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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.

-A happy New Year to every body.

Dr. Riser eye, specialist of Lincoln, will be in Harrison, Dec. 30th to remain until Jan. 5th 1898. Those needing spectacles or treatment for their eyes should take advantage of this opportunity and have their eyes examined.

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H. OLBRIGHT, Glen, Neb.

And still another adds his name to the list of our readers in the person of Mr. P. B. Biglow. So it continues.

Among the many pleasant callers at our sanctum this week was M. J. Gayhart of Montrose. We are always glad to have our friends call.

Charles Newman went to Chadron last night to spend New Year's. He will return next Monday and pursue the even tenor of his way until another New Year, probably.

We are glad to be able to state that Miss Archer who has been suffering from an acute attack of inflammatory rheumatism during the past two weeks, is now doing nicely.

Quite a serious fire occurred at Luak Wyo. on last Sunday night. The livery stable was totally destroyed also a residence owned by a party named Gamble. We did not learn the amount involved in the loss.

Hon. Judge Kinkaid and Judge Westover who presides over the several district courts in this judicial district have set the terms of court for Sioux county for 1898, on May 9th, and Sept. 19th.

We stand corrected in regard to the statement in our last week's issue, in regard to Mr. Kirkpatrick of Highland as Perry will have to try single blessedness; while his family will enjoy the sights of city life.

County commissioner Weber will sever his connection with the commissioners office with this meeting. We are sorry to see him go as he has been a most faithful and vigilant officer during the time he has served the people in the capacity of public official.

There will be a small sized law-suit before his honor Judge Hester, tomorrow afternoon. The parties to suit are J. H. Bartell, plaintiff and F. J. Witt defendant. It is said the suit is an out-come of the county fair over a year ago. So it's fair to say that a county fair is often unfair when it should be fair.

Mrs. Alice Kruger of Burwell, Neb., who has been visiting her father, H. T. Merriam and other members of the family left for her home last evening. If she can sell her property where she now lives to an advantage she may return to Sioux county to live some time during the coming season.

-Old papers for sale at this office, 5c per baker's dozen.

-The County Commissioners are in session.

-Saturday will be New Year's the 1898th of the Christian era.

-After next week, it will be Sheriff Holly, if you please also Superintendent Merriam

Notice-Anybody wishing to buy metal wheels will do well to call on or address Chas. Schilt Harrison Neb.

-Mr. I. R. McIntyre of Hay Springs will with this issue of the JOURNAL inscribe his name among its readers.

-Students are all back at their studies, many of them having spent Christmas at the old home with the old folks at home.

-The tax-payer for North-Western Town Site Company. Mr. Whitney was doing business with the County Treasurer yesterday.

-Henry Kreeman, of Glen was doing business before the County Commissioners yesterday.

-Judge Westover is expected here today to reconvene the adjourned term of District Court.

-Phil Dunn of Warbonnet Precinct was a visitor at the Hub on last Wednesday.

-County superintendent elect Merriam is expected home the latter part of this week, or the first of next.

-M. J. Gayhart of Montrose was a pleasant visitor at the county seat on last Wednesday.

-Burt Dew has been assisting County Clerk Blewett in the office this week, on account of sickness in the latter's family.

-Do not forget to turn over a new leaf in the book of your life next Saturday, as that will be the beginning of the New Year.

-Word and Works say's look out for a storm period from the 3rd to the 6th of next month and as a rule those predictions are verified.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holly and children returned from Crawford yesterday. Mrs. Holly and the children have been visiting with her sister for the past two weeks.

-On last Saturday night Mr. Thomas Bingy raffled off Will Gerlach's horse. He realized \$40.00 dollars on the deal. Chas. Camenzind won the number it was 12.

-A happy New Year to all.

-Now is the time to make good resolutions. But let us not expect to keep them by relying entirely on our strength. For if we do, we had better not make any.

-As we stated in last week's issue the Graphophone at Marsteller Bros. was awarded to the person whose name appeared on the one hundredth ticket. The fortunate person whose name was inscribed on the card or ticket was W. F. Shepard who lives in the Valley. Congratulations are in order.

-A Christmas party was held at the home of Gustave Noreisch in Warbonnet on last Monday evening. A large number were present and a very enjoyable time spent by all.

-Mr. Jens Jensen of Glen was in Harrison on last Thursday doing business at the court house while here he did not forget ye editor, but came in and dropped a dollar on our desk to pay for the JOURNAL for a year.

-Hon. Judge Wilson has just returned from a trip to Wheatland Wyo., where he has been on a pleasure trip combined with business. He was much pleased with the country.

-Mr. J. W. Earnest of Running water Charles Lewis and Herman Goedde returned from their Utah trip last week. They brought 600 head of cattle as far as Rock creek Wyo., where they were obliged to leave them to winter owing to the snow.

