

## STOCK BRANDS.

MONTGOMERY LAND & CATTLE CO.

Cattle branded as per cut. Also own.

**and 67**

Horse brand same as cut. Range, Josephine basin and Government road.

P.O. Meeker, Colo. W.S. Montgomery, Mgr.

**L. B. WALBRIDGE.**

Cattle branded as on cut left side.

Range, Lime Kiln Hill and Miller Creek.

P.O. Meeker

**THE BARR BROS. LAND & CATTLE CO.**

Cattle branded on left side same as cut. Also own cattle branded.

**K-O POL**

Horse branded same as cut. Range Rio Blanco county. P.O. at Meeker, Colo.

**AMBROSE OLDLAND**

All increase branded on left side, same as cut. Ear mark, crop left, and split right ear. Also own and run following brands:

**B2QB7**

Postoffice address, Meeker, Colo.

**MRS. DAVID SMITH**

Cattle branded **E-E** on left side. Also own **E** brand.

Horses branded **P.O. Meeker** and **Range, Miller Creek** Colo.

**H. S. HARP**

Cattle and horses branded same as cut. Range, Ninemile hill and Coal Creek. Postoffice address, Meeker, Colorado.

**S. A. WRIGHT**

Cattle branded **A-A** on left side. Also own **A** brand.

Horses branded **P.O. Meeker** and **Range, Upper Flag Creek** Colo.

**H. W. WELLMAN**

Cattle branded same as on left or right side. Also own and

**V+T** **W+E** **T+E**

Range, Lost and Long Parks. P.O. Meeker, Colo.

**Notice of Dissolution**

We, the undersigned, Henry S. Bowers, president, and Chester E. Mann, secretary, of the L.O.T. Land and Livestock company, a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Colorado, do hereby give notice that at a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation, duly called for the purpose of considering the propriety of dissolving said corporation, and held at the Court House in the town of Meeker, State of Colorado, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1916, pursuant to notice given to the stockholders thereof in the manner provided by law for the calling of stockholders' meetings for the purpose of amending articles of incorporation, the stockholders, by a vote of more than two-thirds of the entire capital stock of said corporation, ordered said corporation to be dissolved.

We further certify that all debts owing by said corporation have been duly and fully paid.

In witness whereof, we have made and signed this notice of dissolution, and affixed hereto the seal of said corporation, this twentieth day of April, A. D. 1916.

HENRY S. BOWERS, President  
CHESTER E. MANN, Secretary.  
[SEAL]

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Coal Land-Coal Waived

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Glenwood Springs, Colo., May 20, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Eugene W. Boyles, of Axial, Colorado, who on August 17, 1914, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 05436, for Lots 2 and 3, Sec. 3, T. 2 N., R. 95 W., 6th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Preemption Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Henry J. Hay, U. S. Commissioner, at Meeker, Colorado, on the 24th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Frank E. Shaver, I. Kirk Miller, Fred King, and Madison Huston, all of Axial, Colorado.  
D. C. WEYAND, Register.  
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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Non-Coal Land

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Glenwood Springs, Colo., May 20, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Frances Walker of Meeker, Colorado, who, on November 3, 1915, made Preemption Declaratory Statement, Serial No. 05675, for Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, Sec. 2, T. 2 N., R. 95 W., 6th P. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Preemption Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Henry J. Hay, U. S. Commissioner, at Meeker, Colorado, on the 24th day of July, 1916.

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## SCIENCE—INVENTION.

### Cleaning Automobile Lamps.

Much of the efficiency of the electric or parabola lamp depends upon the cleanliness of the reflectors, says the Automobile Dealer and Repairer. As a rule, the reflectors are silver plated and highly polished. They require different treatment from the gas headlight, as the latter are of glass and are not as easily scratched. If the electric headlight becomes dirty do not wipe it, but employ a stream of cold water to displace the dust or dirt and permit the surface to dry by the air.

If the reflectors become dull after continued service they can be partially restored by using a soft chamol, with red rouge or crocus. This material should be used sparingly, and the chamol must be soft as well as free from wrinkles. Place a wad of cotton about the size of an egg within the chamol. This will afford a smooth surface for wiping.

When properly used crocus will not scratch the silver plate. Moistened the chamol with alcohol, then apply the crocus to the chamol. Press very lightly and wipe with a rotary motion.

