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## DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 86 Cars, 2488 Cattle: 133 Cars, 10,434 Hogs; 2 Cars, 173 Sheep.

FEWER CHOICE STEERS HERE

Market for Fat Beeves Showed Less Activity, Prices Rule Steady to Shade Lower.

### COW TRADE ALSO EFFECTED

Market for Cows and Heifers Steady to 10c Lower-Calves Strong, Bes Vealers Make \$6.00-Demand for Stock Cattle Still Slack, Prices Steady to Weak-Live Pork Values Held About Steady-Sheep Slow, Tendency Weak.

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from Jan	lowing to	1908, an	d recei	
the corre	ponding	time in	1907:	
	1908	1907	Dec.	Inc.
Cattle	189,429	222,047	83,618	
Hogs	919,434	746,825		172,609
Sheep	248,285	408,481	160,196	

Horses 9,678	12,408	2,792	•••
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Chicago	8.000	14,000	18,00
Kansas City.	12,000	22,000	11,00
South Omaba	5,500	14,800	5,50
South St. Joseph.	2,590	10,400	20
East St. Louis	4,800	13,500	5,00

South St. Joseph.	2,500	10,400	5,000
East St. Louis	4,800	13,500	
Yesterday Week ago Month ago Year ago	27,800 42,400 20,800 20,700 82,000	74,200 79,400 53,600 56,700 71,700	39,700 45,800 39,300 32,200 26,700

RECEIPTS BY CARS.
The following shows the number of
cars of stock handled today by railroad
centering at the stock yards:
D. B. & Q., west !
C. B. & Q., east
D. R. L. & P
Great Western
Missouri Pacific
St. Joseph & Grand Island
A. T. & S. F

## CATTLE.

Total..... 232

### Trade Slower Than Monday, Steer Prices Steady to Easter.

A liberal run of cattle at river mar kets was a factor against a lively steer today. Chicago receipts were below a Tuesday average at that point, yet the five point total brought figures for two days at these points up to 69,000 and show an increase of 12,000 over number at the same points for the like period last week, although the number is still 12,000 under record of corresponding days last year. Locally the market was again lib-

erally supplied with steers, although there were not as many of the real toppy kinds as were on hand yester-Buyers were out in good season but were not apparently as anxious for cattle as on the previous day and the market was a little later in getting started. Bids from the start were on an easier basis than on Monday and it was only on a basis of steady to a shade lower prices that trade cound be got to going. However, this fact cut little figure in the marafter the market get to going, there ket in the face of a limited demand was quite lively trade to the extent Offerings consisted largely of a fair

While there were not as many choice cattle in sight as yesterday, largely from \$4.00@4.75 with inferior the kinds were not entirely lacking. grades selling down to \$3.50. Go Good to choice medium to strong weighty feeders as usual were hard t weights sold in a range of \$6.60@ locate. The better qualities sold about 6.90, the latter being top for the day steady, but medium and commo and were not considered quite as good grades were slow to move and prices as steers selling at the top price on tended toward weakness. As yet ther mon to fair light weights at \$5.50@ their purchases made with in the past

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Trade in cows and heifers today was rather inclined toward weakness than otherwise. Although supply was moderate, demand was not as keen as in the recent past and the market ruled rather quiet. Buyers were more discriminating than has been the case of late, moving about cautiously pick-ing up the best grades first and sidestepping the lower priced offerings. Most sales of good to choice cows and

little life and prices ruled steady to weak, with instances 10c lower. A tring of heifers sold at \$6.00, aver- Receipts Continue Liberal, Trade Slo aging around 800 lbs. Not many cows sold above \$5.55 and bulk of the decent grades brought \$4.50@5.40. Steady prices were generally realized ing to put prices down this morning for bulls and stags. Calves were but the effort was feeble and sho

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Any change in stocker and feeder values today was toward a lower Noison Morris Packing Co..... level. Receipts were not heavy, but to pretty decent class of stockers weighing under 800 lbs. Sales ranged

Stock heifers and country cows were quoted steady today.

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### HOGS.

to Start, But Prices Steady.

Buyers made another show of tr lived. The hogs were wanted ar after a short round of lower biddin the buying interests conceded stea

Supplies continue liberal at eading centers, there being close 70,000 reported in sight at five points today and making 149,000 at these 1,048 Col lambs..... 91... 25 points for two expired days of the week, an increase of 10,000 over the same time last week, but not materially larger than a year ago.

During first rounds today the buyers bid around a nickel lower than on the previous day, but could make no headway, second reports from outside ports: points were better than first wires. Toward middle of the forenoon the steady to 10c lower; cows strong; hogs began to move at around steady prices and on this basis there was demand sufficient to absorb supplies. Sales show a steady to shade lower market than yesterday, but with the finish fully steady.

Prices ranged from \$5.32 1/2 67 5.65 with the bulk selling at \$5.50 @ 5.60. The bulk yesterday ranged from \$5.47 1/2 5.60, a week ago at \$5.45 @ 5.55, a month ago at \$5.55@5.75, a year ago at \$6.50@6.35, two years ago at \$6.32 1/2 @ 6.40, three years ago at \$5.25@5.35, four years ago at

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ODDS, ENDS AND WAGON HOGS. 15 .... 270 .. - . 5 57% Packers' Hog Purchases.

Range of Price	18.
This Week	Last Ween
Monday \$5.35 @5.60	\$5.27% @5.50
Tuesday 6.82%@5.65	
Wednesday @	5.27% @5.573
Thursday (a	5.25 @5.60
Friday @	
Saturday @	5.45 @5.623
Average Weig	rht.
May 2 228 May	7 7 22
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# SHEEP.

Return to Sluggishness With Increased Volume of Receipts.

The firmness noted in the live mutton trade last week is not being maintained under increased receipts; in fact, the market displays unmistakable signs of weakness. Estimates called for a run of 4,000 at this point today while the total at five markets was 41,700 against 39,300 received at same points a week ago. Aggregate receipts for the two days, 87,500, inwith first two days of alst week.

narkets. Buyers were operating land move. 

met with some favor and some desir-

	steady.
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	developed into a 10@15c lower affail
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## OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

YESTERDAY'S LATE SALES.

CHICAGO, Union Stock Yards, Ill., May 12.-The Live Stock World re-Cattle-Receipts, 3,000. Market

feeders slow; calves steady. Hogs-Receipts, 14.000. strong; top, \$5.70; bulk, \$5.60@5.65. Sheep-Receipts, 18,000. Market weak to 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY. KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 12 .-Special to The Journal: The Droyers Telegram reports: slow, steady; calves steady. Hogs-Receipts, 22,000.

\$5.50@5.60. Sheep-Receipts, 11,000. Market 10@15c lower, slow.

