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Latest Reports by Wire From the Market Centers.

CHICAGO.

Special to the Live Stock Journal.  
CHICAGO, ILL., July 6, '88.  
Texas cattle about 10@20c lower than last week, but prospects are more flattering. Sheep steadier. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Pr.
46 steers, J. & A	863	\$2 50
45 same, F. O. A.	895	2 80
BY MALLORY & SON.		
39 same, C. A. Lyford	798	2 40
105 same	846	3 10
BY GREER, MILLS & CO.		
34 steers, J. J. Stansil	904	2 40
42 same, M. E. Todden	821	2 50
27 cows, E. A. McKinzie	760	1 70
48 steers	807	2 40
147 same	853	2 50
194 cows, R. R. Wade	770	1 87½
44 steers, N. B. Eden	993	3 00
BY W. W. McILHANY & CO.		
168 calves, C. Nations	168	3 00
71 steers, D. Chisholm	979	3 30
46 same, J. L. Hewett	922	2 85
50 same, J. Hardin	944	3 00
173 sheep, Crowder	75	2 65
787 same	79	3 25
BY JAMES H. CAMPBELL & CO.		
219 steers, Bachelor & B.	973	3 25
23 cows, M. James	755	1 80
84 cows, Ramsey & Adams	796	2 05
230 steers	855	2 75
99 cows	916	3 00
103 cows, Lock Forester	776	2 15
BY PAXSON, SHATTUCK & CO.		
22 steers, Gordon	881	3 00
24 same	818	2 65
120 sheep	81	3 85
197 same	81	3 85
BY R. STRAHORN & CO.		
49 cows, H. W. Speers	768	2 00
157 calves, J. W. Anderson	169	3 80
74 steers, Farmer	839	3 10
BY SCALING & TAMBLYN.		
49 steers, J. C. Richardson	804	2 35
25 same, A. S. Nicholson	949	2 75
119 cows, Dignowity	768	2 00
17 bulls, A. S. Nicholson	1085	1 30
46 steers	849	2 65



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109 steers, Lasater Bros.	1052	3 30
321 steers, Fant & West	896	2 70
1145 steers, L. R. Hastings	873	3 30
10 same, Biffle	887	3 25
20 same, Tobin	829	2 10
682 sheep, Hastings & W.	84	3 37½
191 same, C. H. Lee	69	2 50
373 same, Brakebill	78	3 50
HUNTER, EVANS & CO.		
45 cows, G. W. Voires	827	2 15
39 steers, J. N. Hood	970	3 30
500 calves, Frand Brainard	787	2 30
44 steers, J. N. Moller	920	2 40
BY BROWN BROS.		
46 steers, James & Co.	882	2 40
46 same	863	2 40
804 sheep, Smith Bros.	87	2 25

KANSAS CITY.

Special to the Texas Live Stock Journal.  
KANSAS CITY, July 6.—Official receipts of cattle for the week up to Wednesday, 15,782 head. The bulk of the offerings have been common, half fat Texas and Indians not desirable for killers, and purchasers for feeders in large quantities have been scarce, hence this kind have been a drug on the market. Shippers should only fat top steers, as it is utterly useless to have the others on the market to be given away.

The tone of the market for the first part of the week has been healthier than last week and the best fat Texas and Indians a shade stronger, perhaps 10@15c, than last week's decline, and this only on the best, others remaining as low as ever. No market on the 4th; yards only open for receiving, watering and feeding stock.

Receipts to-day 2500. Good grass range steers 25c higher than first of week.

The following sales show prices:

No.	Av.	Pr.
13 Indian strs, J. R. Wash-ton, Marietta, I. T.	909	\$2 50
9 same, cows	738	1 70
16 same, bulls	1120	1 40
26 same, cows	788	1 65
42 same, steers	893	2 80
25 same	834	2 75
43 same	833	2 10
18 same, O. Love	902	3 25
46 Texas cows, Hamilton Bros., Canadian, Tex.	803	1 70
22 same, R. B. Masterson	814	1 70
101 same, calves	each	5 25
8 Ind. cows, J. Adding-ton, Ardmore, I. T.	805	1 70
35 same	862	2 50
40 range bulls, J. V. Andrews, Woodward, I. T.	1344	1 85
81 Her. cross steers, R. R. Murray	733	2 00
84 same	794	2 50
61 same	730	2 10
30 Texas cows, Matador L. & C. Co. Childress, Tex	656	1 75
27 same, B. C. Evans, Giles, Texas	734	1 65
80 same, S. Lazarus	787	1 62½
79 same, G. R. Landers, Corwin, Kansas	818	1 80
78 same, C. Burnett, Coolidge, Kansas	684	1 30
BY FISH & KECK CO.		
23 head, Mat Wolf	800	1 50
16 same	824	2 00
78 calves, Day Land & Cat-tle Co.	each	4 50
20 steers, Ewell & Justice	1147	4 00
255 calves, Day L. & C. Co.	each	4 35
70 same, J. Dulin	each	5 25

24 cows	882	2 15
22 steers	1100	3 50
30 cows, Ben Garland	844	2 30
156 calves, S. T. Tuttle	each	5 25
169 same, Day L. & C. Co.	each	4 50
26 cows, L. Bivins	699	1 50
78 steers	841	2 15
BY STEPHENS & DOBYNS.		
129 Texas calves, R. R. Wade	each	4 00
66 same, steers, Stiff & Ross	863	2 60
40 same, John Burland	962	2 80
BY D. C. PAXSON & CO.		
43 steers, W. M. Hill, Nor-way	860	3 00
21 same, Paul Downing, Valley Mills	924	3 10
22 steers and stags, I. Han-son, Norse	924	2 40

ST. LOUIS.

Special to the Live Stock Journal.  
ST. LOUIS, July 6.—The run of Texas cattle was light to-day, being less than 60 car-loads. Prices are 25@30c higher than last Monday, and good steers of 900 to 1000 lbs are bringing from \$3.25@3.75; Indians, \$3.50@4.25; common and light steers, \$2@2.75.

Texas sheep in moderate supply and good ones steady at \$3.25@3.75; com-mon and medium dull at \$2@2.75.

NEW ORLEANS.

Special to the Live Stock Journal.  
NEW ORLEANS, July 6.—Market glutted with beef cattle, calves and yearlings. Prices low and unreliable. Poor stock not wanted. Hog market fairly supplied. Good fat sheep in fair demand.

QUOTATIONS.—Choice beeves, 3@3½c; common to fair beeves, 1½@2½c; good fat cows, 2@2½c; common to fair cows, \$9@12; calves, \$3@6; yearlings, \$5@8; good fat hogs, 5@6c; 4@4½c; good fat sheep each, \$2@3; common to fair, \$1@1.50.

SAN ANTONIO.

The market has been quite bare of shipping stock during the entire week, with the demand only nominal during the early part of the week, but a fair demand has now been developed at the revised quotations. Bu cher's stock has been in fair receipt and has had a rpad sale. Commission men state they expect much larger receipts next week. The luxuriant pasturage and flattering prospects have developed the demand for feeders.

CATTLE—Steers, shippers and butchers, \$15@20; cows, fat, from \$10@12; light, at \$7@10; yearlings, \$4@5.50; calves, \$3@4.  
SHEEP—Muttons, \$1.90@2.00. Goats 50c@1.25 per head.  
HOGS—Natives \$3@3.50.

GALVESTON.

[Reported by Winfree, Norman & Pearson].  
BEEVES AND COWS—Choice, per lb, gross, 2@2½c; common, per head, \$8@10; 2-year-olds, choice, per head, \$8@10; common, per head, \$6@7; yearlings, choice, per head, \$6@7; common, per head, \$4@5; calves, choice, per lb, gross, 3@3½c; common, per head, \$2.50@3.00.  
SHEEP—Choice, per lb. gross, 3@3½c.

DALLAS.

CATTLE.—Choice choice fat butcher cattle, 2c; choice fat cows, \$12@16; steer yearlings \$6@8.50; heifers \$5@5; bulls, 1@1½c; milch cows, \$20@27.  
SHEEP.—Choice fat sheep 3@3½c; goats, \$1.25.  
HOGS.—4½@5c.  
Butcher business is very slow at present. They average about 47 cattle a day here and last winter they averaged about 95 head. So much country produce is coming in at present that there is no demand for meat.

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## ROUND-UPS.

San Angelo Standard:—M. B. Puliam turned over 1000 head of twos to Comer Bros. this week at \$10, and L. M. Higginson, of Concho county, 300 yearlings at \$7.

Denver Field and Farm:—At Messrs. George L. Goulding & Co.'s city stock yards on Saturday last the first of a weekly series of public sales was held. The sale comprised horses and young bulls. The aggregate of the sale was \$1400.

The fear, as expressed by the Hoof and Horn, that Northern Arizona is to receive 100,000 head of New Mexico and Texas cattle this season, will not be borne out by the facts. It is said Northern Arizona has not room for one-third of that number.

The round-ups from Fort Sumner, N. M., east, has been abandoned for lack of water and grass. The water holes contain water sufficient yet for the cattle but the grass is lamentably short, which seriously affects the horse stock, and altogether the condition of affairs is about as bad as it can well be.

Cheyenne Journal:—Towers & Gudgell have moved 1260 head of yearling and two-year-old steers and heifers from the Colorado and Neutral Strip ranges to the Little Missouri in Montana. The stock passed up the Cheyenne Northern last Sunday.

Cheyenne Journal:—The Powder River Live Stock company (Jim Brown's) has been feeding cattle at their farm in Nebraska and a few days since sold three car-loads for \$4.75 per hundred at the feeding pens. This would be considerably above \$6 at Chicago.

The report comes from Lake Valley, N. M., that the grass on the mesa and prairie in Sierra county, in the vicinity of the Lynch Bros. range, is burning. The range is becoming very dry in Southern New Mexico on either side of the Rio Grande and much damage to the grazing there will result unless rain falls soon.

Denver Field and Farm:—The mesquit grass planted early the present spring on the Windsor farm is up and growing finely. Mr. Morse, the manager, thinks this new grazing plant is going to prove a good success in Colorado. He feels quite confident that it will flourish on any of our hills even without irrigation.

Cheyenne Journal:—Parties who have invested in cattle during the depression are smiling at the prospect of a material advance in values. Buy all you can pay for at present prices, provided you have a good range to place them on. But to buy cattle and have no range is in exceedingly bad judgment.

New Mexico Stock Grower:—Stewart, Thompson and other cattlemen ranching near the Texas line lost a number of steers recently from what they believe is Texas fever. It is said that the cattle affected were received into the territory before the quarantine regulations went into effect on March 1st.

New Mexico Stock Grower:—Jesus M. Gallegos of San Acacio sold last week to Hurst, Black & Co. of Socorro county, 130 head of steers, yearlings and upward, at \$12 around. The steers bought by Messrs. Cogshall and Tuller of Montana, from our cattlemen, averaged \$10, \$14 and \$17 respectively for yearlings, twos and threes and upward.

Fort Davis News:—Mr. M. E. Williams of Kyle, and brother of J. H. Williams, owner of the Chaco el Mareno ranch, arrived here with his family during the week. He rented a cottage in North Fort Davis and will make his permanent home among us. Mr. Williams is a cattleman. He left for his old home again, but will return in about two months with about 2000 head of cattle, a part of which he will place on his brother's ranch, of which he has a half interest.

ALBANY, TEX., July 1.—Several more large trades in cattle were closed last evening by Messrs. Webb, Campbell & Hill, commission men and stock brokers of this place. They sold to the Reynolds Land & Cattle company of Montana, 1000 head of steer yearlings and bought of Reynolds Bros. of this county 650 head of two-year-old steers. They also bought from other parties 1200 head of one and two-year-old steers. The cattle of this county are in such fine condition and of such excellent quality generally that they are attracting buyers from a distance.

