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HOME NEWS.

CATTLE ROUND-UP.

The South Side round-up will meet at Rangely on Friday, June 1st.

A. B. CRITCHLOW,

1026 Captain.

Attention, Citizens!

There will be a meeting of taxpayers and others citizens interested in the welfare of the county held at the court house on Thursday evening next (May 31st) at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of taking steps to send a delegation to the Western Slope congress, which meets at Glenwood on June 6th, 7th and 8th. The White River National park and other matters affecting our interests will be under discussion, and Rio Blanco county ought to be represented at the congress. By order of COMMITTEE.

Regular services at St. James church to-morrow morning and evening.

Dr. Bruner says the health of this region is distressingly good at the present time.

Baer Bros. drove in about four hundred head of fine young range cattle this week.

Pilgrims for Four-Mile wend their way through our crowded thoroughfares every day.

Lots of "Mexicanos" around these days. The shearing season brings them into this section.

A file of old soldiers will raise the stars and stripes on the Park flag pole on Decoration day—next Wednesday.

With base ball games, shooting matches and glove contests on the tapis Meeker is becoming quite a sporting center.

As will be seen elsewhere in this issue the Lily Park Stock-Growers' association is asking for bids to cut and stack a crop of hay.

The Craig Pantagraph speaks in flattering terms of the hospitable treatment accorded the Craig ball players while in Meeker lately.

Frank E. Sheridan "raised" one of the finest (if not THE finest) barns in the valley on his ranch the other day. Frank is always improving.

The cool nights are holding snow up in the high places, and as a consequence the river is receding. We are not likely to have a very high stage of water this spring.

"Now Snap, quit yer licking that; don't ye know it's poison. It'll kill ye!" And the colonel was up three nights in succession with Snap, but pulled him through.

And still they come! Cards were received here last evening announcing the approaching marriage of Reuben S. Ball and Nannie Owings. The event takes place at Power, S. C., Tuesday evening, May 29th, 1894. Who'll be the next?

The Methodists gave a delightful entertainment last evening and a snug sum was realized, which will be used in the crusade against the "flesh and the devil" now being carried on by that denomination in this God-fearing community.

Thomas Baker has been appointed local agent of the Colorado Humane society. The duties of the agent are to see that the laws against cruelty to animals are enforced, and a better selection than Mr. Baker could not have been made.

An interesting glove contest is being arranged between Tom Robinson of Craig, and Johnny Blair of White River, the same to come off at Meeker on July 5th. Ten ounce gloves will be used and a fine exhibition of scientific sparring is promised, as both men are said to be very clever with their "dukes." A liberal purse will be contended for.

William Pore of Pittsburg, Pa., who came in last week to settle up the A. C. Graff estate, honored THE HERALD with a call before leaving for the east. Mr. Pore has been in this part of the

west before and has a good opinion of the country. For years he was prominently connected with the iron and other business interests in the Smoky City, but is now retired on an ample fortune—enjoying the fruits of a well spent life. He is a gentleman of fine address and distinguished appearance; is thoroughly posted on the issues of the day and like all Pittsburgers believes in a liberal tariff.

The arrangements for the entertainment to be given by the Odd Fellows next Tuesday evening are progressing finely, and no pains are being spared to make it a befitting finale of the season's festivities. Aside from literary and musical productions of the highest order the Dramatic club will produce the laughable farce entitled "A Kiss in the Dark," and Professor J. D. Moog will discourse sweet strains from Strauss on his favorite instrument—the piano.

Agent Thompson of the Colorado Humane Society, returned to Meeker Wednesday after a trip to the western end of Routt county, where several cases of gross cruelty to animals have been reported of late. The guilty parties, however, got wind of Mr. Thompson's coming and skipped out, but he appointed an agent for the western end of Routt, and the State laws against cruelty to animals will be enforced in that section hereafter.

A meeting is called at THE HERALD office, at 2 p. m., on Monday, for the purpose of taking initial steps in the matter of properly observing the approaching Fourth. All those retaining a spark of patriotism within their bosom are respectfully invited to be in attendance. After the Fourth of July meeting a session of the gun club will be held. Members and those interested in field sports are urged to be on hand.

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith gave a very enjoyable young peoples' party on Wednesday evening, to which a goodly number of the larger pupils of the Meeker school were invited; also a few of the older folks. The party was given in honor of Miss Julia McDowell, who attended school here during the past year. Miss Julia departed for her home near the mouth of classic Wolf creek Thursday morning.

W. E. Simpson's stature may not go heavenward to a noticeable extent, but he has a long head on his shoulders just the same. Yesterday he traded off his topless barouche and fiery team of roams to Ike Baer for the Wagner property, corner Third and Market. As THE HERALD has repeatedly remarked investments in Meeker real estate are gilt-edge, and the returns will come in due time.

