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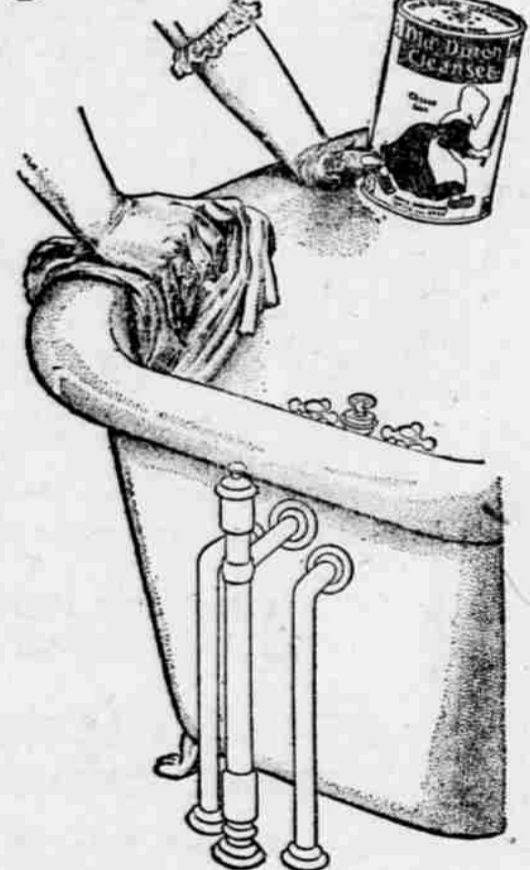
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ADVERTISING RATES:
Locals or reading notices 5 cents per line each insertion. Display advertising 50 cents per inch per month each issue; \$1.00 per inch per month double column.

Mesdames Harry Lyons and Will Johnson and David Hanna and wife departed Monday morning for Lincoln to attend the grand chapter of the O. E. S., to be held Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mesdames Ellison and Sall went to Johnstown Sunday night, the latter returning home after a short visit. Mrs. Ellison returned to her duty as dressmaker.

Miss Bessie Dillon returned to her home in Ainsworth after an extended visit with Mrs. Latta.

Lloyd Klingaman doesn't seem to mind having the measles and was not sick at all. In fact he thinks it rather a joke since he hasn't had to work this week.

Mrs. Latta is again at her post and says a few days vacation was quite a pleasure but she is glad to be in school again.

A number of Wood Lakers were present at the picnic and ball game at A. Benson's between Woodlake and Arabia, the latter winning the game.

Thelma and Margaret Johnson have the measles.

Rev. Campbell preached a good sermon last Sunday evening. We are grateful to Bro. Campbell for favoring us with a sermon every other Sunday while Rev. Jordan cannot be present.

Viva Kennedy is recovering from her long seige of sickness.

Mrs. W. A. Klingaman and son Lloyd visited her son Roy and wife this week.

U. G. Welker's have moved to their ranch.

Merriman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bordeaux came up from Kilgore last week and spent a few days with relatives and friends.

After completing a successful term of school in the Bixler district Miss Alice Thornquist returned to her home in Gordon.

Grant Bixler and family moved into town last Saturday.

Wm. Slade returned to the Larson Bros. ranch Monday morning after spending a few weeks on his homestead.

Geo. Jessen was a business caller Monday.

Alvin Green came up from Valentine Monday night.

The little daughter of A. J. Harris and wife died Monday morning as last week and funeral services were held in the M. E. church Tuesday. Mr. Harris and family had just recently moved from Kansas and were almost like strangers in a strange land, but during their trouble many helping and willing hands were held out to them, and we join in extending sympathy to the bereaved parents.

The saloon fight which took place in our town last week ended with a victory for the dries. Mr. Patterson of Rushville was the lawyer for the dries and Ed Clarke of Valentine was the lawyer for the wets, but when the time for discussion came the wets withdrew their petition which was perhaps the wisest thing they could do as all the evidence of their violation of the law was against them. We congratulate the dries for their success and wish them the same in overpowering any whom may try to start a saloon here and we are quite confident that they will.

Find Body of Elsie Paroubek.

Chicago, May 10.—A search of more than a month for Elsie Paroubek, a five-year-old child, thought to have been kidnaped, came to an end with the recovery of her body in the canal near Lockport, Ill.

Badger Lake.

The Badger was snowed under on April 30th and was unable to scratch the snow away from his den in time to write for The Democrat last week but is on deck this week.

Since our last writing there has been considerable illness in the neighborhood. Dr. Roth of Big Creek has been called twice. All are improving.

Tom Moore had the misfortune of having one of his horses tangle up in the wire so badly that it cut its throat and bled to death.