At the opening of the week Messrs. Wheeler, James & Co. of the Union Stock Yards, St. Louis, Mo., report as follows: The direct receipts at Union Yards to-day were light, and those were of medium to common in quality, nothing that could be called good. Owing to the light supply all that were fit for butchering sold stronger. The indications are that there will be a light supply of good fat butcher cattle, and in that case, some improvement in prices may be looked for, as the demand for that class is good. There is no demand for thin cattle, and they are hard to sell even at the extreme low prices now obtained for them. Cows and calves are in light supply, but there is no improvement either in demand or price. Good to choice Texas and Indian steers were quotable at \$3.25@ \$4.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., June 28.—A few mornings since engineer Stone was running a south-bound passenger train at the rate of forty miles an hour. When near Eutaw the engine struck a cow that chanced to be on the track. Instead of knocking the animal off the track she was run over and crushed to death under the wheels. Stone felt the engine jolt considerably when it ran over the cow, and on this account stopped the train. He found what the matter was, and continued the run to Meridian. When that place was reached the fireman made ready to clean out the ash-pan as is customary. The first thing that he found in the hot ashes was the dead cow's tongue, nicely cooked. The ashes were just warm enough to cook the meat well. It was taken out by the fireman, and he and Stone made an excellent breakfast off of it.

ALBANY, TEXAS, July 1.—Sales in cattle are quite lively now. Webb, Campbell & Hill sold Saturday to Col. J. R. Stevens of Gainesville 1500 head of Northwest Texas raised two-year-old steers, to be delivered at Wichita Falls in September. The firm also sold W. R. Moore 500 head of steer yearlings, to Duke Campbell 100 head of steer yearlings. The 1600 head of one, two and three-year-old steers this firm sold Mr. D. A. Constable of the Indian Territory were started on the train last Wednesday, and they were a fine lot of cattle. Messrs. Webb, Campbell & Hill have bought this week from H. B. Keyser of Erath county 800 head of steer yearlings; from Shannon & Co., 750 head; from W. R. Moore, 500 head of two-year-old

steers, and are still buying to fill several large contracts they have made.

Vernon Guard:—Mr. J. H. Stanley, formerly in the mercantile business at Harrold, bought a section of 640 acres of Houston & Texas Central railroad land, one mile south of Harrold, this county, about twelve months ago, paying therefor \$5 per acre. Mr. Stanley now has in cultivation 300 acres of the tract, this being the first year's crop, diversified as follows: Wheat, 100 acres; oats, 100 acres; corn, 63 acres; balance in millet and sorghum. His wheat and oat crops are already harvested and the former is estimated at 25 bushels per acre while the latter will average fully 75 bushels per acre. His corn is now made and the yield will cut close to 40 bushels per acre. His millet and sorghum crops are also assured and will make large yields. This is the kind of a country Wilbarger county is and the way farming pays here. Mr. Stanley's section is no better than the average run of lands in the county.

Uvalde News:—Mr. Terry O'Neal made a sale of a car-load of beeves this week to Mr. J. N. Herd at \$26 per head. This is a very good price, but the cattle were fat and in fine condition and worth the money. Mr. B. A. Bates sent out his two cars of cattle to New Orleans Friday morning, the repairs on the road having been completed. Mr. Bates brought in three more car-loads Monday, but was unable to procure cars, and is now holding them until they are furnished. Messrs. Simpson & Mangum brought up four car-loads of cattle Monday, but were obliged to hold them over on account of cars. The railroad company seems to be very short of stock cars. This firm has engaged Mr. J. E. Stafford to go to Sabin and ship three car-loads of cattle they now have in pasture there, and also to buy more for shipment. Messrs. Hemphill & Herd have three cars of cattle ready for shipment to New Orleans, as soon as cars are provided.

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**THE CLIP.**

A lot of wool has been sold at Abilene at 12 to 14½ cents.

All the recent sales of Texas wool in Boston, according to the Advertiser, were on p. t.

Sheep are now selling in local markets at ½ to ¾ higher than steers. A good steer sells at 2c, and a good mutton at 2½c.

A lot of sheep culls sold in Kansas City at 55 cents per head. On the same day some good sheep sold at \$4.30 per head.

The corn-fed mutton is not a product of Texas to any great extent, but ought to be. The feeders lost lots of money by not fattening sheep last winter.

A large proportion of the sheep arriving at Kansas City are purchased by Smith & Co. on the ranches. It is a good sign for the sheep interest that mutton is in so great demand.

The cattlemen are figuring very strongly upon a good market for feeding steers this fall, but nothing is said about mutton feeders; but mutton will pay the better of the two.

Sales of Texas wool reported by the Boston Commercial Bulletin:—21,000 lbs of medium spring, 17@22½c; 99,000 lbs fine spring, 12@18c; medium fall, —@—; fine fall, 13@17c.

San Angelo Standard:—Col. J. M. Frost of the Western Wool Commission Co., St. Louis, is still in the city and has secured consignments amounting to 75,000 pounds of this spring's wool clip.

San Angelo Standard:—Newt Rapley sold his clip of 35,000 lbs. of 12-months wool this week to J. A. Walker, Mississippi mills, at 14½ cents per lb. Chas. Hobbs sold 10,000 lbs to the same buyer at 12½, and 16,000 lbs. at 14 cents per pound.

The prices now obtained for wool in Texas are very low, and if there was ever a time when it would pay to hold the wool that time is now. Cotton at 8c is easier to raise than wool at 14c, and does not require so great a cash investment.

Good, large, fat sheep have sold very well of late. At Chicago Texas

79-pound sheep sold at \$2.75 per hundred, and on same day 115-pound mutton sheep sold at \$5.50 per hundred. Almost two cents a pound between good fat sheep and ordinary common sheep.

ALBANY, TEX., July 1.—Some of our wool-growers not being satisfied with prices offered have commenced consigning freely, some 500 bags having been shipped and ordered to the Western Wool Commission company and other commission firms at St. Louis for sale.

Wheeler, James & Co., Union Stock Yards, St. Louis, quote mutton as follows: Common to fair \$2 to \$2.50; fair to good muttons \$2.50 to \$3.50; choice to fancy \$3.75 to \$4; good to choice lambs, 40 to 60 pounds, \$2 to \$3 per head; common to good 75c. to \$1.75 per head.

Attention of sheep raisers and wool dealers is invited to the advertisement of wool commission firms advertising in the JOURNAL. Boston, New York, Chicago and St. Louis are represented, and the JOURNAL can safely say that the firms are all in good standing and responsible and reliable.

According to the American Wool Reporter, Mr. Jno. McDowell, president of the Pennsylvania Wool Growers' association, places the wool clip of Washington county, Pa., at 2,000,000 pounds, against clips of 3,000,000 pounds in the past. This ought to dispose of the argument that breeders raise very little wool. The Washington county clip is the largest county wool production in the United States.

Wyoming has something over a million and a half of sheep. The owners of them have been quite prosperous with them and have made money, while the owners of cattle have lost. The quality of the Wyoming sheep is good. The foundation of the Wyoming flocks came in from California and down from Oregon. As an average they are larger sheep than those of Colorado. Denver receives some of its best mutton from about Rollins, on the line of the Union Pacific.

Mr. Jno. McDowell of Washington county, Pa., president of the State Wool Growers' association, said to the American Wool Reporter that there

were 1,020,728 flockmasters in the United States in 1880, and that it is more difficult for them to come together and consult as wool growers than it is for the manufacturers who are grouped together at the tap of the bell. What they need among the wool growers is an organization which will establish and hold all interests together, both the manufacturers and wool growers.

American Stockman and Farmer:—The difference in the market value of mutton now and a year ago is still substantially in favor of 1888, but is much less than earlier in season. Prices are fully up to the average of a number of years for midsummer, and yet they are so much lower than in April as to seem badly out of joint. It is not probable, however, that the decline is permanent for the season, as mutton is not liable to make a real improvement at this season in the year. We would be glad to see a rally to something nearer the early spring basis, but a review of July markets for an extended period gives no ground for such an expectation. This week's prices are probably near the top.

**Wool in Texas.**

A. S. Bebout, Gatesville, Texas, writes to the American Stockman and Farmer of Pittsburgh, Pa.:—"I send you the doings of the wool-growers' mass meeting held here, by which your readers will see that the wool-growers here are very much dissatisfied with the result of the free trade effort, and not satisfied as some would have them believe. These two counties agreed to bulk their wool here, a railroad point, invite buyers from all over the country. The wool was bulked, the buyers came with orders to buy only on the free trade basis, from 12 to 15 cents. Out of the 500,000 pounds here there was not enough sold to pay freight on the salt the growers had ordered, and that did not go out of the state. The most of it has been consigned to get money to settle last year's supply bills."

The clipping which Mr. Bebout sends is an address to S. J. Randall, T. B. Reed, Wm. McKinley and Martin Foran, for their earnest defense of wool, and resolutions strongly condemning the Mills bill and all efforts to place wool on the free list.

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conversation on the cattle growing subject. Said he:

"We have passed the darkest day. The future of the beef grower never looked brighter than now. The old methods have passed away. The open range for cattle growing is a thing of the past. Those who will prosper in the future must feed and breed good cattle. The scrub will no longer do. The uninitiated in looking at a Chicago market report and reading the prices quoted for cattle, would scarcely understand why there should be such a range of values. One class of animals are rated at \$3.50 per 100 and the other at \$6.50 and even \$7. The explanation is simple. The one is a fine bred and fine fed animal, while the other is a scrub. Now, life is too short to waste on scrubs.

"There have been in the past many failures in cattle growing. There will be less in the future. Men have learned as they went along. I have learned and shall profit by my learning. A hay sack is better than a snow drift. A pasture with a moderate herd of well-bred cattle, with feed and shelter for winter, is worth more than a myriad of half-starved brutes roaming over the plains to be mangled by railway trains in storms, and to furnish food for coyotes and buzzards.

"I saw the state of things that now exist approaching several years ago—saw that the cattle range business was passing away—and prepared myself for it. I unloaded my range cattle that were in the Indian Nation on the American trust, which trust will soon convert them to cash, and have purchased broad acres in Nebraska, planted them to grass and grain, and stocked them with blooded cattle and fine horses. There is more money for the future with the new methods than there has been in the past with the old."

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## SAN ANTONIO.

Wool growers in the lower country are predicting fine clips next fall. The sheep are fat and the wool is growing very fast, while at the same time the frequent rains have not only provided plenty of water and abundant pasturage but have also laid the dust on the range and washed the staple on the sheeps' backs.

THERE has been very little breeding in the flocks in this part of the state for the past two years, but the fine pasturage and abundant water this year, together with the increasing demand for muttons, has caused the sheepmen to begin breeding again and an excellent demand is predicted for serviceable bucks this fall. The demand will be for large bodies as well as for good wool. Many of the flockmasters say they regard the extra fine bred sheep a cause of loss, and prefer larger animals even if the wool will not grade up so high.

