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The gruesomeness of the scene during the first few days cannot be exaggerated. The

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THE THANKSGIVING TABLE.

How to Make a Feast For the Eye as Well as the Palate.

As Thanksgiving is a national custom it becomes us to treat it handsomely and make it not only a feast to the palate, but to the eye. Nothing can do this so well as the adornment of the table with flowers and leaf and vine, making its appearance as charming to the view as its aroma is to the appetite, says the Delineator.

If you haven't a brilliant little scarlet poinsettia for the center of the table now is the time and place for the dish of ferns you brought in some time ago from the wet places before the frost had touched them to wither gold and for a wreathlike daisy arrangement about it on the snowy cloth of the small leaves of the whorlberry pressed immediately after plucking, with all its rich tints of orange and carmine yet unfaded. If, however, you are so fortunate as to have an akela vine anywhere on the premises you can have the preferable living green. This is a Japanese hardy vine, acclimated over here for perhaps a century, whose curious flowers of a reddish purple, male and female in one pendulous cluster, belong to the best of summer, but whose small leaves are green and delicate even in midwinter.

But if you have gathered none of these things you can purchase a little pot of madder-leaf fern and can by the sprays around the centerpiece and up and down the table just before the guests are seated, as they shiver so soon. You can hardly have a prettier effect than this in its pure green and white contrast, unless there is added to it a tiny boutonniere at every place, made only of a single bud, together with a leaf of the rose geranium or lemon verbena clipped from those provided for the finger bowls. At such a table one dines without feeling as if he were satisfying only the material tastes.

How to Make a Room Look Larger.

To increase the apparent size of a room there is nothing better than the judicious use of mirrors.

Suppose that you have a glass about five feet high and two wide, in a wooden frame, you may employ it most decoratively in a sitting room.

Mount it about a couple of feet from the floor and arrange in front of it a row of ferns, palms or other foliage plants, concealing the pots with a handsome box filled at the top with fresh moss.

The mirror should be placed either where it will reflect the view from the window or else opposite the entrance of the room, so that when the door is opened one may see the hall or passage beyond reflected in it. Of course the room will not be any larger really, but the fact that it will appear so is a great point, for, as a friend of my own says, "If we cannot have a pleasant reality at least let us have a pleasant illusion."

I know one house where the dining room is long and dark, and the only window gives a very insufficient light. Here an immense improvement was effected by placing a good mirror over the sideboard at the end of the room opposite the window.

This reflected the light and the landscape seen from the window, with the result that one was almost deluded into the belief that the room had two windows, and one certainly was not conscious of the want of an outlet.

How to Make Boiled Apple Pudding.

Half a loaf of breadcrumbs, to which add a little salt. Pare, core and cut into thin slices two greening apples, four ounces of chopped suet, half a cupful of boiling water sufficient to moisten the mixture. Rub a little salt on the inside of the mold to make it smooth. Pack the mixture firmly as tightly as possible into the mold. Fasten the lid down securely and place in a boiler with only sufficient water in the bottom to make a steam. Let it boil this way for one hour, turn out and eat with the following sauce:

One cup of granulated sugar, quarter of a cup of water. Put together on the fire and allow to melt quickly, to which add the rind of half a lemon chopped fine, not grated. One minute after the sirup begins to boil (kept any longer it turns to candy) remove it and add the juice of half a lemon. Serve hot.

How to Mark Your Linen.

The most satisfactory method of marking clothes that go to the laundry is with a rubber stamp bearing your name. Each separate article may thus be stamped with the least possible trouble, and the result will be a legible marking. The name need not be put in a conspicuous place. In fact, it might be tucked away in some odd corner where it will not show, yet is sure proof of ownership. The stamp is inexpensive, and one may buy a pad and indelible ink at small cost. It is a very economical idea.

How to Clean a Sewing Machine.

To keep a sewing machine in good condition it needs an occasional cleaning with kerosene. Saturate the machine with kerosene and then run the machine briskly for several minutes without thread, of course. This will

loosen all old oil and dust, which should be wiped away with a soft cloth until the machine is perfectly clean. Then oil it with machine oil.

How to Make Pumpkin Pie.

Roll and press through a sieve a quart of pumpkin. Add two quarts of rich milk. Sweeten it to taste, adding spice and a little nutmeg. A piece of butter the size of an egg may be added while the pumpkin is still hot. Last, add six eggs well beaten and pour the mixture into the prepared crust and bake rather slowly. This will make two large pies.

Commissioners Proceedings.

(Official Publication)

January 4th, 1909, board of county commissioners of Eddy county met in regular session. Present, A. C. Heard, J. H. Graham and Chas. W. Beeman.

Moved by Beeman, seconded by Graham, that A. C. Heard be elected chairman of the board. Motion carried.

On motion, duly carried, an election proclamation was ordered to elect justice of the peace and constable for the various precincts, and the following judges were appointed: Precinct No. 1, Carlsbad, L. S. Crawford, W. P. Lucas, E. V. Allen. Precinct No. 2, R. D. Bruce, John Queen, C. H. Billings. Precinct No. 3, Hope, W. L. Whitaker, Noel Johnson, Lee Glasscock. Precinct No. 4, Lakewood, E. C. Cook, J. M. Wood, T. J. Grady. Precinct No. 5, Monument, Harry Gaiter, T. P. Bingham, Wm. Wear. Precinct No. 6, Artesia, W. L. Turkinett, E. C. Higgins, J. T. Patrick. Precinct No. 7, Dayton, J. B. King, J. E. Johnson, Dr. Culpepper. Precinct No. 8, Queen, John Means, Geo. Tracy, Walter Thayer. Precinct No. 9, Knowles, J. L. Emerson, Jesse E. Reeves, Jno. L. Toole.

Bills allowed as per warrant record. On motion meeting adjourned until January 5th.

January 5th, meeting called to order by Chairman Heard, members present C. W. Beeman, J. H. Graham.

After considerable discussion and considering bids from the Artesia Advocate and Carlsbad Current, it was moved and carried that Carlsbad Current be made the official paper for the term of two years, and that all legal notices, delinquent tax lists and proceedings of the commissioners be published in same at legal rates, and that when the assessor or treasurer so desire they may have their job printing done by the Artesia Advocate, the Dayton Echo or the Lakewood Progress at prices bid by the Carlsbad Current.

After considering several applications for the position of road overseer it was agreed by motion duly carried that J. J. Beals be appointed overseer for Precinct No. 1, at a salary of \$1600 per annum, he to furnish self and helper and two wagons and terms for the above price when in actual service. He is not to be employed to begin work, however, until 90 days from date, but is to be subject to the orders of the board at any time that it sees fit to employ him and that chairman go into a contract with said J. J. Beals.

