

TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND COMPETITORS

We are not here to give goods away
We are not here to form any combinations as our competitors contend
We are not here to force our competitors to give goods away, but
We ARE here to sell goods at lower prices than any store that is doing a CREDIT business. This we will demonstrate conclusively if you will buy of us

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WE'RE NOT IN THE COMBINE

Hence we are enabled to offer these bargains in shoes, to our patrons—

Children's Shoes, - 25c up
Men's Shoes, - - - \$1.00 up
Ladies' Shoes, - \$1.00 up

After careful consideration we have decided to go out of the clothing business, and to do so **Will sell Clothing Regardless of Cost**

Buyers are requested to remember that we sell Flour, Feed, Grain and Hay, and deliver to any place in town.

We still Have on hand a Little 5 cent Soda and 10 cent Coffee.

We will sell any goods in our line as cheaply as any other reputable house.

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PICTURES.

THERE is nothing that makes a room look so homelike, cosy and attractive as nice pictures.

We have an elegant assortment of Picture Frame Mouldings, and if you will bring in the picture we'll do the rest—do it right, too.

You'll be astonished at the price.

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Buy your coal of J. H. Yeast.

Farnham still buys furs and hides.

Tank Heaters for sale at R. Anderson's.

Furnished room to rent by J. S. Eastbrook.

Remember Farnham's when you want shoes.

Now is the time to pay up. We need money.

IMPROVED FARM TO RENT—Inquire of this office.

The postoffice at McCann has been re-established.

Cherry county received another nice snow, Monday.

Insurance in the best companies at lowest rates. I. M. RICE.

Old papers for sale at 20 cents per hundred at this office.

Yeast filled 100 orders for coal during the last month.

Magic Estate Hot Blast Heaters at R. Anderson's

Joe Ecoffey and wife, of Merriman, were in the city, Monday.

Bruce More, the Cody cattleman, was in town this week.

J. C. Northrop's little child has been quite ill this week.

H. Godfrey was in town from Merriman, the first of the week.

Mrs. J. G. Stetter is ill this week, but not seriously, we hope.

Dr. Ed. Dwyer came down from Gordon on a visit, Tuesday.

W. G. Gillaspie was in from the ranch on business this week.

J. R. Ayers and wife visited in town from Crookston over Sunday.

An attempt was made at Crawford last week to burn the city jail.

Mabel Hahn is quite ill with pneumonia, or some kindred disease.

E. J. Davenport returned from his trip to St. Joe and Omaha, Sunday.

See that job lot of handkerchiefs, ties and suspenders at Pettycrew's.

Bob Bruce and Abe Bailey were up from Woodlake on business, Monday.

All losses paid in full by Mutual Insurance Companies. I. M. RICE, Agt.

The Y. M. C. A. will give an entertainment of some sort in the near future.

Davy Piercy came in from Chesterfield, Monday, and rode the W. O. W. goat.

Don't forget that Amos Strong buys all kinds of hogs, chickens and hides.

A party named Rowan has rented the Ludwig property in the west part of town.

Bivens and Kincaid at T. C. Hornby's will pay you best prices for furs and hides.

Ton. Yearshaw came up from Clearwater on a visit with old friends Tuesday night.

There is a prospect that Cherry county will be favored with a summer school this year.

Geo. Brooks, the Bazile Mills man, was in town yesterday but he didn't recognize the editor.

Mrs. Jene West and Mrs. Ely Valentine were in town from Woodlake, Tuesday, on business.

C. E. McChesney, Indian agent at Rosebud, returned Tuesday from his visit to Washington.

John G. Wooley, the great temperance lecturer, is billed to speak in Valentine on March 20.

Rev. A. B. Clark and D. W. Parmelee, of Rosebud, were both registered at The Donoher, Tuesday.

Farm to rent.—Some grain can be furnished. Enquire at this office or address Box 49, Valentine.

We deliver groceries as well as feed to any part of town.

