

Corn Fed Meats

Have just contracted for a number of Corn Fed Steers and will furnish my customers with choicest of meat.

Fresh Fish and Poultry Every Day

THE CENTRAL MEAT MARKET
ALBERT LEE, Prop.
Market Phone Ford 159

The Trees are Leaving

But We are NOT.

FLUKE & RITCHIE

Wet or Dry

We Sell a Few

WATSON & KELLOGG

The Palace Livery

Having bought the Palace Livery Barn, it will be run in the usual manner, and I desire a portion of the public's patronage

O. E. WRIGHT

C. F. BURKE Duroc Jersey Hogs

There is always good money in thoroughbreds. The "Blue Ribbon Herd" contains some of the bluest blood and finest individuals in the West. I can furnish pigs sired by Burke's Colorado King, Baxters Buddy K IV, Kruger the Boer, Eclipse and others. Can furnish pairs unrelated. Prices according to quality, breeding and age.

Special Offer: Wishing to sell most of my common stock to care better for my pedigreed hogs, I will sell good common pigs for \$3.00 per head. I have some larger ones for \$4, and others weighing about 100 lbs for \$6. I have a number of common sows bred to registered males that I can sell at \$15 to \$18. They are bred to "Buddy" which I stand at \$25 service fee. This is a snap. Come and see.

They've Reached California

Tho' it took the fleet several months to reach California, those aboard appear to have enjoyed the long sail; but it isn't everybody that can spend so much time in traveling. You can reach the coast in less time and with less discomfort—none in fact—if you go via the SANTA FE.

Why not go there now? Low rate too. You can see the blue waters, visit the ships, and catch Jack at home.



\$50 There and Back
April 25 and 26
Limit sixty days
One-way via Portland for \$15 additional

W. Ken Robertson, Agt.
The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry.
Rocky Ford, Colorado,

THE ENTERPRISE, \$1.50 the Year
The Home Paper of the Valley.

CONTEST NOTICE.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
United States Land Office,
Pueblo, Colo., March 21, 1908

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Parker L. Lowe, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 1271, May 23, 1907, for NE 1/4, Section 26, Township 25 S., Range 55 W., by William M. Richards, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said claimant has wholly abandoned said land since date of entry, having wholly failed to settle upon, occupy, cultivate or improve the same to the present time; and that said alleged absence from said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, or, seaman or mariner, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged;

Now, therefore, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 28, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Pueblo, Colo.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 25, 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given due and proper publication.

Signed, S. A. ABBEY, Register.
45-45

Annual School Election.
Notice is hereby given that the regular annual election for School District No. 4, Otero County, Colorado, for the purpose of electing one school director, will be held on Monday, May 4th, 1908, at the Liberty School Building, in the town of Rocky Ford, from 1 to 5 o'clock P. M., and the regular annual election meeting will be held on the same day at 5 o'clock P. M., at which time any business relating to the district may be transacted.

Signed, RALPH P. COLLINS,
Dated at Rocky Ford, Colorado, April 9th, 1908.
45-45

Notice of Final Settlement
In the Matter of the Estate of Ida L. Hickox, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, that on Monday the 27th day of April, A. D. 1908, being one of the regular days of the March term of the County Court of Otero County, in the State of Colorado, J. W. HICKOX, Administrator of said estate will appear before the Judge of said Court, present my final settlement as such Administrator, pray the approval of the same, and will then apply to be discharged as such Administrator. At which time and place any person in interest may appear and present objections to the same if any there be.

Dated at Rocky Ford, Colorado, March 25th, 1908.
Administrator of the Estate of
Ida L. Hickox, deceased.
44-47

Notice of Application to Lease State Lands.
Office of
The State Board of Land Commissioners,
Denver, Colorado, March 21st, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that E. G. Houston, whose postoffice address is Sugar City, Colo., has made application No. 4786 to lease the following described Indemnity School Lands situate in Otero County, Colorado, to-wit: S 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 12, Township 21S., R. 56W.

No other application to lease the above described lands will be considered after April 28th, 1908. J. W. HICKOX, F. VIVIAN, Register State Board Land Commissioners.
44-47

Notice of Adjustment Day.
Estate of Adam C. Comer, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Adam C. Comer late of the County of Otero, in the State of Colorado, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of said Otero County, at the Court House in La Junta, in said County, on Monday, the 4th day of May, A. D. 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated at La Junta, Colorado, this 2nd day of April, 1908.
HANNAH E. COMER, Administratrix,
of the estate of Adam C. Comer, Deceased,
Minor & North, Attorneys.
44-47

