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HARRISON HAPPENINGS

Leslie Larson returned home, Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Jordan returned home last Sunday.

Just received, a lot of Christmas goods at Gerlach's.

Jim Cook was in from Agate, the first of the week.

Oscar Story was in from the north part of the county, Monday.

Mrs. Oscar Ward and children visited at Andrews last week.

We wish all our readers a merry Xmas, and a happy New Year.

John Eberspacher becomes a reader of the PRESS-JOURNAL with this issue.

Sunday school, at 10 o'clock; everybody invited. W. H. DAVIS, Supt.

Joe Hoffman was in town Monday and made a pleasant call at our office.

The county commissioners will meet as per adjournment on Dec. 29 - 1902.

You are invited to examine the Geo. Wilcox Washer; something new at J. H. Bartell's.

E. A. Bigelow, who has been visiting in Iowa and Arkansas, returned home last Friday.

If you want a Christmas suit, Gerlach has a large assortment of cheap clothing from the east.

J. W. Reed's windmill blew down during the storm. Ed Lyon went out to erect it again, Monday.

We are in a sad plight this week for news, for it is nothing but snow and the question, did you ever see the like?

All book accounts must be settled by cash or note, by January 1st, 1903. J. H. Bartell.

John Coffee and Arthur Miller came in for his home at Canton, Neb., where he will spend Christmas with his parents.

There will be Mass at Montrose, Dec. 28, and at Harrison Dec. 29. Father Rakock.

All merchandise to go at a cut price until the first of the year. J. H. Bartell.

This week is vacation week for the Harrison school, and the scholars and teachers will no doubt have an enjoyable time.

Nicholas Schaefer came in on the west bound train Monday. He brought his sister Maggie with him to spend the holidays.

A large crowd of spectators gathered at the depot to watch the rotary plow work its way through the snow drifts, last Sunday.

Well children do you think Santa Claus will remember you this Christmas? He certainly will if you have been kind and good during the past year.

Alexander Johnson wishes to say that no offense was intended in his school report of district No. 2, which appeared in this paper some time ago.

John Serres returned home last Monday. Mr. Serres went east some two weeks ago and has been enjoying himself visiting friends and relatives.

If you didn't get a ring or some other nice present for your best girl at J. H. Wilhermsdorfer's you will always be sorry for he warrants all his goods.

The annual supper given by the Wood men of the World will be given on Jan. 13 1903. The supper will be exclusively for its members, and their families.

Arred Lebeck and Bud Johnson were in from east last week Monday and loaded their horses with groceries etc. reminds us of eastern style of years gone by.

Ed Hollingsworth came in town Sunday evening and Monday he took his family out to the ranch on Indian creek where they will stay until after the holidays.

John Brown and Miss Winnie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Connell last week, and as the roads are so bad they will have to remain indefinitely but Mr. M. J. and wife know how to make it pleasant, so the time will soon pass away as well as the snow.

MASQUERADE BALL.

There will be a Masquerade Ball at Andrews' Hall on New Year's eve. Come Everybody. Onlookers 25 cents extra. R. C. DENN.

Sam Knori is the proud father of a son. We wondered why Sam held his head so high when he was in town the other day but this accounts for it all. Never mind Sam.

Chas. Newman, our coal dealer, is delivering coal in a buggy; the next thing he will be putting it in paste-board boxes for delivery. Who ever thought the black diamonds would be so precious?

If you want a ring for your best girl, or anything else in the jewelry line, call on J. H. Wilhermsdorfer. All goods warranted.

County Maps.

The PRESS-JOURNAL has printed a limited number of maps on Manila card board which can be secured for 15c each. They will also be given as a premium to new subscribers.

J. T. McIntyre, St. Paul, Minn., who has been troubled with indigestion stomach, says, "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do me more good than anything I have ever taken. For sale by all Druggists."

Clubbing Offers.

While you are thinking of subscribing for your yearly reading matter remember that the PRESS-JOURNAL will take subscriptions to any paper on earth and save postage and time for you.

F. E. & M. V. R. R. Holiday Rates.

To points within 200 miles. One fare for Round Trip. Dates of sale Dec. 24th 26th and 27th 1902, and Jan. 1st, 1903. Return limit Jan. 2nd 1903. E. F. Pontius, Agt.

