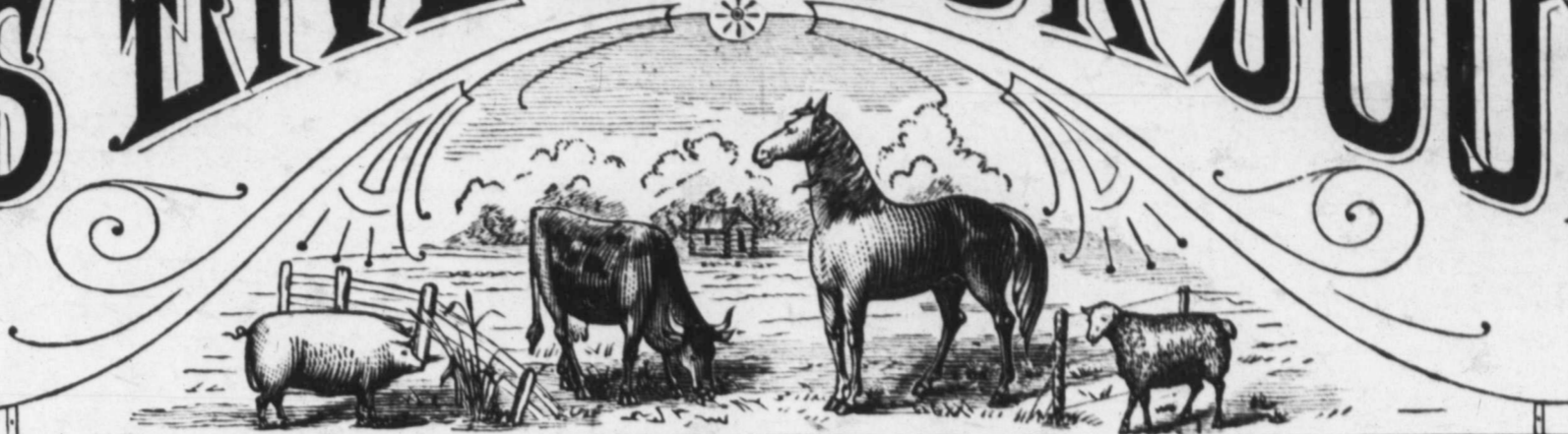


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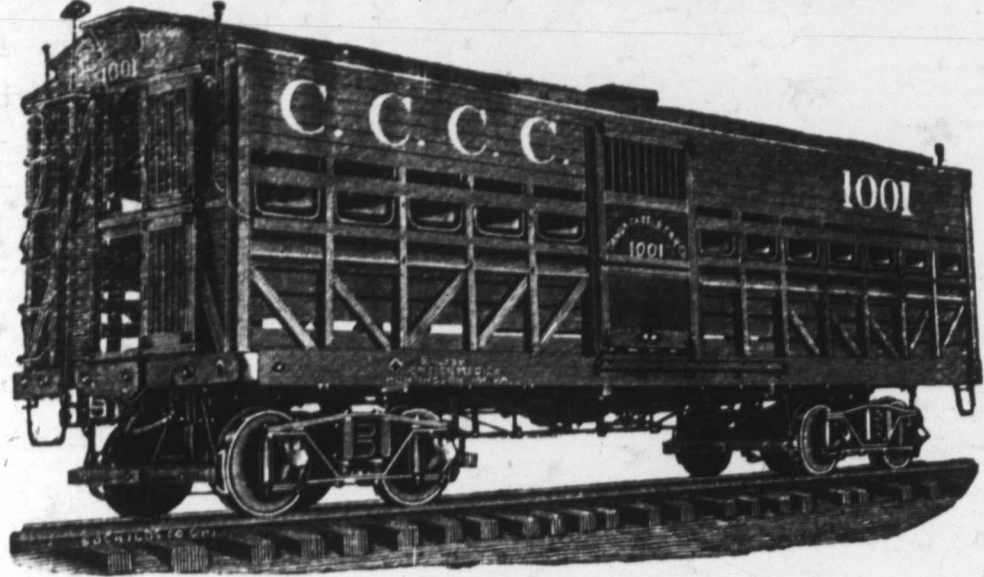
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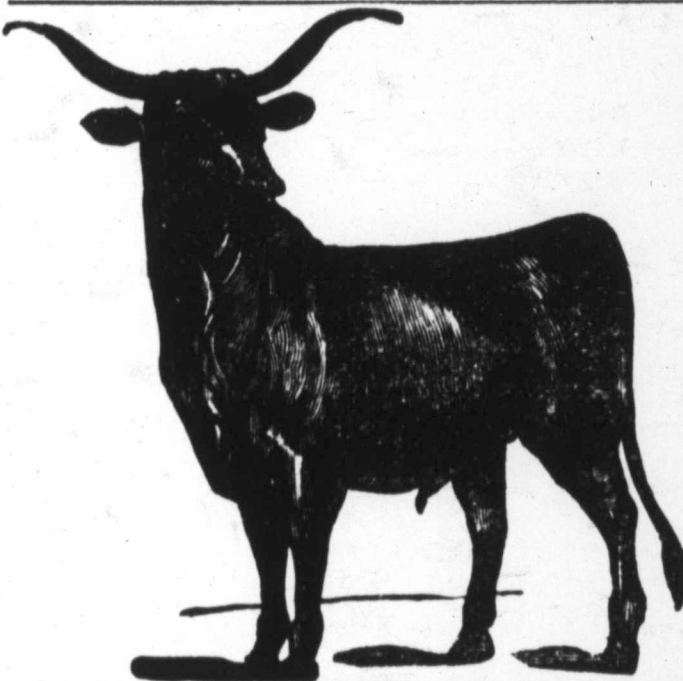
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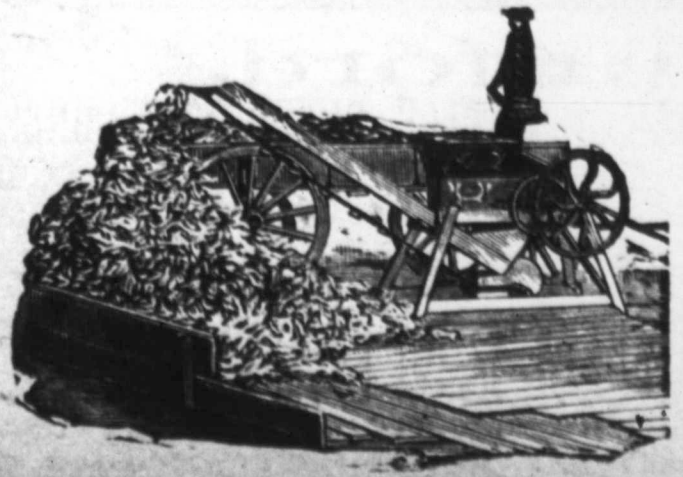
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UNION STOCK YARDS, ILL., Sep. 12.—Representative sales are as follows:

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold for J A Brakebill, 43 steers, 1129 lbs, \$3.50.

Keenan & Sons sold 27 cows, 876 lbs, \$2.30; for Best & Dayton, 257 sheep, 78 lbs, \$3.80.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold for G W Miller, 314 steers, 905 lbs, \$2.70; Parkinson, 34 steers, 1066 lbs, \$2.90; 25 bulls, 1144 lbs, \$1.50; John Miller, 48 stags, 997 lbs, \$1.82½.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for M C Hancock, 128 cows, 738 lbs, \$2.15; 134 steers, 859 lbs, \$2.50; 143 calves, 243 lbs, \$3.10; C J Neighbors, 400 steers, 1078 lbs, \$2.90; Hall, 100 steers, 1088 lbs, \$3.05; 49 steers, 997 lbs, \$2.70; J C Shouth, 790 sheep, 79 lbs, \$3.90; 144 sheep, 73 lbs, \$3.40.

C. L. Shattuck & Co. sold 9 calves, 191 lbs, \$2.85; 22 cows, 673 lbs, \$2.05; D H Fry, 29 calves, 191 lbs, \$2.85; 13 cows, 733 lbs, \$2.05.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for I T Pryor, 124 steers, 944 lbs, \$2.60; Williams & C., 121 steers, 938 lbs, \$2.65; 98 steers, 911 lbs, \$2.65; 93 steers, 947 lbs, \$2.65; 24 steers, 839 lbs, \$2.65.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold 64 steers, 978 lbs, \$2.65; 66 steers, 947 lbs, \$2.65; 15 calves, 182 lbs, \$2; 220 calves, 221 lbs, \$3.25; 117 sheep, 94 lbs, \$3.37½; 353 sheep, 97 lbs, \$4.

The Alexander-Rogers Co. sold for A C Sharock, 68 steers, 922 lbs, \$2.70; Daugherty, 154 calves, 196 lbs, \$4.25; 101 steers, 1011 lbs, \$2.90; 152 cows, 723 lbs, \$2.10; 12 calves, 288 lbs, \$2.

The Texas Live Stock Commission Co. sold 71 steers, 1051 lbs, \$2.75; 66 steers, 869 lbs, \$2.40; 31 steers, 673 lbs, \$2.40; 48 steers, 1055 lbs, \$2.65; 24 cows, 689 lbs, \$2; for M C Hancock, 104 steers, 839 lbs, \$2.50; 80 calves, 242 lbs, \$3.40.

The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold for Comer Bros., 20 stags, 1081 lbs, \$2.20; 571 steers, 838 lbs, \$2.65; Capitol

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Syndicate, 419 steers, 1088 lbs, \$2.75; 117 cows, 815 lbs, \$2.25; Lazarus, 130 calves 250 lbs, \$3.75; W S Scott, 110 steers, 810 lbs, \$2.40; Forsythe, 309 steers, 947 lbs, \$2.55; White 216 calves, 224 lbs, \$3.85.

R. Strahorn & Co. sold for C H Higbee, 21 steers, 955 lbs, \$2.60; 17 steers, 1048 lbs, \$2.60.

Wagner Bros. & Co. sold 284 steers, 1043 lbs, \$2.80; 2 bulls, 1175 lbs, \$1.75; Burnett, 263 steers, 990 lbs, \$2.65; Harrold, 359 steers, 920 lbs, \$2.60.

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KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 10.—Representative sales are as follows:

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for A J Long, Sweetwater, Tex., 279 calves, 137 lbs, \$3.30; 121 cows, 838 lbs, \$1.75; R R Wade, Red Rock, 53 steers, 912 lbs, \$2.25; S B Wilson, Dallas, 38 steers, 1203 lbs, \$2.85.

Cassidy Bros. Commission Co. sold for Harrold & East, Fort Worth, Tex., 44 steers, 1035 lbs, \$2.75; N M Forsythe, Hunnewell, Kan., 48 steers, 834 lbs, \$2.30; Forsythe & Smith, Arkansas City, Kan., 63 steers, 1092 lbs, \$3.10; Worsham Cattle Co. Minco Ind. Ter., 99 calves, \$5.25 per head; 168 cows, 705 lbs, \$1.45; 20 bulls, 1004 lbs, \$1.40; Moore & Hill, Arkansas City, Kan., 114 steers, 886 lbs, \$2.45; 62, 880 lbs, \$2.45; 180, 879 lbs, \$2.45; P S Witherspoon, Gainesville, 25 cows, 698 lbs, \$1.55; J B Edwards, Gainesville, 5 steers, 970 lbs, \$2.30; Cal., Chicago & Texas Land & Cattle Co., Minco, I. T., 87 heifers, 766 lbs, \$2; 3 bulls, 810 lbs, \$1.50; Forsythe & Smith, Arkansas City, Kan., 22 steers, 1039 lbs, \$2.70; 114, 1043 lbs, \$2.70; Hume Brors, Arkansas City, Kan., 4 steers, 975 lbs, \$2.50; 24, 980 lbs, \$2.45; 24, 987 lbs, \$2.45; Moore & Hill, Arkansas City, Kan., 107 steers, 879 lbs, \$2.40; Forsythe & Tuttle, Arkansas City, Kan., 236 steers, 962 lbs, \$2.25; Wesley & Cooper, Gordon, Tex., 11 cows, 723 lbs, \$1.70; B F Hughes, Gordon, Tex., 9 cows, 764 lbs, \$1.60; 3 steers, 1086 lbs, \$2.12½; East & Murtry, Woodward, I. T., 86 steers, 1084 lbs, \$2.80; 87, 1068 lbs, \$2.80; 48, 1045 lbs, \$2.80; Harrold & East, Fort Worth, Tex., 31 heifers, 796 lbs, \$2.20; 70 steers, 1062 lbs, \$2.60; E H East, Archer, Tex., 155 steers, 1067 lbs, \$2.75.

Fish & Keck Co. sold for the Aztec Land & Cattle Co., 289 grass Ari., steers, 903 lbs, \$2.10; Baird & Woods, Purcell, I. T., 58 Ind. heifers, 683 lbs, \$1.75; 23, 800 lbs, \$1.80; S T Tuttle, Caldwell, Kan., 120 h-b Texas steers, 1157 lbs, \$3; Wilson & Hall, Burlingame, Kan., 148 grass Texas cows, 726 lbs, \$1.70; Lander & Scott, Purcell, I. T., 25 c-f N. M., cows, 1172 lbs, \$2.45; Lee

Woods, Purcell, I. T., 37 grass Ind. steers, 776 lbs, \$1.90; Carl Nation, Emporia, Kan., 58 c-f Col., steers, 1070 lbs, \$2.25.

Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for O H Nelson, Eureka, Kan., 222 Texas heifers, 779 lbs, \$2.10; Du Bois & Wentworth, Hunnewell, Kan., 361 cows, 726 lbs, \$1.50; 209, 724 lbs, \$1.50; 164 calves, 153 lbs, \$3.25; C W Starr, Sallisaw, I. T., 48 steers, 1020 lbs, \$2.70; 53, 933 lbs, \$2.35; 23 cows, 823 lbs, \$2; J Schrincher, Claremore, I. T., 28 steers, 857 lbs, \$2.35; Hugh Green, 28 cows, 760 lbs, \$2; R S Rollins, Ardmore, I. T., 28 cows, 715 lbs, \$1.80; 52 steers, 837 lbs, \$2.25; R G Head, Carlos, Kan., 80 cows, 808 lbs, \$1.50; F M Dougherty, Belcher, Tex., 30 heifers, 594 lbs, \$1.40; T S Hutton, Kiowa, Kan., 78 steers, 928 lbs, \$2.45; W Bryan, Ponca, I. T., 67 cows, 658 lbs, \$1.50; 25 steers, 851 lbs, \$2.15; Colbert & Baker, Paoli, I. T., 14 cows, 767 lbs, \$1.50; 65 steers, 944 lbs, \$2.20; J H Pressnall, Wilson Springs, I. T., 316 steers, 939 lbs, \$2.15; Judy, Igon & Co., Alma, Kan., 240 steers, 1000 lbs, \$2.70; Llano Cattle Co., Colorado, Tex., 20 895 lb., \$2.25; 54 heifers, 815 lbs, \$2.25; 22, 803 lbs, \$2.15; 18 steers, 908 \$2.15; O H Nelson, Eureka, Kan., 147 steers, 723 lbs, \$2.50; Ike T Pryor, Alva, I. T., 50 steers, 972 lbs, \$2.40. 45 cows, 736 lbs, \$1.75; 32 steers, 849 lbs, \$2.25; Joe Roff, Ardmore, I. T., 62 cows, 681 lbs, \$1.70.

American Live Stock Commission Co. sold 61 cows, 900 lbs, \$2.10; 24, 899 lbs, \$1.75; 8, 700 lbs, \$1.20; 17, 757 lbs, \$1.20; 8 calves, \$5.50 each; 35 cows, 760 lbs, \$1.40; 24 calves, \$4.50 each; 14 cows, 961 lbs, \$1.40; 127, 695 lbs, \$1.55; 91, 785 lb, \$1.35; 6, 780 lbs, \$1.35; 81 calves, \$6 each; 304, \$6.50 each; 84 c-f steers, 1137 lbs, \$3.40; 77 c-f steers, 1144 lbs, \$3.45; 18 N. M., steers, 723 lbs, \$1.50; 104 cows, 746 lbs, \$1.70; 18 bulls, 1066 lbs, \$1.50; 8 cows, 885 lbs, \$1.40; 6, 1042 lbs, \$1.60; 28 calves, \$7 each; 34 heifers, 653 lbs, \$1.75; 29 cows, 794 lbs, \$1.60; 38, 764 lbs, \$1.50; 159 steers, 1074 lbs, \$2.70; 32 cows, 762 lbs, \$1.60; 28, 695 lbs, \$1.70; 17, 920 lbs, \$2; 70 steers, 1062 lbs, \$2.65; 230, 950 lbs, \$2.25; 193, 974 lbs, \$2.30; 75, 973 lbs, \$2.30; 31 cows, 930 lbs, \$2.25; 9, 1011 lbs, \$1.60; 7 steers, 836 lbs, \$1.60; 44 steers, 971 lbs, \$2.60; 5 cows, 742 lbs, \$2.15; 63 stags, 1128 lbs, \$3.45; 59, 1120 lbs, \$3.50; 11 cows, 963 lbs, \$1.75; 46, 769 lbs, \$1.75; 25, 894 lbs, \$1.90; 67 steers, 1046 lbs, \$2.80; 82, 1085 lbs, \$2.65; 76, 1072 lbs, \$2.65; 66, 861 lbs, \$2.55; 55, 1082 lbs, \$2.65; 74, 1060 lbs, \$2.60; 47, 1138 lbs, \$2.75; 20, 1181 lbs, \$3.20; 47, 1065 lbs, \$2.90; 50, 937 lbs, \$2.50; 301, 1080 lbs, \$2.35; 80, 1036 lbs, \$2.35; 84, 1148 lbs, \$2.50; 116, 1161 lbs, \$2.50; 3, 1173 lbs, \$2.50; 37, 1185 lbs, \$2.50; 49, 1164 lbs, \$2.50; 32, 1151 lbs, \$2.10.



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The foolish dairyman keepeth the kine of many purposes, and thinketh he will soon wax rich. He sayeth softly to himself, lo! when I am done milking these kine verily I will have a mess of beef to sell. He patteth his flock in anticipation, and telleth his wife that the day will surely come when she will ride in her own chariot. He selleth milk at first, but the inspector spilleth it in the gutter, and he resolveth to make butter. He refuseth to learn the best method of making butter, saying: Did not my mother know all about it? He buyeth a lot of crocks and a churn having much inside machinery. He testeth the temperature of the cream with his fingers after the manner of his maternal relative. He appointeth his wife as dairy maid, and she lifteth many heavy crocks each day. He feedeth his cows in the winter on a few nubbins and the fodder of corn, and the yield of milk getteth small. He sheltereth them with a straw stack, and their hair pointeth the wrong way: He letteth his calves run wild, and breaketh them to milk when they become cows. He also breaketh many milking stools, and his milk pails suffer severely. He heareth many sighs from his wife, and she declareth her back is giving out. He concludeth finally that there is no money in dairying and the sheriff helpeth him to sell his kine. He giveth his wife one ride in a chariot which hath plumes in each corner, and she returneth not to her crocks.

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- Sept. 24, J. N. Goldsberry, Homer, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 1, John G. Stewart, Clemmonds Grove Farm, Washington, Iowa, Shorthorn cattle, Poland-China hogs and Cotswold sheep.
- Oct. 1, W. P. Young, Mount Pleasant, Ia., Shorthorns and Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 3, D. P. Shawhan, Rushville, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 8, W. H. H. Martin, Lebanon, Ind, Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 8, F. P. Healy, Bedford, Ia., Polann-Chinas.
- Oct. 8, Boone County Swine Breeders' association, on fair grounds at Ogdan, Ia., Poland-Chinas, Berkshires and Durock-Jerseys.
- Oct. 14, Elmer Ross, Muncie, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 15, D. L. Farlow, New Castle, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 16, Hunt Bros., Poland-China swine, Woodstock, Ill.
- Nov. 14, D. Henning, Herefords, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 18, J. V. Grigsby, Shorthorns, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 19, Niagara Stock Farm, Shorthorns, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 20, W. H. Carlisle, Shorthorns, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 20, Sotham & Stickney, Herefords, Chicago.
- Nov. 21, John S. Godwin, Aberdeen-Angus, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 21, Geary & Watson, combination sale, Aberdeen-Angus, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- OHIO AND INDIANA POLAND-CHINA SALE CIRCUIT.
- Sept. 23, Joseph Windship, Rushville, Ind.
- Sept. 26, Berry & Boyd, Rushville, Ind.
- Sept. 30, Orlando Johnson, Greensburgh, Ind.
- Oct. 1, J. H. Bebout, Rushville, Ind.
- Oct. 2, David Finch, Oxford, Ohio.
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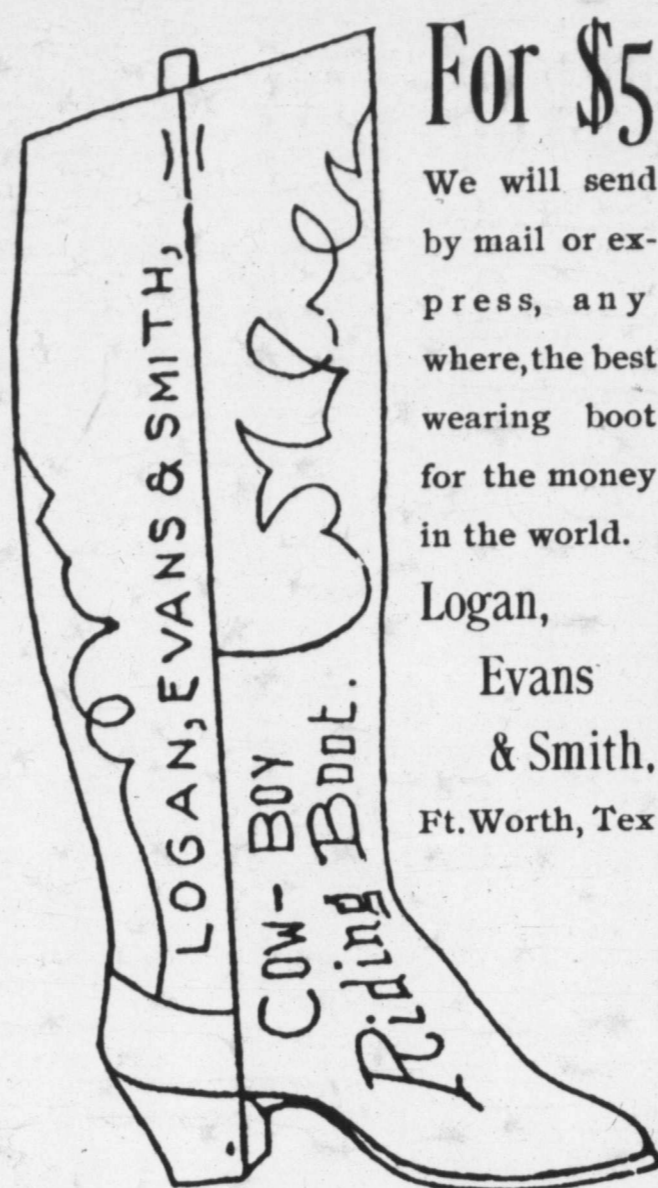
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The Dallas Fair.

Speaking of the exhibit at the forthcoming Dallas fair, a writer says:

To attempt to list the different portions of the state from which entries are now pouring in upon the executive would be idle. Literally from every nook and corner are coming in orders for space wherein to exhibit the produce and wealth of the various districts of the state.

In the art department, pictures, sculpture, artistic wood work, paintings, bric-a-brac, and every conceivable article of vertue is coming to hand. Lovers of the beautiful in art will have a good time this year.

The Kansas City Flambeau club is an organization that took part in the festivities at the inauguration of President Cleveland. Sixty well drilled and magnificently uniformed young men put up an astonishing drill, in which fire-works and torches play a conspicuous part. Street parades will probably be in order so far as this company is concerned.

Live and performing animals of all kinds are on the way, in fact this season the fair will be a veritable "Zoo." Conjuring deer and antelopes are the latest additions.

A very fine troupe of circus performers who have been starring during the past year in Mexico is making its arrangements for pitching tent in the grounds of the association and giving daily exhibitions during the meeting, and the usual entries or orders for space from the show booths, temporary theaters, fat and lean man shows, and what not, are larger than ever so there will be plenty of relaxation for the youngsters and those of riper years who delight in a little occasionally.

To make what would otherwise be a long story short, the directors of the association have surpassed all their previous efforts to make this exposition of 1890 far beyond all its predecessors. Every attraction that could be secured has been secured, and what is more the people of the state, never slow to catch on to honest work and effort, have become aware of the energy being displayed, and are assuring the executive, by thousands, of their intention to support these efforts by their presence, and thus make the exposition of 1890 the banner year since the work was inaugurated. All the world and his wife must visit the exposition. Must visit it because they will gain valuable knowledge of what is going on around them. Must visit it because it is a duty to their state and to their country. Must visit it because in so doing they will make the acquaintance of the leading men of the day, and lastly, though not by any means leastly, they must visit it because the association distinctly promises that they shall not depart without having had plenty of fun and a general "good time."

The "Scrub" is Going.

Kansas City Live Stock Indicator.

No sane farmer, who by any possibility can secure pure-bred sires to use on his herd or flock, can be found in all the Western country to-day, and the most intelligent range men have been improving their herds for many years. The result is seen in the markets daily, and as one fact is worth a thousand theories, there is no longer any excuse for stock growers with common, "horse sense" to prefer "scrub" sires to pure-breds, on account of the difference in price.

As showing what is being done in the great state of Texas, with its millions of scrub cattle, and the solid reasons why "the scrub is going," the following letter from W. S. Ikard of Henrietta, Texas, to the LIVE STOCK JOURNAL, at Fort Worth, is here produced. Mr. Ikard says:

"I write you about twenty-one head of half-breed Herefords, three and four-year-old steers, four half-breed Shorthorns in the lot,

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Such a statement as the above, coming from one of the best informed ranchmen in the Lone Star state, will, in the opinion of the Live Stock Indicator, go a long way toward increasing the demand for pure-bred stock in the near future. It has been demonstrated that the best time to ship Northern stock south is during the winter, as the chances of acclimatization are so much greater, and Missouri and Kansas breeders should place themselves in position to supply the wants of South-western stockmen.

Let the good work go on. The "scrub" is going, and his speed should be accelerated in every possible way. The opportunities for assisting him to retire permanently from American soil are great, and every enterprising stockman and farmer has a direct interest in seeing to it that these opportunities are made good use of. Farewell to the scrub!

Plimsoll's Pamphlet.

Canada Stock Journal.

Mr. Samuel Plimsoll has written a pamphlet on "Cattle Ships," in which he seeks to awaken the legislative minds of Great Britain to prohibit the importation of live cattle from ports situated west of 12 degrees west of longitude. The chief argument urged is based on the grounds of cruelty, and the principal illustration of this is drawn from the harrowing incident of the ship Iowa with 150 cattle on deck and 300 below at the mercies of a terrific storm. Mr. Plimsoll's illustration will lose force with many who give this matter quiet consideration, for storms are just as likely to overtake cattle ships and cause just as much confusion and suffering on them as those used for other purposes. The attempt of old Canute to stop the tide of the ocean by word of mouth, was just about as nonsensical as Mr. Plimsoll's attempt to stem the Canadian trade in live cattle by word of pen. As the press dispatch says, the department at Ottawa has evidence in its possession to show that so far as the Dominion cattle exporters are concerned there is little ground for complaint. At our solicitation, Mr. Cunningham, who is thoroughly acquainted with the trade, has given expression to his views in an interesting article which we publish in this number.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Sep. 12.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

Well, we have had that rain and it did an immense amount of good while it lasted, but it might have been longer and not done any harm. Still there is no reason for complaint. The rain fell copiously and was well distributed over the country so that the pastures are now in excellent condition for the speedy growth of the fall and winter pasturage and some of the creeks are running again and the tanks replenished. The horse and cattle market here already feels the good effects of the rain and everything about the stock yards shows a generally revived appearance.

