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Ollie Grecian from Marshall, Mo. visited J. E. Thackrey the past week. Capt. Chapman and wife, of the Post, Misses McKaskie, of Ft. Sheridan, Hanna, of Roswell N. M., and Moore, of Clarendon Tex., Lieuts. Dodge and Martin with Percy Schockley as guide went out to Hackberry Lake last Thursday for an outing and to hunt ducks.

Double Wedding.

Wm. N. Ballard to Miss Cassie Richardson, and Frank D. Ballard to Miss Mattie C. Thompson, all of Simeon. They were married at the Valentine House by Judge Towne Wednesday, Oct. 15, 1902. The DEMOCRAT extends best wishes.

Notice Delinquent Taxes.

I hereby give notice that if all delinquent personal taxes are not paid at once, I will proceed to collect same, by issuing distress warrants to all persons indebted to Cherry County, Nebraska, for such taxes. W. C. SHATTUCK, County Treasurer.

Cut this out and send.

We need money. Those who call and pay up all back subscription and a year in advance to the VALENTINE DEMOCRAT during the next two months we will make a straight rate of one dollar per year. Clip this out and send it with a years subscription in advance together with what you now owe. Only good to Dec. 16, '02.

Teacher's Association.

The November meeting of the east section of the Cherry Co. Teacher's Association will be held Saturday, November 8, 1902 in the high school building at Valentine, Nebr. The following program will be rendered.

- Song Ass'n. Nature Study—Chapt. V, VI and VII. (See questions in Nebr. Teacher.) Continued Story Chapter III, Mrs. Lottie Cramer. Duet—Mrs. Vaughn and Miss Holcomb Roll Call—Answer with questions from "Waymarks for Teachers" pages 40 to 80. Paper—Primary Reading. Miss Laura Tillson. Song Ass'n. Paper—Roosevelt's Attitude toward the Trusts, Clinton Collett. Any subjects which teachers desire to hear discussed should be mentioned to some member of the program committee.

Teacher's Association.

The Teachers of Western Cherry Co. will meet at Merriman Saturday Oct. 24th at 1:30 p. m.

PROGRAM

- Music Ass'n. Culture Value of Mathematics Mrs. Kittie Crove. Review of Chapters III and IV of Nature Study and Life. By Ass'n. The Examination—Its Nature, Utility and Abuse Jessie Bowring Discussion Fanny VanBaskirk. Music Ass'n. The Christian Element in the Public School Jennie Crowe Discipline in the Primary Grades Mrs. Morgareidge. Music

Notice to Creditors.

In County Court within and for Cherry County, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of George H. Q. Smith 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 18th day of October 1902 at 2 o'clock p. 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 the 15th day of October A. D. 1902 and the time limited for the payment of debts is one year from said 22nd day of March 1902.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 22nd day of September 1902. W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Notice to Non-resident Defendant.

To Mary L. Osborne, non-resident defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 6th day of October, 1902, Alfred Osborne, plaintiff, filed his petition against you in the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a decree of absolute divorce from you and to secure a decree awarding to the plaintiff the care, custody and control of Leonard E. Osborne, the infant child of the plaintiff and the defendant, on the grounds of adultery.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendant.

To A. R. Hemminger, first and real name unknown, non-resident defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 28th day of February, 1901, Stella S. Ballard as plaintiff, filed her petition in the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, against you impelled with J. W. Crissman, first and real name unknown, and Mary J. Crissman, as your co-defendants, the object and prayer of which are to establish and foreclose a tax lien upon the following described real estate to wit: N1/2 of the N1/2 and 1/2 of the N1/2 of section 8, township 25, range 26, in Cherry County, Nebraska, for the taxes assessed and levied for the year 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1899, for which said land was sold to this plaintiff for the sum of \$38.74; to have an accounting on \$38.73 thereon, from the 13th day of February, 1901 at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. To have said land sold for the payment and satisfaction of the amount due for such taxes, interest, penalties, and costs of suit, and costs of sale; to bar, foreclose, and exclude the defendants and each of them, from having or claiming any lien, title, interest, or equity of redemption in, or to the same, or in part thereof, and for general relief. You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 24th day of November, 1902. STELLA S. BULLARD, Plaintiff By E. M. WALCOTT, her attorney. Dated October 14, 1902.

