmouth, says: "We keep Doan's Kidney Pills in the house all the time and whenever occasion requires a kidney medicine, they give good satisfaction. I take Doan's Kidney Pills now and then, when my back bothers me, and they soon remedy the trouble."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Brinkman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

DR. E. D. CUMMINS

will be unable to be in Plattsmouth Wednesday to meet his debtors, but will be here February 12th. There will be no action taken to enforce collection until after that date.

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ELMWOOD.
Leader-Echo.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Simon Brackhage, on Sunday, a baby boy. The little son and mother are getting along nicely.

A fine baby boy was born on Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. John Becker, near Murdock. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

F. Backemeyer was on the sick list the latter part of last week and the first part of this week. He is rapidly improving at present.

Charley Stock, who has been working for Willard Clapp, left Tuesday for Virginia. He sold his fine bay driving horse to Pearl Royer.

William John has again been confined to his home on account of sickness. He had just passed through a very severe siege of blood poisoning and a nurse has been employed to care for him.

Word from Edwin Jeary of Lincoln, Neb., and our former townsman, states that he is going to Cuba to spend a few weeks of this winter weather. Mr. Jeary has made the trip to Cuba several times before.

Clarence Irons has rented the place formerly owned by James McCartney, which, this summer, was purchased by his father, H. S. Irons, and will farm this in connection with forty acres belonging to Mrs. Lona Willcockson.

George McFall of Brunswick, Neb., arrived last Saturday on a visit to his father, A. McFall and other relatives. He returned home on Tuesday. He says that crops in his section of the country were exceptionally good this year.

Tom McCartney of Grant, Neb., arrived Monday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCartney of this city, and his brother, James, who lives southeast of town. Mr. McCartney is well known here, having been raised in this community.

A deal was made this week whereby John Colbert of Weeping water purchased the Lincoln Grain company elevator at Wabash. Mr. Colbert was formerly owner of this elevator. We are not informed as to his plans for operating the elevator but Mr. Colbert is one of the best known men in this section and the people will be glad to know of the change.

W. M. Hunter, who was a resident of Elmwood thirty-three years ago, came to Elmwood last Saturday to visit for a short time. He came to Lincoln from Sheridan county to attend the farmers' exhibits at that place, and while there met William Quinn. They did not know each other as it had been thirty-three years since they had met, but Mr. Hunter decided to come on to Elmwood and mak Mr. Quinn and other friends a short visit before returning home.

EAGLE
Beacon

While skating on the ice last Saturday Ollie Trumble fell and injured herself quite severely.

T. I. Lane, who has been with H. K. Frantz on the farm for the past seven years, is assisting at the Bank of Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Balderson of Pickrell, Neb., are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. F. W. Blomenkamp and family.

Mrs. E. M. Standley moved in from the country Wednesday and is occupying the George Oberle property, which he recently purchased.

Dan Wilson and family arrived here from Sax City, Ia., Wednesday evening and took charge of Weaver's restaurant, which Mr. Wilson recently purchased.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Schwegman, who reside five miles south of Eagle, on Saturday, January 20, an eight-pound boy. The mother and little one are reported to be getting along nicely.

The condition of Grandma Mick is reported to be quite serious at this writing. During the past few days all of her children, six sons and five daughters, have been with her for a few days' visit.

George Oberle and family moved out on their farm northeast of town the first of the week. After living in town for the past three years George has decided that the farm is the best place after all.

Mrs. Joseph Barrett of Plainview, Tex., arrived here the latter part of last week for an extended visit at the home of her son, Claude and family. She has been spending the winter with her son, Walter, in California.

F. W. Blomenkamp has been busy this week moving the postoffice and drug store into his new building just south of the bank. He now has much better quarters, as his new brick building is of the modern type and a credit to the town.

NEHAWKA. NEWS.

Merril Sheldon visited his aunt Mrs. Alford in Elmwood over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thomas made a flying trip to Omaha Sunday evening returning on the early morning train Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. West were passengers to Lincoln Tuesday afternoon whre they will visit their daughter, Miss Gladys.

Mesdames V. P. and Geo. C. Sheldon departed last Friday morning for Wayside, Mississippi, for a visit with Ex-Gov. Sheldon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpartrick moved into their gne new home this week, which is among the most artistic and modern dwelling homes in the county.

Born, Thursday afternoon of last week to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hadley, a son of regular proportions and lung expanse. The mother and baby are getting along nicely.

George Sheldon moved his office furniture and fixtures into the new building the latter part of last week. The Sheldon factory and office is now all under one roof, and this makes it much more satisfactory in every way.