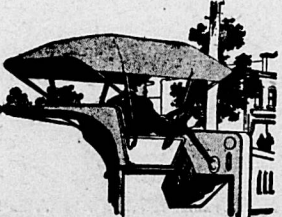
### Garage Ventilation.

As we understand it—and surely there is no possibility of too clear information upon the subject—there are two kinds of dangerous gases incident to running the automobile, carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide, says the Automobile Dealer and Repairer. Carbon dioxide is a nonpoisonous gas of life, and although not in the strict sense a poisonous gas, to remain in an atmosphere of it for any length of time would be likely to prove fatal. Thus it is that to stay in the vicinity of the exhaust even for a little while and where it cannot be dissipated quickly by the air, as it is a very heavy gas, causes headache or faintness. Carbon monoxide, it appears, is the product of incomplete combustion and is far more fatal in its effects.

The lesson is easy and simple. It is that an engine should not be run more than a few minutes in a closed garage.

### Top For Automobile Truck.

The style of automobile top illustrated is specially adapted for tank trucks where its rear projection causes no interference with the load, says Popular



PROJECTING PART OF TOP IS SAME FOR FRONT AND REAR.

Mechanics. It will be noticed that the top differs from the ordinary single seat top in that it projects to the rear as well as to the front, keeping the driver's back shaded without the use of a curtain, which hinders the view when glancing backward.

### Alaska's Mineral Output.

The Alaska mining industry as a whole was more prosperous in 1915 than in any previous year. This is indicated by the value of the total mineral output, which is estimated to have been \$32,000,000, compared with \$19,064,963 for 1914. The highest value for any previous year was in 1906, when Alaska produced \$23,378,428 worth of minerals, but this was at a time when the bonanza placers of Fairbanks and Nome were yielding their greatest returns, says a United States geological survey bulletin. The high value of the mineral output in 1915 was due in large measure to the extraordinary amount of copper that was mined. Preliminary estimates indicate this to be \$3,500,000 pounds, valued at \$14,400,000.

### Cheaper Trucks After the War.

As the great war has accelerated the demand for motortrucks in peaceful pursuits, so likewise it has hastened the growth of mechanical baulage and has enabled manufacturers to reduce prices as a consequence of tremendously increased production. True, a study of comparative prices of first quality motortrucks will not reveal any noteworthy reductions, but immediately the war stops, and even before, there must come a conspicuous reduction in present prices. Manufacturers will make the reduction both from necessity and from choice.—Engineering Magazine.

### Water Connections.

New water connections are rarely tight for any length of time when first fitted. Watch them for the first few hundred miles. This applies especially to a new car. If there is leakage tighten just sufficiently and only sufficiently to stop it. If you tighten excessively at first you simply mail the rubber and do not ultimately prevent leakage. Therefore tighten little by little as required.

### About Spark Plugs.

The commencement of ignition should be as near the center of the mass of vapor in the combustion chamber as possible. To secure this use as long spark plugs as possible without coming in contact with the top of the piston.—Automobile Dealer.

### Advantages of a Compass.

A small compass placed where it is easily accessible serves to keep one posted as to the direction traveled.

## PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

**Shut Your Mouth.**

Early in the forties of the last century the American traveler, Catlin, wrote a book entitled "Shut Your Mouth." He found reason to attribute the good health of the children among the Indians to the fact that their mothers taught them to breathe through the nose day and night. Recently an English expert declared in the London Lancet that it is chiefly those persons who breathe through the mouth who are liable to tubercular disease or influenza.

### BREAKING HIM IN.

It Is Just as Well They Were Honest With Each Other.

"We may as well be honest with each other."

The elderly gentleman laid his hand not unkindly upon the shoulder of the young college chap who, engaged to his daughter, had come a few days before to pay them a visit.

"Quite right, sir," said the boy. "What have I done?"

"The first day you were here, without my permission, you borrowed my favorite razor—a sacred possession which no alien hand should dare touch."

"True."

"The second day you invited a party of friends to the country club to dinner and signed my name to the bill."

"I had to, sir, as I wasn't a member."

"The third day you got into my locker at the golf club and used my clubs to play with."

"I had forgotten to bring my own."

"The fourth day you got out my motorcar and actually ran it fifty miles without saying a word to me. Now, young man, we may as well understand each other. Why did you do all these things?"