A FEW years ago the country was full of "dude wool growers," men who sported fine clothes and smoked fine cigars in the rotundas and on the galleries of the leading hotels. They were a royal crowd, liberal talkers and fine society men. But for two years they have been missing from their old haunts. Where are they? When we think of the genial companionship of those wool kings we are sometimes tempted to insert a standing ad: "Wanted—A dude wool grower." The genus is extinct. It must be extinct for none of the species are to be found here any more. The wool grower of to-day is an entirely different man; he wears his pants in his boots, his head is adorned with a serviceable hat, he carries an air of business about him and he don't smoke Havanas nor talk liberally. In fact a new race of wool growers have come on the footstool and they are strictly business if they expect to stay in the business. A few years ago the Northern papers were full of tables of fortunes made from sheep, but to-day that column is devoted to base ball or politics. The romance is out of wool growing and the dude wool growers are out of existence. There is money still in wool growing but it only can be got by hard work and close attention to business details. A revolution is going on in the flocks. Muttons are ready cash, wool is bare expenses, prize bucks are neglected and the dude wool grower has ceased to be a giddy butterfly of fashion and a society pet.

### Demand for Better Horses.

The demand for more careful breeding of horse stock was clearly shown last week in the offerings of horses to the government contractors for army service. The contractor advertised for cavalry horses 14½ to 16 hands high, 900 to 1050 lbs, 4 to 9 years old, and offered to pay \$120 for such as were accepted. In order to expedite the examination there was a preliminary examination at the Traders' National Stock yards. On the first day there

were about one hundred horses offered and of these but eighty passed to the full examination, and of the eighteen but five were accepted at the final examination. On the second day out of forty horses offered but two were passed to the final examination, and neither of these was accepted. Now the question arises, why don't the horse breeders raise a better class of horses? It costs very little more to raise a good horse than a poor one. The native stock of Spanish mares are excellent breeders and with improved stallions they can have just what they want. Texas is one of the best breeding grounds for horses in America and the expense is less here than in more Northern latitudes. The fault appears to lie entirely with the stockmen themselves in not selecting their mares and in not providing suitable sires.

### San Antonio Horse Market.

The local horse market has been comparatively quiet during the past week and within a day or two there have been no large buyers here so that the small receipts were no disadvantage, but now there are a number of good buyers here and there is an active demand for good shipping stock in horses, mares and mules. There is also an abundance of stock cars here and en route, so that shippers will be better accommodated than they have for the past ten days. Mexican importations have been light during the past week, but one lot being reported, 100 head, which were promptly disposed of at \$18@23. It was a fine lot of mares and horses suitable for shipping. There is a strong demand for unbranded one and two-year-old mules. The outlook for the market is favorable, larger receipts are predicted, and the number of buyers on the market will hold up prices and afford a ready sale for all good stock that is offered. Poor stock is not wanted here; there is no sale for poor stock in this market except at a sacrifice.

The shipments for the week were 1200 head, which is an increase of 208 over the week previous.

### Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands.	\$10@14
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands.	12@17
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat.	20@25
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin.	15@17
Yearling fillies, branded.	7@8
Yearling fillies, unbranded.	10@12
Two year-old fillies, branded.	10@13
Two year-old fillies, unbranded.	12@14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands.	30@40
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16½.	75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands.	22@35
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands.	20@28
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands.	16@25
Weaned, unbranded colts.	4.50@6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13½ hands.	27@46
Mules, improved, 13½ to 14 hands.	45@65
Yearling mule colts, improved.	25@30
Two-year mule colts, improved.	30@40
Yearling mule colts, Mexican.	15@20
Two-year mule colts, Mexican.	20@30

### San Antonio Wool Market.

The local wool market shows but little change since last week's report. Receipts continue, but are small and are exceeded by the sales, which for the past week amounted to about 1000 bags. This reduces the stock in first hands to about 2500 bags, of which some is very desirable staple which is held for higher figures. The most of the Northern buyers have gone home, but there are several local buyers in the market. Guenther & Zadick have cleared out their warehouse. Among the representative sales of the week are 360 bags by Cohen & Mayer, 110 bags short wool at 14@15½c, and 250 bags, 12-months, at 16½@18c; the Pax-

ton clip by Ed Kotula, 78 bags at 14c, and 90 bags by T. C. Frost at 14@16c. The most of the remaining stock will probably be cleared out within the next two weeks.

Quotations are as follow:

### TWELVE-MONTHS WOOL.

Medium bright and light.	17	@18
Medium dark and heavy.	15	@16
Fine bright and light.	15½	@17
Fine dark and heavy.	13	@14
Coarse.	11	@13

### SIX-MONTHS WOOL.

Medium bright and light.	15	@16½
Medium dark and heavy.	13	@14
Fine bright and light.	15	@16
Fine dark and heavy.	12½	@14
Coarse.	8	@11

### HORNS AND HOOFES.

T. F. Ross, a horse buyer from Iowa, is here after good shipping stock.

Crops good, grass fine and cattle fat, is the report from Matagorda county.

Crennan & Watkins of Hearne were here last Monday, buying butchers stock.

W. G. Lee and J. H. Olin of Montgomery, Ala., are here buying horses for shipment.

Col. D. R. Fant of Goliad recently shipped a train-load of mixed cattle to the Indian Territory.

John W. Lovelady of Cleburne shipped two car-loads of horses and mares to St. Louis last Saturday.

L. C. Mitchell of Memphis shipped three car-loads of one and two-year-old mules to Memphis this week.

Henry Strong of Henrietta, Texas, shipped a car-load of horses and mares to Vicksburg, Miss., on Monday.

Mrs. Sam Wharton, the lady buyer, is on the market again gathering a lot of horses for shipment to Northern markets.

Felix Mann is selecting a herd of 3000 yearling steers in Menard county for Col. Slaughter. He is paying \$6@7.

J. D. Vivrett of Nashville, Tenn., shipped two car-loads of unbranded one and two-year-old mules to Nashville last week.

L. W. Pease has just returned from New Orleans, where he shipped a car-load of beeves and disposed of them at a good profit.

The Texas Land & Cattle company shipped 28 car-loads of beeves in Street stable cars from Corpus Christi to Chicago this week.

Charles and Geo. Shiner with a party of stockmen took a cook with them and started on Tuesday for San Lucas Springs, Mexico, for a brief holiday.

Wm. Ragland of this city recently bought 8 car-loads of beeves of W. A. Pettus at \$20 per head which passed through here on Tuesday en route to Chicago.

San Lucas Springs, Mexico, is growing in favor as a stockmen's health resort. Geo. W. Saunders expects to go there with a party of his stockmen friends about the middle of the month.

It was a matter of general remark that the majority of horses offered to the government contractor at San Antonio last week looked rough and worried from the attacks of the mosquitoes and flies.

Henry Shiner reports that his large shipment of cattle from his McMullen county ranch netted him \$3.50 in Chicago. This stock averaged 1050 lbs on the market and graded equal to Indian Territory cattle.

Morin Bros. report the following sales for the past week: 25 mares and horses, \$25; 30 do, \$11; 18 do, \$18; 26 do, \$23; 26 do, \$14.50; 48 do, \$14.75; 25 do, \$18.50; 15 do, \$15; 29 mares, horses and mules, \$14.50.

D. H. Ainsworth, who shipped about 600 head of beeves to Chicago, has returned and reports that he sold on Tuesday at \$2.40@2.50 and got out of the transaction without a loss, but his profits are not appreciable.

Shippers of horses continue to make many complaints of the lack of cars to transport their stock. A number of large shipments have been delayed for this reason. The same complaint applies in the case of shipments of cattle.

Pearsall News:—Stock shipments have been unusually heavy during the past twenty days. The class of stock generally consists of beeves and bulls, but few horses are shipped now, and the market for horses is not active, although prices are firm.

A correspondent from Big Foot, Frio county, says:—Crops, cattle and grass all in fine condition and farmers and stockmen consequently happy. Some few trades in cattle are being made but they are generally limited to the necessities of the case, as cattle are being held up for better prices.

E. S. White of Del Rio, formerly of the firm of White & Moulton, wool growers, is here. He has sold out his sheep and is now extensively engaged in breeding horses. He will now take his first vacation for three years and will visit Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Washington Territory and lower California, returning to his ranch next fall.

Capt. James H. Davis, the popular live stock agent of the S. A. & A. P. railway, reports large numbers of empty stock cars are being distributed at shipping points along the line of his railway. Also that he has just sold 60 head of one and two-year-old mules of his own raising to J. D. Vivrett of Nashville, Tenn., for \$35 per head.

Marfa New Era:—The general round-up commenced on Monday. Joe Knight and Ketchum of San Antonio came down Monday to take in the round-up, and left the same morning for the scene of action, accompanied by D. G. Knight. The horse Kentucky which Capt. Nevill gave to J. M. Dean of El Paso, is dead. It is said that he was overdriven.

Floresville Chronicle:—The cattle market seems a little more lively this week. A good many one and two-year-olds are selling, though the price is rather low. Mr. F. M. Ellis lost a fine graded Holland heifer Saturday. The manner in which it was affected baffled the skill of the oldest veteran. It was taken with something like fits and died in a few hours. It may be an epidemic among cattle.

Chas. Kurtz, who returned from Chicago Saturday night, reports he left Kleburg on the Brownsville division of the S. A. & A. P. railway on the 23rd ult. with 400 head of beeves that averaged in Chicago 1001 lbs. He lost but one head on the trip and that was speared to death at Taylor by railway employes in unloading for feed and water. His was the first shipment from Kleburg, and sold in Chicago at 2½@3½c. His stock was bought from the famous Santa Gertrudes ranch in Nueces county.

George W. Sanders reports the following sales for the month of June: 1 car-load for Crabtree of Medina county for \$12; 1 car-load of mixed cattle for Geo. I. Wilson of Medina county for \$9; 10 cows for the Tom Bros. of Atascosa county for \$9; 1 car-load of mixed cattle for N. G. Butler of Karnes county for \$8; 1 car-load of mixed cattle for J. D. Smith of Bexar county for \$9.50; 1 car-load of 1 and 2-year-olds for E. R. Lane of San Antonio for \$7; 1 car-load of cows for N. G. Butler of Karnes county for \$10; 1 car-load of cows for W. W. Bailey of Medina county for \$13.25; 1 car-load of beeves for George Hinds of Frio county for \$17;

192 beeves, 2 and 3-year-olds, for Adams & Wickes of San Antonio for \$11; 15 cattle for McLane of Wilson county for \$9.50; 62 beeves for W. A. McCoy of Atascosa county for \$23; 1 car-load of mixed cattle for W. H. Hurd of Atascosa county for \$8; 50 mixed cattle for O. G. Hugo of Frio county for \$8; 1 car-load of mixed cattle for Musgrave & Dorsey of Atascosa county for \$9.50; 48 beeves and cows for Taylor Whitchett of Atascosa county for \$14.50; 1 car-load of cows for Millett Bros. of La Salle county for \$9.50; 1 car-load of mixed cattle for Hugh O'Reilly of Bee county for \$9; 1 car-load of cows for Emil Graff of Medina county for \$10; 1 car-load of cows for Wiley Rix of Live Oak county for \$10; 1 car-load of beeves for H. M. Beverley of San Antonio for \$15; 440 beeves for Buchanan of San Antonio for \$14; 132 beeves for W. A. Pettus of Goliad county for \$20; 33 stags for same for \$12; 200 beeves for M. K. Shiner of San Antonio for \$19.

**THE WOOL SACK.**

There are several blue ribbon clips on this market unsold. They are being held for higher prices.

The crop of lambs in Texas promises to be a large one next spring, as breeding will be generally resumed this fall.

Robert Thompson of Eagle Pass recently sold 121 head of ewes, six-year-olds and above at \$1.25 per head. Look out for spring lamb.

Mr. Slade, who has handled sheep in several counties of Southern and Western Texas, says Kinney and Maverick counties are the best sheep counties in the state.

Robert Paxton, a large wool grower of Presidio county, passed through the city this week en route to his old home in the Highlands of Scotland. He will return in time to attend to his fall clip.

