



THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS.

LAWRENCE, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 25, 1882.

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Commissioner Loring. In last week's SPIRIT we made, at considerable length, extracts from speeches of Dr. Loring, our commissioner of agriculture at Washington.

We are glad to know that he is in sympathy with the grange movement, as well as with all other organized efforts to better the condition of the farmer, and to make his calling honorable by making it more remunerative and elevating in its character.

The value of co-operation no one can doubt who has thought of the matter and witnessed its effects. Co-operation is not simply meeting together, and talking together, though this is necessary at the first start, but it is, as the word implies, working together, in company with others, closely associated with them.

The Grange Movement. The grange movement, if it means anything, or is working for any purpose, or aiming at any results may sum up the scope of its intent and the end of its being in the one word co-operation.

From Lyon County. Correspondence to THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS. EDITOR SPIRIT:—We still live, move and have our being. Are having fine winter weather. There is quite a large amount of plowing being done. Stock wintering tolerably well.

Our grange, Chicago Mound, has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing year. Master, W. B. Ross; secretary, J. R. Thompson; L. G. D. Humphrey, T. C. Martin; St. John Medars; As't., Jas. Hutton; C. Mrs. Mary Martin; F. Mrs. Jennie Ross; L. A. S. Miss K. R. Ross; G. Mrs. Winslow Davis; Ch., Wm. F. Paine. Have two candidates on the way and others coming.

The wideawake farmers see the necessity of organizing for their own protection and advancement. While the non-wideawakes believe in running in the same old rut they have been running in the last thirty years. But we must bide our time, we cannot expect to educate the farming community in a minute; they, as a class must see their way out before they will move.

Flocks and Fleeces. In an ably written article on the subject of sheep and shepherds, we make the following extract from the "Rural World": "Over the majority of our flocks there are men most fully instructed in the duties of their business—who combine with this knowledge great activity, energy and perseverance, and who are on the sure road to fortune. But are on the sure road to fortune. But it cannot be denied that there are others, tyros, who imagine the only respectables to success, to be a flock respectable in numbers, a herder, a dog, a sheep camp. The sheepmen, so-called in courtesy, may thrive for a period—as long as the winters are open, grass good, and no malady attacks the flock, they may appear to be progressing successfully. But when the winter is hard, the grass fails, or disease breaks out, or some other, to the novice, unforeseen trouble befalls—which must sooner or later be the case—these unprepared, uninformed owners may, and often do, lose in one brief month the accumulations of years."

Fertilize the Farm. From the Rural World. One of the best preventives to exhausting the fertility of our lands is raising stock. Instead of sending off wheat, corn, oats, hay, etc., these productions should be fed to cattle, horses, sheep and swine. By feeding stock on the farm, a large portion of the ingredients composing the crops are returned to the soil, and thus the fertility is maintained. Then again stock can take themselves to market, thus saving a large amount of hard work in hauling off grain, hay and other heavy crops. While, of course, it is not advisable for all farmers to raise stock, yet those who do give it their chief attention, make more money and make it easier than the grain-growers, and, in addition, keep their farms in better condition.

Women in the Grange. Brother S. Adams, of Minnesota, speaking of admission of women to all the rights and privileges of the grange, says: "We are truly thankful that this order has been so wisely devised; that her presence among us shall cheer us onward in our duties, and may our strength and integrity be ever her shield from harm and means for support; while her purity, tenderness and delicacy shall grace our grange gatherings until the word Patron shall be a synonym for intelligence, sociability, refinement and honor throughout the land."

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Baby Saved. We are so thankful to say that our baby was permanently cured of a dangerous and protracted irregularity of the bowels by the use of Hop Bitters by its mother, which at the same time restored her to perfect health and strength.—The Parents, Rochester, N. Y. See another column.

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In its prospectus for 1881 the Globe-Democrat announced with pride and satisfaction the election of Gen. Garfield and the belief that his administration would be so wisely counseled and so well conducted that it would give a new lease of power to the party under which the nation had grown free, strong and prosperous. The victor, a good and gifted man who, while we wrote a year ago, stood on the threshold of the Presidency, in office, in the prime and vigor of manhood, with a future of honorable promise to himself and his country. The high trust which the people had reposed in him was dropped by the great work of death when but a small part of the public had upon which he had entered had been accomplished. But to quote his own memorable words when the saddest of all American tragedies was enacted, "God reigns, and the Government at Washington still lives."

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MY PATCHWORK QUILT.

