

DECREASE OF 54,615 HEAD

Fewer Cattle But 30,425 More Hogs

REPORT FOR YEAR

Shows Shipments Received at Stockyards During Year Ending January 31

The annual report of the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company, showing the comparative receipts and shipments of live stock for the fiscal year ending Jan. 31, shows a decrease of 54,615 head in the receipts of cattle...

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REPORT ON WOLVES SALES STOCKMEN \$2,000,000 A YEAR

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The biological survey of the department of agriculture took up the problem about a year ago...

Another interesting fact developed by the investigation was that the wolves were not a product of the forest reserves...

RAILROADS NOW ON DEFENSIVE

No Case Against Mine Operators at South McAlester

REACHES NO DECISION

Commissioner Prouty's Findings Will Be Made Public Within Thirty Days

SOUTH McALESTER, I. T., Feb. 9.—Hearing before Interstate Commerce Commissioner Charles A. Prouty was finished in this city yesterday afternoon at 8 o'clock...

Mr. Prouty testified that there are a number of cases which have to be enumerated or to count on, that must be added to the cost of original production...

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FARMERS FORUM

MOTHER'S WORK Setting tables, washing dishes, sweeping rooms and making bread, dusting books and sewing buttons, smoothing now a curly head.

Practical Co-Operation The following examples of successful co-operation of farmers are noted in the Farmers' Advocate.

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ECHOES OF THE RANGE

Weekly Compilation of Interesting Ranch and Stock News from All of the Great Range Country of Texas

In Bee County

Beville Bee.

F. W. Cheek, who is here from Rocky Ford, is prospecting, is favorably struck with the many possibilities of this section. Among the industries he thinks could be most profitably engaged here in wintering sugar beets. He has seen some grown on the Welder stock farm for cattle feed and pronounces them as good as those produced in Colorado under irrigation. He thinks this section has decidedly the advantage over Colorado in the production of this crop, as here it can be wintered whereas in Colorado it cannot. As to the profits they would be better than if the land were devoted to any other crop. In Colorado farmers have paid \$5 per ton for beets and raise from fifteen to thirty tons to the acre. In addition they get as much as \$2 per ton for the cattle feed. The refineries return to the grower 50 per cent of the pulp, which is valuable as a cattle feed, and many make as much in finishing cattle for market as they do off the original crop. A prerequisite to beet growing, however, is a refinery. These are expensive, and capital cannot be induced to erect one except farmers make a showing as to how many acres will be devoted to the production of beets and enter into a five-year contract to maintain not less than a certain acreage. Millions of dollars, Mr. Cheek says, have been invested both in refineries and in irrigating systems in Colorado, and have made money for the investors. Here, where the great expense of irrigation is eliminated, he sees no reason why it would not prove more profitable than in Colorado.

In De Witt County

Quero Star.

It was our pleasure last week to drive out in company with Mitchell Seeligson to see the lot of Brahman cattle he had recently purchased at his ranch, south of town, from Bombay, India, where they load last April, being en route and tied up in quarantine until they arrived. Clip last week. There were about fifteen heads, all males except a cow and calf. They were the most remarkable bunch of cattle ever seen. Had we not known what they were, and seen them out on the prairie we would have concluded they were a bunch of horned dromedaries. A good sized man rode in on the opposite side of the largest and the hump on the animal's shoulder would hide the man's hat. The size of the offering there will be monster beavers roaming over the O'Connor pastures in a few years. We understand Mr. O'Connor will bring them to the very top cows of his herds.

In Edwards County

Rock Springs.

J. D. Pepper sold to D. B. Cusenbary and C. S. Green, 465 head of graded Angora nannies and nanny kids at \$5 and \$3 respectively. Dismukes made the deal.

Dismukes sold for Ed Smith to T. E. Jones 1,300 muttons and to Jess Gilmer 750 stock goats, both at private terms.

In Midland County

Midland Reporter.

G. F. Cowden Jr. this week purchased of Hon. H. E. Crowley the well known Clabber Hill ranch and cattle, the consideration aggregating something like \$47,000. It is a large acquisition, there being 68 sections of University land, which sold at \$250 per section. There are 2,500 head of cattle which went in at \$30 around. It is one of the largest deals that has been made in this section in some time.

A. L. Camp and G. F. Cowden Jr. returned Sunday from Burlington, Ia., where they had been to clear up the sale of Mr. Cowden's ranch near Odesa. The sale was made to J. W. Topping, a real estate operator of Burlington, and he will at once colonize the land with northern farmers. There were 22,000 acres at \$7 per acre, or \$154,000, and is the largest acreage that has been made in the Midland country in a long time.

In Howard County

Big Springs Herald.

T. J. Purser returned from Marfa Saturday where he went to make some improvements on his six section ranch near that place. He is highly pleased with that section and intends moving his family there in the near future.

P. O. Stinson returned from the El Paso county, where he has been the past two weeks making improvements on his eight-section ranch. He succeeded in securing an unlimited supply of pure water at a depth of eleven feet. He is highly pleased with El Paso county and will return there as soon as he disposes of his interests here.

In Brewster County

Alpine Avalanche.

W. J. McIntyre has sold to T. W. and R. N. Pulliam the ranch on Terlingua creek which he bought last year of D. W. Gourley, embracing thirteen sections of leased land in block G4 and one section in block G12, about 600 cattle, fourteen horses and a wagon; consideration, \$11,360.

W. A. Hunt of Greenville, Mo., was here several days this week talking bulls to the ranchmen. He has in years past sold a good many white

faces in the Alpine country, but the ranchmen are so bewildered by the invasion of settlers that they hardly know where they are, and these gauchos but few orders and no large ones.

In Mitchell County

Colorado News.

Joe Merritt left today on No. 5 for Midland. From there he will go to the Half ranch to superintend the dipping of about 2,000 head of cattle.

The annual meeting of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas in Fort Worth next March promises to be one of the most interesting in the history of that great organization and the preliminary work in the matter of proper and suitable entertainment is already being arranged.

One of the most important matters to come before the annual meeting of the cattlemen will be the election of a secretary and general manager to succeed the late John T. Lytle, who, like his immediate predecessor, James C. Loving, died in the harness.

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A president will have to be elected at the coming meeting also, and Colorado having a man eminently qualified for the position in the person of A. B. Robertson, a reporter for the News called on him this morning at the bank and he stated as usual that he would not be a candidate for the position, as his time is too much taken up to devote any part of it to this important work.

Mr. Robertson could be president of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association if he so desired, but he wishes his friends to know emphatically that he is not a seeker after it.

In Crockett County

Ozama Kicker.

Mrs. Will Deaton sold 39 head of range cattle to T. A. Kincaid at \$12.

John Deaton sold to B. P. Byrd's fine Harkaway bull calves at \$25.

M. Seltz was in from his ranch on Sunday and he reported that the prospects for winter range continue good.

Commissioner W. F. Coates came in from his ranch and spent several days planting roses and otherwise beautifying his town place. He says range prospects were never better.

Postmaster Packard on Friday finished gathering his cattle for delivery to Albert Kincaid, who recently purchased them. He says black-leg is killing a few cattle on the range now.

John Myers has returned from the Twin Hill ranch, where he has been for some time. He reports that Mr. Brooks has put in substantially new dipping vats and is otherwise improving his ranch property.