John Truitt, a prominent wool grower of Maverick county, is in the city on business and will extend his trip to Philadelphia, Penn., on a visit to his relatives. Shearing time will see him home again.

While horses and cattle have been run poor in many localities by the attacks of flies and mosquitoes, sheep have been comparatively free from their attacks, being protected from them by their fleeces.

John Weymiller, the Uvalde county wool grower, was here a few days ago and said his wool did not sell in Galveston for any more than it would have sold for in San Antonio, but the Galveston charges were much higher than the San Antonio charges. He will think twice before he ships to Galveston again.

Texas wool growers do not take kindly to the idea of feeding sheep as is done in England. "The idea of raising beans, mangels and turnips for sheep!" exclaimed a prominent wool grower here the other day. "Why, I think I am mighty lucky when I get any canned vegetables for myself when in camp. No sir, God Almighty made feed too plentiful in Texas for the wool growers to go to raising vegetables for their flocks. The sheep have got to hump themselves for their dinners here and when they get too high-toned to do that I am going out of the business. Put that in your pipe and smoke it, my friend."

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THE time may come when rival beef packers will station men with spy glasses on top of their buildings to get first sight of a car-load of fat beef as it rolls toward market. The "mills of the gods grind slowly," as we know, and the fat beef supply will be ground wondrous fine. The Texas supply will keep up the longest and be in the ring when the change comes.

SOME crazy people are determined to cross the buffalo on common cattle in order to obtain 1½ cent beef and a \$2 hide. The buffalo straightly bred is worth 10c per pound as a rarity, and buffalo robes will soon be worth \$10 to \$25 each, independent of value as curiosities. The JOURNAL would suggest that the experimentalists raise buffalo and not mongrels.

**How They Handle Cattle.**

The Chicago Drovers' Journal of June 27th contains the following:

"The Chicago & Alton road furnished 2082 cattle to Chicago Tuesday. The Wabash was next with 1457; the Illinois Central, 1319; Rock Island, 959, and the Burlington 776."

**Our Stock of Sheep.**

An item is going the rounds crediting a Texas paper with having produced the statement that Texas shows

a record of 8390 wool growers who have an average flock of 9440 sheep, an increase of 118 per cent. in the last five years. We find the item in the National Live Stock Journal. The number above mentioned would be over 79,000,000, about 60 per cent. more than can be found in the United States. Texas has about 6,000,000 sheep in flocks averaging less than 1000 each, and has lost about 30 per cent in numbers during the past five years. If it was not that the numbers have been maintained in the Southwest the decrease would be about 50 per cent. Northern Texas has very few sheep compared with the numbers on hand in 1882 and 1883.

**The Tendency is Upward.**

When the beef market went up with a rush, as it did a few days ago, the JOURNAL designated it as a straw to show how the tide was turning, and did not assume that big prices for beef could be held up in the face of heavy runs of grass cattle.

Now that the market is down and demoralized something worse than usual the JOURNAL is just as hopeful as it was during the short prevalence of the temporary boom, and has just as good faith in the future as at any time. The run of cattle may be heavy and strong and will be so to the full extent that grass cattle owning stockmen can make it, while cheap grass fattens the cattle, but the inevitable change is coming fast and the scarcity known to exist will then be just as evident in beef circles as the overmarketing is now.

Gentlemen, don't despair; cattle are worth more money to-day than in 1882 and if cattle will not sell just so well to-day, it is because the sellers are in difficulties and the buyers are not. Time will make the changes, and the beef bonanza will be the talk of the world.

**THE SHEEP INTEREST.****Important Questions for Sheep Raisers.**

GREELEY, COL., June 29.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

Are there interests enough at stake, and possibilities of success sufficient to warrant an attempt to form a league of range sheep men? Idaho, Montana and Dakota, Utah, Wyoming and Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas, stand closely related in matters of interest pertaining to our business. The paramount question, the tariff, freight on wool and mutton, co-operation in marketing all our products, uniformity in wages, united effort in coaxing capital to invest in manufacturing in our midst, are questions sufficient to occupy a congress for years. Would you favor the selection of one or more to represent Texas in a congress to be held as long as desirable, at some central point at a time convenient all, or would you prefer a mass meeting to discuss and act, or something else, or nothing? Yours,

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meetings, but would give hearty and persistent support to a Western congress or association of sheep raisers to be formed for the purpose above mentioned. Views of sheep raisers on this subject will be published in the JOURNAL.—ED.

**Live Stock in Texas.**

The shipments of beef cattle during the entire year from Texas ranges and farms to the beef markets have aroused much interest in the live stock trade of Texas, and caused some speculation as to the actual capabilities of this state in live stock production, but the half has not been known or appreciated and the immense advantages of Texas as a stock fattening ground have been lost to sight by reason of the system that for many years placed one-half of Texas territory as a breeding country only. But now the run of corn-fed stock from the central corn belt, and the large shipments from Southern Texas of cottonseed, cactus and grass-fed cattle and sheep has attracted so much attention that a few figures showing the number and class of live stock in Texas ought to be of interest.

The extent of Texas is 274,356 square miles, or 175,587,840 acres, and the last assessment rolls show 7,081,976 head of cattle, 4,275,394 head of sheep, 940,927 hogs and 1,229,690 head of horse stock. This assessment rendition is based upon the number on hand in Texas on January 1st of each year, and is rendered before the spring increase is obtained and after the regular sale of all surplus stock, so that the actual number of stock carried within the state lines amounts to from 20 to 30 per cent. more. Our estimates based upon actual assessment and reports of stock associations place the number of live stock in Texas now as follows:

	Head.
Cattle.....	9,000,000
Sheep.....	6,000,000
Hogs.....	1,250,000
Horses and mules.....	1,500,000

To these can be added 750,000 goats and 10,000 jacks and jennets. From this it will be seen that every 13 acres in Texas, including towns, cities, ranches and farms, supports one head of cattle or horses, or 6 head of sheep, or 3 of swine, a showing hardly to be made by any other state or country.

The cattle can be classed as follows: 5,000,000 females and 4,000,000 steers.

Of the females 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 head each year are too young to breed; increase at the rate of 80 per cent., after counting losses, can be expected from 3,000,000 to 3,500,000 head, there being some variation different seasons. The calf crop amounts annually to 2,400,000 or 2,800,000 head, and from the females not breeding there are something near 600,000 dry cows shipped to the different markets for beef.

Of the 4,000,000 steer cattle annually on hand about 500,000 have heretofore been driven or shipped annually to the Northern territories, to New Mexico, Arizona, and the Indian Territory, while the aged cattle, as beef, and including the surplus dry cows, have gone to St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City, Memphis, New Orleans and other markets. The remainder were consumed at home. Last year Chicago alone credited Texas with 485,000 head of cattle, the Texans being absorbed at other markets without special mention in statistical returns. This year with exception of 26,000 to 30,000 cattle sent up the trail the entire cattle movement is by rail. The available output consists of fat steers, canning beef, cows, stags, bulls, two-year-olds, yearlings and calves, and is fully equal to the calf crop of the year, 2,400,000 head, or at 24 to the car. 100,000 car-loads, nearly 50 per cent. of that number having moved already out of the state. This includes all regular beef market shipments and the shipments to the Indian Territory and to the Northwestern ranges.

Of sheep, owing to the high values for mutton early in the season and the extra good condition of the stock, the early movement to market was fully 500,000 head with a reasonable estimate of 800,000 more sheep going this year, unless the markets rule very low. The light movement in sheep is partly due to the failure of railroad managers to adjust rates to permit Western & Southern sheep to be shipped into the farming sections and shipped out again to market. Texas can easily ship 2,500,000 muttons or 10,000 car-loads each year. The entire wool clip is between 20,000,000 and 24,000,000 pounds each year, the present spring clip amounting to 15,000,000 pounds of wool.

The small stock of hogs in Texas is due partly to low prices for the past two years, but now hogs are in great demand and a rapid increase is expected. The stock can be doubled



any favorable year; 500 cars is the maximum of past annual movements, a very large proportion of the hogs raised being consumed in Texas.

The irregularity of the horse trade prevents us closely watching the output, but the surplus is fully 300,000 head per year, or about 10,000 car-loads. The Texas supply is greatly augmented by annual drives from Mexico and any scarcity in this class of stock is rapidly filled in from that country. The demand is very strong for mares, young colts and fillies, and nearly every section of the United States is represented on our markets.

The available supply of Texas stock of all ages, condition, size, etc., for the next twelve months can be safely estimated at 100,000 cars cattle, 10,000 cars sheep, 500 cars hogs, and 10,000 cars horses, the estimate being based upon knowledge of fall grain crops, and the advantage of fattening larger numbers of cattle, sheep and swine than usual; all these can be furnished without reducing the number of breeding stock actually known to be within the state, and the annual output for the next three years will not greatly vary from these figures.

**Public Sales at Gouldings.**

Denver Field and Farm.

Messrs. George L. Goulding & Co., at their city stock yards in this city, have lately inaugurated a weekly series of public sales. The first was given last Saturday and proved an entire success. About fourteen hundred dollars worth of cattle and horses were disposed of. This present Saturday will be given the second of the series, and a lively trade may be expected. Here is what the gentlemen say in their circular to the public:

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As showing the extent of the cattle interest of Pima county, the Tucson Star enumerate as to owners and cattle there as follows: W. L. Vail and associates have not less than 20,000 head. Last year they branded over 4000 calves. Marsh & Driscoll have in the neighborhood of 23,000 head and they also branded over 4000 calves last year. The Land & Hays company of Barbacomari grant have above 15,000 head, a number of which are in Cochise county. They branded 3,000 calves. The Cameron Bros. on the San Rafael ranch have almost 12,000. They branded nearly 3000 calves last year. The Calabasas Land and Cattle company have about 13,000 head and branded over 3000 calves last season. Sabino Otero has about 7000 head and handled over 2200 calves, Pedro

Aguirre and associates have 6000 head and handled 2000 calves. Geo. Pusch has about 6000 head. Richardson & Gormly have between 7000 and 8000 head. They branded 2100 calves. They recently purchased 1000 head from Ashburn Bros. Arnatha has about 2500 on his Santa Cruz ranch, and there are about a dozen others in the Santa Cruz valley who have from 500 to 1500 head. Then there are a number on the San Pedro who have from 500 to 1000 head, and also a number of stockmen through the Tanque Verde, Santa Ritas, Sierras and ranges west of Tucson, who have bunches of cattle ranging from 500 to 1000 head, all of which goes to show that the stock interest of Pima is of paramount importance.

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**A Herd of Buffalo.**

CHICAGO, June 30.—The Times tomorrow will print the final carrier-pigeon dispatch from its Texas buffalo hunting expedition. Success has been attained, and fifteen live full-grown buffalo, with seven calves, the last herd roaming at large on the continent, are now on the way to a ranch at Garden City, Kas. There they will be crossed with thoroughbred domestic cows. Those in charge of the experiment say the result will be to revolutionize the breeding of range cattle.

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The Chicago live stock receipts from January 1st to July 1st amount to an increase of 124,000 cattle, 214,000 hogs and 72,000 sheep. Texas furnished all the increase of cattle and sheep.

If Texas cattlemen will wait until the stock is fat before shipment, higher prices than are now paid may be realized, but by no possible chance can the cattle bring less.

The JOURNAL was in error last issue in crediting the San Saba wool sales to Gatesville. This was by reason of looking for Gatesville sales and not for the San Saba sales. We are indebted to Mr. J. E. Vernor, editor of the San Saba News, for the correction. The wool sold at San Saba amounted to nearly 500,000 pounds, and the prices obtained were fairly good, considering the great depression.

