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entire live stock interests of the country would like to see this embargo removed...

Partisan politics has entered so deeply into the question...

The National Exchange took the ground that a conciliatory attitude...

Last year our imports from Germany alone amounted to over \$69,000,000...

But unless the interest is reduced the outlook is indeed dark...

W. H. Godall bought 1000 steers, 48 and up...

Dr. J. R. Taylor shipped last Saturday 1400 head of steers...

John Lee sold to J. P. Matthews 20 head of 2 and 3 year-old steers...

Rome Shield sold five head of 3 and 4-year-old steers...

Dr. John A. March sold 1500 head of cattle Monday...

Will Tabbot of Schleicher county owner of Sonora ranch...

Winfield Scott has paid out here in cash about \$220,000 since last October...

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Carbolic Soap Co., Manufacturers, New York City. WHOS. B. LEE, President and Manager.

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Subscribers, Attention! Look at the address label on the Journal sent to you. The small figures opposite your name show the expiration of the time paid for.

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The rate made by the railroads to San Antonio for the meeting of the Texas Live Stock association is very low—one fare for the round trip—and every body should take advantage of the opportunity to visit that city while the rates are down.

Nat Powell, the Golda cow dealer, has come to Missouri for young bulls.

The market for fed Texas has been off some for the week past, but it does not go lower there is still some money in sight for the feeders.

Mr. John Shand, manager "Leon ranch," Bexar county, Castleman, proprietors, was in the Journal office this week.

The Fort Worth Semi-Centennial has been inaugurated with a rush. The capital stock has been fixed at \$500,000, and the year 1896 will witness an exposition fittingly commemorative of the event which it is destined to celebrate.

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The Nicaragua canal bill, the most important commercial measure of the past half century, has passed the senate of the United States. It carries with it the issuance of seventy millions dollars of bonds, and the United States stands sponsor for the execution of the work.

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Mr. Witherspoon, of Withers, South Texas, is here after a winter, a thousand head of steers, and says they are well.

The city of San Antonio has prepared for the reception of an immense number of visitors on this occasion, and will look after the pleasure and comfort of all who attend, whether stockmen or otherwise.

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NEWS AND NOTES.

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1800 extra good two-year-old steers, will be delivered at Amarillo, Tex., at \$14.50, one not later than June 1st. Price, \$14.50.

800 three's, Tom Green county, delivered at ranch, \$16.00. 2100 head of stock cattle north of Texas and Pacific road, embracing 200 yearling steers; 160 two's; 150 three's; 75 grown bulls, and balance are about one-half cows and one-half one and two year old heifers. Price \$10.00.

150 steers, four's to seven's, \$20.00; 125 two's, \$9.25; 40 three's, \$14.00. All must be sold together. Live Oak county cattle.

500 two's and three's (about one-half each) delivered at ranch near Abilene. Price \$14.00. Delivered in May. 240 extra good cows and 65 yearlings, in pasture twenty-five miles north of Colorado, \$11.50. May delivery.

260 one's and two's, 600 with calves in the spring, and about 300 steers—three's and up; delivered at San Angelo, February 6th. Cows, \$11.50. Steers, \$10.00; others, \$17.00.

BUYERS FOR CATTLE. We have a party who wants 500 good feeders for immediate delivery; another who wants three or four car loads of grown bulls, four's and up, and 200 three year old steers. A party who wants 1200 steer yearlings, delivered at Quanah, about May 1.

Stomach are requested to write us that we may mail them regularly our printed lists of stock for sale, and lists of stock wanted for buyers who are engaged us to secure the stock for them.

When in Fort Worth call and see us, whether you have any business with us or not. We want to get acquainted with you. Office next door to Hotel Fort Worth office and lobby. WINTERS, DAVIS & CO., Fort Worth, Texas.

SPECIAL NOTICE. To the People of Tarrant and Adjoining Counties. For thirteen long years I have been selling groceries in Fort Worth, and in all that time if I ever made any man a misrepresentation or failed to accord him proper treatment, I would like to hear from him.

During the time scores of houses have sprung up around me, that have adopted methods that I could not adopt, and have promised things that could not be carried out without stealing from somebody. Today all that is left of them is a few battered signs on the old board fences.