Charles T. Adams and A. J. Crawford, composing the firm of Adams & Crawford, are in town from New Mexico. They have arranged to import 5,000 blooded fine Shropshire sheep, and these are now en route here. Pastures in Sutton county.

A vicious cow has caused J. R. Brooks the loss of a valuable horse. Mr. Brooks had roped the cow, and the rope broke. While he was trying to make another throw the cow charged the horse and gored him in the flank. The injured animal lived from Saturday afternoon until Monday morning. Mr. Brooks had refused \$200 for the horse, which was a pet. Last Friday night the S. E. Couch party was out on the range and a party of men went out from town just in time to prevent a disastrous prairie fire. As it was, about 100 acres of good grass were burned. The fire was caused by wet cutters. This is the third time this winter that Mr. Couch has suffered in this manner, and it grows monotonous, to say the least. Not content with taking his wood without permission they must fire his pastures. It begins to look suspicious.

In Mitchell County

Colorado News.

D. N. Arnett returned Saturday from a few weeks' stay in the Plains ranch in Terry and Lubbock counties, and reports conditions in very good shape up there. Cattle were wintering better than in any other section, and a couple of months ago. The large scope of range which was burned off last summer on the plains, Mr. Arnett states is proving to be a good thing for the cattle, as the grass had ample time to come out again and mature before frost, while the range not burned is doing so good. He says the growth was so rank that it rotted from the heavy rains last fall. Mr. Arnett said he had plenty of cattle up there yet enough for the winter.

In conversation with Joe Stokes we learn that feedstuff is going to be a scarce article in this country before grass comes again. "I have seen a good deal of this week," said Mr. Stokes, "buying milo maize and sorghum, and when I started out I thought I would have but little trouble in procuring all I wanted, but I found it not so easy as at first anticipated. There was an abundance raised, but the trouble is the farmers had their hands full gathering their cotton, and the feed crops in a great many instances remained in the field, the wet weather came on, and of course it is not worth anything. The great drawback to this country now is the lack of farm labor, but I think this will be overcome by another year. I hope so at least, because the work of the stockman's interest is having plenty of feed in the country."

In Tom Green County

San Angelo Standard.

P. O. Perry, who has a ranch of thirty-five sections, comprising 22,400 acres, in the Pecos country, arrived from that section Sunday. Mr. Perry: "The Pecos country is in the finest condition that I have ever seen it. There is an abundance of old grass and green wheat. The range is throughout the big ranches is as good as anyone could wish. There is plenty of water, we have had ample rains and it looks like typical range conditions. The Standard so often pictures. The demand for ranch lands on the Pecos is quite active and many new ranchmen are settling in the country over there. Several years since I went out to the Pecos to raise horses, when prices were low and there seemed but little profit in the industry. All of my friends advised me that it was foolish to undertake horse raising as a specialty, but

the results have been exceedingly gratifying and the profits splendid. Horses are commanding good prices now and I have found the venture a highly profitable one. Have about five hundred head on my ranch and make a specialty of Percherons. I notice three large importers have opened southwestern offices in Fort Worth, and I am confidently sure that they will find a ready market for their horses in this western country, which is so excellently adapted to horse raising. Not long since a friend in Ohio wrote me to import a fine lot of horses to this section, and I enthusiastically told him to do so. He found eager purchasers for the entire lot. I believe horse raising in this section is just about as profitable an industry as a ranchman can pursue."

Here are some pretty thirty sales: Chris Hagelstein is back from a five day trip to the Pecos country. Hagelstein has just sold his seventy-second ranch in Edwards county to C. L. Blandin of Comstock for \$37,000.

Bob Peas has sold his 700-acre ranch and 1,000-acre ranch and 1,600 cattle, in Sutton county, to Judge Wardlaw of Sonora for approximately \$50,000.

John T. Shurley bought a Mike Wiggin's twelve-section ranch, located at the head of Dove Creek. This ranch, comprising 7,680 acres, is a ready market for a consideration of \$20,352.

In Midland County

Midland Reporter.

Our town reporter, S. H. Holloway, this week bought twenty sections of deeded school lands of Bert Simpson. The ranch is out in the sand, near Monahan. A pretty ranch, but one of the best on earth. There are, too, some fine farming lands in the tract, and all together it is a magnificent property. Mr. Holloway paid \$20,000 for the land, \$1,000 a section.

Before we go to press we learn that the late Mrs. M. J. Riggs & Co. ranch of twenty-two sections and the Turner ranch of six sections, to J. W. Topping of Burlington, Iowa, have been sold. The terms were \$40 per acre, all around. These, too, we understand, are to be colonized and cut up into farms.

Scharbauer Brothers this week registered bull calves at \$100 around.

In Baylor County

Seymour Banner.

Our large number of cattle being few here on the products of the oil mill a few are beginning to move to market. The market is not so good as fast as they are shipped until the mill stops running.

J. S. Shultz shipped to Fort Worth market this week eight cars of steers, consisting of 216 head. They were high-grade stuff and were in good condition. Mr. Shultz says, however, that he would not have shipped them so soon if the steers had not taken to running so badly. Tom Irby, John Dixon, Tom Shultz and Graham Irby went with them. Graham goes to Fort Worth to handle the calves at the railroad. H. Clay Chultz, who has been visiting here for some time with his cousin, accompanied the party on the way to his home in Greenville, Va. He is well pleased with the country and will likely make some investments here.

In Sutton County

Sonora News.

Jim Morris of Sonora bought the L. Dridale yearling steers, about 160, at \$14.

St. Stokes of Sonora, bought the Wallace & Allison 500 head of goats at \$2 per head and \$112.50 for the dog.

Wallace & Allison of Sonora sold the recently purchased Max Luckel cow to the advance of about \$2 per head or \$15.

Marion Adams is putting in cotton, thirty acres, of new land rented from George.

G. W. Stephenson of Sonora sold to Bert Johnson of Grandberry 35 head of 4 and 5 year old steers at \$25.50 per head, plus \$45 per acre.

A. F. Clarkson of Sonora sold to Sam Stokes 700 bred ewes at \$3.75 and 137 muttons at \$2.25. J. T. Evans the cowboys and cowboys traded.

W. T. O. Holman of Sonora sold 300 3 and 4-year-old steers to Herbert Graves of Belton, at \$27.50. These steers will be delivered at Brady on Saturday, February 9, and will be fed at Belton.

Caruthers & Peacock sold their fifteen-section ranch in the southwest corner of Sutton county at \$2.75 per acre and 900 head of stock cattle at \$13.50 per head to L. J. Wardlaw of Sonora.

George R. Berry of Lampasas, Texas, sold to Herbert Brown of Sonora a yearling horse colt, brother to W. A. A. Berry's "Star Boy." The colt does not promise to be as large of bone and give as much trouble as the other. The Whitehead Bros. paid \$125 for the colt at Lampasas.

R. M. Halbert of Sonora, received the Scotts' dog, which was sold to him by the purchase appeared in the News recently. She cost \$62 landed in Sonora. The dog was much admired by the Sonora people, and the dog question close consideration these days. J. J. Ford owns a half interest in this dog and they are well pleased with it.

