

Correspondence.

Ryno.
 Woman's Suffrage meeting was fairly well represented on last Saturday night. They will meet on the first Saturday night of each month until further notice.
 Garland Lewis closed a very successful term of school at Custer on last Friday night with an entertainment. Recitations and music, both vocal and instrumental constituted the program. Everything passed off without the sign of a failure. Garland will leave the coming week for Grand Island, to resume his studies at the Baptist college.
 Ed. Booth has moved to the George Smith place near Ryno.
 L. F. Finley has moved to Sherman county.
 John Province moved to the Donahy place Saturday.
 John McDermott will move to his claim south of Ryno.
 G. H. Carrell is very sick. He has La Grippe.
 Will Pierce will move to the ranch vacated by McDermott.
 John Merford returned last week from a six weeks visit among relatives in Thayer county.
 M. J. Rottgen commenced sowing wheat on last Saturday. Several are getting ready to sow this week if weather is favorable.
 While cutting brush with a corn cutter, B. O. Shedd accidentally cut his left arm making a bad sore. He is now undergoing repairs.
 C. G. Empfield has contracted to build a large frame house for Mr. Robinson, near New Helena. He and his brother Bert will commence it this week.

Round Valley.
 Fine weather. All in the valley are preparing for farm work. Wheat sowing has commenced and considerable acreage will be put in this spring of that serial.

Aslak Anderson, who went on a visit to old Norway last fall, arrived back to the valley last Friday night. He had enjoyed a pleasant trip, but preferred old Custer county to live in. His cousin and a nephew of Mr. Eggelsjerd accompanied him back. The newcomers like the country well and are satisfied in coming here.

Levi Riser met with a bad accident in riding to the post office. His horse fell with its weight on Levi's foot. The foot was badly crushed but he is now able to leave the bed.

Mrs. Helgeson is still on the sick list. Wm. Ellingson and family arrived from Adams county. They will farm Mrs. Ellingson's farm for the future.

Andrew Olsen moved on his father's farm Monday this week.

The young people surprised Frank Christie on his birthday last Thursday night. It is reported that they had a good time.

Eugene Brondige has bought Toled Olsen's team and is ready to farm. Who is to be the cook?

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