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THE LOCAL NEWS.

Attended the convention Saturday.

Omaha painless dentist Sept. 16, 17, and 18.

Miss Lucy Hill left Saturday night for Lincoln.

A McGinley went to Lusk yesterday morning.

Dr. Phinney had his pump pulled and a broken rod repaired yesterday.

Farmers can now get the best of flour at the Crawford Roller Mill. 10-1.

J. H. Cook, was transacting business in the city Monday.

The Crawford Mills are paying the highest market price for wheat. 10-1.

Miss Kendrick, of Marland, the Grammar room teacher, arrived Saturday.

Northwestern Nebraska can now boast of one of the best flouring mills built at Crawford. 10-1.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaman's little boy had the misfortune to be poisoned by poison ivy last week.

Any time that it is convenient, a load of wood will be accepted on subscription at this office.

More and better goods for the same money at Gerlach's store than any other place, try them. 10-1f

J. L. Lyster and Frank Currie supervised the loading of stock at this point and at Andrews Monday.

If you have received accommodation from Lewis Gerlach and you owe him please pay him and oblige. 10-1f

C. T. Snyder elicited a broad smile on the editor of this religious weekly's face Monday by applying \$1.00 subscription.

The Crawford flour mills are all re-fitted new and are making brands of flour equal to any mill built. 10-1

L. Gerlach sold two threshing machines Monday for use on the Ridge. Church and Son gets one of them and Philip Freese the other.

Dr. Richard the dentist will be at the Harrison Hotel Sept. 6 to 11 prepared to do all kinds of dental work extract teeth without pain. 10-1

Miss Winnie Southworth came down from Guernsey Wyo. Thursday evening to visit with her friends for a few days. She will then go to Chadron.

At the preliminary hearing of John Herman at Lusk last Friday the justice decided that there was not sufficient ground for prosecution and the case was dismissed.

For up to date dental work at Omaha prices see Dr. Withers Sept. 16 17 and 18. Set of teeth made for \$5. and all work at most reasonable rates, 23 years experience. 9-3.

Andrew Knorr and Mr. Lewis shipped cattle from Andrews Saturday evening and J. E. Marsteller from Harrison. Mr. Marsteller accompanied his cattle to Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Con. Lindeman of the Crawford Bulletin were visiting in the City Monday. They attended a family reunion at L. Gerlach's. Mr. Lindeman also called at these headquarters for a pleasant visit.

James White, Bryantville, Ind., says DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve healed running sores on both legs. He had suffered 6 years. Doctors failed to help him. Get DeWitt's. Accept no imitations.—J. E. Phinney.

Mr. Pollard of Nebraska was in Harrison last week and while here superintended the removal of the remains of H. T. Conley's child to Nebraska to be placed beside its mother. The child was buried on what is now Mrs. Lizzie Coffee's ranch.

Surely wonders will never cease. Night on the heels of the announcement that the Press-Journal has had its back yard cleaned we are compelled to announce that Grant Guthrie one of Harrison's efficient lawyers has had the back room to his office cleaned.

A Stock Letter.

With this week's issue the Press-Journal prints a stock letter from Nye Buchanan Co. which will be a regular feature every week. Look for it. It will be a summary of the week's market at South Omaha for the previous week.

Dr. Semour writes us that visitors to the Buffalo Exposition should not fail to see the numerous lense grinding plants located on the grounds. It is vastly interesting as well as instructive as one then gains some idea of the skill and care required in the grinding of lenses.

What might have been a very disastrous fire occurred at Al Hill's in the valley last week. It was started by a defective flue and would have undoubtedly have burned the whole house but for the work of the two women, carrying water which finally quenched the flames before any great amount of damage was done.

As Dr. Semour has a number of patients in this city, and as it is not always convenient for them to come to Lincoln to see him, he requests them to make it a point to call upon him and Dr. Williams while they are in Chadron. They will be at the Blaine hotel on Thursday Sept. 12.

Dr. Phinney, J. E. Marsteller, L. Gerlach, and G. Guthrie attended Masonic Lodge at Crawford Thursday night and witnessed the initiation of S. Tibbet into the mysteries of Masonry. The crowd looked quite well the next morning with the exception of one of the members eyes which had the appearance of having enjoyed a good time.

Mrs. Wm. Miller was in the city Thursday trading with our merchants and while here made a very pleasant call on the editor. Among other things she enlisted the support of the Press-Journal in establishing a Rural Free Delivery route in the Bodarc neighborhood. The outlook seems quite favorable to the successful accomplishment of this project.

Still another letter from Dr. Semour in which he advises us of his arrival in Buffalo. He is more than pleased both with the exposition and the city itself. He will not return to Lincoln for some time as he wishes to take up a line of work and study in the interest of his profession, which of course will take several weeks. However he wishes to assure his patients and friends that he expects to visit this city in the early fall when he hopes to be able to give them still greater service than he has in the past.

