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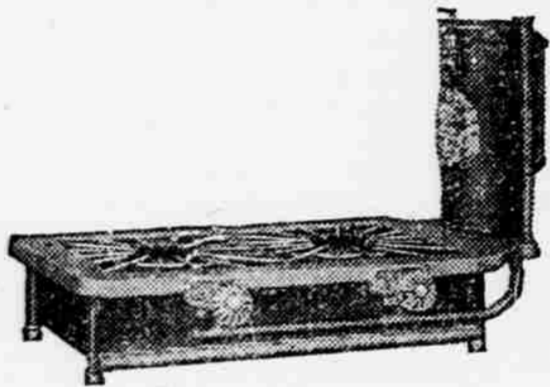
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SCHOOL NOTES

By HELEN SPARKS
and FLORENCE SHELLBOURNE

The high school enrollment this year is 68.

Gordon O'Keif of Wood Lake entered the 10th grade this week.

John Jackson entered this week to take up his school work again.

The 11th grade English class have taken up Tennyson's "Lancelot and Elaine."

The last ten minutes of the afternoon session is devoted to spelling for the high school.

Eldene Sparks, who has been spending the summer in Seattle, entered school Tuesday.

The marching being rather bad, Mr. Bettenga, hoping to better it, got a drum. Now, the boys take turns beating it.

We have a normal training class of 20. The work is very interesting and we expect to put out some of the world's greatest teachers.

The 9th grade Latin class are mastering the first conjugation and declension. All have now learned that "Arat" in Latin is not "a rat."

German has been introduced in the school this year. Since the books have not yet come we are taking some work in simple sentences, but very little construction work. The large classes are taking a lively interest in the work.

The teachers of the school met Friday evening for the purpose of organizing themselves into a library board. It was decided to put into all grades, above the 4th, a required course of reading. In a short time the pupils will have access to a large number of the popular magazines.

Prosperity Valley.

J. M. Seman is taking in the state fair.

Jim Beamer is going with Short's threshing machine.

Q. M. Skinner is buying cattle and pays highest market price.

Carl H. Meyers started his school August 31 in the Sanders district. Enrollment 15.

School in district No. 58, begun Sept. 6, Miss Faith Johnson wielding the rod. Enrollment 10.

Herbert & Wilhite have been buying up the surplus horses, which command high prices.

Henry Borneman is threshing his small grain. He also threshed 20 bushels of alfalfa seed. A. J. Short is doing the work.

Mrs. Chas. Webster of the Churn ranch has been visiting her parents, Geo. Beamer and wife. She returned Sunday.

Last Thursday the 2-year-old son of Wm. Lemen and wife fell into the water tank and was nearly dead when discovered.

Louis Graham of Belle Fourche has been visiting his cousin, Wm. Beamer, the past two weeks. He returned Monday well pleased with the "spud" country.

The extreme hot weather has passed and the cool days of September have come. Jack Frost will soon make his appearance and the green foliage of the growing crops will turn brown.

Prosperity can boast of the yield and quality of certain crops. Martin Hansen has finished threshing his crop of winter wheat which yielded 30 bushels per acre, some of the finest grain the eye would wish to see. Don't believe us hut go and see for yourself. CZAR.

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Very respectfully yours,
E. B. QUIBLE.

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To My Friends at Valentine and Crookston:

I desire to express to you my heartfelt thanks for the kindness and attention shown me while I was suffering from painful injuries, resulting from a runaway, and to the Walter Savidge Carnival Co., that excellent organization of talented dramatic artists of Nebraska, I am most grateful for courtesies, including the tender of a band serenade.

To realize I had such loyal friends in time of distress is most gratifying, and their kindness to me will ever be remembered among the pleasant memories of the past.

I deeply regret that for several reasons I was unable to present, at the Valentine carnival, the Indian exhibit I had advertised.

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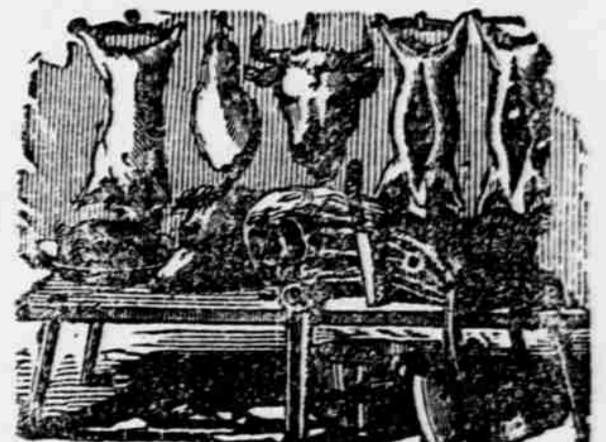
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