

FARM COLUMN.

FEEDING CALVES.

The milk of the mother, drawn from the udder by the calf, is the best and most natural food that a calf can have, but economical and other considerations come in to prevent this natural method of bringing up calves, although it may be practiced by breeders of pure blood stock.

VALUE OF WATER.

Observing dairymen have noticed that the quantity of milk a cow yields depends very much on the quantity of water she drinks. Almost invariably a good milkier is a free drinker.

PROGRESSIVE FARMERS.

It is estimated that one-half the population of the world follow farming as a business, and yet how few of these can be called progressive farmers. What a very small number of them are enthusiastic in their business and consequently on the watch to see how they can learn more and attain greater skill in their work.

GARDEN VEGETABLES.

The following list of varieties for the gardener will be found desirable, if not the best: Asparagus—The Colossal, Moore's cross breed, so-called, is spoken highly of, but we are quite satisfied with the former.

ons—Phinney's has not been surpassed by any of the vaunted new kinds. Onions—Early Danvers, a good yellow kind and yields largely. Peas—Little Gem, Stratagem, grown on flat, low trellises to keep the pods off the ground, and Champion of England, Alpha and Laxton's Early are good early kinds.

Weeping Water Items.

Weeping Water Republican. Mrs. J. N. Black and daughter spent a part of last week in Plattsmouth. Justice Barr has removed his office over the W. W. C. store.

From the Eagle. Mrs. Ruben Hyers of Hyereville Neb., has been appointed post mistress for that burg. The name of Noblesville has gone dead.

Nicholas Cox met with an accident last Saturday, that called for a needle and thread to be used in sewing up a large cut in his face, caused by coming into to close contact with the heels of a wild colt.

Two grey-beards amused themselves and a large number of spectators, one day last week with a foot race, C. H. King and grandpa Clapp the contestants, both of them seemingly had learned the side track dodge, consequently the straight heat was limited, and the race run to a finish on a tangent.

County Surveyor Modole intends removing to Plattsmouth, just as soon as he can secure a suitable place of residence, his recent appointment as city engineer for Plattsmouth makes the change necessary. He will leave a host of friends in this neck of woods who would rather take a ducking than to see him go.

Greenwood.

From the Hawkeye. Mr. Gillette, of Cedar Creek will be our station agent at this place. Miss Norma McDonald of Louisville is visiting with friends in Greenwood. Miss Rosa Ridpath began a two month term at the Hedge-corner school house Tuesday.

Wabash.

Dan Hay is quite ill. Fears are entertained that he is taking brain fever. A new pair of cymbals have been added to the band instrumentation which makes a great improvement in the music. Miss Luna Cassel, of Nebraska City, niece of W. H. H. Cassel, will make her home with him this summer and teach music.

They Should Understand.

Cedar Rapids Republican, 3: At a negro wedding in Griffin, Georgia, when the words "love, honor and obey" were reached the groom interrupted the preacher and said: Read that again, sir; read it wance mo', so's de lady kin ketch the full solemnity ob de meanin'.

To Newspaper Publishers.

We have 75 pounds of good bourgeois paper which we will sell for 25 cents per 100 sheets. It is a standard type, 18 1/2 x 24 1/2, 50 pounds standard.

County Proceedings.

Wednesday May 4, 1887.—Board met pursuant to adjournment, members all present.

Table listing County Proceedings with names, descriptions, and amounts. Includes J. C. Eikenberry bailiff, J. M. Robinson salary, J. C. Eikenberry guarding county prisoners, S. P. Holloway, boarding prisoners, E. G. Dovey & Son, goods to paupers, Johnson Bros., hardware, S. P. Holloway, boarding city prisoners, McConchie Post No. 45, G. A. R. room for Jury, J. V. Weckbach, goods to paupers, S. P. Holloway, guarding crazy man, J. B. Strode, two state cases, Insane case Chas. Silbhart, Mrs. A. Cable, William Broat, David Miller, repairing jail, Skinner & Ritchie, work on memorial index, State vs Chas. Wright, N. Wagner & Hawley, N. Wagner, Chas. Jones, James Adams, David Swanbeck, Grand Jury, Petit Jury, Clerk dist. court.

Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning.

Thursday May 5th 1887.—Board met pursuant to adjournment, members all present and allowed the following bills:

Table listing County Proceedings with names, descriptions, and amounts. Includes Reed Bros., goods to Mrs. M. Neally, Reed Bros., goods to Mrs. Clark Newman & Clark, goods to paupers, E. W. Cook, salary and caring for F. Johnson, L. Foltz, salary and com. work, March and April, A. B. Todd, salary and committee work, A. B. Dickson committee work and salary, Board adjourned to meet June 7th 1887, L. Foltz Chairman, J. M. Robinson Clerk.

In the decline of life, infirmities beset us to which our youth and maturity were strangers, our kidneys and liver are subject to derangement, but nothing equals Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm as a regulator of these organs.

April Weather Report.

For April 1887: Mean temperature, 52.6. Highest temperature, 92 on the 30th. Lowest temperature, 23 on the 1st. Precipitation, 14. No. times over 85 1. " below 32, 6. " frost, 6. " cloudy days, 6. " clear days, 9. " thunder storms, 3. " days on which rain fell, 12. Direction of wind, from S. W. For April 1886: Mean temperature, 49. 6. Highest temperature, 85. Precipitations, 24. Plums and Peaches in bloom 23d. Cherries in bloom 27th.

It has been said by one "that the coming season will be cold" and unfavorable to the growth of vegetation. Why? "Because the Sun did not cross the equinoctial line right." Query? Did he see the Sun cross the line? What is the line made of; of what material &c., are questions that he might tell, or answer.

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The Verdict Unanimous.

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One of the leading Canadian journals urges the Dominion to settle the fishery question with the United States, even if that course should still further alter the relations of Canada with the mother country. This, coupled with the introduction of a bill to permit Nova Scotia to secede so as to ultimately come into the American Republic, is an evidence of the growth of the annexation sentiment on the other side of the border.

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TO THE LADIES!

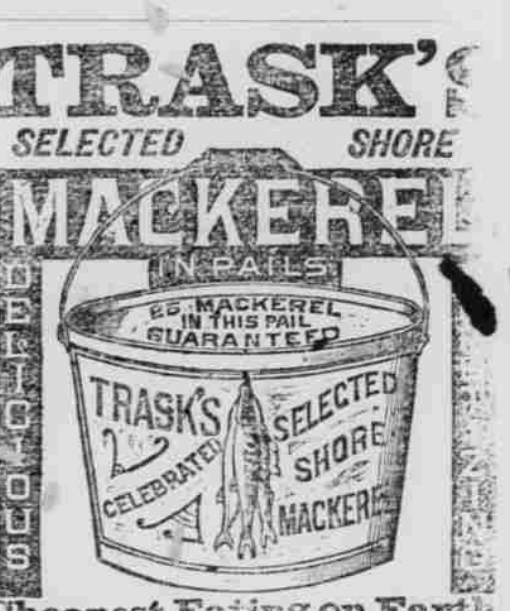
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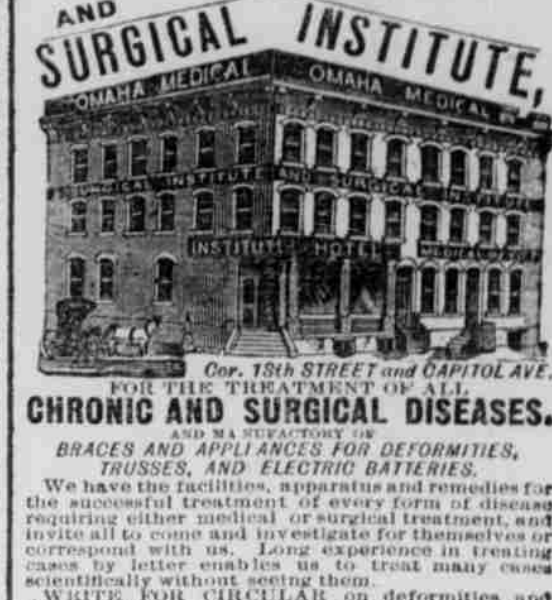
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