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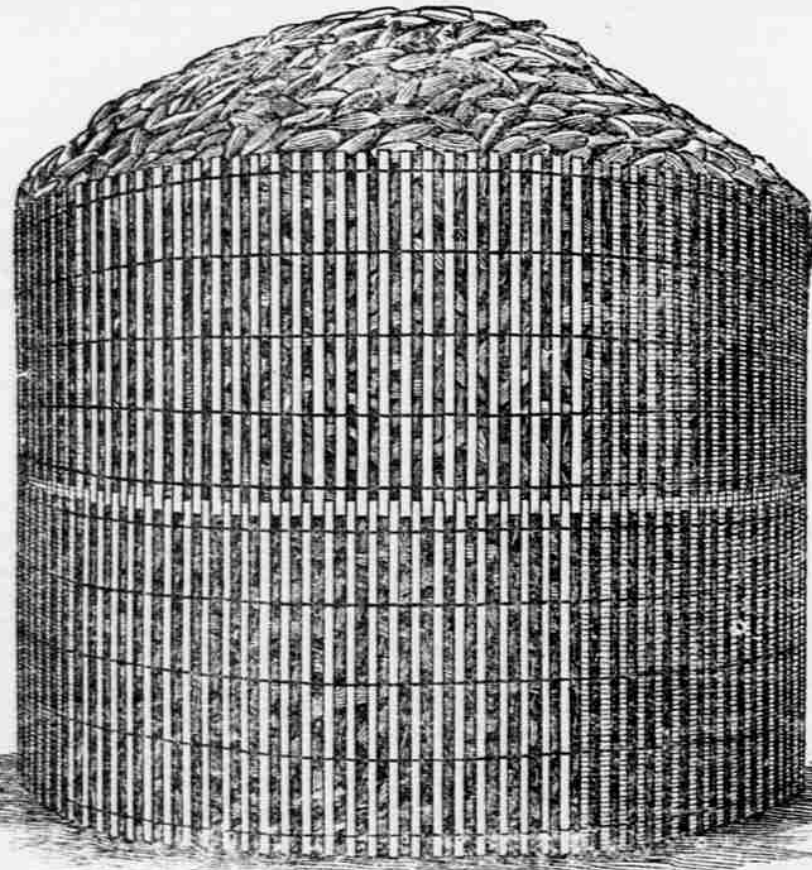
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County Teachers' Meeting.

The Red Willow county teachers' association met in the East ward school building in McCook, Saturday morning. The president of the association, who lives in the east end of the county, was not able to be here at ten o'clock, and the meeting was opened at eleven, with over thirty teachers in attendance.

The exercises were opened by the singing of "America." The first paper, "Methods of Teaching Literature in the Elementary Grades" by Miss Ella Leonard of McCook was an excellent one and should have called forth a lively discussion as many of the ideas presented were somewhat in advance of the methods practiced in our district schools. The paper on "Recess; How to Make it Interesting and Profitable," by Kathryn Duffy treated the subject from the standpoint of the district school and contained many valuable hints. Prof. Hendee of Bartley, heading the discussion, maintained that recess in grades above the sixth tended to distract the minds of the pupils and allowed them opportunities to plan mischief, therefore was detrimental. Prof. Caviness argued with Prof. Hendee advocating shorter school hours and no recess. Mr. Longnecker argued that it might be made a valuable aid in teaching amiability and a proper regard for personal rights, if properly overlooked by the teacher. Mrs. Cordeal called the grade teacher's attention to the fact that the graded school could be no criterion for the district school; that it would be manifestly unjust to allow an ungraded school with children of different ages to go without recess; that it might be made a means of recreation for the younger ones, and of sociability and mutual aid for the teacher and older pupils.

"Literature for Teachers"—this subject was handled in a masterly way by Prof. Hendee of Bartley. After showing the necessity for particular literature for all the profession, he advised teachers to first fill their minds with our best standard literature of the past. Johnson, Addison, Dickens, Moore, Scott, Burns, "Morley's Men of Letters," Macaulay, Thackeray, Shakespeare etc., then to provide themselves with the best educational journals, as well as the standard magazines. Prof. Caviness, leading the discussion, advised keeping up with the times by following our best living authors, discriminating between the good and that which was likely to be of transient use such as "Robert Elsmere," "Tribby" etc. Mrs. Cordeal agreed with Prof. Hendee that there was nothing equal to the older standard literature as a foundation upon which to build all literary attainment, but while admitting that much of our modern literature is somewhat evanescent in character, that there is very little we can afford to miss, as it has its own use today, although it may die tomorrow. "Quo Vadis" may not live forever, but as an aid to the student of Roman history it has its value in its portrayal of Nero's character and the staunch faith of the early Christians. Our magazines, no doubt contain much that is useless, but they also contain the best from living writers. The Atlantic Monthly being especially valuable to teachers on account of the articles on modern education by our most noted educators.

