Metzger Bros.,

Pullman Neb
Cherry Co.
Brand on left side and thigh
Earmark, square crop right ear
Southern branded cattle have but one "half-diamond E" on left side
Native cattle have throat wattle
Range on Gordon and Snake Creeks
Horses have same brand on left thigh

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

P S ROUSCHE

Postoffice address
Brownlee, Neb
On left side or any part of animal. Earmark—right ear cut off; horses branded same on left hip. Also has stock branded H on side or shoulder, or JK or W or O VL or O or FZ. Also the following, the first one being on side and hip

LEE AND SONS

Postoffice address
Brownlee Neb
On right side, or LE on same side also LEE on left side
Range, north of Brownlee, 2 to 4 miles

GEO HIGGINS

Postoffice address
Brownlee, Neb
Branded on left side; some H left side and thigh—and on left thigh
Range—Duck Lake

JOHN J STEEN

Postoffice address
Brownlee Neb
On right side
Range, Horse Valley

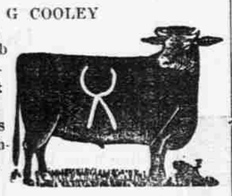
CLARENCE K SMITH

Postoffice address
Whitman, Neb
On left side; horses same on left shoulder KC on left side PL anywhere on animal. On hip or thigh
Range north prong Middle Loup river and Buffalo Lake

GUSTAVE WENDLER

Postoffice address
Brownlee Neb
Acorn just back of left shoulder blade
Horses same on left shoulder
Range east of Beaver Lake

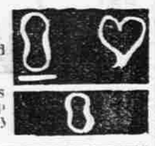
J G COOLEY



Postoffice address
Hyannis, Neb
on right side; horses same on right shoulder
Range—six miles northwest of Mother Lake precinct

A J PLUMER

Postoffice address
Hyannis, Neb
Branded on right side and hip



Also have stock branded on right side and hip
Horses on right hip
Range—Southwestern Cherry County.

W E STANSBIE AND D O BAUGH

Postoffice address
Hyannis, Neb
On left hip and left side Also on left hip and left side horses same brands on shoulders
Range 22-miles north of Hyannis

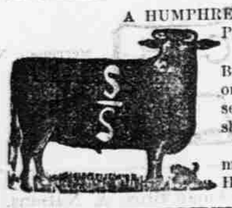
MASON COMPANY

Postoffice address
Hyannis, Neb
On right hip; TL either side
On right side left hip horses right shoulder
Range—seven miles north of Hyannis.

SWEENEY BROS.

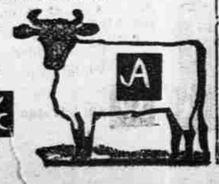
Postoffice address
Pullman, Neb
Cattle branded as on cut; horses branded same as cattle except reversed S. See block
Range—Stevens and Stephenson Lakes and South

A HUMPHREY



Postoffice address
Hyannis, Neb
Branded anywhere on right side; horses same on left shoulder
Range -- sixteen miles northeast of Hyann

J. A. Adamson.



Valentine, Neb
On left side or hip
A4 left side or hip
On left side
Range on Niobrara

CHAMBERLAIN & CO

Postoffice address
Brownlee, Neb
Branded on either side same as on cut also — both jaws

Marshall & Wolfenden

Kennedy, Neb.
Some ⊞ on the left hip
Horses ⊞ on left shoulder
Brand is small
Earmark: Quarter clip behind, half circle forward on left ear
Range Lone Tree Lake

Sam Hudson

Simeon Neb
Left hip on cattle
Left shoulder on horses
Some horses Lazy H on left shoulder
Range between Gordon and Snake River and Niobrara River
Left ears tagged All cattle dehorned

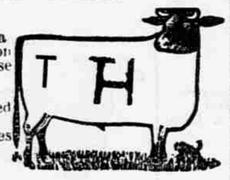
William M. Dunbar
Lessee from Heine & Kroeger

Cody, Neb
DU⊓ Either side
Also ⊞ below on right
Left ear of cattle split
Range head of Hay Creek

Amelia Young.

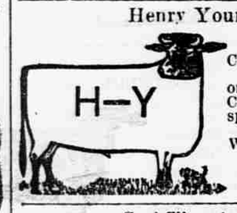
Cody, Nebraska
On right side.
Right ear split
Range, Little White river

Peder Thorsen.



