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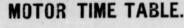
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The most important point for the prospective buyer or breeder in the se lection of ewes suitable for breeders is thoroughly to post himself on the type of the breed he expects to purchase, says J. C. Duncan in Wool Markets and Sheep. Have an understanding of the true type of the breed you are selecting and have some idea of what

you want to produce.

In the selection of breeding ewes from a strange took it has been my purpose always to try to get as much constitution as possible, provided they had the required amount of breed type. By that I mean the animal must be pleasing to the eye, and in the Shropshire we like a good, long, low down sheep, with short legs of flat bone and set as near the outside of the body as

In the ewe the neck must be of me-

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well extended to the front, with good wide crops, and shoulders squarely placed. With these points well developed you must get a strong constitu tion, the ribs must be well sprung, and the loin must be wide and thick, with the quarters full and round and as near down to the hock as possible We must also see that we have a good dense fieece of medium wool and free from all dark wool if possible. I might say that if you have a good, strong constitutioned ewe do not dis-

card her even if she lacks some of the minor points necessary in a show ani-mal, such as having a little dark wool on the legs or having a little dark wool around the eyes. Some of the most profitable animals I have ever raised for farmers' purposes have been those with some of the minor faults previously described. I claim that constitution is the foundation of all im-

Jim Dumps exulted, "We do not, On Summer days so close

and hot, Build up a fire and stew

A dish of ' Force,' a bowl

of cream, Is just the food to fit our

whim, And keeps us cool," laughed "Sunny Jim.

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not a blood heater.

provement. In breeding discard as soon as possible all animals lacking robust constitution, no matter how many other points they may have in their favor, as you will never succeed without a vigorous constitution.

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feeding districts of the Wolveren "This has been a remarkably profitable year for feeders, and every dian owning a farm is preparing to feed. Those who fed this season have not been put to the trouble of marketing, for buyers have fairly flooded the country making bids for stuff on the farms. The result is that most of the finished stock yet back has been contracted by speculators or killers. Owners have nearly all sheared their own stuff. They are getting 15 to 16 cents a pound for the wool, and the shearing process has made them good money. Those who market-ed earlier in the season with the wool on before their stock was fat, expecting a break in the market, are now full of regret. Such a profitable sea son is inspiring every one to feed, and an unprecedented demand for range stock this year is certain.-Live Stock

Feeding Prospects.

"Southern Michigan will want an

incredible number of range sheep and lambs this year." sald Wood Robinson,

who has just made a tour of the sheep

## World. A Big Wool Crop.

The entire wool crop of ten or twelve wool counties tributary to Trinidad, Colo., which produce about 4.650,000 pounds annually, has been bought up by eastern dealers and not a pound can be had. It is stated that the prices at which the clip was secured is some-what in excess of that which ruled last season. About 3,500,000 pounds of this will be scoured in Trinidad as against 2,000,000 pounds last year. The large scouring plant there is now being doubled in capacity.

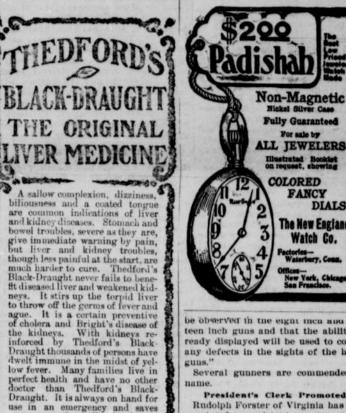
How to Care For Hard Wood Floors. Few housekeepers understand how to care for hard wood floors. Simple or elegant, there is but one mode of treatment. Never put a drop of oil of any kind upon them. If solled, rub them off thoroughly with a flannel cloth wet with turpentine. When dry, apply a preparation of wax. When this is finished and dry, polish them with a cloth or brush made for the purpose until clear and shining, as the quality of the floor will admit. This

carefully done will keep a wooden floor In perfect condition. How to Cure Distemper. Sirup of buckthorn will cure dogs of

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distemper if given in time. Three or four doses should be given daily, and about a teaspoonful at a time. The 5 cent package is enough for usual occasions. The family hottle, 60 cents, contains a supply for s year. All druggists sell them. the animal sleep near the fire and feed It on hot milk until its appetite comes back.

> How to Act In a Sick Room. Never whisper in an invalid's room To most people it is intensely irritat-If you want to say anything that ing. it is best not for the patient to hear. into mother room to say it. Don'



be observed in the eight men and th teen inch guns and that the ability already displayed will be used to correct any defects in the sights of the heavy guns.

Several gunners are commended by name.

President's Clerk Promoted. Rudolph Forster of Virginia has been appointed as assistant secretary to the president. He was educated in this city and is a graduate of the Columbian University law school. He entered the government service in 1894 and since 1900 has been executive clerk to the president.

use in an emergency and saves many expensive calls of a doctor.

Mullins, S. C., March 10, 1901. I have used Thedford's Black-Draught for three years and I have not had to go to a doctor since I have been taking it.

is the best medicine for me that n the market for liver and kidne

[Special Correspondence.]

in April and does not begin thawing until in May. The canyons and moun-

tains in the park are full of snow, and

the weather is frequently bitterly cold

in April. But the president doesn't

mind the cold. He wants to get two

weeks or more of genuine rest away

Rev A G LEWIS

Warren S. Young of Onio has been made executive clerk to the president. Mr. Young was appointed to a clerkship in the White House by President Garfield and has been on the executive force ever since.

## Another Gold Invitation.

WASHINGTON LETTER President Roosevelt has received an invitation engraved on a plate of solid gold to be the guest of the Union League club of San Francisco on the Just why the president selected Yellowstone park as the place in which to occasion of his visit to that city on his spend sixteen days in April is not fully western trip. The invitation was pre-sented by Colonel George H. Pippy, known unless it was that in that big government reservation he would unpresident of the Union League club oubtedly escape importunities and and was accepted by the president feel something like the individual once with expressions of cordial appreciaagain. That there will be little or no tion. He will be the guest of the club pleasure in the park thus early in the at a banquet to be held on the evening year is declared as certain. Ordinaof Thursday, May 14. rily the park is practically frozen up

New Department's Off The permanent quarters of the new department of labor and commerce, or, rather, the office to be occupied until a new building for the department is authorized, will be in the new Willard building on Fourteenth street between Pennsylvania avenue and F street.

