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READY-MADE SHOES

Do They Fit You?

Never has a cent to spare—a dollar.

Be cheerful. It is better to live in sunshine than in gloom.

Lincoln's boyhood was spent in the roughest kind of farm labor.

The farmer who can't raise anything else, has a hard time raising money.

The easiest way for a poor man to get into society is to marry for money.

The average woman does a lot of foolish things just to see if a certain man will "care."

It is rather discouraging for a man to have to wait till he is dead, to discover he is a good fellow.

Articles on how to raise children are usually written by women who never had any children to raise.

The size of a single thread, as spun by the silkworm, is one two-hundredth part of an inch in diameter.

In 1800 there was not a rod of rail road anywhere. Today the United States alone has 185,000 miles.

The wise girl never permits herself to appear more intelligent than the man she is trying to entertain.

The governor of Texas announces that the total relief funds received for the Galveston flood sufferers amounts to \$1,988,414.

A man will get just as mad when you tell him of the lie he has told, as when you accuse him of lying when he has told the truth.

Napoleon's first plaything was a toy cannon. Late in life he said: "The whole course of my life was determined by that cannon."

Things are not always what they seem; we cannot always believe our eyes; we can sometimes rely upon the touch but taste is generally good.

The difference between extending sympathy or a \$2 bill to a poor unfortunate person, is exactly 200 cents in favor of sympathy, with most people.

As a sign to the kicking against extravagant appropriations the River and Harbor bill was reduced about \$10,000,000 before it was reported to the senate.

It usually takes a man more than half a lifetime to learn to tend to his own business, and then the younger people discover that he don't know much.

A man may be a devout church member, but when he goes to swap horses he is a good deal more anxious to find all the windgalls, splints, knots and spavins on the animal he is about to trade for, than on his own.

Christianity with some people is a Sunday suit that dissipates with the day or the occasion. If it were not for judging our neighbors we would put it the other way; that some people are every day Christians.

What is the difference between a man who will openly rob or steal from you while you are asleep and one who will pretentiously make you believe that you are going to get the value of your money and then beat you out of it.

Some men will go to church on Sunday to make a show and get up in class meeting to tell how good they would like to be—yea with tears in their eyes—and then rack their brains all week to think up some vile scheme to beat a fellow townsman.

A Virginia man advertised for a wife and received replies from 2561 women, but not one in the whole batch pleased the fastidious man, so he sold the list to a matrimonial agency and bought a wheel with the money. Who but a man of the utmost thrift could have thus plucked consolation from defeat?

Next Month

You will want to clean house and perhaps do some papering. We want you to come in and look at our selection of Wall Paper. Our stock is all new.

The Wall Paper Trust has gone to pieces and prices have dropped so we are able to show better goods for less money than we have been able to show for several years.

QUIGLEY & CHAPMAN DRUGGISTS VALENTINE, NEBR.

Scissors and Paste

Nate and Howard Burley have taken a contract to get out logs for a new house to be built by Joseph Langer.

Elmer Vitquain lost 57 head of cattle out of a herd of 97 last Friday and Saturday by the dreaded cornstalk disease. Mr. Vitquain we understand has pastured stalk fields in that immediate vicinity to the ground without suffering a single loss, but unfortunately purchased a neighboring field and turned in with above results.

Newton Gates came up from Merrim Tuesday evening, returning on No. 4.

Rev. Easley has so far recovered from his second attack of the grip as to be able to be around some.

E. C. Harris stopped in Gordon a few minutes Tuesday morning. He was on his way to Irwin to receive the cattle purchased of S. W. Chesnut.

Rev. Barleigh was down from Hay Springs Saturday to attend the funeral of Dr. Davis, who was an old time friend of the reverend.

Judge Westover received a letter Monday from Mrs. Westover stating that she was well enough to come home and would start for Rushville next Saturday. The Judge started to Lincoln this morning to accompany her home.

By the removal of Frank Hushka from Grant township to Valentine, Neb., that township and Franklin county loses one of its best citizens.

The facts are that the board met for the purpose of making arrangements for the new court house, adopting plans and calling for bids. Claims were not entitled to consideration until the regular meeting unless the board saw fit to take them up.

