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For Shoes

SPRING footwear in the same styles shown by leading city stores, but at smaller prices is our boast, and we make the assertion good. Our experience in this line and "know how" in picking out good quality, stylish footwear to retail at close prices, is a direct benefit to people who buy shoes here, for they get superior value for their money. Why not see if we cannot please you better than anyone else? Our shoe man knows how to FIT shoes. That's as important as quality and style, for it means comfort, too.

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will wear out, no matter how good, but some wears out a lot sooner than our kind. We buy from manufacturers who know how to put long wear into their hosiery without sacrificing appearance. In children's school hose we have an especially desirable line at 25 cents that saves darning. Try the "BLACK CAT" hose.

THE RED FRONT

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Mrs. E. E. Underwood, proprietor of the Cody Eating House, spent Monday in our city.

Our races will be fine if it will only stop raining now and let the track dry up so the horses won't slip.

Cutting parts furnished for all kinds and styles of mowing machines and binders at E. Breuklander's.

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You should have letter heads with your name and address printed on them. It costs very little and you get first-class paper, too.

WANTED—A boy to work on farm. \$15 per month.

MARK D. CYPHERS.
Valentine, Nebr.

Mrs. J. W. Smyser has been quite sick for a couple of weeks past and this week goes to St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha in hopes of recovering her health.

Having recently purchased one of the Newcomb fly-shuttle rag carpet looms I am now prepared to do all kinds of rag carpet weaving on short notice.

MRS. ADA A. HOLSCLOW
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Valentine, Nebr.

The recent heavy rains have softened up the ground considerably and the hearts of the farmers leap for joy over the starting of fine crops of all kinds but they have had enough for the present and are glad to see a few sunshiny days.

John Britt, of Britt, was in town the first of the week and seems to be improving in health considerably. He has suffered from the rheumatism during the past winter until his life was despaired of. We are glad to see him again in hopes of the enjoyment of life.

C. M. Hunter, hospital steward at Ft. Niobrara, was a pleasant visitor at the DEMOCRAT office this week. Mr. Hunter was formerly engaged in newspaper work in the east and besides being a practical printer has worked in all lines of the newspaper and printing business.

Wm. Brown, of Crookston, intends shipping a car load of horses back to his former home at Zanesville, Ohio, about the first of July. Mr. Brown has been in the country as one of the pioneers and though he spent considerable money trying to farm he has made it pay by raising stock.

We are indebted to Theo. Tillson for a pleasant visit Tuesday while he was in town from his farm down the Niobrara. Mr. Tillson has 25 acres of corn that is knee high and is growing nicely during the rains and as he is a worker we can vouch for his corn being clean and well cultivated.

Ed Satterlee had the misfortune of having his store front struck by lightning last week during a storm and did some damage though not serious. Mr. Satterlee thinks about \$25 is the extent of the damage and as it is insured in the Nebraska Mercantile Mutual the loss will soon be adjusted.

Strayed or stolen from my ranch 5 miles west of Valentine on the Minnechadusa: 5 head of horses about May 1. One iron grey mare and colt; one sorrel yearling colt; one three year old horse colt dark bay or black, white spot in forehead and white hind foot; one buckskin yearling colt branded PE on right shoulder. Liberal reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of the above property.

GEO. J. GASKILL, Valentine.

Mrs. Abba Thackrey and her sister-in-law Mrs. Elva Thackrey returned Tuesday morning from their trip to Hot Springs by rail. They got tired of riding over land and longed for a comfortable bed and pleasant surroundings. It is pleasant for a while but it soon grows old and yet there are lots of people who enjoy a trip with a team and camping out. Rev. John E. Thackrey was called to Kansas City and Jas. E. is coming home with the team alone.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeWoody of Ainsworth are visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Brayton this week. Mr. Brayton took them out trout fishing Monday and one of Valentine's fishermen who is generally successful is compelled to turn over the belt to Mrs. Frank Brayton as being the most successful in trout fishing having caught the first fish caught, the last one caught and more fish than all the remainder of the fishing party.

Local Weather Record

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau
Valentine, Nebraska, week ending Tuesday, June 19, 1901

Mean temperature, 68 degrees which is 20 degrees below the average.
Mean temperature for corresponding week last year, 68 degrees.

Highest temperature, 82 degrees on the 13th.
Lowest temperature, 48 degrees on the 10th.
Highest and lowest temperature for corresponding week last year, 88 degrees and 49 degrees respectively.

Total rainfall, 4.10 inches, which is 3.26 inches above the average. On the 14th and 15th 2.25 inches fell in about 48 hours.
Total rainfall for corresponding week of last year, .09 of an inch.

Maximum velocity of wind, 40 miles on the 13, Percentage of sunshine, 75.

