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Remember, Cash is a Mighty Lever.
Spot means on the Spot, at the
time. On this basis we are
reducing our stock.

On Next Monday and Tuesday,

25c. spot cash will buy 6 yards
64 Apron Gingham.
48c., 1 dozen Best Spool Cotton.
64c. per yard, those special val-
ues in short lengths 4-4
Ble'ch Muslin, worth 8, 10
and 12c.
92c per yard, a job lot best 12 1/2c
Percales.
12 1/2 per yard, a good 15c Feather
Bed Tick.
15c per yard, a good Turkey Red
Table Linen.
6c 1/2 per yard, a good 10c Outing.

Hamburgs! Hamburgs!

You would wonder
how we got them—
Price so low.

52c per yard buys values worth
10 and 12c.
10 1/2c per yard buys values worth
15c.
18c per yard buys values worth
25c.

Dress Good Remnants

Regardless of Cost.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

Men's, Women's and Children's.

\$1.50.

\$1.50 will buy any of those
hand-welt Men's and Wo-
men's Shoes left that we
advertised two weeks ago,
worth \$3.00 and \$3.25.
These shoes are sold on ac-
count of toe.
50c buys any of those Children's
Shoes left we advertised at
same time, some were worth
\$1.25 and \$1.50 per pair.

Look at our stock of

PLOW SHOES,

too, for men—new and desirable.

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BRIDLES AND COLLARS!

\$12.45 buys one DOUBLE SET
Wagon Harness of extra
good oak tanned leather,
made especially to our or-
der. Traces 1 1/2 in width.
Breeching to match with
End Chains and Breast
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\$7.88 buys one set "Body parts"
only of same as above.

\$1.00 buys an extra good Tick
Collar, worth, I think, \$1.25.
Bridles, Traces and Lines.
Prices way down.

99c. buys best Plow Bridles to
be had for the money.

Specialties Same Days

25c buys 3 Boxes Best Lye.
25c buys 5 Boxes 2d grade Lye.
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30c buys Fine Light Syrup—
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ON DECEMBER 31ST, 1901, ITS
ASSETS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

Stocks, Bonds, Real Estate and Cash.....	\$70,307.00
Premium Notes.....	195,843.00
Total.....	\$266,150.00

New Policies transferable upon
the approval of the Secretary.

The saving to insurers in this
company for the past six years
has been from 30 to 40 per cent.

The saving to insurers in this
Company for the year 1901, was
seventy-seven and a half per
cent.

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to

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I DID NOT UNDERSTAND.

Because I did not understand
Her little ways,
I let life's best slip from my hand
In the old days;
I did not understand.
Her subtleties of thought and speech,
Her finer sense,
Her maiden-light reserves, seemed each
Cause of offense;
I did not understand.

Some answer to her wistful gaze
When she was sad,
A tender word, a little praise,
Had made her glad,
But I did not understand.

I failed to read the shy regard
That lay below
Her timid eyes, and so was hard;
I did not know;
I did not understand.

But when I saw the wonder rise
Of love that grew
And deepened in her dying eyes,
Oh, then I knew;
Too late I understand.

The elusive, eager soul below,
That look sedate,
The passionate tenderness, I knew
Too late, too late;
Oh, now I understand!

—Boston Transcript.

BIG WHEAT CROP PREDICTED.

Acres Increase Said to Have Overcome
Loss by Drouth.

American farmers are estimated to
have seeded last fall 32,000,000 acres of
winter wheat, 4,000,000 acres more than
the previous year. This will probably
offset the damage done to the wheat
crop by the long drouth of the fall and
winter, and careful inquiry in the wheat-
producing States gives reason to believe
that the crop of this year will be as large
as the record-making crop of last year.

Washington authorities announced in
Dec. that the condition of winter wheat
was 86.70 percent, and, with 32,000,000
acres, this would have meant a crop ap-
proaching 438,000,000 bushels, against
400,000,000 to 425,000,000 bushels har-
vested last year. All hope for such a huge
yield has, however, passed. The drouth
of the fall and early winter had even
then damaged the prospects very notice-
ably. As against the 86.70 per cent
which represented the condition then
December, 1900, showed 91.7, and De-
cember, 1899, showed the same figure.

The drouth continued throughout Jan-
uary and February, but was broken in
March, and the last four weeks have
been ideal weather in the whole West.
A painstaking survey of the present
wheat situation indicates that nature has
made some amends in these last four
weeks for the earlier drouth and that the
impaired wheat prospects are, to a
great extent, restored.

The condition of the whole Pacific
Coast is excellent, and Missouri, Illinois
and Nebraska promise high yields. Mis-
souri's acreage has increased by 800,000
acres.

Government Crop Expert B. W. Snow,
writing of the wheat outlook, says:
"For six weeks or more crop complaints
have been numerous and positive from
localities in nearly every section of the
Western belt. At the same time denials
of serious injury have been almost equal-
ly positive in character, leaving the sit-
uation confused. The truth lies between
the two extremes, yet conditions are
such that the partisans of each theory
have some basis for their opinion.

"In all the territory east from the
Missouri river there was wide diversity
in the plant development shown last
fall and, as a result, when the snow dis-
appeared this spring the fields were un-
even and ragged in appearance, present-
ing an exceedingly poor outlook, in many
parts of the Ohio Valley fields looked
bare and gave the impression that the
plant had been killed out. That such is
not the case is now becoming appar-
ent, as reviving top growth everywhere
shows that the roots are intact.