Ah! dearer far it is to me. Than many treasures that you see Among the relics fate has cast. To mind me of the blessed past. I love the squares of emerald hue, The soldier's red, the sailor's blue; The pale pink border deftly set With mimic sprigs of mignonette. The oblong blocks, striped up and down, Are treasured bits of mother's gown! The hat we children saw her wear, Before she left this world of care. And grandma set this middle square, Poor grandma, with her silvery hair; And quilted patiently, for hours, This "herring bone" among the flowers. Thus, as time flies on noiseless wings, Each hour some dear remembrance brings, Some sweet reminder beads my call, But this is dearer far than all.

ORCHUR DISCIPLINE.

BY HELEN D. BROWN. The same old manse that Hawthorne lived in and wrote about sheltered years ago beneath its gabled roof an apostolic succession of New England divines. It was not strange that in this saintly line the "Doctor" of my boyhood seemed to me most to embody the temporal and spiritual power of our little town. Certainly, in all the years I have lived since, no human being has inspired me with the awe I felt in that good man's presence. Alas! that reverence, like many things, has grown now to seem quite old-fashioned. The other day I showed my little grandsons a cherished silhouette, a faithful reproduction of queue and cane and small-clothes. They looked at it critically, then shouted with a derisive laugh, "Ho! what a lookin' old chap!" But in the actual presence of the doctor what boy of our day did not quail! There was a rigid righteousness in the carriage of his chin, the very corners of his mouth bespoke severity of doctrine. I was somehow early impressed with the idea that he possessed a prophetic knowledge of a bad boy's career. I never told him of my belief, however. Sim would have laughed at it. He always did laugh at me, and yet you never knew two firmer friends than we two always were. Sim was the doctor's "boy," who, in the intervals of winter "chores," folded his long legs under a desk at the academy, which desk I shared with him as his chosen friend. Poor Sim! It must be confessed that, at this period of knees and elbows, his personal attractions were but few. He appeared perpetually surprised and ill at ease at finding his arms and legs rapidly leaving behind his jacket and trousers. But, though I was dimly conscious that Sim was no Ganymede, we were none the less congenial allies on that account. To be sure my Aunt Tabitha shook her head ravenly. If there was any degree in the general disapproval which she felt bound to bestow on boys, she honored Sim with a superlative amount. She wondered to her dying day that the doctor was willing to have such an example to the parish in his own family, a boy that was always up to some prank, scarin' people half out their wits, and nobody knows what all. It was Sunday morning, and I lay in that state which it takes but the slightest impulse to determine. A moment's silence, and I might have been sound asleep; it was just at this instant that a familiar chirrup beneath my window turned the scale. "Say, Bob," came in attempted undertone. "Hullo, what's up?" said I, springing to the window. "Say, Bob, there's an awful high wind last night, an' ther's bushels o' chestnuts down in the holler. Come on down. Jump inter yer clothes, and get a bag or sumthin'."

"Where'd yer put 'em?" whispered Sim. "Hush," said I, "there's the doctor coming up the aisle." I watched him with a returning sense of guilt till he disappeared behind the pulpit. Was there ever a child who did not wonder how the pulpit looks on the other side? It by no means lessened the awe with which I regarded the minister, that he slowly rose before us from that mysterious region. The good doctor's venerable form came gradually into view, and Sim and I waited with respectful attention to hear the first hymn given out. But why did the doctor look so severely about his congregation, and why did his glance rest finally on us? I looked as devout as my terror would permit, while Sim drew up his long legs, and became intent on the gallery railing. A moment of silence, and a general turning of heads in our direction. Sim still looked doggedly at the railing, his hands by this time in his pockets. "Simeon!" The doctor's deep and solemn tones struck terror to every person there. What awful act of discipline was to be administered? I am wicked enough to believe, however, that a few persons, among them my aunt Tabitha, were secretly rejoicing that Sim was at last to receive his deserts. As for Sim, he declared many a time afterward that he "wasn't sca't. Sca't? What was there for a feller to be sca't about?" But I always had my private opinion on that point. "Simeon!" repeated the doctor. "Simeon, come down!" Simeon stared, but did not stir. The doctor looked at him. Such an exhibition of disobedience in a member of his own household was not to be tolerated. "Simeon!" he thundered, "come down, I say!" "Sim," I gasped, "go, you'll have to." Sim started, looked undeniably pale. We waited breathless for a few seconds. Sim had evidently made his way down the gallery stairs, and appeared on the floor; for the doctor's face wore an expression of increased severity, as he thundered once more: "Simeon, come here to me!" All eyes were turned upon Sim, as he marched up the aisle, up the pulpit stairs, and into the sacred edifice itself. There was an awful silence. The doctor and Sim had both disappeared from view. You may rest assured that by this time I was sufficiently punished for breaking the fourth commandment. But what is this? Simeon, descending the pulpit stairs, and with an expression approaching very nearly a grin? The doctor placidly giving out the opening hymn? The congregation, it must be confessed, wore a slight air of disappointment. I waited eagerly for Sim to come back to my side, but no Sim appeared. The twentieth chapter of Ezekiel, and no Sim; the long prayer, and still he does not come; the second hymn, and at last there is a gentle rustle of the congregation. Sim walks up the aisle, self-conscious and unmistakably pleased. Again he mounts to the pulpit, again he disappears. At last, I hear his step on the gallery stairs. My curiosity has reached its height, when Sim sinks into the seat beside me, and with a grateful chuckle whispers in my ear, "Forgot his sermon!"