SOUTH OMAHA. Journal-Stock man reports: Cattle-Receipts, 5.500. slow to 10c lower. Hogs-Receipts, 14,300. Market shade stronger; top, \$5.471/2; bulk, \$5.40@5.42 1/2 Sheep-Receipts, 5,500. Market

EAST ST. LOUIS. EAST ST. LOUIS. National Stock Yards, Ill., May 12 .- Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle-Receipts, 4.800, including steady; top, \$5.70; bulk, \$5.57 1/2 @ spring pig will root it off the earth.

Sheep-Receipts, 5,000. Market

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No. 3 hard	96	@1	02
No. 4 hard	90	@1	01
Rejected soft	75	0	80
No grade	70	@	75
Rejected hard	75	0	85
No grade	70	0	75
Corn.			
No. 2 white	681/4	@	68 1/2
No. 3 white	68	@	68 1/2
No. 4 white	68	@	69
No. 2 corn	68	0	681/2
No. 3 corn	67 1/2	@	68
No. 4 corn	6.7	@	67 1/2
Oats.			
No. 2 white	52	@	53
No. 3 white	51	@	52
No. 4 white	47	@	50
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4,900 are furnished by T. P. Gordon, cash dealer in grain, mill feed and hay. GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

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St. Joseph, Mo.

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dicate an increase of 7,500 compared SIDNEY CROPS LOOKING GOOD. Sidney, Neb., May 12.-The rain Although estimates called for a which has been falling here now for at the opening hour, bulk not putting much encouraged over the corn prosin an appearance until after the noon pects and this is especially true of hour. Supply on the early market winter wheat. Spring grain is lookonsisted of some Colorado wooled ing fine and is farther advanced than ambs, heavier than the demand calls ever before at this time of the year. or, and a few lots of native sheep, Corn planting is now going on and ninus the wool. Late arrivals ran there will be a greater area in corn largely to sheep from the south-western ranges. Every condi-tion is favorable and the chances for A weak feeling pervaded the at-osphere of the sheep house, due to Land buyers are coming here every

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SKIPS AND CULLS.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* PREPARED FOR DROUTH

It is reported that since the night of the great rain, when the clouds got away from the weatherman, Lake Contrary does not look so much like one of the Jim Poole dry farms. In fact, the lake is said to be in condition for a long dry spell, having collected and stored something over a foot of water -besides the other wet goods that are dispalyed and dispensed in sundry places along the banks of the historic ld pond lily patch.

## HAS NO BUSINESS IN GAME.

"Cattle at \$7 per cwt. are not makng any money," remarked a street car philosopher this morning. "Feed to make the cattle cost too much. Of course, there are men who could not feed 25 cent corn and 3 dollar hay to cattle and break even with the finished steer selling at 15 cents per pound on the hoof. But that kind of man is not a cattleman and has no business in the game.

### DON'T FORGET MISSOURI.

In the matter of the great gathering of governors and other acquired re Cattle-Receipts, 12,000. Market sources which assembles in Washingsteady to 10c lower; top \$6.90; cows ton tomorrow for the purpose of deand helfers steady to easy; stockers vising means for the conservation of natural resources, Missouri should Market not be overlooked. She has numerous trong, closed easy; top. \$5.65; bulk, natural resources that have never ye been disturbed.

### DON'T GRIEVE LONG.

Evidence already comes floating in from Colorado that the boosters of wheat condition in northern Illinois SOUTH OMAHA. Neb., May 12.— that state have already forgotten the Special to the Journal: The Drovers recent frosts. They don't grieve long that state have already forgotten the on May 1 was 98 per cent of normal. over little set-backs out there, and state board of agriculture. Northern Market that is what makes Colorado a pace- Illinois showed a condition of 100 per setter in the race for supremacy.

### WHO SAID SO?

country could do in about six months. acres for harvest.

The click of the corn planter does southern division of the state. not seem to be interfering to any ex-1,000 Texas. Market steady to shade tent with the movement of hogs to power.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,500. Market has got to get out of the way or the than last year, and the May 1 condi-

NO INTERFERENCE NOTED.

### TOP FOR WEIGHTS.

uential farmer of Naponee, Neb., been winter killed, leaving 66,485 ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET had in Monday a load of steers on acres for harvest. Today's cash values: Receipts, the yearling order of his own feeding wheat, 2 cars; corn, 16 cars; oats, 1 which averaged 1,210 lbs, and sold at northern Illinois as 100 per cent, in \$6.90. This is the season's top for central Illionis 98 per cent and in the cattle of this weight and Mr. Arp went southern division of the state as 94 home in good spirits.

### SPECIAL OUT OF PALISADE, NEB.

of Hitchcock county. Mr. Krotter marketed 14 cars of medium weight steers at \$6.75, also four cars of hogs per cent of normal in northern Illiat satisfactory prices. Mr. Kettle disposed of 8 cars of cattle and a car of hogs, the steers, including several stags, selling straight at \$6.55, averaging 1,220 lbs. Another shipper was E. E. Young who had in two cars All were highly pleased with the St. Joseph market.

### MONTANA HAY-FEDS HERE.

A nine car consignment of hay-fed averaging 1,085 lbs. The shipment of moisture this spring. was accompanied by H. A. Weymouth, of Salt Lake City, Utha, "Up to the eral deficiency of moisture over the the supply in every section of the western range country, but recent state, but our correspondents report in a wide scope, although there are of the demand in a great many coun-

### HOW ABOUT THIS?

How about this, K. C.? Are you cattle? This is what happened on this 254,608,895 bushels. Of this amount farmers will be interested. The conmarket yesterday when S. F. Spurck, our May 1 report shows that there tracts have ben signed between the of Nelson, Neb., landed with 10 cars. is 23 per cent, or 58,870,966 bushels, syndicate and representatives of the 150 head, of good beeves, of 1,519 lb. in the producers' hands divided in the average, which sold readily at the state as follows: average, which sold readily at the state as follows: the above price. Mr. Spurck is one of the heaviest feeders in Nuckolls bushles in first hands, central Illinois tons of sugar beets daily. M. K. county and knows the fine points of 25,739,910 bushles, and the southern the game. His cattle yesterday were division of the state 6,312,672 bushels. says the factory will soon be conpurchased by the United Dressed Beef company of New York.

### MADE GOOD GAIN.

Henry Vicker & Son of Edgar, Neb., averaged 1,282 lbs. and sold at \$6.90. never likes to send stuff forward until their reports on May 1. it is in market-topping condition.

## **ILLINOIS CROPS**

### State Board of Agriculture Reports Wheat Condition of 98

Per cent First Day of May.

Seventy Thousand Acres Reported Winter Killed or Destroyed by Spring Floods.

### SPRING PLOWING DELAYED

Work-Not Much Alarm as to Farm Hands, Supply Up to came intoday with two cars of hogs. Demands Due to Shutting Down of Factories in Cities-Fruit Crop Injured by Frosts of Late in April-Extent of Injury Not Known.

