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THIS AND THAT

Coming Events.

LOUVA, the Pauper—Friday, March 5, 1897.
Assessors' meeting—March 16.
County Commissioners—March 16.
St. Patrick's Day—March 17.
District Court—March 22.
Easter Sunday—April 18.

Sign the petition.

Miss E. I. Mills has a house to rent. 6

H. McCrea, of Sparks, has moved into town.

Robert O. Jones was over from Norden Tuesday.

Alex Dobson, of Merriman, was in town Tuesday.

J. G. DuBois, of Omaha, was in town Saturday.

Ceo. Coleman came down from Cody Monday evening.

Miss Ella Stilwell, of Simeon, was in town Tuesday.

FOR RENT:—Good farm. Enquire of G. H. Q. Smith. 4

E. Dwyer, of Huron, S. D., arrived in town this morning.

E. Sparks went to Omaha on business Monday morning.

Blankets and comforters at greatly reduced prices at McDonald's. 5

Wm. Krotter, of Stuart, lumber and hardware dealer, is in town today.

Don't miss reading the article clipped from the Newport Republican.

Bert Martin went home to Ainsworth on a visit Monday afternoon.

Miss Mary Hurley, teacher of the Arabia schools, was in town Monday.

All wool underwear cheap at McDonald's general merchandise store. 5

H. E. Dewey was up from Wood Lake the first of the week on business.

S. S. Lovelet of Wood Lake, was in town Monday and registered at the City Hotel.

Misses Sarah Clay and Ida Frey, of Bloomington, Ind., are visiting friends near Sparks.

J. R. Ayers came down from Crookston yesterday and attended the farmer's institute.

Three traveling men representing bicycle firms were in town with samples yesterday.

Emma Dowling is working in The Donohoe dining room in the absence of Celia Marley.

Notice Stinard's new advertisement. He has a nice line of spring clothing and furnishings.

Mrs. W. H. Carter, formerly of this place but now of Deadwood, is visiting friends in the city.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Bray was down from Lead on business connected with his office Saturday.

J. A. Hitt is building a neat and commodious buggy house on the lot just south of his livery barn.

Wren Donohoe, Mrs. Chas. Sparks, Dr. Wells and A. E. Thacher are taking lessons on the mandolin.

FOR SALE:—Three seated spring wagon in good condition, complete with top. 4 GEO. H. HORNBY.

John Hornick, of the firm of Hornick, Hess & Moore, wholesale druggists, of Sioux City, Sundayed in town.

John Simpson went up the Minnehaduzza this morning. He had a court house petition in his inside pocket.

Miss Childe's lectures at the Episcopal church are proving very interesting and give her hearers much food for thought.

Farmers should patronize our local merchants, and by that same token local merchants should patronize our farmers.

Dr. Ed. Dwyer arrived from St. Louis Friday evening and will assist his brother Dr. J. C. Dwyer, in his large practice.

Ang. Welke, the young man who has been here the past month being treated for appendicitis, is able to be about once more.

Lew Clark, one of the railroad boys here, returned Monday afternoon from Omaha, where he had taken his wife for medical treatment.

"Louva, the Pauper," tomorrow.

Mrs. Kate Wellford is agent for all kinds of musical instruments. Best makes. See her before buying. Sheet music furnished on short notice. 5

Dr. Dwyer has ten beds in his private sanitarium in the northwest part of town, and all of them are occupied. This speaks well for Dr. Dwyer's ability.

All the flags in town are flying in honor of McKinley's inauguration. THE DEMOCRAT does not sulk, and to show its loyalty to America had its flag up first.

Owing to the absence of the chairman the town board did not meet last evening and the curfew ordinance matter will come up at a special meeting in a day or two.

The Hyannis Tribune man was evidently out with the boys the night before his last issue. The last page of his paper was printed where the first should have been.

Topic for the Y. P. S. C. E. at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening will be "Opportunities to do Good—Seeing Them, Using Them." John 4:5-15; 1 Cor. 9:19-22.

Architect Beindorf sent a pencil sketch of the new school to the board last week. The building will contain six grade and one recitation room, and is very convenient and compact.

I. R. McCreery, representing the American Warming and Ventilating Company, Chicago, is in town today for the purpose of explaining the company's heating apparatus for school houses.

