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## DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 112 Cars, 2831 Cattle; 113 Cars, 8,445 Hogs; 17 Cars, 3,203 Sheep.

## STEERS STEADY TO 10c OFF

Snowstorm Delays Trains, Trade Inclined to Drag at Weak Prices

## COW TRADE RULED FIRM.

Supply Light and Demand Keen—Veal Prices Unchanged—Stockers and Feeders Slow to Weaker, Weather a Factor—Sellers Score Nickel Advance in Live Pork Trade, Supplies Dropping Off—Live Mutton Trade Dull and Tendency Lower.

## RECEIPTS FROM JANUARY 1, 1908.

	1908	1907	Dec.	Inc.
Cattle	76,992	81,986	4,964	5,000
Hogs	421,591	301,741	119,850	119,850
Sheep	109,348	112,711	3,371	3,371
Horses	3,100	6,160	2,060	2,060

## LIVE STOCK IN SIGHT.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Chicago	4,000	20,000	12,000
Kansas City	10,000	16,000	9,500
South Omaha	5,600	12,000	6,000
St. Joseph	2,900	8,400	4,500
East St. Louis	8,600	9,950	1,000
Totals	39,700	66,350	35,000
Yester.	52,800	84,000	54,000
Week ago	31,000	81,200	31,000
Month ago	28,200	108,900	33,500
Year ago	29,200	71,100	50,700

## RECEIPTS BY CARS.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
C. B. & Q. west	21	80	21
C. R. I. & P.	21	21	21
Great Western	15	15	15
Missouri Pacific	30	30	30
St. Joseph & Grand Island	30	30	30
A. T. & S. F.	12	12	12
Total	140	140	140

## CATTLE.

Storm Delayed Trains—Receipts Show Further Falling Off.

Arrivals of stock trains were somewhat interfered with by the storm today and the only real old-fashioned snow storm of the winter to date made operations in the yards disagreeable. For this reason it was late before there was much actual trading. Buyers were inclined to lower prices as they bought steers at steady figures yesterday against a lower market at Chicago. Selling interests, however, anticipated a light run on middle days of the week on account of the storm and were not willing to make any concessions. When trade in steers finally got to going it was on a basis of around steady to 10 cents lower than the market of Monday.

## STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

Demand was a little slack for stockers and feeders today, owing to the stormy weather. However, supply was moderate and the better grades seem to be in good advantage as yesterday, but for the common to medium styles an outlet had to be coaxed and prices were quoted weaker. The desirable kinds of feeders were scarce and this class of stock met some favor as the stecker division is carrying a light supply and the outside demand has been fairly brisk of late days. A few decent feeders sold at \$4.00 @ 4.10 and bulk of the stecker stuff went in a range of \$3.40 @ \$3.90, with common to fair yearlings and calves at \$3.10 @ 3.40.

## STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

	Steady	Change
4	917	4.45
13	1010	4.30
21	798	4.25
10	893	4.15
4	637	4.00
44	826	3.85
2	635	3.80

## YEARLINGS AND CALVES.

	Steady	Change
11	519	3.25
32	801	3.00
10	556	3.00

## PENDING COWS AND STOCK HEIFERS.

	Steady	Change
1	890	3.25
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## PACKERS' PURCHASES YESTERDAY.

	Steady	Change
Hammond Packing Co.	1,000	1,000
Nelson Morris Packing Co.	600	600
Switz and Company	400	400
Total	2,000	2,000

## CATTLE HOGS SHEEP.

	Steady	Change
Switz & Co.	609	4,134
Hammond	370	1,330
City Butchers	363	1,694
City Butchers	6	31
Total	1,348	5,861

## STOCK CATTLE PURCHASES YESTERDAY.

	Steady	Change
Maxwell, Spayne & Co.	267	267
J. V. Atkins	15	15
G. Hoffman	15	15
W. R. Roundtree	14	14

## There was sufficient demand to absorb supplies in good season.

No change was noted in the quality of stock on offer. There was a fair showing of the useful dressed beef cows and desirable butcher heifers, although bulk of receipts consisted of the medium grades. Sales of good beef cows were largely on a \$3.85 @ 4.00 basis with most of the medium killers selling at \$2.25 @ 3.75 and canners and cutters at \$2.50 @ 3.00. Majority of the heifers were of a class to sell at \$3.75 @ 4.25, although sales ranged up to \$4.65. Mixed heifers and steers sold up to \$5.00.

