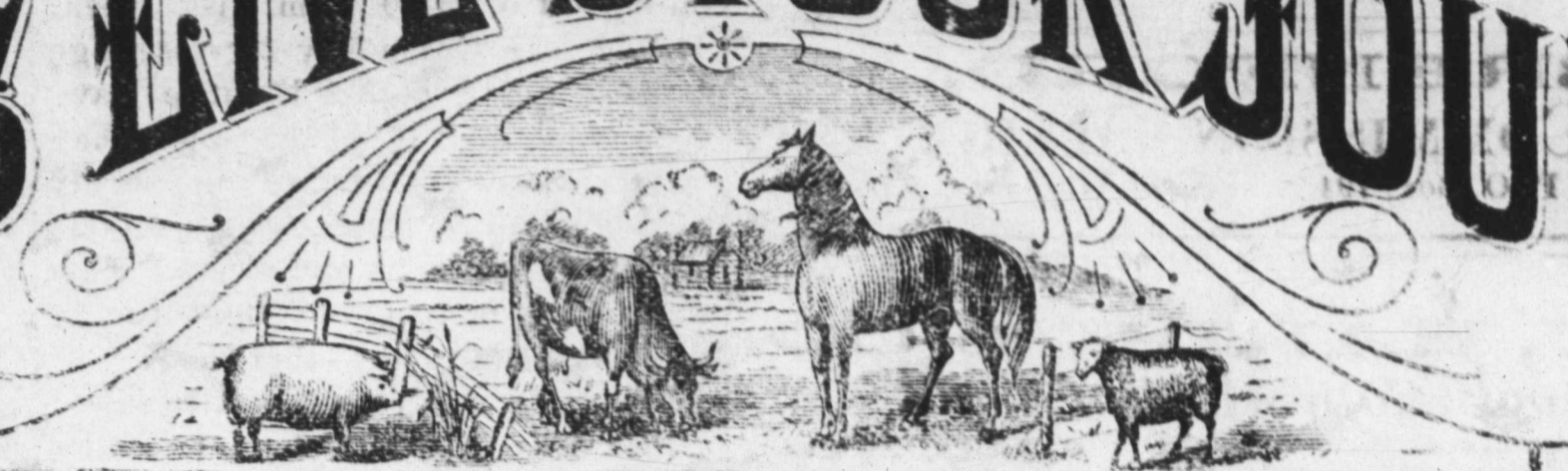


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Latest Reports by Wire From the
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CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 29, '89.

Special to the Live Stock Journal.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold 285
cows, 762 lbs, \$2.25.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for W Scott
78 cows, 762 lbs, \$2.05.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold for
D R Streeter, 51 steers, 974 lbs, \$2.80;
216 cows, 730 lbs, \$1.85.

Scaling & Tamblin sold 75 steers,
986 lbs, \$2.70; 29 cows, 713 lbs, \$2.15;
71 cows, 724 lbs, \$1.95; 54 cows, 712

lbs, \$1.95; 50 cows, 696 lbs, \$1.75; 24
cows, 735 lbs, \$1.70; 21 bulls, 1005
lbs, \$1.40.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold for the
Rio company, 35 cows, 690 lbs, \$— ;
25 bulls, 908 lbs, \$1.30; C H Day, 16
bulls, 1021 lbs, \$1.75.

Godair, Harding & Co sold for Iowa
and Texas 260 cows, 735 lbs, \$2.50;
15 bulls, 917 lbs, \$1.40; 45 steers, 812
lbs, \$2.50.

The American Live Stock Commis-
sion Co. sold for Slaughter, 311 cows,
786 lbs, \$2.20.

TO-DAY'S MARKET.

Cattle firm, mostly cows, 88 steers,
929 lbs, \$2.90; 73 steers, 760 lbs, \$1.75;
81 cows, 865 lbs, \$2; 300 cows, 737 and
800 lbs, \$1.95; 43 cows, 823 lbs, \$1.90;
27 cows, 693 lbs, \$1.85; 236 cows, 670
lbs, \$1.50; 20 bulls, 1129 lbs, \$1.40.
Sheep firmer, at \$3@4.25.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29, 1889.

Receipts for the week, 29,840 head; a
falling off of 5160 from last week.
The decrease was mostly of grass range
cattle. Native corn-fed cattle have
been weak and 10 to 15c lower than
last week, but grass range were steady
to strong and in many cases quotable
higher both for cows and steers. This
was owing more to the light run of
this class than to any other cause.

Following representative sales:
Fish & Keck Co sold for L F Wilson
& Co 87 Texas steers, 958 lbs, \$2.30;
118 steers, 904 lbs, \$2.25; 93 cows, 813
lbs, \$1.65; 132 cows, 822 lbs, \$1.75;
22 bulls, 1238 lbs, \$1.40; Rocking
Chair R Co, 129 calves at \$8.50 each;
535 cows, 766 lbs, \$1.65; 164 steers,
880 lbs, \$2.25; 78 bulls, 1160 lbs, \$1.40;
77 cows, 750 lbs, \$1.70; 115 calves at
\$8 per head; American Pastoral Co,
305 steers, 1032 lbs, \$2.20; Colson &
McAtee, 199 cows, 809 lbs, \$1.85; 12
bulls, 1377 lbs, \$1.40; J T Spears, 16
cows, 800 lbs, \$1.75; 10 steers, 918 lbs,
\$2.25; Polk Spears, 22 cows, 773 lbs,
\$1.75; J A Blair, 8 cows, 802 lbs, \$1.75;
17 steers, 889 lbs, \$2.20; Thos McCol-
gan, 27 cows, 759 lbs, \$1.70; American
Pastoral Co, 350 steers, 925 lbs, \$2.25;
110 steers, 860 lbs, \$2.25; 104 steers,
864 lbs, \$2.25; 125 steers, 858 lbs,
\$2.25; 120 steers, 846 lbs, \$2.20.

The James H Campbell Co sold for
Pulliver, 71 calves at \$7.50 per head;
Ostrander & L, 212 steers, 898 lbs, at
\$2.20; D L Taylor, 33 steers, 947 lbs,
\$2.25; W Hall, 27 steers, 1036 lbs,
\$2.17; 90 steers, 1110 lbs, \$2.50;
Weaver, 23 steers, 979 lbs, \$2.40; Lan-
ier, 13 steers, 927 lbs, \$2.40; 69 steers,
886 lbs, \$2.20; 65 steers, 901 lbs, \$2.20;
The R L & C Co, 100 steers, 794 lbs,
\$2.25; 100 steers, 791 lbs, \$2.20; Sloan,
49 steers, 925 lbs, \$2.32; 59 cows, 777
lbs, \$1.85; Barber, 30 steers, 718 lbs,
\$2.20; Field, 50 steers, 1002 lbs, \$2.45;
Helm, 16 steers, 803 lbs, \$2.10.

Twenty-six hundred cattle here to-
day. Market for rangers strong and
active.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 29.—Some fifty
car loads of Texas steers in to day,
which sold at an advance of 10@15c per
100 lb, over yesterday's range of prices.
Sales of steers were at \$2.20@3 per 100
lbs; cows, \$1.70@2.10.

Sheep steady and unchanged.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 29.—Good fat
beeves and fat cows in light supply and
prices firm. Poor stock in full supply
and hard to sell. Full supply of calves
and yearlings. Trading active.

Hog market glutted.

Good fat sheep firm.

QUOTATIONS:—Choice beeves, per lb.
gross, 2½@3½c; common to fair beeves,
2¼@3c; good fat cows, \$14@16; com-
mon to fair, \$7@12; calves, \$4@7; year-
lings, \$6@9; good fat corn-fed hogs, per
lb gross, 4@4½c; common to fair, 3½@
3¾c; good fat sheep, each \$2.50@3; com-
mon to fair, \$1@2.25 each.

GALVESTON.

[Reported by Winfree, Norman & Pearson,
Live Stock Commission Merchants].

BEEVES & Cows—Choice, per lb, gross
1½@2c; common \$8@10; 2-year-olds
choice, per head, \$8@9; common, per

head, \$6@7.00; yearlings, choice, per
head, \$6@7.00; common, per head, \$4@
\$5.00; calves, choice, per lb, gross,
2@2¼c; common, per head, \$3@3.50

SHEEP—Choice, per lb, gross, 3@3½c.
Hogs.—Choice corn-fed, per lb, gross,
4@5c.

Market still badly overstocked with
common and thin cows. Calves and
yearlings in fair supply. Sheep over-
stocked. Hog market well supplied.

SAN ANTONIO.

The local market is yet overstocked
with all kinds of live stock, including
hogs, which are slow and weak at quo-
tations with a possible decline if warm
weather continues.

CATTLE—Steers, shippers \$11@15, or
\$1.15@1.40 per 100 lbs; and butchers, \$12@
15; cows, fat, from \$9.00@11; light, at \$8
@10; yearlings, \$4.00@5.50; calves, \$3.50@
4.50 SHEEP—Muttons, \$1.50@2.25. Goats,
average stock \$1.00@1.50 per head.

Hogs—Natives \$3.50@4.

DALLAS.

Reported by Carter & Son, Live Stock Com-
mission Merchants.

CATTLE.—Choice fat grass steers, \$2
@2.25; common to fair, 1.75@1.90; choice
fat cows, \$11@14; common to fair, \$8.50
@10; choice yearlings, \$5.50@7; com-
mon to fair, \$4@5; choice veal calves,
light, 3@3½c; do, heavy, 2@2½c; bulls,
1c; choice feeding steers, 2c; milch
cows, \$20@35.

Hogs.—Choice fat hogs, 4¼@4½c stock
hogs, 3½@4.

SHEEP.—Choice fat muttons, 3@3½c;
common to fair, 2½@2¾c.

Choice fat goats, \$1.50@2.

The market has been glutted with
hogs the past week which has made a
drop in the prices of hogs fully ¼ of a
cent. Good fat cows find ready sale and
are very scarce. Choice fat mutton
sheep is very scarce and an advance in
price of ¼ of a cent. Choice Christmas
beef is worth 3c.

CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

Choice Natives, Choice Texans and
Ordinary Sales.

U. S YARDS,
CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 23, '89. }

Cattle receipts for the week, 63,000
head, against nearly 70,000 one year
ago. One-fourth of the run was of
Texas cattle. The offerings of West-
ern cattle were extremely small.

Sales included the following:

D. P. Keller of Macon, Ill., 12 head
of Polled-Angus cattle on the market
to-day good enough to sell for \$5.25.
They were the get of a \$1,000 bull Mr.
Keller bought here six years ago.

T. W. Harvey, Burlington, Neb., a
lot of 95 extra fine beef cattle, 1686
lbs, and sold at \$5.20 to go to London
alive. The bunch contained Angus,
West Highland and Shorthorn blood.

J. B. Keller, Taylorville, Ill., 36
head of 1745-lb cattle which sold at
\$5.35; also, 37 Shorthorn steers (de-
horned), averaging 1761 lbs, at \$5.35.

James Hammond of Oneida, Knox
county, Ill., marketed 13 1734-lb steers
at \$5.50, and 5 heifers, 1626 lbs, at
\$3.75. Hathaway bought them.

J. W. Briggs of Maquon, Ill., 39
head of 1730-lb steers at \$5.15.

D. Welling, Adair, I. T., 20 head of
1645 lbs at \$5.25, to L. E. Montgom-
ery for export.

G. D. Miller of Mercer county, Ill.,
hrd sold 4 loads of cattle at \$5. They
averaged 1703 lbs.

J. & R. Robson, Rio, Ill., had in some cattle of their own feeding which were good enough to bring \$4.95.

L. E. Montgomery, the well-known Springfield, Ill., man, formerly of Suddeth & Montgomery, bought 115 head of fancy export cattle here at \$5.20@5.25 for shipment to London via Baltimore.

