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## TALK OF THE TOWN

Goods being sold off regular price at

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A. J. Barnes was down from Cody Tuesday on business.

Judge Wood of Rushville was in our city Tuesday on business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sol Moroy at Crawford, Neb., Saturday, Jan. 27, 1906, a son.

Mrs. Clarence Sageser returned last week from her visit with home folks at Broken Bow.

Luke M. Bates of Longpine was appointed register of the Valentine land office last Friday.

A. H. Stees and Miss Maud Ralya were invited guests at the club dance at Church's hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 26th.

Wm. Gillaspie returned from Lincoln this week bringing his brother Bob back with him, who is now totally blind but otherwise improved in condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Yoerg returned from their wedding tour in Illinois where they visited Mr. Yoerg's parents, and will make their home across the street west of the school house.

Judge Westover and J. D. Scott came down Tuesday to finish up a few items of business left over from last term of court, returning in the evening to Chadron where they have some court work.

Harry Strickland and "Adams" who were charged with holding up Wm. Johnson, had their preliminary yesterday and were bound over to the district court in the sum of \$800 bond and remanded to jail.

O. W. Hahn and son returned from their trip and visit with relatives in northwestern Missouri last Thursday. Mr. Hahn says they had a good time, but looked tired. The farmers down in that section are all doing well he says.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Simeon spent a couple of days in town the past week visiting. Miss Jennie Peterson went out from Valentine the previous Sunday with Mr. Baker to cook and do housework which relieves Mrs. Baker so they can get away from home.

We forgot to report a wreck of an east bound freight last week a few miles west of Cody in which 8 cars went into the ditch. Judge Walcott was one of the passengers on the train and says that no one was hurt. The flange breaking on one of the car wheels while rounding a curve was the cause.

Dr. J. C. Dwyer, whom it was reported had died some time ago, returned to Valentine Monday and was arrested while in a dangerous drunken condition and taken before the board of insanity which pronounced him insane, and this morning he was taken to the Norfolk asylum by Sheriff Simons.

At a special term of court held here Jan. 30, by Judge Westover, the case of Alfred H. Stees vs Wm. Erickson et al came up for hearing and the judge passed upon and allowed to stand all of the allegations of the plaintiff excepting the 19th count. Also confirmed the receiver's report in regard to the sale of real estate.

A fire at J. M. Ralya's place 25 miles southwest of town on the Snake, destroyed his frame building and contents, his frame shed near by and about 150 tons of hay early last Saturday. The cause of the fire was not reported but is said to have started in the frame house. The property was partly covered by insurance.

Albert H. Metzger and William Fleischman were in our city Sunday visiting our local stockmen. Mr. Metzger and his brother Wil- own a fine ranch 45 miles south of Merriman and this winter have 1500 to 1800 head of cattle to feed. Mr. Fleischman and his partner Mr. Shadbolt have a ranch a few miles south of Eli upon which they raised 1200 tons of alfalfa the past year.

Doris, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherman, died of dropsy Monday, Jan. 29, 1906, after a lingering illness of several weeks, during which time she grew steadily worse despite every care that loving hands could bestow. The funeral was held at the home on Cherry St., Tuesday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. J. W. Morgan of the Presbyterian church, and the remains interred in Mount Hope cemetery. The family have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement. Doris was about 13 months old.

Last Sunday Rev. Royal D. Waterman and E. G. Bristol went over to Norden to hold quarterly meeting at that place, Rev. R. G. Easley occupying the M. E. pulpit here Sunday morning, and union services being held in the M. E. church in the evening conducted by Rev. J. W. Morgan of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. Caldwell, D. D., who delivered an excellent sermon. The church was well filled with people. Revival meetings are being held this week at the Presbyterian church by Rev. Morgan, assisted by Dr. Caldwell. Everybody is invited to attend these meetings. Dr. Caldwell is a forceful speaker and everybody should hear him.

A fire occurred about 2 o'clock Wednesday morning in the building occupied by Geo. W. Miller and wife and owned by H. M. Cramer, which nearly destroyed the building. When first discovered it was burning between the partitions and in the roof. The fire department was hurriedly brought out and the fire extinguished but the fire had burned through the roof and about half consumed the building. The cause of the fire is supposed to be a defective flue or mice and matches. The household goods, though damaged, were saved with the exception of a few small articles. There was no insurance on either building or contents. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have moved into Sam Imes' house.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

By Margaret Quigley,  
Clara Dunham.

Nellie Francke returned to school Monday after a long illness.

Merle Clark of the 7th grade is out of school now and is threatened with typhoid fever.

Prof. R. H. Watson is to lecture at O'Neill Feb. 17th in the interest of the Junior Normal, and at Ainsworth Feb. 24.

The Eastern division of the Teachers' association of Cherry county met in Valentine at 1:30 Saturday afternoon. There were twenty-one present and a very good program was given. Miss Vannie Hooper gave a very good paper on the 6th and 7th chapters of the Louisiana Purchase. Miss Nettie Kneeland gave some good points on "Methods of Reading." Miss Driscoll had a class drill in number work and R. H. Watson told of some of the Good Things heard at the state teachers' association.

### Catholic Church Announcement.

On Sunday next, mass will be said here at 10:30 a. m. Catechism class at 3 p. m.

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