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"A TIME LIKE THIS DEMANDS STRONG MINDS, GREAT HEARTS, TRUE FAITH AND READY HANDS."

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KINSLEY, EDWARDS COUNTY, KANSAS, SEPTEMBER 4, 1903.

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IN THE SOCIAL WHIRL.

There was a crowd of people at the river south of town Tuesday evening. They went in three hay-racks, several buggies and automobiles. It was a scheme concocted by Charlie Hine and Arthur Smart. They are trying to break the agony of leaving home and so subject themselves to all sorts of tortures in order that when the time comes they will be reconciled to go. On this occasion about 70 people were invited to go to the river, carry their supper and eat it on the sand, then sing and dance in the light of the moon until tired nature rebelled and beds became a necessity. The program was successfully carried out and, strange to say, staid and presumably sober elders seemed to enjoy the lark as much as the kids. A pleasant spot was sought just west of the new bridge where a gasoline stove was invoked, by the aid of which coffee was soon ready. In the meantime the ladies had spread table cloths on the sand on which supper was served to the many guests who found comfortable seats on the rugs surrounding the so-called table. The whole thing seemed a joke, but it was a good one and all enjoyed the outing. Some even went so far as to express a regret that the boys were so soon to leave us. Mrs. Sellers had full charge of the management of the affair and to her is due the credit for the success of the outing.

A large party went out to Charlie Piburn's last Saturday night to help the victims of a surprise party celebrate the tenth anniversary of their wedding. Mrs. Miller was partly responsible, as she suggested the idea to Mrs. Ed Wilson and the latter got up the party which embarked in several carryalls, otherwise known as hay-racks, and left town about eight o'clock for the outward journey. They say that it was their intention when leaving home to be law-abiding citizens but they had such a good time that they just couldn't get away in time to avoid breaking the first day of the week. They promise not to do it again until the Piburn's have another anniversary which falls on Saturday.

Mrs. W. D. Erwin entertained thirty

ladies at tea last Friday evening. The new Erwin home with its pretty grounds was at its best. Supper was served in the yard on small tables and Mrs. Erwin's daughters were assisted in serving by Misses Kittie Blanchard and Lola Morse. The yard was lighted with Japanese lanterns late in the evening although most of the guests returned to the parlors where the merriment reached quite an altitude before the evening was over.

The daughters of Mrs. Edward Wells, Misses Edna, Genevieve and Beryl, entertained a number of their girl friends at tea Monday evening. A seven-course tea was served at small tables, after which games were played. The guests returned home by moonlight, having spent a very pleasant evening.

The young men of the Epworth League gave a watermelon social on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Roberts Wednesday evening. The fore part of the evening was greatly enjoyed by listening to a program, in which six gentlemen wore costumes to represent different nations.

Miss Margaret Hills and Miss Josephine Hills entertained Mrs. Edwards and the Misses Winifred and Kittie Blanchard, Elizabeth and Florence Erwin, Lola Morse, Marian Edwards, Dessa Colver and Messrs. Charles Hine, Arthur Smart and Charles Edwards at tea Wednesday evening.

Mr. Arthur Smart entertained twenty-four young people Wednesday evening at his home. A supper was served by moonlight on the lawn. Dancing, music and many games furnished a very pleasant evening. Arthur was a graduate of the High school class of 1903 and goes into the University of Kansas this month to take a course in electrical engineering. This will make two students from Kinsley in the engineering department of the U. of K., Charles Hine having entered in 1901.

Notice to Masons.
At the regular communication of Mount Moriah Lodge, No. 179, A. F. and A. M., business of importance will be acted upon; also work in third degree.
E. L. LOSO, W. M.

Report of Fairview Convention.

The following is the report of the Lincoln township Sunday school convention which was held at Fairview, August 30:

The convention was opened by song, followed by an invocation by Rev. Fryfogle.

Study of lesson by school.
Discussion—"How to Make the Sunday School a Soul Winner," Mr. Hillton.

Song by the Doty sisters.
Discussion—"What Can the Sunday School Do to Banish the Liquor Traffic from Our Land?" Rev. J. L. Renner.

Song by the Pierce sisters.
Discussion—"How Far is the Superintendent Responsible for Good Teaching?" David Unzicker.

Report of Eureka Sunday school, by Messrs. Fautzer and Gifford.
The delegates elected to attend the county convention were Mrs. Curtis and Mrs. Gradall.

The collection for state and county work amounted to \$2.07.
The convention was well attended and a very interesting time was reported.
ELIZABETH LANE,
Township Secretary.

Sunday School Convention.

The following is the program of the thirteenth annual Sunday school convention of Edwards county to be held at Kinsley in the Congregational church on Thursday, September 10:

MORNING SESSION.	
9.00	Devotional
9.15	Business
9.30	Address by State Worker
10.00	Home Department
10.30	Music in the Sunday School
 Mrs. C. C. Sterrett
	Song by Everybody
10.45	The Big Boy in the Sunday School
 Rev. I. B. Miller
11.00	Church Membership in the Sunday School
 Rev. I. N. Pierce
11.20	Address..... State Secretary Engel
	Adjournment
AFTERNOON SESSION.	
1.00	Conference with State Secretary
1.30	Devotional..... Rev. P. E. Hissaw
1.45	Reports and Election of Officers
2.30	Song
2.35	Discussion—"The Teacher in the Sunday School"
 The Nest of Better Bible Study
4.00	Address..... State Secretary Engel
	Adjournment
EVENING SESSION.	
7.30	Song Service
8.00	Address..... Prof. D. A. Baugher
8.25	Special Music
8.30	Address..... State Secretary Engel

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OFF TO SCHOOL.