C. A. Johnson, the banker at Woodlake, was in Ainsworth last Saturday.

Word comes from Johnston that Otto Berger sold his store at that place to Chas. Honnen.

A rousing meeting of the business men of Ainsworth was held in Rising's hall last Monday afternoon and unanimously voted to build a telephone line to Springview from this point thence to Norden.

Judge Potter issued a marriage license last Saturday to Archie S. Allen and Miss Ida Garner, both of Eli, Cherry county.

The couple drove to Johnston where they were married by Rev. Ida Thomas, Sunday, Feb. 24, 1901.

W. T. Kincaid, of Valentine, has accepted a position with Munson & Howe and entered upon his duties Saturday morning.

County Judge Potter issued a permit to commit matrimony to Archie Lovett and Miss Ida Garner, both of Eli, Neb., Saturday.

Geo. Hershey has bought the Eels property and is having it repaired and put in readiness for occupation for himself and family.

H. C. Barto shipped in 3,500 sheep Tuesday morning which will be fed for market in the yards of J. H. Davison.

He also sent 2,500 head into Rock county to be fed for market.

Chas. Richards went to Valentine on Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pavlik, yesterday morning.

Geo. Heyne bought three registered Shorthorn bulls from the Essex bunch, Monday.

G. W. Lately "caught a ride" with a car of horses, Monday, and went to eastern Iowa.

Geo. Heyne is now in possession of and residing on the ranch he bought from C. Cutcomb.

C. Cutcomb shipped the two carloads of horses he bought from Geo. F. Heine to eastern Iowa, Monday morning.

Mrs. Jennie Eggistone and Miss Pearl Newell went to Valentine on 26 Tuesday, returning yesterday morning.

Wm. Flanery informs the Cow Boy that he has written for his mother who resides in San Francisco to come to Cody.

Miss Alma Carlson, principal of the Cody schools, went home on the noon train, Tuesday, suffering with an attack of the grip.

F. L. Reed sent a bunch of 35 horses down to his Holt county ranch in charge of his foreman Vetel Valandry, and his son, Lyle. The boys left with the horses on last Friday morning.

Morace Appel and A. Tardicken, representing the Franklin Cattle Co., returned to Cody last Saturday afternoon coming in from Valentine on 27.

Miss Inez Pettycrew, of Valentine, and Lizzie Danofsky, of Georgia, were registered at the Cody Hotel, Monday morning. They had been to Valentine

and on returning Monday morning on No. 3 they were carried by Georgia and came on to Cody and returned on No. 4. Robert Dickson went to Irwin yesterday morning and from there started a beef supply for Pine Ridge, where an issue will be made on Saturday. It takes three days to make the drive.

COMMUNICATIONS

Resistance Commendable.

As regards the incident of the W. C. T. U. ladies visiting the saloons for the purpose of taking steps to enforce the law against gambling, permit me to say: resistance to a tyranny that tramples the law of God and man underfoot, wrongs, debauches and makes vicious a fellow being is commendable and should be encouraged by all honest people. They do honor to the law of God and man even if force has to be used.

White's History.

In reply to the articles going the rounds of the papers that Jim White shot three men in Montana and had to leave there on that account is nothing more nor less than a straightforward libel. At the time Jim White was shot they thought there was no possibility of his recovery and he was beyond self defense and had no friends to see that justice was done him and they wanted a good story to clear them from crime and it had that effect. But when the truth comes to light there is a vast change in the scene.

Jim White has been a cowboy of the west. He has always been known as Jim White or Kid White; he has never had an assumed name or been where the officers could not find him if they wanted him. Jim White never shot three men in Montana neither did he shoot one man there or anywhere else. Moreover Jim White never shot at a man in Montana or anywhere else. He did not leave Montana on the sly or under disgrace but he did leave there publicly under good wages as a foreman for a government contractor who had a large drove of cattle to bring through here.

Down the River

The ice has passed out of the Niobrara and no bridges lost. Snow, snow more snow is what we need as long as it doth blow.

Buckshot Owens is not afraid of cowboy Esta when he has the law on his side.

The dance Wednesday night of last week was well attended, both with dancers and eatables.

T. J. Ashburn and family, and J. S. Grooms and family were visitors at A. W. Grooms' last Sunday.

The party at Mr. Bishop's last week passed off nicely. It was rather early in the season for cherries but all the same cherries were picked at the party.