## No change was noted in the market for bulls. Calves sold steady.

Storm and the prospect of impeded movement of trains for a day or two were factors in the trade today. Selling interests were held and held out for a strong advance, but buyers set their pegs at not over a nickel advance and while there was some early trade on this basis it was of rather draggy character and noon found but a moderate proportion of supplies out of first hands. Packers finally won out, however, and bulk of the day's crop sold right around 5 cents over the market of yesterday.

## It remains to be seen whether this falling off in supplies presages the beginning of a period of lighter marketing, but it is noted that there is an increased proportion of light weights coming of late which may mean that supplies of well matured hogs have been pretty well marketed down. This, however, is mere speculation. Light receipts may be reasonably anticipated during the next few days as the storm will make it hard work to get hogs to shipping stations.

## Compared with two days of last week, receipts at this point show a shrinkage of 11,000, while at five leading centers the 132,500 for two days is 78,000 short of number at same points for the like period last week.

Prices ranged from \$4.00 @ 4.40, with the bulk selling at \$4.15 @ 4.35. The bulk yesterday sold at \$4.10 @ 4.30, a week ago at \$4.15 @ 4.30, a month ago at \$4.20 @ 4.30, two years ago at \$4.32 @ 4.50, three years ago at \$4.65 @ 4.85, four years ago at \$5.25 @ 5.45.

## PIGS AND LIGHTS—190 Ds. AND OVER.

No.	Price	No.	Price
67	187	4	25
85	197	4	25
89	198	4	25
102	184	2	20
32	183	4	25
92	188	4	25
85	167	4	25
61	195	4	25
87	185	4	25
82	168	4	25
42	192	4	25
59	181	4	25
84	184	4	25
81	194	4	25
86	189	4	25
90	187	4	25
66	198	4	25
80	184	4	25

## HEAVY AND MIXED—200 LBS. AND OVER.

No.	Price	No.	Price
80	200	4	25
81	481	4	25
60	301	4	25
84	807	4	25
127	287	4	25
81	283	4	25
85	279	4	25
82	289	4	25
71	247	4	25
72	378	4	25
90	278	4	25
85	254	4	25
96	268	4	25
65	306	4	25
42	289	4	25
81	253	4	25
79	250	4	25
70	254	4	25
28	247	4	25
71	234	4	25
51	296	4	25
73	235	4	25
60	297	4	25
80	285	4	25
83	306	4	25
111	239	4	25
42	289	4	25
80	244	4	25
72	268	4	25
69	222	4	25
68	232	4	25
78	242	4	25
67	297	4	25
67	247	4	25
86	244	4	25
80	224	4	25

## ODDS, HENS AND WAGON HOGS.

No.	Price	No.	Price
2	495	4	25
10	292	4	25
9	220	4	25
6	178	4	25
6	132	4	25
5	200	4	25
19	329	4	25
17	152	4	25
1	480	8	25

## PACKERS' HOG PURCHASES.

	Steady	Change
Switz & Co.	4,100	4,100
Hammond Packing Co.	1,608	1,608
Nelson Morris & Co.	2,339	2,339
Total	8,047	8,047

## RANGE OF PRICES.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Monday	\$4.00	\$4.35	\$4.25	\$4.45	\$4.50	\$4.30
Tuesday	4.00	4.40	4.06	4.00	4.00	4.00
Wednesday	4.00	4.06	4.06	4.00	4.00	4.00
Thursday	4.00	4.06	4.06	4.00	4.00	4.00
Friday	4.00	4.06	4.06	4.00	4.00	4.00
Saturday	4.00	4.06	4.06	4.00	4.00	4.00

## AVERAGE WEIGHT.

	Feb. 8	Feb. 13	Feb. 14	Feb. 15	Feb. 16	Feb. 17
Feb. 8	222	228	228	228	228	228
Feb. 10	228	228	228	228	228	228
Feb. 11	220	220	220	220	220	220
Feb. 12	230	230	230	230	230	230

## SHEEP.

## Live Mutton Trade Dull and Tendency Was Downward.

Estimates called for 4,000 sheep and lambs today, but the official count placed the run at 3,200. Five markets reported 32,200, practically the same as a week ago.