Albert Russell had the misfortune of becoming snow blind during the recent snow storm. His eyes were in a very serious condition for several days but they are improving now.

Sam Lee wended his way thru the deep snow to Valentine the 2nd and has not returned at this writing.

Dan Adamson was seen coming from the vicinity of Cody with a load of freight Sunday.

Wilber Kirk and sister, Mrs. Alvine Frazy were callers at Dan Barnes' recently.

Miss May Barnes is home at present, having been called on account of the illness of her sister, Alta.

Mrs. Russell, who has been away visiting her son, George, has returned home after a six weeks' absence.

A rumor is again afloat that there is to be a dance in Zimmerman house next Friday night for the benefit of the Badger Lake ball nine. We have not been posted this time, but this is the third effort to have one.

Miss Zoe Redd has been the guest of Mrs. Adamson the past week.

A BADGER.

THOMAS JOHNSON MUST HANG

Governor Aldrich Refuses to Commute Sentence to Life Imprisonment.

Lincoln, May 10.—Governor Aldrich issued a statement to the effect that he would not interfere with the verdict of the court which sentenced Thomas Johnson, the Omaha negro, convicted of the murder of a stockman named Frank Land, to hang, May 19.

In his statement the executive says that in the beginning he was impressed with the idea of granting a commutation of sentence, thinking that possibly the murderer had not had a fair trial. He also asserts that the arguments made by Attorney Kaley of Omaha in behalf of the condemned man were such as to make him desire to investigate the case to the utmost. "But," says the governor, "an examination of the record and a review of the evidence given in the case does not justify Kaley's statement that Johnson did not have a fair trial."

Further, Governor Aldrich says there is not a missing link in the chain of evidence. In concluding Governor Aldrich said: "Under the circumstances there is nothing left to do but to let the law take its course and I therefore refuse to commute the sentence of Johnson to that of life imprisonment."

ELDRED LAND CASE CALLED

Denel County Cattleman on Trial in Federal Court at Lincoln. Lincoln, May 10.—The case of Denel County Cattleman on Trial in Federal Court at Lincoln, Nebraska, was called for trial in the federal court in Lincoln today. The case is against the United States charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States. The indictment was returned by the grand jury at Lincoln, Nebraska, on May 10. The case is against the United States charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States. The indictment was returned by the grand jury at Lincoln, Nebraska, on May 10. The case is against the United States charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States. The indictment was returned by the grand jury at Lincoln, Nebraska, on May 10.

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R. M. Faddis & Co.
Postoffice address—Valentine or Kennedy.
Some branded on left thigh
Horses branded on left shoulder or right hip

P. H. Young.
Simeon, Nebr.
Cattle branded as cut on left side
Some on left side
Some on left jaw of V horses.

N. S. Rowley.
Kennedy, Nebraska.
Some as cut on left side and hip, and on left shoulder of horses. Also on left side and hip.
Some on left side and hip.
Some on left side of neck and on left hip.
Some on left jaw of horses.

C. P. Jordan.
Rosebud, SD
Horses and cattle same as cut; also on left hip.
Range on Oak and Butte creeks.
A liberal reward for information leading to detection of rustlers of stock bearing any of these brands.

R. M. Terrill, Propr.
Brownlee, Nebr.
Cattle branded as in cut on left side. Some branded K T V on left hip. Range on North Loop river, two miles west of Brownlee.

Not Afraid
St. Francis Mission, Rosebud, S. D.
Cattle branded as in cut; horses same or J K P on left thigh. Range between Spring Creek and Little White river.

J. A. Yaryan.
Fullman, Nebr
Cattle branded J Y on right side. Horses branded J Y on right shoulder. Reasonable reward for any information leading to the recovery of cattle strayed from my range.

Albert Whipple & Sons.
Rosebud S. D.
Cattle branded SOS on left side. SOO 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 SOS on left side and some on left side.
Horses branded SOS on left hip. Some cattle branded AW bar connected on both sides and left hip of horses.

D. M. Sears.
Kennedy, Nebr.
Cattle branded as on cut, left side. Some on left hip.
Horses same on left shoulder.
Range—Square Lake.

Nebraska Land and Feeding Co.
Bartlett Richards Pres Will G Comstock, V. P. 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. K. & M. V. R. R. in Northwestern Nebr.
BARTLETT RICHARDS, Elsworth, Nebr.

Sawyer Bros.
Oasis, Nebr
G. K. Sawyer has charge of these cattle. Horses same on left shoulder. Some left side. Horses same left thigh. Range on Snake river.

Metzger Bros.
Kofie Nebr.
Cattle branded any where 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.