Benjamin Whitsitt of Preemption, Ill., was here with 36 head of 1470-lb 2-year-old dehorned grade Shorthorns, which sold at \$4.80. They were fed corn meal and cut hay from June 10 to Oct. 1, and new corn since then. The cattle were of W's own feeding and raising, and he believes the way to get polled cattle is to dehorn the grade Shorthorns.

J. B. Wilson of Dallas took the \$500 in premiums offered by commission men at the Fat Stock Show for Texas cattle. The cattle, 14 head, 1304 to 1520 lbs, sold at \$5.50, and 10 head, 1700 to 1825 lbs, sold at \$6. These were really high-grade Shorthorns.

George B. McPherson of Menlo, Iowa, was among the visitors. He has lately been pretty well over the Western country, and says he is now more of a "bull" on the cattle market situation than ever before. "Why," said he to a Drovers Journal man, "neither Illinois, Iowa nor Nebraska has cattle enough to eat up the feed raised in each state, and good hay could be cut on some of the Western ranges that five years ago were eaten bare."

Hogs are selling at \$3.70 to \$3.90, or \$1.70 lower than one year ago.

Corn-fed Western sheep sold at \$4.50 to \$4.90; grass Westerns, \$3.50 to \$4.20.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co sold for R D Cragin of Pond Creek, I. T., 318 steers, 1154 lbs; at \$2.90.

Chicago Live Stock Commission Co sold 93 cows, 742 lbs, at \$2.05.

The American Live Stock Commission Co sold for A Gorham, 140 Indians, 1138 lbs, \$3.15.

The James H. Campbell Co sold 25 cows, 820 lbs, at \$1.70; 20 bulls, 1107 lbs, \$1.30.

Greer, Mills & Co sold 198 cows, 592 lbs, \$1.40; for W Scott, 190 steers, 944 lbs, \$2.87½; 52 steers, 840 lbs, \$2.65.

Sealing & Tamblin sold 21 bulls, 1044 lbs \$1.40; 79 cows, 769 lbs, \$2.10; 23 steers, 946 lbs, \$2.50; 41 steers, 871 lbs, \$2.50.

Gregory, Cooley & Co sold for H C Clark, 75 calves, 149 lbs, \$3.25; 61 cows, 679 lbs, \$2.

R. Strahorn & Co sold for Harrold & East, 133 steers, 952 lbs, \$2.85; 270 cows, 790 lbs, \$2.20; E H East, 19 steers, 1130 lbs, \$2.55; Kimberlin C Co, 119 steers, 898 lbs, \$2.60.

The Barse L & C Co sold 324 steers, 978 lbs, at \$2.90. A. C. HALLIWELL.

Fine Texas Cattle.

At the Fat Stock Show just closed the Lone Star State was ably represented by a bunch of steers raised and exhibited by Mr. J. B. Wilson of Dallas, Texas, that opened the eyes of every stockman and judge of fine cat-

tle who looked them over, and gave undeniable evidence that Texas can produce by careful breeding and systematic feeding as fine beef as any state in the Union.

The premiums taken by Mr. Wilson for his exhibit are:

For best five steers 3 years old, bred and fed in Texas, \$125; second best, \$75.

Best five steers 2 years old, bred and fed in Texas, \$125; second best, \$75.

Best steer shown in above lot, \$50.

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These cattle were, after the exhibition closed, turned over to Mr. James H. Campbell for sale, and were sold by him to P. D. Armour at the following weights and prices:

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3.	1825.	6c.	\$109 50
2.	1705.	6c.	102 30
5.	1700.	6c.	102 00
2.	1520.	5½c.	83 60
2.	1462.	5½c.	80 30
10.	1304.	5½c.	71 72

We think this is the best showing any cattle from Texas have ever made in this market, and certainly, when the present extremely low prices of beef is considered, the above figures are satisfactory evidence to any reasonable man that it pays to make cattle fat.

ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLS.,
Nov. 19, 1889.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

Sealing & Tamblin sold for W W Mann, Archer City, 33 steers, 929 lbs, \$2.60; 71 cows, 814 lbs, \$1.80; C Young, Wichita Falls, 20 cows, 705 lbs, \$1.70; 5 bulls, 1132 lbs, \$1.30; Chas. Colbert, Colbert, 26 steers, 916 lbs, \$2.50; Ellis, Boaz & Edrington, Colorado City, 37 steers, 901 lbs, \$2.40; 41 cows, 780 lbs, \$1.75; Trent & Lindsay, Sweetwater, 120 steers, 850 lbs, \$2.90; W T Swaggerty, Throckmorton, 149 cows, 757 lbs, \$1.85; 26 steers, 768 lbs, \$2.30; Trammell & Dunn, Sweetwater, 153 cows, 744 lbs, \$1.75; Thos Trammell, Sweetwater, 193 steers, 888 lbs, \$2.40; D Mason, Terrell, 50 steers, 831 lbs, \$2.30; 31 cows, 661 lbs, \$1.80; J B Harris, Terrell, 74 steers, 827 lbs, \$2.30; Winfield Scott, Colorado City, 25 steers, 912 lbs, \$2.30; 48 steers, 1032 lbs, \$2.75; A A Hartgrove, Midland, 22 steers, 964 lbs, \$2.45; 48 steers, 933 lbs, \$2.35; 42 cows, 735 lbs, \$1.75.

Cassidy Bros. & Co sold for J Baldridge, Ennis, 39 steers, 1017 lbs, \$2.60; E B Harrold, Fort Worth, 79 cows, 793 lbs, \$1.70; E H East, Fort Worth, 97 cows, 781 lbs, \$1.65; Harrold & East, Fort Worth, 151 steers, 928 lbs, \$2.65; 10 cows, 778 lbs, \$1.70; 276 steers, 925 lbs, \$2.65; 46 steers, 931 lbs, \$2.65; 338 steers, 1043 lbs, \$2.80; W W Cook, Henrietta, 25 cows, 760 lbs, \$1.75; L C Garney, Henrietta, 26 cows, 715 lbs, \$2; A J Hurt, Henrietta, 36 steers, 928 lbs, \$2.45; 14 cows, 840 lbs, \$1.75; J B Culwell, Henrietta, 24 cows, 745 lbs, \$1.75; W E Gentry, Checota, 23 steers, 1090 lbs, \$2.90; 23 steers, 1043 lbs, \$2.80; 21 steers, 1000 lbs, \$2.80; P N Blackstone, Muskogee, 16 steers, 927 lbs, \$2.30; 22 steers, 938 lbs, \$2.35.

The run of range cattle continues

large. The receipts to-day were 125 cars and of pretty good stock. Clark & Plumb of Fort Worth had some fifty cars but which had not been sold at the close of this letter. Prices are well maintained notwithstanding the heavy run. Evidently there are still lots of cattle on the ranges.

The James H Campbell Co sold for C W Turner, Muskogee, 46 cows, 745 lbs, \$1.85; 21 calves, \$6 each; E B Harness, Wagoner, 25 steers, 924 lbs, \$2.55; 28 cows, 712 lbs, \$1.40; W J Lipscomb, Checota, 26 steers, 953 lbs, \$2.65; 19 steers, 1014 lbs, \$2.70; 125 steers, 742 lbs, \$2.15; M Wright, Alice, 50 cows, 696 lbs, \$1.80; 58 calves, \$6 each; 79 cows, 709 lbs, \$1.80; Clark & Plumb, Fort Worth, 327 cows, 765 lbs, \$1.80; 47 steers, 941 lbs, \$2.62½; 335 steers, 918 lbs, \$2.55.

The supply of sheep was small the past week and but few Texans come forward. Fair to fancy muttons were in demand at steady prices. Good fat Texas muttons of 75 to 95 lbs, would easily command \$3.50@4 and \$4.10 per 100 lbs.

Wool receipts up to the present time for the year are in excess of those of the corresponding time last year, and promise to far outstrip those of 1888 by the end of the year. The tone of the market was rather easy during the week, though some large lines were sold from first hands, including 100,000 lbs New Mexico and Colorado and about 300 sacks of Texas growth, all kinds meeting ready sale, though at prices slightly in favor of buyers. The Eastern markets are reported steady, under fair inquiry.

Texas medium, 12 months, is quotable at 23@24c; 4 to 6 months, 19@20c; fine light, 12 months, 20@22c; 6 months, 16@18c. Heavy wools sell up 16c; coarse, 12 months, 18@21c; 6 months, 14@16c. RATTLE.

Galveston Wool Market.

GALVESTON, TEX., Nov. 27, 1889.

Texas Live Stock Journal, Fort Worth. The market is still quiet but firm, with moderate demand and prices unchanged; hence I give quotations of the week previous.

Twelve months fine, 16@19c; do medium, 19@22c; six and eight months fine, 16@19c; do medium, 17@19c; Mexican improved, 15@17c; do carpet, 12½@13½c; sandy and burry, 3@8c less than quotations. Twelve months scoured, XX, 58 @59c; do X, 55@56c; do No. 1, 49@50c; eight months scoured XX, 54@55c; do X, 52@53c; do No. 1, 49@50c.

The Lone wool buyer, Capt. John Adams, arrived to-day from San Antonio, on his way to New York, and will leave Saturday for the aforesaid point.

The receipts of the port for to-day are just 103,840 pounds, and for the week ending at 4 o'clock p. m. they amount to 505,811 pounds, and for the season foot up to 2,912,038 pounds, against 3,030,753 pounds for the previous year at same date.

Shipments for the day amount to 42,000 pounds, and for the season, 2,445,083 pounds; while for the previous season at same date the total was 4,727,882 lbs.

Sales for the past week amount to 250,000 pounds, and for the season, 1,186,600 pounds, against 2,321,700 pounds for the year previous at this date.

The stock on hand to-day amounts to 1,519,500 pounds, against 120,631 pounds for last year at this time.

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ROUND-UPS.

San Angelo Standard:—M. B. Pulliam bought 102 four and five-year-old steers from W. L. Black for \$16.50. They were shipped Tuesday to Godair, Harding & Co., Chicago.

San Angelo Standard:—M. B. Pulliam bought 82 head of two-year-old steers from W. J. Skinner at \$11.50. He also received 114 one and two-year-old steers from Fayette Tankersley at \$8 and \$12.

Menardville Record:—A. J. Sanders bought 77 head of cows and steers from Felix Mann, to drive to the San Antonio market. He paid \$8 to \$9 for cows and \$12 to \$15 for three-year-old steers.

San Angelo Standard:—Seaton Keith, on Wednesday, sold to E. T. Comer the famous JE brand of cattle at \$6 around. Originally there were eight or ten thousand head in this brand, but Mr. Keith has sold off so many lately that only between 1500 and 2000 head are left. They are now in the South Concho pasture, where they were put a month or two ago.

Spearfish (Dak.) Register:—The snow of Sunday night is looked upon by stockmen as something in the nature of a blessing. Water on the ranges had become scarce, compelling stock to travel long distances between their feeding grounds and the water holes, but with snow on the ground stock can feed away from the remaining pools without suffering for water.

N. W. Live Stock Journal:—Mr. Skinner, Cheyenne agent of the Street Stable Car company, has used 1475 cars on the Wyoming division this season and 675 on the Idaho division, making a total of 2150. Besides these he had orders for 373 more that could not be filled for lack of cars. This would indicate that improved cars are in demand.

N. W. Live Stock Journal:—From Dave Wyatt of Greeley, we learn that the range stock on the Platte eastward from Greeley is doing nicely. The late storm effected little or no damage, and with a better than average growth of grass along the hills and plateaus back of the river, the cattle will go through the winter in good shape.

Lincoln (N. M.) Independent:—Holstein, Sickles & Miles, who do business under the firm name of Kansas Cattle company, have purchased the N. A. N. cattle and ranches from F. G. and J. W. Patrick. The cattle number, including calves, about 5500 head, and range in the northwestern part of Grant county, between the Memphers and Black range. The Patrick vs. Patrick controversy concerning this property has been settled.

