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DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 6 Cars, 272 Cattle: 47 Cars, 2453 Hogs; 2 Cars, 423 Sheep.

CATTLE SUPPLY FALLS OFF

Trade in Good Healthy Condition at End of the Week With Prices Strong.

RANGERS WILLSOON DROP OFF

Demand Good For All Kinds of Range Stock at Strong Values-Not Enough She Stock Coming to Meet Demand-Stock Cattle Trade of Good Volume-Hogs Finish Week on Lower Turn-Fat Sheep Steady

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2,600 2,500 2,000

Total 53

CATTLE.

in Good Condition.

A small run of cattle for today in cluded about 100 Texans. The total supply was not large enough to create a market or establish any criterion for the first days of next week.

The close of the week finds the market in pretty good condition and wherever there is any change in prices conversed with a week ago it is wherever there is any change in prices compared with a week ago it is in favor of the selling interest. The supplies have been running quite liberal during the entire week but are not up to the volume of last week and it is considered likely that the receipts may now begin to drop off at all of the leading market points. The total for the week at the five leading all of the leading market points. The total for the week at the five leading centers is 217,000 and shows a decrease of 17,000 compared with last week but there is still a shortage of 16,000 compared with the same week last year. At the local point the total for the week is 1800 less than for last week and 3200 less than a year ago. The local supply for the week has been largely made up of western grass cattle but there has been more natives than for some weeks and it is considered that from now on there will be a tendency to drop off in the number of the westerns coming and a little increase in the number of natives may be reasonably expected. On first

sell up as high as \$5.00 but there are are fully a quarter lower compared

HOGS.

Market 5 to 10 Cents Lower For the Bulk, Supply Small.

Average Dime Lower—Sheep Strong
Receipts from January 1, 1910.
The following table shows the receipts from January 1, 1910, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1909:

1910 1909 Dec. Inc.
Cattle... 449,201 452,698 3,497
Hogs... 1,488,479 1,860,232 271,753
Sheep... 454,543 531,625 77,482
Horses... 20,247 19,075 1,172

Live Stock in Sight.
The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets:
Chicago 300 6,000 2,000 Kansas Chisa. 100 2,600 South Omaha. 100 2,600 South Omaha. 100 2,600 2,000 about where 3,000 of last week.

Total hogs for the week at this point was 20,600 against 18,375 last week, 17,977 a month ago, 27,696 a fear ago, 30,273 two years ago, 24,812

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Range of Prices.

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Sheep-Receipts, 3000. Market ominal.

SOUTH OMAHA.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 22.—
Special to The Journal: The Drovers
Journal-Stockman reports: Cattle-Receipts, 100. teady.

Hogs—Receipts, 2600. Market fully
loc higher. Top \$8.75, bulk \$8.35@
8.52 ½.

Sheep-Receipts, none. EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill. Oct. 22.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 1200. Market

Hogs—Receipts, 2000. Market 5c higher. Top \$9.20, bulk \$8.80@9.10. Sheep—Receipts, 500. Market

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET wheat, 5 cars; corn, 4 cars; oats, 1

car.			
Wheat.			
Wilcat.			200
No. 2 red	94	@	95
No. 3 red	90	@	93
No. 2 hard	92	@	96
No. 3 hard	90	@	94
Corn.			
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No. 2 corn	48		49
No. 3 corn	48		48 1/2
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Corby-Forsee Building, St. Jo-GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby-

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CORN-						
Dec	461/4	4614	45%	4514	463	
May	49%		48%	48%	493	
			20/2	100	107	
OATS-	0.335		1000	10000		
Dec	30%	30%	301/4	301/4	30%	
May	38 7/8	33%	3314	33%	34	
PORK-		1000		1	313	
Jan	17.35	17.40	17.25	17.27	17.3	
May	16.35	16.42	16.20	16.20	16.3	
LARD-						
Jan					10.3	
May	9.87	9.90	9.77	9.77	9.6	
RIBS-						
Jan	9.22	9.25	9.15	9.20	9.1	
May	8.97	9.02	8.92	8.92	8.9	

SHAW ON CLOVERS.

sell up as high as \$5.00 but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.25 and the bulk of fat cows are going at \$3.50 @4.00 with canners and culters ranging down as low as \$3.00 and undiffere has Heen a moderately liberal demand continues good and there has been a moderately liberal demand continues good and there has been practically no change in the market during the week. Best veals are selling up to \$3.25. There is a strong market for bulk at this time and the fat kinds are selling at high figures.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

There has been a fair volume of trade in the stocker line during middle and final days of the week and while there is still a fair supply on hand in the stocker division there has been a good tone to the trade and prices for all of the good and useful kinds of cattle to go back to the country are holding firm on a basis of the case has a for light and medium weights that would do for roughing through the winter and those kinds are strong mon grades of light stockers.

Good to choice feeding steers are quotable at \$4.60 @5.50, medium to grades good \$4.00 @4.50, good heavy feeders have been finding ready outlet at steady prices and the only cattle that show a tendency to drag are the common grades of light stockers.

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LONG AND SHORT HAUL.

Commerce Commission for Strict Enforcement of Provision.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—In a formal order issued late yesterday, the interstate commerce commission announced its intention to administer announced its intention to administer strictly section four, the long and short haul provision of the recently amended interstate commerce act. The order was the outgrowth of a hearing held by the committee two weeks ago on the matter of the application of interstate carriers generally for relief under the long and erally for relief under the long and

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By the terms of the order there will be no change in the existing status or in the present rights of carriers until February 17, 1911. They may file with the commission such changes in rates and tariffs as ordinarily would be filed in the course of their havings. be filed in the course of their business under the present rate basis or ad-

The commission announces that it does not necessarily approve, through this permission, any rates or fares that may be filed, all of them being held subject to complaint, investigation na,d if necessary, to correction.

year:		
March 1 to Oct.	19 191	0. 1909.
Chicago	2,575,000	2,895,000
Kansas City	1,295,000	1,850,000
South Omaha	1,060,000	1,235,000
St. Louis	1,090,000	1,215,000
St. Joseph	803,000	975,000
Indianapolis	655,000	780,000
Milwaukee	280,000	260,000
Cudahy	124,000	228,000
Cincinnati	294,000	320,000
Ottumwa, Iowa	233,000	327,000
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	200,000	255,000
Sioux City, Ia	540,000	600,000
St. Paul, Minn	370,000	345,000
Cleveland, Ohio	355,000	425,000
Louisville, Ky	73,000	118,000
Wichita, Kan	315,000	420,000
Detroit	230,900	255,000
Above and all	Second House	Europe Contract
other1	2,540,000	14,655,000
For the week		460,000
Preceding week	340,000	465,000
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be more than a small station on the Texas & Pacific Railway, a suburb of

Dallas.