"The present moisture supply is gen-
erally sufficient everywhere. There
was less than the usual winter rainfall,
and this condition, following a summer
marked by long, hard drouths, has left
only a small reserve of moisture in the
subsoil. Rainfall during March was
sufficient to supply all current needs,
leaving the surface in excellent shape,
but not sufficient to renew the exhausted
reserves of the subsoil.

"This leaves the wheat crop depend-
ent to an unusual extent during its
period of growth upon frequent and
copious rains, and it is this necessity for
an unusual amount of moisture properly
distributed through the next nine weeks,
that constitutes the one real crop men-
ace now in sight. A dry period will
this year seriously jeopardize the crop."

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able enemies. The presence of a wasp's
nest is a guarantee to the who's neigh-
borhood of the absence of flies.

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this disease, tells how to prevent any
dangerous consequences from it. She
says: Our three took whooping cough
last summer, our baby boy being only
three months old, and owing to our giv-
ing them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,
they lost none of their plumpness and
came out in much better health than
other children whose parents did not use
this remedy. Our oldest little girl would
call lustily for cough syrup between
whoops.—JESSIE PINKY Hall, Spring-
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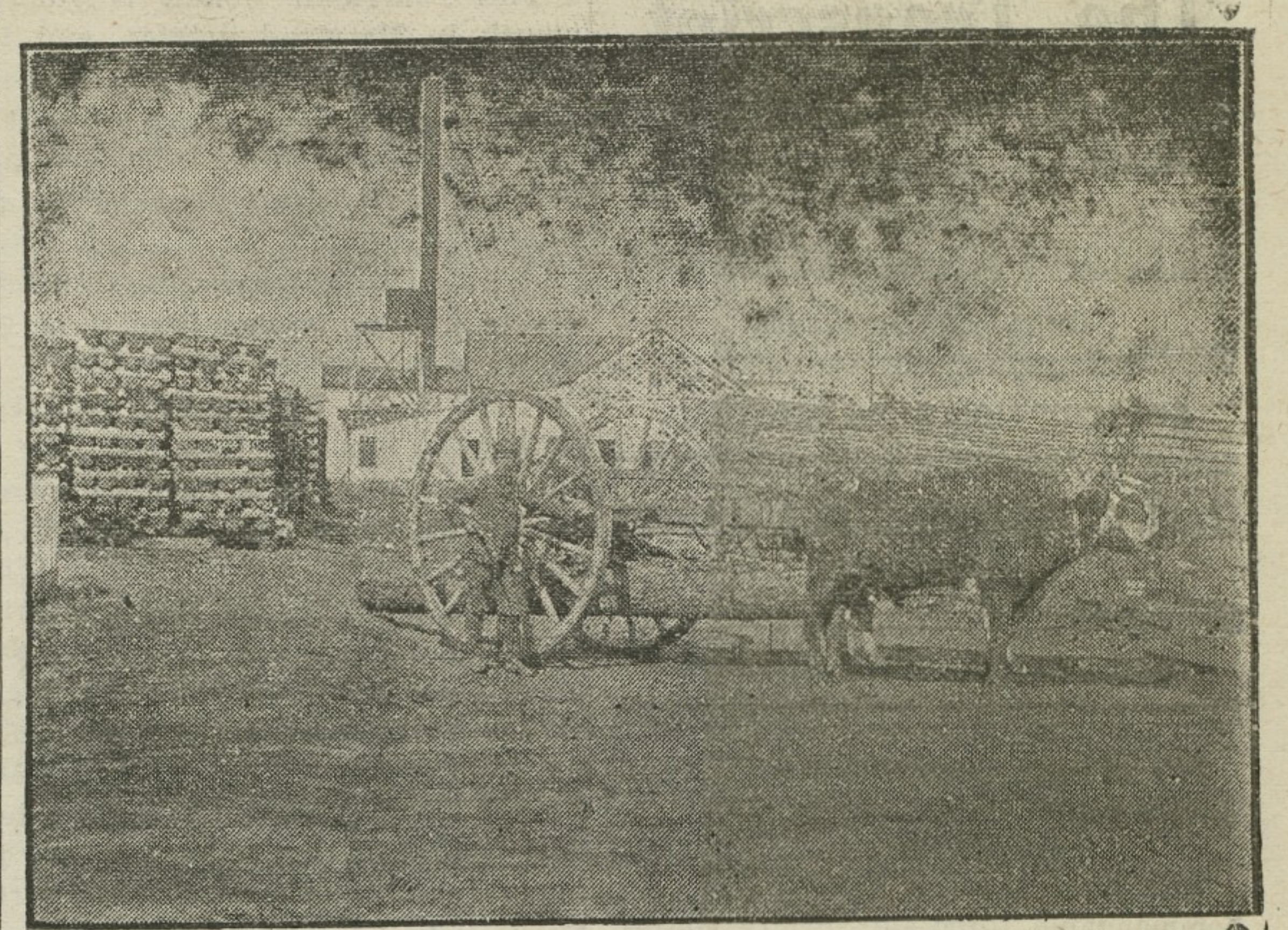
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