## Local offerings included seven cars of Colorado lambs and wethers, balance coming from local territory.

Part of the Colorado delegation did not arrive until late. Lambs were in the majority, still the proportion of sheep was larger than usual. There was nothing in the situation to stimulate activity in the market. Outside points reported trade slow and lower. Under the circumstances buyers were indifferent and the market dragged through the early hours with little trading. A string of ewes sold at \$4.40 and were regarded a dime lower. Weight in both sheep and lambs was discriminated against.

## Trade ruled sluggish all day and business generally was on a 10 @ 15c

## SALES DATES CLAIMED.

At Tarkio, Mo., March 6—Ed Rankin will hold his annual sale of mules, jacks, mares and stallions.

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## lower basis. A string of Colorado lambs sold at \$5.60, duplicates of yesterday's \$6.75 styles.

	Price
484 Col lambs	75. 6 60
106 nat lambs	75. 6 30
37 fed west lambs	75. 6 30
99 nat lambs	60. 6 25
8 Col lambs, culled	73. 6 60
7 Col lambs, culled	70. 6 60
9 nat lambs, culled	62. 5 75
7 fed west lambs, culled	70. 5 50
15 nat lambs	63. 5 00
469 fed west ewes	84. 4 60
20 fed west ewes	97. 4 00

## OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Union Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 18.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 4,000. Market steady; cows firm; feeders strong. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$4.47 1/2; bulk, \$4.30 @ 4.42 1/2. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000. Market wethers \$5.65 lambs \$6.90.

## KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 18.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 10,900. Market steady to firm; top, \$5.75; cows and heifers best higher, common weak; stockers steady; calves steady. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000. Market 5c higher, closed weak; top, \$4.42 1/2; bulk, \$4.15 @ 4.40. Sheep—Receipts, 9,500. Market 10c lower.

## SOUTH OMAHA.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 18.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3,500. Market strong to 10c higher; feeders dull, lower. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$4.25; bulk, \$4.05 @ 4.15. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000. Market steady.

## EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 18.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3,500, including 200 Texas. Market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 9,500. Market steady; top, \$4.47 1/2; bulk, \$4.25 @ 4.42 1/2. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady.

## ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Today's cash values: Receipts, wheat, 9 car; corn, 1 car; oats, 1 car. Wheat No. 2 red... 87 @ 99 No. 3 red... 86 @ 97 No. 4 red... 85 @ 96 No. 2 hard... 82 @ 94 No. 3 hard... 81 @ 93 No. 4 hard... 80 @ 92 Rejected soft... 85 @ 93 No grade... 80 @ 85 Rejected hard... 80 @ 87 No grade... 75 @ 80 Corn No. 2 white... 53 1/2 @ 53 1/2 No. 3 white... 53 1/2 @ 53 1/2 No. 4 white... 52 1/2 @ 52 1/2 No. 2 corn... 53 1/2 @ 54 1/4 No. 3 corn... 52 1/2 @ 54 No. 4 corn... 52 1/2 @ 53 1/2 Oats No. 2 white... 49 @ 50 No. 3 white... 48 1/2 @ 49 No. 2 oats... 48 @ 48 1/2 No. 3 oats... 47 @ 48 No. 4 oats... 47 @ 47 1/2 Bran No. 1... 1 01 @ 1 02 No. 2... 1 02 @ 1 05 Shorts... 1 04 @ 1 05 The above cash quotations are based on actual sales each day and are furnished by T. P. Gordon, cash dealer in grain, mill feed and hay.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, Board of Trade Building, St. Joseph, Mo.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT	92	92	91	92 1/2
July	88 1/2	88 3/4	87 1/2	88
CORN	59 1/2	59 1/2	59	59 1/2
July	5			



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**AT THE THEATRES TONIGHT.**  
 Crystal—Advanced Vaudeville.  
 Lyric—Renfrow's Stock Co.

**BRIEF CITY NEWS.**

Charles Snooks, a painter at the Swift plant, was called to Chillicothe, Mo., yesterday, owing to the death of his brother.

S. M. Gaunt of the local bureau of animal industry was called to Dearborn, Mo., Saturday afternoon by the illness of his father, Thomas L. Gaunt.

Robert Harris, of Lexington, Ky., and Miss Hattie Harris of Oregon, Mo., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Claiborne, 363 East Colorado avenue.

