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Official Receipts, 1 Car, 21 Cattle: 21 Cars, 1450 Hogs; 6 Cars, 1704 Sheep.

SMALL CATTLE RUN TODAY

Market Finishes in Better Condition Than Week Ago, Out-

Active Demand For All Kinds of She and Lambs Higher.

Receipts from January 1, 1910. The following table shows the re-ceipts from January 1, 1910, and re-ceipts for the corresponding time in 1809:

1910 1909 Dec. Cattle... 564,788 500,273 26,540 dogs...1,336,794 1,694,819 358,025 theep... 552,909 619,518 66,904 iorace... 27,409 28,194 4,215

The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets: 19,600 82,100 18,900 8,900 29,700

G. R. I. P.
Great Western
Missouri Pacific
St Joseph & Grand Island
A. T. & S. F.

CATTLE.

Pretty Good Tone.

mates made this morning. ing points has fallen off somewhat compared with the previous week. At the points the total for the week is short supply for an indefinite time. 101,000 and shows a decrease of 16,-000 compared with last week and 32. week and the total is about the same year which was on November 25. as for the corresponding week last ness and fluctuation in the market of 24,047 last week, 25,345 a month ago the week but the finish finds trade in 18,933 a year ago, 41,115 two years a very good and apparently encourag- ago, 52,764 three years ago and 22, ing condition. During the fore part 533 four years ago. of the week there was some decline fully recovered all show of earlier de-

For the week the supply of fat at \$8.10 @ 8.30, two years ago at \$5.60 steers has been proportionally larger @ 5.90, three years ago at \$4.35@ 4.45, than for the previous week and naturally with the advance of the winter feeding season the cattle are getting better right along. The result has been some improvement in the be more sales that have been at higher figures than last week. Although the line of long fed steers, there have been more cattle selling at \$6.00 and better than for some time with the top for the week being \$6.50 for som well fattened beeves weighing close to 1600 pounds. There have been quite number of steers of medium to strong weight here during the week that have sold at \$6.00@6.40 and the bulk of the fat steers have been sell ing in a range of \$5.50@6.15 common light killers going at \$4.50@ 5.25.

The market for the closing weel of the year and a holiday week at that | Morris & Co......... 324 has been a very good one and there has been no reason to complain of the outlet. Conditions are considered such that the first days of the new year should see trade in active conyear should see trade in active condition with the present basis of prices well maintained unless there should be an unlooked for run of stock for the first market week of 1911.

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

Range of Frica.

This Week Last Week

Monday ... 7, 70 @7 80 17.50 @7.55

Tuesday ... 7.80 @7.90 7.50 @7.85

Thursday ... 7.65 @7.85 7.62 %7.85

Friday ... 7 67%@7.80 7.65 @7.85

Saturday ... 7.67%@7.80 7.65 @7.85

Saturday ... 7.75 @1.85 7.60 @7.77

In the cow and heifer lib the mar-t has been a good one as a rule and and prices for everything in this line i dead.

at the close of last week. During first days of the week there was some tendency to drag in this branch of the trade and some weakness was noted but this has all disappeared and the tendency in prices has been upward for closing days except for a little weakness shown late Thursday in the market for helfers. As with steers billed direct to packers and as everythe progress of the winter is resulting thing was disposed of yesterday, there that has been getting plenty of corn and the standard of quality has been raised. A good many helfers are now selling up above the \$5.00 mark and ows have sold up to \$5.25 during the week. The bulk of she stock, how-ever, is selling below the \$5.00 mark

BEST STEERS THIS WEEK 6.50

Good to choice fat heifers are quotable at \$4.90 @ 5.60; bulk are selling at \$4.40 @ 4.75, and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00. Best cows sell up as high as \$5.25 and over but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$3.50 @ 4.00 many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$4.00 many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$4.00 many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$4.00 many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$4.00 many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$4.00 many coming that sell above \$4.75 and common kinds at about \$4.75 and common k ranging down as low as \$3.25 and un- supplies on succeeding days of the

the calf market and top yeals are now prices slumped a dime but even with marked up to \$8.50. This is the first this decline prices are closing around hog cholera serum. An agent of the change that has been noted in the 15 to 25 cents higher as compared college has gone to the Kansas City Stock, Prices Higher For Week- marked up to \$8.50. This is the first this decline prices are closing around Not Enough Stock Cattle Coming to calf market in the past month so far with the close last week. Country Demand-Hogs as applies to top veals. Heavy calves that carry stocker quality have been choice, \$5.85@6.25; native sheep and

> fered. There was a good demand for 4.00; good to choice ewes, \$3.50@ these and they were all cleaned up 3.75; fair to good ewes, \$3.25@3.50; inside of an hour after the market fed western sheep and lambs, good to opened. Prices showed little change choice lambs, \$6.00@6.35; fed western sheep and lambs, \$6.00@6.35; fed western sheep and the sheep and compared with yesterday.

good active strong trade in this di- choice, handyweights, \$4.75.65.25; closing quotations. Supplies have good wethers, \$3.90@4.00; good to been light, owing to the healthy condition of the beef cattle trade, specu
good wethers, \$3.90@4.00; good to \$1,129,000, indicating an activity in the money market and n various lines of endeavor to the extent that people where the rainfall is 50 inches or lators being forced to bid well up with packer buyers in order to get cattle. The demand for cattle of all weights from the country is still keen and yard traders have little to complain from lack of outlet; in fact, it is just the reverse, buyers claiming there ports. is not enough thin cattle coming in

to meet the demand. Receipts by Cara.

The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by railroads centering at the stock yards:

Good to choice feeding steers are quotable at \$4.75 @ 5.50; medium to good grades \$4.25 @ 4.75; good to fancy stock steers \$4.50 @ 5.25, and common roads centering at the stock yards:

C., B. & Q., west

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Stock steers \$4.50 @ 5.25, and common to fair \$3.75 @ 4.50; stock helfers \$3.75 @ 4.25 for fair to strictly good kinds, stock cows \$3.00 @ 3.50, and stock calves \$4.25 @ 5.50.

Total 89 Final Market For Year In Strong

Tone, Bulk 5 Cents Higher. It was another short market today \$7.75@7.80. and the year finished with a strong Final Week of Year Finds Market In tone to the trade. Supplies were light at all points and under a good emand there not much trouble cattle did not create any change in to 5 cent higher basis compared with market conditions. Final figures for the trade of yesterday and the supply the year in round numbers are 565,- of less than 2000 was soon consumed at this advance. This closes the marwith last year. Outlook for the first ket around a nickel higher than the week of the new year favors quite finish one week ago and in good liberal supplies, according to esti- strong tone at the prices. The first days of the new year are looked for-The week has brought out a small ward to with a little uncertainty a increase in the supply of cattle at the to the probable receipts, but as to the local market but the total at the lead- winter supply the concensus of opin-

On a basis of closing prices toda the market for the year closes \$3.00@ 000 less than for the same week last 3.10 lower than the high time of the year. At the local market there is an year which was on March 28, but 85 increase of 700 compared with last cents higher than the low spot of the For the week the total of hogs at the local market was 19,900 against car,

For the five markets the total wa noted in prices for fat steers, al- 225,600 against 289,400 last week, though there has been no time when 302,900 a month ago, 200,500 a year there was not a ready outlet for the ago, 385,400 two years ago, 425,500 supplies and for finishing days there three years ago and 243,100 four has been a stronger turn that has years ago.

