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Call at THE JOURNAL office and have your final proof papers made out. It will cost you nothing. Fresh fish in bulk or in pails at J. H. BARTELL'S. Mr. James Wright, Harrison's best carpenter has been making some needed repairs at the court house this week.

Antone Moravick, from Warbonnet precinct, has rented the Harrison House for one year and will take charge May 1st. Henry Will, who has been away for about a year and a half out in California, returned the fore part of the week. W. A. Bigelow, a former resident of Sioux county but now of Sterling, Colo., returned Tuesday of this week to look after some stock interests which he still holds in this county.

W. G. Stover of Ft. Collins, Colo., came in from the west Tuesday last to look after some of his stock interests on the McGinley ranch down on the Running Water. C. S. Williams, who lives on Indian creek, sold last Saturday to John H. Brown of Cody, Neb., his ranch and also his cattle. What the consideration was we did not learn.

A light fall of the beautiful visited Harrison and vicinity last Sunday and Saturday mornings, clearing up through the day, getting quite warm leaving no trace of snow by night. We will send out a few simple copies of the JOURNAL to different ones in the county for inspection. Do not be afraid to take them out of the office for they will not cost you anything. Notice.—All parties knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle either in cash or with note on or before May 1st. As I have rented my Hotel to other parties I will go out of business at the above stated time. EGGERT ROHWER.

We would be glad to have a special correspondent from the different precincts in Sioux county, and in return THE JOURNAL will be sent free during the year. We want the news given without coloring or exaggeration. Local news and a short political article will be acceptable occasionally. Notice.—I will offer at public sale in Harrison, Neb., on the 10th day of April, 1897, at 2:00 o'clock, one English Shire stallion, coming five years old this spring weight, about 17,000 pounds color, lay and of good style. One year's time will be given on a well secured bankable note. NICKLAS SCHAEFER.

By accident, just before going to town we learned that Mr. E. Rose and Miss Evelyn Miller of Budarc, Sioux county, Nebraska, were joined in holy wedlock at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Clark of this place on the 23rd inst. The many friends of the bride and groom in Harrison, together with THE JOURNAL join in extending to the newly wedded couple their well wishes and hope for them a long, happy and prosperous life and may their cup of joy be constantly full and running over.

MARRIED. JOSSLIN, FERGUSON.—Mr. W. R. Josslin and Miss R. E. Ferguson, of Cottonwood, Sioux county, Neb., were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Wednesday March 24, 1897, Rev. Sloan officiating. THE JOURNAL acknowledges a pleasant call from the groom on Monday of this week, and we take pleasure in wishing them a long and happy life.

Notice is hereby given that by order of Robert Wilson, County Judge of Sioux county, Neb., that the sale of the Personal estate of Charles J. Paddy deceased heretofore advertised to take place on March 23, 1897, is adjourned until March 27, 1897, at the same place and time of day heretofore advertised. C. ADAMS PADDY, Administrator.

Mr. O. J. Demming of Lusk, Wyo., stopped in Harrison over Sunday while on his way to Whitney, this state where he has a son farming. Mr. Demming was taking some seed grain down to his son so that when spring came to stay everything will be in readiness to go to farming. By invitation, Mr. Demming called at THE JOURNAL office and passed a pleasant hour's visit, and by accident we discovered through Mr. Demming the whereabouts of some of our old acquaintances and old neighbors who left South Dakota a few years ago and are now living near Marville, Wyo.

A team belonging to A. Leithoff ten miles east of town, and while he was unloading a load of wood and just as the last stick was thrown off it flew up and struck one of the horses scattering them so badly they ran away, coming direct to town, swishing up the wagon partly loaded. After reaching town they took a turn down main street, going north to wards the court house two or three blocks and then turning west to the next street tearing up a section of the sidewalk and finally ending up at the livery barn while no apparent damage was done to themselves. Mr. Leithoff followed the run-away team and came into town shortly after they did, but on account of the horses being so warm he was obliged to leave them over until the next day Tuesday, before taking them home.

