

LOVES THE PRAIRIES.

Miss Anna Gray is Delighted With Her Western Canada Home.

Anna C. Gray is a young lady formerly of Michigan. She is now a resident of Western Canada, and the following, published in the Brown City (Mich.) Banner are extracts from a friendship letter written about March 15 to one of her lady friends in that vicinity.

In this letter is given some idea of the climate, social, educational and religious conditions of Alberta, the beautiful land of sunshine and happy homes. Over one hundred thousand Americans have made Western Canada their home within the past few years, and in this year upwards of 50,000 will take up homes there.

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HORTICULTURE



Pollination of the Marthas.

There has been a rather extensive planting of the Martha Crab throughout the northwest, and, since the trees have got into bearing age, an almost equally general complaint that while it blossoms freely it is a shy bearer.

In the same plot is a Martha set in 1892 that has borne a fair crop for four years; this tree has had for a pollenizer an old early Strawberry crab twenty feet east that bears every year; these Marthas always bear heaviest on the side next to other bearing trees.

If the Marthas can be made an annual good cropper, Mr. Lyman may have to look out for his laurels with his Prolific, and possibly the reputation of my favorite crab, Mr. Peffer's Gabb, may be enhanced.

Spraying and Dusting.

When the petals fall from the apple, the codling moth is on hand to lay her eggs; the calyx is then wide open, and the young caterpillars will seek the calyx for their first meal; later this calyx will close up tightly and if poison can be introduced before this closing it will be better retained.

Cows on Cement Floors.

From Farmers' Review: We have about 25 cows at the Ohio State University that recline more or less, six months in the year, on cement floors.

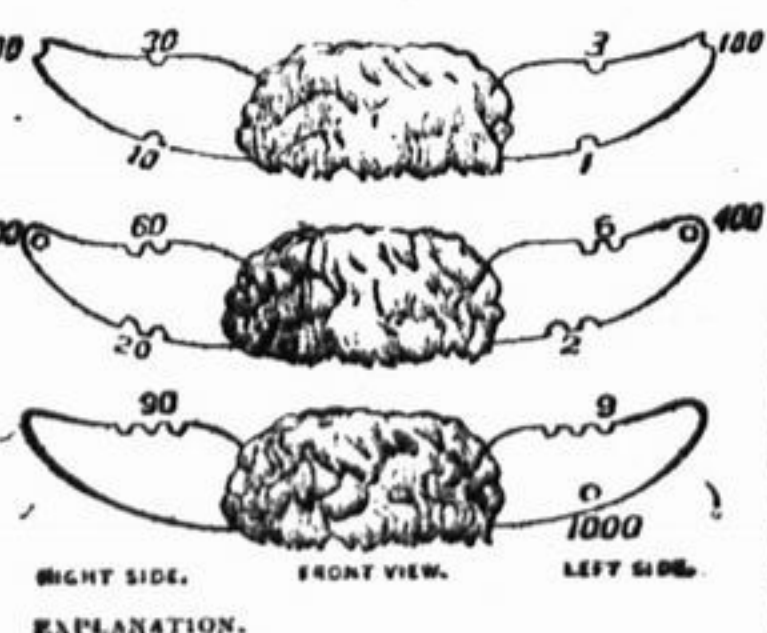
The man who carries his salary right home to his wife is generally a good citizen, but he seldom attracts attention with his fine clothes.

LIVE STOCK



Marking Polled Cattle.

Thomas McFarlane, secretary of the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' association, has the following to say regarding the marking of polled animals: Cattle uniform in color and without horns need permanent and ready means of identification.



rated upon certificates of registry and thus pass from owner to owner, as a constant means of identification. As in this system the marks, in case of error, cannot be rubbed out, care is required to secure accuracy.

The explanation is as follows: A notch in bottom of left ear equals 1; two notches equal 2. A notch in top of left ear equals 3; two notches, 6; three notches, 9. A notch in bottom of right ear equals 10; two notches equal 20.

Soft Corn Gives Good Results.