You can draw your own conclusions. What I want specially to say now is, that I have moved to the corner of Jennings avenue and Thirteenth street, diagonally across from the new Avenue Plaza, where I bought out the Avenue Grocer Co., one of the best concerns in the city, consolidated my old business with it, and in my new quarters, which are 75x100 feet, am better prepared to serve you than I have ever been, which means a great deal.

My rear door is connected with the new Avenue Wagon Yard, which is the best thing of the kind in the state. I can handle your eggs, poultry and butter, and at the same time be maintained a market for grain, country produce, and all kinds of fat butcher stock, thus affording you a general market for all you have to sell.

Taking time as a true test of merit, I feel that I can conscientiously solicit your continued patronage, not only on the ground of old friendship, but upon the further ground that it will be directly to your interests.

Come and see me. WM. BARR, Manager of Avenue Grocer Co.

CATTLE FOR SALE. We have at all times a large list of all kinds and classes of cattle for sale, and can, as a rule, on short notice, furnish you with just what you want, thus saving them the time, trouble and expense of hunting it up.

We now have on our books and represent over one hundred Texas cattle-men who want to sell.

We have several thousand Central and Eastern Texas cows that we are ready to sell in lots of from five hundred to twenty-five hundred head, at prices ranging from \$7 to \$8 per head.

We also have several thousand 2-year-old steers located in Central, Eastern and Southern Texas, ranging in price from \$9.50 to \$12 per head.

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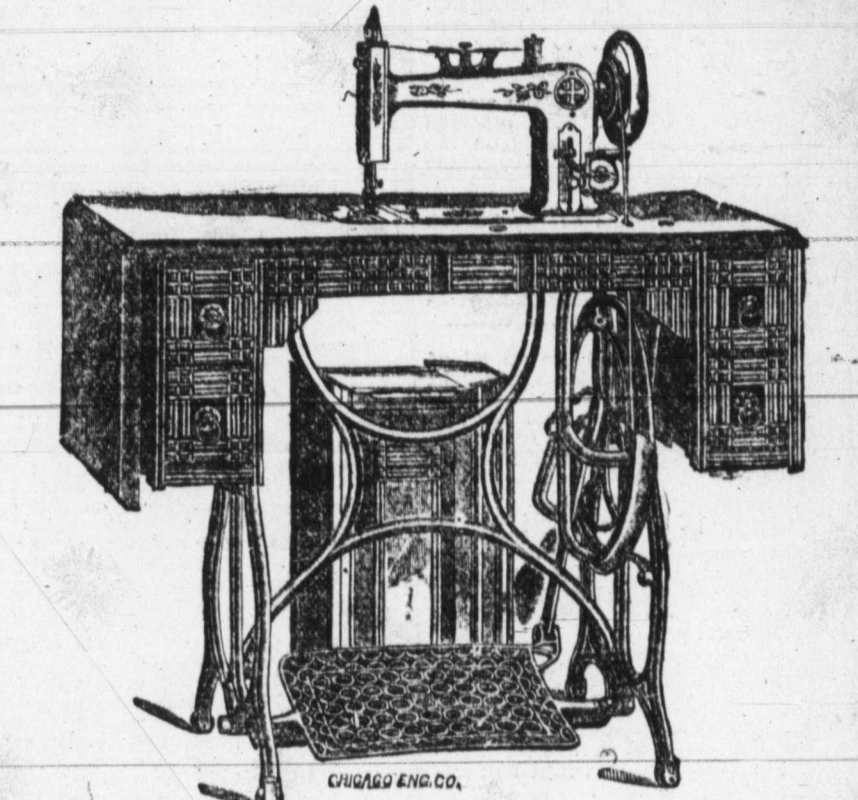
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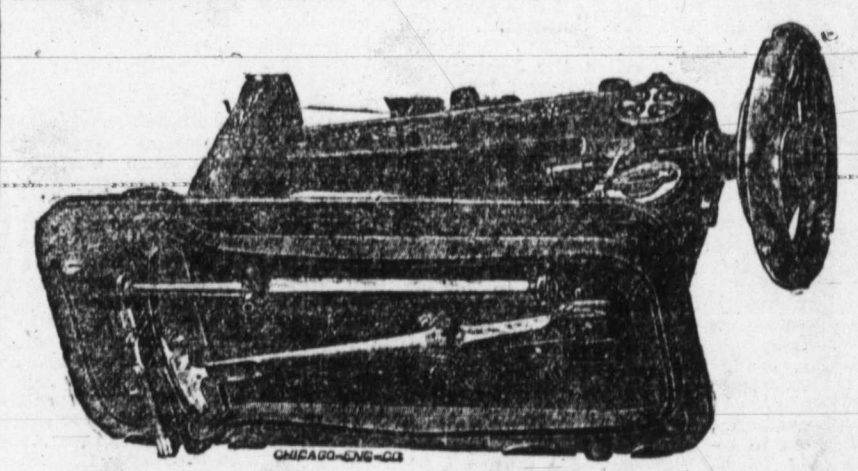
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As for which we are laboring or political questions, should ever be introduced to be discussed in any of the institutions by persons who were then elected as officers for the next year. T. Billups was elected as a member composed of George W. H. Williamson and J. E. as selected and empowered all the duties of an agent.

