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## LOCAL NEWS OF THE TOWN.

Andrew McGinley is still improving slowly.

Bad snow storm yesterday and drifting today.

Floyd Clark was visiting in Harrison last Monday and Tuesday.

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

John C. Eberspacher was up from Bodarc Tues. to attend the assessors meeting.

Frank Lewis assessor for Andrews precinct was a Harrison visitor last Tuesday.

The measles have had their say in our family and all are doing very well.

J. H. Danslow, from Glen was doing business with the County officers on last Saturday.

A. C. Cutlers assessor of Cottonwood precinct was in attendance at the assessors meeting Tuesday.

### TO CURE A COULD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bro. Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box. 2c.

Ernest Bunge was in town last Saturday, and reports his stock in good condition, don't expect any losses from late storms.

If it's a bilious attack, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and a quick recovery is certain. For sale by all Druggists.

J. B. Burke resigned his position as Co. Superintendent, and deputy County clerk last Monday that he might give his whole time to the Sunday-school work.

We have a few \$12.50 gents Uster over-coats that we are closing out for \$10.00. Now is your chance.

59-11 Lewis Gerlach.

Ralph Baum a son of county clerk Baum is visiting in Harrison this week. He has been in N. D. for the last 10 yrs. and no doubt he enjoys shaking hands with his many friends of years ago.

### TICKET.

No. A X 8474 wins in the Three Star Blue Ribbon contest. The person holding this ticket please bring it in to Marsteller Bros. and receive your money.

We are glad to announce that Conrad Parsons was appointed County Superintendent by the board of County Commissioners last Monday, and we feel that the board made no mistake in his appointment.

Miss Ona M. Hellyer, the intermediate teacher of the Harrison school has been quite sick for the past ten days, but we are glad to say at this writing she is improving. Miss Mabel Bigelow has been wielding the rod, and training the young minds in a very satisfactory manner during the illness of Miss Hellyer.

### Married.

John H. Dickman and Myrtle Hester were married on last Sunday morning at 9 o'clock A. M. at the residence of the brides father Mr. E. F. Pontius. The bride and groom have a host of friends who wish them a long and happy life. The Press Journal, extends best wishes.

### Epworth League.

At the M. E. church every Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Everybody invited. Subject for March: The Young Christian's Standing Ground. Subject for March 22: Christian Education. 1 Tim. vi. 39; 11 Tim. ii. 15, 23. Mrs. Horton, Leader.

We are in receipt of a letter from C. B. Cook who worked for us about one year ago. He is in Selma California, and says he has a good position with the Selma Irrigator. We are glad to know that Charlie has struck it right, for we found him a good printer. He sends his regards to all the boys, but we presume he could not trust us with the girls so we presume he will attend to that himself.

A very important event took place at the Commercial Hotel on Wednesday evening, the 11th inst., when Landford and Mrs. C. H. Richey gave their third daughter, Effie Beulah, in marriage to Mr. Frank Benjamin Moore, second son of B. F. Moore, one of oldest ranchmen in the valley. Promptly at 8 o'clock the strains of the wedding march pealed forth with Miss Pearl Snow at the instrument and the bridal party were ushered into the spacious parlor where in the presence of a large company Rev. John Moon of Alliance performed the marriage ceremony.

ALVARO UBRALO.

## HERE AND THERE

### AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned will sell at his place, 8 miles north of Harrison, on Wednesday March 25, 1903 at 1 o'clock P. M. the following property:

A few head of cattle,  
4 head of horses,  
1 heavy 4 inch wagon,  
2 mowing machines,  
1 hay-rake,  
3 sets of harness,  
150 bu. of corn,  
50 bu. of potatoes  
Some alfalfa hay,  
1 plow,  
1 tool-chest, and tools of all kinds,  
Household goods & etc.  
Free lunch at noon, and a keg of beer after the sale.

Terms of sale: Sums under \$10.00 cash. Sums over \$10.00 six months time given on bankable note bearing 10 per cent int.

WILLIAM HARVEY.

### READ IT THROUGH.

'Twould Spoil This Story to Tell It in the Headlines.

To use an eighteenth century phrase, this is an "oler true tale." Having happened in a small Virginia town in the winter of 1902, it is a story very much of the present. Up to a short time ago Mrs. John E. Harmon, of Melfs Station, Va., had no personal knowledge of the rare curative properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "Last January," she says, "my baby took a dreadful cold and at one time I feared she would have pneumonia, but one of my neighbors told me how this remedy had cured her little boy and I began giving it to my baby at once and it soon cured her. I heartily thank the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for placing so great a cure within my reach. I cannot recommend it too highly or say too much in its favor. I hope all who read this will try it and be convinced as I was." For sale by all Druggists.

