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$\overline{\text { Thurwday, August, } 221901}$
additional local.
The Woodlake banker Johnson is
town todey.
A daughter was born to Mrs J. W. Whimans, Monday Sparks se-nnion next week. Thurs.
day and Friday, Angust 29 and 30 . day and Friday, August 29 and 30 Miss Barfoot, of Emmetsburg, Iowa,
is visiting with Miss Lara Hutchuson. is visiting Hald visited wilh the editor O. W. Hahn visited with the editor
Wcdncsday and set his subscription in advance.
Horse races and sports at the Sparks
re-union Ang ust 29 and 30 . Come er-re-unioo Angust and and and enjoy a good time.
Henry Shaeffer from north-east of Cody
cailed at the DrMoonat onice yesterday while transacting business in town.
Miss Lura Hutchmson from Nora
Springs, Iowa, arrived here week beSprings, Iowa, arrived here week be-
fore last and is visiting her brother the fore last
dentist.
We offer to some honest, uprigh
young man who has a far education an young man who las a a far education an iness. Call at the Democrat ofice. Henry Shatfier between Nenzel and
Cody will sell his cattle, horses, im Cody will sell his cattle, horses, im-
provements and houselold goods Tuesday, Septembe
for particulars.
Levi Sparks returned this week fro
a trip up to Deadwood, Lead, Rapi City, Hot Springs and other points.
Mr. sparks visited will his family here sesterday and today and says he e josed his trip very muct
J. S. Duley representing Edward E.
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of Clucago, will be at the Red Frout of Cucago, wili be at he ked rront
September 4 with his iline of samples
and we solicit the orders of those who and we solicit the orders of those who
are looking for tailor made suits at are looking to
right prices.
It is reported that Robert Faddis
dwelling was struck and Chas. She
of his livery stable says the cinders
flew into his face and
liew hito his face and he thinks the in front of the barn.
Shortly after six oclock Tuesday evening the dwelling house owned by
Robt. Cobinson on the north-east corner of Cherry and Virginia streets was struck by lightning in two places
The first visitation ripped the chimney located in the center of the roof, from
top to bottom, a portion of the electric fluid being deflected along the rafter toward the south thence down the south wall into the ground, ripping off a square yard or so of plaster in it passage. Immediately afterwards ea ves on the east side, ripping off a few
shingles and partly demolishing screen door at the same time filling the yoom with a blinding glare of light and
partially stunning the family who were partially stunning the
at the supper table.

Dr. Sermour realizes the responsibi-
y placed supon opticians: He realizes that wrong glasses ruin sight; that the right glasses strengthen sight. Realizing these things, he
less and inicurate.
Drs. Seymour \& Williams have de cided to make our city visits at regula
ntervals, their next visit being on Monday, September 9 . They will be at the Donoher hotel as usual, Those wishing to consult them should call early.
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ors, of Chicago, will be at the Red Front September 4 with his line of samples and we solictt the orders of hose who are looking for tailor made suits at right prices.
We will give to some young man or girl of suitable education a.good oppor tunity to learu the printing businers ood wages can be earued when procient in the business. It is worth core than a course in a business college wo the right paity.

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