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RAILROAD TIME-TABLES. Until further notice, trains on the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will arrive and depart at Canton station as follows:

TRAINS LEAVING SIOUX FALLS. Passenger... 1:00 p. m. Freight... 12:30 p. m. TRAINS ARRIVING AT SIOUX FALLS. Passenger... 11:30 a. m. Freight... 8:10 a. m.

Sioux City & Northern Railroad. No. 5. * Passenger Express. No. 4. * Passenger Express. No. 3. * Passenger Express.

Isaac M. Helmev. DR W. J. Kelman. THE CORNER DRUG STORE. COURT IS NOW IN SESSION.

but we are always courting your trade and are selling The Economy Fire Kindler at 100 Fires for 15 c. usual price is 25 c. Call and get a sample. We have just received our first invoice of PLUSH GOODS and shall have the finest line this season ever shown in Canton and our customers may expect some rare bargains during Holiday Trade.

Prescriptions and Family Recipe a specialty. Yours Respectfully. HELMEV & KELMAN, Corner Drug Store, Canton, S. D.

THE NEWS AROUND HOME.

Money is plenty. Business is lively. Hard times belong to the past. The Australian ballot law works fine. THE LEADER from now until Jan. 1 for 25 cents. D. J. Carpenter is paying 19 cents per dozen for eggs.

If you want no. 1 hard or soft coal, call at Ferguson & Treats large lumber yard and get prices. Augustana College of this city offers superior advantages for a practical education. Send for catalogues.

Lincoln county Independent's are to the front this year, and C. A. Carlson is elected by a good majority. Good enough for this year. We will do better another year.

THE LEADER, from now until January 1st, 1893, for the small sum of one dollar, and we will state right here that this offer may only hold good for another month.

Ralph Merrill a traveling salesman for a Chicago house made a trip last Monday, on his wheel to Beloit and return in thirteen minutes, a distance of four miles.

Next Sunday Rev. Rifenbark will preach in the Methodist church. He will also continue to preach regularly as he is the Methodist Elder of the Canton Charge for another year.

We have the equipments to give receipts for Stock now and any one that wishes to pay up his stock, that was sold, can do so by calling at the LEADER office.

Mrs. R. L. Dunlap left last Tuesday for her home at Champaign Illinois. She has been here visiting for a number of week's past and likes Dakota very much.

The report of election show how little interest the republicans took in defeating themselves by not coming out to the polls. Probably they desire to see them buried as thing of the past.

Case Bros. have completed the inside fixtures of their place of business and will run a wholesale and retail cigar business. They are prepared to manufacture cigars second to none.

The following is the state of the produce market at Canton. Thursday morning, Oct. 29: Wheat, 73; oats, 18@20; corn, 40@45c; barley, .35@40c; flax, 75.

Last Saturday morning S. B. Averill's dwelling had a close call of burning. The fire caught in the roof at the south end of the building by a defect in the chimney.

The following are the names of those that called at the LEADER office and paid for the LEADER this week: Toief Brynjulson, O. H. Lien, J. K. Benson, Henry Brandon, N. N. Romerim, Jas. Myher, E. Gibson, G. M. Housley, A. J. Wimple, W. Hanson, R. Donohue, Ole Ulberg, Ed. Wardell.

The Harvest Festival at the Presbyterian church drew a large crowd last Sunday evening. Extra chairs had been provided and at best the church would not afford Standing room. A good programme was provided and the several departments did fair justice to their part of the programme.

THE COURT CALENDAR.

The Circuit Court has been in session for two weeks, and during that time a large number of cases have been disposed of, so that it is stated that the calendar has been more nearly cleared up than ever before. A few cases, of course, were continued; but these were generally such as Judge Aikens had been formerly interested in, and hence could not properly be tried before him.

The following is a list of the more important cases that were disposed of by the court: State of South Dakota v. Aaron B. Jones, indicted for selling liquor unlawfully, was dismissed by the state's attorney, on the ground that the defendant had "skipped the country." The

case of perjury against the same defendant was continued. State of South Dakota v. Bartlett Minot, indicted for selling mortgaged property, was dismissed upon a motion to set aside the indictment for not sufficiently charging a public offense. The defendant however, was not discharged; but the case was held to be submitted to the next grand jury to find a new indictment.

State of South Dakota v. Frank Pelton, three indictments for grand and petit larceny, were continued until the next term of court. State of South Dakota vs. Andreas Handscheigle, indictments for selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, were all disposed of at this term. One of the cases was called for trial on Friday last and the entire day was consumed in its hearing. Late in the evening the jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the next day the state's attorney moved to dismiss the remainder of these cases against Handscheigle, which was granted by the court. Thus it will be seen, that "Old Hans," as he is familiarly known, has no charges standing against him in this court, and in the future it will be unnecessary for him to visit the neighboring states during its sessions. This hero of many law-suits has removed upon his farm and is now pursuing the peaceful occupation of farming, and in this it is to be hoped he may remain.

State of South Dakota v. Frank Rodway, indicted for selling liquor unlawfully, was continued. It seems that this defendant went off on a visit shortly before the convening of court, and forgot to return as he had agreed, a defect of memory that the court is not apt to excuse, if he ever should come back.

