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TALK OF THE TOWN

Get I. M. Rice to write up your insurance.

George Sedlacek was in town Tuesday after a load of freight.

Dick Smith, of Cody, spent last Friday in town taking in the circus.

Mrs. Watkins returned to her home at Washington Tuesday morning.

Dan Adamson and family, of Newton, took in the circus here last Friday.

Frank Curry sold 1000 cows last week to P. K. Huffman of near Gordon.

Irwin Stotts and Jerry Yancey were down from Cody several days last week.

Joe Abdallah left for Omaha Monday night where he will visit relatives several weeks.

John Layport, father of Sheriff Layport, is here from Marshalltown, Ia., visiting his son.

Neil O'Connor was in from his ranch at Chesterfield the latter part of last week on business.

Burgess Hartigan left for his home at Hastings Sunday morning for a couple of weeks visit.

H. Buttinghaus and wife were down from their ranch south of Georgia last Monday on business.

The Valentine Concert Band has been engaged to play two days at the Ak-Sar-Ben in Omaha this fall.

We noticed E. Breuklander and family and Port White and family of south of Georgia in town for the circus Friday.

Fred Cumbow came up from his ranch Friday night and spent Saturday in town. Fred looks tanned and hardened.

John Bachelor and Robt. Faddis passed through here Monday afternoon on their way to Omaha with a train of cattle.

Miss Genevieve Adams returned from New York last Thursday night and will spend some time here visiting her parents.

Dick Lever, the popular stock solicitor for the C. & N. W., spent last week in town, helping load out the many cars of stock.

Ramsey Watkins drove over from Chamberlain, S.D., last week to visit with his mother who is here from Washington, D. C.

W. C. E. Smith and family left for Ainsworth Tuesday morning where he has secured a position with the Excelsior Lumber Co.

H. Hershey returned from Hot Springs last Friday morning after spending some time at the baths. He is much improved in health.

A. M. Smith, the night operator at this place, left for his home at Davenport, Nebr., to get ready to attend Bellevue College this fall.

Ed Luther came up from Hooper last Thursday night and on Friday went up to Nenzel to look after some stock interests he has there.

E. G. Asay, the "Overland Limited Kid," dropped into town Saturday. He says he has just returned from Portland and denounced the Lewis & Clark exposition as a great fake.

Elwood Heth is suffering from blood poison in the right hand and arm. It seems that he was doctoring a horse that had running sores and some of the matter got into a scratch on his hand, resulting in blood poison. At present, under the care of Dr. Compton, he is getting along nicely.

Len Cearns and family, Walter Flatterly and wife, D. L. Reed and family and Elden Sparks and family were Cody people in town for the circus Friday.

Ed Richards spent several days in town last week. Ed's family is now living in town so that the children may have the advantages of our splendid schools.

Mrs. Cassie Ballard from up the river spent last week visiting Mrs. John Thompson. Mrs. Richardson's little boy was slightly ill and before returning was doctored.

J. C. Quigley who has been working in THE DEMOCRAT office during vacation, and Oliver Walcott departed Tuesday for Bellevue where they will attend the Bellevue college. They went down with a train load of cattle shipped by the Parmalee Cattle company.

Claude Young, oldest brother of our stockman, P. H. Young, of Simeon, died of typhoid fever at his home in Marshall, Mo., Friday, Sept. 1st. Phil was attending the sale at Hecla and left on the first train on receipt of the sad news. THE DEMOCRAT extends sympathy to the mourning relatives.

We have been informed that the Standard Cattle Co.'s sale at Hecla on the 2nd of September was well attended and that most of the stock sold well. The cows sold for \$22.50, the yearling heifers for \$12.50 and the yearling steers at \$17. Some imported bulls, however, only brought from \$10 to \$50.00.

During the first part of the week there were 92 cars of cattle billed from Valentine. This means a great deal for the town and we think that Valentine will become the largest shipping point on this division. The accommodations offered shippers from this point are unexcelled, good water and plenty of grass within a mile of the yards.

J. A. Hornback who for several years was proprietor of the City hotel at this place, came up from Stromsburg Monday night and has been visiting friends in town. He has sold out at Stromsburg and has come back to Cherry county, probably to stay. Mrs. Hornback came up last Thursday night and went through to Rushville and is visiting their daughter, Mrs. McBride. Mr. Hornback has not fully decided what he will do yet but is thinking of clerking in a store at Rushville for awhile and may come to Valentine later and go into business.

Clyde R. Pettycrew and Miss Dora V. Fowler were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents Thursday, Sept. 7, 1905, at high noon, the Rev. Parsons officiating. Jesse Ester and Miss Hazel Pettycrew acted as best man and bridesmaid. Including many relatives there were about forty guests present. Miss Fowler is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fowler of north table. She possesses numerous virtues and is extremely popular among her friends. The groom has resided here all his life and is a good, industrious young man. His friends are numbered by the score and he has many sterling qualities. THE DEMOCRAT unites with the host of friends in extending congratulations to the happy couple. They will reside here for some time and intend to go to North Dakota later in the fall.

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