In another column will be found a call for a meeting of citizens for the purpose of taking action looking to the matter of sending a delegation to the Western Slope Congress. As the question of reducing the boundaries of the White River reserve is of vital interest to this county it is hoped that there will be a good turnout.

J. M. Cole visited the county seat Wednesday in quest of the water commissioner, whose presence is needed on Piceance. Irrigating fluid is very scarce in this creek, and quarrelling over priorities is the order of the day; hence a little adjudication is necessary.

Mrs. A. Eckel and Messrs. Frank Keel and H. A. Wildhack were the sponsors at the baptism of Otto Henry, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Metzger, at St. James church yesterday afternoon, Rev. Ostenson officiating.

Charley Walrad was in THE HERALD office long enough this morning to announce that he has the finest colt in the valley, the Hayes horse being its sire.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Baer and family arrived in Meeker Thursday evening and will reside here for the summer.

Mike Schneider came down from the North Fork this morning.

Bids

Will be received till June 5th, 1894, by John W. Lowell, superintendent, Lily, Colo., to put up this season's two cuttings of hay on the Lily Park ranch. We will furnish two teams with feed and harness for same, two hay wagons, two mowers, two horse rakes, six pitchforks. Contractor to keep all in repair. Stacking places are convenient. Hay must be put up in first-class order. The two cuttings should amount to about 1,000 tons, and bids should be made at so much per ton of 512 cubic feet, after 30 days' settling. jn2

Customer (to Mr. Isaacstein)—"The coat is about three sizes too big."

Mr. Isaacstein (impressively)—"Mine friend, dot coat make you so proud you will grow into it."—Harlem Life.

Monthly School Report.

Following is the report of the Meeker schools for the month ending May 15, 1894:

Number enrolled—
Advanced department..... 22
Primary department..... 35
Total..... 57
Average daily attendance—
Advanced department..... 21
Primary department..... 32
Total..... 53
Per cent. of attendance—
Advanced department..... 95.4
Primary department..... 91.4
Both departments..... 96.5
Pupils neither absent nor tardy during the month:

ADVANCED DEPARTMENT.
*Carrie Mootz, *Otto McDaniell, *George Howey, *Hattie Mootz, *Fred Nichols, *Elba Howey, *Fannie Wear, *Julia McDowell, *Kittie Hall, *Bertha Watts, *Charlie Strickie, *Florence Young.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.
*Elsie Wear, *Edith Jones, *Alonzo Woolley, *Ephraim Woolley, *Charlie Wilson, *Mary Wilson, *Frank Woolley, *Katie Jones, *Lizzie Williams, *Bowen Allsbrook, *Merida Kisinger, *Willie Welch, *Lillie Welch, *Walter Eckel, *Lulu Williams, *Mabel Welch, *Myrtle Williams.

*Pupils neither absent nor tardy since entrance. (In the advanced department Carrie Mootz and Otto McDaniell have been neither absent nor tardy since season began; Hattie Mootz was absent but two hours and Fannie Wear one day; George and Elba Howey have been present since entrance on November 8th.)
M. M. WILLIAMS, Principal.
A. E. HAZEN, Assistant.

For Sale,

At a bargain, two choice dairy cows.

W. E. SIMPSON.

Money to loan for short terms on approved security. Call on J. HAY & WALBRIDGE.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Arsenic, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., May 12, 1894.
NOTICE—Is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Glenwood Springs, Colorado, on June 25, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., viz:
Marion S. Hooper, of Buford, Colo., on his D. S. No. 183, Ute, for Lots 2 and 3 and the SW 1/4 Sec. 6, Tp. 2 S., R. 90 W., 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
David Steele, Fred Kracht, Hugh Jones, Charles Smith, George Chisler, George Weitz and W. A. Greenstreet, all of Buford, Colorado. G. D. THAYER, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Apr. 23, 1894.
NOTICE—Is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Rio Blanco county, Colo., at Meeker, Colo., on June 5, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., viz:
Hugh Jones, of Meeker, Colo., on his P. D. S. No. 196, Ute, for Lots 2 and 3 and the SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 15, Tp. 2 S., R. 90 W., 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
Charles Smith, Frederick Kracht, Henry C. Peterson and Edward Archer, all of Buford, Colorado. G. D. THAYER, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Apr. 23, 1894.
NOTICE—Is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Glenwood Springs, Colorado, on May 28, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., viz:
Geo. M. Scott, of Salt Lake City, Utah, transferee of Isaac A. Lewis, formerly of Lily, Colo., who made P. D. S. No. 271, C. C. S. for the W 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 Sec. 9, and SE 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 6 N., R. 98 W., 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
John W. Lowell, of Lily, Colo., W. E. Thompson and J. H. Templeton, both of Mayfield, Colo., and John W. Lowell, Jr., of Lily, Colo. G. D. THAYER, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., April 16, 1894.
NOTICE—Is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Glenwood Springs, Colorado, on May 28, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., viz:
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John W. Lowell, of Lily, Colo., W. E. Thompson and J. H. Templeton, both of Mayfield, Colo., and John W. Lowell, Jr., of Lily, Colo. G. D. THAYER, Register.

