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THE PALACE SALOON,

JOHN G. STETTER, Propr.

Wood Lake News.

(Crowded out past two weeks.)

The Carter ranch shipped five car loads of cattle.

Miss Ogla Schlueter is attending school in Ainsworth.

A. G. Ward hauled out a big load of coal last week—keep cool.

Ed Belsky is employed as foreman on the Blakely ranch. Wm. Hepperlan, former foreman, is studying veterinary surgery in Kansas.

K. B. McNamee resigned his position as postmaster and barber and has moved out on his homestead that he might enjoy with his freedom an abundance of fresh air and sunshine.

William Waggoner and family have moved into the building formerly occupied by Mr. McNamee. Mr. Waggoner is now our city postmaster and manages the work in a very efficient manner.

The 21 ranch, formerly owned by Reed and Esborn, has recently been sold to Bird, Ray & Co. The ranch sold with 1900 head of cattle for $115,000. We understand the new company will place on the ranch fifty head of pure bred shorthorn cattle. This not only means a profitable investment for them but will serve as an excellent environment to the surrounding ranches.

OBITUARY.

Julia, wife of Elza E. Vandergrift, died Oct. 18, 1907, at an early age, mourned by a husband and four little ones and a large number of friends who esteemed her as a devoted wife and mother and a consistent member of the M. E. church. She was born in Aita, Iowa, in 1882, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Colby.

She received her education in the public and normal schools of Madison and the state normal school at Springfield, S. D. Her thorough scholarship was shown by her writings, especially a religious piece entitled "Sometime We'll Understand." She lived a few years only in Iowa, then 13 years in South Dakota and 9 years in Nebraska, where, in 1900, she married Elza E. Vandergrift.

Suddenly stricken with puerperal scepticemia, she was taken to Omaha for treatment, but her strength was not equal to the journey and after severe suffering, which she endured with christian fortitude and patience. She died there and was taken to Woodlake for burial. The sad services were conducted by Rev. A. T. Carpenter, assisted by the M. W. A. and the Royal Neighbors. The pall bearers, led by the M. W. A. were Will Parker, John Whillans, Mort Izenhart, Wm. Wagner, M. J. Hyde and Chas. Hostetter.

For the occasion the church was beautifully decorated with a profusion of flowers, tokens of esteem and love from Woodlake friends.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to the many friends and neighbors who have so kindly lent their aid in our great bereavement and sorrow in the loss of our dear wife and daughter Julia. The kind words and deeds, the beautiful flowers, tokens of love and esteem are all sincerely appreciated.

Elza E. Vandergrift and family.
Mrs. C. E. Colby and family.

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.

Weather Data.

The following data, covering a period of 18 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 month.

November.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal 35°

The warmest month was that of 1899 with an average of 41°

The coldest month was that of 1896 with an average of 19°

The highest was 78° on 14, 1894

The lowest was -18° on 29, 1896

PRECIPITATION.

Average for month 0.65 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more 5

The greatest monthly precipitation was 2.57 inches in 1896.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.04 inches in 1903.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.55 inches on 26, 1896.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 15.5 inches on 25-26, 1896.

CLOUDS AMD WEATHER

Average number of clear days, 13 partly cloudy, 9; 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 52 miles from the NW on 11, 1891.

J. J. McLEAN,
Observer Weather Bureau.

St. Nicholas Church.

Services will be held as follows:

In Norden Nov. 10.

In Arabia Nov. 16.

In Valentine, Nov. 17; low mass at 8:00 a. m., high mass and sermon at 10:30. Instruction for the children at 3 p. m.

At Crookston in Prairie Belle school house Nov. 24.

LEO M. BLAERE, Rector,

To Chicago and the East.

Be sure your ticket reads via The Chicago & Northwestern R'y. to Chicago and all points east, thereby surrounding yourself with a perfection of train service that includes "The Best of Everything." Fast and convenient schedules, safety and comfort, if your ticket reads via this line. Full information on application to any ticket agent, The Northwertern Line. 42 4

A Chance for You.

Just to introduce it, the publishers are offering for only 50 cents to send the Daily State Journal, except Sunday, from now until January 1, 1908; with Sunday 75 cents. These are little over half price offers, and will attract thousands of new readers. The paper will stop coming on January 1st without notice from you. Why not send in a half dollar and see what a great volume of reading matter you get for your money. Some big events are happening in Nebraska and you should keep posted by reading the paper that can tell the whole truth about everything and everybody.

In the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the application of Alfred Lewis, administrator of the estate of Robert F. Gillaspie deceased, for license to sell real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Hon. W. H. Westover, one of the judges of the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska, made on the 30th day of October 1907, for the sale of real estate hereinafter described, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, subject to all incumbrances of record, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Valentine in said county on the 2nd day of December, 1907, at the hour of 10 a. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

An undivided one-half interest in and to the Lots Two and Three and South Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 30, Township 30, Range 34

South Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 30, Township 30 Range 34.

