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Our stock of Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Clothing and Gents Furnishings has been replenished throughout and we now have some of the best values ever offered for the money.

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### HERE ARE TWO BARGAINS

10 quart Dishpan, 8 qt Pail, Wash Basin, Quart Measure, graduated, Flour Sifter, 2 qt Pail, Quart Dipper, Soup Ladle, Potato Masher Large Cake Mould and a Pint Tincup, all best quality of tin

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10 quart Dishpan, 2 quart Padding Pan, Wash Basin, Pint Drinking Cup, Quart Dipper, Soup Ladle, Basting Spoon, Grater, and a 2 quart Covered Pail, all made of the finest Enamelled Ware,

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VALENTINE, NEBRASKA

## WESTERN NEWS-DEMOCRAT

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### Coming Events.

Saint Patrick's Day, March 17.  
K. P. Masquerade carnival, March 17.  
County Commissioners—March 21  
Assessor's Meeting—March 21  
Easter, April 2.  
Nillage Election, April 4.  
District Court April 10.

New spring shirt waists at T. C.  
Hornby's. 9

White Ash Soap at Farnham &  
Dikeman's. 3-2

A full line of feed always on hand  
at Pettvcrew's.

Frank E. Witt was in town from  
Brownlee Saturday.

T. C. Hornby has a fine line of new  
styles in men's shirts. 9

New York apple butter for sale at  
Farnham & Dikeman's. 3-2

Sadie Dewey, of Woodlake, visited  
in town a few days last week.

C. L. Dotson, of Hay Springs, was  
in town on business, Tuesday.

Notice Iva Efner's advertisement  
of millinery opening the 25th.

D. Stinard is closing out all his  
heavy goods—suits, overcoats, etc.

The Presbyterian parsonage will be  
built as soon as the weather permits.

Work on the Atkinson & Northern  
railway was commenced last Thurs-  
day.

W. F. Morgareidre and John Lord,  
stockmen of Simeon, are in town to-  
day.

U. G. Dunn built a 65 barrel tank  
this week for D. D. Dunn of the north  
table.

D. C. Nelson fell while going to his  
store at Cody last Friday, and broke  
his arm.

Call and examine T. C. Hornby's  
large dry goods stock. No trouble to  
show goods. 9

Wanted—1,000 bushels of shelled  
corn and 500 bushels of oats at W. A.  
Pettvcrew's. 48

E. J. DeBell, of Rosebud, is receiv-  
ing about 35,000 pounds of merchan-  
dise this week.

Rev. Sloan will preach in the Pres-  
byterian church one week from Sun-  
day, March 25.

W. T. Kincaid returned from Hot  
Springs Tuesday morning, much im-  
proved in health.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All  
druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.  
The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Archie Carpenter and sisters Maud  
and Mattie, of Johnston, were in  
town Saturday on land-office business.

For sale, or will trade for cattle, a  
desirable house and lot in the west-  
ern part of Valentine. Apply at this  
office. 4-6

Miss Iva Efner returned Monday  
night from Omaha where she had  
been buying her spring millinery  
stock.

Wm. and Dave Steadman are in  
town from their place near Pass.  
They report cattle in first-rate con-  
dition.

C. F. Cooper, of Oasis, was in town  
the first of the week. Charley is one  
of those jolly good souls one always  
likes to meet.

L. L. Trogdon and I. B. Nichols, of  
Lavaca, were in town Saturday. The  
last named made final proof on his  
timber claim.

J. H. Quigley last week closed a  
deal between Jas. Pettvcrew and  
Heine & Kroeger, of Hooper, for 69  
head of cattle.

Mrs. A. B. Bruner, of West Point,  
was in town Tuesday morning on her  
way to Rosebud to visit her daughter,  
Mrs. E. J. DeBell.

Born, Sunday morning, to I. C.  
Stotts and wife at Cody, a bouncing  
baby boy, democratic in principles,  
Dr. Compton attending.

The mortgage record for February  
shows one farm mortgage for \$400  
filed and one for \$300 satisfied; one  
town mortgage for \$350 was filed.  
Chattel mortgages to the number of  
54 for \$26,740 were filed, and 26 for  
\$22,537 were released.

John G. Wooley, the noted prohibi-  
tion orator, lectured to a large  
audience at the M. E. church last  
night. His talk was eloquent and all  
his points were good. He scored the  
professing christian who voted the  
old party tickets rather vigorously.  
Owing to lack of space we are not  
able to report his talk more fully.

Clothing at the lowest prices at T.  
C. Hornby's.

A first-class saddle horse for sale.—  
Farnham & Dikeman.

A farm to rent to a farmer for one  
or three years, cash or grain rent.  
Call at this office for particulars.

Best insurance in the state at half  
the usual cost on your houses, barns,  
grain, hay or stock. I. M. Rice, Agt.

I. B. Nichols, of Cody, was in town  
Saturday proving up on a piece of  
land; Frank Devine and L. L. Trog-  
don accompanied him as witnesses.