Prices ranged from \$7.75@7.85 cline and the market is closing with with the bulk selling at \$7.75@7.80 steer prices fully strong to around 15 The bulk yesterday sold at \$7.70@ cents higher than at the close of last 7.75, a week ago at \$7.70@7.75, a month ago at \$7.20@7.25, a year ago

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	291.						
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	249.						
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	305.						
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Odds, Ends and Wagon Hogs.

Packers' Hog Purchases, Hammond Packing Co.....

Pity is for the living, envy is for the

SHEEP.

Nothing On Sale Today, Market Closing Higher For the Week.

Receipts of live mutton at this point this morning was estimated at consisting of six doubles of western was nothing on sale.

For the week supplies are just about half of what was received at the same time last week, a total count o the receipts so far this week giving a aggregate of 5,566 as compared with 11,660 for the same time the previous with the major portion of sales ranging between \$4.25 and \$5.90. The market is in good condition at the market is in good condition at the Good to choice fat helfers are quot- the like period a week ago and 109,900 week these prices have been well sus-There has been a stronger turn in tained as a rule. However, today

Native sheep and lambs, good to that carry stocker quality have been strong sellers all week. There is a good outlet for bulls and prices are strong.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.
There was not enough supplies here this morning to establish a market, only a few odds and ends being of
to 5 Cents Higher—Sheep
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\$5.85 @ 6.25; native sheep and lambs, \$4.50 pigs are worth for this work, as in bleeding the cut is made at the end of the live pigs tail and the longer the tail the more ine strong.

\$5.85 @ 6.25; native sheep and lambs, \$4.50 pigs are worth for this work, as in bleeding the cut is made at the end of the live pig's tail and the longer the tail the long ern lambs, fair to good, \$5.50@ 6.00; Conditions have been favorable for a fed western yearling wethers, good to higher as compared with last week's choice wethers, \$4.10@4.35; fair to

OTHER LIVESTOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO.
CHICAGO. Union Stock Yards, III.,
Dec. 31.—The Live Stock World re-Cattle-Receipts, 300. Hogs-Receipts, 9000.

strong to 5c higher, closing weak. Top \$8.00, bulk \$7.85@7.95. Sheep-Receipts, 1000.

KANSAS CITY. Mo., I Special to The Journal: The Droyers
Telegram reports:
Cattle—Receipts, 1000. Market minal.

Hors-Receipts, strong to 50 higher. Top \$7.85, bulk Sheep-Receipts, none.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 31.-Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal-Stockman reports:

Hogs-Receipts, 4200. Market 5c higher. Top \$7.90, bulk \$7.60@7.85. Sheep-Receipts, 100.

EAST ST. LOUIS.
EAST ST. LOUIS. National Stock
Yards, Ill., Dec. 31.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Res porter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 300. Market

Hogs-Receipts, 3000. Market 5c higher. Top \$8.10, bulk \$7.90@8.00. Sheep-Receipts, none.

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET Today's cans values: Receipts wheat, 1 car; corn, 7 cars; oats, 0

		Willeas.			
No.	2	red	98	@	99 1/2
No.	3	red	95	0	96
No.	2	hard	90	@	98
No.	3	hard	89	0	95
		Corn.	•		W. 15.15
No.	2	white	41%	0	42
No.	3	white	41	0	41 1/4
No.	2	corn	41 1/2	0	42
No.	3	corn	41	@	41 %
		Onts.			
No.	2	white	32	@	33
No.	3	white	31	0	32
No.	2	oats	30 1/2	0	31 1/2
No.	3	oats	29 1/2	1	30 1/2
Cor	n	chops	96	0	97
Bra	n		85	0	86
Sho	rte		1 07	@1	15
T	he	above cash quot	ations	are	based

on actual sales each day and are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby-Forsee Building, St. Jo-

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.
The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T.
P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New CorbyForsee Building, St. Joseph, Mo.

Options	Open-	High-	Low-	Close	Close Yes'y
HEAT— Dec May	92% 96%	9234 9736	92% 96%	92% 96%	9234 9634
Dec May	47% 48%	47% 48%	46 48¾	4634 483%	47%
ATS- Dec	3134	31% 34%	81 83%	3134	31¾ 84½
DRK- Jan May			19.60 18.70		19.55 18.70
Jan May	10 52 10 17	10.25	10.45	10.45 10.29	10.42
Jan May			10.27		

A man may have no bad habits and

ST. JOSEPH HAY MARKET. Local Quotations Corrected to Date by Local Desices

No. 3, \$6.50 @ 9.50. Clover mixed—Choice, \$11.50 @ 12; No. 1, \$10.50 @ 11; No. 2, \$7.50 @ 10; No. 3, \$5 @ 7. Clover—Choice, \$10 @ 11; No. 1, \$8.50 @ 9.50; No. 2, \$7 @ 8. Prairie—Choice, \$11.50 @ 12; No. 1, \$10 @ 11; No. 2, \$8 @ 9.50; No. 3, \$5.50

WANTS LONG-TAIL PIGS.

Agricultural College After Animals for Production of Cholera Serum.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 31.-The Kan sas Agricultural college is demanding long-tailed pigs today in increasing Stock Yards to buy a special consign-

ment of "long tails." The longer the tails the more the

MISSISSIPPI BANKS PROSPEROUS. Jackson, Miss.-In twelve months, from November 15, 1909, to November 16, 1910 the 331 state banks of Mississipp have increased their total resources \$8,790.000. Loans and dis counts have increased \$5,636,000. In- Kansas leads in this feature. vision of the trade and at the close good to choice yearling wethers, today rices were from 10 to 15 cents heavy weights, \$4.40 @ 4.65; good to have increased \$7,575,000, while time erly we produce large crops in discertificates & deposit have decreased tricts where the rainfall is less than preferred to have their money availa- more, because the distribution (of the

> BIG MONEY FROM ALFALFA. Topeka, Kan.—Postmaster A. K. there until it can be put into the Rodgers is quoted as follows concerning a story told by a joryman: "He said that out in Phillips county there vation of moisture is in the plowing to the treasur is a whow who rented thirty-eight You must know when and how to in circulation. falfa to the value of \$32 an acre, or best condition to hold the moisture. better than \$1200 for the entire tract. According to the Wall street system summer fallow only for districts that According to the Wall street system summer fallow only for districts that of figuring the net earnings the land have 20 inches of rainfall, or less. He Thus it would yield 5 per cent net imcome. But it isn't worth that much,

nor anything near that much."

