

THE SIOUX COUNTY JOURNAL.

L. J. Simmons, Editor and Prop.

F. E. & M. V. R. Time table.
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NOTICE TO SETTLERS.

The rules of the local land office have recently been amended so that settlers to make final proof shall settle with the publisher before sending in their application. All parties desiring to make final proof can have their papers made out at THE JOURNAL office, free of charge, and promptly transmitted to the land office so that no time will be lost.

—For information read THE JOURNAL.

—Men's suits and overcoats at cost at Turner's.

—Old papers, five cents per dozen at THE JOURNAL office.

—Call at THE JOURNAL office and have your final proof papers made out. It will cost you nothing.

—Watch for an announcement in the next issue of THE JOURNAL.

—It is reported that a wedding is to take place in Harrison in the near future.

—John H. Bartell has purchased the George H. Turner stock of general merchandise and the work of invoicing began yesterday. John L. Davis, who has been conducting the business expects to go to Ragged Top in a few days.

—Will Phillips was setting up the cigars yesterday over the arrival of a girl at their home early that morning. As it is their first-born they are very proud of the addition to their family.

—Yesterday was the silver anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gerlach and a number concluded that a good, old-fashioned serenade would be the best they could do for them, and accordingly horns and bells were procured and about eleven o'clock the fun began. The party was invited into the house and regaled with the best the town affords, and after spending a pleasant hour the merry crowd dispersed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Gerlach continued happiness until they shall have passed their golden and diamond anniversaries.

PERSONAL.

Bert Hamlin was down from Wyoming Monday.
Geo. D. Canon arrived from Alpena, S. Dak., yesterday.
John Herman was in from Indian creek the first of the week.

Mrs. L. T. Poole returned to her home at Marsland Monday evening.

Alvin T. Clark started Tuesday evening to resume his work.

Roy Hamlin is rapidly improving and will soon be all right.

Commissioner Weber and C. A. Puddy were up from White River on Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Davis went to Crawford Monday evening to visit for a time.

Roy Maine came up from Crawford the last of the week and remained over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hollingsworth visited in Harrison a few days during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kay were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dew the last of the week.

E. D. Satterlee was up from Chadron on Monday transacting business and renewing old acquaintances.

A. R. Dew came down from Lusk Saturday and spent Sunday with his family, returning Monday.

—A dance was held at the court house on Friday evening. The day was quite stormy and a small crowd attended.

—An apron social was held at the court house on Saturday evening, being given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society.

—Sunday was St. Valentine's Day and as a consequence the post office department was unusually busy the first of the week.

—The annual meeting of the assessors of the various precincts will be held at the office of the county clerk on March 16th. As failure to attend that meeting vacates the office those who want to hold their jobs are expected to be on hand.

—J. R. VanBoskirk returned last Friday from Lincoln, where he spent about ten days of his time trying to impress upon the minds of our law-makers the necessity existing for the Sheldon bill to pass requiring butchers to hold neat cattle hides a certain number of days for public examination. John says that this and all similar bills have not thus far been very favorably considered.—Alliance Guide.

—The prospects are that the case of L. O. Hull vs. Sioux County may be settled. On Tuesday County Attorney Guthrie received notice that it would not be necessary for him to appear at O'Neil on the 19th as the case would not be heard at that time. It would be better to get the case settled without further expense. It would be good economy on the part of the county to even pay a little more than may be actually due the plaintiff as it will stop the costs. It is beyond question that the plaintiff is entitled to a portion of the amount claimed and hence the county will likely have the costs to pay in the end, and if a settlement will save the county anything that is the proper thing to do. Another case of the kind is not likely to come up, so that the establishing of a precedent need not be considered.

—The Press at Harrison is engaged in the delectable occupation of informing people of prices received by THE JOURNAL from the county for printing, and roars about how tax payers are being bled. The same paper along with many others in the state are clamoring for an appropriation to be made for the exposition at Omaha. That's the way it goes. Appropriations may be made to give enormous bounties to rich sugar trusts; they may be made in the name of charity to make paupers out of people who otherwise would have to rustle, and yet newspapers will waste space in applauding such disreputable methods for bleeding tax payers; but let some other paper get fair prices for its work for state, county or city governments, and immediately a howl goes up about suffering tax payers being robbed. If newspaper men would stand together like men in other lines of business, it would not be long before laws would be enacted, whereby it would be unnecessary to beg people to pay rather than demand it. The profession needs a little legislative tonic to strengthen its backbone.—Alliance Grip.

The Schuyler Quill, which is recognized as one of the leading populist papers of the state has the following to say of the methods of the party dominant in Nebraska: "The machine is now in good working order, and those who were on the inside and a part and parcel of the institution are strictly in it, so to speak. The organization, not only of the legislature, but the state offices and the state boards has been machine work from the start. No republican combination in the state ever engaged in more unprincipled schemes than our so-called reform party. 'The riff-raff' who organized and made the fight of 1890 has been read out and the lawyers, bankers, dudes and stinkers are carrying things with a high hand. Dissatisfaction prevails in all the ranks, and the recent dirty work has disgusted the old-line populists to such an extent that they are ready to step out and let the politicians have the party."

Estrays.

I have at my ranch on Running Water the following described estrays: 1 black steer, coming two years old, with small stub horns and with overbit out of the end of right ear; 1 red heifer, with white face, coming two, with horns, no brands visible.

B. F. MOORE,
Marsland, Neb.

The Nebraska Legislature.

It is a recognized fact among Nebraskans that no matter what other daily paper they read at other times, during the legislative sessions they must get the Lincoln State Journal if they want all the news. The Journal is right on the ground, can get the latest doings of the lawmakers and frequently gives the news one day earlier than the Omaha papers. The Journal's Washington correspondent, Mr. Annin, keeps Journal readers thoroughly posted on matters of interest to Nebraskans that are happening at the national capital. The Journal is mailed at 50 cents per month without Sunday or 65 cents per month with Sunday. It is a great paper.

