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LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Creditors.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA } ss In the County
CHERRY COUNTY. } Court.

In the matter of the estate of Christopher C. Bonahan, deceased:

To the creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified, That I will sit at the County Court Room in Valentine in said county, on the 14th day of January, 1905 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 presentation of claims against said estate is the 14 day of January A. D. 1905 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 14th day of June 1904.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 31st day of December 1904.

SEAL W. R. TOWNE,
County Judge.

In the Dirtrict Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the adoption of Joseph Monroe Hudson, a minor child.

All persons interested will take notice that on the 22nd day of December, 1904 James M. Hudson and wife filed their petition for the adoption of said Joseph Monroe Hudson and that matter will be heard by the County Court at the County Court Room in said county on the 26th day of January 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time and place objections to said proposed adoption will be heard. It is further ordered that service of this notice be had by publication of the same each week for four successive weeks in the Valentine Democrat, a newspaper printed in said county.

Witness my hand and official seal this 8th day of January, 1905.

SEAL W. R. TOWNE,
514 County Judge.

Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the County Court of Cherry County Nebraska.

STATE OF NEBRASKA }
COUNTY OF CHERRY } ss

To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Mary A. McTermott, deceased:

On reading the petition of Francis McTermott praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 28th day of December 1904.

It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this Order in the Valentine Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

W. R. TOWNE.
County Judge.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, CHERRY COUNTY.

To Stella S. Bullard, S. A. Ramplin, Mrs. S. A. Rampln and S. J. Gaynore (first and real names unknown) non-resident defendants:

You, and each of you, will take notice that on the 18th day of December, 1904, Adell S. Curtis, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska against Stella S. Bullard, S. A. Rampln, Mrs. S. A. Rampln, S. J. Gaynore, (first and real names unknown), Stull Bros. and William Stull, trustee for Louis Stull, defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by Stephen L. James and Virginia James upon lot Four and the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section Nineteen and lot One and the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Thirty, all in Township Twenty-five, north, of Range Thirty-two west of the 6th P. M. in Cherry county, Nebraska, which mortgage was given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note dated November first, 1889 for the sum of $600, and due and payable to Louis Stuller order on January first, 1895, which note and mortgage was duly assigned by the said Louis Stull in December, 1889 to Ward & Cobb and by them assigned and transferred to Priscilla Brown and thereafter was by her transferred to the plaintiff herein, who is now the sole owner of said indebtedness and the mortgage securing the same. That in order to protect the said mortgage lien the owner of said note and mortgage did pay the taxes levied and assessed against said premises for the years 1890, 1891, 1893, 1894 and 1894, and that by virtue of said assignment of said note and mortgage the said plaintiff became the owner of all rights obtained by virtue of the payment of said taxes, and which taxes are also secured by said mortgage.

That there is now due upon said note and mortgage and for taxes the sum of Eight hundred twelve and thirteen-hundreth dollars, for which sum with interest from December 15th, 1904 the plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same; that the interest or lien of each and all of said defendants be found to be junior and inferior to that of the plaintiff; that the proceedings upon which the said Stella S. Bullard claims title to said premises be declared to be void in so far as the same may affect the rights of said plaintiff; and that if the interest or lien of said Stella S. Bullard be found to be superior to that of plaintiff, that this plaintiff be permitted to redeem the same, and in case the amount found to be due the plaintiff with interest and costs is not paid at a time to be fixed by the court that said premises be sold to satisfy the amount found to be due.

You, and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 30th day of January, 1905.

Dated December 19th, 1904.

ADELL S. CURTIS,
Plaintiff,
By W. W. YOUNG,
Her Attorney.

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Estray Notice.

Taken up by the undersigned at my place on the Niobrara River, about nine miles southwest of Valentine, Nebraska, one dark red steer, four years old past, branded on right side, blotched.

Date: at Valentine this 22nd day of December 1904. 49 5 JOHN SEDLACEK

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Weather Bureau

The following data, covering a period of 15 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Valentine, Nebr. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed, during the month in question for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast for the weather conditions for the coming month.

JANUARY.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal temperature 17°

The warmest month was that of 1900 with an average of 31°

The coldest month was that of 1890 with an average of 11°

The highest temperature was 68° on the 20, 1892.

The lowest temperature was – 38° on the 24, 1894.

The earliest date on which first killing frost occurred in autum, Sept. 12

Average date on which first killing frost occurred in antum, Sep 18.

