

HAND COUNTY PRESS

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School election, October 14. Plenty of coal now, at \$7.40 per ton.

C. W. Gaucher, of Anita, Iowa, at the Vanderbilt.

Wm. Gardner, of Clarence, Iowa, made his arrival Thursday.

Burton Miller, of Clarence, Iowa, registered Thursday at the Vanderbilt.

Chas. Spencer, of Pierre, called Saturday evening, long enough to shake.

S. M. Wilkinson, of Marshalltown, Iowa, came in on the Thursday's train.

Miss Carrie Foot, of Crawfordsville, Indiana, arrived from the east on Thursday.

W. S. Somers and daughter, of Barret, Vermont, were among the arrivals Thursday.

Wild geese are migrating southward in large numbers and the migrators are happy.

L. P. McClarren, "Mack" of the Press and Dakotian, was a caller at the Press office Saturday.

Fred Perstin returned last week from Altoona, Iowa, with his family, and says he has come to stay.

Several parties left to-day for Faulkton, Faulk county, to look at that country with the intention of taking land.

Mr. Emmons has again made his appearance in town and will soon have on hand a large stock of coal to supply all orders.

J. C. Chewr, of Howard, Ill., dropped down from the west bound train Thursday. He is well pleased with the country.

Ren akfaest mba a n srey n enteg fiesheurs re sabo sugs e ntran La ejoetani Burg rsatg eng for dom!—Col. Don Porter.

Jacob Sell and son, Charles Welty and E. R. Jacobus, left Saturday for a two weeks hunt in the northwest. They returned Tuesday.

James Moon has returned from his visit to Iowa, and with him came a car load of as fine looking men as stepped on to the depot platform at Miller.

A. Long, Brooklyn, C. S. Forest, Grundy, P. M. Marks, Grundy, and N. D. Frazier, Conrad, Iowa, at the Vanderbilt. They were all seeking land.

W. Broadway and Miss M. E. Broadway, of Sheldon, and W. F. Broadway, of Anita, Iowa, were among the visitors to the city last week, looking for land.

Don't forget the school election next Saturday, Oct. 14. Every citizen of this district should consider himself sufficiently interested to attend the polls.

Geo. Sturgis and Daniel Kopfenstine arrived last week from Washington, Iowa. The latter is a carpenter and will build a dwelling for Mr. Sturgis on his claim west of town.

G. B. McAndrews, Chas. Dugan, Michael O'Shonesy, Pat Sullivan, John O'Shonesy and Frank Elwood, all of Vail, Iowa, came in on the Friday's train. They were all well pleased.

The Press office received a call Monday from Rev. and Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Gardner, of Miller, and Mrs. Parker, of Highmore. They were initiated into the mysteries of the "art preservative."

A stranger whose curiosity prompted him to count the buildings erected in Miller, since the town plat was recorded, in May last, was astonished to find that there were 42 dwellings and 37 business houses—seventy nine in all. Counting those for which contracts have been let and which will be commenced within a few days and the number swells to one hundred. Can any other town nine months old make as good a showing?

Geo. Lone, Wm. Lone, Lewis Lone, Jacob Cox, Ed. Stackman and Frank Stackman, all of Iowa City, Iowa, and the best of farmers, came in on the Tuesday's passenger, with Jimmy Moon. all are well pleased and will take land if it can be found within twenty miles of Miller. A large crowd will follow these gentlemen in a few days. Great excitement prevails in Johnson county over the prospects of obtaining cheap and good land in Dakota.

What makes Col. Don look so unhappy?

H. J. Siems, wholesale liquor dealer of Pierre, was in town last week.

F. G. Martin, wholesale furniture dealer, of Pierre, was in town Tuesday.

Breaking teams are busy nowadays in consequence of the rains last week.

B. F. Payne, "probe it" judge, was in town to-day, probing and prowling around.

N. T. Smith, of the Haron Times, was registered at the Vanderbilt on Saturday.

We issue a supplement this week to accommodate the large number of flail proof notices.

The firm of Johnson, Sprague & Co., publishers of the Journal, has been dissolved, Johnson retiring.

Robert Watson, representing the St. Paul Pioneer Press, was in town this week in the interest of that paper.

The "Atlantic addition to Miller" has been surveyed by Capt. Cray, and choice residence lots are now offered for sale.

The late rains have caused the grass to spring forth with renewed vigor in the by-ways of Potter's Field—yelped Wrecks.

Sixty-two persons were lodged at the Vanderbilt hotel Tuesday night; and it is just the same every night. Room for another hotel.

H. H. Curtis, Walter Curtis, and Hattie Curtis, of Geneva, Wisconsin, were among the land seekers who spread their autographs on the Vanderbilt register this week.

J. O. McCulloch, a prominent citizen of Altoona, Iowa, has been in town for the past few days, during which time he has invested in half a section of Uncle Sam's lands which cost him just \$20.