Miss Bessie Kashka, 306 East Colorado avenue, left yesterday for a visit in Colorado Springs.

W. E. Harrington, 209 Illinois avenue, has returned from a visit with his parents at Jamesport, Mo.

William Miller of Hyde Valley has left for a business trip to Ness county, Neb.

Vane Brumley of DeKalb, Mo., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Holloway, 5621 King Hill avenue.

**COPS VIOLATE LAW.**  
 So City Attorney Declares, Surprising Court.

Declaring that anyone, whether an officer of the law or not, who was found in St. Joseph with a weapon concealed in his clothing, was violating a city ordinance, City Attorney Burr Mosman demanded that Clay Means, a deputy constable of Dearborn, Mo., who was arrested at the Union station several nights ago on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, be fined in police court yesterday morning.

Justice of the Peace Nies, who was acting as police judge in the absence of Judge Muir, appeared slightly disconcerted by the city attorney's construction of the city ordinance in regard to carrying concealed weapons. He instructed T. B. Allen, attorney for Means, and the city attorney to prepare briefs and present them before Wednesday morning, when he will render a decision.

**GETS FISH COMMISSION.**  
 South End Druggist Appointed to Fill Vacancy.

R. E. DeWitt, druggist of the South End, has been appointed state fish commissioner, in the vacancy made by the resignation of Factory Inspector Bubb several months ago, was the rumor in the suburb yesterday. Friends of the South End druggist are on the anxious seat, as the appointment by Governor Folk has been delayed, and those who were said to be boosting DeWitt were afraid that the druggist might get the job. The term does not expire until 1909. The position is chiefly an honor, carrying no salary.

**OLD RESIDENT DIES.**  
 Mrs. Ella McCormick, 83 years old, died last night at the family residence, a mile and a half south of St. Joseph. Heart trouble is assigned as the direct cause of death.

For sixty-three years Mrs. McCormick lived in Buchanan county, coming to this county when 20 years old, from Ireland, where she was born. She was the widow of Mat McCormick, and was considered very wealthy. Two children survive her, Mike McCormick and Miss Mary McCormick. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

**CAPTURE WHIST CUP.**  
 The cup given in the free-for-all pair play at the annual whist tournament of the Central whist association last week was won by Albert Wendover and Mose Apple of St. Joseph. The cup has been won before, several times, by St. Joseph whist players. St. Joseph was represented at the tournament by Apple, Wendover, Councilman J. C. Schopp, A. W. Kohler, H. H. Libbe and Justice Frank M. Lemmon. The tournament will be held in Omaha again next year.

Dairying is hard work, but it pays. It requires less capital than grain or stock farming, and if rightly undertaken will make good returns and build up unproductive soils into rich and productive lands.

**STORY OF CHURCH.**  
 Lutheran League Hears Interesting Historical Paper.

"The Lutheran Church" was the subject of a paper read by N. Herchenroeder at the meeting of the Lutheran League of the First Lutheran church last night. The meeting was largely attended and was one of the most successful since the formation of the league.

Mr. Herchenroeder briefly described the origin of the Lutheran church, telling of the founding of the church by Martin Luther in the year 1517. He said that the church at present is one of the oldest and largest Protestant churches in the world.

The climax of the reformation came in the year 1520, when Luther, at the head of a small army of professors and students of Wittenberg university, fled out of the gate and Luther burned the bull of Leo X, which condemned him, in front of a church.

Mr. Herchenroeder discontinued his paper at this point, owing to the lateness of the hour and the length of the paper. The paper will be finished at the next meeting. Louis T. Golding spoke on "The Newspaper and Public Morals." Several musical numbers enlivened the literary program and were well received. Refreshments were served.

**BACK TO PRISON.**  
 Grant Williams Free But Three Months.

Out of the penitentiary but three months, Grant Williams, a negro, by pleading guilty yesterday morning in the criminal court to a charge of burglary and larceny and being sentenced to ten years, will have the experience of returning there within several weeks.

Williams, Friday, broke into the clothing store of A. Kahn & company and took two suits of clothes, an overcoat and a hat. It was reported to the police at 8 o'clock and by noon Detectives Moore and Johnson had arrested Williams. An hour later he had been arraigned and his case certified to the criminal court. He has a hobby for committing burglary and larceny, and besides his term in the penitentiary, has been sent to the reform school three times for similar offenses.