The new commander at Ft. Niobrara makes different arrangements as to moving buildings from the fort. He says: "boys this belongs to the government." Sears has dropped.

Dick Osburn is happy twice; he has his new well completed, and one day last week the seventh son arrived. Dick will necessarily have to increase his stock of horses; for seven sons he will need seven teams and seven saddle horses.

YOUNGSTER.

Georgia News.

Miss Nettie Himes was in Georgia Tuesday.

Mr. Albert Thomas was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott was up from the river Sunday.

Mr. William Wray went to Valentine Monday afternoon.

Mr. A. T. Brackett and W. A. Wilson went to Crookston, Wednesday.

Mr. W. A. Wilson received a Valentine showing him how he broke his young broncho.

Mr. Seward Wilson the son of W. Wilson has got the lagrippe and is gaining slowly.

Miss Lizzie Danofsky went to Valentine with a smiling face Saturday afternoon and returned Monday morning.

Miss Lizzie Porath came up from Valentine Tuesday and stayed at the home of Mrs. Stasch until her brother came after her.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Anna Schultz is enjoying her school about three miles and a half from Georgia, in the Beach district.

Miss Lillian Melshaw who has been staying at Mrs. Stasch and going to school will return to her home in the German settlement.

Mrs. M. E. Phelps went to Valentine a week ago last Tuesday, from there she went to Omaha and from there to her home in Chicago.

J. A. V. Johnson getting afraid of the storm went out to hunt his cattle but are glad to say that he found them as well as can be expected.

Miss Inez Pettycrew spent Saturday and Sunday in Valentine. We are glad to say that she is enjoying her school and has twenty-one pupils enrolled.

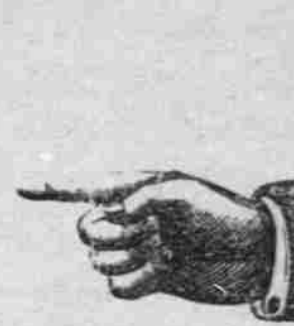
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Brushes



Hat Tooth Hair Bath Nail Clothes Shoe Complexion Shaving Paint White-wash Whiskomine

Call at ELLIOTT'S DRUG STORE

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

J. S. Grange of near Kennedy spent yesterday in town.

Robert Dyer went to Gordon on business, Tuesday night.

John McDermot, a brother-in-law of W. E. Haley, is visiting here this week.

Bonn Longland went to Sturgis, S. D., last night to visit his parents for a couple of weeks.

C. H. Thompson wound up his business affairs and left Valentine for the southeast, Monday morning.

U. Boyer is figuring on running the town herd the coming season and solicits your patronage. Proper care guaranteed.

Comstock & Harris bought W. Chesnut's ranch. Mr. Harris is one of the officers of the F. E. & M. V. and also bought Bartlett Richard's bank at Chadron.

A man who knows informs the DEMOCRAT that he saw a peddler coming out of a house where they had small pox last week about 30 miles south of town. Do you want him to bring disease to your family.

We are reliably informed that peddlers are scouring the country entering where small pox exists and then going to other places scattering the disease. Let everyone refuse admittance to these peddlers.

Hear "A Noble Outcast" at Cornell Hall Saturday night, March 16, by the Fairview Dramatic Co. Tickets for sale at Quigley & Chapman's drug store. Admission, for adults, 25c; for children, 15 cents. The first fifty 25-cent tickets sold will be for reserved seats.

Bailey Briefs.

Mr. Smallpox and Mrs. Scarlet Fever are in Cody.

Springs work will soon be upon us, speedily be ye ready.

Let the first year of the century be a great tree planting year.

Harry bought a Shorthorn bull from Churn ranch on the 2nd.

Dr. Goodin is having good success with his Oxygen King.

Our Bailey postmistress can whistle a tune as good as any man.

Lulu Sellers and Nellie Goodin went to Missouri flat to visit on the 2nd.

The callers at Heath brothers on the 2nd are too numerous to mention; they were all his.

I. H. Seager is the best prepared with hay in this vicinity. He's no nibbler; an old fish knows good bait from poor.

Prosperity is general, business was never livelier or profits better with defaulters, absconders, bank robbers kidnapers and common thieves than right now.