Notice of Adjustment Day.
Estate of Edwin R. Cook, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Edwin R. Cook, late of the County of Otero, in the State of Colorado, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of said Otero County, at the Court House in La Junta, in said County, on Monday, the 4th day of May, A. D. 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated at La Junta, Colorado, this 19th day of April, A. D. 1908.
CHAS. E. COOK,
Administrator of the estate of
Edwin R. Cook, deceased,
Minor & North, Attorneys.
47-30

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
LAND OFFICE AT PUEBLO, COLO.,
March 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Asa T. Haines of Timpan, Colo., has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 19919 made March 27, 1906, for the Lot 3 S. E. 1/4, N. W. 1/4, S. 20, N. E. 1/4, S. 20, Township 25S., Range 57W., and that said proof will be made before the Clerk District Court, at La Junta, Colo., on May 5, 1908.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz: Mart Null, Harry Burdette, Samuel Stanton, of Timpan, Colo., and Eugene Haines, of Rocky Ford, Colo.

44-47p S. A. ABBEY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
LAND OFFICE AT PUEBLO, COLO.,
March 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Charles L. Johnson of Rocky Ford, Colo., has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 12282 made February 5, 1902, for the Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 21, and Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 22, Township 22 S., Range 57W., and that said proof will be made before the Clerk District Court, at La Junta, Colo., on May 5, 1908.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz: R. F. Powell and T. H. Wilson, of Manzanola, Colo., W. R. Cline and John O. Evans, of Rocky Ford, Colo.

44-47p S. A. ABBEY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
LAND OFFICE AT PUEBLO, COLO.,
March 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Sadie M. Shirk of Rocky Ford, Colo., has filed notice of her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 16361 made in October 22, 1906, for the S. 1/4, N. W. 1/4, S. 20, N. E. 1/4, Sec. 28, Township 25S., Range 57W., and that said proof will be made before the Clerk District Court, at La Junta, Colo., on May 6, 1908.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz: Daniel B. McIntosh, Ambrose Mellon, Frank R. Baxter and Archibald Palmer, all of Rocky Ford, Colo.

44-47p S. A. ABBEY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
LAND OFFICE AT PUEBLO, COLO.,
March 21, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Francis M. Baxter of Rocky Ford, Colo., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 11113 made March 6, 1907, for the S. 1/4, S. E. 1/4, Sec. 20, N. E. 1/4, Sec. 29, Township 25S., Range 57W., and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court, at La Junta, Colo., on May 13, 1908.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz: R. F. Shirk, Arentz Palmer, W. H. Mellon and Miss S. M. Shirk, all of Rocky Ford, Colo.

44-47p S. A. ABBEY, Register.

BASE BALL.

Another victory was recorded for the Rocky Ford high school team last Saturday afternoon, notwithstanding the fact that a green pitcher was in the box for the home boys, Coyle being incapacitated with a sprained wrist, "glass arm" or something of the kind.

The Pueblo Central high school team did not put up the kind of a game expected and consequently the locals had a walkaway, the score being 11 to 6 in favor of Rocky Ford.

Hendricks pitched a very good game and as usual Catcher Clore was "there with the goods." The attendance was 350.

The Rocky Ford boys left last night for Raton where they "play the game" this afternoon, and tomorrow they meet the Trinidad team in that town.

Because of the rain at noon on Sunday the attendance at the opening game of the Arkansas Valley league in this city was not nearly so large as it would otherwise have been, but it did not dampen the spirits of the "rooters," who were strictly in evidence and had a good run for the money they had placed on the home team.

It was supposed that the famous Pueblo "All Stars" would at least make it interesting for the locals, but they didn't give the home boys enough work to keep warm. The visitors were outclassed in every position and did not get a look at the home plate except when they came to bat and "fanned the air." The spectacular feature of the game was Deeweese's running catch in center field. Another interesting feature was the efficient work of Ed Smith, our 16-year-old umpire, who refused to be rattled by the quizzing of the "fans" and made his decisions as calmly as a veteran.

The score was
All Stars — 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Rocky Ford — 0 0 1 0 3 0 1 1 *—6

On Sunday next the Rocky Ford team goes up against their old pitcher "Silent" Rosson at Fowler, and the tale may be different. Following is the schedule of games for the next five weeks:

April 26, at Fowler
May 3, at La Junta
May 10, at home with La Junta
May 17, at home with Fowler
May 24, at home with Las Animas.

Notable Medical Discovery.
A notable medical discovery and one that appeals especially to many people in Rocky Ford is the combination of stomach remedies in the Mi-o-na treatment. This preparation has worked wonders in cases of indigestion or weak stomach.

It acts specifically upon the walls of the stomach and bowels, strengthening and stimulating them so that they readily take care of the food that is eaten without distress or suffering.