STING EXPERIMENTS.

Id your inquiry of the 11th now waiting for an opportunity. I must say that we have been through experiments to find the cause of the death of the "beef" and we have found that the practical feeders claim poison conditions are never met when hulls are used.

Mr. I believe that there are some feeders who are not so particular in their selection of feed as they should be. These are the active poisoners who are doing the most harm. We have now been feeding in large quantities in concentrated solution to try if possible to find the principles. It has this far been in the charge of Dr. Francis, who is better equipped to carry out a successful conclusion one else in the South.

It is not the only, nor is it the best, reason for educating ourselves in the kind of fortitude which a steady taking of the alternatives before us in hours of suspense would help us to attain.

Suspense, even if it ends as we desire it to end, is not the less profitable, if we have used it to look impending calamity steadily in the face and to prepare ourselves, so far as preparation is possible, for meeting the darker alternative in a resolutely submissive spirit.

It is well to have looked trouble in the face, even if we have not to endure it, and give us the courage with which we wait, and a new depth to the thankfulness with which we accept the reprieve.

To shrink from suspense and another one's attention in little practical arrangements for cheating the moment of its true intensity of feeling is not only cowardly but shortsighted, for there is no harm which undermines more completely the true sources of strength and insight than the habit of turning away from the danger before us and burying our heads in the sand to avoid seeing it looming in the distance.

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W. P. JONES. In all probability your calves have the black leg. I would recommend you if at all possible to have them examined by some competent veterinarian. There are certain pastures upon which the disease regularly appears, in the summer and fall of the year. As to any peculiarity of soil nothing is definitely known. Some authors seem inclined to regard moist, undrained and swampy pastures as favorable to the disease which is produced by a bacillus or germ. All remedies have so far proven to be availing. A preventive course of treatment is what veterinarians nowadays aim at in these parasitic diseases. The French veterinarians through the assistance of the government of that country have devised a method of inoculation which is said to produce immunity from subsequent attacks, but in this country our state government has not as yet taken sufficient cognizance of what vital importance it is to look after the disease of the domesticated animal and provide means to stop and check the spreading of contagious diseases.

Veterinary Editor Journal—Will you please tell me through the Texas Stock and Farm Journal how to treat a horse for what is known as "lambers." The roof of my horse's mouth protrudes below the teeth and it is with some difficulty that they bite corn from the cob, and they also seem bothered in trying to eat anything else. I have tried cutting the protruding lambers, but wish a more humane way of treating if there is any. What you would also please tell me what to do for a horse bothered with worms. How best to get rid of them. By answering the above you will greatly oblige.

P. Q. DUNLAP. Lambers is a form of indigestion brought about in most cases by over feeding. Cutting, burning and all such

MARKETS.

FORT WORTH MARKET.

The cold weather, which came shortly after the last issue of the Journal, and held on with grim tenacity throughout the week, prevented the receipt of any great amount of stock on this market.

It is about as well for the sellers that they did not come, as the market has ruled low and lower, and at the close of this report there was no indication of better prices.