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In New Mexico

Roswell Reporter.

Judge O. H. Nelson, president of the Western Stock Yards Company, of Amarillo, Texas, and Fort Madison, Ia., arrived in Roswell this morning on the Carlsbad. He stopped here to look for a site for the annual Panhandle sale of pure blood stock, which always goes with the Panhandle cattle convention, and making other arrangements. He and the Roswell men interested have found two sites, either one of which would be satisfactory. Their decision will be announced later.

Judge Nelson is enthusiastic as to the success of the April meeting of cattlemen. He is especially anxious to see that it was foolish to undertake horse raising as a specialty, but

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house. The origin of the fire remains a mystery.

In San Saba County

San Saba Star.

W. L. Bannister shipped two cars of bulls to the Fort Worth market last week which averaged 1,375 pounds and sold at \$2.90.

Brown & Taylor shipped their remnant, twenty head of cows and steers, last week. The cows averaged 756 pounds and brought \$2.50. The steers averaged 965 pounds and brought \$3.70.

S. W. Walker sold last week 600 head of 3 and 4 year old steers with 10 per cent cut to Carroll & Williams of Brady for spring delivery at \$25 around.

Rufe Thornton sold 100 out of 150 yearlings to Hugh Armstrong at \$13 around.

W. W. Walker shipped three cars of cows, S. W. Walker shipped three cars of steers and W. L. Bannister shipped six cars of mixed cattle to the Fort Worth market this week.

W. L. Bannister bought fifty fed calves that averaged 385 pounds from Sam Walker Jr., at 8 cents gross.

In Reeves County

Pecos News.

Monro Riggs, one of the Saragosa country's prosperous ranchers, was in Pecos the past week and he informs us that the range and cattle are in as good shape as he has ever seen them.

W. D. Hudson closed a deal Thursday for his half interest in St. Elizabeth farm on Toyah Creek to W. E. Martin, of Abilene, who will move onto the farm at once. Consideration for the deal was \$3,600.

W. D. Hudson returned from his New Mexico ranch Friday and reports his range and cattle in fine shape. He has sold 1,000 head of 2-year-old steers and up to \$20 per head to George Medley of the Davis mountains.

TQ DO YOUR BEST

You must give careful attention to the selection of the rams and ewes in order to "do your best" in the sheep industry.

When starting in the sheep business, use sound judgment and continue to do so, and your reward will be bountiful in every way.

About the most unfavorable condition under which sheep can be kept is to constantly subject them to feeding in low marshy pastures.

The only requisite to bring sheep up to a desirable standard is that it be a first-class animal of its particular breed and strain.

SHEARINGS

The lamb that persistently eats snow will rarely do well.

A flock of well cared for scrubs pays better than a starved flock of thoroughbreds.

Sheep and the turning under of green manured crops will restore any piece of land to fertility.

Nothing is more certain than that a sheep living on the dry feed of winter cannot prosper without drinking water.

The requiring to be dry both above and below the feet, the sheep house should not be warm and steamy.

Sheep will stand a good deal of cold if it is dry cold, and they are protected from the wind.

The farmer who judiciously pastures sheep over his land for a number of seasons will have the finest and most productive lands.

Sheep manure is especially rich in nitrogen in an available form and for this reason is valuable for applying in the hill.

To have a large number of the different grades into which wool is classed is objectionable as it necessitates too much sorting into different lots.

How raising is an industry that should engage the attention of every farmer in the Panhandle. A few acres of ground will furnish sufficient feed to fatten them and there is always a ready market for fat hogs.

In Crockett County

Ozona Kicker.

W. Patrick sold all his range cattle to S. E. Couch at \$12.50.

John Bailey was in town and welcomes this cold spell, because he has 300 pounds of fat which will average 300 pounds each.

Tom Everett returned from his Pecos ranch and reports range splendid and vegetation coming out like spring. Tom killed a nine-foot panther several days ago.

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LIVE STOCK OPPORTUNITIES IN MEXICO The cattlemen of Texas are showing a decided disposition to fall in line with the new movement which seems to have for its object the transfer of the range breeding business to the other side of the Rio Grande.

That there can be no return to these halcyon days is now clearly apparent in Texas, and those who feel they cannot conform to the new order of affairs are turning to Mexico as the last country remaining where they can enjoy something of the old liberty and freedom from interference on the part of the cowman's Nemesis—the man with the hoe.

There are cattlemen in Texas yet who look with disfavor on every step that has been made in the process of evolution that has been in progress for a number of years. They declare that the breeding of blooded stock is a mistake and swear by the great horn spoon that the long-horned members of the bovine race so much in evidence twenty-five years ago on the Texas range were free from disease and capable of rustling their own living in contradistinction to the blooded animals of the present, which require so much time and attention.

Those cattlemen who have accepted the fact that there can be no return of old conditions and who have spent large sums of money to improve their herds, realize that in the future quality must take the place of quantity, and they are producing cattle today that will rank with the very best produced in the older breeding states of the country.

But there are many of the old-timers who are shaking the range dust of Texas off their feet and hiking to the new Eldorado on the other side of the Rio Grande, where there is so nearly a return to pristine conditions. And some of these, strange to say, have ideas of not engaging altogether in the cattle business.

porcine squal, Speaking of his intended enterprise, Mr. Merchant says: "The people of Texas have little idea of the greatness of Mexico from a hog raising standpoint. Why, I know of a man in that section who started business two years ago with two pigs, and who now owns 2,500 hogs and he has never been put in jail, either. I have something less than 11,000 acres of as fine land for hog raising in the Cascadori colony as one can find anywhere on earth."

LIVE STOCK SANITARY COMMISSION There is a strong effort being made by the cattlemen of Texas to have the live stock sanitary board of the state clothed with greater powers, and a bill has been introduced and is being pressed in the state legislature having that object in view.

"That the governor is authorized and directed to quarantine any portion of the state of Texas, on the report and recommendation of the live stock sanitary commission, when said commission shall have determined the fact that the cattle or other live stock in any portion of the state of Texas are affected with any contagious, infectious or communicable disease. Notice of the quarantining of any portion of the state shall be given by the governor by the promulgation of a proclamation particularly describing the locality and species of animals quarantined, and setting forth the reasons therefor, and by the publication of said proclamations as provided by law.

"No railroad or other transportation company, or the owner or master of any steam, sailing or other vessel or boat, shall receive for transportation, or transport, from the quarantined part of the state to the non-quarantined part of the state, any cattle or other live stock, except as indicated in section three of this act. No person, company or corporation shall deliver for such transportation to any railroad or other transportation company, or to the master or owner of any boat or vessel, any cattle or other live stock, except as indicated in section three of this act.

The live stock sanitary commission is hereby authorized and directed, when public safety will permit, to make and promulgate rules and regulations which will permit and govern the inspection, disinfection, certification, treatment, handling, and method and manner of delivery and shipment of cattle and other live stock from a quarantined part of the state to a non-quarantined part of the state, and the disinfection of premises, cars and other vehicles used in the transportation of live stock.

CHANGING HOG FORM The form of the hog changes according to the way he is fed and cared for. A hog that is given little exercise and is fed on fattening foods, such as corn, will develop a short frame and a chunky body, says the Farmer's Review. The reason for this is that the materials for the making of a large frame have not been supplied. It takes generations to bring about this result, but it comes in the course of time.