Warbonnet Warblings. Mrs. Mary Garton made a trip to Harrison last Monday. Mrs. Wallace and daughter, Viola came down from Harrison Monday, to visit with Mrs. Garton and Miss Merriam, and to call on friends in the neighborhood. A dinner was reported to have been held at Sam Leeling's on the evening of March 17th, in honor of St. Patrick. Mr. James Merriam is getting out logs near White's saw mill.

Mr. James Garton is logging over in Wyoming, about three miles north-west of Pleasant Ridge. Mr. H. T. Marvian celebrated his 74th birthday on Tuesday, March 16th. Among those present were, Mrs. Wallace and daughter, Mrs. Garton, Willie, Ernest, Merie, and Harvard Garton and Mr. Lyon. The younger members of the party amused themselves by hunting eggs, playing with dolls, playing in the creek, slight sewing, climbing hills and sliding down. The older members, after the dinner table was cleared away seated themselves and enjoyed one of those rare, but good old fashioned confidential chats. At sundown the children were called in from the hillside and the guests prepared to take their departure, not forgetting to tell the host and hostess what a good time they had had and to promise them they would not forget to come again.

Mrs. Wallace returned to her home in Harrison last Friday after staying just long enough with friends here to make every one wish she would stay longer. Mrs. Presdy, Mrs. Garton, Mrs. Wallace and Miss Merriam visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kay's one day last week. Ernest Lyon came down from Harrison Saturday to visit for a few days with his father and sister and family and to make a short call on old friends. Mr. Lyon has been engaged to work for an indefinite length of time down at Mr. Bourret's ranch helping to fix a dam. He expects to start for that place tomorrow.

Mrs. Garton and Elsie Merriam were in town last Friday. Mrs. Zimmerman is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Daut's. Mrs. Daut has been very sick but is recovering. Mrs. Walker is employed to help care for Mrs. Daut and to assist in the house work. Misses Lena and Elsie Norisch and Master Fritz Norisch made a short visit with E. Merriam and Mrs. Garton, spending a part of the day at the home of each of the parties. Mrs. Thomas Dunn is reported on the sick list.

Miss Lena and Albert Norisch attended the dance at Sam Leeling's, and report a very enjoyable time. Mr. R. L. Kessel made a short call at O. A. Garton's this morning. Burt Thomas was breaking a colt, pony or bronco, or trying to which is the same thing, Saturday last. Miss Louisa Landerman came down from Harrison Saturday to make a short visit with her parents and relatives at home.

Quite a snow storm visited Warbonnet precinct Sunday night and Monday morning, but old Sol made his rags be felt in such a way that by Monday eve the snow had nearly all disappeared, leaving only a spot of mud here and there to show where it had been. Oh yes! I almost forgot to say Mrs. Garton done some very creditable work on the roads in Monroe Canon last week Friday, and if the commissioners do their duty they will see that she is well paid for her work. E. Merriam done some very good work in turning the water off

the road in two or three places, but her work was nothing compared to that of Mrs. Garton's. However, both showed some ambition that they can get out and work to the roads and keep them in condition to be safely traveled over, they had to step down and out and let the women have the reins. Grand pa Lyons would like to inform the readers of THE JOURNAL that he is very busy these days looking down a large arm chair in the corner by the stove. E. B. O.

Commissioners' Proceedings. HARRISON, Neb., March 19, 1897. Board of county commissioners met as per call of clerk. Present: Commissioners Weber, Young and Tinkman. The petition of William Wallace and others, asking that a steep incline be established, was granted subject to the order of the board.

The official bonds of Solomon R. Story as member of the soldiers' relief commission and Thomas Garton as assessor were presented and on motion approved. An motion the county treasurer is hereby ordered and instructed to transfer the sum of \$22.50 from the soldiers' relief fund of 1891, \$12.50 from the soldiers' relief fund of 1892, \$10.00 from the soldiers' relief fund of 1893, \$10.00 from the soldiers' relief fund of 1894 to the soldiers' relief fund of 1895.

The request of the soldiers' relief commission that A. J. Hodges be allowed \$25.00 and E. E. Livermore \$25.00 and J. J. Rowlett \$25.00 was presented and on motion allowed and warrants ordered drawn on soldiers' relief fund of 1895 for same. The petition of V. Wohlfahrt and others, asking that county bridge be built across Hat creek, was taken up and on motion Commissioner Weber was appointed to view said bridge site and report at the next meeting. On motion board adjourned till 7 o'clock a. m. March 21, 1897. M. J. BLWETT, County Clerk.

