

THE SIOUX COUNTY JOURNAL

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F. E. & M. V. E. R. Timetable. Going West. Going East.

Are you going to Montrose Aug. 27? Get ready to go to Montrose on August 27th to take in the ball game and dance.

THE JOURNAL and the Irrigation Age, both one year for \$3.50 cash in advance. Harvest has commenced in this locality. The crop on the table land is nothing to complain of.

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J. W. Scott has moved his restaurant into the Conningham building, and Dr. Shafer has moved his office into the Galpin building.

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Excursion tickets over the F. E. & M. V. to the Hot Springs and return will be sold on each Friday until August 31, 1894, for one fare for the round trip. Good for fifteen days.

It was very thoughtful in the political corps to have the minister go to the primary last Thursday and say the last few words of comfort before the cold, clammy votes buried it out of sight.

R. F. Neece informed us a few days ago that the ditch was almost completed which would put about 450 acres of his land in shape to be irrigated. That fixes him so that he has no fear of drought.

It is said that the political corps is still trying to figure out how it was that when it had seven fellows solid at the primary last Thursday only five votes appeared for it when the ballots were counted.

STRAYED—From the residence of the undersigned, near Glen, two dark bay mares, three years old, weight about 1,200 pounds, each, branded colt's foot. A liberal reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery.

JAMES T. MASON, Glen, Neb.

The fourth and last quarterly meeting for the present conference year will be held at Harrison August 18 and 19. A full attendance of the officials of the church is desired as matters of importance will come before quarterly conference.

STRAYED—1 chestnut sorrel gelding branded N K connected; 1 grey gelding branded I C, both 4 years old and weight about nine hundred pounds. A liberal reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery.

ELLIOT W. BROWN, Hat Creek, Wyo.

While talking with W. H. Corbin on Saturday he informed us that he is the owner of a Hereford bull which was a prize winner at the world's fair. It is Cameo, 3319, and Mr. Corbin paid \$500 for him. The stockmen find that it pays to get the best.

Robt. Ferguson, of Crawford, is Sunday school organizer for northwest Nebraska and will assist the people in starting their Sunday Schools in every neighborhood where schools are needed. Those wanting S. S. please write to Mr. Ferguson, as he will, if needed, grant supplies of Lesson Helps and picture papers for the schools organized.

A large number of people gathered at the school house at Bodare last Sunday to listen to Dr. Sexton and participate in the organization of the Presbyterian church. An able sermon was delivered and an organization made with fourteen members and there were several who intended to join but were prevented by sickness. Steps are being taken to erect a church building at once, all the lumber necessary having been subscribed. When the building is completed Dr. Sexton expects to return to dedicate it.

Steps are being taken to issue bonds of the village to take up the floating debts and put the town on a firm financial basis. Such an action will be a great deal better than to allow the credit of the place to become so impaired that no one will want to buy or carry its warrants. Already there are some judgements against the corporation and the interest on the bonds will be no greater, if as great, as it is on warrants or judgements. It certainly looks like a good business move.

The republican primary last Thursday passed off very quietly. E. G. Hough gathered up all he could work and wanted the proceedings to begin promptly as he was afraid that others might come and his little crowd be outnumbered. Committeeman Bartlett was not to be rushed and called the meeting to order when he saw fit. E. G. Hough, L. W. Baldwin, J. C. Ambrose, B. L. Smuck, H. A. Priddy and David Bartlett were nominated. A ballot was taken and it showed the following: Hough 5; Baldwin 6; Priddy 8; Smuck 9; Ambrose 12; Bartlett 13. From that it was evident that the perpetual candidate had counted his check-ess before they were hatched for he got the fewest votes of any one who had been named. It may be that he will take a tumble to the fact that he does not carry the precinct in his pocket.

Republican County Convention.

The convention was called to order by W. H. Davis, secretary of the county central committee, the chairman not being present. W. S. Nicholson was elected temporary chairman and W. H. Corbin temporary secretary.

E. J. Wilcox, J. W. Robinson and H. A. Priddy were appointed as a committee on credentials.

D. W. Woody, David Bartlett and A. R. Dew were appointed as a committee on permanent organization and order of business.

A recess was then taken to allow the committee to make up their reports.

When the convention was again called to order the committee submitted the following list as delegates entitled to seats:

Andrews—J. W. Robinson, H. H. Lorimer.

Bodare—J. C. Eberspacher.

Bowen—David Bartlett, J. C. Ambrose, H. A. Priddy, B. L. Smuck.

Cook—O. J. Govey, W. S. Nicholson, Snake Creek—W. H. Corbin, John P. Curran.

White River—W. S. Johnson, Thomas Devenport.

Hat Creek—M. C. Doan, D. W. Woody.

Warbonnet—E. J. Wilcox, A. R. Dew.

On motion the report of the committee was adopted.

The committee on permanent organization made the following report, which was adopted:

For permanent chairman, E. J. Wilcox.

For permanent secretary, W. H. Corbin.

