

FARM MATTERS.

Nebraska Agricultural Items.

MADISON COUNTY.

In traveling over the county one is forcibly impressed with the improvements that have occurred within the past few years. Large tracts of barren prairies of five years ago, are now dotted with farm houses...

SOCOTOSH.

H. W. Clover, living two miles southwest of Utica, thrashed last week from 40 acres 1,800 bushels of wheat and 40 mixed, which is 40 bushels to the acre.

SOME TURNIPS.

The Lincoln papers make a big blow about an 11 pound turnip raised near Waverly, this State. We are prepared to prove that this is no turnip at all.

WHEAT YIELDS.

A North Platte man raised 260 bushels of wheat on 94 acres, and challenges any body to beat it.

NEBRASKA TAKES THE CAKE.

Nebraska takes the premium for large apples. About fifteen years ago Mr. Perry Walker, of Cass county, raised and exhibited at the State fair, then held at Nebraska City...

JOHNSON COUNTY CORN.

The corn is not yet fit to crib. It was never before so early in the season as now. It is better to plow now and haul the corn later.

SPRING WHEAT.

From 14 acres of ground on which Mr. Sawyer sowed 20 bushels of Sea Island spring wheat he harvested 421 bushels, machine measure, and would have had perhaps 15 bushels more, but a part of the field was harvested after the July harvest.

THE GREAT AMERICAN DESERT IS TAKING A CHANGE OF VENUE.

We had a superabundance of rain this year at seasonable times and in first-class shape. There is quite a noted change in the way it rains. While it used to come down, ten or twelve years ago, in torrents, damaging crops and everything else...

SEED CORN.

The question of the selection of seed corn for next year's planting is an important one just now, and an exchange gives the following hints from experience:

1. Pick the ears that set nearest to the ground. 2. Those ears having a short foot stalk. 3. From stalks having the most ears. Generally but one ear on a stalk is proper for seed, and that usually the second ear. If the first ear is good, take that. 4. Never take from a stalk having but one ear, if stalks can be found having two or more ears.

Tells the Truth.

"This medicine I can highly recommend. Budok Blood Bitters are the best blood purifier we have ever used."

A Wonderful Bedstead.

A wonderful bedstead lately finished in Paris for an Indian prince is described as follows: It is partly made of real silver, and cost many thousand pounds sterling.

effect of which is that, so long as his Royal Highness enjoys his horizontal refreshment, the silver maidens gently fan the sleeper. If the figure at the foot of the bed are required to exert themselves in a like manner this can be accomplished by the aid of a clock-like apparatus.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate As a Nerve Food. Dr. J. W. Smith, Wellington, O., says: "In impaired nervous supply I have used it to advantage."

IOWA ITEMS.

There are eleven church buildings in Wright county.

The Sibley school board will issue \$2,000 in school bonds.

Kookuk pork packers expect to kill 100,000 hogs this winter.

The oat mill in Cedar Rapids wants about 450 bushel of oats per day.

The total taxable valuation of Buena Vista county, less exemptions, is \$2,482,200.

The Electric Light and Power company, of Burlington, capital \$30,000, has been incorporated.

The consumption of window glass in Cedar Rapids reaches about twenty-seven car loads annually.

Twenty-nine indictments were found against the saloon-keepers of Burlington for selling whisky.

The Davenport city council has voted that the saloons of that city shall hereafter be closed on Sunday.

Nearly four miles of the Kookuk street railway are now completed. Seven cars for the road have arrived.

The question of introducing music as a regular study in the public schools is being discussed in Dubuque.

Many of the new business buildings erected in Des Moines this year have one large store window, with the door to one side, instead of in the center.

Houses are in demand in Missouri Valley, notwithstanding over \$100,000 have been expended there this year in improvements.

The new Catholic church at Clermont approaches completion. It is 50 by 90 feet on the ground and will have one of the finest auditoriums in the State.

Hon. C. R. Webb will represent the Iowa State Agricultural society in the convention called by Dr. Loring to meet in Chicago on the 15th and 16th of this month.

