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Editor and Proprietor.  
... in bulk at Turner's.  
... about as hard in Sioux  
... in any place.  
... per barrel at  
... MARSTELLER'S.  
... building a boat for  
... of Van Tassel.  
... speaks highly of the excel-  
... in all parts of the  
... has our thanks for some  
... He knows the printer al-  
... good things.  
... car went west Saturday  
... the hearts of the  
... of the F. E. & M. V. railroad.  
... the new agent of the  
... arrived on Monday and  
... duties. His family arrived  
... will preach next Sun-  
... southworth school house at  
... the Bodare school house at  
... at Harrison at 8 p. m.  
... First-class native lumber  
... constantly on hand at my  
... Boggy, 13 miles east of  
... J. E. ARNER.  
... tion received a fine carriage  
... present from his brother-in-  
... Lany thinks he will save  
... a horse, carriage and har-  
... it.  
... sent us a sample of  
... oley which was a little  
... get high and just about  
... That is good enough for  
... country.  
... 1st the Weir pasture will  
... sture cows and other stock.  
... per month for cows when  
... from pasture.  
... THOS. REDDY.  
... of freight on account of  
... near Chadron came near  
... sugar famine at this place.  
... days there was nothing but  
... shade to be obtained in  
... politician who had laid  
... to be nominated by the in-  
... convention and then came to  
... the afternoon to receive  
... ions, found out that people  
... him.  
... harbour and party are still  
... their geological work. They  
... at least two car-loads of  
... from this part of the county  
... of their season's work  
... excellent success so far.  
... indications Sioux county  
... are new settlers this year  
... more previous year. If you  
... who contemplate coming  
... tell them to come early  
... rush and get a choice piece  
... school meeting was held  
... J. E. Marsteller was  
... rator and a ten mill tax  
... tion was taken in regard  
... school house site or fix-  
... house. The number of  
... was left to the discretion  
... board.  
... ing on the F. E. & M. V.  
... enough so that the first  
... Chadron last Thursday,  
... run over the switch to  
... line and then down that  
... main track had not yet been  
... would take several days  
... it.  
... last Saturday night was  
... the best of the season. It did  
... as some of the former  
... great deal of water fell. It  
... electric storm of the sea-  
... no damage that has  
... except the killing of a  
... Landsey.  
... from Harrison to Running  
... thousands of acres of fine  
... with tall, rich grass, and it  
... wonder why men will  
... and pay high rent for  
... there is so much  
... county waiting for people  
... take it up and make val-  
... it.  
... cattle which were being  
... the trail from Texas  
... several hundred head es-  
... of them were found on  
... but it is quite likely that  
... will be gathered by the  
... ill roam about until taken  
... settlers as strays. It is  
... the cattle are being driven  
... to avoid the quarantine  
... laws and a number of  
... are reported to be on the  
... up. If the cattle are such  
... by the laws from being  
... ough the country by rail,  
... should be prevented from  
... over the trail and scatter-  
... fever over the land. The  
... should investigate the mat-  
... necessary call on the state  
... to protect them.  
... Sunday the JOURNAL family  
... Agate Springs Stock Farm, of  
... The drive over the miles of  
... tered with rich, waving grass  
... ful wild flowers was pleasant  
... rating. The well-known hos-  
... Mr. Cook and his estimable  
... the visit pleasant. A great  
... improvements have been made  
... past year and others are being  
... large number of box stalls  
... added to the number formerly  
... necessary to accommo-  
... number of fine horses  
... fine Hambletonian  
... the horses of this  
... and the occupants  
... and horses show that  
... a superior horse. One  
... lake or chain of lakes  
... at Agate Springs to the  
... are stocked with  
... of which weigh five  
... some future time we hope  
... a more extensive  
... farm and stock.

**PERSONAL.**  
C. S. Scott is reported on the sick list. Robert Keel returned yesterday from Chadron.  
Rev. Charles E. Snavely spent Friday in Harrison.  