Chicago Drovers' Journal:—J. B. Wilson of Dallas, Texas, had 24 head of high grade Texas-raised Shorthorns at the Fat Stock show. Had he not been the only Texas exhibitor he would have captured a goodly share of the premiums, but as it was he took them all, amounting to \$500, which, by the way, had been subscribed by Chicago commission men. The cattle were brought to the Stock Yards, and sold to Armour as follows: 3, av. 1825 lbs, \$6; 2, 1705 lbs, \$6; 5, 1700 lbs, \$6; 2, 1520 lbs, \$5.50; 2, 1460 lbs, \$5.50; 10, 1304 lbs, \$5.50. The cattle sold at \$71.72@109.50 per head, which shows that with good feed Texas can make as good beef as any state in the Union.

N. W. Live Stock Journal:—Up to this time we have had no storm sufficiently severe to do material damage to range stock anywhere in Wyoming. Along the south border there has been more snow fell farther north, and in few places it crusted slightly. But there has at all times been bare places where stock could get feed. For two or three days cattle were drawn, but the snow is now gone from the open ranges and hillsides, leaving just enough in spots to slake the animals' thirst and permit them to go where the feed is the best. No losses have occurred and as stock is generally in a fair condition there is little apprehension of serious losses later on. The outlook may be classed as good for the safe wintering of stock.

Geo. W. Beck of Johnson county, Wyoming, the other day gave the following to an Omaha news man: "The range in Central Wyoming is rather short just now, but in Northern Wyoming it is very good. The summer was quite dry in parts of the territory and the grass has suffered. A great many cattle have been run over on the Crow reservation. The pasture there is excellent. Where the ranchmen can make

a satisfactory contract for range privileges upon the reservation it is the most profitable way to handle cattle in that country. Last year the cattle were permitted to feed upon the reservation at 25c per head the entire year. This year they charge 50c per head. I should think there are 60,000 head of cattle upon the Crow reservation right now."

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From the Denver Republican.

It is said that General Manager Meek of the Denver, Texas & Fort Worth was so well pleased with the big Midland rotary snow-plough during the recent storm which blockaded his road that he has ordered one just like it. When the Fort Worth line was blockaded from the Divide to Texline Mr. Meek telegraphed General Manager Collbrad of the Midland for the use of the rotary plough, and it was immediately sent down. It was put at work in a big cut down in New Mexico where the snow was about 200 feet deep, and made excellent headway, throwing an avalanche of snow 50 feet into the air at every revolution of the great augur-like plough, which literally bored itself through a mass as compact as sand. When about the centre of the cut a strange sight was witnessed. Those who were standing on either side of the plough were suddenly deluged with a shower of beef steaks. On all sides fell porterhouse, sirloin, round steaks, small steaks, shoulder steaks, with occasionally a slice of liver or a nicey cut rib roast. It was thought at first that the engine had left the track and was boring its way through a butcher shop. Investigation, however, disclosed the fact that herd of Texas cattle had crowded into the cut and had frozen and been buried in the drifts. Manager Meek immediately declared that no well-regulated road should be without a rotary snow plough.

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THE CLIP.

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San Angelo Standard:—Mauzy & Huffman bought 500 fat shorn wethers from E. P. Beauchamp of Sherwood for \$1050.

Bert Simpson of Colorado City is reported as having paid \$2 per head for 1500 muttons, buying from R. Kenyon of Toyah. The sheep went to Chicago.

Beaver (I. T.) Advertiser:—J. P. Owings goes to Englewood this week to receive a consignment of twenty high-grade bucks, which he will add to his fine flock of sheep on the Cottonwood.

San Angelo Standard:—The following wool was sold this week: By Meara & Hobbs to Johnson & Hill of Lampasas, 6 cts, 40,000 lbs, at from 13 1/2 to 17 1/2. By Hallin & Rueff, 300 bags, terms private.

Boston Advertiser:—Texas and Southern wools:—Texas spr med (12 mos) 23@24; Texas spr fine 21@23; Texas spr fine (six to eight mos) 18@21; Tex spr med (six to eight mos) 20@22 1/2; Tex tall, 17@21.

Denver Field and Farm:—A shipment of dressed mutton will go from Quebec to London in the next few days. The sheep have been slaughtered at Manitoba and at Chicago. The carcasses will go in a new style of refrigerator that carries it and keeps it in perfect order.

Adoue & Lobit of Galveston are pioneers of the wool trade of that city, and receive the most consignments. It is a liberal house to deal with, and the experience and energy of Col. Joe Owens, manager of the wool department, is a guarantee that the wool is sold to the best possible advantage.

San Angelo Standard:—Capt. W. L. Black recently sold a large quantity of mohair from his Angora goats at 40¢ per lb. There has been no sale for the fiber for some time, but recent novelties in dress goods include mohair as one of their elements, and the demand is fair and the prices increasing.

Boston Commercial Bulletin:—Texas wool is quiet and in but small request. Some samples of fall have been taken at a scoured cost of 50 to 52¢. The wet season has had a decidedly deleterious effect on the fall clip—the wool being full of "eelgrass" and cactus spines. Very few lots of really fine fall wool have come forward.

Chicago Drovers' Journal:—The 297 head of 119 lb yearling sheep sold at \$4.95 recently were shipped by Lucy & Howard of Chariton, Iowa. The raiser and feeder was Mr. Lewis Bonnet of Chariton, Iowa. They were fed two and one-half months, making a gain in that time of 25 lbs. Their weight at home at time of shipment was 130 lbs.

Denver Field and Farm:—During the recent blizzard in the Texas Panhandle a car-load of beef cattle for one of the butchers at Trinidad was stopped at Texline and ordered killed by the railroad company for the relief of Texline people and settlers in that neighborhood. Texline was out of everything—on the verge of starvation in fact.

Farmers' Magazine:—The growth of the mutton breeds of sheep, when carefully managed and highly fed, is in marked contrast with the wool breeds. A Vermont farmer reports a weight of 200 pounds for twin lambs of the Shropshire breed when 4 months old, or 100 pounds each. An Oxford lamb near Elgin, Ill., in 1885, one of twins, weighed 100 pounds when 90 days old. At birth the lamb weighed 13 pounds.

Denver Field and Farm:—Mr. Garcia, who kept 8000 sheep between the Ute

creek and Tequesquite in Northern New Mexico, is reported to have lost all of his herd but 3000. His range was spoken of as a sheltered one. The outlook is gloomy enough, and the day of large herds without haystacks may be considered at an end. The live stock business will go right along, but instead of a few great herds covering the land, we shall have hundreds and thousands of small herds well cared for in winter.

New York report in American Wool Reporter:—The receipts of fall Texas are beginning to be large. The wools are moving freely on a basis of 50 to 52¢ for the fine. California have been quiet the past week, there being very little business carried through. Some very large transactions are under way, and it is probable that next week will witness a very heavy movement. Buyers are giving the Pacific wools considerable attention. Territory wools have also been in slight movement the past week.

Boston Advertiser:—Just at present there is more call for fleece wools than territories and other cheaper grades, but any cleaning up of the former will put the latter in better shape. There have been some large sales of fall California wools made, but no price is given. Choice lines of California and Texas spring wools of 12 months growth are selling on about the same basis as territories. Texas fall wools are quiet, with the scoured basis still about 45@50¢ for fine medium and fine. Montana wools have not sustained their high reputation of last year, the present clip averaging heavy and of poor staple in many instances. Pulled wools are quiet but steady.

Anson Western:—Geo. Zorne, a citizen of Stonewall county, while attending his flock of sheep near the confluence of Cotton creek and the Salt Fork of the Brazos the other day saw lying beneath a bluff an animal that he supposed to be a deer. He crawled within a few paces of the animal, and with a Winchester rifle sent a bullet crashing through the animal's brain. The animal had one convulsion and was dead. Another huge one, before unobserved by him, rose up near by, and uttered a fierce growl with his eyes fixed on Mr. Zorne. He raised his gun and fired at him and hit him about the loins, disabling him partially. The beast then began growling and dragging himself to the edge of the bluff, which was about seven feet high, and within a few feet of where Mr. Zorne was standing. Five more shots were fired in succession, one of which took effect in the heart, but not until the animal had torn his front claws loose in an effort to climb the bluff. Mr. Zorne says they proved to be panthers, and would have weighed 200 pounds each. One was a male and one a female. Mr. Zorne, who is a citizen of Haskell, will pay Mr. Zorne \$20 for killing the animals, as they were killed in his horse range, where they have been preying upon his young stock.

From Arkansas City.

ARKANSAS CITY, KANS., Nov. 25, '89.
No winter to speak of so far. Many of our Texas Stockmen have shipped their cows and received good returns. Grain and feed of all kinds very cheap. Corn 15 cents.

C. M. Scott received a car-load of lambs and a car of young goats from G. W. Saunders of San Antonio this week. Arkansas City is becoming a stock market.

The Dog Had to Climb.

Forest and Stream.
We were comfortably seated around the hearth at Porter Lake, in Pike county, Pa., and the spirit of story telling was strong upon us, because the fishing had been unusually good and the supper bounteous. The flash and sparkle of wit filled the upper air of the room as with a fine aurora, and a halo of calm bliss encircled the brow of each entranced listener. But first the drug and the antidote. The benevolent Colonel drew us down gently from the giddy heights with a story of a coarse plebian, locally known as a catfish. Thus ran his tale: "A man and his dog went fishing in the Missis-

siippi. In a short time the man felt a mighty pull on the line, and he knew that a catfish had taken hold. The giant came along peacefully enough until he happened to change his mind, and then he decided to double on his course and take the man along. The faithful dog, seeing his master's danger, rushed to the rescue bravely enough. This wily catfish, when he found the dog pursuing, turned upon him and terrified the dog, who incontinently turned tail and swam vigorously toward the dry land, the catfish hotly following. Presently the dog gained the land and ran hastily, the catfish madly surging after him. The dog, sorely pressed and fearing a painful death, in his extremity climbed a tree, the catfish still pursuing."

"Hold on! hold on!" we cried in chorus; "dogs cannot climb trees."
"Can't climb a tree?" responded the Colonel. "But the catfish was close upon him, and this dog had to climb."

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Mr. Deckler is a married man and has two children. He resides at 631 Ninth avenue, on the third floor. For six or seven years he has worked for the firm of Wessel, Nickel & Gross of No 437 West 45th street. They are manufacturers of piano actions. On Labor Day he invested a dollar in a one twentieth ticket in the Louisiana State Lottery. The number was 8,174. He read in the News the dispatch from New Orleans that ticket No. 8,174 had drawn the capital prize of \$300,000, it made his wife open her eyes. He received a telegram that his dollar investment had yielded \$15,000, less the collection charge of \$62.50.—New York Daily News, October 5.

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NOTWITHSTANDING that it is said that never before has there been such a crop of grass and corn in Southwest Texas, still hay and corn are selling for more than they did a year ago.

Now that the hog-raising boom is coming on in Texas, it would be a good idea for those going into it to thoroughly inform themselves on the proven preventives of disease, and especially the hog cholera, the arch enemy of the swine.

"THE Lord helps those who help themselves," and this will certainly apply just now to those engaged in wool raising. If they do not go before congress in a business-like and earnest manner to maintain their cause as against free traders on principle and selfish manufacturers, it will force the conclusion that they have no case, and they will have no "kick" coming to them if their industry is sacrificed.

THE question with many of the Eastern farm economists is how to do away with fences. The question in this part of the world is how to get more of them. Fences have been the most important factor in the civilization of Western Texas, and for some time to come they can not be dispensed with. When fences will have succeeded in doing away with the branding iron they will have paid for themselves several times over.

