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Undertaking Supplies

We carry the newest and most up-to-date line of Undertaking goods and funeral supplies in the city. Are also able to furnish any kind of a casket desired, from the smallest to the largest and the cheapest to the most expensive. We also have with us, Mr. J. W. Bullis, a licensed Embalmer who will attend all calls in a very careful and satisfactory manner. He may be found at any time at our store or at the home of C. H. Bullis at night. We guarantee satisfaction, both in the quality of our goods and all other work done in this line.

Red Front Mercantile Co.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Local Weather Record
U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau
Valentine, Nebraska, week ending 6 a. m., April 29, 1903.
Maximum temperature 79 degrees on the 29th.
Minimum temperature, 24 degrees on the 29th.
Mean temperature, 49.7 degrees, which is 0.7 degree below the normal.
Total precipitation, .19 inch, which is 0.51 inch below the normal.
H. McP. BALDWIN,
Official in Charge.

David Hancock was in town during the past week.

Mrs. L. N. Layport has been quite sick the past week.

Pete DeCory was on our streets Monday looking as cheerful as is usual with him.

Wm. Lee, of Brownlee, was doing business at the land office a couple of days this week.

S. Q. Spain and son-in-law, Chas. Pate, were in town this week hauling freight to Kennedy.

The morning subject at the M. E. church next Sunday will be, "Hindered in the Christian Life." Evening, "Responsibility of Leaders."

Mrs. Lizzie Harris will be in Valentine May 1st with a stock of millinery goods, which will be opened at Mrs. Munson's dress-making rooms on the east side of Main street.

Wm. Heelan and Wencel Schrum of Arabia, called at this office last Saturday while in town making final proof on land for Mr. Heelan and Ed Johnson. We printed some nice envelopes for Mr. Heelan with his name, address and stock brand.

Tuesday there was a little sleet on the sidewalks and on open stairways. Dr. Dailey started to walk down his stairway, but found sliding so easy that he slid down part of the way and thinks he is some ahead of the game for having saved so many steps and without effort, not being hurt in the least.

A. B. McAlevy and wife were in town this week transacting business with our merchants, and Mr. McAlevy made this office a pleasant visit and got I. M. Rice to write up some insurance on his dwelling and household goods. They live about a mile from the mouth of the Boardman on the land he recently purchased from Mr. Beekly.

H. W. Caton and wife came down from their home at Stearns, S. D., to visit at the home of Judge Towne, Mrs. Caton's parents, Monday of this week. Mr. Caton called at our office and says that they are getting along nicely and that their cattle wintered as well as usual, though this has been the hardest winter that he has put in, in Nebraska.

Dr. Lauren Jones, of Gordon, made us a pleasant visit while in town as advertised last week. We consider Dr. Jones a thorough man, and anyone securing his services may feel that a specialist in his line has done what science teaches can be done, and if their case is within his professional capacity, Dr. Jones will conscientiously discharge his duty. Try to see him if you are in poor health.

Mrs. Ida Ballard was brought back from Iowa Sunday night to answer to the charge of mortgaging cattle which could not be found. Mrs. Ballard is the woman who was recently married to I. M. Jones, of this city, and run the Union hotel for several months. It is stated that Mrs. Ballard has been very careless in obtaining money and credit, which has been extended to her because of false representation by her, and that she will now board for awhile with Sheriff Layport pending an investigation.

Mark Cyphers has purchased a yearling Jersey bull from Prof. Haecker, of the Lincoln Experiment Station. This is probably the only full blood Jersey from the famous Golden Lad family, from the Isle of Jersey, that is in the county.

Monday night it rained. Sleeted Tuesday. Snowed Tuesday night and Wednesday. The first part of the day looked like a January blizzard but was not very cold. The wind blew from the north and snow filled the air. About two inches of snow fell and drifted in places a couple of feet deep.

W. H. Wilkinson and wife drove in from Kennedy Tuesday and were the guests of L. N. Layport and wife of this city. It has been some time since Mrs. Wilkinson has visited in our city and she found the weather quite severe. The snow storm which came up Tuesday night made things look like Christmas time. We acknowledge a pleasant visit from Mr. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Alice Furrey D. ad.

Mrs. Alice Furrey, wife of John W. Furrey, died last Friday evening of heart trouble, at their home on Cherry street in this city. Mrs. Furrey had gone down to the Post during the afternoon, Friday, and her husband, who is a teamster at the Post got in the buggy and came home with her after his work was done there. The family had gotten ready to retire and Mrs. Furrey had gone to bed. Mr. Furrey had gone to another room to get a drink of water when he was summoned hastily to the bedside of his wife who told him that she was fainting or dying. Drs. Compton and Lewis were called immediately and did what they could to relieve her but to no avail. She died in about an hour from the time she was stricken with heart failure. A post mortem examination disclosed the fact that a callous growth around the heart had closed the valves and burst a vein, from which death resulted. The funeral took place Sunday morning at 11 o'clock from the M. E. church, of which Mrs. Furrey was a member since last winter, having formerly belonged to the Dunkard church.

Mrs. Furrey was born Dec. 14, 1855 at Troy Grove, Ill., was married to John W. Furrey in Sept. 1875, died April 24, 1903 at the age of 47 years 4 months 10 days.

Nine children and a husband survive the deceased. She was laid to rest in Mount Hope cemetery. THE DEMOCRAT extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

Educational Department.

BY A SENIOR

A man has no more right to say an unevil thing than to act one.
No more right to say a rude thing to another than to knock him down.
DR. SAMUEL JOHNSON.

The seniors are planning for the usual high school picnic. A week from Saturday will be the all eventful day.

Last week Nancy, Walter and Charles Guyer were enrolled among the school pupils of the lower rooms.

Sam Tetherow and Rapp Brush have quit school. Sam takes charge of his fathers ranch, while Rapp goes with his father to Indiana.

Mary Cumbow was a pleasant caller in the high school Thursday. She has just finished a successful term of school near Georgia and intends to rest up at home till the Normal begins.

Easter Lingerie

This season's styles are dainty, useful, essentially feminine. Something to delight the heart of every true woman. We invite the ladies to come and inspect our stock.

Ladies' Corset Covers

Hemstitched with embroidery beading and insertion. 50c to \$1.00.

Hemstitched with lace insertion and edging, 60c 75c, 85c, \$1.00 to \$2.00

Tight fitting waists, 25c to 50c

Ladies' Night Gowns

Trimmed with embroidery and insertion, good lengths and full widths, 75c to \$2.00

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