

More Local.

A. H. Stees, of Kennedy, is in town. B. J. Hoffacker was in town last week from Cody.

Fred Brayton returned home yesterday and is looking well. Col. Jordan and Mr. Curtis came down from Rosebud yesterday.

Geo. H. Hornby is back from a trip to St. Louis and Indianapolis. F. P. Mullen has resigned his position at Rosebud and was down the first of the week on his way East on a vacation.

An ice cream social will be given at Bethel hall, Friday evening, July 29, by the ladies of the M.E. church. Everybody invited.

Hon. M. P. Kinkaid was up last Saturday conferring with C. H. Cornell, chairman of the congressional committee of this district.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sparks, Wednesday morning, a girl. Mr. Sparks is setting up the cigars and wears a pleasant smile.

Walter Meltendorff informs us that John J. Guth died at his home at Glendale, Ore., July 3. Mr. Guth formerly lived here, leaving about 6 years ago.

The Stockmen's telephone line was completed to Kennedy Tuesday. S. L. Ellis says the phone at Simeon was burned out by lightning last week.

Mrs. H. Dailey entertained a number of her friends last Friday morning at breakfast, given in honor of a Mrs. Rice of Colorado, who is here visiting her.

THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT has installed a Fairbanks-Morse two horse power gasoline engine for use in running the press. The editor has been kept busy putting in the engine and has done little else this week.

Tuesday evening the business men of the town were called together by a circular which was put out during the afternoon. We were busy and no one told us of the meeting and we didn't see one of the circulars until the next day.

James W. George died at his home in this city last Saturday morning at half past twelve o'clock at the age of 56 years, 7 months and 7 days, of paralysis, from which affliction he had suffered for about 3 years.

Bob Gillespie and wife and Dr. Campbell of Cody were in town last week. The Valentine State Bank has been nicely papered by Martin Christensen, the decorator.

Mr. Charbonneau tells us that last fall he put a carriage top in the loft of his blacksmith and wagon shop, and a few days ago when he took it down he found a nice little mouse nest of fibers, grass and among other things a match.

This might account in part for misterous fires that sometimes occur. Commissioners' Proceedings. Office of County Commissioners. Valentine, Neb., July 6, '04.

Board met as per adjournment. Present: L. Laufer, chairman, and A. E. Morris.

On motion the following appointments were made: Overseers. No. 17 Geo A Liptrap No. 29 Elias Stillwell Justice Dewey Lake.

On motion the following bonds were approved: Hugh Boyer co-suretyor. G. L. Aust n over-seer dist 4. T. P. Green " " 28.

Elias Stillwell Justice Dewey Lake. Anchor Bank depository. The following claims were allowed: S. E. Gilman light June \$ 15.00. R. Robinson Janitor 40.00.

L. LAUFER, Chm. Attest: C. S. REECE, Clk. Whereupon the board adjourned to July 30, 1904. Bailey Briefs. Churn ranch and parties are surveying land.

Eunice Murphy is visiting with Lillian Fairhead. Ed Weede was in Valentine last week on business. John Seger purchased an eight foot mower last week.

Elmer Probasco was to Cody last week after lumber. Several parties have filed on their land in this locality. Joe Edwards will soon have a new postoffice at his place.

Harry Heath and Lulu Sellers won the prize for best waltz. Chas. Sellars was drawing timbers from the river last week.

We have just received a complete line of wagon woods, such as spokes, felloes, rims, hounds, bolsters, axles, tongues, etc. Also wagon skins, buggy stubs and box fittings. Quality and prices guaranteed. At Red Front Merc. Co.

Horses For Sale. Some good work horses, saddle horses and some good young mares. Terms to suit purchaser. Inquire at Bishop's livery barn. 23 W. T. BISHOP.

For Sale. 500 bushels of corn at 40 cents per bushel. At John Ormesher's place on the Schlagel. 26 Selling out Hardware and Furniture on account of going out of hardware business in 90 days. Call for cash bargains. 14 GEO. H. HORNBY.

Pianos and Organs with a ten year guarantee from reliable factories, sold for cash or payments. J. O. BEATTY, 13 (At G. H. Hornby's store.)

The Red Front Mercantile Co. carry a complete line of harness, saddles and strap work. Make them a call before buying elsewhere. They can save you money. 21 WANTED—Girl to help wait table for board during normal and school year. DONOHUE HOTEL.