Some of the ranchmen of this vicinity were influenced by a smooth talking salesman recently to order goods of a retail grocery house in the East. They thought they were getting bargains but when the goods came they learned that they were getting beaten. It is not probable that this particular grocery man will infest these parts again but others may. The moral is very plain. Patronize Harrison merchants and know just what you are buying. Honest goods at honest prices is their motto.

Relief at Last.

While at Chadron a few weeks since, the Press-Journal man met Mrs. Maden who told him a very interesting story, as she expressed it, it sounded almost like Gulliver's Travels. About a year ago she broke her arm and a physician of Chadron was called. He attended the case for some time and finally her arm getting no better, another one was called. The bones did not seem to be correctly knit together, so after suffering for a time she went to the hospital at Omaha. They told her that she would have to have an anesthetic and the bone bored reset. She took the anesthetic and into and supposed that everything would surely be all right, but instead she still had no use for her arm and suffered untold agony.

Thoroughly disheartened with doctors and doctoring, she came home to Chadron and was persuaded to go to Dr. Langson's Sanitarium. On examination he discovered that the bone had not been properly set in the first place and no operation had been performed to properly reset it, but only a pretense of one made.

He reset the bone and now Mrs. Maden has the use of her arm again after a year of terrible suffering and expense. Mrs. Maden is only too glad to speak well of Dr. Langson and his work at Chadron. This case where he succeeded when Omaha doctor failed is certainly one for which he deserves a great deal of credit.

County Commissioner Lewis and family left Monday night from Andrews for a visit to the Buffalo exposition and with Mr. Lewis' brother in New York state.

Bodarc Gleanings.

M. C. Pounds returned from Hot Springs on Tuesday of last week, having met several of his acquaintances there. His trip proved a very pleasant one.

Mrs. Lizzie Coffee returned to her home at Chadron last Thursday, after spending the summer months at her ranch on Runningwater. She was accompanied by Miss Anne Miller, who will resume her studies at the Academy.

On Sunday of last week the people of Bodarc were pleased to entertain their old neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burke, by a basket dinner at the church. After the usual Sunday school and preaching services by Rev. Rice, at 2 p. m. a social and testimonial service was held after which all repaired to their homes refreshed in body and mind. Spiritually the day was one of profit as well as pleasure.

Bodarc will be well represented at the Chadron Academy this year. The Misses Lillie Zimmerman and Mabel Thayer leave today (Monday) to attend school there. We shall miss our girls very much, but they will enjoy better advantages there than Bodarc can afford them.

S. G. Jacoby, who has been working at C. F. Coffee's ranch all summer, will leave for Lincoln next week to enter the Wesleyan University.

Friday evening a good shower visited this locality lasting several hours which was a great help to the late gardeners and rendered the weather delightfully cool and fresh.

Since the Bodarc postoffice has been discontinued the people find it rather inconvenient to be obliged to go to Harrison for their mail.

Baby Grimm, who has been quite sick for a week or more, we are glad to learn is better.

In Wyoming.

J. A. Rice is putting up a commodious barn on his farm in the northwest corner of the settlement. There is room for ten tons of hay in the loft.

Sam Holterfeld lost a yearling colt, one day last week. The cause of its death is a mystery.

Jim Petty found an old Springfield rifle in the Garton pasture about twenty feet from the skeleton of a man that was found several years ago and still lies unburied in a small canyon there. The skeleton, no doubt, is that of a soldier who was wounded by the Indians during the fight near Coliseum Butte and wandered off alone and died. Jim prizes the rifle very highly, which is in good condition considering the time it has lain there.

Charley and Amy Christian attended the Institute held in Douglas last week. They returned home on last Saturday and report a profitable time. Converse county can have a good Institute, as none but the best teachers are engaged in our schools.

Andrew Christian had so much trouble with the sand in his well that he had Hill Shatto sand pump put out on last Wednesday and Thursday. He now has one of the best wells on the Ridge, besides it now furnishes mineral water.

Now, M. A. C., we can beat the pocket book story. It is believed that gold has been discovered on the Ridge. Yes, we have seen and handled nuggets of some kind of metal that resembles gold. While having his well sanded out last week, Andrew Christian found chunks of yellow metal that resembles gold in color and weight. There were several nuggets, while all through the sand were particles of bright yellow metal. Mr. Christian has sent samples of the nuggets and sand away to be analyzed. We hope to be able to report a rich gold find next week. The find was at a depth of 170 feet.

Rev. Warren preached his farewell sermon on last Sunday, unless he is returned to this circuit.

Mr. and Mrs. Church were both on the sick list last week.

Mrs. W. W. Tatman started for her home in Taylor county, Iowa, the first of last week.

