1894 160

ATMO JERIO PRESSURE. (Reduced to sea Livel; inches and hundredths.) Mean 30 08; highest 30 2, date 7th. Lowest 29.24, dat e 19. TEMPERATURE,

Highest 61°, date 31, Lowest -182, date 22. Greatest daily range 48, date 22, Least daily range 4, date 1. 1901 270 1904 220 1893 1902 249

Mean for this month for 17 years 220 Absolute maximum for this month for 17 years 682 Absolute Minimum for this month for 17 years -382

PRECIPITATION.

Total this month 0 52: snowfall 6,10, Greatest precipitation in 24 hours .21, date 19-20

Snow on the ground at the end of the month 0. Total precipitation this month in 1892 0 54 1895 0 62 1898 0 48 1901 0.04 1904 0.50 1893 0. 1896 0.36 1899 0.47 1902 0.34 1891 0.61 1894 1.09 1897 1 22 1900 0.04 1903 0.20

WIND.

Prevailing direction NW: total movement 7252 miles: average hourly velocity 9.7: maximum velocity (for five minutes) 40 miles per hour from NW on the 17th.

WEATHER.

5-15-5 0 Clear 30-18 6 0 Clear 29 8 18 0 PC 44 19 32 0 Clear 60 19 40 0 Clea 56 30 43 0 Clear 50 25 38 0 Clear 60 26 43 0 Clear 50 28 39 0 Clear 40 27 34 0 Cear 61 29 45 0 Jear Number of clear days 14 partly cloudy 11; cloudy 6; on which .01 .0 |Cear inch, or more, of precipitation occurred 7.

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

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Chop Corn, sacked	95	18 00
Oats, sacked 1	00	19 00

Weather Data.

The following data, covering a per-EDITOR iod of 16 years, have been complied 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 menth.

February.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal 200 The warmest month was that of 1896 with an average of 320 The coldest month was that of 1899

with an average of 90 The highest was 68° on 27, 1895

The lowest was -370 on 24, 1899 PRECIPITATION. Average for month 0 60 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more 7 The greatest monthly precipitation

was 1 52 inches in 1891. The least monthly precipitation was 0 15 inches in 1889.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 0 38 inches on 18, 1901.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 9.0 inches on 18, 1901

CLOUDS AMD WEATHER Average number of clear days, 12; partly cloudy, 8; cloudy, 8.

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 60 miles from the NW on 4, 1889

> JOHN J. M'LEAN, Observer Weather Bureau.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice to Creditors.

CHERRY COUNTY. (88 Court CHERRY COUNTY. In the matter of the estate of Rosa Mone

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 3rd day of March, 1906, at 16 o'clock a, m. to receive and examine all daims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1906, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 1st day of May, 1905. Witness my hand and seal of said county court

SEAL this 6th day of February, A. D. 1906. W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska, under a decree of mortgage foreclosure, wherein L N, Layport is plaintiff and William Francke et al are defendants, I will sell at the front door of the court house in Valentine, Cherry county, Nebraska, that being the building wherein the last term of said court was held, on the 24th day of February, 1906, at 10 o'cleak a management of the court was held, on the 24th day of February, 1906, at 10 o'cleak a management of the court was held. o'clock a m, to satisty a judgment of \$226.21 and interest at 10 per cent from date of judgment, November 20, 1905, and costs taxed at \$24 05 and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for eash, the following descriped property, to. wit: The South Half of the Northwest Quarter and Southwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter, section 24, township 30, P. F. SIMONS.

Sheriff of said coun ty. John M. Tucker, Atty for Phi.

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 Adelia E. Pettycrew, deceased: On reading the petition of William A. Pettycrew praying a final ettlement and a lowance of his account filed in this court on the 3rd day of Feb.

ruary, 1906.

