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Chop Corn, sacked 1	05	20 00
Oats, sacked 1	15	22 00

W. C. T. U. Column.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be at headquarters on Thursday, Nov. 6, at 8 o'clock.

The free rest and reading room opened on July 2, 1906, with a fine collection of magazines and papers and some books. Through the kindness of our editors, the county papers were on hand each week, and most of the time the daily papers were donated and appreciated by many who came in to read. Nothing but good literature was on the table. A hearty welcome was given to all and no trouble was spared to make people comfortabble, after a long dusty ride, or a ride through the rain or cold, or to feel some mother's arms occasionally from a sleeping infant, since conveniences for all these emergencies were at hand. Without counting anyone more than once the number of callers received during the month of July were 135, August, 175; September, 190; October, 200. Sent several boquets to the sick; gave away 65 large packages of good reading matter. Financial statement wtll be given later. Bethel hall will be closed Oct. 31, for the winter, except for special occasions. We thank all who aided us in this enterprise.

MRS. C. J. CALLEN, Matron.

M. E. Church Notes.

The Choir has been reorganized and are planning to furnish some excellent anthems in the near future as soon as some new books can be gotten.

A puzzle department has been introduced into the Sunday School which will no doubt create considerable interest. The question for Sunday Nov. 4th. will be "What nation had their sins recorded with a pen of iron," and where do you find the record given in the bible.

The M. E. Church services will be held according to the following schedule until further notice. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preaching services 11 A. M and 7:30 P. M. Junior League 2:30 P. M. Epworth League 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Taursday evening at 7:30, Class meeting every Sabbath morning at 12 M.

Rev. C. E. Connell. Pastor.

The services of the church are increasing both in numbers and interest, a good congregation was in attendance last Sabbath both morning and evening which was a great inspiration to the pastor. Brother or Sister were you there? If not, why? Perhaps you were out on some errand of mercy careing for the sick, or helping some one in distress. If so God bless you. Perhaps you may have been sick yourself. If so may the Lord speedily restore you to health so that you may be found in your place in his house. God expects you there, do not disappoint him.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Creditors.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA } ss In the County
CHERRY COUNTY. } Court,

In the matter of the estate of Hirman Mc Namee, 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 24th day of November 1906 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 24th day of November A. D. 1906 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 1st day of October 1906.

Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 29th day of October. 1906.

SEAL

W. R. TOWNE,
County Judge.

42 4

Notice to Creditors.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA } ss In the County
CHERRY COUNTY. } Court.

In the matter of the estate of Henry A. Murphy, 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 24th day of November, 1906, 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 24 h day of November, A.D.1906, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 17th day of March, 1906,

Witness my hand and seal of said county court this 29th day of October. A. D. 1906.

SEAL

W. R TOWNE,
County Judge.

42 4

Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, May 15, 1606

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by George W. Allard, contestant, against homestead entry No. 17 032, made September 28,1904, for N½, N½S W¼, Section 30 and W½NE¼ and NW¼ Section 29, Township 31, Range 29, by John Cannon, contestee, in which it is alleged that John Cannon never established a residence on said land; also claimant has never cultivated said land; also that claimant has wholly abandoned said land for more than six months last past and that he has failed to cure his laches to this date.

And that said alleged absence from said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer or marine, 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 December 12,1906,before the register and receiver at the U. S. Land Office in Valentine, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed October 25, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due deligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication,

42 5 E. OLSON, Receiver.

In the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

To Ida May Jones, non-resident defendant:

You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of October, 1906, Irvin M. Jones filed a petition against you in the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the ground that you have willfully abandoned the plaintiff without good cause, for the term of two years last past. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 19th of November, 1906. IRVIN M. JONES,

39 4 Plaintiff.

By Walcott & Morrissey, his attorneys.

Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, October 4, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by David A. Hancock, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 15289, made June 30, 1904 for all of Section 34, Township 33, Range 25, by James J. Massey contestee, in which it is alleged that said claimant has never established residence upon said land; also that said claimant has wholly abandoned said land for more than six months last past and has failed to cure his laches up to date, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment as an officer, soldier, sailor or marine in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States 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 17, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Valentine, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed October 4, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

39 4 E. OLSON, Receiver.

Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will.

In the County Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

To the heirs and to all persons interested in the estate of Elmer E. Urane, deceased.

On reading the petition of Olie Crane praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 24th day of October, 1906, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Elmer E. crane, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Olie Crane as executrix.

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 Cherry County, Nebraska, on the 10th day of November, 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 printed in said county, for 3 successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand, and seal of said Court this 24th day of October, 1906.

SEAL

W. R. TOWNE,
County Judge.

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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 Ella Watts, deceased:

On reading the petition of William Welch, praying that the instrument filed in this Court on the 21st day of September, 1906, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed and recorded as the lastwill and testament of Ella Watts, deceased: that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to William Welch, as executor.

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 3rd day of November, 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 printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 17th day of October. A D. 1906,

SEAL

W. R. TOWNE,
County Judge.

40 3

Taken Up

By the undersigned on Oct. 30, 1906, one four-year old red and white spotted steer, white face, branded ⊂ on left shoulder —— on left side ═ on thigh.

HENRY STETTER.
Valentine, Nebr.,

42 5

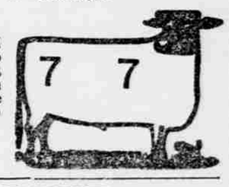
R M Faddis & Co.
Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy.

Some branded on left thigh.
Horses branded on left shoulder or thigh.
Some branded on left shoulder or thigh
Some branded on right thigh or shoulder.