G. H. Turner was at Crawford the last of the week.  
Mrs. Jacob Henry arrived from the east on Saturday.  
A sister of Irwin Wilson arrived from Cheyenne last week.  
Rev. Glasner made his final pastoral visit to Wyoming last week.  
Henry Brundige was in town Tuesday the first time for a long while, and made a pleasant call at this office.  
H. W. MacLachlan left Monday evening for Omaha on business.  
A. J. Babcock and his dog have started for Montana. Success to them.  
Christ. Christensen have moved from Orin Junction to Harrison.  
Mrs. W. O. Glasner returned Friday from her visit down the road.  
John L. Kay called on Saturday and added his name to our list of readers.  
D. H. Griswold, of the Commercial Bank, spent Tuesday night at Chadron.  
Mrs. O. Carpenter writes us to send THE JOURNAL to her at Brookfield, Mass.  
Mrs. Anderson, sister of G. W. Hester, arrived Saturday from Palmer, Neb., to visit.  
Miss Mabel Robinson came up from White River on Saturday, having closed her school in district No. 2.  
**Peanut Party.**  
The M. E. Aid Society of Harrison will give a "peanut party" at court house hall Tuesday evening, July 12.  
**PROGRAMME PERSECUTORS:**  
1. Piece per prominent person.  
2. Paper peanuts per prosaic persons.  
3. Piece pickered by professional picker.  
4. Piece proclaimed per proper person.  
5. Painless palatal performance prudently presented.  
6. Poor person's partner's painful perplexities.  
7. Picked piece per professional picker.  
8. Phil pumpkin pies.  
9. Piece puffed per profligate.  
10. Petite people puzzled.  
11. Puffed piece per professional picker.  
12. Proper provisions passed per pretty people.  
13. Promiscuous pleasant pastime.  
Price per person plitton penalties.  
Printed per performer's precept.  
—I carry a full line of farm machinery.  
G. H. TURNER.  
—Mrs. J. J. Kipp died at her home near Bodare yesterday morning.  
—K. P. Lindsey had the misfortune to have a valuable mule killed by lightning last Saturday night.  
—There will be a dance at the residence of Henry Wasserberger on the night of July 4th. All invited.  
—Mrs. G. W. Hester received the sad news of the death of her mother which occurred in Iowa a few days ago.  
—Remember THE JOURNAL office is headquarters for job work and when in need of anything in that line call and see samples and get prices.

**COMMISSIONERS' RECORD.**  
(Official.)  
HARRISON, NEB., June 14, 1892.  
Board of commissioners met as a board of equalization.  
Present—Commissioners Knott, Green and Weber and clerk.  
Board proceeded to ascertain total valuation of property assessed and relative value thereof.  
On motion board adjourned until June 15, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 15, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
S. C. D. Bassett appeared before the board and made complaint that she was assessed in the village of Harrison to the amount of \$3,000 unjustly. The board, upon affidavit of claimant and other evidence being produced, being convinced that tax was unjust as claimed ordered same stricken from tax roll.  
On motion board adjourned until June 16, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 16, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
John Anderson appeared before the board as a representative for B. E. Brewster and made complaint that said B. E. Brewster was unjustly taxed in Warbonnet precinct on account of having the stock which is assessed in Sioux county only a portion of the time and being compelled to pay tax in the state of Wyoming on account of keeping same stock there a portion of the time.  
After hearing complaint and due consideration thereof the board instructed the clerk to write to the clerk of converse county, Wyoming, and ascertain the nature and amount of assessment of B. E. Brewster in that county, and decided to await the reply of said clerk before taking further action in relation to the matter.  
On motion board adjourned until June 17, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 17, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
Geo. Olinger appeared before the board and made complaint that he was assessed in the village of Harrison and that his property was not in said village on the 1st day of April, 1892.  
The board being convinced that complaint was just, ordered that the property of George Olinger be changed from assessment roll of village of Harrison to assessment roll of Bowen precinct.  
