

# THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

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EDITOR

## Local Weather Record.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,  
Weather Bureau,  
Valentine, Neb., week ending Wednesday,  
July 11, 1900.  
Highest temp. for week, 93 deg. on the 9th.  
Lowest temp. for week, 51 deg. on the 8th.  
Mean temp. for week, 70 deg.  
Av. temp. for the week for 10 years 75 deg.  
Excess of temp. for the week, 5.  
Accumulated excess of temp. since Jan. 1, 1900,  
847 deg.  
Total precipitation for week, 1.40 inches.  
Av. precip'n. for week for 10 years 0.63 inches.  
Excess of precipitation for the week, 0.77  
inches.  
Total precip'n. from Jan. 1, 1900, to date, 11.17  
inches.  
Av. precip'n. for 10 years from Jan. 1 to date,  
13.00 inches.  
Deficiency of precip'n. from Jan. 1, 1900, to  
date, 1.82 inches.  
Highest velocity of wind for week, 36 miles per  
hour from the NE on the 5th.  
FRANK R. BEAVER,  
Observer, Weather Bureau.

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Fence posts at Farnham's. 20-tf.

Read the advertisement of the Red  
Front in this issue.

Miss Mable Searby of Crookston  
transacted business in town yester-  
day.

Miss Mary Farnham is visiting her  
brother and attending institute for a  
few days.

T. C. Hornby quotes you a few  
prices on shirt waists in another col-  
umn of this paper.

O. W. Hahn, one of the most loyal  
Bryan men, was talking politics on  
our streets yesterday.

P. F. Nelson was in our city Wed-  
nesday. While here he favored us with  
a call and cash on subscription.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thackrey's baby  
is very sick, but under the care of  
Dr. Compton it is hoped will soon re-  
cover.

C. E. Ward and Fred Green have  
contracted to stack 1000 tons of hay  
near Cody. The contract price was  
sixty cents per ton.

LOST—A blue mackintosh cape  
with pleat in back. It was left in  
Judge Towne's office, July 5th. Please  
leave at Postoffice. D. E. Sherman.

Mrs. A. J. Folks has disposed of her  
property in Crookston. Clarence F.  
Carson is the purchaser and he in-  
tends to make that his future home.

Charles Betts of Simeon made final  
proof on a fine quarter section of  
good hay land near Simeon. His wit-  
nesses were John B. Lord and Geo. N.  
Davis.

Nat King is now bartender in the  
Palace saloon. He took the place of  
Geo. Hershy, who has gone to Ains-  
worth to work in the saloon at that  
place.

Mr. Baker of Merriman has a car-  
load of goods on the track here, pre-  
paratory to moving on his ranch,  
south of here, which he recently pur-  
chased of Mrs. W. G. Carson.

Our citizens have been working  
their poll tax this week by having  
the streets leveled and covered with  
good gravel and broken rock. What  
we need now is a street sprinkler.

Carey Thorn came down from Lower  
Cut Meat last Friday evening, re-  
turning Sunday morning. He brought  
his brother and two sister back to  
Valentine after having visited him  
and his wife for two or three weeks.

Mr. Snow, who is canvassing our  
county for "The Students' Cyclo-  
paedia," has placed a large number  
of sets among the teachers and stu-  
dents at the Institute. As a help to  
those engaged in educational work it  
is invaluable.

Ex-Commissioner Sullivan returned  
Wednesday morning from a month's  
tour through the Dakotas, Minnesota,  
Wisconsin and Iowa. He reports the  
wheat crop as being very poor  
through those states, but that corn  
will be good. He came home very  
much pleased with the ticket nomi-  
nated at Kansas City. He claims for  
Mr. Bryan a very large per cent. of  
the German vote throughout the  
northwest, and predicts a triumphant  
victory next November.

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

## MICA AXLE GREASE

Makes short roads.  
and light loads.  
Good for everything  
that runs on wheels.

Sold Everywhere.  
Made by STANDARD OIL CO.