Hon. E. H. Stiles has commenced writing up the "History of the Early North and Bar of Iowa," the material for which he has been collecting the past two years.

In the past ten months \$200,000 have been expended in improvements at Marion, Iowa county. The population is said to have increased 1,500 since the census of 1880.

The Rock Rapids Review thinks there will be two churches, Catholic and Episcopal, and a creamery built there in the spring. A project for an oil mill, to cost \$40,000, is being discussed.

Cedar Rapids has a floating debt of \$35,000. Warrants sell at 90 cents. The taxes to be paid by Cedar Rapids tax payers this year are: 19 mills city tax, 15 mills school tax, 10 mills county and state tax, or 44 mills in all.

Chariton has a Chinaman. He got there last week and hung out his "washee" shingle. In a few days he was lodged in the fine new jail for attempting to kill a colored boy named Tom for telling him that rats were plenty in Chariton.

COMMERCIAL. COUNCIL BLUFFS MARKET. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 70c; No. 3, 60c; rejected, 50c; good demand.

Corn—Dealers are paying 25c for old corn and 20c for new.

Oats—In good demand at 20c. Hay—40¢ to 50¢ per ton; 50c per bale. Hops—40¢ light supply.

Wood—Good supply; prices at yards, 5 00/6 00.

Coal—Delivered, hard, 11 50 per ton; soft, 6 00 per ton.

Butter—Plenty and in fair demand at 25c; creamery, 35c.

Eggs—Ready sale at 20c per dozen.

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Flour—City flour, 1 60/3 40. Brooms—2 00/3 00 per doz.

LIVE STOCK. Cattle—3 00/3 50; calves, 5 00/6 75.

Hogs—Market for hogs quiet, as the packing houses are closed; shippers are paying \$ 29 @ 4 00.

FOUND IN A BOX. Mr. John Kinsman, of Augusta, Me., writes, May 10, 1883, as follows: "I have been afflicted for some years with a severe kidney trouble, and having noticed an article in one of our papers of the wonderful cures Hunt's Remedy had performed in many cases of dropsy, bladder and kidney troubles, and finding a bottle in a box of stationery, I concluded I would try it, and commenced to take it, when, to my surprise, I found that the first bottle benefited me so much that I decided that I would continue its use, and I kept on taking it until I had used in all six bottles, and my appetite lagged, all pains in the back and side disappeared, and for six months of my life I am now 30 years old I am able to attend to my business, and am strong and vigorous, so many of my friends and neighbors can testify that know me well. I beg to state also, that many of our neighbors have used Hunt's Remedy with equally as good results, and one of my friends who has just purchased a bottle of Dupuy, Kinsman & Alden, Portland, says he would not be without it at any price."

THE BAKER'S WAY. Mr. Alfred Nadeau, No. 62 Lincoln street, Lewiston, Me., writes us, May 24, 1883: "I have been severely afflicted for a long time with indigestion and liver complaint, and at times so bad that I ate no dinner."

Practical Experience. Mr. Geo. D. Bates, of No. 22 Cottage Street, Lewiston, Me., a reliable and prominent citizen, imparts the following information, May 14, 1883: "Having learned of the valuable medicine of Hunt's Remedy in a practical manner, I beg to state that I consider it a remedy of great merit, and can most cheerfully recommend it to say one troubled with indigestion."

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of the continued use of mercury and potash for the treatment of Blood and Skin diseases—they never cure, and nearly always injure or totally ruin the general health.

What a Physician Says. For years I was afflicted with Dry Tetanus of the most obstinate type, Was treated by many of the best physicians; took quantities of mercury, potash and arsenic, which, instead of curing the Tetanus, crippled me up with mineral poison and rheumatism. The Tetanus continued to grow worse, and at last when I was unable to eat or to sleep, I was taken to the hospital. In a few months the Tetanus entirely well, the Rheumatism disappearing, and I was able to resume my usual avocations.

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