John Coffee and Arthur Miller came in for his home at Canton, Neb., where he will spend Christmas with his parents.

Edwin Guthrie returned home from Kearney, Neb., last Monday to spend vacation at home. Edwin says he had quite a time getting through, and from the greeting of his old school mates here we are inclined to think that it was a gratification to Edwin to at least reach his destination though a day or two behind schedule time.

L. Gerlach was the happy recipient of a fine chart, showing the emblems of the workings of Free Masonry, which is quite interesting to every one that knows nothing of it's workings, and no wonder Lew appreciates it so much, he being a M. M. Lew says he wouldn't take twenty-five dollars for it, and we wouldn't either if we had it.

Stray Notice.

Strayed from John Hanson's ranch, one red brindle faced cow, also a cow, branded with a cross and a cross on left side, and three yrs. old. Strayed some time in August. \$5 reward will be paid for her whereabouts. James Thornton, Harrison, Neb.

Miss Annie Miller who has been attending the Children Academy, came in on the west bound train Monday. Master Arthur met her here and will pilot the way through the huge snow drifts to the family domicile where longing and loving hearts await her coming. O Christ! may what an awakening of love and longing for fellowship they do bring; father, mother, brother, sister and friends can stop long enough to greet and thank for this wonderful day, the birth of Christ.

There are a great many offices that are going to become vacant unless the parties elected file their expense statements before the commissioners meet. The county clerk has sent out such statements in blank form, and it is the duty of every one that is elected to office to file this sworn statement with the clerk before the clerk can issue a certificate of election or even send out a bond. If you fail to get the office you were elected for don't blame any one but yourself, for this is the law, and your not sending anything for the election to any office does not exempt you from swearing this statement before some one having authority to administrate an oath.

The Editor of this moral educator and his better half left Monday night for Aurora, this state, where they will spend Christmas with Lew Pfost and family. The paper this week is turned over to the printer and office devil, so if you find anything unusual in its columns this week charge it up to us.

Christmas is one day in the year that everyone should feel happy, and we know of no better way to be happy than to make others happy by giving some little token, of remembrance. It is more blessed to give than to receive; so let every one give, let the present be ever so small it will remind some one that they are not forgotten, and you will be the happier.

CHAMBERLAIN'S STOMACH AND LIVER TABLETS.

Try them When you feel dull after eating. When you have no appetite. When you have a bad taste in the mouth. When your liver is torpid. When your bowels are constipated. When you have a headache. When you feel bilious. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach, regulate your liver and bowels. For sale by all Druggists.

The worst snow storm yet we had for a number of years struck our west Friday morning and continued through Saturday night. The snow pile started from Madison Saturday morning and got as far as the big cut east of town and there it stayed until the rotary came to its relief on Sunday, and then continued to clear the track as far as Woodhous, and night coming on they dropped back to Harrison until Monday morning when it started on its trip of making the track farther west. We did not have any mail from the east from Friday noon until Monday, but as the track is now clear we will once more come in touch with the outer world. The weather was warm during the storm, that is, during the time of year, and if the stock managed to keep from under the drifts they will pull through all right.

Adela Items.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rosenburg accompanied by Rev. J. C. A. Messer from Hemingford left last Thursday to attend the funeral of Miss Hattie Ring last Friday. Rev. Ganness conducting the funeral services. The Thorns extend sympathies to the bereaved family.

Annie Jeffers the teacher at this place left Friday evening for her home in Chadron where she will spend Xmas vacation.

The young folks at the section house spent a pleasant eve at the home of Hilda Rosenburg last Thursday evening. They report having an enjoyable time.

Quite a strong blizzard visited this vicinity last Friday and Saturday.

There was to have been a dance in Adela last Friday but owing to the snow storm they put it off.

THE THORN.

THE KNEELING DEER.

A traveler through Canadian woods was hurrying blighted; 'Twas nearly midnight; and the moon His lonely pathway lighted;

When suddenly a shadow passed Along the footpath gliding; He paused, and with a low-bung bough Beheld an Indian hiding.

"Hush!" and he held his finger up. While through the umbrage stealing— " 'Tis Christmas Eve! Me watch to night To see the wild deer kneeling."

