

Monthly Meteorological Summary.

STATION: Valentine, Nebr.

MONTH: January, 1905.

Date.	TEMPERATURE.		PRECIPITATION. (In inches and hundredths)	CHARACTER OF DAY
	Max.	Min.		
1	34	11	0	Cldy
2	33	12	0	Cldy
3	31	12	0	Cldy
4	41	25	0	PC
5	44	19	0	PC
6	46	19	0	Clear
7	49	14	0	Clear
8	37	14	0	Clear
9	48	16	0	Clear
10	33	9	0	PC
11	41	13	0	PC
12	42	20	0	Clear
13	43	29	0	PC
14	49	23	0	PC
15	48	19	0	PC
16	41	15	0	PC
17	45	29	0	Clear
18	48	19	0	PC
19	45	25	0	Clear
20	49	33	0	Clear
21	5	15	0	Clear
22	39	18	0	Clear
23	29	8	0	PC
24	44	19	0	Clear
25	49	30	0	Clear
26	49	36	0	Clear
27	45	35	0	Clear
28	60	39	0	Clear
29	59	38	0	Clear
30	40	27	0	Clear
31	61	29	0	Clear
Mean	40	15	28	

NOTE: "T" indicates trace of precipitation; "-" below zero; "PC" partly cloudy.

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THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

I. M. RICE EDITOR
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No discount I. M. Rice, Agent.

Weather Data.

The following data, covering a period of 16 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 of the weather conditions for the coming month.

February.
TEMPERATURE.
Mean or normal 20°
The warmest month was that of 1896 with an average of 32°
The coldest month was that of 1899 with an average of 9°
The highest was 68° on 27, 1895
The lowest was -37° on 24, 1899

PRECIPITATION.
Average for month 0.60 inches.
Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more 7
The greatest monthly precipitation was 1.52 inches in 1891.
The least monthly precipitation was 0.15 inches in 1889.
The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 0.38 inches on 18, 1901.
The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 9.0 inches on 18, 1901

CLOUDS AND WEATHER
Average number of clear days, 12; 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 4, 1889

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A MATTER OF HEALTH



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Sparks Quills.
Chas. Lower and Tom Hudson were in Sparks Sunday.

Wm. Graddy was enroute to town Friday and returned next day.

Mr. Laules was on the road home from Valentine Tuesday through the snow.

Ed Allen seems to be extremely happy nowadays. I wonder why?—Kewanee Critic.

Frank Thompson, John Jacquins and Wm. Grooms went to town Monday with oats.

Mr. Brinda's little boy Leo has been very low with typhoid fever. His brother is improving.

Mr. Campbell and Thompson of Norden were on the road to town the latter part of last week.

A little more of that good old fashioned winter put in its appearance at Sparks Tuesday morning.

A number of Sparks people took a car load of hogs to Valentine Saturday and shipped them to Omaha.

Ray Sharp passed through here Monday morning for home. Well Ray that's all right, it's a long ways to go, so stay a long time.

Several in this locality are improving their homes by putting in telephones and we hear there will be several more in the near future.

Mr. Swain thought he was going to do a land office business trapping coyotes but he notice his victims so far are only saucy magpies.—Kewanee Critic.

We hear the Red Front has ordered a new supply, knowing there was a vast vacancy for said articles. The Kewanee neighborhood—Look out for Mr. Dan.

Colonist Low One-way Second Class Rates
To San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Boise City, Spokane, Walla Walla, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Butte and other points in Montana, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, and the Pacific Coast,
Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-western Line, February 15th to April 7, 1905, inclusive. Attractive side trips at very low rates. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman Tourist sleeping cars, only \$7.00 for double berth from Chicago (accommodating two people), through to the Pacific Coast without change of cars. Choice of routes. Excellent train service. Dining cars, (meals a la carte). For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-western Ry. 3-9

Very Low Excursion Rates to Louisville, Ky.,
Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold March 15 to 18, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account American Bowling Congress. Apply to agents Chicago & North-western Ry. 5-5