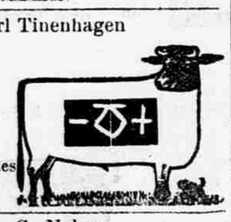
Gordon, Nebraska
On right side; T on right hip. Horse brand and T on right shoulder
Also cattle branded L S on left side
Range, fowl miles south of Irwin

Henry Young,



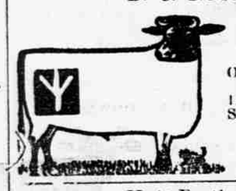
Cody, Nebraska
Horse brand HY on left shoulder
Cattle, right ear split
Range, Little White river, S. D.

Carl Tinenhagen



Gordon Neb
Also ⊠ on left side
Range 10 miles north and 6 miles east of Gordon

D. C. Nelson.



Cody, Nebraska.
On right hip.
Range, Medicine Lake to the Snake river

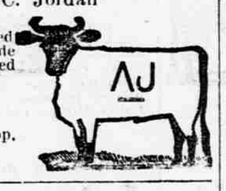
Hutt Brothers.

Gordon, Nebraska
Range, 14 miles north of Gordon.

F. C. Duerfeldt, Manager.

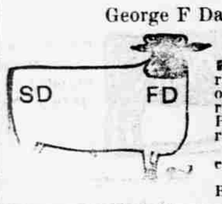
Gordon, Nebraska
Cattle also branded 90 on right hip
Horses and mules branded same as cut on left shoulder

J. C. Jordan



Gordon, Nebraska
One bunch branded as on cut on left side
One bunch branded C L on left hip
Horses J on left shoulder —
Range, 10 miles southwest of Gallop, between Niobrara and Snake rivers

George F Damon

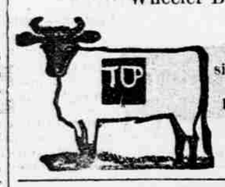


Albany, Neb
Cattle branded FD on left ribs or right shoulder; SD on right hip and left ribs; 6 on left hip
Horses FD or SD on right shoulder
Range 7 mi north east of Albany Neb
Agent for Pasteur Black Leg Vaccine

Joseph Fickel

Gordon Neb
Also ◇ on left hip
Horse brand F on left shoulder
Range 10 miles northeast of Gordon

Wheeler Bros.



Cody Neb
Also —B— on right side
Range Chamberlain Flats and Snake River

Marquardt & Bowlus
OTTO STRUBE, Manager.

Merriman, Neb
Cattle brand OM on left shoulder. Some of cattle have various older brands. O S on left hip. Horse bra'd A on left shoulder.
Range—Formerly Geo W Monnier ranch 5-miles east of Merriman, from F.E. & M. V. R. R. south to Leander Creek. Marquardt & Bowlus, Scribner, Nebraska.

P. Sullivan retires today from the board of county commissioners, honored and respected by all.

For six years he has been a member of the county board, having been nominated and elected by democrats in a three cornered fight. During that time he has made scores of warm friends by his honest, conscientious work for the county, and not a few cordial enemies from the same cause. Always true to his friends he was still truer to his convictions of right, and never allowed personal matters to stand between him and his duty to the people.

When Commissioner Sullivan first took his seat he found the county floundering in a confusion of debts, but he soon inaugurated a financial policy which has slowly but surely raised the credit of Cherry county until it stands well up toward the head of the list in this state. At the close of his first term he was prevailed upon to run again, and was elected against strong opposition. His policy of economy and business principles was continued despite the roar of tax-dodgers and had he wished it is probable he would have received the nomination again this year.

From first to last he has worked for a court house for Cherry county, and most of his enemies were made by this course of his. To him more than any other one man is due the victory of last fall, and his only regret at leaving his office now arises from the fact that he will not be on the board to in a measure oversee the construction of the building.

None but good words are heard for the retiring commissioner, friends and foes alike giving him credit for having the courage of his convictions. Would that all officers could retire with as good a record.

N. H. Nye, a feeder and shipper of Pender, brought in a car of cattle of his own feeding that sold for a very satisfactory price. Mr. Nye has been over a considerable part of Wayne, Thurston and Cuming counties within a recent date and finds that there are far less cattle fattening this year than last. It is quite true, however, that the number of head is likely equal to or even greater than last year but the vast part of the holdings are young animals that are being roughed through the winter to be either sold to the feeding trade next season or go into the feed lots later on. In his opinion the outlook for decent prices on fat cattle for some time to come are most flattering and he thinks that those who are in the business this year will reap a reasonable compensation for their labors. The season to date has been dry and cold nearly all the season, the condition most desired for putting on flesh. High priced stock cattle a year ago and corresponding low figures on the finished product following, caused the small feeders to drop out this season and sell out their crops rather than run the risk of fattening cattle for market. On the other hand the supply of hogs seems to be rather larger than usual especially in Wayne and Cuming counties, while in Thurston county, as near as Mr. Nye is able to judge, the number is just about as large as last year. They raised a good crop of corn in that section the past year, but about twenty per cent of it is yet in the fields. Rough feed of all kinds is plentiful and stock of all kinds will be well supplied throughout the winter.—Drovers' Journal.

