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THE WEEKLY ROUND-UP.

And still they come.
Sparks still goes unburnt.
Italian weather at the Springs.
M. E. Church dedication on Sunday.

Watermelons and lusted vestibul-tions.
A fresh stock of dry goods has just been opened up at Fargo's.

Clover Hill we are informed has donated female apparel down in Nebraska, and is performing the crazy act.

The estimated damage to Rapid City from the recent hail-storm that visited that place will reach \$10,000. The damaged property was principally glass and chimneys.

Dr. F. H. Houghton, so we are informed will occupy the building formerly held by Dr. Fuller, and will engage in the practice of dentistry for a short period.

Hot Springs during court week, had a very animated appearance, and the merchants were those sunny smiles for which they are so proverbial, when there is a continual drizzle of shekels dropping into the till.

Try Crane Brothers if you want a bargain in groceries fresh from the market.

Ed. Phernton has received a jeweler's apparatus and is now prepared to clean and repair watches and clocks and manufacture lockets, charms, etc., from native stone, of which he already has some fine specimens.

The rush for Hot Springs would seem to have fairly set in, as we are informed that no less than forty persons en route for that place came into Buffalo Gap on Wednesday morning's west bound train.—Custer Chronicle.

The best assurance we can give to those contemplating a visit to the Hot Springs of Dakota, are the expressions of entire satisfaction by the untold numbers who have been to them and obtained relief. The multitude that comes pouring in is a sufficient evidence of the merits of these springs.

The Minneapolis Exposition will be beyond question the most attractive exhibit of arts and mechanism ever brought together under one roof in the West. Every inch of available space in the immense building has already been taken, although there still remains several weeks before the final opening.

Let men of every trade and creed, our kindly admonition heed, and buy corn, oats and chicken feed, flour, meal and everything you need, at FARGO'S.

The question of the legality of issuing bonds for a court house and jail did not reach the court in time for a decision, and the consequences are that we are no nearer a solution of the difficulty than before. Well, in fact a jail isn't of much consequence any how. Lon has just received a new herd law and can round 'em up when wanted.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. C. H. Blume, leader of the Rapid City Orchestra, in which he states that it is his intention to give a concert and ball at this place in the near future, at which the entire orchestra will be present. This orchestra is second to none in the territory, and we are assured that they will be favored with a crowded house.

Some parties took an excursion to the falls on Monday in one of Petty Bros. livery carriages and whilst they were inspecting the wonders and beauties of the falls, the horses took fright and lit out down the road, making kindling wood of the carriage, but otherwise no farther damage was done; it was fortunate no one was in the carriage at the time, or serious results would have followed.

Crane Bros. are in receipt of fresh canned goods of the best brands every day.

All doubts as to the efficacy of these waters to heal, are dissipated, and all that now remains to be done, is to publish the fact to the world. Already the effect of advertising is having its returns by the incessant flow of health seekers who flock here, and no other method will bring the knowledge of its attractions to the outside world so successfully as through the medium of the press. Don't forget that.

We have received a copy of the Southern Trade Journal and Printers' Opportunity, published monthly at Louisville, and Cincinnati, and find it to be one of the most interesting and instructive journals of the kind that has ever been our pleasure to peruse. It is ably edited, carefully compiled, replete with items of absorbing interest to all members of the craft and is a model of typographical neatness.

A Pioneer Press special of July 30th, brings the sad intelligence of a fearful tornado at David City, Neb., which struck the place with such violence as to cause great destruction. There were some people killed and quite a number injured. The estimated loss to the town was from \$175,000 to \$200,000. The wind also struck a train of boarding cars on the F. E. & M. V. extension track and threw the sleepers down the grade.

William Cook, the unfortunate victim of the shooting affair that occurred some time since, on account of which was given in the Star, died on Saturday last at about 7 o'clock P. M. A few days ago his case was considered a hopeful one, and he was able to be upon his feet for short periods and seemed to be on the road to recovery, but on Thursday too much exercise in the heat of the day, caused the wound to reopen, and soon pneumonia set in which ended in his death on Saturday evening. His remains were taken to Oelrichs for burial.

PERSONAL MENTION.
H. D. Wood, of Buffalo Gap, was in town Saturday.

W. P. Mumerang, Omaha, is sojourning at the resort.

Doc Bowman, of Beaver Creek, was in the city last Friday.

Chas. Fallon and wife were in the city a few days this week.

J. R. Haislip, Omaha, holds forth at the Minnekahta this week.

David Anderson, of Mont Rose, Neb., is a Ferguson House guest.

There is a difference between advertising to support a paper, and advertising to secure business. The first is charity and independence, the latter is a business principle. A merchant who advertises to support a paper is the man who rushes up and orders out his advertisement when the paper expresses an opinion that does not suit him. While claiming the right to air his own opinions, he suffers the newspaper to have any in opposition, or he will withdraw his advertisement. The merchant who advertises for business cares not a straw for the opinion of the paper so long as it has intelligent readers.—Er.

Jugs, jigs and jars at Crane Bros.