We saw by the Press-Journal that J. H. Newlin had been helping Chris Christian hay. We thought that he was helping for Chris Christian, one of our neighbors.

Any Christian was quite sick the first of the week.

C. B. Hollingsworth passed through the settlement enroute to his cattle ranch, near the Cheyenne river, on last Friday.

This week will about wind up the harvest in these parts. Threshing will soon be in order.

Leonard Christian has the finest show for a good crop of potatoes that we have ever seen on the Ridge. He has about an acre that at the present prices will bring him about \$125 or possibly \$150. It pays to plant potatoes in good ground.

Hal Church sold his interest in the threshing machine to Mr. Freese.

From Clie's Pen.

The most of the schools that were to begin the first Monday in Sept. will observe Labor day and begin Tuesday.

We have continued to have showers and one two inch rain since our last report and another electric display. Heard of no damage only one large straw stack was set on fire by the lightning. Farmers are rejoicing to see the corn daily improving. The hay scarce was of short duration. It sold readily at first at ten dollars per ton, but buyers and shippers soon found more than they could dispose of at that price.

The professors are all on hand busy preparing for the College work to begin the 15th. There will be a reception given by them at the College Chapel Tuesday evening. Light refreshments will be served and a good opportunity to get acquainted.

The District Free Methodist camp meeting is now being held about a mile and a quarter from our home. It began last Wednesday and is to continue a week longer. If noise is any indication of religion they sure have a power of it there for people a mile and a half farther away than we are can hear them shouting.

Peach peddlers are starting in with peaches at seventy cents per bu. Apples at the orchards are worth \$1.10 per bu. and potatoes are \$90. Grapes are just coming to market. Not near as much California fruit shipped in here this year as last. One man with a five year old orchard expects to sell 200 bushel from it this year.

Stock Letter.

Receipts of cattle are liberal, nearly 10,000 for first two days of the week. Market as a whole was nearly steady, choice corn fed steers sold at prices about steady with last week's close though trading is not particularly active but demand is good. There is a liberal offering of range beef and this made trade rather slow on medium and common grades.

Cows and mixed stock in liberal supply. The demand is good but the buyers take advantage of the liberal receipts and are very bearish in their talk and trading as a rule is about a dime lower than last week. Quality only fair. Western range beefs in good supply but packers wanted them and are paying full last week's prices for the good ones. Feeder buyers are active competitors for the part fat steers and took many that are good enough for the killers. Anything in the feeder line with weight and quality sells at stronger prices than last week but on light weight and poor grades market is easy.

Sheep receipts liberal and market 10 to 15c lower.

Nye Buchanan Co.
So. Omaha, Neb.

U. S. Foresters.

A party employed by the bureau of Forestry of the U. S. government have been encamped in Monroe canyon the last week. They have worked north from Kearney this season as a party and two of them worked from the mouth of the Platte river. The object of their work is to make a complete study of the tree growth of this section of Nebraska with a view to making recommendations to the people who live here in regard to planting trees. The party are all college graduates and are well qualified to do the work. The following are the names of those in the party: R. S. Kellogg, Kansas Agricultural college; E. P. Bailey, Dartmouth; H. P. Baker, Wisconsin Agricultural college; J. H. Hutton, South Dakota Agricultural college; L. C. Miller, Oklahoma Agricultural college; F. G. Miller, Iowa Agricultural college; J. H. Scott, cook and teamster, Kansas Agricultural college. In addition to those named, E. F. Boostrom of the State University of Nebraska, is studying the botany of this section of Nebraska with the party. He returned Monday evening to Lincoln where he is employed as instructor in botany in the Lincoln high school.

Their method of work is interesting. When they first establish a camp they proceed to scour the country and find all the different species of trees that they can and make a list of them. They notice the condition of the trees and their locality and, in short, everything that they can learn about the tree growth of the section where they are located. When this has been done over thoroughly they proceed with what they term stem analysis. This consists of careful meas-

urements of the trees which are cut down, both outside and inside the bark, counting the rings at various heights, etc. In this way they are able to determine just how much a tree has grown every season and by comparison to be able to say what trees grow the fastest and are the thickest. They have found more species of trees in Monroe canyon than any other location in western Nebraska.

Now that the west is waking up to the realization of the fact that irrigation is the thing which we must demand from the general government, the subject of forestry is of timely interest because it begins to look as if it would be practicable for trees to be grown in the west.

An experiment which has already proved a success is the planting of pine trees in the Sand Hills where nothing else would grow. This experiment will be an argument used to force the government to establish great reserves for the purpose of planting and fostering immense groves of trees on the government land which is unfit for anything else.

This is another project for the benefit of the west and mankind in general which seems likely to be pushed to a successful termination in the near future.

All these things go to show why the people of Nebraska should take an active interest in the work now being done by the Bureau of Forestry.

