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JULIUS PETERSON

Postoffice address Gregory, Neb
Branded as on cut
Range two miles north of Gregory

J A SAULTS

Postoffice address Gregory, Neb
On left side or hip; horses same on left shoulder
Range-Arkansa Valley and Snakr

C F COOPER

Postoffice address Kennedy, Neb
Cattle branded on left side same as cut
Stock over one year old on right side; horses same on left shoulder
Range south & west of Hackberry Lake and Curlew
Also some brande — on eft leg

JACOBSON BROTHERS

Postoffice address Gregory, Neb
On left side; some same with I on left shoulder
horses left shoulder
Range Gordon and Goose Lake

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.

DAN WEBSTER

Postoffice address Harlan, Nebraska
On left side or hip; horses branded same left shoulder
Range between Niobrara and Snake rivers, south of Merriman

A Reward of $100 will be paid to any person for information leading to the arrest and final conviction of any person or persons stealing cattle or horses with above brand.

O J KELLAR

Postoffice address Brown Nebr
On eft side
Range, between Goose Creek and Loup

R. HANSON.

Postoffice address Valentine, Neb
Cattle branded on left hip; horses the same
Range on Dry Valley

R M FADDIS

Postoffice address Pass, Neb
Range, North Loup River

ALBERT NENZEL

Postoffice address Nenzel, Nebraska
On either side of cattle; horses same
Range northeast of Nenzel

RICHARDS & CAIRNES CO.

Cattle branded on any part of animal; also the following brands:
Horses branded the same
Range between Gordon on the F.E. & M. V., R. R. and Hyannis on B. & M. R. R. in Northwestern Nebraska. Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS, Chadron, Nebraska

GEORGE N DAVIS

Postoffice address Simeon, Neb
Branded on right side or hip
Also on left hip
Horses on right shoulder as on cut
Range-Gordon and Snake

C JENSEN

Postoffice address Gallop, Nebraska
Left side on private stock and right side on cattle held also
on left side of cattle held, on left side
Horses C J on left shoulder. Range-Eight miles south of Gallop

M RICHARDSON

Postoffice address McCann Neb
Branded on left side
Range—McCann

LEGAL NOTICES

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between I. M. Jones and U. G. Dunn, of Valentine, Nebr., under the firm name of Jones & Dunn, was, on the 16th day of April, 1900, dissolved by mutual consent, U. G. Dunn retaining the business, collecting all accounts, and paying all debts of said firm.

I. M. JONES.
13-4t U. G. DUNN.

Application for Appointment of Administrator.

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.
In the matter of the estate of Bertha E. Harmon, deceased.

William S. Barker filed in my office a petition praying for the appointment of himself as administrator of the estate of Bertha E. Harmon, deceased. All persons interested in said estate will take notice that I have fixed Saturday, April 28th, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. as the time, and my office in Valentine, Cherry County, Nebraska, as the place for hearing said petition, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate may appear and show cause, if any there be, why such administrator shall not be appointed.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 12th day of April, 1900.

12 W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Notice of Application for a License to Sell Liquor

Notice is hereby given that I have filed a petition with the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Valentine, Nebraska, accompanied by a bond duly tested, said petition praying that I be granted a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in said Village of Valentine Cherry county Nebraska for the year ending May 1, 1901. HENRY STETTER
Dated this 12th day of April 1800

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WALTHER F. A. MELTENDORFF
Dated this 12th day of April 1900

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Dated this 12th day of April 1900

Notice of Incorporation.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of December, A.D. 1899, the undersigned associated themselves together as a body corporate and adopted certain articles of incorporation providing among other things as follows:

That the name of the corporation shall be the "Cornell Town Site and Land Company," with the principal place of transacting its business at Valentine, in Cherry County, Nebraska. The nature of the business to be transacted by the corporation is to buy and own, rent or sell and convey by mortgage, contract, or deed real estate in the State of Nebraska. And to take, own and transfer real estate mortgages or other securities in exchange for real estate or as a part of the purchase price thereof. The amount of capital stock authorized is $40,000 to be paid in full at the time of the subscription to the stock. The corporation to commence on the 2nd day of December, A.D. 1899, and terminate in fifty years thereafter. And is authorized to contract an indebtedness not to exceed twenty-five per cent. of its capital stock. The affairs of the corporation to be conducted by a board of three directors, a president, a vice president, a secretary and treasurer.

HIRAM CORNELL.
CHARLES H. CORNELL.
10-4t MILTON V. NICHOLSON.

Notice of Sale.