## IT IS TIME

To buy SHIRT WAISTS and I am de-  
termined that I will not have a Sum-  
mer Waist on hand August 1st.  
Note the following CASH PRICES:

35c	Shirt Waists	25c
65c	"	45c
85c	"	60c
75c	"	55c
\$1.00	"	75c
1.25	"	90c
1.50	"	\$1.10
2.00	"	1.40
2.25	"	1.75

These prices are made right in the  
middle of the season, when everyone  
wants a waist. I do not wait to offer  
you a bargain in Summer Goods in  
mid winter.

These prices are CASH.

**T. C. HORNBY.**  
Headquarters for Sewing Machines.  
Model Form and American Lady  
Corsets.  
Tents and Haymakers' Supplies.

Anson Newberry, a prominent stock-  
man from Cody, is in town to-day.

Mrs. Crawford and her mother will  
depart for Iowa Saturday morning.

The ladies of the M. E. Church will  
sell ice-cream and cake at the old  
Stinard Rooms on July 20.

W. L. Cohle and E. L. Harris, of  
Oasis, were transacting business in  
town Wednesday.

Ed Holsclaw and Bert Jeffers have  
taken a contract to put up a large  
quantity of hay for J. E. Thackrey on  
his ranch at Marsh Lake.

The Populists and Democrats of  
the 6th Congressional district met at  
Broken Bow, July 9, and unanimously  
renominated Congressman Neville to  
succeed himself.

Don't forget the matched game of  
ball and several horse races to take  
place here July 20th. This will com-  
plete the program to have been car-  
ried out July 4th at this place.

F. D. March called on the DEMO-  
CRAT this morning and paid up one  
year's subscription and brand adver-  
tisement for E. W. Raymond, a prom-  
inent stockman near Norden.

A plot to assassinate President Mc-  
Kinley has been frustrated by the  
National Committee. It was con-  
cocted by a group of Spanish and Cu-  
ban conspirators with headquarters in  
New York.

White's Cream Vermifuge not only  
effectually expels worms, but is un-  
equalled as a tonic, and is a certain  
and permanent cure for chills and  
fever in children. Price 25c. Quigley  
& Chapman, druggists.

Dr. Peterson, of Lincoln, delivered  
a lecture on "Snap Shots at Europe"  
to a good audience in the M. E. church  
Tuesday evening. He is an able edu-  
cator and interesting speaker and al-  
though heard him while he is with us.

Imperfect digestion and assimila-  
tion produce disordered conditions of  
the system, which grow and are con-  
firmed by neglect. Herbine gives  
tone to the stomach, and causes good  
digestion. Price 50c. Quigley &  
Chapman, druggists.

Mrs. G. P. Crabb and Mrs. J. W.  
Whillans departed for Hot Springs  
last Sunday morning. Both have  
been in very poor health and it is  
hoped the change will be beneficial.

Judge and Mrs. Walcott accompanied  
them and report both doing well.

Robt. Bruce, the genial hotel keep-  
er of Woodlake, has been acting de-  
fective and succeeded in running  
down the culprit who stole \$20 from  
one of the boarders. Mr. Bruce is de-  
termined to maintain the credit of  
his house and has succeeded in satis-  
factorily settling the affair.

W. H. Wilkinson, of Kennedy, has  
sold his ranch to L. R. Baker, of Ir-  
win. Mr. Wilkinson has made a host  
of firm friends during his residence in  
Cherry County. We are sorry to lose  
him but glad to welcome Mr. Baker,  
who is said to be a man worthy the  
confidence of the people.

Rev. Ishida, the Japanese minister,  
was greeted by a fine audience last  
night at the M. E. Church. His illus-  
trated lecture on Japan was a mag-  
nificent representation of life in that  
country. His Japanese method of ad-  
dition is certainly worthy of study  
and imitation by Cherry County  
schoolma'ams.