MILLS BROS. Cattle and horses branded on left side or shoulder. Brand registered 1091. Range—12 miles southwest of Merriman on the Niobrara river.

H A BUCK Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb. Branded on left side Range eighteen miles north of Hyannis

Roan Brothers Woodlake Neb John Roan's private mark, slit in left ear

C F COOPER Postoffice address Oasis, Neb. Brand registered 2065 Cattle branded on left side same as cut Horses branded on left hip. Also some cattle branded;

J A SAULTS Cattle on left hip. Horses on left shoulder. Some stock yet bearing my former brand as shown below.

Postoffice address Gregory, Neb On left side or left shoulder Horses same on hip

A'len & Sons Ft. Niobrara. Brand registered No 870 Horses branded on left hip Range—Niobrara river 12 miles east of Valentine

Shadbolt & Fleishman. Bailey, Nebr. Left side, S P left shoulder. Herdmark: dew lap. Range—Range 36 and 37, between Niobrara and the Snake.

G. H. Seager. Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska. Cattle branded as on cut on left side, hip and shoulder; horses same Range, Snake Creek

J. B. Lord Simeon Neb Stock branded same as cut back of right shoulder and on right hip Range on the Niobrara

F. W. Jersig Valentine, Nebr. Brands as follows: 69 left side, loin or hip AN left or either side. Also the following brands:

J R Wallingford Kennedy, Neb. Cattle branded same as cut; also some branded U on left hip.

Notice to Creditors. In County Court, within and for Cherry County, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Fred Hussong deceased.

Strayed from my range 3 miles north east of Arabia, one red brockle face heifer, branded 5T on left side and slit in left ear. Liberal reward for information. OTTO KRASCH. 35 2t. Arabia, Nebr

Garner Brothers. Cody, Nebr. Anywhere on cattle. Horses on left shoulder. Range—North of Ell.

F. T. Brackett Riege, Nebr. Brand Registered No 1490 Brand right side 3r hip Horses same on right shoulder Range, Niobrara 5 miles south of Kilgore

F. M. Walcott. Valentine, Nebr. Cattle branded T— on left hip.

C. W. Bennett Simeon Neb Stock branded with 7 on left hip also same as cut Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara river

Frank T. Lee. Brownlee, Neb. Cattle on left side; horses same on left shoulder. Range—Four miles northeast of Brownlee.

Stotts & Stetter. Cody, Nebraska Branded on left side Range, Tin Can Lake and Morgan Flats

Robert Emery Rosebud, S. D. Cattle branded on both sides. Horses on left thigh. Range on Cut Meat creek.

D. M. Sears. Kennedy, Nebr. Cattle branded as on cut, left side Some on left hip. Horses same on left shoulder. Range—Square Lake.

WILLIAM WILSON Postoffice address Kilgore, Neb. Two half circles of left hip and left side of neck Horses same on left shoulder Some cattle branded reaper hook on left hip

H V DOWNING Postoffice address Gregory, Neb On left side; also COLE on side Range—Stevenson Lake

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

DAWSON & BALL Postoffice address Chesterfield, Neb Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also left neck and 2 left hip; some V left neck, V left shoulder and 2 left hip; horses VZ left by Range Snake River 81.32.33

WILLIAM BEAMER Gordon, Neb. Cattle branded same as cut on left side. Horses branded on left shoulder. Range—5 miles south of Irwin.

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

F. C. & M. O. Metzger. Merriman Nebraska. Cattle left side, and some on hip. Horses on left thigh. Range 8 miles north west of Merriman.

James Goodfellow. Cody, Nebr. Cattle branded on left side. Horses JG on left jaw. Range—Between the Niobrara and Medicine Lake.

N. S. Rowley Kennedy, Nebraska. Same as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also on left side of hip. 3 on right hip and 4 on left side.

R M Faddis & Co. Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy. Cattle branded same as cut. Some branded on left thigh.

