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	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Bran, sacked...	\$1 10	\$21 00
Shorts, sacked	1 20	23 00
Chop Feed, sacked	1 45	28 00
Corn, sacked	1 30	25 00
Chop Corn, sacked	1 35	26 00
Oats, sacked	1 60	31 00

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Are you going to let the price of a bottle of White Pine Cough Syrup With Tar stand between you and a good night's rest, or are you going to hack and cough and lie awake all night just to save 25c?

White Pine Cough Syrup with Tar is our best of all Cough and Cold remedies and has been sold by us with increasing favor for five years. It contains nothing but good old fashioned reliable ingredients that everyone knows and can trust, and these are carefully put together so as to insure the very best medicinal results.

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We sell a 4-ounce bottle for Twenty-five Cents.

**HAPMAN,**  
THE DRUGGIST,  
VALENTINE, NEB.

## Talk of the Town.

Try Kazda's barber shop. If Don't forget the teachers' association Saturday.

Mrs. Dell Sherman was quite ill the first of the week.

Melvin Bucy returned Tuesday from a visit in Iowa.

Charles Latta, of Oasis, was in town the first of the week.

For a nice juicy steak call at Baumann's meat market or call Phone 88.

Mrs. Pettycrew's sister, Miss Mutchmore arrived Tuesday night and will visit here for a time.

Every school in Cherry county either has employed a teacher or has had two applications. That's better.

Ralph Keplinger, of Sweetbriar, S. Dak., has been here during the past week, visiting with relatives and friends.

Don't forget our prices are always right if you come, send or call by phone, (88).

Baumann's Meat Market.  
Miss Mamie Noble, of Lincoln, this state, is visiting in our city with her sisters, Mrs. Walcott and Miss Noble.

The Reading Circle books, "Kerns Among Country Schools," are now in the office of the County Superintendent.

Frank Fischer's popular Hudson nut and lump coal now sells for \$7.60 per ton. A small load will convince you of its good qualities.

Dr. Meehan, osteopath, will be at the Valentine House from Monday morning until Saturday, evening each week. Consultation free.

Mrs. Perry Veach returned to her home the first of the week, after spending some time visiting at the home of her parents at Rushville.

County Assessor P. H. Young and ex-county Clerk C. S. Reece have gone to Lincoln to spend 10 days at the Farmers' and Stock-growers' association.

Judge Walcott left on Tuesday evening for Omaha, St. Paul and will probably go to Canada before returning home. The Judge expects to be gone about two weeks.

Seven couples spent a very pleasant evening at the Gould home last Friday. High-five furnished the entertainment. Gertrude Quigley and John Helzer were the prize winners.

J. E. Thackery came up from Hackberry Lake Monday, to get a load of coal and to haul down some of his household goods to his new home. He tells us that E. Stillwell is very sick with a combination of tonsillitis and grip.

A fire occurred at Harry Newman's place on Pelican Lake a week ago Sunday, which burned his corrals and cattle sheds. The fire was started by a little boy during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Newman, who were visiting at Jacob Klein's, down the river.

Warner Stratton went visiting out in the Simeon Lake neighborhood a few days ago and is reported by his friends to have become so greatly interested in a conversation with one of the fair sex that his team ran away with the wagon and tore his hay-rack to pieces, took one wheel off the wagon and tore down a quarter of a mile of fence, taking a gate right along with the front wheels of the wagon.

W. D. Clarkson is putting up ice.

C. H. Connell is in Chicago on business.

J. H. Quigley is reported sick with the grip.

Mrs. Dr. Daily, who has been very ill for some time, is recovering.

The R. R. force is still at work putting up ice, which is now about sixteen inches thick.

Elmer Bristol has rented the Efner building and is putting in a stock of groceries.

Mrs. Flora Thomsen is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hornback, at the Chicago house.

Mrs. W. W. Daniels started for Omaha this morning, where she will enter the Methodist hospital for medical treatment.

G. A. Waggoner, the Wood Lake postmaster, was in town yesterday and while here paid this office a pleasant call.

The North Table Literary society meets at Fairview Friday evening. A good time is expected and music by the brass band.

The Hudson nut and lump coal for sale by Frank Fischer is now reduced to \$7.60 per ton. Its superior qualities will be shown by a trial load.

Davenport & Co., Chapman the druggist, Valentine State Bank and Frank Fischer, the hardware and coal dealer, all have change of advertisement this week.

W. A. Pettycrew is in receipt of a postal card from his son Archie, which says "Hello Grandpa," and also brings the information that it is a ten-pound girl.

We understand that Mr. Arthur Bowering, of Merriman, who is well known in Valentine, "took unto himself a school ma'am for a wife," on Tuesday of this week. Just on suspicion that the report is true, THE DEMOCRAT extends hearty congratulations.

P. F. Simons and wife are visiting W. P. Hunt and family in Joplin, Mo. They started last Monday, week, and expect to be gone two or three weeks. It's the first vacation they have had in 20 years and they'll enjoy their visit.