GOES INTO APPLE CULTURE. Cotter, Ark .-- C. B. Amis of this place is putting out a 10-acre apple wealthy wheat buyer of Russell. Saskatchewan, Canada. Mr. Clow spent several months here and is well im-Market pressed with this portion of the state as a fruit country. He intends returning in the spring to arrange for setting out a still larger commercial orhighest reward at the Joplin Tristate Fair recently for grafted apples. The apples exhibited were from a small

orchard in Cotter. TO RECLAIM 150,000 ACRES. the Colorado - Wyoming Reservoir Company, which was recently incorporated in htis city with \$800,000 capital, have plans well matured for an irrigation system which will re-claim 150,000 acres of land in Jackson county, near the Colorado-Wyoming border. The incorporators of the company are members of the law firm of McLaughlin & Hubbard, which has offices in the Kittredge building. The plans are said to include the construction of a reservoir capable of im-

pounding 192,000 acre feet of water. LAND DEAL OVER \$500,000. Houston, Texas .- The purchase of 48,199 acres of rich land in the parish of Calasieu, La., by F. A. Ogden, of Chicago, presents one of the last milestones in the development of the great acreage of the Nort Ameran Land and Timber Company in that parish. The purchase price was upward of \$500,000, and in addition to the half million dollars that were exchanged for the bare dirt, another quarter of a million dollars will be expended before the purchaser will be able to reap the benefits of his owner-

GREAT PIPE LINE FINISHED. Pipe Line Company of this city has just completed a pipe line which extends from the Iola cement plants to the famous "Hog Shooter" field in Oktahoma, the line including 120 Preceding week. 530,000 miles of pipe. The completion of the from the great Oklahoma field.

TWO MILLION TIMBER DEAL

the timber lands which lie in the co ranges of Glenn and Tchama counties have been purchased by a Chicago which 163,900 acres are sold for a price said to be over \$2,000,000. Dr. C. P. Perrin, the Finnell brothers and other small owners are the other pa

The following quotations are furnished daily by the st. Joseph Hay Receivers and Shippers association for the benefit of stock Yards Daily Journal readers:

Timothy—Choice, \$14@14.50; No.

1. \$13@13.50; No. \$, \$10.50@12.50; No. \$, \$5.50@9.50.

Clover mixed—Choice, \$11.50@12.

Dry Farm Plans.

SUCCESS HAS BEEN PROVEN

Crops Now Produced On Rainfall That Ten Years Ago Was Considered Inadequate to Produce a Crop-Proper Place to Begin Conservation Is In Plowing of the Soil-Then Follow By Careful Culture.

Manhattan, Kan., Dec. 31.-W. M. Jardine, professor of agronomy in the state agricultural college, speaking at the state Farmers' institute here on 'Conservation of Moisture," said: "We now produce profitable crops where the rainfall, ten years would have been believe insufficient.

ble for opportunities and use rather rainfall) makes it impossible to prothan tied up at a low rate of interest duce what might be expected unless ture into the soil, but of keeping it

"The proper place to begin conseracres of land that was in alfalfa for plow. You must know your soil as half the crop, and her share of the the live stock breeder knows his anicrop sold for \$16 an acre, or a total mals. Sandy soil requires different of \$608 rent for the thirty-eight acres. treatment than clay. Good plowing. That me nt that the land produced al- good tilling puts the, ground into the Professor Jardine recommended the should be worth about \$320 an acre. urged particularly, the importance of without manuring the land. should grow legumes, such as clover. alfalfa, beans and cow peas. Good stock. He should sow cow peas after tional. the wheat and plow them under. And

the right time. If the farmers would appointive or elective body. the work for Mr. Clow, received the pay attention to these things, he said, it would require no extraordinarily WEDS A BRIDE OF FOURTEEN large amount of labor and the acre Replying to questions from the audience. Professor Jardine said that 8

inches is about the right depth to plow, about 10 inches is better if power were obtainable. After wheat, double disk the ground and sow cow peas in June. Cow peas

are the best drouth resistant crop Plowing 8 inches deep in the western end of the state was advised in

reply to a question. Pack always af-

ter spring plowing. WESTERN PACKING.

Special reports to the Cincinnati Price Current show the number of hogs packed since March 1 at undermentioned places compared with last

Nov. 1 to Dec. 28.	-1910.	1909.
Chicago	965,000	1,065,00
Kansas City	400,000	235.00
South Omaha	225,000	215,00
St. Louis	350,000	380,00
St. Joseph	210,000	280 00
Indianapolis	223,000	278.00
Milwaukee	122,000	80,00
Cudahy	78,000	88,00
Cincinnati	107,000	106.00
Ottumwa, Ia	80,000	90,00
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	78,000	89,00
Sioux City, Ia	120,000	105,00
St. Paul, Minn	160,000	125,00
Cleveland, O	125,000	125,00
Louisville, Ky	25,000	34,00
Wichita, Kan	75,000	120,00
Detroit	80,000	88.00
Nebraska City	17,000	43,00
Above and all		
other4	,060,000	4,500.00
For the week		480.00
man address on hale		204 01

TOTAL LIVE STOCK MOVEMENT. The following table indicates the great thing for Iola, as the decreasing round total of receipts of cattle, hogs supply of gas in this immediate field and sheep at five leading markets for will be re-enforced by millions of feet the week ended today, together with aggregate totals and comparisons:

Chicago 48,800	110,000	34,00
Kansas City 25,500	.27,100	18,00
Omaha 11,800	26,600	16,40
St. Joseph 9,300	19,900	6,60
St. Louis 12,500	36,000	12,80
Total this wk. 102,900	225,600	107,80
Total last wk . 118,100	289,400	164,50
Total mo. ago.152,800	302,900	245,50
Year ago 133.000	170,800	109.90

Two yrs ago .. 77,200 240,000 77,600 do

REPORT OF FORESTER.

Cause and Prevention of Fires Are Decreased Fully.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Foerst fires, their destructiveness, cause and prereport of Henry F. Graves, chief forester, made public today. He says nost important consideration is their string of porkers. protection from fire.

"In a forest fully organized with of rangers and guards, the risk from hogs. fire is very small," he said. "In foreign countries in which forests are so organized, the risk is so small that the forests are insurable at a moderate rate.'

fires, Mr. Graves says that 84 per Troy, Kan., represented the sunflower the "lack of preventive care on the hogs. parts of the users of the forests and of the railroads traversing them." He says the railroads, realizing the forest fires are against their own interin co-operating to prevent them. He suggests that the railroads be required either to use efficient spark arresters or burn oil.

Four per cent of the fires for 1909 were from incendarism and 12 per today. cent from lightning.

FLOOD OF CHRISTMAS COINS

Millions in Dimes, Quarters and Halves Leave Circulation,

Washington, Dec. 31 .- The flood of small coins which the mints ground out for the Christmas trade has beago gun to find its way back to the vauts of the treasury where it will lie until another holiday shopping season. Some 20,000,000 in all, in dimes, quarters and halves, are coming Washington by express. Stores hustle the coins to the banks and the banks or It is being redeemed mostly in silver

certificates. Christmas this year made a new the soil is properly tilled. It is not For three weeks preceding Christmas only a question of getting the mois-Where the pennies all went to no one

ALL LAWS CONSTITUTIONAL?