"You believe, sir, that we ought to be honest with each other?"

"Absolutely."

"The young man's face flushed with pride as he said:

"That, sir, is precisely the reason why I did these things. They are only the things which I would naturally do after I had married your daughter. I am simply doing them beforehand in order to get you used to the idea and to be honest."—Life.

### Romance and Reality.

Some girls at first look for a prince. But as the years get thinner Are apt to interest evince In a plumber or a tinner.

In youth the distant view they scan For gallant knights and pages. But later they look for a man Who merely gets fair wages.

—Kansas City Journal.

### Mixed.



Mother—Now, Willie, tell me what the word elocution means.

Willie—Elocution is the way people are put to death in some states!—Pittsburgh Press.

### Very Restful.

I wish I was a little rock  
A-settin' on a hill,  
A-doin' nothing all day long  
But just a-settin' still.  
I wouldn't eat, I wouldn't drink,  
I wouldn't even wash;  
I'd set and set a thousand years  
And rest myself, by gosh!

—Exchange.

### What to Say.

Reporter—What shall I say about old Mulligrubs, the millionaire, that you sent me to interview? He kicked me downstairs.

Editor—Oh, just say that he declined, with much emphasis, to express any opinion whatever at this crisis.—Philadelphia Record.

### The Literary Club.

The club discusses Browning. But finds him rather tame. So there is little frowning. When one brings up the name Of some chap in our city And mentions things he does And says it is a pity, And so on—buzz, buzz, buzz.

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Honors Even.

"You are the first man I ever permitted to kiss me."

"And you are the first girl I ever kissed. Will you marry me?"

"I wouldn't marry a liar."

"I would."—Stray Stories.

### Poor Chap.

Poor Binks! He has small luck, they say. His life is full of pain. He saved up for a rainy day, And then it didn't rain.

—Judge.

### Going Up.

Bill—They say he has taken up aviation.

Jill—I should rather say that aviation has taken him up.—Yonkers Statesman.

## YOUNG FOLKS' CORNER

### "The Diamond Ring."

The diamond ring game can be played by both boys and girls. The children sit in a ring or in a line with their hands placed together, palm to palm, and held straight, the fingers downmost between the knees. One of them is then chosen to represent a servant, who conceals a ring or some other small article as a substitute in her hands, which are pressed flat together like those of the rest, and goes round the circle or line placing her hands into the hand of every player, so that she is enabled to let the ring fall wherever she pleases without detection. After this she returns to the first child she touched and, with her hands behind her, exclaims:

My lady's lost her diamond ring;  
I pitch upon you to find it.

The child who is thus addressed must guess who has the ring, and the servant performs the same ceremony with each of the party. Those who guess right escape, but the rest must pay forfeit. Should one exclaim, "I have it!" she also forfeits, nor must the servant make known who has the ring until all have guessed. The forfeits are afterward cried as usual.

### Trees Keep Records.

In cutting up logs for experimental purposes at the Madison (Wis.) laboratory of the United States forest service it was noticed that in a number of them there were little diagonal streaks or wrinkles running across the grain and that all these appeared on the same side of the trees. It was well known that these wrinkles were produced by too great a strain on the fiber at some time, either from bending in a storm or from rough handling, but as all the logs in question came from Florida and the markings were all on the north side of the log it was assumed that they were caused by some severe storm from the south that had swept over that part of the country.

By making a careful count of the annual rings of wood and knowing when the trees were cut, it was decided that the storm recorded by the wrinkles must have occurred in the year 1898, and inquiries verified the fact that at that time a hurricane had swept over that region.—Scientific American.

### Ants at Work.

An American botanist in the far east reports that in Burma and its vicinity the natives set the ants to work. Sandalwood, as everybody knows, is worth its weight in silver, but it is only the hard heart of the wood that is fragrant and valuable. This precious portion is overlaid by a soft and worthless layer, which forms two-thirds of the trunk of the tree. When a tree is felled and cut into suitable lengths the loggers just let it lie. Then the ants, attracted by the sweetness of the wood, attack the chunks. Within a few weeks the little insects have finished their work, and the valuable heart of the wood is freed of its worthless sap covering and becomes a valuable article of commerce.—Boys' World.