On motion, board adjourned until June 18, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 18, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
Board proceeded to ascertain relative value of property in the county.  
On motion board adjourned until June 20, 1892, at 1 o'clock, p. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 20, 1892.  
Board of county commissioners met in regular session.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
Minutes of last meeting read and on motion approved.  
Affidavit of L. L. Wilson in regard to school tax was taken up and, on motion, the assessor be and he hereby is instructed to return unto L. L. Wilson the sum of \$100

paid by said L. L. Wilson and assessed to him erroneously, as school tax in school district No. 20.  
Affidavit of B. E. Brewster in regard to paying taxes twice on stock was taken up and, on motion, the board refused to order tax refunded for the reason that proper showing has not been made, and the treasurer be and he hereby is ordered to dispose of the taxes of B. E. Brewster in the same manner as if same had not been paid under protest.  
On motion, board adjourned until equalization of assessment rolls be completed.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 20, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
Frank Nutto appeared before the board and made complaint that his assessment was not in proportion to other assessments in the county, in the item of credits. After hearing the statements of complainant and upon due consideration thereof, the board reduced assessment of said Frank Nutto in the item of credits to an amount which was considered just.  
On motion board adjourned until June 21, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 21, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
The board found the average assessment per acre of unimproved lands in the county to be \$1.59, and the average assessment of same per acre in the various precincts to be as follows: Warbonnet \$1.51; White River \$1.59; Cook \$1.94; Snake Creek \$2.00; Running Water \$1.58; Bowen \$1.57; Antelope \$1.55; Cottonwood \$1.59; Bodare \$1.50; Five Points \$1.61; Hat Creek \$1.76; Sheep Creek \$1.91; Andrews \$1.70.  
The assessor of Monroe precinct not having separated the improved and unimproved lands it was considered just to omit said precinct in considering average price per acre of unimproved lands, and leave same as returned by assessor.  
It was found that in order to equalize the assessment on unimproved land the following changes were necessary:  
Warbonnet increased 1.12 per cent; Bodare increased 1.12 per cent; Five Points increased 1.10 per cent; Bowen increased 1.07 per cent; Antelope increased 1.09 per cent; Hat Creek decreased .56 per cent; Sheep Creek decreased .33 per cent; Cottonwood decreased .85; Cook decreased .37 per cent; Snake Creek decreased .345 per cent; Running Water decreased .35 per cent.  
The average price per acre of unimproved lands in White River and Andrews precinct being so near the average price of same in the county there was no change made in said precincts.  
On motion board adjourned until June 22, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEBRASKA, June 22, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
The board found the average assessment per head of horses in the county to be \$18.35 and the average assessment per head of the same in the various precincts to be as follows:  
Andrews \$19.50; Bodare 18.33; Cottonwood 17.47; Five Points 19.23; Antelope 19.55; Bowen 19.95; Cook 17.40; Hat Creek 18.33; Montrose 17.40; Sheep Creek 14.00; Warbonnet 14.55; Running Water 22.00; Snake Creek 16.74; White River 14.86; village of Harrison 14.50.  
It was found that in order to equalize the assessment on horses in the county the following changes were necessary and they were made accordingly:  
Andrews increased 1.683 per cent; Bowen increased 1.412 per cent; Cook increased 1.05 per cent; Montrose increased 1.65 per cent; Sheep Creek increased 1.41 per cent; Warbonnet increased 1.22 per cent; village of Harrison increased 1.25 per cent; Antelope decreased .53; Cottonwood increased 1.05 per cent; Five Points decreased .90 per cent; Running Water decreased .37 per cent; Snake Creek increased 1.09 per cent; White River increased 1.23 per cent.  
The average price of horses in Bodare and Hat Creek precincts being so near the average price of same in the county there was no change made in the price of horses in said precincts.  
On motion board adjourned until June 23, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEBRASKA, June 23, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
The board found the average assessment per head of cattle in the county to be \$6.14 and the average assessment per head of same in the various precincts to be so near the average in the county as to require no change in same.  
