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For Shoes

SPRING footwear in the same styles shown by leading city stores, but at smaller prices is our boast, and we make the assertion good. Our experience in this line and "know how" in picking out good quality, stylish footwear to retail at close prices, is a direct benefit to people who buy shoes here, for they get superior value for their money. Why not see if we cannot please you better than anyone else? Our shoe man knows how to FIT shoes. That's as important as quality and style, for it means comfort, too.

Hosiery

will wear out, no matter how good, but some wears out a lot sooner than our kind. We buy from manufacturers who know how to put long wear into their hosiery without sacrificing appearance. In children's school hose we have an especially desirable line at 25 cents that saves darning. Try the "BLACK CAT" hose.

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TALK OF THE TOWN.

Bob Gillaspie was in town Tuesday.
Geo. Miller was up from Newton this week.

J. A. Denny was in town several days last week.
Don't forget about the races in June, 19-20 and 21.

Crookston will celebrate the 4th of July this year. Watch for program later.

The time of the yellow belts and soda water is at hand, "don't cherknow."

Cole D. Ainslee, Sol Ellis and W. D. Morgareidge are in town today from Simeon.

Sam Chesnut came up from Ainsworth to act as a witness in the Denny-Ganow fence case.

Jas. Galloway and August Ericson plastered the DEMOCRAT office last Thursday and Friday and did a good job.

Miss Maier returned to her home in Omaha last Saturday. The west was a little lonesome without acquaintances.

John B. North started to Alberta country this morning Calgary post office. He had been working for W. D. Morgareidge.

Albert Nenzel had business in town yesterday and didn't forget to remember the editor with a dollar on subscription.

Frank Fischer looks younger as he gets out for more outdoor exercise now and has a little time to visit among his friends.

Tuesday some of our citizens were amused by a broncho rider giving an exhibition of how he could ride 'em when they were bad.

For rent:—40 acres of land, broke, suitable for planting south of track. For particulars write, Mrs. E. McDonald, Crookston, Nebr. 16-4t

If you don't want to buy some good fence posts, come and examine our HIGH GRADE COFFEES.
15-tf W. A. Pettycrew. tf

We have a complete line of trim, med hats, latest styles, lowest prices also latest styles in belts. Give us a call.
18-tf Esther O'Neill.

M. G. Hopkins left for his new duties at Lincoln as prison guard Sunday morning. Hopkins is a popular man and will be missed by Valentine people

An addition is being built on the rear end of R. Anderson's hardware store for a ware house which will be quite useful to his increasing business.

Editor Heath of the Cody Cow Boy was in town Saturday and called on us as we were moving into our new home for the DEMOCRAT. Bro. Heath is one of those good hearted men we all like to meet.

John Roan fell backward into the cellar of the Krug building last Friday while at work and broke his little finger on the left hand splitting the bone above the knuckle. Dr. Lewis set it and John now carries his left arm in a sling.

Last week we omitted the death of Mrs. Christiana Boyer who died of a complication of ailments in a pest house that the county commissioners had erected for her during her last months sickness. Her death occurred June 11, 1901.

U. G. Mc Bride and wife drove down through the sand hills week before last and sold several Singer sewing machines on the way. Mr. McBride helped some with work on our building and will soon be ready to put on the porch and stair way.

Strayed from my pasture 3 miles west of Sparks, one black horse five years old, lame in right front foot and has shoe. Branded 15 on left shoulder. Had halter on when last seen.
15-tf
Geo. Bristol, Valentine, Nebr.

Manager of Cornell hall has secured this excellent organization for Tuesday evening May 28. The company is headed by Mr. Hubert Labadie as Mephisto, and Mary VanTromp as Margarite with an excellent company of artists in their support. Mr. Labadie carries two complete sets of scenery for this great play—one set for cities and one set for small stages and a production complete in every detail is guaranteed to all patrons in Valentine. Prices 25, 50 and 75 cents.

Local Weather Record

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau
Valentine, Nebraska, week ending Tuesday, May 15, 1901

Mean temp, for week 68 deg., which is 12 deg. above the average.
Highest temp, for week 85 deg. on the 12th.
Lowest temp, for week 51 deg. on the 21th.

Total rainfall, .47 of an inch which is .16 of an inch below the average.
Highest velocity of wind 27.
Percentage of sunshine 92.

A storm area has been loafing around these parts for several days but for some unknown reason has thus far failed to declare its intentions. By all rules of the game we should have had some rain and wind. We, however, hope for the best, and trust it will not pass us by without some token of its regard, however slight it may be.

D. C. GRUNOW,
Observer, Weather Bureau.

Program for the Cherry County Teachers' Association at Valentine High School May 25th, 1901.

10:30 O'CLOCK A. M.
The Teacher's Mission.....Miss Kate Weed.
Drawing in the Public Schools.....Miss Mabel Towne.
Discussion opened by.....Mrs. Angie Ford.
Election of Officers.

1:30 O'CLOCK P. M.
Music.....
Life Picture Made in School.....Miss Mabel Hahn
Means of Enriching History.....Miss Grace Cook
Sash Drill.....Pupils of the 6th and 7th grades
Possibilities of the Twentieth Century.....Prof. B. M. Stone.
Development of the Child's Inner Life.....Prof. E. H. Watson
Lecture in the evening.