Average date on which last killing frost occurred in spring, May 9

The latest date on which last killing frost occurred in spring, June 21.

PRECIPITATION (rain or melted snow)

Average for the month 0 57 inches

Average number of days with 01 of an inch or more, 8

The greatest monthly precipitation was 1 27 inches in 1889.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.00 inches in 1900.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hrs. was 0 37 inches on the 31, 1894.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 37 inches on the 15-16, 1901.

CLOUDS AND WEATHER

Average number of clear days, 15; partly cloudy, 8; cloudy, 8

WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the NW.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 10 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind was 60 miles from the NW on the 7, 1903.

J. J. McLEAN,
Official in charge Weather Bureau.

ALONZO HEATH

Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska

On left side. Horses left shoulder.

Range north of Cutcomb Lake

H A BUCK

Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb

Branded on left side

Range eighteen miles north of Hyannis

A T DAVIS

Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb

On right side horses on left shoulder

also cattle on right side

Range 16 miles north of Hyannis

Allen & Sons

Ft Niobrara.

Brand registered No 870

Horses branded on left hip

Range, Niobrara river 12 miles east of Valentine

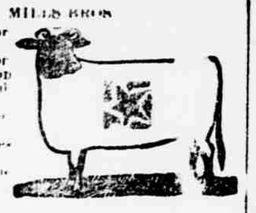
MILLS BROS

Merriman Nebr

Cattle and horses branded on left side or shoulder.

Brand registered No 1091

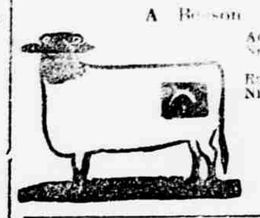
Range 12 miles southwest of Merriman on the Niobrara river



A Benson

Address Arabia Nebraska

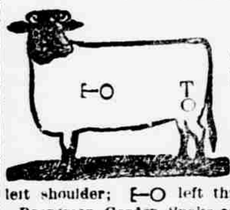
Range—North of Niobrara river.



J. W. Stetter,

Valentine, Nebr.

Other brands:



Horses branded: I, < or + on left shoulder; ⊢O left thigh. Range on Boardman, Gordon, Snake and Sand Creek.

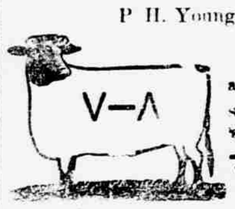
P H. Young.

Simeon Nebr

Cattle branded as cut on left side

Some on left side.

on left jaw of horses.



Range on Gordon Creek north of Simeon.

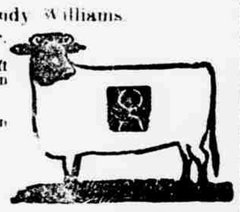
Sandy Williams

Merriman, Nebr.

Mostly on left side Some on right side

Horses same on left shoulder

Range—Lake Creek, S. D.



D. A. Hancock

Marshall, Mo. or Simeon, Nebraska

Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also 16 on left side with on left hip of some cattle; also SH on right side. Horses brand, rake and on left shoulder hip Z on left jaw

Home ranch on Dewey Lake. Range on Niobrara River, east of Fort Niobrara, all in Cherry County, Nebraska

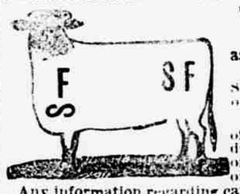
St. Francis Mission

Postoffice address: Crookston, Nebr, or Rosebud, S. D.

Cattle branded as in cut.

some cattle in S D branded only on left hip

Range: North of the Minnechaduza, 8 miles west of Crookston, and on Bull Creek.



Any information regarding cattle branded as above will be thankfully received by Wm. Skelly, Crookston, Nebr.; or St. Francis Mission, Rosebud, S. D.

J. B. Lord

Simeon Nebr

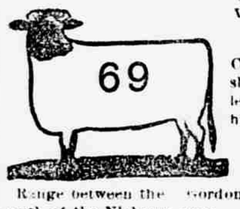
Stock branded same as cut back of right shoulder and on right hip

Range on the Niobrara

F. W. Jersig

Valentine, Nebr

Cattle branded as shown in cut on left side, loin or hip.

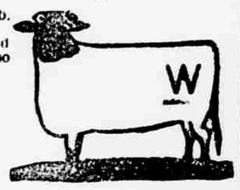


Range between the Gordon and Snake south of the Niobrara river

J R Wallingford

Kennedy, Neb.

