

The Adjourned Meeting.

The adjourned meeting of the board of education for school district No. 1 was held at the office of the director last Tuesday evening.

The report that the rooms were crowded so that, in several cases three pupils were compelled to occupy one seat, seemed more to be due to a lack of seats than from an over-crowded condition of the rooms.

The fair held by the Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church last Saturday afternoon and evening at Society hall was well attended and a most pleasant and profitable undertaking is reported.

At any rate there seems to be no one to bring these matters properly before the board.

The teachers seemed to be deeply interested. They convinced the board that they were putting forth every effort to give satisfaction and obtain good results.

The board, after long and earnest discussion, passed a resolution "excluding all scholars from the school who have not taken up the first grade work, for the rest of the present school year."

Parents should not mistake the meaning of this resolution. It means that if you have a little child which has never went to school you should not begin to send it right in the middle of the term or at any other time after the classes are started in the year's work.

The grammar room is again enjoying examination. Names of those neither absent nor tardy during the past month.

Churches and Church Work.

Sunday was a very pleasant day and the church-going people took advantage of the nice weather and turned out in large numbers.

Rev. John Madely, pastor of the M. E. church preached a very able sermon both morning and evening. His subject in the morning was "Peter's Addition," and the text was 2d Peter 1, 1-10.

The Epworth League service which is held at 6:30 was very interesting and was well attended. We were indebted to L. N. Smith, Mesdames L. P. French and L. J. Holcombe and the Epworth League choir for some finely rendered special music.

Epworth League services at the M. E. church next Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. Subject: "Jesus Christ—His Saving Power." Mrs. John Madely will lead the meeting and you are all cordially invited to attend.

Last Sunday a number of people from this place visited the Wiggle Creek Sunday School. Arrangements had been made for a number to take part in the program which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Rev. Beyl, of Ord, preached at the Baptist church both morning and evening in the same vigorous style that has characterized his sermons during the series of meetings just held.

The B. Y. P. U. held every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock an interesting feature of Sunday's services. A. L. Zimmerman was in charge last Sunday evening as leader and made the Lessons of Faith, real, helpful and personal to all.

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Repairs are going on in the basement at the Baptist church.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Katie McGrath was a visitor of the grammar room since the last writing.

Miss Vivian Nightingale re-entered school Monday after a three weeks absence owing to sickness.

Floyd Janulewicz entered the eighth grade Monday.

The literary which was to have taken place last Thursday evening was postponed until after the holidays on account of the busy season spent in preparation for the Xmas exercises.

The tenth grade is experimenting on the different classes of levers this week and have been quite successful so far.

The high school had two spelling matches last Friday, the victory being awarded to Lyman Pray in both instances.

Several complaints having been made lately about the rooms being too hot or too cold resulted in the board taking the matter in hand and as a result we nearly froze to death Monday morning, but every thing is all right now.

Messrs Joseph Pedler, Wilbur Walte and Carsten Truelsen were visitors at the school house Monday.

A Christmas program will be given at the school house Thursday afternoon Dec. 24th by the whole school. All are cordially invited to attend.

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HIGH SCHOOL.

John Bell, Lula Lee, Zoe Nightingale, Frances Sweetland, Rose Snyder, Otis Hiser, Clarence Sweetland, Leslie Sweetland, Ella Foster, Jessie Leininger, Mercoe Outhouse

GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Herman Ohlsen, Elva Zimmerman, Adeline Leininger, Rose Kilpatrick, Romeo Conger, Edna Daddow, Emil Aafrecht, Lillie Lofholm, Dora Truelsen, Willie Benschoter, Clifford Rein, Genrose Dubry, Julia Snyder.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

Mamie Adamson, Majorie Mead, Flora Brown, Bernice Benschoter, Fernie Outhouse, Florence Criss, Florence Depew, Flossie Hiser, Edgar Foster, Clifton Grow, Arthur Rowe, Myrie McLaughlin.

SECOND PRIMARY.

Albion Ohlsen, Stephen Hulbert, Pearl Haller, Orpha Outhouse, Clarence Petersea, Irene Truelsen, Lurene May.

PRIMARY.

Blanche Fisher, Lillie Brown, Lorena Snyder, Edith Brown, Fay Galloway, Alice Benschoter, Edith Hollenbeck, Marcia Ver Valin, Opal Ver Valin, Alberta Outhouse, Mary Gibson, Da Blocker, Emmet Zink, Joe Delyster, Leon Lofholm, Charlie May, Harold Hiser.

Roosevelt on Graft.