"This rain relieves this market of skeleton cattle," remarked a large commission man as the downpour began last Monday afternoon. "We'll now have all the horse stock we need on this market," said a horse buyer as he scraped the mud off of his boots. "No more drouth in Southwest Texas this fall," was the verdict of a white-haired veteran in this market. And so they talked and all to the same effect that the rain has come in time to prove an inestimable blessing to all the varied interests of this market.

There is general rejoicing here on account of the rain. Every class, except perhaps the cotton planters, are delighted at the improved business prospects that are now a certainty. Stockmen who are here from the Southern counties of the state are particularly pleased on account of the rain, and now that all danger is past they tell how much it was needed. In some sections the grass was as dry as tinder and was a constant menace from fires. Tanks were dry, none of the creeks were running and stock in some localities had to be driven long distances for water. All this is past. The grass is revived and stock water is very abundant. The tanks are replenished so that there is an ample supply of water sufficient to last all winter. The new grass will grow rapidly and ample fall and winter pasturage is assured.

Mr. Henry C. Singer, a well known northern horse trader, who has just returned to this city from an extended northern trip, gives as one reason why the northern demand for Texas horse stock has ceased, that the introduction of electric cars on the street railways in northern cities has flooded those markets with cheap horse stock of a character generally superior to the Texas stock and as cheap in price. He states he had more difficulty in disposing of his last shipment of Texas ponies than he ever had before, and he states his determination not to ship any more common Texas stock north of the Mason and Dixon line. He also says that many of the discarded street car animals are being shipped to the Eastern cotton states and are being brought there in direct competition with Texas stock. His report is far from reassuring to those who have pinned their faith on the future of the Texas scrub.

The International fair managers are full of work now receiving applications for space completing those thousand and one final arguments which add so much to the success of an enterprise of this character. During the past week a large number of applications for stalls and stables have been received from stock breeders in the North, and this part of the exhibit promises to be better this year than during the former fairs. These applications have been received from nearly all of the Northern states and Canada, and if the Texas stockmen carry out their promises to make full exhibits also the fair will be a success whether the other departments are filled or not. The number of special premiums offered this year

exceed those of all previous years, and in these there are many which specially interest the ladies.

THE HORSE MARKET.

As predicted in the LIVE STOCK JOURNAL last week, the receipts of horse stock during the past week show a large gain over those of the previous two months, and that they met with a ready sale is shown by the large increase in the shipments by rail, which represent stock sold here and shipped mainly to other states. Buyers have been and still are in good attendance here and for one who has bought and shipped out his purchases there have been two arrive to take his place.

The demand continues to include about every variety of horse stock and mules, though the capacity of the buyers has been severely tested by the recent arrival of 15 car-loads of Mexican shave-tail mares from San Luis Potosi. These include some pretty fair animals, if they were not so disfigured, but the majority of them are the veriest scrubs costing in Mexico about \$5@6 per head and held here at \$12@14 per head. There is much doubt expressed as to whether the shipper will pay out even on this shipment. For strictly breeding purposes with very fine stallions a shave-tail mare may not be objectionable, but for ordinary shipping purposes the demand is constantly growing stronger for improved stock. This shipment is not included in the totals of the receipts by rail during the past week as they arrived after that report was closed.

The receipts of horse stock by rail during the week ending on Monday last included 575 head against 122 head during the previous week and 498 head during the corresponding week last year. As soon as the roads dry up the receipts on hoof will begin again, as with water and grass abundant it will be possible to drive in stock once more. But while the receipts by rail show an increase for the past week over the totals of the corresponding week last year, yet the totals of the receipts by rail since January 1 show a decrease of 2621 head, and in the stock driven in a corresponding decrease is shown.

The shipments of horse stock by rail during the week ending on Monday last included 629 head against 218 head last week and 648 head during the corresponding week last year. As usual, the shipments were, with the exception of a single car-load of highly improved broke stock, to Southern points, which, not including Texas points, were Delta, New Orleans and Slaughter, La.; Magnolia, Meridian and Pickens, Miss.; Montgomery, Pine Hill and Selma, Ala.; Macon and Quitman, Ga.; Strausburg Va.; Knoxville, Tenn., and East St. Louis, Ill. The total shipments of horse stock by rail since January 1 show a decrease of 10,740 head as compared with the totals of the corresponding time last year.

The following tabulated shipments show the receipts and shipments of live stock by rail at San Antonio since January 1, and during the corresponding time last year:

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS BY RAIL.		
	Since Jan. 1,	Same time last year.
Horses and mules.....	10,623	22,244
Cattle.....	12,276	9,788
Calves.....	1,304	317
Sheep and goats.....	26,090	26,881
Bucks.....	2100	4489
Hogs.....	2,475	1007
Bulls.....	124	321
Jennets.....	463	152
Jacks.....	21	10
Stallions.....	35	27

LIVE STOCK SHIPMENTS BY RAIL.		
	Since Jan. 1,	Same time last year.
Horses and mules.....	21,163	31,903
Cattle.....	12,636	15,555
Calves.....	3,094	441
Sheep and goats.....	29,050	27,166
Bucks.....	1266	2811
Hogs.....	1,103	306
Bulls.....	219	103
Jennets.....	176	272
Jacks.....	39	0
Stallions.....	54	5

Previous quotations are continued, but anything extra good, and well broke improved stock will command outside figures. There is a strong tendency toward higher values and horse stock of all kinds is good property at present prices.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands.....	\$ 8@ 12
Scrub, fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands.....	12@ 15
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat.....	17@ 23
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin.....	13@ 17
Yearling fillies, branded.....	6@ 8
Yearling fillies, unbranded.....	8@ 10
Two-year-old fillies, branded.....	8@ 13
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded.....	10@ 16
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands.....	22@ 32
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16½.....	75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands.....	23@ 42
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands.....	18@ 25
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands.....	17@ 23
Weaned, unbranded colts.....	7@ 10
Mules, Mexican, 10 to 12½ hands.....	18@ 25
Mules, improved, 13½ to 14 hands.....	35@ 50
Yearling mule colts, improved.....	18@ 22
Two-year mule colts, improved.....	25@ 30
Yearling mule colts, Mexican.....	12@ 15
Two-year mule colts, Mexican.....	18@ 20

THE CATTLE MARKET.

Trading has been forced during the past week even to the shading of prices for thin animals so that the pens are now practically bare. But no more thin cattle are wanted. There are plenty of walking skeletons in nearby pastures to use as samples of how poor a Texas scrub can get and yet live, but we don't want any more of them. There have been enough here during the past few weeks to satisfy all desire for that kind of stock during the next ten years. The butchers, are, however, ready buyers of fat stock, not half fat or pretty fat, but really fat cows, fat heifer yearlings and fat calves. These are in demand at full prices and a shade higher figures are paid for really choice fat animals. The rain has put the roads in a wretched condition, as usual, and it will be several days before cattle can be driven here from a distance, so that it is probable that outside prices will be paid for all really choice fat cattle that arrive within that time.

MUTTONS AND GOATS.

There have been no receipts of muttons on this market during the past two weeks and there is a good demand for a few fat animals, but care must be taken not to overload this market. A few thin goats are all that are here now, the tailing of previous receipts. There is a good demand from butchers for fat goats and really fat animals will command outside prices, provided moderation is shown in the numbers shipped here.

HOGS.

This market is overloaded with hogs and no more are wanted at present. The local butchers take only medium and light weight fat hogs except during cold winter weather when they can handle a few heavy fat animals. The recent large receipts have demoralized prices of all kinds of hogs, and there will be no profit in shipping hogs here for some time.

THE BUCK TRADE.

More receipts of choice Northern bred bucks and the presence of numerous wool growers who have come here for the express purpose of getting a supply of fine bucks for immediate ranch use has made trading quite active during the past week. The supply here now is ample for present needs and includes a fine variety of the best bred Merinos and Shropshires.

THE WOOL MARKET.

Each week adds to the interest shown in the local wool market, and while there are no transactions reported yet the holders are steadily gaining strength and getting their ideas up to the same relative values for the fall clip. I say "relative values" because the fall clip is naturally about 1@2c lower than the spring clip.

Shearing has begun in earnest on many ranches and the first installment, about 71 bags of the celebrated James A. Carr clip of Encinal has arrived and more is en route.

This is the famous clip which has opened the Texas market and established the market price for a number of years. During the past week some 250 bags of the fall clip have arrived here and is in local warehouses. Receipts next week are expected to be much larger. It is not probable that this market will open before the middle to the last of this month, but the first of the Northern buyers are expected to arrive here in a few days. San Antonio establishes the price of the wool clip of Texas each season and has done so ever since sheep were introduced into this state.

San Antonio.

SAN ANTONIO, Sep. 12.—Market about bare of all descriptions of cattle. The demand is good for fat stock at higher prices, but no thin animals are wanted. Market strong at following quotations:

Fat beefs, \$14@16 per head; choice fat cows, \$11@13 per head; fat cows, \$10@11 per head; common cows, \$7@9 per head; fat yearlings, \$5@7 per head; fat calves, \$4@5 per head.

Goats in small receipt and good demand at 75c@1.50 per head.

Muttons, none on market; demand fair at \$2@2.50 per head.

Market overstocked with hogs. Fat hogs weighing from 125 to 175 lbs have a slow sale at 3½@4c per lb., live weight. No sale for heavy fat hogs. Thin hogs neglected.

SEED RYE.
SEED RYE.

For sale by

MILAN & PATTERSON,
Fort Worth.

Crops in the Corn Belt.

The Mallory Son & Zimmerman Co., Chicago live stock commission merchants, send out the following:

"The recent rains and warm weather has considerably improved the corn crop, and it is thought that in many sections where thirty days ago it was considered a failure, most of the fields will make from one-quarter to one-half a crop. Many places in the corn belt will have a full crop of corn, and the general impression seems to warrant a better crop than any one has been figuring on. Pastures are in good shape, and we see no good reason why cattle should not be held back until they are suitable for market. We believe it will pay to make cattle good before shipping them, even at advanced prices for corn."

Best set teeth, \$10; filing one-half the usual price. Guaranteed the best. Barnes & McDaniels, City National Bank building.

Kansas City Live Stock Indicator: Mr. S. Gates, of Walker, Missouri, had nineteen head of Angus steers on Friday's market, and, notwithstanding the decline in the market, they sold for \$5. They were purchased by Jim Hawpe, who knows a good steer when he sees it. They averaged 1,417 pounds. Mr. Hawpe shipped them to Chicago in a fine car.

Paint Rock Herald: A flock of 6,800 head of sheep belonging to W. P. Lucas and another man, hailing from east Texas, was waterbound here several days. They were crossed yesterday, and will be taken in the vicinity of Balingler, and kept until after shearing, then somewhere near Colorado City and put on a ranch.

CAUTION.—Buy only Dr. Isaac Thompson's Eye Water. Carefully examine the outside wrapper. None other genuine.

Rix Bros. of Colorado City sold to McMullen & Williamson 2003 lambs at \$1.50 per head; For the present the lambs will drive North, but will winter on Devil's river.

CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

U. S. YARDS, CHICAGO, ILL.,
Sept. 8, 1890.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal
This week opens with cattle selling 10@20c higher; hogs 5@10c higher, and sheep firm.

The general live stock trade has not been in better condition than now for a long time.

A lot of 238 head of 95-lb pigs from Kansas City sold at \$4 per 100 lbs.

Prime heavy hogs have lately been in moderate supply and very good demand. With plenty of cheap corn a big crop of good hogs can soon be made, but prospects are that offerings of choice, heavy porkers will not soon exceed the demand. There are wagers up that good hogs will sell at \$5 before Christmas and at \$6 before grass grows again.

Chicago pork packers are preparing for one of the busiest seasons in years. The capacity of all the houses is being increased.

While sheep feeders are making some money now and expect to make a good deal this winter, there seems to be a slight reaction in the general boom among feeders. There seems to be more feeding sheep for sale than there were last spring. There is a strong demand, however, for breeding stock.

Cattle exporters are not buying up vessel room months in advance as they did last year and anybody can now get a chance to make a test of whether they have a very soft snap. People who think there is so much money in the business certainly ought to go into it.

Canning grades of Texas cattle were comparatively scarce last week and prices for them were pretty close to prices paid for steers good enough for dressed beef. The proportion of cows and yearlings and calves seems to be on the decrease.

J. S. & D. W. Smith of Springfield, Ill., marketed some of the Chas. Goodnight cattle double-wintered in Dakota, at \$4.50. There were 200 head, averaging 1388 lbs. They were of fine quality and sold to Eastman to be dressed for the English trade.

The Continental L. & C. Co. marketed 419 head of 1137-lb Montana Texans at \$3.50.

Gale Bros. of Hugo, Colorado, marketed some 990 to 1100-lb Texans at \$2.65@2.70.

The Swift, Strahorn & Towers Montana Texans sold for \$3.40@3.60, some 600 head, averaging about 1140 lbs.

Scaling & Tamblin sold 128 steers, 1124 lbs, at \$2.70.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for the Saginaw Cattle Co., 350 steers, 1011 lbs, at \$2.75; for Dunn & S. 345 ewes, 74-lbs, at \$3.22½; 18, 71 lbs, \$3.05.

Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for H W McKoy, 48 steers, 1065 lbs, \$2.95; 41, 1002 lbs, \$2.95; 124, 983 lbs, \$2.95; 49, 991 lbs, \$2.95.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 110 steers, 935 lbs, at \$2.55; 286, 1087 lbs, \$2.90; for G W Miller, 144 steers, 860 lbs, \$2.55; 81, 836 lbs, \$2.45.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold 40 yearlings, 521 lbs, \$1.90; the Indian I. S. Co. 169 calves, 157 lbs, \$3.75; 168 cows, 731 lbs, \$2.10; 16 calves, 209 lbs, \$2; 80 heifers, 437 lbs, \$1.90; 4 bulls, 1077 lbs, \$1.75; Allen Gregory, 26 cows, 649 lbs, \$2.10; Capitol Syndicate, 54 steers, 954 lbs, \$2.70; 211, 931 lbs, \$2.90.

Wood Bros. sold 50 steers, 898 lbs, at \$2.75; for E S & W H Holdman, 90 steers, 1033 lbs, \$3.