J. A. Ganow was in from the west end of the county to attend court last week.

S. Q. Spain and Milt Dunham of Kennedy were doing business at the county seat last Friday.

Stove Wood! Cord Wood! Delivered promptly to an part of the city
14-tf M. S. WELCH

Lots of gold penholders are given to people who cannot write their names without sticking out their tongues.

All the Brownlee people moved over to Valentine to attend the Coble—Skirving case last week. They were peaceable, quiet boys so we have no kick coming and we'll be glad when they come again.

The man who takes "too many papers now" came in the other day. He said: "I like your paper first-rate but I take so awful many papers that I can't read them all nohow." We braced ourself against the side of the house, for from long experience we knew what was coming. He continued: "Now I don't want you to think that I have got anything agin your paper for I hain't." Up to that we feared he was going to do something to us. We do not like to have things done to us by people who think they have been offended. Our health is not any too robust this summer anyway. Then the man who thinks some day he will run for the legislature said: "I take nine papers." But we couldn't see how that helped us out any. So he said he might take our paper again some day and we were restored. Up to that time we had expected to suspend business. It is always very considerate of wise and great people of that sort to tell you that you are running such a good paper, but that they are taking so many papers that they can't afford to take them all. We have yet been unable to discover how that buys print paper and ink and keep clean office towels for us. Now some day that man's homely daughter will get married and this paper will not say she was accomplished and handsome and well educated and kind-hearted, but this paper will say that she was so ugly that she had to get up nights to rest her face. And that she couldn't write her name without sticking her tongue out. This paper will say that she had a heart no bigger than a chicken's and that her feet are so big she has to get her shoes made to order. When his son gets through school this paper will say he is one of the brightest boys that ever came down the pike. He is so bright that the cows bite him as he walks along the streets, and when the old man runs for the legislature this "vile sheet" will rake up the incident where he turned his cows into the cemetery and let them eat the grass on his mother's grave. And when he dies this paper will discover what has been the matter with the neighbors' chickens, that so many have come up missing. And the community's loss will be the henhouse's gain.

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Lawton Blackberries	3lb cans 2 for	25cts
Godfrey Plums	3lb cans 2 for	25cts
California Peaches	3lb cans	10cts
Little Boys Crash Suits		50cts
Knee Pants	25cts and up	
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8 Bars Diamond C Soap		25c
5 Bars Large Bar Wool Soap		25c
20 Pounds of Good Rice		\$1.00

Bargains in EVERYTHING the Next Two Weeks to Make Room for Our Spring Stock.

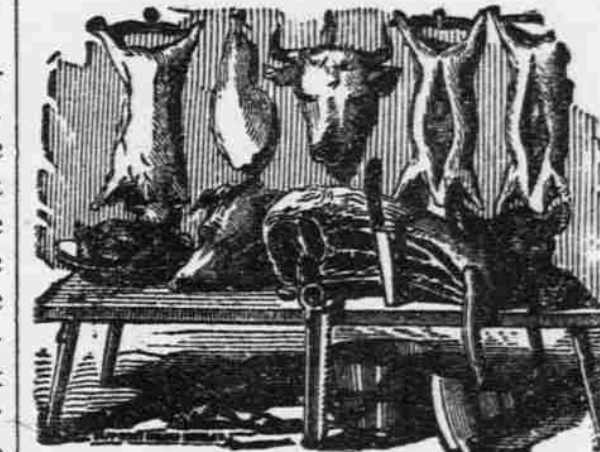
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VALENTINE - NEBRASKA

Nothing looks as discouraged as a seedy, old Prince Albert coat.
The ambition of small towns is to have streets that are named and numbered.
Nobody ever feels sorry for the man whose taxes are increased by the Board of Review.
We feel sorry for people who always want to talk about their own affairs and nothing else.
Some women you can't talk to a little bit without their telling you all about their affairs.
A man wearing a stovepipe hat and carrying a couple of grips looks a good deal out of place.
A woman cannot be said to be real well acquainted unless she goes in at the back door of her neighbor's.
Some people who had been away from town for a good while came home and the first man they saw was a delivery expressman, and shook hands with him which the expressman says is the first time in their lives they ever did such a thing, and probably the last time. They were so glad to see anybody from home.
Most excuses are worse than none.
The funniest man on top of earth is a horrible liar.
Some business people use upstairs rooms for offices to avoid loafers.
Max E. Viertel sold a bunch of horses lately which were shipped east.
The man who starts to tell you a story by saying it is short, needs watching.
One of the first things a kid learns about playing the piano is to say he cannot play a thing.
We hear that Ed Pike has lost a black mare with white spot in forehead, weighs about 1100 pounds.
The Fairview Dramatic Co. is practicing on another play which they expect to render at Crookston soon.
Wm. Skelly who has been working for Ed Pike, Wm. Cavanaugh and Ed Fitzgerald during the past four years is going back to Alba Iowa soon.
We hear that some one broke into Wm. Cavanaugh's camp a few days ago, about 5 miles south of his home and stole or carried away nearly everything which he had there excepting his bed.