HARRISON, Neb., March 17, 1897. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present: Commissioners Weber, Young and Tinkman and clerk. The board proceeded to clarify the information necessary in order to select the names of persons from which to draw a petit jury to serve on the April 1897, term of the district court. The names of all persons who were drawn as jurors for the past two years were first obtained. The total number of voters in the county at the last general election was found to be 4,825, which number divided by six, the number of persons required by law to be listed for jury purposes, it was found that one person could be listed as a juror for each eight electors listed in each precinct. The following list of names of persons eligible for jurors was then selected from the several precincts:

- Antelope: Fred Hombert, L. C. Lewis, Charles Ditt. Warbonnet: John Harvian, Willie Shepley, Budarc: Leonard Wilcox, John H. Garton, E. E. Hodges, Ernest Merie, J. J. Rowlett, W. L. Patterson, N. L. Taylor, Fred A. Smith, R. E. Johnson. Cottonwood: A. C. Collins, A. G. Carver, William E. Shaver, William A. Garton, Jake Green, John Levers. Five Points: H. H. Ruppel, R. J. O'Connell, Fred Meyer, Louis Krippl. Hat Creek: William Miller, James McCann, E. W. Knott. Pleasant Ridge: Henry Covey, Sam Thilly, George F. J. C. Ables, James Garton, Peter Wagner, Jacob Wass, George Henry Probst, Fred Garton, J. J. Rowlett, Gustav Meyer, Andrew Merriam, Gustav Meyer, W. L. Wilson, Sugar Loaf: Samuel S. Cook, Robert Brown, Louis Leeb, J. E. Parks. White Creek: J. L. Larson, Trac Miller, Edward Iron, William Leonard, Warbonnet: Thomas Dunn, Leonard Daut, John Fry, Charles Seiler, John Daut, Henry Landman. White River: D. S. Cox, W. H. Johnson, Robert Brown, Henry O'Brien, William Smith, George Swanson.

On motion the following appointments were made: Fred Leithoff, road overseer, Highland precinct; John Herman, road overseer, Antelope precinct; H. H. Russell, road overseer, Andrews precinct. The annual settlement of the following road overseers were audited and allowed and certificates ordered drawn on the different road districts for same: James Wilson, district No. 4, Hat Creek precinct, \$37.00; Gustav Norisch, Dist. No. 3, Warbonnet precinct, 27.00; John W. Tidd, Dist. No. 3, Five Points precinct, 27.00; W. L. Reed, Dist. No. 2, Antelope precinct, 14.00; Thomas Doyle, Dist. No. 7, Budarc precinct, 27.00; Henry Probst, Dist. No. 3, Mountain Precinct, 27.00; John W. Olson, Dist. No. 8, Sugar Loaf precinct, 30.00.

The claim of John W. Tidd for \$25.00 for plow team was presented and on motion allowed and certificate ordered drawn on road district fund of Dist. No. 5 for same. The claim of James Wilson of \$20.00 for use of plow was presented and on motion allowed and certificate ordered drawn on road district fund of Dist. No. 4 for same. The annual settlement of G. F. Welch, road overseer in Dist. No. 13, Andrews precinct, was presented and on motion rejected for the reason that the taxes had not been performed. The claims of E. E. Livermore for \$50.00 and S. L. Roney for \$25.00 for services as members of the soldiers' relief commission were presented and on motion allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the soldiers' relief fund of 1895 for same.

The following claims against Sioux county were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on bridge fund of 1896 for same: William Martin, help in timber, \$ 4.00; A. J. Boyce, bridge timber, timber, \$14.00, allowed, 10.00. The claim of John W. Tidd of \$25.00 for plow team was presented and on motion rejected for the reason that the county does not pay disburse on county warrants. The request of Larry Hall relating to certain land being illegally taxed in the year 1897 and asking that the same be corrected was presented and after due consideration the board find that the records of the county clerk show that the tract of land complained of was taxable in the year 1897, and on motion the request is hereby rejected. The complaint and protest of F. E. Jandt, alleging that certain property had been twice assessed and taxes paid thereon, other grounds of protest not being considered for want of jurisdiction of the board over subject matter, was presented and the board proceeded to examine the returns of the assessor of said property for said year and on consideration thereof find that said property was liable to taxation in Sioux county for said year, and that said property has not been twice assessed and taxes paid thereon, and the treasurer is hereby ordered to dispose of the said money in the same manner as though the same had not been paid under protest.

