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## Shirts, Ties, Suspenders and Hose for nobby wearers.

## SUITS MADE TO ORDER— Just as you want 'em.

### Cleaning and Pressing

## Robertson & Bishop.

## Talk of the Town.

Try Kazda's barber shop. If J. A. Yaryan of Pullman attended court last week.

C. W. Bennett was in town a couple of days last week. Miss Marguerite Haley came home from O'Neill Monday.

L. C. Spark's son Joe has been quite sick with an attack of tonsillitis.

County Assessor Young spent several days in town last week on business.

Mrs. O. Sullivan of O'Neill is visiting her niece, Mrs. Nicholson, in this city.

Rev. Wells' daughter Sarah has had considerable trouble with enlarged tonsils this week.

Rev. Wells returned from Merriam and Cody Tuesday where he had been holding services.

Mrs. Ethel (McDill) Austin was in town Monday enroute to her home in Belle Fourche, S. D.

Mrs. Hattie Bennett and family intend to leave this week for Colorado to make their future home.

Misses Leone Williams and Leola West were in town Saturday, having some dental work done.

Quincy Buck and wife and Ed Hackler leave today, overland, for White River where they will try homesteading.

Miss Pearl Fulson returned to her home in Merriman Saturday, after visiting for some time with the Walcott family.

Miss Allie Cyphers returned from an extended trip to New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania last Saturday.

Little Elizabeth McClure celebrated her 6th birthday March 21, by inviting a few friends to spend the afternoon with her.

Friends of Clyde Beare, former night operator here, will be pleased to know that he is again in the employ of the railroad at Merriman.

The Ladies Guild of St. John's church will hold another food sale the day before Easter, Saturday, the 18th, at T. C. Hornby's store.

Chapman, the druggist, has a few boxes of Eaton-Hurlbut Paper which he is closing out at one-half regular price. Better lay in a supply.

A few "school ma'ams," viz: Chas. Brown, Misses Maud and Geraldine Tracewell, Anna Ashburn, Lillie Green and Mary Jacobs, were in town Saturday.

Miss Clara Heine departed last Thursday evening for her home in Hooper where she remained over Sunday and then went on to Schuyler where she is teaching.

The Haley family received the sad intelligence Monday of the death of a cousin in Utah whose funeral will be held in O'Neill this week. The young man was afflicted with appendicitis and the operation was unsuccessful.

## H. S. LOCKWOOD

—Handles the—  
SHARPLESS SEPARATOR,  
FLOUR, GRAIN AND HAY.  
Opposite Postoffice. Phone 71.

Ed Clark is taking the Keeley Cure this week.

Dr. Winkler is in the city practicing dentistry.

J. B. Mortsolf was over from Rosebud Tuesday.

Geo. Hershey's four-year-old daughter has appendicitis.

L. S. Piercy came in from his ranch at Kennedy yesterday.

J. A. Anderson and wife returned from Omaha Monday.

Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing neatly done. Robertson & Bishop.

Geo. Heth returned Monday night from a hospital in Omaha and is feeling much better.

R. C. Salmon of Scribner has been here the past week, visiting his brothers on North Table.

Wes Massingale returned home last Saturday from a three years tour of the country in eastern states.

The infant child of Chas. Gassan, born last Thursday, died yesterday. Mrs. Gassan has been very ill.

W. A. Bonser came down from Rosebud yesterday in the cold wind in the afternoon. The weather is fine today.

Just a glance at our ready made suits will convince you they are the best and the cheapest \$4.50 up. Robertson & Bishop.

Have C. O. Carpenter paint your screens and get them ready for spring. Do it now before the spring rush. Phone 83.

There are several families now quarantined with scarlet fever but they are not all as sore as Geo. Tracewell was at the town board.

Harmony is the name of the new postoffice on North Table and J. C. Salmon is postmaster. The postoffice is at the cross roads north of his house where he has located his store.

We are informed that Minnie Rickets, daughter of C. B. Ricketts, died March 3rd, of consumption at Phoenix, Arizona, where the family had been living hoping to benefit her health.

The fish known as "suckers" which eat the spawn of other fish are being seined out of the dam. The net is placed at the bridge, and will gather in the "suckers" as they make their annual run up the creek.

Rushville is voting wet this year. Having tried a dry town for 2 years they're glad to get back to licensed saloons. Ainsworth will also vote for license again and Omaha will have saloons this year. Valentine will go wet two to one.

Andrew Morrissey is a winner. He ought to be, for he is able, energetic and courageous in the cause he believes just. Mr. Bryan will have no more able champion on the delegation than "the gentleman from Cherry."—Holt Co. Democrat.

There was a busy day in court last Saturday when it was learned that four prisoners would plead guilty and thus save a week's time in court. Business was taken up promptly and the work finished so far as possible and court adjourned about 9 o'clock Saturday night.

