

# Monthly Meteorological Summary.

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

Date.	TEMPERATURE.			PRECIPITATION.	CHARACTER OF DAY.
	Max.	Min.	Mean.		
1	77	51	64	0	Clear
2	64	42	53	0	Clear
3	68	39	53	0	Clear
4	72	42	57	0	Clear
5	76	55	65	0	Clear
6	77	53	65	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	90	62	76	0	Clear
13	78	62	70	0	Clear
14	82	58	70	0	Clear
15	85	63	74	0	Clear
16	83	62	72	0	Clear
17	84	60	72	0	Clear
18	81	62	71	0	Clear
19	78	59	68	0	Clear
20	80	66	73	0	Clear
21	85	65	75	0	Clear
22	78	49	64	0	Clear
23	80	52	66	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	90	67	78	0	Clear
29	85	64	74	0	Clear
30	86	61	74	0	Clear
31	87	61	74	0	Clear
Mean	79	51	65		

AT VALENTINE PRESSURE.  
(Reduced to sea level; inches and hundredths.)

Mean 29.35; highest 29.29, date 3rd. Lowest 29.45, date 30th

TEMPERATURE.  
Highest 96°, date 23rd. Lowest 36°, date 19th  
Greatest daily range 44, date 23. Least daily range 3, date 5th.

Mean for this month in  
1889 56° 1892 65° 1895 65° 1898 62° 1901 69° 1904 62°  
1890 62° 1893 63° 1896 59° 1899 65° 1902 58° 1905 61°  
1891 65° 1894 63° 1897 70° 1900 62° 1903 58°

Mean for this month for 17 years 62°

Absolute maximum for this month for 17 years 102°

Absolute minimum for this month for 17 years 21°

PRECIPITATION.  
Total this month 1.45; snowfall .00.

Greatest precipitation in 24 hours .82, date 8-9

Snow on the ground at the end of the month 0.

Total precipitation this month in  
1889 1.71 1892 0.56 1895 1.25 1898 0.94 1901 4.06 1904 1.10  
1890 0.68 1893 0.06 1896 2.73 1899 0.10 1902 0.25 1905 1.15  
1891 0.40 1894 .36 1897 0.67 1900 0.86 1903 1.70

WIND.  
Prevailing direction SE; total movement 7543 miles; average hourly velocity 11; maximum velocity (for five minutes) 44 miles per hour from S on the 23th.

WEATHER.  
Number of clear days 16, partly cloudy 11, cloudy 3; on which .01 inch, or more, of precipitation occurred 7.

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

## THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

I. M. RICE EDITOR  
Mutual companies pay losses in full. No discount I. M. RICE, Agent

**Bailey Briefs.**  
A. Sharp is working for F. T. Nelson.  
Give today to the virtues; let tomorrow have vices.  
G. H. Seager was in Cody this week on business.  
James and Rosa Mone expect to move to Cody this fall.  
Lee Sellers bought a buggy and set of harness last week.  
Clyde Rosseter and Fred Nelson are building new dwellings.  
The last cold snap froze potatoes close to the top of the ground.  
Frank Heath is going to erect a new house as soon as possible.  
H. P. Gorgeson was at Chas. Sellers' gathering cattle recently.  
Pulverize the monopoly power, would be a rattling good party platform.

Chas. Sellers says he isn't going to back long. Get your tambourines ready.  
W. H. Sellers stopped all night with Mike Mone last week and had a good visit.  
Graft is amazingly infectious: one don't have to be exposed to catch it and have it hard.  
John Bishop and two of his friends were out to his ranch taking in a few grouse this week.

Every day adds thousands to list of those who regret that their dead were not treated more considerably while living.  
'Twas ever thus: Over a century ago it was written thieves at home must hang; but he that puts into his over-gorged and bloated purse the wealth of India's province, is honored.

The man who plunders his fellowmen of millions in business and gives away a few thousand is a philanthropist and a Christian; he who steals a dollar and gives nothing is a thief.

GUESS WHO I AM.  
333 to the Pacific Coast from Chicago. Corresponding Low Rates from other points.

Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-western Line daily, Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and other Pacific Coast points. Very Low rates to Helena, Butte, Spokane, Odgen and Salt Lake City. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, through without change. Double berth only \$7.00 from Chicago and \$5.75 from Omaha. Choice of routes. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-western Ry. 357

## International Live Stock Show at Chicago, December 2nd to 9th.

The International Live Stock Show opens this year under conditions more favorable than ever. The Coliseum, a handsome new structure built for this purpose, will be completed and used for the first time. The display of live stock is to be so complete that it promises to even excel the perfection of former years. Professor Herbert W. Munford of Illinois is quoted in the following short but pithy comment on the International: "It is at the International that breeders and buyers mingle to mutual advantage. The breeder becomes better informed as to approved market types, and thus the International becomes a potent factor in giving direction to the breeders' efforts toward live stock improvement." Low rates over the North-western Line from all points west will be announced soon.

## 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 1895 with an average of 46°  
The highest was 94° 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.  
**J. L. ASHBURN,**  
Contractor and Builder in Brick or Stone Work.  
Valentine, - Nebr.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

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. 14,916 for the S 1/2 NE 1/4, Sec. 8, and W 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 9, T. 29N., R. 27W.  
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Neil Hanna, Bernie Linkham, Fred Cumbow of Woodlake, and Charles Peddicord of Simeon.

J. C. PETTIGRUE, Register.

## Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, COUNTY OF CHERRY.  
To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Peter W. Pruden, deceased: On reading the petition of George H. Pruden praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 25th day of October, 1905.  
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 11th day of November, A. D. 1905 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 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 three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.  
W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

## Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will.

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.  
STATE OF NEBRASKA, COUNTY OF CHERRY.  
To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Jared Farham, deceased: On reading the petition of Jared Farham, praying that the instrument be admitted to probate and the administration of said estate be granted to Mary M. Aspinall and Era Farham as executors.  
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 11th day of November, A. D. 1905, 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 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 three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.  
Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 11th day of October, A. D. 1905.  
W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE  
Only Double Track  
Railroad between Missouri River and Chicago.  
Direct line to St. Paul-Minneapolis.  
Direct line to Black Hills.  
Apply to nearest agent for rates maps and time cards.

## TIME TABLE Great Northern Line at O'Neill, Nebr.

Going East.	Going West.
Leaves 10:10 a. m.	Arrives 9:50 p. 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. Any local freights to O'Neill.	
FRED ROGERS, G. P. A. Sioux City, Iowa	

## MILL PRICES FOR FEED.

	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Bran, sacked	\$5	\$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

## The Great Want Ad Paper.

If you want to sell your farm; horses or business; or buy something or you want help of any kind; put a "want-ad" in the Omaha World-Herald.  
This paper is known as the great "want-ad" paper of Nebraska, publishing almost as many paid "want-ads" as any three other Nebraska papers combined.  
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Doctors find  
A good prescription  
For mankind  
The 5-cent package is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.

ALONZO HEATH  
Postoffice address  
Cody, Nebraska  
On left side. Horses on left shoulder.  
Range north of Cutcomb Lake

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

F. T. Brackett  
Riego, Nebr.  
Brand Registered No 1480  
Brand right side hip  
Horses same on right shoulder  
Range, Niobrara 8 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.  
Oasis, Nebr.  
G. K. Sawyer has charge of these cattle Horses DS on left shoulder. Some stock Horses on left side. Horses on left side same as mine

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 Sec/Treas  
Cattle branded on any part of animal also the following brands:  
Horses branded the same  
Range between Gordon and the F. E. & M. V. R. R. and south of Cutcomb Lake in Cherry Co.  
Byans on B. & M. R. R. in Northwestern 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  
Some on right thigh or shoulder.

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

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

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

C. P. Jordan.  
Rosebud, S. D.  
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—Arabia 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, Kansas City, Mo.

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.  
Some on left side of hip (either side up) on left side or hip. F on left jaw and left shoulder of horses.  
G on left hip 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  
Cody, Neb  
Brand registered No 1027  
Horses branded on left shoulder  
Range north and south of Cutcomb 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 AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

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

D. A. Hancock  
Marshall, Mo. or Simeon, Nebraska  
Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also 12 on left side with 12 on left side of some cattle; also S&G on right side. Horse brand, rake and 18 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 16 miles north of Hyannis

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

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

Pat Peiper  
Simeon, Nebr.  
Cattle branded as shown in cut on left side, loin or hip.

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. 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. 3 1/2 inch circle, 1-1/2 inch circle.  
box. Registered 874. Range—6 miles south Irwin on Niobrara river.

Robert Quisenberry  
Postoffice address  
Simeon, Nebr.  
E 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 1654.  
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.  
Range on Soldier creek.

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.

Jos. Bristol  
Valentine, Nebr.  
Range on Niobrara river four miles east of Ft. Niobrara.  
Horses and cattle branded AB 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  
Pulman, 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 in 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