Springfield, Ill., May 12.-Winter ing. according to the report issued by the market. cent, central 101 per cent and the southern division but 94 per cent. Of the 1,319,393 acres seeded last Who was it that said there were no fall for harvest in 1908 it is estimated more hogs in the country? Guess he that 70,722 acres, or about 5 per cent morning.

healthy brood sow to a farm in this destroyed by floods, leaving 1,248,671 shipped in two cars of cattle for to-Of the 70,722 acres reported killed 64,077 acres are reported from the

### Spring Wheat. The area devoted to spring wheat

is reported as being 2 per cent greater with one load. tion is 91 per cent of normal. There were 67,000 acres seeded to

rye last fall, and the May 1 report Max Arp, a prosperous and in- shows that but I per cent of it has The May 1 condition is given in

Unfavorable for Oats. Owing to the unfavorable condifor the St. Joseph market was run tions which have existed for seeding out of Palisade, Neb., Sunday night. this crop the area seeded to oats for Shippers reported a most gratifying the 1908 crop is but 90 per cent, as the yards today, disposing of two cars the stock arriving in good time compared with the area seeded in of hogs of his own feeding. for the early morning trade and 1907, the deficiency in area coming W. C. Elliott, with a car of cattle, striking an active market. On the largely from the southern division of and S. R. Allen, with a car of hogs, train were F. C. Krotter and G. Y. the state, which reports the area as were in today from Gower, Mo. Kettle, extensive and influetial feeders being only 74 per cent as compared

The May 1 condition of oats is 97 nois. 94 per cent in central Illinois. and but 79 per cent in the southern division of the state, giving a state average of 90 per cent.

### Spring Plowing Behind.

Usually by May 1 65 per cent of the spring plowing is done, but correspondents report that only 45 per cent of the amount of spring work pers of Davenport, Neb., were on the usually completed by May 1 had been market with three cars of stock tosteers from Red Rock, Montana, ar- done this spring. The condition of day. rived on yesterday's market, contrib- the soil is reported as being heavy H. Welch, Stanberry, Mo., a big uted by Haley & Saunders, the big western shippers. They sold at \$5.80,

### More Farm Hands.

On account of many factories and The following Chicago board of time I left Montana that section was mines being idle the supply of farm feeders of Jefferson county, Nebraska, trade quotations are furnished by T. badly in need of rain," said Mr. Wey-hands this spring comes nearer filling.

P. Gordon, Board of Trade building, mouth. "The west experienced a the demand than for several years "The west experienced a the demand than for several years very mild winter and live stock losses past. The demand for good farm 213 South Sixth street, St. Joseph, were small. However, there was a gen- hands the last few years has exceeded Mo. rains have relieved drouth conditions the supply this year as being in excess Joseph, Mo., quotes butter fat today certain sections still in need of a good ties of the state. The average supply at 22c for No. 1 of the state is 92 per cent of the demand.

### Old Corn on Hand.

The Illinois corn crop of 1907, as

Fruit Crop Injured.

time there had not been frost suffi- farmers of the Beaver Valley from had in one load of cattle today that cient to do more than little damage. St. Francis to Orleans, Neb., are much local run of 4,000, only a small pro- 48 hours has given everything a top of the market for the day. These portion of this number was on sale bright prospect. Faumers are feeling cattle were Colorados, bought on this to be endangered by any fronts up to the Rundington. cattle were Colorados, bought on this to be endangered by any frosts up to President Harris of the Burlington market last fall. They had made an the latter part of April. But the that the railroad will give every enexcellent gain and sold at a margin frost of April 29 and 30 seems to have couragement to the enterprise, though \$2.80 per cwt. above cost last fall. injured the fruit seriously, but to just a proposed extension westward from Mr. Vicker and his son are adepts in what extent our correspondents were St. Francis for about fifty miles was the feeding line and the younger man unable to determine when making not definitely promised. Numerous

Kankakee, Knox, Lee, Mercer, Ogle, been signed. Peoria, Putnam, Warren, Winnebago, Basin, Wyo., May 11.-Water was Adams, Cass, Christian, Coles, DeWitt,

## ITEMS IN BRIEF.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* L. A. Graf, of Graf, Neb., had hogs on today's market.

E. G. Smith, Woodruff, Mo., had hogs on sale today. J. C. Collins, Skidmore, Mo., had

cattle on sale here today. George Graham, of Osborn, Mo., marketed hogs here today.

Joe Barr, Liberty , Neb., disposed BIG AREA SOWN LAST FALL of a car of hogs here today. Oscar Nelson, Moray, Kan., had a

mixed load on sale today. H. Milton, Friend, Neb., furnished

a car of hogs for today's market. Ellis Baldwin, New Hampton, Mo., had a car of hogs on sale today.

A. R. McMullen, Shubert, Neb., disposed of hogs here this morning. Ellingwood & G., Helena, Mo., were

patrons of the hog market today. Ed. Ferguson, Friend, Neb., disosed of a car of hogs here today. H. Foley, Troy, Kan., contributed a car of cattle to the market today.

Cold Wet Weather Has Retarded Henry Livingston, of Cook, Neb., sold two loads of hogs here today. S. H. Smith & Son, Crete, Neb., Allen & R., Hamburg, Iowa, had a shipment of hogs on today's market. John Hauck, Salem, Neb., contributed a car of hogs for today's market. E. Chilson, Herndon, Kan., was on the market today with a car of cattle. W. F. Yost, Swanton, Neb., mar-

keted a car of hogs here this morn-Joseph Windle, Salem, Neb., a regalar shipper, had in hogs for today's

Kent & Son, Albany, Mo., sold a car each of cattle and hogs here this

on the market with a car of cattle this never figured on what about one of same, has been winter killed or Robert Marmett, of Dawson, Neb.,

B. C. Charlton, of Roca, Neb., was

day's trade. John Fennell, Jr., Hamburg, Iowa, patronized the market today with a

car of hogs. Marmet & Meyers, Sabetha, Kan., were patrons of the hog yards today

I. M. Taylor and F. B. White, Maysville, Mo., sold a car of hogs each here today.

Griffith & Dahlstrom, of Grand Island, Neb., cashed in a load of cattle on today's market. William Sherrill, of Knowlton, Ia.,

was noted among the patrons of the local market today. C. I. Moyer, regular shipper of per cent. The average condition for Severance, Kan., was in with a ship-

the state being 97 per cent of normal. | ment of hogs today. John Tyson, regular and extensive shippers of Mound City, Mo., was in

with a shipment of cattle. Joe Krapp, Seneca, Kan., was at

W. B. Latells, a prosperous farmer of Atchison county, Missouri, was at market with a car of cattle today.

Durrant & Yates, of Clarksdale, Mo., were represented on the market today by a one car shipment of hogs. George McKnight, the old reliable patron of Burlington Junction, Mo., was in with a shipment of hogs to-

Horney & Rowland, extensive ship-

D. G. Croy were with him.

G. W. Cox, John Mendenhall and J. Ed. Mendenhall & Son, prominent marketed cattle here today.

PIMBLEY PAINT AND GLASS CO.