The establishment of the town was an accident, soon after the Civil War the Texas and Pacific Rajlway started building to the west through Texas. Dallas was then the big town of North Dallas was then the big town of North Texas and naturally was one of the principal stations on the new road. When the line reached a point 32 miles west of Dallas the panic which stopped the development of the country in the 70's halted the further extension of the road.

One Gun Keeps Off Indians. Previous to the coming of the rail-way a small military post had been established here, but as there was no way a small military post had been established here, but as there was no reason why the place should prove attractive for residence, very few availed themselves of the protection from Indians which the fort offered. The place was really never a fort, though it received the name of Fort Worth because it was thought a fort would some time be built. The post consisted of a few rough stockades, and old-timers say, it had one gun, which, though small, was noisy enough to frighten any adventurous Indians.

When the first merchants started stores here they did business in houses constructed as cheaply as possible, for no one believed the town would amount to anything as soon as the railway to the east, with a population which was large for that day, and a little to the west was the frontier town of Weatherford with almost 1000 population, ready to take Fort Worth's business away as soon as the railway gave it an opportunity.

BACK TO THE SOIL PROBLEM

Being Worked Out On Grand Scale Over in Mexico.

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 22.—The "back to the soil" problem is being worked out in behalf of the poor in the overcrowded districts of the large cities in America and Europe on a scale that promises to become tremendous in scope, in northern Chimerocau in scope, in sco scale that promises to become tre-mendous in scope, in northern Chi-huahua across the border of the Rio Grande in Mexico. It is the practical test of the problem that has been bothering social workers for years. At Candelaria, a small station on the line of the National Railways of Mexme of the National Railways of Mexkro, Archbishop Joseph Rene Vilatte,
head of the Orthodox, or old Catholic
church in America, is establishing a
colony where the population of the
oreign quarters of the lation of the church in America, is establishing a colony where the population of the foreign quarters of the large cities of the United States and the immigrants from foreign countries may find a home and in a comparatively short time become independent. The church has purchased 50,000 acres of land, has established a town laid the land, has established a town, laid the cornerstone for a church and established a school for the colonists who are to settle the land and cultivate the soil. The invitation to join the the soil. The invitation to join the colony is not confined to the members of this church but applies to the people of all cities and countries. Each rancher will have a ten-acre tract for the growing of his crops and also an acre of ground in the town of Vilatte-ville where he will erect his home. Irrigation is by means of artesian wells. The immigrants are coming from France, Italy, and other countries of Europe, and also from Chicago, New York, and other large American cities. The land is to be sold at cost on long time. The archbishop

Best meals, best rooms, Transit do well to play on the safe side

and and try in the 70's halted the further extension of the road.

Town of Rough Shacks.

All of the camp followers, workmen, gamblers, saloon keepers and others and mules were entered in the sale and were all dispersed with. The search of the early days, stopped here and the railway construction camp became a town built of rough shacks strung at least of the farl say gling terminus of Fort Worth as the nearest railway point.

Before the coming of the railway the cattlemen had been hauling their supplies, consisting chiefly of bacon, flour, salt and powder, from Dallas, Austin or Dodge City, Kan. With the trading point and small stores started here boasted of retail customers who lived 300 miles away.

One Gun Keeps Off Indians,

PIMBLEY PAINT AND ST.

The Blair Horse and Mule Co. held their second sale of the fall season was feel of the fall season was feel and such of the carbon days. Close to 150 head of horses of the trading point and small stores started here boasted of retail customers who lived 300 miles away.

PIMBLEY PAINT AND ST.

Tropical Hurricane.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 22.—An almost dead calm marks the passage of the tropical hurricane. Savannah, and Charleston. No loss of life has resulted from the hurricane, so far as can be learned. Property damage will be less than first reportant the state of Missouri were representative and such at the sale namely, Franklin and Smith of St. Louis; also J H. Baker, and the sale of the fall season of the situation was the absence of definite news of several vessels at sca. The revenue cutter Yamacraw, from Savannah, has been ordered to sea in seat the sale: Vic Snively, two cars; J. O. Hoorn, two cars; L. O. Hoorn, two cars

Champion Feed for results.

LONG HAUL FOR HOGS.

Taken More Than Thirty Miles in Wagons.

"Well, I guess that is going some," said Hectoronius Carroll yesterday when he bought a consignment of hogs that were brought to the yards in wagons. These hogs were hauled more than thirty miles in wagons. "They came from a farm away down here that is just four miles closer to St. Joseph than to Kansas City," said Heck, "and it is my guess that it is hauling hogs some distance when the farmer will come that far rather than load his stock on the cars and let the railroad do the hauling."

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

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Andy Turner, a well known ship-per with headquarters at Coin, la-came down toady with one load of good porkers.

Billerback Bros., regular shippers and large farmers of Berlin, Ia., arrived at the local yards today with a two-car shipment of good hogs.

Resort for men only. Hadley's Cafe and Bar, 112 South Seventh street. A. T. Campbell, a warm friend of the St. Joseph market, accompanied one car of hogs here today from Athelstan, Mo.

Change of management at Transit House. Try our meals. Kent, Ia., was represented on to-day's market by Riggs Bros., who marketed one load of hogs.

Hadley's Cafe, 112 South Seventh street, for best meals in the city.

Among other stockmen who were here was J. M. Rice of King City, Mo., who contributed one car of hogs

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See Al Bright, So. St. Joseph, for all cotton seed meal or screen cake.

Best meals, best rooms. Transit

SECOND SALE YESTERDAY STORM MOVES OUT TO SEA

Many Noted Horse Men Were Present Almost Dead Calm Marks Passage of

the loss at these points at more than \$290,000.

The only points in Florida to be reached by telegraph are Jacksonville and St. Augustine. News from these places said the gale had reached a velocity of more than sixty miles an hour, across the entire peninsula.

Wireless messages from Tampa, the first definite news since that city was isolated from the world, stated that the property loss was comparatively slight and that no lives were lost. There will be no communication with the interior of Florida along the eastern coast south of Augustine for several days.

DOES THIS INTEREST YOU? A good feed lot, scales, good wind-break, fine water, 20,000 bushels corn at 50c, hay \$7.00, located one-half mile from station, on Burlington, 80 miles northeast of St. Joseph. For further particulars, address Drinkard, Emmert & Co., So. St. Joseph, Mo.

amount to anything as soon as the railway moved further west Dallas was only 32 miles away to the east was only 32 miles away to the east for that day, and a little to the west for that day, and a little to the west of take Fort Worth's business away as soon as the railway gave it an opportunity.

500 Cast 600 Votes.

In 1860, when Fort Worth secured the county seat by casting a vote of 600, the town had less than 500 im habitants, the voting being done on the liberal scale with which Texas county seats were often moved in the arry days. Ten years later the population began to grow because of the transients brought to town by railway construction. In 1873 the aumomber had swelled to 2000.

About this time a few of the pioneers began to develop faith in the new town. Rumors were heard of the building of the Houston & Texas, and a committee was sent to see the promoters. They

As a sound which was large for that day and a little to the west and a base on the failroad do the hauling."

