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 Clars cooking privileges. Mrs. Obe Church came down from Merriman Monday night to spend a few days in town attending to business.
Wm. Beamer from Merriman was in town K -dnesday on business connect
his district.
John Neiss and T. C. Hornby John Neiss and T. C. Hornby
expect to attend the grand lodge of Masons which convenes in Omaha next week.
D. W. Parmalee returned from eastern trip Monday night ar sent Tuesday in town, going ove

Judge Quigley went down vesday evening and returned on the midnight passenger.
Mrs. Ed Parry was taken to Hot Springs last Sunday morning ill for nearly two months.
Oliver Walcott returned fro Lincoln, Sunday night, where he has successfully completed his junior year at the law school.
County Assessor P. H. Young met his deputies in town Tuesday and Wednesday to receive their returns from assessing the severa precincts of this county. After
balancing up the books the commissioners-meet as a board of equalization June 15 to 20 to ad just claims and equalize the as sessment. and Irwin precincts. causing him severe pains.


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Jim Sweeney of Pullman was in own yesterday. It's not often that he manages to visit the coun ty seat, coming this time to turn
in the assessor books of Russell

There will be a celebration of the holy communion in St. John' church on Sunday next, with sermon, at 11 o'clock a. m. Eve
ning service, with address, at ning service, with address, at
o'clock. Sunday school at 10 a.m Peter Decory came to town Tuesday and yesterday departed
for Omaha to secure medical treatment. Some time ago Mr. De cory had a severe attack of the grip which finally settled in his ear

The seventeenth annual commencement of the Valentine hig school was held in Church's opera house last Friday evening, and de-
spite the fact that no announcements were sent out, the hocse was crowded to the doors. Las year the same class, with others graduated as students from the eleventh grade and because of that his Year's commencement was as informal as possible. Of the number that graduated last year but three completed the twelfth grade work-Edith Adamson,
Gertrude Quigley and Charles Heltrer. The class and Charles Hezser. The class presented the Adamson and Mr. Helzer deliver Adamson and Mr. Helzer deliver ing with rare ability, readings from Gertrude Quigley delivered the valedictory, thanking the townspeople for their interest in the class and bidding them goodbye as students, and ending with a splendid eulogy of Prof. Watson, his Work and what his influence has The second part of the program consisted of a short play given by the class, assisted by other high school students. It was well ren-
dered and a most laughable farce. dered and a most laughable farce. ed the program.
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Sheriff Rosseter was called the north table the first of the week to assist in the pursuit of a crazy man who had been terrorizing the aeighborhood. But on reaching luded his activities the man had eluded his searchers, and after a day's pursuit the sheriff returned went over on the reservation squad of police reservation and a squad of police are looking for scription given, was evidently a stranger and a stranger and apparently well
dressed. He was harmless; his chief ambition seeming to be to jump up and catch the telephone

## NEW PERFECTION

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