Judge We[illegible] O'Neill, on [illegible] purpose of meeting [illegible] fixing the terms of court for the several counties, for the year 1899. The schedule handed to us by the judge, on his return, Wednesday, is as follows:

Holt, March 3, and November 10.
Boyd, June 6, and October 3
Rock, March 28, and December 4.
Brown, March 27, and November 20
Keya Paha [illegible] 2 and September 9
Cherry, April 10, and November 27
Sheridan [illegible] 9 and December 11
Dawes, April 24, and December [illegible]
Box Butte, February [illegible], and [illegible] 18
Sioux, May 22, and September 19

The division of counties was [illegible] that Judge Westover will hold the terms in Boyd, Brown, Dawes, Box Butte and Sioux leaving Judge Kinkaid the others.—Rushville Standard.

Philip Pullman is renewing acquaintance with his family who reside in Alliance. He will return to the ranch after the holidays.

Mr. Yaryan and wife have returned to their home after a brief sojourn in Iowa visiting friends and relatives.

James Harnan was a visitor in Pullman Christmas, being on his way to Whitman to enjoy the holidays, which he says is a "hot" town, and Jim knows.

G. M. Chrisner of Crete, Nebraska, has been very successful in organizing a lodge of Modern Woodmen in this section; twenty-four members having been examined by Dr. Bradley and initiated into the mysteries of the order. The examination and initiation were conducted at the home of Philip Pullman.—Pullman Correspondent, Whitman Sun.

VALENTINE, Neb., Jan. 3, '99.

Board met as per adjournment. Present, P. Sullivan, chairman, and T. P. Spratt.

On motion the clerk was ordered to write refunding order in favor of F. R. Yanish, same having been paid after hold-out was made.

On Motion the following official bonds were approved:

C W Goodrich, constable, Ell precinct
F R Yanish, road overseer, Dist No 9
Frank McGee " " Dist No 16
I N Russell, assessor, Gillaspie precinct
William D Clarkson road overseer Dist No 25
William Foster " Dist No 2
H A Daniels, assessor, Dewey Lake precinct
L N Layporte, constable, Valentine precinct
Geo Sheik, constable, Pleasant Hill precinct
Ed Ormesher, assessor, Schlagel precinct
C. W. Wright, assessor, Pleasant Hill precinct
F. G Reese, road overseer, Dist No 26
Rollin Hatchett, road overseer, Dist No 28
Charles Burnes " Dist No 53
Ira Johnson, assessor, Lavaca precinct
Jacob Martin, road overseer, Dist No 21
M. P. Brosius " Dist No 4
Joseph Jackson, assessor, Boiling Springs pre
D O Bough " Buffalo Lake precinct
S M Woodward " Irwin precinct
A B Overman, justice, Minnechaduza precinct
Peter Swearinger, road overseer, Dist No 1
R F Pettyerew " Dist No 3
J H Skirving, assessor, Loup precinct
R N Bruce, assessor, Wood Lake precinct
A M Morrissey, county attorney.
A C Salmon, assessor, Table precinct
J A Dennison, road overseer, Dist No 8

On motion the official bonds of J L Roseberry as justice and assessor, Buffalo Lake precinct, were rejected for reason the oath of office had not been signed.

G H Folsom, road overseer, Dist. No 10
G N Davis, assessor, Cleveland precinct
J M Clarkson, assessor, Valentine precinct
Charles Hoffman " Georgia precinct
Etta Brown, county superintendent
A K Ruskie, road overseer, Dist No 52
C F Long, assessor, Steen precinct
John Sheibourn, assessor, Kewanee precinct.
A J Wallingford, assessor, Kennedy precinct
William A Davis, justice, Georgia precinct
E E Crane, assessor, Ell precinct
A J Barnes, road overseer, Dist No 17
Albert Nenzel, road overseer, Dist No 6
Ed Satterlee, assessor, Neuzel precinct
J R Lee, road overseer, Dist No 43
Frank T Lee, constable, Loup precinct
O D Carey, assessor, Minnechaduza precinct
Henry F Barker, assessor, Sparks precinct
Alfred Lewis, county coroner
P W Praden, assessor, Merriman precinct
Henry Porath, assess, German precinct
Francis McDermott, road overseer, Dist No 5

On motion the official bond of Hiram McNamee as road overseer was rejected for reason that he did not sign the oath of office.