Agent McChesney and a squad of  
Indian police came over from Rose-  
bud Sunday and took home with them  
some \$20,000 or \$30,000 of Uncle Sam's  
money.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whittecar are  
the proud parents of a little daughter  
born Friday, March 3, 1899. Mother  
and child doing nicely.—Ainsworth  
Home Rule.

Valentine has a coal famine on ac-  
count of the blockade on the Chey-  
enne Northern over which no freight  
has passed for thirty days. Fischer &  
Ludwig have had coal on the road  
since February 4th.

A dispatch from Norfolk to the  
World-Herald, March 10, says: The  
store of John Steinbrecker was en-  
tered last night and about 150 pairs  
of shoes stolen. Entrance was effect-  
ed through the front doors by means  
of a key. No arrests have yet been  
made.

There has been some disconnection  
of the county treasurer's office lately;  
several parties paying their taxes on  
the 4th and receiving notices dated  
the 10th that they would be distressed  
unless they came forward and paid  
up. Let us have better connection  
at the central office.

Mrs. B. B. Davis was operated upon  
Tuesday for a complaint of long  
standing. The operation was a most  
delicate one but it was successfully  
accomplished and her many friends  
will be pleased to learn that she is  
improving rapidly and will leave the  
hospital in about a week.—Chadron  
Journal.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs.  
Downing formerly residents of this  
place have each received, through  
the death of relatives, a sum of mon-  
ey amounting to several thousand  
dollars, and that they will return to  
Ainsworth—the best place on earth—  
to invest their wealth in property.—  
Ainsworth Star-Journal.

Albert Metzger, Newton, was in  
town last Friday transacting busi-  
ness, principally at the land office.  
Metzger Bros. are continually adding  
to their already large ranch, and Al.  
was having records made while here  
for more "lieu lands" they had  
bought. Will Metzger is still in the  
eastern part of the state looking  
after the affairs of his father, who  
died a few weeks ago.

People are becoming decidedly  
tired of hearing men blowing about  
how they are "going to lick" some-  
one. We chased around two hours the  
other day expecting to see a scrap  
between two men who were talking  
fight, and then didn't get an item. It  
isn't right to keep the editor in sus-  
pense, and the next time we hear two  
fellows bluffing we hope the marshal  
will either arrest them or make 'em  
fight.

Col. A. L. Towle, receiver of the  
Valentine land-office, was in the city  
Tuesday making his O'Neill friends  
by the hand and reviewing reminis-  
cences of days ago when he with  
Gene Cress, John Golden, Lew Shan-  
ner and Judge Gillespie used to philo-  
sophise together on religion, politics  
and human nature, quote poetry and  
play whist. The colonel is as plain  
and portly as ever, has lost none of  
his sociability, and his repertoire of  
stories is full and complete. He is  
ever welcome to O'Neill.—Independent

It appears from the Whitman Sun  
that County Attorney Morrissey, of  
Cherry county, an old Chadron boy, is  
pursuing a conservative policy in his  
official capacity which is bound to  
win admiration for him from his con-  
stituents. Like conditions as are  
mentioned in this connection confront  
every county attorney and he is a  
wise one who uses his own judgment  
and throws cold water on the at-  
tempts of meddlesome parties to seek  
revenge on their enemies through the  
means of the county attorney.—Chad-  
ron Journal (rep.)

E. E. Humphreys, of the Hay  
Springs Leader, was in town Monday  
and purchased a news press of this  
office. Bro. Humphreys had not been  
in Valentine since June 1897, and was  
very much surprised at the progress  
our town had made in that time. He  
is one of the newspaper b'hoys we  
are always glad to see, even if he  
does snore in his sleep, and stay out  
until four o'clock a. m., when away  
from home. But say, didn't we re-  
solve to fix Burleigh and Miles next  
June when we meet in Ainsworth.  
The newspaper man who misses the  
next meeting of the E. V. E. A. will  
miss one of the opportunities of a life  
time.

## ALL THAT'S NEW

## ALL THAT'S GOOD

x x x

It always our motto when  
selecting our goods and we  
faithfully adhered to that  
motto when selecting the  
stock we are now present-  
ing for sale

## DAVENPORT & THACHER

GENERAL MERCHANTS

### CLOSING - OUT - SALE!

All our Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats and Fur Coats, in men's boys' and children's, go at a sacrifice. Our spring stock will soon be on hand and we must have room.

Our prices on Boots and Shoes are lower than anybody's, quality and fit considered, and we have all styles and sizes. Practical Tailoring in all its branches.

