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Try Kazda's barber shop. If Geo. Seager of Cody was in town yesterday on business.

J. A. Hornback has sold the Chicago hotel to Mrs. Sears, giving possession November 1st.

State Co. Treas. Examiners Robinson and Tullies are in town checking up the Co. Treas. office.

A. O. Coleman returned Saturday morning from Neligh where he had been to attend the funeral of his mother.

T. W. Cramer returned east Friday from their summer vacation in Ia., Mo., Kansas and eastern Nebr. His wife returned with him.

The drouth having been broken it rained. 2.61 inches of rain fell from Sunday afternoon to Monday evening. This was the first rain of consequence since August 11.

Mrs. E. D. Mason of St Joseph Mo. daughter of C. W. Cramer Ransom Cramer a brother and wife and son of Ohio have been visiting with Mr. Cramer and family several weeks.

H. Buttinghans 7 miles south of Kilgore had the misfortune last Thursday to lose 14 stacks of oats by fire caused by a spark from the engine. It was a very windy day and F. M. Murpny had just pulled up to the stacks when a small fire started on top of a near-by stack.

Services will be held in the Catholic Church as follows: In Valentine on Sunday Oct. 25 at 10 a. m. High mass and sermon Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament after mass. At 3 p. m. Instruction for the children. In Crookston on Sunday Nov. 1st at 10 a. m. sharp.

LEO M. BLAERE,
Rector.

Yesterday Congressman Kinkaid made the announcement that if elected he would oppose the reelection of Speaker Cannon. This spirit of repentance comes very late and is practically an admission of weakness in Kinkaid. If Cannon was bad why didn't Kinkaid say so long ago, before people discovered it and demanded of him what he would do? Why didn't Kinkaid take the initiative and denounce Cannon before he saw the hand writing on the wall? Like Ingalls, the Kansas senator, Kinkaid will shift to hold his job, but Ingalls waited too long.

Last spring the postoffice at Harmony was established, which is between Valentine and Britton on the Rosebud route. A petition circulated by residents applied to have the Rosebud mail go by way of Harmony and the department acquiesced, granting their petition. Then, to please a few friends, Cong. Kinkaid was appealed to, to have the route continued the old way and now there is a new route established, entailing the additional expense of a special daily carrier to Harmony, seven miles from Valentine, at \$480 per year and the Rosebud mail daily drives past Harmony on another road which is no nearer by section line than via Harmony. Is this economy in government affairs? Vote for W. H. Westover for congress.

The death of Mrs. Jane Adline Dunlap Holsclaw, occurred at 10 minutes to twelve on Sunday morning Oct. 18 1908, at the age of 58 years and 5 days from an internal cancer. Mrs. Holsclaw was well known here and her presence will be sadly missed by all who knew her, she was born on Oct. 13, 1850 she leaves to mourn her death 10 children four sons and six daughters Mrs. Holsclaw was first married to George Marshall at Glenwood Iowa, Oct. 3 1868, to this union five children were born three boys and two girls, Wallie, Eva, and Etta of Iowa and Willie and Joe of Valentine. Her second marriage, to Calvin Holsclaw at Schuyler Nebr. December 23 1880 to this union five children were born four girls and one boy, Rhoda, Mae and Bertha of Valentine Daisy of Washington and Ed of Minn., The family have the sincere sympathy of this community.

TO DEAR MOTHER.

Will we miss her? Oh, so sadly. For her happy, loving ways Filled the house with joy and gladness. Making bright the darkest days.

She whose good night words so sweetly Lingered after she had gone. And she whose greeting was the gladness Will await us at the dawn.

True, her voice and ways with others. That always fill the house, we know Will be treasured to remind us Of her presence long ago.

By the children

Miss Fannie Thackrey came down Rosebud Tuesday and goes to Rapid City where she has accepted a similar position as teacher in the government service. Mrs. Richardson came down from Rosebud with her to meet her husband who has been back east.

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Tripp Co. Drawing.

Valentine registered 2249 and the total registration was 114749. The drawing has found Miss Risher No. 130, Grant Spain no. 1159, Stanley Watkins no. 2611, and James Irwin no. 1579, Eva Harden and John Marshall all of Valentine. The daily papers do not give numbers outside of Nebraska.

NOW IT IS KELLOGG?

Another Republican Campaign Manager Allied to the Trusts—The Minnesota National Committeeman Attorney for the Steel Trust—Some Questions That Indicate Why the Republicans Need Not Be Expected to Suppress Trusts.