Supt. W. J. O'Brien and Wm. Francke, in charge of the fish hatchery at this place, distributed 110,000 brook trout east and west of here last week. About 125,000 northern trout will be ready for distribution within ten days. Mr. O'Brien returned to Gretna Friday and sent up 120,000 rainbow trout to be hatched at this hatchery and they will be ready to be placed in the Cherry county streams in a few weeks.

W. H. Carter returned last Saturday from his trip to Kansas and stopped in Valentine to let the contract for rebuilding his house that was partially destroyed by fire recently. I. M. Rice, the local agent for the German Mutual Fire Ins. Co., adjusted the loss and the same was promptly paid to Mr. Carter, who has given the contract to Grant, Boyer, C. O. Carpenter and M. Christensen for carpentering, painting and papering.

### For Sale

Cattle—about 20 head; 9 head yearling steers, 5 heifers, rest cows and heifers. Must all go in a bunch. Inquire or write S. E. Smith, Wood Lake, Nebr.

Spring is here and we are well supplied with farm implements for the spring's work. At this time we wish to call your attention to our

## Disk Harrows

They have three levers and three bearing boxes on each side. They will dig into the hardest ground without the aid of weights.

## The Double Throw Force Feed

are the best there is.

We also have riding attachments to fit any Walking Lister or Walking Plow; also have breaking bottoms to fit this attachment.

# Ludwig Lumber Co.

The four-year-old daughter of Wm. Erickson and wife of Kennedy died Tuesday of last week of scarlet fever. The other children are also ill.

Geo. J., Geo. W. and Miss Anna Gaskill returned last week from a couple of weeks' visit with D. P. Millikin and family, 15 miles northeast of Springfield.

The Chase-Lister Co. is here and play three nights, beginning tonight with "Friday, the 13th." Friday night they play "The Girl From The 101 Ranch." Saturday afternoon matinee, "Kathleen Mavourneen." Saturday evening "The Money, the Thief and the Fool."

John Britt loaded a car with his belongings Monday and has gone back to Iowa. W. T. Brosius also departed for Longmont, Colo., yesterday, where he expects to make his future home. Both have lived in Cherry county too long for them to remain away more than a year or two.

See C. O. Carpenter for buggy painting, house painting (inside and out). Furniture repairing and varnishing of all kinds promptly done. Phone 83. Shop in west part of town. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited. Satisfactory work guaranteed. Let me figure on your work.

### Good News.

The Chase-Lister company with Clint and Bessie Robbins will hold the boards at the opera house for three nights and Saturday matinee, starting Thursday, March 26th. This company needs no introduction to the theatre-goers, as they have appeared here several times and have also given universal satisfaction. Manager Chase guarantees to bring the biggest and best company that he has ever presented in Valentine. The plays are all new metropolitan successes and Clint and Bessie Robbins will appear in all new specialties. They open their engagement in Clyde Fitch's last story of the day, "On Friday, the 13th," a play that will please you.

The story of "The Wreck of the Jefferson National Bank" which occurred "ON FRIDAY THE 13th" is one of the most absorbingly interesting ever produced on the stage. It pictures the temptations and risks of speculation, and how one man will allow another to suffer for his own weakness and crime. The comedy element is unusually strong. Tonight at the opera house.

### To Tell Real Pewter.

One of the most famous collections of old pewter to be found in this country is at Salem, Mass. The following rules for selecting this ware are given by an expert, who says: "Pewter is capable of a very high polish, is soft in tone and pleasing to the eye. The best of the metal has a certain consistency, the test of which is pressing the thumb and finger upon it as one tries the ripeness of an apple. It should feel soft, or perhaps elastic is a better word. The hall marks are various. A common one is two pigs with the maker's name, Hamm of London; also the initials of sovereigns, as V. R., G. R., W. R., and the royal coat of arms. Often these marks are scarcely distinguishable. On old pieces there will frequently be found marks made by knives, dents from teeth on tankards and pots and sometimes the rudely cut initials of individual owners. In older days communion sets were of pewter, and occasionally a collector is fortunate enough to run across a whole set."—What to Eat.

## We have a good stock of Sulky Plows, Sulky Listers and Double Row Listers

Do not hesitate to put in lots of corn. Later we will sell you a

## Two Row Cultivator,

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Now is the time to buy your rain coats and slickers before the stock is broken.

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Valentine, Nebr.  
All work will be given prompt and careful attention.

### Cattle Pasture

Wanted—70 or 80 head of cattle to pasture, plenty of shade and running water, see 4, tp. 32, r. 25. Inquire of S. E. Smith, Wood Lake, Nebraska.

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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

### Notice.

We the undersigned are expecting to take care of the town herd of cows this season. We will have good herd bulls and will take good care of your cows.

J. M. WILSON,  
J. S. SHAFER.