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Charles H. Faulhaber Breeder of Res'ed Herefords. Hyam, No. 74,538, at head of herd.

HENRY AUGUSTON Blacksmith Brownlee, Nebr. Does general blacksmithing at hard times prices for cash

PAT HE T Valentine, Nebr. Good, Hard Rock for sale in any quantity

H. M. CRAMER, City Deliveryman. Trunks, valises and packages hauled to and from the depot and all parts of the City.

W. A. K'MBELL Barber First-class Shop in Every Respect Eau de Quintine Hair Tonic, Golden Star Hair Tonic, Herpelide and Coco's Dandruff Cure.

LEROEY LEACH County Surveyor Valentine or Woodlake GENERAL WORK PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

JOHN PORATH Bige, Nebr. Tubular wells and Eclipse windmills. Wells guaranteed five years.

A. M. MORRISSEY Attorney at Law Valentine, Nebr.

A. N. COMPTON Physician and Surgeon Office at Quigley & Chapman's Drug Store. Nights—The Donohor.

Edward S. Furay Physician and Surgeon Office Fraternal Hall or Elliott's Drug Store.

F. M. WALCOTT ATTORNEY AND ABSTRACTOR Valentine, Nebr. Practices in District Court and U. S. Land Office.

The Democrat -FOR- Job Work.

TIME TABLE WEST BOUND No. 27 Frt. Daily 2:33 P. M. No. 25 ... except Sunday 9:40 A. M.

UNION HOTEL Located on Cherry St. 2nd door south of Smyser's livery. Furnishes excellent board and lodging. Meals same old price 25 cents.

MILL PRICES FOR FEED. BRAN, bulk ... 1.50 per cwt \$20.00 No shorts bulk ... 1.15 per cwt \$22.00

ETTA BROWN SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION Examination Third Saturday of each month and Friday preceding.

Paint, Wall Paper, Calcimine.

Brushes, Pure Linseed Oil Varnishes.

Christensen's LINIMENT. This is a Spanish Herb Liniment. Cures Rheumatism, Swellings, Sprains, Bruises, Aches and Pains.

M. P. HALEY'S HOME MADE LINIMENT. Directions for using:—Shake well and turn the mouth of the bottle onto sponge or flannel cloth and apply upon the soreness or afflicted parts.

Notice:—This Liniment has been tested and proved to be a cure for the above described ailments. M. P. HALEY, VALENTINE, NEB.

D. A. Hancock Blackburn, Mo. Simon, Nebraska. Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also 16 on left side with on left hip some cattle; also some on right side. Horse brand, rake and on left shoulder.

P. S. ROUSCHE Postoffice address: Brownlee, Neb. On left side of any part of animal. Ear mark—right ear cut off; horses branded same on left hip. Also has stock branded H on side or shoulder, or JK or W or VL or O or FZ.

SEQUAH (3267) Dark brown, Foaled Nov. 24th, 1889. Sire "Nimrod" (1066), by "Comet" (151), by "Eclipse" (191) by "St. Giles" (687) by "Wildfire" (867). Sequah's dam 289 Lady-bird F. S. Vol. 7 by Restless T. B. Sequah's G. dam by Larrywheat (T. B.)

He will stand for season of 1902 at Sherman's barn.

J. W. STETTER. Owner.

WONDERFUL BROECK THE ORIGINAL SPOTLESS TOWN IS IN NORTHERN HOLLAND.

A neatness and a Brilliance That Are Absolutely Painful Permeate the Whole Place—Rules Which the Inhabitants Must Observe. Far up in northern Holland among the dikes and canals of the little kingdom lies Broeck, the original Spotless Town.

Citizens must leave their shoes at the door when entering a house. Before or after sunset no one is allowed to smoke excepting with a pipe having a cover, so that the ashes will not be scattered upon the street.

Any one crossing the village on horseback must get out of the saddle and lead the horse. A cuspidor shall be kept by the front door of each house, where it may be accessible from the window.

In addition to these established rules it is the custom for every citizen who sees a leaf or a bit of straw blown before his house by the wind to pick it up and throw it into the canal.

The people go 500 paces out of the village to dust their shoes. Dozens of boys are paid to blow the dust from between the bricks in the streets four times an hour.

Around every house in Broeck are buckets, benches, rakes, hoes and stakes, all colored red, blue, white or yellow. The brilliancy and variety of colors and the cleanliness, brightness and miniature pomp of the place are wonderful.

The gardens are as peculiar as the houses. The paths are hardly wide enough to walk in. One could put his arm around the flowerbeds. The dainty arbors would barely hold two persons sitting close together.

The rooms are very tiny and resemble so many bazaars. There are porcelain figures on the cupboard, Chinese cups and sugar bowls on and under the tables, plates fastened on the walls, clocks, ostrich eggs, shells, vases, plates, glasses, placed in every corner and concealed in every nook, cupboards full of hundreds of trifles and ornaments without name, a crowding disorder and utter confusion of colors—Public Opinion.

A RESTORATION BEAU.

Daily Programme of a Dandy in England During Charles' Time. The history of an ordinary day of a restoration beau was something like this: From about 10 till 12 he received visitors in his sleeping chamber, where he lay in state, with his periwig, thickly powdered, lying beside him on the coverlet.

As soon as he deemed proper the beau arose and with incredible difficulty proceeded to put on all his charms, to perfume his garments, to soak his hands in washes for the sake of producing whiteness and delicacy, to tinge his cheeks with carminative.

The character of the beau, so far as his outward and personal appearance was concerned, was now complete, and as in those days fashionable gentlemen used their legs to a much less extent than they do now our imaginary beau would have directed his valet to order a sedan chair without delay.