Saved Our Boy

A Clergyman's Statement

Constitutional Scrofula Entirely Cured.



"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
"Gentlemen:—Wishing to tell what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for us, I will say that 3 years ago we had a beautiful boy born to us. When about six months old he took a sore mouth. Everything that was known as usual remedies in such cases was used. I had two doctors but all to no benefit. At the age of 11 months he breathed his last. Thus we laid

Our Darling Child

in the grave. On Aug. 4, 1891, another boy was born unto us. At the age of two months he became afflicted with the same disease. I believed the boy's trouble was constitutional, and not common sore mouth. I procured a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and commenced to give it regularly to both mother and baby, and occasionally washed his mouth with a syrup of buck brush root. Improvement began at once. We have succeeded in eradicating the scrofulous blood from the system and to-day we are blessed with a nice, fat baby boy, eighteen months old. He is the very

Picture of Health,

all life and full of mischief—thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla. I am a minister in the Methodist Protestant church. I am here to back what I say and I am in no way interested in any profit in the matter, except it affords me much pleasure to recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all as

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

A safe, sure remedy. Even my wife, after taking Hood's became healthy and fleshy and has the bloom of girlhood again. We have used only three bottles, but I keep it in the house." REV. J. M. PATE, Brookline Station, Missouri.
N. B. Be sure to get Hood's and only Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure Constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

QUINTIN B. KELLY,

NOTARY PUBLIC,

MEEKER, - - - COLORADO.

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LAND OFFICE AT GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., April 28, 1894.
NOTICE—Is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the County Court of Rio Blanco county, at Meeker, Colo., on June 6, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., viz:
Frederick W. Kracht, of Buford, Colo., on his P. D. S. No. 186, Ute, for Lots 2 and 3 and the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 1, Tp. 2 S., R. 91 W., 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
Edwards E. Charles Smith, Albert Lakapam, Edwin Amick and Henry C. Peterson, all of Buford, Colo. G. D. THAYER, Register.

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Henry C. Peterson, of Buford, Colo., on his P. D. S. No. 187, Ute, for the W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 7, Tp. 1 S., R. 91 W., 5th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
Charles Smith, Hugh Jones, Marcus Coon and Wm. B. Carver, all of Buford, Colo. G. D. THAYER, Register.

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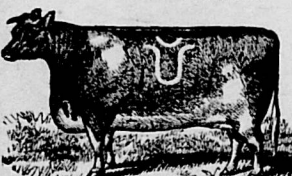
LAND OFFICE AT GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Apr. 27, 1894.
NOTICE—Is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Glenwood Springs, Colo., on June 11, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., viz:
Zeus B. Mandlin, of Axial, Colo., on his H. D. App. No. 210, for the N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 31 and E 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 30, Tp. 5 N., R. 91 W., 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
E. L. Holcom, James Toney, W. J. Chapman and Charles Morgan, all of Axial, Colo. G. D. THAYER, Register.

BRETHERTON.



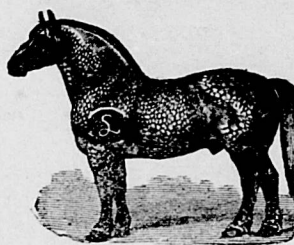
Above brand anywhere on left side, shoulder or hip. Ear marks, underbit and overslope on right ear. Also own the following brands: H-X and +/H. The 17 and other brands canceled. All kinds of ear marks are on the cattle, and some with no ear marks at all, having been neglected. All increase branded same as cut; ear marks, overslope and underbit on right ear. Range, White river and Thurman creek. Postoffice address, Meeker, Colo. jn20

THOMPSON, KEIN & SCHUTTE.



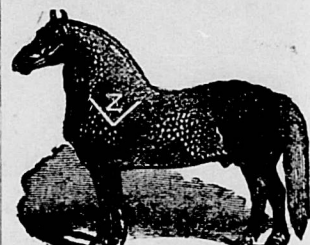
Above brand on left hip, side or shoulder. Also own Circle S brand on any part of animal. Horse brand Circle S on left shoulder. Range, Piceance creek, between White river, Parachute and Roan creeks. Postoffice address, Meeker.

CHARLES T. LIMBERG.