TESTING HER INNOCENCE.

A poor, pale seamstress was arraigned for theft. She appeared at the bar with her baby of eleven months on her arm. She went to get some work one day, and stole three gold coins of ten francs each. The money was missed soon after she left her employer, and a servant was sent to her room to claim it. The servant found her about to quit the room with the three gold coins in her hand. She said to the servant, "I am going to carry them back to you." Nevertheless, she was carried to the commissioner of police; and he ordered her to be sent to the police court for trial. She was too poor to engage a lawyer, and, when asked by the judge what she had to say for herself, she replied: "The day I went to my employer, I carried my child with me. It was in my arms as it is now. I wasn't paying attention to it. There were several gold coins on the mantelpiece; and, unknown to me, it stretched out its little hand and seized three pieces, which I did not observe until I got home. I at once put on my bonnet, and was going back to my employer to return them, when I was arrested. This is the solemn truth, as I hope for Heaven's mercy." The court could not believe this story. They upbraided the mother for her impudence in endeavoring to palm off such a manifest lie for the truth. They besought her, for her own sake, to retract so absurd a tale; for it could have no effect but to oblige the court to sentence her to a much severer punishment than they were disposed to inflict upon one so young, and evidently so deep in poverty. These appeals had no effect, except to strengthen the poor mother's pertinacious adherence to her original story. As this firmness was sustained by that look of innocence which the most adroit criminal can never counterfeit, the court was at some loss to discover what decision justice demanded. To relieve their embarrassment, one of the judges proposed to renew the scene described by the mother. Three gold coins were placed on the clerk's table. The mother was requested to assume the position in which she stood at her employer's house. There was then a breathless pause in court. The baby soon discovered the bright coins, eyed them for a moment, smiled, and then stretched forth its tiny hand, and clutched them in its fingers with a miser's eagerness. The mother was at once acquitted. **Fell against a Sharp Edge.** From the Rockford (Ill.) Register. This is furnished by Mr. Wm. Will, 1613

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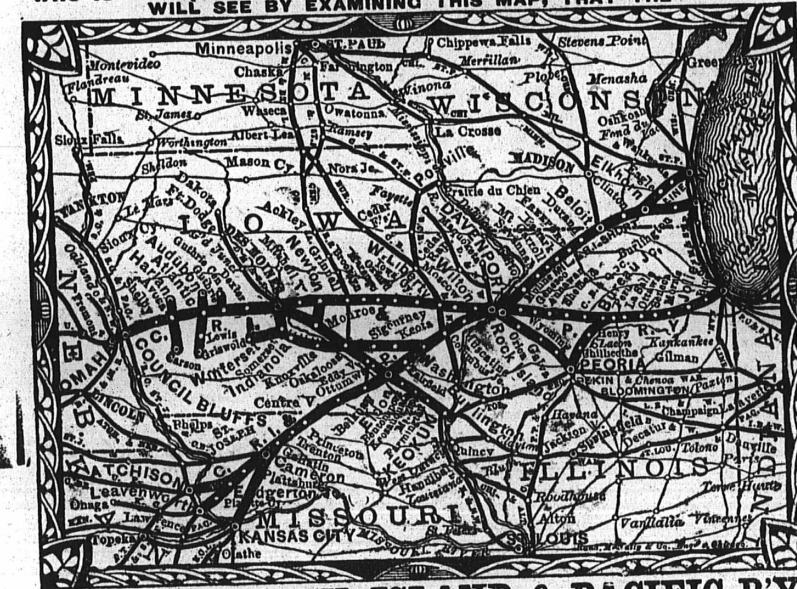
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Kind readers of THE SPIRIT, we send out to you our paper to-day fresh, new, and better than ever. We flatter ourselves, from commendations received, that we are growing in public favor, and supplying a want that no other paper in Kansas is adequate to fill.

