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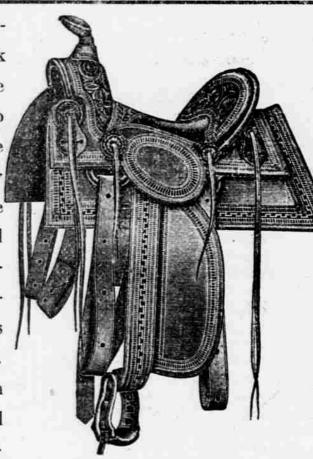
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Maximum temperature 71 tegrees M nimum temperature, 20 degrees Mean temperature, 45 degrees, Total precipitation, 0.

J. J. O'DONNELL, Oricial in Charge.

town Monday.

F. H. Baumgartel, of Crookston visited our city last Friday.

Hon. Frank Rothleutner, of Georgia, was in town last Saturday on business.

The baby of Mrs. Week's, sister-in-law of Ervine Bristol, was seriously ill last week.

attended the Easter exercises at St. Francis Mission last Sunday.

Dave Hancock was in to meet his son Larkin, who had just re-

J. H. Quigley and R. M. Faddis

Max E. Viertel and Wm. Cavanaugh called at our office last Friday on business while in town from Crookston.

Miss Effie Carlson, who is teachng school at Woodlake, while her sister Emma is sick, came home Saturday.

Louis Nollette called our office last Saturday on business and deposited another dollar with us on subscription.

be leased by the government at time. Rosebud may be seen at Quigley & Chapman's.

Cal Francis had the misfortune to break his right arm at Rosebud last Monday. He came to town and had it fixed up.

Wm. Archer's baby boy died at three o'clock this morning, of whooping cough and pneumonia, at the age of one year.

Sheriff Layport took old man Gear, the pop man, down to Lincoln yesterday morning to be treated for softening of the brain.

Wes Massingale and Joe Bachelor have just finished drilling a well 204 feet deep for S. F. Gilman on the Ward place north of

Larkin Hancock returned Wednesday night from a winter's visit in Missouri. He reports that everything is looking bright and plenty of rain.

Wm. Heelan, Andrew Benson and son Allen of Arabia, were in Taylor, Hall, Layport, Pettijohn, town on business Saturday. Allen Mrs. Harry Hilsinger, Mrs. Webb stayed in town over Sunday and Hilsinger and Mr. and Mrs. Ranattended church.

proud possessors of a baby boy, in honor of her birthday. born Sunday morning April 3, '04. There will soon be another addition to the police force.

Sheriff Taylor, of Fairfax, S.D. brought Dr. White Bank, an Indian, from Rosebud and took him to Bonesteel from here, charged with stealing horses.

visiting friends and relatives. The death of Mrs. Kincaid is re-They arrived Tuesday morning gretted by all who knew her as from Sheridan, Wyo. Mr. Brown she was a lady of the highest charis going down to Omaha the first acter and virtues. Mr. Kincaid of next week where he has a first has the heartfelt sympathy of this class position.

L. H. Overman has sold his livery barn in Crookston to Wm. Cavanaugh who will move there and engage in the livery business at once. Success to him.

Henry Vansteenis, Jas. Breuklander, Robt. McNamee and Wash Honey were up from Woodlake P. H. Young, of Simeon, was in Saturday. They were on business connected with the land office.

J. E. Nye returned Tuesday morning from Gold City, Oregon, Searby Bros., of Crookston, to visit friends and relatives. He were in town Monday on business. says the winter was fine and the hunting good. Mr. Nye got one deer while there.

The stockholders of the First National Bank met Feiday night to look after some business. Those present were Dr. A. Lewis, W. E. Efner, J. H. Quigley, L. N. B. J. Hoffacker, of near Simeon Layport and C. H. Cornell.

Peder Thorsen was down from Irwin to attend the school land Chas. Reiter, of Rosebud, was auction Tuesday and called at our in town Tuesday. He returned office to leave a dollar on subscripfrom the East about ten days ago. tion and to get some stationery that had been printed for him.

Last Wednesday afternoon the turned from Missouri, last Satur- engine of train No. 81 left the track in the switch yards at this place, plowing the ground for went over to White river Wednes- many feet. It took a great deal day morning to look after their of work to pull her back on the track again.

> Dean S. Efner and wife and the baby were down this week visiting with the old folks over Sunday and returned Monday night to their home in Chadron. We enjoyed a pleasant visit with Dean at our office Monday.

Judge and Mrs. Walcott, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sparks and Misses Brown and Wolgamuth drove up to St. Francis Mission last Sunday to attend Easter services. The weather was fine and it is needless A large plat of the pastures to to add that they had a pleasant

> Miss Anna Ladely, of the class of '03, V. H. S., returned to Valentine last Friday night after closing a successful term of school in Holt county. She left Friday night for Cody where she will go out to Mr. Kime's, near Newton, and open another school.

Geo. W. Kellar, of Pleasant Hill precinct, was in town on business Tuesday and expressed some surprise at finding so many men on our streets and the saloons closed. It was city election day and Mr. Kellar always ready for a joke, remarked that he had made a mistake in coming that day.

A large crowd of ladies went out to Mr. and Mrs. Dunn's on the North Table Monday to celebrate Mrs. Dunn's 46th birthday. Mrs. Randall, her daughter, arranged the surprise which was highly enjoyed by all. Among those present were Mesdames Haley, Nicholson, Sherman, Chapman, Hoenig, dall. They presented a large sil-John Simpson and wife are the ver syrup pitcher to Mrs. Dunn

The sad news of Mrs. Wm. Kincaid's death from child birth at Rosebud reached this community last Sunday. Representatives of the various lodges went up Sunday, and on Monday the remains were conveyed here, where they were shipped to Mason City, Ill., A. D. Brown and wife are here where her mother and people live. community in his bereavement.

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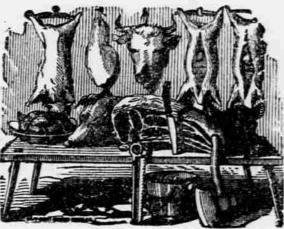
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