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F. E. A. M. V. R. E. Time table.
Going West. Going East.
No. 21, passenger, 8:31 | No. 22, passenger, 8:30
No. 23, freight, 8:31 | No. 24, freight, 8:30

HARRISON MARKET.

Corn—per hundred \$	75
Oats—per hundred \$	1 50
Shorts—per hundred \$	75
Straw—per hundred \$	75
Feed—chopped—per hundred \$	1 00
Potatoes—per hundred \$	1 00
Butter—per lb	18
Eggs—per doz	1 75
Poultry—per doz	1 75
Onions—per \$	4
Beans—per \$	4
Cash—per ton	4 00
Wood—per cord	3 00
Lumber—native—per m. ft.	15 00

Corrected every Thursday.

—For farm loans go to S. H. Jones.
—Did some one say it did not rain in Sioux county?

—Feed and grain for sale at Smith Bros. livery barn.
—Harness made to order out of No. 1, oak leather, at Cunningham's.

—There is no lack of moisture in Sioux county now.

—Harrison can now boast of a nicely fitted up base ball ground.

—Do not fail to attend the ice cream social to-morrow evening.

—School begins one week from next Monday.

—Call and see the complete line of harness, saddles, whips, lap-dusters, etc. at the harness shop.

—If you want the very best terms on farm loans, go to the Bank of Harrison before making application elsewhere.

—The rain of last Sunday night was the heaviest that has fallen in this locality for a good while.

—Mrs. Proconier, mother of Andrew and Fred Proconier, of Cottonwood precinct, died last Monday night. She was 82 years old.

—SEASONED LUMBER: We have a good supply of seasoned lumber constantly on hand at our mill on West Boggy.
ASKER Bro's.

—By taking advantage of our new circulating offer you can get a large amount of good reading for a small amount of cash.

—The rooms belonging to George Walker on the east side of Main street have been fitted up and are now occupied by C. F. Carlton and family.

—The crops on the table land are all right and the corn in most cases in the valley will make a fair crop. Sioux county will come to the front in due time.

—The indications are that the statement of the village finances will be published in the near future. When that is done the law will be complied with in one respect, at least.

—About the last of August, E. A. Weir will retire from the firm, so everybody owing us either a note or account will please arrange for a satisfactory settlement at once.
WEIR & Co.

—The last quarterly meeting for this conference year will occur next Saturday and Sunday. Elder Webster will be here and conduct services at the South-west school house Saturday night and Sunday morning and in the church at Harrison at eight o'clock, Sunday evening. All invited to attend.

—Word was received a few days ago of the marriage of J. C. Northrop and Miss Ada Smith, at the residence of a sister of the bride near Wichita, Kan. Both bride and groom are well known here and when they arrive home from their wedding tour in the east, the congratulations of all will be extended to them.

—The east bound passenger on Saturday evening was held here for a few minutes awaiting orders and when they came they were to go careful as the recent rains had made the track a little unsafe along White River. Lots of water has fallen in Sioux county within the past ten days.

—The recent rains in this locality which assures good crops on the table-land and corn in the valley, and the drouth which has prevailed in other localities in this and other states has brought the attention of the people to the fact that it would be an excellent opportunity for Sioux county to make a big stride by having a county exhibit at the state fair. The managers of that exposition are looking for a greater display and larger attendance this year than ever before and if the people here take hold of the matter an exhibit can be gotten up which would attract a great deal of attention and would be certain to win the first prize which is \$500, which would pay all expenses and would leave enough for the foundation for a county agricultural society.

—Attend the Institute lectures.
—Institute lectures are free. All are invited to attend.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Simmons on July 22nd, a daughter. All parties doing well.

—Call on Mrs. H. A. Cunningham and see her complete stock of Ladies, Misses and childrens hats, at eastern prices.

Commissioner Green and the irrepresible Bert Carrier started on an extended pleasure trip through Wyoming this morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Patterson on July 20th, a daughter. The little one only lived a few hours and was buried on Monday. We understand that Mrs. Patterson is improving nicely.
—C. E. Brooks has ordered a new engine for use at his sawmill and will have it ready for use in the near future. He hopes as soon as he gets it in running order to be able to supply his customers with lumber promptly.

—School officers should attend the institute if possible so as to be able to judge of the ability of those who apply for schools, and it is also a good opportunity for any one to get brightened up a little on educational methods, which have materially changed in the past few years.

—The rain of last Thursday was greatly appreciated by the people of this locality. It was a nice, gentle rain and continued for over three hours. There is no question but what enough rain falls here for all agricultural purposes during the year if the weather clerk will only arrange it so it will fall at the proper time. The recent rain will do a great deal of good to the crops. The people of this locality are no worse if they are as bad off as they are in many localities. Reports still come in of the severe drouth in many localities.

