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I now own the Reynolds residence property in West Hemingford, including four lots, which I will rent after May 1st. JOHN EISLER.

Rev. Wunderlich held services at Hough Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Goodenough was on the sick list last week.

THE HERALD wishes all its readers a Merry Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerber visited Alliance friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Rosa Parkin closed a successful term of school in the Green district Friday.

D. F. Miller of Canton transacted business at the county capital Saturday.

The Congregational ladies netted something over \$12, at their fair Friday evening.

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There will be Christmas trees at the Congregational and Methodist churches this evening.

E. E. Thompson, an attorney of Grand Island, transacted legal business in Hemingford Monday.

D. A. Paul, who is agent for the celebrated Aermotor wind-mill, has a new ad in this issue.

A. H. Workman, traveling agent for the Remington typewriter, was in the city Wednesday.

Raffling is all the go in Hemingford now. Messrs. Pierce, Tash and Michael seem to hold the lucky numbers.

All parties who have not yet received their road receipts from this district, may have the same by calling at this office.

John Kinsley arrived in town yesterday from Early, Iowa, and will remain for a few weeks. His many friends are glad to see him.

J. W. C. Gross of Box Butte will have a public sale on Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1897, when he will dispose of seventeen head of cattle, household goods and other articles.

The HERALD will receive gold, silver, wool, potatoes—in fact most anything except "confidence" on subscription. The first of the year is a good time to straighten up your account with the poor printer.

At their meeting Tuesday night the Modern Woodmen elected the following officers for the ensuing year: S. Switzer, V. C., W. J. Bean, W. A., W. M. Iodence, C., Clark Olds, B., J. M. Trout, E., H. H. Pierce, S., Ira Reed, W.

T. H. Minor and Miss Carrie Gaff were married at the Metropolitan Hotel by Co. Judge Hewett, Saturday, and a license has been issued to Harry Hagel and Miss Blanch Tuttle. All the parties reside in Deuel county.

Mr. Sherwood received a letter from Dr. Smith, his son-in-law, of Los Angeles, Cal., yesterday, stating that their baby boy was dangerously ill with inflammation of the bowels, and little hopes of his recovery were entertained.

The New Castle Democrat says that D. R. Bullock was killed by the caving in of a coal mine near Buffalo, Wyo., last week. Mr. Bullock was engaged in the hotel business at Nonpareil in early days and is well known to all old settlers.

L. B. Fenner, the versatile correspondent of the World-Herald is working up quite a reputation as a prophet. We understand he has been offered a position on the editorial staff of the Sunday Sun, a sensational paper published in Chicago, and if he accepts, it will be a great relief to the office seekers and "deputies" hereabouts.

In pursuance to an order of the Postmaster General, the mail service from Hemingford to Dunlap will be increased from three to six times a week, the order to take effect next Monday, Dec. 28. Henry Lichte will continue as carrier.

G. W. Nation was in town Saturday and had some circulars printed which he will send to all wool-growers in western Nebraska, calling their attention to a meeting to be held at Alliance, Jan. 7, 1897, at which they are requested to be present.

E. Boyer, who has been afflicted with some sort of brain affection for several months, was taken to the poor farm Tuesday where he will be treated by Dr. Bowman. It is feared that Mr. Boyer's mind has become unbalanced and he may be taken to the asylum.

A Narrow Escape.

W. M. Copeland and John O'Keefe hired one of Harry Pierce's excellent teams Tuesday and drove to Dunlap and thereby hangs a tale. According to the report of an eye witness it is only through the hand of Divine Providence that the B. & M. have an agent here and Hemingford a postmaster. When they started home, it seems that the team which had become chilly, wanted to go faster than on a walk which greatly alarmed the occupants of the buggy who concluded they had a genuine runaway on their hands.

Copeland gave a yell that would have done credit to a Sioux Indian and leaped, lighting on that part of his anatomy where he thinks, and lay sprawling on the ground in a semi-comatose condition. O'Keefe quickly followed his example and lit in a more elegant fashion i. e. the way he rests when he reads the morning paper. The lines however were around his neck. He looked at Copeland and asked, "are you kilt entirely?" Copeland having come to, said, "do you think it was a 'head-ender' John?" After picking up several pieces of themselves they got in and drove home, breathing a sigh of relief as they drove in the barn at Hemingford.