Texas Live Stock Commission Co. sold 58 steers, 878 lbs, \$2.40; 146 steers, 838 lbs, \$2.60; 55, 841 lbs, \$2.55; 64, 794 lbs, \$2.55; 168, 867 lbs, \$2.65.

The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold 24 steers, 970 lbs, at \$2.75; Day & Cresswell 358 steers, 964 lbs, \$3; Forsythe & Tuttle, 87 steers, 1125 lbs, \$3; 129, 1109 lbs,

\$3; Wm. McClure, 329 steers, 1071 lbs, \$3.12½; Lazarus, 216 steers, 1012 lbs, \$2.80; Louisville Land & Cattle Co., 176 steers, 1087 lbs, \$2.85.

R. Strahorn & Co. sold 166 steers, 1139 lbs, at \$3; for Harrold & East, 163 steers, 1008 lbs, \$2.85; 273, 108 lbs, \$2.80; East & McM, 22 steers, 1137 lbs, \$2.75; E H East, 152 heifers, 861 lbs, \$2.75; R Strom, 80 steers, 1051 lbs, \$2.75.

The Alexander-Rogers Co. sold 78 steers, 1117 lbs, at \$2.75; 65, 1147 lbs, \$2.75; 88, 1182 lbs, \$2.65.

ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL., Sep. 8, 1890.

In comparison to the number of Texas cattle marketed at other points last week, St. Louis stands pretty near the foot of the class, if not right there. Every day in the week there was a full corps of buyers at the yards seeking good cattle, ready to pay prices which would net Texas men more money than they got by giving this market the go-by; yet some days there were not enough beasts from the Indian and Texas country to give the buyers a baker's dozen apiece.

There is nothing to be written which would interest anybody under these circumstances. The market was strong all the week, and closed 25 to 50 cents above the week before, on the average. Prices can be better understood by studying the following sales than by simple quotations:

Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for Wells, Gonzales, 4, 637 lbs, \$1.75; 75, 736 lbs, \$2.25; 54, 753 lbs, \$2.30; 35, 722 lbs, \$2.25; 27, 750 lbs, \$2.15; 2, 825 lbs, \$2.15; 16, 753 lbs, \$2.15; Davis & Weaver, Plano, 45, 947 lbs, \$2.60; 18, 919 lbs, \$2.60; 44, 939 lbs, \$2.65; 6, 863 lbs, \$2; 1, 1030 lbs, \$1.50; 2, 955 lbs, \$2; Tandy, Haskell, 72, 973 lbs, \$2.75; 89 calves, \$5.50 each.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for Wilkerson, Greenville, 30, 753 lbs, \$2; King, Greenville, 22, 733 lbs, \$2; 19 steers, 858 lbs, \$2.55; Easton Bros., Huntsville, 78, 771 lbs, \$2.15; Dillon, Gainesville, 26 cows, 705 lbs, \$2.

James H. Campbell Co. sold for Turner, Muskogee, 25, 975 lbs, \$2.85; Grayson, Eufala, 91, 994 lbs, \$2.85; 1, 1270 lbs, \$1.75; 5, 934 lbs, \$2; Grayson Bros., Eufala, 100, 939 lbs, \$2.85; Andrews, Fort Worth, 112, 1111 lbs, \$3; 20, 1137 lbs, \$3; 25, 911, \$2.75; Hall, Tulsa, I. T., 26, 918 lbs, \$2.90; 26, 841 lbs, \$2.25; 9 calves, \$6 each; Skinner, Vinita, 4, 952 lbs, \$1.75; 21, 802 lbs, \$2.25.

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for Halsell, Vinita, 18, 855 lbs, \$2; 18 calves, \$5 each; Daniels, Muskogee, 51, 843 lbs, \$2.60; 24, 988 lbs, \$2.80; O'Gilvey, Baird, 17, 751 lbs, \$2.25; 12, 649 lbs, \$2; Childress, Terrell, 4 cows, 782 lbs, \$2.25; 21, 864 lbs, \$2.45; Burnett, Fort Worth, 384, 967 lbs, \$3.60; Harrold & East, Fort Worth, 161, 945 lbs, \$2.50; Newsom & Hudson, Terrell, 23, 769 lbs, \$2.40; 1 stag, 1050 lbs, \$2; 17, 1022 lbs, \$2.75; 42, 899 lbs, \$2.40; Cartwright, Terrell, 129, 1050 lbs, \$2.75; 4, 845 lbs, \$2.15; 3, 1056 lbs, \$2; 13 calves, \$4.25 each; Harrold & East, Fort Worth, 332, 956 lbs, \$2.70; 92, 951 lbs, \$2.70; Childress, Terrell, 2 bulls, 1025 lbs, \$1.25; 22, 920 lbs, \$2.50; Gentry, Checota, I. T., 80 steers, 1058 lbs, \$3.12½; Daugherty & Witherspoon, Gainesville, 20 steers, 1106 lbs, \$2.60; Witherspoon, Gainesville, 45, 939 lbs, \$2.45; 56, 965 lbs, \$2.60; 54, 1115 lbs, \$2.75; Gainesville Land & Cattle Co., Gainesville, 55, 870 lbs, \$2.45; 44, 642 lbs, \$2.45; Davis, Gainesville, 25, 893 lbs, \$2.45; Meagher, Checota, 18, 1141 lbs, \$3.25; P'oll, Petty, Checota, 9, 895 lbs, \$2.36½; 121 steers, 985 lbs, \$2.75; 4 steers, 825 lbs, \$2.25; Halsell, Vinita, 120 steers, 1132 lbs,

\$3.15; 21, 1158 lbs, \$3.15; 22, 1041 lbs, \$3.15; 20, 1136 lbs, \$3.15; 20, 1135 lbs, \$3.15; 28, 1123 lbs, \$3.15; 17 cows, 862 lbs, \$2.8 calves, \$6 each; Blackstone & Co., Muskogee, 76, 893 lbs, \$2.50; 26, 917 lbs, \$2.50.

Nebraska Crops and Our Map.

Omaha Daily Journal.

Accompanying the crop reports from Nebraska to-day will be found a review of all reports received from World-Herald correspondents and a map of the State, showing by counties the yield of corn for 1890.

The map is interesting, and strikingly presents the condition of Nebraska's corn crop. One of the conclusions reached by a study of the map is that the region north of the Platte has suffered less than the region south. All counties marked "full crop" or "¾ crop" are North Platte counties.

It may be that the map is not an absolutely correct index to the condition of corn in every county, but it is as correct a general view as can possibly be made. Correspondents have been instructed to be careful and accurate in making estimates, and, though every county is not represented, yet most of them are, and the truth is pictured as near as it can be ascertained.

The map shows that as far as reported by World-Herald representatives, the corn crop will be as follows:

- One-sixth of a crop in five counties.
- One-fourth of a crop in ten counties.
- One-third of a crop in ten counties.
- One-half of a crop in seventeen counties.
- Three-fourths of a crop in eight counties.
- Seven-eighths of a crop in eight counties.
- Full crop in seven counties.

In the matter of small grains, Nebraska is better off, as the reports show, and the increase in prices will almost compensate for decrease in yield.

Altogether, though Nebraska is very bad in a few spots, the great State is not much, if any, worse off on the whole, with a meager crop and high prices than she was last year with an immense crop and starvation prices.

The Double Marketing of Live Stock.

National Stockman.

The fact that a very large proportion of the stock brought upon a wholesale market and sold is taken to the country, fed and brought back for sale a second time, and occasionally oftener, is by a great many overlooked in computing the volume of live stock business in trade centers. If the figures were actually obtainable it would be discovered that of the piled-up thousands of cattle which are going into Chicago these weeks a great many are simply sent to the country again for ripening. If farmers could make the exchange among themselves which they do through the markets a great deal would be saved in transportation, commissions and otherwise; but it seems that this is not feasible, and the expense and trouble of bringing the buyer and seller together must be incurred. The same cattle which have been going to the country this summer will, many of them, appear in Chicago again within the next few months, and will be again counted as a part of the cattle marketing of the country. This fact renders it impossible to know at any time just how much stock is actually passing into consumption. There is a lack of accurate facts in connection with the live stock industry which is to be deplored, and nothing contributes more to this lack than the circumstances to which we have alluded. The only way in which this trouble could be overcome would be for sellers at stock yards to note all the purposes for which their stock is sold, and keep a record and report accordingly. We think it is a matter of sufficient importance to justify the adoption of some measures to secure this knowledge.

THE REFRIGERATOR.

Positive Assurance that it will Start Up Oct. 11.

On Thursday Mr. Isaac Dahlman, proprietor of the Fort Worth refrigerator, returned from New York, where he had been all the summer to form a company with sufficient capital to operate it. He has succeeded in that work, and is now in Fort Worth, having the refrigerator put in order to begin work so as to make the first shipment of refrigerated meat to London on October 11.

The contract with the English company requires the shipment of 60 long tons of dressed beef to London every two weeks, together with hides, horns, bones, and all other offal. This will require the slaughtering of about 200 head of cattle a day in Fort Worth, which will distribute in this city not less than \$5000 a day, \$150,000 a month. The carcasses are refrigerated here, put on refrigerated cars and sent direct to the cold-storage warehouse in New Orleans, where they are frozen and put on board the vessels that are to deliver them in London. This gives direct communication between Fort Worth & London, as New Orleans is only a transferring point.

The Dahlman Dressed Beef company, which handles this business, has a capital of \$1,000,000, and is amply able to carry out the work. Isaac Dahlman of this city will be manager. The directors are: Gen. Ben LeFevre of Ohio, E. R. Chapman of the firm of Moore & Schley, bankers, New York; Edward Lauterback of Hoodley, Lauterback & Johnson, New York; Lewis M. Hornthal of Hornthal, Whitehead, Weissman & Co., New York; Abraham Dahlman of Dahlman Bros., New York; Chas. Putzell, New York; and Isaac Dahlman, Fort Worth. Edward Lauterback is president, Abraham Dahlman vice-president, Lewis M. Hornthal treasurer, and Lodia Adler secretary.

Nearly all the beef killed and dressed at Chicago and shipped east comes from Texas, the most extensive cattle raising territory in the world. The distance between the cattle raising part of Texas and Chicago is about 1200 miles. The freight charges at present are very heavy. After the beef is dressed it is shipped to New York, Boston and other cities, a further distance of 1000 miles. All freight charges are paid by the consumer. The Dahlman company will attempt to avoid this unnecessary expense by sending the meat to the consumer with only 500 miles of railway transportation. The prospectus of the company figures a net profit of \$1.15 on very heavy cattle. The foreign contract calls for 2444 head of cattle every voyage. For two years fifty-two voyages will be made. With the above net profit per head the estimated profit for the two years is close to \$1,417,081.20.

A market will now be made at Fort Worth for Texas cattle. Such prices will be paid as will make it profitable to the Texas cattlemen to sell at Fort Worth, to the extent of the consumption, rather than ship to Northern markets, with a loss of 50 pounds to each animal on the way. It is now the duty of Texas cattlemen to stand by the Fort Worth refrigerator and help to build up a business that can after awhile use thousands of cattle where now hundreds are called for.

No greater triumph in medicine or chemistry has been recorded than Hall's Hair Renewer to revivify and restore gray-hair to the color of youth.

Messrs. George A. & R. I. Page, of East Bethany, New York, are breeders of fine Merino rams, of the highest qualities. The sheepman who wouldn't be delighted with their stock would be hard to satisfy, indeed. They now have a shipment of their rams in Waco and in San Angelo, for the benefit of Texas sheepmen.

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MR. H. S. KAPPENBROCK writes from St. Charles, Missouri, that the oat crop in that neighborhood is a failure, on account of the Texas oat-louse. Wherever there is a failure on hand, we must have something to account for it. Texas is away down yonder, and has a pretty hard name, anyhow, so we will call these insects the Texas oat-louse. Of course, they were never bred in Texas, and wouldn't know how to get here if they wanted to, but for want of a better name, we will let our friends up North call them Texas oat-louse. Everything new and strange in the insect world can be charged to Texas, just as every new cattle disease is called Texas fever. We are big and strong, and can stand it.

WE believe there is enough fraternity and good comradeship between the cattlemen of Texas and the Indian Territory to cause the former to give heed to the appeal made to them by Mr. Ike T. Pryor, to withhold their shipments until the enforced clearing of the Indian Territory is completed. There is a very cold-blooded saying that "there is no friendship in business," but this is an aphorism that is not current among cattlemen. And while helping to relieve their friends in the Territory, Texas cattlemen will be serving their own interests by holding back their stock this fall. Notwithstanding the president's modification of the order to clear out of the Territory by October 1, and the extension of the time to December 1, it is evident that in October and November there must be such a number thrown on the market that, with the usual shipments from Texas, prices must decline even from their present low stage, and the shipment of Texas cattle would be ruinous to the shippers. There will be better times after March, and the cattlemen who can hold off the market until then will not lose by it.

Crossing Galloways and Buffaloes.

A Kansas man proposes to originate a new breed of stock by crossing a Galloway bull on a buffalo cow and inbreeding the progeny. His idea is to get an animal that, besides being a good beef animal, will make a good robe, with the hair as long, or nearly so, as the buffalo, and with the rich color and gloss of the Galloway. It has been tried with other cattle. The cross is not really fertile, and they do not make good beef; neither will the hides be sufficiently valuable to pay.

Irrigation on the Pecos.

The following article quoted by the Pecos

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LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

News, from the STOCK JOURNAL, was clipped by this paper from an exchange published in the Pecos country, and published as a news item. The News says:

It is an old saying: "Go away from home to hear the news," and here is a bit taken from the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL:

"Irrigation is not a very fine thing to the man who has a farm on a stream below the ditches. This fact is stirring up trouble along the Pecos river. Water has been turned into the ditches of the Irrigation company and there is not much left, and it is hardly fit to be drunk by stock after the ditches have been filled. Stockmen who are thus deprived of their accustomed water supply are not going to submit to such a loss and there is trouble brooding. A crop of law suits will likely spring up, to convince the world that an irrigating ditch is capable of largely increasing the production of that article."