RATIONS FOR HOGS One of the most important questions confronting the farmer, yet one of the least considered is that of rations for hogs. His ration is too often such a feed as is most convenient and is generally corn.

The passing of the range cattle industry is proving to be a good thing for Fort Worth after all. As fast as those long-headed range cattlemen get their money out of the cattle they immediately proceed to invest it in Fort Worth dirt.

FAT STOCK SHOW AUDITORIUM

It is true that a small obstacle has been encountered in the matter of beginning work on the new auditorium that is to be the permanent home of the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, in the form of anticipated adverse legislation affecting the revenues of the stock yards company, but it is believed the trouble will soon be overcome and the work of construction actually in progress.

While there has been some complaint among shippers about the price charged for feed at the various live stock markets the complaints have been by individuals and nothing like a concerted action has been taken by the live stock shippers of Texas to bring about a change which is reasonable evidence that the charges at Fort Worth have not been burdensome.

"The law of compensation, it will be found, holds the balance between the horse and automobile, as in every other department of life and commerce. What is lost in one way is made up in another. Ten years from now, or perhaps twenty years, no matured horse will be terrified at the sight and sound of a motor, save those exceptional brutes that today are driven into a frenzy by seeing a parol or a baby carriage.

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Meat Inspection Law

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Mr. Beveridge, who credits himself with the most inspecting law ever noticed Wednesday that he would renew his fight against those who, last year, defeated him in an effort to assess the cost of inspection on the packers, and making this declaration of war, he held aloft the back page of a magazine which showed that the packers regard the inspection law as a great advertising value to them.

Mr. Beveridge introduced a bill early in the session for the purpose of assessing the cost of inspection on the packers, but the agricultural committee to which it was referred, has given it no consideration. The question will be confronted, however, when the committee takes up the agricultural appropriation bill, which the house has disposed of. That said, \$13,000,000 to pay for inspection, and if the committee should do it, Mr. Beveridge will, from the floor of the senate, offer an amendment providing that the cost of inspection shall be met by a system of fees to be paid by the packers.

This question excited no discussion whatever in the house committee, and the appropriation was passed without contest, which Mr. Wadsworth accepts as a vindication of his course in having resisted the president in this matter. The old argument that the packers would impose two or three times the cost of inspection upon the stock raisers is still used, and they reinforce it by calling attention to the fact that in his last annual report Secretary Wilson did not suggest any change in the law.

Packers in Mexico Financial arrangements are understood to have been completed by the flotation of bonds on the London market regarding an American project to construct and operate big packing houses in different parts of Mexico, says a message from New York. Old western packing men are primarily concerned with the project which is named the Mexican National Packing Company, incorporated under New Jersey laws, with a capital of \$10,000,000.

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the bed grounds every morning for the appearance of the snow during the snowy weather. True, when the wind blows and the snow is drifting, the plow is of little good, but at all other times it is a most valuable implement to the sheep owners in the range country, and the cattle owners are also learning to take advantage of its practical benefits.

Death of Electricite The Horse World in its issue of Jan. 23 says, under the head, "Electricite, 2:28 1/2, Dead."

A telegram from Colonel Henry Exall, Dallas, Texas, states that the great sire, Electricite, 2:28 1/2, died Jan. 18 of inflammation of the bowels. Electricite was one of the five of great breeders, the other two being Sphinx, 2:29 1/2, and Egolst, 2:22 1/2. He was taken to Texas some years ago by Colonel Exall and today occupies a place among the world's great sires. He is the sire of nearly seventy standard performers, including Porto Rico, 2:11; Senator Mills, 2:13 1/2; Emerin Electricite, 2:13 1/2; Blondie, 2:13 1/2; and Rose Electricite, 2:15 1/2. He was foaled in 1888 at Palo Alto and was sired by Electriconeer, out of the famous old mare Spruce. His second dam, Waterwitch, by Pilot Jr. Electricite was a positive sire and his influence on the breeding interests of Texas has been such that he will be to that state what Hambletonian was to New York. George Wilkes to Kentucky and Electriconeer to breeding of remarkably and it is likely that his family will be one of the leading branches of the Electriconeer family.

Eight Thousand for a Cow TROY, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Cattle should cease to be a term of contempt. Danield W. Field of Brockton, Mass., has given \$8,000 to E. J. Dolliver of New York, N. Y., for a Holstein-Friesian cow known as Pontiac Rag Apple. She is a champion milker, having produced in one day 31.65 pounds of milk. He has already contracted to sell her unborn calf to C. A. Averill, of Syracuse for \$4,000, and has just received a check for \$2,000 for the cow, the mother of the world, having the record of 34.34 pounds of butter in seven days. Mr. Field will return the check and keep the calf. With farmers paying such prices for cows, is it any wonder that butter is better, nowadays, so to speak?

Six-Day Car Bill AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 5.—The legislature put in another busy day and good progress was made with a number of bills. The important action on the part of the house was the final passage of the bill repealing the occupation tax upon all useful occupations, including merchants, bankers and several other businesses. The bill went through the house without any opposition. The state has been deriving an annual revenue of nearly \$400,000 from the tax. The important pieces of legislation enacted was the bill requiring railroads to furnish shippers, upon written order, a bill of lading for the shipment of live stock. There has long been complaint heard on the part of cattle shippers of lack of promptness in furnishing cars by the railroads. This bill is intended to remedy this complaint. It provides a heavy penalty against railroads failing to comply with its provisions.

Montana Stock Doing Well LIVINGSTON, Mont., Feb. 5.—The prolonged cold weather has not so far as can be learned caused any loss among the stock of the range. The thermometer registered as low as 28 degrees for a day or more, but at no time was the storm of cold so severe as was reported in other sections of the state.

Neopoleon Ebert, a prominent rancher of this county, and one who is quite a reputation as a horseman, predicts that severe storms will visit Montana in February and in March. Ranchers in this section were never better supplied with feed than to the present time, and they have no dread of a long winter.

Limits Idaho Sheep WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—The owners of sheep in Idaho cannot let them run within two miles of human habitation, according to a declaration rendered by Judge McKenna and was handed down in the case of Irmsby & Brown against Enos C. Walling, all of Idaho.

The suit was instituted by Walling, who complained that contrary to state law compelling sheep herders to keep their stock away from private lands, he had been driven from his land by the stock of 3,000 owned by them to come within the protected area, much to the injury of the range. He asked for damages and the state courts awarded them.

The case aroused recollections of a time when the feeling between the cattle and sheep was in progress in Idaho some apprehension was expressed that it might cause a revival of the old-time disputes and the members of the supreme court who prepared the court's opinion said that even if his judgment was favorable to the sheepmen "he would not take the chances of opening the controversy by deciding in their favor.

Government Will Pay WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—"It is not probable," said Senator Dolliver of Iowa, "that congress will arm the packers with the power to make an indefinite levy upon the cattle grazing interests of the United States, but that the committee on agriculture will give encouragement to any such proposition."

This statement by Dolliver illustrates the position taken by senators representing the livestock industry.