Public Sale.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at his residence 8 miles north west of Harrison, Neb., near Kennedy's ranch on Thursday Sept. 12, 1901, the following described personal property to-wit:

99 HEAD OF CATTLE, consisting of 37 head of cows with calves, 15 head of dry cows, 29 head of yearling steers and heifers, 2 white faced bulls, One saddle horse one two-year old filly, one yearling colt. One corn planter with check row, one riding sulky plow, one mower and hay rack, one Buckeye binder, one disc (nearly new), two doz chickens, one doz. geese, one hayrack, one sewing machine, and other household goods. Strawn stack, potatoes in field, and other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp.

W. F. Miller.
E. A. Bigelow
Auctioneer.

L. Gerlach is having a porch built on his new dwelling.

Floyd Clark, of Chadron, visited at the home of Commissioner Lewis last week.

Miss Winnie Southworth left Tuesday night for Chadron where she will attend the Academy.

Miss Gertie Bourret left Saturday night for Chadron where she will attend school the coming year.

In cases of cough or croup give the little One Minute Cough Cure. Then rest easy and have no fear. The child will be all right in a little while. It never fails. Pleasant to take, always safe, sure and almost instantaneous in effect.—J. E. Phinney.

E. J. Wright left last night for Minneapolis where he intends to spend the winter.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the Church Wed. afternoon Sept. 11 to quilt for Grandma Davis.

Mrs. William Lacy, of Danbury, Iowa, who has been visiting relatives in the vicinity left last night for the return home.

F. Force has been busy this week moving his household goods to Harrison where they will make their home for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Clarke and Chas. Snyder returned Saturday night from Cheyenne where they attended the celebration of Frontier day.

Mrs. S. H. Allport, Johnstown, Pa. says: "Our little girl almost strangled to death with croup. The doctors said she couldn't live but she was instantly relieved by One Minute Cough Cure.—J. E. Phinney.

Grand Ball.

There will be a dance given at Andrews Hall Friday night Sept. 6. Good music will be furnished and a good time enjoyed. All are invited.

The action of your bowels is not easy and regular serious complications must be the final result. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will remove this danger. Safe, pleasant and effective.—J. E. Phinney.

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Notice For Presentation Of Claims.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF SIOUX COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

In the matter of the Estate of Fred J. J. Witt, deceased.
Notice is given to all persons having claims or demands against Fred J. J. Witt, late of Sioux County, deceased, that the time fixed for filing claims against said estate is six months from the 9th day of August 1901, all persons having such claims are required to present the same with the vouchers therefor, to the County Judge of said County, at his office therein on or before the 9th day of February 1902, and claims not filed will be heard on the first Monday in September 1902 and thereafter on the first day of each regular term of said court during the time limited for filing claims as aforesaid.
John H. Bartell,
County Judge.

J. D. Proctor made a call at these headquarters Saturday and produced \$2.00 for the insertion of his brand and for Press-Journal one year.

John Smuck had the misfortune to fall off a windmill tower last Saturday. He landed on his feet and was uninjured except that he was shaken up considerably.

Mr. J. R. Hunter left Tuesday night for his home in Omaha. He expects to visit his ranch several times a year. We understand that Mr. Hunter has secured Ed Rasher as foreman.

Emery Zimmerman arrived Tuesday night. He has been visiting with relatives in Guernsey and will visit with his parents a short time before returning to school in Omaha.

Ned Simmons, son of former editor Simmons, was in the city yesterday and left last night for Marland, where he will work for his Uncle, Mr. Simmons Sr. is now travelling for a liquor and cigar houses of Grand Island.

Bro. Phipps, of the Harrison Journal, claims to have killed a rattlesnake last week. Seeing snakes is common among old-time printers but excuse us from a case so realistic we can believe we killed 'em.—Basset Eagle.

We are led to believe that a number of persons in this county will receive within the next few days a bulletin from the University of Nebraska School of Agriculture. We earnestly urge all such persons to give this bulletin a careful reading and advise those whose names are not on the University mailing list to write for the bulletin.

Levi Pollard, from Cass county, Neb., passed through Crawford on his way to Harrison the fore part of the week. Mr. Pollard is the father of Mrs. H. T. Conley, whose husband was county attorney of Sioux county a number of years. Mr. Conley is now located at Pawnee, O. T., and is doing well financially, but had the misfortune to lose his wife through death, caused from diphtheria, in March last. The children, a 10-year-old son and 4-year-old daughter, are at the home of Grandpa Pollard.—Crawford Bulletin.

London's Historic Big Tree.
Growing figs in the city of London are great rarities now. In the courtyard of the Aldgate ward school there is to be seen at the present time a beautiful fig tree in full leaf, with at least twenty-five good-sized figs enveloping upon it. The tree is to be a relic of the days of Henry VIII, which caused the school to be built in the year 1520. The above is a true story.—London.