With a few exceptions the above paragraph contains many statements of valuable information and facts. Water has not been turned into the ditches to any great extent and there has been no perceptible change in the volume of water in the Pecos river from what has been turned in, and if all the water in the Pecos river was turned into the ditches, or a part of it, or none of it, there would be no effect on the quality of the water in the river. The time may be here when there is more money in law suits than in the cattle business, but even that is doubtful."

High Feed, High Meat.

The present relative prices of stock and feed are out of all proportion. The unloading process which has long been going on for some time is accelerated and increased by the high prices of feed and the disastrous shortage of crops in sections of the West. It takes no prophet to predict that when the present movement is over prices will take an upward turn, and then many will find themselves with nothing to sell. In view of the situation is it not wise, while sacrificing every really poor animal on the farm, to hold on to all that are valuable, especially good breeding stock and thrifty young animals? It may require some nerve to do this and there is some risk, but such action is in the right line and must win in the end. No farmers on earth have been so wasteful of feed as those of the West. The plethora of corn has begotten the most shiftless habits. The drouth and the shortage of crops will teach lessons of economy and thrift that could be learned in no other way. Instead of being discouraged and "laying down," save the feed and save the stock. A year from now tables may be turned—a good crop and a shortage in stock to consume it. Avoid being caught "short" both years.—Chicago Breeders' Gazette.

It is a general rule that high prices for feed make high prices for the stock that is fed. The stock that is now going to market from the feeding states was fed on 15-cent corn. As soon as it is exhausted, the stock that was fed on 30-cent and 50-cent corn will come on the market. Then must come an advance in prices. This enhanced value of feeders will cause a greater demand for fat grassers to take their place. Texas has several thousands of

grass cattle that are fat enough to make good beef, and, as the STOCK JOURNAL has said before, it now repeats, fat Texas grass steers will bring good money in Chicago before the first of next May.

A Slick Scheme.

Tascosa Pioneer.

For the last time we ask you young man, are you coming west? If not—go to thunder, and we will commence playing on the imagination of the young women. If they can be started you'll follow, and perhaps our mistake was in not adopting this plan before. Young woman, oh, young woman, come west.

Death of Prairie Dogs.

Wilcox (Ari) Stockman.

Wolf Sachse of the stock firm of Mayer & Sachse, is making war on prairie dogs. There is a dog town between their two ranches, and it is there that Wolf is getting in his work. He places a small quantity of bi-sulphide of carbon in each hole, fills up the hole, and leaves the dog to his fate, which is almost certain death. Mr. Sachse says the scheme works to a charm, and that the cost is not over three cents a hole. Let other ranchmen follow suit, and rid the country of these little pests, which each year destroy thousands of acres of feed.

One of the Last.

San Angelo Standard.

J. F. Milligan of Ft. McKavett returned from an overland trip to New Mexico last week. The most eventful incident during his trip was the killing of an old buffalo bull, near the New Mexican and Texas line. It was grazing solitary and alone, the last of a majestic race, when he drove up on it and it did not take many shots to bring the animal to the ground. Mr. M. brought the robe back with him, and says he feels somewhat elated at having the privilege of getting one more shot at such noble game before they vanished from the plains forever.

Sallow and leaden-hued complexions soon give place to the loveliest pink-and-white, when the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is persisted in, and cosmetics entirely abandoned. Nothing can counterfeit the rosy glow of perfect health, which blesses those who use this medicine.

Hall Bros., Griffith & Co.,

Live Stock Commission merchants, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill., desire to say to any parties having sheep to ship to the Chicago market, if they will consign the same to Hall Bros., Griffith & Co., Chicago, can be accommodated with good tame pasture and good water for 1/2c a head per day. Also good yards and facilities for unloading and loading their sheep at Sibley, Ill., 100 miles from Chicago on the Wabash railroad. Sheep coming by way of the National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, Hannibal, Mo., and Kansas City Stock Yards can all have good accommodations via the Wabash railroad to this pasture. We solicit your correspondence and consignments.

GRANTING MORE TIME.

What is Thought of the President's Order by Cattlemen.

As announced in the STOCK JOURNAL last week, the president has so far modified his original order regarding the removal of cattle from the Cherokee Strip as to allow an extension of time to December 1, upon the written guarantee of the cattlemen that one-half of their herds should be removed by November 1, and the remainder by December 1. The Kansas City Drovers' Journal has taken the views of several leading cattlemen, who express themselves as follows:

A number of cattle dealers and commission men were interviewed last night as to whether the extension of the time for the removal of one-half of the cattle by November 1, and the other half by December 1, would be satisfactory to cattlemen in the Cherokee Strip. Mr. S. H. Daniels, live stock agent of the Wabash, and Mr. W. P. Herring, live stock agent of the St. Paul road, thought that if modified as explained in the dispatch would be satisfactory to the cattlemen in general and the Cherokee Strip dealers in particular.

Mr. E. M. Potter of Peabody thought that the Cherokee Strip cattlemen would sign such an agreement willingly. Mr. S. W. Stooges of Burlington, Kan., thought that the arrangement would be satisfactory to the cattlemen. Mr. O. H. Nelson of Panhandle, Texas, thought that the telegram was a little ambiguous in that it did not say whether the cattle were to be estimated from the date of the modification of the order or whether the cattle originally in the Territory will be taken as a basis for the estimate. However, he considers the news welcome, no matter which way the dispatch is interpreted.

Ex-Senator Hewins of Cherryvale, president of the Cherokee Strip Live Stock association, is interested in the cattle business in the Strip more than any other man in the country. He left for Kansas, but before going he stated that he would be satisfied if the president would extend the time of the evacuation of the Cherokee Strip to December 1. The grounds upon which he asked for and urged the extension were that it would bring down the price of cattle all over the Southwest to have the cattle rushed out of the Territory before October 1. Not only would the cattlemen suffer, but the farmers throughout the Western states would be greatly damaged by the fall in prices. The excessive drouth of the summer had prevented the fattening of cattle, and many of the herds were in a condition totally unfit for the market. But more than all, Senator Hewins insisted that the time should be extended because the quarantine does not close until November 15. After this cattle can be driven out of the Territory into the Northern and Western states, but the only other mode of getting rid of them was by shipping them via the railroads direct to the markets. The fifteen days between November 15 and December 1, he thought, would prove ample time to allow the cattle not ready for the market to be driven to other states and territories.

Local cattle dealers stated last night that Major Calvin Hood, whose name is connected with the dispatches, was a partner of United States Senator Plumb. He had been in the cattle business for many years and understands the situation thoroughly.

People who live in new countries are liable to be prostrated by malarial fevers. Inhabitants of cities, by reason of bad drainage and unwholesome odors, suffer from similar diseases. Ayer's Ague Cure is warranted a specific for all malarial poisons.

American Meat Competition.

Moreton Frewen in London "Pall Mall Gazette."

Some eight years since you permitted me more than once to draw attention in the Pall Mall Gazette to the fact that while store cattle across the Atlantic were becoming very cheap, in this country they were extremely dear, and that this difference in values was the consequence of an act of Parliament which enabled the cattle-feeders of America to undersell in the London market our farmers, who had cut themselves off by legislation from the one cheap source of store supply. This argument, that an unwise application of the cattle diseases act has deprived the British farmer of an invaluable supply of the raw material of beef, is an argument extremely distasteful to the agricultural community; it involves the admission that the farmer's friends in Parliament have erred from excess of zeal, and also that the increasing pressure of American meat competition could be best met by a free trade in cheap bullocks to fatten and cheap heifers to breed from.

During the years that have elapsed since 1832 the position has intensified; the price of store cattle in America has continued to decline rapidly—this reduction being, of course, reflected in the lower price of meat here; so that, while the American exporter has been making the legitimate profits of the trade out of his English customers, the cattle breeder in this country has been living not on the public but on the grazier. The price of stores has now risen here to such a height, and has fallen in America to such a depth, that either the American supply must be permitted to come or grass and roots to rot in the ground.

A short reference to figures will best show what is going on. There are two farmers feeding to-day for the London market, the one resident in Illinois or Iowa, and the other in Norfolk or Northumberland. The former is buying his stores in the Chicago market for 18d. per stone live weight, but the latter in the Newcastle market for 4s. 6d. per stone. The cost of carriage per bullock from Chicago to Newcastle is about 1s. per stone; so that Northumbrian, if permitted to import from America, could buy his store beasts for 2s. 6d. per stone instead of 4s. 6d. Now suppose for a moment that, although the contagious diseases acts still applied to England, Scotland was free to import store cattle from the United States, so that while the farmer south of the Tweed was buying his stores for 4s. 6d. his neighbor across the border could buy Americans for 2s. 6d. a stone, is it possible to doubt that the English markets would be swamped with cheap Scotch beef? And if this is the case the analogy applies equally to two farmers, the one in Illinois the other in Norfolk—the former of whom, feeding for the English market, is tapping a supply of cheap raw material from which the latter is rigidly excluded by English law. What would be the position of the Lancashire cotton trade if the import of American cotton was summarily stopped? Is it not evident that the price of the raw material would rise on this side and fall in the United States until the cotton trade was dead in Manchester? And this is precisely what is now happening in the case of the English meat trade.

It is not easy to estimate the mischief which has followed from our legislation, which has driven the United States into a fat cattle and carcass trade—a trade which to any one acquainted with the conditions which attend winter feeding there is seen to be artificial, and has been fostered solely by the present port slaughter enactments. Does Canada send England finished cattle or carcass beef? Is it not the fact, on the other hand, that Cana-

dian stores are being scrambled for to-day by Scotch farmers at a price nearly 2s. per stone in excess of that which would bring Yankee bullocks forward in shoals if only they were permitted free ingress?

"Oh, disease!" says the board of agriculture. "There is pleuro in Baltimore!" Well, no doubt this is the case, but I venture to say that there is more pleuro at this moment in County Dublin than in the entire United States, and that there are half a dozen trunk line railways and a half a dozen American ports which are available to export American cattle from vast areas where no disease was ever yet known. Because of the exclusion of American live stock this country is periodically importing disease from districts where cattle are far dearer and epidemics of disease far more frequent.

In 1870 there were in the United States 23,000,000 head of cattle and 38,000,000 of people; the ratio of cattle to population was as 61 to 100. To-day there are over 53,000,000 head of cattle to 65,000,000 of people, so that the ratio of cattle to population has risen to 81 to 100. These figures are either encouraging or alarming to our farmers just as the transatlantic trade is treated; the remarkable increase in cattle stocks, an increase in itself perhaps the best index of the continued health of those herds, promises either cheap stores and cows which our graziers and breeders want, or, on the other hand, an increasing mass of cheap meat fattened in the United States, and which has left all its fertilizers on a foreign soil.

Range Beef.

Cheyenne Stock Journal.

An Englishman or Scotchman, by the name of John Milne, recently read a speech at the Aberdeen University, Scotland, on the "Domestic Ox," in which he takes the ground that the beef animal fattened on grass is inferior in quality as compared with one made fat by "hand feeding." We quote:

Cattle reared on prairie grass without the cost of hand feeding or artificial shelter can be sold with a profit at half the price; but if, as I have tried to show, the chief value of beef lies not in mere muscular fibre, but in the peculiar compounds found in the juices of the best meat so abundantly, then I think it will be found that our best meat at double the price is by far the most healthy and cheap. The lean fibrous meat of half-wild cattle is suited only for persons who take the most vigorous exercise, but in the less active, when taken in quantity produces acidity of the blood with its usual sequence, a strong tendency to gout, rheumatism, or gravel."

This is a new doctrine and one that can not be maintained. Grass is the natural food of the ox and no compound has ever been prepared that even approximately takes its place. As the Architect of nature was a perfect workman he made no mistake in preparing the ox and the grass with the most perfect fitness to existing conditions. No other substance in the long list of agricultural productions contains the same elements in the same combination as is found in the grasses. And no mixture of other food rations, has so far, ever been found that contains the same elements in the proportions prepared by nature in the grasses.

To say that an ox fat off our western grasses does not give the "peculiar compounds found in the juices of the best meat so abundantly" is to expose ones ignorance of the taste of rich, juicy beef. No person who has ever eaten range beef that was slaughtered "at home"—without having been driven and heated, but will say nothing could be sweeter, more tender or more palatable.

The idea that grass-fattened beef will produce acidity of the blood to a greater extent than corn-fed beef is the merest rot and the position is untenable. Lean oxen, whether kept alive on grass or grain, of course are not good beef and should never be offered as such. But lean oxen off the green grass—possess far greater health-giving qualities in their meat than do poor cattle that have been kept alive on grains or prepared food. The substance that comes from eating green grass is in harmony with nature—The "juices" are in the flesh in proportion to the amount of grass consumed.

This doctrine wont go, brother Milne. We want fat cattle—that is reasonably fat—and if the grass does not finish them a little "hand-feeding" becomes necessary. But the grass has been, is and always will be the great healthy beef producer of the world, English, Scotch or other scientific investigators to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Arid West.

Concho Herald.

Mr. Robert Roberts of the Ostrander & Loomis ranch, is doing a great deal to exemplify the richness of Concho county soil. He has a ten-acre garden and everything in the shape of vegetables are produced in abundant quantities; a small strawberry patch raised several hundred quarts of fruit last spring, and his blackberry vines are getting ready to bear; a fine orchard of peaches, pears, grapes, etc., will speak for themselves in a few years, and as for garden truck there is everything that heart could wish or money could buy. Mr. Roberts calculates to raise over five hundred bushels of sweet potatoes to the acre; he has beets weighing from twelve to twenty-five pounds; pumpkins over twenty-five pounds in weight, and many other things too numerous to mention. He produces fine honey and has a machine to strain it, after which it is bottled and ready for use. One novelty of this garden is a hop orchard. It is well worth a trip to see this garden, and Mr. Roberts will pull off his coat and roll up his sleeves and show you everything in his line with pleasure.

Cattle Shipments.

FORT WORTH, TEX., Sept. 6.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

The receipts of live stock over the different railroads at the Union stock yards at Chicago for the month ending August 31, 1890, as evidenced by the official reports sent out are as follows: Total number of cars received, 25,269. The C. B. & Q. stands first with 6895 cars, over 27 per cent. of the whole business. The Chicago & Northwestern second, with 2918 cars; the Chicago, Santa Fe & California third, with 2805 cars; the C. R. I. & P. fourth, with 2776 cars; the C. M. & S. P. fifth, with 2292 cars; the Chicago & Alton sixth, with 2285 cars; the Wabash seventh, with 1560 cars.