"No crime calls for sterner reprobation than the crime of the corruptionists in public life, and of the man who seeks to corrupt him. The bribe giver and the bribe taker are equally guilty. Both alike sin against the primary law of the state's safety. All questions of difference in party policy sink to insignificance when the people of this country are brought face to face with a question like this, which lies at the root of honest and decent government. On this question, and on all others like it, we can afford to have no division among good citizens. In the last resort, good laws and good administration alike must rest upon the broad basis of sound public opinion. A dull public conscience, an easy-going acquiescence in corruption, infallibly means debasement in public life, and such debasement in the end means the ruin of free institutions. Self government becomes a farce if the representatives of the people corrupt others or are themselves corrupted. Freedom is not a gift which will tarry long in the hands of the dishonest or of those so foolish or so incompetent as to tolerate dishonesty in their public servants."—President Roosevelt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tracy gave a social party to a number of friends last Friday night and a very enjoyable time is reported. Present: Mr. and Mrs. Hoyer, Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Madely, L. N. Smith, Misses Hayhurst, Hawk, Henry, Leininger, Minshall, and Smith also E. E. Tracy and wife. A pleasant hour was spent in guessing conundrums and Miss Minshall has the credit of guessing the largest number. Then slips on which were written the menu in printer's pi fashion, were passed around, and the elegant supper was served as soon as the guests had made out the menu. After supper slips were passed on which were written questions pertaining to the next Sunday lesson. Some time was spent in discussing the most important points in the lesson. After a song and prayer the guests took their departure bearing with them memories of a most delightful evening. Miss Eva Clinton assisted Mr. and Mrs. Tracy to entertain the guests and the verdict is that they are a trio of splendid entertainers.

Next week we will put on the four home pages. We have several items of public enterprise which will appear. If you know of any thing interesting hand it in for our next issue.

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S.

Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Ashburnham Ont., April 19, 1903. —I think it is only right I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and a cough that I did not think to be able to take any duties the next day as my voice was almost choked by the cough. The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your remedy and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough had completely disappeared and I was able to preach three times on Easter day. I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your cough remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a good and sure remedy.

Respectfully yours, E. A. LANGFIELD, M. A. Rector of St. Luke's Church To Chamberlain Medicine Co. This remedy is for sale by Odendahl Bros.

NOTICE.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: You will please take notice, that all monies now in my hands, being Funds accumulated in District Court, and which no one has claimed, and which has been in the hands of the Clerk of the Dist. Court for more than five years last past, will be turned over to the Treasurer of Sherman County, it not called for sooner, immediately after the First Regular meeting of the County Supervisors in 1904.

Funds that will be turned over to the Said Treasurer, on this notice are as follows: Seibering vs Fletcher, bal on dep \$ 2.00 Investors Co vs Begger, " " 1.27 Geo W Cunningham vs Arthur Stahl et al, difference between bid and judgment, 6.00 Geo W Cunningham vs Werner Landrock et al, difference between bid and judgment, 1.65 Wm Wyckoff, witness fees 2.20 Wm Wyckoff, " " 1.00 Chris Nelson, " " 1.00 Ben Snyder, " " 2.00 John Halter, " " 3.60 Keene Five Cent Svc. Bank vs Emma F Smith et al, 4.25 Ogle vs Sherman Co, Banking Co bal on deposit, 2.15 State vs Peoples State Bank bal on dep 2.20 Capital Natl. Bank vs John Hogue bal on deposit, 28.90 Mitchell vs Watson, bal on dep 7.30 Sarah J Edwards pff " " 2.30 John Lyon, pff, " " 2.30 Nebi, Loan & Trust Co vs C Meyers 19.22 E G Kriesbaum, witness fees 1.03 John Brauer, " " 1.00 Frank Otten, " " 1.00 W H Anderson, " " .50 John W Rose, " " 6.80 Lizzie Rose, " " 1.00 W J Frankfort, " " 2.25 Amount turned over from previous Clerk and which cannot be determined where it belongs, 19.80 \$154.33

GEO. H. GIBSON, Clerk Dist. Court (SEAL) Sherman County, Neb. Dated this 12th day of November 1903.

INVENTORY SALE!

Before Invoicing, January 1, I Wish to Cut my Stock and Clean Up.