## D. Stinard, Clothier.

## Wide Tire Wagons

Are acknowledged to be the best and to meet the growing demand I ordered and

### HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CAR LOAD

In addition to this I have just received a car of  
"WIND MOTOR" WIND MILLS

Which I am selling very cheaply  
Try me before buying anything in my line elsewhere

Valentine, Nebraska **D. S. Ludwig**

## GRAND SPRING MILLINERY OPENING

Saturday, March 25

Sailors and Walking Hats in the newest shapes, and a splendid line of  
PATTERN HATS the latest in STYLE AND EFFECT

Will be shown

## I. L. EFNER

We will be  
Pleased to see you

A Chance For Trouble.  
There is blood on the moon at or  
near Pullman. A correspondent of  
the Whitman Sun named "Toodler,"  
says of the Pullman correspondent  
who styles himself "Meddler":  
"He will probably get a chance to  
put up a talk for himself before  
many moons and will eventually  
bring up where he belongs, and it  
will not be in a place where they al-  
low a man to wear his hair "a la"  
Wild William style; where he will be  
compelled to wear a suit of a differ-  
ent cut and color than the one he  
wore when he was admitted to the  
bar of the state of Illinois."

This is equivalent to a challenge to  
mortal combat, and if "Meddler" and  
"Toodler" don't mix up with each  
other pretty soon it will be because  
each is afraid of the other.

Cherry County Live Stock Exchange.  
J. H. Quigley and G. A. Chapman  
have organized an institution which  
they call the Cherry County Live  
Stock Exchange, and solicit the patron-  
age of the ranchmen through the  
columns of this paper. Their busi-  
ness will be conducted somewhat on  
the lines of a real estate agency, the  
object being to furnish buyers to  
those who wish to sell stock, and sell-  
ers to those who wish to buy. Stock  
may be listed with them for sale,  
and if a sale is made they expect the  
small commission of 1 per cent. for  
their trouble. No fee if sale is not  
made. Likewise buyers can make  
their wants known to the firm, and  
they will try to secure such stock as  
is wanted. As it costs nothing to  
make your wants known, we would  
advise our patrons to patronize the  
firm.

W. H. Carter drove down from Cody  
and Sunday with his sister, Mrs.  
John Shore. He informed us that he  
disposed of two of his claims, one to  
Gunderson and the other to Anderson.

Five Pianos to Be Slaughtered.  
W. C. English, representing A.  
Hospe, the Omaha piano dealer, will  
be in Valentine April 3rd with a fine  
line of Pianos. Prices and terms will  
be made that will sell these goods.  
See him, for four days only, at Dono-  
her Hotel.

Mill Prices for Feed.  
Brn, bulk ..... 50c per cwt \$9.00 ton  
Shorts bulk ..... 60c per cwt \$11.00 ton  
Screenings ..... 40c " \$7.00 "  
Chop Feed ..... 70c " \$13.00 "  
Corn ..... 65c "  
Oats ..... \$1.00 "

Taken up Estrays.  
Taken up by the undersigned on his place  
twelve miles northwest of Valentine, about Octo-  
ber 1, one brown mare, weight about 1,000  
pounds, branded lay S on left hip and X on  
right hip, one bay mare 2 years old, branded  
half circle P C D. A. KELLOGG,  
Britt, Nebraska.

Strayed or Stolen.  
From my place, twelve miles northeast  
of Valentine, one black mare branded  
on left hip, one hind foot white, weight  
about 1,100. Reward for information  
MARTIN BECKER, Valentine, Neb.

Strayed or Stolen.  
One brown 4-yr old mare, weight about 900,  
right hind foot white, branded O on left shoul-  
der.  
One black mare 3-yr old with white spot in  
forehead; same brand. Address W. H. SELLERS,  
Gallop, Neb.

Strayed or Stolen.  
One white-faced heifer, coming two in  
the spring, branded C J on left side  
and M on left hip. Liberal reward is  
offered by Chris Jensen, Gallop, Neb.

Estray Notice.  
Taken up by the subscriber living twelve  
miles southwest of Cody on section 3, township  
23, range 35, one light gray mare 10 or 11 years  
old, weight about 700, no marks or brands to be  
seen. said mare came into my premises about  
the 15th of August, 1898, and has been to my  
premises continually since.  
WILLIAM MAYBEE.

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

Strayed  
From range on Snake River, three head of  
cattle, one branded J — O on left side; one two-  
year old branded — on left side; one yearling  
branded BH on right side and has left ear split.  
W. A. SHELBOURN, Kennedy, Neb.

O. W. MOREY  
THE VALENTINE  
WATCH-MAKER  
AND JEWELER  
Carries a full line of ster-  
ling silver novelties

A. A. WELLS J. B. WELLS  
WELLS BROS.  
DENTISTS!  
Office over  
Cherry County Bank

C. M. SAGESER,  
TONSORIAL  
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Hair cutting and shaving.  
HOT AND GOLD BATHS.

D. C. NELSON  
CODY, NEBR.  
Has recently started in business and  
offers bargains to all cash  
buyers of  
Groceries  
Corn  
Oats  
Clropped Feed  
Flour  
Salt  
Golden Wire, Soft and Hard  
Pine, Paints, Oils and all  
kinds of Ranchers' Supplies

AN  
ANIMAL  
REGULATOR  
PRATT'S FOOD  
For Horses and Cattle  
7 lb. box - - - 50c  
10 lb. bag - - - 75c  
AT  
Quigley's Drug Store  
We are Agents for  
Pastur's Blackleg Vaccine