

Valentine, Nebraska.

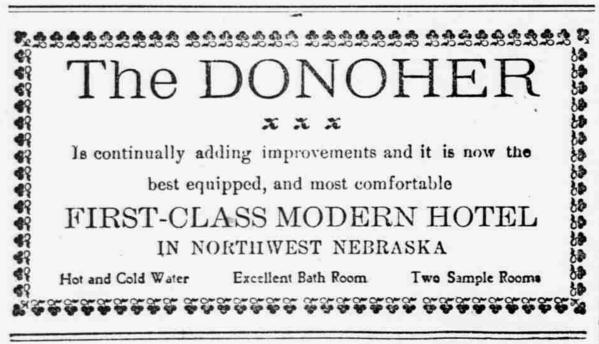
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will meet and place in nomination candidate for commissioner. It is recommended that the precinct caucuses be held at the usual voting place in each precinct Saturday afternoon, Sept. 16th, when not otherwise called by the precinct committeeman. Robert Good, W. R. Towne, Secretary Chairman

The populist county convention will be held in Valentine on September 23, for same purpose as enumerated above. and representation will be the same. J. S. Estabrook, G. P. Crabb, Secretary. Chairman

The populists of Valentine precinct will meet in the office of the county judge on the evening of Saturday, Septe nber 16, for the purpose of electing 9 delegates to attend the county convention and nominate candidates for precinct offices. U. G. Dunn, Com. For the purposes named above the democrats will meet at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Sept. 16. W. R. Towne

There is a great demand for all kinds of desirable feeding stock, but even people who have plenty of feed seem to feel a little slow about paying the prices asked for good ones. With the NOMINATE TWO JUDGES crops what they are and the demand for meat products what it is the man who waits for prices to get much lower may wait a long time.-Drovers Journal.

The president has gone into the live stock business. His specialty is goats -scapegoats. He has already secured two fine specimens, which he calls Eagan and Alger, and has turned them out to grass. He is negotiating for two more, equally as good. These are known as Otis and Griggs. All four of these goats have a long pedigree and are full of blood. They come from the same identical stock, being sired by Satan and damned by everybody. The business has not proved profitable so

The immediate future ought to be a prosperous one for range live stock of all kinds. Not only will there be a de-

and Sheridan did the same, whereupon

Alder was declared nominated, having You may bridle the appetite, but you received 27 votes. This disposed of can not bribe the liver to do its work Dickson and Morgan also, and Clarke well. You must be honest with it, dropped out also. Three more ballots help it along a little now and then with were taken, when Keva Paha divided a dose of HERBINE, the best liver its three votes and nominated Wood, regulator. Price 50 cents. J. H. the vote standing: Gilman 7, Fanning Quigley. 171, Wood 251.

Alder was then called for and neatly thanked the convention for the honor it had conferred upon him, and briefly a break while emptying a slop pail rehearsed his fife history. Wood came Monday evening and obtained his libforword and made a redhot political speech, and took occasion to compare started in pursuit of the fleeing pris-McKinley with Washington and Linoner, but he has not yet been appre coln. His talk forecasted his defeat. hended. Dickson then came forward and ate his dish of crow, followed in turn by Fanning, Gilman and Morgan. Clarke rein the issue of Sept. 1 of the Central fused to respond, and the love feast ended, the candidates and delegates getting away on freight trains as rapof Proof." The Central Law Journal idly as possible. Enthusiasm for the is the weekly law paper having the ticket was noticeable by its absence largest circulation in the United the most sanguine feeling that they had States, and the fact that the journal only a partial show for one place. accepted Mr. Bates' production and

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present from all councies in the dis trlct except Box Butte, Keya Paha and Rock, the temporary organiza tion was made permanent and the following resolutions adopted: "We, the peoples independent par-

ty of the 15th judicial district, reaf firm the declaration of principles adopted in Omaha in 1892, and in St. Louis in 1896.

"We pledge ourselves to the support of the principles enunciated in the platform adopted at Omaha on August 22, 1899.

"We point with plide to the record of Hon. W. H. Westoves during the four years that he has presided as

quoted, your measure taken and the magnificent line of samples shown by

> JACKSON & BRAYTON, Valentine, Neb.

SCHOOL LAND LEASING.

Wm. Witt, who has for some time

been lying in jail charged with hav-

ing stolen a horse near Arabia, made

Our fellow townsman, L. M. Bates,

has an article of considerable length

advertises it as its leading article, is

proof positive of its quality, and we

congratulate him upon the honor he

Charles Gartside was given a pre-

liminary hearing in Judge Towne's

court Monday, on a charge of having

stolen a calf from Dawson & Ball

about January 30th. The defense

was represented by N. D. Jackson of

Neligh, Ed Clarke, J. W. and J. M.

Tucker of this place, while County

Attorney Morrissey prosecuted. The

defendant introduced no testimony.

and was bound over in the sum of

\$500, which he furnished. Ii is under-

stood that the constitutionality of

the act making cattle stealing a fel-

ony regardless of the value of the

cattle will be attacked by the defense.

and the case may become quite cele-

has received.

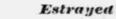
The following described school lands in Thomas coanty will be offered for lease at public auction at Thedford at the county treasurer's office, on September 25, 1899, beginning at 9:00 a. m. and continuing until all of said lands have been offered. These lands may be leased at an annual rentai of 6 per cent. of the present valuation, by the

first person offering to take the same when they are called for lease at the auction, unless a preerty. Jailor Taylor immediately started in pursuit of the fleeing prisreceive a bid of 6 per cent, upon said appraised value of any of these lands, they may be leased to the person who will pay 6 per cent. upon the highest valuation, as provided in Section 15 of the new school land law.

In order that all interested may have an equal opportunity to secure leases, these lands are horeby withdrawn from the market until the beginning of the public auction aforesaid. A portion of these lands are vacant by virtue of orders of the Board of Educational Lands Law Journal, entitled "Insanity and and Funds, duly made, and may be redenined if Murder-A Theory as to the Burden delinquencies and costs are paid before the

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	Commissioner of Publi	c Lands an	d Buildings.

Strayed, two 2-year old steers, and on yearling, branded on right hip as in cut elsewhere. Also 2-year old bay horse, branded 8 on right shoulder. Teeters Bros., Newton, Neb. 28



Two horses; one brown horse branded O on left shoulder. one black horse branded IX on left shoulder, SS left hip. I will give the first

described horse to the man who finds and returns the black described above. JOHN MONBOE. Kyle, S. D.

Taken up by the undersigned, 7 miles east of Merriman, one sorrel horse with front leg broken, branded T on right should Also one buckskin mare branded on left shoulderon left shoulder-Parties can have same by proving 31 G. w. Monnier, Merriman, Neb.