#### FORT WORTH NOTES.

Messrs. R. E. Maddox & Co. of Fort Worth have several good lots of North Texas horses and mares to trade for Western cattle.

Hensley Bros. & Oliver have purchased of Mr. John Hensley of Jack county several hundred two and three-year-old steers at \$11@16 around.

Young, Andrews & Kuhen of Fort Worth have on hand 200 saddle horses, 100 mares, 50 work horses and 30 mules and will sell in any number.

A Fort Worth stockman received a telegram last Monday announcing that some bulls he had on the market had sold for the magnificently low price of \$1.35 per hundred.

Mensley Bros. & Oliver sold a string of 4 and 5-year-old steers, about 650 head, located in the Chickasaw Nation, to A. Zudick at \$24 around. These steers were purchased as yearlings in Tarrant county.

Hatcher, Woods & Coppinger have on hand and soon to arrive here for sale, 100 head of North Texas horses. Their latest sales are 6 head of horses at \$40 per head and a car-load of common Western mares at \$22.50.

An advertisement in the For Sale or Exchange column of the Journal from Pittsburg, Kansas, offers good real estate paper and interest in Kansas City syndicate property in exchange for a mixed bunch of cattle.

Stockmen in this vicinity can not see where the heavy run was that broke the market. The Chicago run was heavier the previous week when Texas men made money for the first time in several years.

At the Fourth of July parade, Mr. W. F. Patterson, seed merchant of Fort Worth, had a float containing Johnson grass, corn and millet freshly cut from Tarrant county farms. The display was very good.

A stockman living near Fort Worth received letters from friends in Kentucky saying the Morris, Swift and Armour were purchasing choice beeves in large numbers and contracting for cattle sixty days in advance.

Sam Glasgow has returned from a trip to the Eastern Panhandle and the Indian Territory. He reports the range country he traveled over in very good condition. Mr. Glasgow moved some steers into the Cherokee strip.

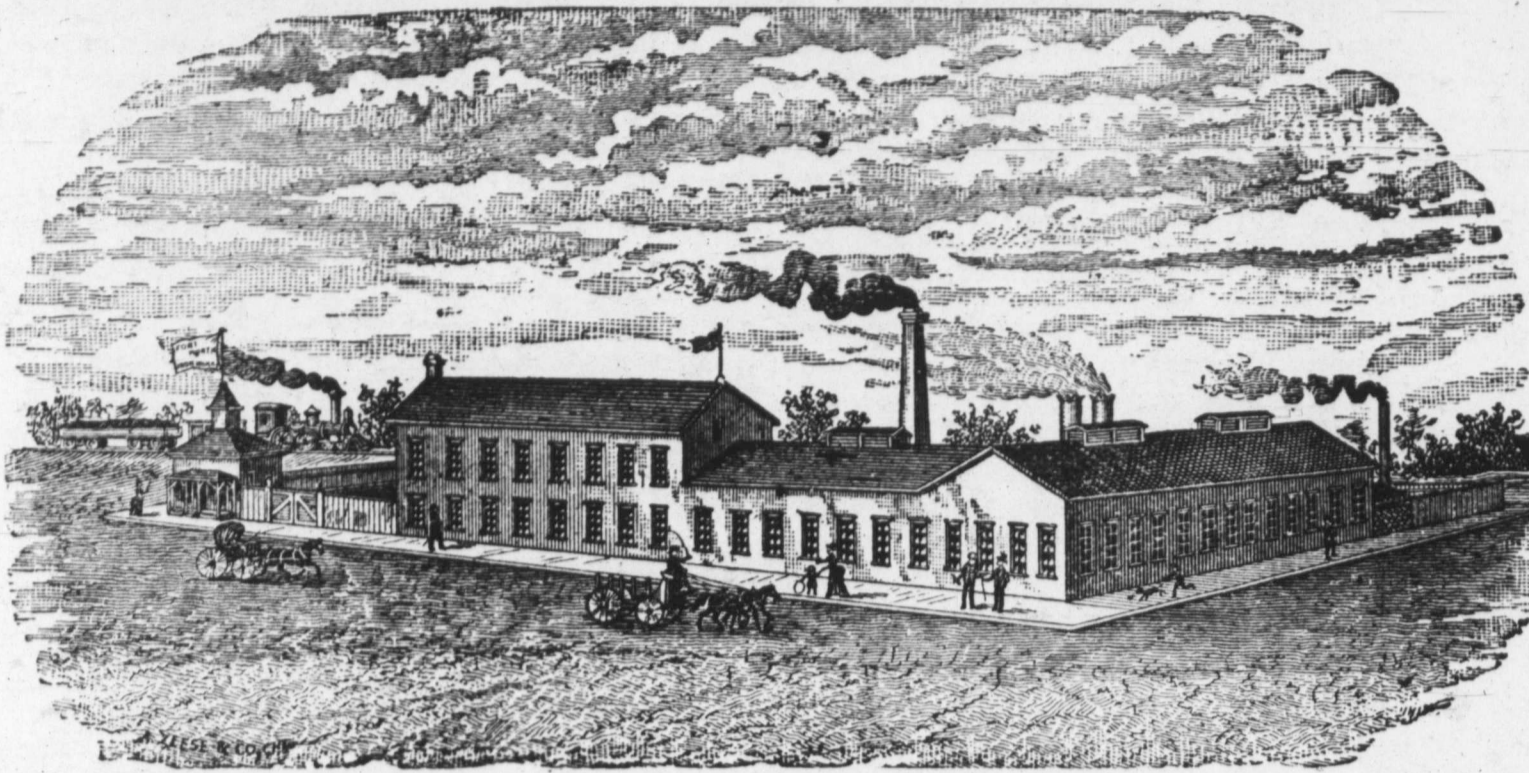
Jno. S. Powell & Co. have sold to J. B. White of Turtle Bayou, and to James Jackson of Double Bayou, Chambers county, 2 car-loads of high-grade Devon and Durham bulls. They have also sold 2 stallions in the same county.

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The Louisville Land & Cattle company of Dickens county has about 3200 double wintered steers in the Indian Territory and recently sold them to Swearingen & Forsyth. The price mentioned is about \$32 per head or \$100,000 in all.

Mr. Jno. B. Waide of Bolivar, Denton county, was in town. He is one of the old-time horse and cattle raisers of Texas and now has 100 beef steers in pasture. These he will sell to any speculator at prices to suit the present condition of the market.

Messrs. Hatcher, Woods & Coppinger of Fort Worth report the sale of 2 cars of choice mares to M. Hankins, Memphis, Tenn., 1 car at \$30 around and 1 car \$37.50; also to C. L. Lemons of Illinois, 1 car of yearling and two-year-olds at \$15 and \$24 respectively.

Major J. W. Burgess of Blue Mound stock farm is advertising 30 Shorthorn bulls for sale and puts a price upon them in his advertisement. The JOURNAL suggests that stockmen buy bulls while they are cheap, because next year when cattle will be high bulls will go up too.

The W. A. Huffman Implement Co. are having a large run on the Dicks famous feed cutter and are receiving letters stating that it is fully up to the good qualities claimed for it. Mr. F. M. Houts of Hereford Ranch, Wise county writes them to the effect that it is the best he has ever used or seen.

The Greer county beef cattle are not yet ready for market and will not be a day later than usual. Although Greer county is par excellence a grazing country and in some sort of way the remnant of the free range, it is now feeding full one hundred thousand cattle, or about thirty thousand more than a cattle range of that character ought to support and fatten.

The firm of Geo. L. Goulding & Co. of Denver, Colorado, have arranged a regular weekly sale of live stock, something Fort Worth dealers can do with advantage to themselves. The rules and regulations of the Goulding sales are to be found in the paper and special attention is invited to the same. When George L. Goulding went to Denver he went to a good climate, but he is not there for his health.

Mr. T. P. Lenoir of Fort Worth has just returned from a trip to Southern Texas, and having passed most of his time in that section is very much pleased at the great prosperity of his old friends and neighbors. Mr. Lenoir says that crops of all kinds are abundant; the grasses are luxuriant, the streams are just booming and live stock are in excellent condition. Southern Texas now desires nothing but a deep water seaport.

The livery stable of Wilkes & Gause has changed location from Rusk street to the new Palace stables, 314 West Weatherford street, Fort Worth, the building being constructed for and owned by Mr. George L. Gause of the firm. The undertaking business of Flenner & Gause is now owned solely by Mr. George L. Gause, and is conducted from special apartments constructed in the Palace stable building. Mr. Gause makes a specialty of telegraph orders, giving all such his personal attention.

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#### To the Afflicted.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Dr. J. R. Pollock in this issue of the JOURNAL. To those who are afflicted with rectal troubles we can recommend the doctor as a specialist in that particular; he having effected some remarkable cures in cases which had become chronic. Dr. Pollock successfully treats consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, dyspepsia and all other chronic diseases with oxygen and electricity. Correspond with the doctor if you need the services of a reliable physician who can give the best of references.

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DALLAS.

Stock Sales in Dallas.

Monday was stock sales day in Dallas and the exhibit was characterized by the usual routine. Some pretty good horses were sold at from \$30 to \$85 and from this down to the veriest plug, running in price from six-bits to \$10. One man sold an old work mule for 50c and a Waterbury watch, both parties walking away elated at the immensity of the bargain. The STOCK JOURNAL noticed a disappointed participant late in the evening crawl up on an old limp, flea-bitten dun and start home leading a small, fuzzy black pony. He explained to us that he had been there all day, starting from home before sun up, for the purpose of selling his exhibit. "Pshaw! don't believe I can sell them at all; saw a very good horse sell for \$2.50. I'm going home," he said he as he went off. There is little to gain or learn in attending these monthly sales. It is the exception that good horses are offered, and few, except the professional horse trader, and they are numerous on these occasions, who have a ghost of an idea of what they are buying. The uninitiated had better stay away, as a rule, and stock up at private sales. Every old worthless, superfluous plug within a radius of forty miles of Dallas is regularly brought here on these days, and offered to the highest bidder. The STOCK JOURNAL gives them little or no attention, as a rule, for the quotations have no bearing on the general market whatever.

The Cotton-Worm Plague.

H. O. Samuel of Mesquite informs the STOCK JOURNAL that the cotton worms completely destroyed the first planting in his section this season, and in the eastern portion of the county. He had in 500 acres, which was completely taken by this pest, but he has since replanted, and the promise is good. He instances similar trouble elsewhere and particularly in the Northwestern states, from the ravages of the grasshoppers on growing crops there. In Iowa the legislature, he says, took cognizance of the matter and distributed many car-loads for the farmers to use in destroying them. Mr. Samuel thinks that a little discussion of the subject by the press of the state might have its good effects here, in the way of calling the attention of our law-makers to the matter. There is a sort of "hand to hand" interest in the progress of the state and the farmer—they go together, and a common success implies that each must see to the other, in time of need. The destruction of the crops is an attack upon the state's revenue.

Wool and Hides.

H. G. Brady & Co. received one car of butcher hides from Fort Worth this week. The same firm shipped 1 car to St. Louis last week, 2 cars hides and 1 of wool to same point this week, 2 cars hides to Boston last week, 1 car to Chicago this week, 1 car wool also to Chicago this week, and 1 car to St. Louis. No prices given. The gentlemen inform us that these are the last shipments of wool until the fall clip. The firm are in no elevated pitch of enthusiasm ever prospective prices, and intimate that their allegiance to business is about as much for business sake as anything else, for there is certainly very little to promise, however close the trade may be followed up.

Sales of Cattle at Carter & Son's Stock Yards, Dallas.