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senting the cattle producing states toward the removal of the plan to have the packers instead of the government pay the costs of the meat inspection under the new inspection law. The packers and the cattle growers, having taken a positive and united stand against assessing the cost against the packers, it becomes certain that the law will remain as it is, and that the taxpayers in general will not be required to pay the cost.

Stock Cattle Higher As spring approaches the inquiry for stock steers and cows is growing more insistent. Western Colorado, in fact every part of Colorado, will need stock cattle in the spring, and the indications are that prices are going higher. Texas Panhandle stock is commanding from one to two dollars more per head than at this time a year ago.

Heavy Montana Losses BILLINGS, Mont., Feb. 11.—The situation in the state is very serious for the stockmen who failed to make winter arrangements for their stock last fall. They have had a hard time of it, and have given up, but for the past three days a dry, heavy snow has been falling, accompanied by a heavy wind, which has drifted the snow into the cuts, coolies and sheds, and has rendered them useless for shelter and feed. In the past three years the stockmen have experienced very favorable winters and come through with the stock in good shape and little loss. This was the means of encouraging a good many more men to stay on the open range this winter, causing many to be offered at the railroad and winter quarters much cheaper than last year. Under the present conditions, where they have been able to make the railroad, they are shipping and selling into Yellowstone valley and paying any price that is asked, of them for the same feed.

The stockmen on the Great Northern and east of Fort Collins on the Northern Pacific that the railroad companies have been unable to supply with cars are shipping from this point enough to keep the stock in good shape. It has ceased snowing, and if it does not snow any more for some time it will give the stock that is still alive and opening the winter quarters an opportunity to reach feed and shelter. But from all reports and what I can learn, it appears that a big percentage are now to leave the stock in a total loss, and it is impossible to gauge the number of head in figures at the present time.—Hanlon Live Stock Management Company, John A. Hanlon, Manager.

Fine Cattle Dying Complaint is being heard from several stockmen who are suffering loss by their cattle dying of binkeloid. Will Low, a prominent cattle raiser, who lives six miles south of town, has lost several fine young cattle from his splendid herd of Herefords.—Brownwood Bulletin.

BIG CATTLE DEAL A sale of cattle yesterday aggregated a cash value of probably more than twenty-five thousand dollars was consummated here by Coggin Brothers selling 800 head of big four-year-old steers from their Grapevine ranch, near Talpa, to J. L. Clair and E. R. Russell of San Antonio. Aitho the selling price was private it is said that the steers brought more than \$30 per head, Mr. Coggin says he sold today and yesterday and closed the trade, lived at Cedarville, in the Osage nation, and is at present a candidate for near Talpa, to J. L. Clair and E. R. Russell's Association.—Brownwood Bulletin.

GIRL COW PUNCHER BELLEFOURCHE, D. C., Feb. 11.—The sensational discovery has just been made that one of the most skillful young cow punchers in the northwest is a woman. She wore male attire and close cropped her hair and had a skin well tanned by wind and sun.

She punched cows all the way from the Panhandle in Texas to Montana without revealing the secret of her sex. She went under the name of "Jim Footer," but she acknowledged when her secret was discovered that her real name is Battle Wallace and that her parents formerly lived in the copper region of northern Michigan.

SOUTH DAKOTA COWMEN Carson Williams of Fort Bennett, S. D., writing from Fort Pierre to the Live Stock World, thus describes conditions out there: "The cowmen here are having as bad a winter in western South Dakota as Old Bores ever compounded in his laboratory, with a flemish determination to put the cattlemen out of business. On the pastures up north they are catching h—, South of the Cheyenne river it is nearly as bad. Even those who had been able to connect the cattle with it. All a fellow can do is look wise and say he expected to go out of the cattle business, anyway, and Old Bores is forcing him to stick to his resolution. Unless it lets us soon we will not be put to the trouble of counting the dead ones in the spring. A census of the cowboys will be easily taken and show us where we are at."—Chicago Live Stock Reporter.

PANHANDLE INSPECTOR Sam F. Dunn of Hereford, Texas, one of the best known cattlemen in the Panhandle country, arrived here yesterday from Bloomington, Ind., where he had been on a visit to his mother, now 80 years old, whom he had not seen since he left that place for Texas twenty-five years ago. Mr. Dunn is a brand inspector for the Panhandle Cattle Raisers' Association, a position he has held for several years. He is also brand inspector for Deaf Smith county. "The Panhandle country," said Mr. Dunn, "is coming to the front faster than any other country on earth. It is very prosperous, and the people are happy. We have been raising good crops of wheat down there, and then cattle prices have been going up for the past few years, so that the people have been making good money. The land prices have made greater advances than were ever heard of in that country, and many who were loaded down with land sold it at high prices, and retired rich."—Drovers' Telegram.

KANSAS AFTER STOCKYARDS COPPER, Feb. 11.—J. H. Edwards, representative from Greenwood county, today introduced a bill in the house fixing charges at stockyards in Kansas. This is the bill agreed upon by the joint committee of the Kansas and Missouri legislatures. It provides that it shall be unlawful for any public stockyards operator to charge more than the following for driving, \$1.00; watering and weighing, Cattle, 25 cents per head; calves, 10 cents per head; hogs, 6 cents per head; sheep, 5 cents per head; other livestock, that not more than \$4.50 shall be charged for any one carload.

It is provided that 2,000 pounds shall constitute a ton of 20 and that shall be the standard quality. To charge more than 100 cent above the market price of the day before is prohibited. A bushel of ear corn must weigh seven pounds, and a bushel of shelled corn must weigh 56 pounds. A violation of the act is held to be a misdemeanor and is made punishable by a fine of not less than \$1,000 and not more than \$5,000 for each offense. A provision is also made that suitable scales shall be furnished for weighing stock and that, in case they are not, the scales in use shall be shrunk, the loser may be entitled in court to twice the loss sustained.

Stock Values in Montana HELENA, Mont., Feb. 5.—Montana assessors have decided to increase live stock assessments, stock cattle being the only exception. They will be left at \$16 per head. The schedule follows: Yearlings, \$10; two-year-olds, \$14; three-year-old and upward, \$20; steers, \$25; stock cattle, \$18. This on two-year-olds, the same for steers, and \$2 on stock cattle. The latter item was the one which raised the opposition, and the report was tabled after considerable discussion. When taken up finally it was decided to cut the last item to \$16, leaving the valuation as it was last year, all being content with this valuation. The valuation of sheep was put at \$3 per head, which includes lambs.

Cattle Getting Scarce Sol Mayer of Sonora, Texas, one of the best known cattlemen in that state, is spending a few days at the yards. For many years Mr. Mayer was a heavy operator on the Kansas City yards, shipping here as high as 20,000 head of cattle a year. But he has been trading more at home during the past two years, and has at present 4,000 head of good steers and cows during the winter. "The marketing of cattle is a hard business, and it is hard to get the country becomes settled and farmers get to raising cattle, the number may be increased. But now and for some years to come, there is bound to be a shortage of cattle. And I think fewer cattle will be taken from that part of Texas this spring to the Osage reservation than usual. The cows will

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be held back for breeding purposes, and there are fewer steers to move. But looking at the cattle industry as it presents itself to me now, I am satisfied that it is going to be good, and money will be made handling them. I will sell in bulk to suit purchasers, but prefer to sell all together. Must be sold by first of April. Imported Hobson at head of flock. This is a rare opportunity to procure first class stock. R. H. LOWREY, Camp San Saba, Texas.