### Senses of Animals.

The deer is one of the two animals that can smell farther than any others, the antelope being the other with this fine sense of smell, and the deer can also hear farther than any other animal, but the tiger has the most perfect eyes. So you want to keep out of sight of the tiger, but if you were an animal bent on harming the deer you want to keep in the direction from which the wind was not blowing, and moreover you would have to tread very stealthily. Now, do you know why the deer can run so fast? It is because other wild animals like the tiger are fond of deer, but this animal can smell and hear farther and run faster than the beasts of prey, so it is seldom caught.

### "Old Soldier."

The game of "old soldier" may be made very interesting. It is played as follows:

All the players except one stand in a line. The one who is the old soldier then totters up to the end player, saying:

"Here comes an old soldier from Botany Bay. Pray, what have you got to give him today?"

The player must then say what she will give him, but in doing so she must not use the word "yes," "no," "black," "white" or "scarlet." The old soldier's object is to try and coax one of these words out of her, and he may ask any question in order to do so. A mistake means a forfeit.

### The Salmon Fisheries.

In the state of Washington and British Columbia there are thousands of salmon canned every day in the big canneries on the Columbia river. These salmon are born in the northern streams that come down ice cold from Mount Tacoma, one of these branches of the Columbia river being called the Cowlitz. When the salmon is old enough the fish head upstream and then float down until they come to the salt water at the mouth of the Columbia. After a time they start back to deposit their eggs away up in the cool mountain waters, but on the way they are caught by the nets and then are prepared for the market.

### The Rag Man.

"Rags an' ole rubber, paper, rags! Ole brass, bottles, burp bags! Jest drive hollerin' down the street, Clean up yer cellars, garrits too. We pay cash money, tinware new!"

That's what I'll be, one of these days. Rag bag bottle man, bet it pays. Jest drive hollerin' down the street, "Rags an' ole rubber," like big Pete.

—Farm Journal.

## THE MEEKER HERALD

JAMES LYTTLE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

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ADVERTISING.  
Professional Cards, per Month ..... 1 50  
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Professional Cards, when paid in advance \$12.00 per year.

Local notices ten cents per line. Legal notices seven cents per line.

Address all communications to  
THE MEEKER HERALD,  
Meeker, Colorado.

SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 1916

### America's Wealth

The surplus reserve now held by the national banks of the country would be sufficient to give a further loan power of three billion to four billion six hundred million should the growth and development of American commerce, agriculture and industries call for so huge an enlargement of credit. The report of the comptroller of the currency shows that the financial prosperity and strength of the United States is greater now than ever before in its history and is rising rapidly to new levels. The increase in resources of the national banks within the past twelve months alone exceeds the entire resources of the Reichsbank of Germany, and the aggregate resources of American national banks, "exceed by three billion the aggregate resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the Reichsbank of Germany, the Bank of the Netherlands, the Swiss National Bank and the Bank of Japan."

Total reserve held by national banks March 1 were \$2,287,000,000. This is \$993,000,000 more than the law requires, and is more than \$100,000,000 in excess of the greatest surplus reserve ever held before.

This wealth is not owned by the banks of the country, but represents the savings of the people themselves.—Washington Post.

### Bowel Complaints in India

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.

### Do You Know That

Light promotes cleanliness?  
A clean mouth is essential to good health?  
Physical training in childhood is the foundation of adult health?  
The U. S. Public Health service issues publications on hygiene and sanitation for free distribution?  
Isolation is the most efficient means of controlling leprosy?  
Headache is nature's warning that the human machine is running badly?  
Bullets may kill thousands—flies tens of thousands?  
Obesity menaces longevity?

### For Sale: House and Lots.

A two-story, eight room, furnished house. Large barn. Two lots. Close in. For sale cheap.

Also a two room house and four fine lots. West end of town. Will sell at a bargain.

For information concerning these properties, call on or address  
L. N. BOKER, Meeker, Colo

### Forethought

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E. W. Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended trip we take it with us." Obtainable everywhere.

### \$250 Reward

Will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone killing or stealing horses or cattle belonging to members of the Piceance and Yellow Creek Stock Growers Association.

A reward of \$100 will also be paid for information that will lead to the conviction of anyone caught dogging stock belonging to members of said Association.

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Harry Colter, secretary,  
Meeker Colorado  
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