Out of Kansas City for same month the Santa Fe leads with 1457 cars, 2nd, the C. M. & S. P. with 972 cars; the Chicago & Alton comes third, with 957 cars; 4th, the C. B. & Q., with 791 cars, 5th the Wabash, with 382 cars. The cake seems to belong to the C. B. & Q. at Chicago, and to the C. S. F. & Cal., at Kansas City.

European Steamship Business.

Those who contemplate a trip to Europe, or wish to prepay the passage of relatives or friends from any part of Europe to any point on or via the line of the Santa Fe route, will do well to call on or address Wm. Doherty, 316 Houston street, G., C. & S. F. railway agent at Fort Worth, before negotiating or purchasing elsewhere. Mr. Doherty is prepared to quote lowest rates and furnish through tickets of all classes from or to England, Ireland, France, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Norway, Sweden, etc., by most direct and quickest steamship lines. Mr. Doherty will at all times take pleasure in fully answering any inquiries relative to railroad or steamship business.

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Both these lines start morning trains from St. Louis for Minneapolis and St. Paul, which arrive the following morning. The West side also has an evening train between these cities, which makes the run under twenty-four hours, the same as the morning train. All these trains carry sleepers and coaches and preserve the high standard of excellence which the Burlington sets to Western train service.

Spirit Lake and the other summer resorts of Iowa, Southern Minnesota and the Dakotas are put in direct communication with St. Louis through the Burlington route (St. L. K. & N. W. railroad) and the West line of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern railroad.

For further information address or call on E. J. McDole, City passenger agent, 112 North Fourth street, St. Louis, or HOWARD ELLIOTT, G. P. & T. A., St. Louis.

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. & S. F. railway 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, 7746.

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.

The Santa Fe route from Kansas City to Chicago is thirty miles shorter than any competing line and their facilities for handling stock between those points cannot be equaled. Give us your shipments and be convinced.

C. H. Edwards' music house of Fort Worth has removed from No. 308 to No. 409 Houston street.

CATTLE AND CATTLEMEN.

The Fort Worth market is too slow for any business, and quotations can not be made.

T. L. Cutbirth had 400 cattle on the Fort Worth market, but the demand is very slow for them.

Harrold & East, Fort Worth, had 21 cars of cattle on the Kansas City Stock Yards on Monday.

Mr. George Plumb, of Clark & Plumb, cattle dealers, came to Fort Worth, looking after the cattle markets.

Mobeetic Panhandle: A stockman from New Mexico has been here this week looking for pasturage for 2,500 head of cattle.

A. J. Vick, of Houston, one of the largest cattle feeders in Texas, was in Fort Worth, and says he will feed 10,000 to 20,000 cattle.

Fayette Tankersley and Nubb Pulliam, with the assistance of seven men, branded 1125 calves at Comer's ranch in one day.

Messrs. S. R. Coggings and Henry Ford, bankers and cattlemen of Brownwood, were among the visitors to this city. They were here on business.

The Lake county, Oregon, Examiner says that the loss of live stock last winter decreased the assessment roll of this county about \$200,000 this year.

Mr. T. T. D. Andrews went to Midland, to get 350 head of cattle, which he shipped to the pastures of the Home Land and Cattle Co., in the Panhandle.

Colonel John Nesbitt, general live stock agent of the popular C. & A., was in the city this week, where he is always welcomed by a large number of friends.

Destructive prairie fires are raging in Montana, and a large area of the range will be destroyed, as it is too late in that country for new grass to spring up before winter.

Mr. B. E. Sparks, of Basqueville, reports lots of feeders in his neighborhood, in good condition. Twos sold in the spring for \$10 to \$11. Range is rather short, on account of dry weather.

M. M. French, at one time connected with the STOCK JOURNAL, and known and liked among all stockmen, has turned granger. The Mobeetic Panhandle says he has sown 110 acres in wheat.

Universal sympathy will be felt for Colonel W. L. Black and family, in the bereavement they have sustained in the loss of their son, Willie, aged 14. He was thrown from a wild horse he was riding, and kicked to death.

The prices of stock in Paris, France, are quoted as follows; Sales, per cwt. (estimated dressed weight) — Steers, \$10.65@13.80; bulls, \$9.50@12.10; cows, \$9.60@13.20; calves, \$10.75@14.05; sheep, \$13.40@18.50.

Kansas City Stock Yards received up to September 7, 1890, 950,050 cattle, and 49,576 calves, a total of 999,626 cattle, or, in round numbers, a million head. For the same time last year the receipts were 697,102 head, an increase of over 300,000 head at this point alone.

Rome Shield of San Angelo, while roping and branding calves at the Rogers ranch, near Miles Station last week, ran into a calf, throwing the horse, calf and man all in a heap. The horse fell on the calf, just missing Rome by a few inches. The calves branded numbered 814.

Montana Stockgrowers' Journal: Tuesday there passed through this city a stock car containing several Polled Angus heifers. In another end of the car was a fine specimen of a buffalo bull. They were en route for Washington, where the experiment will be tested in crossing the buffalo with the Polled Angus.

Mr. B. H. Shipp, late sheriff of Tarrant county, has established a wholesale produce and commission business in this city, and will give the closest attention to the interests of his customers. Mr. Wm. Brown is connected with the firm, and his long experience in the grocery and produce business especially fits him for him for his new connection.

The "bob-tail bull in fly-time" resides in Arizona, and the Wilcox Stockman thus speaks of him: "A freak of nature is owned by Mayer & Sachse. It is a calf without a tail or the semblance of one. The calf is

about two month's old. It must find it rather inconvenient to be without candal appendage in these days of flies and nights of mosquitoes.

Messrs. Fubanks & Miller, of Bowling Green, Kentucky, write us that they will be at the Dallas fair with a lot of their fine stock, including saddle and harness horses, hogs and sheep. The association of Mr. Miller and Mr. Fubanks in partnership makes a strong firm, and one that can make an exhibit of stock that can be surpassed nowhere.

Mr. John Dennis, a Hood county cattleman, is sanguine of a big rise in cattle values in the spring, as the scarcity of cattle will cause a demand for them. He is strictly in favor of a Texas market for Texas cattle, so as to save the cost of sending to Chicago at an expense of \$6 per head, and he is, therefore, in favor of Texas refrigerating its own beef.

Reports from the live stock agents of the railroads indicate that they expect a large run of Texas cattle this fall. Few cattle have got out of the Panhandle, and there are probably about 40,000 or more yet to market. Along the Texas & Pacific road the run has been less than usual, and it is expected that there will be a great many to market from that part of the State, unless the owners hold them over until spring.

The question as to what is a dry cow is agitating the buyers of Nelse Morris' cattle at Mingsville, Montana. In delivering, Mr. Wibaux claims that a dry cow is one without a calf this year. The question, when does a heifer become a cow, has already gone to the courts, and now the question, when is a cow a dry cow, may have to be passed upon by a grave and learned judge.

San Angelo Standard:—Mr. Chas. Malloy says he has sold all his young Hereford bulls at good figures and wishes he had a few hundred more to dispose of. In talking about the growth of his section he says the general belief that the big pastures are keeping back Concho county is not correct, as he and several other large ranchmen are willing to sell land at any time to the right class of emigrants.

San Angelo Standard:—On Thursday Ed C. Perry and J. R. Thompson of Coleman were in the city when the former bought from the latter what is known as the Noll ranch at the head of South Concho, 5000 acres, all fenced, and other improvements thereon, for \$3500. The greater portion of it is leased land. Mr. Perry will stock it with cattle and become one of Tom Green's prosperous citizens.

Captain S. B. Burnett has been up to his ranch in the Territory, and reports cattle about half fat, though recent rains will soon put the grass in condition to fatten them. Since the middle of August, he has shipped about 200 cars of cattle, trying to get rid of his stock before October 1, but now, since the president has given more time, he will go slower in marketing. With nearly everybody else, he looks for better prices next spring, and says "hold on."

St. Louis Live Stock Reporter: Mr. Henry Williams, cattle inspector for the Northwest Texas Cattle Association, was called home by telegraph because of the serious illness of two of his children, and leaves for Gainesville tonight. Since Mr. Williams arrived at the yards he has won the respect and friendship of all the interests represented here, and he goes away carrying with him hopes for his speedy return to duty and the early recovery of his children.

A ranchman living on the Satsop, Colorado, missed three head of cattle, and, noticing a congregation of buzzards a short distance away, proceeded to make an investigation, and found all three of the animals lying dead, their bones all broken, their horns knocked off, scarcely any hair left on them, and the ground around them all torn up with elk tracks. Apparently, a band of elk had come up and attacked them in an opening, hooked and butted them down, and pawed and stamped them to death.

Mobeetic Panhandle: Mr. J. R. Wright will shortly commence the construction of a fence, to run from Mr. Shelton's northeast corner to Judge Patton's southwest corner; thence to Judge Patton's southeast corner, and to Mr. Masterton's fence corner east of Salt creek, which will enclose forty sections, or 25,600 acres of land, including J. R. Wright's and Messrs. Hammonds & Scott's. This pasture will be stocked with steers at the earliest opportunity, with Mr. Wright in charge.

Denver News: J. C. Leary, the bright and

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The Farmer's Friend.

popular live stock agent of the Fort Worth road, has received deserved promotion. Circular 103; just received from headquarters, announces his appointment as general live stock agent of the Union Pacific system. This gives Mr. Leary entire charge of the live stock department from Portland to Kansas City, and from Wyoming to Fort Worth. The position is a most important one, and was never before occupied by so young a man. His many friends are congratulating him heartily upon his splendid advancement.

The River Press (Montana) says that the meeting of the Shonkin Stock Association, which took place at the Grand Union hotel Saturday night, was held principally to decide what could be done to relieve the overstocked Shonkin range. It was decided that the Choctaw Live Stock Co., Conrad-Price Cattle Co., John H. Green, Dan Samples, and John Harris, would move all their stock to the Milk river range north of Chinook. The round-up of this stock will begin next Friday on the lower end of the range, and work up. The general round-up start on or about the 10th instant, and work the range, meeting the first outfit at Spring coulee corral.

Colonel John Nesbitt knows the cattle business from top to bottom, and traveling, as he does, all the time among cattlemen, and being at home in the Chicago and St. Louis markets, he has opportunities for feeling and judging of the business that few others have. In the course of a long talk in the STOCK JOURNAL office, he expressed the opinion that next spring will see an advance in prices, as high feed will compel the consumers to pay more money. Texas, he thinks, will have more cattle to market, as the cutting up of the big ranches into stock farms will enable the country to sustain a larger number of cattle per acre.—There will be more feeding in Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska than was expected, as the corn raised there is not fit for commercial purposes, and must be fed.

The James H. Campbell Co. write from Kansas City to their agent, Mr. C. C. French: "Quite a number have been holding cattle back, expecting the strip cattle to be run out by October 1st, but the time has now been extended to December 1st. We believe this extension of time will result in the evener marketing of cattle, and, as a consequence of this, a possible help to prices, for the Strip cattle, under the condition of forced marketing in a specified time, have exerted a depressing influence on prices greater than they ought to have. You must also bear in mind, however, that with a shortage, and higher price of corn, the demand for feeders will be curtailed, in fact, the demand now is for only good, native cattle, and this is generally the case when corn is high. Considering the market and its surroundings, we believe we are giving you good advice when we say: Do not hold back, but, as cattle get fat, ship them out—not too many at a time, string them along a few loads each day—and if you then happen to come on some mean markets, you will also strike some good ones, and thus make a fairly good average. To-day's market is strong, and to 10 per cent. higher on good. Receipts, 4,000, including Texas and native. Prospects look fairly favorable."

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The native horse of the West possesses more endurance than any other class of equines, not excepting the famous thoroughbreds. Drives of thirty to fifty miles at the rate of ten miles an hour are frequently made, without injury to animals. We have known teams to go twelve miles an hour with ease, and, with ordinary good care, horses will travel in this this country 250 miles in six consecutive days. On Monday of this week Dr. Frick was called to the mountains southeast of here. He started at about sunrise, and made his trip of eighty-five miles, arriving home at sun-down. The next morning his team, a pair of Western "cow-ponies" that have worked in several round-ups under the saddle, and never, until a year or so ago, knew anything of stables and grain feed, were, apparently, in condition to repeat the trip. Such horses, when matched and well-trained to harness, are sold at prices ranging from \$65 to \$100 each. In the Eastern States horses capable of making such trips are valued in the hundreds of dollars, and they are very scarce.

A circular has been issued by the Stock Department to the inspectors of stock throughout N. S. W. relative to the turpentine and salt "lick" for worms in sheep. The "lick" has been used with good effect in South Australia, and in some parts of this colony where sheep are affected by stomach and intestinal worms, and the board appointed to test various specifics and drenches for these ailments, consider turpentine and salt treatment a safe one, and likely to prove at least an effective preventive. The proportions of the mixture are one pint of turpentine to from 38 pounds to 56 pounds of Liverpool salt, according to the condition and age of the sheep. The turpentine must be thoroughly mixed with the salt, and the mixture should be spread thin in troughs, and it should be given, say once every five or six weeks while the sheep are likely to be affected. Each sheep should get at least one-half ounce to two ounces of the mixture at a salting.

Galveston Wool Market.

GALVESTON, TEX., September 10, 1890.
Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

The Galveston wool market is unchanged in every respect. I have nothing new to report that has taken place since the date of my last letter.

In view of the fact that there has been quite an improvement in both the tone and demand of the markets of New York and Boston within the past ten days, will doubtless cause the question to be asked why the Galveston market has not been effected by the improvement that has taken place at the points above mentioned. By a careful reading of the market reports of the Eastern markets of this week it will be seen that the change for the better at Eastern points has effected only the high grades of wool, and that territory and Texas short staple wools as well as the coarser long staple wools are not yet in demand, and that prices for same have not as yet undergone any change. The wool men of Galveston, however, like those of New York and Boston, are rather more hopeful to day than they were at the first of the month, in reference to an improvement in the demand at this point. Besides reports received this week from several large growers in the West, is to the effect that the fall shearing has commenced, which, by the way, is several weeks earlier than is usual, therefore this of itself has caused factors and buyers to believe that considerable activity will have taken place in the Galveston wool market by if not before the first of October.