Former Chief Justice Says Rulings to Contrary Not Right.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Dec. 31.-In a speech before the Oklahoma Bar Asrotating crops. Little could be done, sociation here, Frank Doster, former he said, if farmers try to crop forever whief justice of the supreme court of They Kansas, questions the right of the supreme court, either of the United the soil. The farmer must have live of the national congress, unconstitu- Hundreds of Visitors Attracted to

above all, plow at the right time.

Kansas, Professor Jardine said, is such power been "assumed" by country but the United States has thirty-second in yield of wheat, chief- court, and quotes Chief Justice Clark ly because the farmers do not pay of the supreme court of North Caroenough attention to the opportune lina, who says that an act of the peotime; the doing of the right thing at ple cannot be declared void by any

Columbia Young Couple Elope to Kansas City, Kan,

Mrs. Herbert Haden, 20 and 14 years eleomargarine that is turned out by old, where married in Kansas City, the packing plant. Kan., Monday, Opal Ballenger, the oung daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ballenger, came to Columbia Satur- House. day evening ostensibly to visit her grandmother, Mrs. James Finley, on Williams street. Herbert Haden, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haden of Columbia, also came into Columbia Saturday, and he and his sweetheart went to Kansas City, Kan., where they were married, returning to Columbia Monday afternoon. young people live on adjoining farms and have been sweethearts from their early childhood.

OUTLOOK BETTER.

Was Not So Good At This Time Last try and do not indicate that there is

There is a contrast at the stock yards that has not been particularly noted except by those who have occasion to compare market conditions. At large number of stock cattle in the hands of yard speculators who were in a stew as to what they would be of hogs seen on the markets." able to do with them. This year there will be no cattle in the speculator pens to be carried over into the new year. The country is in more of a humor for taking cattle at this time 705,000 than was the case a year ago and this is one of the encouraging features of

RUBBER FACTORY IN DENVER Denver, Colo.-The W. C. Hendri Rubber Company, of this city is a ranging for the establishment of Cattle Hogs Sheep plant in Denver for the mar 43,800 116,000 54,000 of rubber pump valves at

"The factory wil the kind be

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

and two of the meet reliable shippers in the vicinity of ... lbany, Mo., had vention are discussed in the annual one car of swine on sale at the local yards again today.

L. R. Crockett, quite an extensive that in the organization and adminis- farmer and feeder of Cawood, Mo., tration of the national forests, the came in for today's market with a

T. J. Adams, one of the most successful feeders and shippers of Worth, adequate means of transportation and Mo., was at the local market today munication and a sufficient force looking after a sale of both cattle and

J. E. Pritchard of Larimor, Ia., an enterprising stockman of that locality, swelled the receipts today with a shipment of good hogs.

H. D. Kent, a well known shipper of

cent of the fires in 1909 were due to state today by marketing one load of Burberry & Thompson, two of the

largest shippers of Seneca, Kan., were credited with one car of stock here today.

Al Bright handles all kinds cotton seed products, linseed meal Cherrymo, Exchange Building, So. St. Joseph. G. W. Baxter, an energetic farmer and feeder of Clearfield, Ia., accompanied a shipment of good hogs here

Hilgert's Cafe. "The Stag." 207 S. 6th St. Beats them all Try it. A. J. Rucker, a staunth friend of the St. Joseph market and also heavy shipper of Steinauer, Neb., contributed one car of stock to today's

Cattle and hogs like Champion feed. Transit House caters to stockmen. Champion Feed fattens cattle fast. Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Mo.

OFF FOR THE WEST.

Stock Yarders Leave to Attend Shees Men's Meetings.

J. B. Kerr, traffic manager of the stock yards company, and Harry record in the demand for pennies. Balck, left yesterday for Bolse, Idaho, to attend the meeting of the Idaho the Philadelphia mint stamped out Wool Growers' association which concoppers at the rate of \$1,200,000 a venes next Tuesday. From Boise they without stemming the demand. will proceed to Portland, Ore., to attend the convention of the National knows. None of them ever returns Wool Growers' association, which is to to the treasury. They seem to be lost be held the following week. It is likely that these men will prolong their stay in the west until after the live stock show in Denver, which is to be held the third week in January. While in the west they will line up with stock men of the ranges for a share of their 1911 business for the St. Joseph market.

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The meat food display in the Hammond packing plant this week has been attracting hundreds of visitors from the city and they are all delighted with the attractive and tasty show that can be made of packing house products. Displays of this kind do much to correct an impression that the packing houses are filthy places. There is nothing in the line of packing house food products that is not tastily displayed in the large room that has been set apart for the purpose and the visitors are all invited Columbia, Mo., Dec. 31 .- Mr. and to sample the prepared meats and the

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Chas. Murray of Grant City, Mo., was here today with a shipment of hogs. In a talk on the hog supply situation in his strip of country Mr. Murray substantiated the reports that come from other sections of the counto be any large supplies for some time. . "I know the hogs are good and that this is usually taken to indicate that there are plenty of hogs in the country. But when you get to moving around you find that there is no big number to be had. I take it that it is going to be some time before there is going to be any large supply

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your pers to make 1911 a better year

It is not fair to the trade for any paper to take the packers' average cost of beef cattle that have been sold on the market for the year.

There won't be much but figures in many of the live stock papers today and Monday. Dope dreamers and liars will cut all kind of capers with figures for the annual reports.

NEW FEATURES IN REPORTS

says: Among the more important will do all he can to have it adopted. may be mentioned an intended in- Under present conditions state laws crease in the number of crops for forbid the shipping of stock hogs means and facilities will permit, will here with the anti-cholera serum, be added to the existing list of lead- thereby making them immune. ing crops regarding which annual estimates of acreage and yield are pub- veterinarian, very warmly endorses changes are occurring in both the prothus dealt with will be determined as glad to comply with the request of in this country. It is, therefore, very soon as the results of the federal cen- the local exchange, had he the means important that those interested in the

full import and meaning.

The most important matter to be

attended to in connection with the bureau's domestic crop reports will be taken up as soon and as rapidly as the results of the census agricul- Oklahomans Want Line to Northwesttural enumerations are available. which, it is believed, will be by or before the month of March, 1911. The

ST. JOSE tollowing market: "The S Is unive

Monal agricultural



Daddy's Bedtime The Boy and

Watch, Watch, Don't You Know Met

HE boy in this story," said daddy, beginning his bedtime story for Jack and Evelyn, "could not understand why they called the old dog Watch. So he said to his daddy: 'What makes you call that great, clumsy dog Watch? A watch is busy all the time, ticking away, but the dog does nothing but lie down. He is a lazy old fellow and is good for nothing.

"The boy's daddy said: 'We call him Watch because he is a watchdog and will bark if any one comes in who has no right to do so. He is a watchman he is produced she will devote heror guard for the house. If any one should try to enter the house after dark he would bark and let us know.'

"The boy thought it would be a great joke to try to enter the house at night without Watch knowing anything about it. 'I think I can fool that great, lazy dog,' he said to himself.

"That same afternoon the boy, whose name was Harry, was sent by his mother on an errand. He had a long distance to go, and it was dark when he returned. 'Now,' said he to himself, 'I'll try whether Watch can keep me from getting into the house without being seen.' He went in by the garden gate, took off his shoes and walked slowly and carefully toward the house. When he got around the corner he saw Watch lying at the front door with his head on his paws. He seemed to be fast asleep.

