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Talk of the Town.

Try Kazda's barber shop. If Joe Jennett was in town yesterday.

Earl Pettycrew attended the commencement exercises.

Mrs. R. H. Watson has been quite sick for several weeks.

J. H. Pettibone was kept at home Monday with stomach trouble.

M. Christensen and his boys have been out to the lakes fishing this week.

Miss Hilda Green of class '08 was down from Cody for commencement.

"Billy" Stewart is still laid up at the Cypher's home with inflammatory rheumatism.

We enroll seven new readers of the DEMOCRAT this week and they pay the cash in advance.

Chas. Brown came down from Rosebud Friday, where he has been doing carpenter work.

Mrs. E. Olson and son Elmo left this morning for a week's visit at Longpine and Bassett.

Ira Hewitt came up yesterday on a business trip and is going out fishing for a few days.

W. J. Bryan will be here next Sunday May 31st. A big tent will be used for the occasion.

John Harvey, who is holding down a clerkship on the reservation, was home last week to take in the commencement exercises.

R. L. McClure's father of Wayne arrived Friday morning for a visit with his son. He is much pleased with Valentine's fishing advantages.

Max E. Viertel stopped off in Valentine a few minutes Tuesday while returning on the freight. From a business trip down the road.

Harmony played the Valentine high school nine last Saturday, resulting in a score of 8 to 7 in favor of Valentine. This makes a game for each.

J. A. Hornback returned Monday from a fishing trip down to Hackberry Lake bringing 50 bass home. He saw a party of Springview fisherman at Stilwell's.

Chas. Reece and Miss Cora Thackrey were in town last Friday. Chas. took a new Velie spring wagon home with him that he purchased of Ludwig Lumber Co.

L. E. Shepard and Geo. Corbin and family spent a few days at Hackberry lake the first of this week. They returned Tuesday and report poor luck with cold, wet weather.

J. E. Thackrey was in town yesterday. He has been very busy at carpenter work for Milt Latta this spring and has worked a head for some time. He is a fast workman.

Wm. M. Anderson a veterinary of Wisner came up last week to do some work for Heine and Bachelor. Mr. Anderson is said to be an expert in the care of horses and cattle.

The reception tendered the graduates by the alumni Saturday evening in Church's opera house was a very pleasant affair. Toasts and talks were given and responded to during the course of the evening. A dainty luncheon was served. Music was furnished by Fischer's orchestra.

Wm. Hattan and wife drove to town last Friday from their ranch up the Minnehaduzza. They had just returned from a month's visit back in Illinois, with Mr. Hattan's brother and other relatives that he hadn't seen since the close of the war. They found Mr. Hattan's brother living comfortably on a farm near the Mississippi river, but Mrs. Hatten says she'd rather live here and likes our country best. They visited also at Blair, this state, and found a very nice country surrounding Blair.

Robert Ray visited his sisters here last week.

Hugh Coleman of Georgia, and Miss Susie Claybaugh of Crookston were married Tuesday by Rev. Connell.

Parties are hereby notified not to camp on or graze their stock on section 14 and E4 of sec. 15, tp. 23, r. 28. ELWOOD D. HETH. 2001

Ten Nights in a Bar Room gave a tent show here Monday night to a lot of people. The play was on the grafting order, trying to work their audience as hard as they would stand and short changed some.

Miss Addie White of Longpine arrived here this morning to accept a position as central at the telephone office. Miss White takes Miss Palmer's place, as the latter departs Saturday or Sunday for her home.

The new catholic church at Nenzel will be solemnly dedicated on Wednesday June 3 at 9:30 a. m. by Rev. Father Grothe S. J. assisted by Father Loecker of Atkinson. Father Hettwer of Stuart and Father Blaere of Valentine.

Mr. Bryan will speak under the auspices of the Presbyterian church at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Big tent. Everybody come. At 2 o'clock p. m. Mr. Bryan will deliver his famous lecture "Signs of the Times." You cannot afford to miss this.

Egbert Bonnen the swamp ditcher was in town the past week meeting friends and looking after business. He had a narrow escape last week while riding across a swamp near Chesterfield, his horse going under with him. The boys pulled him out and the horse finally struggled out.

Mrs. L. C. Sparks, Miss Helen and the baby have gone to Ohio to visit relatives several weeks. Mr. Sparks goes as a delegate to the grand lodge M. W. A. at Peoria, Ill., June 16 then joins his wife and will accompany them home about the last of June.

There was a strong wind Tuesday evening coming from the west. Some rain fell but no hail. At Chadron the hail was very large and broke out windows. Several small cyclones branched off from the storm and the wind mills over a lot of ranch country were blown down.

