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Why? Our competitors are trying to adopt the cash system. And then they will tell you that we can't make it win. Now, don't this prove to you that we are the leaders in prices and that

CASH IS KING!

They even attempt to copy our ads, but remember we give **10 Per Cent Off on Everything!**

20 pounds California Prunes.....	\$1 00
3 Cans Corn.....	25
7 Bars Soap.....	25
8 pounds of the Best Evaporated Peaches....	1 00
Total.....	\$2.50
10 Per cent off for cash (saved to you).....	25
Cash Price.....	\$2 25

JACKSON & BRAYTON

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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I have a Fine Stock of

Wind Mills Pumps
Pipes and Fittings
Iron Beds and Spring Mattresses
Our Prices are Always the Lowest.—come and see us before buying elsewhere.

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It was crowded out.
Buy your coal of J. H. Yeast.
Farnham still buys furs and hides.
Garden seeds in bulk at Farnham's.
F. Schrader was down from Gordon, Saturday.

An up-to-date stock of ladies' shoes at Farnham's.

Jos. Wisser, of Nenzel, was in the city Saturday.

Furnished room to rent by J. S. Eastbrook.

W. T. Kincaid made a flying trip to Stanton last week.

A. M. Morrissey made a trip to Chadron, Saturday night.

Remember Farnham's when you want shoes.

Elsie Gockey was quite ill the first of the week but is recovering.

J. H. Pylman and Ed Brown of Brownlee, were in the city, Monday.

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

John W. Nelson, of Cody, transacted business in town the first of the week.

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

The Hon. M. P. Kincaid was in town Tuesday from O'Neill, on legal business.

Dr. Lewis is having a new house built about his windmill and tank tower.

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

Messrs. Wood and Dawson, the Rosebud merchants, were in the city, Tuesday.

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

F. A. and H. D. Durst were down from Belle Fourche, Sunday, looking after some business matters.

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

W. A. PETTYCREW.

Geo. L. Coleman and wife drove in from their ranch south of Cody, Monday, and enjoyed a visit with John Shore and wife this week.

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

G. H. HORNBY.

J. N. Henry, of Fremont, visited in the city a few days this week. Valentine possesses many attractions which even city men cannot resist.

For Sale—One black 4-year-old jack, extra good pedigree. Price right and terms reasonable. N. S. Rowley, Kennedy, Neb. 7-6t

J. A. Tulley, of Red Cloud, grand custodian of the Masonic brotherhood, is in town this week and has been lecturing to the brethren each afternoon on the work of the order.

Have you a cough? A dose of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will relieve it. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. For sale by Quigley & Chapman, druggists.

Pete Rousche has moved his family up from Omaha and will occupy the Mastick property. He does so in order to be closer to his big ranch down on Goose Creek.—Ainsworth Journal.

The Hon. O. P. Billings, ex-representative from this district, was in the city Tuesday on his way home to Norden from the reservation where he had been on business and was taken ill.

One of the owners of the Topeka Capital wants to run the paper as a Christian daily, and another wishes to continue it as a republican organ. They have decided that it is impossible for the paper to be both.

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.

V. C. Caldwell, R. R. Kimball, J. N. Baldrige and W. M. Burgess came up from Omaha, Saturday night, and as guests of Lieut. Hartman, of Fort Niobrara, went out south on Sunday to shoot ducks.

One more opportunity! From March 26th to April 15th Andrews will give a medallion with every dozen Platino Cabinet Photos. This offer is made to introduce the Platino work. Remember the medallion is absolutely free.

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BOUND OVER

CHARGED WITH MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE

C. H. Thompson Held Under \$5,000 Bond for Killing Arthur London—History of the Case, Showing Probable Motive for the Shooting

On the morning of the 15th of March, Cicero H. Thompson, proprietor of the Owl saloon, shot two soldiers, Arthur London and Austin Milleman, privates in Troop K of the First U. S. Cavalry, stationed at Fort Niobrara, as they were in the act of breaking into his private residence. London was shot in the head three times and Milleman twice. Thompson gave himself into the charge of the officers, later was released, and afterward was arrested and held under \$1,000 bonds, awaiting the result of his shots. Friday morning March 23, at 4:45 o'clock, London died, and a coroner's jury placed the blame on Thompson, who was then arrested for murder in the first degree and gave a \$5,000 bond for his appearance in court yesterday. The preliminary hearing was held before Judge Towne yesterday afternoon and today, the principal witness, Milleman, appearing in court on a stretcher, as he is suffering from an attack of appendicitis, though rapidly recovering from his wounds, Court Reporter Maher recording the testimony. Thompson offered no evidence, and after hearing the arguments Judge Towne at 11 o'clock this morning bound him over to district court on a charge of manslaughter. Prosecuting Attorney Morrissey was not satisfied with this decision, so dismissed the action, re-arrested Thompson through Justice Clarkson, defendant waived examination, and was bound over to district court charged with murder in the first degree, and is at large under a bond of \$5,000, signed by D. S. Ludwig and J. A. Sparks. Attorneys Morrissey and Tucker are prosecuting the case, while Walcott and Clarke are defending.

