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THIS AND THAT

Coming Events.
Children's Day, M. E. Church—June 29.
School election—June 29.
Independence Day—July 4.
Populist County Convention—July 8.
Teachers' Institute—July 20.

Read our weather report

Bathing suits at T. C. Hornby's. 21

C. H. Cornell spent Friday in Irwin.

T. B. Irwin was in town on business, Tuesday.

Willis Bannard and father were in town Tuesday.

W. F. Morgareidge, of Simeon, spent Sunday in town.

Ralph Gordon made this office a pleasant call last Monday.

Prof. C. A. Lovejoy was one of our most pleasant visitors, Monday.

The small boy is rushing the Fourth of July and wasting firecrackers.

James M. Woods, of Rapid City was in town the first of the week.

Miss Katie Noble will start for Kearney Saturday to spend her vacation.

Chas. Reece was in town Sunday. He closed his school at Arabia, Friday.

J. C. Northrop and wife returned Monday night from their visit to Iowa

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AS EQUALIZED

T. C. Hornby will give lowest prices on 4th of July supplies. Nuts, candy, lemons. 21

FOUND—Necklace, on Main street. Owner can have same by calling at this office, proving property and paying for this notice.

J. T. Florentine, of Wheaton, and C. A. Goldsmith, of Norfolk, railroad auditors, are in town fixing up the books to transfer from Mr. Burton to Mr. Northrop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Watson left on east bound passenger Sunday morning, the former going to Sioux City and the latter to Creighton, where she will visit her parents.

The commissioners' report of the equalization of taxes in the various precincts, printed in this paper, is the most complete ever published by any paper in this county.

Mrs. Jane Parry, wife of Samuel Parry, died at her home near Sparks last night about 9 o'clock of cancer. The burial will take place at Kewanee this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The town of Lynch, Boyd county, which was almost wiped out of existence last winter by fire, was nearly destroyed by wind last week. "Peggy" Sanders runs or did run a so-called newspaper there.

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The Valuation of the Various Precincts of Cherry County is as Given Below—Some Valuations are Raised and Some are Lowered

NOTE—R raised L lowered. Figures are the per cent of increase or decrease

PRECINCT.	Horses	Cattle	Mules	Sheep	Land	Lot	Unders	Pers	Total
	R	L	R	L	R	R	R	R	
Buffalo Lake	44	25	3	14	65	30	10829	19628	35451
Boiling Springs	44	25	3	14	65	30	17649	19758	37406
Cleveland	12	12	4	8	30	66	10000	11844	22744
Dewey Lake	14	14	14	30	106	6	12023	12708	24731
Enlow	7	7	14	25	30	9	7127	27376	34503
Ell	30	30	8	20	8	11	9072	9476	18548
Gillaspie	14	14	14	25	30	9	7101	23948	30949
German	21	20	19	18	30	9	4387	3192	11389
Georgia	21	18	18	20	30	9	4284	2372	6656
Irwin	14	14	14	25	30	9	14516	23944	37960
Kewanee	4	4	4	8	30	9	18496	2858	21354
Kennedy	2	2	2	4	30	9	7588	10624	17912
Long	17	17	17	30	30	9	37756	26531	48087
Lavaas	17	17	17	30	30	9	19776	8698	28474
Merriman	17	17	17	30	30	9	11961	12616	24577
Mother Lake	30	30	30	30	30	9	8599	26255	34854
Minechadza	30	30	30	30	30	9	26770	7599	34369
Nenzel	11	11	11	20	30	9	4287	3257	7544
Pleasant Hill	14	14	14	25	30	9	18312	12911	31223
Sparks	14	14	14	25	30	9	4997	24303	29300
Sharp's Ranch	83	42	20	20	30	9	16519	3833	19946
Sheep	62	42	20	20	30	9	8636	11459	19947
Schlagel	14	14	14	25	30	9	14071	4703	18841
Table	7	7	7	14	30	9	24306	4904	29210
Valentine	121	121	121	30	30	9	14724	7497	22221
Wood Lake	22	22	22	30	30	9	45387	18115	63502
Valentine Village	22	22	22	30	30	9	36114	8727	44841
Wood Lake	22	22	22	30	30	9	1338	1338	2676
Yody	22	22	22	30	30	9	880	880	1760
Crookston	22	22	22	30	30	9	1108	1108	2216
Nenzel	22	22	22	30	30	9	60	60	120
Rigore	22	22	22	30	30	9	206	206	412
Georgia	22	22	22	30	30	9	870	870	1740
Cooper	22	22	22	30	30	9	38	38	76
Sparks	22	22	22	30	30	9	374	374	748
E. E. & M. V. R. E.	22	22	22	30	30	9	204485	29425	233910
W. U. Telegraph	22	22	22	30	30	9	6702	6702	13404
Wagner Sleeping Car	22	22	22	30	30	9	1711	1711	3422
Total valuation of the county							51812	51812	103624
Grand total of valuation									\$1,219,537