The death of R. Floyd Anderson an old soldier who has long been a resident of Wyoming precinct, just over the line in Otoe county, occurred last Friday morning, after an illness of several weeks duration. The funeral was held from the home of the deceased at ten o'clock Saturday forenoon, the services being conducted by Rev. G. A. Randal of Union. The remains of the worthy old gentleman were laid to rest in Wyuka cemetery

The Royal Neighbors held their Installation of officers last Friday afternoon, Jan. 19, as follows: O. Gertrude Carper, P. O., Alice Plyborn, V. O. May Stoll; C. Anna Fulton; M. Lena Anderson; A. M. Lucy Schafer; Recorder, Chlona Allen; Receiver, Mae Lemon; I. S. Karine Bashford; O. S. Edith Duckworth; Manager, Fern Bates. A spelndid good time was had, and it was decided to have a big feed and an extra good time in two weeks.

UNION
Ledger

John Lidgett shipped a car of cattle and a car of hogs to Omaha Tuesday.

Abe Becker returned from Kansas City Monday, where he shipped a car of hogs.

A. W. Propst moved his household goods from Mynard, last Friday to the Rev. Taylor house. Mr. Probst is the new Ford Agent.

Messrs Wade and Poling of Nebraska City and members of the Keystone Pipe Co., of this place, were here yesterday looking after their interests in the concern.

L. G. Todd returned home from Lincoln Saturday to spend Sunday with his family, and returned to his duties in the legislature on Monday morning.

John Frans who was taken to Nebraska City last week for treatment has returned to his home. He was injured by a belt breaking and hitting him while engaged in work around a gasoline engine.

Miss Isabella Shrader, of Omaha, was visiting with friends in Union, the fore part of the week.

Joe Felthauser of Nebraska City was a guest at the A. L. Becker home Friday evening.

The ice harvest is on in Union in full blast. C. F. Morton is putting up ice from the Weeping Water south of town that is measuring 22 inchs in thickness. This is really the best ice that Mr. Morton has been able to get for some years and gives rise to the question, will we have an ice famine next summer?

LOUISVILLE
Courier

Hugh Armstrong of Omaha, traveling lumber salesman, was the guest of Lawrence Twiss over Sunday.

Miss Ruth Fitzgerald went to Lincoln Thursday to attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Kathleen Doyle.

Raymond Phelps of Spencer, Ia., visited his grandmother, Mrs. Charles Phelps, and other relatives in this vicinity last week.

Forest Hoover and wife and little daughter, Doris, are here from Peetz, Colo., visiting at the home of Mrs. Hoover's sister, Mrs. Clifford E. Wood.

John N. Petersen has accepted a position with the Nebraska and Iowa Grain company at Pleasant Dale, Neb., and will move his family to that place.

John Polk spent Sunday with the home folks. The breeze voices how well John is making out up there. That is what a combination of wit and grit always does.

John H. Busche, one of the prosperous farmers in the vicinity of Cedar Creek, is having a Delco light plant installed on his place, and will have his house, barn and other buildings connected, which will add greatly to the comfort and convenience of the family.

George Ringo was in town Wednesday with a smile on his face that expressed both pleasure and pride. He announced that the cause of his joy was the fact that he was made grandpa again by the arrival of a fine baby boy at the home of his son, Dr. Ray Ringo, at Minot, N. D., on January 19.

Mrs. Charles Phelps received the sad news Monday of the death of her sister, Mrs. Ellen Miller, at the old family home in Mount Pleasant, Ia. She died at 6 o'clock Monday morning from a general breakdown due to her advanced age, which was 79. Mrs. Phelps is in delicate health and was unable to attend the funeral. She now has only one sister living, who is 91 years old. The friends in this vicinity join us in extending sympathy.

WEEPING WATER REPUBLICAN.

Harvey Philips, who has been attending the state farm school, returned home Friday night and is taking work in the high school here this winter.

Miss Alice Crozier and her friend, Miss Anderson of Union, were Saturday visitors at the home of Miss Crozier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crozier.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day and son, John, left Monday afternoon for a five weeks' trip to Florida. They are routed via New Orleans, with a boat trip from that city to their destination.

Clyde Lacey of Colfax, Wash., arrived today for a couple of weeks visit with her parents. It is five and one-half years since he left Weeping Water and he notices a number of changes here.

County Superintendent Miss Eda Marquardt was in town today enroute to Lincoln to attend a meeting of state educators. She had been to Avoca to attend the Marquardt-Rewalt wedding, at which event she played the wedding march.

Will Sperry, jr., who has been visiting here, left Tuesday morning for his homestead near Burlington, Colo. He was accompanied by his brother, Ed Sperry, who was going out to look at the country with the view of getting hold of a piece of land.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jenkins of Utica, who were enjoying a week's vacation, were Saturday and Sunday visitors with relatives in town. Mr. Jenkins returned to his duties Monday morning, while Mrs. Jenkins remained to extend her visit a week longer.