W. A. PETTYCREW.

Lizzie Hayes is in town at Dr. Lewis' quite ill. We understand she has resigned her position as teacher near Crookston.

Seven standard kinds of coal on hand. Come and see them before buying. G. H. HORNBY.

You can be cheerful and happy only when you are well. If you feel "out of sorts" take Herbine, it will brace you up. Price 50 cents. Quigley & Chapman, druggists.

Anti-Saloon League Meets

The Anti-Saloon League meeting, Tuesday night, was well attended, the church being comfortably filled, despite the fact of another entertainment being in progress the same night.

Miss Lois Hills was the first speaker, and dealt with the history of intemperance and offered good suggestions for bringing the temperance forces together. During the course of her remarks she said that it was the saloon, not the saloonkeeper, that should be attacked by law, and said the "original package" law was to prohibition what the fugitive slave law was to abolition. In other words, the purpose of local option was defeated by the "original package." She was followed by Gertrude Moon, with a recitation excellently delivered.

Prof. Watson spoke on "Agitation and Education," contending that proper education of the boy would make a sober and industrious man. He said the saloon was not the primary source of the evil of intemperance, and that no person willfully became a drunkard. Every drunkard is a mistake—either of education, example or environment. Speaking of the food properties of alcohol he said the poisons so far exceeded the food that it should not be used.

In an able paper C. H. Cornell contended that in the social feature lay the greatest power of the saloon. It is the only place where men of all classes may congregate and talk with freedom, where they meet everybody on a level, and where they may always be sure of a welcome. His remedy is the establishment of a temperance saloon, with coffee, lunch and light drinks, billiards, etc., in fact all the features of a liquor saloon with gambling and liquor left out, the place to be run, not for profit alone but for the convenience of the public.

Judge Walcott closed the meeting with an eloquent address, on "Whence Comes the Right to Destroy the Saloon?" and asserted that it was one of the oldest rights of man, sanctioned by the law of God six thousand years ago, which says, "Touch not, taste not, handle not, the unclean thing." He said the people had the right to destroy the business as a matter of protection to their families. The law of the state made it a crime to poison a dog, but not a boy.

A New Enterprise Talked About

D. P. Ashburn, a representative of the Fremont Creamery Co., was in town this week and addressed a number of leading business men and farmers on the subject of establishing a "skimming" station here. His proposition is this:

A company is to be formed, with a capital of \$2,000, divided into 40 shares of \$50 each, and this money is to be used for erecting the necessary building, installing machinery, etc., after which his company proposes to lease the outfit for a period of ten years and agreeing to run the separator six days a week in summer and three days a week in winter, paying for butter fat extracted from the milk the same price the company pays at its headquarters in Fremont. The company is to no expense after the plant is erected, the Fremont people standing all expenses, but neither will the local concern receive any rent for the plant unless the average amount of milk received reaches 3,000 pounds per day. It is estimated that 150 cans will supply this quantity. When delivery reaches 3,000 pounds per day, the Fremont company is to pay 6 per cent on the capital stock as rental, and this rental raises until it reaches 12 per cent, when 10,000 pounds is delivered per day. All stockholders are to get their milk skimmed free, and others must pay two cents per hundred, which revenue goes to the local company. No contracts for milk are to be made, the company taking as much or as little as is offered.

We have not yet learned what success Mr. Ashburn has had in securing stock subscriptions, as he went to Gordon where he is building a plant, and will not return until tonight. His plan seems to be fair and honest, and we believe it can be made a success.

New Weather Man

E. J. Davenport, local agent of the U. S. weather bureau, has received notice that Observer Beahan will relieve him of his duties as station agent on March 20. This is done because the bureau has been discontinuing some stations recently, and Mr. Beahan being a regular official must be kept employed. The office will be retained where it now is, and we hope to see Mr. Davenport soon reinstated in his position, as we are sure no new man can beat the weather he has given us this winter.