Final Proof Notices.

All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notice and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Timber Culture Proof—Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Alliance, Neb., January 19, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that Mathias Stepien, of Gilchrist, Neb., has filed notice of intention to make final proof before M. J. Biewert, clerk district court, at his office in Harrison, Neb., on the 25th day of February, 1897, on timber culture application No. 126, for the S. 1/2, N. 1/2, & E. 1/2, of section No. 31, in Township No. 34 N., Range No. 24 W. He names as witnesses: Paul Serres, Joseph Ross, John F. Meyer, Frank L. Meyer, all of Gilchrist, Neb. J. W. WEBB, JR., Register.

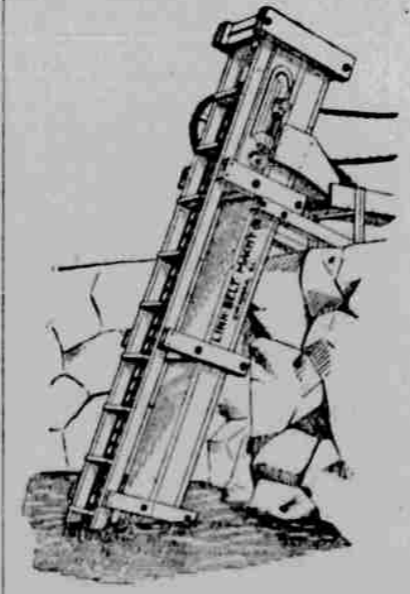
Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order of Sale to me directed, issued by the clerk of the District Court of Sioux County, Nebraska, in an action pending in said court, wherein Ashbury E. Robinson is plaintiff and Count E. Wadsworth, Gertrude M. Wadsworth, Louisa P. Wadsworth, Joseph G. Morris, Charles J. Grable and Aultman, Miller & Co., are defendants, I will on the 15th day of March, 1897, at one o'clock, P. M., at the east door of the Court House, in Harrison, Nebraska, offer for sale at public vendue the following described real estate, to wit: The West Half (S. 1/2) of the southeast Quarter (S. 1/2) and East Half (E. 1/2) of the southwest Quarter (S. 1/2) of section Nine (9) in Township Thirty-one (31) N., in Range Fifty-six (56) W. of the sixth (6) P. M., in Sioux County, Nebraska, to satisfy a decree of foreclosure entered in said cause by our said court at the regular November, 1896, term of said court, to-wit: on the 1st day of November, 1896, wherein our said court found due to the defendant Aultman, Miller & Co., on the cause of action set out in its cross-petition the sum of \$75.00 with ten per cent interest thereon from said date and costs, and adjudged same to be a first lien on said premises. The said court also found due to the plaintiff on the cause of action set out in his petition the sum of \$25.75 (drawing ten per cent interest from said date, which was declared and adjudged by the court to be a second lien on said premises with costs and accruing costs. Said premises will be sold for the purpose of satisfying said sum in the order above named. DAVID BARTLETT, Sheriff of Sioux County, Neb.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order of Sale to me directed, issued by the clerk of the District Court of the County of Sioux and State of Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said court in favor of E. A. Sausbourn and against Benjamin B. Smith, E. A. Sears and Rhoda Sears, his wife, I will on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1897, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the East Front door of the Court House in Harrison, in said county, offer for sale at public vendue the following described real estate, to-wit: The southwest Quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township thirty-three (33), Range fifty-four (54), in Sioux County, Nebraska, to satisfy said Order of Sale in the sum of \$27.32, with interest thereon at ten per cent per annum from the 29th day of November, 1896, and taxes now due and unpaid, and costs and accruing costs. DAVID BARTLETT, Sheriff of said County.

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OVER 1,300,000 ACRES of land. There are more bright, sparkling, small streams in the county than can be found in the same area elsewhere in the state. It has more pine timber in it than all the rest of the state combined. Its grasses are the richest and most nutritious known so that for stock-growing it is unexcelled.

The soil varies from a heavy clay to a light sandy loam and is capable of producing excellent crops.

The principal crops are small grain and vegetables, although good corn is grown in the valleys. The wheat, oats, rye and barley are all of unusually fine quality and command the highest market prices.

The water is pure and refreshing and is found in abundance in all parts of the county.

The county is practically out of debt and has over forty-five miles of railroad within its borders, has a good brick court house and the necessary fixtures for running the county and there has never been one dollar of county bonds issued and hence taxes will be low.

The Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad crosses Sioux county from east to west and the B. & M. has about fifteen miles of its line in the northeast part of the county.

The climate is more pleasant than that of the eastern portion of Nebraska.

There is still

OVER 800,000 ACRES of land in Sioux county yet open to homestead entry. It is better land and more desirably located than that for which such rushes are made on the opening of a reservation. There is no railroad land in the county and for that reason its settlement has been slow for no special effort to get settlers was made, as was done in the early days of the settlement of the eastern part of the state.

Good deeded land can be purchased at reasonable rates with government land adjoining so that a person who wants more than one quarter section can obtain it if he has a little means.

There are about 1,500 people in the county and there is room for thousands more.

Harrison is the county seat and is situated on the F. E. & M. V. railroad, and is as good a town as the thinly settled country demands.

School houses and churches are provided in almost every settlement and are kept up with the times.

All who desire to get a homestead or buy land cheap are invited to come and see the country for themselves and judge of its merits. Homesteads will not be obtainable much longer and if you want to use your right and get 100 acres of land from Uncle Sam free it is time you were about it.

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