## The Blue Valley Creamery Co., St.

ANOTHER SUGAR FACTORY.

Orleans, Neb., May 12 .- St. Fran-

elling any 150 head bunches of \$7.00 reported to this department, was factory in which southern Nebraska Northern Illinois reports 28,818,384 \$750,000. The capacity will be 700 Dunbar, representing the syndicate, structed. The Republican valley adjacent to St. Francis and considerable The prospect for the fruit crop of territory up the Republican into 1908 was most encouraging until the Colorado were investigated. The 27th or 28th of April, up to which people of Colorado as well as the In the northern division of the state interested. The Commercial club of

sugar beet contracts with farmers of Bureau, Henderson, Henry, Kane, Kansas and Nebraska have already

infavorable reports from outside day and the bright prospect is making turned through the entire fifty-four Edgar, Ford, Fulton, Greene, Logan, fruit from frost, while many other miles of the Big Horn county canal McDonough, Mehard, Montgomery, correspondents at time of making remarkets. Buyers were operating land move.

cautiously and opening bids were considered lower. Good handy weight lambs were wanted but nothing on should hold his surplus corn till he this order was offered and the heavy knows the conditions of the next crop kinds were neglected. Good fat sheep year.

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### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* BRIEF CITY NEWS.

bank, DeKalb, Mo.

for his farm at Sugar Lake, Mo., where long standing fight by the business men largely because we have made dehe will spend a week.

Mrs. Bowen, Sunday.

A. J. Vennum, president of the French ness house or pedestrians. Valley bank, Palisade, Neb., were visitors at the Stockyards bank yester-

House, has returned from Chicago, and River Plata in 1907 reached a total civic dishonesty. Of course, all good where he attended the funeral of his of 1,614,389 quarters (1 quarter, 28 men must agree with you in your brother-in-law. Mrs. Kohler is in pounds), while those of lambs and condemnation of unwise agitation. The Bioomington, Ill., and will return next sheep were 10,150,527 carcasses during apathetic acceptance of abuses in out

Mr. and Mrs. James Fry of Dearborn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Maupin, 108% West Missouri avenue.

and Georgia Arnold, 217 Virginia avenue | the meat question, says:

The Rev. L. R. Sparks of Norborne, Wilson, 607 East Missouri avenue.

### WATHENA A SUBURB.

Enjoy Residence in Kansas.

Wathena Commercial club the town has from the United States."

ban home in Wathena would be quiet sources. and healthy. The matter is being vigorously agitated over there."

Men's league of that church on "The suitable name. Modern Movement Among Men."

preceding the address by the Rev. Mr. lect the initiation fees. This body will have been instituted. Therefore we Bushnell, who took a prominent part in also report. The lodge will be insti- are more powerful today than we have the recent Buchapan county local op-tion election on the side of the drys, is expected that a grand officer will be ministration is concerned, it will con-Miss Bertha Kinzel sang, and Miss in attendance. Alice Brown played on the violin. Judge C. A. Mosman presided as presi-

When Secretary of War Tait took the section was closed April 28, when the prosperity of our country. section was closed April 28, when the prosperity of our country. contract between J. C. and F. M. "Let there be no misun "There are greater things than money."

evening for the southern portions of dividual ever hopes to enjoy. distributed.

wardness two to one.

OFF FOR ENCAMPMENT.

Grand Army Men Go to Trenton, M For Annual Meeting.

The twenty-seventh annual encampment, Department of Missouri, G. A. R., will meet at Trenton on Wednesday and Thursday, and quite a large attendance is expected, as so many members live north of the Missouri river, and the citizens of Trenton are making a great effort to make the meeting a success. Camp fires and reunions will be numer-

Custer post No. 7 delegates, Rev. E W. Fowler, J. A. DeMuth, T. E. Rawl- Mr. Roosevelt Told His Visitors That ings and Geo. Pugh, also alternates, C. M. C. Loyd, Wm. Swafford, D. H. Hatfield and M. D. Bealls, with many

E. W. Flower department chaplain, also from the National Prosperity associaone delegate to the national encamp- tion of St. Louis called on President ment to be held at Toledo, Ohio, Sep- Roosevelt Monday to urge his aid in tember 1.

and Sons of Veterans also send delega- out the country. The committee found tions to attend their annual meeting, to the president cordial in his treatment be held at the same time.

meeting next year. Hairy C, Carter, chairman of the com- E. C. Simmond, chairman of the execu-

morning train. SINGING MACHINE MUST GO.

Noise a Misdemeanor.

Graphop hones and phonographs will and Jackson Johnson. not be allowed to rend the night air The president responded to Mr. Simwith their constant shriekings and un- mond's address as follows: earthly noises in the future. The city "I am in hearty sympathy with the fathers last night, with the exception of avowed object of the National Pros-Councilman Clark, in whose ward the perity association. It is excellent. We noisemakers do not exist, voted in favor have gone far in uprooting abuses Walter Head, state bank examiner, of Councilman Roberts' ordinance, mak- which threaten our national life. Takspent Sunday with his brother, R. D. ing the loud and unusual noises a mis- en as a whole, the standard of honesty Head, cashier of the DeKalb State demeanor, finable at the will of the po- in our business life has been high and lice judge.

H. J. Bowen left yesterday morning The passing of this ordinance ends a yound what it has ever been, and this against the constant playing, day and termined war on the abuses that low-Dr. and Mrs. J. O'Bryant of Savan- night, of the talking machines in the ered it. As you have said, the depresnah, Mo., were the guests of Mr. and cheap theaters, shoe shining stands and sion and stagnation from which our other public places. The ordinance country is now happily beginning to prohibits the playing of any instrument L. E. Southwick, president of the and device at any time when it will dis-First National bank, Friend, Neb., and turb the peace of any residence, busi-

### MEAT EXPORTS.

A. W. Kohler, manager of the Transit England from Australia, New Zealand ceptional instances of business and the same period. The united kingdom governmental and business adminis takes annually about \$25,000,000 worth trations is no more dangerous than of dressed beef and 450,000 head of cattle the demagogue appeals of professional on the hoof for slaughter from the agitators to class hatreds. Our na-United States.

the guest of her cousins, Misses |Dessie | Provisioner of New York, speaking of cannot go back to the conditions which