### Married.

O. R. Anderson and Mary Moravek were married last Tuesday evening at 4 o'clock P. M. at the residence of the bride's father, Anton Moravek, Rev. L. W. Horton officiating. Mr. O. E. A. Estler acted as best man and Miss Effie Wright as brides maid. The nuptial knot was tied with neatness, except the bride did not have to obey her lord and master, which made some of the benedicts present think that the minister had over looked that part of the ceremony for that was a very impressive part of the contract years ago, but not today. There were a few friends gathered with the relatives that extended best wishes for a long and happy life. They were then ushered into the dining room where the tables were groaning from the weight of the many good things waiting to be devoured by the happy guests on this notable occasion.

### War Bonnet Topics.

Some fine weather the past week, but bad roads.

Roy Garretson took a load of saw-dust to town last week.

Jim Merriam hauled a load of wood, to town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kael, and Miss Dorman went to town Tuesday last.

Frank Zerbst was in this valley last week. He says it is a mistake about Bert Ernest losing cattle as reported. He says he has been working for him all the time, and he hasn't lost any yet.

Mr. Clark from Harrison came out, to the S-E, and visited over Sunday with Mr. Brewster, also at Mr. Neil Andersons.

Ed and Ben Scott visited, with Joe, and Willie on Sunday.

Bill Harvey spent one evening, with us last week. Bill says he is going to sell out, or rent his place in the next two weeks, or he is going to hunt a wife. So now girls be prepared.

Ye scribe visited at the S-E last week and seen the new birds, Mr. Brewster just had shipped from California. They are a specie of the quail. They are greenish blue in color, and one peculiarity about them, they have a black feather about an inch and a half long in the head; they are beauties. He has about a dozen, and is going to turn them loose on the ranch.

William Shepherd is hauling hay from Andrew Kuoris.

Jack Finley hauled a load of sunflowers from the G-rinch place Sunday. Some folks will work on Sunday if no other day.

Mrs. Paul Zerbst arrived home last Thursday, where she of course was gladly welcomed, and Sunday the S. S. was brightened ten fold by her cheering and helping presence.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Thayer of Bodarc visited at Robt. Keels Sunday, and Mrs. Thayer made the S. S. a visit which we all appreciated.

There were 250 head of those cattle brought to Andrew Kuoris place instead of 200 as reported last week. Pat Dunn, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dunn are there looking after them.

Tom Plunkett arrived safely home after his visit to that fine large long streeted town of Andrews, and never got kidnapped either as small as he is. I was quite a bit worried when I heard he had gone there.

Sunday school at Gustave Norwischees as usual at 1 P. M. All are invited.

Mrs. Plunkett and Miss Dorman visited at Mr. McAnns one day last week.

Miss Irvie Dout visited with her grandpa and grandma Zimmerman in Bodarc last week.

S. S. at our school house every Sunday at 2:30 P. M. Come one and all.

PEGGY.

### Andrews Happenings.

Mrs. Paul Zerbst was seen by friends here Thursday last as the train stopped a few minutes. She was returning from a good long visit with her sister at Schyler Neb. She reported a good visit and anxious to get home again.

Mr. George Baldwin came here Thursday on the morning passenger. He had no operation on his eyes.

Mrs. S. E. Jones has been very busy sewing for Mrs. Shepherd, and daughter lately.

Miss Pearl Jones, and Karma Pridly visited at Mrs. Shepherds Sunday.

Mrs. DeSomber called on Mrs. Chris Christensen Saturday.

The men here have been very busy working along the track.

Now Zekel we have no Bolles on the Foot though some did have their feet frozen this winter. We have a Marshall to keep peace, Hunters to keep the bears off, a Shepherd who watches the people lest they might get a Fall, and a Christian Son, who tends the track, and the proud distinction of having the only Jones' in the country to Harrison the people had! had! Hows that?

Edward Schwartz visited at Mr. Tom Jones' Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Hagerman and family, spent Sunday at Mr. J. D. Proctors.

Mr. Edward Marshall went to Crawford Saturday, and returned Monday.

Mrs. S. E. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Baldwin and Mrs. A. L. Hagerman went to Harrison Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Chris Christensen went to Harrison Thursday last on the morning passenger.

Miss Pearl Jones, and her Uncle went to Harrison Saturday morning, and returned on the freight the afternoon of the same day. Karma Pridly came back with them to visit Pearl until Monday. She visited our school Monday, and left for Harrison on the passenger train.