Make your visit complete. Eat, loss and held by care, 112 south Seventh street.

TOTAL LIVE STOCK MOVEMENT.

Cattle Hogs Sheep simming of general improvements of the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos and sheep at five leading markets for the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos and sheep at five leading markets for the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos and sheep at five leading markets for the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos and sheep at five leading markets for the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos and sheep at five leading markets for the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos sheep cattle, hgos sheep cattle, hgos sheep cat were often moved in the company's indicates the round total of receipts of cattle, hgos sheep cattle, hgos sheep cattle, hgos sh IMPROVEMENTS COST \$5,000,000.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Missouri: Fair tonight and Sunday; continued cold. Kannas: Fair tonight and Sunday; slowly vising temperature. Neuroscie: Fair tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight and Sunday; warmer in cast strong Sunday; slightly warmer actions.

BREEDERS Silas Carter's ter. He wrote that the sawiail busi-SHEEP.

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Romance

By Carl Jenkins

There was nothing wrong about by saying that he hoped for an an-Silas Carter. He was a strapping swer by return mail. and ate three square meals a day. store his mind with knowledge. He said: couldn't borrow Shakespeare or American history and, in consequence he borrowed romances. They were not eactly dime novels. They related mostly to knights and chevaliers and

rescues of distressed damsels. After reading for two or three years Silas got the idea that he was a chevalier, and that the distressed had written "In haste" on the endamsel would sooner or later heave into view. He didn't say anything he may have made the postmaster about it. It might be that he wasn't mad and the epistle had been torn up. a chevaller, and it might be coat the He decided to write again. on the road.

a villager, he casually observed: "Eunice, I love you and want you

to be my wife." "I will," she replied.

time, and had come to realize that other two weeks and no letter. she loved him, and why shouldn't she have answered that way? Why blush the damsel he had rescued? He was. and stick a finger in her mouth and He didn't kick around nights and reply that she would see her father dream of her, but he loved her galabout it? She did just as a plain, lantly-chivalrously - knightly - the sensible girl always does under the same as the heroes of his romances circumstances—she waited for Silas had loved. Perhaps the reason she

If the distressed damsel appeared he city and tell of his adoration. Her would tell Eurice that he had mother might have tied her up in the changed his mind; if she didn't then garret or her father thrust her into they would get married some day, a dungeon deep because she had told Eunice continued to be a good, plain of her love for him. For three days girl, and Silas kept his eyes open Silas debated as to what the Chevalier for what was coming.

It came one July day. A young lady from the city, stopping at a summer hotel in the village, came down to the mill pond to fish. Silas was in the mill yard, wrestling the sawlogs about, and after a time he heard a scream. He ran for the water and frightened girl out by the hair.

When she could speak she called him a hero and said he had saved her life and won her eternal gratitude She was the distressed damsel and he the hero the chevalier. There could be no two ways about that. He was invited to call at the hotel and receive further thanks, and the dripping damsel took her departure.

Stlas Carter called. He was braced up by the heroic deed he had done, and he felt very important when he



He Wrote That He Took His Pen

found himself in the presence of young lady wearing diamonds and fine clothes, and almost smiling at the fresh grease on his boots. didn't know exactly what to do with his hat, hands and feet, but he stowed them away somewhere and modestly said that he stood ready to rescue

damsel every day in the week. He was thanked and thanked, and the damsel said she could never for get him. She even went so far as to give him her address in the city and say that she would be pleased to hear from her hero-occasionally. In getting off the hotel veranda Silas fell over a widow's poodle dog and rolled down the steps, but he was none the less a hero in his own eyes for this. He had read that they occasionally took a tumble and were none the worse for it. That evening when he

went over to see Eunice he said! ago to marry me, didn't I?"

"Well, we'll hold on awhile about

"Very well, Silas," replied the duti

She might have become angry and jumped up and down and threatened the snow begins to fly the leader of a breach of promise suit, but she didn't. She had heard about the rescue, and she had an idea it was ful. Here as the snow falls they pack that, but she did not lose her temper. it down, tramping out a considerable

before she left for home. After waiting for two weeks he wrote to her. He wrote that he took his pen in comparative peace and safety.—St. hand to have that she was well, and

ness was good, and that he expected to have his wages raised to \$22 a month. He thought of her often, he said. In fact, he had driven a stake at the spot where she had fallen in, and went there to look at it five or six times a day. Then he copied a verse of poetry and ended the letter

young man who worked in a sawmill He didn't receive one, however. Two weeks dragged along, and then one When evening came he sat down to night as he was calling on Eunice he

"Euny, about our getting married." "Yes, Silas."

"I think we'd better." "Very well."

She waited for him to ask her to name the day, but he had nothing further to say on the subject. A bright idea had occurred to him. He velope of his letter, but by so doing

distressed damsel would be detained. He took his pen in hand with firmer grip this time, as his wages One night when he was calling on had been raised to \$22 per month. Miss Eunice Bebee, the daughter of He hoped for an answer within three days, but at the end of a fortnight none had come. One mail a day reached the village post office, but he inquired five times a day, so as to Eunice had known Silas for a long make sure of missing nothing. An-

> Was Chevalier Silas in love with hadn't answered was that she was coyly waiting for him to come to the St. Aubyn would have done under like circumstances, and then he left for the city.

Having the damsel's address it was easy to find her father's house. He found it early in the morning, just as the father was emerging with a very strong cigar in his mouth. He was in time to pull a very wet and gave Silas a looking over, uttered a 'humph!" to himself, and then asked:

"Well, what to it?" "Your-your daughter was up at Bellville in July," stammered the young man.

Well, what of it?" "She tumbled into the mill pond." "And got wet. Well, what of that?"

"I-I work in the sawmill there." "I thought so. Go on." "I pulled her out of the pond." "Oh, you did? Did it strain your

back any?" "No, str." "If it did, try a porous plaster." "But I saved her life, sfr," continued Silas, "and she said she'd

never forget it." "And I don't think she will. She lost her false hair and complexion, I

"And she asked me to call on her if

I was ever in town."

"And being as you are in town, you have come to call. Well, you can go in and interview the cook if you wish. My daughter has been married six weeks and is still away on a bridal tramp. She never mentioned anything about you, but if you really saved her life, why, have a cigar with

Silas reached home that night at 11 o'clock. His jaw was set and his look was determined. The villagers had long since got to bed, but that was naught to him. He walked to the louse of Eunice's father and around to her window, and, in response to his calls, a head was poked out and voice exclaimed:

"My stars, Silas, but what's hap-

"Nothing yet, but something's going to. You be ready at nine o'clock in the morning to be married! There's been fooling enough about it!"