Av. value of horses \$5.15; mules \$6.00; cattle \$5.09; sheep \$0.40; land \$1.09

County Commissioners

Have Completed Their Labors as a Board of Equalization.

VALENTINE, Neb., June 9 1896.
The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session as a board of equalization. Members present, M. Dunham, president; P. Sullivan, Max. E. Viertel.
Continued in the business of equalization during the day, and adjourned until June 10th 1896.

June 10th, 1896.
Board met pursuant to adjournment. On motion the Clerk was directed to notify C. J. Anderson to appear before the board on or before June 15th, and show cause why his assessment in Sharps Ranch precinct should not be raised.
On motion the Clerk was directed to notify B. F. Hobson to appear and show cause why 136 head of cattle owned by him should not be assessed.
Board continued in session engaged in the work of equalization from day to day until the evening of the 13th when they adjourned until the 15th.

June 15th 1896
Board met in regular session as a Board of County Commissioners and immediately adjourned and reconvened as a board of equalization and continued the equalization until the 17th having adopted the foregoing schedule of percentages and raised or lowered the different classes of property in accordance therewith.
Whereupon the following levies were made:
County General Fund..... 9. Mills
County Bridge Fund..... 3.5-10 "
County Road Fund..... 2.4-10 "
County Soldier's Relief..... 1-10 "
Total..... 15. Mills
County Sinking Fund certified by County clerk 2 mills.
Valentine Village General Fund certified by Village Clerk 6 mills.
Valentine Village Sinking Fund certified by Village Clerk 7 mills.
Valentine Precinct Road Bond Fund 1 mil.
School District Bond Fund Levies.

No	Levy	No	Levy
2	6 mills	4	5 mills
7	5 "	8	8 "
10	2 "	12	3 "
16	2 "	20	4 "
23	15 "	26	8 "
28	15 "	30	5 "
33	10 "	39	1 "
41	9 "	47	2 "
48	12 "	65	5 "
70	3 "	71	10 "
49	5 "	82	1 "

There being no further business the board adjourned sine die at noon June 17, 1896.
Attest: GEO. ELLIOTT,
County Clerk.

Woman Suffrage Meeting.

The people of Longpine are making great preparation for the coming session of the Chataqua which is to be held there July 17th to 23th. The state meeting of the Woman's Suffrage Association will be held on the 23rd, and speakers of national fame will be present to take part in the deliberations of the Association and talk to those present. The meeting will last several days, but Thursday, July 23 will be given entirely to the women.

Married.

Last—at the hour of—Mr. — and Miss — were joined in the holy bands of wedlock. The couple will make their future home at — and THE Democrat wishes them success. Now is a good time however to give warning that when an affair of this kind is desired to be kept quiet the parties should call at headquarters. As a newspaper we cannot afford to suppress an item without good and sufficient reason.

Celebration at Kennedy.

Kennedy will have a grand Fourth of July celebration. Exercises will commence at 10 a. m. with music, the Declaration of Independence will be read by Milt Latta, and a program of recitations, etc., will be rendered by school children. The sports will include horse, pony, foot and sack racing greased pole climbing and so on and will wind up with fireworks at night.

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