On motion board adjourned until June 24, 1892, at 9 o'clock, a. m.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 24, 1892.  
Board of equalization met as per adjournment.  
Present—Commissioners Green, Knott and Weber and clerk.  
The following preamble and resolutions were, on motion, adopted:  
WHEREAS, The assessed valuation of Sioux county, Nebraska, for the year 1892 is but \$573,502.08 as corrected by the board of equalization, subject, however, to correction by the clerk in so far as clerical errors may appear. And  
WHEREAS, 15 mills levy on \$71,502.08 will make \$5,067.30, and the board of county commissioners are only allowed to issue warrants to the amount of 85 per cent. of said sum, or warrants for \$7,215.88. And therefore  
RESOLVED, That the following items included in the estimate of expenses for the year 1892, viz.: district court expenses, salaries, stationery, printing, institute, incidental expenses, insane and poor fund, be reduced to come within the limit of 7 and 1/10 mills of the total assessed valuation of Sioux county for the year 1892. And  
RESOLVED, That the estimate of expenses for indebtedness as indicated by mandates of the supreme court in favor of Samuel Wessel and Wm. W. Seymour be reduced to the amount of 6 and 6/10 mills on the dollar of the total valuation of Sioux county. And  
RESOLVED, That the estimate for roads be stricken from said estimate and that the estimate of expenses for bridges be reduced to the amount of 1 mill on the dollar of the

valuation of Sioux county for 1892.  
On motion the clerk be and he is hereby ordered to levy on the valuation of Bowen bond precinct the required number of mills on the dollar to raise the amount of \$700.00 for interest on court house bonds, \$500.00 for sinking fund for court house bonds and the amount of commission for collecting same.  
On motion, the clerk be and he is hereby ordered to levy on the valuation of the following school districts the required number of mills, respectively, to raise the amounts herein mentioned for interest and sinking funds on school district bonds and commission for collecting same as follows:  
School district No. 37 (Dawes and Sioux Co.) \$17.50 interest, \$25 sinking fund.  
School Dist. No. 16-\$24.50 int. \$35 sinking f'd.  
" " " 24-35 " 100 " " "  
" " " 24-35 " 30 " " "  
" " " 22-17.50 " 12.50 " " "  
" " " 4-21 " 30 " " "  
" " " 7-70 " 200 " " "  
" " " 27-35 " 25 " " "  
To produce county revenue for the year 1892 the board made the following levy on valuation of \$573,502.08:  
For General Fund 7 and 1/10 mills on the dollar.  
For Bridge Fund, 1 mill on the dollar.  
For Special Debt Fund, as indicated by writs of Mandamus in favor of Samuel Wessel and Wm. W. Seymour, 6 and 6/10 mills on the dollar.  
For Soldier's Relief Fund 3/10 of a mill on the dollar.  
On motion the clerk be and he hereby is instructed to levy on the valuations of the different school districts the amounts legally certified by the proper officers to be so levied.  
On motion the clerk be and he hereby is instructed to levy village tax on the valuation of the village of Harrison when properly certified as required by law.  
On motion, minutes of session were read and approved.  
On motion the Board of Equalization adjourned without day.  
HARRISON, NEB., June 25, 1892.  
Board of county commissioners met as per adjournment.  
Minutes of last meeting were read and, on motion, approved.  
On account of there being insufficient funds for such purposes the action taken in regard to building an abutment for bridge crossing Sowbelly creek near residence of F. W. Knott was, on motion, rescinded and Commissioner Knott instructed to proceed and cause a bent and an approach to said bridge to be constructed of timbers and lumber as soon as possible.  
The time for filing claims for damages on account of establishing public road commencing at the southwest corner of section 10, Twp. 33, Range 15, running thence east on the section line between sections 10 and 15, 11 and 14, 12 and 13, and 7 and 18 in Twp. 33, Range 15, four miles to the southeast corner of section 7 in Twp. 33, Range 15 and there terminating having expired and no claims for damages or objections to the establishment thereof being filed, the line described was and hereby is declared a public road.  