Henry Nicking, of Iowa City, was among the arrivals this week at Miller. Mr. Nicking is the barber of "the City," and appears to be very popular among his acquaintances. Hope he will locate with us.

The bank structure at the corner of Broadway and Second streets is progressing rapidly under the supervision of Templeman & Macy Brothers. The building is 20x40 feet, with tin roof, and large folding doors on the corner. It will be completed and open for business about Nov. 10th.

Wm. Webster, one of the pioneers of Miller, has sold his farm containing 160 acres south-west from town, for \$3000. Mr. Winters is the purchaser. The farm was a gift to him from Uncle Sam not more than a year ago, and the amount now realized from its sale will go far toward supporting the old gentleman in his declining years.

The necessary funds are being raised for the erection of a Presbyterian church. The plans now in the hands of the contractors show a building 40x60, with ante-room in front, 12x14, over which is the steeple and belfry. Rev. Foster is using every effort to build the church, which will be a great credit to the town. He should receive the co-operation of every citizen.

Frank Smith, John Stover, Joseph Stover, Frank Shaffer, Randolph Benter and Melvin Pratt, all formerly of Iowa City, Iowa, now residents of Hand county, have taken up land north of town fifteen miles and built their shanties. These gentlemen came all the way from Iowa by team via Mitchell and Wessington Springs. They had no thoughts of stopping in Dakota, but intended to go to Nebraska and Kansas; but when they saw the fine lands of Hand county they were satisfied and will make this their future home. There can be no doubt in any one's mind that Hand county is the banner county of Dakota.

The Despoiler. While Greeley Bowman was absent from his claim, north of town, a party (who is known) tore off a portion of his shanty and carried away. The said party had better see Mr. Bowman and make good his depredation if he would save farther trouble.

Hotel Arrivals. VANDERBILT HOTEL. Oct. 6.—F. L. Perain, Des Moines, Iowa, R. D. Hoke, W. W. Nutting, N. T. Smith, Wessington; Jacob Wagner, Byron Ia.; M. D. Wolf, Mitchell, D. T.; R. D. Roedel, Dubuque, Iowa; H. Comfort, Hudson, D. T.; L. Ebelhart, J. Shuster, Dubuque, Iowa, Oct. 7.—L. P. McClarren, Yankton, D. T.; Alex. May, Tipton, Iowa; E.

C. Noble, H. C. Evans, Clinton, Iowa; D. Kopfenstine, Hughes Tracy, Wessington, D. T.; R. Graf, Huron; H. A. House, H. B. Hordell, Pierre, D. T.; W. W. Emmons and wife, Iowa City, Iowa; J. B. Cogan, J. P. Cogan, Falkton, D. T.; N. F. Smith, P. B. Darby, Huron, D. T.; Oct. 8.—A. B. Melville, Huron; C. N. Hart, Galosburg, Iowa; Robt. Watson, Redwood Falls, Minn.; J. O. McCulloch, Altoona, Iowa; A. F. M. Peel, White Heath, Ill.; Adam Spang, Centerville, Ill.; L. Clausten, Gustave Gukon, Mansfield, Ill. Oct. 9.—C. D. Henack, Bannhall, D. T.; Robt. Watson, Redwood Falls, Minn.; L. N. Warren, Milwaukee, Wis.; G. G. Reed, Greese, Iowa; F. G. Martin, Pierre, Oct. 10.—Samuel Dickerson, J. A. Grant, Arton, Iowa; Luther Conner, John Hanshon—Chas. Palmer, Sheldon, Iowa; Frank Dornan, Dixon, Ill. Oct. 10.—J. C. Wm. J. Lone, L. W. Lone, G. G. Wag, Geo. W. Lone, Frank Stackman, Ed. Stackman, Iowa City, Iowa; Thos. Thompson, Crow Creek; H. Nicking, Iowa City.

FOR SALE! I offer my entire stock of hardware, tinware and agricultural implements for sale for the next thirty days. Address: J. B. DANIELS, Miller, Dakota.

Offer county superintendent of schools. Res. Heights, Hand county, Dakota, Oct. 2, 1882.

A school district having been formed in town 112, range 68, to be known by the name and style of School District No. 3 of Hand county, Dakota; and described as follows: All that part of Hand county known as town 112 range 68, except the first row of sections on the east side thereof.

And you are hereby requested to post this notice in at least five public places in said district, notifying the voters of said district to attend the first meeting thereof, which is appointed to be held at the school house in Miller, on the 14th day of October, 1882, at from 2 o'clock P. M. to 4 o'clock P. M. of same date, at which time and place they will elect one director, to serve one year, one clerk, to serve two years and one treasurer to serve three years; or till their successors are elected and qualified. R. L. SMITH, county Supt. of schools.

Miller, Dakota.

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