South Half of Northeast Quarter, Southeast Quarter of Northwest Quarter and Northeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter of Section 21, Township 30, Range 34.

Northeast Quarter of Section 23, Township 30, Range 34.

Southwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter, West Half of Northwest Quarter and Southeast Quarter of Northwest Quarter of Section 24, Township 30, Range 34.

South Half of Northeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 30, Range 34.

South Half of Northwest Quarter and North Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 25, Township 30, Range 34.

North Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 30, Range 34

South Half of Northeast Quarter and East Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 26, Township 30, range 34.

North Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 30, Range 34, west of the 6th Principal Meridian, in Cherry county, Nebraska.

Said sale will remain open one hour.

ALFRED LEWIS,
Administrator of the estate of Robert F. Gillaspie, deceased.

Dated November 4 1907.

Walcott & Morrissey,
43 3 Attorneys for administrator.

In the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the application of Edward Satterlee, administrator of the estate of Jennie E. Barnes, deceased, for license to sell real estate

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Hon W. H. Westover, one of the judges of the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska made on the 30th day of October, 1907, for the sale of real estate hereinafter described, there will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash subject to all incumbrances of record, at the front door of the court house in the village of Valentine in said county, on the 2nd day of December, 1907 at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

South Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 31, Township 35, and North Half of Northeast Quarter of Section 6, Township 34, all in Range 33, and the Southeast Quarter of Section 7, Township 34, Range 32, west of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Cherry county, Nebraska.

Said sale will remain open one hour.

EDWARD SATTERLEE,
Administrator of the Estate of Jennie E. Barnes, Deceased.

Dated November 4, 1907.

Walcott & Morrissey,
43 3 Attorneys for administrator.

Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, October 23 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Estella M. Merrill, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 14552, made July 14, 1903, for E½SE¼, Section 6, and E½NE¼, section 7, township 31, range 25, by Miranda Chandler contestee, in which it is alleged that said Miranda Chandler has wholly abandoned said land and changed her residence therefrom for more than six months last past, that the land is not settled upon nor cultivated in good faith as the law requires, and entryman has never established her residence upon the land as the law requires and has failed to cure her laches up to this date, and said alleged absence was not due to her employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman 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 5, 1907, before the register and receiver at the United States Land Office in Valentine, Nebraska

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed October 23, 1907, 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.

42 4 LUKE M. BATES, Register.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Cherry County, Nebraska, September 11, 1907, under a decree of mortgage foreclosure, wherein The Commercial National Bank of Fremont, Nebraska, is plaintiff and Thomas F. Kelly, Margaret T. Kelly, Horace H. Clough, John Doe, real name unknown, assignee of Horace H. Clough and Richard Roe, real name unknown, administrator of the estate of Horace H. Clough, deceased, 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 30th day day of Nov 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy judgment of $984.56 and interest at 8 per cent from date of judgment, Feb. 6th, 1907, and costs taxed at $35.10 and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash the following described property, to-wit: SE¼ of section 1, township 34, range 29, and E½NE¼, NW¼NE¼, NE¼SE¼, Section 12, township 34, in Cherry county, Neraska.

Dated this 30th day of October, 1907.

P. F. SIMONS,
Sheriff.

John M. Tucker, atty's for plff. 43 5

Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, October 23, 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Harvey D. Meredith, contestant, against Homestead entry No 18340 made August 6 1906, for W½ E½, W½ section 4, and E½E½, section 5, township 31 range 29 by Joseph W Pickett, contestee in which it is alleged that claimant has wholly abandoned said tract for more than six months last past, that he has never resided upon, cultivated or improved said tract as required by law, that he does not maintain a bona fide residence on said tract but lives elsewhere, that said defects exist at this date and have not been cured.

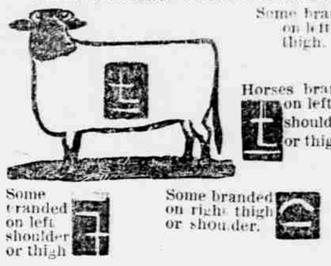
Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 4th day of November, 1907 before John H. Welton, U. S. Comr. at his office in Mullen, Nebraska and that the final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m on December 6, 1907, before the register and receiver at the United States Land Office in Valentine, Nebraska

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Oct 23, 1907, 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.

42 5 E. OLSON, Receiver.

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.

F + on left side

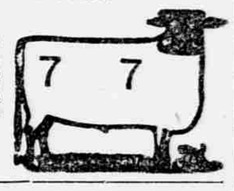
Some cattle branded husking peg (either side up) on left side or hip. F on left jaw and left shoulder of horses.