Chicago Livestock. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 30.—The cattle market was dull and very weak, in spite of small supplies.

New Orleans Futures. New Orleans, La., Jan. 30.—Cotton—Futures quiet and steady; sales 40,300; January, 5.20 1/2; February, 5.19 1/2; March, 5.20 1/2; April, 5.19 1/2; May, 5.20 1/2; June, 5.20 1/2; July, 5.20 1/2; August, 5.20 1/2; September, 5.20 1/2; October, 5.20 1/2.

Galveston Cotton. Galveston, Tex., Jan. 30.—Cotton—Steady; middling, 5 1/8; sales, 1599 bales; receipts, 8197; exports, 11,677; stock, 189,569.

St. Louis Cotton. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—Cotton—Middling, 5 1/8; sales, 100 bales; receipts, 2,400; exports, 2,500; stock, 68,400 bales.

Kansas City Livestock. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 5900; shipments, 1500. Market steady for cash and lower for Texas.

New Orleans Letter. New Orleans, Jan. 28, 1885. The market closed about bare of fat hives, good fat cows and heifers, with quotations steady and demand good.

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Chicago Letter. Chicago, Jan. 28. The cattle market was badly paralyzed last week. Receipts were remarkably light, but for some reason there was a demand for meat.

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SOUTHERN TEXAS

(Edited by R. R. Claridge, manager of the Texas Stock and Farm Journal office, opposite the Hotel, San Antonio.)

Allen McCoy is home from a Montana, says steel cattle are scarce in that country; that he has been mostly marketed meat centers, and the three feeders.

Maj. Keeran of the Victoria was in the Journal office this week, leaving out what was by Bennett & West and O'Brien are few in his section.

Lon Allen thinks that a Be Poland China cross makes a ranch hog. That is the sort he Felix Shaw, "Dimit" county, the cross.

Nat Powell, the Golda county dealer, has gone to Missouri to get young bulls.

Mr. John Shand, manager of "Leon ranch," near Comstock, Castleman, proprietors, was in Journal office this week. The gotten out a very handsome calf, which is the largest he has bred Polled-Angus cattle in the if not in the South.

Texas is long on land and live stock just now, and some people to come in and buy some land, which is very cheap, but land is so cheap, too, it would that, considering our fine climate, low taxes, investors ought to documents to put money in land. As the railroads are more than ever to help, wouldn't it good time for Texas land owners to make an organized effort to outside capital in Texas lands land buyers did us a great good a few years ago, and we them now more than we did. I debt and low values for our make the struggle a hard one. we do get them deadened this way we's not jump the price, but as fast as we did heretofore.

Texas is rapidly becoming a as well as a breeding state.

Maj. McMurtry of the Wichita county, is down for a couple thousand feeding steers.

Mr. Witherspoon of With Bros., South Plains, is here after winter, a thousand head of steers, and says they will.

A syndicate has proposed to deep water at Arkansas Pass on tion that a land bonus of \$600 raised. Latest reports are to fact that about half that sum has subscribed in two counties. We produce of the great lower Mississippi valley comes down through to market, who can estimate her loss?

Al McFadden says if he be good enough, some dandy boy may be raised from tolerably Mexican cow.

A. J. Walton, Jr., is preparing to break a 20-acre feed farm throughout the year he will have nothing but heads on the ranch.

There is now a considerable in Mexican cattle in the local recently J. H. Campbell & Co., 35 Bellvue, Tex., a lot of Mexican cattle at \$10 per head, 35 head to another party at head. The cattle were in good tion, and there will be a number other shipments here for sale.

Mr. Editor: The above, from today's Fort Worth Gazette, seems to bear out a statement of in the last Texas "Farm and What is the matter? One of misjudgment, evidently.—Reader, Texas.

Nothing the matter, and not nearly any discrepancy. Several 400, several heads were taken the line into Mexico, from Texas Arizona for grazing purposes, and caught there by the \$20 duty le the McKinley law. Under the duty of \$2 per head those cattle turning, and these are the which there is "considerable in the local markets." They a Mexican cattle, as the prices shows; but American cattle fine bars partly down, and coming Mexican cattle are not only few inferior grade, but below that average Texas range stock, marketable beefs in Sonora, hua, Nuevo Rio Grande, and Tam would not stand the Chicago with "canning stuff" for a week writer founds this opinion upon or these personal observation.—F.