"'I thought so,' said Harry. 'Now I am sure I can get in without being caught.' His way toward the house lay across a gravel path, and he was afraid that the sound of his footsteps on the tiny stones would let the dog know he was near, so he went very slowly and carefully. He made a slight sound on the gravel, of course, and if he had been looking sharply at the dog he would have seen Watch's ears go up.

"Thinking that the dog had not heard him and feeling sure he had fooled old Watch, Harry went quickly toward the house. But all at once he heard a loud 'Bow, wow!' and felt something big strike his shoulders. In a moment he was down on his back in the gravel, with two rows of white teeth near his

"Although Harry was badly shaken up by the fall, he knew enough to call out: 'Watch, Watch! Don't you know me?' And he felt greatly relieved to feel the dog get off him. When Watch saw that he had almost bitten his young master be looked ashamed of kimself and whined and hung his tail. It was some time before Harry could get him to go into the house and have his

It is finished. The record of 1910 equipped here than in any other yard sas and Texas to use the latter's tracks It is finished. The record of 1919 equipped here than in any other yard from Fallis to Oklahoma City in order for the Fort Smith and Western trains City have to be driven from a quarter to enter the latter city. The intention to a half mile after being unloaded is to run trains direct from Fort from the cars. In St. Joseph the un- Smith, Ark., to Oklahoma City in diloading is done right in the yards and reet competition with the Rock Isno driving is necessary. Only hog

state locate a deputy state veterinary The Crop Reporter, issued by the here for the purpose of inoculating sive limestone quarries in the Bromide nounces that the bureau of statistics Governor Hadley has been appealed As many additional crops, now classed the theory that hog cholera is thus as "minor crops," but which are of disseminated over the country. The

"Dr. Luckey of Columbia, the state lished. The particular crops to be the proposition and would be very duction and marketing of beef cattle sus, now in process of compilation, with which to do so. He can not pay fer and perfect some kind of an orthe expense of a deputy, however, ganization for studying the situation Another feature is contemplated, unless the legislature appropriates and increasing the rofits from this namely, quantitative interpretations the funds for that purpose. The local enterprise. A meeting of cattle feedof crop-condition estimates of import- exchange has, therefore, decided to ture, for January 12, 1911, during ant crops, made by the Crop Report- go after the appropriation and has farmers' week at Columbia. ing Board, from month to month, already enlisted the sympathy and during the growing season; that is, support of Governor Hadley. The perhaps carried on the most extensive the figures representing the condition Buchanan county members of the United States. It is now investigating of each growing crop dealt with wil legislature will, no doubt, be glad to the value of corn silage for fattening be promulgated monthly, as in the lend their support to the movement, cattle. The cattl efeeding work of past, and in addition, the quantity or There is, therefore, good prospect of the station will be demonstrated durvolume of the year's final production, the appropriation being made. At ing the meeting and the results of feeding silage to beef cuttle may be as indicated by the condition figures, any rate the proposition is worth go- studied by an examination of the aniwill be stated, thus enabling all in- ing after and every friend of the South mals themselves in the cattle feeding terested in our reports to realize their St. Joseph market should lend a lots of the experiment station.

BONUS FOR RAILROAD.

ern Part of State.

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 29 .- Citizens of census "Cartha showing the total acre- Northwestern Oklahoma are now op in holding meetings and raising bonuses Washington, Dec. 30.—Rhode Isproposed Winnipeg and Guif, which mile, thus, according to census bureau in it. be used in adjusting the estimates of was organized two years ago by Cinthis bureau relating thereto so as to cinnati and New York parties togeth- the matter of density of population. conform to census figures; and the er with Kansas capitalists. The in- Nevada, with only seven-tenths of a acreage figures for 1910 will also be revised by applying the reported person to the mile, finds a place at the low end of the table giving these facts. centage of increase or decrease for Oklahoma City in this state, with an Second in the density list, Massa 1903. Thus we shall have new bases and with another from Alva almost the square mile, New Jersey, 337. possible. Citizens of Alva last week Ohio, 117; Delaware, 103, and Illibegan the raising of \$100,000 bonus. nois, 100.7.

A line, soon to be constructed as a homa, has recently been phar-

and, the yards are better located and arrangement with the Missouri, Kan-

Col. C. C. Goodman and associates feeders fully realize what this means. of Fort Smith, who are building the There are other reasons, also, why Clinton and Oklahoma Western, have the St. Joseph market is a superior made a permanent survey for an exone, among which is the fact that we tuck, seventy-five miles, and another have here a most excellent live stock is being made west through Cheyenne exchange, the members of which are to Canadian City, Tex. The first line constantly trying to do something for Butler several months ago. Work has commenced at Wapanuck

"The latest proposition the ex- on the grading of an extension of the hange has advanced is to have the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf from seven miles, in order to open extenvicinity

According to Col. J. S. Whittinghill of Enid, the arrangements have practically been completed for the construction of the electric interurban south from Enid through Waukomis and Kingfisher to El Reno, a distant

INVESTIGATING SILAGE.

State Agricultural College Experimenting In Beef Making.

Columbia, Mo., Dec. 28 .- There are more than 2.000,000 head of beef cattle in Missouri. Missouri fat cattle are famous for their excellence in all the principal fat cattle markets of America and Great Britain, Marked business of cattle feeding should con-

The Missouri experiment station has

All persons who are interested in this organization should write immediately to H. O. Allison, Assistant Professor of Animal Husbandry, Colum-

RHODE ISLAND IS LEADING

Has 508.5 Persons to the Square Mile.

each crop to the corrected figures for extension from Salina to Kansas City, chusetts, supports 418.8 persons to directly west to Des Momes, N. M., Connecticut, 231.3, and New York, for our annual estimates, which will and the coal fields of that locality. The remain unchanged until the it nasurveys are new being completed and more than 100 to the mile are: sent to London, England, as fast as Pennsylvania, 171; Maryland, 130.3;

> er feeder to the Frisco in East- DENISON'S NEW UNION STATION. ma, has recently been char-te Texas, Oklahoma and 000 Unión Station, the construction of with \$200,000 capital which by the Katy was started nearly ers at Valiant. The three years ago, is now in use-partly mile line east at least. The offices on the second and through third floors are being occupied and rtain trains will run into the station by the e first of the year. The office of the superintendent of telegraph, the superintendent of transportation and of the bridge-building department ng were moved into the structure recent-

So Declares Memphis Beauty Who Divorced Philadelphian.

Mrs. Keith Donaldson Compares Northern Man With Those from South, Especially Texans-Foreigners Inferior.

New York -- Mrs. Keith Donaldson. at the ripe age of twenty-four years, will never, no, never, marry again. She says so herself. The ideal man he is produced she will devote herself to the care of her child, the accommodating courts of Reno having relieved her of her husband, a former Philadelphian.

Two years of married life have taught her the wisdom of the ages, and no man need apply, unless-yes, there's a string to the declaration. There is a chance for a Texan. "For," says the lovely divorcee, "my fortune came from the great and glorious state of Texas, and if the same state can produce a man handsome, strong, chivalrous and steady, I may be pre vailed upon to change my mind."

