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We have just unloaded our third car of farm implements and would be pleased to have all our friends call and see samples which we have set up, consisting of.....

John Deere Riding and Walking Plows, Rod and Moldboard Breaking Plows, Disc Harrows, with either Pole or Tongue Truck; Riding and Walking Listers; Lister Carriages to convert any Walking Lister to a Riding Lister or any Walking Plow to a Riding Plow; Breaking Plows to fit this lister carriage; Double Cast Hoosier Endgate Seeders; Riding and Walking Cultivators; Disc Cultivators; Steel Lever Harrows and riding attachments for harrows; Single and Double Row Listed Corn Cultivators; Tower Surface Cultivators; Oliver Chilled Plows; Moline Wagons; Velie Buggies. Call and inspect them.

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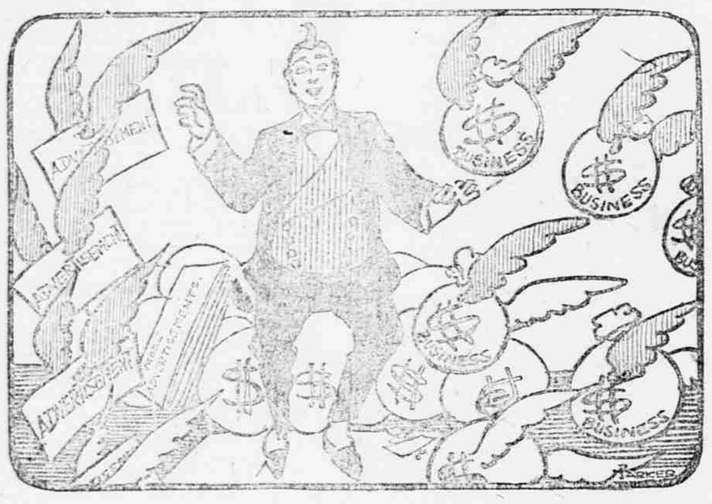
PHONE 8 VALENTINE, NEBRASKA

The Rise of Jimmie Johnson.



XII.—IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

Rise of Jimmie Johnson—was it merely due to luck?
No, indeed! The boy DISPLAYED a leading LINE of pluck;
WANTED things and ADDED them; so Jimmie Johnson's rise
Proves the proposition that IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

St. Nicholas Church.

Services will be held as follows:

In Valentine, Sunday, May 26, with services as follows: Low mass at 8 a. m., high mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m., instruction for the children at 3 p. m.

In Nenzel, Sunday, June 2.

16 3 LEO M. BRARRE, Rector.

Dwelling for Sale.

A good, desirable, well built modern 7 room dwelling for sale at a sacrifice. Will rent at a figure paying 12½ per cent on investment. Good location. Hot and cold water. Bath, lavatory and closet in building. House is new and in first class condition. Also household furniture, sewing machine, piano, desks, etc. Apply to I. M. RICE, Agent. 14

NOTICE.

Parties wanting wiring done or needing repairs to their light service will please phone No. 9 or notify the office by noon and their wants will be promptly attended to. Grain or feed order should also be placed at office to insure prompt delivery.

Anyone noticing street arcs not in working order will confer a favor by notifying us.

6tf S. F. GILMAN.

Get your property insured by I. M. Rice and you will be safe. His companies pay losses promptly.

FOR RENT—Desirable cottages, close in, suitable for small families. Terms reasonable. Apply to I. M. Rice, agent. 18

Jake Stetter buys cattle and hogs and anything the farmers have to sell. Office is where Lee's barber shop was, east side of Main street. If you want to buy or sell anything see me. No deal is too large and none are too small. J. W. STETTER,

50 Valentine, Neb.

Strayed from near Woodlake, one dunn mare, weight 900 lbs.; one bay mare, weight 900 pounds, branded W on right thigh. Reasonable reward for their recovery. Address Squier Jones, Ainsworth, Nebraska. 18 2

For Sale.