State of South Dakota vs. William W. Lyon, indictment for rape, occupied several days of the court in its trial. The evidence was of such a character that the jury felt warranted, after being out nearly one whole day, in returning a verdict of guilty of rape in the second degree. On Monday the prisoner was sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for a term of twenty years, which by good behavior he can reduce to fifteen years. This is a severe sentence, but not more so than the nature of this offense warranted. On Wednesday he was taken by the sheriff to Sioux Falls where he is now serving out his sentence. The prisoner's attorneys have made a motion in arrest of judgment and for a new trial which will be argued before the Supreme Court sometime next May, when they hope to get the prisoner released.

State of South Dakota v. Austin Olson, indictment for mayhem in biting off another man's thumb, was continued until the next term of court.

CIVIL CALENDAR. The civil cases disposed of were as follows: St Croix Lumber Co., v. M. L. Syverud was settled and dismissed.

C. B. Kennedy vs. Canton City School District, a claim for attorney's fees, the jury rendered a verdict against the plaintiff.

William Ellis vs. W. S. Wait and Lucy Wait, action to foreclose a mortgage where the defendants claimed that the mortgage was materially altered after they had signed the same, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendants.

T. R. Nickerson v. C. A. Bedford, judgment by agreement for plaintiff. Iver Anderson vs. R. A. Pierce was continued.

C. B. Kennedy vs. L. M. Hartley, verdict for the plaintiff for \$36.00. Geo. M. Brown vs. M. F. Davis was continued by consent until the next term of the court, with a view to settlement.

T. J. Shay vs. Frazier Gelman, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff. M. E. Rudolph vs. M. H. Herman, claim for rent, the court overruled the demurrer of the plaintiff to a part of defendants answer.

M. H. Hastings vs. Joseph Willit action to foreclose mortgage, was settled. John W. Steel vs. Jesse M. Kerr, appeal from justice of the Peace on question of law. The judgment of the justice was reversed and the case remanded for further proceedings according to law.

This case involved the right of the parties in a jury treat before a justice to exercise what are known as peremptory challenges after the jury is in the jury box. The circuit court holds that the right exists and that it is error for a

justice to refuse parties that right. Carl Guster Jonson vs. Phillip Newman and Thos. Thorson, suit to foreclose a mortgage upon land. Judgment by agreement for \$500.00, and mortgage to be foreclosed if not paid by January 1st, 1892. Peter Dyste v. Alice Warner and J. A. Warner, Decree of foreclosure granted. C. M. & St. P. Ry. Co. vs. O. A. Rudolph, suit for specific performance was continued until the next term of court. Edwin L. Maqwell vs. J. H. Gale and C. B. Kennedy, was settled.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION. The Canton Teachers Association held its first regular meeting of the year in the Canton school building, on the afternoon of Saturday, October 31st, 1891.

A very fair number of teachers and others were in attendance. In a few well chosen words, President Tuve called the meeting to order.

The secretary being absent, Professor Spafford was elected secretary pro tem. At the conclusion of the opening song, Miss Luella Moyer presented the subject of Primary Reading. She spoke somewhat of the word and synthetic methods, and showed, by black-board illustration, how beginners may be assisted in acquiring a distinct articulation.

Next in order of program was a talk on the subject, The First Day in a Country School, "by Supt. Lund. His remarks were of especial value to young teachers.

Should the teacher follow the many helpful suggestions that were given in regard to preliminary arrangements for a term of school, and the order of work for the "first day," she would certainly meet with success in the beginning, which is of the utmost importance, as a creditable entering upon work, usually results in successful work through out the term.

Prof. Tuve made a few remarks relating to the same subject, which were also much appreciated by the teachers. This was followed by a recitation very ably rendered by C. F. DeGroff. After an intermission of a few minutes, during which a very social time was enjoyed, Mrs. F. F. Wilson read paper on English Grammar. The mistakes sometimes made in presenting and teaching this branch of study, were mentioned, as was also some practical methods by which it may be effectively taught.

A recitation by Miss Hannah Nordvedt concluded the exercises. An opportunity was then given teachers, not members, to unite with association.

After the reading of the constitution, the following names were added to the roll of membership. B. C. McKenzie, C. F. DeGroff, Nina C. Gromann, R. E. Hendricks, D. P. Brady, H. B. Brady, Jessie Shore, Lizzie Skaine, Ellen Strang, Gertie Smelker, Luella Moyes, Mrs. J. L. Herman.

In accordance with Section 10 of the constitution, the association next proceeded to the election of officers. Election by ballot being decided upon the following officers were duly elected for the ensuing term. Supt. H. B. Lund, president; Miss Belle Pelton, secretary. There being no further business, the association adjourned to meet again Nov. 28th, 1891, at one o'clock p. m. The following program has been arranged for that date: Music.

Fractions, D. P. Brady. Busy Work, Miss Belle Pelton. Particles, Prof. A. J. A. Spafford.

INTERMISSION. Primary History, R. E. Hendricks. Essay, W. L. Meimer. Select Reading, Prof. A. G. Tuve. Song, Mrs. H. R. Lund.

BELLE PELTON, Secretary. NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the regular meeting of the county alliance will meet at the court house in Canton on Saturday the 14th day of November, 1891 at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time all the delegates are requested to be present. Eden Oct. 26th, 1891. O. J. [Name], Secretary.

PENSIONS. THE DISABILITY BILL IS LAW. Soldiers Disabled Since the War are Enrolled. Dependent widows and parents now dependent whose sons died from effects of army service are included. If you wish your claim speedily and successfully prosecuted, address JAMES TANNER, Late Comm. of Pensions, Washington, D. C.