J. E. Davis sold to F. & J. Hamm 13 mixed cattle at \$12.50 per head; to A. Bergman 7 head at \$10 per head. Mr. Stratton of Lisbon sold 9 yearlings at \$7.50 per head. Henry Goodman of Collin county sold 5 cows to local butchers at \$13; 4 steers, av. 850 lbs, at 2c; 2 bulls, av. 975 lbs, at 14c. O. P. Harrison of Hill county sold a bunch of yearlings at an average price of \$8.75 per head. D. E. Jenkins of Kaufman county sold 1 car of fat grassers on the local market. Mr. Chapell of Grand Prairie sold 4 milch cows at an average price of \$27. D. E. Stokes of Forney sold 18 sheep at \$3 per head. F. Galeback sold 13 mixed cattle at \$14 around.

Market Notes.

Quotations for wheat Tuesday in Dallas: for new, 75c; old, 90c. There is a great deal coming in, and grades No. 2.

OATS.

Oats sell from the wagons, sacked, at from 22@25.

At Hetherington & Nason's.

We found quite an assortment of well pumps and steam pumps of different kinds, with pipes, and fixtures, at Hetherington & Nason's, 407 Elm street, Dallas, the other day. They are well fixed to fill orders this season in machinery supplies, and we found their prices quite reasonable. Try them when you wish to order.

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Inauguration of the Greatest Suit on Record.

KANSAS CITY, July 3.—The validity of the Maxwell land grant is soon to be put to a severe test. The Interstate Land company, which under the leadership of Charles Goodnight, the Texas cattle king, purchased the Beals grant a few years ago, has just secured the original papers in the Beals grant and will soon institute suit in the United States courts to dispossess the owners of the Maxwell grant, which is included in the territory comprising the Beals grant. The land covers millions of acres in New Mexico, Colorado and Kansas, and is of enormous value, as a number of towns are situated therein, Trinidad, Col., being one of the number. The Interstate company began suit in Denver sometime ago, but found their case was worthless without the original papers. An agent was sent to Europe to obtain them, and after a year's search he succeeded in finding them, and they are ready to proceed. The Maxwell company is now engaged in selling a million dollars worth of bonds secured by its grant.

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CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

So Many Texans Out of Season—Prices of Stock—Angora Robes.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

U. S. YARDS, }  
CHICAGO, ILL., July 2, '88. }

Receipts last week were 48,000 cattle of which half or 24,000 were Texans. This was the largest week's receipts of Texans ever known, and coming as it did on top of a rush of native grass cattle, prices went off 75c per cwt. in short order. The drop was so much that prices for cattle are put down to a point that ought to call a halt in the run. Cattlemen can now afford to let their cattle get fatter, as they are not taking much chance of lower prices later in the season when pretty good 900 to 1000-lb steers get down to \$2.50, and fair to good cows sell at \$1.25@1.75. That is getting down to bed rock and it is time to hold back for more weight. As long as prices were pretty fair there was no advantage in waiting for cattle to get heavier, as they would get cheaper as well.

To-day there was an up turn in prices and the good cattle sold 10c higher. Some good to choice 1000 to 1060-lb cattle sold at \$3.25@3.65, but the inferior steers sold at \$2@2.25, and cows and bulls as low as \$1.15.

Prices are higher in England, and the prospects here for good cattle are fairly encouraging. The sheep market is steady at \$3@3.55 for poor to good Texas muttons and dull for scalawags at \$2.25@2.75.

Mr. R. F. Quick showed the writer to-day a magnificent dressed Angora goat skin presented to him by R. Fielder & Son of Langtry. It looks as if they ought to sell at good prices for rugs, lap robes, etc.

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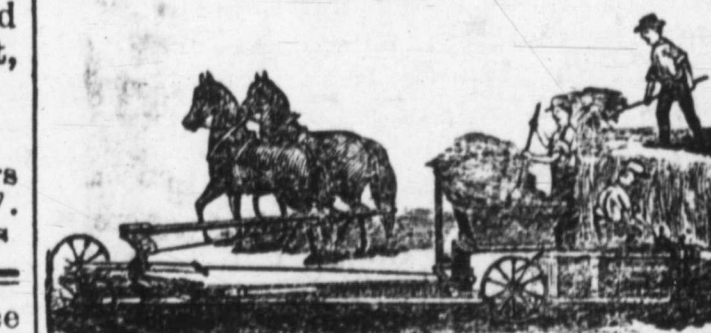
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**A Good Showing.**  
Uvalde News.

To Mr. F. Voelcker we are indebted for the following figures regarding the shipments from this point:

	Cars.	No.
Sheep.....	115.....	23681
Cattle.....	203.....	4773
Horses.....	4.....	124
Goats.....	1.....	245

There were 1188 bags of wool shipped, weighing 257,832 pounds. There were also 30 car-loads of wool shipped by Messrs. Smith & Cocke to Eagle Pass. The above includes shipments from January 1 to June 22, nearly six months. Estimating at low figures we have the following result for stock:

23681 sheep, at \$2.25.....	\$ 53,282.25
4773 cattle, at \$12.50.....	71,595.00
257,832 lbs wool, at 15c.....	38,674.80
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$163,552.05</b>

This, of course, is placing the net amounts at low figures, as better prices were realized. The shipment of wool, according to the statement, is very light, a much larger amount being shipped every season. Of this amount 294 bags, weighing 65,144 pounds, were shipped to Galveston, and 894 bags, weighing 192,698 pounds, went to San Antonio. It must also be remembered that a very large amount of wool and a great many head of stock were shipped from Cline and Sabinal, which would raise the total to a very large figure. From Cline was shipped the Weymiller clip of over 100 bags, and also the Flowers clip and several other smaller ones. From Sabinal were forwarded several large clips. These figures make a good showing for the prosperity of the country.

All desiring employment should write to B. F. Johnson & Co., 1009 Main street, Richmond, Va. See their advertisement.

**"The Cattle Boom "Resting."**  
American Stockman and Farmer.

The cattle trade of the past week has been watched with great interest. Taking it as a whole, it is unmistakable that ground has been lost. But there are a few points connected with the course of the market which give the situation somewhat of an undertone of strength. One is that cattle dropped at Chicago early in the week, and that after the first decline there was but little following change, notwithstanding the torrid weather. Another is that good cattle held a part of the late advance, and the greatest decline was on common stock, although even that class of stock is better than some weeks ago. Still another is that this ground was held, although last week was marked by increased receipts. Then other markets throughout the country, which had enjoyed less of an advance than Chicago, also show much less of a decline, prices in some places being nearly fully sustained. The cream of the late boom has been skimmed off, and whether it returns soon again is one of those things of which nobody can be certain; but it is improbable that cattle will recede again to the basis of May prices.

**Why G. F. Morse is a Lucky Man.**  
Boston (Mass) Record, April 28.  
Mr. G. F. Morse of 880 Harrison ave., Boston, Mass., is a lucky man. He held one-tenth of ticket No. 19,862, which drew the second capital prize of \$50,000 in the drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery held on the 10th inst. To a reporter Mr. Morse said: "It is true that I drew \$5000 in the recent drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery. I held one-tenth of ticket No. 19,862. This is the second time I have been lucky," continued Mr. Morse. "I also drew \$5000 last December. In that drawing I held one-twentieth of the \$100,000 prize ticket No. 8180."

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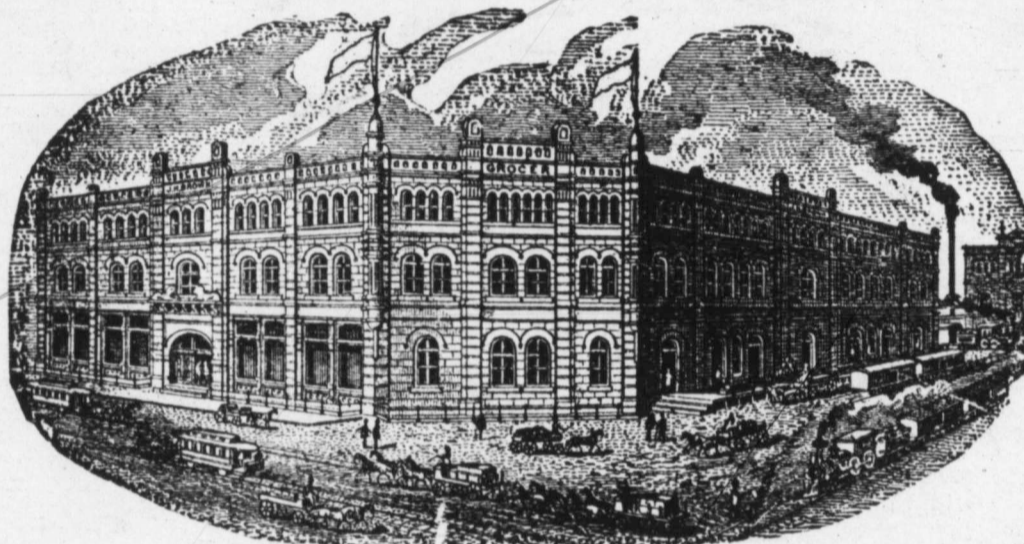
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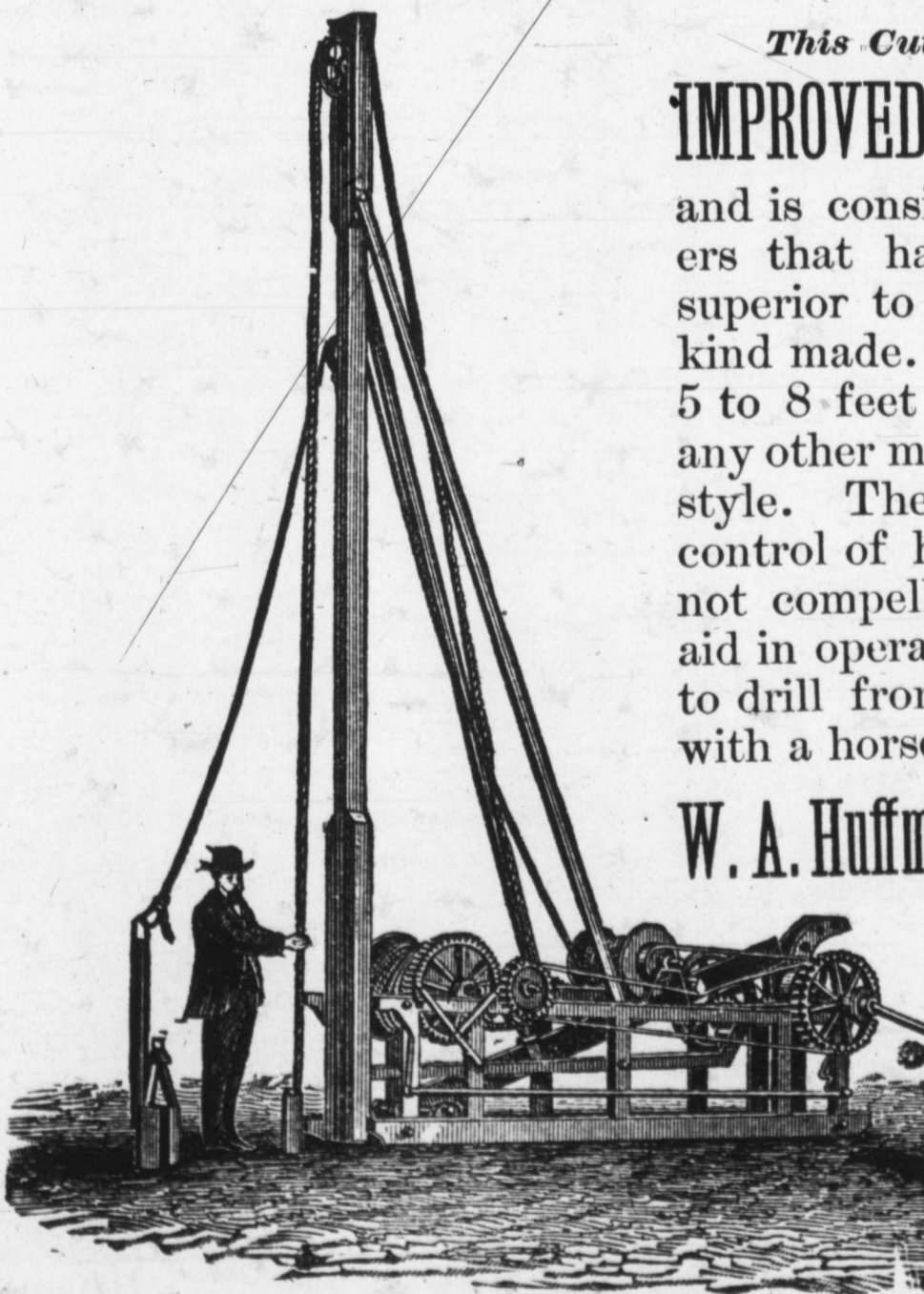
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**The Dressed Beef Rate War Feels the Kansas City Knife.**