Floating on Tires. One of the most amusing diversions at some of the English watering places last summer was a sport which has not yet been tried in the United States, but which should furnish much amusement at the summer resorts. This is the game of floating or sailing in the water on motor cars. Men and girls attired in bathing suits, as well as boys and girls; enjoyed themselves hugely in this fashion and there was much competition to see how long the most expert could stay on the tires while they bobbed about in the water. The person who first introduces this novelty at an American summer resort will not only find himself extremely popular, but will also have the pleasure of knowing himself a philanthropist, for after all what greater philanthrophy can there be "Euny, I asked you a few nights than the introduction of a new, exciting and wholesome sport which is did she want?" within the reach of a large number

of pleasure seekers? Red Deer's Winter Home. The winter home of the American red deer is very interesting. When the herd guides them to some sheltered spot where provender is plenti-She just moved the pitcher along and space, while about them the snow mounts higher and higher until they "Silas, have another glass of hard cannot get out if they would. From cider before you go. It's good to keep the main opening, or "yard," as it is off the nightmare." near-by trees and shrubbery which

USUALLY IT IS A VERY SIMPLE AFFAIR.

Case More Difficult-Finally Solved by Drawing Name From

trouble in naming the baby. It is cus- saw or heard of, or ever expected to tom for fathers and mothers to decide see or hear of. years before that some of these days ."I was traveling in the country be

But in this case it was different, for He was getting old, and his feelings the hogs were as big as barrels. might be hurt if he didn't figure in the "'How did you do it?' I asked the name-giving. Besides, he might leave farmer, who was bending over the his accumulated wealth to found a bars of the pig pen picking his teeth home for ex-cow punchers if dis- with a piece of straw.

tainty and had been using it vigorous. of of 'emselves diggin' for acorns. ly for 37 years. It would never do to They sort of had competition with

Butler, after a boy she knew, up in hawgs. Michigan, and brother, aged ten, wanted to call it Jeffries.

ferred the name Gladstone.

It was a family conference that was hours, and though the family sat at birds got wise to the contrivance. the table nobody ate any dinner. Everybody glared at everybody else and spoke little.

Then some neighbors came in, and views.

Finally Uncle Bob, to desperation, suggested that the names be written he privately took little Alice Perkins, idea, ain't it?" a neighbor's child saide and promised her a box of chocolates if she's write Gladstone on a piece of paper and drop it in the bowl designed for the

Then the names were written and dropped into the bowt, and when the count was taken there were 11 slips of paper and 11 names represented.

"Why didn't you do as I told you?" demanded Uncle Bob indignantly of the neighbor's child. "I would, Mister Bob," she said, "but

I couldn't spell Gladstone. You didn't tell me. So I wrote Gladys-it's lots prettier, anyway."

The One to Pay.

tiful women present at the recent mar. with her friends. She took off her

teris, Lord Elcho's daughter. The presence of this beautiful American woman; at this political wedding recalls an anecdote illustra-

tive of her wit in politics. When she was Lady Randolph Churchill she consented to electioneer for Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett in his first parliamentary campaign. Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett was married to the Baroness Purdett Coutts, a very rich woman, who was nearly 40 years his senior. Lady Randolph, with her for the candidate.

Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett?"

I'll send for the Baroness Burdett. a small monetary present, the girls Coutts at once."

Offended Dignity.

Members of the police department were matching stories the other day and the conversation turned on the amount of "nerve" some persons take a spoonful. If the attempt is a have, and what remarkable things success it is taken as an offer of marthey expect of the police department. riage on the man's part. "I remember one day I got a tele phone call from a woman on Washington street that she wanted a policeman to come to her house right

loking as red as a beet.

the First precinct.

covered his breath. "'It's past me,' I answered, 'what congressman.

store to buy some candy, and lost a you to get my boy a good civil service nickel in the grass in front of a house, job.' and she wanted me to find it for her,' "'And what did you tell her?' I

asked the copper. "'Sergeant, what could I tell her' he asked. 'I just turned around and do anything, do you think I'd be walked away.' "-Newark Star. bothering you?"

Discouraged. "Did any girl ever propose to you?"

"Why didn't you marry her?" "I would not think of marrying a

SPECIMEN OF REAL GENIUS

California Farmer Adopts Unique Method of Fattening His Hogs-Birde Supply Food.

"Every time I go to southern Cali-fornie," said Richard C. Worthington, "I see something that makes me open my eyes farther, and take off my hat to the progressiveness of those fellows out there.

"But on this last trip," he continued, "I witnessed a piece of enterprise Ordinarily there would have been no which exceeds anything which I ever

if a little boy blessed their home tween San Francisco and Los Angeles they'd call him Etheridge, and that if one day, when I was impressed by the it should be a girl, her pame should size of some hogs in a pigpen near the road. I was especially impressed be cause on my previous trips the razorthere were so many people to satisfy. back quality of the pork had caused There was grandpa, for illustration. me to comment. This time, however,

"'Well, ye see it's this here way, And there was Aunt Lucy. Aunt stranger,' replied the agriculturist. Lucy had a vitriolic tongue for a cer- Them hawgs just clean run the fat all them danged woodpeckers who'd gob-Father wanted to call the baby ble up the acorns and store 'em away Sammy; mother wanted to name it in a hole in a fence post or rail, and Horace; sister Elfa wanted it called there wouldn't be anything left for the

"'I got to thinkin' the matter over. and I calculated that it was up to me It was an awful situation, especially to sting them woodpeckers, so I rigas Uncle Bob was in town and had ged up sort of a birdhouse and filled views of his own concerning names for the front of it all full with holes about boy bables. He thought father was the size of the holes them birds put nearer right than the others, but pre- their acorns in the feuce. Then I built me a long tube leading filled with stickers. It took four trough, and bided my time till them

ten cents an hour, and the acorns was added to the merriment. Each had a runnin' right down the pipe to the pigs' mouth.

"That's the way I got them pigs nice and fat, mister. All they have to on slips of paper and if any two were do now is to lay around by the trough alike that should be the name. Then and the birds feeds 'em. Purty good

A Pertinent Commentary.

F. H. Elliott, the secretary of the American Automobile association, said at an automobile banquet in New

"I like to see women run their own cars. I like to see women do all sorts Estate & Investment Co., Sikeston, Mo. application. of things, provided they have had the proper training and are proficient. There is no sight more agreeable than that of a healthy American girl, riding her horse, running her motor, driving her coach, with a skill and grace no

man need be ashamed of. "But smoking and that sort of thing-oh, no, that doesn't become the

American girl. Mrs. George Cornwallis-West, in a "An American girl drew up her tourblack gown, was one of the most beau- ing car at a country inn. She got out riage in London of the prime minis dust coat and goggles. She opened a ter's son and the Hon. Sylvia Char- gold cigarette case and put a cigarette between her rosy lips.

"The old country waiter may have done it unconsciously, but, nevertheless, he offered a singularly good commentary on girls' smoking when he brought a big, foul-smelling contrivance to the pretty automobilist, set it down at her feet, and said:

" 'Spittoon, Miss?" " A Manche Harvest Custom.