Catholic Church Announcement.
On Sunday next, mass will be said here at 10:30 a. m.
Catechism class at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Porcupine.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Creditors.
THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss In the County Court. CHERRY COUNTY.
In the matter of the estate of Rosa Mone, 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 3rd day of March, 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 3rd day of March, A. D. 1905, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 3rd day of March, 1905.
Witness my hand and seal of said county court this 6th day of February, A. D. 1905.
W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Sheriff's Sale.
By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska, under a decree of foreclosure of tax lien wherein the Bank of Moor v. Incorporated, is plaintiff and Zeila C. Hodget is defendant, I will sell at the front door of the court house in Valentine, Cherry county, Nebraska, that being the building wherein the last term of said court was held, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. to satisfy a judgment of \$123.10 and interest at 7 per cent from date of judgment, November 20, 1903, and costs taxed at \$37.30 and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section 21, township 33, range 26, in Cherry county, Nebraska.
Dated this 12th day of January, 1905.
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Walcott & Morrissey, Attys. for P.H.

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Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.
In the County Court of Cherry County Nebraska.
STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss COUNTY OF CHERRY.
To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Jennie E. Barnes, deceased: On reading the petition of Andrew J. Barnes, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Edward Satterlee, as 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 for said county, on the 17th day of February, 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 thereon is 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.
WITNESS my hand and the seal of said county court this 4th day of January, A. D. 1905.
W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.
THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, COUNTY OF CHERRY.
To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Adella K. Pettiverew, deceased: On reading the petition of William A. Pettiverew praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 3rd day of February, 1905.
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 3rd day of March, 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 thereon is 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.
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Meeting National Butter Makers' Association.
The occasion of the meeting of the National Butier Maker's Association, Chicago, February 9th to 25th, is to be accompanied with an interesting dairy show at the big Coliseum. The show will include exhibits of dairy machinery and dairy products of every description.
Everybody in the west is interested in this industry, either directly or indirectly. For the benefit of those who desire to attend, the Chicago & Northwestern Railway announces special low rates February 15th to 22d, inclusive, concerning which full particulars can be had on application to ticket agents. 4-2

ALONZO HEATH
Postoffice address
Cody, Nebraska
On left side, Horses left shoulder.
Range north of Cutcomb Lake

Garner Brothers.
Cody, Nebr.
Anywhere on cattle.
Horses on left shoulder.
Range—North of all.

F. T. Brackett
Riego, Nebr.
Brand Registered No 1489
Brand right side of hip
Horses same on right shoulder
Range, Niobrara 8 miles south of Riego.

Sawyer Bros.
Postoffice address, Oasis, Nebr.
G. K. Sawyer has charge of these cattle Horses DS on left shoulder. Some stock is also on left thigh. Range on Snake river

Roan Brothers
Woodlake Neb
John Roan's private mark, slit in left ear.

Nebraska Land and Feeding Co.
Bartlett Richards Pres Will G Comstock, V. P.
Chas G Jamison Secy
Cattle branded on any part of animal; also the following brands:
Horses branded the same
Range between Gordon and Ft. Val, & M. V. R. R. in Northwestern Nebraska. Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS, Blisworth, Nebraska.

R M Faddis & Co.
Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy.
Some branded on left thigh
Horses on left shoulder or thigh
Some on left thigh or shoulder.

WILLIAM BEAMER
Gordon, Nebr.
Cattle branded same as cut on left side. Horses branded on right shoulder.
Range—8 miles south of Irwin.

P. H. Young.
Simeon, Nebr.
Cattle branded as cut on left side
Some on left side
Horses on left jaw of V horses.

C. P. Jordan.
Rosebud, SD
Horses and cattle same as cut; also CH B K J 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.

TINE TABLE
Great Northern Line
at O'Neill, Nebr.
Going East, Arrives 10:10 a. m.
Going West, 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 for Sioux Falls, Minneapolis, St. Paul and all points north and west. For local tickets to O'Neill.
FRED ROGERS, G. P. A.
Sioux City, Iowa.

WANTED: District Managers to post signs, advertise and distribute samples. Salary \$18.00 weekly, \$3.00 per day for expenses. State age and present employment. IDEAL SHEAR CO., 39 Randolph St., Chicago. 52

Low Rates to Nashville Tenn
Via the North-western Line, for tickets to be sold Feb. 25, 26 and 27 with favorable return limits, on account of Quadrennial Convention Student Volunteer Movement for Foreign Missions. Choice of routes from Chicago. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry. 3-4

Jessie Goodtellow.
Cody, Nebr.
Cattle branded on left side. Horses JG on left jaw.
Range—Between the Niobrara and Medicine Lake.

