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## LOCAL NEWS OF THE TOWN

The Crawford dentist, Dr. T. H. Spindler, Election next Tuesday, November 3. Don't forget it.

Our job work increases as well as our subscription list.

Prof. J. T. Morris will lecture Sunday night. Everybody come.

J. E. Porter becomes a reader of the Press-Journal with this issue.

Peter Schaefer, dropped in for a friendly chat Monday. Come again Pete.

Robert Harrison, J. E. G. Hunter and Henry C. Hunter were in town yesterday.

### For Sale.

One 3 inch Bain wagon for sale. Inquire at this office.

Five carloads of potatoes were shipped from Harrison this week. How is that for a dry country?

Mrs. Belle Dunn held the number which drew the talking machine at the Bourret & Davis store.

Harrison has no preacher yet, but we are glad to say she has a good Sunday School, Epworth League and Prayer Meeting.

C. H. Grewell and Joe Sturdivant were in town Monday. Mr. Grewell, and Mr. Sturdivant are always welcome visitors in Harrison.

For a pleasant physic take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by All Druggists.

The attendance at court was small, there being a small docket, and unless something turns up before the next term the docket will be smaller still.

T. O. Williams has gone out to Mr. John Brown's place, on the divide east of town, to try his luck at getting water. We hope he may be successful.

There will be a social at the hall Saturday evening, October 31, 1903. Given under the auspices of the Epworth League. Come one and all. Supper 10c.

Fred Hans was given a life sentence in Brown county on last Saturday by Judge J. J. Harrington. Hans killed a man by the name of Lusa a little over a year ago.

The Harrison schools will give an entertainment Nov. 25th. Admission 25c. Net proceeds will be used to buy library books for the school. All are cordially invited.

Rev. D. J. Clark will preach at Pleasant Ridge on Sunday November 8 at 11 o'clock a. m. and at Harrison Sunday night at 8 p. m. Quarterly meeting Monday morning at 9 a. m.

The visiting attorneys during court week: A. W. Crites, of Chadron; W. H. Fanning and J. E. Porter, of Crawford; M. J. O'Connell and Grant Guthrie represented our home talent.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to me on book account, will please call and settle, as my creditors want money. Respectfully, J. H. BARTELL.

Henry Covey has consented to make the race for county treasurer on the Republican ticket. We hate to see as good a man as Mr. Covey sacrificed but we assure you Mr. Covey will lose no sleep over it.

The Ladies Aid Society will give a general good supper at the hall Wednesday evening, Nov. 3, from 6 to 8 o'clock. Supper, 25c, and a num. social from 8 to 9. Bring your pennies or keep num and have a good time.

There is a report in circulation that to vote for Lowry is the same as voting for Lacy; I will say if I am elected I will attend to the duties of the office myself after the first of January. ALEX LOWRY.

Henry C. Hunter sold his ranch Tuesday to Robert Harrison and Frank Mayer. J. E. G. Hunter bought his cattle and Henry, or "Bunk" as he is usually called, is a gentleman of leisure. He says he may yet come to Harrison to live.

William Gayhart our next County Clerk, and C. M. Lux will be our next County Treasurer spent Monday in Harrison shaking hands with their many friends. They each report success which we feel will be realized when the votes are counted on the 31st of November.

## HERE AND THERE

**Gained Forty Pounds in Thirty Days.**  
For several months our younger brother had been troubled with indigestion. He tried several remedies but got no benefit from them. We purchased some of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and he commenced taking them. Inside of thirty days he had gained forty pounds in flesh. He is now fully recovered. We have a good trade on the Tablets. —HOLLEY BIGGS, Merchants, Long Branch, Mo. For sale by All Druggists.

October 24, 1903.  
To whom it may concern:  
I take pleasure in saying that I attended the last three teachers institutes held by Supt. J. B. Burke in Sioux county and found the work admirably adapted to the needs of the county. Mr. Burke seemed to be deeply interested in the institute and in everything that would help to fit his teachers for better work. It is my opinion that he has done much for the advancement of the schools of Sioux county.

L. M. OBERKOTTER.  
This is what the Principal of the Chadron Academy says of J. B. Burke's work as county Superintendent. Mr. Fisher Co. Supt. of Dawes county had a letter in last week's JOURNAL, attesting the interest of Mr. Burke's as county Supt.