We relish a little nonsense now and then and manage to get into each number a few pleasanties. In the Horticultural, Farm, and Stock Departments we aim to put in the very best we can get.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE BENEFIT OF FARMERS.

The House committee on agriculture is now considering what appropriations are to be made for the more efficient working of the Agricultural Department.

and thus have the benefit of knowledge now monopolized by boards of trade. The plan in regard to the distribution of these reports, as we understand it, is to send them to the agricultural and other papers so that every farmer who takes such papers can learn the condition of the crops from month to month, and be able to judge of the abundance or scarcity of all agricultural products and thus have the data for determining whether it would be best to sell, or hold on to the crops for better prices.

As an illustration of the working of such a monthly distribution of carefully prepared statistics of growing or ripened crops, we chronicle a fact that occurred the past season in our immediate neighborhood. Mr. A. an enterprising grower of potatoes, who has been uniformly successful in raising a large crop, raised the past year over three thousand bushels.

"Traveler" in Kentucky.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—This little burg is at the extreme eastern point of Kentucky, at the junction of the Big Sandy which forms the boundary of West Virginia with the Ohio. It is a thriving little place of some three thousand inhabitants, and is the county seat of Boyd county, though Ashland, only five miles distant, is much the larger place of the two in regard to population.

CASTLEBURG, Ky.

Will Corn Grow in 1880 and 1881 Grow?

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dry beds of rivers, and when the floods came they all started off together, many being wrecked before reaching their destination. Kentucky has lacked railroad facilities more than most other states, but now that a start has been made they are being projected in every direction; and with such a wealth of fine timber, coal and iron, it cannot remain long undeveloped in this age of enterprise and push.

Just now this place is a scene of considerable excitement, and the presence of three companies of state militia give it quite a warlike appearance. The state troops wear the regular blue army overcoat, and it constantly recalls the war times when army blue was the fashionable color.

Over the river in Ohio at Ironton, on Friday night last, a mob took a murderer out of jail at night and hung him to a tree in the court-house yard. It was done so quietly and quickly that not half a dozen people in town, outside of the mob, knew of it till morning; and so complete was the disguise that there is no clue whatever to the perpetrators of the deed.

The rivers are booming just now, and the Big Sandy to-day has been on the rampage. The rise was over fifty feet some fifty miles from the mouth. Saw logs and timber have been running out into the Ohio all day, and many a poor man has lost the result of his year's work, by the sudden rise.

I made a hurried trip through the Blue Grass region of Kentucky last week; this section suffered severely by the drouth, and the unusually open winter has saved the stock-raisers from great losses.

Papers with accounts of the Guiteau trial are eagerly sought for, even in the heart of the mountain regions. It is a consolation to know that Scoville has actually finished his speech, and that there is some prospect of a termination to the trial.

CASTLEBURG, Ky.

Will Corn Grow in 1880 and 1881 Grow?

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ance, indeed it is absolutely indispensable that the seed should be good plump kernels, and that almost every kernel of it will grow, this should be ascertained beyond all question before planting. But the most important branch of this whole subject is the enormous loss that will fall upon the farmers of corn growing states if they fail to obtain and plant seed that will all come up and grow vigorously from the start.

A prominent agriculturalist of Fulton county, Illinois, in writing to one of our citizens on the subject of corn for seed says.

There is but little corn in the country fit for seed; good judges say that only corn grown in 1879 should be planted.

Some say that corn over one year old will not grow, but the contrary has been demonstrated by actual experiment, all that is necessary is to have been well cribbed, I would still further add that our Illinois state agricultural report, states that the corn crop of 1880 was only half the crop of 1879 and that of 1881 very much less than that of 1880.

Our only resort now is to plant corn grown in the year 1879, which we know is as good as can be grown in this, or any other country, the kernels are large and full, which is very necessary to the maturing of a strong healthy stalk.

The above coming as it does from a practical Illinois farmer of long and large experience in corn growing certainly deserves and should receive the careful consideration of the farmers of Kansas, as well as of the farmers of all the corn growing states.

DOUGLAS COUNTY, Jan. 31, 1882.

Tomahawk Grange, Johnson County. Correspondence to THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—Last evening being the last Tuesday before the full moon Tomahawk Grange, No. 437, installed their officers for the year. We had a feast in honor of the occasion which was open to invited guests, from other granges or outsiders as maybe, and we thought a brief synopsis might be acceptable to THE SPIRIT and its many readers.