Program for Teachers Reading circle of Hemingford for Jap. 2nd. Opening at 1 o'clock p. m.

Music.
History, pages 62 to 125.
English Literature, to Queen Anne's age.... Miss Neeland.
Colonial Government, Mr. Banks.
History of New York, Mrs. Blanchard.
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WANTS THE POSTOFFICE.
Henry Lichte Makes Application for John O'Keefe's Place--Tells the Herald About His Visit to McKinley.

I doubt dis country vash free unt I haf to de poschtoffice yuscht so goodt a ride as anypoty. Unt I doubt vat dem peopies say, "De arly varm ketch de pirt," unt I take my carpet pag vot I bring von Yarmany, mit pig ret posies on unt vat makes fast like dem leedle bucket pooks on top mit a schnap. Vell, van I came on McKinley's house dare vash already fifteen maus sthandin on de dgor before. Unt van I come up dey say, "I vonder vat dat Dutchman vants?" Auver I say noding, I yuscht go de house around unt knock on de door behint.

De garl say "vat you want?" I say "you denk you vash a bresident, too, huh? I vant McKinley secan."

She say, "go on de door before." I say, "no I go behint in."

She call a mans unt she say: "I denk de Dutchman ish crazy in det headt."

Auver he bring me ride avay on McKinley, unt van he see me he yuscht schmile his face all oufer, unt say "vot I can for you doen?" I say, "gif me de poschtoffice on Hemingford."

He say, "set you a leedle here down. Unt he say, "know you der Doctor Miller?"

I say, "I haf ten poys unt von garl, unt I pay Doctor Miller for dem schildren effery von fifteen tollars, von hundred unt sixty-five tollars for dem family by gollies. I dink I forgot him not so quick already."

Den he say, "know you der Col. Tash?"

I say, "vot ish all de time borrowing to dem peopies money on dem mortgages yes?"

He say, "I denk." Den he say, "know you der Major Gilman?"

I say, "vot ish sittin effery day on de county attorney's office yes?"

He say, "unt Carl Roberts?" I say, "de feller who owns fifty head of cattle yes?"

Unt he say, "Charlie Johnson?" I say "dot nice leedle fellow dot ish headt clerk at Wildy's unt gefs \$75 a month yes."

He say, "unt you know Mrs. Rustin?" I say, "dat cute leedle schule maam dat gets \$70 a month yes."

Unt he say, "yah, yah. Vell, dem peopies vant de poschtoffice, too."

I say, "vell dem ish all goodt fellers auver dey haf no poys. Ven dey got dem office dey haf all hired mans unt dem fellers maby ish setin all de time half down, vile dem peopies vash vaitin for dem mails. Auver me unt my poys ve stribit all dem mails unt carry dem on de houses ride avay. Dem poys can so quick go like de vint. Unt van a ledder mit money comes I yuscht hold it to de candle pefore unt van I see dot plack sthreek I know ride avay vot dot ish, unt I gif dot to my Otto. I vish you see dot poy; hish leggs come avay oup his sholders between. Auver, he can run like a telegraph so soon unt bring dot ledder to dem peopies, I bet you.

Unt dem bostal carts, I reat dem effery von, unt van von vash in a hurry sent I gif dot to my liddle Hiney; he can, by gollies, yuscht so quick run like a tear.

Unt dem pension ledders I gif yuscht to dem fellers vot vote for McKinley and McCall, unt dem oners I send effery von ride away to de goverfment back, unt dot vay ye make pooty soon dem ox-phenses vot Cleveland ran de goverfment behint up.

Unt all dem ledders vot come for dem draveling mans unt for peopies vot moye avay, unt dun ledders I gif to dem peopies vot vash effery day lookin on de poschtoffice for mails auver neffer got noding. Unt dot vay I bleas dem peopies unt neffer haf some deat ledders layin' aroud making dem bat schimells.

Unt all dem ledders vot dem mans ride to dem garis vantin dem to meet dem on de candy sthore utfer de opra house, pecause der vives vash avay—I gif dem to Harry Pierce, de couchstable, unt I haf him meet dem fellers mit hish clap, by gollies. I denk dot vay ye make dem families of night's putty soon bigger at home. I bet you by schingoes I make de bescht poschtmaster vot offer you hat."

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