Mr. and Mrs. Prosser and daughter and son visited our school Tuesday last, and we enjoyed their visit very much. They were surprised as well, as pleased to hear the children sing well after song by note and play the same on our organ. Come, see, and test the only organ in the west.

The Andrews school house fine, That stands on the hill, Reminds me of old times When I studied with a will. With my pen in my hand, And my book under my arm, I tripped over the land, That to me was a charm.

There's the beautiful bell, With its ding, dong, ding, And the time it doth tell, With its glad merry ring.

See the four happy boys, (Tom, Roy, Ralph, and Ray), Make a glad loud noise, On this bright March day.

The six sweet fair girls, So studious, and so good, With their smiles and curls Greet us from the hood.

When the school bell rings They are found in their place, And each sweetly sings With a bright happy face. Then their books they find And study hard and long.

## MINUTES OF ASSESSORS MEETING, SIOUX COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

### HARRISON, SIOUX CO., NEBR., MAR. 17, 1903.

The assessors met as required by law in the county Clerk's office. The meeting was called to order by John F. Cook.

Motion made and seconded that Claus Christensen act as temporary chairman motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that John F. Cook be permanent chairman, carried. Motion made and seconded that Wm. J. A. Raum be permanent Secretary, motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the chairman appoint a committee of three to prepare a classification Schedule, also of valuation, motion carried. The following persons were appointed: Frank C. Lewis, Peter L. Raben, F. O. B. Fosket On motion and seconded that we reconsider the motion to value 1st class land at \$4.00 and second at 50 cts per acre, motion carried.

On motion and seconded that we classify land at 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$2.00, 3rd at 50 cts per acre.

On motion and seconded that each assessor return to the Board of equalization a written statement of any and all persons who they are led to believe have not given in the personal property that should be assessed—Carried.

On motion made and seconded that the Schedule as adopted be printed on the back of all assessor's schedules—Carried.

Motion made and seconded that each assessor return to the Board of equalization a written statement of any and all persons who they are led to believe do not give in all the taxable property that should be assessed—Carried.

Motion made and seconded that we adjourn—motion carried.

JOHN F. COOK, Chairman. Wm. J. A. RAUM, Secretary.

The following Schedule was on motion adopted.

<b>HORSES.</b>		
Horses 1st class, 3 yr old and over	\$18.00	" 2nd class 2 yr..... 8.00
" " 2 yr olds	12.00	" 2nd class 1 yr..... 4.00
" 2nd class, 3 yr old and over	8.50	STEERS—3 yr old..... 12.00
" " 2 yr old	6.00	CALVES—6 months old and over..... 8.00
<b>CATTLE.</b>		<b>BULLS.</b>
Cattle 1st class 1 yr old	8.00	Bulls 1st class..... 25.00
" " 2 yr old	4.00	" 2nd class..... 15.00
Cattle 2nd class 1 yr old	4.00	<b>SHEEP.</b>
" " 2 yr old	2.00	Sheep 1st class..... 3.00
<b>STALLIONS.</b>		" 2nd class..... 1.00
Stallions 1st class..... 100.00		<b>BUCKS.</b>
" 2nd class..... 50.00		Bucks 1st class..... 15.00
<b>MULES—Same as horses</b>		" 2nd class..... 8.00
<b>JACKS—Same as stallions.</b>		<b>HOGS—2 cts per lb.</b>
Cows 1st class..... 15.00		<b>LANDS.</b>
" 2nd class..... 8.00		1st class, per acre..... 44.00
<b>HIFTERS.</b>		2nd class " "..... 24.00
Hifers 1st class 2 yr..... 15.00		3rd class " "..... 16.00
" " 1 yr..... 8.00		

Let them're left behind Their work to prolong. Thus each week finds all, As busy as can be Working for promotions call Desiring it soon to see. So may we toil on victorious day by day over every foe, And may Jesus direct us, In the way we go. And his angels shield us, When the storm clouds lower, Pardon each, and save us In the last of earths hour. Then with saints and Angels, May we join above, Offering endless praises At his throne above. When the toil is over, Thus comes rest, and peace, Jesus in his beauty Songs that never cease."