Cattle branded same as cut; also some branded on left hip



C P Jordan

Rosebud, SD

Horses and cattle same as cut, also CJ BC LJ on right hip

Range on Oak and Butte creeks.

A liberal reward for information leading to detection of rustlers of stock bearing any of these brands

G.H. Seager.

Postoffice address

Cody, Nebraska

Cattle branded as on cut on left side, hip and shoulder; horses same

Range, Snake Creek

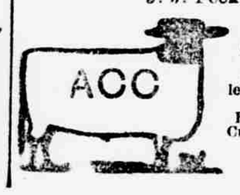
J. J. Peck.

Cody, Nebr.

On both sides.

Horses CC on left thigh.

Range—Head Pass Creek, S. D

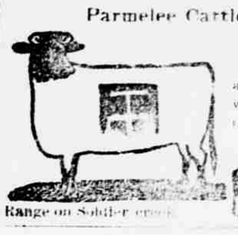


Parmelee Cattle Co

Rosebud, S. D.

Cattle branded as cut on left side with strip under tail

Horses branded



Range on Soldier creek

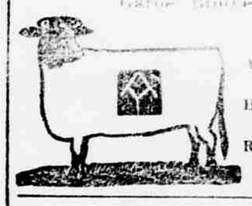
Gates Brothers

Address Valentine, Nebr.

Cattle on left shoulder.

Horses on left shoulder.

Range—North Elk.



F. T. Brackett

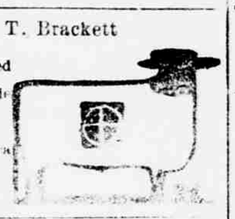
Riege, Nebr.

Brand Registered No 1490

Brand right side or hip

Horses same on right shoulder

Range, Niobrara 5 miles south of Kilgore



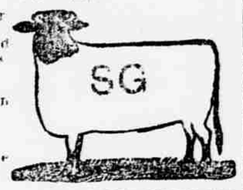
Seth Gary

Merriman, Nebr

On both side and hip. Herd mark dewlap.

Horses same on left shoulder.

Range Lake Creek and Little White River

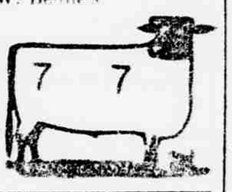


L. W. Bennett

Simeon Neb

Stock branded with 7 on left hip also same as cut

Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara river

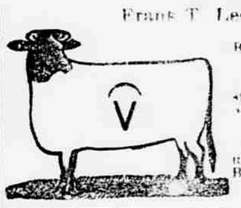


Frank T. Lee

Brownlee, Neb

Cattle on left side; horses same on left shoulder

Range Four miles northeast of Brownlee



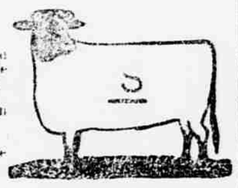
D. M. Sears

Seneca, Nebr

Cattle branded as on cut, left side some on left hip

Horses same on left shoulder.

Range—Square Lake.



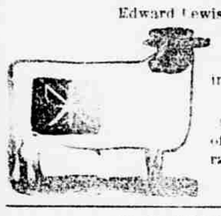
Chi Psi Cattle Co

Edward Lewis, foreman.

Wood Lake, Nebr.

Cattle branded as in cut on right side

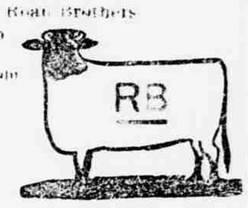
Range: 6 miles east of Simeon on ranch ranch.



Roate Brothers

Woodlake Neb

John Roan's private mark slit in left ear

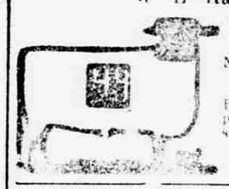


W. E. Haley

Valentine Neb

Brand registered No 400

Range in Sharp Ranch and Carma pasture 6 miles south of Kilgore

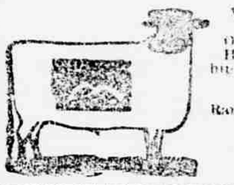


C. H. Little.

Merriman, Nebr

On either side. Horses same on hip. Also 9 3

Range Lake Creek S D



WILLIAM SEAMER

Gordon, Nebr.

