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TALK OF THE TOWN.

H. Johnson was in town Saturday.

Court adjourned Friday to June 26.

Miss Mae Davenport is home again.

Dr. Seymour coming July 4th and 5th.

Woodruff Ball was in town Tuesday.

Furnished room to rent by J. S. Estabrook.

John D. Sitzer was down to Wood Lake last week on business.

G. H. Q. Smith—Kalsominer, house and carriage painter. 16-17.

See the ladies' slippers at Farnham's. 20-21.

L. H. Fitch of Lincoln, State Examiner, is here examining the county treasurer's books this week.

Geo. F. Heyne of Hooper, Nebr., and owner of a stock ranch south of Cody was in town last week.

Farnham has a good fireproof safe for sale. A bargain. 21-22.

The Commissioners are equalizing the assessment books this week. It's a warm job for a sleepy day.

175 Test Headlight Oil at 15 W. A. PETTYCREW'S.

Gustave Gunderson of Cody visited our city Tuesday with a view to getting better acquainted socially and fraternally.

Wanted—A girl to learn the printer's trade and help do house work. Inquire at the DEMOCRAT office or write to the Editor.

F. M. Stewart, Secretary and Treasurer of the South Dakota Live Stock Association, was in town Sunday and while here made a trip up on the Reservation.

Hill, the man shot at Hay Springs, did not die, and now the townspeople are contemplating whether or not to prosecute the hardware man for selling inferior firearms.

We are under obligations to Mr. J. G. Maher, court reporter, for his assistance in producing a report of the trial of the State vs Thompson in giving Mr. Thompson's evidence.

Wm. Ward pays one year in advance to the DEMOCRAT. Mr. Ward is a loyal supporter of the Democratic faith and there's nothing too good for him in the precinct or town.

Mrs. O. S. Baker and family started Friday for Mrs. Baker's mother's home in Iowa. They have been living in Auntie Cole's house since Rev. Baker left just after Conference last fall.

M. G. Hopkins and J. E. Conway made a trip to Valentine Saturday evening, going back to the Reservation again Sunday afternoon. They are engaged in the U. S. survey and allotment to Indians on the Reservation.

Dr. Seymour travels in his private car this year. As he has the car fitted up for office purposes, he can offer his patrons all the advantages of a city office. He will be at the depot July 4th and 5th. Examination free.

Otto Pfeiffer, one of the hardware merchants of Gordon, was in our city yesterday looking after business matters. He visited with our business men and also took in the Epworth League Convention in the forenoon.

If the predisposition to worms in children is not cured they may become emaciated, weakly and in danger of convulsions. White's Cream Vermifuge is the most successful and popular remedy. Price 25c. Quigley & Chapman.

Bids for the painting at Ft. Niobrara were made by a Mr. Williams of Crawford, \$4,200; R. L. Dennis, \$1,780; and M. Christensen at \$2,780. The contract was awarded to M. Christensen of this place. It is not a surprise that M. Christensen is favored in this work as he is recognized as a first class painter, a capable contractor, and employs home labor, thus benefiting the community. The work will last well through the summer, and the quarters will be fitted ready for occupancy of soldiers who are sent here to recruit up from fevers contracted in tropical regions. The appropriation will be exhausted and more will be required to complete the work of repairs at the post. George Cyphers has the contract for the carpenter work.

Fence posts at Farnham's. 20-21.

James Pratt was doing business with our merchants Wednesday.

Got a cow to sell? You can get goods for it at Farnham's. 20-21.

Ed Dwyer, the Gordon physician, was in town yesterday.

For Sale—An Epworth organ nearly new. Inquire of O. W. Morey. 20-21.

G. W. Roan of Valentine becomes a subscriber to the DEMOCRAT this week.

W. A. Parker, ex-commissioner from Wood Lake, was in our city last week.

Jim Gillaspie came in Monday for a few days visit among his friends here.

Dr. W. I. Seymour, Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat. July 4th and 5th. Examination free.

Rev. J. L. Baker, brother to Rev. O. S. Baker, came in Tuesday and spent a few days in Valentine.

Miss Grace Cook and Miss Edith Moses were elected teachers for the ensuing year by the school board.