APHORISMS. You never lift up a life without being yourself lifted up.—Emerson.

To ease another's headache is to forget one's own.—Abraham Lincoln.

It is ever true that he who does nothing for others does nothing for himself.—Goethe.

'Tis far better to love and be poor than to be rich with an empty heart.—Lewis Morris.

God doesn't care for what is on the outside; he cares for what is inside.—Rev. M. Baleock.

Fruitless is sorrow for having done amiss if it issue not in a resolution to do so no more.—Bishop Horne.

The next time you are discouraged just try encouraging some one else and see if it will not cheer you.—J. R. Miller.

Sin is never at a stay. If we do not retreat from it, we shall advance in it, and the farther on we go the more we have to come back.—Barrow.

Kind looks, kind words, kind acts and warm hand shakes—these are secondary means of grace when men are in trouble and are fighting their unseen battles.—Dr. John Hall.

Queen Elizabeth's Amulet. Queen Elizabeth during her last illness wore around her neck a charm made of gold which had been bequeathed her by an old woman in Wales, who declared that so long as the queen wore it she would never be ill.

The Absentminded Professor. At a session of the German reichstag an absentminded member, Herr Wichmann, created no little amusement. He was calling the roll, and upon reaching his own name he paused for a response. Naturally none came. Then he called the name more loudly, waited a few seconds and roared it out at the top of his voice.

Misdirected Philanthropy. "Ah got no use for de man," said Charcoal Eph in one of his philosophical turns. "dat donate er thousand dollahs 'r de heathen fund ob de fashionable church wid one han' an' raise de rents on his tenement houses wid de udder. Ah 'spec' he bettah begin practicin' crawlin' fro' de eye ob er needle, Mistah Jackson!"—Baltimore News.

Quite Amicable. "Why did you quit your job? Did you have a disagreement with the boss?" "Oh, no; not at all. I told him I had to have more money or I would quit, and he said it was mutually satisfactory."—Indianapolis News.

When there has been a death in the family, the house seems terribly large. —Atchison Globe.

Benevolence is to love all men; knowledge, to know all men.—Confucius.

McCann Items

Very dry and hot here. We need rain badly. Herman Schultz, of Georgia, is preparing to go to Washington.

Mrs. Elizabeth Danofsky, mother of William and Paul Danofsky, is very low with paralysis with no hopes of recovery. RELIABLE.

Arabia Items. Miss Ada Anderson is visiting with Geo. Veach this week.

Miss Katie Keeley has spent several days at the home of M. J. Jordan.

M. J. Jordan commenced haying last week but he is unable to procure men to assist him.

Johnny Cogswell is working in the hay field for A. Benson. He looks as thin and lively as ever.

Miss Orah Britton made final proof on her homestead last week. We are sorry, for we will see less of her.

Some of the neighbors seem to think it more profitable to stack hay than to attend church on Sunday. Wonder where they will be admitted for such transgressions.

The ice cream social which was to have been given in Clear Lake Union church on the 12th was postponed indefinitely. If anybody was disappointed by the change, please forgive the correspondent's part.

Since Arabia has been infested by beautiful women the young men have taken new attractions. We notice John arrayed in his very best and looking radiant, while Mike has removed the bandage from his head and declares that he feels better than ever.

M. J. Jordan has made a demand that the school house be moved, as he wants to use that particular site for building purposes, therefore a special school meeting was convened on the 12th.

The officers and patrons of the Old Settlers' Reunion of Sparks, Nebr., are requested to meet at Sparks, Neb., Saturday, Aug. 2, 1902, at 1 p. m., to prepare a program for the reunion to be held in the latter part of August. C. S. REECE, Secy.

New Branding Methods We have received several requests for more information on the subject of acid branding for cattle.

The high school district proposition which was recently voted on, was lost by a majority of eight. Following is the vote of each district:

Table with 3 columns: District, For, Against

Witness my hand and seal this 9th day of July, 1902.

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Business Notices.

Notices under this heading 5 cents per line each insertion. Among reading matter, 10 cents per line each insertion.

Full and complete line of candies at Bohle's. Fine stock of cigars always carried at Bohle's.

Buy your bread, cakes and pies at Bohle's. Fresh every day.

All kinds of heavy hardware and wagon wood stock at E. Breuklanders.

Highest market price paid for Chickens, Game and Fish at the Donohor.

A 10x12 letter press, good as new and a large lawn mower for sale. Inquire at this office.

Hot air furnace suitable to heat a 10 or 12 room house for sale at the Donohor hotel.

Lee's Lice and Mite Killer is the greatest insect destroyer, the greatest labor saver and the least expensive in the end.

Wanted Men to put up 800 acres of hay at Kilgore.

For Sale One large work team, weight about 3,000 pounds.

For Sale 100 Head of high grade Storthern cows, heifers and other young stock.

Ranch for Sale or Lease!! 16 quarter sections, good range, hay water and timber.

Wanted To contract from 500 to 1,500 tons of hay in lots to suit, either mowing or stacking or both.

Estray Notice Taken up at my place, 2 miles east of Crookston, on June 7, 1902, 1 brown horse branded BD on left thigh about 3 years old.

Estray Notice Strayed from my place nine miles northwest of Valentine, on April 27th, one bay mare four years old, white strip on face.

Legal Notice In the County Court Cherry county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of John B. Seadore, deceased.

Legal Notice In the County Court of Cherry county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Lizzie Seadore, deceased.

Killing Mites and Lice To prove that your hens have lice and to show how easy it is to free your fowls from the insect pests—just nail up a wide board against the under side of the roost.