We will omit for brevity the decorations which were few, but tasteful. The officers elect were F. Riley, Master; William Good, Overseer; W. F. Conner, Secretary; J. Kennedy, Steward; John Kennedy, Assistant Steward; Dr. Crust, Lecturer; Rev. Tomlinson, Chaplain; W. Williams, Treasurer; Mr. Weeks, Gate-keeper; Mrs. Dunham, Ceres; Mrs. S. E. Noble, Pomona; Miss Louie Rogers, Flora. Installing officer, N. Zimmerman, of Maple Grove Grange, made some very interesting remarks before proceeding with his duties; he was assisted by Mr. Frank Ezel, of ——— Grange by invitation of Worthy Master Legget, our retiring master. Officers were duly installed, but as supper was not quite ready a motion was made that the time be utilized in extemporaneous speaking which was carried, and Lecturer T. N. Hancock, of Stauley Grange, was called for. He responded in a few well-timed remarks on the advancement the grange had made, alluded to its co-operative and social features and last though not least its educational features, which was lifting the "tillers of the soil out of the slough of ignorance, onto the beautiful plains of thought and intelligence" and urged that we cultivate the same by pen and tongue.

He was followed by our own lecturer, Dr. Crust, who told us that he farmed from an inherited love of the

farm. That he was an Englishman and it was natural for them to love trees, and flowers, as well as stock and grain. That he was a greater lover of America than any of us, because he knew how to value freedom and he hoped our institution would be handed down to future generations, and the only way to do so was to educate the young. That on the training of children depended the future of our republic. He also gave us an amusing account how he came to join the grange.

A song by the choir was then listened to; then supper with oysters for the leading feature or course. The table was loaded with big, little and intermediate cakes that looked as if they had mingled in storms of sleet and snow the latter almost in drifts sprinkled in candy. Just one, we will describe. It was white as the "driven snow" and on its face was painted in red sugar a tomahawk, beneath which was the words, Grange No. 497. We do not know who made it, but it was beautiful to say the least. We fear we did not obey regulations in reference to temperance as the chickens were crowing ere supper was over, but installation don't come but once a year.

STANLEY, Kans., Jan. 17, 1882.

SEND US NAMES. To the friends of THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS: You can do us good service in our efforts to increase our circulation of your and our paper by sending us the addresses of persons any where who would, in your estimation, be likely to be enough interested in THE SPIRIT to become a subscriber.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE. The Massachusetts Woman Suffrage association held a session in Boston on Tuesday and Wednesday, 17th and 18th inst. Mr. Wm. I. Bowditch presided and made the opening address. Mrs. Lucy Stone presented the annual report. Ex-Gov. Callin, Hon. C. J. Noyes, Judge Warren, Julia Ward Howe and other eminent personages were present and took a part.

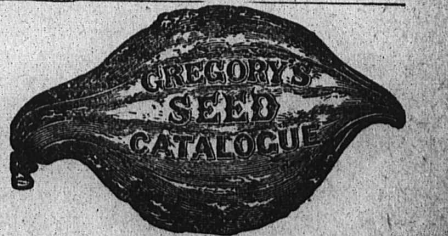
SMALL-POX. Reports of small-pox come from all sections of the country. The national board of health at Washington is preparing a statement showing the whole number of deaths from this disease during the year 1881. Philadelphia heads the list numbering from 1,200 to 1,400 deaths.

A Good Chance for Some One. Douglas county for subscribers to THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS, and to one who can give us satisfactory references, we will give either a salary and all expenses or a commission on all subscriptions taken. The references must be unexceptional. Call on or address this office.

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**Farm and Stock.**

Subscribers are earnestly requested to send for publication in this department any facts not generally known, but of interest to stock raisers and farmers. Farmers, write for your paper.

