

More Local.

David Piercy Jr. was in town yesterday.

Henry Porath, of Riege, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Hon. Frank Rothleutner, of Georgia, was in the city today.

Chas. Pote and M. Hale were in town from Kennedy the first of the week.

Wm. Ward has purchased the Britt store and begins invoicing Saturday.

Dr. Compton spent a few days of last week in Omaha, returning Sunday morning.

Mrs. Brosius is having a barn and chicken house built on her farm on north table.

Miss Julia Query departed this morning for Lincoln where she has accepted a position in a jewelry store.

Mrs. Claude Jones has been very ill for several weeks but is improving and last week returned to Crookston.

Lester Green has been quite sick for several weeks with typhoid fever and later with abscesses over the kidneys.

Ed Parry has been sick for a long time but this week was able to walk about the streets some and is gaining strength.

Mrs. Mayers who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Clarkson for several months past, departed for Soo City Sunday.

Mrs. Genevieve Hewett went back to New York, starting last Saturday and expecting to be detained there several weeks.

Wm. Heelan called on us Monday while in town from his ranch near Arabia and handed us a \$ for advance subscription to THE DEMOCRAT.

B. Atwood was in town the first of the week and goes to the Charbonneau ranch to take charge of Stetter and Gillaspie's beef herd this summer.

H. M. Cramer has let the contract for his new house north of his present dwelling to Grant Boyer and Frank Riggle who will push the work along rapidly.

Will Francke and Guy Gibson came down last week from Deadwood to visit relatives and friends for a few days, returning yesterday morning. They have been working in the Hidden Fortune mill.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John D. Eaton a week ago Friday, a son. John has recently received his pension and several hundred dollars back pay, which, together with the boy gives the family cause to rejoice.

A Sunday School has been organized at McCann and an ice cream social will be held at the home of E. Breuklander, Friday night, the 21st, for the benefit of S. S. An Easter entertainment will be given Sunday evening by the children. Everybody invited.

Allen Benson called on us for a visit while in town Tuesday attending the wedding of his sister. He has been employed for several months past on the Fremont Daily Herald which is now being edited by H. W. Risley who was formerly editor of the Grand Island Democrat.

The M. E. church will be very beautifully decorated for Easter services. Fred Cumbow is the decorator in charge, assisted by other members of the choir: Mr. Beatty, Misses Britton and Harvey, Messrs. Robinson and Rice and Mrs. Rice. Come and see Sunday morning and evening.

Harry Thomas shot Reed of K company in the mouth at Price's ranch Wednesday. Reed drew a gun and snapped it at Thomas but it failed to go the first time. After being shot he fired three shots without effect. Price struck another fellow over the head, knocking him down, who was trying to take in the money off the monte table during the affray.

Per feed or livery call on the Eagle Livery. Commercial trade a specialty. We have some good second hand buggies and harness for sale. Call and see us.

14 SHEPARD BROS., Prop.

Miss Ellen McLaughlin, a daughter of M. R. McLaughlin, died Wednesday, April 4, 1905, of liver complaint. Funeral services were conducted at the Catholic church in this city by Rev. Muysen and the body laid to rest in Mt. Hope cemetery. A large number of friends and the relatives followed in funeral procession to the grave. The deceased had not been well since last year when she had a severe spell of typhoid fever.

F. E. Leuppe, the new commissioner of Indian Affairs for this district, was in the city yesterday and expressed a desire to give the Indians a chance to buy where ever they choose, and at the recent payment the Indians were given their money instead of allowing the Rosebud traders to hold it out for past debts. About \$45,000 was paid to the Indians of Black Pipe, Cut Meat and Rosebud districts this week and a similar amount is yet to come, beside the regular payment, making \$25 for each Indian over the age of 18 years.

The U. S. weather bureau report for the week ending April 19, has some interesting features. The highest and lowest temperature respectively was, 62° on the 19th and 10° on the 14th, giving a range of 52° and a mean or average for the period of 32.8°, which is about 14° below the normal for the week. Since the first of the month there has been a loss of 117° in temperature. The precipitation .5 of an inch, a loss of .2 of an inch compared with the normal and a gain since the 1st of April of .21 of an inch. The winds have scarcely been equal to the normal, the highest velocity being 26 miles from nw on the 15th. The crop outlook up to date is very favorable.

The second weekly crop bulletin issued by the U. S. weather bureau April 18, 1905 for the Nebraska section shows that the dry cold weather of the past week has been unfavorable for the growth of vegetation. Winter wheat continues in excellent condition. Spring wheat and oats are coming up nicely. Grass has grown slowly. Alfalfa has wintered well and is growing finely. The low temperature caused some damage to oats and probably slightly injured apricots, early plums and a few cherries in central and southern counties. Plowing for corn has progressed rapidly and a very little corn has been planted in southwestern counties. A considerable acreage of early potatoes have been planted.

A Dangerous Runaway.

Jesse Granger's four-horse team started on a run with his wagon while he was loading it with coal from a car on the tracks yesterday just before noon. They came up Main street on the full run and they were going pretty fast. Mrs. Nicholson and Miss Holcomb had to run to get out of their way on the street east of Mrs. Elmore's millinery store. The near horse tried to turn the team at the corner of Virginia street to go east but the others didn't have that notion and swung so near the electric light post on the corner by Barker's gallery that the off horse struck the side of his head on the post and fell flat as sudden as if he were shot dead, turning a somersault and breaking a new bridle and the singletree. The other three horses went on with the wagon to the next post at the corner of the Star livery barn where they run straddle of the post and came to a sudden stop, breaking the harness in several places. The grey horse which struck the first post got up almost instantly and didn't appear to be badly hurt, though when it fell it appeared to have broken its neck.

Buster Brown Belt for children at Mrs. Elmore's. 12

John West is up from Wood Lake

J. O. Beatty bought two of the best pianos sold at the Thacher estate sale Tuesday.

Catholic Church Announcement.

On Sunday next, mass will be said at 7 and 11 a. m. Confessions will be heard on Saturday evening and Sunday morning for those who wish to receive the holy Eucharist.

Miller-Sheldon.

George W. Miller and Mrs. Sheldon were married by Judge Towne last Thursday evening, April 13, 1905.

George is a cowboy, having ranged the prairies for a number of years and can ride or drive any kind of a horse or rope the wildest steer when necessary. His best friend, Arkansas Bob, was present at the ceremony which roped George and his wife together for a life run.

Mrs. Sheldon has been with Mr. and Mrs. Hall at the hotel for several months and is a good honest western woman of good sense and a good housekeeper.

THE DEMOCRAT joins with many others in congratulations.

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Low Rates to Denver, Colo.

Via the North-western Line, will be sold at reduced rates May 7, 8 and 9, limited to return May 12 to May 31, inclusive, on account of American Stock Growers' Convention. Apply to agents Chicago & North-western R'y. 143

Low Rates to Savannah, Ga.,

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