**Shot by a Steppson.**  
 Creston, Ia., Feb. 17.—Bert Henderson, son of Mrs. Bell Taylor and stepson of the murdered man, Nathan Taylor, who was murdered in the rear of his confectionery store here Thursday night, confessed Sunday night that he fired the shot which ended Taylor's life. He did this only after several hours in the sweatbox and persistent cross questioning by the sheriff and police. He states that Taylor had ill-treated his mother and he took this method for revenge. He produced a watch and chain also which he had taken from the body. The details of the confession have been kept secret and will only be disclosed at the inquest Monday. The young man is not considered responsibly mentally and will probably be committed to the criminally insane ward at the penitentiary.

**Evading the Hepburn Act.**  
 Cincinnati, Feb. 18.—Pursuant with the provisions of the Hepburn act against the transportation of coal in which the carrier has an interest, announcement was made Monday that the Louisville & Nashville Railroad company has disposed of its holdings in the Louisville property company to individual Louisville and Nashville stockholders. The railroad as the property company, bought thousands of acres of coal lands in Southeastern Kentucky, and built spur tracks to them. The lands were leased to coal companies. While the new company is not controlled by the Louisville & Nashville, the interests are identical, the change is made to meet the conditions of the Hepburn act.

**Unions Will Affiliate.**  
 Cincinnati, Feb. 18.—Affiliation of the different metal trades unions bodies of the country is said to be the object of a conference which began here Monday. The affiliated organizations will embrace the following unions: Blacksmiths, boiler-makers, pattern makers, molders and others. Each is to retain its individual existence but the new body is formed to bring about co-operation, and unity when it is deemed necessary.

**Negroes Break Car Windows.**  
 Muskogee, Ok., Feb. 18.—Negroes who are opposed to the "Jim Crow" law Monday stoned a Missouri, Kansas & Texas passenger train at Tallahassee, north of here. All the windows in the section of the day coach set apart for white persons were broken. The "Jim Crow" law has never been enforced in Muskogee, owing to the fact that this county has the largest negro population in the state. W. H. Twine, a leading negro attorney here, Monday began suit in the United States court to test the law. In his petition he alleges that the law is in contravention to the Fourteenth amendment.

**More Trouble for Morse.**  
 New York, Feb. 18.—The legal entanglements of Charles W. Morse, former banker and promoter, are multiplying. A third indictment, alleging perjury by Mr. Morse during an examination before the grand jury Monday, a short time after he had appeared in court to answer the two indictments found against him last week, charging him with grand larceny.

**HE WAS LIBERAL**  
 Sanderson Charged Pennsylvania Less for Furnishings Than Contract Called for.

**MAKE HOUSTON A SCAPEGOAT**  
 Witness Testifies That Instead of \$380.40 Which He Got Sanderson Could Have Collected \$1,182.20 for a Sofa.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 18.—The trial of the conspiracy cases against Contractor John H. Sanderson, former Auditor General Snyder, former State Treasurer Mathews and former Superintendent of Grounds and Buildings Sumaker was resumed in the Dauphin county court Monday. Following the precedent of his associates in their opening speeches to the jury for the defense, counsel for Sumaker laid all responsibility for alleged irregularities in connection with the furnishing of the capitol upon Joseph M. Huston, the architect. Following the argument of counsel the defense began calling experts who had measured the furniture supplied by Sanderson to refute the testimony of the commonwealth that the measurements were falsified. Former Gov. Pennypacker is to be called as soon as Sanderson's expert witness on measurements has been heard.

John Kauffman, of Philadelphia, a designer of furniture, who was in the employ of Sanderson when the latter was given the contract for capitol furnishings, testified to the measurements of the 65 sofas mentioned in the indictment for the purpose of showing that Sanderson did not charge for as many "feet" as he might have under his contract. According to Kauffman's testimony, a sofa for which Sanderson charged the state \$380.40, as containing 21 feet, actually measured 61-1/2 "surface feet" and could have been billed at \$1,182.20. A table measuring two feet six inches long and two feet six inches wide, for which Sanderson charged the state \$64.40, according to Kauffman's testimony, contained 23 "surface feet" and should have cost the state \$423.20. Sanderson furnished the state clothes trees at \$37.60 each as containing one and one-half feet. The revised measurements made by Kauffman show each tree to contain eight and one-half "surface feet" and each should have cost the state \$156.40.