Champion Beef Eater NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Former Mayor Van Wyck set the record for beefsteak eating at ten pounds; the late Justice Fredick Dwyer had a celebrated appetite for beefsteak. But last night, like Coy Maid at her best, Thomas F. Dinneen ran first. His mastication and digestion were perfect and he placed second in his middle-aged and three-quarter pounds of juicy, tender beefsteak. This feat was performed at the Atlantic garden on the Bowery, whose proprietors entertained their friends of the Mosha Bera club with a beefsteak dinner.

CATTLE COMPANY WINS Land Case Involving 4,000 Acres Decided I. H. Burney returned Thursday morning from Seymour, where he went to try a land boundary case for the Espuela Land and Cattle Company, a company familiarly known as the "Spur" company, on account of its brand. The case involved the right to 4,000 acres and was won by the cattle company. His case has been in the courts for five years, having been tried once and then reversed and remanded in the higher court.

SHORT HORNS I have for sale highly bred Scotch-topped Shorthorn cattle, bred in the fever district. Young bulls and heifers for sale. Prices to suit the times. P. B. HUNT, Dallas, Texas.

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DEPENDS ON LEGISLATURE

Palmer Talks of Fat Stock Show Building

PLANS ELABORATE

Chicago Interests Propose to Erect Structure to Be the Pride of the City

Meeting of the directors of the Fat Stock Show with Stanton Palmer, representing Armour & Co., and H. C. Gardner, representing Swift & Co., is being held Wednesday afternoon at North Fort Worth.

Plans Are Extensive

Plans of the building which it is proposed to build and which Mr. Palmer brought with him, a cut of which appears in The Telegram this afternoon, are most elaborate and will provide for the handsomest building in the country for exhibition purposes.

The amphitheater of the building will be 174x228 in extent, the arena itself being 80x175 feet.

Entire length of the building will be 260 feet, including the two small projections which will be used for cloak rooms and probably also for offices of the Fat Stock Show secretary and officers.

The amphitheater will be built entirely of steel arches, no posts being used from side wall to side wall, so that the view will not be obstructed in any way.

Capacity of the building is larger than that of the Chicago exposition building, which is generally stated as 10,000. Seating capacity in the side seats will not exceed that and for convention purposes the arena could be used, making a capacity of far beyond that number.

Later an additional building will probably be built for stall purposes, also at present stall arrangements of the stock yards will amply accommodate all that will be needed, especially with the 264 stalls in the building itself.

In speaking of the building, Mr. Palmer said: "It will make the finest democratic convention that will come to this city. In order to use the building as a convention hall, a temporary floor will have to be added to the arena and a large sounding board placed over the speaker's platform.

"For small conventions, however, I am afraid that the delegates would be lost if placed in such a large building, although the building is for the finest, which will be held here this spring, it would probably serve admirably.

YOU HAVE GOT TO HURRY

The largest registered herd of Hereford cattle in the world is being sold to make room for the man with the hoe. Already over 11,000 acres of the ranch have passed into the hands of the farmer.

SCHARBAUER BROS. Midland, Texas.

TWO KILLED IN A WRECK

Freight Ran Into Caboose on Siding

THREE ESCAPED

One of Injured Was Son of the Conductor, and the Other a Stockman

ALVARADO, Texas, Feb. 6.—In a rear-end freight collision in the yards of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, at 1:45 o'clock this morning, two were killed and several slightly injured.

The dead: A. T. TALKE, 45; a live stock man of Giddings, Texas.

JOHN WRIGHT, 17; son of train conductor, Denison, Texas.

A northbound train was on the siding taking water when another northbound freight train crashed into it, tearing the caboose to pieces.

The property damaged was very slight, the engine being practically uninjured.

The body of young Wright was shipped to Denison this morning, and the body of Talke is being held for instructions from his relatives.

BOVINIAS TO MEET Several Mavericks Will Be Branded by Lem Day

The regular weekly round-up of the Knights of Bovinias will be held at the knight ranch house over the White Elephant. This round-up will be an extraordinary one in that the reports are due from several important companies and the further fact that nine lusty 2-year-old mavericks have been rounded up and are now in the branding pen ready for extraordinary action.

Chief Ranch Boss Bill Davis also reports a spring yearling from the stock yards range that he says will make a juicy dish.

Following the regular round-up and branding here there will be a meeting of the entertainment committee, at which important matters will be considered.

OPPOSE PROPOSAL FOR REGULATION

Board of Trade Passes Resolution on Stock Yards

AGAINST COMMISSION

Another Party Condemns Order Making Pullman Company a Common Carrier in Texas

Meeting of the Board of Trade was held Tuesday afternoon and resolutions passed. The board acted upon the proposed bill regulating the stock yards by the railroad commission, adopting resolutions against the proposed bill, also acting adversely to the order of the railroad commission making Pullman cars common carriers. The city council was asked not to hamper the wholesale interests of the city.

The proposed regulation of the stock yards was taken up and a committee was authorized to go to Austin and present this to the legislative committee. The resolution brought out that the Fort Worth Cattle Raisers' Association has not earned any dividends since its operation, expending all it has earned in improvements, and that among other things the matter of regulation of the company by the railroad commission for the purpose of reducing rates would cause Fort Worth to lose the \$100,000 exhibition building which now seems almost probable will be built.

It was also stated that if such a bill as is now proposed before the state legislature were adopted, the Fort Worth stock yards would be operated upon at a loss instead of earning money on the tremendous investment which has already been sunk there.

The Texas Cattle Raisers' Association took up the matter of the rates which it is proposed to regulate, some legislators reported that rates were in many cases lower than at the other stock yards in the country and in no cases higher. That committee reported that it considered the city and the state, and we do most respectfully petition that honorable body, the members of the legislature of Texas, not to adopt or

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POULTRYMEN PLAN POULTRY SHOW Association Held Meeting Saturday

The Fort Worth Poultry and Pet Stock Association met Saturday afternoon at Drumm's, on Houston street, accepted the resignation of Secretary Buchanan and elected Judge Moore as secretary; adopted the premium list and classification for the coming show, beginning March 20, in connection with the fat stock show; adopted the by-laws for the new organization; elected a board of new members and adjourned to meet at Judge Moore's office in the Powell block on Main street, Saturday next at 2:30 in the afternoon.

President Henderson called the meeting to order at 3 p. m. The rules and premium list for the coming show were read and adopted. The rules are in strict accord with the rules general in and for associations of the kind.

The committee on by-laws reported and their report was adopted. The officers are to be the president, three vice presidents, a secretary and treasurer and a board of directors of eight. The president, J. B. Buchanan and C. C. French are the committee to try to get from the packing houses the offer of premiums for the exhibits of great poultry and the largest eggs.

The National Poultry and Breeders Association is to furnish the coops and to provide the space for the show. The Fort Worth Poultry Association is but one suggestion to make, and that

FIX PREMIUM LIST The premium committee of the Fort Worth Poultry and Pet Stock Association met at the Exchange building Thursday afternoon in conjunction with the premium committee of the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show and fixed the premium list for the poultry and pet stock part of the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, which is to be held beginning March 19.