Mr. Wilcox took the chair and the regular order of business was taken up.

W. H. Davis and A. R. Dew were elected delegates to the state convention.

W. H. Corbin, E. A. Bigelow and H. S. Woodruff to the congressional convention.

David Bartlett, O. J. Govey and D. W. Woody to the senatorial convention.

E. L. Smuck, W. S. Johnson and Eli Smith, to the representative convention.

On motion it was decided to have no candidates for county attorney or county judge.

It was decided by vote that at the various conventions the delegates who shall be present shall have authority to cast the full vote of the delegation and that no proxies be admitted.

Henry Covey was elected chairman of the county central committee and W. H. Davis, secretary.

The following precinct committeemen were named and the chairman of the central committee was authorized to fill vacancies on the committee:

Andrews—J. W. Robinson, Bowen—B. L. Smuck, Bodare—L. C. Phillips, Cook—O. J. Govey, Hat Creek—D. W. Woody, Snake Creek—W. H. Corbin, White River—Thomas Devenport, Warbonnet—E. J. Wilcox.

On motion the convention adjourned.

SNAP SHOTS.

It was no ring convention.

E. J. Wilcox made a good chairman.

It was hard to find men who could spare the time to go to conventions as delegates.

In Henry Covey the party has a chairman of honesty, energy and ability.

The republican party will have no county ticket in Sioux county this fall.

There was an attempt made to get the political corps on the state delegation, but it proved a dismal failure.

The only rifle in the deliberations of the convention was caused by John W. Hunter, of Bodare precinct. For years he has manipulated the primaries of that precinct so that he has come to the convents as a delegate and by his actions has lost more votes to the republican party than he even made for it. The republicans of his precinct decided to make a change and at the primary J. C. Eberspacher and L. C. Phillips were elected delegates to the county convention. The latter could not attend so Hunter fixed up credentials for Eberspacher and himself. The committee investigated the matter and discovered the crooked work and did not report to admit Hunter. That individual then attempted to bulldoze the chairman and the convention, becoming profane and vulgar although repeatedly requested to come to order. It finally became necessary for Sheriff Dew to inform him that he had gone far enough, and Hunter left the hall followed by the applause of the convention. Later he returned and announced that he was no longer a republican and demanded that his name be stricken from the roll of republicans. For that the republican party can congratulate itself. And the convention is entitled to the thanks of all honest republicans for saying by their unanimous vote that crooked primary work will not be upheld by the republicans of Sioux county.

A train load of the troops which were taken west recently passed through here last evening on their return to the forts. The strike troubles seem to be over.

Don't forget that the game of base ball at Montrose will be next Wednesday and that the boys of that locality propose to make it pleasant for all who go over to see the game and participate in the ball in the evening.

PERSONAL.

Clint Ames was up from the south the last of the week.

F. W. Knott was up from Galoisia yesterday.

J. R. Tucker returned from his western trip Tuesday.

J. W. Earnest was at Crawford the first of the week.

Mrs. A. R. Dew spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. J. M. Smiley.

Harry Churchill was up from Running Water the first of the week.

Mrs. A. McGinley started Saturday evening for Hat Springs, S. D.

Mrs. E. G. Hough returned yesterday from a visit in the vicinity of Bodare.

O. J. Govey was up from Cook precinct Saturday and made a us a pleasant call.

R. B. Gregg, of Marsland, was attending the irrigation meeting in Harrison Tuesday.

C. H. Unitt returned from Seward yesterday. He reports much damage by drought.

J. W. Graham accompanied by Misses Lessor and Stewart of Crawford were at Harrison yesterday.

Rev. R. J. Devenport spent a day at Harrison the last of the week, the guest of Rev. J. W. Kendall.

Otto Tieze was in town on crutches last Saturday, the first time he has been here since he got hurt.

Hon. F. M. Broome, receiver of the land office at Alliance, was in Harrison Tuesday attending the irrigation meeting.

Rev. E. D. Irvine was visiting his parishioners in Harrison last Friday and Saturday and held services at the church Friday evening.

Rev. T. L. Sexton, D. D., of Seward, was in Harrison Saturday on his way to Bodare, and, being an old acquaintance, was the guest of THE JOURNAL family.

Judge D. K. Spacht, of Benningford, an old friend of THE JOURNAL family, was a west bound passenger yesterday going to Casper to help furnish music at the republican state convention.

For Irrigation Laws.

A meeting of the legislative committee of the Northwest Nebraska Irrigation Association was held at Harrison on Tuesday. All the counties in the district belonging in the association except Sheridan, was represented. The committee organized by deciding by vote that the officers of the association be the officers of the committee.

M. J. Blewett, of Harrison, was made temporary secretary. Secretary Sheldon being absent.

A good deal of discussion was indulged in of an informal nature as to the best means to advance the irrigation interests of the state. It was finally decided that the best results could be obtained by a meeting of representatives of the various parts of the state.