Kauffman said the 65 sofas, 80 oblong tables, 24 oval tables, 50 round tables, seven square tables and 145 clothes trees mentioned in the indictment measured 12,490 square feet. At the various "per feet prices" charged, Sanderson could have collected \$120,631.55 according to the witness. Sanderson charged the state \$49,417.80.

**Townsend & Wyatt D. G. Co. Special Sale Townsend & Wyatt D. G. Co.**

# Rugs and Linoleums All This Week

A sale that will enable you to supply your Spring and Summer needs in these important lines at a great saving in prices. We invite your critical inspection of the qualities and values offered in this sale, confident you will find them the best this popular department has ever shown.

**Velvet Rugs**  
 9x12—This is an extra quality in Velvet Rugs; worth \$27.50; special price,.....\$23.50

**Axminster Rugs**  
 Mostly in Oriental Designs—Slightly mismatched in pattern; worth \$25.00, special sale price, while they last, each.....\$19.00

**Wool Tapestry Brussels Rugs**  
 Tapestry Brussels Rug, in room size, neat designs; special price.....\$11.00  
 9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs—Seamless; an exceptional value; special price.....\$15.00  
 9x12 Best Tapestry Rugs, in Oriental and floral effects; regular \$22.50 rugs, for.....\$19.75

**Linoleums**  
 New 1908 Patterns—From the best makers; 6 feet wide; regular 75c quality; special price.....55c  
 Six Feet Wide—Regular 60c quality, per yard.....45c

**Visit Our Popular Drapery Dept.**  
 which is fairly overflowing with new spring goods. Sweeter creations in Art Draperies.

**Wilton Velvet Rugs**  
 Ten Patterns 9x12—These rugs will appeal to those who wish to secure something extra good. They are fine enough for any furnishing, in a range of designs and colorings to suit all tastes; regular \$40.00 quality, for.....\$35.00  
 Wilton Velvet Rugs—In unusually beautiful colors and designs; size 9x12; special.....\$23.00



**“Townsend & Wyatt” Special Reversible Brussels Rugs**  
 These are wool rugs, without seams, and have an attractive border to correspond with designs; in a choice range of colors.

Reversible Brussels Rugs, size 10-6x12, worth \$15.00, for.....	\$12.75	Reversible Brussels Rugs, size 7-6x9, worth \$7.50, for.....	\$6.00
Reversible Brussels Rugs, size 12x12, worth \$16.50, for.....	\$14.00	Reversible Brussels Rugs, size 9x10-6, worth \$9.50, for.....	\$8.00
Reversible Brussels Rugs, size 12x15, worth \$20.00, for.....	\$17.00	Reversible Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, worth \$12.50, for.....	\$10.00

**Axminster Rugs**  
 9x12 Axminster Rugs—Made in a quality that we guarantee to wear equal to the best. There are many grades of Axminster Rugs on the market, but you will not be disappointed in this quality; at sale price, each.....\$23.00

**THE BEST STORE**  
**Townsend and Wyatt**  
 Dry Goods Company  
 Members Retail Merchants Association, Railroad Fare Rebated.

**\$3.50 Long Kid Gloves for \$2.59**  
 50 Dozen Ladies' Newly Imported Long Glove Gloves—In British length, in black, brown and tan; the quality that always sells at \$3.50, but by importing them direct we are enabled to offer this lot, at, per pair.....\$2.59  
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**HE PLEADED NOT GUILTY**  
 Banker Charles W. Morse Arraigned Before Justice Dowling in New York.

HEARING OF CASE SET FOR NEXT MONDAY

Charges Against Morse Grow Out of a Check Transaction in Which the Banker is Said to Have Wrongfully Signed the Name of Morgan J. O'Brien.

New York, Feb. 18.—Charles W. Morse, the former banker, organizer of the American Ice company and the \$120,000,000 Consolidated Steamship company, pleaded not guilty before Justice Dowling Monday to two charges of grand larceny. A hearing of the case was set for next Monday.

