

# THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT.

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## TALK OF THE TOWN

John Adamson was in town yesterday.

Ernest Bowden hauled in a load of oats yesterday.

A. H. Stees and Wm. Erickson were in town the past week.

Nels Rowley was in town on business the first of the week.

The Donohoe hotel has been treated to a fresh coat of paint.

Geo. C. Bakewell was up from Woodlake yesterday on a contest case.

Jake and Aetna Brechbill, of Sparks, were in town yesterday with grain.

J. W. Stetter returned from his trip to Wisconsin with horses Saturday night.

Dr. Furay was down from Cody Sunday to attend the funeral of W. J. Rainbolt.

John West enjoyed a few days outing and hunting near Wood Lake the past week.

Hon. Otto Mutz, editor of the Western Rancher, was in our city yesterday on business.

O. C. Treadway, of the Chi Psi Cattle company, was in town a couple of days this week.

Wash Honey, Joe Pogue and several others were up from Wood Lake yesterday on a contest case.

Mrs. Wm. Palmer called last Thursday while in town and paid a year in advance for THE DEMOCRAT.

Wm. Gulick and Andrew Benson were in yesterday as witnesses for Mrs. Tryon in making final proof.

Dr. A. N. Compton has gone down to his home at Honey Grove, Texas, to visit with his folks for a month.

The cattle shipped last week brought good prices compared to the generally low prices for stock this year.

Mrs. T. C. Hornby has returned from Chadron where she had been on account of the serious illness of her brother.

Mr and Mrs. Tom Hornby leave Sunday morning for a two week's stay in St. Louis to take in the sights at the fair.

L. P. Priesman was in town yesterday selling his famous cigars and taking orders for Thomas D. Murphy's calendars.

S. G. Campbell and wife made a trip out to Brownlee and were gone a couple of weeks but are back at home again in town.

Archie Pettycrew was getting better and was thought to be nearly able to be up last week. Later typhoid fever developed and he is dangerously ill.

Martin Becker raised 500 bushels of wheat and 1000 bushels of oats this year. He hauled a load of wheat in yesterday which he sold at 90 cents.

A. M. Morrissey went up to Deadwood Monday night to defend C. V. Cook in his preliminary hearing at that place for the murder of W. J. Rainbolt.

Chas. F. Coffee, of Chadron, candidate for state senator of the 14th senatorial district, was in the city last Saturday shaking hands with friends. Mr. Coffee is closely identified with business interests of this district and if elected will keep a watchful eye on the interests of the stockmen of the northwest. He ought to get every stockman's vote and he ought to be elected. If the people will do their duty by themselves and their families Mr. Coffee will be elected.

The Ludwig Lumber yard sold 8000 cedar fence posts last Saturday to Messrs. Sears and Thode, which will be used in fencing a pasture on the reservation.

E. W. Ferguson, Jr., and J. W. Ferguson, of Hartington, Nebr., came up yesterday and filed on two sections of land south of Longpine. They called on the Editor to get acquainted.

S. E. McAlevy was taken along to Deadwood with the prisoners as a witness. Several other persons are subpoenaed as witnesses to go to Oacoma, S. D., next month where the trial will be held.

James H. Quigley and W. S. Barker are having cement sidewalks put down in front of their business houses to keep in touch with the onward march of improvements on Main street. Who's next?

Mrs. Geo. Hornby and Mrs. Foster left Monday morning for Lincoln where they will attend the state W.C.T.U. convention which is in session there this week. Mrs. Hornby will also visit her son who is attending Wesleyan university.

Martin Becker called last week and paid a dollar in advance to THE DEMOCRAT and Jake Martin handed us a dollar for a year in advance last Friday. Lots of good men in the country but there are none better than those who pay in advance.

Mr. Newman, a young man from O'Neill, was in town a few days ago to see about getting a house for his father and mother to live in, in town. He has taken a home-stead west of town 15 or 20 miles and says his father and mother are coming to Valentine to make their future home.

The weather bureau report for the week ending Oct. 12, shows highest and lowest temperature to have been 82° on the 7th and 37° on the 8th and 11th. Precipitation on the 9th amounting to .11 of an inch. Winds of 25 miles and over occurred on the 6, 7, 8 and 9th. The average temperatures have ranged slightly higher as compared with the normal.

### Catholic Church Announcement.

On Sunday next, an early mass will be said at seven o'clock a. m. Solemn high mass at 10:30 a. m. Catechism class at 3 and evening devotions at 7:30 p. m.

### Bailey Briefs.

Bill Dunbar is at the GS ranch. Tim Dye was at the Sellers' place last Sunday.

Bad colds are with several persons in this vicinity.

Lester Goodin was home on a visit from South Dakota.

Jesse West and Gus Gunderson were at the OS ranch Sunday.

Geo. Seager went to Omaha last week with a car load of horses.

The Diamond Bar received their steers this week from the A ranch.

Geo. Heyne, Goodin Bros. and Jesse West were branding recently.

Ira Goodin, Geo. Weed and Chas. Sellers worked the Snake country last week.

J. W. Bartley and Frank Beed rounded up horses recently to brand and to wean.

School commenced in Barley district Monday, Oct. 1st, with Miss Marie Nelson at the helm.

Metzger Bros., Churn, Saults and Bishop & Young were on a roundup several days last week.

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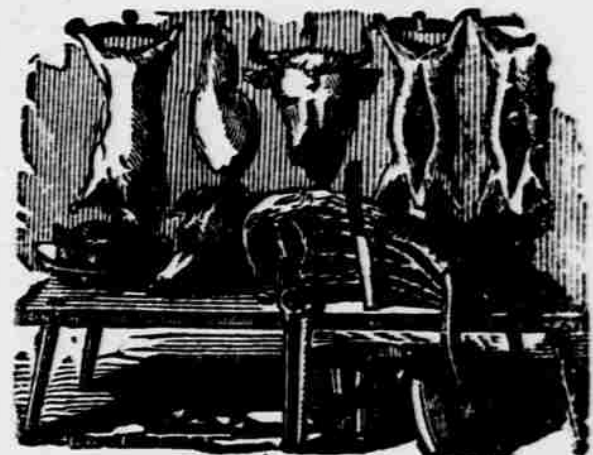
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