"Since the fall of 1906 no bacon, pork we afford to be led astray by those Mor, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. or fat-backs from the United States who would embark us in a visionary have been allowed in Germany. For six and twisted crusade against all coryears the importation of canned meats porations, all business methods. We into Germany has been forbidden by should address ourselves to the faith-Thinks City Business Men Would law. The canned beef, bacon, hams and ful and honest observance of laws of pork exported from the United States to civic righteousness. The welfare of Germany, according to the government all of us can best be obtained by strice Since the opening of the new Highland line on the Grand Island residents German ports and then re-shipped to the welfare of each of us. We must of Wathena, Kan., are having visions of other countries, or consumed on board all co-operate in order that benefit making the town a suburban residence ships outside the customs border in the may be derived by the entire nation. place for St. Joseph business men. Hamburg 'free port.' None of these Good laws make for good government, Since the plan was broached by the products is now allowed in Germany but laws are of no avail unless vital-

gist, who was visiting in St. Joseph yeaterday. "It is only a short distance between St. Joseph and Wathena and with
the new train service it would be handy
for St. Joseph business men to make
connections for home after their day's
work, and to get to town as easily in
the mornings as they now do. A suburthe mornings as they now do. A subur- little over 20 per cent from native is no need for agitation concerning

### NEW LODGE NAMED.

There will be a meeting of the charter of property as it is to conserve the members of the Knights of Pythias lodge real rights of labor. This we have Recalling the movement of men in the in the suburb this evening in W. H. done in the past and this we ought to church years ago, the Rev. Albert Bush- Sherman's office in the Commerce build- do and will do in the future. aeli of Kansas City, formerly paster of ing. The meeting will be for the pur- "The country realizes that confithe Tabernacle Congregational oburch, pose of holding an election of officers of dence is not a matter of law. It is

Modern Movement Among Men."

A committee was appointed at the have been strengthened in our own meeting was well attended, and meeting held last Friday evening to colcountry by the economic reforms that

### CATTLEMEN QUIT.

Ramsey on the one hand and Will about this. The business and com-This, said the Rev. Mr. Bushnell, began his career. He went on to speak of Taft's work in the Philippines and also in Panama.

Ramsey on the one hand and will about this. The business and commercial interests of the country to be prosperous in any enduring sense must the entire cattle holdings of the care honestly. With occurrence of the country to be administered honestly. With occurrence of the country to be administered honestly. Messrs. Ramsey, the number being casional exceptions they have been approximately 2,500 head, and leases and are now so administered as you More than 10,000,000 "jack salmon" their pasture lands, located on the have well-said wherever there is evieggs were received at the state fish Colorado river in San Saba county for dence of dishonesty it must be purhatchery, south of the city, Sunday.

The eggs came from Saginaw Bay, Mich., and will be immediately hatched.

Several weeks ago thousands of eggs from the north were received by Super-intendent O'Brien.

Colorado river in San Saba county for a term of five years. Noting the character and quality of the cattle the Messrs. Ramsey have on their range and the current prices for same, one could tell at once that it takes quite a little sum of money to finance intendent O'Brien. The state fish car, in charge of Frank will require an annual income to the that all American business men, or Hull, with a negro cook, left Sunday Ramseys more than the ordinary in- even any considerable number of them

Missouri with a large quantity of bass, The Messrs. Ramsey came to this and shall be glad to co-operate with orappie and jack salmon for the public section some thirty years ago and in- you in any effort to establish prosperstreams. The car will return in a few vested what ready cash they possessed ity on right and honest lines." days and will leave again in several in real estate, and engaged for years days and will leave again in several weeks, when many more fish will be in raising sheep and wool, but in later years have turned their attendon to raising good cattle, but as they petitors in the New York to Paris auto-It is strictly within the province of are each getting along well in years, mobile race arrived here Sunday and they decided to lease the lands and wheels of production and gauge his sell the stock, which they have done. They each have nice homes here, and the left Tokyo Monday morning on their they accordingly.

# PRESIDENT WILL AID

ASSURES NATIONAL PROSPERITY ASSOCIATION OF HIS HEARTY SYMPATHY.

### STANDARD OF BUSINESS HONESTY HIGH

Recent Depression and Stagnation Were Not Caused by Reform Legislation-Believes Public Conscience Has Awakened.

Washington, May 12.-A committee furthering their plans for encourag-Ladies of the Women's Relief corps ing the return of prosperity throughand frank in his expressions of will-Joplin is making a strong pull for this ingness to aid them in every way possible. A short speech was made by mittee on credentials, will leave on the tive committee of the association which was responded to by the president. Other members of the commit tee were: F. J. Wage, Edward, DeVoy, Council Passes Roberts' Bill, Making F. B. Wiberg, J. E. Smith, W. K. Bfxby, Murray, Carleton, Geo. A. Meyer

today the standard is, I believe, be shocking conditions in certain of our corporations, by reckless operations in high finance, by calamity and by The shipments of dressed beef into certain striking, though, I believe extional conscience, I firmly believe, Miss Minnie Lott of Grayson, Mo., is A letter from Germany in the National has been awakened. We will not and tolerated wrong doing. Neither can been booming and land owners have raised the price of their lots.

"It certainly would be a great thing for Wathena," said Jacob Miller, a drug-trail meaning that the markets, says that the total was at the markets, says that the total was treests that it should be enforced.

last night addressed a meeting of the the new lodge and for the selecting of a an intangible something which exists in the relation of men. Those relations tinue unchanged the policy of safeguarding the rights of all and of em-Lampasas, Tex.—The largest ranch bracing every possible and legitimate When Secretary of War Taft took the and cattle deal in the history of this means to advance the welfare and

it; there is no excuse for demagogic

exicitement about it. It is as much

our duty to conserve the real rights

"Let there be no misunderstanding such a deal, and the lease of the land pillorized the real malefactors to say are malefactors. I welcome your work

American Car in Japan. Tokyo, May 12.- The American com-Skill beats main strength and awkmiles in the lead.

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CATTLE.

End of Week Finds Trade in Healthy

Trade of the week has been of a generally good and encouraging HRAVY AND MIXED -200 hs. AND OVER

west will begin arriving. This will rause some spread in range of prices and native grassers will perhaps se a little lower, but the outlook for dry fed, fat steers favors good prices.

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED. Trade in cows and heifers today was confined to usual small week-end plean-up transactions, business being of a nominal character in point o volume without furnishing a market

criterion. Displaying a little uneveness, prices for cows, heifers and mixed stuff have been headed for a higher level this There has been a strong demand for all useful butcher cattle throughout the week. Heifers displayed a little weakness Monday on an unusually large run, but the loss was fully regained; in fact, closing values are quotably strong to a point higher than a week ago. Inquiry for good cows has been keen and prices Market Shows More Encouraging Tone Prices Strong to 10c Up. have been gradually working higher, current values indicating a gain of 10c generally, exceptions 15c higher than a week ago. The outlet for canners local killers and there was not enough is still very narrow and this class of stock changing hands to make a marstuff is selling as low as any time this ket criterion.