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.
+ on left side
Some cattle branded husking peg (either side up) on left side or hip. F on left jaw and et shoulder of horses.
C on left hip of horses.
N on left jaw of horses

G. W Bennett
Simeon Neb

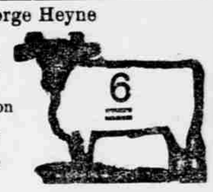


Stock branded with 7 on left hip also same as cut
Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara river

J P GARDINER
Postoffice address
Cody, Nebraska

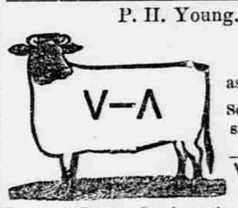
On left side of cattle: horses ○ right arm
Range, north and south of Niobrara er ,12-miles southst of Cody

George Heyne
Cody, Neb



Brand registered Ne 1027
Horses branded on left shoulder
Range north and south of Cutcomb Lake in Cherry Co

P. H. Young.
Simeon, Nebr.

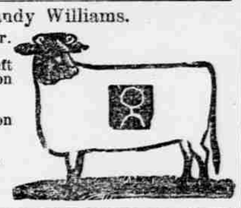


Cattle branded as cut on left side
Some on left side.
— on left jaw of V horses.
Range on Gordox Creek north of Simeon.

A T DAVIS
Postoffice address
Hyannis, Neb

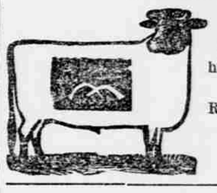
On right side horses on left shoulder
also cattle on right side
Range 16 miles north of Hyannis

Sandy Williams.
Merriman, Nebr.



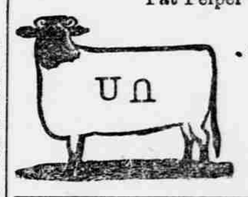
Mostly on left side. Some on right side.
Horses same on left shoulder.
Range—Lake Creek, S. D.

C. H. Little.
Merriman, Nebr.

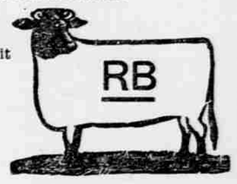


On either side
Horses same on hip. Also
Range—Lake Creek S D

Pat Peiper
Simeon Nebr.



Roan Brothers
Woodlake Neb



John Roan's private mark, slit in left ear

C. P. Jordan.

Rosebud, SD
Horses and cattle same as cut; also CJ 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.

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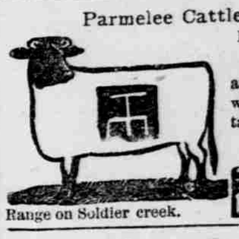
G. W. BEAMER.
Gordon, Nebr

Cattle branded on left side as cut, 6-inch bo and 2½-inch circle Brand registered 875.
Horses branded left shoulder. 2½ inche circle. 1-in box. Registered 876. Range—6 miles south Irwin on Niobrara river.

Parmelee Cattle Co.
Rosebud, S. D.

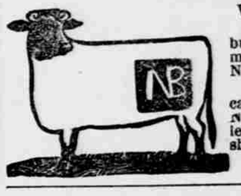


Cattle branded as cut on left side with stripe under tail.
Horses branded left thigh.
Range on Soldier creek.

Metzger Bros.,
Rolf, Ne

Cattle branded anywhere on left side.
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

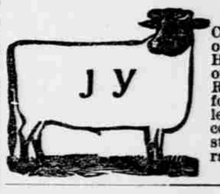


Valentine, Nebr.
Range on Niobrara river four miles east of Ft. Niobrara.
Horses and cattle branded NB connected on left hip or side as shown in cut

H A BUCK

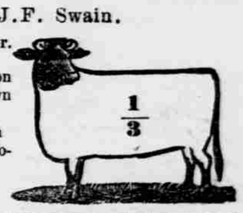
Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb
Branded on left side
Range eighteen miles north of Hyannis

J. A. YARYAN



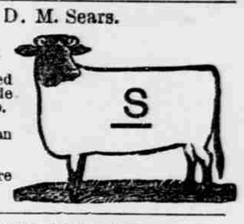
Pullman, Nebr
Cattle branded JY on right side
Horses branded JY on right shoulder
Reasonable reward for any information leading to the recovery of cattle strayed from my range.

J.F. Swain.
Sparks, Nebr.



Cattle branded on ft side as shown n cut.
Range—South of Sparks on Niobrara river.

D. M. Sears.
Kennedy, Nebr.

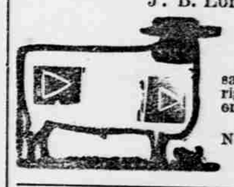


Cattle branded as on cut,left side Some on left hip.
Horses same on left shoulder.
Range—Square Lake.

WILLIAM BEAMER

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

J. B. Lord
Simeon Neb



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

ALONZO HEATH

Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska
On left side. Horses left shoulder.
Range north o Cutcomb Lake

Garner Brothers.

Cody, Nebr.
Anywhere on cattle.
Horses on left shoulder.
Range—North Ali.

Sawyer Bros.
ostoffice address.
Oasis, Nebr

G. K. Sawyer has charge of these cattle. Horses D S on left shoulder. Some stock left side Horses same eft thigh. Range on Snake river

Nebraska Land and Feeding Co.
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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.E. & M. V., R. R. and Hyannis on B. & M. R. R. in Northwestern Nebraska. Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS, Ellsworth, Nebraska.