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- \$6.75 Cheviot skirts at \$4.50
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FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

It is time to call attention to our farmers' institute and begin making preparations for it. The executive committees are already working on the program. What we especially desire is to get in close touch with the farmers of the county, that means both Mr. and Mrs. Farmer, and find what subjects they want discussed. We have two special requests to make; first, that anyone who has a subject in mind will send it to us with suggestions as to how and by whom it should be handled; second, anyone in your neighborhood that you think would take part in the program let us know about it.

The president will probably call a business meeting of the institute in the Denison some time next month when the date of the institute will be fixed. Some time the latter part of January is the date the committee has in mind. If the farmers of Crawford county will get behind this institute and give it a lusty shove, Crawford county's institute will be landed in the front rank of Iowa institutes this winter. Crawford county has a larger proportion of brains and good farm land than any other county in the state, a combination that makes for plenty and progress certain. We ask every citizen, and the ladies in particular to lend a hand and make this institute something to be remembered with pride. Below is given a list of vice presidents for this year and the by-laws adopted at the institute last year. We hope the vice presidents will make a special effort to arouse enthusiasm in their townships.

VICE PRESIDENTS.

- Jackson.....John White
- Stockholm.....A. Norelius
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- Morgan.....Jurgen Krohnke
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- Clatter Oak.....G. F. Fiene
- Hanover.....C. F. Rothe
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- Paradise.....Fred Fienhold
- Willow.....Reuben Sweet
- Boyer.....W. A. Davie
- Union.....Edmund Howorth
- Washington.....Sylvester Thew
- Nishnabotny.....A. Morgan
- Iowa.....S. E. Witcher

BY LAWS.

1st, Name—This association shall be known as the Agriculture Institute Association of Crawford county.

2d, Officers—The officers of this association shall be president, secretary, treasurer and an executive committee consisting of three members other than officers before named.

3d—The executive committee shall have authority to appoint a vice president for each township, and to fix the date, location, and make arrangements for all educational sessions of the institute.

4th—A meeting of this association may be called by the president, by the executive committee or by three members.

5th—That seven members shall constitute a quorum.

6th—That officers shall be elected at the first meeting held in each year, notice of which shall have been published in at least two newspapers published in the county, at least ten days before such meeting is held.

S. J. WOODRUFF,
 CHAS. MCHENRY, } Ex. Com.
 F. S. STONE.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The first drafts of the "A" orations were due Monday.

Misses Mabel Cushman and Kate Tiernan and Mrs. Ott visited the H. S. during the week.

Miss Rollinson has offered a prize for the best story written by any member of the Rhetoric class.

The teachers are studying Taylor's "Child Study" in their regular meetings held on Monday nights after school.

The Physics class has finished its review and is now studying the subject of heat. The reports of the examination taken Wednesday were received Monday.

The "B" English Literature have finished "Macbeth", and are at present reviewing. In outside work they are reading De Foe's "Memoirs of the Plague." They met at Carrie Warbasse's home last Wednesday night.

It has been almost decided that the grades now in the High School building together with the grammar room and kindergarten will move into the new building on its completion. The move will be made at the beginning of the new half year.

PALACE BAKERY SOLD

Mr. I. L. Pease Sells His Flourishing Business.

TRANSFERRED SATURDAY.

M. M. Bradbury of New Sharon, the Purchaser, Comes With Endorsements From His Former Home.

On Saturday, I. L. Pease sold the Palace Bakery to Mr. M. M. Bradbury of New Sharon, Iowa. The sale was made on the spur of the moment and was a surprise to all. The bakery has been a good, paying concern from the start and Mr. Pease has greatly increased its business, shipping bread to nearly a dozen surrounding towns besides supplying many homes, hotels and restaurants in Denison. Mr. Pease felt, however, that he was sacrificing too much in point of health and that he had better be in even a less lucrative business than to shorten his life by the arduous work entailed. Mr. Pease has been a help to Denison, he has been broad minded, liberal and progressive, no good work has gone by unaided, no public enterprise has been on foot without his co operation. His conduct has been in marked contrast with that of some business men, and he has not only been the gainer financially but in the esteem and friendship of our people. He is a man who will succeed in any place or in any business, and his work here is a proof that a gentleman is always a winner. Mr. Pease expects to take a few months' rest and will then engage in some other line of business which will give him more outdoor work.

Mr. M. M. Bradbury, his successor, appears to be another wide-awake, progressive business man. He is experienced in the bakery and restaurant business, and at New Sharon had the reputation of keeping "the neatest place in town." At present he is in New Sharon packing up and getting ready to move to Denison. Our friend, Ross Nicholson, speaks of him in his paper, the New Sharon Star, as follows:

The retirement of Mr. M. Bradbury from the restaurant and bakery business in New Sharon loses us one of the most energetic and successful restaurant dealers our town ever had. He was ever industrious, honest and public spirited, holding the esteem and confidence of all with whom he dealt. The Star greatly regrets this contemplated removal of himself and excellent family from the community, but wishes for them happiness and prosperity wherever they go.

POOR OLD JEFFERSON.

