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RATES OF ADVERTISING. Table with columns for space, day, week, month, and year.

Men's Colt Skin Shoes For Tender Feet. A Superior Shoe FOR DRESS OR ANY WAY YOU CARE TO USE THEM. WE HAVE ALL STYLES, FROM A COIN TOE TO AN Old Man's Comfort. LACE AND CONGRESS \$2.25 PER PAIR. GRASSFIELD BROS. Manchester, Iowa WE FIT THE FEET

Our Business Directory.

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Ernest L. Eubank, rich and owner of a fine farm near Slater, Mo., has been sent to a sanitarium at St. Joseph to be treated for kleptomania. He has developed an uncontrollable propensity for stealing hogs.

It is noticed that nearly all the republican papers are lining up on the side of England, while the democratic papers favor the Boers. The republican papers are simply following the dictates of Boss Hanna.

A barrel of nails costs as much as a barrel of flour. A few months ago a barrel of flour cost four times as much as a keg of nails.

Dreyfus is still in southern France, where his health shows continued improvement. His brother says: "He has lately had several distressing fits of blues, but he has now regained his health and all his faculties, and at the present moment he is absolutely happy with his wife and children."

Shrinkage of Grain and Boats. Oct. 19, 1898, the Iowa experiment station put 7,000 pounds of corn in a crib of about the usual size, or 13 1/2 feet long and 7 1/2 feet wide.

Potatoes For Cows. The editor of the Michigan Farmer comments on the theoretical value of carrots, sugar beets and ordinary beets as feed for stock.

The Junior Partner's Me Too. Our Washington correspondent comments as follows upon the hostile attitude of the administration toward the South African republics.

What do the Children Drink? Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee.

Quaker Mill Co. The ever increasing demand for QUAKER MILL FLOUR is sufficient evidence that it is the FAVORITE FLOUR of the household. Try it and you'll not deny it. A QUAKER ON EVERY SACK.

POISONS IN MURDER. THE USE OF THE SUBLTLE DRUGS SELDOM BROUGHT TO LIGHT. Strychnine and Arsenic Are Clumsy Agents of Death, as Their Traces Remain in the Victim Indefinitely.

Another Carload of ATLAS PORTLAND CEMENT. Also Louisville Cement kept on hand. Stucco and Cololite Plaster, Plaster Hair.

State Bank. CAPITAL - \$60,000. DIRECTORS: Wm. C. Cawley, H. F. Arnold, G. W. Turrell, R. W. Zittel, Edward P. Seeds, C. W. Kealey, Chas. J. Seeds, C. W. Kealey.

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COTSWOLDS. In all new designs, and Neckwear of every description. We Will Satisfy Any taste in our large selection.

Waste of Water. Occasionally the typical fat has a brilliant afterthought; sometimes it is not so luminous as he fancies.

WE ARE FORTUNATE in placing our last orders before the January rise and intend giving our customers the benefit. A Special Drive in Couches! We are selling LOTS of them. Why? AUSTIN D. BROWN

Winter Shoes At Cut Prices. We must clean out our winter shoes to make room for spring goods. Men's heavy sole shoes \$3.50 grade @ \$2.75. Women's lined shoes @ \$1.29, 1.39 ETC.

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