House and small barn, with two lots, close in, near school building, for sale at a bargain. House is new, lawn and shade trees, good sidewalk, all fenced. Part cash, balance easy payments. Call on I. M. Rice, agent.

This is just the place for some ranch owner or farmer to select for his wife and children to live during the winter and send children to school. Don't delay as this property will find an owner soon. It may be yours. Come and see about this first time you are in town. 18

DAIRY CLEANLINESS.

Small Top Pails Greatly Reduce Chance For Contamination.

The avoidance of unnecessary milk contamination is getting to be an old subject. I do not propose to repeat already threadbare statements. But I want to call attention to the fact that most of our dairy products, representing in value hundreds of millions of dollars, are made on our dairy farms and are of inferior quality. More than this, most of the inferiority of quality in both farm and factory products is due to milk contamination. The importance of cleanliness of cows, stables and utensils has been emphasized so often that it ought to be known to every one who has eyes or ears.

But one of the newer ideas of reducing contamination of milk is not generally known. It is the use of the small top milking pail. Based on sound common sense that prevention is better than cure, this is the coming idea in sanitary milk production. Remember that half the ordinary dirt getting into milk is soluble and that more than half of the teeming millions of bacteria readily pass through strainers.

To Avoid Stable Dirt.

During the milking dust and larger dirt particles are constantly settling into the pail even though care is taken to clean the cow and to avoid dust in the stable air. It is most reasonable to reduce the size of the opening through which the dirt falls into the milk. It should be reduced just as much as the interest and patience of the milker will permit. Chance for contamination is reduced more than one-third when the diameter of the opening in the milk pail is changed from twelve to nine inches, and it is reduced three-fourths when the opening is changed from twelve to six inches. Experience shows that great improvement can be made without any inconvenience to the milkers. Every inch of reduction helps.

We have become so accustomed to ordinary milk for butter and cheese making that we fail to realize what really good milk means for these products. Experiments made by Mr. Hall in New York show that a larger yield and better quality of cheese can be made from sanitary milk than from the product of the ordinary dairy. To his own surprise there appeared to be absolutely no fat lost at the press when cheese had been made from 3.5 per cent "certified" milk.—Professor E. A. Pearson in Kimball's Dairy Farmer.

Planting Abandoned Lanes.

Passing through the country we often notice long lanes leading from the milk yard back into the pastures. Many of such appear to have been in use for many years, until from the excess of plant food present there is scarcely any grass visible. This practice could be improved by making one permanent center fence, wire preferable, and put up a movable one to one side, causing a lane of liberal width which should correspond with size of dairy. After three years move this fence over to the other side of the center one. Plant the abandoned lane two years in succession to corn fodder. Follow the next year with grain and seed to clover; keep on making these three year rotations, and with but a very small expense what now is a constant waste will be turned to cash.—S. Gordon, Clinton County, N. Y.

BUTTER AND MILK.

Milk separated on the farm can often be kept sweet longer than that which comes home from the creamery. It is not brought in contact with other and more carelessly cared for milk and is consequently worth more for feed.

Branding of Butter.

A speaker at a recent buttermakers' convention said: I have sold butter under my own brand for the past twelve years and know that it has meant much to me in the way of obtaining not only prices, but weights. The branding of butter means as much as the branding of flour. The man that goes out to buy Big Joe will not be home with the Gold Medal. If he cannot get all his brand at one store, he will go to some other to find it. If you have your own brand on the butter the grocer cannot palm off some other brand on his customers that are used to your make. The result is they will go to some other store in search of their favorite make.

Temperature to Separate.

The warmer the milk the more fluid it is. It is a rule adopted by all creamerymen in operating power machines that the milk must be separated at a temperature above 85 degrees. Cold milk is more viscous or less fluid than warm, and the cream will not separate so readily. If this is true of power machines, where everything runs more uniformly than is possible with a hand machine, it is certainly true of the hand machine.—Professor E. H. Webster.