### Ran a Ten Penny Nail Through His Hand.

While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by All Druggists.

We learn that M. J. Weber, of Glen, claims to have the vote of White River in his vest pocket and more especially the Danish vote. We know a few people on White River, and some of them are Danes, that this gentleman doesn't control. So if there has been no money put up on this deal it would be well to wait until the goods are delivered, for he might make the mistake he did two years ago. Mr. Weber might have had the nomination for treasurer on the republican ticket if he had only mentioned it. But we will watch developments and if this man proves a master and prophet we will give due credit.

Don't forget voter that when you come to make up your ticket that our ticket is made up of good men from top to bottom. The candidates are men of competency and you will take no risk in giving them your support. There will no doubt be some good many things to side track our candidates, but vote to the dictates of your own conscience and not some one else's. For the ballot is where you can approve or disapprove, and the country must abide by your decision let it be good or bad. Our District Judges are men that have the power to administer, and construe the law for the interest of the people or against them favor of corporations; so vote for Westover and Harrington for these are men that will stand by you.

Things have changed in the past quarter of a century, says an exchange. Three score years ago the average boy would go out on Sunday, climb a tree and partake of a few quarts of mulberries and top off with a few green apples and salt. The next morning his mother diagnosed his troubles as worms and he is made to swallow half a bottle of Fry's Vermifuge, a quarter of a pound of epsom salts, and was turned out in the cow pasture until supper time when he could come in for a square meal all right. Now if a boy complains of a "stitch" in his side he has appendicitis and is hustled off to the hospital, starved within an inch of his life, half a dozen surgeons each take a whack at him with pearl-handled knives and he is turned over to his friends or the undertaker.—Gordon Journal.

Voters, remember Amos C. Cullers, candidate for county commissioner, for he is worthy of your support and confidence and will carefully guard your interests which he almost entirely with the county board. Mr. Cullers is not furnishing any beer drinks to catch votes but is attending strictly to business, threshing his neighbors' crops, which only proves that when he undertakes anything he will complete it. The nomination of this office came to him without his asking and as the salary is small he can't afford to lose much time in meeting the voters though he would like to. But if you want to know his standing any of his neighbors can give it to you. So, voter, don't forget him if you want a true, capable, careful man to represent you.

## TO CURE COLIC IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bro. Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Mr. J. T. Morris, principal of the Harrison school, set forth some great truths in his report of the school in last week's issue. Mr. Morris seems to take a great interest in our school and children, and we feel that every parent should co-operate with him and his able corps of teachers, that our school would be second to none in the state, so far as thoroughness, government and good work in every department can be made, but this, patron, will depend a great deal on you. Will you help? or will you do nothing and at the end of the term say we might have had a better school. If we had Chancellor Andrews from the State University he could not make our school a success unless he had something to work with and also the co-operation of the patrons. So, patrons, let us do our part and let the world go abroad that Harrison has as good a school as any town in the northwest and we will not only reap the harvest but that our teachers who are laboring so earnestly for us may feel that their labor have not been in vain. The school board have put in an up to date set of text books, so that our school is not a back number along that line.

## OVER IN WYOMING.

Mr. Z. G. Deuel and son have returned from Arkansas. They do not seem to be very favorably impressed with the country.

The covotes got 12 of Nellie May Christian's turkeys. Say! Sim would have liked to had one of them anyway, but that is the way, we can't possibly spare a thing and lose it anyway.

The Browns are digging potatoes for L. L. Wilson.

C. L. Christian is stacking his hay on the school section.

Darl Kilworth bought O. E. Jennings's cattle and also a few head from Harry Deuel.

O. E. Jennings is hauling grain to Mr. Fanklor on Sage creek.

There will be a dance at the W. O. W. hall Friday evening Oct. 30th. Every one invited.

H. J. Church and family went to Lusk Friday returning Saturday.

Sam Holterfeld is delivering oats to Lusk. The roads are fine.

J. J. Zambannen sowed his rye Oct. 29th.

It has been very fine weather for the past two weeks but not quite enough wind to run windmills, consequently everyone is out of water.

The members of the school board are expecting school to commence in both school houses Monday Nov. 2, and are busy getting things in shape for a good session.

SIMPLETON.