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 30.—As a result of the rate war between the Chicago Grand Trunk and the consolidated trunk lines, the Wabash to-day reduced its rates on dressed beef to New York to 56¢ per 100. This cut is a deep one, and fills the Kansas City packers with joy. It is now possible to compete directly with Chicago in the New York market. The rate from Chicago is 30½ cents, but cattle can be procured so much cheaper at this point that it makes it possible with existing rates for the local packers to undersell their Chicago rivals in the metropolis.

**A Winner of \$15,000.**

Dallas (Tex.) News, May 20.

An interview was had yesterday with Mr. Frank Bergen, who recently won \$15,000 in the Louisiana State Lottery. He was found at his saloon, corner Akard and Marilla streets, and in answer to a question, said he has lived in Dallas for fourteen or fifteen years, and was in the railroad business for about six years.

"Was this the first time you ever bought a ticket?"

"No; it was the second time, but it was the first time I ever won anything."

"Were you surprised at hearing of your good luck?"

"Surprised? When I should remark—as William M. Everts would say, I was most completely inebriated by an exuberance of surprise."

"How do you intend spending your money?"

"Well, for some time past I have been endeavoring to save money enough to build a home, but it was uphill work. Now, however, I am fixed and intend investing in Dallas real estate in a very short time."

"Have you received your money yet, Mr. Bergen?"

"Yes, I received a check for the full amount and got it cashed."

"Tell me, Mr. Bergen, how does a man feel when he strikes it rich?"

"Well, sir, I cannot describe the feeling. The first three or four hours you don't know whether you are on your head or your feet, and you don't care. If you should happen to be walking down the street and fall headlong into one of the numerous ditches and holes peculiar to Dallas, or should you happen to be crossing a ditch where pipe had been recently laid and stick there you wouldn't cuss; you'd be too happy, and merely cry, 'Eureka! I have struck morass, certain! Won't you have something?'"

Pearsall News:—Frio is one of the best stock-raising counties in the state of Texas, and nowhere can farming and stock-raising be more profitably combined. The native cattle are being crossed with improved bulls so that each year the horns grow shorter. The assessment rolls of 1887 showed that Frio had 56,960 head of cattle, 4358 head of horses and mules, 16,382 head of sheep and 4229 goats. (The assessment rolls for 1888 have not been completed at this writing, but will doubtless show an increase over last year.) The total valuation of taxable property amounted to \$1,967,484 in 1887. The assessment rolls have not shown an increase of taxable wealth owing to the decline in the price of live stock which has prevailed throughout the country; and most of Frio county property consists of live stock. Stock thrive on the native grasses and until recently there never was any winter feeding, as all kinds of stock would do well hunting their own living during the winter months. Besides an abundance of grasses there are many plants that furnish nutritious foods, while the bean of the mesquite tree will fatten

any kind of stock more rapidly than corn. Cattle raising is the principal industry and now that stockmen have taken to the winter feeding of prickly pear and cottonseed meal this bids fair to become a more important factor in the future prosperity of the county. Horses and mules can be profitably raised and readily sold at all seasons of the year. Sheep and goats can also be handled and a handsome profit realized, as no winter care is required. Hogs do well and could be raised in many portions of the county at a smaller outlay and greater profit than perhaps any other kind of stock.

**Glanders in Dallas County.**

Dr. Wm. Folsetter, veterinarian, informs the STOCK JOURNAL that there are numerous cases of glanders among horses in Dallas county. Saturday he was called to Mr. Whitaker's, a farmer residing west of town. Here he found two nice mules in an advanced stage of the disease and for which it was impossible to do anything any further than to recommend shooting at once.

Another fine mule on the same place exhibited evidences that placed it far from above suspicion of being similarly afflicted. The doctor thinks the disease quite prevalent through the country and suggests the propriety of people generally, having horses and mules, to be constantly on their guard.

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Cotulla Ledger:—M. P. Kerr sold 250 bags of wool during the past ten days at from 14 to 15¢ per pound. The clips were that of Mrs. A. Burke, Tim Conlan and Chas. Sullivan. Dull Bros. clip is stored here and is being held for a higher market, but from the present lights before us we believe the top of the market has been reached and cheap wool will never reach the price again this season that has been recently paid.

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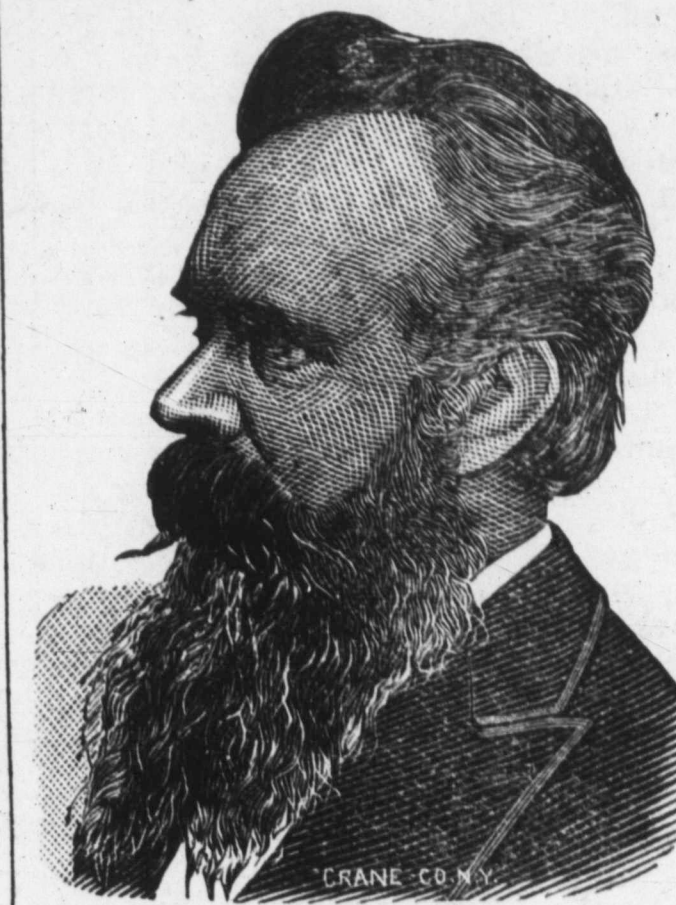
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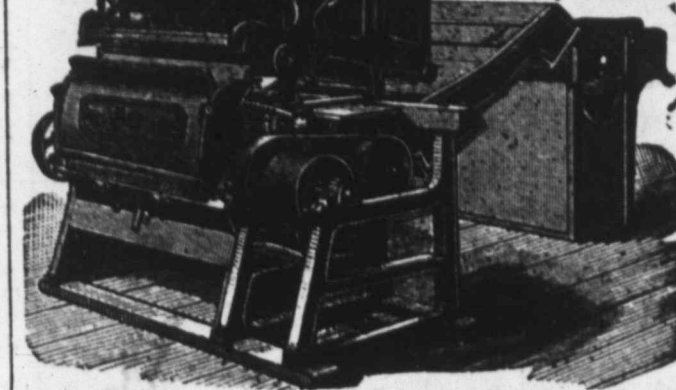
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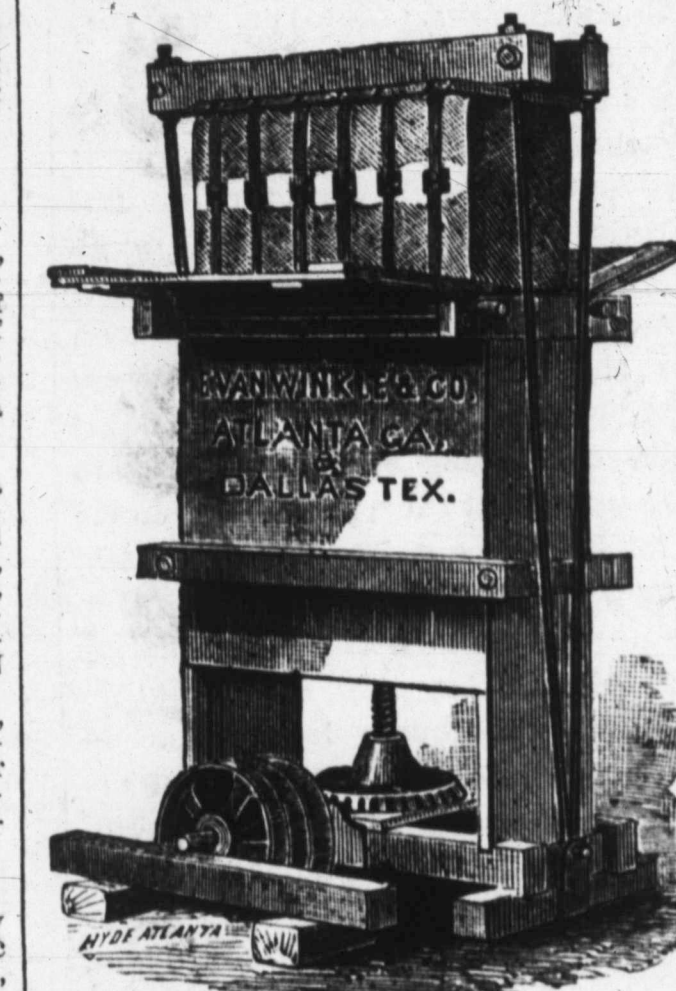
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The "Glorious Fourth" is at hand, and the market is out of joint. Holidays have a tendency to upset the market, but in this case it only makes it worse. In my last letter I stated that the market was in a bad way and prices had come down in consequence. Well, since then there has been no improvement, and it is worse if anything. Prices have gone glimmering, that is certain. Range cattle are quoted all the way from \$1.50 to \$3.40 per 100 lbs; the former for cows, heifers, yearlings and common steers, and the last named for choice Texas and Indian steers. Cows, heifers, yearlings and thin steers dull of disposal at \$1.50 \$2.25 per 100 lbs. The run was very large, and all did not find sale. Many were shipped in first hands to Chicago and the East, to be given away at those points, for buyers further east are pretty well supplied with range cattle. One thing is certain: Texas shippers are losing money just now on their shipments. The influx is very large, but how long it will last remains to be seen. Some stockmen entertain the opinion that the run will be short; that is, it will not be excessive, and prices will recuperate and come up to their normal values. Corn-fed native steers of 1250 to 1500 lbs maintain their own, and bring from \$5.50 to \$5.75 per 100 lbs. Good butcher steers are also wanted. This is a hopeful sign for Texas ranchmen who have good beeves.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for Thos. Gruning, Tioga, 23 head, 874 lbs, at \$2.55. For J. L. Huggins, Doss, 40 head, 1001 lbs, at \$3.25; 20 head, 975 lbs, at \$3.25; 25 cows, 792 lbs, at \$2. For Geo. T. Kimbrough, Pottsboro, 20 head, 1006 lbs, at \$2.85. For J. O. Hall, Adair, I. T., 23 steers, 1107 lbs, at \$3.50; 62 head, 920 lbs, at \$3.25; 25 head, 885 lbs, at \$2.30; 16 cows, 752 lbs, at \$2. For J. N. Kimberlin, Mt. Vernon, 24 head, 904 lbs, at \$2.90. For A. J. Davis, Gainesville, 25 head, 824 lbs, at \$2.75. For Winfield Scott, Colorado, 24 head, 911 lbs, at \$3.25; 24 head, 820 lbs, at \$2.70. For J. T. Speers, Gainesville, 68 head, 994 lbs, at \$3.50. For Ellis, St. Jo, 26 head, 900 lbs, at \$3.25. For John Browder, St. Jo, 23 head, 826 lbs, at \$3; 24 head, 774 lbs, at \$2.60.