Whereupon the board adjourned to January 4.

Everybody is supposed to swear off some of his badhabits on New Year's day, and the high mucky muck and great jeebeb of this paper decided that he would join the crowd this year. But great smoke, when he tried to find faults in himself, he couldn't do it. Curious, isn't it? But he was resolved to resolve something and here is his production, which is submitted to a discriminating public with the hope that it will meet their approval:

Filled with a desire to benefit myself and fellow citizens I hereby resolve that during the year 1899 I will strive to make my paper better than ever; that I will support none but good men for office; that I will give every subscription account over two years old to attorneys or collectors, unless provision for its payment has been made. I won't drink nor use profane language; I will not refuse to take a dollar for a year's subscription.

E. M. Bartlett, the editor of the Omaha Penny Press, was in town the past week working up an interest in the Nebraska Retail Dealers Association, which organization is working against the department store evil.

The United Workmen and Degree of Honor held an installation of officers last evening, and at the supper furnished by J. A. Hooton over 90 people were fed.

The Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors will hold a joint installation of officers at Cornell Hall next Wednesday night, followed by supper at the Donohey.

The odd-fellows have installation of officers tonight, assisted by G. A. Smith of Longpine.

Jones & Duan make tanks. Notice their ad in another column and write to them about it.

The Legislature.

The session of the legislature will be one of the most exciting held for years. The contest for United States senator will be a warm one. Nationally there is more to interest our citizens than at any time since the great civil war. Every man who thinks for himself and wants his boys and girls to do the same should have such a paper as the Semi-Weekly State Journal in his family. That greatest of great western papers, published at the state capital, is more in touch with the great masses of the people and the questions of the hour than any of its contemporaries. It is the true and able exponent of western thought and enterprise. Its facilities for furnishing legislative news surpasses all other papers. It is located on the ground and no matter what paper you take at other times, during the legislature you should read the Journal. Twice a week, it only costs $1.00. Send $1.00 to the State Journal, Lincoln, Neb., and you will never regret it.

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Dr. Lewis has just received a supply of fresh vaccine virus.

N. E. Gardner, of Norden, has been elected assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk of the senate.

F. R. Stowers and Nora Wiltse, both of the table, were married yesterday, Rev. Holsclaw performing the ceremony.

Carpenter & Rice's Price List.

33 pounds of Beans for	$1 00
33 pounds of Oat Meal for	1 00
20 pounds of Prunes for	1 00
20 pounds of Raisins for	1 00
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Notice to Creditors

In county court, within and for Cherry county, Nebraska.
In the matter of the estate of Mary Sedlacek, 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, 1899, at nine 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 two months, from the 14th day of November A. D. 1898, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 14th day of November, 1898.
Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 28th day of December, 1898.
W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Strayed or Stolen.

Several head of horses and cattle, branded ⊠
Amos Strong, Valentine, Neb.

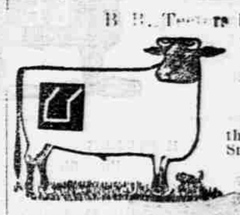
Estray Notice.

Taken up October 8, 1898, ten miles south of Cody, Nebraska, one white cow branded — on left side and one red calf with no brand. Taken up by GEORGE BARNES

Taken Up.

At my place near Wood Lake, one two-year old steer, of Hereford stock, branded O I L on both hips, and X on left side just back of fore leg. Owner is requested to remove said steer or it will be sold according to law.
45 PAUL KENNICOTT.

B. B. Tessera Bros.



Newport, Neb.
Horses same on left shoulder
Range between the Gordon and the Snake

Gorsuch Bros.

Newton, Nebraska
Cattle branded as on cut
Some on left side of hip
Range on Gordon Creek

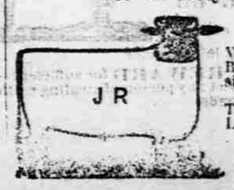
I T Richardson.

Kennedy, Nebraska
Some on left hip
Horses on left shoulder

Stotts & Stetler.

Cody, Nebraska
Branded on left side
Range Timber Lake and Morgan Flats

R. A. McQuade.



Valentine, Neb
Branded on either side
Range between Thacher and Swan Lake