THE exportation of live hogs to Mexico continues, notwithstanding the

heavy duty on them by the Mexican government, and the consumers will have to pay the tariff. For some months a train load a week will go to the Mexican capital on contract by one party, and more than probably some of the other shippers will continue. The JOURNAL has already asserted that the silver question was only a pretext, and now as the ores are to come into this country as they have been doing for years, and the heavy duty recently put on American live stock remains, the correctness of the position taken by the JOURNAL is proven. Now let the United States put a duty of \$5 per head on all Mexican mule and horse stock, that is doing Texas much more harm than the sale of a few cows did it good. They certainly could not complain at a dose of the medicine that they first gave.

FROM every section of Southwest Texas already reports begin to come in of the apparent good results of the International fair, which now amounts to the increased number of prospectors looking about for locations. The solid benefits will be the division of the large pastures and through cultivation and improved stock increasing the value of the part retained by the original owner above what the entire track was formerly worth; increased population brings increased social advantages and taken altogether an attainment of that material progress that is the boast of modern American civilization. Let the movement for the next fair be begun now, and every portion of country tributary to San Antonio susceptible of being benefitted thereby should be given an opportunity of becoming interested in its welfare, and show the appreciation of prospective benefits by a liberal response.

San Antonio Horse Market.

The market has been fairly active in the aggregate, but far from satisfactory especially to sellers, owing to the continued overstocking and the consequent low prices. Thin stock goes begging at very low figures, and good stock is relatively slow. The demand is more and more from the eastern gulf states, and is mainly for mules and work horses, mares and young stock being generally neglected, and are only salable to local speculators and pasture men who have a little spare cash and grass. The retail trade is also overcrowded, the offerings exceeding the demand, and low prices rule on all classes of stock. The shipments for the week were 1152, as against 1453 for the week previous.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands.	\$ 8 @ \$11
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands.	12 @ 14
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat.	15 @ 17
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin.	11 @ 14
Yearling fillies, branded.	7 @ 9
Yearling fillies, unbranded.	9 @ 12
Two-year-old fillies, branded.	9 @ 12
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded.	12 @ 14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands.	25 @ 35
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16½ hands.	75 @ 200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands.	23 @ 35
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands.	18 @ 25
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands.	15 @ 23
Weaned, unbranded colts.	4.50 @ 6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13½ hands.	18 @ 30
Mules improved, 13½ to 14 hands.	33 @ 45
Yearling mule colts, improved.	20 @ 27
Two-year mule colts, improved.	28 @ 35
Yearling mule colts, Mexican.	14 @ 18
Two-year mule colts Mexican.	18 @ 25

San Antonio Wool Market.

As the JOURNAL predicted at the opening, the market is proving slow and not

altogether satisfactory to either buyers or sellers. The stock on hand is the heaviest ever known at this time of year, and while a few foreign buyers yet linger, they do not seem to care much to do business. Holders are generally inclined to the belief that the quiet condition of the market is not fully warranted by that of the great Eastern and European markets, and are disposed to hold on rather than sell at the figures offered, and generally ranchmen are in such a financial condition as to make a hold-over possible without any material inconvenience. It is safe, therefore to presume that prices will have to advance a little, or a larger proportion of the wool now in store here will either be shipped East directly or held over till spring. Prices may be quoted at 15 @ 18c for fine and dirty mediums, and 18 @ 21c for light clear mediums.

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Do you suffer from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Biliousness, Exhaustion or tired feeling, Pains in Chest or Lungs, Dry Cough, Night Sweats, or any form of Consumption? If so, send to Prof. Hart, 88 Warren St., New York, who will send you free, by mail, a bottle of Floraplexion, which is a sure cure. Send to-day.

HORNS AND HOOFES.

N. R. Powell, of J. S. Powell & Co. of Fort Worth, is still with us.

Kerrville News:—Otto Marshal of Llano shipped 86 head of hogs last Monday to San Antonio.

Hines Clark returned home to Alice after a stay of a month. He expects to return soon with another bunch of horse stock.

John W. Noble of this city claims that sorghum is the best food for a milk cow, as it gives a larger yield of sweet milk than any other.

Wm. Cassin of Zavalla county was in the city during the week, consummating a sale of lands at the low figure of one dollar per acre.

The best place in San Antonio to buy carriages, buggies, etc., is at Hicks' repository, West Nueva street. Rice's coil spring vehicles a specialty.

T. M. Coleman of Corpus Christi, who was reported as selling his ranch interests in Dimmitt county, was in town Wednesday and says that it was news to him.

John F. Camp is in the market for thin horse stock to hold over on his good mesquite pastures in Wilson county. He has made this class of speculation successful in the past.

J. W. Glass has contracted for a trainload of hogs a week for several months to come to go to the City of Mexico, in spite of the heavy duty on them that went into effect November 1.

J. W. Taylor, so well known to all trail men, now living in Denver, came in the first of the week and went below to La Salle county. He says that the November blizzard that struck that country was the worst ever known.

Dr. J. E. Breeding, dentist, has established himself at 231 E. Houston street, opposite the Belknap armory. His appointments are first-class in every respect. He is prepared to do anything in the line of dentistry. Teeth without plates, gold crowns, bridges, etc.

The ration of an army horse is 14 pounds of hay and 12 pounds of oats, corn or barley. If Texas horses had such a feed regularly there would not be so many "scrubs" even if no improved stallions are used. In this great grazing country horses suffer more from starvation than from any other cause.

A. D. Carson, Kansas City, who attended the International fair with 15 fine race horses, left on Sunday with them to attend the race meeting at Corpus Christi, and if the efforts that are being made for a winter meeting at Galveston and another in San Antonio are successful, he will probably remain in Southern Texas for the winter.

J. M. Thompson of California, who has ranch property in Frio county, some three years ago planted out 1000

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.
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grape cutting, and this year he marketed the crop, several thousand pounds in San Antonio at 8 cents a pound. He says that he knows of no portion of California where grapes do better than his have done in Frio county.

Cotulla Ledger:—Rumor is current here that Thos. Coleman, who owns the large landed interest formerly known as the Dimmitt County Pasture company, has sold all his land and stock to an English company, and will begin gathering the stock on the 1st of next month. Whether the report is true or not we are unable to say, but from other circumstances within our knowledge we are led to believe there is truth in the rumor.

B. F. Yoakum, general manager of the S. A. & A. P. railway, sent a little woolly Mexican burro (jack) to a friend of his in Wallstreet, New York. The sturdy little fellow was crated and went to Galveston by express, from whence he left for his northern future home by steamer. It is difficult to imagine what he may be intended for, but if he really sets out to do it, he can kick both the bulls and bears of Wall street 'till they make an unconditional surrender.

THE WOOL SACK.

Henry Burns bought some 750 head of muttons of J. H. and Peter Classen, Bexar county, for \$2.25 per head. They had their fall wool on and were a fine lot.

Uvalde News:—C. A. Goodwin has sold 1600 head of sheep to Mr. Carlisle at \$1.50 per head; the remainder of his flocks are under the care of Mr. Bartlett.

While the wool market is reported very quiet here, it is noticeable that Northern buyers are lingering much later than is usual with them.

Kerrville News:—A. H. Cox, living on the divide, got the top of the market for his wool, his clip, which was a choice light bright, bringing 20½c.

Kerrville News:—In the Kerrville market this fall's clip of wool sold for one-quarter of a cent more than the same grades brought in the San Antonio market, which is equal to three-quarters of a cent to the wool grower, freights, drayage, insurance, etc., considered.

Capt. A. E. Shepherd of Marathon, a prominent sheepman, was in the city during the week. Captain Shepherd is taking great interest in the coming meeting of wool growers in Washington.

Cotulla Ledger:—There yet remains stored here about three hundred sacks of wool composed of the Dull Bros., Chas. Sullivan, Tim Conlin and the Armstrong Feed company's clips. Buyers have been here and examined these wools, but the prices offered have not been satisfactory to the growers, and the probability now is that they will hold over until next spring.

Kerrville News:—M. Cloudt, a prominent sheep man of Kimble county, brought in his clip this week, consisting of 3000 pounds, and stored it. It is of fine quality, his sheep being in good condition and free of scab. He has been running sheep 11 years in the above county and is satisfied that his present clip is the best he ever had; and now he regrets having sold off part of his flock and wants to buy more. His brother, Erich, made a good trade about a month since, having purchased 1700 head with the wool on at \$1.75, and the clip averages him 2½ pounds, which at 18 cents pays him a very handsome interest on his investment. Raise sheep.

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THE ARIZONA KICKER.

Western Editorial Life Has Its Ups and Downs.

Detroit Free Press.

We extract the following from the last issue of the Arizona Kicker:

HAD TO DO IT.—That gander-banked living skeleton who edits the mortgaged sheet down on Blackjack avenue is out with a tirade against us for shooting Sioux Jim last week. He is seeking to get up a public feeling against us, although he very well knows that we were fully exonerated by the coroner's jury.

Sioux Jim, who was a half-breed, was fighting drunk. He was looking for a victim when he met us on Apache avenue. He drew his knife with the purpose of carving our anatomy to strings, but before he could proceed we pulled our gun and sent six red-hot bullets into his carcass. He was the third man we have had to kill this fall in defense of our own life, and as we have had to pay all the burial expenses in each case no one can claim that we have shot for fun. It cost us \$36 cold cash to plant Jim in decent shape, and no one would have given \$10 for him when alive.

PERHAPS IT WAS.—Last week a number gentlemen organized what they called "The Debonaire Literary Society," and secured a room over Plum's grocery for their weekly place of meeting. There was a good deal of chuckling and grinning around town when it was learned that we had been deliberately snubbed by the aforesaid society. Many friends called to tender their sympathies and advice, but we did not need any consolation.

Where is that society to-day? Echo answers: "Where?" We simply telegraphed to Omaha, Denver, Lincoln, Virginia City and two or three other towns that such a person, wanted for horse stealing, barn-burning or bigamy, was here, and within four days the Debonaires were wearing bracelets. Perhaps it was a good idea to snub us. Perhaps some other society will try it on!

GIVEN IT UP.—With this issue of the Kicker we cease the weather forecasts which we have been publishing as forecasted from our own observatory for the last six weeks. While we have had wonderful luck in hitting the weather for three and four days ahead, our local subscribers have had no interest in it and have discouraged our enterprise. This arises from the fact that no one here cares a cast-iron cent what the weather is. If fair, they go out and shoot jackass rabbits and run horses. If foul, they gather in the barrooms and drink whisky and play seven-up. The least that concerns them is what the weather is going to be on the morrow, and we don't propose to educate them up to feel anxious about it.

WE PLEAD GUILTY.—We were called upon the other evening to act as referee for a prize fight at the Arcade Athletic rooms, and because we refused the honor certain persons are observing that it was because we felt "stuck up" and thought ourselves better than the general run. We plead guilty to both insinuations. We are altogether too high up in the scale to referee a prize fight, and we feel ourselves as far above certain men in this town as the eagle is above the grasshopper.

And why not? What other paper in this country has increased its circulation 200 per cent in six months. What other newspaper has a combination under its roof of grocery, a feed store, a butcher shop, a bakery, a saddlery and

a repository for the sale of wheel-barrows! People who take us for a scrub haven't got their eyes open yet.

SETTLED IN FULL.—The fifth breach of promise suit brought against us in the last eight months was settled out of court yesterday and all further proceedings discontinued. The suit was brought by Miss Aramatha De Rives, daughter of the well known Judge De Rives of Jackass Terrace.

We determined at first to fight this suit to the bitter end, but it having come to our knowledge that Mrs. De Rives had overheard certain declarations of ours, and that the fair plaintiff had preserved all our letters we deemed it a matter of prudence and economy to settle. As the terms were not to be considered secret we state them here. We bilked the fair Aramatha because we discovered that she had a cork foot and a bad case of catarrh. If we ever marry we want a wife who is sound on her pins, and we don't care to stumble over an outfit to cure catarrh every time we pass through the house.