It is hereby o dered 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 3rd day of March. A.D. 1906 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 print ed in said county, for three successive weeks ed in Said county, hearing. w. R. TOWNE,

By W. A. Shelbourn, February 3, 1903, three face horse, two white hind feet, branded on left shoulder and D T and 🔊 on right shoulder.

Taken Up

SEAL !

One brown mare, three years old, branded M on left hip, 91 left hip and 2-7 on right hip, has bald face and one white hind foot One sorrel horse brands not distinguishable. B F HOBSON, Justice.

Niobrara Falls.

John Ormesher and family visited R. Grooms' Sunday.

G. W. Burge and family spent Sunday at John Adamson's. C. Bailey has been sick for sev-

eral days but is improving. We hope by next writing to be

able to call central at town. Alonzo Mosher and wife were visting in this vicinity Sunday.

Misses Minnie Adamson and Grewe went to town Saturday.

There is talk of organizing a postoffice on the river in this locality. Guess we'll get to the front after awhile.

A a meeting recently held at the school house a telephone company was organized of which J. A. Adamson was elected president; R. Grooms, vice president; H. E. Crosby, secreatary; W. N. Ballard, treasurer; G. W. Burge, R. Grooms and C. C. Thompson, general managers. The name of the company is "The Niobrara River Telephone Company."

BAD BOY.

Eli Clippings.

J. T. Steele went to Merriman Saturday.

Chas. Oaks was seen on Bear Creek Friday. We had quite a snow storm Fri-

day morning. S. G. Oaks went to Merriman

Wednesday night. Mrs. Nead visited at James Laweries' several days last week.

James Lawerie and family spent Sunday evening at Wm. Neads.

This has been a good winter on

cattle and most of them are looking Chas. Nichols has built a new

barn and is now building a new Julia Steele spent Saturday and

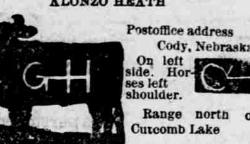
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Sunday at the home of her teacher,

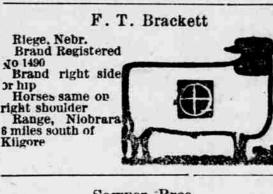
had been working at Chadron. visited the school that day.

PRAIRIE CKICKEN.

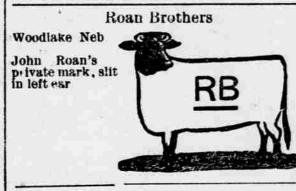
ALONZO HEATH



Garner Brothers. Cody, Nebr. Anywhere on cat-Horses on shoulder. Range- North



Sawyer Bros. ostoffice address. Oasis, Nebr. K. Sawyer has charge of these cattle Horses DS on eft shoulder. Some eft thigh. Range on Snake river



Land and Feeding Co. Nebraska Bartlett Richards Pres Will G Comstock, V. P. Chas C Jamison Sec&Treas Cattle branded or any part of animal

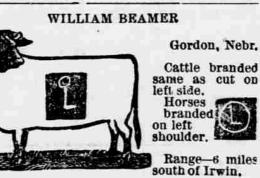


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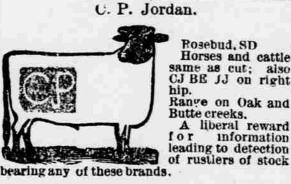


n right thigh or shoulder,



P. H. Young. Simeon, Nebr. Cattle branded as cut on left side Some A You left on left jaw of

Range on Gordon Creek north of Simeon,



TIME TABLE Great Northern Line at O'neill, Nebr.

information

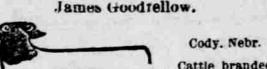
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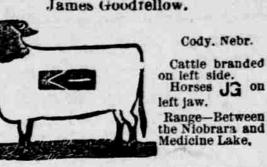
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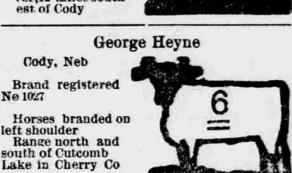