Seems to be a case where the party of the first part and the of the second part are partly right, partly wrong. Cattle have been from Mexico to this soil that we finally taken to Mexico from the season as the big soon as the cattle crossed over to the Tex that never before set their li a foreign shore. However, I inclined to agree with Fern and that there are not likely to be Mexican cattle to come over ve to affect adversely the American ket. As to the effect in situ cattle growing on the other side that is another question. Th it very much over there, but it getting very cheap over here.

Note cattle ad. of B. F. Da in this issue. He is reliable a posted.

We were told that a repeal Sherman silver law would cause turn of prosperity; then, when that the passage of a tariff reform would do it; an when that help matters, or rather, when things worse, we are told that reform is the one, particularly quired to make everything right they would only let the country awfully, it might get right again.

I used to think that a headed, head-to-head jack-rabbit was the biggest fool in the entire economy, but I have changed my A cuckoo congressman can gi round the corner the start an him hands down for that nature phoolism. John has knows to go through a crack in the H is big enough, but some of congressional tariff-reformers do not seem to be able to of the woods through an ope the timber.

It looks bad to see a rancher to town, alone and spend money to give the family, or at least th wife, a day or two in the city, the ladies derive pleasure from

FEEDING VS. BREEDING.

A great many farmers seem to be unable to keep these two great dairy principles apart and adjust their minds so as to measure each for just what it is worth. One man will say, everything is in feeding; another, everything is in breeding. The old law in logic, "never compare things that differ," comes in here.

Breeding cannot take the place of feeding nor can feeding take the place of breeding. A wagon is composed of wood and iron. The man who is judging of a wagon and looks only to the wood will get fooled. So also if he looks only to the iron. In caring for it he may oil the iron gears and paint the wooden parts. It won't do to reverse the practice.

Now a dairy cow is made up of breed and feed. We cannot measure what we shall do in one by the other. We breed to produce a certain type of a cow, with certain inherent dairy characteristics in her. Then we feed her according to those dairy characteristics to support the action of a specific dairy function that we have bred to produce. We must keep these two principles always separate in our judgment and practice.

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The true point in making the dairy return the most profit is to make the best quality of product at the lowest cost of production. Quality is always necessary to the securing of the best prices, but the cost of production is most important as regards profit. It is easily possible to make a quality of product that will sell for the highest price, but in doing this may make the cost of production so high as to leave little or no margin for profit.

It is of no advantage to reduce the cost of production if the expense of quality, but every advantage must be taken to lessen the cost but maintain the quality. Here is the point to study and plan out and all then, that's taken of the cost is that much added to the profits.

A speaker at a dairy meeting said that one reason why he believed the men folks on the farm should do the milking and take care of the milk was that they would soon supply the demand for milk and cream. He was wrong. The men folks on the farm should do the milking and take care of the milk was that they would soon supply the demand for milk and cream. He was wrong. The men folks on the farm should do the milking and take care of the milk was that they would soon supply the demand for milk and cream. He was wrong.

ONIONS AND IRISH POTATOES.

Two crops that should be made more prominent, now that cotton is under the ban, are onions and Irish potatoes. It is easily possible to make 500 bushels an acre of these crops. Of course it takes rich land and good cultivation to do this, but it pays to do a thing the right way. Old land, sandy loam, is the best. No danger of getting it too rich. Manure should be well mixed with the soil.

The main onion crop ought to be raised from the seed. A few sets for extra early will do, but set out much for extensive use. Besides, as large ones can be grown from the seed they will keep longer and have better flavor and are not so fiery. The writer has found it a good plan to ridge the land in two-foot rows, about six inches apart, and good cultivation to do this, but it pays to do a thing the right way.

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The Spanish and Italian varieties do best in the soil here. The Queen is a pretty fair onion, quick in growth. But for the main late crop, the Giant Red Rocca is one of the best. The growth is rapid, and it matures as possible by constant cultivation, and gathered as soon as the tops fall.