Miss Kay of Danbury not having arrived yet, an adjournment to dinner was announced. The teachers of McCook and the twelfth grade of the High school served dinner to the visiting teachers in the basement of the school house. About forty teachers were entertained. Chicken pie, cranberry sauce, vegetables, coffee, cake and fruit constituted the menu. The twelfth grade deserves great credit for the satisfactory manner in which it was served.

The afternoon session was called to order by the president and Miss Brinton appointed secretary pro tem., in the absence of the regular secretary.

Miss Kay's paper on "Methods in Geography" contained many excellent thoughts, but called forth no discussion. The paper on "Self Improvement" by Miss Bertha Lincoln of McCook was spicy and to the point, containing much that would be useful to teachers. All seeming to agree with Miss Lincoln, no discussion of any moment resulted.

Miss Ora Smith of Indianola not being present, her subject of "Scientific Temperance in Elementary Schools" was taken up for discussion. Prof. Hendee was in favor of teaching temperance by showing the injurious results of narcotics and alcohol by scientific experiments, arguing that pupils witnessing the results would be warned against their use. Prof. Caviness, on the contrary, advised having the discussion of these subjects out of the schools as pupils were prone to draw their conclusions from the examples around them, and to doubt the veracity of text books whose conclusions seem to be refuted in every day life. Miss Berry thought that reproofs and lectures on these subjects did more harm than good, and that we must reach the pupils by other means, such as higher ideas, the good and the beautiful; that we should point out and lead up to a life of cleanliness, decency and purity, not by lectures and fault finding but by gradual cultivation of the higher ideals. As this subject proved very interesting and likely to take too much time, the president called for the next paper.

"Ethics; How Taught," by Miss Elizabeth Thomson of McCook. This was a very excellent paper, and after a short speech by Rev. Turner on the same subject, who emphasized Miss Thomson's views, it was discussed by several of the teachers present, great stress being placed on the idea that outward form must be combined with motive or intent. Children should be taught politeness and kindness as well.

Mr. Stilgebauer not being present, the subject of his paper, "Civil Government," was deferred till another time. Unfortunately, Miss Welborn, our county superintendent, was able to be present only a short time, because of an examination of teachers which she was conducting in the court house. When called upon for a few remarks she excused herself by pleading the lateness of the hour and the long distance to be traversed by many of the teachers present. A little business came before the meeting which then adjourned to meet in Indianola some time in January.

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BARTLEY.

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Sheriff Neel and brother were registered at the Bartley House, Thursday.

Bert Bush, extra agent, is here during Agent Hanson's absence, this week.

G. W. Jones is putting corrugated iron siding on his store building, this week.

A. E. Crosby is enjoying a visit from his son Frank of Franklin, this week.

Ernest Eller is down from the county seat assisting in the Barnett lumber yard here.

Jan. Sipe has purchased 100 head of choice swine of Frank Unteidt, paying \$3.70 per cwt.

A. Barnett and little son Frank of the west-end city were Bartley House guests, Thursday.

F. G. Stilgebauer of Danbury was shaking hands with old-time friends here, last Saturday.

The Methodist brethren have several men and teams excavating for the new church basement.

Joe Trissell has contracted to clean the brick in the old college foundation at \$1.75 per thousand.

B. F. Shultz has sold his broom corn to Rankin Bros. of Cambridge for \$92 per ton. He is loading it at this point.

James Farrell, S. C. Wolf and the Bartley House people have adopted the new gas lamps in their places of business.

W. C. Hanson is visiting friends and relatives at Franklin and Bloomington, this week. He expects to return early in the coming week.

Mrs. Minnich has been spending the week in Indianola with her sister, Mrs. L. Duckworth, who has been seriously ill, but is now improving.

John Wolf has erected a large barn and wood-house on his lots in the north-western part of town, and expects to construct a substantial residence as soon as he can engage carpenters.

Judge Tucker addressed a large and enthusiastic hearing here, Wednesday afternoon, in a manner which offered no encouragement to our Popocratic friends. The judge's presentation of Republican doctrine was able and logical, and was calculated to set the doubtful voter right again. Several of the Republican county candidates were present at the meeting.

J. H. Berge, R. A. Green and G. C. Boatman have been temporarily located in Bartley, this week. As we all have our taxes paid and Pops are unknown in this vicinity, they were evidently here with a view to assisting the force of brick-cleaners on the college foundation. The foreman of the gang said he would expect them here wearing bib-oversalls on November 8th.

During Treasurer Berge's stay here, this week, he became so excited over his excellent prospect of getting let out that he annexed a sample case belonging to a traveling representative of Armour's Packing company, and carried it to the depot, where the owner of the same followed him and filled the air full of Popocratic wickers, theoretically spilling. They do say that his joblots did record time over that four-block stretch to the hotel after his own carpet-bag, the man whose cholera he had aroused having failed to bring it when he was chasing his own.

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