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Robert Webb returned from the Michigan law school to spend the holidays.

Dr. Daley, dentist, went up to Rosebud today (Friday) on professional business.

We have received a car load of fine Christmas apples in bushel boxes. A. JOHN & CO.

Col. Tracewell returned last week from Minneapolis, Minn., where he shipped a car load of horses.

Mike Davis is one of the partners in the firm of A. John & Co. since Dec. 1st. Notice their ad in this paper.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Bethel hall Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Every member is urged to be present.

Ernest J. Sias will entertain the people in the lecture course at the M. E. church Saturday night, Dec. 30, 1905. He comes highly recommended by the public press.

Notice the change in the ad of Davenport & Co. in this paper this week. They will hereafter be known as the "Corner Store," though the firm name remains the same.

Frank Fische's line of Heating Stoves and Ranges is the largest and best to be found in the city. This line is open for inspection and the prices are most reasonable.

The business meeting and social of the Epworth League for January will be held at the M. E. parsonage, Monday evening, Jan. 1. All Epworthians and their friends are urged to be present.

D. J. Drebert, special agent of the German Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Omaha, came up today (Thursday) to adjust the loss of J. H. Stratton, which occupied a part of our time and that together with the holidays has caused us to be a day late with THE DEMOCRAT and we beg pardon for the delay.

Married, at Presbyterian manse Dec. 24, 1905, at 5 p. m., John M. Wilson and Miss Bertie A. L. Taylor, both of Valentine, the Rev. Morgan performing the marriage ceremony. They are well and favorably known young people. A large company marched from the home of the bride to the church and after the marriage the same company made the return march again to the home of the bride where a sumptuous supper was greatly enjoyed by all. THE DEMOCRAT extends congratulations.

The U. S. weather bureau report for the week ending Dec. 27: The daily mean temperature is 31° and averages 8 below normal. The highest temperature was 54° on the 25th, and the lowest 11° on the morning of the 27th, giving a range of 43°. We must not draw the hasty conclusion that the climate is changing because of the glorious weather of the past three weeks—we must never forget the extremes in temperature occur in the winter season. The present delightful winter weather is to be enjoyed and utilized. The precipitation was .03 of an inch, giving a total of 28.39 inches for the year to date—the greatest on record at this office.

A special train will be run over the C. & N. W., Jan. 2 to 9, 1906, for the instruction of farmers on crops and soil culture, arriving at Gordon from the west Jan. 4 at 1:55 p. m., stopping 30 minutes; at Merriman 3:05 p. m. to 3:35 p. m.; at Cody 4:15 to 4:45; arriving at Valentine at 6:00 p. m., where they stop over night, holding meeting in the court house or opera house. It leaves Valentine at 8:15 a. m. Jan. 5, arriving at Woodlake at 9:00 to 9:30 a. m. and at Johnston at 9:50 to 10:20. The speakers are T. F. Hunt of Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.; C. P. Hartley of U. S. department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., and Prof. T. L. Lyon of department of agriculture, University of Nebraska. Everybody come.

I. C. Stotts of Cody has been in the city several days this week.

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I have purchased all the remaining cattle known as the Curry Cattle Co. cattle, and anyone who may have any of them in their possession are hereby notified to winter same and I will pay for their care in the spring.  
 492 JAMES H. QUIGLEY.

Strayed from my place in Valentine, Nebr., Friday, Dec. 8, 1905, one bay mare, 10 years old, with a small bunch on left hind foot, caused by the calk of a shoe. Any information leading to her recovery will be liberally rewarded.  
 O. O. NEWMAN,  
 Valentine, Neb.

**T. Rush Thompson, Coming.**

Elmer Walters' humorous play, "A Thoroughbred Tramp," is to receive a production in Church's opera house, Jan. 18, 1906. T. Rush Thompson, the hilarious vagabond, is of course the central figure. His comic antics and his brave and unique Pinkerton methods of foiling the destroyer of his home are brought out more fully this season in the new version. The third and fourth acts have undergone a complete reconstruction, slap-stick comedy having been eliminated to some extent and in its stead melo-dramatic situations of the better sort have been injected.

The third act now shows the hospital ward of the Colorado asylum for the feeble minded. Picturesque stage settings are carried for each act.

**Oppression of the Poor.**

The interest of the laborer should be in the thing on which he is employed. Then he would press onward in his physical and mental exertions to improvements of the most valuable character, such as would not only ameliorate his own condition, but would send forth a blessing over the whole world. As things are now existing, the laborer feels an interest in the reward only, and not in employment itself. Therefore labor is disgusting and tiresome, while its reward alone actuates the worker, and thus the proper development of his physical and intellectual powers is discouraged and obstructed. The laborer feels no interest in the development or the advancement of his employer's interest, but merely in the amount of reward he may extract from him, and which is necessary to his subsistence. He who employs, feels no interest in the poor and their necessities, but exerts his power and ingenuity to press the laborer to every possible extreme and then remunerates him agreeably to his own interest. The employer does not reward the laborer because he feels an interest in his family's welfare. On the other hand, after compelling him to labor excessively, he pays him only as a man would feed his herds at night.

Nay, the classes who speculate upon the poor and oppressed, in many instances do not scruple to force them from their families, at an hour which all the laws of the human system have appropriated to rest, into the field of labor and or the workshop of toil and after compelling them to work without cessation until their energies are exhausted, reward them as their own power and interest may dictate, even as a man would drive a mule from his stable, oppress him with heavy burdens during the day and at night requite his labor and hunger and prostration in proportion to the amount of food he has garnered up for all his extensive herds.

The poor are thus oppressed, and the laborer is thus not justly rewarded. They not only have none in the cultivation of their

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own powers; for all their physical energies are concentrated day after day on gaining a subsistence, and their degraded occupation. Men should be rewarded in proportion to the amount of labor they accomplish, and then they would feel an interest in industry, and not merely in its reward. At present, however, he who labors most and suffers the most opposition, receives the least reward; he who is idle and subsists upon the labor of others, is both abundantly rewarded and extensively appreciated for his supposed goodness and virtue. It is true that virtue exists only where vice is not, and it is more over-true that he who is idle is necessarily vicious and is no more than an unnecessary particle in the constitution of the human family. Such a one is an excrescence to society, is an injury to the welfare of the laboring, and more injurious to the human race than an inactive population or a class of persons who despise, and yet subsist and speculate upon the labor of others, of those who are degraded.

The beehive of industry typifies what the race should and will be. In the economy of the beehive, one thing is to be particularly rewarded. And that is, that every inactive bee is considered a drone to the community, and therefore all interest and affection are withdrawn from it, and they all decide that the drone is thus an injury to the welfare of the whole, and that it must be cast from their midst forever. Every bee is obliged to contribute its share to the wealth and elevation of the whole mass; and they are taught to feel an instinctive affection for the universal welfare. And having their interests thus centered, nothing can thwart their activity for the benefit of each other and the whole. Nothing can prevent the accumulation of wealth, or destroy the happiness which they universally enjoy.

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