How Prize Butter Was Made.

George H. Bristol, who won the first prize on dairy butter at the Illinois State Dairymen's association, says of his dairy methods: I keep only Jersey cows and endeavor to have my stables and all dairy utensils as clean as possible. I feed and milk regularly, giving ground feed (corn, oats and bran mixed) for the grain ration and for roughage shredded corn fodder and alfalfa hay. I use the De Laval separator, keeping the cream at about 50 degrees F. I warm it up to 63 degrees twelve hours before churning, and then churn to granules about the size of wheat. I then draw off the buttermilk, wash twice in clear well water, salt about one and a quarter ounces to the pound, work a little in the worker and then pack

Weather Data.

The following data, covering a period of 15 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Valentine, Neb. 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.

May.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal 58°

The warmest month was that of 1900 with an average of 63°.

The coldest month was that of 1892 with an average of 48°

The highest was 97° on 8, 1895

The lowest was 23° on 2, 1889

PRECIPITATION.

Average for month 2.51 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more 11

The greatest monthly precipitation was 5.98 inches in 1898

The least monthly precipitation was 0.17 inches in 1894

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.96 inches on 18, 1847

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 12.27 inches on 7-8, 1892

CLOUDS AND WEATHER

Average number of clear days, 12 partly cloudy, 11; cloudy, 8.

WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the NW.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 12 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind was 73 miles from the SW on 21, 1906

J. J. McLEAN,

Observer Weather Bureau.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, April 28th, 1907, under a decree of mortgage foreclosure, wherein F. T. Barnhart is plaintiff, and Scott A. B. Potter, 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 15th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy judgment of $1450.00 and interest at 10 per cent from date of judgment, March 25th, 1907, and costs taxed at $30.15 and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash the following described property town: Lot No. one (1) in Block one (1) in Coe's Second addition to the village of Coe, Cherry county, Nebraska.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1907.

P. F. SIMONS,
Sheriff.

John M. Tucker, atty's for pltf. 17 5

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, April 9, 1907, under a decree and judgment and order of attachment wherein The Overton & Stetson Company, incorporated, is plaintiff and Harry Godfrey is defendant, 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 15th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy judgment of $803.00 and interest at 7 per cent from date of judgment, November 13, 1906, and costs taxed at $13.05 and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property to-wit: S½ NE¼, S½ NW¼ of section 17, township 31 range 37, in Cherry county, Nebraska.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1907.

P. F. SIMONS,
18 5 Sheriff of Cherry County,
Walcott & Morrissey, Attys. for Pltf.

In the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

A. H. KISTLER
vs
LESTER BEEBOUT, minor heir of Alphens E. Beebout, deceased, and the minor heirs of Alphens E. Beebout, deceased.

The above named defendants are hereby notified that on the 16th day of May, 1907, the plaintiff herein filed his petition in the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and all persons claiming through or under you, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain tax lien issued upon a certificate of tax sale issued by the County Treasurer of Cherry county, Nebraska, on the 14th day of August, 1901, for the payment of delinquent taxes upon the NE¼ of Section 35, Township 35, Range 26, Cherry county, Nebraska, for the years 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1899, inclusive, and for delinquent taxes upon said real estate for the year 1900 for the tax assessed and levied thereon for city, county or school district purposes and there is now due plaintiff up to said ten (10) day of May, 1907, the sum of $20.50 together with interest thereon from the 14th day of May, 1907, at the rate of ten per cent per annum and costs of this suit and ten per cent attorneys fees as provided by statute for which said plaintiff prays judgment and a decree of foreclosure and to have said premises sold for the payment and satisfaction of the amount due for such taxes, interest, penalties and costs and costs of sale; to bar, foreclose and exclude said defendants and each of them from having or claiming any lien, title, interest or equity of redemption in or to the same or any part thereof, and for general relief.

You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 24th day of June 1907.