An interesting ancient custom is beauty and charms, did splendid work observed in Manche at the harvest time. When the work is on the point To a group of farmers she said one of completion a sheaf of honor is made and decorated with flowers. Won't you promise me to vote for which the farmer himself carries in procession, surrounded by the har-'My lady," said a red-faced farmer vesters. Two of the party, under the with a chuckle, "we'll all vote for him pretext of sweeping the way, raise a if every vote'll be paid for with a cloud of dust. If in the progress the procession meets a stranger the girls "Thank you very much," said Lady offer him some corn from a pewter Randolph. "Your offer is accepted. plate. If he accepts and makes them

kiss bim. But the principal ceremony is reserved for the repast, in which curds occupy a prominent place. When this part of the menu is reached the girls each choose one of the young harvestmen and endeavor to force him to

"Civil service reform has given us away," said Desk Sergeant Caffrey of a splendld army of civil servants. It wasn't always so." The speaker. "I sent a policeman-never mind Mayor Whitlock of Toledo, smiled. who he was-and soon he came back "When I was writing my first short king as red as a beet. stories," he resumed, "we had civil servants of a different stamp. An an wanted?' he said, after he had re- elderly resident of my native Urbana, back in those days, sought out his

"'Congressman,' he said, 'I support-"Her little girl had gone to the ed you at the polls, and now I expect

"'All right, friend,' the congressman answered. 'What can your boy

"'Do?' snorted the other. 'What can he do? By crinus! man, if he could

Feminine.

"What is Mrs. Green crying for?" "Mrs. Watson snubbed her in the

"But Mrs. Green doesn't speak Mrs. Watson, anyhow.

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More intelligent, enthusiastic men on the farm is a crying need in agriculture today. One century can show mo greater glory than the awakening the United States last year was than one-third of the merchandise entering the United States last year was of tropical products. With the grow-large of the farm. If this can ge generally accomplished it will be the biggest thing that ever happened. For great menting It will surpass any educational movement that has yet swept any country, as the final result would be a saving of human energy which would be of aven greater consequence than the conserving of our forests and miles, it will be a long while, how-level products brought fine in 1890, 298 million in 1990, 298 million in 1890, and 242 million-in-1880. The share which tropical and subtropical and subtropical products brought formed of the merchandise entering the united States is year was 40 per content of the country—will come into its own, for the acistocracy as in Europe will set it back."

The REED OF MORE HOGS

Other States Than Texas Concentration in Their Efforts.

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Daddy's Bedtime

Some Funny Questions



King"

ONG, long ago," said daddy one evening, "there was a bridge and a keeper who guarded the bridge. The king had given this man, who was all old soldier, the right to charge every one a peuny to go across the bridge. But the old soldier was a merry old soul, and he posted he entrance to the bridge a sign which said:

otice.—I do not need the money as much as I used to, so any one who to cross the bridge without paying a penny may do so if he can ask

are prone to overreach the bounds of cold facts. A good rule to follow is to read "boom" literature with the mind steeled against undue influence.

Many of the railroads have for some up at the entrance to the bridge a sign which said:

"Notice .- I do not need the money as much as I used to, so any one who wishes to cross the bridge without paying a penny may do so if he can ask me a question which I cannot answer.'

"The first man who came to cross the bridge read the sign and laughed until the bridgekeeper thought his sides would split. 'Ha, ha, ha!' said the man. 'That's a good one. Why, I was just wondering how I should get across the bridge, because I have no money. Here goes for the question: How many calves' tails would it take to reach from the earth to the sky?'

"'I give it up,' said the bridgekeeper after he had thought awhile "I thought that would stump you,' said the man. 'The answer is, "One,

if it is long enough." ' And he passed over the bridge, laughing. "The next person who read the sign was a young boy. He asked:

"'Why does a cow lie down?"

"'I never heard that one,' said the old soldier. "Tell me the answer." "'Because she cannot sit down,' said the boy, and he also went over the bridge free. "Soon all the people heard about the funny bridgekeeper and came to ask

him questions. One of the questions which he could not answer was: "'What kind of water is it that never freezes?' The answer to this was.

"Another question was, 'Who were the persons that made all and sold all, that bought all and lost all?' To which the answer was, 'A smith made an awl and sold it to a shoemaker, who lost it."

"One easy question which the bridgekeeper answered was, 'Why does a hen cross the road?' The answer was, 'Because she wants to get on the other side.

"After awhile the king himself heard of the bridgekeeper and his questions and came to ask him a question. Of course he dressed himself in poor clothes and did not tell the man he was the king. But the man knew him, and when the king asked. Why am I going to cross the bridge without paying you a penny and without asking you another question? the bridgekeeper answered, 'Recause you are the king.' And so the king laughed and paid his penny."

cent.

Nearly 100 miljon dollars, the tropical and subtropical merchandise entering continental United States as types came from our own islands. The total value of merchandise of the states and subtropical merchandise of the tropical and subtropical merchandise of the total value of merchandise of the states for pork and hog products. That the rajiroads be urged to continue their demonstration trains and them specialize on the industry. That agricultural college bulletin their hog-raising experiments.

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ment to the hour on a rightly conduction those of cotton, from less than 8 million and good a state to be longer compelled to endure the ramshackle old structure within whose walls our laws are made and from which the affairs of the state are directed.

It is the young, the new and the progressive element of the state that must take up this proposition and carry it through. The old skinflint element that it as opposed progression until the state is forty years behind to building in Jefferson City. Missour laws and doubled, from 6 million in 1910; also those of cotton, from less than 8 million in 1910; also those of cotton, from to 13 1-2 million date.

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HOW TO BUY A FARM.

years been very active in settling up the territory served by their lines and have organized departments which are devoted to the disconnection of the limits are long the server of the limits are long that the limits are long that limits devoted to the dissemination of relia-ble information and the investigation

conspicuously among these and many thousands of happy, prosperous families in the southwest attest to the real value of the assistance which the department is ready to give at all department is ready to give at all department.

sell. Its sole aim is to find those who are seeking locations which will yield gated and do not be persuaded to ingreater returns upon the labor expended, and suitable locations for such people. There can be no profit to the railroad from failures. The successful man is the only kind who to the railroad from failures. The successful man is the only kind who makes traffic for the transportation company, hence it is to the interest of the officials to supply the inquirers with facts and to protect him as fully as possible from all kinds of imposi-

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avoided. Unfortunately there are land agents whose consciences are so elastic that they distirbute literature painting things in a trifle brighter color than they really exist. The desire of some of these chaps to unload what they have is so strong that they are prope to overreach the bounds of something that is submerged and you you had better send somebody to re resent you who knows soil and ag something that is submerged and you will be in no danger of buying a sand hill on which not even wild cactus

will grow.
Twice each month Homeseekers and southwest. The limits are lo enough and the stop over priviles lieral enough to permit a careful of actual conditions.