In the matter of the sale of real estate of William G. Carson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Hon. W. H. Westover, one of the District judges of Cherry County, Nebraska, made on the 26th day of December, 1899. For the sale of real estate hereinafter described, I will sell at the front door of the Court House in Valentine, Nebraska, on the 26th day of April, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. at public vendue to the highest bidder and on the following terms to-wit: One-half cash balance on deferred payments secured by first mortgage on property sold, the following described premises, to-wit: The se4 sec. 9 and n2 nw4 and sw4 nw4 sw4 sec. 15, tp. 31, r. 28, Cherry County, Nebraska. Said sale to remain open one hour.

ALFRED LEWIS } Executors of the will of
MARY A. CARSON. } William G Carson, deceased.
10 F. M. WALCOTT, Attorney.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have filed with the county commissioners of Cherry County, Neor., a bond duly tested and accompanied by a petition praying that we be granted a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the village of Woodlake, Woodlake precinct, Cherry County, Nebraska.

Said petition will be called up before the board at their next meeting, April 20, 1900.

GEORGE HERSHEY.
JOHN G. STETTER.
Dated this 28th of March, 1900.

Notice to Creditors.

In County Court, within and for Cherry County, Nebraska, in the matter of the Estate of Thomas P. Johns, 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 21st day of April, 1900, at 10 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 six months, from the 21st day of October, A. D. 1899, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 21st day of October, 1899.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 28th of March, 1900.

10-4t W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

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J. F. INGALLS, AINSWORTH

STOCK NOTES.

Argentine Cattle Barred.

An order has just been issued by the authorities of Great Britain forbidding the admission of South American live stock into the British islands. For a long time, it is said, the prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in England has caused a great deal of uneasiness, and the claim is made that it has been imported from Argentine, hence the order of the privy council now issued forbidding the admission of South American cattle and sheep into the interior. At the same time it is also true that the competition of live stock from that quarter has long been considered a great hardship, and the embargo on live cattle and sheep is just as likely to be due to that cause as to a fear of a disease, The treatment of our own cattle under a pretense that they have pleuro-pneumonia illustrates this, and the embargo having been laid on South American live stock, it will probably continue forever. For twenty years the cattle of this country have been denied admission to Great Britain, although whatever slight justification for the original prohibition there may at one time have been has long since disappeared. For a shorter time Canadian cattle have also been barred, for reasons that do not exist now if they ever did, and yet neither this country nor Canada can get the embargo removed, and have, in fact, quit trying, having come to recognize the futility of attempting to get Great Britain to undo an injustice that she has once made up her mind to commit. The new order against South American cattle is regarded as of considerable importance to the cattle industry in this country and in Canada, as it is likely to lessen South American competition, or at least to subject it to the same restrictions that the trade of the United States and Canada are subjected to.—Homestead.

S. D. Stock Association Meeting.

The meeting of the South Dakota Stock Association at Rapid City, last week is reported to have been a great success. No work of importance was done at the meeting except to provide for inspection of cattle belonging to members of the Keya Paha River association. The total membership is now about 600, of these 150 being new members. The report of the secretary shows that during the year past there was recovered at Chicago, South Omaha and Sioux City a total of 5,479 head of cattle, worth $$240,000. The report of the secretary contains these interesting statements:

"The change in conditions that has made the stockman prosperous has also stimulated the "rustler" to take greater and more desperate chances in the stealing of stock from the range. The risk taken in the theft of a $20-calf or a $40-horse is no greater than when these animals were not ready sale at much over one-half these prices, while if successful the pecuniary result is doubled. More cases of "rustling" have been reported in the past eight months than at any time since this organization was formed."

Keya Paha River Association Meets.

From the minutes of the last meeting of the Keya Paha River Stock Association we learn that the association decided that the executive committee provide for inspection at the various market points and to provide a fund for the payment of the necessary expenses by a sufficient levy per head on all cattle, horses, mules and asses owned or controlled by members of the association.

Mr. J. W. Flannigan was elected a delegate to attend the annual meeting of the Western South Dakota Stock Growers' Association to be held at Rapid City, S. D., April 10, 1900, for the purpose of negotiating for inspection through that association.

The following officers and executive committee were re-elected to serve during ensuing year:

Chas. Tinken, president.
M. T. Williams, vice president.
J. M. Flannigan, treasurer.
Erhard Opp, secretary.
Executive committee—Geo. H. Lamoreaux, Henry Brockman, W. C. Cowan, J. W. Williams, John Robertson.