Mrs. Donaldson was Miss Evelyn Willis Hunter of Membhis, Tenn. A great beauty, she was much sought after in every city, but the dashing yard. Thornlike pins carved from box-Philadelphian carried off the "million dollar bride," and the wedding took place in New York, April 25, 1906. The couple went to live at the St.

Differences arose between the young pair, and a separation followed. Then came the divorce, and Mrs. Donaldson went abroad. She has just returned, with her views of men unchanged, and, if anything, more firmly rooted in her mind.

It was rumored that she was en gaged to Robert Dula, but this she denied emphatically. "Why," she de- bangs, braids and rats in high favor, clared, "he is only nineteen, just a but false hair was much used, captive nice boy, and the brother of my German maids, being denuded of their shall never marry again.

"I returned from abroad the other day, where I met several men, but none approached my ideal of what a husband should he

"When abroad I studied the conthe northern men, either easterners or it at home." He looks upon the bands. I think every northern father happy day there. He rose at 7 o'clock learn much that will make him fitted to compete with the hundreds of forand break into the families of the He spent the afternoon with his rich.

FINDS A MUMMIFIED QUEEN Chance Discovery in Palestine of Body

and Rich Ornamenta.

ging on his land, and this is a trans- year, a camel carrying 450 pounds. lation of the account of it sent from

Jerusalem by Professor Macalister to the Palestine Exploration Fund: "When Musa went to his land and was working and digging in it he found a little door. He entered by it into a cave divided into two chambers. and entering through the second door he found a coffin of hard wood.

"And he opened it, and in the coffin was another of crystal. And he broke this, and inside it he found one of the cld queens adorned with precious stones and on her neck a necklace of pearle and three chains besides on her breast, and above her head was a can dlestick of gold and another at her

Another account from Mr. Knesevich, of Gaza, says that the sarcophagus was of pure white marble and was strongly protected by a vault of huge stones built over it. The lid of the sarcophagus was artistically carved in the exact form of the mummy, which was in excellent preservation.

The hair was loose and the head bound with a fillet, the form of which suggested that the mummy was Roman, but the shoes were Egyptian. No age and production of each top in holding meetings and raising bonuses Washington. Dec. 30.—Rhode Isto secure the southwest line of the land has 508.5 persons to the square but a book is said to have been found

Horse Size of Dog.

New York .- The skeleton of a the strength of a manly manhave just received the news. The (male tonic) will be a happy revela and resembled a hippopotamus and a tarium, Dept. S J. St. Joseph, Mo. tapir as much as it did a horse.

FAT MEN ARE ALWAYS HAPPY

No Heavyweights Among Criminals or Dyspeptics-All Are Thin, Says Quimby.

Boston.-"Be fat and you'll be hap py," says W. D. Quimby, president of the Fat Men's club of New England. 'Although I am not much of a historian, I can assure you the history of fat men will point out a good many facts that would startle the people at large and the insurance companies in particular.

"You never find a fat bad man. Did you ever hear of a real fat man committing a crime? Of course you didn't, for they never do it. Crimes, as a rule, are committed by men weighing between 118 and 148. Very few criminals weigh over 180, and crime by men weighing over two hundred is practically unknown.

"You never see a fat man drunk. They don't get drunk. The reason is not that they can hold more liquor; they have no unnatural craving for it. And right here lies the fundamental difference between the two. The thin man has difficulty in digesting more than 30 per cent. Dyspepsia is to be ECKEL & ALDRICH found among thin men, not fat,"

Prehistorio Hairpins.

Eye probably caught up her tresses when engaged in housekeeping with long thorns, easily obtainable from the bushes and trees in her front wood, ivory and horn have been found in excavations dating back to the time of the Caesars; and also queer, clumsy combs made of the same materials. In the days of the Caesars. Roman maids wore their hair in exceedingly simple fashion. but styles for matrons exceeded in or nateness anything seen in our day. The Roman lady about the house wore her hair caught up under a reticulum or heavy net of colored cords; but for great occasions her locks were dressed by a cinerarius, or handler of the curling irons, and not only were friend, Mrs. Townsend Horner. I flaxen braids for the enhancement of Roman charms.

Happy at 103. William Head, who yesterday celebrated at Windsor Workhouse his tinental gentleman and found him hundred and third birthday, when away back in the field when it comes asked if he would like to go for his to racing with southerners—and es- usual walk into the village of Old pecially Texans. He does equal north- Windsor replied: "No, thank you. As ern men, though, I must admit, but this is my birthday I prefer to spend westerners, are not fitted to be hus- workhouse as his home, and spent a should send his son south for a fin- and had his usual pipe before break ishing education in gallantry. He will fast. Then the master brought him two presents of tobacco which had areigners who come here to New York had boiled beef, vegetables and bread. friends at the workhouse, and having had a good tea, went to bei it 7

Fig Packing in Asia. ierican urm nas established a large fig-packing house at Nazli, the chief producing centor of Asia Minor. London.-The chance discovery The fruit is moistened for packing near ancient Gaza, in Palestine, of a with sea water, which has to be sent tomb containing the embalmed body in barrels from Smyrna, 120 miles disof a woman wearing a crown and rich tant on the coast. Heretofore the fig ornaments is like an Arabian Night's crop has been transported to Smyrna tale. The discovery was made by a for final drying and packing. It has man named Musa-el-Burtu while dig- averaged about 110,000 camel loads a

o'clock .- London Daily Mail.

One Thing Cortain. The tourist from Chicago usually makes herself seen and heard. One lady of such tendencies announced to a surprised audience in a London boarding house that her husband had written to say that he was going to buy an automobile. "I don't know whether he'll go in for a towering-car or a running around," said the voluble lady. "But one thing is certain, we'll have our own garbage."



horse, which must have been about caused by overwork, early indiscretion the size of a modern fox terrier and -use of tobacco or what not. Dr. had four toes, has been found in Elders' free sample Mantone Pills Wyoming by an exploring party sent taken as directed will find themselves by the American Museum of Natural on the road to robust manhood and a History. The museum authorities continuance of Dr. Elders' Mantone skeleton represents the oldest ances tion-Send today for Free Samples tor of the horse of today ever found Mantone, Address, Dr. Elders' Sani-

London's Death Rate Rising.

London.—London's death rate, which had been 10.8 per 1,000 in each of the preceding three weeks, rose last week to 12.2. The death rate in the four weeks ended last Saturday averaged 11.2 per 1,000, being 3.3 per 1,000 below the mean rate in the corresponding periods of the five years appending periods of the five years.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Joseph Cattle Loan Company will be held and convened at their office, located in the Live Stock Exchange Building, on the property of the St. Joseph Stock Yards Comeny, South of the City of St. Joseph in the County of Buchanan, State of Missouri, on Monday, January 9, 1911, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the enaming year or until their successors are duly qualified and for the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting.

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THE **EAVESDROPPER**

By ABRAHAM R. GROH

No cloud had marred the horizon fore she spoke: f hope for Marian Moore and Richout long and sure storm.

