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TALK OF THE TOWN

It is surprising how prosperous our enemies seem to be.

Valentine has five hotels. Only one is advertised in this paper.

Miss Bessie Elliott is quite sick with typhoid fever at the Union hotel.

A letter from W. D. Morgareidge says they are doing nicely in Moscow, Idaho.

E. J. DeBell, of Rosebud, returned Monday from a business trip down to Omaha.

Lee Holsclaw returned from Crawford last week and didn't go to Wash. as he intended.

John R. Fee has returned from a trip to Mo., where he has been visiting relatives and friends.

Jos. Langer, of Norden, was in our city last Saturday trading with our merchants and took out some lumber.

The hardware for the Red Front arrived last week and they are now ready to sell you anything you want in that line.

A. E. Thacher left last Saturday morning for Chicago where he will spend a couple of weeks purchasing goods and visiting friends.

Mrs. Ballard and two children, a sister of Mr. Morgan, of McCann, was in town Monday to see about renting a house to conduct a hotel.

Livery business has been good the past summer in Valentine. Five livery stables is more than most towns support. See ads in this paper.

It is the time of year to look after your insurance. We write in three of the best companies in the state and at the lowest price. Call at this office.

F. L. Barnett, editor of the Progress, of Omaha, was in our city Monday making arrangements to open a clubroom for the benefit of those who have time to enjoy social times.

H. C. Rowe, formerly of Chesterfield, called on us Tuesday with samples of apples of which he brought a car load from his home in Wright Co. Mo., the land of the red apples and flint rocks.

Editor Heath, of the Cody Cow Boy called to see us while in town last Friday on business. Mr. Heath is now U. S. Land Com. taking Fred Hoyt's place at Merriman in receiving final proofs and filings.

Andrew Morrissey returned from a trip up the road Tuesday morning, where he has been getting acquainted with the people he will be elected to represent us on next Tuesday. He reports prospects bright.

Stone was shipped in from Hot Springs for the First National Bank front. Our home quarries furnish finer stone but there was some difficulty in making arrangements for procuring the stone here.

Chas. Maxwell has sold his residence property opposite the Catholic church to J. W. Ward. He also sold his farm down the Niobrara to Richard Osborn and will probably go to California to try that climate.

Mr. P. Sullivan returned Friday from Peya Paha Co., where he spent several days visiting and getting acquainted with the people. He ought to get a good vote over there to compare with the vote Cherry county will give him.

J. J. Lowe, of Compton, came up to Valentine Monday to transact business and called at this office to pay us a visit while in town. Mr. Lowe does not come to the county seat oftener than once in three or four years and we're glad to see him.

C. P. Jordan came down last Thursday from Rosebud and spent a couple of days in our city. Mr. Jordan was here and helped to start the town of Valentine in the early days and has a large number of friends here among the old timers who are always glad to see him.

M. M. Warren, editor of the "Lyons Mirror," Burt Co., Nebraska, and also a candidate for representative of the 12th district, called on us Monday and we had a nice visit. Mr. Warren had been up on the Cheyenne river to get his mother who had been ill and brought her down to E. J. DeBell's at Rosebud, who is a brother-in-law of Mr. Warren. His mother was improving in health and Mr. Warren was in a hurry to get back to his newspaper work and campaign.

Report of school district No. 95, for the month beginning September 29th 1902 and ending October 24th 1902. Number pupils enrolled, 6; average daily attendance, 6; number of pupils tardy, none. ALBERT YEAST, Teacher.

The DEMOCRAT is sent to different teachers in the county and we ask them to send us an account of any item of interest that may happen in their locality and at the close of each month some item of interest concerning their schools. Anyone who fails to get a copy of the Democrat should notify us.

Dean S. Efner and wife, of the Chadron Journal, came down last Friday morning and visited with Dean's parents. Dean went out on his claim south of town and enjoyed a night at home. Mrs. Efner was glad to see the old and familiar faces where she spent several years of earlier life at work in the abstract office of W. E. Haley.

There was an altercation between an official and a man who wanted to arrest a score of more persons. The man came here lately and as a handy man with the paste boards and because he failed to skin the people as fast as he thought he ought to, wanted them all arrested and proceeded to abuse our officials because they asked him to make out a complaint which he refused to do.

Services at the M. E. Church next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Subject, "Refused to be Hindered." Class meeting at 12 m. Junior League at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Christ's Invitation to a Tired World." You will receive a cordial welcome at all these services. CHAS. W. RAY, Pastor.

Miss Martha Thompson, formerly a compositor in this office, came up from Woodlake last Friday to prove up on a homestead. One of her witnesses failed to appear and thus a delay of several days is caused which Miss Thompson attributes to the unfaithfulness of men. We acknowledge a pleasant visit. Miss Thompson has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Alf Morris, for some time past but expects to go to Colorado for her health where we hope she may be benefited.

Lee-Campbell.
Wm. M. Lee and Cora B. Campbell, of Brownlee, were married last Thursday evening Oct. 23, at the parsonage by Rev. Chas. W. Ray, pastor of the M. E. church, of Valentine. Mr. Lee is a fine young man of more than ordinary intelligence and is a son of J. R. Lee, of Brownlee. The bride is handsome and a bright young lady. We wish them sunshine and happiness in their journey. They took the train here for Omaha where they will take a little vacation and enjoy their wedding trip.

C. H. Cornell's Letter.
Voter, that letter from C. H. Cornell lauding Pres. Roosevelt and appealing finally for you to vote for Kincaid, and gotten out in the last round is like a dying man grasping for a straw. Mouthless and stomachless Moses will be defeated and should be. Because Roosevelt brought about a temporary ending of the coal strike just before election is a pretty good sign that the terms will not be lived up to after the election. It's the Savage and Bartley deal over again just to get a few more votes for the republican party.

The news of the settlement of the coal strike was flashed all over the country to every ready print house and was shoved in last week in order that everybody might learn of it just before election. Do not be deceived by these overtures to get your vote. We can't control the ready print houses and we don't think the voters will take any more stock in this "before election settlement" than they ought to have taken in the republicans sending Bartley back to the pen before election. Already there is great dissatisfaction among the miners. Let us vote for Gen. Barry and take no chances with the republican party. They have fooled us too often.

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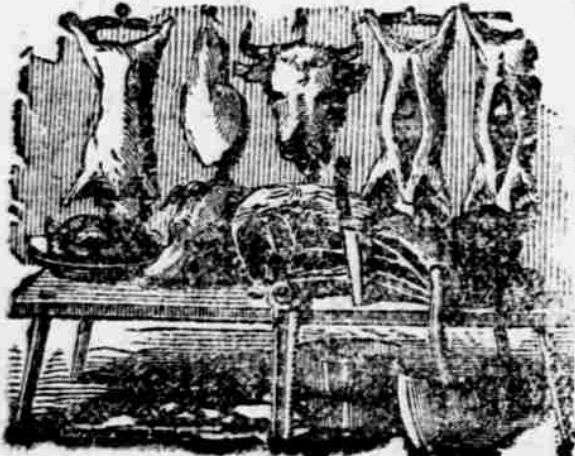
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