The history of the crime if crime it is proven to be, is an interesting one, and the many friends of the defendant shudder when the details are mentioned. As brought out by the evidence at the inquest and later at the preliminary trial, the story is as follows:

Thompson was subject to a species of petty blackmail by certain soldiers on account of having committed an unmentionable crime usually attributed only to the most morally depraved persons, and on the night of the shooting London and Milleman slipped out of the fort after "check" and came to town with the avowed intention of getting some money from him. Arriving in town, they went to the Owl saloon, then to a restaurant, and while eating a lunch they saw defendant pass, going in the direction of his home. Finishing their lunch, they went to his house, but received no answer to their raps on the door. From there they went to the "ranch" south of town and asked for the man they were seeking, and then came to the house again and knocked, after which they went to the depot. From the depot they went to the "poker room" next to the Owl saloon and stole a lot of "checks" and cards. After going to the depot and dividing their booty they again repaired to Thompson's house, called to him and rapped on the windows and door, but received no response. Thinking he was not at home, they then decided to force an entrance and wait for the owner to return.

Accordingly they forced open the door of the storm shed, and propped it shut with a broom. Then the two placed their shoulders against the inner door, and it opened with a crash. As his foot went over the sill of the door Milleman saw a flash, recognized Thompson, and then fell back into the shed and crouched into a corner. London sprang to the outside door and while removing the broom was shot in the back of the head. He opened the door, took a step, and fell to the ground, where he laid, kicking and groaning. Thompson then came to the door, saw Milleman, and shot him a second time, then went outside and shot London twice more. Milleman in agony and fear then asked if he could go, and being answered in the affirmative started down town. Thompson, who was fully dressed, accompanied him, saying he would go for a doctor. Milleman went to Walcott's livery barn, Thompson called the marshal, and our readers have been told the rest.

The foregoing shows the defendant in a bad light, but as he has made no statement since his arrest we cannot forecast the result of his trial, next month. Breaking into a man's house is a serious offense, and if the prosecution fails to show a motive for the killing, clearly, he will undoubtedly be acquitted.

John Whillans has sold his harness shop to W. E. Efner.

A FEW PRICES FOR THIS WEEK.

10 yards first quality Muslin.....50c
5 lbs. Evaporated Apples.....50c
Mocha and Java Coffee.....25c
Be careful to pay only your own bill. That is all we ask of you.
New line of Shirt Waists.
New line of Shoes.
Ladies' Suits and Skirts.
T. C. HORNBY.

W. P. Hunt reports a very exciting trip down from Rosebud with the mail, Saturday. When about twenty miles from town on the lonely prairie he noticed two horsemen ride over a knoll to the right and a little in front of him, one wearing a white and the other a red handkerchief over their faces. One of them flourished a revolver and called on him to halt, but Hunt wasn't built that way so he gave his team their heads and started on the run. The would-be robbers then began firing on the stage, the first shot ripping the canopy top of the vehicle, and the second puncturing the mail bag. By this time the horsemen were behind and started in pursuit, firing as they came. One of the bullets from the rear penetrated the driver's heavy overcoat, tore through his notebook and flattened against his watch. Hunt had a revolver with five loads in it and emptied each chamber toward his pursuers. The second one found its mark and dropped one of the scoundrels from his horse, and that is all that is known of the affair. Up to date nobody has been found wounded on the reservation.

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.

From the Delphos (O.) Daily Herald we learn that our old friend John W. Fisher, was elected as candidate for city clerk at the democratic primaries a short time ago. John's nomination means his election, in that city, and we hasten to congratulate him upon his good fortune. He and Jim Sevtz and the writer made the Daily Herald famous throughout northwest Ohio, and while we have been spreading our wings in the west he has stayed with the old paper, and this is his reward. The people of Delphos could not find a better city clerk than John Fisher will make.

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

"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drug." Sold by Quigley & Chapman, druggists.

Robert Lee and wife, of Brownlee, returned Friday morning from Omaha, where they had been on their wedding tour. Bob never said a word about being married, but from his look it wasn't hard to guess the state of affairs. If his wife is a sample of the ladies near Brownlee, we will bet that southern Cherry county would take every premium offered at a beauty show. Come to think of it, we never have seen a homely woman from that portion of the county.

Mrs. W. T. Kincaid went to Henry, Illinois, yesterday, to see her father, who is seriously ill.

C. W. Bennett and John Lord came in from Simeon, Saturday. This is the first time Charley has been to town since last fall, and he enjoyed his visit very much indeed. By the way, did you ever see two men who were more pleasant and jovial than this same firm of Bennett & Lord?

A Good Thing.

Our great-grandmothers' garrets contained the same herbs of all healing found in Karl's Clover Root Tea. They gave our ancestors strength, kept the blood pure, and will do the same for you if you say so. Price 25 cts and 50 cts.

Strayed from near Gallup, one red yearling steer branded on left hip. Small white spot on left side. Liberal reward. W. H. SELLERS, Gallup, Neb.

If your child is cross or peevish, it is no doubt troubled with worms. White's Cream Vermifuge will remove the worms and its tonic effect restore its natural cheerfulness. Price, 25 cents. Quigley & Chapman, druggists.

The Sanford Dodge company which played here about a month ago with such great success, will appear again at Cornell Hall on Saturday and Monday nights. The editor states upon his reputation as a dramatic critic that this is the best company which has ever appeared in Valentine, and advises everybody to attend their performances. They play Othello and Hamlet and Pythias.

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