Copies of telegrams to the manager Opera House, Valentine, Nebr., says "Haley's Vaudeville Company played three nights. Best ever here"—E. C. Swigert, Gordon. "You can safely boost Haley's Vaudeville Co. They are good."—S. M. Loomer, Chadron. "Haley's Vaudeville is all right. Clean show."—F. M. Brown. Alliance. The above company will be at Opera House, Thursday, Friday and Saturday May 28, 29, and 30.

D. Stinard writes us from Mt. Vernon N. Y. that business there is dull and everybody growling about collections. He notes wonderful changes there; for miles around are paved streets, fine residences and business houses what was 24 years ago farms. The young people have grown old and the old people mostly gone. Mr. Stinard's family are all feeling fine and living high on oysters clams and fish, north river shads. He sends regards to all.

Harve Shepard was down from Crawford Tuesday and says Kid Willis shot himself in his saloon Friday evening. He had tried to cut his throat some days before with a beer glass and was recovering. Hans Ulrich was in the saloon at the time and saw Kid go around behind the bar, pick up a six shooter and place it to his head. Hans yelled at him to stop and put it down but the Kid smiled pleasantly and pulled the trigger, blowing his brains out. It was a finished job this time. No one else was reported in the saloon when it happened as the others had just gone to the back door to see a fine bull dog.

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Atkinson 8—Valentine 7.

The baseball game between Atkinson and Valentine last Thursday afternoon was interesting and exciting from the first. Atkinson got a tally in the second inning and Valentine two tallies in the third and two more in the fifth. In the seventh inning Atkinson got another tally and Valentine got two more, making game 6 to 2 in our favor at the beginning of the eighth, in which inning Atkinson got two tallies and Valentine one, making the score 7 to 4. In the ninth our boys seemed to break down and Atkinson run in three tallies which made 7 and 7. Two more innings were necessary to settle it, Atkinson getting a tally in the 11th inning.

The Atkinson boys are ball players and we played 'em hard for the honors and lost. But we hope to give 'em a much closer rub yet before the season is far advanced. Some of our boys played out of luck and they were some of our best players, generally, too.

The boys gave a dance in the evening to round up the day with a game in which the ladies can take a part.

Ground rules tied the game in the ninth inning. With a runner on third base, Caylor gave a wild pitch, the ball hitting the backstop and entitling the base runner to home base without being put out. These ground rules practically lost the game for Valentine as no chance was given for the ball to be fielded and the runner thrown out, while if the ground rules had made it possible for the runner to have been thrown out, it would have been an easy chance and the game would have ended 7 to 6 in Valentine's favor as two men were already out.

VALENTINE						
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fisher, c.....	5	2	3	4	0	0
Bishop, 2b.....	6	0	2	4	1	0
Lake, 1b.....	5	0	0	15	0	1
Caylor, p.....	4	2	1	1	8	0
Rossetter, ss.....	4	1	1	1	4	1
Shelbourn, 3b.....	6	1	1	1	1	3
Shepard, lf.....	5	0	2	0	0	0
Massingale, cf.....	5	0	1	0	0	1
Morey, r.....	5	1	1	2	0	0
Totals.....	45	7	11	33	18	6
ATRINSON						
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ruthless.....	5	1	0	0	2	0
Forman, 2b.....	5	1	0	3	1	1
Kirkland, cf.....	5	3	2	0	0	0
H. Wilson, c.....	6	1	15	4	0	0
A. Wilson, cf.....	6	0	1	1	1	0
E. Tamsick, lf.....	4	1	1	1	0	0
C. Sturdevant, 2b.....	5	1	3	1	2	0
C. Tamsick, 1b.....	4	0	0	8	0	1
G. Sturdevant, rf.....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	46	8	9	33	7	6
SCORE BY INNINGS.						
Atkinson.....	0	1	0	0	0	1
Valentine.....	0	2	0	2	0	1
Summary: Two base hits—Bishop and H. Wilson. Base on balls—off Caylor 1, off Wilson 1. Struck out—by Caylor 6, Wilson 5, Kirkland 1. Double plays—Fischer to Lake. Stolen bases—Forman. Left on bases—Valentine 9, Atkinson 7. Time of game 2 hours and 35 minutes. Umpire—Jackson.						

Joe Spirk and wife were in town several days last week. Mr. Spirk was checking up the mill work for Mr. Gillman. Mrs. Spirk and Mrs. Chas. Sparks went up to Chadron to visit their sister Mrs. Nicholson, returning Wednesday.

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