While the plaintiff had the bulge on us to a certain extent, we had something of a bulge to offset it. We knew that her mother used to run a second-hand clothing store in Denver, and, by telegraphing a certain sheriff, we could have had the judge returned to prison to serve out five more years. We agreed to pay \$40 and keep quiet—\$20 in trade and \$20 in cash—and the proposition was accepted. This ends the case and leaves all good friends, and we sincerely hope that the dear girl will soon be better of her catarrh, and that her cork foot may not stand in the way of another loving her truly and devotedly.

SANTA FE ROUTE.

The Attention of Live Stock Shippers of Texas is Directed to the Santa Fe Route

For handling their cattle to the best advantage. The Union Stock Yards at Fort Worth, Texas, have lately been completed and have ample facilities for handling stock to the best interests of all concerned. The G. C. & Santa Fe R'y. runs direct to these yards and the Santa Fe route for shipping of live stock from there to Kansas City and Chicago cannot be surpassed.

The last few years have demonstrated the fact the shippers cannot afford to go direct to Chicago without first trying to dispose of their stock in Kansas City.

Up to September 27th, 1889, the receipts of cattle and sheep in Kansas City stock yards were as follows:

Cattle, 801,585; increase over 1888, 140,295. Sheep, 256,838; increase over 1888, 12,561.

Consumed in Kansas City same period for 1889:

Cattle, 323,651; increase over same period in 1888, 71,578. Sheep, 136,882; increase over same period in 1888, 7,746.

The above figures show the importance of Kansas City as a market. The largest dressed beef establishments in the country are located there, and the Chicago dressed beef houses, and all the principal Eastern markets have representative buyers at these yards. These facts clearly demonstrate the many advantages the Kansas City market affords shippers.

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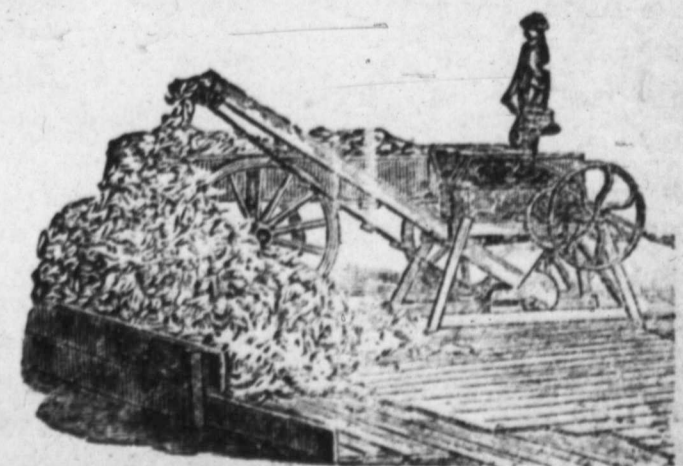
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A RECENT issue of the Drovers' Journal of Chicago furnishes a review of the cattle market, as follows:

The 37 head of extra 1761-lb Shorthorns at \$5.35, the 12 head of fancy Polled-Avgus steers at \$5.25, a few of the next best cattle sold fairly well at strong prices. The general steer market on poor to good stock, however, was weak and unevenly lower. The condition of the market to-day was typical of its condition for a long time past—all right on the \$5 cattle, but very bad on the \$3 cattle, which, it is needless to say, were greatly in the majority.

THE Daily Drovers' Journal of South Omaha, Nebraska, contains the following: "T. D. Perrine returned to-day from the range country, where he has been located during the range season. Sometime ago Perrine wagered \$100 that the run of range cattle would not exceed 60 per cent. of fast years receipts from the Wyoming and Colorado adjacent ranges, and as the percentage is less than that has won his wager. He says that the ranges have been a literally swept of range cattle this year, everything that could be got together having been sent to market. He thinks that there will be practically no cattle from the Western country next year."

The Cosmopolitan.

The JOURNAL has made an arrangement whereby the Cosmopolitan, a monthly magazine is offered with the JOURNAL for one year for \$2.50. The price of the Cosmopolitan alone is \$2.40 and we have no hesitation in saying that it is well worth the money. The advertisement is in another column and we have pleasure in endorsing the whole of it.

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De rease in Cattle.

Many skeptics are inclined to believe that cattle are not decreasing in the range country. They can find cattle here, there and elsewhere, and the evidence that there is any decrease is unsatisfactory.

True the subject is a great one to tackle requiring close investigation and it is difficult to arrive at figures, but prominent instances crop out occasionally and prove the situation to be all the JOURNAL has claimed for it in that case at least.

The Prairie Cattle company is an example, prominent now by reason of a recent official investigation. That company in 1882 was not using less than two million acres of range. Most of it free range. Now the directors advise that some of their lands be sold as their cattle do not require it and cannot use it. They say also that sheepmen are using their lands. All this is because they are short one hundred thousand cattle below their highest number. Their herds amount in numbers now to somewhere about 50,000 head against an original one hundred and fifty thousand. The company has been in operation since 1880, and had the advantage of four years upgrade in the cattle business. In the Northern ranges there are plenty of examples similar to this, such as the Swan, Powder River and Arkansas Valley companies, the herds having been shipped out or died out, and many more of our home companies and individual owners have submitted to circumstances cut down their herds in one way or another until the range country is not called upon to support over 60 per cent. of the numbers in 1884 5.

The bearing of this is upon the value of cattle. With steady increase upon the ranges and more rapid production of beef on the farms there would be very little hope for any better prices

for cattle until beef production did decline. But with an assurance of decreased production on the ranges and satisfactory evidence that the farmers are also decreasing their small herds, the chances are more in our favor, especially as the increased demands seem to take, at some price, not only the regular supply but the sacrifices too.

To Valuable for Sheep.

Now and again somebody discovers that sheep are going west because the land they have been using is too valuable for sheep growing, and the discovery, when made, is disseminated broadcast, and one of the most injurious statements to sheep growing is cried far and wide, without a word being said to show that the statement is false and based upon only a superficial view of the business.

The high-priced lands of Great Britain raise more sheep to the acre than any other lands in the world, and the middle and long wool mutton sheep is second to none of the stock raising industries. This alone is refutation of the statement that any farm lands are too costly for the raising of sheep.

In the United States it is the same; Boston, New York and Philadelphia are largely supplied with high-class sheep, raised, fed and finished on the costliest farm lands in the United States, and sheep raisers on these lands make more out of a good fat mutton than is made out of the same amount invested in larger stock; at the same time the farm is enriched and increased in value.

It is the cheaper range sheep, in large numbers (the owner being a sheep man and not a farmer), that seeks the cheapest range.

The owner goes west to find free range if he can get it, and cheap range if free range is not available. For him there is no seven cents per pound for lambs; he is too far away. He cannot always market his mutton, as railroads sometimes charge heavy freight bills. He is more dependent than the Eastern sheep owner upon the wool side of the sheep question, and the circumstances are greatly different from those surrounding the sheep farmer who lives on a fenced farm and is within reach of the markets.

If any man is found to be moving sheep because lands are too costly, the probability is that the sheep are near-

ly his sole possession. The lands are too costly for the man, not for the sheep.

There are no lands in Texas that are bought and paid for that are too costly for sheep growing, but there is no need for any farmer to depend wholly and solely on sheep for a living any more than that he should depend wholly and solely on raising oats.

The Fat Stock Show.

To stockmen in Texas the Fat Stock Show is not of so much interest as it should be, or there would have been more than one exhibitor to represent Texas after the liberality of the Chicago commission houses offering such prizes to be competed for. But there is something to be learned from the cold figures which the show furnishes of the weights of the various ages of cattle, the same being cattle fed from birth, with a view to reaching a standard of perfection in the production of beef.

Such studies are interesting as showing what can be done, not only with the strictly pure breeds, but with the higher grades, such as advanced farmers carry upon their farms and feed for the regular markets.

The figures below are compiled from the record of one hundred and eleven animals exhibited. It is done for the purpose of showing the average weights of calves, yearlings, two-year-olds and three-year-olds. The classes taken are Grades and Crosses, Herefords and Shorthorns; these breeds furnishing the greatest competition.

The result is as follows:

THREE-YEAR OLDS.	
Average Gain Per Day from birth.	
Shorthorns.....	1.67 pounds
Herefords.....	1.41 "
Grades and Crosses.....	1.49 "
Average gain.....	1.52 "
TWO YEAR-OLDS.	
Shorthorns.....	1.83 "
Herefords.....	1.67 "
Grades and Crosses.....	1.80 "
Average gain.....	1.77 "
YEARLINGS.	
Shorthorns.....	2.10 "
Herefords.....	2.01 "
Grades and Crosses.....	2.10 "
Average gain.....	2.07 "
CALVES.	
Shorthorns.....	2.64 "
Hereford.....	2.43 "
Grades and Crosses.....	2.78 "
Average gain.....	2.62 "

The above figures represent also an average for yearlings 365 days old, 956 lbs; two-year-olds, 730 days, 1511 lbs; three year-olds, 1095 days, 1938 lbs, and four-year-olds, 1460 days, 2219 lbs. These figures will do well as a standard for stockmen to keep, to show the reasonable possibilities of the beef breeds, no less so in Texas than in Illinois.

Leave hope behind,
Ally who enter here.
So ran the dire warning which Dante read on the portals of the Inferno. So runs the cruel verdict of your friends if you are overtaken by the first symptoms of that terrible disease, consumption. "Leave hope behind! Your days are numbered!!" And the struggle against death is given up in despair. But while there is life there is hope! Dr. Peirce's Golden Medical Discovery has cured hundreds of cases worse than yours; and it will cure you if taken in time. But delay is dangerous. No power can restore a lost lung; the "Golden Medical Discovery," however, can and will arrest the disease.

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CATTLE AWARDS

At the Fat Stock Show, Chicago.
BREEDING CATTLE—HERDS.

Shorthorn—1. Allen Varner & Son, Indianola, Ill.; 2. J. Henn & Son, Redmon, Ill.

Hereford—1. Geo. Fowler, Maple Grove, Kas.; 2. W. S. Van Natta, Fowler, Ind.; 3. G. W. Henry, Chicago.

Devon—1. J. W. Morse, Verona, Wis.; 2. John Hudson, Moweaqua, Ill.

Aberdeen-Angus—1. Leslie & Burwell, Cottage Grove, Wis.; 2. H. C. Allen, Harristown, Ill.

Sussex—1. Overton Lea, Nashville, Tenn.

Red Polled—1. Gilfillan & Murray, Maquaketa, Iowa; 2. J. McJ. Smith, Dayton, O.; 3. Current & Sanderson, Lost Nation, Iowa.

Holstein-Friesian—1. Stratton Bros., Greenwood, Ind.; 2. Thos B Wales, Iowa City, Iowa; 3. Stevenson Bros, Bulger, Pa.

Sersey—1. Latimer & Miller, Abingdon, Ill.; 2. Jas. T. Henderson, Auvergne, Ark.; 3. D H & S S Tripp, Peoria, Ill.

Ayrshire—1. E A Forbes, Liadenville, O.; 2. John Stewart & Son, Eburn, Ill.; 3. A B Spencer, Rockport, Ill.

FAT CATTLE—SHORTHORNS.

Steer or Spayed Cow, 3 years—1. J H Potts & Son, Jacksonville, Ill., Richmond; 2. W S White, Sabetha, Kas., London Boy; 3. C S Barclay, West Liberty, Iowa, Liberty.

Two years—1. W H Renick, Clintonville, Ky., Twilight; 2. W H Renick, None Such; 3. C C Blish & Son, Ke-wanee, Ill., Captain.

One year—1. Jas J Hill, St. Paul, Minn., Britisher; 2. Moffatt & Bro., Paw Paw, Ill., Blue Ribbon; 3. Blish & Son, Cardinal.

