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TALK OF THE TOWN

There was a dance at the Post last Friday night.

The houses that were for rent are mostly rented now.

E. Breuklander is building an addition to his residence on Cherry street.

Geo. Elliott is building a small addition to his fine residence in the west part of the city.

Mrs. Pfunder and two younger daughters are visiting at the home of Mrs. Cyphers for a couple of weeks.

Don't forget about Joe Burleigh's sale next Tuesday at Britt. See his sale bill in another part of this paper.

Bert Pike made us a nice visit last week leaving with us the pay for the past year's brand ad and paid one in advance.

Mrs. Furrey and daughter of Ft. Niobrara went down to Ainsworth Saturday morning returning on the afternoon freight.

Wm. Maier, the contractor, returned from Omaha Saturday night where he has been a couple of weeks on business matters.

Gus Carlson is putting up a carpenter shop north of Stinard's and Hooton's hotels which will be useful to him as a work shop. The frame work is up.

A party composed of the officers of the post and some of our citizens has been out in the country for a hunt and camped out for a few days the past week.

The bridge across the Niobrara between here and the Post is now completed and travel across it resumed much to the satisfaction of people who go that way.

Weeds should be cut down along the side walks. They catch on to the ladies skirts as they walk along and besides the annoyance fringes the dress. Cut them down.

Better side walks are now the talk of our business men. Brick is being used and will out last several plank side walks. Permanent improvements speak well for a town.

A cousin of George H. and T. C. G. C. Hornby, formerly of Newport, and now from Rapid City, S. D. stopped here Tuesday, peddling views and stereoscopes. He was on his way to his former home at Newport.

M. P. Brosius dropped in last Saturday on business and before going paid for another year's subscription in advance. Mr. Brosius always raises lots of corn and he perhaps had a few acres of late corn damaged by the frost.

Wm. Steadman has a good running pony which he has matched with Mr. Pitchers running horse for \$150. The race to be pulled off Wednesday. That's lots of money for sand hill ponies to run for but we guess it would take a good horse to beat even a sand hill pony.

Mr. Robinson and wife of Aldeo, Illinois, came out last Wednesday to visit for a few weeks with Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mrs. W. H. Hooper, of North Table. Mr. Hooper and Grandpa Hubbard with Mr. Robinson made us a visit and for a half hour the time went very pleasantly by.

J. H. Sears, the Sparks merchant, was in town Tuesday and gave us an account of the state convention at Lincoln, September 17 of which he was one of the attending delegates from Cherry county. Mrs. Sears will be in town during the races and Mr. Sears will make an effort to get back for the county convention, Saturday.

The biggest purses that has been offered for Races at Valentine are put up this week. The best horses that make the circuit are here and as good races can be expected as if you were to go back east. People coming to the races, should appreciate the generosity of Valentine people in making up such large purses for races.

There was a ripple of excitement on the streets in front of Quigley and Chapman's drug store last Thursday evening when one of our citizens tried to use another for a paint brush. City Marshall Hilsinger put a stop to working on that line not wholly in accordance with schedule rates and rules and the mixing was deferred until Friday morning when with a rock in the hand of one, the other didn't stop to debate the question. We heard that if it were not for the big man trying to take advantage, that the little man could do him up.

The races at the Lone Tree Ranch were not as well attended as they would have been had the weather been more favorable just previous to the races though they were as advertised. We would like to give the particulars more complete and if they arrive in time for this issue you will find them in another column.

The famous General Gage who signed the Sulu treaty was here a little over a week ago inspecting the Post at Ft. Niobrara. He expressed himself as being very much pleased with the appearance in general and was of the opinion that the fort would be more extensively used in the future, the conditions being more favorable than he had expected from what he had previously learned.

The editor got aboard the cars at this place last Friday morning and went down the road to visit our neighbors Longpine reached, and met the always smiling county attorney editor of the Longpine Journal, Luke Bates with whom we chatted for a few moments. Then on to Bassett where Robt. Good's Eagle soars out once each week spreading the news to the people of Rock county. Bob was at the depot and took immediate charge, escorting his successor on the VALENTINE DEMOCRAT to the Eagle's perch where we were entertained for a while and then made a tour of the town. The banker, Mr. Brayton, we found to be a pleasant, genial and good hearted man who has been doing business there for several years. Mr. Smith, the sheriff, was a necessary acquaintance which we made as soon as possible. Bob suggested going down to Newport where there was a meeting of the A. O. U. W. so we put in the time pretty well visiting several prominent business men. Mr. Mead of the Bassett Leader was at home and has a pleasant place to do business. W. T. Phillips, former editor of the Eagle, was at the Eagle's perch, an elderly gentleman. Miss Delgetta and Gillett, formerly of Valentine are each conducting millinery stores at Bassett. Finally Bob's credit being good we tried "liven" good with a square meal at the popular hotel. Mr. Stockwell, the druggist, formerly clerk for Alfred Lewis at this place is doing well and has a nice neat drug store. The county clerk, Mr. Hilberg was a school mate of D. E. Sherman's back east and they haven't met in 20 years though living almost within a stones throw of each other. We found the Co. Treas. and Judge to be agreeable gentlemen. At Newport we steered for the office of editor Wiltse whom we found busily engaged running off his papers with the assistance of Jay Hawk Johnson: there was a nice drill at the pavillion of the A. O. U. W. by 16 ladies in white robes assisted by 12 young men in which they were heartily applauded as the abbreviation's of the order were represented in their drill. Train was late so after a nice visit with Bro. Wiltse we were invited to dine at the editor's expense. Back up to Ainsworth where we found the immortal Reinert and his assistant Burleigh of the Star-Journal who hadn't done jabbering over Reinert and Whittecre's walk out of the Fusion convention. Robert Martin, an old timer and faithful to the end was there and accuses Reinert of writing the article to the State Journal in which so much was claimed by the writer as to deceive the middle of the readers themselves. Reinert will accept a position at any land office along the line it is rumored provided there's nothing bigger in sight. Bro. Miles was busily engaged getting out some programs and course of study for their county superintendent, Miss Daniels whom we had the pleasure of meeting. Miss D. is a candidate for re-election we learned and we judge from what we hear that the people of Brown county are well pleased with her efficient work and will cast their ballots for a deserving person. Mrs. Miles' father and mother being away on a visit she was in charge of their restaurant where we again got our feet under the table loaded with the good things to eat that editors and printers so much appreciate. Miss Bowers is a valuable assistant in Bro. Miles office and makes her home with the family. All of the editors, printers and other people seemed to be cheerful and we can better understand now, how a printer may be induced to go on the bum. The trip has impressed us that at some future time we may be again with the good hearted boys along the line.

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