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February 14th Is the Day.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Report of the Public Schools for the Month.

February 5, 1895, the semi-annual promotions were made. This is the third year for this plan, and in many ways it is proving an excellent one. It was a noticeable feature of the movements this year that almost all of each class were advanced; not only was the general average of scholarship higher than formally, but very few were so low in scholarship that they could not be promoted. In other words, these frequent adjustments have developed classes of essentially uniform ability; classes that can advance upon new ground, abreast, pupil with pupil.

From January 28 to February 2 the regular work of the upper grades was laid aside, while the pupils wrestled with the State Examinations; from that time until the sixteenth it was teachers versus State Examinations. The reports are now sent in and a decided feeling of relief is evident. The record is 8 per better than that of last year, averaging 2.4 certificates to each pupil undertaking the work.

Furthermore, the subjects are all of the more substantial character this year, not of the lighter sort that count but do not represent very much actual work. The grades gained are very decidedly higher, another proof that the general scholarship is improving.

February 6 Mr. Town gave the pupils of the upper grades an account of the capture of Vicksburg as he himself saw it. The description was not only vivid, and instructive on general points; but was filled with little points of much value that we of the younger generation can never get by reading, but only by listening to those who have themselves gone through the experiences. The school thoroughly appreciated Mr. Town's address and expects to call upon him again.

The flag-ropes has been fixed again. We hope it will stay fixed this time. A good oiled, pine floor has taken the place of the broken, cement floor in the dinner room. Those bring their dinners will now have a cleaner, pleasant place in which to spend the noon.

A slight change is planned in the heating flues which, it is hoped, will make it easier to keep the west of the building comfortable on windy days.

The schools contributed \$6.14 and eleven packages of clothing to the South Dakota sufferers.

Venition blinds have been put in to room 4 and 9, neatly improving the lighting in these rooms.

Quite an order of school supplies and apparatus came recently, including several microscopes. The work in Botany this term is along a somewhat new line, and is making much use of these instruments. The class in Chemistry is also doing regular work in the laboratory, while the class in Physics is there frequently.

The following pupils have been perfect in their attendance from the time they entered school until the close of the first term—neither absent or tardy. The first term ended January 25, 1895:

Room 1—Miss Bateman—Walter Anton, Victor Strom. 43 not tardy since entering.

Room 2—Miss Gaarder—Barlow Thurber, Frank Sanford, Amy Forbes.

Room 3—Miss Kennedy—Esther Harding, Fannie Henriks, Flora Buchan.

Room 4—Miss Nisbit—Mary Sullivan, Rosa Wills.

Room 5—Miss Humiston—Bernard Capenter, Laura and Fred Darling, Nettie Fitch, Lee Forbes, Earnest Hammond, Eva Miller, Laura Pepple, George Rippberger.

Room 6—Miss Martin—Percy Rose, Linda Samuelson, Claud Thom, Chalkey Benson, Goldie Crever.

Room 7—Miss Hyland—Bessie Thurber, Oscar Langseth.

Room 8—Miss Webb—Arthur Samuelson, John Holmes, Clyde Hansberger, Clarence Thompson, Charles Zeh.

Room 9—Miss Barry—Pearl Barnes, Raymond Peterson, Edith Schauk, Inez Davis, Jennie Stoutemeyer.

Room 10—Mr. Kiehle—George Hurd, Emma Larsen, Rosa Dobner, Gertie Mott, Ida Fellows, Edgar Barnes, Jennie Torrance, Fred Bedford, Mary Dobner.

Seward Township Gives.

John P. Vail was appointed chairman of a committee to solicit aid in Seward township for the sufferers in South Dakota and he has been working hard the past week and on Monday afternoon he brought in five wagon loads of grain that he had gathered up, and the following is a list of the generous farmers who donated the same:

John Breit 1 bu. wheat, Wm. Busse 4 bu. wheat, John F. Peterson 2 bu. wheat, Jacob West 4 bu. wheat, Gus Anderson 3 bu. corn, W. I. Oxford 2 bu. wheat, Earnest Eastman 1 bu. corn, John P. Vail 4 bu. corn, 3 bu. wheat, Arvord Lalin 1 bu. wheat, Herman Otto 1 bu. oats, W. H. Booth 8 bu. wheat, C. C. Booth 3 bu. oats, H. J. Westrop 2 bu. wheat, Fred Dierks 4 bu. wheat and bu. oats, L. Gendeman 2 bu. wheat and 2 bu. oats, Louis Scougert 4 bu. wheat, C. C. Goot 2 bu. wheat and 2 bu. oats, Louis Jolner 2 bu. wheat, John Hearch 2 bu. wheat, 2 bu. oats, John Hachenzine 2 bu. wheat, 2 bu. oats, C. Greiser, 2 bu. oats, Wm. Mollohon 2 bu. oats, Julius Nitzsche 2 bu. wheat, A. Lucht 4 bu. wheat, A. Pfington 6 bu. wheat, 6 bu. oats, Jno. Rienits, 2 bu. wheat, 2 bu. oats, John Utz 2 bu. wheat, Thad Wilkins, 1 bu. corn and 25c., William Harcopf 2 bu. wheat, 2 bu. corn, Peter Oswald, 2 bu. wheat, Puto Behr 2 bu. wheat, Herman DeFreze 1 bu. corn, Herman Otten 2 bu. corn, Pope Omeln 2 bu. oats, Wm. Cowley 1 bu. wheat, Talkert Enega 1 bu. corn, Riner Enega 2 bu. wheat, Anton Bucher, 2 bu. oats, Chas Swansen 1 bu. corn, David Thompson 50 lbs flour.