Moved and carried that L. G. Ryan's application for the position of road overseer for district No. 3, be accepted and that he be notified to that effect but he is not to begin work until 90 days from date and is not to receive pay except for such work as Mr. Beeman deems necessary and orders him to do.

Moved and carried that J. T. Patrick be retained as road overseer but without salary for 90 days from date and that the commissioners will notify him when to begin work.

A petition having been presented from the Monument people to change the Carlsbad and Monument road, it was moved and carried that petition be laid on the table until next meeting.

A petition from the Loving neighborhood as posted in front of court house for past 30 days was presented for the establishment of a public road and on motion petition was granted and the following reviewers were appointed: N. W. Weaver, Spencer Faville and Boston Witt were appointed as reviewers.

After having examined plans for the three bridges that the county have to build and getting opinions from different sources, it was moved and carried that all bids be rejected and that the board obtain all data necessary and get a competent engineer to draw up plans and specifications of the bridge that will be necessary to stand the high waters of the Pecos and Black river and then re-advertise for bids for same.

On motion made and carried Mr. Heard was instructed to do all the buy-

ing of anything that the county had to buy for the court house and jail.

On motion made and carried C. M. Whitcher was appointed county physician.

Election Proclamation.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 11th day of January, 1909, for the offices of justice of the peace and constable in the County of Eddy, Territory of New Mexico, at the various precincts designated below to-wit:

Precinct No. 1, Carlsbad.
Precinct No. 2, Malaga.
Precinct No. 3, Hope.
Precinct No. 4, Lakewood.
Precinct No. 5, Monument.
Precinct No. 6, Artesia.
Precinct No. 7, Dayton.
Precinct No. 8, Queen.
Precinct No. 9, Knowles.

Witness my hand and seal of the board of county commissioners this 4th day of January, 1909.

A. C. HEARD,

Ch'mn. of Board Co. Commissioners.

SHORT STORIES.

Lake Superior drains 85,000 square miles of territory.

Eighty-five per cent of the people who are lame are affected on the left side.

An island in Lake Superior has been stocked with caribou, Caribou Island, so named because it formerly was noted as a home for the animals.

The sale of land reclaimed by the federal reclamation service is expected to more than repay the \$60,000,000 expended to date by the government.

The last herd of antelopes in the United States has been located near Hooker, in Oklahoma. This was formerly a part of the Great American desert and called No Man's Land.

On the largest tobacco farm in the world, a 25-acre affair near Amsterdam, N. Y., about a third of all the tobacco raised for cigar wraps is in the States.

The woman who remains single all her life because the only man she ever loved died in the flower of his youth is regarded as a heroine. The man who remains a bachelor because the darling of his heart went to an early grave is generally supposed to be a fool.—Chicago Record-Herald.

THE STOCKMAN.

James Leask of Ontario, who secured the ribbon for the champion steer at the 1908 International show on the splendid Shorthorn Roan King, tells how he finished off the animal, as follows:

"As a calf he suckled his dam for seven months; then we put him on a nurse cow, which he suckled twice a day until the close of the International. He was fed roots during the winter and spring of 1906-7, with as much chopped feed as he would eat up clean. This was composed of oats three parts and peas one part, together with clover hay. This feed was continued up to the time he was finished for the show. He was also given a little dazed meal after the root crops were exhausted and a little bran when he was at the fairs. But he was never given a handful of corn or oil cake. He was kept in the stable throughout the summer of 1907 and turned into the herd once a day for exercise."

High Finish in Baby Beef.

The value of high finish in all classes of beef is too little heeded, but in some classes of beef it is not nearly so important as in others. It will not pay to spend very much food on some animals with a view to giving them a high finish for the reason that they are not susceptible of taking such a finish readily and when put on the market will not bring a top price. But it is different with baby beef. The animals are young and are usually susceptible of taking on a high finish if they are fed right. Of course some steers will not take so high a finish as others. Unless a steer is possessed of a high type of quality he will not take on the highest class of finish. The same finish cannot be given to an open ribbed steer that is given to one close ribbed.

Dehorned Cattle.

Writing of dehorned cattle, a Maine breeder says: My first experience with dehorned cattle was back in the early forties, when an eccentric old doctor in our vicinity brought the practice to our attention. In 1900, having become disgusted with the fighting propensities of our animals and the consequent broken horns, I made a clean cut of the entire herd and later on destroyed the embryonic horns when the calf was three or four weeks old with caustic potash. The horns of the young calf can be cut out with a knife. I have noted no ill effects from the removal of horns of all stock, big and little, and now would not have a herd with horns, no matter what the breed. It is all right to let the bull's horns remain, but put a ring in his nose when a year old.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To the People of Carlsbad and Eddy County:

DURING the past week the firm of **KEEBLER - PAGE - DIMMITT CO.** sold their entire stock and business to **Mr. A. L. LYMAN** who will conduct the store in the future and will be known as **"THE WICHITA"**. The former quality of the goods sold by this store will be held at the highest standard and **"GOOD THINGS TO WEAR"** will not be an empty name but will mean dependable goods. Owing to the fact that the

"WICHITA"

is overstocked in many lines a

SPECIAL SALE

of Winter Underwear and Winter Gloves and Caps will commence Tuesday Morning

JANUARY 12 at 9 O'CLOCK

and now is the time to provide yourself with comforts most necessary for the balance of the Winter and Cool Spring at prices never before heard of in Carlsbad.

Every week in the future the buying public will be offered something new in the line of Special Sales so **WATCH THIS SPACE FOR BARGAINS.**

The WICHITA

THE "GOLDEN HOOK."

Why One Breeder Prefers Rambouillet—Salting the Flock.

While the man who is going in for sheep usually selects the breed best adapted to the soil and climate of his locality, the experience of F. G. Scott of New Hampshire may prove of value. Mr. Scott prefers the Rambouillets, and he tells why as follows: Fencing has not been a difficult matter at our farm. One barbed wire or stone wall of ordinary height is sufficient for my sheep. In this connection when starting in the sheep business it is important to get ewes that are not breachy. This was one of the

things which led me to choose western bred Rambouillet ewes. They simply don't know how to jump a fence, owing to conditions under which they were raised in the far west.

They also flock closely together in pasture, which is a commendable trait. This is especially desirable if the pasture has many bushes in it, as all the sheep are easily located. The pasture fence, if stone wall, should be examined once in awhile. Sometimes a few stones will fall out and leave a hole large enough for sheep to pass through.

For salting in pasture I find large lumps of rock salt most effective. These should be placed about eighteen inches from the ground in a rack or

trough having a bottom made of slats or poles with two inch spaces between to allow dirt to fall through. There should be at least one lump of salt for each ten sheep, and the lumps should be replaced before they are entirely used up.