Cattle branded same as cut on left side. Horses branded on left shoulder.

Range—6 miles south of Irwin.

JULIUS PETERSON

Postoffice address Gregory, Neb

Branded as on cut

Range two miles north of Gregory

F. C. & M. O. Metzger.

Merriman Nebraska.

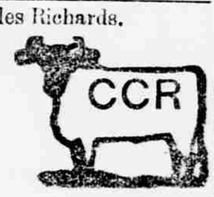
Cattle branded on left side; Horses branded on left thigh.

Some are branded

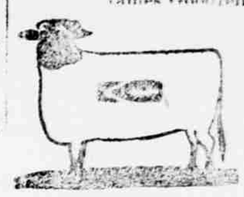
Some cattle branded XF on left side. Range on Snake 35 miles south of Merriman, Others range 8 miles northwest of Merriman.

Charles Richards.

Merriman, Neb



James Goodfellow



Range Between

N S Reaches

Kennedy Nebraska

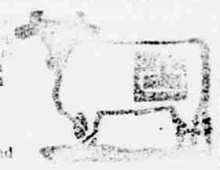
Same brand on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also on left side and hip.

+ on left side

DX on left side and — on left hip.

F on left jaw and left shoulder of horses,

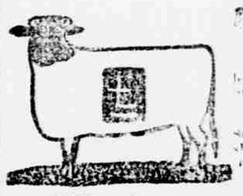
EC on left hip of horses



R M Faddis & Co

Postoffice address Valentine or Kennedy

Some branded on left thigh



Horses on left shoulder or thigh

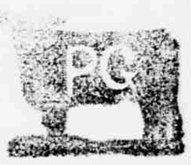
Some on right thigh or shoulder.

J P GARDNER

Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska

On left side of cattle; horses O right arm

Range, north and south of Niobrara river, 12 miles south west of Cody

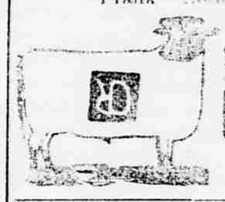


Frank Rothlentner

Postoffice address Kilgore Neb.

Cattle branded on side as on cut same on hip

Horses on left side



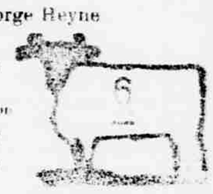
George Reyne

Cody, Neb

Brand registered No 1027

Horses branded on left shoulder

Range north and south of Cutcomb Lake in Cherry Co



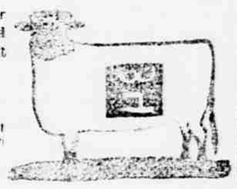
G. W. McFarland

Valentine, Nebr

Cattle branded as in cut on left side.

Old stock 2Y

Range: Four miles east of Fort Niobrara, north and south of Berry

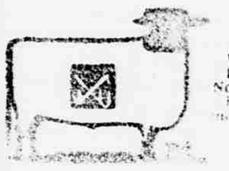


C. E. Wright

Valentine Nebr.

Brand registered No 374

Brand anywhere on right side

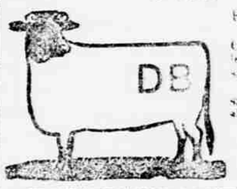


D. Lee

Rosebud S D

Cattle branded on left thigh or hip same as cut

Horse brand same on the left shoulder



Morey & Dewees

Gordon, Nebr.

Brand registered 893. On left hip of cattle. Horses same left shoulder, also left side

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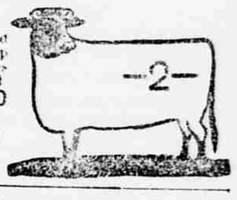
Range South of Snake 35 miles west of Gordon



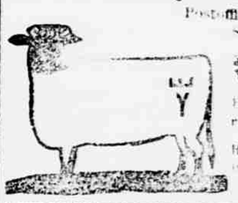
Robert Quisenbery

Postoffice address Simeon, Nebr

On left hip of cattle

Horses same on right shoulder.

Range on Snake river

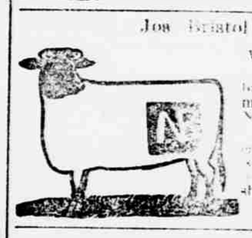


Joe Bristol

Valentine, Nebr.

