

# THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

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EDITOR

Mutual companies pay losses in full.  
No discount I. M. RICE, Agent

## A MATTER OF HEALTH

**ROYAL**



**BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure  
**HAS NO SUBSTITUTE**

## THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE

Only Double Track

Railroad between Missouri River and Chicago.  
Direct line to St. Paul-Minneapolis.  
Direct line to Black Hills.  
Apply to nearest agent for rates maps and time cards.

## TIME TABLE Great Northern Line at O'Neill, Nebr.

Going East. Going West.  
Leaves 10:10 a.m. Arrives 9:50 p.m.  
Passenger, daily except Sunday.  
Connections with Elkhorn trains east and west-bound from all points west of O'Neill.  
Shortest route to Sioux City and beyond.  
Through connections to Sioux Falls, Minneapolis, St. Paul and all points north and west.  
Buy local tickets to O'Neill.

FRED ROERS, G. P. A.  
Sioux City, Iowa

R-I-P-A-N-S Tabules  
Doctors find  
A good prescription  
For mankind

The 5-cent package is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (.60 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them

### Horses For Sale.

Some good work horses, saddle horses and some good young mares. Terms to suit purchaser. Inquire at Bishop's livery barn.

23 W. T. BISHOP.

### Weather Data.

The following data, covering a period of 15 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Valentine, Nebraska. 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 of the weather conditions for the coming month.

#### APRIL.

##### TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal 47°  
The warmest month was that of 1904 with an average of 57°.

The coldest month was that of 1897 with an average of 45°.

The highest was 91° on 20th, 1902  
The lowest was 0° on 4, 1899

##### PRECIPITATION.

Average for month 2.46 inches.

Average number of days with .01 or less than .01 inches or more 10.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 7.03 inches in 1892.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.40 inches in 1904.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 2.05 inches on 30, 1895.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 9.6 inches on 4, 1892.

### CLOUDS AND WEATHER

Average number of clear days, 10; partly cloudy, 10; cloudy, 10.

##### WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the NW.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 13 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind was 55 miles from the sea on 17, 1903.

JOHN J. MCLEAN,

Observer Weather Bureau.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

### Notice to Creditors.

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

In the matter of the estate of Seth E. Br. S. 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 22nd day of April, 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 22nd day of April, A. D. 1905, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 18th day of June, 1903, and seal of said county court.

Witness my hand and seal of said county court this 5th day of April, A. D. 1905.

SEAL W. R. TOWNE,  
114 County Judge.

### Notice to Creditors.

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

In the matter of the estate of Thos J. Tay, or, 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 22nd day of April, 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 22nd day of April, A. D. 1905, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 12th day of October, 1904.

Witness my hand and seal of said county court this 1st day of March, A. D. 1905.

SEAL W. R. TOWNE,  
114 County Judge.

### Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. COUNTY OF CHERRY. I

To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of James A. C. Chilvers, deceased:  
On reading the petition of Martha Calders, praying that she be appointed administrator, 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 adjourned to the 28th day of April, 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 the estate of James A. C. Chilvers, in the weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1905.

SEAL W. R. TOWNE,  
103 County Judge.

### Notice to Creditors.

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

In the matter of the estate of Peter W. Pruden, 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 22nd day of April, 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 22nd day of April, A. D. 1905, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 5th day of September, 1904.

Witness my hand and seal of said court this 18th day of March, A. D. 1905.

SEAL W. R. TOWNE,  
114 County Judge.

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

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. COUNTY OF CHERRY. I

To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of William P. Bessing, deceased:  
On reading the petition of One H. Howell, praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 29th day of March, 1905.

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said account, may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and adjourned to the 15th day of April, 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.

### Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, March 28, 1905.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Charles J. Lee, contested against him for his interest in land in section 24, township 25, range 25, by W. H. Hayes, contested in which it is alleged that said claimant has never entered upon said tract of land and established a residence thereon as required by law, or that said claimant has entered upon said tract of land for more than six months last past, and has failed to care for his cattle which have wholly abandoned said tract of land for more than six months last past, and that said claimant has failed to care for his cattle which have wholly abandoned said tract of land for more than six months last past, and has failed to care for his cattle which have wholly abandoned said tract of land for more than six months last past, and that said claimant has failed to care for his cattle which have wholly abandoned said tract of land for more than six months last past, and has failed to care for his cattle which have wholly abandoned said tract of land for more than six months last past, and that said claimant has failed to care for his cattle which have wholly abandoned said tract of land 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