**Five Hundred Dollars Will be Given**  
For any case of rheumatism which cannot be  
cured by Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedies.  
The proprietors do not hide this offer, but print  
it in bold type on all their circulars, wrappers  
printed matter and through the columns of the  
newspapers everywhere. It will work wonders.  
One bottle will cure nearly any case. If the  
druggist has not got it he will order it, or it will  
be sent to any address by express on receipt of  
price, \$5. Drummond Medicine Co., New York.  
Agents wanted.

**High Grade Bulls.**  
I have at my ranch 20 miles south of  
Valentine, in Dewey Lake precinct, 19  
high grade Hereford bulls, two and  
three years old, and three head of full  
blood Galloways, which I will sell  
cheap. These bulls are all first-class  
and were raised on my ranch.  
**W. G. BALLARD.**  
Woodlake, Nebr.  
Ask for our prices on job work.

## MACHINE OIL.

WE HANDLE THE

**Eldorado  
Castor  
at  
40 cents  
a gallon.**

**35c in  
5-gallon Lots.**

**QUIGLEY & CHAPMAN  
DRUGGISTS**  
Valentine Nebraska

## Money in Copper.

More money has, in recent years,  
been made in copper mining than in  
any other stable enterprise, as free  
from the element of risk. The experi-  
ence of a common laborer at the same  
Calumet and Hecla Mines is interesting.  
He began by investing his surplus wa-  
ges in the stock, then his dividends, and  
today is the possessor by this method  
of 500 shares of the stock worth on the  
market nearly \$400,000. Many of the  
old employees of these mines have ac-  
cumulated from \$10,000 to \$50,000 in  
the same way. The original purchas-  
ers of the stock of the companies now  
forming the Amalgamated Copper Com-  
pany paid in most instances not to ex-  
ceed 50 per cent. of their par value.  
The market value today is at least  
fourteen times the amount paid, or clear  
profit of over 1,000 per cent., besides  
all of the dividends received, which  
have been at least an equal amount.  
Solon M. Allis, C. E., formerly United  
States Deputy Mineral Surveyor of  
Tucson, Arizona, was once offered the  
great Copper Queen Mine at Bisbee for  
\$2,000, but, although a mining expert,  
he could not appreciate its richness  
then, or had not the cash, for it went  
into other hands, and is worth millions  
today. Pages might be filled with in-  
stances of both lost and improved op-  
portunities similar to the above, but all  
emphasizing the truth of a statement  
once made by John W. Mackay, the  
Bonanza King, "Nothing pays better  
than an investment in a good mine."  
The El Progreso Copper Mines, adver-  
tised in this issue, affords such an op-  
portunity.

Cuts and bruises are healed by Cham-  
berlain's Pain Balm in about one-third  
the time any other treatment would re-  
quire because of its antiseptic qualities  
which cause the parts to heal without  
maceration. For sale by Quigley &  
Chapman, druggists.

**MILL PRICES FOR FEED.**

Bran, bulk	65c per cwt	\$12.00 ton
Shorts bulk	70c per cwt	\$13.00 ton
Screenings	40c	\$7.00 "
Chop Feed	1.00	\$19.00 "
Corn	.90c	\$17.00 "
Chop corn	.95c	\$18.00 "
Oats	1.05	\$20.00 "

**TAKEN UP**  
About May 10, one grey gelding  
branded F on left jaw and neck.  
L. W. PARKER, 10 miles south of  
Crookston. 18

## LEGAL NOTICES

**ORDINANCE NO. 84.**  
An ordinance to amend Section seven and ten  
of Ordinance 84, being an ordinance entitled  
"An ordinance concerning the waterworks  
of the Village of Valentine, Nebraska, regu-  
lating and governing the same, establishing  
rates, rules and regulations for the govern-  
ment of water consumers, and others, and  
providing penalties and repealing Ordinance  
No. 83 and Ordinance No. 81, and all ordi-  
nances or parts of ordinances in conflict or  
inconsistent with this ordinance."