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hay rake and rakes the field in windrows, vines and cucumbers ar

all. The vines and cucumbers or mel-ons are allowed to dry a month of more, depending on the weather, and

en from the pulp and dropping through the screen meshes into the seed box below. The pulp gradually works out of the cylinder through an

then the thrashing season begins

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Southwest Trail: In these days when land hunger is grawing at the vitals of men's purses it is a good plan to warn the owners of these same purses that there are pitfalls to be avoided. Unfortunately there are

The railroad itself has no lands to

various sections, with prices in many instances, are furnished and the ex-

ot me he saved enough time in a year, of you sing his automobile, to pay for it.

The question with the prospective buyer of a farm is, can I make it pay so as to be able to buy such luxuries as please my individual tastes? That depends a little on your tastes, of course. Some people have tastes that no income will meet. But if you will be content with a modern house, quipped in equally fine style with the reasonably well-to-do city man, ith a good plano, a library of standard works, such conveniences as the rooms with hot and cold make the says:

Texas Has No Fear of Running Ont of the colleng and is left on the ground. The seed drops into a seed box and as fast as a box is filled it is removed and the seeds washed clean of pulp that slipped through the meshes are then placed in drying vats and left in the gim. The same process is used in thrashing cantaloupes and water-melons except that the melons are come, have been issued by Dr. Wm. D. Phillips, director of the bureau of economic geology of the University of Texas.

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having thus also more than trebled in the period in question.

The principal articles forming this Minnesota experiment station, was the chief speaker. He said in part:

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ESTATE TO FOUR CHILDREN.

Big Rankin Estate Disposed of By Will, Worth Three Millions.

Taklo, Mo. Oct. 20.—David Rankin, 85 years old, the millionaire farmer of Northwest Missouri, who died at his home here late yesterday, left an estate of \$3,000,000, which will go to his two sons and two duaghters—W. F. Rankin, John A. Rankin, Mrs. J. H. Hanna and Miss Esther Rankin. The unmarried daughter made her Takio, Mo., Oct. 20 .- David Ran-

The unmarried daughter made her home with her father.

Few farmers—that is men who are truly farmers-were better known than David Rankin. He enjoyed good than David Rankin. He enjoyed good health up to the time of his death and gave personal attention to the operation of his "farm" of 25,640 acres in Atchison county, Mo., and Fremont county, Ia. The death on Sept. 22 last of his wife, was a severe shock and may have primarily caused his last sickness. Last week Mr. Rankin complained of illness, but thought that his plained of illness, but thought that his indisposition was trival. On Saturday, indisposition was trival. On Saturday, however, he suffered a stroke of paralysis and became of his advanced age, little hope was held out for his recovery. On Triesday two physicians were in constant attendance and at noon announced that it was doubtful if he would survive the day. At o'clock in the afternoon the end came peacefully.

It was said of Mr. Rankin that on his ranch in Northwest Missouri and

his ranch in Northwest Missouri and Southwest Iowa he produced grains sufficient to maintain a large army and furnished employment to a big body of tillers of the soil. It is probably true that no other man ever farmed so large a tract of land, lying together, or that anyone else ever met

TEXAS' GROWTH BATTLED WITH LION

Continued from Page One.

offered a bonus to secure the location of the line in Fort Worth and the bonus was accepted. About the same following quotations are furdaily by the Kansas City Reand Shippers association for nefit of Stock Van Dente Commercial center of North Technology commercial center of North Texas, Dallas was the logical point. With

Timothy—Choice, \$13.50@14; No. 1, \$12@13; No. 2, \$10@11; No. 2, \$7.50@10; No. 2, \$5@7.

Now clover—Choice, \$10.01; No. 1, \$150@12; No. 1, \$10.50@11; No. 2, \$7.50@10; No. 2, \$10@10; No. 2 the world. The cattle industry, too, was important, and a few of the big cattlemen took up with the new-fangled idea of shipping cattle by train instead of driving them across country in the long, expensive trail herd. The herds were driven across the entry to Fort Worth and loaded or freight cars here, for shipment to northern markets, while the fare banks, saloon and dance halls which made up the greater part of the busness activities of the place were kept rosperous by the visiting cowboys. As railroads had brought the town to existance, the early citizens con-nued to work for more lines. They lized that in this lay their only hope preventing the encroachment as, which was dangerously near more or less jealous. Railroad ding into the Southwest was a aphazard proceedings at best in that ty, and the committees from Fort orth were always successful in atof money contributed by the faro banks and the proprietors of saloons and dance halls, all of whom were dickering a little in real estate.

People Moved Away. In the latter part of the '90s, with a equiation of less than 30,000, the wn suffered from a general depres sion and financial panic, and in two years lost 4000 people, all of whom were thoroughly convinced that the town was going to the dogs. The 1900 census was taken with many upty houses and showed a total of

npanies of Swift and Armour inced their intention of establi efforts were successful and in the two plants were established bringing with them a number of or plants sent the population figures baring and for several years thou-ands of carpenters were kept busy.

Bonuses Bring Factories. Each year since then has seen the idition to some new factory, usually ought here by the offer of bonuses ad free factory sites, and the money en away by voluntary subscription

Of course the chief industry of the is and probably always will be, it is the cultured cow town of southwest and nine of every 10 of ine business houses have been built th cattle money. Old cattlemen, who the land was practically free for anywould look like a cattle brand directory of 30 years ago.

QUACK GRASS.

Wallaces' Farmer: We have had a good deal to say in times past about the methods of eradicating quack grass. In confirmation of our views we call attention to Circular 19 of the Wisconsin station e Wisconsin station.
The station recommends fallowing

without crop on large areas infested with quack grass, provided the soil is ot too wet; also cultivation between lowings to prevent all leaf growth. It secommends the sprig-tooth harrow as the best tool for this purpose; and that if there is any danger of weeds remaining, the field should be planted corn the next year and thoroughly

With most of this we agree. We have had no personal experience with his weed, as it is not much of a pest in the latitude in which we have been ming, however, serious a pest it y be in the latitude of northern a, in Minnesota and Wisconsin. We ve the best way is to plow the nd deep, say eight inches, after ground deep, say eight inches, after the quack grass has had a start, and then cultivate. Perhaps the springtooth harrow is the best tool, although the disk may be made quite effective. Cultivate in such a way that there will be no leaf growth. This means that there will be no crop grown on the land that summer. Instead of planting to corn, however, as the station recommends, we would seed to fall rye in the extreme northern section, and to

than pays for the loss of one year's crop. This we believe to be correct, on the testimony of men who have tried this method.

northern lowa or Minnesota, who are distressed by quack grass, should al-low it to run them off their farms, or to decrease the selling value of their land twenty to thirty dollars an acre, or to make it impossible to rent it at anything like the full price, if at all. No renter should rent a farm badly infested with quack grass unless the landlord will give him a lease for sevenal years and on such terms as will allow him to lose the crop one sum-mer and give him opportunity to take

GREAT TEA IMPORTATION. Seattle, Wash.—Tea importations consisting of 10,000 half chests, valned at more than \$250,000, arriving right to the very top. What a splen placed by Rough, who was purchased at this port within a week, mark Se- did view there is from the summit! from the kennels of Mrs. Richard together, or that anyone else ever met together, or that anyone else ever met attle as the greatest tea importing port of the United States except New and deservedly so as David Rankin of Tarkio.