The lecture on last Sunday evening by Rev. Dwight Spencer was very interesting as the subject was one which has caused no little trouble to the government. The Mormon question is far more serious than many think, and to remedy the growing evil, more strenuous efforts upon the part of congress is evident. Mr. Spencer made a truthful assertion when he said, that the land commissioner should give the sorely harassed Dakota settlers a rest and turn his attention to the Mormon land frauds in Utah; it certainly would be more pleasing to the honest settler and a feather in the cap of the commissioner.

Four companies of the 7th cavalry passed through Hot Springs en-route for Ft. Riley, Kansas. The Regiment came into town about Friday noon and went into camp where they remained until the next morning. In the evening a party was given at the Minnekahta to the officers, which the 7th band discoursed very sweet music. Considerable style was displayed, as is generally the case where orange wads and military pomp is manifest. The new figures presented on the floor was evidently too aesthetic for the average tenderfoot who in consequence took a back seat in rear of the orchestra.

Try a sack of Snow White flour at Crane Bros. Every sack warranted.

Mr. C. C. Chambers from Cascade presented the Star office with a sample of the Mammoth Cuban Corn, grown upon his place this year, which goes far ahead of anything we have seen in the shape of corn. The ears are large, unusually well filled, large deep kernels of a golden color. The ground upon which this species grows, has not been irrigated this season and the corn in a week's time will be ripe. This is proof of the falsity of the statements that this is no corn country. Mammoth Cuba is certainly the corn for the farmers in this county, it is a sure crop.

There is no question about the agricultural facilities of Fall River County when once the farmers become familiar with the soil and the seed that is adapted to the climate.

The first district court ever held in Fall River County, adjourned last Saturday evening after a week's session, and although but little was accomplished, the precedent established has set the legal machinery of the county fairly in motion and has been the means of establishing a methodical system of legal legislation that has heretofore been rather chaotic. A great deal of business was left unsettled in consequence of the limited time allowed the court and the usual amount of delay in the expediting of juries and securing testimony in the different cases. At all events, the cases wherein the county had been put to great expense for a long period, were disposed of which has relieved the county exchequer of no little expense.

Judge Thomas went to Deadwood from here, where the United States Court convened on the 2nd of August.

Hot Farmers! Stop at Crane Bros. when you want bacon that will stick to the ribs.

It is a positive fact that the country editor is made out of tougher material than any other biped known to natural history, and has more sand in his craw than an ostrich; he is supposed to work eighteen hours out of the twenty-four, hatching up flattering puff for the business men of the town and writing up long perorations about its entering and liberal citizens, whilst they owe for the paper the puffs are printed upon, and the patronage is so meager from these same liberal business men that the revenue derived for the same wouldn't buy skinned-milk enough to keep a consumptive kitten from running into a decline. Yes, the country newspaper man has a perpetual picnic running a newspaper, especially when the business men are all of the "Peter Funk" order, who would crawl out in the dark of the moon and steal will from a blind pig.

Oh yes, it's a perpetual festival to unwind your imagination and do it up into nice little puff for the energetic and liberal business men of your town, and how elated and buoyant your heart is when you present your little monthly advertising account of \$2.50 for collection and have your liberal patron slat the money at you with force enough to knock you down and order his paper stopped and ad. discontinued. This is why a country newspaper man's life is like a poet's dream.

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Geo. M. Ward arrived at the Springs from Minnekahta Thursday.

W. R. Schmitt was a Buffalo Gapper at the Ferguson Friday.

Geo. P. Waller, of Chadron, was in the city a few days last week.

S. R. Smith, of Lead City, booked at the Minnekahta Thursday last.

Neils Larson, home West Point, here to enjoy our fine Italian climate.

W. E. Had-peth was a Chadron arrival at the Ferguson Saturday.

Mark Sweeney was a Rapid citizen at the Springs the first of the week.

R. H. Major, was a representative Fremontite at the Springs this week.

G. Gillette is down from Omaha to recreate. Autograph at the Minna.

Frank C. Berry, of Chicago is among the many guests of the Minnekahta.

Joe Hasler, Miss Nellie Burdick, are Gordonite health seekers at the Springs.

Chas. E. Fuller, of Belvidere, Ill., registered at the Minnekahta this week.

E. D. Bannister of Washington, was a Tuesday arrival at the Minnekahta.

P. W. Brockenridge, from Omaha, is visiting at the Springs for a few days.

J. W. Paddock and wife departed for their home in Omaha on Wednesday.

C. E. Foster, a Chadronite visitor at the Springs and a guest at the Minnekahta.

W. S. Harding and son, of Nebraska City, are at the Springs for rest and health.

Mrs. Osborne and daughter, of Ainsworth, Neb., are guests at the Minnekahta.

Fred. Wilson is a Chicagoan here for the sights and health, registered at the Minnekahta.

Hon. S. C. Judd is still on the gain and speaks cheerfully of his final restoration to health.

Miss M. E. Andrews, of Rapid City, was a guest at the Minnekahta a few days this week.

M. H. Filton, of Milwaukee, is sojourning at the Springs and stopping at the Minnekahta.

Geo. Tarrant and wife, arrived at the Minnekahta House Tuesday morning from Durand, Wis.