Under one year—1. Potts & Son, Captain; 2. Blish & Son, Kriss Kringle; 2. W H Renick, Jack the Ripper.

HEREFORDS.

Three years—1. G W Henry, Jumper; 2. Adams Earl, Lafayette, Ind., Expressman; 3. J B Sherman, Chicago, Ramona.

Two years—1. W S Van Natta, Edwin; 2. C M Culberson, Newman, Ill., Wilton 16; 3. A. Earl, Earl of Shadeland 27.

One year—1. A Earl, Merry Boy; 2. W S Van Natta, Bill Fowler; 3. G W Henry, Bright Prince.

Under one year—1. A Earl, Edison; 2. W S Van Natta, Howard; 3. J R Price & Son, Williamsville, Ill., Eldorado.

DEVONS.

Three years—1. J W Morse & Son, Verona, Wis., New Era.

Two years—2. Morse & Son, Beauty.

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Three years—1. Jas J Hill, Monroe; 2. Jas J Hill, Roxton.

Two years—1. T W Harvey, Turlington, Neb., Alexandria Knight.

One year—1. Jas J Hill, Maurice; 2. A B Matthews, Kansas City, Bonnie Blue Baron; 3. Same, Bonnie Blue Prince.

Under one year—1. J J Hill, Defiance.

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Two years—1. B Waddel, Rattler; 2. M L Sweet, Grand Rapids, Mich, Ben Johnson.

Under one year—1 and 2. B Waddel, Spot and Ohio Champion 2d.

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Two years—1. O Lea, George.

One year—1. O Lea, Wooten.

Under one year—1. O Lea, Luck's All.

GRADES AND CROSSES.

Three years—1. W H Renick, Bright Light, 63-64, Shorthorn; 2. T W Harvey, Guido's Durham, 4 Aberdeen-Angus, 4 Shorthorn; 3. J B Sherman, Anxiety's Eclipse, 4 Hereford, 4 Shorthorn.

Two years—1. Elbert & Fall, Albia, Iowa, Rigdon, 4 Shorthorn; 2. H H Clough, Elyria, O., Clem, 4 Hereford; 3. Makin Bros., Florence, Kas., Emory, 4 Hereford, 4 Shorthorn.

One year—1. Moffatt & Bro., Bonnie Blue Ribbon, 4 Shorthorn; 2. G W Henry, Shadeland Jersey, 4 Hereford, 4 Jersey; 3. Price & Son, Sealskin, 4 Hereford, 4 Shorthorn.

Under one year—1. C B Stuart, Lafayette, Ind., Sultan, 4 Hereford, 4 Shorthorn; 2. Geo Fowler, Maple Hill, Kas., Dick, 4 Hereford, 4 Shorthorn; 3. T W Harvey, Star of Turlington 2d, 4 Aberdeen-Angus.

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Two years—Elbert & Fall, Rigdon, 4 Shorthorn.

One year—Jas J Hill, Britisher, Shorthorn.

Under one year—Potts & Son, Captain, Shorthorn.

HEAVIEST CATTLE.

1. J B Sherman, Chicago, Jubilee's Breastplate, Shorthorn, 1805 days old, 2660 lbs; 2. W H Renick, Clintonville, Ky., Baby Mine, S H, 1361 days, 2515 lbs; 3. J J Hill, St. Paul, Minn., Monroe, Aberdeen-Angus, 1426 days, 2415 lbs.

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Paper Horse-Shoes.

Farmers' Home.

Many attempts have been made to replace the iron horse-shoe by one made of material more elastic and better suited to the natural hoof. India-rubber, gutta-percha, and leather have all been tried and rejected, and now it is the turn of paper. A horse-shoe has lately been brought out in Berlin which is composed of layers of paper glued together and subjected to hydraulic pressure. Each layer is treated with oil, turpentine, etc., to render it impervious to moisture, and the glue is a special compound which is insensible to the influences of moderate heat and water. The paper shoe is said to be so elastic that it readily permits of the expansion of the hoof, to which it can be securely attached by gutta-percha. It is tough and durable, and does not become brittle with use. An important feature of this shoe is the fact that it wears rough, and thus serves to prevent the horse from slipping.

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FORT WORTH.**General Range and Stock Notes.**

The Louisville Land and Cattle company is counting cattle in the month of November.

Jno. S. Powell & Co. are preparing a consignment of fine bulls for the San Antonio market.

Mr. J. M. Smithe of St. Joseph, La., has been looking around in Fort Worth and vicinity for superior horse stock.

Albert Montgomery of New Orleans has a card in the For Sale column of the JOURNAL. He wants 100 to 500 bulls and stags.

Mr. B. R. Thompson, general agent of the Canda Cattle Car Company has been in Texas for a week or so, in the interest of the company.

Wheeler, James & Company, Union Stock Yards, St. Louis, report Texas steers, good ones, selling at \$2.25@2.75; common steers and cows at \$1.50@2.

Mr. Wm. Powell of Beecher, Ill., will receive a car of Herefords in a few days from home, which will be held for sale at the Kentucky stables of Young & Kuhlen.

Messrs. Funk & Carr of McLean, Ill., have at the yards of Young & Kuhlen, Fort Worth, three imported Percheron stallions and one grade stallion. Full description will be given next week.

The Fort Worth butcher market has not made any change; supplies are generally ample for all demands, and it is not unusual for the market to be overstocked. Cows, 1 1/2c; hogs, 4c; sheep, 2 1/2@2 3/4c.

Col. L. D. Voak, general agent of Streets Stable car line arrived in Fort Worth after absence caused by sickness. He was again at his desk and although improving in health would have looked more at home in bed.

The most extensive cattle shipper from Texas and the Indian Territory during the past week or so was one of the Chicago Big Four, who seems to be running cattle for the little money there is in the business.

At Quanah on Tuesday last Mr. W. DeS. Maud of the Moon ranch shipped 14 cars; Rayner Cattle company, 31 cars, and Pitchfork ranch 16 cars of cattle. The latter were sold to East & Spears before shipment.

Mr. H. B. Sanborn of the Frying Pan ranch in the Panhandle was in Fort Worth during the week. He mentions that his ranch has suffered no loss and the prospects are not unfavorable to wintering all his stock in good shape.

Mr. Wm. Powell of Beecher, Ill., who has two hundred head of purebred Herefords, fully acclimated, at Rhome on the Fort Worth & Denver road, arrived in town Friday, coming from the south and west. He is fully prepared to fill orders.

The JOURNAL was pleased to see Mr. Harry Taylor in town during the week, looking in his usual good condition. Although no longer a member of the Animal Industry Bureau, he still has a lively interest in cattle matters, especially so far as Texas stock is concerned.

J. S. Reynolds of Belknap, Young county, a gentleman who has devoted his means and time to improving Texas horse stock was here on his way to Kentucky after more Thoroughbreds. He is making a success of the business and has quite a valuable list of thoroughbred stock.

D. B. Gardner of the Pitchfork company has returned from the ranch in

Dickens county. He traveled through the Pace ranch, Kit Carter, Moon and OX ranges, and reports cattle in excellent fix and the ranges as good as usual; the prospects being that cattle will winter well.

Mr. W. C. Vandercook of Cherry Valley, Ill., has a notice in the For Sale or Exchange columns offering land for land. He has some mineral lands in Cherokee county and is desirous to make an exchange for agricultural lands. He means business and is a good and responsible man.

Mr. John S. Andrews of Fort Worth has purchased 200 to 300 head of 1100-pound steers from Coggin Bros. of Brownwood. The price paid was \$18 around. Owing to high rate of freight the cattle were driven instead of being shipped to Hill county to be fed. Mr. Andrews will feed four to five hundred head of cattle this winter.

Captain Lee Hall has purchased of Young & Kuhlen three good grade stallions, 1 Devon bull and 6 head of purebred Berkshires. The stock was shipped to Eagle Pass. Colonel Young is authority for the statement that Capt. Hall also shipped two carloads of Bantam chickens for the Mexican trade.

The cattle movement to the markets is lighter now than formerly. There was a falling off during the past week from the Panhandle and from the Texas Pacific. The movement from the Southern Texas shipping points show some life and this trade will increase if the weather continues favorable and the markets advance ever so little.

A suggestion has been advanced that in connection with the Texas Spring Palace for 1889, there shall be a fat and fancy stock show. The suggestion has been received with favor, and very likely the breeders and fanciers of the state will be invited to make an exhibit of this character the invitation to be backed with liberal premiums for Texas live stock productions.

John Shelton who ranges cattle in the Rocking Chair ranch says that the eastern part of the Panhandle is in good average condition and the grass short and well cured. This is the condition stockmen consider favorable as when the grass is too long it is devoid of nutriment. Mr. Shelton says that all the ranges in that country are carrying very many less cattle than heretofore the owners having cashed a good many of them from calves up.

Amongst the recent arrivals at the Fort Worth Union Stock yards was a train of cattle shipped by Mr. C. Burnet of Gonzales. He accompanied his shipment and before leaving the yard he expressed his satisfaction at the excellence of the yard facilities and the accommodating treatment by the yard officials. It is hoped that other stockmen of the South will follow the example of Mr. Burnet and learn for themselves that a home institution is building up soon to furnish a home market for all varieties of Texas stock.

The Alton's Stock Cars.

Chicago Drivers' Journal

At the request of the Chicago & Alton Railroad company a certain live stock commission company has consented to cancel the lease by which, several months ago, it secured control of 400 of the Alton's common stock cars. It will be remembered that when the contract was made it created a good deal of feeling, not only among the commission firms that controlled private stock cars, but among the roads competing with the Alton for the

live stock traffic at the Southwestern Missouri river points. The roads claimed that the effect of the Alton's deal was to cut the live stock rate, inasmuch as the Alton received a fixed rental for its cars.

The excitement over the matter culminated in a complaint being filed with the Interstate commerce commission by the roads in Interstate Commerce Commission Railway association, charging the Alton with violating the law in entering into this contract.

The cancellation of the lease takes effect December 1, on which date the Chicago & Alton will regain possession of its stock cars. Its object in taking this step is presumably to put an end to the contention that has been caused by the lease and to assist in the restoration of uniform and stable rates.

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DALLAS.

DALLAS DOTS.

H. C. Clark of Oak Cliff arrived with 29 head of choice mixed cattle.

A. E. Bailey of this county arrived on the market with a choice lot of fat hogs and found ready sale.

C. F. Priess of Fredericksburg is on local market with a car-load of fat hogs.

J. J. Leeth of Hico is in the city with a lot of fat grass cows.

Sanger Bros. of this city sold a car of choice fat cows to the local butchers.

As to the condition of the Dallas live stock market this week, we will say, fat cows, sheep and goats are scarce and in good demand; fat hogs plentiful and slow sale at 3 1/2 to 4c, with a good prospect of a still further decline.

It is a safe estimate to say at least fifty new houses are in course of construction at Oak Cliff at the present time. The company is now having a round house erected on Sixth street for the sheltering of engines. A great many lots have been sold in the additions of the Cliff beyond the armory since being laid off about two months ago.

January 1, 1890, the cities of Dallas and East Dallas, according to a law passed by the last legislature, will be governed by one and the same city government. Some Dallas people claim that said law, without being voted on by the legal voters of the city, is unconstitutional. Be that as it may, the consolidation seems so satisfactory generally that there is no likelihood of there being any contest over the matter.

Without particularizing, we will say that a good many cattle in this and adjoining counties will be fattened this winter for spring and early summer supplying of the butcher demands here and abroad. The low price of cattle and the cheapness of corn and hay is the leading cause of the business for putting fat on cattle during winter in Texas.