"BUDS AND BLOSSOMS"

Having resigned my position as Co. Superintendent of public instruction, I desire to sincerely thank my friends for their loyal support at all times, and of the many encouraging words that have been offered in commendation of my work; while all these will be cherished in my memory for years to come, I feel that the great work, that I have just taken up, and intended to devote my whole attention to, is not separated very far from the great work, that I have just given up. I can't say that I am fully satisfied with the results of my educational work, but considering that I could only give it part of my time, I feel that the standard of our teachers are better than that were years ago, and that the school boards, and patrons more fully appreciate the efforts put forth by them than ever before. It was my one thought when I first accepted the nomination for this responsible position that if I was elected I would build up the educational work of this County if possible and if words from others mean anything I have partly accomplished what I started out to do. Last but not least are the 8th and 9th. grade pupils throughout the county that have attended my institutes, and showed by their presence and conduct that they were interested in this great work, and for these I have hesitated with my resignation for fear that their interest might relax, but I hope that my fears are unfounded, and that the interests of these may continue to increase, for the betterment of our schools to a certain extent will rest on them, and I feel that my successor will continue this great work, with the energy, and zeal that fits him for this responsible position. As to my successor Conrad Parsons, I can say nothing but words of

praise, for him for he has labored hard for his education that befits him for this great work educationally, and he is a young man of high moral standing which should be required of everyone that fills this position. Mr. Parsons has been reared in Sioux County, and knows what our school needs are, and I can safely vouch that his every effort will be for the advancement of the education of our children. I therefore recommend him to you, that feel an interest in this great work, and give him a helping hand whenever you can, and you will have an officer that will be worthy of your esteem and respect.

J. B. BURKE.

### PATRIOTISM.

A PEACEFUL CHALLENGE TO ITS ADVOCATES. Printed from the New York Evening Post and The Yonkers Statesman.

For many years I have carefully studied the popular idea of patriotism, both as a sentiment and as a practical truth. My conclusion is that there exists a great deal of misapprehension, and I feel prompted at this time of special patriotic fervor to present my views. I invite, and even challenge, any of your readers who do not agree with me to prove that I am in error.

1st. There is not in any part of the Bible even a sentence that requires or justifies "patriotism."

2d. The sentiment called by this name like the word which expresses it, is probably of heathen origin.

3d. The usual definition of patriotism is "love of country." The man who seeks to learn what this phrase means and to carry out its teachings in his life attempts a hopeless task.

4th. It is an exaggerated form of selfishness and is one of the devil's most successful devices to deceive and mislead the human race.

5th. It is, in fact, a delusive method of inducing a violation of the Sixth Commandment—"Thou shalt not kill"—and is practically in opposition to the spirit of the other nine.

6th. Ministers and others who teach the co-ordinate obligation of religion and patriotism have no warrant in reason or Scripture, and the practice largely accounts for the diminished moral tone and tendency to skepticism among the people.

7th. The religious organization which sends missionaries to foreign nations to preach the gospel of peace and good will and the duty of self-surrender and obedience to God, and rests its claims for support on the value of the human soul, and at the same time approved of, and advises its members to enlist for war, occupies a position so absurd as to be essentially grotesque.

8th. He that has a right to seek a

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own life, which is a trust for which an account must be rendered, except in the effort to benefit his fellow men.

8th. The claims of the State are inferior to the claims of God, and should be regulated by our relations and obligations to Him.

10th. The continued life and prosperity of nations depends primarily and indispensably upon righteousness.

11th. No government has a right to make a training for war a fixed employment for its citizens, and every man who thus devotes his life violates divine law and jeopardizes his happiness for eternity.

12th. The maintenance of a navy, except for police purposes, such as may be required to suppress piracy or other violations of human and divine law, cannot be justified.

13th. It follows that the study of the art of war in military and naval academies has a demoralizing influence, and that the tendency is to blunt the moral perception and unfit men who pursue it for useful lives.

14th. It is a disgrace to Christian people that men who have excelled in the deceptive arts and brutal destruction of life, limb and property involved in war should be hailed as benefactors, treated with exceptional honor and often placed in high official positions.

15th. This high estimate of the merit and proper reward for military service disparages self-denying men and women who consecrate their lives to the effort to lift up and save their fellow men, and make a false standard of excellence.

16th. It places brute force above moral worth, fosters worldliness and low ideals and ignores the fact that a man is to be judged by mind and heart, and that what he thinks and how much he loves is the true test of worth.

17th. A nation that maintains a great army and navy to be indispensable for protection disregards the Bible requirement of trust in and dependence on God, and eventually will reap a harvest of disappointment and humiliation.

18th. The teaching of "patriotism" in public schools is illogical and harmful and will lower the tone of citizenship with the coming generation. The maintenance of a piece of hunting called the flag is a form of idolatry.

19th. The true patriot interprets "love of country" to signify love for the people who are in it. He will express this feeling by a special interest in their welfare and effort to make them a greater, nobler and happier among the nations of the earth. This love will necessarily expand into a worldwide love, for all men have a common origin, need, nature and destiny.

JOHN C. HAYNES.  
Yonkers, N. Y., 1902.