## Bodarc Gleanings.

Eh Zimmerman, who has been working at Story during the summer, returned home this week.

Miss Winnie Brown who has been staying a few days with Mrs. Len Dout, returned home Sunday.

James L. Anderson intends moving his family to Cottonwood this week.

Z. F. Antrim, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is again able to attend Sunday school.

H. Zimmerman and sons brought home their cattle from Old Woman last week.

Jimmy Wilson drove a carload of cattle from his place in the valley to Harrison the first of the week a-foot and alone. No need of cowboys when Jimmy is around.

John Coffee left the first of the week for his cattle camp in the vicinity of Ravenna to bring home a bunch of cattle to winter at the home ranch.

After considerable delay in securing a teacher for district No. 9, school opened Monday, October 19, with Miss Lauretta Egan of Hay Springs as teacher.

Every one in the neighborhood of Five Points seems to be busy threshing their grain. As this is the third week the threshing has been humming, they must be nearly done. The weather has certainly been very favorable for the work.

Wolfebeter Bros and others are improving these pleasant days hauling home lumber and getting their winter supply of wood while the roads are in such good condition.

J. T. Coffee is shingling his barn and buggy shed, and otherwise fixing up his out buildings before the stormy blasts of winter come down on him. M. A. C.

## Do Good—It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that, "Good deed are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in the community who might truthfully say: My good friend, cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold by All Druggists.

### The Office of Co. Supt.

We wish to call the attention of the voters and all that are interested in the education of your children to the fact that there is not an office in the county where there can be more harm done than in this office, and on the other hand there can be the same amount of good done if the office is properly conducted. The law surrounds all the other offices, but not so with the county superintendent, for he can build up your schools or he can tear them down, and your only recourse is to vote him out of office when the time comes,—but what are you going to do about your children that have been robbed of what justly belongs to them during this time? Don't understand me to say that there is no law at all for the superintendent, but the very essential points are not covered that is his discretionary power as to who is competent to teach, and a great many things that will injure the school work that in some instances you can never remedy. The gravest questions that arise in the county come before the county superintendent for his judicial action, and now comes the time when this work will go up or down. We know whereof we speak and if your present county superintendent would express his opinion we assure you that he would agree with this statement. We are sorry to say that in this county too little importance is placed on this the greatest office, or work that we have not only in the county but in the state. Take our education from us and where are we?—It is to some the same as the light, darkness and changes of the seasons. It is here, and we are using it, but we want to say right here that it is through some one's mid night oil being burned that we retain our educational men, women and institutions.

## ATTORNEYS FISHER AND WILLS.

The independent has studiously avoided a judicial campaign of personalities, but Dickson's vile attacks make it necessary for us to tell something of the men he wishes to place upon the bench and his motives for so doing.

ALLEN G. FISHER.

Those who personally know Allen G. Fisher will readily understand that he is a dead mate to Dickson. But many people of the district do not know him on the record. Mr. Fisher was a member of the legislature in the second last session. He was one of the fellows who stood by D. E. Thompson. The people of his district protested against his action without regard to politics but Fisher paid no attention to them. The reason was that he was brought by Thompson to betray his constituents. He sold out his people for the cash there was in it. Since retiring from the legislature he has built him a fine home in Chadron although he was as poor as a church mouse before Thompson bought him up. For many years Fisher has been the attorney for the cattle thieves in his section of Nebraska and he has uniformly got together a band of witnesses and taught them how to perjure themselves to make out a defense. One of the constant crimes that Fisher commits is the subornation of perjury in criminal cases. But a year ago he was up in Wyoming and got a young fellow to commit perjury. The other attorneys in the case with him were members of the Wyoming bar and disbarment proceedings were taken against them. They could not take such proceedings against Fisher because he was not a member of the Wyoming bar but he was arrested for subornation of perjury and bound over to the district court and he only escaped by buying up the young fellow who had committed perjury and who was sent to the penitentiary for swearing to the false things that Fisher advised him to. Here is what the Omaha Bee, the leading republican newspaper of Nebraska said at the time.

"Douglas, Wyoming. (Special Telegram to the Bee).—At the November term of the district court for Converse county Ed Beach, in the case of the state against J. H. McNealey, swore differently from what he did in the preliminary hear-

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### GERLACH'S STORE.

