

# SIoux COUNTY JOURNAL.

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### Time Table.

F. E. & M. V. Ry., Passenger.  
Going west leave Harrison at 10:35 A. M.  
Going east leave Harrison at 2:51 P. M.

### Harrison Market.

Butter, 15c.  
Eggs, 6c.  
Poultry, per doz. \$2.40 to \$3.  
Oats, per 100 lb \$1.00  
Corn, per 100 lb 90c.  
Bran, per 100 lb \$1.10.  
Feed, chopped, per 100 lb \$1.35.  
Potatoes, per bu. 25c.  
Sorghum, per gal. 60c.  
Onions, per bu. \$1.50.  
Beans, per bu. \$1.50.

A. C. Pratt of White River was in town Wednesday.

Eggs, Codfish and Straw Hats at the Ranch Supply House.

New invoice of Clothing just received at Ranch Supply House.

T. B. Snyder of Sheep creek was at the County Capitol Tuesday.

T. O. Williams is drilling a well for C. L. Tubbs on his place south of town. The small boy with his marbles is doing the town now at the game of "keeps."

The Harrison Cornet Band will give a ball at the court house on the evening of April, 30th.

The celebrated White Bread Flour still takes the lead and is sold only at the Ranch Supply House.

Jas. H. Cook of Agate Springs Rancho, visited Crawford and Manville, thriving suburbs of Harrison, this week.

The Australian Ballot System has been adopted in Wisconsin. We are sorry it failed to become a law in this state.

Latest style window curtains with improved spring rollers and fixtures complete only \$1.00, at the Ranch Supply House.

Mr. B. F. Kelly of Whitney was in Harrison Tuesday, visiting his brother Mr. H. Kelly the gentlemanly salesman at W. R. Smith's. He is pleased with the appearance of Sioux county.

Bert Carrier has taken a pre-emption two miles south-east of town and built a nice little house that he thinks will please the eye of Mrs. Carrier who is expected to come out in the near future.

Guthrie is booming! This is not a reference to our scantling-shaped lumber dealer. We simply wish to call attention to the town of promise in Oklahoma which seems to prosper in spite of its name.

The Omaha Board of Trade, in their special train, passed up the road sometime Tuesday night and came through here on the return trip yesterday, stopping long enough to review the city from the depot.

D. P. Davis and C. H. Andrews went down the road recently, attired in their best smiles and duds and although they did not tell us so we are led to believe that they visited Fremont. They returned Monday.

According to a recent circular sent out from the Chardon Land Office, applicants may have their final proof notices published in any newspaper they may designate in writing upon their application for final proof.

Miss Lizzie Murphy was in Harrison yesterday for the first time since her illness. Several other members of the family are affected with the same disease. The Murphy family have been sorely afflicted but we trust that it will soon terminate.

Unknown parties made a raid upon the residence of Joseph Kipp, on Sows-belly creek, while the inhabitants were away and stole all of Mrs. Kipp's clothing and several pieces belonging to Mr. Kipp, some bed clothes and a few other portable articles, then, after sucking all the hen fruit to be found on the place, departed. This occurred last week.

A nice little write up of this county taken from The Nebraska Reporter, will be found in another column. Mr. Simmons who was here recently is the author and shows the country as viewed by a disinterested person. Our subscribers should preserve their copies of the JOURNAL and send them to friends who are desirous of learning more of this "godly" land of ours.

Mr. A. R. Dew arrived in Harrison from Greenfield, Iowa, last Monday. In the afternoon he went over to his homestead near Jim creek and found that some one had called during his several months absence and appropriated the roof, door and window of his house, besides a number of other articles from the inside. He proceeded to replace the deficiencies and prepare the dwelling for the arrival of Mrs. Dew who is expected in the near future.

