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Notices of loss of stock free to brand adver-

Picking is short for some who without capital try to live without work.

Some of the blooded cockerels ran up against the county dads last week and had to back off.

The Crawford papers report that a new case of smallpox developed in their town last week. Valentine, thank goodness, is now immune.

The Chadronian, speaking of a cas which Capt. Fisher recently won, says "Chadron is a good place to find strong lawyers". We agree with the Chadronian; some of them smell to heaven.

Tife bantam cockerel of county clerk regime" dictatorship under-took to tell the county commissioners what to do and what he wanted and didn't want in the minutes of their proceedings and had to be called down.

On Wednesday of last week the U S. senate by a vote of 34 to 15 agreed to abolish the army canteen. As the house of representatives had done the same thing a few weeks before, the measure will now become law. The exact wording of the act is as follows:

The sale, or dealing in Leer, wine or any intoxicating liquors by any person in any post exchange or canteen or army transport, or upon any premises used for military purposes by the United States is hereby prohibited. The secretary of war is hereby directed to carry the provisions of this section into full force and effect."

This is one time when the saloon keepers and prohibitionists were in favor of the same thing.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Wedding rings at O. W. Morey's.

Hard-wood fence posts at 8c at Farnham's.

Corn taken in exchange for gootls by W. A. Pettycrew.

J. R. Ayers of Crookston was seen perambulating our streets, Monday, A. G. Shawis yet quite lame, but

R. Anderson, the hardware merchant, will pay the market-price for ear

We will club this paper with the Twentieth Century Farmer for \$1.50 a vear in advance.

Mrs. Lottie Dwyer of Gordon came down yesterday morning to visit and

care for her mother. The Epworth League will give an oyster supper in the old Valentine House on Main street, next Saturday

evening. Mrs. J. C. Dwyer has been quite sick with pneumonia the past week but is now feeling considerably easier and we hope will speedily recover.

In our issue of Jan. 3 by mistake we said that J. B. Tripp and wife of Rosebud were in towh. Mrs. Tripp did not accompany her husband that

trip. Miss Frances VanBuskirk will do dress making, cutting and fitting by the piece or day. Can be found at the home of Mrs W. F. Morgareidge. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Jno. Ballard and Miss Maud Harris, two well known and popular Cherry county people, were married at the residence of M. Harris, the bride's and quality will do well to look at grandfather, in Valentine. Tuesday them. Among the purchasers this evening:

I will give \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the robbers and the securing of the \$1500 stolen from the photo gallery on the night of January 12th last.

A. G. SHAW

Jack Hooton is now established in the old Union Hotel, and has retained the former name of Valentine House. Mrs. Harris has moved iuto the White house on Cherry street, vacated by Hooton.

Blood,

Granula'ed blood, in any quantity, at 5c the pound. It's a fine food for chickens Takes the place of meat.

We also have Pratt's Poultry Food and Lee's Egg Maker.

With eggs selling at 15c to 20c a dozen, a few cents invested in good food for hens will bring large re-

OUIGLEY & CHAPMAN DRUGGISTS VALENTINE, NEBR.

Lowest prices on everything at Farnham's.

Shaw's gallery for your photos There he will make them all first class. Give him a trial.

Remember the old reliable jeweler, O. W. Morey when you want reliable work, good goods, honest prices. 51

Bert Hoel, the well known and popular traveling man, is the father of schools are flourishing. an eleven pound girl, since Tuesday of last week.

The VALENTINE DEMOCRAT is now the official paper of Cherry county their lives and will make an extra effort to publish all the news for its readers.

Dr. Lewis went to Council Bluffs, last week, with D. Stinard and daughters, and will attend the meeting of the Sons and Daughters of Protection at Lincoln before coming home.

The railroad company paid off the "ice gang" last Friday afternoon. Everything was settled amicably this year, and about \$2,500 was paid out for help, a good share of which sum was left in town.

Born, on Tuesday of last week, to per. J. C. Rounds and wife, of near Simeon, an eight pound girl baby. "Dude's" usually pleasant countenance is more smiling than ever since the above event occurred.