GUESS-WHO-I-AM.

Eli Precine.

I. B. Nichols has his new house about ready to plaster.

Every day of this fine weather brings us one day nearer grass.

Frank Hewlett has moved on to the place he purchased of F. R. Yanish.

Miss Ida Garner was married to Mr. Archie Allen, section foreman at Eli, a week ago last Sunday. Mrs. Allen is well liked by the people of this community and Archie has drawn a prize from life's lottery that he may well feel proud of.

C. W. Goodrich's and Wm. Spence's families have each taken a girl's name since our last report and J. E. Selden's wife presented him with a twelve pound boy some time ago and John hasn't touched the ground only on the high places since.

SANDY.

Strayed from my ranch near Simeon during the first of January, three cows branded V D on left hip and one steer branded W F connected, left hip. Also one heifer branded A X on left side.

W. D. MORGAREIDGE.

A THOMPSON

Postoffice Address: Simeon Neb. Stock branded same as out behind left shoulder. Range on the Bohlgia.

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Woodlake Neb. John Roan's private mark, sit in left ear.

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CITY DELIVERY

To haul your TRUNKS, VALISES and PACKAGES 10c.

Call JOHN D. EATON

J. W. DANIELS, County Clerk.

Notice to Contractor

The board of county commissioners of Cherry county, Nebraska, invite bids for the construction of a court house at Valentine, Neb., upon plans and specifications which will be found in the office of the clerk of said county after the 4th day of March 1901.

Bids to be opened March 20, 1901 at 1 o'clock p. m.

Guard reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1901. J. W. DANIELS, County Clerk.

Valentine, Neb.

In the District Court of Cherry County Nebraska

In the matter of the Application of W. E. Haley, Administrator of the estate of Abram Coleman, deceased, for Order to show Cause.

And now on this 25th day of February, 1901, this cause came on for hearing before W. H. Westover, one of the district judges of Cherry county, Nebraska, at Chambers in the town of Rushville, Nebraska, upon the petition of W. E. Haley, administrator of said estate, praying for license to sell the following described real estate to-wit: South half of the northeast quarter, and the north half of the southeast quarter of section 23, township 35, range 31, Cherry county Nebraska, for payment of debts and expenses of administering said estate and for the distribution of the residue of the proceeds of said sale among the heirs of the said Abram Coleman, deceased.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at Valentine, Nebraska, on the 8th day of April, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why license should not be granted to said administrator to sell said real estate.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this notice be published four successive weeks in the Valentine Democrat, in Cherry county Nebraska.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1901, at Rushville, Nebraska. W. H. WESTOVER, Judge.

Sale of Estray.

I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at my place in German precinct near Elgie P. O. Saturday March 3, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described estray to-wit: One Arabian gray mare, age unknown, blind in one eye and branded circle J on right shoulder. Weight about 150 pounds. W. A. WILSON, Elgie, Neb.

Ordinance No. 87

An ordinance to repeal Ordinance No. 88 of the Village of Valentine, Nebraska.

Be It Ordained by the Chairman and Board of Trustees of the Village of Valentine, Nebraska.

SECTION 1. Ordinance number fifty-eight of the Village of Valentine Nebraska is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law.

Passed and approved March 6th, 1901.

Attest: D. SEINARD, Chairman.

SEAL A. M. MORRISSEY, Village Clerk.

Notice to Creditors

In county court, within and for Cherry county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of A. H. Ferguson, 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 26th day of March, 1901 at 10 o'clock a. m. to receive and examine all claims against the said estate with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is 11 months from the 18th day of June, A. D. 1901, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 18th day of June, 1901.

Witness my hand and the seal of said county court this 6th day of March, 1901.

W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Rheumatism

Is quickly relieved and promptly cured by Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedies. The internal remedy is pleasant to take, acts immediately does not disturb digestion and is for rheumatism only in all its torturing forms. The external preparation restores stiff joints, draws out and hardens muscles. If your druggist has not these remedies in stock, do not take anything else. Send \$5 to the Drummond Medicine Co., New York, and the full treatment of two large bottles will be sent to your express address. Agents wanted.

Wanted!

Reliable man for manager of branch office we wish to open in this vicinity. If your record is O. K. here is an opportunity. Kindly give good reference when writing.

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