LOST—A red sweater at Thacher's grove on July 4th. Finder please return to Laurentia Haley. "FOOD-SAFE" TRADE MARK. METAL REFRIGERATOR.

CURIOUS THINGS FROM CHINA. The Most Magnificent Beds Ever Seen Are Part of the Celestial Empire's World's Fair Exhibit. The Chinese exhibit at the World's Fair is filled with pleasing surprises.

Models included in this interesting exhibit show the homes and home life of the Chinese, their weddings and funerals, Chinese tea house, restaurant and shop, Chinese weaving and some of the beautiful silks and wearing apparel of the Chinese and their methods of manufacturing them.

One feature of the exhibit is two magnificent Chinese beds, each of which has the appearance of being a small house of great beauty. One is a summer bed, the other for winter. The summer bed is hand carved and inlaid with ivory and bone figures and landscapes exquisitely carved and so skillfully joined as to appear a part of the wood.

The bed and furniture are of carved bamboo. The bed consists of an anteroom, with tables, chairs and tea stands, and in an inner room, which is the sleeping apartment, there is a couch with coverings of gauzy silks. The winter bed is still more elaborate. It consists of three compartments. The first contains four chairs, a tea poy and a chest of drawers. This is the sitting room, and the third is the sleeping apartment, or the couch itself.

\$50,000.00 CASH GIVEN AWAY to Users of LION COFFEE In Addition to the Regular Free Premiums. How Would You Like a Check Like This? We Have Awarded \$20,000.00 Cash to Lion Coffee users in our Great World's Fair Contest—2139 people get checks, 2139 more will get them in the Presidential Vote Contest. Five Lion-Heads cut from Lion Coffee Packages and a 2-cent stamp entitle you (in addition to the regular free premiums) to one vote. The 2-cent stamp covers our acknowledgment to you that your estimate is recorded. You can send as many estimates as desired. Grand First Prize of \$2,000.00 will be awarded to the one who is nearest correct on both our World's Fair and Presidential Vote Contests. WE GIVE BOTH FREE PREMIUMS AND CASH PRIZES Complete Detailed Particulars in Every Package of LION COFFEE.

J. L. ASHBURN, Contractor and Builder in Brick or Stone Work. Valentine, - Nebr.

LIVER TROUBLES. THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT. Notice of Sale. Notices is hereby given that Saturday, August 13, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the residence of Louis Nolte, six miles northwest of Sparks, Cherry county, Nebraska, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, one white horse supposed to be ten years old, no brands. Said horse to be sold as stray. Dated July 15, 1904. W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Professional Cards. The Loup Valley Hereford Ranch, Brownlee, Nebr. Prince Bonfield 13028 and Curly Coat 12202 at head of herd. The blood of Fowler, Anxiety, Lord Wilton and Sir Glostone predominates in my herd. C. H. FAULHABER.

Genevieve Adams Hewitt, Teacher of Singing. Scientifically correct method of chest development, deep breathing, articulation and tone poising, correction of defects in singing and speaking voice. Chicago House.

Robert G. Easley, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Red Front. GENERAL LAW PRACTICE. Valentine, Nebraska.

H. M. CRAMER, City Deliveryman. trunks, valises and packages hauled to and from the depot and all parts of the City.

H. DAILEY, Dentist. Office over the grocery department of T. C. Hornby's store. Will be in Rosebud agency July 3rd, Oct. 2nd and Jan. 1, 1904.

A. N. COMPTON, Physician and Surgeon. Office at Quigley & Chapman's Drug Store. Nights—The Donohue residence, Cherry Street.

LEROY LEACH, County Surveyor. Valentine or Woodlake. GENERAL WORK PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

JOHN PORATH, Reige, Nebr. Tubular wells and windmills.

M. WILSON, Proprietor of Valentine Dray. Will do all kinds of draying, express and freight work. Special attention given to fine furniture.

C. M. SAGESER, Barber. First-class Shop in Every Respect. Eau de Cologne Hair Tonic. Golden Star Hair Tonic. Herpicide and Coe's Dandruff Cure. Try Pompeian Face Massage Cream.

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E. D. Cohota, Prop.

Get your Clothes cleaned and pressed and make them look like new. Careful attention given to both ladies' and gent's clothing.

R. H. Robertson, The Tailor. One door north old City Hotel. Screen doors, window screens etc., are sold by Red Front Merc. Co. 21