Plenty of good, clean water is essential. See that the spring is frequently cleaned out. Have it so the sheep can easily reach the water without standing in mud. They don't like to get their feet dirty and will often go thirsty rather than drink from a mud puddle.

At the Club—"Oh, I say, who d'you think I met this morning?" "Do you mind guessing for me, old man. I'm rather tired."—Punch.

BUYING HOME GOODS.

The Value of Patronizing the Local Merchant.

HELPS BUILD UP THE TOWN.

Money Sent to the Mail Order Houses Could Be Spent to Far Better Advantage Right in Your Own Community.

Did you ever receive a catalogue from one of the large mail order houses? Very likely you have, as they are sent broadcast throughout the land, but especially into the small towns. They read nicely, don't they? You are astounded that they can afford to sell their goods so cheap. You wonder how they can do it. Probably, like thousands of others, you have sent them your money and waited anxiously for the wonderful bargains that you have selected. Then again, like thousands of others, you have probably been a bit disappointed when the goods arrived and you found you could have purchased the same thing of your local merchant at about the same price. Then, too, there was another advantage in buying at home. At your home store you could have secured a better fitting garment or chosen a more becoming color, etc.

Now, this is an attack on the mail order houses. They are doing a legitimate business, of course, and nine times out of ten give you your money's worth, but it has been proved in thousands of cases that they cannot give you more for your money than the merchant doing business right in your own community. Why, then, choose the mail order house to do business with in preference to the local merchant? Do the big city concerns do anything for your town? Do they help out when new improvements are needed and every dollar counts? Most certainly not. On the other hand, are the local tradesmen interested in the welfare of your community? They certainly are.

The local merchant has a family. He wants a clean and prosperous town in which to bring up his children. He pays taxes, he gladly chips in for improvements, he makes his store a credit to the town when given the right support. The rapid and vigorous circulation of money is as necessary to the well being of the merchants as plenty of good blood is to the body. The more money that is spent at home the more money for churches, schools, etc.

Business makes the town, and you make the business. There cannot be business without customers, and if you send your money to the mail order houses that much custom is lost. As a matter of fact, there is no necessity for going elsewhere. The local merchants carry always everything that can be found in the great cities, and if you can't find what you want it is probably your own fault. Give them the opportunity, and they will be glad to serve you. You buy only one button or dress or suit of clothes at a time, and what does it matter if you buy it in a large city or a smaller one? Many times you pay car fare to other cities and pay higher prices than you would have to pay at home for the same article.

Did you ever stop to consider that when you spend your money in other places all you get is the goods you buy. When you spend it at home you not only get the goods, but the money comes back to you in better streets, better schools or perhaps better patronage of your husband, brother or son.

If you will read the advertisements of your local merchants you will find that about everything needed is kept in stock. These advertisements are generally true. Not because the advertisers are any better than other people, but they can't afford to misrepresent.

The store that advertises is the store that is known, and the store that is known is the store that trade goes to, and the store that trade goes to is the store that does the business, and the store that does the business is the store that can't afford to cheat.

To Beautify a Town.

The mayor of Birmingham, Ala., has been leading a popular movement to beautify the city and, being a wise man, has been making a special effort to interest the women. They know more about such matters than men he says, and have better judgment. The mayor addressed a large gathering of women at a recent meeting.

"Pull down the weeds. The city will haul it away and keep it off the roads. If you can't be bothered to part with it fix it up and plant it."

"Plant flowers, flowers and trees. Wherever the ground shows bare plant something green in it."

"Report any one who mutilates or ties a horse to a tree. You get half the fine on conviction."

"A few clones and a lot of enthusiasm and disinclination will transform an ugly little back yard into a little spot of beauty."

Power of the Camera.

In Kalamazoo, Mich., the most active weight lifter in the United

States made a novel use of the camera. She had been attempting to have nasty vacant lots cleaned up and had back yards improved, but the property owners were uninterested in anything she could say or print in the newspapers. When she had pictures made of these bad spots—and so skillfully made as to emphasize the unpleasant conditions—and when she showed these pictures to the guilty ones with the suggestion that this was the first view of them and that they were going into the daily paper, if nothing was done, something was done, and quickly done.

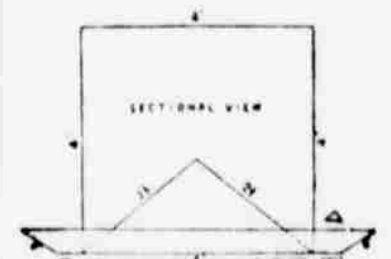
HEALTH OF SWINE.

Charcoal and Other Correctives Needed to Ward Off Disease.

Under some conditions swine show a decided craving for such substances as charcoal, charred corncobs, soft coal, wood ashes, soft sandstone, soft bricks, bits of mortar, rotten wood and soapstone; also earth. Such a craving when markedly present is evidence that the swine are not getting in the food all the elements that they need. In order to meet this need it is recommended that some at least of these substances shall be given to them artificially. Those most commonly recommended are charcoal, charred corncobs and wood ashes. These are put in self feeders and are made accessible to the swine.

A writer in the Breeder's Gazette, Chicago, tells how to make one of these self feeders, as follows:

I would suggest a box with frame of 4 by 4 inch pine, strongly braced with 2 by 4 inch pine, set inside a shallow box with flaring sides, as indicated in the illustration. It should have a cone shaped center. The corner posts of the box should be toe nailed to the bottom.



The whole of the upright part should be made of matched lumber, leaving an open space on each of the four sides at the bottom of about three inches for the mixture to work down where the hogs can get it. The box should be covered to prevent rain getting the mixture wet.

Our plan in making cob charcoal is to dig a pit five feet deep and about five feet in diameter. If the soil is such that there is danger of caving, wall the pit up with brick or stone. Have a sheet iron cover made large enough to cover the top of the pit. Start fire in pit and add cobs as fast as these burning come to a glow or red coals. Keep doing this till the pit is full. Then pour on a layer of more hard reds of water in which enough salt has been dissolved to make it quite salty. About 100 pounds of common pulverized and dissolved in the water would be a good preventive of worms. Pour this water over the burning mass till the fire is put out. Then cover the pit with the iron cover, being sure that no air can get under the cover to cause it again to burn. Leave till the next day, when you will have a pit full of a fine mixture that your hogs will eat in preference to anything you can offer them.

Wood ashes in proportion of eight parts ashes to one part salt will also be a good mixture to keep before the hogs.

Bloodhounds in War.