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

J. M. Burton of Kaufman county sold 19 choice cows at \$1.60 per 100 lbs, av. 890 lbs.

C. S. Maddox of Hunt county sold 27 steers for feeding purposes at 2c, av. 930 lbs.

L. E. Kimbrough of Collin county sold 17 cows at 1 1/2c, av. 807 lbs.

H. C. Clark of Dallas county arrived on market with 29 choice mixed cows.

R. M. Reding of Dallas county sold 13 cows at \$10 per head.

A. Powers of Hamilton county is on market with 19 mixed grass cows.

J. J. Leeth of same place is on market with 14 mixed grass cows.

W. L. Fry sold 13 veal calves at 3 1/2c, av. 190 lbs.

C. B. Goodman sold 14 yearlings at \$5.50 per head.

L. J. Middleton of Rockwall county sold 13 steers for feeding purposes at 2c, av. 940 lbs.

C. F. Casey of Dallas county sold 7 choice milch cows at \$30 around.

W. Wilson of this city sold 3 milch cows at \$30 per head.

D. M. Green sold 1 milch cow for \$35.

H. W. Smith sold 29 choice mutton sheep at 3 1/2c, av. 96 lbs.

P. C. Cook sold 27 choice fat goats at \$1.90 per head.

T. Q. Spillman sold 39 fat mutton sheep at 3c, av. 72 lbs.

B. R. Piper sold 53 head of stock hogs at 3 1/2c, av. 87 lbs.

Frank LeRoy sold 13 fat hogs at 4 1/2c, av. 240 lbs.

R. E. Turner sold 7 choice veal calves at 3 1/2c, av. 186 lbs.

Dr. M. Hogan sold 17 cows at \$9 per head.

E. J. Dreyfuss sold 3 bulls at 1c, weight 3970 lbs.

M. B. Miller sold 23 choice fat corn-fed hogs at 4 1/2c, av. 264 lbs.

C. T. Killing sold 8 yearlings at \$4.75 per head.

W. H. James sold 16 fat hogs at 4c.

D. H. Woorley sold 21 stock hogs at 4c.

Phil Davis sold 18 choice fat cows at \$14 per head.

N. C. Sutton sold 11 cows at \$12 per head.

O. S. Gracey sold 6 choice milch cows at \$25 per head.

B. K. Husting sold 7 yearlings at \$6 per head.

J. G. Drew sold 9 hogs at 4c, av. 370 lbs.

Catarrh Cured.

A clergyman, after years of suffering from that loathsome disease, catarrh, and vainly trying every known remedy, at last found a prescription which completely cured and saved him from death. Any sufferer from this dreadful disease sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Prof. J. A. Lawrence, 88 Warren Street, New York, will receive the recipe free of charge.

Cattle for Germany.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—Jas. H. Smith, commercial agent of the United States at Mayence, writes to the state department:

"Very high prices for meat at present prevailing in Germany, as reported upon by me on Sept. 23, caused in part by the exclusion of cattle from Russia and Austria-Hungary on the ground of infection by disease, and a firm of well-known butchers at this city has been led thereby to try the experiment of importing a few live oxen from the United States, and arrangements have been made by them for the shipment of 900 fat oxen to this country, to come by six different vessels during a period of two months, 150 animals to come by each ship.

"This is quite a noteworthy transaction because it is the first time, I am informed, that live oxen from the United States all ready for slaughter have been imported into Germany. About ten years ago lean cattle to be fattened for slaughter by pasturage in Holstein and Oldenburg, were brought into Germany, I am told, but the undertaking did not turn out satisfactorily and was abandoned.

"The oxen now coming to Germany are from the State of Illinois, and the first two batches of them arrived last week. The newspapers report them to be fine looking animals, but of a very wild nature, and their appearance in this vicinity has been quite an event to the butchers. They are sold in the German market about 10 to

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15 per cent cheaper than German beeves, but are found not suited to the German market, principally because they are of a more unmanageable nature than German cattle, having never been accustomed to being led by a rope, and cannot be controlled as the butchers here desire. These butchers all do business on a small scale, slaughtering, as a rule only from one to two beeves a week, the killing of five or six a week being rare; and the cattle they slaughter they like to punch on the hips and scrutinize closely before buying, and like to lead by a rope after purchased; and all this the American oxen strongly object to and violently resist; and any binding of them together is entirely out of the question. They, therefore, cannot be kept long, but have to be killed as soon as possible.

"I asked what condition the animals arrived in, and was told in a very bad one. The voyage of the first batch lasted three weeks, and they all arrived in a very demoralized state. Fully 10 per cent were lost by the voyage, 13 having died on the way.

Be Kind to the Frogs.

St. James Gazette.

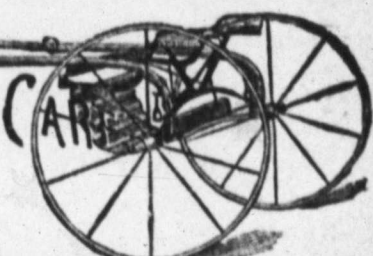
The governor of Ningpo has issued the following proclamation to the agriculturists of his district, enjoining them not to kill certain of the smaller animals. It is in a meter of six syllables, as the more paternal decrees of Chinese administrators are:

"Frogs are produced in the middle of your fields; although they are little things, they are small human beings in form. They cherish a life long attachment to their natal soil, and at night they melodiously sing in concert with clear voices. Moreover, they protect your crops by eating locusts, thus deserving the gratitude of the people.

Why go after dark with lanterns scheming to capture the harmless and useful things? Although they may be nice flavoring for your rice, it is heartless to slay them. Henceforth it is forbidden to buy or sell them, and those who do so will be severely punished. Sparrows, again, sing at their seasons sweetly in the trees. They are not like wolves, tigers or leopards, which

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may take to injuring men when they grow large. Why go out with nets to catch them all from the hills and woods? Know that the string to slay the feeble for food is the way of wild beasts and rapacious birds. Resist the lust of your mouths and bellies for savory meats, and thus act in unison with Heaven, which loves to preserve life. Both these sorts of creatures you are forbidden to catch from henceforth. Do not flatter yourself that after the warning your punishment for disobedience will be mild."

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The daily trains, one solid consisting of coaches and free reclining chair car are now being run between Texarkana and Memphis via the Iron Mountain route and Bald Knob. Through sleeping car from all principal points in Texas run through to Little Rock on the other train and at that point make connection with similar equipment through to Memphis. Direct connection is made at Memphis with all lines to the East and Southeast. This is a revolution in transportation service to Memphis. Ask your agent for a ticket via this route.

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Fast and Slow Milking.

Mr. Ralph Allen of Delavan, Ill., gives to the Jersey Bulletin a little experience that well illustrates the difference between fast and slow milking. His boy was learned to milk, and took two and a half times more time than a fast milker who got from the cow at each milking nine to twelve and a half pounds of milk. The boy could get only seven to nine pounds. The evidence in favor of fast milking was pretty conclusive—provided the time in milking was all that affected the flow. The fast milker may have been more agreeable to the cow, and his manner of milking may have been more agreeable. The bungling of the boy may have been positively annoying to the cow. This would affect her "giving down," as it is called. It may have had quite as much to do with the variation in the yield as the difference in time of drawing the milk had. You must please the cow if you want her to do her best. More or less milk is secreted during milking—as saliva is secreted during eating. If the cow is annoyed, it checks the secretion of milk; if pleased, it stimulates it. For these reasons it is important to have fast milkers who are good natured and agreeable to the cows. One that sings or whistles low and sweet is said to be preferable.

The worst nasal catarrh, no matter of how long standing, is permanently cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Ration For Holstein-Friesian.

J. F. Duggar, College Station, Texas, in Southern Live Stock Journal.

Please give me a good proportion and amounts of following feed for Holstein-Friesians: Crushed corn on cob, bran, cow-peas; also what amount of meadow hay, and whether best fed whole, or cut and mixed with other food. Would like to add boiled cottonseed, or cottonseed meal, to grain food, as you think best.

O. A. B.

ANSWER—You are fortunate in the variety of nutritious food-stuffs you have at hand. Though you do not state price of each food, I have compounded two rations, that you may choose the cheapest in your locality. You do not state whether ration is wanted for dry stock or for milk cows. The following are intended as rations per day for 1000-lb milk cows:

	DIGESTIBLE MATTER.		
	Album-noids.	Carbohy-drates.	Fat.
2 lbs cottonseed meal.....	.701	.44	.16
3 lbs ground oats.....	.27	1.30	.13
6 lbs wheat bran.....	.72	2.50	.15
6 lbs ear corn, ground.....	.36	3.30	.21
10 lbs hay, of mixed grasses..	.51	4.09	.11
Or	2.58	11.68	.76
5 lbs ground oats.....	.45	2.10	.23
5 lbs wheat bran.....	.72	2.70	.15
4 lbs cottonseed.....	.68	.60	1.00
12 lbs hay.....	.63	4.92	.13
	2.48	10.32	1.51

On pasture your cows may not eat so much as indicated above. If their weights run up much above one thousand pounds, they may eat more, in any case the proportion is more important than the amount.

The cottonseed is given in dry weight, before being moistened for cooking.

Cow-peas usually cost more in proportion to their feeding value than do the grains more extensively grown and more easily gathered.

Yet, peas are nutritious, and if it be desired to use this food you can substitute three lbs. cow-peas (ground) for four lbs. cottonseed in above ration.

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Lady Longfield, 2d, 35589, C. Brown to Polk Bros., Fort Worth.
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"My sheep left me," said he—with a jerk at the fare indicator.

"Sold out?" I inquired.

"No; got jumped."

"Jumped! what jumped you?" I asked.

"Well, you see it was about like this," replied my friend, and as we trundled on down past Dover street, he gave me the following account of his Western experience, "You were out there two years ago, and remember how I was located."

I remember, well, for I had thought then that he had a model sheep range for a small one; it was in Southwestern Dakota, on a good stream of water, and had the southeast of it a fine tract of pine and cotton-wood timber.

"Well, I was doing very well, as you know, and in June last, had two hundred and forty ewes with their lambs just a satisfactory little bunch, as you may suppose. I looked after them carefully every day, to keep off the coyotes; in fact I didn't often allow them to pass from under my eye, when I was out on the range. Besides this, I built a good corral for them at night, down in the edge of the timber.

"One afternoon, about the 20th of the month, I was sitting on some rocks watching them. It had been sultry, with the sun scorching hot in the forenoon, and the sheep had kept in the shade of the timber through the middle of the day, till early in the afternoon, when they all streamed out of the bushes and began to feed up towards where I sat, with a big green umbrella set up over me, as a shelter from the sun. Sheep, when they are feeding, as you know, generally keep together, and I should think at this time, mine were most of them, on a plot of not much more than an acre of ground; but they were coming up the slope at quite a good pace for animals feeding.

"The sky was clear, though a trifle hazy; but by-and-by I noticed a bit of a cloud in the northwest that seemed to me to be behaving in a singular way. It appeared to move with a kind of spasmodic motion.

"I noticed, too, that it was rapidly growing longer, and that it seemed to shift from a dark to a light green hue.

"I watched it closely, for I surmised from its appearance, that there was some kind of a tornado coming, and immediately after noticed that there was a sort of sleeve or funnel-shaped trunk, hanging down from it toward the ground.

"The view to northward from where I sat was a good one, and I could see the cloud coming a number of miles off. The sleeve or trunk conducted itself in a singular manner. First it would appear to give a little switch, or dab down at the ground, then it would start up again, as if to look at what it had done, and get ready for another stroke at the objects below, and with every stroke I could see a brown cloud of dust, grass, brush, and timber rise into the air, and go whirling up into the sky; this hanging cylinder or trunk was black-colored and seemed to be whirling around as it danced along.

"By the time it was within a mile and a half from me, I felt sure that it was coming in the direction in which I sat, and I could hear a kind of whizzing, roaring noise.

"The sheep heard it, too. They stopped feeding, looked up, and then began to huddle together. But I didn't stop to watch them long. I was busy thinking which way I had better run.