N. S. Rowley Nebraska. Same as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of hor-F + on left side tle brand g peg (either side up) ou left side or hip. F on left jaw and left shoulder

O on left hip of horses. N on left jaw of horses

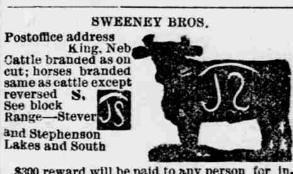
C. W. Bennett imeon Neb Stock branded with 7 on left hip also same as cut Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara river

J P GARDINER Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska On left side of cattle; horses O right arm Range, north and south of Niobrara ver,12-miles south est of Cody



Albert Whipple & Sons Rosebud, S. D. Cattle branded SOS on left side OSO on rightside have a + on neck Some with A on left shoulder and some branded two bars

cattle branded & O on left side and Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

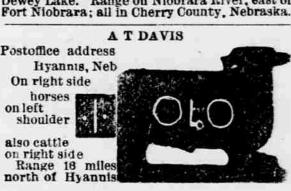


\$300 reward will be paid to any person for in-formation leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons stealing cattle with the



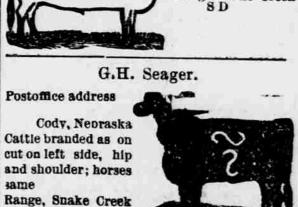
Marshall, Mo. or Simeon, Nebraska ft side as on cut; also 16 on left side with = on left hip of some cattle : also S46 on right side. Horse brand, rake and 16

Dewey Lake. Range on Niobrara River, east of Fort Niobrara; all in Cherry County, Nebraska.



Sandy Williams. Merriman, Nebr. Mostly on left de. Some on Horses same on Range-Lake Creek, S. D.

C. H. Little. Merriman, Nebr. On either side hip. Also 8 3 Range-Lake Creek S D



Pat Peiper Simeon Nebr.



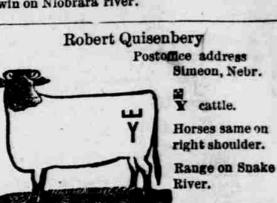
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Range between the Gordon outh of the Niobrara river



Gordon, Nebr Brand register

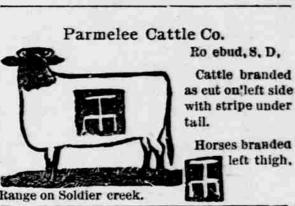
box. Registered 876. Range-6 miles south Irwin on Niobrara river.



FRANK MOGLE Postoffice address

Cody, Nebraska n either side cattle herdmark-left ear elipped and right ear split; herses D anded same on left shoulder Range on Niobrara and Medicine Canyon

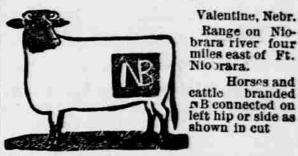
D. Stinard. Valentine, Nebr State Brand registered 1554. Cattle and horses branded same as cut on left hip. brara,



Metzger Bros., Cattle branded anywhere on left Earmark, square crop right ear Horses have same brand on Range on Gor

A Reward of \$250 will be paid to any person for information leading to the arrest and anal conviction of any person or persons steal-ing catlie with above brand.

Jos. Bristol



cattle branded

Valentine, Nebr.

Horses and

H A BUCK



Hyannis, Neb Branded on left side Range eighteen miles north of Evannis

J. A. YARYAN



Pullman, Nebr attle branded JY Horses branded JY on right shoulder
Reasonable reward
for any information
leading to the recovery of cattle
strayed from my

J.F. Swain. Sparks, Nebr. Cattle branded on ft side as shown Range-South of Sparks on Niobrara river.



D. M. Sears. Kennedy, Nebr. Cattle branded as on cut,left side some on left hip. S Horses same on eft shoulder. Range-Square





Stock branded same as cut back right shoulder and en right hip Range on the