Although the use of bloodhounds for tracking criminals still survives, another ancient use of these dogs seems to have died out. Bloodhounds were at one time often called upon to assist an army in the field, the forces with which the Earl of Essex suppressed the Irish rebellion in the time of Elizabeth, for instance, being accomplished by 800 dogs. In the Scottish and Scottish clan feuds and the wars between England and Scotland bloodhounds were regularly employed in tracking fugitive warriors, and both Wallace and Bruce were hunted in this manner. Wallace is said to have lured his pursuers by killing a follower and leaving the corpse for the hound to find, while Bruce adopted the less cruel plan of wading some distance down a stream and ascending a tree which overhung the water.

Fell From the Moon.

M. Castillo, the astronomer, in a catalogue of Mexican aerolites tells of one of these "air stones" which exploded before it reached the surface, scattering fragments over an area of forty-five square miles. Measurements and estimates place the combined weight of these fragments of stones at not less than 3,000 tons. At one spot two immense flat plates of the aerolite were discovered lying close together, the two weighing about 100 tons. M. Castillo says such stones fell from the moon.—London News.

The Carlsbad Current

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A general feeling of confidence seems to pervade the atmosphere concerning the prosperity of Carlsbad during the coming year. As an indication of the condition at present the success of the committee appointed to solicit funds to secure the auto line to Knowles is one of the most flattering. The auto company asked that the citizens of Carlsbad purchase tickets over the line to the aggregate of \$1,800 and this amount was gotten by Messrs. Cooke and Bujac in one short piece of a day. This insures the auto road to Knowles and also clinches the mail line. Commissioner Graham has his head set for a good wagon road across the sand and the balance of the county board are favorably impressed with the project as is also the enterprising citizens of Carlsbad all of whom will donate liberally to aid in the construction of this very much needed improvement. The territorial firemen's tournament will be pulled off here some time in September as will also the Pecos Valley Editorial Association meeting. These events will do much to put Carlsbad in touch with the valley and the territory. If the firemen of the territory turn out there will be over 1000 people here from the western portion of the territory, besides a large number from the upper portions of the valley. The El Paso-Carlsbad Development Company, with Mr. Courchesne at its head can be depended upon to push the El Paso-Carlsbad railway as fast as possible and from some of the heaviest owners of real estate in Carlsbad it has been learned that this place can be counted on for about \$100,000 to aid the project. The Courchesne people have secured the rights of way and franchises into El Paso and will, in all probability build the next line into El Paso. If the citizens of Carlsbad will get together there is no good reason why the territorial normal for this valley may not be located here, for Mr. Brice will no doubt be one of the best liked and most reliable members of the legislature and all that he will require to help his district will be the united boost of every one of his constituents. Men who never before aided in boosting for Carlsbad have aided materially in securing the auto line and no doubt will put their best efforts forth in the future, for they have come to realize that all that is necessary is a united action of the property owners and all those whose hearts are with Carlsbad to make this the best city in New Mexico.

As will be noticed elsewhere by the election notice, next Monday occurs the election of justices of the peace and constables of Eddy county. Owing to the fact that no others have been spoken of in this precinct it must be taken that Judge Cunningham and Carl Gordon are very satisfactory. No doubt these gentlemen will be elected to succeed themselves which is as it should be for it would be impossible to get better men for the positions.

The Nordica Concert in Roswell, next Monday, bids fair to draw the largest crowd of anything ever given in the valley.

Woodmen Doings.

Eddy Grove Camp Woodmen of the World and Woodmen circle held a semi-public installation last Monday evening at which all the Woodmen and their families were present.

The following were installed as officials of the Circle: Mrs. Louisa Allen, Guardian; Mrs. Allen not being present Mrs. Seigner acted in her stead; Mrs. Mary Lock, Adviser; Mrs. Caroline Merrifield, Clerk; Miss Beva Roberts, Banker; Mrs. Eliza Hewitt, Attendant; C. M. Whichey, Physician; C. O. Merrifield and M. Ohnemus, Sentinels; Mrs. Molly Ohnemus, Manager.

The following were installed as officers for the Woodmen: A. R. O'Quinn, Consul Commander; C. O. Merrifield, Adviser; Lieut.: H. Chilcoat, Banker; Ed. S. Kirkpatrick, Escort; J. B. Harvey, Clerk; C. M. Whichey, Physician; M. Ohnemus, Watchman; Mac Locke, Sentry; Wm. H. Mullane and E. V. Albritton, Managers.

After the installation ceremonies the party was treated to some very fine musical selections on the piano by Miss Grant, of Waco, Texas, a friend of the Misses Draper, who is here on a visit. Miss Molly Draper rendered several vocal selections and was encored time and again. Miss May and Fred Pendleton gave several nice selections on the piano and violin and were encored many times. After the assemblage was entertained for some time the committee on refreshments announced that there was room at the tables for twenty eight and the tables were filled several times, finally demolishing many good things provided for the occasion. Mr. Penny acted as master of ceremonies for the entertainment and Miss Jim Penny rendered several selections on the piano that were greeted with much applause. Mr. Jake Kircher acted as installing officer for the circle and Will Purdy for the Woodmen. Mr. Penny and the Woodmen generally feel deeply grateful to the singers and musicians not members who contributed so generously to make the affair a success especially Misses Draper and Grant, and Miss May and Fred Pendleton.

Mrs. D. C. Hall, of Hope, died last week Tuesday, Dec. 29, of pneumonia. Mrs. Hall was a sister of D. R. Harkey, of Carlsbad, and came to Eddy county from San Saba, Texas, about ten years ago, and leaves a husband and six children to mourn her loss. Mr. Harkey went from here to be present at the last sad rights, the funeral being conducted by Rev. Cox, of Hope. Mr. Harkey feels very grateful to the neighbors and friends and all the good people of Hope who so kindly assisted at the bedside and at the funeral. He says there are no better people on earth than those among whom the lot of his sister was cast.

FOR SALE—One house tent, 12x24 and one porch. 3,000 feet of lumber for \$30.00. Address Box 84, Carlsbad, N. M.

Mules For Sale.

One span medium sized mules. Gentle, 7 and 8 years. Good condition, at \$250 if sold soon.

FIELD & HIGGINBOTTOM.
Lakewood, N. M.

You get the best service at the Star Stable.

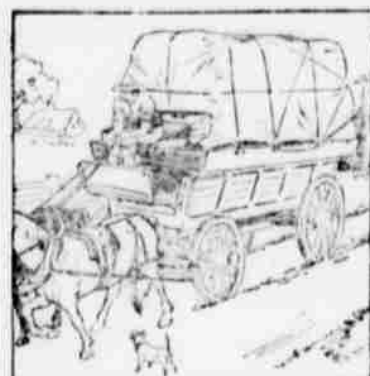
Found: A ladies silk scarf. Owner call at Mansion House, prove property, and pay a quarter for this notice.