Every day there are new developments to show that the Republican party is in the control of the trusts. The head of the powder trust, under indictment, has been bounced from the committee, but the house cleaning has just begun. During the week the Chicago Journal and other papers have shown that Acting Chairman Nagel, of the Republican national committee, was the attorney for the Standard Oil trust in the big suit Republican Attorney General Bradley, of Missouri, brought to drive that trust out of Missouri. The New York World has shown that the Republicans in New York refused to nominate George R. Sheldon as lieutenant governor of that state because his trust connections were so notorious that the people would not stand for him, and yet he is the treasurer of the Republican national committee. In Chicago, the assistant treasurer of the Republican committee is a member of the board of review. As such he passes upon tax assessments. A few weeks ago he scandalized the country by sending letters to corporations, upon whose assessments for taxation he must pass, asking them to contribute to the Republican campaign fund. Nearly all the "advisory committee" has close trust affiliations, and were appointed to "fry the fat" out of the trusts.

And now, by way of Seattle, come questions disclosing the fact that Frank B. Kellogg, the member of the national Republican executive committee from Minnesota, who, as a member of the platform committee in the convention that nominated Taft, is said to have drafted the evasive labor plank in the Taft platform, is so related to the steel trust as to disqualify him to represent the people in the contest between the trusts and the people. The Seattle Times, after showing that the trust magnates control the Republican party, adds another dark chapter to trust domination of that party in the following questions prepared by a citizen of Seattle:

"Was not Frank B. Kellogg, the attorney whom President Roosevelt appointed to fight the Standard Oil company, the general counsel of the Oliver Mining company of Minnesota for a period of ten years? But the Oliver Mining company of Minnesota is only another name for Standard Oil."

"Is not Kellogg even now the general counsel for the United States Steel company of Minnesota? Is he not paid a very large salary by that corporation, and been so paid for many years? And yet the United States Steel company of Minnesota is absolutely owned by the Standard Oil."

"When the Merritt Bros., of Duluth, were obliged to sue John D. Rockefeller to obtain their rights in a mining deal located on the Mesaba range in Minnesota—was not Frank B. Kellogg the attorney for the oil king? Not only that, but did not Kellogg carry the case to the circuit court of appeals and secure the reversal of a judgment for about one million dollars?"

"Do not the Rockefeller and their associates control the Great Western Railroad company, running from Chicago to St. Paul and Kansas City? But is not Kellogg the attorney for that road?"

"Assuming that these questions must be answered in the affirmative, how can the department of justice employ Mr. Kellogg to prosecute the Standard Oil company in behalf of the people and still allow him to act for the Standard Oil company in the cases mentioned?"

"Is not Kellogg also the trusted adviser of Judge Taft? If so, what will Judge Taft likely do, if he should succeed to the presidency, so far as enforcing the law against Standard Oil?"

The truth is—and everybody knows it—that the Standard Oil trust owes its power and wealth to favoring legislation and immunity granted by the Republican party, and that the trusts for a generation have "put up" for the Republican campaign fund. They will do so again this year, and they are too smart to put their money in a concern without getting value received. Taft does not promise to take the tariff off of trust controlled articles or to put the officers of trusts in jail. Why? The trust magnates own the inner circle that, under Aldrich and Cannon, controls legislation, and when they pay for legislation and for freedom from prosecution they know they get what they pay for.

New York Evening Post.—It has been shown that the Democratic committee got not a cent and that Mr. Roosevelt gave currency to a false charge. He admitted that Harriman raised \$240,000 for the Republican campaign fund in 1904. Then they were both "practical men" and were working together.