## Water! Water!! Water!!!

### THE PROBLEM EVERLASTINGLY SOLVED.

#### Harrison Happy.

The principal, and in fact the only natural draw back to Harrison in the past has been its limited water supply, and the fact has occasioned no small amount of worry and much anxiety has been expressed as to the final result of securing a water supply of sufficient quantity to meet all demands for years to come.

With a view to more fully developing the natural resources for an increased volume of water, the town board some time ago contracted to have a well drilled to the depth of 500 feet, and the work had been going on for several weeks until it was recently completed to the depth of 296 feet when it was found that a smaller drill bit would have to be secured before the work could be completed. The first water had been tapped at 150 feet deep. Last Monday it was decided to test the volume of water by drawing with a horse and bucket, the bucket holding about 20 gallons. Twenty-one barrels of water were drawn all together. After the water in the well (which stands about 140 feet deep) had been lowered a little over three feet it was found impossible to lower it further and, although a rate of 25 barrels per hour was reached, for several minutes, the depth to water, as each succeeding empty bucket was lowered, was found to be exactly the same, and the probabilities are that the supply is inexhaustible. The steam pump, which has the capacity of lifting 48 barrels per hour from a depth of 500 feet, is to be moved to the new well and it is safe to say that the city of Harrison will not again be troubled on account of a scarcity of water. The quality is all that could be desired.

#### Did you plant a tree Monday?

Allowed accounts against Sioux county bought by Jones & Verity.

Grant Guthrie is having fifty acres broke and will sow the same to flax.

The work of moving the steam pump and placing it in the new well is now going on under the supervision of J. F. Post.

Thos. Reidy's pony got loose the other day and left for a visit with friends in Wyoming. Tom is now searching for the absent animal.

The Pekin, China, Gazette, is said to be something over 2000 years old. It is doubtless an unusual occurrence for a subscriber to remark that he was "one of the first subscribers".

We recently overheard Mr. Smith say that he heard S. Barker remark that Ed. Weir told him that Chas. Jameson said that he heard someone tell Slingerland that Jack Post told him to tell the town board to notice and see if the town 'cistern didn't need a new pump.

Commissioner Coleman sucked the agricultural department cow very dry indeed before he was choked off by a change of administration. The appropriation for the year was well nigh used up when Governor Rusk arrived on the scene, and he has been compelled to dismiss a large army of clerks and to suspend operations entirely in the seed distributing department, until congress makes another appropriation to continue the business.—Lincoln Journal.

We call the attention of the Gordon Herald to the fact that there was an election held in Nebraska last fall and that at said election George D. Melkejohn was elected Lieutenant Governor, Thos. H. Benton, State Auditor, John E. Hill, State Treasurer and John Steen, Land Commissioner. The above suggestion is made simply as a matter of good faith as a stranger in the state would not know the same from reading the list of State Officers as published in the Herald.

Three horses belonging to W. T. Moore strayed away about two weeks ago and after several days search two of them were found about 25 miles south-east of Alliance. The third animal was taken from a suspicious looking individual who had stopped for the night at the upper 33 ranch last Sunday. The animal had been branded and it was undoubtedly a clear case of theft. Sheriff Post and Thos. Reidy made search for the thief the next day but he had silently glided away.

Prince Bismark announces in the "White Book" issued since the Samoan difficulty was investigated that the trouble there between German interests and those of the United States was entirely the fault of the German consul. He regrets that the consul exceeded his authority and states the same theory in relation to Samoa that is held in this country, namely, that the United States, England and Germany, by treaty stipulations, have no right to interfere with local affairs in Samoa. It may now be safely predicted that there will be no further trouble with Germany about Samoa.

## For God, and Home, and Native Land.

### Contributions by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met pursuant to adjournment, in the school house, at the usual hour on Wednesday of this week. Some deferred business was attended to and the accompanying resolution of condolence was adopted, and ordered published in our local papers.