The jury failed to agree in the first McNealey trial. In the second trial Beach swore as he did at the preliminary and told the court that McNealey's attorneys had told him it would not be perjury. McNealey's lawyers were Allen G. Fisher, of Chadron, Nebraska, George Walker, of Harrison and E. H. Dumbell, of Douglas Graphic fame. The court appointed a committee of attorneys and at once adjourned. The committee made its report today, Beach's statement was corroborated. The court ordered disbarment proceedings commenced against Dumbell and Walker and Sheriff Virden sued out a complaint against Fisher, Walker and Dumbell for subornation.

Fisher and Walker waived examination and were bound over to the next term of court in the sum of \$500.00. Beach pleaded guilty to perjury and was sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary. Dumbell has not been arrested as yet.

Fisher is one of Chadron's prominent attorneys. Fisher constantly procures false affidavits to be made and filed in court at his home in Chadron and this is notorious; in addition to this it is known and can be proven that he has frequently offered and paid money to men to commit perjury and this fact has been proved on him in Chadron and he has never gone on the stand to deny it. He has time and again forged the names of people to affidavits in support of motions for new trials. He steals court files and mutilates records and does many things that have landed other men in the penitentiary. Fisher has swindled clients with whom he has done business out of thousands of dollars of money and for this money judgments have been entered against him at Chadron and are now on record there and unpaid. If anyone doubts that these judgments are against Fisher just write to the clerk of the district court at Chadron.

The rank and file of the republican party in the 15 judicial district would never have consented to the nomination of Fisher for the important position of district judge. His nomination was brought about by the shrewd manipulation of Fisher himself with the all powerful assistance of the Elkhorn Railroad's attorney and pass distributors headed by the chief convention fixer, R. R. Dickson of Holt county. Dickson's chief clients in this district are cattle rustlers. With Judge Harrington and Westover on the bench cattle rustlers have ceased operations as they are promptly tried and when convicted were given such sentences as made the business of cattle stealing very unpopular. With a corrupt man like Fisher or a weak and pliant incompetent like Wills on the bench Mr. Dickson's clients would be treated to such consideration as would make cattle rustling, hog and horse stealing again a common practice in this district as it was before days of Harrington and Westover on the district bench. The voters of this district do not want such a condition of affairs in this district any more than the rank and file of the republican party wanted such a man as Fisher nominated. To assist in the election of Fisher and Wills these three—Dickson, Fisher, and Wills met—in Dickson's office conspired, planned and dictated their long and malicious tissue of falsehoods that they had printed in the Frontier, and it was these three who directed the mailing of that dirty newspaper over this district.

In the face of these conditions the Independent feels called upon to tell who this man Fisher is, and also to tell the voters the kind of men who are backing him in his race for a position his last record as a lawyer and a citizen would disgrace.

W. T. Wills.

The Independent desires to be perfectly fair and has no disposition to put Mr. Wills in the thieves category with Dickson and Fisher. Some things might be said truly that would not be very pleasant readings for him, but the Independent wants to make it plain that the star thieves who are trying to work ruin in this district are Dickson and Fisher. The people of this district need men who are good lawyers. A poor lawyer on the bench will be constantly reversed and the people put to heavy expense in the retrial of cases. Mr. Wills' best friends will not claim that he is a good lawyer. He deals in real estate and loans some

money and does fairly well at that but whenever he has a law suit in the district court he employs some other attorney to try the case. This is a matter well known to all of the residents of Boyd county. He has no qualification whatever for the office of district judge and it would be a misfortune to Mr. Wills because he would be constantly humiliated by the knowledge that he was not qualified to fill the office of district judge. It was because he is weak that Dickson was willing to have him nominated. Dickson thought that he could use him and even if he could not do it alone by the assistance of Fisher they could control the action of Mr. Wills. He has remained at home the most of the campaign and whenever he has gone the people generally declare that Mr. Wills does not know enough to be district judge. The friends of judges Westover and Harrington would gladly pay Mr. Wills' expenses to have him go over the district and let the people get a look at him. After they saw him they might vote for him for justice of the peace but for district judge, never. Fisher said recently at Atterworth the only way they could elect Wills would be to lasso him and haul him home and keep him there.—O'Neil Independent.

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