Spring twelve months fine 18@20c; do medium, 20½@22½c; six and eight months fine, 17@19c; do medium, 20@21c; Mexican improved, 15@16c; do carpet 12½@14c; Eastern Texas twelve months medium 22@25c; sandy and burry 3@8 cents less than quotations; twelve months scoured, XX, 53@55c; do X, 50@52c; do No. 1, 47@49c; six and eight months scoured, XX, 49@51c; do X, 47@49c; do No. 1, 45c.

The receipts of the port for the day amount to 12,207 pounds, and for the week ending at 4 o'clock p. m. 74,646 pounds. The receipts for the season amount to 151,445 pounds, while at this time the year before it was only 20,953 pounds.

The sales and shipments for the day amount to 22,035 pounds, and for the week 66,657 pounds. The total for the season are 154,800 pounds, against 52,803 pounds the same day for the season of 1889 and 1890.

The stock on hand to-day is 744,231 pounds, and on the same day last season it was 1,070,702 pounds.

Mr. A. S. Exline of the Galveston scouring mills reports receipts for the past seven days amounting to 48,000 pounds, and sales for the same time 34,000 pounds.

The report of Col. John Owens shows that his house has received 12,000 pounds, and that sales amounting to 21,000 pounds have been made by his firm within the past week.

A number of small lots have changed hands since the date of my last report, but none of them of sufficient importance to make special mention of.

Col. J. D. Skinner, who has been recuperating in the North and East for the past thirty days; returned to the city yesterday looking the picture of health. W. N. BAXTER.

The Mohair Trade.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8, 1890.
Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

The latest report from Bradford says: "Mohair good; alpaca advanced." This advance in alpaca will have a tendency to put up the value of mohair.

Importations of Turkey mohair have been very light this summer as compared with 1889,

and if the present good market on the other side continues, fall shipments of domestic mohair will find a ready market in spite of the slight curtailed demand.

There is very little raw stock in New York now so that quotations are merely nominal, being based upon our last sales.

Fine combing, 45@50c; fine medium combing, 4@45c; medium combing, 35@40c; coarse combing, 28@35c; carding, 14@16c; burry, 10@15c.

For the benefit of those who do not believe in fall shearing we quote from a successful grower of the "Southwest:"

"When I do not shear until spring I do not get half a fleece from the flock as it runs. If I shear in the fall, the new growth does not catch to the brush so badly and a better average shearing from my flock can be had."

We believe there are many flocks, especially in Texas, New Mexico and Southern California, which would be very much improved by an occasional shearing in the fall. As mohair is now a profitable product, growers would do well to shear this season if they wish to experiment.

Pack your clip with great care, and make a point to keep burry and very dirty fleeces separate. Yours faithfully,

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SHEEP AND WOOL.

T. I. Ellard will move his 13,000 sheep from near Archer City to the Concho country this fall.

Paris, France, uses some 30,000 head of sheep per week. On one of the tri-weekly market days recently there were 10,000 sheep of all kinds, and 3,000 from Africa, the latter selling at \$15 per cwt., dressed weight.

At a recent meeting of the Oxford (Ohio) Farmers' Club, attention was called to the injustice done by the country merchants who buy wool. The wool of a county or neighborhood has its grade, and if a farmer has taken more pains in breeding and shearing and packing his wool, it is difficult for him to get any more than a careless neighbor who sells burry wool with tags on the fleece. The general buyer mixes in the best to bring up the grade of the whole. The producer of a high grade article, therefore, as a rule, can only get a fair price for it according to its quality, from a consumer.

W. A. Allen & Co., wool commission dealers of Chicago, say in their last circular: The feeling is not uncommon now that current values are near bottom, that the anxious sellers and weak holders are about unloaded, and if congress soon settles the tariff matter favorably, as now looks probable, we may before long see more settled and satisfactory markets for wool. The uniformly good condition of trade generally is an encouraging feature in this direction. The prices quoted are, for Texas and Southern wools:

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Medium " " " " " "	22-26	16-21
1-4 Blood " " " " " "	22-23	17-20
Course " " " " " "	18-20	16-18
Kempy " " " " " "	12-14	

According to J. C., in American Agriculturalist, the usual method of taking sheep on shares in Dakota and Kansas is as follows: The owner furnishes the ewes and bucks in proper proportions to one who is to provide good shelter, plenty of food, care and protection, shear them and market the wool. The owner pays all taxes, and each party has half the wool, half the increase, and shares equally all losses except that of old sheep which died from age or from disease previously contracted. Another method is for a man to take a flock to double. He provides proper food and care, pays all taxes, and at the end of three years delivers to the original owner or his assigns as many sheep as were in the original flock, and also an equal number of two and three-year-old lambs. In some cases it is stipulated that all shall be ewe lambs, but this is manifestly unfair and generally impracticable. The person keeping the sheep during the three years has all the wool and the excess of the lambs above the number required to make up a flock twice as large as the original.

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THE PIG PEN.

A Kansas paper announces that "it is so dry in Osborne county that the hogs have to be soaked in the river before they will hold slop."

It is very important in securing a choice litter of pigs to use considerable care in the selection of the boar, especially in breeding young sows.

The total Western packing of hogs since March 1 is 6,925,000, against 5,145,000 for the same period last year; increase, 1,780,000, or, 34½ per cent.

The hog cholera has broken out in the southern part of Cerro Gordo county, Iowa, and during the past few days William Winter has lost over \$1,000 worth.

Granbury News: One of our farmer friends suggests that we get up a big hog contest among the hog-raisers of Hood county this year. His plan is for each one entering the contest to put up about 50 cents toward a premium to be given, two-thirds for the largest and one-third for the second largest hog to be killed in the county the coming winter. It is certainly a good idea, and the News is ready to do all it can to make the contest interesting.

Correspondent Western Swineherd: "I have always maintained that I could produce 1,000 pounds of pork more cheaply in two developed hogs than in one developed hog; therefore, my advice is to select a medium-sized, short-legged, fine or medium bone, broad, straight back, medium length, good girth and smooth head. With this combination you are most likely to get a good feeder—one that will carry his development with him and fatten at any age."

G. J. Green, residing eight miles west of Carrollton, Missouri, was killed by a vicious boar last week. The hog's attack on Mr. Green was not witnessed by any one. When found, he was lying on his right side and face, and had, evidently, been dead for some time. An examination of the body showed two wounds, inflicted by the hog with its tusks, one of the cuts being on the calf of the left leg and another in the side, which caused his death.

American Swineherd: I have, heretofore, practiced burning cobs in heaps on the ground, but have a plan now that is easier and better. I dug a pit five feet square by five feet deep, tapering to a point at bottom; I build a fire in bottom of pit and fill it with cobs; when they are all on fire I cover with an iron cover made for the purpose, costing \$3; this I seal around with dirt, making it air tight. In this way there is no water to carry, no watching, and, when cool, you have about a dozen baskets of nice, crisp charcoal. The pigs eat it greedily, and you will not be troubled with worms or sour stomachs as long as you give them all they want.

National Stockman: The Stockman has spoken favorably from time to time of the outlook for hogs, and, indeed, we have had little, if any, doubt that prices would one of these days substantially advance. The improvement which has recently taken place is, however, if not earlier than was expected, at least greater than we had looked for at this time. Hogs are doing exceedingly well, and we feel confident they are certain to do well throughout the coming season. The stock-raiser whose hogs are free from disease is one of those whose work is certain to bring him good returns in the next twelve months.

Swine Notes.

National Stockman.

As relating to the past the statement that any man could feed hogs and get a profit may be true; but for the present brains must play an important part if the feeder would live by the calling.

If you are one of that kind of fellows that think hogs do the best lying in the mud in the most inclement weather about all we can promise is that the hog growing business will leave you some day, because you are unable to make it profitable.

In feeding young and growing hogs one point should be carefully considered and rigidly observed—a pig that comes to his feed with a rush will give better returns for food eaten than one that is so full all the time that he must be stirred out of his nest to induce him to eat. It may often be convenient to keep corn lying by the hogs, but it is not profitable.

It will be found profitable to carry on swine feeding with such care that the amount fed

must be to a certain degree governed by the temperature. An excessive feed on a warm day, when not fed with this care, would cause stalling and throw the hogs off feed for a day or two, rising temperature requiring heavier feeding, falling temperature necessitating a cutting down of rations.

There is no kind of meat that meets with more favor with the discriminating consumer than a piece of fine pork served in good style. The fault found by most consumers is that too great a proportion of the pork is fat—that the proportion of lean is so small in most pork as to make it a much dearer article than its market price would indicate. The tendency of the present is evidently in the direction of pork with more lean.

Straw is plenty in most sections this year, and the only thing to prevent the hogs having comfortable shelter is the laziness or carelessness of the owner. Don't wait till the hogs are caught in a sea of mud before the shelter is built, but do it while the weather is mild. They will appreciate a straw shed when a cold rain comes on in the early fall. The proper use of straw for bedding and shelter for the hogs is profitable, but the improper use of it is a continual loss.

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The Texas State Swine Breeders' association will meet in regular annual session at Texas Farm and Ranch building, on the Fair grounds, Dallas, Texas, on Tuesday, October 21, 1890, at 2 o'clock p. m. Every member is earnestly requested to be present as business of importance will demand consideration. Invitation is hereby extended to all swine breeders to attend this meeting, enroll their names as members and participate in the proceedings, which, it is hoped, will give such an impetus to swine raising in Texas as will be profitable to the members of the association, to the farmers of Texas and to the state at large. J. O. TERRELL, Pres't.

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Texas Cattle Stampede on Board the Olympia.

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The steamer's pilot said that she left her pier, near Hamilton Ferry, Brooklyn, early on Saturday morning, and anchored for the purpose of taking on board 337 head of cattle which were consigned to Liverpool. Two cattle barges came alongside in the afternoon from the stock yards at Jersey City.

As the barges came alongside of the steamer some of the Texas steers became frightened and after the gangways were run out the beasts took fright and rushed pell-mell up the planks, getting jammed in the narrow passage way.

After much confusion caused by the whistling of steamers; shouting and swearing of cattle drovers and roars from the beasts, the drove were started up on board the Olympia.

On reaching the steamer's decks the cattle again took fright, and ran hither and thither, roaring and butting at any object which came in their way.

In course of the stampede which ensued several of the cattlemen were knocked down and got badly trampled on, sustaining severe injuries, some of them narrowly escaping with their lives.

Captain Swain, the commander of the steamer, sought to encourage the men, fearing that they too would become demoralized like the cattle and would run below.

He jumped down on deck and was at once attacked by a savage young steer, which lowered its head and suddenly butted the gallant skipper in the stomach, disabling him for some time.

The Captain luckily dodged out of the way before the infuriated beast could renew the attack, or he would probably have been seriously injured.

One of the cattlemen, whose name could not be ascertained, was endeavoring to drive one of the beasts into its stall, when the brute lowered his head and ran at the man.

The brute's horns caught in the man's trousers tearing them to shreds. The man's left leg was terribly lacerated by the brute's horn and he received such serious injuries that it was found necessary to send him ashore.

It could not be learned whether the man was taken to his home or to a hospital in Jersey City, as the steamer sailed early in the morning and the office of Henderson Bros., the vessel's agents, was closed.

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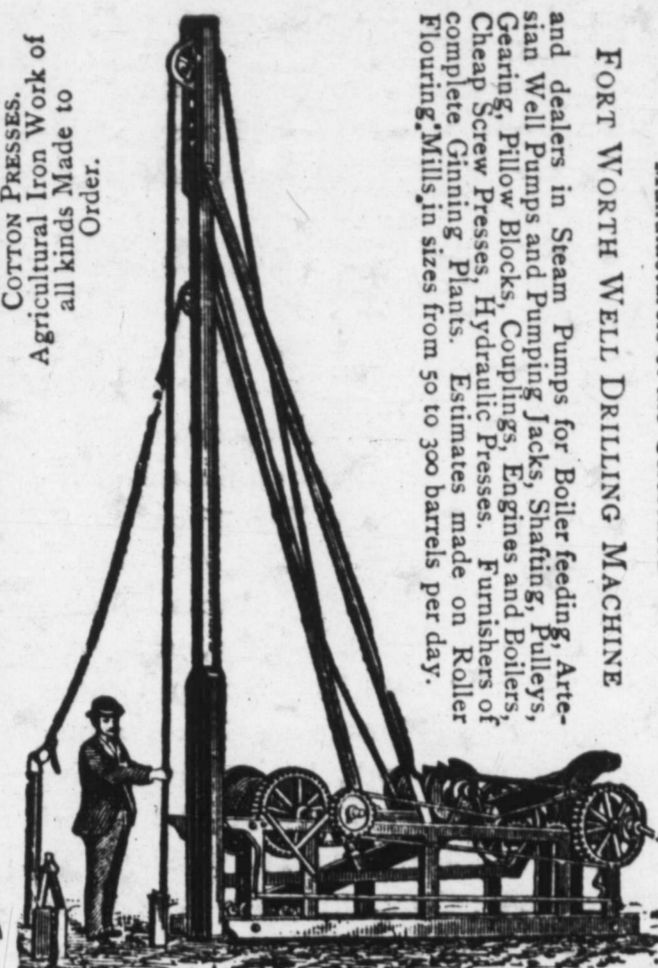
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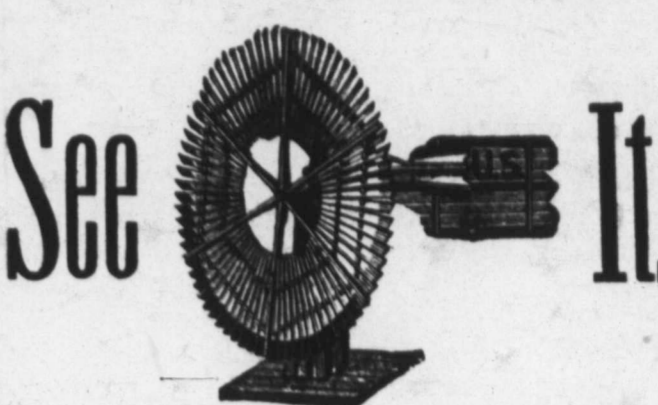
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Laramie (Wyo.) Boomerang:—Over 1200 head of horses have been shipped from this vicinity to the eastern market this season. Horses have been a drug on the market here for the past two years, but buyers have begun to come here in considerable numbers. There are only a few hundred more in this section that are ready for the market.

