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OLD SETTLERS HAVE A JOOLY GOOD TIME

The old settlers reunion on North Table last Saturday was attended by a large number of people from the surrounding country and the "woods was full of people," so to speak, who enjoyed themselves as a grand old time picnic. Everything went well and there was something doing all the time to interest those who came to see and hear and visit with old time neighbors. The following special report in detail by Mrs. Lottie Cramer will be found interesting:

WINNERS OF PRIZES.

Ball game, Valentine.
Horse race, C. C. Thompson, 1st and 3rd; John Osborn, 2nd.
Pony race, Eldie Kelley, 1st; Mont Bishop, 2nd.
Consolation race, Dave Fowler, 1st; Ed Hollenbeck, 2nd.
Men's foot race, C. Brunell, 1st; Wm. Grooms 2nd.
Fat men's race, Bert Hammond, 1st; D. Fowler, 2nd.
Boys' race, Andrew Galloway, 1st; C. Beeman, 2nd.
Boys' race, under 10, C. J. Haley, 1st; Lawrence Rice, 2nd.
Dumb bell contest, Milton Reagle.

Standing broad jump, George Stetter.

Best fall wheat, Mr. Van Metre.
Oats, T. W. Cramer.
Speltz, Louis Taylor.
Bromus, C. W. Cramer.
Alfalfa, T. W. Cramer.
Ear corn, C. M. VanMetre.
Stalks of corn, R. M. Crabb.
Peck potatoes, VanMetre, 1st; J. B. Gaskill, 2nd.

Head cabbage, VanMetre.
Watermelon, Webster Wertz.
1/2 doz. beets, Jas. Searby.
1/2 doz. carrots, Mrs. Spratt.
Celery, J. B. Gaskill.
Squash, Ralph Crabb.
Pumpkin, Mr. Lower.
Crab apples, apples, plums and tomatoes, Mr. VanMetre.
All purpose team and driving team, Wm. Brosius.

Brood mare, Louis Taylor, 1st; T. W. Cramer, 2nd.
Two-year-old mule, Wm. Cramer.
Spring mule, Wm. Shelbourn, 1st; T. W. Cramer, 2nd.
Yearling colt, Hazel Camm, 1st; T. W. Cramer, 2nd.

Spring colt, Louis Taylor, 1st; F. H. Higgin, 2nd.
Calf, Mr. VanMetre.
Pair Pigs, C. W. Cramer.
Two-year-old colt, Hazel Camm.
Crocheting, Mrs. Sadie Fowler.
Knitting, Lottie Cramer.
Embroidery, Mrs. Viertel.
Plain sewing, Ollie VanMetre.
Patching and darning, Lottie Cramer.

Loaf bread, Mrs. Hahn.
Cake, Rose Fowler.
Pie, Mrs. Perkins.
Jellies, etc., Mrs. VanMetre.
Pickles, Lottie Cramer.
Plymouth Rocks, Mrs. Sadie Fowler.

Miscellaneous chickens, J. F. Shepard.

Composition, Crookston school.
Art, Crookston school, 1st; Fairview school, 2nd.
Prettiest baby, W. M. Hooper, 1st; Marvin Jeffers, 2nd.

The literary program, with two exceptions, was carried out as printed. We were unfortunate in having a heavy wind and it was very difficult to make the audience hear, but those who could hear pronounced the program a success. Every number was marked with careful and thoughtful preparation and excellent delivery.

Mr. Reece gave an excellent address fraught with items of interest to the farmer and rancher, and good advice to husband, wife and young people.

Rev. Beale is especially thanked

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for assisting us, as he did, without a previous invitation.

The program committee extend thanks to everyone who assisted in furnishing a program.

ELLIOTT-BREUKLANDER.

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Elliott at McCann, Neb., Sunday noon, Sept. 8, 1907, when their daughter Blanche M. was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Herbert Z. Breuklander of this city, Rev. J. A. W. Johnson of Kilgore performing the ceremony in the presence of the family and a few invited friends. After the ceremony hearty congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Breuklander, after which an appetizing dinner was served.

Mr. Breuklander is one of Valentine's young men of excellent habits and qualities, has grown to manhood in this city and is highly respected by all who know him.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Elliott and is one of McCann's charming ladies.

Miss Mae Gunderson of this city acted as bridesmaid and L. Hand acted as best man.

Many were the costly and useful presents presented to this worthy young couple who will occupy their new home, one of P. F. Simons' residences on south Cherry street, after Sept. 11.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

FLIRTING TABOOED.

Highmore, S. D., Sept. 9.—Flirting in public places is a misdemeanor in this town.

Acting Mayor J. E. McDonald has approved an ordinance passed by the town council making it unlawful to loiter on the steps of any church, public building or in the doorway of any store for the purpose of visiting or eating candy or peanuts, or flirting.

Parents and guardians are held responsible, by the ordinance, for the behavior of children or wards. Several prominent young couples are already under surveillance and arrests are expected.—Omaha Daily News.

CHERRY CO. SCHOOL NOTES

The east Cherry county teachers association will meet in the high school room at Valentine, Saturday, Sept. 14, at 1:30 p. m., for election of officers, organization and reading circle work.

LULU KORTZ, Co. Supt.

Peter DeCory shipped ten cars of cattle to Omaha Tuesday and went down with them.

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