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for Rinderknecht & Bros., Gainesville, 23 head, 896 lbs, at \$3. For Warren & Benton, Henrietta, 26 head, 855 lbs, at \$3.10; 24 head, 773 lbs, at \$2.10. For J. P. Ball, Whitesboro, 24 head, 851 lbs, at \$2.75. For W. B. Gregg, Denton, 23 head, 759 lbs, at \$2; 24 head, 811 lbs, at \$1.80.

Hunter, Evans & Co. sold for J. Reeves, Honey Grove, 18 steers, 970 lbs, at \$3.15; 20 head, 957 lbs, at \$3.40. For G. W. Weaver, Plano, 22 steers, 918 lbs, at \$3.10. For Cox & Martin, Mullen, 36 yearlings, 472 lbs, at \$1.37 1/2; 46 head, 700 lbs, at \$1.65. For J. E. Martin, Mullen, 25 head, 782 lbs, at \$2.50; 23 head, 646 lbs, at \$1.65. For J. J. Cox, Mullen, 25 head, 699 lbs, at \$2.37 1/2. For D. Waggoner & Son, Harrold, 159 calves at \$5.50.

James H. Campbell & Co. sold 25 steers, 808 lbs, at \$2.75; 23 head, 844

lbs, at \$2 60; 25 head, 706 lbs, at \$2.50; 20 Indian steers, 932 lbs, at \$3.50; 21 head, 927 lbs, at \$3.50; 23 head, 891 lbs, at \$3.25; 133 Texas steers, 933 lbs, at \$3.10; 67 head, 918 lbs, at \$3.10; 20 head, 938 lbs, at \$3 35; 21 head, 920 lbs, at \$2.75; 24 head, 905 lbs, at \$2.80; 29 head, 800 lbs, at \$2.35; 52 cows, 803 lbs, at \$1.90; 6 bulls, 1140 lbs, at \$1.70; 13 cows, 820 lbs, at \$1.55; 66 steers, 996 lbs, at \$3.40; 49 Indian steers, 1028 lbs, at \$3.50; 26 Texas cows, 802 lbs, at \$1.65; 52 steers, 982 lbs, at \$3.65.

The sheep market was active on good fat muttons, and prices were well maintained. The demand was large, while the supply was very small, and buyers could not get all they wanted. Common sheep and stockers were in fair supply and dull at \$2@2.75 per 100 lbs, while good and heavy muttons brought \$3@4 per 100 lbs. It does not pay to send common Texas sheep to market.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for Trammell & McCarthy, Sweetwater, 494 sheep of 69 lbs, at \$3.12 1/2.

Cassidy Bros & Co sold for T. J. Arrington, Austin, 203 sheep of 65 lbs, at \$2.70.

Hunter, Evans & Co. sold for J. T. King, Corn Hill, 219 sheep, 68 lbs, at \$2.37 1/2.

Wool commission dealers are taking a sort of breathing spell. I visited wool row to-day and found them all busy. Offerings of Texas wool quite fair, but not as large as it could be. Many were not prepared to give sales just then. Prices continue weak.

The Western Wool Commission company sold 22,000 lbs, Hamilton county, at 16c; 14,000 lbs, Colorado City, at 15c; 26,000 lbs, Tom Green county, at 15c; 5000 lbs, Belton, at 16c.

Offerings of Texas ponies and horses, like cattle, were very large, in fact excessive, and prices the lowest in years, ranging from \$20 to \$30 per head. Common and medium horses dull. Sam A. White says that shippers pay too much money down in Texas, and cannot come out even up here or further east. RATTLER.

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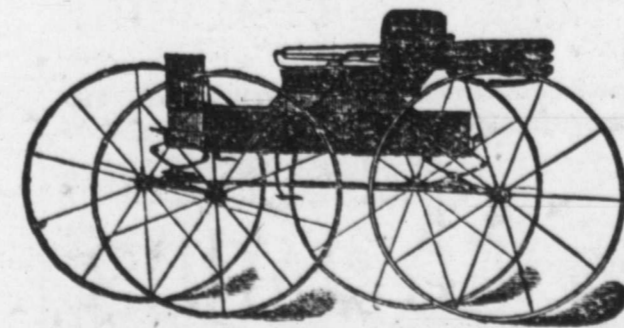
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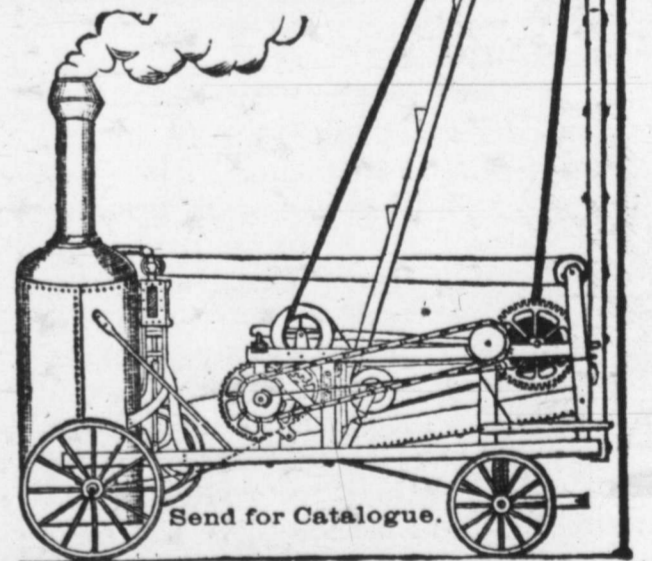
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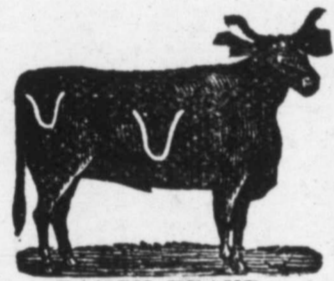


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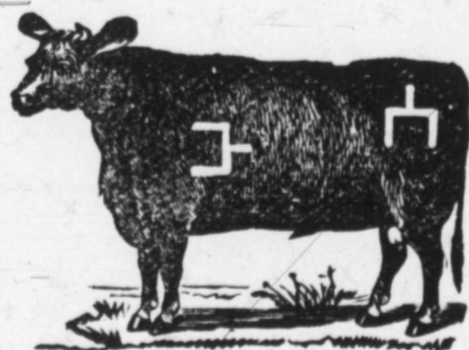


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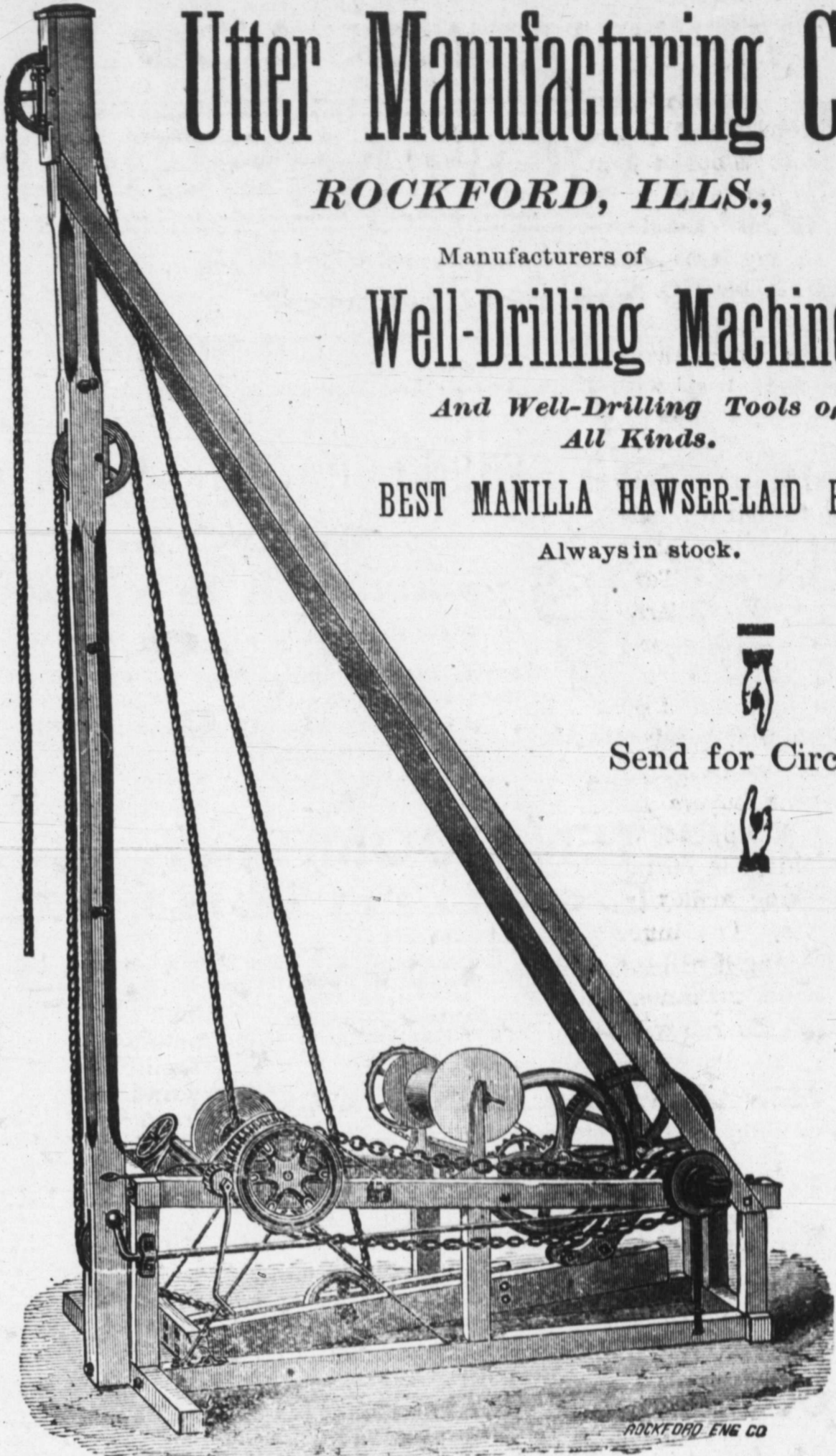
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