Tarkio. which arrived within a day or two of In Massachusetts last year there wer 306 working days, and the average time lost through shutdowns, teoppages for repairs, suspensions, etc., amounted to 12.46 Mays for each comes in pasteboard boxes with glass lids, wrapped in long rolls of the tea leaves and tied with sikl ribbons,

HOW FOX TERRIER WON ANI-

Dog Follows "King of the Jungles" into Forest, Emerges Hanging on to its Tail-Natives Award Canine Hide.

East Africa.

graph pictures of wild animals.

trying to obtain pictures of the killing the biped. of a lion by native spearmen. Two lions had been located in some sorub. The average man's endurance of fa- from Judge Landis.

brief intervals we heard the weak but off as a man draws water out of a fat. Judging from the composition

of the lion belongs, according to local endurance tests largely by will power. custom, not to the warrior whose spear inflicts a fatal wound, but to the man who first rushes in and cuts off the black tip from the tail.

Prayers by Phone.

formerly a resident in the west and very like his mother. Fanny W. and the land was practically free for anyone who wanted to take it, in the past
few years have been selling off their
land and moving here to build expensive homes and buy up bank stock.
Fort Worth's Quality Hill directory

many other young mothers, and that

the mother of two fine boys, both under five years of age. Now, it ap
pears that in their education the
proud mother employs a system like
many other young mothers, and that she is most careful to adhere to any We laughed and thought that we had rule she may have formulated for been more distinguished by the saucy

startled expression. "Mercy me!" she exclaimed. "I -we blush to record it-was 28. have forgotten those boys. May ?

use your phone?" This permission being accorded, the

young mother left the table. In a few minutes she returned, saying: "I must really beg your pardon; but you know I have always insisted that Tom and Harry say their prayers for me before they go to sleep. In the hurry of getting off tonight I quite forgot my usual duty So I just called up the nurse and she brought them to the phone, so that they might say their prayers to me over the wire. I feel much - re-

Artists Have Such Troubles. The pupils in a public school were on one occasion during a drawing lesson placed before a model, and told to

sketch as they saw. The results were amusingly varied. Some of the youngsters' drawings bore resemblance to a human being in repose; others looked much like wooden dolls. One little girl had drawn the model standing in front of the chair that had been placed upon the plat-

"Oh, Lily, Lily!" exclaimed the discouraged teacher, as she examined this effort. "Didn't I say, 'Draw Marie as you see her?"

"Yes, ma'am." "Well, is she standing in front of the chair?"

"No, ma'am. She's sitting in it."

when you rang the bell."

Of Sourse She Was There. the Rhine?

continental trip)-I should think so; vania. Upon Bobby's death he was re-

Her Foresight.

"What is she doing? and mourning garments." "Isn't that a queer combination?" ing a wealthy young aviator."

HUMAN BODY LIKE DYNAMO

Not a Storage Battery, Writer Says, but Manufactures its Energy According to Demand.

I have long been convinced that the well-trained human body is a dynamo or magneto which manufactures its energy according to the demand, and does not, like a storage battery, contain fixed quantity of stored-up energy or power, a writer in the Forum says. A little reflection upon Simba, the plucklest fox terrier in the great adaptability of the body to the world and the only dog of its many varying conditions of existence breed which has ever tackled a full tends strongly to confirm this view. grown lion "single-handed," will be It is well known that no other animal returning to London, her birthplace, can exist under such a variety of cliduring the next few days from British mates and conditions, and upon such a diversity of foods, as man. But it The story of how Simba fought the is not so well known, for example, lion was told by Cherry Kearton, the that no other animal possesses the dog's master, who has just returned endurance and capacity for labor from the Kenia district of British East which man possesses. Yet it is in-Africa with a number of cinemato conceivable that any other animal than man could have performed Mr. Simba is an ordinary fox terrier, of Weston's task in the time he accomno special value from a breeder's plished it. Whenever a horse's endupoint of view. Simba's fight with the rance has been tried against man's, lion took place when Mr. Kearton was the victory has seemed to lodge with

lions had been located in some scrubs, tigue, like his endurance of heat and and 20 Masai warriors, with spears, cold, fasting and feasting, great exerwere ready to attack. The lioness, tion and absolute rest, can be almost however, escaped, and the male lion, indefinitely increased. The only satafter appearing for a moment, bolted isfying explanation of this phenomeinto a dried river bed and refused to non is the preponderating influence of his spiritual nature. Man can train "Simba," said Mr. Kearton, "darted his body to do his bidding to a deinto the donga, and within a few sec gree hitherto considered impossible, onds we heard a tremendous roar and evidently far beyond the capacity which seemed to shake the ground, of a brute. The body, when properand the bushes within 12 yards of us ly trained, manufactures the energy were violently agitatetd. The lion it needs as it expends it. Our energy reared again and again, and in the is not stored up within us to be drawnvery furious yapping of the dog. The cask, nor is our so-called vitality a Masai stood, every nerve tingling fixed quantity. Great bodily strength, huge muscles and a deep chest do not "Suddenly the lion dashed through necessarily indicate endurance, or a a little clearing, and we were amazed capacity for a long-sustained exertion. to see Simba hanging on with her These attributes merely indicate the teeth embedded in its tail. Three muscular and osseous foundations spears were hurled at the escaping upon which an athlete's prowess may beast with such accuracy that they all be developed. Man trains himself to transfixed the heart and the lion fell great physical or mental efficiency by dead. You must know that the skin practice and care. He succeeds in

A Historic Flirtation.

It seems an awful thing, but here is "Two of the three spearmen dashed the circumstance on record that into the donga, but they found Simba Louisa M. Alcott, the sainted author with the black tip still between her of Little Women, once publicly flirted teeth, resolutely determined to oppose with Edward VII! The fact comes any hostile claim. The spearmen, who out in Mrs. Bella Mose's book, "Louisa were lost in admiration, agreed that May Alcott Dreamer and Worker." the skin belonged by right of seizure There is a passage in the book which to Simba, and they handed it over contains Miss Alcott's personal aclater to my wife as trustee for the count of the incident; it refers to the time when the late king, then Prince of Wales, made his famous visit to this country. "I went to Boston," Miss Alcott relates, "and saw the Prince of At a small dinner the guest of Wales trot over the common with his honor was a young married woman, train at review-a yellow-haired laddle the mother of two fine boys, both un | | nodded and waved as he passed and wink than by a stately bow. Boys are Early in the dinner and during an always folly-even princes." By the animated conversation with her host way, this incident occurred in 1860, ess the young mother suddenly ceased when the Prince of Wales was 19 to speak and her face took on a years old and consequently quite a broth of a boy, and when Miss Alcott

> They All Do It. Said the woman who hadn't time to eat to the woman who hadn't time to

> breathe: "What a nuisance the fanitor is when in a talkative mood. He made me waste fifteen precious minutes this morning by holding me up and telling how his eye happened to be gouged

The breathless woman made frantic labs with her pencil and eyed the block with deadly suggestiveness.