Our esteemed friend Meyers of the Denison Review says he feels "sorry for The Souvenir editor in poor old Jefferson. The Souvenir is laboring under the delusion that Jefferson is a city, a place of as much importance as Denison, and every once in a while it foolishly attempts to give figures to prove it." Well, Bro. Meyers, Jefferson may not be a "city," in all that the name signifies to you, but it suits us all right and whether a city, village or what-is-it, we'd like to ask you to read some more "figures to prove we are bigger than Denison." On Thanksgiving Day our boys didn't do a thing to you. Oh no! Score 6 to 5 in favor of Jefferson. We may be rural, jays or "Rhubes" or whatever in your loftiness you desire to call us, but we can kick the daylight out of your foot ball team! Now will you be good!—Jefferson Souvenir.

On Thanksgiving Day the school boys of Jefferson, aided by the referee, defeated the school boys of Denison by a score of 6 to 5. We expected that the Souvenir would grasp at this grain of comfort and should not be greatly surprised if Editor Terrill was in collusion with the referee to the end that Jefferson might have something of which to boast. Jefferson is a nice quiet restful place, when we retire from active life and wish to dwell in some spot that shall prepare us by easy stages for the sleep that knows no waking, we shall go to Jefferson.

Editor Meyers of the Denison Review has been running a series of excellent articles in his paper under the caption "Deadbeats." He has his subject well in hand and deals in facts and common sense. The articles are written not in a spirit of malice or abuse, but in a way that the individuals to whom they are dedicated can read with profit and at the same time if they allow their better judgment to predominate will hold the writer in respect.—Defiance Enterprise.

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NEW CENTRAL AGENT.

Mr. H. E. Casner Takes Charge of the Important Denison Station.

Mr. H. E. Casner has been transferred from the Central's office in Jesup, Iowa, and placed in charge of the Denison station. This is in the light of a promotion as Denison is regarded as the most important point on the Central's new line between Ft. Dodge and Council Bluffs. Mr. Casner is a gentleman of good business appearance and pleasing address, and we predict that our business men will like him and his methods. We quote the following articles from the Citizen's Herald of Jesup and bespeak for Mr. Casner and family a hearty welcome to Denison.

It is with deep regret that the Herald is called upon to announce to its many readers that we have lost Mr. Casner and his estimable wife from our midst, but such is the case. The people of Jesup were greatly surprised when it was whispered around Sunday morning that Earl was going to leave here, having received a promotion Saturday night and would be transferred to Denison, Iowa, a town on their new line of road, Denison is a thriving town of about 3,000 inhabitants, the county seat of Crawford county, and one of the most important stations on the new line, and therefore had to have a first-class man placed there. The I. O. folks are not slow in learning the sterling worth of their men and fully realize and appreciate the golden qualities of Mr. Casner, whose large experience fully fitted him for such a place, selected him from their many employees to fill this important position. Mr. Casner was raised and spent his school days in Jesup, having moved here with his parents from Pennsylvania when he was only two years old and is therefore known by everybody. He entered the services of the I. C. R. R. at this place in August 1887, after the short period of four and one-half months he became so proficient that he was given a station and remained away from Jesup for an entire year, and at one time located at Cedar Falls. He returned to Jesup in 1890 and entered upon his duties as agent at this place on December 15 of that year, making nine years of unbroken service at this point. During that period he has been untrusting in his efforts to please both the officials and patrons of the road and success has been perched on his banner all along his long line of service. Mr. Casner was courteous and affable, always willing to give information and was well liked by all patrons of the road who, while glad to have him receive a promotion of such a high character are sorry, sorry indeed, to lose him from this station. Outside of his railway life he is a citizen of the gilt edge quality. Now a word about his amiable wife, Mrs. Casner was raised in Jesup and has friends without number. She is a brilliant entertainer, being full of fun and life and one in her presence is never troubled with the blues and she will be greatly missed by the social elements of our little city. The people of Denison will find Mr. and Mrs. Casner a valuable acquisition to their thriving city and what is Jesup's loss is Denison's gain. Mr. Casner left Monday night for his new field of labor and Mrs. Casner will follow as soon as he can secure a house and make the necessary arrangements. The Herald joins with their hosts of friends in wishing them health, wealth and happiness in their new home.

FAREWELL SURPRISE.

About forty of Mr. and Mrs. Casner's friends invaded their home Monday night about five o'clock, to have one more visit with this estimable couple and bid them farewell before they took their departure for their new home in Denison, Iowa. The surprise was well planned and worked like a charm, they not even getting an inkling of what was going on. The ladies looked out for the eatables and after a short time spent in conversing, luncheon was served and full justice done, after which Mr. R. E. Taylor stepped forward and in behalf of those present, with a few well selected words presented Mr. and Mrs. Casner with two beautiful pieces of silverware; Mr. Casner responding in his usual jovial manner. Earl received many congratulations on his promotion and when the time of departure came, all bade them a reluctant goodbye, wishing them God speed in their new home.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm heretofore existing between Thos. Brown Jr. and Earnest Plough has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Brown assuming all accounts and all bills due the firm are payable to him.

Dated, December 11, 1899.

Thos. Brown, Jr.
 Earnest Plough.

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