Sparkling Artesian water—Choice Barley Malt—Imported Bohemian Hops are the ingredients of Storz Blue Ribbon Beer. It is brewed under conditions of extreme cleanliness in one of the most modern breweries in the world. It is a delicious, healthful beverage, winter or summer.

If people do not report items to us how do they expect us to get them? We can't be snooping around people's back yards to inquire when a child is born, nor go boldly in at the front gate to make such an inquiry. If people want news published they must "jar loose" and tell what they know or write it up and hand it in. THE DEMOCRAT will tell the news. Our sense of propriety in matters of private affairs forbids us to "butt in" without invitation, and when we think we know, we do not always feel at liberty to tell, unless it becomes public property. We will confess that we're not lifting lids in suspicious looking places without a challenge to do so. Tell us the news. Write it, phone it, send it by messenger. It's history and you want it recorded. Other people want it. It's your duty to all—to your friends and the world at large—to tell the news.

Will Brosius returned Saturday morning from Longmont, Colo., where he went a few days ago to look over the country. Will tells glowing stories of fabulous wealth piled up in Colorado farms, but the other fellow has 'em—and the wealth. He saw Frank Seger and Andrew Miller and their families, who are doing well. Will says people live in comfortable houses out there and have other substantial improvements. But land is selling out there from \$100.00 to \$250.00 per acre. What should Cherry county farms sell for? If people will put good substantial improvements on their farms here and feel contented, they will never need to go anywhere else to look for something better. People can make the money here and what more do we want that money won't buy. Or what can we hope for elsewhere that we cannot have here? It might be cheaper coal and lower freight rates. Governor Sheldon's plan of having a railway commission appointed or elected to adjust and regulate freight rates has not been so effective as the Legislature's bill reducing passenger fares to two cents a mile. Ed Richards, of Kennedy, has

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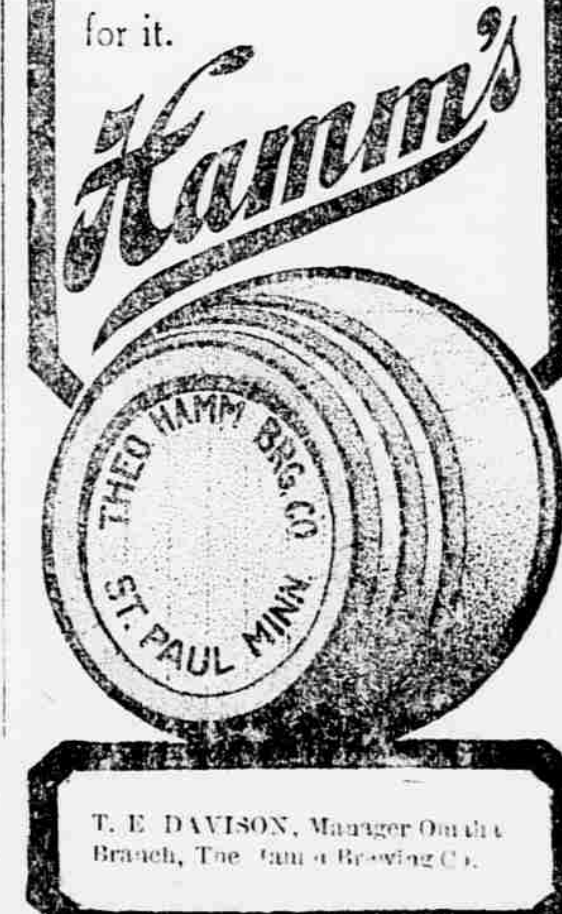
Yours for business,

L. H. Baumann, Propr.  
Valentine, Nebr.

been very ill with pneumonia for a couple weeks, but was sufficiently recovered last Friday to be up again. His family has been staying in town to enjoy school privileges, but were called home during his serious illness. They have now returned.

## Every Drop

Of Hamm's Beer is absolutely pure. You take no chances when you drink Hamm's. We guarantee Hamm's under the National Pure Food Law and also under the Food Laws of all the states. The "Preferred Stock" is the most delicious Beer ever brewed. It is the ideal Beer for all occasions. Call for it.



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Has just received a complete line of the latest styles and best quality shoes for ladies, misses, children, men and boys.

Our "Buffalo Calf" work shoes for men and boys cannot be equaled for quality and price. In dress shoes we have both plain and snappy styles.

Our "Hard Knocker," the best on earth, is a line of school shoes that will please and satisfy you in style, quality, comfort and price.

New goods in all our lines are now constantly arriving, and you are invited to call and inspect the quality and become acquainted with prices.

### DISTRICT COURT CALENDAR.

Sioux	February 18	September 8
Sheridan	March 3	November 9
Cherry	March 16	September 21
Holt	March 23	December 14
Boyd	April 6	November 23
Brown	April 20	September 21
Rock	April 27	September 28
Keya Paha	May 11	September 14
Box Butte	May 18	December 7
Dawes	June 1	November 16

Mrs. J. P. Ninas, who had been voted husband and two children, but a few days, with a complicated case of grip, died last night beside other relatives and a host of friends to mourn her untimely death. She leaves a death.