Irish potatoes are one of the easiest crops grown. Given rich ground, good seed and good cultivation, the yield will be about all one would have the cheek to ask. Let the land be high, well drained and mellow. Some ashes scattered freely is a great help, especially to the health of the potato. About the middle of February lay off wide ridges up with turning plow. Lay off deep. Plant every eighteen inches, one piece cut with two or three eyes. Ridge up with turning plow. If the ground turns cloudy, run brush between ridges. Rest till potatoes are well sprouted, then drag off ridges if freezing weather is in.

Plant in growth by thorough and constant cultivation. Plant all the spring crop as early as possible. Second spring plantings for later crops are not good. Early maturity is what is wanted, so that the potatoes can be dug before the hot June suns. Don't wait till the vines die, but dig as soon as the skin sticks fast. The hot sun has more to do with the rotting of the spring crop than all other causes combined. Dig, and at once put in a cool place, out of the sun. The Triumph is possibly the best to plant. The leading idea for the spring crop is to hasten maturity.—Farm Life.

SUCCESS WITH POULTRY.

The first thing is to start with some pure breed, or two different breeds. A person must like poultry; in fact, a person must like farming, or better, merchant, to be successful, and put his whole mind to whatever business he undertakes. If a person has a choice flock of poultry, takes proper care of them, same as you would a fine horse or cow, what grand returns one would get from a flock, writes Edwin Wing in the Massachusetts Ploughman.

Where farmers make one great mistake is by having a mixed lot of common fowls. It's a fact that there are more flocks of pure poultry in the cities and in the towns than in the country.

Farmers, why not have poultry that will bring in eggs, and plenty of them, as well as to have a mixed-up lot that never pays? What a farmer wants is one kind for layers, such as Leghorns, or Minorcas, or Blue Andalusians. And then one variety another for sitters and good mothers, such as the Black Langshans, Plymouth Rocks, or Waandots. The Black Langshans make the best of mothers and good winter layers.

Next, one wants a good, warm poultry house, with one or two windows in the sunshine. I saw a poultry house a few days ago on a farm, and many farmers had none any better. The wind could blow through; part of the roof was off; the rain could pour through, and I said: "Well, you will have to have a new poultry house soon."

Such poultry houses are good to give chickens the roup and no eggs in the winter time. Now, as to eggs. When they are high you must feed something besides corn. How can chickens, when the ground is covered with snow, get lime for the shell? Through winter and the late fall months feed bone meal mixed in half bran, half corn meal; pour this hot water; feed once every two or three days. Give them meat, and have a supply of cabbage in your cellar or buried; chop up fine and feed every day; nothing is any better. Wheat for a change is better than corn, and if you cannot get bone meal, feed oyster shells. The best way to get bone meal is for several farmers to club together and buy a bone mill and grind your own meal. You can obtain plenty of bones at the butcher shops.

Give your poultry milk for drink, if you have it; and every week or two in cold weather boil two or three red peppers and mix in their drink. This will keep the roup off, make more eggs, and keep your flock healthy. Or buy ground red or cayenne pepper; put in the drink about a tablespoonful for seventy-five hens.

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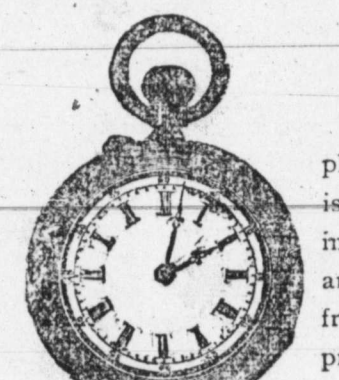
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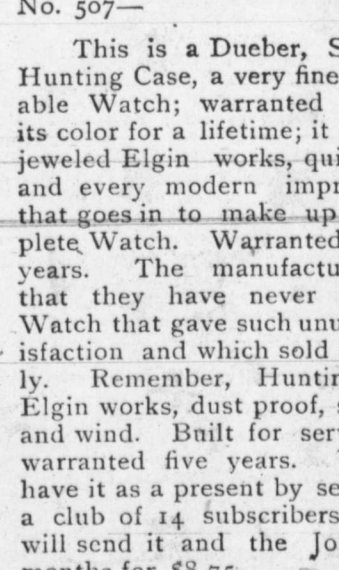
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