The charges against Morse are based on a check transaction growing out of the sale by Morse of a block of stock of the National Bank of North America to Morgan J. O'Brien, formerly chief justice of the appellate division of the supreme court of this state. Mr. O'Brien gave Morse a note for \$100,000 in part payment for the stock with the understanding that the note was not to be discounted. It is alleged that Morse discounted the note at the Mercantile National bank of this city, receiving a check made payable to Mr. O'Brien, indorsed the check "Morgan J. O'Brien, per C. W. Morse" and deposited it to his own account in the national bank of North America.

When he was arraigned in court Monday Morse's counsel informed the justice that Morse did not know what the specific charges against him were and that the district attorney had refused permission for his counsel to examine the minutes of the grand jury which indicted Morse. Counsel said also that he should apply to the court for authority to examine the minutes and ask that one week was not enough and asked for two weeks postponement to frame his application. Assistant District Attorney Krosel argued that one week was enough time to allow Morse's counsel, and the hearing was set for next Monday. In the meantime his counsel said he would decide whether to change or withdraw Morse's plea.

Charles W. Morse was indicted by the grand jury Monday on a charge

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of perjury alleged to have been committed when Morse testified before a former grand jury. Morse was a witness before the county grand jury several times before he sailed for Europe about three months ago.

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 When the steam engine was invented a learned Englishman wrote a book in which he set forth his theory that it would be impossible to propel a vessel across the ocean by steam power. The writing was lucid, the reasoning was correct, but the premises were wrong, and the first volume of this excellent work that came to America was brought over in a steambot, thereby demonstrating that one fact may carry away a volume of theory.

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 THIS WEEK  
**THE LIGHTHOUSE ROBBERY**  
 New Moving Picture, The Teddy Bears.  
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SATURDAY'S BUSINESS

CATTLE.

Week Brought Little Change in Fat Steer Values.

The small run of cattle today did not attract much attention from buyers...

at \$7.00 to \$7.07 1/2, two years ago at \$6.00 to \$6.07 1/2, three years ago at \$4.65 to \$4.85, four years ago at \$5.20 to \$5.40.

Table with columns: No. Av. Shk. Price, No. Av. Shk. Price. Rows for CATTLE, HEAVY AND MIXED, THIN AND OVER, COWS, PORK, BULLS, CALVES.

but there was quite a showing of good useful styles, which sold in a range of \$4.00 to \$4.50.

3.85 took majority of the cows offered and heifers sold largely at \$3.65 to \$4.25. Canners sold mainly at \$5.50 to \$6.00.

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Yesterday's Advance Sustained—Supply Was Light.

Four cars of pea-fed lambs put in an appearance this morning. Demand was good and yesterday's advance was fully sustained.

The market closes around 10c higher than a week ago on good handy weight sheep and lambs.

Local receipts for the week total 12,700, showing a shrinkage of 7,000 compared with last week.

Receipts at five markets aggregate 137,909, against 181,509 the preceding week and 180,200 for corresponding period of last year.

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FLOODS CONTINUE

The Maximum Stage Has Been Reached at Wheeling, W. Va., and the River Is Falling.

FOOD FOR THE DESTITUTE

White River in Indiana is Five to Ten Miles Wide—Expect Stage of 55 Feet at Cincinnati.

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 18.—All trolley lines and railroads, except the Pennsylvania and two lines of the Baltimore and Ohio are out of commission. The property loss was minimized, however, owing to the ample warning which had been given.

The flood reached its maximum stage here at 10 a. m., at 42 feet 8 inches, and began falling slowly at 3 p. m.

The work of relieving the destitute is proceeding systematically. Monday 500 baskets of food were distributed in the submerged districts, and the distribution will continue for some time.

A banquet arranged for February 22 by the board of trade has been indefinitely postponed, with the recommendation that members contribute instead to the relief fund.

Indianapolis, Feb. 18.—White and Wabash rivers took sudden secondary booms Monday, giving the flood situation near Hazleton, a more alarming aspect.

Cincinnati, Feb. 18.—The flood stage for the Ohio river at this point, 50 feet, will probably be reached Tuesday.

Will Ask President for Pardon. New York, Feb. 18.—Captain William H. Van Schaick, who commanded the steamboat General Slocum when it burned and 1,000 lives were lost, will begin his sentence of ten years next Tuesday.

Bankers Disapprove Aldrich Bill. New York, Feb. 18.—The council of administration of the New York State Bankers' association put itself on record Monday as "unequivocally disapproving" the provisions of the Aldrich financial bill now pending in the United States senate.