OUR PRICES

MILLINERY

If you have not bought your fall Millinery NOW is the time to BUY. \$1 50 Hats go at \$ 90 2 00 " " " 1 25 2 50 " " " 1 65 3 00 " " " 1 90 3 50 " " " 2 25 4 00 " " " 2 50 5 00 " " " 3 00

IN DRESS GOODS

\$ 50 Waist Patterns for \$ 40 65 " " " 50 75 " " " 55 90 " " " 70 50 per yard Dress Goods 40 60 " " " 45 75 " " " 60 90 " " " 70 1 00 " " " 75

LADIES' JACKETS

I have left, a few Ladies Jackets which I will sell at ONE HALF price. If you can use any of these articles, this is your chance. Come Early as there is only a few.

FANCY WORK

If you are interested in FANCY WORK you should look over the line of Doylies, Sofa Pillows, Splashes, Etc, which we are closing out for 33 1/2 per cent off.

COATS AND PANTS

See if we have your size in those \$2.00 PANTS we are selling for \$1 25; or those DUCK COATS we are selling for 75 cents.

Now this is not all that we are selling at greatly, greatly reduced prices but takes up all the room we have here. Come in the store and if you need anything in this line you will be convinced that this is the time to buy.

A. E. CHASE, LOUP CITY, NEB.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

I, Geo. H. Gibson, County Clerk of Sherman county, Nebraska estimate that the following books, blanks and stationery will be required for the use of the county officers for the coming year:

- LOT ONE.—Three gross lead pencils best grade; one gross pen holders; twelve quarts Arnolds writing fluid; two ve gross steel pens; five hundred blotters; twenty-four gross of assorted rubber bands; two dozen sponge top mullage; two ream Cranes Japanese linen legal cap; two ream Columbia legal cap; one indelible election pencils; gross three dozen election ink cones; eight quire record books (four plain and four printed forms) patent flexible back flap opening best linen paper; 3000 triplicate tax receipt, blocked; 300 tax receipts in triplicate bound and perforated, 300 in book for county treasurer; to fold for use with carbon paper; thirteen sets of poll books and envelope; six chattel mortgage files, 300 in the file; one gross one inch by ten inch, Globe Congress tie envelopes.

Sealed bids for each or any of the above three lots of supplies must be filed with the county clerk at his office in Loup City, Nebraska, on or before the first day of January, 1904.

ROAD NOTICE.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the Valley county line, at the north west corner of Section 3, and the north east corner of Section 4, Township 16, Range 14, and running thence south on the section line between Sections 3 and 4, 9 and 10, 15 and 16, three miles directly south and as near as practicable on the section line and terminating at road No. 34, on the north line at the north west corner of Section 22, Township 16, Range 14, all in Sherman county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof and all objections thereto, or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 18th day of January, 1904, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

ROAD NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:—The Commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of Section eleven, township sixteen, range fourteen and running in a southwesterly direction, (following the draw) across section ten, in said township and range, to a point seventy rods west of the southeast corner of section ten in said town and range, running thence a southeasterly direction through the canon, across section fifteen in said town and range, and terminating where same intersects road Number 34, twenty-seven rods west of the southeast corner of said section fifteen.

And that a public road commencing at the southeast corner of section ten in said town and range and running thence, west along the section line between ten and fifteen, seventy-eight rods, and terminating where it intersects with the road first above petitioned for, be laid out and platted.

Your petitioners further ask that that part of road Number 34 commencing at the southeast corner of said section fifteen and running thence, west twenty-seven rods, be vacated.

And that that part of road commencing at the northeast corner of said section fifteen and running thence south one mile and terminating at the southeast corner of said section fifteen be vacated. Has reported in favor of the same and all objections to the same or claims for damage must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before noon of the 15th day of February, 1904 or such road will be established and vacated as per the petition, without reference thereto.

ROAD NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:—The Commissioner appointed to locate a Road commencing at the North West corner of Section Twenty-four, Township Sixteen, Range Thirteen, and Northeast corner of Section Twenty-three, T 16, R 13, and running thence south on Section Line, between Sections 23 and 24, all in Sherman County, Nebraska, and terminating at Road No. 172 has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damage, must be filed in the County Clerk's Office, on or before noon of the 29th day of January 1904, or such Road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated this 24th day of Nov, 1903. G. H. GIBSON, County Clerk.

W. J. FISHER, Attorney at Law and Notary Public.

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Marg A. K. Hendricksen,

PHYSICIAN, Residence at A. L. Zimmerman's LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.

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DENTIST, LOUP CITY, NEB. OFFICE.—One door east of St. Elmo Hotel. My equipment is modern and my prices will be as low as can be expected for good work. I would be pleased to have you call. Open evenings. In a dental operation the main consideration is the result. The pain is greatly modified by modern equipment.

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Robert F. Starr,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.