Year. Best cutters and medium beef

The week has developed some imcows meet a pretty fair demand, half provement in the live mutton market. fat heifers are slow sellers in a range Local receipts will total out 8,800, in-

with a week ago,

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. useful in the stock cattle line, but competition among speculators who worked up to such a point that the country refused to take hold and after dealers were pretty well stocked. Some exception-shows the wooled lambs was \$7.10, but the country refused to take hold and after dealers were pretty well stocked. Some exception-shows a state quiet in this morning. Fresh receipts was rather quiet in this morning. Fresh receipts were small and the light to medium weights predominated, the usual scarcity of strong weight feeders being noted. To offset the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts was the fact of a very slack of the light receipts were not low cattle in this sequence trade had a very halting department this morning. Fresh receipts were small and the light to medium weights predominated, the usual scarcity of strong weight feeders being noted. To offset the light receipts were not low cattle down and in consequence trade had a very halting department this morning. Fresh receipts were are all low cattle down and in consequence trade had a very halting department this morning. Fresh receipts were small and the light to medium weights predominated, the usual scarcity of strong weight up and country inquiry failed to readily sell at \$7.25 or better at the gevelop, values sustained a severe week's close. Best offerings in the decline of 15@25c from the high grading only fair to good. Good point, this applying to practically Texas wethers sold at \$5.45@5.50 verything in the line of thin steers, with less attractive kinds at \$5.25. Outside markets all report a dull and lower close to trade in stockers and

There has been a fairly reliable demand for stock heifers and country ows throughout the week and prices have held about steady.

## HOGS.

With total receipts for the week the largest since the week ending March 14, and the five point total the largest since the week ending March 7 last, the hog trade for this week made an active finish with prices the highest of the week. Today's local supply was proportionally more liberal than at any of the leading outside points, but the packers seemingly wanted hogs that went after them lively. Quality was only fair, running largely to mixed droves with fewer strictly toppy

previous highest point of the week. market has ruled active right along and fluctuation in prices has been confined to a comparatively narrow

Common to lair light kiners sold at \$5.50 @6.00 with inferior odds and ends at \$5.50 @6.00 with inferior odds and ends at \$5.00 @6.50. range, there not having been more with prospects favoring firm prices than a 10 cent variation at any time. for well fattened corn-fed cattle, but Total receipts for the week at this there may be a spreading tendency week, 31,598 a month ago, 32,395 a year ago, 26,881 two years ago, 40,788 hree years ago and 30,130 four years

The aggregate at five markets is 398,000, against 313,000 last week, 78,000 a month ago, 311,000 a year hree years ago and 279,400 four years

Prices ranged from \$5.45@5.62\\\
yith the bulk selling at \$5.45@5.60.
The bulk yesterday sold at \$5.40@
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SATURDAY'S BUSINESS month ago at \$5.75@5.90, a year ago at \$6.45@6.50, two years ago at \$6.35@6.40, three years ago at \$5.25@ 5.32 %, four years ago at \$4.70@

PIGS AND LIGHTS-199 BLS AND UNDER End of Week Finds Trade in Healthy Condition.

Nominal conditions prevailed in the Cattle trade today. Supply was of the usual Saturday volume, not enough of it to attract competition and actual trading was confined to cleaning up odds and ends at around steady prices.

Trade of the week has been of a

Trade of the week has been of a generally good and encouraging chareter and the close finds prices for all grades of killing cattle in strong position on the highest level of the volume of cattle being marketer has been some increase in the volume of cattle being marketed and this supply continues to run every largely to fed steers, but the deprinant has been good and has readily absorbed receipts right along.

Supplies for the week at this points will run about 2,500 ahead of last well, will run about 2,500 ahead of last will run about 2,500 ahead of last well, will run about 2,500 ahead of last week, while the 125,000 at five points is 11,000 larger than last week, but for the meritally different from a year.

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westerns. A fancy animal or two has sold at \$7.15. There has been a big showing of good to choice kinds of heavy steers selling at \$6.60 @ 6.90 and choice steers weighing less than 1,200 lbs. have sold at \$6.80. Ordinary to good light and medium weight dressed beef steers have sold freely at \$6.00 @ 6.50 and very common light killers at \$5.50 @ 5.90 with inferior odds and ends down as low as \$5.00. It will be but a short time now until grassers from the south and southwest will begin arriving. This will 9, 260. 260. −5.55. 62. 223. 120.5 46. .235 ..120.5 50 .239 .. 80.5 50 201 .. 80.5 4754 209 40.5 47% .208 120.5 47% .224 160.5 47% .203 — 5 47% .217 40.5 47%

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### SHEEP.

Business in the sheep house today

fat heifers are slow sellers in a range of \$4.00 @4.75. Choice fat cows sold up to \$6.25 during the week, bulk of the useful grades selling at \$4.75 @ b. 50. Heifers and mixed lots sold falls 10,000 short of arrivals at same falls 10,000 short of arrivals at same largely at \$5.50@6.35, with a few lots points last week. In addition to the lighter movement of supplies the condition of the dressed meat market in Bulls are closing steady with a the east has shown some improvement week ago, best butcher grades selling and the live mutton trade has respondp to \$5.65.
Calf values are off 25c compared tone all along the line. Local values with high time, but are closing steady stand strong to 10c higher than a strong all week and everything of The week closes radically different decent killing merit has found a olt. Current quotations indicate a clipped line sold at \$6.00@6.25, these

## MONDAY'S BUSINESS

CATTLE.

Prices Rule About Steady on Moderate Run of Steers.

With total receipts for the week the ber at the same markets one week

Mas only fair, running largely to mixed droves with fewer strictly toppy lots than on former days of the week and for this reason the outside tops do not show up as liberally or indicate as much advance. But, on quality, the market opened big 5 cents higher than yesterday and held the full advance to the finish. On this nickel advance the bulk prices to day are around 5 cents higher than today are around 5 cents higher than the prime ranging from \$6.00@6.50 with prime steers weighing around and under steers weighing around and under steers weighing around and the same steers weighing around the same steers weighing the same steers weighing the same steers weighing the same steers weight are same steers weight and the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers weight at the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers weight are same steers weight at the same steers were same steers weight at the sa revious highest point of the week.

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week's dull close. This generated an up before the noon whistle blew. The supply on hand in the stocker good clipped lambs, selling at \$7.00 @ division embraces a good assortment 6.50 respectively, were considered of light to medium weight thin cattle steady to strong. and a fair showing of attractive weighty feeders. At the recent sharp reduction in prices these cattle should interest anyone looking for stockers

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HOGS.

Full Steady to Firm. Outside markets all reported a lower opening trade this morning, but "guesses" sent out over the wires vere evidently wrong. Packers are till wanting hogs, and wanting them with sufficient urgency to sustain prices. Receipts at five markets were not as large as on opening day of last

week, but were still of liberal volume for the season of year, the total for today standing at 77,000 against and made his escape through a win-86,000 last Monday and 74,000 one dow. Reed possessed a key to his shackles. These he unlocked and locked them on the sheriff's horse less than a week are was made up

largely of mixed droves of fairly good quality, and with only a moderate showing of toppy loads of medium Following is a list of the commis-sion merchants in the Live Stock exand heavy weights. Demand was chan quite good from the start and buyers and sellers were not long in getting 328. change at the St. Joseph stock yards: Blanchard, Rush & Co., rooms 326-Byers Bros. & Co., rooms 202-204. Clay, Robinson & Co., rooms 329-

together on a basis of full steady to Trade in cows and heifers was strong prices compared with Saturquotably steady compared with last day. On this basis the supply was 330-331-332-333. week's close. The proportion of well out of first hands before noon butcher stuff in total receipts was rather small and the showing of toppy of the market. Cox, Jones Live Stock Commission Crider Bros. & Co., rooms 302-304. Daily, C. M. & Co., rooms 317-319. 216-217.

grades scant. Opening trade was rather slow, but buyers warmed up with the bulk selling at \$5.35@5.60, with the bulk selling at \$5.47½@5.60. The bulk Saturday sold at \$5.45@ up. Prices have been elevated to 5.60, a week ago at \$5.35@5.45, a

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SHEEP.