J P GARDINER Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska On left side of cattle; horses O right arm Range, north and south of Niobrara River, 15 miles south west of Cody

Frank Rothleutner Postoffice address Kilgore, Neb. Cattle branded on side as on cut same on hip. Some on left side. VA

George Heyne Cody, Neb Brand registered No 1027 Horses branded on left shoulder Range north and south of Outcrop Lake in Cherry Co

Pat Peiper Simeon Nebr. U n

G. W. McFarland Valentine, Nebr. Range—four miles east of Fort Niobrara, north and south of Berry bridge the

C. E. Wright. Valentine, Nebr. Brand registered No. 374. Brand anywhere on right side

C. P. Jordan. Rosebud, SD Horses and cattle same as cut; also CJ BE J on right hip. Range on Oak and Bull creeks. A liberal reward for information leading to detection of rustlers of stock bearing any of these brands.

Morey & Hewett. Gordon, Neb. Brand registered 222. On left hip of cattle. Horses same left shoulder; also 240 left side. Range—South of Snake 35 miles se of Gordon.

Sawyer Bros. Postoffice address Oasis, Nebraska Robert Quisenberry have charge of these cattle; horses Ds on left shoulder; some stock branded on left hip. Range—Snake river.

Jos. Bristol Valenth, Nebr. Range on Niobrara river four miles east of Ft. Niobrara. Horses and cattle branded as on cut on left hip or side as shown in cut.

Albert Whipple & Sons Rosebud, S. D. Cattle branded SOS on left side OSO on right side Some cattle also have a— on neck Some with A on left shoulder and some branded Range—Stevenson and Stephenson Lakes and South

Horses branded SOS on left hip Some cattle branded A W on connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

WILLIAM FERDON. Postoffice address Brownlee, Neb Like cut on either left side or hip; also left side. Horses same as cut on left hip. \$250.00 REWARD for conviction of anyone unlawfully handling cattle in these brands.

Henry Flinaux Simeon, Nebr. Brand Registered No 516. Quarter Circle Club. Cattle branded on left hip. Some without quarter circle. Horses branded on left shoulder.

PIKE BROS. Postoffice address Crookston, Neb Cattle branded PE on either hip or right side. Horses PE on left shoulder. Range—On Minnecha-luza 5 miles east of Crookston.

J. F. Swain. Sparks, Nebr. Cattle branded on left side as shown in cut. Range—South of Sparks on Niobrara river.

FRANK MOGLE Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska On either side cattle herdmark—left ear clipped and right ear split; horses branded same on left shoulder Range on Niobrara and Medicine Canyon

D. Stinard. Valentine, Nebr. State Brand registered 1554. Cattle and horses branded same as cut on left hip. Range—2 miles east of Ft. Niobrara.

Nebraska Land and Feeding Co. Bartlett Richards, Pres Will G Comstock, V. P. Chas C Jamison Sec & Treas. Cattle branded on any part of animal; also the following brands: Horses branded the same Range between Gordon on the F. & M. V., E. R. and Nebraska. Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS, Ellsworth, Nebraska.

Metzger Bros., Gregory Neb Cherry Co Branded on left side and right. Earmark, square crop right ear. Horses have same brand on left thigh. Range on Gordon and Snake Creeks. 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.

G. W. BEAMER. Gordon, Neb. Cattle branded on left side as on cut; 6-inch box and 2 1/2-inch circle Brand registered 575. Horses branded on left shoulder. 2 1/2 inch circle, 1 1/2 inch circle, 1 1/2 inch circle.

J L ROSEBERRY Pullman, Neb Branded on left hip; horses same. Herdmark—double dew-lap Range south east of Brush Hill

A J FLUMER Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb right side and hip

Also have stock branded on right side and hip Horses on right hip Range—Southwestern Cherry county

J. A. FAIRMAN Pullman, Neb Cattle branded JY on right side. Horses branded JY on right shoulder. Reasonable reward for any information leading to the recovery of cattle strayed from my range.

SWEENEY BROS. Postoffice address Pullman, Neb Cattle branded as on cut; horses branded same as cattle except reversed S. See block Range—Stevenson and Stephenson Lakes and South

\$300 reward will be paid to any person for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons stealing cattle with the above brand.