Property Changes Hands

Dr. J. C. Dwyer last week sold his property northwest of town to R. M. Faddis, who will occupy same as a residence. Dr. Dwyer is figuring on purchasing a place in town for his hospital work, one which will be more convenient for those needing the services of a physician.

A FEW POINTERS

Twenty five cent K. C. Baking Powder for 15c until March 7th.

A pound of German Coffee given with each pound of our best 60c tea. We have a lot of shoes, odd sizes, that sold at from \$1.50 to \$4.50 a pair, to close we offer them at from 75c to \$1.75. You cannot afford to miss this. We still have a few summer goods left worth 10c to 25c a yard that we are closing at 5c a yard.

Now is the time to buy muslin underwear, we have goods to suit every one, from corset covers at 13 1/2c and gowns at 50c to garments at \$2.00.

A fine assortment of short muslin undershirts. T. C. HORNBY.

Located the New Road

Messrs. Crabb, Hornby, Moon and Ward, the committee recently appointed to locate the new road across the Minnehadua canyon, went out last Friday and performed their duty, and the surveyor will complete the work this week. The new road will turn to the east about 20 rods north of the creek, then continue up the side hill in a northeasterly direction to the gulch up which the old Stillwell trail ran, but still continuing on the side hill to the top, coming out on the Table about half a mile south and a little east of Camm's place. This will make a good road, it is thought, and can be built cheaply.

Prominent Stockman Dead

Through the Whitman Sun we learn that J. M. Yaryan died at his home near Pullman on Tuesday of last week of inflammation of the bowels. He was an aged man and well known throughout the south part of the county. Accompanied by his sons, Andrew and John, and their mother, the remains were taken to Iowa, Friday, for burial.

Mysterious Fire

Last Saturday, during quite a heavy wind the Dunbar property northwest of town near the Rosebud road, was burned to the ground, not a solitary piece of timber remaining where the house once stood. The premises were unoccupied and how the fire started is a mystery. The property being half a mile from the city limits and no neighbors near, it was impossible to do anything toward saving it from destruction. This house was built in Valentine's early days and is said to have cost \$2,200.

Mrs. C. F. Martin was in town the first of the week, disposing of her household goods, and left Tuesday night to join her husband at Alliance.

V. A. Northrop and family came down from Glenrock, Wyo., Saturday morning, and visited relatives here this week while on his way to Illinois on his annual vacation.

The results of an over indulgence in food or drink are promptly rectified, without pain or discomfort, by taking a few doses of Herbine. Price 50 cents. Quigley & Chapman.

Fred Vincent went to Chadron, Sunday night, and took the railroad operators' examination, passing same with credit, and he will be given the trick here while Agent Northrop makes a visit to Illinois.

Elder Eighthy held quarterly meeting at the Methodist church, Sunday, and was called to Ainsworth by a telegram that afternoon to conduct the funeral of N. C. Hedrick, who died unexpectedly at that place.

To allay pains, subdue inflammation, heal foul sores and ulcers, the most satisfactory results are obtained by using Ballard's Snow Liniment. Price 25 cts and 50 cts. Quigley & Chapman, druggists.

Henry Stetter, wholesale liquor dealer and proprietor of the Palace saloon at Valentine, reputed to be the finest gentleman in the saloon business within the state, was in Ainsworth on business Wednesday.—Ainsworth Journal.

Look at your face and see if it is reflecting health or disease. Karl's Clover Root Tea beautifies the face and complexion, and assures perfect health. All druggists, 25 cts. and 50 cts. Money refunded if results are not satisfactory.

J. W. Yeast handles the Rock Springs nut and lump coal, the Inez mine run and the Trenton lump.

George W. Waitt, of South Gardner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Quigley & Chapman. 2

SYRINGES

2-Quart Fountain Syringes at 90c, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

2-Quart combination Fountain Syringe and Water Bottles at \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Bulb Syringes at 50c, 60c, 90c, \$1.00 \$1.25 and \$1.75.

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