E. B. Spenser and wife returned Friday night from a two months' visit with relatives in Troy and Selma, Iowa. Mr. Spenser's brother, Tom, accompanied him to Valentine and will stay until fall.

In answer to inquiries from the New York World forty state chairmen of democratic organizations said that if the national convention met tomorrow Wm. J. Bryan would be nominated for president.

W. H. Cameron, who was arrested at Hay Springs a couple of weeks ago on a charge of stealing nine head of cattle from Frank Novak "skipped the country" while the preliminary examination was pending.

E. J. Davenport and wife and son Harrison started Sunday morning for Washington to witness President McKinley's inauguration. Miss Mae and Master Clyde are staying at The Donohoe during their absence.

Jas. Gillaspie and Ira Richardson, two of Cherry county's stockmen hailing from Chesterfield, drove into town Monday evening. Of course they shook hands and had a pleasant word for the editor of this taxpayer's friend.

The court house bond proposition is continually gaining ground and if the question were to be submitted to the people tomorrow it would carry easily. The more taxpayers digest the question, the more favorable it seems to them.

Delilah S. Cole and Susan Yusam started Sunday morning for Washington to witness the inauguration. These are two aged colored women who are staunch republicans, and we hope they will get an opportunity to grasp the President's hand.

Friday night two men attempted to communicate with the prisoners in the county jail but were driven away. George Hammond, who was on guard, taking a shot at their rapidly disappearing forms. It is thought that the parties wished to release Collins.

Mrs. Vivian Lawrie, who has been visiting friends in Gordon the past week, left last night for Palmer, Neb., where she has a position in the public schools. Her uncle resides at Palmer. —Gordon Journal.

While on her way to Palmer Mrs. Lawrie stopped in Valentine Friday and went to Oasis where she visited Miss Ella Stilwell.

All the local merchants are adding improvements to their stores these days. T. C. Hornby has a new machine for invoice work in his dry goods department, and the latest patent spool case. Jackson & Brayton have a handsome antique oak cigar case of a new and improved pattern, and J. H. Quigley has moved his cigar case, thus giving him more room in his drug store.

Discharged and Rearrested.

Tuesday L. A. Collins was brought before the county judge and the old complaint against him, larceny, was discharged, and three new ones filled. One charging him with burglary, another with larceny and the third with receiving stolen property, to all of which he pleaded not guilty, waived examination and was bound over to the district court. He is now in jail and is guarded day and night so his oft repeated boast that he will never be brought to trial will probably be vain. This is the old case of Collins and Neeley who stole a set of harness from Capt. Archer about two years ago. Ernest Boden made the complaint, and since County Attorney Walcott is compromised in the case, having been county judge when Collins' first examination was held, J. Wesley Tucker will appear for the state. Counsel for defense will be appointed by the district judge. A brother of Collins and a woman who is said by some to be his wife and by others his step sister, are here and occupying the Nearpass house in the northeast part of town.

Hungry Four.

In response to the invitation of "Voracious" Nicholson the "Hungry Four" met at the usual place Friday evening and indulged in their weekly feed. A guest was present at this meeting, W. E. Waite, Chesterfield, so of course the gallon of oysters hardly satisfied the appetites of the banqueters. Just for a change the boys tried fried oysters, each member, including the guest, devouring half a dozen of the bivalves, after they had been rolled in eggs-and-crackers. Then came the stew. No complaints were made except by "Oliver Twist" Brower, who kicked because the bottom of his bowl was so near the top. The guest was evidently unaccustomed to such light lunches, but being well bred made no remarks regarding the scarcity of eatables. In addition to the oysters, 10 pounds of cheese, one barrel crackers and a box of cigars were present leaving only when the meeting adjourned.

A Stringent Law.

Under the law recently passed by congress and approved by the president, any person convicted of giving, selling or furnishing intoxicating liquor "and any essence, extract, bitters, preparation, compound, composition, * * * which produces intoxication," to any Indian, whether he be one to whom allotment of land has been made, or a mixed blood over whom the government exercises guardianship, be imprisoned for months and fined \$100 for the first offense and \$200 for each subsequent offence. This law effectually prohibits the selling of cologne, essences and extracts, and makes impossible the "dollar and a day" punishments some times inflicted. The offense of selling liquor to Indians will now be one to be not lightly trifled with.

Hunt—Razev.