—According to the *Herald* Mr. Hull does not think his damage case is out of court. It is only a few weeks until district court will convene and then the result will prove whether the statement of *THE JOURNAL* or the opinion of Mr. Hull is sustained. He is quoted as saying some things in regard to the highest judicial tribunal of the state which are extremely absurd.

—County Commissioner Weir signed all the warrants last week except those in favor of Geo. Walker, for services as county attorney, amounting to \$241.72. All the other warrants are signed and can be had by the persons to whom they belong. We do not know what the result of Mr. Weir's action will be. It does not appear from the way the law reads the chairman of the county board has any discretion as to signing warrants when bills are allowed and warrants are ordered. But the matter of those bills did not stop here. On Friday, L. O. Hull took an appeal on them and they will come before the district court.

Died.

Wright—At the family residence in Harrison Neb., on Saturday July 19, 1890, James W. Wright, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wright, aged 8 years, 8 months and 2 days.
The loss of little Jimmie falls heavily upon the bereaved parents. He was a bright and loving child, but death claimed him and took him to join his sister, Lillie, who had gone before to that place where pain and suffering are unknown. The burial was conducted by Rev. I. F. Lusk. The sympathy of all is extended to the family in their sore affliction.

Prizes for School Work.

The following is a list of prizes offered for exhibition of school work at the teachers institute.
Best free hand drawing.—Set drawing instruments, S. H. Jones.
Best map of Nebr.—Dictionary, B. B. Smith.
To teacher making best exhibit.—Ben-Hur, Sioux Co. Herald.
Best penmanship.—Short cut in figures, C. C. Jameson.
Best writing by pupil under nine—book, Am. Davis.
Best article on history.—Civ. Gov't of our County, S. W. Cox.
Best map of farm.—Set pencil tablets, D. P. Davis.
Best letter writing.—Fancy decorated stationery, Con. Lindeman.
Best written spelling book.—Suitable prize, C. E. Holmes.
Best paper on grammar.—book, E. D. Satterlee.
For best exhibit.—School house flag, Supt. Southworth.
Best map of Nebr.—Large wall map of Neb., SIOUX CO. JOURNAL.
Best essay on seas.—Set colored pencils, C. F. Carlston.
Best copy book.—Dickens Character Sketches, H. H. Steele.
Second best copy book.—Tales of a Grandfather, L. O. Hull.
Language work.—Dictionary, B. B. Smith.
Historical work.—Burt's Sublime and Beautiful, H. H. Steele.

—Hear Prof. Leach at the Court room this evening.

—The town is full of school teachers who are attending the institute.

—The following lectures have been arranged for the Sioux County Teachers' Institute:

Thursday, July 24th, 8 o'clock, p. m.—"Importance of the Teacher's Profession"—Prof. N. E. Leach.

Tuesday, July 29th, 8 o'clock, p. m.—"Tendencies of American Life"—Prof. C. E. Holmes.

Thursday, July 31st, 8 o'clock, p. m.—"How to Gratisfy and Develop the Mental Desire for Mental Activity"—Prof. N. E. Leach.

These lectures will be delivered in the court room, and as the lecturers are well known educators, a rare treat is in store for all who attend.

Lusk vs. Harrison.

Yesterday's base-ball game between the Harrison and Lusk teams was a peculiar game in many respects. There was considerable dissatisfaction quite forcibly expressed against the decisions of the Lusk umpire from the very beginning of the game and at the close of the second inning it was agreed that Harrison should select an umpire to act in conjunction with the Lusk umpire—one to decide on the balls and the other on the base moves—the positions of the umpires to change as the different sides were in or out. The Lusk team had the best of the game until the close of the first half of the ninth inning when the score stood, Lusk 21, Harrison 14. The Harrison team then took the bat and did some fine work, while the Lusk team made several bad breaks, the Harrison boys raising their score to 19 and having one man on first base and no one out and Cunningham, Holmes, Gschwohl and Marsteller next in order to bat. It looked like a sure victory for Harrison then and the Lusk boys evidently looked at it that way for they made a tremendous kick on a decision of the Harrison umpire and abandoned the game, Harrison claiming the stakes. It is not necessary to comment further on the merits of the game as the score speaks for itself.

Sioux County Teachers' Institute.

The annual institute of Sioux county was opened by Supt. Southworth at the Court House last Monday afternoon.

Since the opening of the institute the attendance has steadily increased and a strong interest in the work has been manifested. The entire time is occupied by instruction in method of teaching and frequently enlivened by discussions participated in not only by instructors but by the teachers as well. The course of instruction is as follows:

Reading	Prof. Holmes.
Language	" Leach.
Geography	" Holmes.
Arithmetic	" Leach.
Civil Govt.	" Holmes.
History	" Leach.
Physiology	" Holmes.
Didactics	" Leach.