**We Help Ourselves by Helping Others.**

Under the head Farm we have taken *seriatim* some twenty-one items from the farm department of the New York Herald. We have done this because the items themselves are good and worth reading, and to show also that our metropolitan papers of wide circulation and established reputation find it to be for their interest to deal largely and with liberal appreciation the agricultural industries and those who are engaged in their pursuit. Twenty years ago the popular and widely disseminated political, secular and religious papers of the country, with rare exceptions, scarcely deigned to touch upon the subject of farming; and, in their columns, farmers themselves cut no figure at all. But within the two last decades all this has changed. Now all the city papers of largest circulation and greatest influence give us several columns of agricultural matter equal in value to that found in our best papers published solely for farmers and in behalf of agricultural interests. Many of our farmers are taking these city papers because they come cheap and furnish about the same agricultural and horticultural matter as found in our SPIRIT OF KANSAS, Prairie Farmer, and other papers West and East devoted to the interests of the farmer. We are by no means jealous of the influence of these papers. Instead of their crowding out such a paper as we publish they serve rather to increase its circulation. It is much easier to obtain subscribers to THE SPIRIT in those localities where many and diverse other papers are taken, than where none are taken. The mind of the farmer grows by what it feeds on. The soul's craving is never satisfied. One good paper of whatever name or type creates a hunger for another and still another. It is not because the average farmer is too poor that he does not take a paper. It is simply because he doesn't want it. He has no appetite for it. If sent to him gratis he would not read it. We are not speaking now of the general run of farmers, but of a class, which, thank heaven, is growing less and less every day. To get at this class, and to circulate our paper among its individual members, we are glad to make any paper, local, county, city, political, educational, religious or scientific, a kind of entering wedge, to cleave open this dead, inert, hard-shell mass of anthropoids which we find so hard to move. If any one of these papers can find entrance to the houses of this class of mental indigents, we shall rejoice and feel pretty sure of reaping some benefit ourselves from the enterprise and success of each member of our newspaper fraternity. Feeling thus, and looking at the matter in this light, we are glad to make use of, and give due credit for, any good thing which we find in our exchange papers.

**The Farm.**

**BEAN POLES.**  
Red cedar makes the most durable bean poles. Get them cut and sharpened as soon as possible.

**MICE AND RABBITS.**  
Blood and refuse meat rubbed upon the trunks of trees will keep away these troublesome rodents.

**NEW VARIETIES.**  
If any new varieties of seeds are tried use only a small quantity at first, until you are sure that the soil and locality are favorable.

**GET YOUR SEEDS EARLY.**  
Make a list of all needed seeds, and, if possible, procure them at once. Later when seed-men are crowded with orders much delay may occur.

**COLTS.**  
Handle colts gently and feed well and regularly. Tie them in stalls and teach them proper discipline as soon as may be.

**SHARP-SHOD HORSES.**  
Do not allow horses that have been sharp-shod to play in a yard with other animals. A kick from a playful horse might cause serious damage.

**PEA BRUSH.**  
This may be cut now and will be found a great convenience in the hurried spring. Put under cover, with heavy weights upon the piles to flatten them into shape.

**ORCHARDS.**  
The dead bark from the trunks and larger limbs of trees is best removed during a thaw. A wash of whale oil or soft soap applied with a brush gives a smooth, healthy appearance.

**SWINE.**

Earth or leaves make the best beds for swine. Straw beds, and especially dirty ones, will cause irritation of the skin, encourage parasites and eventually result in skin diseases.

**THE ONTARIO POTATO.**

Many farmers have testified to the excellence of this potato. It is larger and more productive than the snowflake, which it somewhat resembles. It is also earlier and a more vigorous grower than that variety.

**MANURE.**

Provide absorbents for the manure from the stables and hennery. Prepare what is to be used next spring by occasional turning. It must be kept both from overheating and freezing.

**TOOLS.**

If tools and implements of all kinds were not painted when put away, do it at once. The boys will be glad of the job, and a pot of paint and a brush cost very little. More tools rust out for want of care than wear out.

**HIGH MANGERS.**

A veterinary writer condemns high mangers for horses, claiming that they irritate the throat and create a tendency to heaves. He says the manger should be on a level with the feet, as that is in accordance with nature.

**THE CODLING MOTH.**

The most successful fruit-growers, East and West, have decided that there is no better remedy for the codling moth than to pasture hogs in the orchard to eat the wormy apples and the worms therein. If the orchards are too large for the number of hogs kept sheep are turned in.

**STABLES.**

Keep all stables, pens and sheds in perfect cleanliness. They should be well ventilated and not too warm, which is unhealthful. Filth is too often a cause of disease. We seldom hear of trouble from sickness where the stock are well fed and have clean skins, pure air and dry beds.

**NEW ORCHARDS.**

In planting new orchards for profit select such varieties as are in demand, or if for family use, such as will give a good succession from early summer to late winter. Order trees for spring planting at once. If trees arrive in a frozen condition put them in a cool place until thawed.

**BROODY HENS.**

Unless you have poultry houses especially arranged for hatching in cold weather it will not do to allow the broody hens to "sit" now. Close confinement for several days and no warm food will get them over their incubative fever. A few pills made of Castile soap and sulphur will aid materially.