Buyers and Sellers Far Apart, Trade For further particulars and other information Has Slow Opening.

this morning, estimates (calling for I also have other land in all parts of the 4.000, 2,800 more than showed up a week ago. In the five point aggregate receipts were 41,500, indicating little difference compared with last Mon-

sheep being very scarce. Colorado were in the wool, although a few pads, minus the fleece, showed up. Trade opened very slow. Reports from outside points tended to indicate better prices and local sellers set their indifferent demand on the part of regular dealers and in the absence of standstill until well along toward the any inquiry from the country, trading was on a dull steady to weak basis.

> 930 Col lambs..... 65..7 00 903 Col lambs, shorn.. 74..6 50 356 Col lambs, culls.... 56..5 50

A Petra... to Cannon. Washington, May 12.-- A committee The week's trade opened with an increased supply of cattle in sight, the total at five leading markets being total at five leading markets by Minority Leader Williams Monday, called upon Speaker Cannon and laid before him a petition signed by all the Democratic members of the house asking the consideration of the Stevens bill or any other bill, putting wood pulp and print paper on the free KODAK FINISHING list. Speaker Cannon informed the committee that he would give the petition his "most distinguished consideration and attention."

> Wants a Court of Inquiry. Washington, May 12 .- Senator Rayner Monday introduced a resolution authorizing the president to convene a court of inquiry to consist of five offieers of the army to investigate charges and accusations against Col. William F: Stewart of the army, who had been letailed to serve until retirement at he abandoned military post at Fort Brant, Arizona. The resolution will ie on the table until Tuesday when Mr. Rayner will speak upon it. He Trade Active With Prices Holding save notice that he expected the sentte to take action at that time.

Escaped In Rain Storm. Leavenworth, Kan., May 12.-Durng the heavy wind and rain storm Sunday night, Clyde Reed, who was confined in jail at Platte City, near here, awaiting trial for the sensation al robbery of the bank of Camden American Plan. Rates \$1.25 Pr Day than a week ago was made up to prevent pursuit.

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Johnson & Son, rooms 205-207.

Co., rooms 226-228.

rooms 312-314. Stewart & Durrant, rooms 229-230-Sager & Young, rooms 232-234-236. St. Joseph Live Stock Commissio

Co., rooms 212-214. Tagg Bros., rooms 337-339. Thompson, Drinkard & Emmert, rooms 309-310-311-313.

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### WANT TAFTON FIRST BALLOT

First Now Think Party Safety Demands His Early Nomination.

earnestly on a plan to prevent any dent says: break at the Chicago convention that might disrupt party harmony and en Tawney of Minnesota, Jenkins of Wis commission. consin and Smith of Iowa; in fact,

against Taft early in the campaign. but party policy and the necessity for harmony, which have been manifest on the Republican ranks since the dis work." astrous results of the Blaine-Conklin feud, has awakened a demand that per sonal desires be subordinated to the will of the majority. That the efforts fact that to a number of the confer ences have been called such men as Hopkins and Depew, and Representatiwes Parsons and Vreeland of New York, Boutell and Mann of Illinois. Burke and Dalzell of Pennsylvania. Watson and Landis of Indiana and others who are backing the candidacies of Vice President Fairbanks, Speaker Cannon, Senator Knox of Shanghat on January 1, 1909. Governor Hughes.

No attempt is made to disguise the fact that the real impetus to such a tion in all its aspects-moral and com-Secretary Taft is the refusal of Roosevelt sentiment to be snuffed out and the danger of such sentiment spreading to an extent that might be difficult of control at Chicago. At the same time it is said the movement is not hostile to President Roosevelt who admittedly, occupies the position of command in the Taft forces. He made in Texas, Utah and California as he is prepared to reject any proffer ability to employes, saying:

of support no matter how extended. The uttermost limit of endeavor of to eliminate all candidates for the instead of being down to the average as yet. nomination except Secretary Taft but it is not anticipated that all of the candidates readily will agree to this proposition.

The selection of Secretary Taft as the beneficiary of harmony action is made because of the fact that he is the only candidate who has sufficient instructed votes to promise an early nomination. The argument of the harmony faction is that if Taft should ging behind almost all other governfail to secure the nomination on the first ballot, and the allies were able to hold out against him it would mean a convention contest of many ballots. These leaders have little doubt that in such a contingency the Roosevelt third-term sentiment would threaten a stampede and though they have little doubt that the president would not hesitate to squelch any proposition looking to his re-nomination, the effect of such a stampede can only be surmised. The possible dire results upon the campaign for the election of the candidate, whoever he may be, is one of the arguments used to draw the so-called allies into the harmony program.

Destroyed 27 Cottages.

that the total loss will aggregate solute control of the United States

Ruef's Trial Drags.

San Francisco, May 12.-The sixth week of the trial of Abraham Ruef for bribery began before Judge Mau of Kansas was thoroughly soaked by rice T. Dooling Monday morning with the rain of Sunday faternoon and the renewal of the cross-examination night. At Silver Lake, 12 miles west of Former Supervisor James L. Gal of Topeka the storm was in the nature lagher by Henry Ach, chief counsel of a cloudburst, three and a half for the defendant.

Confiscated the Films.

Chicago, May 12.-Acting under the advice of the United States authorities the local police Monday confiscated from various moving picture shows 15 rolls of films, showing how counterfeit money is made. Each roll is worth about \$94.

Naval Bill Carries \$122,662,715. upon, the bill carries \$122,662,715, | been fixed.

PRESIDENT ASKS CONGRESS FOR APPROPRIATION OF \$20,000.

To Join Other Nations In the Investi gation of the Question In the Far East.