Above brand on left shoulder. Range, Piceance creek, between Grand and White rivers. P. O. address, Geo. Lechmere, Meeker, Colo.

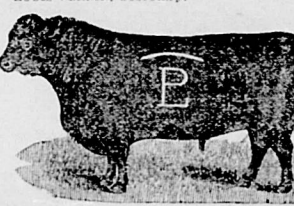
E. SCHUTTE



Above brand on left shoulder. Range, Piceance creek. J. W. Bainbrich, foreman. Post office address, Rifle, Colo.

ROSE A. HATHAWAY.

THE PLATEAU LIVE STOCK COMPANY, CHARLES T. LIMBERG, President, WILLIAM F. PATRICK, Vice President, LOUIS VERDIN, Secretary.



Above brand on left side. Ear marks, square crop off right and swallow fork in left ear. Horse brand, same as cut, on left shoulder. Also own the following brands:

W P 18 DE EW EZE EZE ZRO ZEZ ZUZ DIX EXA ZOZ XOZ NON S

Range, Piceance creek, between Grand and White Rivers. Postoffice address, Geo. Lechmere, Foreman, Meeker, Colo. Young stallions and thoroughbred Galloway bulls for sale.

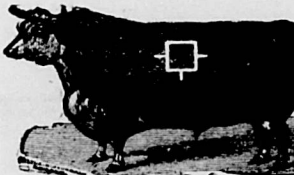
WHEELER & PFEIFFER.



Above brand on left side. Also own stock branded X K and 48. Horses branded 555 on left hip. Ear marks, right crop and left underbit. Range, north side of Bear river. Postoffice address, H. Pfeiffer, Routt, Routt county, Colorado.

REEF & NUCKOLLS.

G. H. NUCKOLLS, Foreman.



Range, Mamm, Divide and Garfield creeks, south side of Grand river. Garfield county, Colorado.

Postoffice address, Leadville, Colo., or Ferguson, Colo.

All cattle branded as above have square crop off right ear and double dewlap.

Also some cattle branded on right side, with underslope of right ear and double dewlap.

Also cattle branded 1 on left side.

All horses branded N on left or right thigh, or left shoulder.

Also breeders, and keep for sale Galloway and Polled-Angus bulls.

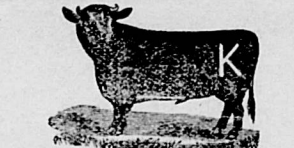
LILY PARK STOCK GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.



Above brand on any part of animal. Other brands 9 on left side and 11 on both hips of cattle.

Horse brand same as cut on left shoulder. Range, Bear and White rivers. Postoffice address, John W. Lowell, Superintendent, Maybell, Routt county, Colo.

CHARLES POPPER.



Cattle branded same as cut on both hips. Horses branded same as cut on left shoulder. Vent on left thigh. Range, Lower White river and Blue Mountain, Rio Himes county, Colo. Postoffice address, High Meeks, Foreman, Ashler, Utah.

SITTLINGTON & HALL.

JOHN R. SITTLINGTON, Manager.



Cattle branded as above on left hip. Also own cattle branded DH on left hip and POP on left side. All cattle dewlapped (cut up). Ear marks—crop and split left and two underbacks right. Horse brand, DH on left stifle. Range, Thurman creek and Government road. Postoffice address, Meeker, Colo.



Above brand on left hip and side. Ear marks, square cut in left ear. Horse brand same as cut, on left shoulder. Range, Thurman creek and Blue river. Postoffice address, C. E. McVey, Foreman, Meeker, Colo.

DUNCAN BLAIR.



Cattle branded as above on left shoulder, ribs or hip, or right thigh. Horse brand BB on left shoulder, also square and compass (as in cut) on left shoulder. Range, lower White and Yellow creeks. Postoffice address, White River, Colorado.

EZRA FLEMING.



Cattle branded as above on left side or hip. All my cattle are steers. One lot branded on left side and double dewlapped; and also one lot branded STV on left side in addition to Cross-L. Also own H/A and IO. Also

JC on left side. Horse brand, same as cut, on left hip. Range, Flag creek and Government road. Postoffice address, Meeker, Colo.

PRICE & BOWKLEY.



Cattle branded as above on left side. Ear marks, crop and split both ears. Additional brands: J on right and left side and — down hip; also OJD on right side; also ZZ—on left side. All increase branded same as cut. Horse brand, same as cut, on left hip, or on left shoulder. Range, Lower Bear river and vicinity of Juniper mountain. Postoffice address, C. J. Duffy, Axial, Routt county, Colo.

Also own steers branded

branded same as cut on right shoulder. Range, White river and Coyote Basin. Postoffice address, Meeker, Colorado.

DUFFY & MCKEOWN.



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