CE on left hip of horses.

N on left jaw of horses

C. W. Bennett

Simeon Neb

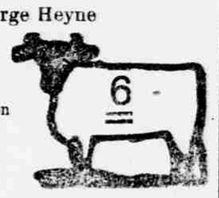


Stock branded with 7 on left hip also same as cut

Range between Gordon and Snake creeks and on the Niobrara river

George Heyne

Cody, Neb



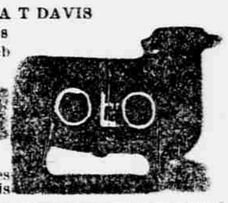
Brand registered No 1027

Horses branded on left shoulder

Range north and south of Cutcomb Lake in Cherry Co

A T DAVIS

Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb



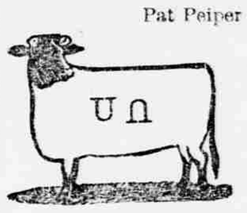
On right side

horses on left shoulder

also cattle on right side

Range 10 miles north of Hyannis

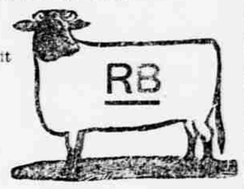
Pat Peiper



Simeon Nebr

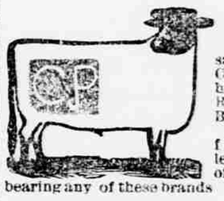
Roan Brothers

Woodlake Neb



John Roan's private mark, slit in left ear

C. P. Jordan.



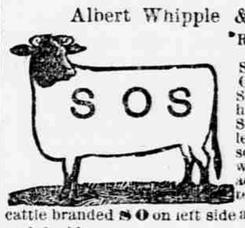
Rosebud, SD

Horses and cattle same as cut; also CJ BE IJ 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



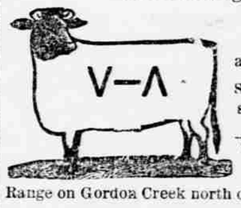
Rosebud, S. D.

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 O 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.

P. H. Young.

Simeon, Nebr.



Cattle branded as cut on left side

Some ⊏Y on left side.

— on left jaw of V horses.

Range on Gordon Creek north of Simeon.

R·I·P·A·N·S Tabules

Doctors find

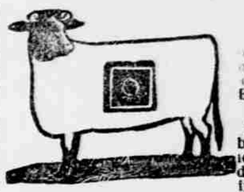
A good prescription

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.

G. W. BEAMER

Gordon, Neb.

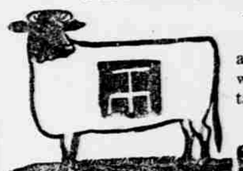


Cattle branded on left side as cut, 6-inch dc and 2½-inch circ. Brand registered 875.

Horses branded left shoulder. 2¼ 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.,

Rolfe Nebr

Cattle branded anywhere on left side.

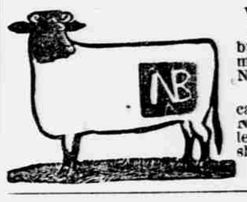
Earmark, square crop right ear.

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

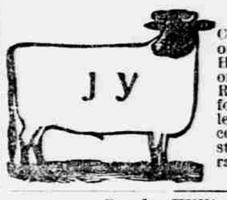
H A BUCK

Postoffice address Hyannis, Neb

Branded on left side

Range eighteen miles north of Hyannis

J. A. YARYAN



Pullman, Nebr

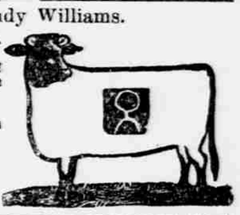
Cattle branded JY on right side

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.



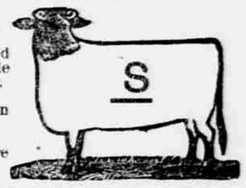
Mostly on left side. Some on right side.

Horses same on left shoulder.

Range—Lake Creek, S. D.

D. M. Sears.

Kennedy, Nebr.

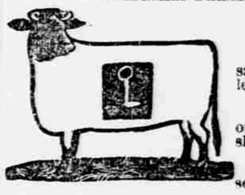


Cattle branded as on cut, left side Some on left hip.

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 of Cutcomb Lake

C. H Little.

Merriman, Nebr.

On either side Horses same on hip. Also

Range—Lake Creek S D

Sawyer Bros.

Postoffice address Oasis, Nebr

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

Nebraska Land and Feeding Co.

Bartlett Richards Pres Will G Comstock, V. P.
Chas G 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 R. R. in Northwestern Nebraska. Address, BARTLETT RICHARDS, Ellsworth, Nebraska.