The Lloyd and Gay company played to good houses at Cornell Hall last Thursday and Friday nights. The plays presented were rather poor and did not seem to be up to the standard of those usually presented by these

Peter Madsen, the democratic wheel horse who last fall ran an interesting race with Capt, Laufer tor the commissionership, was in town Monday looking after business and renewing his acquaintance with people at the county seat. Pete is one of the unterrified and is ready to fight for democracy this fall just as hard | ger.

Ida Stinard, who has been quite ill for several weeks past, went to Coun- hay for M. P Jordan and are boarding cil Bluffs last Friday, accompanied by at Mr. Jordan's. her father and twin sister and Dr. Lewis, to enter St. Bernard's hospital nevertheless be will make good pho- for treatment. Letters to her mother indicate that she is already improving in health, and prospects for her complete and speedy recovery are now very bright.

Private advices from the south par of the county indicate that the population of Brownlee is steadily increasing. On December 11 J. H. Skirving and wife became the proud parents of a baby boy: on January 7 a boy came to board with Robert Lee and wife; and on the 8th Charmel Noble and his better half found their family had increased in size on account of the arrival of a boy.

We want correspondents from Cody Woodlake, Merriman and other localities. Send items of interest from any where on earth. Sign your name that we may know the authenticity of the article and if you want your name to appear at the bottom ask us to put it there; otherwise you will not be mentioned but we must know the author for our own protection. Send us the news.

The carload of Shorthorn bulls brought here from Iowa a couple of weeks ago by Raffenburg Bros, are about gone, only four of the bunch being now for sale. These are very fine animals, and those stockmen who are looking for bargains both in price last week were Henry Muryhy, of Brownlee, and Mark Cyphers, of Valentine. Raffenburg Bros. bulls are establishing a reputation in this county which will be worth money to their owners in the future'

Wanted!

Rollable man for man ger of branc's office we wish to open in this vicinity. If your record is O K. here is an opport mity. Kindly give good reference when writing, THE A. T. MORRIS WHOLESALE HOUSE

CINCINNATI OHIO

Hinstrated catalogue 4cts stamps,

Down the River.

Dock Grooms was in this locality Tuesday.

Mrs. Berry had a small family reunion, Sunday.

Mr. Ashburn and family were visitors at J. Bristol's, Sunday.

Bishop on the Stinard place. The Heelan Bros. were hauling corn

from John Shelbourn's last week. The Niobrara is blocked with ice

about a mile below the Berry bridge. The literary at the Highland school is a grand success. It meets every Sat-

urday night. Stock are doing fine so far, but look out we are liable to have one of the old time blizzards yet.

Ben Peterson, of Sparks, was on the ice work and received an invitation from the boss to be on hand next win

As there is another Who-am I at Arabia and some folks think they know who I am I'll sell out and not write any more as Who-am-I.

YOUNGSTER.

Along the Minnechaduza

J. W. Beed is having quite a siege of dying pigs

Cora Thackrey is teaching in No. 10 and Jennie Crowe in No. 24. Both

Max Viertel, Chas. Burns, Bish Beed and several others enjoyed a wolf hunt the other day. Two wolves gave up

John Duffy and family have gone to What Cheer, Ia., on a visit to Mrs. Duffy's mother and expect to stay until spring opens.

We hear that Herman Schulz of Kilgore in trying to reach Crookston last Saturday eve for installation tried to establish a new road.

The Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors held joint installation at their hall in Crookston, Jan, 12th, after which the Royal Neighbors served sup-

EXCUSEME

Mrs. Benson, and daughter Miss Esther, were visiting Mrs. Jordan, Mon-

Arabla Items.

Mrs. Bunn and family were visiting Saturday and Sunday with relatives at

We hear that there is to be a big dance and basket supper at Arabia the 25th of January.

We are sorry to hear that Miss Mary Jordan has been quite ill with an ulcerated tooth for the past week.

Misses Bertha Thorn and Taey Collett went to Valentine Saturday and returned Monday morning on the passen

Business is booming. The five Mc-Daniel boys are baling and hauling

WHO-AM-I

A. G. Shaw has opened his photo gallery and with his new backgrounds and new stamp outfit will take stamp pictures in neat style, 28 for twentyfive cents.

Bailey Briefs

Lonnie Greene was one of the callers at Sellars Bros.' the past few days.

Hugh Sears was one of the scenes in these parts breaking horses. Hugh has some fine Shorthorn bulls for sale.

D. C. Nelson drove out from Cody to his ranch, Monday. We are glad his health is improving. Dock Shannon drove hlm out.

If reports are true Almo Weed and Lester Goodin left for parts unknown. recently The boys don't know what a good home is.

A. C. Ridgeway, Uncle Sam's special pension agent, was in this locality last To Balance July 1, 1900 week. W. H. White drove him out from Merriman.

GUESS WHO I AM



Commissioners' Proceed ings

(Continued from First page) On motion order instructing county attorney to foreclose upon real estate for delinquent taxes was rescinded for one year for reason that personal taxes are being collected by distress. On motion county printing was awarded I. M. Rice at legal rates and the Valentine Democrat was designated the official paper of Cherry county for the printing of the commissioners proceedings, the delinquent tax list, the official Wm. Helenbolt is working for Mr notices of the county clerk, the treasurers semi, annual statements ballots bar dockets, bond proclamations, road and bridge notices and all other county printing The above printing to be paid for at legal rates except the printing of the commissioners proceedings which under the

> diton herein made are to be published free of charge to the county of Cherry. On motion Samuel Rice was appointed road overseer district 28 and his bond for same appro-

conditions of this contract and by express con-

On motion the following claims were allowed and warrants less delinquent personal tax or dered drawn. L. N. Layport board, guard duty jailor fees 150 00 W. R. Towne fees Marroll case 5 40 5 40 15 76

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A, Lewis medical attendance M. Hoffman T. P. Spratt com fees A. S. Hand keeping Nettie Enderman pauper Crabb & Co indse for poor Jens Thompson repairing bridge C. V. Holselaw sal 4th qr 1900 \$30 00 being held out of the above claim in pay ment of medical attendance upon county pau-pers which county physican should have per-formed.

J A Hornback witness Marroll case Etta Brown typewriting bond history C M Sageser witness Marroll case James Ray ice for county Newton Grooms witness Grooms case

William Ogle A Lewis A N Compton Arthur Grooms c w Hamar Dora Grooms Wm, Allen Jr

On county road fund: LK Belding work on Edgar bridge \$15 50 Ira Johnson road overseer and supplies J J Owens work oh Edgar bridge The claims of Walcott & Ludwig and Wrought Iron Bridge Co. were laid over until the next meeting.

On motion the bond of I. M. Rice for county printing was approved. On motion the following amounts were deducted from the above allowed claims and applied on delinquent personal taxes:

C M sageser Crabb & o on Crabb & Vincent's tax Jim Ray on Mrs. J. H. Ray's tax Arthur Grooms on NJ Grooms' tax Dora Grooms

A Lewis L K Belding Whereupon board adjourned to Jan. 11

January 11-Board met as per adjournment. members all present. On motion board proceeded to select 60 names

from which to draw jury for April term. On motion townships 29 and 30 in range 36 were transferred from Gillaspie precinct to Enlow precinct.

On motion board selected as a site for court house lots 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 in block 11 of the original town of Valentine, at a cost of \$150. On motion the following claims were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on county general

W C Phillips clk dist court fees Bond case \$ 2 03 L Laufer commissioner tees 26 50 W E Haley 12 00

On motion the board agreed to let the state of Nebraska have the \$15,000 court house bonds providing they pay par for same. It being known at this time that County Treasurer Thackrey will go to Lincoln soon to make his annual settlement with state treasurer the order | By Vouchers of the board of January 2 instructing the county clerk to cake the court house bonds to Lincoln for registration at the expense of the county is rescinded and County Treasurer Thackrey is hereby authorized to take said bonds for registration and sell them to state treasurer at par. Whereupon the beard adjourned to Feb, 5 1901

Cut this out and take it to Quigley & Chapman's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. also cure disorders of the stomach, bil iousndss and headache.

FINANCIAL

Statement of the County Treasurer for Last Haif of the Year 1900

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COUNTY SINKING FUND 2015 35

LABOR AND ROAD FUND To Balance July 1, 1900

By Vouchers

Treasurer's fees

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JUDGMENT FUND

By Vouchers Treasurer's fees

By Treasurer's fees

To Balance July 1, 1900

Collections.

Collections

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SCHOOL DISTRICT FUND

SCHOOL BOND FUND

SOLDIER'S RELIEF FUND

VALENTINE VILLAGE GENERAL FUND

VALENTINE VILLAGE SINKING FUND

VALENTINE PRECINCT BOND FUND

INTEREST FUND

FINES AND LICENSE FUND

ADVERTISING FUND

REDEMPTION FUND

I. J E Thackrey, county treasurer of Cherry county do hereby certify that the above is a true statement of the receipts and expenditures

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mond Medicine Co., New York, and the ful

treatment of two large bottles will be sent to SEAL

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of this office for last half of the year 1900. J. E. THACKREY.

County Treasurer.

To Balance July 1, 1900

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Treasurer's fee

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Registered warrants not canceled

By Vouchers

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Overdraft

Transfer county general fund

By Treasurer's fees Transfer state apportionment

Transfer county general fund

Collections

By Treasurer's fees Balance

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By Vouchers

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State apportionment

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A Prominent Chicago Woman \$ 2925 07 Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-

President Illinois Woman's Alliance, 16602 38 in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened 16602 to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try 2633 Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely 2633

> sale by Quigley & Chapman. 1 3 I will run the town herd of cows this summer and do the herding myself and guarantee careful handling of all stock

> entrusted to my care. Yours Truly,

W. D. CLARKSON.

recovered, saved a doctor's till, time

and suffering, and I will never be with-

out this splendid remedy again". For

216 69 Sore and swollen joints, sharp shooting pains, torturing muscles, no rest, no sleep. That means rheumatism. It is a stubborn disease to fight but Chamberlain's P in Balm has conquered it thousands of times. It will do so whenever the opportunity is offered. 490 22 Try it. One application relieves the pain. For sale by Quigley &Chapman.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice to Non-res'dent Pefendant The Commercial Investment Co. will take no-tice that on the 9th day of January, 1901. E. W. Manchester filed a petition in the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain tax lien acquired by virtue of certificates of tax sale issued by J. E. Thackrey, county treasurer of Cherry county, Nebraska, for the payment of delinquent taxes upon the following described real estate: Northeast quarter of section 25, Township 30, Range 26, in Cherry county, Nebraska, for the years 1892 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 7897, and for subsequent taxes (as 7897, and for subsequent taxes for the years 1898 and 1899, no part of said taxes has been paid and there is now due plaintiff from defendant the sum of \$105,00, for which plaintiff prays judg-

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, February 18, 1991, er said petition will be taken as true.

E. W. MANCHESTER, Plaintiff
By F. M. Walcott, his attorney

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Petition for Appoint nent of Administrator. In county court of Cherry county Nebraska, In the matter of the estate of Jacob Ludwig,

Bertha C. Sparks filed in my office a petition praying for the appointment of Joseph A. Sparks as administrator of the estate of Jacob Ludwig deceased. All persons interested in said estate will take notice that I have fixed the 26th day of Jamary 1901 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 cause if any there be why such administrator shall not be appointed,

Witness my hand and seal this 8th day of January, 1901. SEAL W. R. TOWNE. County Judge

Order of Hearing of Final Account In the County Court of Cherry County Ne-In the matter of the estate of John W. Oens, Now on this 19th day of December comes William E. Haley, administrator of said estate and prays for leave to render an account as such

It is therefore ordered that the 5th day of January, 1901, at 10 relock a, m, at my office in Valentine in said county be fixed as the time and place for examining and allowing such account and the heirs of said d-ceased and all persons interested in said estate are required to internal remedy is pleasant to take, acts immed. appear at the time and place so designated and internal remedy is pleasant to take, acts immediately, does not disturb digestion, and is for rheumatism only in all its torturing forms, and is for that the said William E. Haley, administrator, 48 40 The external preparation restores still joints tare by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Valentine Democrat, a newspaper 98 75 druggist has not these remedies in stock, do printed and in general circulation in said connnot take anything else. Send \$5 to the Drum ty, for three weeks prior to the day set for hear-

Dated December 19, 1969 W. R. TOWNE.