The air was still, yet overhead The pines were softly singing; While glowed the moon upon the snow Their silent shadows flinging.

All we may say the legend old Was but an idle notion: A Cornish peasant's fancy wild Transplanted o'er the ocean.

Yet on the first bright Christmas eve, Around the lonely manger, The soft-eyed brutes with angels gazed Upon the heavenly stranger.

And he who came to show mankind The true way and the narrow, With his great love and tenderness Could note the falling sparrow.

We cannot know how far and deep Their mystic instinct reacheth, Nor what mute sense of Right and Love These poor dumb children teacheth.

But Love that could redeem and save, For evil good returning, Could hold all creatures to its heart, The humblest never spurning.

Honor the voice that dares to speak, The grand just unfolding, For those who cannot speak themselves A word of friendly pleading.

—Our Dumb Animals.

A. J. Snell wanted to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, "I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said: 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party.' I bought a bottle and took pleasure in stating that two doses cured me and enabled me to have a good time at the party." Mr. Snell is a resident of Summer Hill, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by all Druggists.

Breezes from Glen.

CHRISTMAS TREE AND PROGRAM AT THE GLEN CHURCH EVE DEC. 24. All are invited to attend.

PROGRAMME.

Song "Happy Greeting", By the Children
Rec. "Welcome", Edward Peterson
"Christmas Greeting"
Richard Anderson
Invocation
"Little Snow Stars"
Christena Jensen
Sleighing Song
By the Children
Rec. "Children's Service"
Clara Mortenson
Rec. "The New Born Babe"
Martha Peterson
Rec. "Baby's Playthings"
Edna Peterson
Rec. "The Christmas Tree", Roy Weber
Rec. "Sing a Song of Christmas"
Laurance Peterson
Rec. "In the Arms of Night"
Clara Mortenson
Rec. "A Little Army", Richard Anderson
Song "Daisy Boys and Girls"
By Children
Ward Hill, By Roy Weber, Clara Mortenson, Richard Anderson, Martha Peterson, and Christena Jensen.
Song "Bogie Man"
Solo "Christmas Lullaby"
Lillian E. Harris
Dialogue
Songs "Beautiful Flag", "Marching Through Georgia"
By Children
Violin Music
Carl Boehm
Duet "May Weber and Elizabeth Harris"
Recitation "Maggie Wright"
Lena Fry
"Rea Lakins"
Song "May Weber, Lillian Harris, and Elizabeth Harris"
Recitation "Emma Wright"
Lillian Fry
"How He does It"
Emma Wright
"Praise my God to Thee"
sung in deaf and dumb language
Elizabeth Harris
Recitation "Dora Wright"
Zora Paddy
"Alda Paddy"
Song
Distribution of presents, and a treat for all.

The above is not all of the program, but enough is given to show that we will have a good time on this Christmas eve.

Andrew's Happenings.

There was no programme given Dec. 19th, owing to the weather. It being impossible for any one to attend. We will give the same programme the evening of Dec. 20th. We still hope the people will make preparations to come for a good time is awaiting them.

Come one, come all
Come great and small
And attend Andrew's "erebell"
You'll be hospitably treated
And no one cheated
And find it cannot be beaten.
The programme will be fine
So don't fail to be on time
To hear our merry voices chime.

Mrs. Paul Zerbst from War Bonnet arrived at our burg Thursday evening, Dec. 18th and was met by her old friend Lillian Harris who took her to her boarding place, Mrs. S. E. Jones, where she was hospitably entertained until Saturday. She came to take in Andrew's programme. She left for her home, Miss Harris accompanying her.

Our school just closed four months work and was well approved by Supt. Burke, now we have two weeks vacation hoping scholars will have recreation to start in to beat the nation.

Lillian Harris went to War Bonnet to visit with Mrs. Paul Zerbst. She will stay to help in the Christmas programme there.

Hans Jensen was in Andrews last Thursday.

Mrs. O. Ward and her three children came to Andrews last Thursday evening to attend the programme the evening following. They visited Mrs. Christenson while here.

Mr. George Baldwin was also a visitor at Mrs. Jones last week. He came to visit and enjoy the programme but was disappointed as a snow storm prevented the people from acting or attending.

