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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.—James M. Richart keeps two milch cows at home for family use. For some time it was noticed that somebody who had no right to was milking one, and always the same, cow by stealth. Mr. R. had his alarm clock set to awake him at 3 o'clock in the morning, when he would go down to his lot and watch with his gun for the thief. On a morning recently his watch was rewarded by hearing a noise made at the gate ...

Mrs. Anna Gage, wife of Ex-Deputy U. S. Marshal, Columbus, Kan., says:

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"MOTHERS' FRIEND"

Colorado Republican.

Denver, Col., Sept. 10.—The Republican State Convention to-day made nominations for Presidential electors and State officers. A resolution was adopted requiring all nominees to place their resignation in the hands of the Committee on Fusion, which is conferring with a like committee of the Democratic, Populist and Silver parties. ...

KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.—The report for September 1st consists of replies from 146 correspondents, representing 101 counties.

The corn crop is matured, with late corn materially damaged by late drouth. Late corn will be not only deficient in quantity, but inferior in quality. Much of it is loose on cob, a feature that many attribute to injury from "chinch bug." ...

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