One afternoon Marian passed the "But, Marian!" exclaimed the young pen window the voice of her ever-" lance. His mere presence there was She was gone, and he heard her mexpected, considering his often ex- footsteps growing fainter as she ran ressed dislike for Eleanor Sidwell. up the stairs. nem. The words were these:

ever dreamed of loving any woman oblivion in the wilds of Africa. pefore. We are here alone now and ny real feelings."

Following this impassioned decla. this: ration, Marian heard the voice of Eleanor. It was lower than his but tie, Richard Kingsley. ull of tenderness. Moreover, it was listinctly audible.

"Dick, are you sure that you love

Stunned though Marian had been at first, she now regained her selfossession sufficiently to walk on. der ears fairly tingled. She moved mechanically, and, hardly knowing



where she went, found herself at She entered the house, burried to her room, threw herself on the bed and gave way to bitter weep-

Relieved by tears, she looked the sitsation in the face.

Marion Moore was a young woman of strong character. She took pen and paper, and after tearing up many notes, finally was satisfied with one which read: "Mr. Richard Kingsley-I cannot

see you tonight nor ever in the future. I have learned all-fortunatey before it was too late. Never adress me again "

When Dick Kingsley received this tote he was stunned for a moment. To read the letter a dozen times. At irst he couldn't believe his eyes. Then he decided it was a joke.

He rushed to a telephone and called ip Marian. His heart beat hard as se walted. At last he heard her

"This you, Marian?" he cried, tryng to assume a heartiness he did not "That was a great joke you played on me. I just received your note. It gave me an awful start at arst. But I see it now. Ha, ha-"

His forced gayety was sadly smothered, however, when he heard the roice of Miss Moore, very cold and nexorable, saying:

"It was not a joke, Mr. Kingsley, I assure you. I wrote the note and I meant every word of it. Goodby." The receiver was hung up.

Richard Kingsley sat down and beought himself to be calm. He looked bout him to make sure he was in his ight senses. He knew he had felt Miss Moore two evenings before in n the light from the half open door as they said good night. What, then, and changed her in this short time?

"Oh, I can't endure this nightmare!" he groaned. He hurried out and to the home of

als flancee.

"Miss Moore is not in," said the naid at the door.

But Richard Kingsley in his present mood was not to be deceived or but off by a social conventionality. "I must see her," he said.

He seated kimself in the drawing room and waited. It was a long time antil he heard the familiar step. She appeared at the door and looked at im unswillingly, inquiringly. There was a suspicion of redness about her syes, but she looked as firm as fate. Dick arose and hurried toward her.

"Marian, this is some awful joke," She held up a forbidding hand. ciease do not come near me, Mr. Kingsley," she said, coldly. "You have forced your way into the house "You

my will. I must repeat that I meant NEW TYPES OF RIVER BOATS what I said in the letter. Our en-

gagement is broken." upon Dick. Blindly he sought to take a last glimpse.

"Marian, you must tell me, at least, the reason for my dismissal," he said striving to control his voice.

"When a young man who has proard Kingsley during the year they fessed his whole love for me goes many, has made rapid progress in vere engaged. And the first one that away and a few hours later expresses ppeared was so large that it seemed a most ardent regard for another

ant and to give promise of nothing provocation for breaking an engagement?"

idwell home and heard through an man, "you don't mean to say that I

But the words which he uttered were Life for the two young persons was

most beyond belief. Had Miss a melancholy affair during the days Moore not heard them with her own that followed. Miss Moore seldom pars nothing in the world could have went out and Mr. Kingsley had vague persuaded her that he had spoken notions of leaving the prosperous lumber firm in which he was junior "I love you, darling, more than I partner to court adventure and seek

One day Marian saw an account in will tell you the truth. Then, if the newspaper of an entertainment you still wish to drive me from you given by the Country club for the must go. But you shall first know benefit of the orphans' home. In the printed cast of characters was

"Dick Brathwaite, in love with Net-

"Nettle Majors, Eleanor Sidwell." The lines danced before her. She waited to read no more. The paper fell from her fingers, and her eyes were filled with a new light.

"Oh, how I have wronged him!"

Now. Miss Marian Moore was of that altogether lovable type of been the case on the Rhine and nuwoman that forgives as quickly and merous other rivers of Europe. Two as ardently as it condemns. There steamboats recently lost in the Misfore Dick Kingsley, moping in his sissippi river by striking the bank or office and considering his expedition other obstruction, would not have to the African jungles, listlessly an- gone to the bottom if provided with swered the telephone about two min- steel compartment hulls. Existing utes after Miss Moore had read the river boats have been built on the old above mentioned lines.

"Hello, is this-Dick?" said a voice which caused his heart to leap to a general spirit of improvement. out he had sufficient self-possession and a speed of over twenty miles an to remember some of his wrongs. hour have become an old story on

with cold dignity.

rheard you. Oh, Dick, can you conditions.

"Jiro" and the like-were conspicuous by their absence.

A Tokyo journal regards this is a sign of the times. Like the singing and whistling of Occidental tunes the best of spirits. His heart throbbed which are heard so much in Tokyo with tenderness as he remembered the newadays, the selection of Occidental picture of her pretty self silhouetted aames for pets in Japanese families s not without significance.

Exercise is Essential.

The longest lived men are those en raged in healthy outdoor occupations, such as farming, simply because they ead an active, muscular life in the

Bodily activity keeps at bay the fiseases of sedintary middle life. Gout and rheumatism lie in wait for the nan who does not walk five miles in he week, who hates games and beleves that golf and tennis are silly

ind a waste of time. It is the active, busy woman who teeps her complexion when she is nast 0 years of age, and girls 20 years her unior grow sallow and anemic for

ack of outdoor exercise. You must live a sedentary life, you my? We don't believe it. Even if our day is spent in an office or a sold bath, and 20 minutes with dumb round the town at the tall of a cartsells. You have your evenings, and and compelled me to see you against fou have your week-ends.

Heaven seemed to shut its gates Steady, Successful Navigation is Now Assured-Introduce New German Oil Engine.

St. Louis.-It is stated that a com pany actively interested in the navi-She locked at him steadily and almost scornfully a long moment beonly introduce propellers on a vessel now in preparation, but also employ that country and is to be employed on o overcast the whole sky in an in- young woman, is not that sufficient sliner of the first-class. A survey of navigation as now conducted impresses the fact that the material improvements in the size, speed and general attractiveness of vessels have been on the oceans and lakes, says the Globe-Democrat. In no case have permanent deep channels failed to lead to the enlargement of the boats used and to add to the comforts of the passage. At the same time safety has been promoted, and there are few places where a sense of security is better justified than on an ocean liner with its steel hull in compartments and its wireless instruments communicating with other ships within a range of hundreds of miles. Since lake channels were deepened, by government appropriations, from six feet to more than twenty, the type of vessels has been greatly enlarged, the speed increased and the facilities for loading and unloading bettered much more than ten-

As yet little has been done for a permanent deep channel in the Missouri, but the appropriation for the work in the latest rivers and harbors bill is encouraging and insures a beginning on the right scale. River boats of a new pattern will come in when a channel is assured, as has models, and the uncertainty in the depth of channels has been a barrier d beat in a most slarming manner. Steel construction, propellers, turbines This is Mr. Kingsley," he replied ocean and lakes. Little that is new has been tested on the rivers. But in "Oh, Dick, don't - please don't," the light of what has been accomcontinued the voice, beseechingly, plished in Europe, the steady, success "I've been punished enough by all my ful navigation of rivers is not a probwickedness. I've just read about the tem at all, but an assured thing. A play given by the Country club. I jemonstration of improved navigation see now that you were just rehears on the so-called intractable Missouring with Eleanor Sidwell when I would be a fine start for new river

be crowded. Their owner declares when they are a few months older W. J. SCOTT, Sharon Springs, Kan. him in his duties as guardian of the pank's treasure.