QUESTION.

Well Uncle Josh, where are you going to?



ANSWER.

I am going to J. H. Wilhermsdorfer's to get my girl a Christmas ring. He warrants all his goods.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by the clerk of the District Court of Sioux County, Nebraska, and to me directed upon a decree rendered by said court, in favor of Willis H. Pullen as plaintiff and against M. E. Betzner formerly M. E. Glinney whose true christian name is unknown, M. M. Betzner her husband whose true christian name is unknown, Nebraska Mortgage Investment Company, Charles R. Collins Receiver of Nebraska Investment Company; that I will on the 19th day of January A. D. 1903 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east front door of the court house of said county in the village of Harrison in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real-estate in said county, Nebraska, to-wit: The east half (1/2) of the southwest quarter (1/4) and the south half (1/2) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section twenty-two (22) in Township thirty-two (32) north of Range fifty-four (54) west of the sixth principal meridian; To satisfy said order of sale in the sum of sixty-seven dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$67.27) and costs and accruing costs.

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War Bonnet Topics.

"Snow" is the order of the day owing to the snow there is not much news to be had.

Mrs. Knori presented Sam with a bouncing boy for a Christmas present. It is rather early but such a present is welcome early or late I guess.

Mrs. Paul Zerbst went to Andrews to attend Miss Harris's entertainment last Thursday returning Sunday. Miss Harris accompanied her home to spend the holidays with friends and her old pupils.

Bob Keel went up the canyon to investigate the road and when he reached the divide he turned and came back and reported the roads to be a fright.

I want to inform the public that Bob Jordan has the grittiest little woman in Sioux County. She started from the Erlman ranch at 9 o'clock on Sunday morning after that blizzard, not thinking the road so very bad, started for Harrison; she met with many fearful adventures, sometimes her horse would sink out of sight in a snow drift, and hardly be able to get out and she would have to get out and walk, but at last she reached Mr. Scott's who live on the Bieh place, at 4 o'clock; She was so near give out and her pony was too, she remained there all night and went on next morning. We haven't heard at this writing how she got through the remainder of her journey but hope she got there all safe. Issy "three cheers for Oressa."

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Lillie Darnum. There are 25 scholars enrolled but owing to bad weather not so very many have been in attendance for a week past.

Will and Joe Grimm found the blizzard home from school Friday a distance of 3 1/2 miles. They arrived all safe but pretty cold.

Tom Plunkett had the pleasure of taking Mrs. Harris to town Tuesday. It is lucky for Tommy that Bob Coffman is far away.

Mr. Grimm of the S-E ranch was out looking after John Anderson's cattle Sunday; he found 22 head snowed under but not hurt. He soon succeeded in getting them out.

John Anderson has Frank Scott and the rest of his mules working at the S-E this week.

I guess I won't tire your readers the first thing so wishing you all a merry Christmas and a happy "New Year" I will come again.

FRAGGY.

W. R. SMITH

Boys, Hides, Tallow, Pelts, and Furs, and will pay highest market price. Leave at Marsteller Bros or at my residence east of school-house.

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F. E. & M. V. R. R. Time Table. New Schedule of Trains. Taking effect Sunday Nov. 23.

West Bound. East Bound. Morning. Evening. No. 59, Frt. 9:05 No. 60, Frt. 9:30. No. 5, Pgr. 19:55 No. 4, Pgr. arrive 6:35, depart 6:55. Both trains carry passengers.

E. ROHWER

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How the Filipinos Fought. Lonia, Foster and Washell of the Nineteenth Infantry while scouting the island of Bohol some weeks ago entered a house where they saw rebels were hiding and as soon as they got inside the floor, having been led into a trap by the insurgents, they were shot and the officers were pushed into an opening that bridled with sharpened bamboo stakes. One of the officers entered the thigh of Lieut. Washell and was broken off in his attempt to rescue himself. In the subsequent operation a piece of bamboo one and a half inches long was taken from the chest of Lieut. Foster's trousers cutting one of the larger stakes, he fell with a painful wound in the foot. A native guide who accompanied the party pierced through and through the sharpened stakes, was that rescue could be rescued.