A committee consisting of Hon. F. M. Broome, of Alliance, C. J. Grable, of Crawford, and R. B. Gregg, of Marsland, was appointed to correspond with other irrigation associations, boards of trade and others interested in the matter and arrange for a meeting at such time and place as they shall find most suitable, for the purpose of drafting a bill on the subject of irrigation which will cover the legal wants of the entire state.

The meeting then adjourned.

Correspondence.

BODARE, NEB., July 31, 1894.

We are needing rain now in these parts.

John Pfost had the misfortune to get one of his horses cut up in a barb wire fence and he also lost or had stolen a good work team.

Mr. J. Roush's baby has been very sick but is some better now and we trust to hear of its recovery soon.

J. Eberspacher is having a well dug on his place.

Mr. Rikard has returned home.

Mrs. Hough is visiting friends in the valley.

The members of the Presbyterian church have decided to commence work on their church building soon. H. T. Zerbe has the contract for building and it will be known as the Bodare Presbyterian church.

Mr. Clough and the Misses Ferguson of Cottonwood attended services last Sunday evening at the Bodare school house. A little baby girl arrived at the home of M. Carroll last week.

Do you see the smile on Postmaster Marsteller's face? A democrat that will be old enough to vote in twenty-one years arrived at his home yesterday morning. All concerned doing nicely.

While in some parts of this county the small grain crops are not very good still in others they are good enough so that no complaint should be made. We have samples of wheat, oats, barley, and millet brought in by E. E. Livermore, B. L. Smuck, B. F. Thomas and T. O. Williams which show there will be some good grain. The reports from Cottonwood are that wheat will be half a crop and oats will yield from 30 to 60 bushels per acre. Corn is reported as good. It was beginning to suffer for want of rain, but some showers and cooler weather have prevented it getting in bad shape, making it as a whole northwest Nebraska is about as well off as any place.

TAKE NOTICE.

All persons indebted to THE JOURNAL on any account and all indebted for subscription to the Independent are urged to call and settle at an early date. We desire to have a settlement with every one on our books and want to raise funds with which to meet our bills. If you cannot pay cash, notes on which we can get money will be acceptable. Do not delay this matter as it deserves your immediate attention.

Married.

LEWIS—MCGINLEY.—At the residence of the bride's parents at the J A ranch on Wednesday, July 25, 1894, by Rev. J. W. Kendall, pastor of the Harrison M. E. church, Mr. Charles W. Lewis and Miss Minnie McGinley, both of Sioux county, Nebraska. The ceremony was witnessed by many of the friends of the contracting parties, among them Mrs. W. H. McCann, Mrs. E. D. Satterlee and son, and H. C. Armfield, of Chadron.

The newly wedded pair were made the recipients of numerous presents, a complete list of which we have been unable to obtain but a partial list is, an elegant set of furniture from W. H. McCann and E. D. Satterlee; silad bowl, Mrs. W. H. McCann; fine carpets and lace curtains, Mrs. McGinley; toilet set, A. McGinley.

A unique feature of the occasion was that the bride was attired in the same dress worn at the altar by her mother twenty-eight years ago.

The young people have a large circle of friends who extend hearty congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life.

THE JOURNAL wants a correspondent in every settlement in the county who will send in the local news each week. If those who will act in that capacity will send us notice to that effect we will send them stationery at once.

Commissioners Proceedings.

HARRISON, NEB. AUG. 1st, 1894. Board of County Commissioners met as per call of clerk.

Present: Commissioners Weber, Johnson and Triakam and Clerk.

The following certificates against the various road districts were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn for same.

Henry Wasserberger road district No. 1 \$4 49  
Henry Wasserberger " " " 1.16 91  
H. H. Russell " " " 12.20 83  
G. M. Purson " " " 8.37 00  
O'Connell & Jordan " " " 78.30 00  
August L. Ring " " " 2.18 50

The following claims against Sioux county were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on general fund for same.

L. J. Simmons printing and publishing \$21 65  
Henry Frelshoff services as County Commissioner \$22 50  
H. T. Conley salary county attorney for month of July \$25 00  
S. L. Hills surveying road \$4 10  
M. J. Weber services as Co. Commissioner \$2 00

The claim of E. J. Wilcox for \$25 for appraising damages was audited and allowed and a warrant ordered drawn on county road fund for same.

The resignation of H. T. Conley as County Attorney read and on motion is accepted and office declared vacant.

The petition of T. O. Williams and others was taken up and on motion rejected for the reason that the road was surveyed where a former petition called for and for the reason that it did not seem practicable.

On motion A. T. Clark was appointed County Attorney for the unexpired term to fill vacancy.

The official bond of A. T. Clark was presented and on motion approved.

On motion the clerk was instructed to recall warrant No. 2, issued July 4th 1894, against county road fund from the holder thereof, for the reason that said warrant was erroneously issued against said fund, and upon the cancellation of said warrant the clerk is ordered to issue warrant against the county bridge fund of 1894 for the amount and interest due on same.

On motion board adjourned without day.

M. J. BLEWETT, County Clerk.

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