On motion, clerk was instructed to issue warrants for claims against Sioux county held by Samuel Wessel and W. W. Seymour as commanded by the supreme court.  
Official bond of James Wilson as road overseer for road district No. 4, was presented and on motion approved.  
On motion, the clerk be and he hereby is instructed to notify the supreme court of the state of Nebraska as to action taken by board in regard to mandamus issued by said court.  
The following claims were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the General Fund of 1892 for the same:  
A. H. Finnop, assessor \$ 45 00  
Omaha Printing Company, supplies 5 75  
State Journal Company " 14 35  
" " " 13 50  
Charles E. Verity, coal 88 50  
Conrad Lindeman, salary as Co. clerk, 100 00  
Isa Barker, judge fees 2 43  
State Journal Co., supplies 10 35  
Thos. Reddy, sheriff services 25 75  
F. W. Knott, services as Co. Com. 81 10  
H. T. Conley, salary as Co. Atty. 1st qr. 75 00  
John Debeno, assessor 48 30  
L. J. Simmons, publishing 13 33  
MacLachlan & Cook, supplies 25 80  
A. Southworth, Co. Supt. services 79 75  
M. Gayhart, postage, etc. 15 00  
Wilhelm Korisch, cementing vaults 12 00  
Griswold & Marsteller, g'ds for pauper 6 81  
A. Southworth, services as Co. Supt. 95 50  
John A. Green, services as Co. Com. 2 40  
Conrad Lindeman, salary, express and postage and fees 164 65  
John A. Green, services as Co. Com. 75 00  
Wm. E. Moore, 2d qr. salary as Co. Atty. 47 50  
H. T. Conley, expenses 40 00  
Martin J. Weber, services as Co. Com. 68 00  
William E. Moore, assessor 13 33  
Thos. Reddy, sheriff's fees 12 10  
J. C. Parsons, assessor 30 00  
Wm. J. A. Baum, assessor 28 00  
W. E. Jones, jury fees 5 00  
D. M. Setton, " 3 10  
F. M. Smith, " 4 50  
Wilbur F. Shepherd jury fees 4 30  
Oscar W. Story " 4 40  
James Clark " 4 40  
W. J. Davis " 4 30  
Emery Gillmor " 3 50  
John C. Eberspecher " 3 50  
H. O. Blood " 4 40  
David Colville " 6 40  
H. A. Cottman " 3 00  
John Anderson " 7 10  
Uriah Adams " 3 40  
O. J. Gowey, assessor 42 00  
Charles Palmer, assessor 28 40  
James W. Scott, bailiff 53 30  
L. J. Simmons, printing & publishing 144 43  
George W. Cobb, assessor 35 00  
Emery Gillmor, assessor 32 50  
Jacob Forster, assessor 14 00  
James H. Cook, assessor 36 20  
John Dant, assessor 45 30  
William Dixon, assessor 45 30  
The following accounts against Sioux county were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the special debt fund of 1892 for the same:  
D. A. Campbell, clerk's fees in supreme court, Seymour case 8 10  
W. W. Seymour, advanced fees in suit - 3 00  
D. A. Campbell, clerk's fees in supreme court, Wessel case - 12 10  
The following account was audited and allowed and warrant ordered drawn on road fund of 1890 for same:  
L. J. Simmons, publishing 85 00  
The following accounts were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on bridge fund of 1891 for same:  
John Messing, repairing and replacing bridge \$60 00  
M. C. Doan, one day's labor 1 50  
Eugene Wohlter, one day's labor 1 50  
James Wilson 1 50  
A. W. Mohr, one day with team 3 00  
W. H. Claymer, one day 1 50  
Official bond of B. L. Smuck, as justice of the peace for Bowen precinct was presented and on motion approved.  
On motion board adjourned without day.  
CONRAD LINDEMAN,  
County Clerk.

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