Be it ordained by the Chairman and Board of  
Trustees of the Village of Valentine,  
Section 1. Section seven of said ordinance  
No. 82 shall be amended to read as follows:  
Section seven. In all cases where water is fur-  
nished other than by meter, water rent shall be  
due and payable quarterly in advance, quarters  
to begin on the first days of January, April,  
July and October in each year, and if any pay-  
ments shall be in arrears ten days, five per cent.  
of the bill shall be added as a penalty, and if  
rent and penalty are not then paid, water shall  
be turned off and not turned on again until all  
back rents and charges, including a charge of  
one dollar for turning off and on the water, are  
paid.  
Section 10. Section ten of Ordinance No. 82  
shall be amended so to read as follows: Sec-  
tion 10. Permits will not be granted for a less  
period than one year, and shall be subject to  
Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect  
and be in force from and after its passage, ap-  
proval and publication according to law.  
Dated July 6th, 1900.  
A. M. MORRISSEY, Clerk.  
D. STINARD, Chairman.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
In County Court, within and for Cherry County,  
Nebraska, in the matter of the Estate of  
Ann E. Handy, deceased.  
To the Creditors of said Estate:  
You are hereby notified, That I will sit at the  
County Court Room in Valentine in said Coun-  
ty on the 14th day of July, 1900, at 10 o'clock a.  
m. to receive and examine all claims against  
said Estate, with a view to their adjustment  
and allowance. The time limited for the pre-  
sentation of claims against said estate is 7  
months, from the 14th day of December A. D.  
1899, and the time limited for payment of debts  
is one year from said 14th day of December,  
1899.  
Witness my hand and the seal of said County  
Court, this 20th day of June, 1900.  
22-41  
W. E. TOWNE, County Judge.

**DAN WEBSTER**  
Postoffice address  
Harian, Nebraska  
On left side or hip;  
horses branded same  
left shoulder.

Range between Ni-  
brara and Snake riv-  
ers, south of Merri-  
man

A Reward of \$100 will be paid to any  
person for information leading to the arrest and  
final conviction of any person or persons steal-  
ing cattle or horses with above brand.

**ALBERT NENZEL**  
Postoffice address  
Nenzel, Nebraska  
On either side of cat-  
tle; horses same  
Range northeast of  
Nenzel

**RICHARDS & CAIRNES CO.**  
Cattle branded on  
any part of animal;  
also the following  
brands:

Horses branded the  
same  
Range between  
Gordon on the F. &  
& M. V. R. R. and  
Chadron, Nebraska

**GEORGE N. DAVIS**  
Simeon, Neb.  
Cattle branded on  
left side.  
Horses same on  
left shoulder.

Range-Gordon  
Creek.

**C. JENSEN**  
Postoffice address  
Gallop, Nebraska  
Left side on private  
stock and right side  
on cattle held, or  
also on left side of cat-  
tle held, or on left  
side.

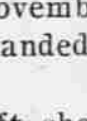

Horses C. J. on left  
shoulder. Range-Eight miles south of Gallop

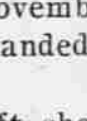
**F. C. Duerfeldt, Manager.**  
Gordon, Nebraska  
Cattle also branded  
90 on right hip  
Horses and mules  
branded same as cut  
on left shoulder

**\$400 REWARD** will be paid to any per-  
son for information leading to the arrest and  
final conviction of any person or persons steal-  
ing cattle with the above brand.

**STRAYED.** From Georgia, about  
April 15, 1900, two sorrel yearling  
horse colts, not branded. One large  
chestnut sorrel with white stripe in  
face, and a smaller, light sorrel with  
white spot in forehead.

GEO. GRABE, Crookston, Nebr.

**STRAYED OR STOLEN.** Last  
November, a 3-year-old brindle cow  
branded  and  hair  
left shoulder. W. L. NICHOLS,  
Merriman, Nebr.

**STRAYED.** 17 head of cows  
branded  on left side or hip. A  
suitable reward will be paid for  
recovery. C. H. CORNELL,  
Valentine, Nebr.

**TAKEN UP**  
The latter part of May, at my place  
near Reike, German precinct, 1 gray  
mare about 12 years old, branded  on  
left shoulder and T on right shoul-  
der; weight about 850 pounds.  
23 W. A. WILSON.

