

Monthly Meteorological Summary.

STATION: Valentine, Nebr. MONTH: September, 1905.

Date.	TEMPERATURE.			PRECIPITATION. (In inches and hundredths.)	CHARACTER OF DAY
	Max.	Min.	Mean.		
1..	77	51	64	0	Clear
2..	64	43	53	0	Clear
3..	68	32	50	0	Clear
4..	73	42	57	0	Clear
5..	56	5	30	0	Clear
6..	7	53	30	0	Clear
7..	80	48	64	0	Clear
8..	81	55	68	0	Clear
9..	84	59	71	0	Clear
10..	88	54	71	0	Clear
11..	91	58	74	0	Clear
12..	69	52	60	0	Clear
13..	78	55	66	0	Clear
14..	85	58	71	0	Clear
15..	85	53	69	0	Clear
16..	73	52	62	0	Clear
17..	84	50	67	0	Clear
18..	61	42	51	0	Clear
19..	72	36	54	0	Clear
20..	80	46	63	0	Clear
21..	85	45	65	0	Clear
22..	86	49	67	0	Clear
23..	95	52	74	0	Clear
24..	82	54	68	0	Clear
25..	86	60	73	0	Clear
26..	80	52	66	0	Clear
27..	82	54	68	0	Clear
28..	86	57	71	0	Clear
29..	85	64	74	0	Clear
30..	86	61	73	0	Clear
31..	86	41	64	0	Clear
Mean	79	51	65		

NOTE: "T" indicates trace of precipitation; "F" below zero; "IC" partly cloudy.
 JOHN J. McLEAN, Observer Weather Bureau.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendant.

Fred E. Bovee, non-resident defendant, will take notice that on the 14th day of September, 1905, Grace Bovee, filed her petition in the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, against Fred E. Bovee, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from the bands of matrimony on the grounds of extreme cruelty and failure on the part of the defendant to support and maintain plaintiff. You are required to answer this petition on or before Monday, November 6, 1905, or the petition filed against you in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska, will be taken as confessed. G. JACK BOVEE, Plaintiff.
 W. Walcott & Morrissey, her attorneys.

Notice to Creditors.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. In the County of CHERRY COUNTY, ss. Court. In the matter of the estate of Fred Dorofsky, 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 14th day of October, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. 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 14th day of October, A. D. 1905, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said last day of July, 1905. Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 14th day of September 1905.
 W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, September 22, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and Receiver at Valentine, Nebraska, on November 9, 1905, viz: Dora May Rice, formerly Dora May Davis, H. E. 1416 for the S^{1/2} NE^{1/4}, Sec. 8, and W^{1/2} NW^{1/4} Sec. 9, T. 29 N., R. 37 W. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Neil Hanna, Bernice Thibault, Fred Umbow of Woodlake, and Charles Peddicord of Simeon. J. C. PETTIBONE, Register.

Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

In the County Court of Cherry County Nebraska, ss. STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. COUNTY OF CHERRY, ss. To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth Brown, deceased: On reading the petition of Marie Brown praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Charles H. Cornell 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 21st day of October, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be why the prayer of the petition should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof 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 3 successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 9th day of September, A. D. 1905.
 W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

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 Direct line to Black Hills.
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TIME TABLE
 Great Northern Line at O'Neill, Nebr.
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 Going West, Arrives 9:50 p. m. Leaves 10:10 a. m.
 Passenger, daily except Sunday.
 Connections with Elkhorn trains east and west bound from all points west of O'Neill.
 Shortest route to Sioux City and beyond.
 Through connections for Sioux Falls, Minneapolis, St. Paul and all points north and west, by local tickets to O'Neill.
 FRED ROGERS, G. P. A. Sioux City, Iowa.

MILL PRICES FOR FEED.

	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Bran, sacked	\$5 85	\$16 00
Shorts, sacked	95	18 00
Screenings, sacked	60	11 00
Chop Feed, sacked	50	20 00
Corn, sacked	90	17 00
Chop Corn, sacked	95	18 00
Oats, sacked	1 40	25 00

Rates to Nebraska City, Neb., Via the North-western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 16, 17, 18 and 19, limited to return until Oct. 21, inclusive, on account I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge, etc. Apply to agents Chicago & North-western R'y. 382

Michael Angelo's Work. Michael Angelo relied almost entirely upon form—the form of the figure and of the draperies. He told Pope Julian II, when the latter requested him to paint the ceiling of the Sistine chapel at Rome, that he was not a painter, but a sculptor; yet, after he had shut himself up for four years—from 1503 to 1512—and the scaffold was removed, a result had been achieved which is without parallel in the world. Very wonderful is the work which Michael Angelo spread over this vast area of 10,000 square feet. The fact that there are 343 principal figures, many of colossal size, besides a great number of others introduced for decorative effect, and that the creator of this vast scheme was only thirty-three when he began his work—all this is marvelous, prodigious, and yet not so marvelous as the variety of expression in the figures of which Jeremiah is only one figure in a small side arch—Charles H. Caffin in St. Nicholas.

ALONZO BEATH
 Postoffice address
 Cody, Nebraska
 On left side, Horses left shoulder.
 Range north of Outcomb Lake

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

F. T. Brackett
 Rizee, Nebr.
 Brand Registered No. 1390
 Brand right side
 Horses same on right shoulder.
 Range, Niobrara 2 miles south of Kilgore

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

Sawyer Bros.
 Postoffice address, Oaas, Nebr.
 G. K. Sawyer has charge of these cattle.
 Horses DS on left shoulder. Some stock on left side. Horses on right side.