The course in reading is at present made to include primary work and is being enlivened by exercises conducted by the teachers who are in attendance. In language, Prof. Leach has decided upon a thoroughly practical course, impressing upon the minds of the teachers the fact that language and grammar need not continue to be regarded as difficult subjects of study. In physiology, special attention is given to the principles of health and its preservation. The course in history embraces the Civil war. The efforts of Supt. Southworth are being rewarded by a steadily increasing attendance. The teachers are without exception of a high grade and manifest an earnest zeal to acquire every benefit offered by its course. Indications at present point to a large amount of interesting and successful work during the session and even now the success of the institute is assured.

The following are the teachers who were enrolled as members of the Institute up to Wednesday noon:

Miss Mabel Robinson,
H. H. Steele.
Miss Anna Price,
J. N. Newlin.
Mrs. Ella Newlin,
Miss Eva E. Conner,
Miss Hattie Carey,
Miss Minnie Crane,
Miss Alice Swalm,
Miss Addah Arner,
John W. Graham,
J. W. Smith.
Miss Lilly Thomas,
Miss Emma Walker,
Miss Minnie Smith,
Miss Alice Thomas.

The institute is quite liberally attended by parties who are not teachers but who are interested in educational work. All should attend an opportunity permits and show by their presence, their interest in educational matters, and see what Supt. Southworth is doing for the educational interests of the county.

PERSONAL.

Henry Wertz came down from the hills last week to visit for a few days.

S. W. Cox sends word to have *THE JOURNAL* sent to him at Tacoma, Wash.

J. H. Cook went to Crawford Friday evening and returned Saturday morning.

J. H. Pierce returned a few days ago from the hill country.

C. E. Holmes went down the road to spend Sunday.

W. Henscall, of Canton, is in town today and called at this office.

D. H. Griswold returned Saturday evening from a business trip to Wyoming.

Chas. Schilt arrived on last Thursday from Omaha and other points in the eastern part of the state.

James Compton, of Waterloo, Neb., father of Mrs. A. E. Gates was in Harrison Saturday and called at our office.

A. E. Gates informed us on Saturday that his little girl who was kicked by a horse some time ago, is improving nicely.

L. E. Lawrence treasurer of school district No. 37, was in Harrison on Saturday and made a pleasant call at this office.

Rev. J. M. Bates, Episcopalian minister of Valentine, Nebraska, held religious services in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening.

County Treasurer Gayhart came up from Montrose Saturday to attend the republican convention, and went to Crawford on the evening passenger.

James W. Scott was in town on Friday, his eyes having got well enough so that he can get around, but he has to keep them shaded, and still suffers considerably with pains in his head.

Miss Carey, one of the teachers who was in attendance at the institute from Cottonwood precinct, was summoned home on Tuesday by the announcement of her grandmother's death.

E. A. Weir, N. L. Pollard, E. Rohwer and J. H. Bartell arrived home Thursday from their trip to the hills. They report a pleasant trip and brought a large number of curiosities home with them.

Rev. D. U. Good, Presbyterian Sunday School missionary was in town Tuesday and Wednesday and attended the teachers institute. Mr. Good has been instrumental in organizing a church in the Cottonwood precinct and is preparing to build a neat and substantial house of worship for the organization in the Proconier neighborhood. Mr. Good has organized eleven Sunday Schools in Dawes and Sioux counties.

The W. C. T. U. held a very encouraging meeting Wednesday at four o'clock as per previous announcement. They decided to make an effort to secure lectures for this vicinity, also to extend their influence and help to the valley as early as practicable. Six new workers were added to their number.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla cures liver complaint, rheumatism, and all diseases of the blood.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to return my sincere thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted me in all needed ways during my recent affliction, and I shall ever be mindful of the same, and when in my power, shall gladly reciprocate.
JAMES W. SCOTT.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between L. J. Simmons and W. E. Patterson, doing business under the firm name of Simmons & Patterson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. E. Patterson retiring and the business will be continued by L. J. Simmons.

All accounts due the firm will be collected by them, and all firm debts paid by them.
L. J. SIMMONS.
W. E. PATTERSON.

Dated, Harrison, Neb., June 26, 1890.

All indebted to the firm of Simmons & Patterson for job work or advertising will confer a favor by calling and settling at the earliest possible date.

The Majority

Of so-called cough-cures do little more than impair the digestive functions and create bile. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, on the contrary, while it cures the cough, does not interfere with the functions of either stomach or liver. No other medicine is so safe and efficacious in diseases of the throat and lungs.

"Four years ago I took a severe cold, which was followed by a terrible cough. I was very sick, and confined to my bed about four months. I employed a physician most of the time, who finally said I was in consumption, and that he could not help me. One of my neighbors advised me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I did so, and, before I had finished taking the first bottle was able to sit up all the time, and to go out. By the time I had finished the bottle I was well, and have remained so ever since."—L. D. Kirby, Bartonville, Vt.

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