From The Farmers' Review: During the past year there has been much difference of opinion among stockmen concerning the feeding value of soft corn caused by the early September frost of 1902.

QUIPS OF RIVAL EDITORS.

Younger Journal Had Somewhat the Best of the Exchange.

It was Helme, wasn't it, who declared that the ass was chiefly created for the purpose of comparison. From Wales, then, comes the report that a new weekly paper has just made its appearance, and that among other advertisements was this one: "Bassinette for Sale. Apply this office."

For Sale—An ass, very strong and quiet. Apply at this office. It was now the younger journal's turn to reproduce, and it unkindly added, "Comment is needless."

A Tight Squeeze.

Brazils, Ark., May 11th.—To be snatched from the very brink of the grave is a somewhat thrilling experience and one which Mrs. M. O. Garrett of this place has just passed through.

Mrs. Garrett suffered with a Cerebro-Spinal affection, and had been treated by the best physicians, but without the slightest improvement.

She was so low that for the greater part of the time she was perfectly unconscious of what was going on about her, and her heart-broken husband and friends were hourly expecting her death.

In this extremity Mr. Garrett sent for a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. It was a last hope, but happily it did not fail.

"I am doing my own work now and feel as well as ever I did. Dodd's Kidney Pills certainly saved me from death."

The Time of Moses.

Moses lived exactly midway between the building of the pyramid, 5,000 B. C., and our own day.

When You Buy Starch buy Defiance and get the best, 10c for 10 cents. Once used, always used.

He who has no vision of eternity will never get true hold of time.—Carlyle.

Do not believe Peffer's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds. J. B. BOWEN, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 5, 1881.

Even a greedy man draws the line at taking both sides of an argument.

Mrs. Tupman, a prominent lady of Richmond, Va., a great sufferer with woman's troubles, tells how she was cured.

"For some years I suffered with backache, severe bearing-down pains, leucorrhoea, and falling of the womb. I tried many remedies, but nothing gave any positive relief."

"I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in June, 1901. When I had taken the first half bottle, I felt a vast improvement, and have now taken ten bottles with the result that I feel like a new woman."

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Endorses the Catarrhal Tonic Pe-ru-na—A Congressman's Letter.

Dr. J. F. Ensor, Postmaster of Columbia, S. C., State Superintendent and Physician in charge of State Insane Asylum at Columbia, S. C., writes:

"After using your Peru-na myself for a short period, and my family having used and are now using the same with good results, and upon the information of others who have been benefited by it as a cure for catarrh and an invigorating tonic, I can cheerfully recommend it to all persons requiring so effective a remedy."—Dr. J. F. Ensor.

Hon. C. W. Butts, ex-Member of Congress from North Dakota, in a letter from Washington, D. C., says:

"That Peru-na is not only a vigorous, as well as an effective tonic, but also a cure of catarrh is beyond controversy. It is already established by its use by the thousands who have been benefited by it. I cannot too highly express my appreciation of its excellence."—C. W. Butts.

Dr. R. Robbins, Muskogee, I., writes: "Peru-na is the best medicine I know of for coughs and to strengthen a weak stomach and to give appetite. Beside prescribing it for catarrh, I have ordered it for weak and debilitated people, and have not had a patient but said it helped him. It is an excellent medicine and its use in many cases, I have a large practice and have a chance to prescribe your Peru-na. I hope you may live long to do good to the sick and suffering."

Only the weak need a tonic. People are never weak except from some good cause. One of the obscure causes of weakness and the one oftenest overlooked is catarrh. Catarrh inflames the mucous membrane and causes the blood plasma to escape through the mucous membrane in the form of mucus. This discharge of mucus is the same as the loss of blood. It produces weakness.

Peru-na stops the catarrh and prevents the discharge of mucus. This is why Peru-na is called a tonic. Peru-na does not give strength by stimulating the nervous system a little.

It gives strength by preserving the mucous membranes against leakage. It gives strength by converting the blood fluids and preventing their draining away in mucous discharges.

Constant spitting, and blowing the nose will finally produce extreme weakness from the loss of mucus.

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