To induce the outside exhibitor interest himself in the show a premium is made of \$50 for the best pen of chickens, any breed. The unusually large premium will, the committee thinks, induce an exceptionally fine specimen of pet stock are on the same generous scale.

The regular meeting of the Fort Worth Poultry and Pet Stock Association will be held at Drumm's seed store on Houston street at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, when all of the committees will be prepared to report.

REMEDIES FOR HORSES To Keep Horses in Health—Give leaf tobacco finely pulverized, one tablespoonful once a week in wheat bran; colts, one teaspoonful once a week; Robert E. Chambers, Spencer, Ind.

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FROM ALL SORROW AND CARE A town that never has anything to do in a public way is on the way to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave. A man that curses the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give to city affairs is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from his public enterprise throws bouquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times, preaches the funeral dirge. The man who is always helping his neighbor from all sorrow and care—Exchange.

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SHEEP

COSMOPOLITAN BREED

At Melbourne, Australia, a sale of Shropshire recently commanded very high prices. Proven sires brought as high as \$1,400 and yearling ewes bred brought \$390 each. This cosmopolitan breed is finding great favor in Tasmania and Australia and the breeders there are determined only to have the very best. Much the same is true in the western part of the United States, and also such prices have not been paid the breeders are wanting the good ones.

SHEARINGS

Sheep greatly improve the land when too many are not kept on an acre. A small, fat sheep will always bring better prices than a large poor one. All other things being equal, the finest wool is, of course, the best. Sheep are gregarious. When one is seen flocking by itself, there is something wrong. One value with sheep is that they remove nothing from the soil and do not impoverish it. If managed properly, no class of animals can be reared as easily and will pay as largely as sheep. It is claimed that clay soil produces the best wool, and second and lime the most inferior quality. When a man has improved his flock until he can sell his poorest sheep at remunerative prices, he can then afford the best.

In sheep management guard against losses and the profits will come. Sheep raising must produce a variety of products if it is made profitable.

Good lambs are never reared unless they receive a favorable start in life. Weak lambs are usually the result of poor feeding or neglect of some kind. It is not good for cross-woolled sheep to get wet after cold weather commences. A good flock of sheep makes annual payments of both interest and gain in the capital invested. It is the ill-conditioned members of a flock that cause the greatest loss and are in management. There is no uniform standard among growers as to how much or how little wool should be wasted.

NOTES

We have often wondered where a better sheep country could be found than that lying in the Willamette valley of Oregon, extending 150 miles in length and fifty miles in width, and unsurpassed in fertility and gentleness of its climate. Some day the entire valley will be dotted with Cotswolds and Lincoln's surpassed by none in the world—American Sheep Breeder. Do not be afraid of buying rams that are too good. One may pay too much for rams, but one seldom buys rams that are too good, and buying mutton when you buy a ram. You are buying seed and you ought to be willing to pay for the quality of the ram, no matter what he weighs. When buying rams one is buying something that will stamp improvement on his flock and that will determine the value of the off-spring.

SELL EIGHT HUNDRED STEERS

Cattle from Coleman County Ranch Bring Good Price

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Feb. 8.—A deal was closed here today whereby Cogan Bros. sold 800 head of four-year-old steers from their Grapevine ranch near Talpa to J. I. Clair, who is buying for R. R. Russell of San Antonio. The price of the steers was not given out, but it is understood that they brought more than \$30 per head.

UNTHRESHED OATS FOR HORSES

Oats are an ideal horse feed. No other cereal is quite so well adapted to their requirements. Unthreshed oats form an especially valuable feed for horses and should be fed more generally by farmers. They are cut before they are fully ripe and thoroughly cured. It is said the albuminoid ration of the grain is 1.61; of the straw of oats, 1.29, about the proper proportion for a satisfactory feed for horses. With our eastern farms well adapted to the production of oats, it cannot be truthfully said that our horse raising industry has been neglected because of a lack of suitable feed.

AD. MAN'S CORNER

THE AD-MAN HAS TAKEN MILITARY POSSESSION OF THIS CORNER AND WILL FIRE FROM THIS FORT EVERY WEEK.

THERE'LL BE SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME, TOO, FOR THE AMMUNITION FOR THIS PURPOSE IS INEXHAUSTIBLE AND SMOKELESS POWDER WILL BE USED. WATCH THE AD-MAN'S CORNER ALL THE TIME.

A Bargain Offer

The Ad Man is very much interested in getting this interesting offer before all his readers, especially those who are receiving a few sample copies, which we began sending out last week, Feb. 6.

TO ALL NEW (AND OLD) SUBSCRIBERS SENDING US \$1.50 BEFORE MARCH 15, 1907, WE WILL SEND YOU THE STOCKMAN-JOURNAL FOR FIFTEEN MONTHS, OR UNTIL JUNE 15, 1908.

Accept this offer at once. Your name will go on the mailing list just as soon as you send the order and will be continued until June 15, 1908. FIFTEEN MONTHS FOR \$1.50! This means more to those who accept this offer than can be explained here.

Land Bargains

This week's issue of The Stockman-Journal contains some special land bargains. Our readers who are interested in money-making opportunities should look them over. The Wadwell Land Company, with headquarters in this city, have some good propositions at Odessa, in Ector county, Texas. The Ad Man would be pleased to have readers of The Stockman-Journal write this company for full information. The Bob Byron Land Company also have land bargains. See the advertisements of these and other real estate agents in this issue.

There are many opportunities to invest in lands which will net the purchaser large profits in a short time. Why not try? Texas land investments at present prices are safe investments and sure to bring good profits.

THE AD MAN.

COWAN TO CONFER ON LEGISLATION

President Asks Him to Come to Washington

In response to a telegram received Monday night from President Roosevelt, Sam H. Cowan will leave Thursday night for Washington to attend a conference Monday, Feb. 11, of the public lands commissioners and the committee appointed by the stockmen at the recent meeting of the American National Live Stock Association at Denver, regarding the proposed grazing bill which the President recommended in a special message to congress.

The American National Live Stock Association passed resolutions at its meeting in Denver endorsing the proposition presented by the President to have congress pass a law whereby the President can declare grazing districts on the public lands and have the control of the department of agriculture to issue grazing permits that will give such live occupancy and allow low fencing on the public lands. This bill, which Judge Cowan aided in drawing up, was presented to congress about the first of the year.

In speaking of the matter Judge Cowan said: "It is expected that the committee which will meet at Washington will agree on a bill along the lines of the one I have just introduced. The prominent features of the bill are that when the President declares any grazing district upon any part of the public lands, the secretary of agriculture will take charge of it and issue permits for grazing at a reasonable fee or charge defining the district which each person may graze and limiting the number of stock. Preferences will be given to persons who have ranches upon public land."

This land will be subject to settlement under the homestead law, a limited preference right to the homesteader to graze his domestic animals will be given. Homesteaders will not be permitted to take up land having \$100 or more of improvements.

"The grazing permits may extend for a period up to ten years. It is expected that the price charged for grazing will be little more than pay the expenses of administering the law. Ten per cent of the charge will go to the states or territories where the land is situated for the benefit of the counties.

The American National Live Stock Association appointed a committee to go to Washington and represent the association if required. This committee represents Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, California and Montana."