VALUE OF WIDE TIRES.

One of the First Essentials to Good Highways.

The King drag is no doubt a good thing, but how about the wide tired wagon? Observe the dirt road after a thorough soaking. The farmer cannot work in his fields and, having some wheat, corn, oats or hogs to haul to market, the time to haul is while the fields are moist to be worked, saving time by doing so.

He loads his product into his one and a half inch tread wagon, 3,000 pounds or more, and probably hitched four horses to his load, and along the whole distance he cuts a rut from three to six inches deep. Several of his neighbors do likewise, and soon the road is worked down to the consistency of mortar a foot deep, says J. P. Anderson of Agenda, Kan., in the Farmers Advocate. All observers will



EFFECT OF NARROW AND WIDE TIRES. Bear me out when I say that if these tires had been four inches or more the road would have been benefited rather than damaged. A wide tire under a load makes an observer think of a roller.

I think this wide tire proposition is one of the first essentials to good roads and should be encouraged by legislation and a limit law for the amount of load for every inch of tire width. If wagon tires were required to be three inches or more for 2,000 pound loads and one additional inch for each added 1,000 or major fraction thereof, very much less work would be required to maintain our roads.

Lightning turns milk sour because it causes gases in the air to combine and produces nitric acid, which, mixing with milk, sours it.

Baptist Church.

Prayer and Praise service on Sunday, January 3rd at 11:00 a. m., led by Bro. Gamel, followed by regular business session of the church and annual election of officers. All are cordially invited.

D. BARCLAY SUTHERLAND,
Church Clerk.

For Sale—Three brood sows, Poland China and Berkshire. One Poland China boar 18 months old; also pigs two months old. Leslie Smith, La Huerta.

Notice of Annual Election Pecos Water Users' Association.

Shareholders of Pecos Water Users' Association will take notice that the annual election of directors will be held on the third Tuesday in January, A. D. 1909, that being the 19th day of January, 1909, in the office of the association in Carlsbad, New Mexico, for the purpose of electing three directors for a term of three years as follows: One in La Huerta district, one in Carlsbad district, and one in Malaga district, all for the term of three years, beginning February 1, 1909. The polls will open at 10:00 o'clock a. m., and close at 3:00 o'clock p. m. The qualifications of electors are set out in Article VIII of the Amended Articles of Incorporation.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Respectfully yours,

A. M. HOVE,
Secretary.
Carlsbad, N. M., Jan. 7th, 1909.

NEW YEAR'S GREETING

To our Friends and Patrons.

Carlsbad, N. M., January 1, 1909

To the Citizens of Eddy County:

We wish to extend a HAPPY NEW YEAR'S GREETING to our friends and patrons and to thank the public in general for our successes during the year 1908 and we earnestly solicit the patronage of our friends for this year of 1909, that they in their judgment think we deserve. We insure your property against loss by fire, representing such insurance companies as the Springfield Fire and Marine, Imperial, and Colonial and Philadelphia underwriters. We also write life and accident insurance in the best old line companies in the United States. We also live and spend our money in the town of Carlsbad and furnish our part of the oil for its machinery. We have established a record for fair dealing and in fact done all in our power to commend us to the public, for a reasonable share of its patronage. If you have not given us any business in the past just commence by giving us your business for the year 1909. We assure you none will appreciate it more than we. If you have lands, houses, horses, cattle, sheep or any thing else to sell, list it with us and we will sell it. Our best wishes go out to our patrons for a Happy and a Prosperous New Year and may the year 1909 be long remembered on account of the unprecedented prosperity of our citizens. With best wishes we are

Most Respectfully,

RIVES & HULL

Real Estate & Insurance.

Jesse D. Robinson

Practical up-to-now Painter
Paper Hanger and Decorator

BEST of PAINTS HEADQUARTERS:

Used in work
is my Specialty.



Tracy-Roberts
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YOUR PROPERTY TO SELL OR RENT.

We have 500 live agents in all parts of the U. S. and believe we can dispose of your holdings quicker than anyone. We have opened a branch office in the building formerly occupied by J. S. Crozier and would be pleased to have you call and list your property with us.

KNOBLAUCH LAND COMPANY.

CHEAPER LUMBER

Owing to the recently reduced freight rates and a slight fall in the price of lumber we are able to announce a reduction in the price of lumber of from \$2.50 to \$6 a thousand. The grade is just as good as ever, the price is less. We are now able to compete with yards on the T. & P. and ask the opportunity to figure with those from the Monument locality who have been hauling from these points.

The Groves Lumber Co.

LOCAL NEWS.

Tom Ogle and wife came in from El Paso Monday evening.

Jeff White and family, of Pecos, was in town Wednesday.

Todd Barber was up from his ranch in Reeves county, Texas, Tuesday.

Frank Joyce was able to be at his desk for a few hours Wednesday.

Matt Lozano, the faithful ranch keeper of Mr. Tad Huling, was in town Wednesday.

J. H. Gee, of Elida, was down this week to visit his son in law and daughter in La Huerta.

Mr. Holt of El Paso entertained the young ladies of the Schlitz at a bowling party Tuesday.

G. M. Roberts, of the Guadalupe this week purchased from J. D. Boyd, 1300 head of Angora goats at \$2.25 around.

Notice the letter on another page of Rives & Hull, the popular real estate insurance firm, which is doing a very large and increasing business.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of "The Wichita" the former Keebler-Page-Dimmitt Co., gents furnishings, hats, caps, gloves, boots and shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Webb, of Denver, Col., who are spending the winter at the Schlitz have established in a camp with tent and all equipment to remain a couple of weeks.

Morrison Bros. & Co. have a three column add in this issue which deserves especial attention and should be read by all who require anything in dress goods or ladies furnishings.

A glowing account of the wedding of Sam Davis, of Hope at Van Aistyne, Texas, was contained in the leader of that place of December 19, when Sam was married to Miss Callie Neathery.

The Christmas grotto, manger and Bethlehem scene at St. Edwards church may still be seen and is worthy a visit by all who have never beheld such a unique reminder of the birth of our Savior.

Mr. G. M. Pendleton the popular cow man, was presented with a fine suit of clothes Christmas by his friend, Mr. John Hewitt. He also won the \$50 prize given by Simpson & Co. Jan. 1.

W. T. Roberts and Jas. D. Williams, of Big Springs, Texas, sons of "Grandma" Williams were here Monday and Tuesday to be near while the aged lady was ill, but she having recovered some they left Wednesday.