**173 PER CENT. ANNUALLY.**  
That's the Profit-Copper, the Article-  
Mexico, the Country.

"El Progreso" in its group of six mines has  
some of the richest copper ores in the richest  
mining country in the world. Ore runs 12 per  
cent copper, 1200 silver, a trace of gold. Total  
value, about \$43 a ton, and in two of the mines,  
in addition to copper and silver, ore contains 3  
per cent to 5 per cent quicksilver or mercury,  
about \$100 a ton. The great Lake Superior cop-  
per mines-Calumet and Hecla, Wolverine and  
Tamarack, Quincy, etc.,—that annually return  
millions, run only from \$10 to \$15 a ton.  
Boston and Montana six years ago sold for  
\$15 a share, to-day, \$275, paying 30 per cent on  
the investment. United Verde sold for \$100 a  
share, today stock net in the market and pays  
\$4,000 per cent on investment.  
Calumet and Hecla sold for \$1 a share, to-day  
\$800 per cent, and pays on investment 10,000  
per cent.  
Entire capital stock of United Verde was of-  
fered for \$100,000 and refused. Senator Clark,  
later, paid \$200,000, and to-day he has annual  
income from this property of over \$13,000,000.  
If it is possible here with labor six times  
higher than in Mexico, with ore five times less  
valuable, with five times fewer veins, and every  
young man in proportion, do you doubt that El  
Progreso will return 173 per cent and more, an-  
nually, to original investors, to first stockhold-  
ers who contribute the money to start "The Ball  
Rolling," who are on the "ground floor?"  
An experienced, know the country, the peo-  
ple, the language, lived there 18 years, and  
know the mines of this section of Mexico, and  
unhesitatingly state El Progreso is the best;  
have been worked for generations in a Mexican  
way, and supplied the copper for the surround-  
ing country. No attempt was ever made to ex-  
tract the gold, silver or quik silver.  
A modern 40-ton concentrating and smelt-  
ing plant—smelting only the 243 ore—will return  
\$400,000 per annum; this \$243, \$10 for treatment,  
equals \$3840 tons equals \$1,320 a day, for 300  
days equals \$396,000. This will pay 25 per cent  
on \$1,584,000 total capitalization. Par value of  
shares \$1.00. 300,000 shares are treasury stock,  
and 100,000 of this to be sold very low to raise  
money to start things when price will be greatly  
advanced—100,000 at 12c (all sold), 100,000 at 15c,  
100,000 at 20c, 100,000 at 25c.  
Dividend multiplied  
by No. of shares for  
\$1.00 show annual  
at Profit.  
150,000 shares \$173 Per Cent. (\$25,950, 173 Per Cent)  
200,000 shares 130 Per Cent. (\$26,000, 130 Per Cent)  
250,000 shares 104 Per Cent. (\$26,000, 104 Per Cent)  
300,000 shares 82 Per Cent. (\$26,000, 82 Per Cent)  
350,000 shares 60 Per Cent. (\$26,000, 60 Per Cent)  
400,000 shares 38 Per Cent. (\$26,000, 38 Per Cent)  
The best chance ever offered of securing stock  
in a legitimate copper mining enterprise.  
Send for prospectus.  
Organized company on a plan to give a chance  
to all—big and little, rich and poor, great and  
small, none need be excluded. If quick, you  
can own 64 shares for every dollar you remit.  
DAVID B. RUSSELL, President.  
El Progreso Copper Mining Co.,  
63 Wall Street, New York.

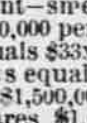
**WILLIAM BEAMER**  
Gordon, Nebr.  
Cattle branded  
same as cut on  
left side.  
Horses  
branded  
on left  
shoulder.

Range—6 miles  
south of Irwin.