"He was moving a piano," said the anitor's victim, passing her own mar- kept. byrdom along mercilessly. "He had hold of one end and two men had hold of the other end, and they tilted it back till one corner struck him right n the eye, and they just kept on push-

Margaret Deland and Her Dogs. Mrs. Deland's fondness for pets extends beyond the vegetable kingdom "Then why didn't you draw her sit and includes three bobtailed sheep dogs. The eldest of these rejoices in "I hadn't got to it," explained Lily, various appellations. When he is clean "I was just going to bend her down his mistress calls him "Ruffles;" when he is fighting she calls him "Ruffan;" when covered with dust and dried mud he becomes "Rough Scuff;" on ordinary occasions he is merely "Rough," Mrs. Robinson-And were you up His owner received her first dog of this species-a ane specimen called Miss Nurich (just returned from a Bobby-from her brother in Pennsyl-Harding Davis. He has now two playfellows, dubbed Gibble and Bella, though the latter also answers to the name of Girlie. It is evident that Mar-"Selecting her wedding trousseau garget Deland writes from experience when, in her charming book of essays, called "The Common Way," she "Not in her case. She is marry bpeaks a few words concerning "lov-

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PACKERS GET DELAY IN TRIAL

It Is Believed They Will Seek Change of Venue From Judge Landis.

Ohicago, Oct. 21.—That the packers now facing trial before Federal Judge Landis on a charge of violating the Sherman anti-trust law would ask a change of venue was clearly indicated today when Attorney Levi Mayer made an argument for his clients and said that they were not ready to enter their pleas. their pleas.

The court gave permission to file their pleas by Dec. 10, if the pleas of the defendants were either to be "guilty" or "not guilty," but if any other plea was to be made the answer should be made by Nov. 17. If the packers are to demur to the indictments the court set a date of Nov. 25 ments the court set a date of Nov. 25, when this sort of action could be made. It is believed certain that the will ask for a shange of venue

SUGAR BEETS FOR HOGS.

Wyoming correspondent Wallaces' Farmer: "Will you please give me the relative value of sugar beets and corn for fattening hogs. The hogs are on alfalfa. Corn is worth \$1.30 per hundreweight, and beets \$5 per ton." Sugar beets are not valuable feed for fattening hogs. Their composion is much the same as silage, co taining as they do in every 190 pounds
1.1 pounds of protein, 19.2 pounds o
carbohydrates and .1 of a pound o
fat. Corn is over seven times as rich protein, six times as rich in carbo 300 pounds of corn should be equiva-lent as a fattening food to a ton of sugar beets. Sugar beets, however, have a value due to their palatability and succulence, which their composi-tion does not indicate; but their great bulk makes them rather an unsuitable feed for the limited digestive system

Actual experiments indicate that sugar beets can not have any large place in the fattening hog ration. At the Indiana station, two lots of hogs were fed, one cornmeal, shorts and sugar beets, the other cornmeal and shorts. A little over 50 per cent of the first ration was made up of sugar beets. In ninety-eight days the first lot made an average gain per pig of 95 pounds, while the second lot, without sugar beets, made an average gain of 110 pounds. With corn at 80 cents a hundred, shorts at 75 cents a hundred and sugar beets at \$4 a ton, the cost which was fed sugar beets amounted to \$3.20. For the lot which received no sugar beets, the cost was \$2.93. In this experiment, at the prices quoted it did not pay to feed sugar beets to fattening hogs. Actual experiments indicate that su-

at did not pay to feed sugar beets to fattening hogs!

In a Danish experiment, a ration of barley and dairy refuse was compared with a ration of barley, dairy refuse adn sugar beets—the sugar beets making up one-half of the ration. The latter ration proved to be almost, but not quite, equal to the first. Four or five pounds of sugar beets were found to pounds of sugar beets were found t be about equal to a pound of barley The Danes concluded that 40 per cen of the hog ration may advantageously be made up of sugar beets. Judging from this experiment, we would say that five or six pounds of sugar beets should be about equal to one nound of orn, when not fed in greater amounts han fifty per cent of the ration, for

fattening hogs.
Returning to the Indiana experiment, quoted above, we find that by using our correspondents' prices of \$1.30 per hundredweight for corn and \$5 per ton for beets, the cost of 100 pounds of gain on the lot fed sugar beets, corn and shorts would have been practically the same as that of the lot fed corn and shorts alone. Nevertheless, the advantage would still be with the lot fed no sugar beets, since somewhat more rapid gains

It is doubtful, even under the conditions of our correspondent, where corn is relatively high and sugar beets cheap if it would pay to feed sugar beets in any large quantities to fat-teinng hogs. Under corn belt conditions, feeding large quantities of su-gar beets to fattening hogs would cer-tainly not be justifiable. For brood sows, however, sugar beets may often be used to good advantage in bringing them through the winter in the best of shape. If hog raisers appreciated the value of beets and mangels for brood sows during the winter and up to farrowing time, they would be raised on every farm where sows as

WHAT'S IN McCLURE'S

The opening of an important serie The Masters of Capital in America,

by John Moody and George Kibb Turner, heads the list of articles, it n the eye, and they just kept on pushing and pushing until the eye was alean gone."

Then followed a ten minutes' description, punctuated by impatient lighs and groans from the listener, of the subsequent treatment of the injured eye.

"And for fifteen solid minutes of the busiest day of my life," the narrator concluded, "I was compelled to stop and listen to that. I don't see how people can be so inconsiderate of other propers time, do you?"

"And sold y and George Kibbe and George Moch and George Kibbe and George Kibbe and George Moch and George Kibbe and George Moch and George M has written a complete account of the Barcelona riots, the desecration of the convents, etc., and the situation between the government and the church. His article on "Ferrer and the Barcelona Rjots" contains all the evidence on the subject that has been unearthed since the execution. Rich and Gadke, Colonel in the Prussian army, contributes an article, on "Peace and Disarment," and Yoshio Markino, the son of a Japanese nobleman, who came to America for an education, has written a unique account of "My Experiences in San Francisco."
The fiction includes "Molly," by
George Pattullo, "The Governor's
Lady." by Avery Abbott, a Giovanna
story by Amanda Mathews, "Truth's
Advocate," by Julia C. Dox, and Per-Advocate," by Julia C. Dox, and Per-ceval Gibbon contributes another "Adventure of Miss Gregory.

Japan has a great number of waterfalls which would be of material value in the development of the country, but the reason these valuable sources of power are not being developed is because of the danger of arthquakes, which is constantly confronting the people of this country. More than once within recent years have steps been taken with the view of constructing dams in order that given warning of the danger of such a the proposed improvement.

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