"There was quite a deep chink or hole down between two rocks where I was sitting. I shut my big umbrella, dropped down into the chink, stretched out full length, and laid the umbrella over

the opening in the rocks into which had placed myself for I concluded that it would not be likely to tear those big rocks.

"I had hardly more than placed myself there, when it grew dark as night, and the whizzing, roaring noise became loud as thunder! I dug my nails into the crevices of the stones, and held on—and then, which the tornado went over me with a roaring shriek, a rattle, a shower of stones and dirt, and I felt as if the whole ground about me was lifted into the air. This did not last more than half a minute; perhaps not so long as that. I got out of the crevice, and, as soon as I could see for dust, looked for my bunch of sheep. I saw two of them three or four hundred yards to the left, running as if a panther was after them; another one, a lamb, lay kicking a little nearer me. These were all that I could see.

"I ran down to the corral, and there found two of the sheep, one with a broken leg; they must have been blown into it, over the eight-foot fence, for I had turned them all out in the morning.

"Then I began looking further on through the timber, and sir, I had not gone far, when I saw a sheep up twenty-five or thirty feet from the ground in the top of a pine tree—lodged there!

"A little further on I came upon one lying with a broken back on the ground and shortly after I saw another, lodged high up in the crotch of a big cotton-wood.

"And so I went on, looking for my sheep in trees. Before night I found fifteen, nine of them dead on the ground, and six up in the tree tops—some of these later still kicking to get free.

"That was all I ever found of the whole bunch, in fact, I was so disgusted with my ill luck, that I did not look much farther, for I knew it was no use. The tornado had completely wiped me out.

"The next day I salted down three barrels of mutton, and made a trade with a hunter to live at my 'shack,' and keep possession for me, while I came on East to get a job, and earn some money.

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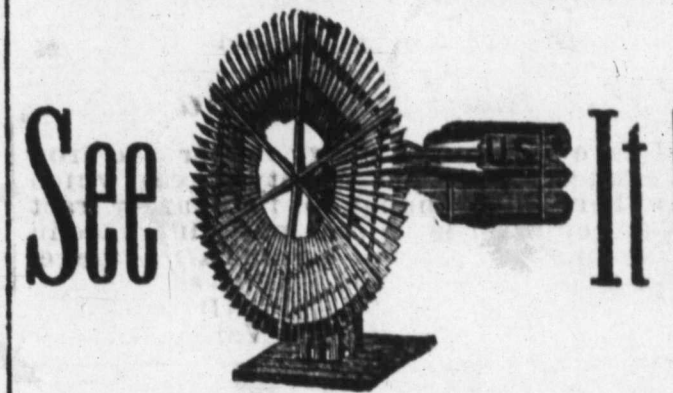
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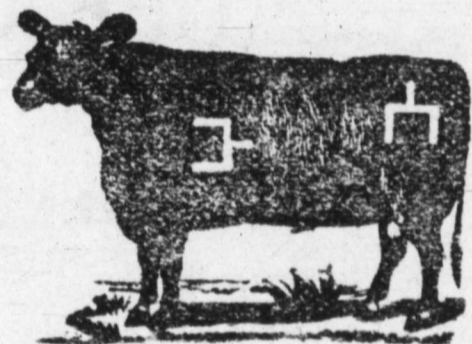
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I wish we might eliminate whatsoever is perfunctory from our Thanksgiving and occasionally elect an executive state or national, who would give us a proclamation with one touch of genuine heartfulness and with no token of the furtive politician in it.

The origin of the custom is perhaps its least persuasive recommendation; but in the warm glow of this onward and broadening generation let us forget the vagaries, the narrowness and the asceticism out of which it has emerged.

Therefore I give thanks, not simply in obedience to presidential or gubernatorial command, but because I am grateful for whatsoever blessings fall, whether in the way of emancipation from intolerance and cruelty, for bountiful harvests, or for merely personal good fortune.

I should be much wanting in self-respect could I satisfy myself with a ceremonious offering of thanks once a year. There are so many causes for gratitude it must be difficult for the average man to square his account with providence at such infrequent intervals. I declare I find daily employment in forwarding installments (in discharge of my debt) to the bank of bounty. Nevertheless our formal Thanksgiving is a contribution to the general stock of human happiness, and I hope our creditor will graciously receive this assurance of my profoundest and grateful appreciation. I take this fair hour to confess judgment. Take notice, O world, that I have had value received. It is my purpose to pay the debt with interest and to celebrate its final liquidation by a serene and cheerful adieu to a world in which I have had more bliss than bane.

I do not court distinction for eccentricity, but really don't you think my way has points of recommendation that make it, on the whole, preferable to the way of the way of the once-a-year fellows? This leads me to confess that I have always had a fondness for standing at the curb and watching the motley procession. The drum majors amuse me; the gay banners give color to the scene; the brass bands drown the shrieks of the weak who drop along the line and are trampled under foot. And the endless pageant moves on, a gaudy juggernaut, pitiless of tearing flesh and crunching bones, indifferent to the death it deals at every turn of its ponderous wheels, and recking as little what is to come as what is left behind.

I shall one day fall in with the rest of the masqueraders and get my head smashed when I least expect it. If the certain knowledge of that occasionally stabs me with misgiving, or disturbs me with natural dread of the issue of a leap in the dark, I hope I am philosopher enough to accept the inevitable, and to decline with such honor as I may an altogether one-sided contest.

In casting up my account with providence I find a voluminous bill of items. Glance over some of them with me and you shall learn how much reason one man may discover for devoting a year,

instead of a single day, to giving thanks.

First in importance and value I reckon on the opportunity and the power to work, without which, crave we leisure never so eagerly, there can be no satisfying recompense—for leisure were meaningless and dull unless it follow toil.

Scanning the bill a little further, I discover charges for health, for a buoyant spirit, for happy surroundings, for a sunny workshop, for relish for roast beef, and for a serenity that book agents do not disturb.

The comforting consciousness of blessings present never forsake me. With me it is not the good time coming. Like the practiced sailor, with a well ordered stomach, who inhales the tonic ozone of mid-ocean, I walk the deck of this big ship, the earth, with an ever-moving impulse to shout, and leap, and laugh, thank.

I give thanks for the happy home on which my senses open every blest and blissful day; for the kitchen odors that salute my wakingtime and give me double compensation for the lost morning nap; for the bright eyes and the ringing laughter of children—not mine, save as the little ones belong to all of us who have nearly accomplished the journey which they have only begun; for the hum of life without that assures me a new day and new opportunities are come for other toilers, too; for the sweet grace of life and love that follows me everywhere like a benediction; for hopeful and hearty encouragement; for daily discoveries of unexpected nobility in men and self-denying devotion in women; for the golden promise in the ray that glints through my shutters before I gird myself for the new-born day; and for the angels of peace and repose that spread their wings over me in sleep when the day is done.

I were, indeed, an ingrate not to proffer these thanks; for have not I within my soul the buoyancy to lift the eternal hills?

But how shall I phrase fitting thanks for the delight I drink from books? And what terms shall I devise to tell the story of my grateful heart for all that human love and loyalty have been to me?

I give thanks for the modest plenty that has always smiled upon my board.

I salute with peace-offerings and promise of everlasting remembrance the merciful souls that have many times flashed the light of warning upon the rocks of wrong, on which I surely, without their timely intervention, must have been dashed to death.

I give thanks that you and all of us, good friends, live in the day when there is a mood to see twisted things made straight and evil things made good.

If that joyful millennium ever come, I shall be in it, having a symposium with Socrates and Traddles, and Leireman Sarchedon and Toby Quaker and all the ministering souls, that have helped to make a special day of thanks a day of infinite significance to me.

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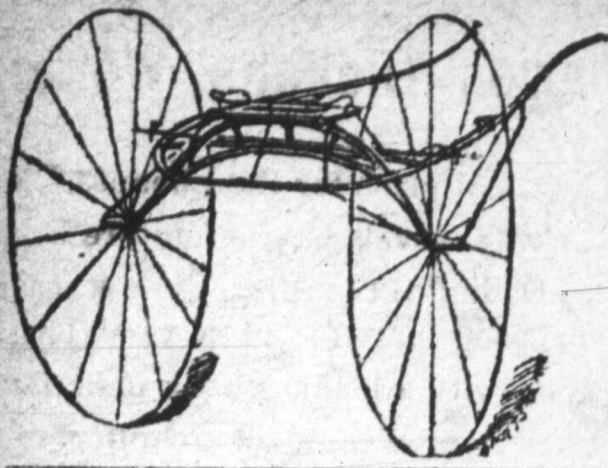
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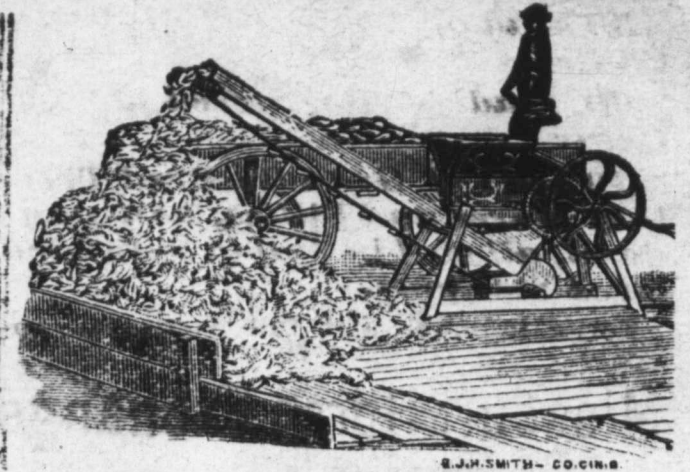
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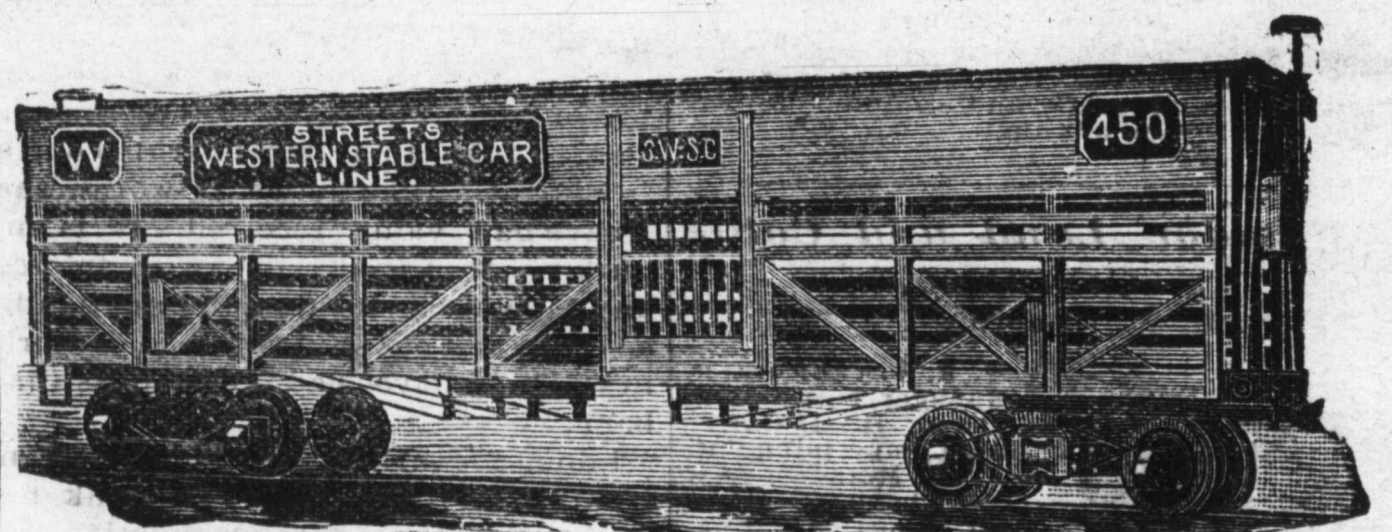
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