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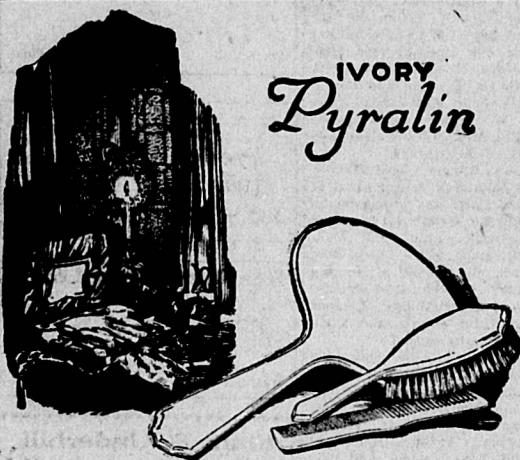
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Handkerchiefs

For Brother--Hats, Caps, Gloves, Sleepers, Bath Robes,
handkerchiefs

For Sister--Hats, Coats, Dresses, Gloves, Fans, Ribbons,
Jewelry, handkerchiefs, Gowns, Bath Robes

For Baby's XMas--Dainty silk bonnets, wee booties,
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Annual Dance will be Monday, Dec. 25
Good Eats COME Good Time
Christmas Night

THE MEEKER HERALD

JAMES LYTLE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1922

D W Black and family of Petrolite
were town visitors, Saturday.

Well as our Missouri friend said,
"it might have been worse."

Cheer up: The bad times have passed
and the good times are a-coming.

If you want substantial gifts and
ones that last, note the A J Stark ad
in another column.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Sykes return
ed to town forepart of the week after
a trip to Grand Junction.

The recent massacre of Christians
in Turkish lands calls for another lib-
eral contribution to the Near East Re-
lief fund.

L. A Cure is now running the flour
mill at Crawford, Colorado. The Cure
family are all well and like their new
location.

Mrs J N Neal has returned from
Denver. Mr Neal is recovering nicely
from his recent operation, and will be
home in a few days.

Mrs Arthur Fordham arrived in
Meeker last Sunday evening and she
and 'Art' are now living in Mrs Carr's
house. "Schiveree" parties take notice.

The weather was so springlike mid-
week that the robins put in an ap-
pearance. Here's hoping they have no
occasion to change their minds.

The business prophets are predict-
ing a prosperous year (1923) for Colo-
rado. We feel that they are on the
right track.

This cattle market business is a
great game—if you understand it.
One day the reports read 10 cents to
15 cents higher; next day it is 10 to 15
cents lower. Now you see it, and now
you don't.

Homer Goff is now in Denver, un-
der treatment for the trouble that has
bothered him for several years past.
Latest report shows that he is getting
along all right.

Sam Wenr was down in the Rangely
country this week and rounded up a
big bunch of sheep which was trying
to evade taxes. Sam got the money.
There are others he is after.

There is a big demand for Christ-
mas turkeys and some very fine ones
are going out from this county. The
raisers are getting 32 per pound for
them (dry picked with head and feet
on). If you could guard against coy-
otes there would be big money in tur-
keys in Rio Blanco County.

As Benny Potss would say, Denver
was afflicted with "bum" weather all
week. We sympathize with people like
our old friend Harry Miner who has
to live there all the time, and others
like Tom Kilduff who go there once in
a while to "blow in" their summer's
wages.

We note by a Grand Junction paper
that Dr H Masten Risley, optometrist,
who comes to Meeker at stated per-
iods, has been appointed as one of the
lecturers of the National association.
He has also been placed on the speak-
ers' list of the Eye sight Conservation
Council of America. These are marked
honors for a Colorado man.

Messrs Simonton and Dixon, of the
Carbon Black company, are due to ar-
rive in town Sunday. All Meeker and
Rio Blanco county people who are in-
terested in the Carbon Black company
will have a chance to meet these gen-
tlemen, Monday. They are very much
interested in this very promising en-
terprise.

George Warren of Rosedale, is home
again after an extended trip to outside
points. He went out with cattle and
fared pretty well. Stopped for a spell
in Denver; then visited relatives in
Eagle country; jogging down Colora-
do river, he visited Mr and Mrs
Genier at Silt, and had one grand
time. Mr Genier is a prince of an en-
tertainer.

Mrs Bailey and daughter, Miss Blan-
che, arrived home Monday from Boul-
der, where Miss Blanche was under
medical treatment for some time. It
will be remembered that Miss Blanche
had a nervous breakdown last winter,
which confined her to her home for
many months afterwards. Her recov-
ery was very slow, and it was to re-
medy the after effects that she has
been under expert treatment for past
few months. It will be welcome news
to her many friends here and else-
where that she returns home very
much improved.

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EVENLY MATCHED—A boy sat on
a rail fence inclosing a cornfield. A
city chap passing, said:

"Your corn looks kind of yellow,
Bub."

"Yep, that the kind we planted,"
said Bub.

"It doesn't look as if you would get
more than half a crop," observed the
city chap.

"Nope, we don't expect to. Landlord
gets the other half," retorted the
youngster.

The stranger hesitated a moment
and then ventured:

"You are not far from a fool, are
you, Bub?"

"Nope, not more'n ten feet," said
the boy and the city chap passed on.

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The ladies aid of the Methodist
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China and Notions at "The Meeker
Furniture Store" on Dec. 16th, 22nd,
and 23rd.

A large line of useful presents. 2:

Teachers' Examination

Office of the
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
MEEKER, COLO., Dec. 2, 1922
Notice is hereby given that the regular
teachers' examination for Rio Blanco county
will be held in the office of the County Super-
intendent of Schools, at the court house, in
Meeker, on Thursday and Friday, December
21 and 22, 1922.
The examination will begin at 9 o'clock a. m.
each day and continue till 4 p. m.
LILLIAN BAKER,
County Superintendent

NOTICE—All stockmen who have any
strays which they intend to take to
Stray Day, at Wyman's drift gate
Friday Dec. 15th, be sure to have the
stock all there on Thursday so as not
to cause any delay. 2t

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