Senatorial Contest.

The senatorial contest at the D. of H. social last Friday night was a spirited but good natured fight. The vote stood:

Washburn.....237
Nelson.....237
McCleary.....54
Comstock.....3

Judge of election, Jno. Darby, announced that an error had been made in counting, and Senator Washburn should be credited with two votes more, thus giving him a majority over Nelson. The society took in \$27. After refreshments had been served and the voting concluded, the furniture was removed from the spacious dining room, and the merry crowd waltzed, schottished, polkaed and quadrilled. Neighbor Firth acted as prompter.

At Theatre.

The Redmond Dramatic Co. opened Monday night at Masonic hall for a weeks engagement. Monday night they played Caprice, a pretty little 4-act drama, Ed. Redmond appearing as Jethro Baxter and Philander Potts. Mr. Redmond is a comedian of prominence and carried his parts in a manner that captivated the audience. Mrs. Redmond appeared as Mercy Baxter and also won the plaudets of the delighted audience. The other members of the company, Misses Bartlet and Lyle and Messrs. Dalrymple, Pond and Mack, are deserving of special mention; they are much above the average.

Died.

HOWARD—Feb. 13, 1895, Mr. Jas. H. Howard, aged 28 years, 8 mos. and 17 days.

Deceased was highly esteemed by a large circle of friends, who offer their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family. Funeral services were held Saturday last, at the family residence, conducted by Rev. Robt. McCune. Remains were interred in the Worthington cemetery.

Sunday Services.

The Ladies' Missionary society expects to have charge of next Sunday evening's service at the Presbyterian church. They will be assisted by the Young Ladies' band and the Junior Endeavor. An interesting program has been prepared.

Millinery.

Everything in winter millinery must go at once to make room for spring stock. Can not be equalled for low prices.

28tf MRS. W. J. O'CONNOR.

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PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of County Commissioners.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

Worthington, Minn., Jan. 31, 1895.
The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, members all present. The following bills were audited and allowed:

Pioneer Press Co books and blanks.....\$25.25
Geo D Barnard & Co same.....14.50
Brown, Tracy & Co blanks.....2.32
Wm Hollis work on county grader.....17.00
Thos Dealtry fuel for Wm Keselberg.....5.50
Same fuel for Mrs Frankie.....4.18
Montgomery Bros fuel for Jane Mahoney.....6.15
Tuthill Lumber Co fuel for C Sufferin.....5.00
Same fuel for Mrs Gashl.....5.00
Same fuel for Wm Herman.....5.00
Same fuel for Horace Norman.....5.00
Ramage & Smallwood fuel for P Yust.....5.00
Same fuel for Mrs Lehman.....5.00
Same fuel for Nels Erickson.....9.25
Same fuel for jail.....24.62
Farmers Merc Co provisions for Beireis.....6.57
Oliver & Madison meat for Mrs. Mott.....3.00
Same meat for Mrs Gashl.....3.00
R B Plotts coroner's fees on death of Nic.....5.00
Emmer.....5.00
C S Eastwood letter heads and statements.....10.25
Jas Cox justice fees in State vs. J W Avery.....1.15
Geo Slade constable fees in same.....4.50
Jas Cox justice fees in State vs. Peter Lenz Jr.....8.75
Wm Marr constable fees in same.....7.20
T A Tonsley witness fees in same.....2.68
Guy Tonsley same.....2.68
Walter Tonsley same.....2.68

Board adjourned to the 1st day of Feb., at 9 a. m.

Feb. 1st.—Members all present. Application from Dewald twp., for allowance for work done on roads and bridges during the year 1894 was rejected, for the reason that said work was done without authority from the board or any member thereof.

Bill of J. D. Carroll, of \$10.00, for bricking up boiler in sheriff's residence, was allowed.

Petition for formation of a new school district, to be composed of sections 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Westside township, was ordered for hearing on March 7, 1895 at 1 o'clock p. m.

Board adjourned to the 2nd inst. at 8 o'clock a. m.

Feb. 2.—Members all present. The following bills were audited and allowed:

S W Pope 3 days on county road.....24.40
A G Lindgren same.....26.00
H O'Hearn same.....29.00
E A Tripp same.....22.40
Same bal expenses to Conf of Corrections and Charities.....38.00
H M Palm 1 day on building committee.....3.00
Same 6 days on co board and mileage.....18.40

Board adjourned to March 7, 1895 at one o'clock p. m.

JNO. J. KENDLEN,
County Auditor.

Low Rates to the South.

On February 12th the B. C. R. & N. R'y will sell Excursion Tickets to points in the following territory at the Extremely Low Rate of One Fare plus \$2.00 for the Round Trip.

Tickets will be sold to all points in Arkansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas, Utah and Wyoming. Also to a large number of important points in Louisiana and Missouri.

Tickets will be good 20 days from date and stop over will be allowed at pleasure.

This rate will be in effect ONE DAY ONLY, Feb 12th, and those who desire to reach any important point in the South or Southwest, including St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Kansas City, Denver, Colorado Springs, Ft. Worth, Texas, etc., should go via the B. C. R. & N. R'y. on this excursion.

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25c. Infant's Dresses.