The friends of Sheriff Stewart last week presented him with a fine saddle horse, and both Jim Simpson and John Cantrell received fine suits as Christmas presents. Capt. Merchant received a fine Stetson hat as a present from Col. J. R. Joyce. Buck Stobaugh presented G. M. Pendleton with a \$60 saddle.

A train will leave here for Roswell at 3:30, Monday Jan. 14 for Roswell returning immediately after the Nordica recital. Fare as usual, the required number to obtain the special rate being impossible to secure. The train will return immediately after the recital but the regular round trip tickets will be good for sixty days.

The cottage recently erected by J. W. Gamel at the corner of Halagueno and Shaw streets is one of the most unique in town and is supplied with all modern conveniences such as bath, toilet, etc. The rooms are finished in a late style of paper that appears like the inside bark of a tree, but is very durable. The furnishings are the finest. Mr. and Mrs. Gamel have occupied the cottage for a couple of months and are well satisfied with their home.

A FIFTY YEAR SENTENCE

Jerome Edwards Formerly of Eddy County, Convicted of Criminal Assault—Indifferent to Sentence.

Fifty years in the territorial penitentiary.

The sentence was passed yesterday on Jerome Edwards by Judge F. S. Nave in the district court after a lecture that made every man in the court room tingle at the ears.

Down in the county jail, half an hour later, the young man who must remain for the balance of his natural life in a felon's cell, was laughing uproariously.

Edwards, with his uncle, Cager Edwards, were indicted for criminal assaults upon Jerome's cousins, twin sisters, less than 15 years old. Cager was the first arrested and upon conviction, about a year ago, was sentenced to fifty years in the territorial penitentiary. The testimony adduced at Cager Edwards' trial brought an indictment against Jerome Edwards, but Jerome had fled immediately upon learning of Cager's arrest. He was located only last summer and brought back from Amarillo, Texas, by Sheriff Thompson.

The two girls, now growing into young womanhood, were brought back from Crittenton home at Phoenix. But one of them was placed on the stand at the trial of Jerome Edwards.

Throughout her testimony the defendant sought obviously to attract her eye and stare her out of countenance, when he was not snickering behind the back of his lawyer, Attorney Flanagan, the prisoner otherwise behaving in so flippant a manner as to attract attention and deeply shock the court.

When the jury brought in a verdict of guilty, Jerome Edwards sat in his chair like a wooden image, apparently not caring a rap whether the verdict concerned him or not.

Passing sentence yesterday Judge Nave reviewed the character of the crime and the demeanor of the defendant at the trial.

"There is no moral fiber in the defendant," said the court at the conclusion of a forty-five minute lecture, "no sense of right. The object of the law in sentencing such men to death or life imprisonment is not so much to punish them, for they are indifferent to punishment, but to prevent their having issue. In your case, it is the duty of the court to give you such sentence that, when you come out of the penitentiary you will be either so old that you will have learned something, or that it will be impossible that posterity shall inherit your instincts. The judgment of this court is that you be imprisoned in the territorial penitentiary for the term of fifty years." — Silver Belt (Globe,) Arizona.

For Sale.

The County Commissioners have placed in my hands some blue prints of Eddy County showing all patented lands up to and including March 1st, 1908, and is a very useful map for any one desiring a correct map of Eddy county. These maps are for sale at \$2.50 each and are well worth the price.

W. H. MERCHANT,
Treasurer of Eddy County.
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All the latest books of fiction, romance and adventure at the Eddy Drug Co.

A Marsh Mallow Roast.

Miss Wagner and Miss Judkins who are spending the winter at the Schlitz Hotel, entertained the guests at bridge, followed by a marsh mallow roast, Saturday evening, January 2, 1909. Among those present were Mrs. Judkins of Boston, Mrs. Wagner of Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Koebler of Kansas City, Mo., Miss Maxwell of Wichita, Kansas, Miss Tinkle of Memphis Tenn., Mr. H. It, contracting Engineer of El Paso, Mr. Belle of Liverpool, England, Mr. Keebler, of Cornell University, Mr. Trimble of Loving, New Mexico and Mr. Maxwell of Malaga, N. M.

The guests appreciation was expressed by the following appropriate poem written by the "Poet Laureate" of the Hotel Schlitz:

To the Tune of "Till Willow"

A little Marsh Mallow sat up all night,
Singing Mallow, Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
And sat there with several million more,
Singing Mallow, O Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
Till two pretty maidens came into the ship,
Evidently intending one night to "COP".
It seemed really as if they never would stop,
Singing Mallow, Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow.

A little Marsh Mallow sat down on a trap,
Singing Mallow, O Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
It realized suddenly life's not all play,
Singing Mallow, O Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
For all around the room sat a mercurious throng,
With weapons of steel about eight inches long,
Their knicker apparently growing more strong,
For Mallow, Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow.

A little Marsh Mallow impaled on a spear,
Singing Mallow, O Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
Held over hot coals shed a thick, creamy tear,
O Mallow, Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
And, swollen with pain of heat, became it grew,
Till it thought its last moment was certainly due,
Then down the red lane it followed a few
Of its tortured Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow.

A little Marsh Mallow sat up all the night,
O Mallow, Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
And kept its grace waking with terrible fright,
O Mallow, Marsh Mallow, Marsh Mallow,
Contracted in diaphragm, tormented with pain,
Reverend was Marsh Mallow, revealed not in vain,
For its tomb where it never, but, reacted again,
Marsh Mallow, his Fellows, Marsh Mallow.

New Majestic Theatre.

George Frederick, professional slack wire walker, will open a new Majestic Theatre with high class Motion pictures. Nothing but the best with everything new and up-to-date. George was connected with the Belle City Opera House of Racine, Wisconsin, for five years, and knows what will please the public in the Motion Picture line. With an experienced operator, new French machine and good chairs. He solicits the patronage of the public, and if business permits, Carlsbad will in a very short time have one of the finest Motion Picture houses in the Southwest. Location to be two doors south of Hotel Schlitz. Watch for hand bills.

Lakewood.

From The Progress.

Volume 1, Number 1 of The Penasco Valley Press reached our table this morning. It is a new journalistic venture at the prosperous town of Hope in this county, and carries the name of R. H. Burnett as editor and Abe M. Burnett as publisher. Success to you, Bro. Burnett; may the Press grow to be a great paper, and we predict that it will.

A gentleman who has just returned from Washington says there is little or no hope of statehood. Well, is anybody disappointed? Did anybody expect statehood with Bull Andrews at the bat? Blessed is he who expecteth little from Bull Andrews for verily, he shall not be disappointed.