Range on Niobrara river four miles east of Ft Niobrara

Horses and cattle branded as connected on left hip or side as shown in cut



Albert Whipple & Sons

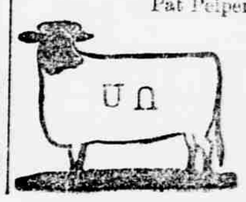
Rosebud, S. D.

Cattle branded SOS on left side OSO on right side Some cattle also have a + on neck Some with A on left shoulder and some branded with two bars across and quarters. Some Texas cattle branded S O on left side and some on left side.

Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses

Pat Peiper

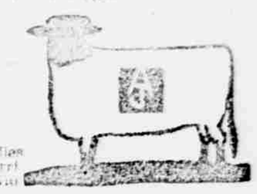
Simeon Nebr.



Sawyer Bros

Postoffice address

Range on



Range—Bordes south of Merriman on the Niobrara

FINE BROS

Postoffice address Crookston, Neb

Cattle branded PE on either hip or right side.

Horses PE on left shoulder.

Range—On Minnechaduza 5 miles east of Crookston.

SWEENEY BROS

Postoffice address Pullman, Neb.

Cattle branded as on cut horses branded same as cattle except left shoulder.

Range—Seven miles at Stephenson Lakes and South

$200 reward will be paid to any person for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons stealing cattle with the above brand.

FRANK MOGLE

Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska

On either side cattle ear mark—left ear clipped and right ear split; horses branded same as left shoulder

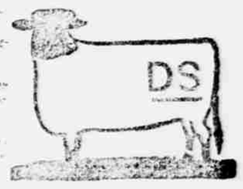
Range on Niobrara and Medicine canyon

D. Stuart

Valentine, Nebr

State Brand registered 1654.

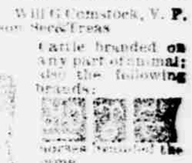
Cattle and horses branded same as cut on left side



Nebraska Land and Feeding Co.

Gallet Richards, Pres. Will G. Comstock, V. P.
Chas. C. Cannon Sec'y Treas

Cattle branded on any part of animal; also the following brands:



Horses branded the same

Range between Valentine and the Niobrara, Northwestern Nebraska.

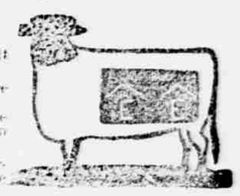
Metzger Bros

Gregory Neb Cherry Co

Branded on left side and thigh.

Earmark, square crop right ear. Horses have same brand on left thigh.

Range on Gordon and Snake Creeks.

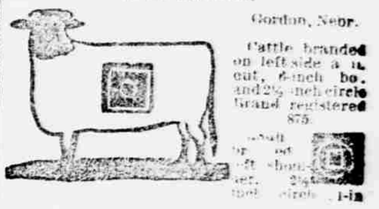


$250 reward will be paid to any person for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons stealing cattle with above brand.

G. W. BEAMER.

Gordon, Nebr.

Cattle branded on left side as on cut, 6-inch bar, and 2½-inch circle brand registered 875.



Horses Registered 870. Range 8 miles south of junction Niobrara river

J. L. ROSEBERRY

Postoffice address Pullman, Neb

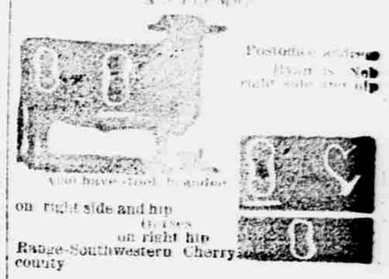
Branded on left hip same as cut. Horses same brand on left shoulder.

Range south of Pullman

A. LEHMAN

Postoffice address Range 15 Neb

Cattle branded on right side and hip



Also have Cross branded on right side and hip

Horses on right hip

Range—Southwestern Cherry county

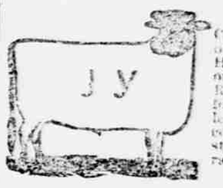
J. A. YARYAN

Pullman, Nebr

Cattle branded JY on right side

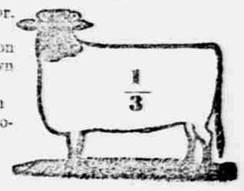
Horses branded JY on right shoulder

Reasonable reward for any information leading to the recovery of cattle strayed from my range.



J.F. Swain.

Sparks, Nebr.

Cattle branded on left side as shown in cut.

Range—South of Sparks on Niobrara river.