The communication of H. S. Parks, relating to certain parties being destitute, was taken into consideration and on motion referred to Commissioner Weber. On motion board adjourned without day. M. J. BLWETT, County Clerk.

Articles of Incorporation of the Stock Men's Tourists Company. BE IT KNOWN, That the undersigned with the intention of associating themselves together and forming a corporation for the purpose hereinafter set forth under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Nebraska, have adopted and do hereby adopt Articles of Incorporation as follows: ARTICLE I. The name of this Corporation shall be the Stock Men's Tourists Company, and its principal place of transacting business shall be at and in, in Sioux county, Nebraska.

ARTICLE II. The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be to acquire, sell and lease in and in the state of Nebraska, and in other states where it may lawfully transact such business, to promote the settlement and occupation of such lands as it may acquire by purchase, or otherwise, to lay out and plat the same into town lots, streets, alleys and public grounds, and to sell or otherwise dispose of such lands or lots, and for this purpose shall be vested with full power to make contracts with individuals or corporations for the purchase or sale of real or personal property, and to do all acts and things necessary or proper to continue to carry out and fully execute the business of this corporation, to have a continued or corporate seal which it may alter or change at pleasure, to sue and be sued, to make such by laws as it may deem expedient, not inconsistent with law.

ARTICLE III. The Capital Stock of this Corporation shall be Three Thousand Dollars, which shall be divided into shares of Twenty Dollars each, of which Twenty-seven per cent shall be paid at the time of subscribing and the remainder when called for by the Board of Directors. The time of the commencement of this Corporation shall be on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1897, and the termination on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1917.

ARTICLE IV. The affairs of this Corporation shall be conducted by a Board of seven Directors who shall be elected annually by the Stockholders at such time and place as the By-Laws of the company may determine, and they shall hold their office until their successors are elected and qualified. The following named persons shall constitute the first board of Directors, and they shall hold their office until their successors are elected and qualified, viz: J. W. Karnosh, Andrew Merriam, Albert F. Neome, Isaac Rich, John N. Douglas, William J. Bourret, J. H. Russell.

ARTICLE V. The highest number of individuals to constitute the stockholders of this corporation is at any time to be limited to twenty and no more.

ARTICLE VI. These Articles of Incorporation may be altered or amended by the Board of Directors, provided that a majority of said board vote in such amendment.

ARTICLE VII. The private property of Stockholders shall be exempt from the Corporation's debts. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 10th day of March, A. D. 1897. JOHN E. MARSTELLER, H. H. LOHMEYER, N. DUGGAS HAMILIN, ISIDOR RICHSTEIN, JAMES F. BOURRET, J. W. LEROUX.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, SIOUX COUNTY. Be it remembered that on this 10th day of March, 1897, before me, County Clerk, in and for said county, personally appeared John E. Marsteller, H. H. Lohmeyer, N. Douglas Hamelin, Isidor Richstein, James F. Bourret, J. W. Leroux, to me personally known and known to me to be the same persons who subscribed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they severally acknowledged to me that they had executed the within instrument as their free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Witness my hand and official seal at Harrison, Nebraska, this 10th day of March, 1897. M. J. BLWETT, County Clerk.

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 Astory E. Hobson is plaintiff and Count H. Wadsworth, Gertie M. Wadsworth, Louise P. Wadsworth, Joseph G. Morris, Charles J. Grabbe and Aultman, Miller & Co., are defendants, I will on the 5th day of April 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 (1/2) of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) and East Half (1/2) of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) 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, 1893, term of said Court, to-wit: on the 1st day of November, 1893, 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 \$50.00 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 \$287.00 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 sums to the order above named. DAVID BARTELL, Sheriff of Sioux County, Neb.

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