Whereas: It has seemed good to Jesus the tender Shepherd, to call to His heavenly flock a lamb of but few months of earthy life, little Lena, only child of our beloved Second Vice President Mrs. Addie O. Conley therefore be it

Resolved: That this Union offers the sincere sympathy of its members to our dear sister and trusts that the sorrowing parents may realize the consolation that only the great Comforter can give.

A saloon can no more be run without boys than a flouring mill without wheat, or a saw mill without logs. The question is, whose boys. Your boys or mine? Our boys or our neighbors?

### "Not by Might."

EVA R. PILLSBURY.

"What can I do?" she said,  
"I am too weak to battle with the strong,  
Brute force will conquer whether right or wrong;

The world is lost in sin, and here I stand,  
Armed only with a woman's slender hand,  
What can I do?" she said.

Behind dark walls of stone,  
Tossing upon his narrow prison-bed,  
One lay upon whose restless, fevered head,

That self-same woman's hand was gently pressed,  
The while she told of heaven, and home,  
and rest,

And mercy at God's throne,  
In foul, polluted ways.

Mid want and wretchedness, I saw her stand  
And scatter blessings with her voice and hand,

Until the pallid children of the street  
Stooped down to kiss the dust beneath her feet,

Hushing their noisy plays,  
'Mid sorrow, shame and sin,

She walks as calmly as thro' guarded halls;  
Nor fears to go wherever duty calls;

And many a helpless wreck afar from land,  
Has grasped the anchor of her slender hand,

And been drawn safely in,  
Oh strength from weakness born!

What though the jarring fight be fierce and long?  
There swells above the mighty roar a song;

And woman's hand, endowed with holy might,  
Shall lead this great, sad world, up thro' the night

Into the promised morn.  
—From Union Signal.

For Sale—Pure Millet seed at W. R. Smith's.

Jones & Verity buy allowed claims against Sioux county.

Oklahoma, according to Monday's report, probably has a settler on each quarter section by this time and on some pieces many more.

### Estray Notice.

Taken up by me on March 21st, 1889, at my place on section 31, township 33, range 56, in Sioux county, Nebraska, one roan heifer with slit in brislet, supposed to be 2 years old.  
Oscar A. Garton.

### Our Clubbing List

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Watch for a new advertisement next week by an old and tried firm in a new business.

It may not be in this space or even on this page but it will be here just the same.

### WATCH FOR IT.

### Estray Notice.

Taken up by me at my residence on section 9, township 34, range 56, Sioux county, Nebraska, on March 29, 1889, one sorrel gelding, with white strip in forehead, white left front foot and right hind foot, brand on left shoulder—circle around q—and dim brand on right hip supposed to be M or 3. Age unknown.  
J. H. WARR.

### Legal Notice.

John Culp, defendant, will take notice that on the 17th day of April, 1889, the Buffalo Gap Lumber Company, plaintiff herein, filed their petition in the District Court of Sioux county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mechanics lien upon lot No. 2, block No. 8, in the village of Harrison, Sioux county, Nebraska, for the sum of \$187.67 for which sum, with interest from the 3rd day of September 1888, plaintiff prays for a decree that defendant be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 27th day of May, 1889.

BUFFALO GAP LUMBER CO., Plaintiff.  
GEO. WALKER, Attorney.

### Legal Notice.

The Board of Church Extension, a corporation organized by the Legislature of Pennsylvania and O. W. Fiedler, non-resident defendants; will take notice that on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1889, The Buffalo Gap Lumber Company, Plaintiff herein, filed its petition in the District Court of Sioux county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mechanics lien upon Lot number twenty-eight in Block number three, in the village of Harrison, Sioux county, Nebraska, for the sum of two hundred and fifteen dollars and seventy-seven cents, (\$215.77), for which sum, with interest from the 14th day of April, A. D. 1888, plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 27th day of May, 1889.

BUFFALO GAP LUMBER CO., Plaintiff.  
GEO. WALKER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

L. O. HULL,  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

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GEORGE WALKER,  
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