-At this writing we are glad to be able to announce that little Master Blewett is still improving, and while not yet out of danger, he is in a fair way to ultimate recovery. The little fellow has had a severe as well as a most dangerous attack.

-Will Wright think's Sioux county is just as good a place and a little better than any place he has struck yet. He would rather live in Harrison than any place he has visited while away. True Will there's no place like home be it ever so humble.

-Chas. Newman, of Spring creek 35 miles south of town, called at our office Tuesday and whiled away his spare time in pleasant converse for a half hour or so. Charley is a good conversationalist and we hope he will call often in the future and, also others, who may feel kindly disposed towards us.

-The Christmas tree and entertainment which was held at the M. E. church on last Friday evening was largely attended. Many of the ladies of town did themselves proud, in the way they gave them their time and talent towards making the entertainment a success, especially Mrs. W. B. Marsteller. But all else paled, when old Kris Kringle appeared in their midst. Then the little folks were in their element for the dear old fellow forgot no one. The tree was beautiful; Misses Palmer and Hester came in for their share of applause for their personification of the respective characters assigned them, also Miss Gray, all did no by. The choir led the singing and Rev. Kendall offered prayer.

-On Tuesday the 30th inst Judge Westover will preside over the adjourned term of the district court which will be held in our city.

-Mr. Harry Lorrimer of Andrew's proved up on a quarter section of Sioux county soil before county clerk Blewett on last Monday.

-Sheriff elect Holly went to Crawford last Monday evening he returned on Wednesday. He expects to leave his family there until Spring as it is impossible to get a house just now.

-Mr. Ed. Maine who with his family sojourned in our midst during a few week's moved his family back to the old home this week.

-Now that the holiday's are over our merchants will have a little rest. Trade has been lively with them all during the past month. And we are glad to announce it as they deserve it.

-Through no overdropping on our part we have overheard that the person will be busy for a short time on New Year's tying the nuptial knot. The sweet bride, well she lives just a short distance from town.

-We have had ideal spring weather this week, notwithstanding Hick's almanac say's prepare for a severe storm period.

-Now is the time to subscribe for the JOURNAL only \$1.00 per year.

-Sheriff elect Holly is now a resident of our city. He orders his JOURNAL left in our Post office after this.

-Will Wright came home on Xmas morning to spend that happy feast with his family. He returned to Long Pine the first of this week.

-We are sorry to have to remind our correspondents but most of their news-letters come too late for publication. All news intended for publication should reach us on Tuesday or by Wednesday noon at latest.

-Mr. W. B. Wright and family were entertained at dinner on Christmas by Mr. and Mrs. Wright Sr on the west side.

-Dame rumor has it that B. E. Brewster president of the Commercial Bank of Harrison is now a Benedict.

-During the past week the sweet strain's of wedding bells have come to our ear's from the direction of Bell and Highland and now while the echo of these lingers in our memory: Lo! the sound comes from o'er the western horizon. Well the JOURNAL wishes to them all much joy and happiness.

-Mr. Samuel Thomas of Warbonnet was a visitor at the Hub last Thursday. While here he did not forget to pay his respects to the printer and his "devils" dropping a cart wheel on our desk, to pay for another year's subscription to the JOURNAL.

-The drawing contest which took place at Marstellers Bros., on Christmas day for the Graphophone was conducted in a fair and honorable way as twenty or thirty of the interested ones, who were there at the time can testify.

-Several of the school children who have been suffering of whooping cough and consequently detained at home for some time, are nearly all able to attend school again. So the school mam's have had their vacation for the present.

-Venceslo Martinez, who has been a resident of this part of the country for several years, returned from a visit to his old home at Hot Springs, N. Mex. last Monday evening. He also visited the parents of Marcos Valdez while there as they lived near by his people.

-Mr. Fred Blomberg of Glen and his cousin John of Glen Rock, Wyo., the latter named Gentleman who by the way is a newly made benedict were pleasant visitors at the Hub on last Monday. While here John thought that in order to keep house properly, he must receive weekly visits from the JOURNAL and thereupon inscribed his name among its readers.

White River Breezes.

MARRIED-At the residence of John Shipley on Xmas day Mr. J. F. La-Crone and Miss Daisy Shipley were united in marriage by C. A. Puddy. A number of friends were in attendance and a very sumptuous dinner was served immediately after the ceremony by Mr. and Mrs. Shipley. We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. La-Crone and hope their journey through life may be both prosperous and happy. Among the presents were Mr. and Mrs. Olbright a table cloth also set of knives and forks. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore a table cloth, Mrs. Shipley a large lamp, Mrs. Quigler set of tumblers, Miss Quigler card plate Vingnrett salt and pepper, Miss Devenport picture, Mrs. Puddy flower holder, probably others that we did not learn of.

The Xmas tree at the church was largely attended and a very good time had by all, old and young, the program was well arranged and everything went off nicely.

Rev. Barr will preach at the church next Sunday and we expect a protracted effort will be put forward in the near future.

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