H. B. Corywell and wife came in Friday last from Omaha and spent a few days at the Springs.

Judge Eastman and E. P. Chilson, of Oelrichs, put in two or three days at the metropolis this week.

F. J. V. Ruthkowski, of Custer City, left his lengthy sig. on the Minnekahta House register Friday last.

O. E. Goodell, J. J. Cushing, of Lincoln, Neb., heard of the Springs and are here to test their virtues.

The Misses Pitees will leave in a few days for Hot Springs to spend several weeks.—Rapid City Journal.

Henry St. Rayner one of Sidney's legallights, has his autograph on the Minnekahta register this week.

J. C. Carson, of Omaha is visiting this wonderful summer resort and holding forth at the Minnekahta.

John McClure, Miss Nettie McClure, and Ed. Turner, all of Cascade, dined at the Ferguson House Saturday.

E. Elsey, of Valentine, Neb., an old friend and former employer of Jay Crane, is seeking rest and recreation at the Springs. He leaves for home tomorrow.

Hon. M. H. Day and wife, of Springfield, Dak., arrived at the Minnekahta Friday last. Mr. Day left for the northern Hills on Tuesday to look after his extensive mining interests in that locality.

Gen. J. W. Forsyth, Maj. S. M. Whiteside, Capt. G. E. McCrary, Capt. W. S. Edgerly and Lieutenants Robinson and Brewer, all of Fort Meade, registered at the Minnekahta House Friday night.

Although Thursday opened up rainy and unfavorable yet the people are gathering and pitching their tents. Should the weather prove favorable, a large attendance is expected at the camp meeting.

Jimmie Stanley had the third finger of his left hand frightfully mangled in the newspaper press at the Star office on Friday last. The injured member was immediately dressed and is now rapidly healing.

W. C. Hutchins, Sioux City; A. Doyle, Lead City; Mrs. E. R. Waite, Chadron; Mrs. A. Christensen, Neb.; and Otto F. Parnell, of Central City, autographed at the Minnekahta this week.

J. R. Buchanan, of Missouri Valley, General Passenger Agent of the F. E. & M. V. railroad, and W. C. Halsey, of Chadron, superintendent of this division, were guests at the Minnekahta the first of the week.

Col. E. S. Ormsby, E. P. Soper and wife, of Emmetsburg, Iowa, have been visiting through the Hills and are now guests of the Minnekahta and bathing in the vitalizing waters of these thermal springs.

Mrs. D. J. Butcher, Buffalo Gap; E. Dickover, Mrs. C. M. Reid, J. W. Tison and M. E. Fenson, Beaver Creek; E. S. Brookin, Akkad; W. C. Thompson, Cheyenne Falls and E. A. Potter, of Rapid City, are among this week's arrivals at the Ferguson House.

Mart Walters, an old moss-back typo struck the Star office on Tuesday and after receiving the usual compliments conferred by one printer to another, he struck the road for the Hills. Mart is an ancient disciple of the "Art Preservative," having learned the profession in '50.

Geo. Roach, a thrifty, enterprising granger from the east end of the county, was in the city on Saturday, and gave the Star office a pleasant call. Mr. Roach says that harvesting is in full blast in his section of the county, and the indications are that a good average crop of wheat and oats will be harvested, and the crop of corn and vegetables is immense.

Andy G. Butler, one of the able bodied compositors of the Gazette, and Miss Lucy A. Manning, a charming and vivacious young lady, were united in marriage by Justice Mitchell yesterday afternoon. The happy pair will begin housekeeping at once. The Gazette joins with their legion of friends in wishing them all bliss imaginable.—St. Joe Gazette, July 24.

Andy is well and favorably known in Hot Springs, and has a host of friends here who join with the Star in wishing the newly wedded pair smooth sailing and a pleasant voyage over the matrimonial ocean.

Maj. E. C. Lyman, of Troy, New York, gave the Star office a pleasant call on Wednesday. Mr. Lyman's remarks have the right ring in them when he says that Dakota has inexhaustible resources and a future before her which is incomparable. Mr. Lyman says one of the greatest draw-backs to her speedy growth, prosperity and admission, is the scurrilous and black-mailing lies that are concocted and circulated by eastern papers, in regard to Dakota's barrenness, thereby retarding the progress of immigration. Mr. Lyman has gained health and strength in the pure atmosphere of this region and speaks in glowing terms of the kindness and hospitality of the people.

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Rose of Solih 28 lbs. sack	1.00
Graham 28 lbs. sack	1.00
CORN MEAL 28 lbs. sack	1.00
OATS 28 lbs. sack	1.00
CORN 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT 28 lbs. sack	1.00
BARLEY 28 lbs. sack	1.00
RYE 28 lbs. sack	1.00
BUCKWHEAT 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 1 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 2 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 3 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 4 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 5 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 6 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 7 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 8 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 9 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 10 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 11 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 12 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 13 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 14 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 15 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 16 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 17 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 18 28 lbs. sack	1.00
WHEAT—No. 19 28 lbs. sack	1.00
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