Japanese Determined to Land. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 18.—The Japanese consul was inquiring at the department Monday as to the truth of a report from Vancouver about the arrest of two Japanese under the Natal act.

Indian Killed in Quarrel. Muskogee, Ok., Feb. 18.—Johnson Yahola and Monty Tenkiller, Creek Indians, both prominent, engaged in a quarrel at Bragg, eight miles from Muskogee, Saturday and Yaholas shot and killed Tenkiller.

Another Woman Acquitted. Denver, Col., Feb. 18.—The jury in the case of Miss Beatrice Gordon, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff W. O. Shirey, Monday night returned a verdict of acquittal.

THE SNELL JURY DISAGREED

After Considering the Testimony 46 Hours, They Were Discharged.

Suit Was Brought to Break the Will of the Eccentric Millionaire—Some Sensational Features.

Clinton, Ill., Feb. 18.—Monday afternoon, after having been out 46 hours, the jury in the Snell will case was discharged without agreeing on a verdict.

The suit to break the will of Col. Thomas Snell was brought by the aged and eccentric millionaire's son, Richard Snell, president of the Clinton bank. It has been rife with sensational features.

When Colonel Snell died in June, 1907, he left an estate of \$2,000,000. To his son Richard he left only an annuity of \$50 per year.

Richard Snell brought suit to break his father's will on the ground that he was insane about women.

THAT ST. LOUIS SHORTAGE.

Representative Shackelford Introduced a Resolution Calling on Secretary of the Treasury for the Facts.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Representative Shackelford, of Missouri, Monday introduced a resolution calling on the secretary of the treasury to furnish to the house such information facts and documents as the investigation by his department has ascertained as to whether during the year 1906 there was discovered a shortage in the sub-treasury at St. Louis and if so what was the amount of such shortage.

The ambassadors of five of the leading powers, when interviewed Monday considered hostilities as being almost out of the question. Their opinion is that the Turkish mobilization in Asia Minor and the war-like preparations in Russia are parts in the "gigantic game of bluff."

More Pay for Soldiers. Washington, Feb. 18.—Chairman E. Hull, of the committee on military affairs, Monday reported to the house the army appropriation bill carrying a provision for a 27 per cent increase in the pay of enlisted men and non-commissioned officers.

Killing Rats in San Francisco. San Francisco, Feb. 18.—With the announcement Sunday that several hundred men in addition to the present force would be employed in the sanitary campaign in San Francisco, the headquarters of the United States marine hospital corps was besieged Monday by applicants for work.

Passed an Appropriation Bill. Washington, Feb. 18.—The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, one of the large supply measures of the government was passed by the house Monday after several days' discussion.

Granfield Succeeds Hitchcock. Washington, Feb. 18.—The president sent to the senate Monday the nominations of Chas. P. Granfield of Missouri to be first assistant post master general.

HAVE A WAR SCARE

All Classes of Russian Society Believe a Contest with Turkey Is Inevitable.

TO BE PREPARED THIS TIME

Both Nations Are Rushing Troops to the Frontier—Diplomats Call It a "Gigantic Game of Bluff."

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—The alarmist reports of the possibilities of hostilities between Russia and Turkey, which have permeated all strata of Russian society, have assumed the proportions of a veritable war scare.

The situation is taken seriously not only in military circles but also by conservative politicians. M. Guchkoff, the leader of the majority in the duma, announced his intention Monday night of raising at the next meeting of the commission of national defense the question of the nation's readiness for war.

The duma, according to M. Guchkoff, will be guilty of criminal negligence if it permits the country again to be drawn into war for which it is wholly unprepared.

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MORE MINERS ENTOMBED

Twenty-Eight Men Were Caught in a Pennsylvania Colliery.

Rescuers Must Penetrate a Distance of 350 Feet in Order to Afford a Rescue.

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 18.—Twenty-eight miners were imprisoned in the Midvalley colliery near Mount Carmel Monday morning by the breaking of a dam which had formed in a drift which caused a rush of mud into a gangway, where the men were at work.

Among the men entombed are a number of experienced miners and it is believed that it will be possible to effect the rescue of all of them unless some have met death by being smothered in the rush of mud when the dam broke.

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Advertisement for James Kersey, Stock Yards, Southwest Corner Illinois and Lake Avenues. Lists various wines, liquors, and cigars.

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