At the residence of the bride's parents on West Catharine street Sunday afternoon, Woodward Hunt and Abigail Razev were united in matrimony by Rev. Sam'l Holselaw. The wedding was private, but a few of the immediate friends and relatives being present, and was a very pretty affair. The newly married couple received a number of both useful and ornamental presents as tokens of good will from their friends. The groom is a cook at Fort Niobrara, and is reputed to be a very steady young man. The bride is a daughter of City Marshal Henry Razev, and has for some time been numbered among Cherry county's corps of school teachers.

Capt. Shaw Heard From.

The Tallapoosa, (Georgia) Inquirer of Feb. 24, says of the show with which Capt. A. G. Shaw is traveling: "Mustang Walter's Wild West Show has been exhibiting in this city every day this week. The performance is excellent and wins the applause of all who attend. The company embraces Mustang Walter in his marvelous feats of marksmanship, lassoing, and other feats of horsemanship for which the wild riders of the west are famous. The clown acts are excellent, the strong man does good work, the feats of knife and ax throwing are marvelous, and the farces on the stage are amusing. With this show is a family of genuine Sioux Indians."

"Louva, the Pauper," at Cornell Hall tomorrow evening.

W. F. Wilson, a farmer living northeast of Humboldt, Neb., delivered to O. A. Cooper, the other day, fifty-nine head of fat steers, for which he received \$4,000. Several of the steers weighed over 1,800 pounds, and the entire bunch averaged about 1,600. Mr. Wilson says the corn he fed to these steers has brought him over fifty cents per bushel.

Born.—Last evening, Wednesday, March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Glover, a girl. Child and mother are in the best of condition and Charlie is walking on air. This explains the strong smell of catnip in the northeast part of town. One of the father's first exclamations after the interesting event was: "Thank heaven she was born under a democratic administration."

Charlie Schwalm returned Monday night from Richmond, Va., where he spent the winter, happy to once more breathe the pure air of Nebraska and greet old friends. He will be found in his old place at the City Meat Market. He informs us that Mrs. J. W. Stetter is getting along very nicely, and that Zike Brauer is just recovering from an illness which threatened to cause his death.

A loose brick in the chimney of the building on Main street occupied by Frank Klecka caused an alarm of fire to be given Sunday evening about five o'clock and created a little excitement. The garret of the building filled with smoke, and escaping through the roof attracted the attention of passersby. The hose cart was run out and hose laid ready for use. No damage was done except to the roof where holes were chopped for the purpose of locating the fire.

A letter received from Arthur B. Ries, at Oasis, informs us that by reason of his marriage last December he is entitled to a year's subscription to this family delight and promoter of the public welfare. His name has been placed on the list. There are several more to be heard from. Walk up! As an encouragement towards the patronizing of home industry THE DEMOCRAT offers a bonus of a year's subscription to all couples married in the county.

Robust, not Delicate.
Robert Good, of THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT, took in the play at this place, Friday night and made a pleasant call at this office Saturday morning. Bro. Good is making things rather lively for a certain Catholic priest in the vicinity of Valentine these days. We have no doubt Mr. Good realizes that he is undertaking a very delicate task. —Ainsworth Star Journal.

Well, not very delicate, either, when the priest deserves having "things made rather lively," and his entire congregation, to say nothing of the general public, are against him.

The Deadwood Daily Pioneer of Tuesday, March 2, contains the report of the committee appointed by Terry Peak Miner's Union. The report says that in the famous Ragged Top camp only 25 men are employed, and roundly scores the correspondents who send out tales regarding funds of ore of fabulous richness, and advise all workmen to give the Hills country a wide berth this season, as hundreds of men are living on public charity. The Pioneer editorially confirms this report and says it can be relied on. The day has passed when men without money can go to the Black Hills and get rich.

An Editor in Trouble.

Last Monday morning ye editor became frisky while walking on one of our excellent sidewalks, tried to kick the ceiling out of the sky, and, failing in that sat down real hard, spraining his left wrist in the operation, and badly disarranging his internal economy in addition to throwing a few of the wheels in his head out of gear. All this is not very pleasant but careful nursing brought him around again. Yesterday afternoon he had cramps and tried to make a jackknife out of himself, right in public too, and to cap the climax only two new names were placed on the subscription list. Taken all in all it's been a tough week for him. Now is the time to subscribe!

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