The value of South Dakota steers on the Chicago market has increased in seven years from $33.12 to $47.99. Cows have advanced from $19.89 to $34.51 per head.

A Woman Stock Solicitor.

Sioux City is a swift town, but it is setting most too fast a pace when it turns a woman stock solicitor on the road to catch the guileless stockman. Her name is Mrs. Ollie Northlane, and it is said that she gets many a consignment for her firm which men have been unable to secure. Her judgment in stock matters is exceptionally good and the selection of a bunch of good steers is as much a matter of business and pleasure with her as the average woman finds in the selection of a new spring dress. This, combined with her tact and rare ability in handling shippers makes her services valuable.

M. D. James was in town Wednesday, puachasing supplies for the James Bros. ranch thirty miles south of here, near Spragg P. O. Mr. James, who is a breeder of registered Herefords only, attended the big Hereford cattle sale at South Omaha on Friday and Saturday. At the sale he purchased, for over three hundred dollars, a very fine eighteen months old bull, which will weigh 1400 pounds when in condition. The animal was shipped in Sunday and taken to the ranch.—Longpine Journal.

The Tribune is informed that a few days' travel through this section after lost cattle by one of our citizens recently led to the discovery that within two weeks' time 27 head of cattle had been stolen from different parties within a radius of ten miles of Crawford. Isn't it about time that an organization was effected here to bring those thieves to justice and stop these depredations?—Crawford Tribune.

Reports from Omaha are to the effect that range horses are in demand. One commission firm says it can use four to six carloads per week, but they must be in good flesh, and of good quality. Cheap horses are cheaper than ever this year. There is an active demand for horses for the British cavalry, but they must be between 14 and 15 hands high, from 5 to 9 years old, and bay, black or brown in color.

Joe Strange, of Sioux City, has been up on the reservation the past week or two buying hides, and this week shipped over two carloads of dry flints to his house. He was very reticent regarding the price paid, but said it was something like 15 cents. Hides are good property and we would advise our readers to study the market carefully.

The Norfolk Nursery has a general assortment of fruit trees, small fruit plants, roses and ornamental shrubs. Box elder, ash, elm and maple 10 to 15 feet high. Forest tree seedlings, suitable for planting windbreaks. Early Ohio and Early Six Weeks seed potatoes. Call at nursery or write,

E. D. HAMMOND,
11-6t Norfolk, Nebr.

WANTED—300 head of cattle to summer in pasture. Good grass and running water. Apply at this office for particulars. 11-tf

Strayed or Stolen.

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

High Grade Bulls.

I have at my ranch 20 miles south of Valentine, in Dewey Lake precinct, 19 high grade Hereford bulls, two and three years old, and three head of full blood Galloways, which I will sell cheap. These bulls are all first-class and were raised on my ranch.

W. G. BALLARD.

WESTERN NEBRASKA STOCK GROWERS' ASSOC'N.

ANNUAL MEETING AT..... ALLIANCE ON MAY 8, 1900

Inspection at all market points. Charges reasonable. Stockmen can join at any time. Inspectors records of shipments and brands on file at Alliance. Reward for Conviction of Thieves. Fifteen counties covered and 80,000 head of cattle now in membership. Correspondence solicited.

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Taken Up.

4-year-old dehorned steer, roan colored, + on left shoulder, U left hip. Above described animal was taken up at my place 3 miles from Chesterfield. P. A. COOPER. 7-6t

W. E. Haley

Valentine Neb
Brand registered No 200
Range in Sharps Ranch and German precincts 6 miles south of Kilgore

C. E Wright.

Cooper, Nebr.
Brand registered No. 574.
Brand anywhere on right side.

F. T. Brackett

Riege, Nebr.
Brand Registered No 1490
Brand right side or hip
Horses same on right shoulder
Range, Niobrara 6 miles south of Kilgore

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H SCHULTZ

Postoffice address McCann Neb
Stock branded as on cut
Range—North and south of Georgia

WILHELM ANDERSON

Postoffice address McCann Neb
Branded on left side
horses same on left hip
Range—between the Niobrara and Snake

Prideaux Sanford

Kennedy, Neb
Stock branded on left side
Horses branded on left shoulder

N. S. Rowley

Kennedy, Nebr.
Same as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also on left side an hip.
3 on right hip and F + on left side.
C on left hip of horses.

Marquardt & Bowlus
OTTO STRUBE, Manager.

Merriman, Neb
Cattle brand OM on left shoulder. Some of cattle have various older brands. OS 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.