John Yonko came in Sunday morning from Aurora to accompany his wife and the children home, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Morse. They will go to their new home at Crete where Mr. Yunko has bought a butcher shop.

The friends of Walter Powers were very much concerned the first of the week when it became known that Walter had rented the Mrs. Sarah Giberson property, and also, was busy bnying furniture, but their excitement grew less later on when they learned that Walter had rented the house expecting his father and mother to move here from Murray, Ia.

Thomas Hiatt of Strong City, Okl., arrived Tuesday to visit his only brother, J. A. Hiatt, who has been confined at an Omaha hospital since his accident at the railroad bridge at Plattsmouth early last fall. No doubt these brothers will enjoy their visit as they hadn't seen each other for fifteen years. Mr. Hiatt of Oklahoma, Mrs. J. A. Hiatt and her daughter, Mrs. Orval Bill of Tabor, Ia., all went to Omaha Wednesday to visit the unfortunate man at the hospital.

BENNETT CHRISWISSER FEELING BETTER.

From Friday's Daily.

Bennett Chriswisser, who for the last few weeks has been at the Presbyterian hospital in Omaha, taking treatment, has returned and is feeling somewhat improved, and it is needless to say that he is mighty glad to get back home with the good wife and members of the family. Mr. Chriswisser's many friends are delighted to have him once more with them and trust that he may soon be able to be in his former good health and enjoy the activities of life.

Wall Paper, Paints, Glass, Picture Framing. Frank Gobelman.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on the Levi Churchill place nine miles south of Plattsmouth and four and a half miles east of Murray, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp, on Friday, February 9, 1917, the following described property, to-wit:

One black horse, 4 years old, weight 1,350.
One bay horse, 7 years old, weight 1,200.
One gray mare, smooth mouth, with foal, weight 1,150.
One gray mare, 2 years old, weight 1,000.
One black horse, 2 years old, weight 1,000.
One cow, giving milk, will soon be fresh.

Farm Implements.

One 12-inch John Deere gang plow.
Two 14-inch walking plows.
One Bradley riding lister.
One John Deere walking lister.
Two Jenny Lind spring trip cultivators.
One Avery cultivator.
One tongueless cultivator.
One Deering binder.
One three-section harrow.
One Rock Island corn elevator, good as new.
One grapple hay fork and 150 feet of rope.
One hundred and seventy-five feet of rope.
One Janesville disc.
One McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut.
One McCormick hay rake, extra heavy.
One 3¼-inch wagon.
One 3-inch wagon, good as new.
One new bob sled.
One top buggy.
One new Case corn planter.
One hand corn sheller.
One 30-gallon kettle with stand.
One set of inch and three-quarter harness.
One set of inch and one-quarter harness.
One set of single harness.
Five tons of timothy hay, baled.
Two galvanized hog troughs.
One self-player Angelos piano, good as new.
One wood base burner.
One kitchen cabinet.
One 12-foot table.
Three iron bedsteads, with springs.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

Lunch will be served at noon by W. A. Scott.

Terms of Sale: All sums of $10 and under, cash; all over $10 a credit of six to nine months will be given, purchaser giving good bankable paper bearing 8 per cent interest from date. All property must be settled for before being removed from the premises. E. R. QUEEN.

W. R. Young, Auctioneer.
W. G. Boedeker, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction at his home on the Bennett Chriswisser farm, two and a half miles west and one and a quarter miles south of Murray, five and a quarter miles north of Nehawka on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1917, the following described property to-with:

One black mare, nine years old, with foal, weight 1,000.
Six good milk cows, will be fresh in the spring.
One heifer, two years old, will soon be fresh.
Two fine young bulls, ten months old.
Eight calves, coming yearlings.
Four brood sows, bred.
22 head of shoats, wt. 50 lbs. each.

FARM MACHINERY.

One Western Belle lister, combined.
Two walking cultivators.
Two wagons with boxes.
One hay rack.
One hay buck.
One 1-horse drill.
One buggy.
One feed bunk, 14 feet long.
Two sets of heavy work harness.
One set of single harness.
900 feet of new pine lumber.
Nine galvanized chicken coops.
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 10:00 o'clock a. m. sharp.

Lunch will be served at noon by W. A. Scott.

Terms of Sale—All sums of $10.00 and under cash; all over $10.00 a credit of six to nine months will be given, purchaser giving good bankable paper bearing eight per cent interest from date. All property must be settled for before being removed from the premises.

EARL LANCASTER.
W. A. Young, Auctioneer.
W. G. Boedeker, Clerk.

Ben Wiles was among those visiting in the city Saturday from the country districts, attending to the week-end shopping.