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### LEGAL NOTICES.

#### Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska, STATE OF NEBRASKA, COUNTY OF CHERRY.

To the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of AGNES M. DENNEY, deceased: On reading the petition of Ida May Bowden praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Charles H. Cornish as administrator. It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1904 at 10 o'clock a. m. to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereon be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Valentine Democrat a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1904.  
W. R. TOWNE,  
County Judge.

#### Notice to Creditors.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, In the County Court of CHERRY COUNTY. In the matter of the estate of Julia Nenzel 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 25th day of November, 1904, 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 12th day of November, A. D. 1904, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 12th day of November 1904. Witness my hand and seal of said County Court this 10th day of October 1904.  
W. R. TOWNE,  
County Judge.

#### CONTEST NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, September 21, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Olive E. McElhinn, contestant, against formal entry No. 1228, made October 23, 1900, for sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, Section 2, Township 23, Range 21, by Brock A. Moffat, contestee, in which it is alleged that said claimant has never entered upon said land and established her residence thereon as required by law; also that said claimant has never cultivated said land as required by law; also that said claimant has never enlisted in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or mariner during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 10, 1904, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Valentine, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in proper affidavit filed September 21, 1904, set forth facts which show that after the admission of personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by one and proper publication.  
J. C. PETTIGREW,  
Register.

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#### A T DAVIS

Postoffice address: Hyannis, Neb. On right side. Horses on left shoulder. Range 10 miles north of Hyannis

#### A'len & Sons

Pt. Niobrara. Brand registered No. 470. Horses branded on left hip. Range, Niobrara river 12 miles east of Valentine

#### Sawyer Bros.

Postoffice address: Oasls, Neb. G. E. Sawyer has charge of these cattle. Horses D on left shoulder. Some on left side. Range on Snake river

Merriman, Nebr. MILLS BROS. Cattle and horses branded as cut on left side with stripes under tail. Brand registered No. 1021. Range 12 miles northwest of Merriman on the Niobrara river.

A. Benson. Address—Arabia, Nebraska. Range—North of Niobrara river.

J. W. Stetter, Valentine, Nebr. Other brands: I < I + Horses branded: I, < or + on left shoulder; E O left thigh. Range on Boardman, Gordon, Snake and Sand Creek.

P. H. Young, Simeon, Nebr. Cattle branded as cut on left side. Some on left jaw of horses. Range on Gordon Creek north of Simeon.

Sandy Williams, Merriman, Nebr. Mostly on left side. Some on right side. Horses same on left shoulder. Range—Lake Creek, S. D.

D. A. Hancock, Marshall, Mo. or Simeon, Nebraska. Cattle branded on left side as cut; also 10 on left side with 3 on left hip of some cattle; also 84 on right side. Horses branded on left side. Range on Bull Creek.

St. Francis Mission, Postoffice address: Crookston, Nebr. or Rosebud, S. D. Cattle branded as in cut. Some cattle in S D branded only on left hip. Range: North of the Minnehaha, 5 miles west of Crookston, and on Bull Creek.

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

F. W. Jersig, Valentine, Nebr. Cattle branded as shown in cut on left side, loin or hip. Range between the Gordon and Snake south of the Niobrara river

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

D. Bray, Rosebud S D. Cattle branded on left thigh or hip same as cut. Horses branded same on left shoulder.

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

J. J. Peck, Cody, Nebr. On both sides. Horses CC on left thigh. Range—Head Pass Creek, S. D.

Parmejee Cattle Co. Rosebud, S. D. Cattle branded as cut on left side with stripes under tail. Horses branded left thigh. Range on Soldier creek.

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

F. T. Brackett, Riego, Nebr. Brand registered No. 1490. Brand right side or hip. Horses same on right shoulder. Range, Niobrara 6 miles south of Kigora

Seth Gary, Merriman, Nebr. On both side and hip. Here mark, dewlap. Horses same on left shoulder. Range—Lake creek and Little White River.

C. W. Bennett, Simeon, Nebr. 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.

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

Chi Psi Cattle Co., Edward Lewis, foreman, Wood Lake, Nebr. Cattle branded as in cut on right side. Range: 6 miles east of Fort Niobrara, north and south of Berry bridge the

Roan Brothers, Woodlake, Nebr. John Roan's private mark, slit in left ear. Range in Sharps Ranch and German precincts, 6 miles south of Kigora.

C. H. Little, Merriman, Neb. On either side. Horses same on hip. Also 3. Range—Lake Creek S D.

WILLIAM BEAMER, Gordon, Nebr. Cattle branded same as cut on left side. Horses branded on left shoulder. Range 6 miles south of town.

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

F. C. & M. O. Metzger, Merriman, Nebraska. Cattle branded on left side; Horses branded on left thigh. Some are branded XE on left side. Range on Snake 35 miles south of Merriman. Others range 5 miles N. of Merriman

Charles Richards, Merriman, Nebr. Cattle branded as cut on left side with stripes under tail. Horses branded left thigh. Range on Snake 35 miles south of Merriman.

James Goodfellow, Cody, Nebr. Cattle branded on left side with stripes under tail. Horses UJ 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 and hip. F + on left side. D X on left side and on left hip. F on left jaw and left shoulder of horses. W C on left hip of horses.

R M Faddis & Co., Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy, Nebraska. Some branded on left thigh. Horses on left shoulder or thigh.

J P GARDNER, Postoffice address: Cody, Nebraska. On left side of cattle; horses O right arm. Range, north and south of Niobrara river, 12 miles south west of Cody.

Frank Rothentner, Postoffice address: Kigora, Neb. Cattle branded on side as on cut same on hip. Some on left side.

George Hayne, Cody, Neb. Brand registered No. 1927. Horses branded on left shoulder. Range north and south of Kigora, Lake in Cherry Co.

G. W. McFarland, Valentine, Nebr. Cattle branded as in cut on left side. Old stock QY. 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 C B E J on right hip. Range on Oak and Butte creeks. A liberal reward for information leading to detection of rustlers of stock bearing any of these brands

Morey & Hewitt, Gordon, Nebr. Brand registered 2552. On left hip of cattle. Horses same on left shoulder. Also 240 on left side. Range—South of Snake 35 miles S. of Gordon

Robert Quisenberry, Post office address: Simeon, Nebr. Cattle branded as in cut on left hip on left side. Horses same on right shoulder. Range on Snake River.

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

Albert Whipple & Sons, Rosebud, S. D. Cattle branded 848 on left side. Horses same as cut. Some cattle also have a + on neck. Some with A on left shoulder and some branded with two bars across hind quarters. Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

Pat Peiper, Simeon, Nebr. Cattle branded as in cut on left side. Range—South of Sparks on Niobrara river.

U. G. Criger, Postoffice address: Crookston, Neb. Cattle branded PE on either hip or right side. Horses PE on left shoulder. Range—On Minnehaha 5 miles east of Crookston.

Jenb Sedlacek, Valentine, Nebr. Cattle branded on left hip. Horses same on left shoulder. Some branded on left shoulder. Range 3 on left side. Range 9 miles southwest of Valentine on north side of Niobrara river.

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

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

FRANK MOGLE, Postoffice address: Cody, Nebraska. On either side cattle headward, left cut flipped and right cut split horses and mules same on left side. Range on Niobrara and Medicine Lake.

D. Shinar, Valentine, Nebr. Same Brand registered 1902. Cattle and horses branded same as on left hip.

Nebraska Land and Feeding Co., Bartlett Richards, Pros. Will G. Constock, V. P. Chas C. Lambson Sec & Treas. Cattle branded on any part of animal; also the following brands: D, 10, 11, 12. Horses branded the same. Range between Gordon on the F. & N. M. V. R. R. and Nebraska. Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS, Ellsworth, Nebraska.

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

G. W. BRAMER, Gordon, Neb. Cattle branded on left side and hip, split back and 2 1/2 inch ears. Brand registered No. 425. Range on Snake river. Registered 874. Range 6 miles S. of Gordon.

L. BONNERY, Postoffice address: Pullman, Neb. Horses same as cut. Brand registered No. 425. Range on Snake river.

A J PLUMMER, Postoffice address: Hyannis, Neb. Right side same as in cut. Range—Southwestern Cherry county.

J. A. YARYAN, 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.

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