We deliver groceries as well as feed to any part of town.

W. A. PETTYCREW.

For relief and comfort in asthma Ballard's Horehound Syrup has no equal. Price 25 and 50c. Quigley & Chapman.

Margaret Shaughnessy who went out to Deadwood to stay with her sister Mary awhile for her health came back Monday of this week greatly improved.

Miss Mary Shaughnessy, who it is remembered taught in the Valentine school year before last, has been re-employed in one of the ward schools of Deadwood for a nine months term at \$65 per month.

Hardly a day passes, in families where there are children, in which Ballard's Snow Lintiment is not needed. It quickly cures cuts, wounds, bruises, burns and scalds. Price 25 and 50c. Quigley & Chapman.

Some Indians got Len Biven's dog yesterday and were making off with him when Len appeared upon the scene. The dog was saved, but perhaps there was a shortage in the bill of fare at the camp that night.

A few high-grade Shorthorn and white faced bulls for sale. AMOS STRONG, Valentine, Nebr. 17-18.

Those afflicted with cross-eyes, catarracts, headaches caused by eye strain, deafness, catarrh of the nose and throat, etc., should consult Dr. W. I. Seymour at his private car at the depot. July 4th and 5th. Examination free.

E. D. Spencer was in our town Saturday evening and paid up for one year in advance. Mr. Spencer is section foreman at Thacher and mingles considerably with our people. We wish there were more such citizens as Mr. Spencer.

The Editor received a box of fine large strawberries from the farm of John Ferstl, picked by Ed Quirk and brought in by Mr. Boyer. The strawberries are of excellent quality and so large that there are only twenty three in a quart box and the box is heaped up. They are about the size of a prairie chickens egg, though they fit together better than eggs would in a box. Good for Cherry County fruit culture.

Preparation is being made for a grand celebration of the Fourth of July at Valentine. Every one is entering into the work with hearty good will. Two bands will play, singing by a grand chorus of voices, and the best speakers to be had will address the audience. Everyone who has been to Valentine before when the people all took hold will know what to expect this year. Come everyone and help to raise the flag of our forefathers as an emblem of liberty wherever it floats on the breeze. All honor to the stars and stripes—flag of our country.

West Bound Excursions
Tickets on sale June 21st, July 7, 8, 9, 10 and 18th, and August 2, 1900, to Deadwood, Hot Springs and Rapid City, S. D., and Casper, Wyo., and Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Glenwood, Colo. Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah, at one fare plus \$2.00 for round trip. Final limit of all tickets October 31st, 1900. Call on nearest ticket agent of F. E. & M. V. Ry. for further information.

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PENBROOK PARAGRAPHS

A local shower passed here last Friday.

Wm. Rodgers commenced work at the Fort again Monday morning.

Eugene Hutchison made a raid on the coyotes in this vicinity last week, capturing ten of the little woolly fellows. The writer wishes it had been ten times ten.

The Children's Day exercise held at A. K. Kuskle's grove, June 17, was attended by a large audience.

PORCUPINE.

BAILEY BRIEFS

The recent rains are making the meadows show up for a good hay crop in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Segar were guests at W. H. Sellers' last Sunday.

Considerable fencing is being done about here. Dad Rose, George Segar, W. H. Sellers, Fred Nelson, and Mr. Bishop are at work in spite of high priced wire.

Earl Reed has been taking photos in this locality. He is working on George Segar's ranch.

Arthur Heath was fishing over on Medicine Lake on the 16th, and had good success.

Elma Weed and James Hunt were out horseback riding with their girls last Sunday.

If there is anything that Walter Goodin likes better than one Gunderson girl it is two Gunderson girls.

Frank and Harry Heath took in

four coyotes east of Dad Segar's last Friday. Their grey hounds and a spade did the work.

If reports are true, Clarence Cutcomb has sold his ranch to Mr. Heyne.

Lon Heath and his mother were visiting Wm. Fenelson, east of Pullman, the past few days.

Earl Reed took several photographs at Mr. Sellers' Sunday afternoon.

I. B. Nichols was trying his hand for carp at the Lake, the past few days.

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