**PRUNING.**

Pruning may be performed at any time, but where there are only a small number of trees to be cared for it is preferable to delay until February. Give the orchard a shallow and careful ploughing, not disturbing the roots. Dig under a liberal top dressing of fertilizers equal to the spread of the branches of the trees.

**TURKEYS.**

It is not best to breed from turkeys the first year. Persons commencing with a pair of young birds cannot well avoid this, but if you are going to make a purchase do not take birds less than two years old. Some breeds attain maturity at two years, but bronze turkeys not until they are three years old. If possible select those for breeders that are not only two years of age but those that have been bred from well matured birds.

**FRUIT GARDENS.**

If possible have your fruit garden separate from your vegetable garden. It is a poor plan to put blackberries, etc., along fence rows, where the fruit is sure to be poor in quantity and quality. There are too many large farms lacking in fruit. So little soil is required in the culture of vines and small fruits—and they conduce so largely to health, and consequently to happiness—that no farmer should fail to cultivate them.

**FODDER CROPS.**

Calculations for fodder crops should be made for the coming season. Where the winter is open some ploughing may be done for these crops. Fodder is never too plentiful, and in the Southern states is the great need of the farmer. Oats and peas or tares and barley furnish the heavy crops of green fodder, or dry hay if cut when in blossom. They may be sown as soon as the danger from frost is over. Four bushels of the mixed seed per acre is a proper quantity to sow. The richer the ground the better for a fodder crop.

**A Model Sheep-fold.**

We clip the following account of the care and management of sheep on a ranch visited recently by the editor of the Wichita Eagle, a paper among our exchanges which we hold at no cheap rate, it being one of the best:

Having heard something of the ranch established lately by W. C. Woodman, on the Cowskin, nine miles south of the city, and of the superiority of the sheep there cared for and the conveniences attached, we took an afternoon, last week, and drove down to Haysville, thence west a mile to the farm of A. W. Snyder, on the meridian line, near whose home, on a fine piece of rolling

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the crushed oyster shell cannot be obtained, lime in some other shape will do just as well. One of my neighbors had two of the rooms plastered this fall and saved all the old plaster for his hens. The poultry raisers who neglect to get a supply of gravel under cover before the ground froze up, must do the next best thing—feed their broken dishes to their fowls. Break into bits of a suitable size, and it will do just as well as gravel. I believe in salting all the soft food, and I used to put in a dash of pepper, sometimes mustard or ginger, once in a while, and I honestly thought the fowls were benefited thereby; but doubts are creeping in, and I am very much inclined to drop everything except the salt.

**The Comparative Value of Beef Breeds.**  
Prof. Brown, of the Ontario Agricultural College, gives his opinion of the comparative value of the four breeds of cattle most highly prized for beef:

I know of no class of cattle so well qualified to fill up all our wants in the stall as the Short-horn and his grades. In impressive power, early maturity, weight and fattening disposition, they stand unrivaled. Next to these stand the Aberdeen Poll and his grades with their better quality of flesh and equal maturing, but hardly equal in weight. The Herefords come third with their equal impressive power and reliability as breeders, but not equal in early maturing nor weight; and, as a stall-feeder the Galloway must take a fourth place, except in permanency of character and quality of flesh, in which respect he bows to no one.

**Sheep Ranches.**  
There are more parties here from all parts of the United States, looking for ranches, than ever before. The inquiry for sheep ranches is general; the demand for stock of all kinds is growing more rapidly than could have been expected. Texas ranches and stock are attracting capitalists to this country faster than all the tales of fine farming lands would ever do. Let the farmers go where they can make a living. West Texas needs only stockmen to develop her resources.

The above advertisement from the Texas Live Stock Journal would be just as good and true of Kansas as of Texas.  
**A Bushel of Corn Makes Nine Pounds of Pork.**  
A farmer near Peru, Miami county, Indiana, increased the weight of fifty head of hogs 4,000 pounds in thirty days by actual weight, realizing \$1 per bushel on 268 bushels of corn which they consumed in that time. The gain was eighty pounds per day, while the consumption of corn was 8.9 bushels per day, which would be nine pounds of pork for every bushel of corn consumed.

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From the Boston Gazette.

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Correspondence "Young Folks' Department." EDITOR SPIRIT: I thought I would write a letter to the "Young Folks' Department..."

It has been very muddy here this winter; we have had very little ice or snow to skate and slide down hill on...

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THE LATEST MARKETS.