C. W. Merchant is the member of the committee representing New Mexico. He left here last night for a trip to Mexico to be gone several weeks, but a telegram was received from him Tuesday morning by Sam H. Cowan, stating that he had received a telegram from President Roosevelt and would return to Fort Worth Tuesday night in order to be ready to go on to Washington.

Judge Cowan will leave with his family Tuesday night for Hot Springs, where they will spend the next month. Previous to the receipt of the telegram from President Roosevelt, Judge Cowan had intended to remain there himself, but he will now go on to Washington in order to be present at the meeting on Feb. 11, and will then return again to Hot Springs to join his family.

During the time that Judge Cowan and his family are away from the city his home will be occupied by Fred W. Korn and family, formerly of Abilene, Texas, who have recently moved to Fort Worth. The family has just

STARTLING FACTS ARE COMING OUT

The Hot Springs Doctors Methods Investigated

REPORTER TAKES NOTES

The Great Anselme Waited Upon by a Committee of Three

A committee of three prominent citizens called at the Hot Springs Institute yesterday afternoon and talk with the Great Anselme, Marvel Kinsey and two other members of the board of Hot Springs Doctors. A lady member of the committee, who is prominent in Fort Worth for her many charities, requested the board to extend their free consultation and examination for ten days longer, or until Feb. 20. She was eloquent in her plea for a further extension of ten days and advanced in behalf of her request the following argument: "Is it not a fact, gentlemen, that your staff of physicians have been unable to see all who called for consultation and then answered in the affirmative the quickly and laughingly replied: 'Then you will grant the extension?'"

"Impossible! Impossible!" replied Marvel Kinsey, and the Great Anselme, in the same breath.

"Oh, no; it is not impossible," the lady naively replied. "It is imperative that you do it. I have you promised through the public press to see all who called before the 10th, and give them a free consultation and examination. Now nearly all who called, many have called who were unable to see or consult the doctors. What are you going to do about the rest? They called in good faith, and it was not their fault if your doctors were too busy to see them."

Dr. Kinsey looked at the Great Anselme and the look said more eloquently than words, "Well, say something. But the Great Anselme for once in his life was speechless. His silence was only broken when the reporter remarked: 'Well, I guess we had better announce in the Sunday's paper that the offer will hold good until the 20th?'"

"Yes," laughingly replied the Great Anselme, "only put it in the paper in this way: 'The Hot Springs Doctors will see as many patients as they can between now and the 20th of February,' and will give them a free consultation and sufficient examination until the above date. Should they be unable to wait on all who call they do not obligate themselves to see them, unless they pay for consultation and examination."

The committee then took their departure, and the Great Anselme turned to the reporter and said: "Well, what do you think of that?"

Before the reporter had time to reply, the Great Anselme hurried to the door, and the reporter followed him. He came all the way from South Sioux City, Neb., to see and consult the Hot Springs Doctors. The reporter was going to take his departure when the Great Anselme asked him to kindly remain and take Mrs. Riley's statement. Mrs. Riley made the following statement:

"For the last ten or twelve years I have suffered and found no relief. I could not sleep, especially if I exercised during the day. I coughed and coughed, and was taking no benefit from the Hot Springs Doctors for only three weeks, but am now wonderfully improved. My cough is better, and my appetite is fast disappearing. My age is 47."

returned from a trip to Europe and will make Fort Worth their home from now on.

SHEEP FOR THE FARM

At the Canadian Winter Fair, papers were read and discussed upon the various classes of stock breeding.

Robert Miller discussed the profitability of sheep as compared with other live stock. Many think a sheep too small a thing to handle and a greater expense of time. He, however, considered them the most profitable animal on the farm. It will cost as much to keep a cow or a horse as five sheep, while the latter will make more profit year in and year out than the average horse or cow. Then, one man can take care of 100 sheep better than twenty cows or horses. Most farmers, regarding the matter of sheep and then claim that they do not pay. Sheep need attention. To start with, get good sheep of any breed that may create one's fancy. Most of our breeding sheep go to the United States. He instanced the profitability of sheep raising in Australia, South America and in Scotland.

It is not a sheep farmer to fail in business. Sheep should be dipped twice yearly, once in the fall and once in the spring, and before being taken off in the fall. Should change pasture for sheep regularly. Sheep are the best weed scavengers on the farm. They can be kept on gravelly soil that on clay land. Fatal sheep diseases are not prevalent in Ontario and with ordinary care and treatment, kept practically free from disease.

FREQUENT CHANGE ADVISABLE

When the pasture is generally good management to turn the ewes and lambs out to pasture as soon as possible, provided some grain is fed to the ewes while the grass is in a very succulent state. There is not sufficient nourishment in it at this time to properly support the ewes that are suckling lambs.

It is advisable to so stock the pastures with sheep that none of the grass may grow too coarse. On the other hand, overstocking impairs the

STEADY HAND

A Surgeon's Hand Should Be the Firmest of All

"For fifteen years I have suffered from insomnia, indigestion and nervousness as a result of coffee drinking," said a surgeon the other day. "The dyspepsia became so bad that I had to limit myself to one cup at breakfast. Even this caused me to lose food soon after I ate it."

"All the attendant symptoms of indigestion, such as heartburn, palpitation, water brash, wakefulness or diarrhoea from President Roosevelt, and would return to Fort Worth Tuesday night in order to be ready to go on to Washington."

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WEIGHT FOR FARM HORSES Big implements make a need for big horses, but still a limit of judicious weight in a team exists. Louis Anderson, of Kansas, says: "I want to say, in kindness to all but earnestly, that I think farmers are making a mistake in the efforts they make to breed very large and heavy horses for farm work. Many of them have mares that are too light, and to get big colts they are bred to the biggest stallion they can find. The result is often large but very ungainly colts that grow into horses of but little value to anybody."

If a medium size stallion, say 1,500 to 1,600 pounds, had been bred to, instead of one weight 1,800 to 2,000 pounds, much more satisfactory colts would result, and they would be as large as a farm requires, weighing in fair flesh, say, 1,250 to 1,350, the last extreme.

If more attention is paid to the bone, muscle and constitution of the horse, bred to and less to his weight—and too much of that fat—better horses would result. And better horses for general team work. In hiring workmen we don't like fat, heavy ones, and never expect as good service from them as from the leaner, harder muscled and more active men.

With horses that rule is reversed, and the best service is expected from the fat, soft horse, that has so much of his own bulk to carry that he cannot

stand up thru the season against the leaner, tougher, harder horse of less size and weight. I know whereof I write.

TALKING TO YOUR HORSE A horse who has always been made to obey quickly, will respond to commands from any one, whereas the creature who has been petted and talked to accords, unless hungry, scant attention to any one. We talk to the "click" of the tongue for obedience. Not another word should ever be used, beyond possibly the order to "stand over" in the stall or the even that is best unsaid) except the "click" of the tongue for obedience. Not another word should be used, even as he fears you, his anxiety is always to find out what you wish done, or what move you will next make.—F. M. Ware in the Outing Magazine.

More food is necessary to produce a pound of flesh when after one year old; the tissues have to be repaired more than before, and up to that period, when all vitality is not repairing waste but developing growth.

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