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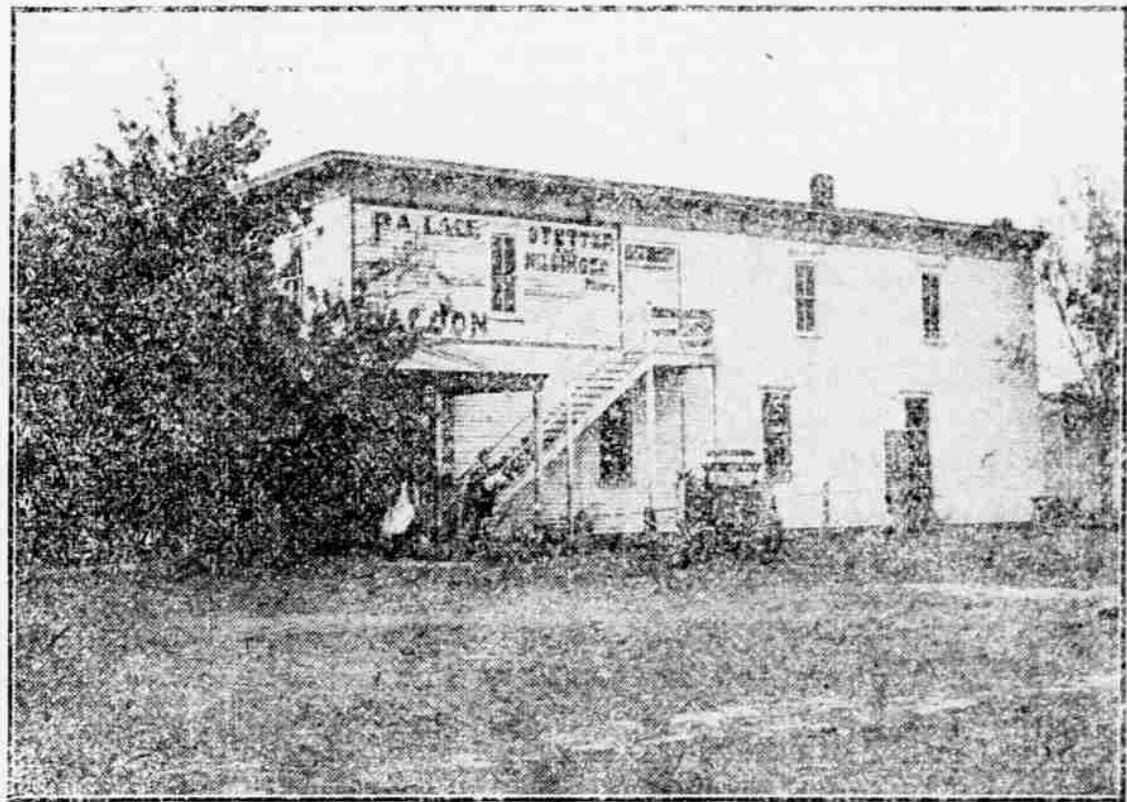
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THE PALACE SALOON,

JOHN G. STETTER, Propr.

Murdered and Robbed.

While out hunting last Sunday afternoon John Gould and Mark Stewart discovered and object in the middle of the Niobrara river on a sand bar about a mile east of the railroad bridge and near the bend of the river which appeared to be the form of a man lying face downward and partly submerged in the water.

They notified Sheriff Rosseter who, with a company of men, brought the body to town and an inquest was held Monday, resulting in a verdict that the man had been murdered, robbed and then thrown into the river.

Upon examination it was learned that the deceased had been slugged, breaking the skull at the base of the nose. Both eyes were blackened. No other marks of violence. The deceased appeared to be about 25 years old, 5 feet eight inches tall and weighed about 175 pounds, dark brown or black hair and wore a suit of black clothes, almost new, and new shoes, a celluloid collar and bow tie, blue or gray, and had a black string tie with triangular figure of green in his pocket. Pockets were otherwise empty and turned inside out. Nothing else was found to identify him. Appeared to be a farmer or laboring man, well developed and muscular. No hat found nor anything to identify him. Probably registered at Valentine for Tripp county drawing. The body was taken to the Red Front undertaking rooms where he has been kept awaiting some clue to his identity.

Lost Dog.

A small Fox Terrier weight, 16 lbs., short tail, white with black spots, lemon spots over eyes, lemon on jaws false toe on fore leg torn off and sore. A reward will be paid if returned to Major Shockey, Fort Niobrara, Nebr. 40

O. W. Hahn returned from the Farmers Congress in Wisconsin last week reporting an interesting meeting.

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Britt Items

Eric Anderson helped Novak Bros. harvest their potatoes this week.

H. L. Wickham and Charley Mumford went up to Rosebud with freight Wednesday.

Several parties were obliged to stay at Britt over night Sunday on account of the rain.

Tom Spratt and wife drove down to their home on Beaver creek last Monday.

John Ryschon, jr., and Wm. Novak laid the foundation for D. A. Kellogg's new house Thursday. WINKY.

Dr. Meeham, osteopath has moved into his new office rooms over the Red Front store. Telephone No. 155.

Prices are what we are talking

Now

Our stock is complete.

BISHOP & YOUNG, CODY, NEBR.

Chas. Reece took out a load of lumber today for Miss Thackrey's house.