18 4 A. H. KISTLER,
By Walcott & Morrissey, his attorneys

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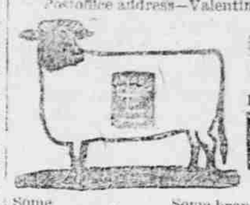
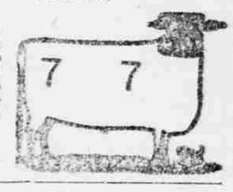


Some branded on left thigh.
Horses branded on left shoulder or thigh.
Some branded on left shoulder or thigh
Some branded on right thigh or shoulder.

N. S. Rowley
Kennedy, - Nebraska.

Same as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also [illegible] on left side and hip.
[illegible] on left side
Some cut the brand ed husk- [illegible] ng peg (either side up) on left side or hip. F on left jaw and e t shoulder of horses. W O on left hip of horses.
N on left jaw of horses

C. W Bennett
Simeon Neb



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

George Heyne
Cody, Neb

Brand registered No 1027
Horses branded on left shoulder
Range north and south of Cutcomb Lake in Cherry Co

P. H. Young.

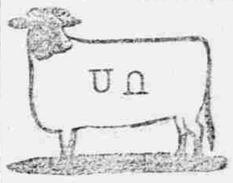
Simeon. Nebr.
Cattle branded as cut on left side
Some on left side.
— on left jaw of horses.
Range on Gordon Creek north of Simeon.

A T DAVIS
Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb.
On right side
Horses on left shoulder
Also cattle on right side
Range 10 miles north of Hyannis

C. H Little.

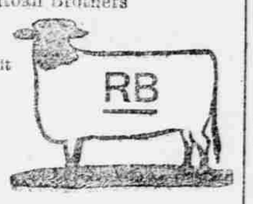
Merriman, Nebr
On either side
Horses same on hip Also
Range—Lake Creek S D

Pat Pieper



Simeon Nebr

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



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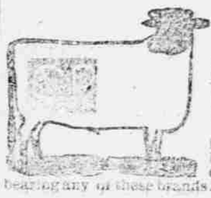

Posebud, SD
Horses and cattle same as cut; also CJ BE JJ on right hip.
Range on Oak and Butte creeks.
A liberal reward for information leading to detection of rustlers of stock bearing any of these brands.

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 S 4 on left side and some [illegible] on left side.
Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

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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.

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May 15, 1907.

	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Bran, sacked	$ 95	$17 00
Shorts, sacked	1 05	19 00
Screenings, sacked	70	13 00
Chop Feed, sacked	1 30	24 00
Corn, sacked	1 05	19 00
Chop Corn, sacked	1 10	20 00
Oats, sacked	1 65	31 00

G. W. BEAMER.
Gordon, Neb.

Cattle branded on left side [illegible] cut, 6-inch bar 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.,

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.

Sandy Williams.
Merriman, Nebr.

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

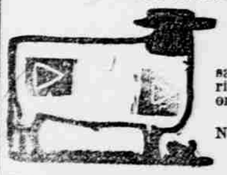
D. M. Sears.

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

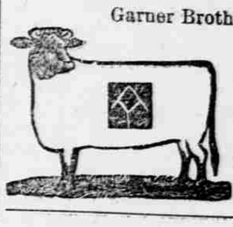


Simeon Neb
Stock branded same as cut back right shoulder and on right hip
Range on the Niobrara

ALONZO HEATH

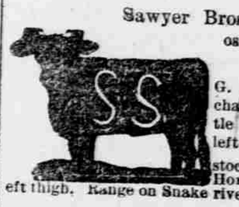
Postoffice address Cody, Nebraska
On left side. Horses left shoulder.
Range north o Cutcomb Lake

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 [illegible] left side Horses [illegible] es same eft thigh. Range on Snake river

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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 B. & M. R. R. in Northwestern -yannis on ebraska. sworth, Nebraska.
Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS,