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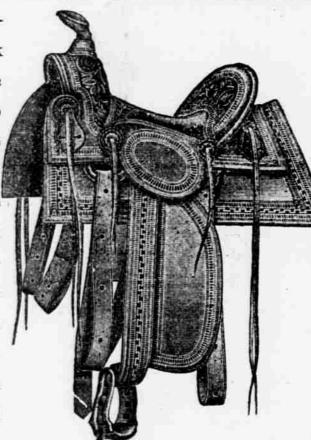
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TALK OF THE TOWN

Local Weather Record U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau

Maximum temperature 78 degrees Minimum temperature, 16 degrees Mean temperature 40 degrees, Total precipitation, 00

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

Miss Stella Crowe spent Saturday in town.

the city Monday. Elmer Cole was in Omaha last ranch.

week on business. Miss Mary Cumbow visited in

town last Sunday. Dave Dunn and family were in town last Saturday.

the city last Saturday.

last Friday on business.

Fred Bovee left for Douglas, Wyo. last Tuesday night.

F. H. Baumgartl was down from Crookston Saturday. Mrs. Roby, of Sparks, has been

seriously ill the past week. Woodruff Ball went down to

Omaha yesterday morning. J. H. Quigley went out to his

ranch near Cody last Saturday. P. H. Young was in town last Saturday on important business.

Nels Rowley, of Kennedy was in town last Monday on business.

Miss Pearl Ray has been visiting at the Fort for the past week. Will Archer, who lives out on

Sand creek, was in town Tuesday. from Butte, this state, the first of sis.

the week.

Eldorado.

Vern Stevenson has resigned his position with W. F. A. Mel- year. tendorff's.

Dick Smith, of Newton, came down from Cody to spend Tuesday night in town.

Wm. Gillespie, foreman of the O'Connor Cattle Co., was in town last Saturday.

E. C. Cole, county assessor, was down from Cody last Saturday on official business.

O. Larderach, the McCormick formed the bridal party. machine agent, was in town the first of the week.

down from St. Marys Mission the fore part of the week on business.

Dave McNicols is in town this week from O'Neill, visiting at the

home of his sister, Mrs. W. E. Haley.

contest that takes place in the near heart, but at present is recovering. future.

oughbred animals.

Mrs. Chas. Price departed Tuesday morning for Lansing, Michi- day. gan, where she goes on a visit of a couple of months.

Del Query was in town last Monday on business. Del has a fine claim out in the hay flats and A General Banking is getting along fine.

> Miss Nettie Brosius left for the Methodist hospital at Omaha yesterday morning, where she will be operated on for appendicitis.

The following were Rosebud visitors at Valentine last week. Mrs. Parmalee, Mrs. Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McLane.

John Shaughnessy and family have moved to town from Nenzel where they resided the past winter.

James Delaney, of Harvard, Nebr., arrived in Valentine last Sunday morning to visit his cousins Messrs Andrew and Will Morrissey.

Claude Jones and Del Whipple went out to the lake last Saturday Frank Dart, of Cody, was in for a few days recreation. While there they will stop at Claude's

> Arthur Tennis, foreman of the Bachelor ranch, was in town last week. His wife preceded him by a few days and they will visit here for a couple weeks.

Mrs. Geo. Corbin left for St. Grant Perkins was visiting in Joseph hospital at Omaha yesterday morning, where she will be El Heath was down from Cody operated on for enlargement of a gland in her throat.

> The fine stone building that F. Fischer is putting on up Main street is now ready for the upper joists. It will soon be a building that will be a credit to the town.

Wm. (Mickey) Ward put in his appearance in Valentine last Sunday morning. He came up from the soldiers' home at Grand Island to visit his many friends.

Larkin Hancock was in town last Saturday. Two weeks ago THE DEMOCRAT said he was Dave Hancock's son, and so we acknowledge a mistake, as he is his broth-

John Simpson, accompanied by Dr. Compton, took Mrs. Simpson to the Methodist hospital at Omaha yesterday morning, where she Dr. J. C. Dwyer drove down will be treated for partial paraly-

W. F. Morgareidge was in the John Eaton has resigned his city last Saturday on business. position as day bartender at the Mr. Morgareidge is principal of Merriman school and reports that this has been a very successful

> Bud Gaskill called at this office while in town Monday and set his subscription ahead to THE DEMO-CRAT. Bud has a good claim up the Minnechaduza and is getting along fine.

> Last Monday, April 18th, Wm. Strube and Miss Anna Dart, of Merriman, were married in this city. Frank Dart, of Cody, and Miss D. Peacock, of Merriman,

C. M. Sagesser helped W. A. Kimbell last week in the barber L. K. Travis and wife drove shop. It looked natural to see "Sag's" jolly smile in the shop. He went out to Simeon Monday to visit his sister for a few days.

Jim Ashburn made a flying trip to town from St. Francis Mission Sunday, on account of the serious The high school chorus has be- illness of his daughter. She is gun practicing for the silver medal suffering from rheumatism of the

Last Tuesday evening Geo. Mc-R. K. Rainbolt was in town the Farland and Dick Murray engaged latter part of last week from the in a controversy on the streets of O'Connor ranch after some thor- Valentine that might have resulted seriously. McFarland was arrest ed and will have his trial Satur-

> Elmer Cole and wife expect to leave next Monday morning for Grand Encampment, Wyo. where Mr. Cole will engage in business. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Cole regret to see them depart from here.

Last Friday night was a great night for dances. One was held at Crookston, one out at Brosius' on the north table, and one down on the river. A number of young men from town attended the several dances and all report a good

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