Globe (Arl.) Silver Belt:—We learn from Mr. Roggenstroh that thirteen colts were killed and five other domestic animals wounded on his range within ten weeks by lions. We also learn that other localities have suffered severely from carnivorous animals and have no hope that the stock interest will improve until a general and more liberal scalp law is enacted which will justify a business of killing them.

San Angelo Standard:—Newton Rappleye of Water Valley was in town Saturday. Two of his fine two-year-old Clydesdale colts were severely bitten on the nose by a rattlesnake. The colts were discovered next day with terribly swollen heads and Newt thought it was almost impossible to save them. He scarified the swollen parts by perforating them all over with holes $\frac{1}{8}$ of an inch deep, and bathed thoroughly with turpentine. In a few days the horses were well.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal:—The cow horse, Rambler, owned in Laramie, distinguished himself in the late hurdle races at Leah, and as a consequence has his value greatly increased. From a common, cheap cow pony he suddenly grew into a \$250 jumper. The average cow horse of the plains, if properly trained, would prove to be equal to the best jumpers of the old world, and as their courage is phenomenal they would take the highest hurdles without a moment's hesitation.

At Rome, Georgia, while a horse was loose in the stable one of his hind feet got caught in his mouth. It is supposed that the animal was rubbing the flies from his nose with his hind foot, when by accident the foot passed into the mouth. The hoof was shod with a heavy iron shoe, and the sharp corners of the shoe and hoof cut very painful wounds in the mouth. The animal fell to the ground and continued to struggle without relief. When he was discovered he was covered with foam and showed every sign of a fearful struggle. His master came and succeeded in extricating the foot.

KENTUCKY HORSE NEWS.

LEXINGTON, KY., September, 1890.

From now until October the 20th will be a busy time with owners and trainers. The horses are receiving daily their preparations for the great Kentucky trots, which begin here on October 13th, and continue six days. The directory of the association has opened seven purses for the 2:40, 2:30, 2:25 lines, for \$1,000 each; 2:24 class for \$1,200, 2:20 and 2:17 for \$1,500 each, and a free-for-all for \$2,000. This will be the greatest meeting in the history of this celebrated association. The good ones from all over the country will meet here to settle the supremacy of their claims as the last place they will meet before next season. Letters to the secretary are coming in, asking for hotel accommodation during the week. It will be worth coming many miles to see, and those loving the trotter will be on hand from all over the country.

W. K. Orr, Kingston, Ohio, has bought from parties in this county the three-year-old bay mare, by Young Jim, dam by Alcalde, for \$1,400.

Lee Paul, one of the oldest and best-known trainers of this country, died at his home, in this city, on Monday last, at the age of 76. Mr. Paul was a trainer of the old school, and stood high among the breeders and owners of this section as a man of honor and integrity. He has raced all over this country in his day, and trained and run such good ones as Hindoo, Kingfisher, Terra Cotta, and many other good ones. He leaves a wife, daughter, and two sons. He died poor, as a majority of the trainers do.

Brasfield & Tipton deny through the press of the country, the report that Monroe Salisbury, the California millionaire and owner of the two great stallions, Monroe Chief and Director, has placed in their hands \$80,000, for the purchase of brood mares in Kentucky to mate with his stallions. He may not have ordered them to buy the mares, or given them the money to do it, yet some one has ordered them to buy up a lot of mares of the very best breeding. They have bought in the past few weeks no less than \$30,000 of such stock, and it must be for some one outside of Brasfield & Tipton. The stock they have bought was all ordered tipped, and turned out last week, which was done. The public does not believe that this firm is buying all this stock for themselves, especially when they have no place or stallions of their own to mate them, to say nothing of the financial part of the matter, which must be considered a little.

Vincent C. Cromwell, the owner of Cromwell Place, was arrested on Saturday on a warrant sworn out by his family on a charge of lunacy. Mr. Cromwell has been on a protracted spree for several weeks, or rather months. The end came yesterday, in the above manner. Before being arrested, he had terrorized the neighborhood and his family and friends. He was on the "war path" with guns, knives, razors, pistols, pitch-forks and clubs. He was arrested about 5:30 by Deputy Sheriffs Rogers and Grass, and placed in jail. Mr. Cromwell is one of the best-known horsemen in Kentucky, and has owned during his time such celebrities as Wheeling Wilkes El Mahdi, and William L., the sire of the great Axtell, 2:12 as a three-year-old. He sold these three for \$50,000. He is a young man, and has the sympathy of the community in his downfall. He will be sent to a sanitarium, and most likely to the one in Cincinnati.

Angelina, the four-year-old Wilkes Boy mare that got a record of 2:21 at the Lexington fair, has been turned out for a few days. She will be taken in a few days, and prepared for her state engagements during the coming October meeting of the Kentucky trotting horse breeders.

G. Lany, Buffalo, New York, will take to his place in that city on next Friday a car-load of his trotting stock. They will be trained by Mr. Andrews, now training for C. J. Hamlin, the owner of Prince Regent, Mocking Bird, Wardwell, and others.

Mr. Hamlin has telegraphed to the secretary of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association that he will have an entry in every race, and will drive, if the association hangs up purse enough, Belle Hamilton and Justina against the team record.

If the members of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders will hang up a purse of \$5,000 for the pacers, Roy Wilkes, Hal Pointer, Dallas Adams, and Cricket, during their coming meeting in October, it will be the biggest card they can furnish. Owners, breeders, trainers, and all men loving sport would come from all parts of the Union to see such a race. They should think about this matter, and give it due consideration. It is worth discussing, and will be a drawing card.

Sternberg and Constantine will be shipped to Cleveland next Saturday night, to take part in the coming meeting there. They are both looking and doing fairly well.

Major B. G. Thomas, Dixiana Stock Farm, lost on Wednesday last the aged brood mare, Aureola, 20 years old, by War Dance; dam, Dixie, by Imp Sovereign. She was the dam of the good race-horses, Aureolis and Persimmons.

Applegate & McMeekin lost a few days ago the two-year-old gray filly, Gabriel, dam, Jennealt's Pride, from pneumonia.

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Chas. Cassidy, Shelbyville, Kentucky, sold to Joe Thayer, this city, on Friday last, the yearling bay filly, by Jay Bird, dam Danish Maid, by Honest Allen.

W. K. Orr, Kingston, Ohio, has bought of parties in this county a three-year-old bay mare, by Young Jim, dam by Alcalde, for \$1,400.

The following horses were worked on over the association track here on Saturday afternoon: Ruby Wilkes, by Young Jim, 2:25 $\frac{1}{4}$; Ready Boy, by Arnold, 2:26; May Bird, by Jay Bird, 2:25; Averia, by Blacks Hambletonian, 2:30; Blameless, by Ike, same sire, 2:27 $\frac{1}{2}$; Hallie B., by Alcoyae, 2:29; Egwood, by Fgbert, 2:25 $\frac{1}{2}$; Presto, by Gen. Washington, 2:25; Guess Work, by Fgbert, pacing, 2:22; Junemont, by Fremont, 2:2; Lady Wilton, by Wilton, 2:34 $\frac{1}{2}$; Alfred G., by Antero, 2:29 $\frac{1}{4}$; Constantine, by Wilkes Boy, 2:36; The Pig, by Red Wilkes, 2:26 $\frac{1}{2}$; Bonnie McGregor, 2:30, a yearling bay filly, by King Nutwood, 2:55, the second fastest mile by a yearling over this track this season, the other mile being made in 2:4, by a yearling by Stranger.

The owner or executor of Fashion Stud Farm, Trenton, New Jersey, has been on a visit to his stock at Mr. Todhunter's, this county, for some days.

John E. Maddeu, Lexington, Kentucky, has sold to Scott Owenton, New Jersey, for the millionaire miner, Marcus Dailey, of Montana, the three-year-old chestnut filly, Sappho, by Robert McGregor, dam by Clark Chief. Maddeu bought her last spring for \$5,500, from Byron McClelland, the owner of the great two-year-old race filly, Sally McClelland.

C. M. Corbin, this county, has sold to A. R. Howard, Virginia, the colt, John Turnerby, Kentucky dam, by Balsora.

Rev. T. C. Stockhouse lost on Wednesday the old brood mare, Princess Alice, dam of Van Tassell, 2:28 $\frac{1}{2}$, by Ashland Chief, dam by Hay's Rattler.

Hon. T. J. Megibben was the purchaser of Danie Winnie, as a yearling at the Woodburn Farm, for \$525.

W. C. France & Co., of Highland Farm, have bought of Connelly & Graham, Briar Hill Stock Farm, the seven-year-old bay mare, Novice, by Nutwood, dam Artless, by Rysdsky Hambletonian.

L. P. Tarlton, of Fleetwood Farm, will breed some of his thoroughbred Whispers to some of the trotting stallions of this section. Whisper was by Planet, the sire of the dam of Palo Alto, 2:12 $\frac{1}{4}$.

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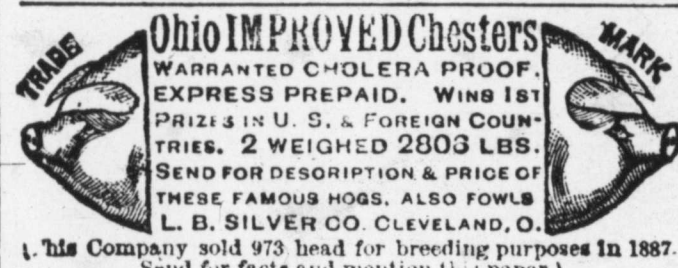
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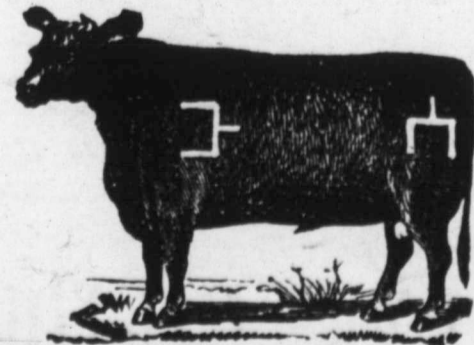
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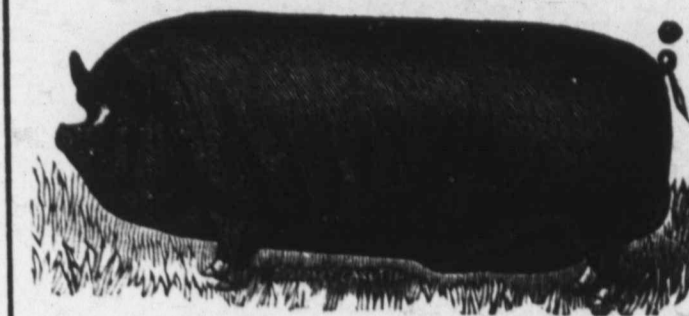
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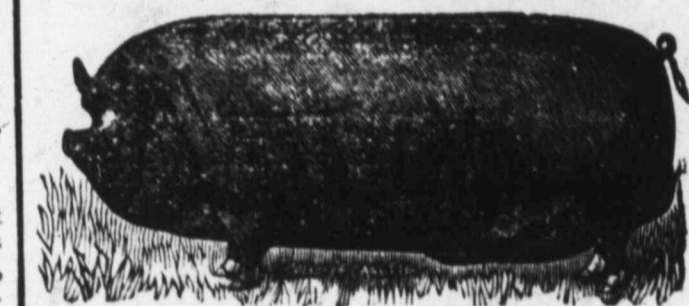
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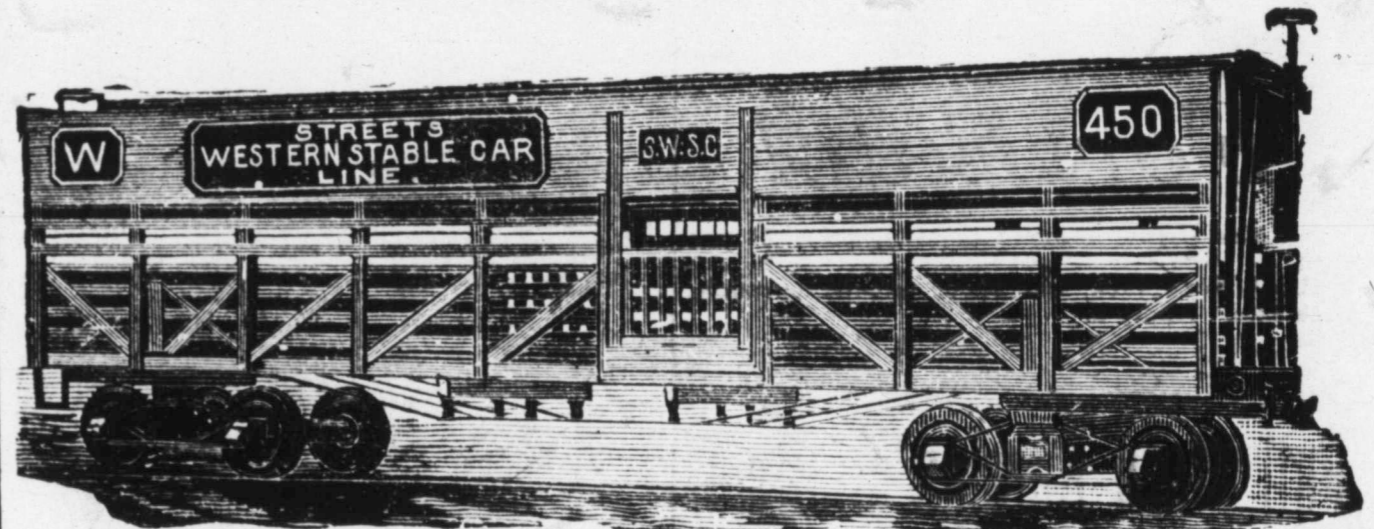
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