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

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

R. M. Faddis & Co.
 Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy.
 Some branded on left thigh.
 Horses on left shoulder or thigh.
 See black I on left thigh or on right thigh or shoulder.

WILLIAM BEAMER
 Gordon, Nebr.
 Cattle branded same as cut on left side.
 Horses branded on left shoulder.

P. H. Young,
 Simeon, Nebr.
 Cattle branded as cut on left side.
 Some Q Y on left side.
 V on left jaw of horses.

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

C. P. Jordan.
 Rosebud, SD
 Horses and cattle same as cut; also C J BE JJ 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.

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

I have buyer for Nebraska farms. If you want to sell, list with me or write for particulars. 47
 HORACE GRANT, Heist Bldg. Kansas City, Mo.

James Goodfellow.
 Cody, Nebr.
 Cattle branded on left side.
 Horses JJ 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.
 Some cut the brand of husk (either side up) on left side or hip. F on left jaw and left shoulder of horses.
 N on left jaw of horses

Chi Psi Cattle Co.
 Edward Lewis, foreman.
 Wood Lake, Nebr.
 Cattle branded a in cut on right side.
 Range: 6 miles east of Simeon on Cronin ranch.

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

J. P. GARDINER
 Postoffice address, CODY, NEBRASKA
 On left side of cattle: horses O right arm.
 Range, north and south of Niobrara river, 12 miles south east of Cody

George Heyne
 Brand registered No. 1027
 Horses branded on left shoulder.
 Range north and south of Outcomb Lake in Cherry Co

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 with two bars across hind quarters. Some Texas cattle branded SO on left side and some on left side.
 Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded A W bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

SWEENEY BROS.
 Postoffice address, King, Nebr.
 Cattle branded as on cut; horses branded same as cattle except reversed S.
 See black I on left shoulder and Stephenon 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.

D. A. Hancock
 Marshall, Mo. or Simeon, Nebraska
 Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also on left side with — on left hip of some cattle also S 6 on right side. Horse brand, rake and I 6 on left shoulder or hip. Z on left jaw.
 Home ranch—on Dewey Lake. Range on Niobrara River, east of Fort Niobrara; all in Cherry County, Nebraska.

A. T. DAVIS
 Postoffice address, Hyannis, Neb
 On right side horses on left shoulder.
 also cattle on right side.
 Range 12 miles north of Hyannis

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

G. H. Seager.
 Postoffice address, CODY, NEORASKA
 Cattle branded as on cut on left side, hip or shoulder; horses same.
 Range, Snake Creek

Pat Peiper
 Simeon Nebr.
 U O

F. W. Jersig
 Valentine, Nebr.
 Cattle branded as shown in cut on left side, loin or hip.

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

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

G. W. BEAMER.
 Gordon, Nebr.
 Cattle branded on left side as cut, 6-inch box and 2 1/2-inch circle Brand registered 875.
 Horses branded left shoulder. 2 1/2 inch circle, 1-1/2 inch circle, 1-1/2 inch circle.

Robert Quisenberry
 Postoffice address, Simeon, Nebr.
 2 left hip on Y cattle.
 Horses same on right shoulder.
 Range on Snake 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.

Parmelee Cattle Co.
 Roebud, S. D.
 Cattle branded as cut on left side with stripe under tail.
 Horses branded left thigh.

Metzger Bros.,
 King 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.
 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.

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

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

J. A. YARYAN
 Pullman, Nebr
 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 ft side as shown a cut.
 Range—South of Sparks on Niobrara river.

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

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

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

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

THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

T. M. RICE EDITOR

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The tributary county is good and will be settled speedily.

The general situation of the town is most auspicious, assuring to investors, or those locating in any line of business large returns.

Opportunities of this kind are rare and "those who know" are rapidly taking advantage of this one.

Lots in the new town will be offered for sale during session of the WYOMING STATE FAIR, at Douglas, Wyoming, October 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1905.

Mr. Whitney, General Townsite Agent of the Pioneer Townsite Co., will be at Douglas during the above period with maps, prices and all information concerning the new town. 354

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Weather Data.

The following data, covering a period of 15 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Valentine, Nebr. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed, during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for the coming month.

October.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal 50°
 The warmest month was that of 1900 with an average of 54°
 The coldest month was that of 1898 with an average of 46°
 The highest was 91° on 1st, 1899
 The lowest was 6° on 29, 1895

PRECIPITATION.

Average for month 0.37 inches.
 Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more 4
 The greatest monthly precipitation was 2.12 inches in 1889.
 The least monthly precipitation was 0.00 inches in 1895.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.60 inches on 12-13, 1889.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 0.03 inches on 12, 1901

CLOUDS AND WEATHER

Average number of clear days, 17; partly cloudy, 8; cloudy, 5

WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the NW.
 The average hourly velocity of the wind is 10 miles.
 The highest velocity of the wind was 48 miles from the N on 3, 1894

JOHN J. McLEAN, Observer Weather Bureau.

Half Rates to Los Angeles, California.

Via the North-western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, from all stations to Los Angeles, October 17 to 21, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of W. C. T. U. convention. Three fast trains to the Pacific Coast daily. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout), less than three days enroute. Another fast train is "The California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. The best of everything. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-western Ry. 365

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