N. S. Rowley
Nebraska.
Same as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also on left side of hip and hip.
F+ on left side.
Some cattle branded with bushing per (either side up) on left side or hip. F on left jaw and left shoulder of horses.
N on left jaw of horses.

C. 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

J P GARDINER
Postoffice address
Cody, Nebraska
On left side of cattle; Horses O right arm
Range, north and south of Niobrara river, 12-miles south east of Cody

George Heyne
Cody, Neb
Brand registered No 1027
Horses branded on left shoulder
Range north and south of Cutcomb Lake in Cherry Co

Albert Whipple & Sons
Rosebud, S. D.
Cattle branded SOS on right side OSO on left side Some cattle also have a + on neck Some with A on left shoulder and some branded with two bars across hind quarters. Some Texas cattle branded SO on left side and some on right side.
Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

SWEENEY BROS.
Postoffice address, King, Neb
Cattle branded as on cut; horses branded same as cattle except reversed S
Some branded as—Stevens
Hank and Stephenson Lakes and South

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 346 on right side. Horse brand, rake and 16 on left shoulder or hip. Z on left jaw
Home ranch—on Dewey Lake. Range on Niobrara River, east of Fort Niobrara; all in Cherry County, Nebraska.

A T DAVIS
Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb
On right side Horses on left shoulder
also cattle on right side
Range 18 miles north of Hyannis

Saady Williams.
Merriman, Nebr.
Mostly on left side. Some on right side.
Horses same on left shoulder.
Range—Lake Creek, S. D.

C. H. Little.
Merriman, Nebr.
On either side Horses same on hip. Also S
Range—Lake Creek S D

G.H. Seager.
Postoffice address
Cody, Nebraska
Cattle branded as cut on left side, hip and shoulder; horses same
Range, Snake Creek

Pat Peiper
Simeon Nebr.
U O

F. W. Jergis
Valentine, Nebr.
Cattle branded as shown in cut on left side, loin or hip.
Range between the Gordon and Snake outh of the Niobrara river

G. W. BEAMER
Gordon, Nebr.
Cattle branded on left side as in cut, 8-inch ear and 2½-inch circle Brand registered 876.
Horses branded left shoulder.
Registered 876. Range—6 miles south Irwin on Niobrara river.

Robert Quisenberry
Postoffice address Simeon, Nebr.
Y cattle.
Horses same on right shoulder.
Range on Snake River.

FRANK MOBLE
Postoffice address
Cody, Nebraska
On either side cattle herdmark—left ear clipped and right ear split; horses O angled same on left shoulder
Range on Niobrara and Medicine Canyon

D. Stinard.
Valentine, Nebr.
State Brand registered 1554.
Cattle and horses branded same as cut on left hip.
Range—2 miles east of Ft. Niobrara.

Parmelee Cattle Co.
Rosebud, S. D.
Cattle branded as cut on left side with stripe under tail.
Horses branded left thigh.
Range on Soldier creek.

Metzger Bros.,
Roif Neb
Cattle branded anywhere on left side.
Earmark, square crop right ear Horses have same brand on left thigh.
Range on Gordon and Snake Creeks.
A Reward of \$250 will be paid to any person for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons stealing cattle with above brand.

Jos. Bristol
Valentine, Nebr.
Range on Niobrara river four miles east of Ft. Niobrara.
Horses and cattle branded as B connected on left hip or side as shown in cut.

H A BUCK
Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb
Branded on left side Range eighteen miles north of Hyannis

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 ft side as shown in cut.
Range—South of Sparks on Niobrara river.

C. E. Wright.
Valentine, Nebr. Brand registered No. 574.
Branded anywhere on right side.

D. M. Sears.
Kennedy, Nebr.
Cattle branded as on cut, left side same on left hip.
Horses same on left shoulder.
Range—Square Lake.

A. Benson.
Address—Arabia Nebraska.
Range—North of Niobrara river.

J. B. Lord
Simeon Neb
Stock branded same as cut back right shoulder and on right hip
Range on the Niobrara