Produce Markets. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31, 1882. Flour—lowest to highest prices. 3.25 @ 7.30. Wheat—No. 2 fall spot. 1.22 @ 1.24.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31, 1882. Flour—lowest to highest prices. \$5.60 @ 7.15. Wheat—No. 2 fall, spot. 1.42 @ 1.43.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31, 1882. Flour—lowest to highest prices. 4.50 @ 8.50. Wheat—No. 2 spring, spot. 1.29 @ 1.30.

Live Stock Markets. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31, 1882. CATTLE—Receipts (for the week), 2,113; shipments (for the week), 1,950.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31, 1882. CATTLE—Receipts, 850; shipments, none. Stockers' and feeders' stuff in fair demand.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31, 1882. CATTLE—Receipts, 4,300. Stockers and feeders in fair demand; calves scarce.

Lawrence Markets. The following are to-day's prices: Butter, 25 @ 40c; eggs, 12 @ 15c per doz.

A Bargain. We have placed in our hands for sale a fine farm of 240 acres of fine bottom land with plenty of nice running water and large numbers of fish in the stream.

THIS AND THAT. GOV. LONG, of Massachusetts, in his message, expressed himself strongly against the "barbarism of capital punishment."

Mr. Beake, the new mayor of San Francisco, seems to be a more sensible man than his "unsavory" predecessor, I. S. Kallack.

Gov. St. John says, in a letter to the Chicago Signal; "we have raised the black flag on the whisky traffic, and propose neither to give nor ask quarter."

ones that an extra session of the legislature will be called early in February. Such being the case the Topeka Capital—a capital paper by the way—says: "it becomes the whisky element to be setting about the business of putting its house in order so to speak."

CONGRESS. There seems to have been little work done in Congress the past week worthy of note.

These private, personal and local matters ought, in the great majority of cases, to be excluded from any consideration by Congress. They have no business in the Senate and House.

DEATH OF RICHARD H. DANA. The Hon. Richard H. Dana, of Massachusetts, died January 6th, ult., at Rome, Italy.

HON. D. C. HASKELL AND POLYGRAMY. From the Greeley Tribune. The Hon. D. C. Haskell has done himself much credit in his effort to arouse Congress in regard to its duty in uprooting its nefarious system of polygamy.

A TERRIBLE slaughter of sheep took place at Omo, Jewell county, Kansas, last week. About 1,300 were confined in a lot, when just before daylight in the morning several dogs got in and stampeded them.

TORPEDO BOAT. Erickson's new torpedo boat, costing comparatively nothing and capable of being directed with the utmost precision, can destroy the most powerful built armed vessel in the twinkling of an eye.

SCOVILLE says it is the opinion of the brother and sister of the assassin Giteau whether or not his remains shall be hauled around the country as a side show.

REV. JOHN COTTON SMITH, rector of the Protestant Episcopal church in New York, died on Monday 16th inst., aged 56 years.

A DISASTROUS fire broke out in Park Row, New York City, Tuesday, which destroyed a great many newspaper outfits, and some lives were lost.

miss their New York literature for a time. The ruins are reported still too hot to look for the missing bodies.

THE POPE. La Defence, a French Journal says: All arrangements are completed for the departure of the Pope from Rome Malta, to take up his residence there, in case he deems it impossible for him to remain in Italy.

A SENSIBLE MAN. A farmer being asked why he did not take a newspaper, very sensible answered, "because my father when he died, left a good many and I haven't read them all through yet."

QUADRUPLETS. From the Topeka Capital. Another Kansas woman, this time in Linn county, has given birth to quadruplets.

AMERICANS are to-day paying round prices for imported cheeses which were made in this country, sent abroad and then returned with the English stamps.

A RECEPTION was given to the Governors, St. John of Kansas, and Brown of Georgia, on the 21st inst., by Hon. W. E. Dodge, at his home in New York.

A LIVELY CORPSE. From the Topeka Capital. An unknown dead robber—shot and killed while attempting to rob a hotel safe.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE. Millions of rats, mice, cats, bed-bugs, roaches lose their lives by collision with "Rough on Rats." Sold by druggists, 15c.

CATARH OF THE BLADDER. Stinging, smarting, irritation of the urinary passages, diseased discharges, cured by Buchu-palpa. Druggists. Depot Geo. Leis & Bro.

LEGAL NOTICE. TO ALL THE CREDITORS AND ALL other persons interested in the estate of Mary Blanton, deceased, that I will, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D., 1882, make final settlement of the business of said estate with the probate court of Douglas county, state of Kansas.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. TO ALL THE CREDITORS AND ALL other persons interested in the estate of Mary Blanton, deceased, that I will, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D., 1882, make final settlement of the business of said estate with the probate court of Douglas county, state of Kansas.

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