Last week's rainfall as a record smasher is up a tree. And, we regret to say the end is not yet. Unsettled conditions still prevail as last night's water and fireworks will testify. But as a local Solon remarked this morning, "Nebraska soil can hold lots of water," we wish to remark that, judging from the large number of lakes great and small about town, it can hold water exceedingly well.

D. C. GRUNDY,
Observer, Weather Bureau.

Walt G. Baker the stock solicitor is in town this week.

M. E. Hall, of Cody, was down the first part of the week.

Tom Ashburn, the orator of the Niobrara, was in town Monday.

Come and see our 10c counter of actual values. W. A. PETTICREW.

The government is advertising for bids to repair the bridge across the Niobrara this side of the fort. At present people are compelled to ford the river near the mouth of the Minnechadusa.

Sol Ellis was in town the first of the week and tells the editor to tell the people that they will celebrate at Simeon and invites everybody to come. While Uncle Sam smiles the eagle will flap his wings and scream.

Isaac Morgareldge a life long Democrat and a veteran of the civil war having been in service four years, is out here from Alameda and has taken a claim joining his brother, Willis D. It was one formerly held by George N. Davis.

The dance that was to have been given last Friday night was postponed to Saturday night on account of the rain. A good time is reported by those attending though the crowd was not as large as it would have been had the weather been favorable enough to have had it Friday night as advertised.

John Porath came to town Monday and informs us that he has just completed five 3-inch tubular wells for Faddis and Steadman on their range. Mr. Porath is having good success with his wells and the people who patronize him are well pleased. While in town Mr. Porath purchased a wide tired wagon to haul his apparatus for drilling.

Yes, Crookston will celebrate. The eagle will scream as it never did before at Crookston. The young eaglets will fire the cannons galore in honor of the stars and bars that float out upon the air, an emblem of what our forefathers suffered that our land might be free and of a people brave. The young and old should meet and enjoy the day while Uncle Sam smiles.

James Roby came in Tuesday morning with Wm. Brown claiming the horses advertised by Wm. Brown last week, squared accounts with us and went his way rejoicing that he was a subscriber to a paper that has a wide circulation and goes into a thousand homes in northern Nebraska. Mr. Roby formerly lived in Sheridan county but has a son living down east 50 miles or 15 miles the other side of Springview and his horses were straying between ranges.

Pete Decory the early scout and government employee under General Jos. E. Johnson as chief artificer and travelled over these lands 46 years ago, brought down four carloads of horses which he ships to St. Joe Mo Tuesday morning. Mr. Decory has long since become independent in this world's goods and money is no object to him. He wants to live right and see the world. During the summer Mr. Decory will go to Buffalo and visit his former home along the St. Lawrence river and is as familiar with Thousand Island as he is with the Sioux reservation.

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Evaporated Pears	per lb	10cts
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Solid Pack Tomatoes	3 lb can	10cts
Sugar Corn	2lb cans, 3 for	25cts
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California Blackberries	3lb cans, 2 for	25cts
Gooseberries, Gall'on cans		50cts

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VALENTINE - NEBRASKA

We hear that Geo. N. Davis has moved to Brown county.

Levi Sparks came down from Cody last Saturday to visit the wife and babies.

You want good stationary. We have it and will do your printing at a trifle of expense.

Have your name printed on your envelopes. Its a business transaction. We do the work at small expense.

Andrew Koralewski was in our city Sunday and Monday and remembered the editor with an advance subscription.

One day last week our worthy, good natured and respected proprietor of the Valentine Ice Trust, went forth in his boat upon the peaceful waters of the Minnechadusa armed with weapons common to the fishermen, vowing within himself to fish. At an unlucky moment or the size of the fish we were unable to learn which, out went Jim, jumper, boots and all into the water. It being deep water and the boots heavy, Jim turned in his downward course and came up head first. It was a narrow escape for the Ice Trust and our citizens feel thankful that Jim was spared.

All kinds of heavy hardware and wagon wood stock at E. Breuklander's.

Albert Nenzel and family drove down from his native town to transact business in our city Monday. We expected a call from him as he generally remembers our location. Mr. Nenzel is one of the early settlers of Cherry county and is known by most of our people in the north and central part of our geographical division and long after the present generation has passed away the town that bears his name will be a monument to the Nenzel family and they become a link in the history of our country.

Henry F. Barker died at his home, down the river, last Friday morning, June 14, 1901, of heart failure. He had been failing of late but on the morning of his death had been out milking his cows and doing chores when he began feeling faint and went to the house to rest for awhile. He died a few minutes afterward sitting in his chair. Mr. Barker was an early settler and was well liked by all who knew him. We hope to publish a more complete account in our correspondence from near where he lived.

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