So positive are the good effects following the use of Mi-o-na that the remedy is sold by Avar & Braden under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it fails to cure. With an offer like this, none can afford to suffer with indigestion or stomach troubles.

A 50-cent box of Mi-o-na will do more good than half-a-dozen boxes of ordinary digestive tablets.

Dr. P. P. Keck, Veterinarian, Office at Grand Valley Livery Barn, phone Ford 10. 44tf

Choice Kentucky Blue Grass seed, genuine new crop from Bourbon county, Kentucky.
The Ebbert Seed Co.

The City Realty Co. for everything in the real estate line or loans. 37tf

It is a Fact.
As some people have raised the question as to whether Avar & Braden will refund the money if Hyomel does not do all that is claimed for it in curing catarrh, they want the Enterprise to state positively that this offer is a fact and is made in perfect good faith.

It is the best proof of Hyomel's curative powers in all catarrhal troubles. You do not risk a cent in testing its healing merits, for Avar & Braden take all the risk.

If you have catarrh, try this wonderful medicated air of Hyomel. It does not drug or disarrange the stomach, but is breathed through a neat pocket inhaler, part of every outfit, so that the medication reaches the most remote air cells, destroying all catarrhal germs and curing the disease. Under Avar & Braden's guarantee you can lose nothing by giving Hyomel a trial.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed bids will be received at the office of W. C. Steele until 5 p. m. Thursday, April 30th for the construction of the Rocky Ford Public Library Building according to the plans and specifications. Said plans and specifications can now be obtained by those wishing to bid from W. C. Steele, Secretary.

The Library Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. C. STEELE, Secy.

Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders of the Timpan Creek Reservoir, Ditch and Land Company.

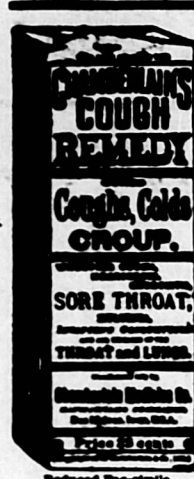
Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Timpan Creek Reservoir, Ditch and Land Company, will be held at the office of R. S. Beall, Secretary, in Rocky Ford, Colorado, on Saturday, May 9, 1908, at the hour of 3 p. m.

Said meeting is called for the purpose of approving or rejecting the proposed contract between Messrs. Allen, Matthews, Eglington & Laflerty and the Company, as the same was finally presented at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company called at Pueblo, Colorado, on April 6, 1908.

Also to authorize the issue of bonds of the Company in the sum of \$120,000 to meet the payments in said proposed contract, and to provide for the incidentals and engineering expenses; also to sign all necessary mortgages and other conveyances necessary to secure said bonds, and to transact any other business relative to the matters above set forth which may properly come before the meeting.

R. S. Beall, Secy.

When You Have a Bad Cold



You want a remedy that will not only give quick relief but effect a permanent cure.

You want a remedy that will relieve the lungs and keep expectoration easy.

You want a remedy that will counteract any tendency toward pneumonia.

You want a remedy that is pleasant and safe to take.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these requirements, and for the speedy and permanent cure of bad colds stands without a peer.

A Severe Cold Quickly Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I caught a very severe cold which lingered for weeks," says J. O. Gubart, of Sapp, Ontario. "My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and guaranteed it, so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have ever used."

It is Equally Valuable for Children
It Contains no Narcotic and is Safe and Sure
Ask your Druggist for it.

Swink Milling and Grain Co.

DEALERS IN
Alfalfa and Prairie Hay, Grain and Flour
CLAUDE E. SWINK, Mgr.
Phone West 42.

ROCKY FORD GROCERY CO.

Is Headquarters for all Goods in their line.
Agents for Chase & Sanborn's Teas and Coffees.

STATE BANK BLOCK. ROCKY FORD, COLO.

We Sell the Best Canon City COAL

Feed of all Kinds
GENERAL TEAM AND TRANSFER WORK

Artesian Water delivered to any part of the city. Give us a trial

BRYANT & JOHNSTON
102 S. Main Street Phone Blue 34

IDLE MONEY

soon gets musty. Put it in our bank and we will loan it at fair interest and give you the benefit. Make an initial deposit with us now and call it an

Easter Deposit.
There isn't any of the "cob-web" or "musty" methods that pertain to this bank. It's up-to-date and safe.

Farmers & Bank Merchants



Take Advantage

of the unfortunate experience of those foolish people who have hidden their savings about their homes only to have lost or stolen. A good bank is the best place for it and you will be surprised at the rapidity with which a systematic savings account will grow if given faithful attention.

Think It Over
We have plenty of money to loan and are ready to consider applications from good parties.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF ROCKY FORD