

WILLOW.

At the town meeting held March 3rd, the following men were elected to the several town offices:

T. O. Torgerson, chairman, Syesterick, Anlèn Pederson, supervisors; Harry Clarke, clerk; Jos Buchheit treasurer; Jos Buchheit, Assessor; Louie Buchheit, road overseer.

I know that it is a little out of the general order, but nevertheless the offices of Willow township have to seek a man and its mighty hard to find him too. The people of Willow dont appear to have the office itch very bad. Postmaster Clarke secured a piece of mail matter the other day that was six feet long.

More snow, more wet, more courage put in seed, and I hope more grain harvest.

The south got terribly worked up over the election bill didn't they, afraid of negro domination are they. Well in my opinion they are not in a hundredth part of the danger from negro domination that they are from Bourbon Democratic damnation.

I took my first sleigh ride for this winter last Saturday, to the hub and back. Haven't time to preach a long sermon. So long.

CHRIS X.

HELENA.

If it isn't out of order to criticise Gen. Greeley, we would say that he has made a mistake, it is serving us with January weather instant of Mar.

We have heard that the town ring was "busted" election day. As we never knew of its existance, we shant spend any time in looking for the fragments. Election resulted in the choosing of J. C. Knapp, F. Rogers and M. Faulkald for supervisors; C. H. Moseley, treasurer; E. Sellwood, assessor; W. S. Hyde, clerk.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers are congratulating them over the arrival of a bran new boy.

The broad smiles chase each other all over Scott VanDeBogark's countenance when he tells you about that bright little daughter that has come to stay with him.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown

are congratulating them over the arrival of a daughter.

Dont our fellow correspondents think they will have to hustle to beat the foregoing report.

Fred Sinclair: Dakota is away ahead of Washington for a poor man. Farms are high priced and hard to clear. Am getting \$3 per day but work is not steady and its mud everywhere. 125 saloons are in full blast in Anacortes, they dish up a shooting scrap occasionally to liven up matters, string a man up if he steals a horse but give him a year for killing a man."

The G. C. B. S. A. held its annual meeting Tuesday. The effusion of blood was much less than was anticipated, and the Co. is in a fair way to survive another year. We were agreeably surprised at the assertion that "the meanest thing of all was the slinging of mud through the Courier etc." As this infringes on our editorial perquisites, we beg leave of the Courier to rise to a personal explanation. First, as correspondent, all is grist that comes to our mill, and when we have a good chance for a "drive" at any one, we care not whether it be a friend or foe. Second, we have got to learn that truth telling and mud slinging are one and the same thing, and further that we ever made any public criticisms of the directors of the G. C. B. S. A. in the Courier or elsewhere that were not within the limits of the 6th commandment. If we have, we stand ready to tender any apology.

A farmer would like to know how many bills for the good of all the representatives of the 16th district succeeded in getting through.

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Notice.

The board of directors of Griggs County Blooded Stock Association, will receive sealed bids up to March 18, at 2 p. m., for feed care and management of the stallions John's Glory and Picador, for the year commencing April 1st, 1891. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order,

NEILS HEMMINGSON,

President.

Attest,

A. M. SINCLAIR,

Secretary.