A. C. Jacobs and bride arrived Monday night from Marlow, Okla., and went out to their home at Oriental Cement Works Tuesday. Mr. Jacobs is manager of the Oriental Cement and Plaster Works, five miles south of town, and has won for a life partner an accomplished and

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FISH and OYSTERS in Season

JOHN LOWENBRUCK,

Prop.

charming young lady. The Progress joins with the many friends of the happy couple in congratulations and well wishes.

Herbert Smerle of Roswell is visiting old friends here this week—the guest of J. B. Roberts and family.

Prof. V. L. Griffin and family of Carlsbad have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pearman.

Teachers Examinations

The next regular teachers examination will be held at Carlsbad, January 15th and 16th 1909. I am informed by the territorial Supt. that all Special Permits will expire on the 1st of the foregoing dates, and that before any teacher holding such Special Permit can draw any further public money for services, she must first pass the examinations to be given on the foregoing dates, obtain a certificate by reason of such examination. A Special Permit cannot be issued twice in succession, hence it will be necessary for all teachers holding such permits to be present at the examination to be held on the 15th and 16th of January.

JOHN W. ARMSTRONG,

Supt. of Schools.

Eddy County.

Every Mother.

is or should be worried when the little ones have a cough or cold. It may lead to croup or pleurisy or pneumonia then to something more serious. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure the trouble at once and prevent any complication. At Eddy Drug Co.

Winter Layers.

Pure bred, Single Comb White Leghorn choice eggs from hens that lay when eggs are worth 45c a dozen, \$2.00 per setting delivered in Carlsbad.

MABEL E. WILSON,

Hopedale Ranch

Telephone 140 L.

Your horse gets the best care at City Stables.

See the hand made Boa at Mr. Baldwin's Racket Store made by Mrs. Briggs.

Read the Morrison Bros. & Co. ad on another page.

"The Wichita" is the name of the new store. Try it for bargains.

Morrison Bros. & Co., have a fine description of their bargains on another page.

Tad Huling has sold his ranch and cattle, the cattle at \$18 around and ranch for \$25,000.

Read the announcement of the "Wichita" this week and visit the stores if in search of bargains.

The Womans Club will present "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," January 22nd, at the Opera house.

Rev. C. C. Hill will preach Sunday morning and evening at Christian church. Subject for morning, "Be of Good Cheer;" subject for evening, "Our Brooding Horizon." Special vocal by Miss Draper.

A. C. Dunn, who came here from Nashville, Tenn., with Mr. Pardue, of Loving, and resided there for some twelve days, died at the hospital of pneumonia Tuesday morning and was buried Wednesday.

A. Clinksale died in a tent on the south side of town Sunday morning, of tuberculosis having arrived here about three weeks ago. The body was shipped Tuesday, his wife accompanying the remains to their old home in Kansas City, Mo.

Parties desiring grape vines, roots and cuttings should get in orders at once to R. Ohnemus, who will give all desired information regarding the raising of grapes, roses or other shrubbery in this climate.

300 acres good farm land in Clark county, Ark. Half mile from R. R. depot. Two houses and out houses, good bearing orchard, 70 acres in cultivation. Balance in good oak, gum, hickory and pine timber. Half upland and half bottom. To trade for a farm in Pecos Valley, N. M. What have you to offer.
Box 84, Carlsbad, N. M.

Star Stable prices are same to all.

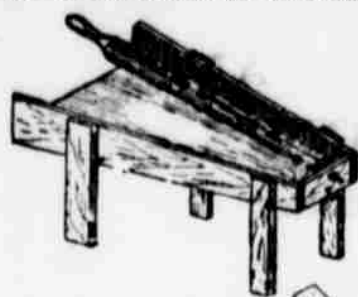
Go to the City Livery Stable to get your horse fed.

Prepared to do your work without delay at Ohnemus & Sons.

Strayed: A little black sow. Notify G. W. Swift.

FOR BUTTERMAKERS.

Homemade Butter Worker — Barrel Churns Best — Points on Packing.
Many buttermakers consider the butter worker shown in the illustration superior to the high priced factory butter workers now on the market. The top, or bed, should be of hard wood if possible. Make the bed about thirty inches long, twenty inches at the wide end and eight at the narrow end. These dimensions are for a small



A GOOD BUTTER WORKER.

worker, for ten to twenty five pounds of butter. If you have a larger quantity of butter, make the worker correspondingly larger.

Make the lever, or roller, of a three inch square stick at least ten inches longer than the bed of the worker. It is made with six sides, hexagon shape, one end shaped as shown for a hand hold, and the opposite end has a half inch pin placed in it.

This pin is inserted in the hole bored in the narrow end, as shown, and the roller, or lever, moved over the butter with a rolling motion, the water and buttermilk escaping at the narrow end through the hole shown below the end of the roller. A bucket should be placed below the narrow end to catch this drip. Make the small end one or more inches lower than the opposite end to insure the water draining away.

The Barrel Churn.

A well known buttermaker says: Use a barrel churn. The dasher churn injures the grain of the butter. The labor of operating the former is less than either the dasher or the



REVOLVING BARREL CHURN.

whirling paddle churn, and it makes better butter. There are no inside fixtures to be cleaned and no crevices or corners that are difficult to clean. The churn shown in the illustration has a hole in the side near the bottom, through which the buttermilk may be drawn off, which is a great advantage. It is a demonstrated fact that butter can be churned better in a churn having no internal fixtures than in one with an elaborate set of paddles.

Package Butter.

There are many different styles of packages, but I prefer pound prints and for several reasons, says a New York buttermaker. Tubes, pails and jars cost a cent for each pound capacity, are very seldom returned and very seldom sell for more than the regular market quotations for dairy butter. Three and five pound paper and wooden boxes make very neat and attractive packages, but cost still more, and customers do not always want the whole of even as small a package as that. By putting in prints each customer can have any quantity desired and in a form which looks new on the table, and with the better class of trade this counts for nearly as much as quality, and if they can get both together they are generally willing to pay for it.

My prints are each neatly wrapped in parchment paper having my name and address on them and shipped in fifty-four and seventy-two pound carriers. They cost about \$4 each, but are returned free of charge by the express companies and last for years, saving a great deal in cost of package.

THE HORSEMAN.

The time for training the colt is when he is young. The colt learns at this early age the ones that will stay with him. It is never best to match strength with him, for once he breaks loose he will always remember it, but if he does not get away in the first few days of his life he will grow to full size believing that he must stay.

Spavin and Ringbone.

