Bad Lands Cow Boy,

By A. T. PACKARD.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1886.

Northern Pacific Time Table.

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Express, No. 1	6:45 p. m.
Express Freight, 2d Class	9:35 p. m.
Freight, 3d Class	11:40 p. m.

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Express, No., 2	8:26 a. m.
Express Freight, 3d Class	6:30 a. m.
Freight, 3rd Class	2:55 a. m.

D. W. Williams, Agent.

Northern Pacific preferred stocks, 64½ common, 29⅝.

Dr. Heber Roberts is now practising in Livingston.

Alex. McKenzie of Bismarck spent several days in Medora last week.

Mrs. James Foley and two daughters returned to Bismarck Tuesday morning.

Try Sanford, Dickinson, for Holiday presents.

John Norris, who formerly cooked for Gill Kennedy, has opened a restaurant in M. M. Coleman's building.

Chas. S. Eaton with his wife and wife's mother will spend the winter in Mandn. They have already gone to housekeeping.

Those using the river as a highway have lately found a great deal of difficulty at the crossings. Down the river the water is between two and three feet deep on the old ice and where the regular crossing is broken it forms almost an impassable barrier.

A wrestling match came off at the Senate, Monday night, between Jim Hayes and W. H. Wall. Each contestant earned a fall and the third round being undecided, the contest was declared a draw.

Stockmen should remember that there is no better or more appropriate Christmas present that they can give than a set of round-up views. The set of thirty-six cost only $5 at the Cow Boy office. Orders by mail promptly filled.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of Henry Williams and Jack Tisdale as accessories in the case against George Myers. As there is no doubt that George will be found innocent, Williams and Tisdale will of course be cleared. Williams is now under bail.

Chuck full! Awful full!! Never was as full in all my life!!! Am getting fuller every day!!!!!! Oh, how full!!!!!!!!!!!! It is glorious to be full, but then I want to be less full. I don't feel good when I am so full; therefore buy some of my nice Christmas presents and I won't get full again till just before next Christmas.

Max Sanford,
Dickinson, Dak.

The "society event" of the season will come off Christmas, when "Van" and "Nitch" will eat an oyster match for a silver cup. The one eating the most oysters will win the cup. As "Van" recently ate six dozen raw after a full meal, it looks as though the odds would favor the gentleman from Holland.

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A. T. Packard.

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Diltus, Johannes	Lawerence, N
Osborne, Bob	Lundy, W H
Osborne, Bros	Larson,
Nowakowska, Geo	Pettibone, Chas J
Miller, David C	Robbins, E C
Stone, L M	Wyland, Seth

Persons calling for any of the above letters, please say "advertised."

W. F. Van Driesche, P. M.

Commissioners' Meeting.

A special meeting of the board of county commissioners of Billings' county, was held at the usual place of meeting on Dec. 2, 1886.

Meeting was called to order by the chairman of the board.

Present: Commissioners Truscott and Goodall and Clerk Williamson.

County Treasurer W. F. Van Driesche's resignation being on file, the object of the meeting was to examine his resignation and if approved, to appoint a new treasurer.

On motion, the resignation was accepted and J. C. Fisher appointed county treasurer for the year 1887.

On motion, Fisher's bond of $4,000, to the county of Billings, was approved.

On motion, the board adjourned.

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Vint.—A under both orands.
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Range.—Garner Creek.

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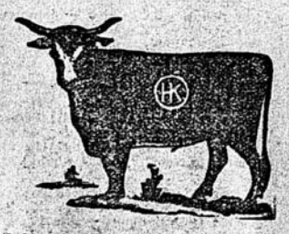

2nd brand.—As above on left side.

3rd brand.—As above on left hip.

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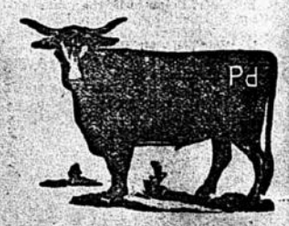

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Range for the three brands.—Little Missouri river, fifteen miles north of Medora.

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