Miss Mabel Marsh will enter the University of Kansas, this year taking the English course. She began her life in Kinsley and is a great favorite among Kinsley people. She entered the Kinsley schools eight years ago and graduated in the class of 1903, being valedictorian in her class. She is the first of the girl graduates of our school to enter university life and we predict that she will complete it with honors. Much more will be demanded in college life than where most of our girls go.

Miss Florence Erwin goes to Lindsborg Monday to enter Bethany College at that place for a year. Miss Erwin graduated from the Kinsley schools in the class of 1901. Her classmates were Charles Hine, of the U. of K., Kittie Blanchard, who goes to the Emporia normal this year, and Eva Schaatterly, who is one of our best teachers. Miss Dessa Colver also goes to Lindsborg with Miss Erwin.

Miss Kittie Blanchard enters the State Normal at Emporia this year. She is the youngest of the daughters of Judge and Mrs. Blanchard to enter this school. We hope she will do as her sisters have done—return to Kinsley and give our schools the benefit of her training. She will take the special course in music.

Miss Marian Edwards will leave Saturday evening for the East where she will enter Wellesley College. She is a graduate of Miss Barstow's school in Kansas City, Mo. Her mother will make an extended visit in the East, leaving here next week and joining her daughter in Kansas City.

Miss Beulah Crow leaves Monday for Emporia where she will enter the Normal school. She is a graduate of the Kinsley High school class of this year.

Woodman Log Rolling.

The Woodman log rolling, which will be given by Prattburg Camp, No. 6089, at David Johnson's grove, on Friday, September 11, promises to be a very interesting event. Hon. W. V. Carroll, State Counselor of the Missouri M. W. A., will deliver an address. There will be band music and a grand ball in the evening. Following is the program:

- Tug of war between Woodmen camps, prize \$5.
- Base ball game between Macksville and Belpre, prize \$3.
- Chopping contest, prize, an axe.
- Fast mule race, prize \$2.
- Egg race, prize \$2.
- Hurdle race, prize \$2.
- A \$10 is offered for any 20-horse power engine or less that will outpull John Leming's 20-horse power case.

Certificates Granted.

The following teachers were granted certificates last week:
Professional—Winifred Blanchard.
First Grade—G. W. Countryman, S. E. Countryman.
Second Grade—Emma Ostrander, Mark Grimes, Ellen Kearney, Adelaide Hancock, Mary Mulliken, Jennie Mulliken, H. G. Wertz, Elvira Simonson, Laura Anderson, Minnie McMichael, B. F. Vaughn, Lucy Fawcett.
Third Grade—Minnie Delander, Isabel Williams, Nora Wallace, Frances Ely, Nora E. Clark, Lizzie Lane, Bessie Boyer, Maud Andrews, Helen C. Angus, Edna Gibbs, C. C. Cormack, Emma Anderson, H. B. Atkins, Nettie Main.

Good Racing.

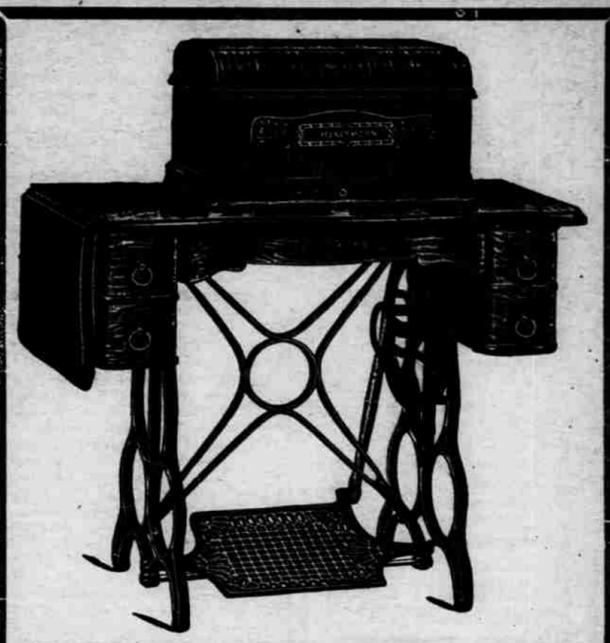
At the state fair to be held in Hutchinson September 14 to 19 there will be more fast horses than were ever before seen on a Kansas race track. This is made possible by the simple reason that two of the best circuits in the West, the Arkansas Valley and the Kansas and Oklahoma, meet in Hutchinson that week, bringing both strings at one point. In these two circuits \$100,000 is hung up in purses and of this amount \$8,000 is hung up at Hutchinson. Lovers of good racing will see fine sport when they attend the Kansas State Fair. Write Ed M. Moore, Hutchinson, for entry blanks and premium list.

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