Washington, May 12.-The president Monday transmitted to congress a let Those Opposed to the Secretary At ter from Secretary of State Root, counseling the commencement at once of an international investigation into the opium question in the far east and recommending that congress appropri Washington, May 12.-Republican ate \$20,000 for this country's particileaders in congress are now working pation therein. In his letter the presi-

"In laying before the congress the accompanying letter from the secre- Sunday evening. danger success at the polls in Novem tary of state, I heartily recommend ber. Conferences have been held at that appropriation be made as there both ends of the capitol among such in requested for the participation of ty; Mrs. J. E. Hale, Little Robe, El- of the committee on rules the deter men as Senators Aldrich, Hale, Alli the United States in the coming in- lis county; two unknown persons, Ar. mination of the procedure by which son and Crane, and Representatives vestigation of the opium question in nett, Ellis county; Dr. J. Howser, the will of the majority, thus ex-Payne and Sherman of New York, the far east by a joint international Vici, Woodward county; Arthur Hand, pressed, shall be carried into effect in

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A SCANDAL AND REPROACH.

President Says Capitalists Oppose Child Labor and Liability Laws.

ing can come of the renewed calls for Monday to the members of the wom- but their horses were killed when a en's department of the Civic Federation, touched upon government li-

"I want your help in seeing that ing to harmonize party differences is good as that of the best employers number of victims are not obtainable if not below it. I am trying at this time to get a law enacted which will allow the employe injured in the govthis democratic nation, should be lag- be legally appointed in preference to ments in such a matter as this. A year and a half ago, for instance, there was a perfectly competent man S. NORTHEY PATENT attending a switch engine on the Panama railroad. An accident happened. through no fault of his own, which crippled him for life; that man with his children are on the verge of want, I may say past the verge of want, and he is supported only by the labor union to which he belongs; because there is no law by which I as the head of this government, can give him that which he is justly entitled to. It is a scandal and reproach to us that there are bodies of our people, men claiming as capitalists to have a special right to speak to us, who actively oppose the passage of a child labor law for the District of Columbia; who pro-East St. Louis, Ill., May 12 .- Twen- test against the passage of proper emty-seven families were rendered home. ployers liability laws. I want you to less by a fire that late Monday gutted help me through your representatives the plant of the General Roofing com- to get that type of legislation enacted pany and, driven by a high wind, com- which will make the United States municated to and destroyed 27 cot. government a model employer, which tages in the vicinity. It is estimated will make the only city under the ab-

government, Washington, be a model

Central Kansas Soaked. Topeka, Kan., May 12.-This portion inches of rain falling. In Topeka an inch and a half has fallen. In Council Grove the sudden rise and overflow in the Neosho river has caused many of the residents to flee from their homes and further trouble is feared.

Thaw Divorce Case Postponed. New York, May 12,-A hearing in Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's suit for the an-Washington, May 12.-The confer Thaw, was scheduled to begin in this ence report on the naval appropriation city Monday, but was postponed by bill was adopted by the senate Mon agreement of counsel. The new date day without debate. As finally agreed of the opening of the hearing has not

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Wires Are Down and the Towns Vis ited Are Not On the Railroads-Some Thrilling Incidents.

Woodward, Ok., May 12.-At least eight persons were killed and scores of others injured in the several tor. Burton of Ohio, Weeks of Massachunadoes in northwestern Oklahoma,

The known dead are J. E. Hale, Little Robe, Ellis coun-Estelle, Major county; Mrs. Young, Seiling, Dewey county

list have been of almost daily occur is a cause of gratification to the at this time as telephone communicarence for more than a week. They American government and people. The tion is entirely cut off from the stormhave been directed to one end-a high aim of this international project, swept area and the only other the conference committee bill, was de nomination on the first ballot by placing as it does consideration of means of securing information is feated. which they mean William H. Taft. human welfare above all others, is a by stage. The disaster seems to have While no definite result has been fine example of what is best in rod- consisted of a succession of tornadoes reached they believe their efforts will ern civilization and international good occurring between five o'clock and ten ceed \$500,000,000 obtainable for cirwill and co-operation. Such an under o'clock p. m. They appeared first in culation through the national clear taking cannot but appeal most strong- the western part of the devastated inghouse associations scheme. The ly in this movement were numbered by to the American people and I am district and moving toward the east. bill was adopted in exactly the form happy to lay before the congress this The most serious results were in the as presented by the conference com

States to do its full share in the persons are believed to have received minor amendments. Among those who broken limbs. Nearly all of these vic- voted against the bill were Represen Secretary Root in his letter to the time are residents of the farming distatives Cooper of Wisconsin, Brumn president reported that the Chinese tricts and there was little damage of Pennsylvania, McMoran of Michigovernment was ready in 1906 to make done in any of the towns referred to gan, Murdock of Kansas, Darragh o

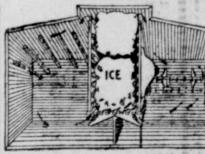
harmony movement have not been entered upon correspondence with the wiped off the map is Vici, a postof- York, Kennedy and Keifer of Ohio, and barren of results is indicated by the governments of Great Britain, France, fice in the southern part of Woodward Fowler of New Jersey. Representa Germany, Japan, The Netherlands and | county, where it is said there is not | tives Prince of Illinois, and Hayes of

Thrilling incidents are being related | before the vote was cast ject. The proposal of the United by all who have received any informa-States has now been accepted by all tion from the storm center. Mr. Hale of the above mentioned governments of Little Rober was one of the most and also in principle by the govern- prominent cattlemen in that locality. Dr. Howser at Vici was taking refuge Secretary Root says that the gov. in a dugout when he was killed. A ernments have been invited to send horse was lifted by the wind and their accredited commissioners to dashed through the top of the dagout, burying the victim beneath the entire earth roof of the dug out and the weight of the animal's body. A horse belonging to Mr. Sibel of Mutual was killed when a piece of 2x4 lumber was driven through his body. At Mutual 15 young persons had gathered for a Sunday evening social. The storm lifted the house completely off the floor on which they were seated leaving the floor and the young peo-Washington, May 12.-Combatting ple unharmed. O. E. Null and daughthe frequently expressed idea that the ter, of the vicinity of Arnett, were nation represents the average and not overtaken by the storm while driving. has made it perfectly plain that noth the best, the president in his spech. They took refuge in a hollow tree,

nearby tree fell. As there is a family on every quarter section of land in the storm area, which is a mile wide and fully fifty the Republican leaders who are striv. the government occupies a position as miles long, definite figures on the

> The old soldiers and sailors preference law has been upheld by the ernment service through no fault of Kansas supreme court but at the same his own, to get some compensation time the court stated that the appointfrom his employer, the government, ing power had full authority to de-It seems incredible that at this period termine the competency of the appliin the world's history the United cants and if other applicants were States government, the government of considered more competent they could the old soldiers.

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REPUBLICAN CONFERENCE AC-CEPTS COMMITTEE REPORT.

The Vote Was 138 to 16-Murdock and Campbell of Kansas Among Objectors.

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The bill ratified provides for an is sue of emergency currency not to ex Michigan, Campbell of Kansas, Cushof the group of leaders back of the evil and that the department of state The only town known to have been man of Washington, Waldo of New California, quit the conference shortly



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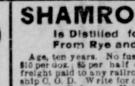
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American colony, and this land will soon be thrown open to the public for this purpose. MANAGEMENT

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