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SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE publishers, we are able to obtain a number of above books and propose to furnish a copy to each of our subscribers.

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LATEST TIME CARD. Two Through Trains Daily. 12:45pm 4:50pm Lv. Minneapolis Ar. 8:00am 1:00pm

STOCKRAISER! HEPPNER OREGON. Cattle branded and ear marked as shown above.

VALUABLE PRESENT.

A Year's Subscription to a Popular Agricultural Paper

GIVEN FREE TO OUR READERS. By a special arrangement with the publishers we are prepared to furnish FREE to each of our readers a year's subscription to the popular monthly agricultural journal, the AMERICAN FARMER.

This offer is made to any of our subscribers who will pay up all arrearages on subscription and one year in advance, and to any new subscribers who will pay one year in advance.

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Rocky Mountain News. THE DAILY-BY MAIL. Subscription price reduced as follows: One Year (by mail) \$6 00. Six Months \$3 00. Three Months \$1 50. One Month \$0 50.

THE NEWS, Denver, Colo. WE HAVE FOR SALE ALL KINDS OF UN DRESSED LUMBER, 16 miles of Heppner, at what is known as the SCOTT SAWMILL.

WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES. LATEST TIME CARD. Two Through Trains Daily.

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Beecham's Pills. Worry tells, sadly, on woman's health and beauty. Fortify the nerves and will help to banish many an anxiety.

Better Than Pills. Druggists in Liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into tea. The King of Liver Medicines.

San Francisco Southern Pacific Co. The Great Highway through California to all points East and South.

National Bank of Heppner. WM. PENLAND, ED. R. BISHOP, President, Cashier.

Free Medicine! A Golden Opportunity for Suffering Humanity. Physicians Give their Remedies to the People.

3000 PARCELS BY MAIL FREE. Send for your copy of this great puzzle.

WORLD'S FAIR DIRECTORY CO. No. 17 Franklin and Girard Aves. Philadelphia, Pa.

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PERSONAL PLEASANTIES.

YOUNG Mr. Wolcott, of Colorado, has earned the reputation of being the most expensive cater in congress.

MR. JAMES SMITH, who was crowned some years ago watermelon king of Boone county, Mo., has this year raised a pumpkin eight feet around the waist.

MRS. SAMUEL BENNETT, of Tanner, W. Va., has twenty-nine children. She is forty-six, Mr. Bennett fifty-three, and the twenty-nine young Bennetts are right next.

COND MEYER, Jr., the democratic candidate for secretary of state of New York, is thirty-nine years old and a millionaire. He is fond of jangling, fishing and outdoor recreation generally.

OF GENERAL INTEREST. The first American counterfeiter, so far as known, was one William Boal, of Vermont.

THE AZTECS filled quills with gold dust, sealed them and passed them from hand to hand as coin.

IN VINCLAND, N. J., there is an epidemic of the hiccoughs. One man was attacked by it and for three weeks his life was in danger.

SATIN is one of the favorite trimmings for very light colored and white-wool materials.

THE NEWEST importations of fancy galloon show some elaborate and very elegant designs.

A GREAT deal of Irish-point and various antique laces are worn with materials of all sorts.

THE FICHU cape with long ends falling over the front of the skirt is one of the features of autumn costumes.

VELVET ribbon as a trimming is coming into favor again, and dresses and wraps trimmed with velvet ribbon two inches wide are among the novelties.

LAST OF A FAMOUS FAMILY. Queen Wilhelmina Doomed by Consumption-A Republic Possible.

Little Wilhelmina, queen of the Netherlands, is believed to be doomed to die with consumption, and the men who rearrange the map of Europe are already said to be discussing the possibilities.

DR. W. L. JAMES, MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTION, 712 Market Street, San Francisco, Cal.

ARE YOU ANY GOOD AT PUZZLES? The genius who invented the "Fifteen" puzzle, "Figs in Clover," and many others, has invented a brand new one.

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G. A. R. NOTICE.

WE TAKE this opportunity of informing our subscribers that the new committee of pensions has been appointed.

WE WOULD advise, however, that U. S. soldiers, sailors and their heirs, take steps to make application at once.

IF THE U. S. soldiers, sailors, or their widows, children or parents desire information in regard to pension matters, they should write to the Press Claims Company, at Washington, D. C., and they will prepare and send the necessary application, if they find them entitled under the numerous laws enacted for their benefit.

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