Here is an experienced breeder's remedy for spavin and ringbone: Turpentine, three-quarters of a pint; wood alcohol, three-quarters of a pint; tincture of iodine, three-quarters of a pint; camphor gum, six ounces; crude petroleum, one and one-half ounces; oil of thyme, one-half ounce. Cut the camphor into small pieces and dissolve it in the alcohol and turpentine, mixed. Then mix in the other ingredients and shake thoroughly. Before applying wash the parts well with strong soap, taking care to wash off any discharge. For ringbone cut off the hair and rub the remedy in for fifteen minutes every other day. For spavin rub for the same time every day.

A Famous Harness Blacking.

The famous English harness blacking is made as follows: Three ounces of turpentine and two ounces of white wax are dissolved together over a slow fire. Then add one ounce of ivory black and one dram of indigo, well pulverized, and mix together. When the wax and turpentine are dissolved add the ivory black and indigo and stir until cold. Apply thin. Wash afterward, and you will have a beautiful polish. This blacking keeps the leather soft and is excellent for harness and buggy tops.

Preserving Fine Old Oaks.

The Garvanza (Cal.) Improvement society has undertaken to preserve four grand old live oaks that stand in the streets and are dying for lack of air and water. These trees are now in streets with oiled surfaces, and the board of public works has approved plans for building cement curbs about them, so that the trees will each stand in an oval shaped space nine feet wide by thirty feet long. Inside of these curbs the oiled soil and other deleterious matter will be removed, the soil stirred and enriched and the space periodically filled with water until the trees have had a sufficiency. Some of these trees are also hollow, and these will be cleaned of decaying wood, sprayed with a fungicide and filled with cement. The exposed cement will be colored to match as nearly as may be the surface of the bark and will also be roughened on the surface with the same end in view. All dead wood will then be pruned out of the tops and a renewed life and vigor given each tree. Such work should extend to every fine tree standing in any public street or highway in any town as well as to those on private property.

Be Up and Doing.

What are you doing for your town or community, not to make it better for the visitor, but to make it better for yourself and for all the people who live in it? In these days there is so much that each can do, and one person can do so much. It is so easy, so simple, so inexpensive, to begin to improve that there is no excuse for doing nothing in that direction. An improvement association with one member is better than none. The first one ever organized had but one member for several years, and that one a woman. If you have a live improvement society of any sort, it is well. If there is a society which is not alive or if there is none, it is up to you to see that something is done, and done right away, to get life into the existing society or get a new one going.

Town Improvement Factor.

Environment is coming more and more to be considered a pronounced factor of education—the education that makes for character. If towns, villages and individual homes have an unkempt, shiftless, down-at-the-heel air, the passerby is justified in setting down the inhabitants as shiftless, and the generation that grows up amid such surroundings is more than likely to bear their characteristic imprint. Then, too, there is a material side to the question. The value of real estate increases in direct proportion to its possibilities for homemaking. And every local business and calling thrives as the ratio of desirable population increases.

Although the house fly lays eggs, the flesh fly, better known as the "blue bottle," produces living larvae, about fifty at a time.

Cows and Calves.

Here are some points by a successful dairyman. Don't starve the calf in teaching it to drink. Don't overfeed, for nine calves are killed by overfeeding to one by underfeeding. The ideal dairy cow should not weigh over 1,000 pounds. She should be affectionate and a little nervous. Some heavy cows are light feeders and some light cows heavy feeders. To obtain a high development of good flesh and rounded beef there must be careful selection of breeding stock and good feeding. To maintain size continuous good feeding is required. Keep the better calves of the good milkers. Irregular feeding and milk at wrong temperature may cause scours in calves. The milk cow intended for breeding may go right on milking while she is fattening. For inflamed udders in milk cows try rubbing with a mixture of lard and common salt, using about as much as the lard will take up.

Wood Ashes as Medicine.

Wood ash seems to be a curious remedy for diseases in animals, yet its virtues in that capacity are much appreciated in Mashonaland. One well known farmer in that country has raised pigs on a very extensive scale for nearly twenty years without ever receiving a visitation of cholera or swine fever and with a loss of only 2 per cent of his animals from plague. He attributes his good fortune to the fact that he keeps wood ashes and charcoal mixed with salt constantly before his pigs. The mixture is kept in large covered boxes, with holes bored near the bottom, from which the animals work the stuff out as fast as they want it. They never, it is said, eat more of it than is good for them.

The Morrison Bros.' Store

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The values are the best ever offered

Ladies Ready-to-wear Garments

One rack of ladies' suits and coats, misses coats, ladies skirts and waists, value up to \$10.00—deep cut price, \$4.75. Ladies tailor made suits worth up to \$25.00—deep cut price, \$14.75.

One Special Lot of Ladies Suits at \$12.25, \$10.95, \$8.90 and \$6.90. These suits were sold at double the price.

Ladies top coats at Sacrifice
\$16.90, \$14.50, \$11.40 and \$7.45

LADIES TAILORED SKIRTS

Chiffon Voile, Chiffon Panama in all the late colors and fabrics at a discount of 25 per cent.

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BOYS' KNEE LENGTH SUITS AT HALF PRICE

Mens' Pants at a Discount.

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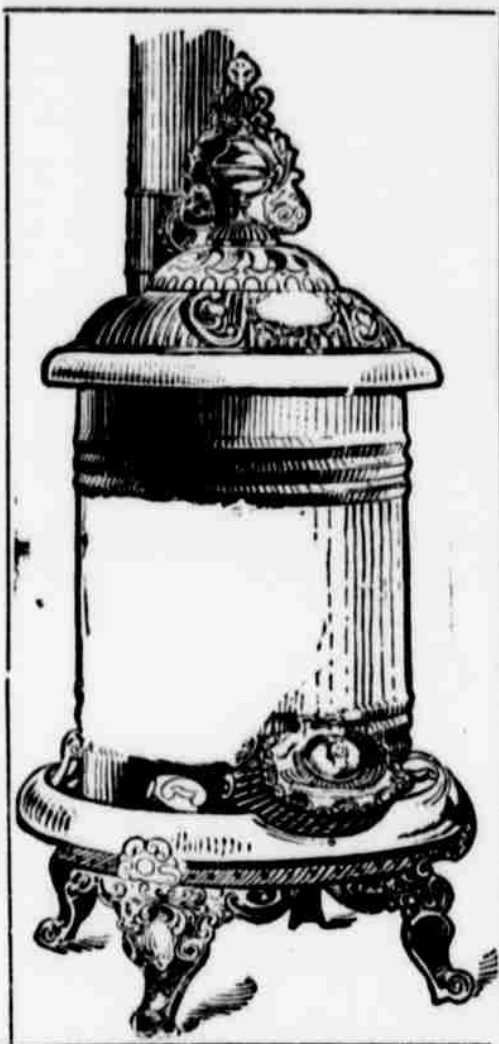
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