**Parker & Son**  
P. O. Address  
L. W. Parker  
Reike, Nebr.  
Brand same as cut,  
Also ZP  
Range on Niobrara  
south of Crookston

**George F. Damon**  
Albany, Neb.  
Cattle branded  
FD on left ribs or  
right shoulder; SD  
on right hip and left  
rib; 6 on left hip  
Horses FD or SD on  
right shoulder  
Range 7 mi north  
east of Albany Neb  
Agent for Pasteur  
Black Leg Vaccine

**Hutt Brothers.**  
Gordon, Nebraska  
Range, 14 miles north  
of Gordon.

**Joseph Fickel**  
Gordon Neb  
Also  on  
left  
hip  
Horse brand F on  
left shoulder  
Range 7 mi north  
east of Gordon

**Wm. J. Allen**  
Ft. Niobrara Neb  
Brand registered  
No 670  
Horses branded  
on left hip  
Range, Niobrara  
river 12 miles east  
of Valentine

**C. E. Wright.**  
Cooper, Nebr.  
Brand registered  
No 374.  
Brand anywhere  
on right side.

**Wm. J. Allen**  
Ft. Niobrara Neb  
Brand registered  
No 670  
Horses branded  
on left hip  
Range, Niobrara  
river 12 miles east  
of Valentine

**LIVERY  
STABLE!**  
LIVERY, FEED  
& EXCHANGE  
Special Attention Given to  
Stalkmen.  
H. GODFREY  
Merriman, Nebraska

A complete press and printing  
outfit for sale. Write or inquire  
at this office. 23 tf

## THE PALACE SALOON

HEADQUARTERS FOR  
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS  
Of the Choicest Brands

VALENTINE NEBRASKA

**R. M. Faddis & Co.**  
Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy, Neb.  
Cattle branded  
same as cut.  
Some branded  
on left  
thigh.  
Some on  
left side or  
hip.

**Hervey Ranch**  
Two miles east of  
Crookston, in Cherry  
County, Nebraska  
Cattle branded OC  
on left hip, on right  
hip, and on right side  
with 3-inch letter

**Wm. Cavanaugh Mgr**  
Crookston Neb

**A. T. BRACKETT**  
Postoffice address  
Reike Neb  
Branded on left side  
Range—Three miles  
Southeast of Georgia

**G. W. BEAMER.**  
Gordon, Nebr.  
Cattle branded  
on left side as in  
cut, 6-inch box  
and 2 1/2-inch circle  
Brand registered  
575.

Horses  
branded left shoul-  
der. 2 1/2-  
inch circle, 1-inch  
box. Registered 876. Range—6 miles south of  
Irwin on Niobrara river.

**MILLS BROS.**  
Merriman, Nebr.  
Cattle and horses  
branded on  
left side or shoul-  
der.  
Brand regis-  
tered 1021.  
Range—12 miles  
southwest of  
Merriman on the  
Niobrara river.

**I. T. Richardson.**  
Perch, Nebr.  
Some on left  
hip. B  
Horses on  
left shoulder

**Mickel Boltz**  
Nenzel Neb  
Brand registered  
No 1635  
Range 2 1/2 miles  
east of Nenzel

**Peder Thorsen.**  
Gordon, Nebraska  
On right side; T on  
right hip, 6 horse  
brand and T on  
right shoulder  
Also cattle branded  
A on left side  
Range, fowl miles  
south of Irwin

**M. RICHARDSON**  
Postoffice address  
McCann Neb  
Branded on left side  
Range—McCann

**F. T. Brackett**  
Reike, Nebr.  
Brand Registered  
No 1400  
Brand right side  
or hip  
Horses same on  
right shoulder  
Range, Niobrara  
6 miles south of  
Kilgore

**S. W. Chesnut**  
Gordon, Nebraska  
Brand same as cut  
on left hip.  
Range—head of  
Gordon Creek, forty  
miles southeast of  
Gordon. Breeder of  
Hereford cattle.

**C. E. Wright.**  
Cooper, Nebr.  
Brand registered  
No 374.  
Brand anywhere  
on right side.

**Wm. J. Allen**  
Ft. Niobrara Neb  
Brand registered  
No 670  
Horses branded  
on left hip  
Range, Niobrara  
river 12 miles east  
of Valentine

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outfit for sale. Write or inquire  
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