Pin Journeys to Appendix. Chicago.—At the Provident hospital physicians found a pin in the appendix of six-year-old Josephine Shoecraft. The pin was straight and had

traveled through the child's body without damaging any other part. She will recover. The ease is considered remarkable because the pin had traveled more than fourteen feet through the oeso-

phagus, stomach and bowels without perforating the walls. In most cases where a pin has been swallowed it has pierced the wall of an intestine and lost itself

in the tissues of the body, occasionally causing death. Mall Clerks Know Nicknames.

London.-Addressed from London to "Whipshire, Devon," a letter has been delivered without delay at Tiverton, where one hundred years ago op, you have the early morning for a rogues and vagabonds were whipped hence the name Whipshire, almost unknown to the present generation,

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long list of victuals that go with these battles of history.

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Not only that, but the Sunday din-'night before," in the opinion of the man who made chewing an art.

Clad in pale blue, striped pajamas, a small gale blowing into the open atmosphere was more or less frigid. | cess. The teeth of the interviewer chattered

Mr. Fletcher, who is as radical an

Although sixty-one years old and system of living and of chewing food. He weighs 170 pounds and has eaten fewer breakfasts in the last twenty years than any hobo in Clark street. As a result of publicity given to his "right-living" propaganda, Mr. Fletch er says the words "Fletcherism, 'Fletcherize," and "Fletcherite" have been recognized by lexicographers and "real words" in the diction-

"It means to digest thoroughly, said the sexagenarian. "A manuscript on morals may be 'Fletcherized.'

Mr. Fletcher was loath to believe that the "superman" of ages to come would be able to scorn food and de rive his nourishment from plain air. "I would hate to think of that coming to pass," he said. Then he contessed he enjoyed what he did eat "Still, it might be done if a man would get on the windward side of a sour kitchen, and take deep, regular breaths," he added.

The secret of correct living and ight living is possession by a greater Live Stock Auctioneer percentage of poor persons than by "malefactors of great wealth," Mr. Fletcher said. He seemed anxious to e cect an impression that he was a the midnight rarebit de

bauch. "Rarebits are all right if a person wants them and if properly cooked and masticated," he said, "but I take them perhaps two or three times a

Mr. Fletcher is firm in his belief that "economic eating" will revolution ze society.

FROZEN EGGS FROM ORIENT

Bixty Thousand Dozen of Them Reach Quaker City-Carried Half Way Around World.

Philadelphia.-Sixty thousand dozen frozen oriental eggs which had been carried half way around the world in the refrigerating plants of different steamship lines, were landed from the American liner Marion the other day and placed in cold storage plants here

The duty on them is five cents a dozen. Notwithstanding the many miles which the eggs have been carabout them has never been higher were stowed away in 44-pound tin in the Yorkville night court. cans, and arrived in good condition.

NEW BOILER FOR SUBMARINE

Frenchman Devises System of Storing Heat Created Above Water-Secrecy Observed.

Paris.-The latest French submais said to be fitted with a new form of boiler about which great secrecy is ally use steam when traveling on the surface and electricity for under water work. According to one account the Charles Brun is to be propelled by a steam engine only, it being fitted with a botler which utilizes under the water heat stored while the submarine is on the surface.

Menelik's News Agency.

Adis, Abeba.-The Abyssinian government announces that it has founded a correspondence office under the ministry of foreign affairs for the dissemination of authoritative official intelligence concerning Abyssinia.

CURE MADE BY SUGGESTION

Girl in Cataleptic State New Talks and Scientists Will Work on "Muscle Memory."

Paris.—The local papers publish the story of a servant named Josephine who has fallen into a cataleptic slumber and cannot be awakened. She is at present in the hospital at Alencon, where she has been since January 22 of this year. Josephine, who is thirtytwo years of age, for the last 13 years has been subject to nervous fits, which Chicago.—Christmas and Thanksgiv. occurred every few months. She was ing turkey, cranberry sauce and the prostrated completely after these attacks and was incapable of working for staple articles have been responsible several days. Her spirits were affectfor more loss of life, energy and abili. ed and she became convinced that she ty to the people than all the great would never work again. As her character became more somber her nervous-

On June 11 last, after a day in which she exhibited unusual mental agitaadvocate of the theory of thoroughly tion, she fell into a sleep from which chewing food-denounce overeating, she has not yet recovered. The anaesespecially the extent to which the thesia is generalized. Hearing, sight practise in indulged in on national and taste are suspended. Only the sense of smell remains in a certain measure. The evelids frequently tremner is more directly blameable for ble convulsively, while at intervals the "Blue Monday" than is the proverbial patient gives utterance to inarticulate groans

Dr. Paul Farez, professor at the school of psychology, is interested exwith his feet bare, Mr. Fletcher faced tremely in this remarkable case and is using his best efforts to convert the window of his room at the Congress pathological sleep into an hypnotic hotel the other day with enviable im sleep in which state the patient would punity. True, it was not snowing, but be more accessible to suggestions of a the sun had barely left Michigan City therapeutic efficacy. His labors in this on its way to Emporia, Kan., and the direction have been crowned with suc-

When she fell into the catalepsy Josephine was completely speechless. Now she articulates in a loud voiceadvocate of "fresh air" as he is of the effect of suggestion. Responding scientific mastication, was immune to the same influences she sits up withfrom the breeze. He was pink, and out assistance in bed. Under the guidance of the doctor her faculties return little by little. But her muscles snow-haired, he is an athlete in superb have lost their most elementary nocondition. He attributes this to his tions of movement. Her medical attendant now is working upon the "muscle memory." He believes that presently the dreamer will be called back by a scientific miracle from the limbo where her mind wanders, and that she will be restored to active life.

LOST DOG HEARS HIS NAME

Barks When "Jimmle Joe" is Pronounced in Advertisement and is Restored to Owner.

New York.-Jimmie Joe, a diminudve fox terrier belonging to little Mary Miller, of Curry road, Caldwell, N. J., has been returned to his soft sleeping rags near the front hall ra-

diator. The search is at an end. Convinced that the world contained things more interesting than those which came to his attention in Caldwell, his birthplace and the scene of his puppyhood, Jimmle Joe, about a week ago, slipped out when no one was looking and started in search of was looking and started in search of adventure. He headed the wrong way. \$3.50 RECIPE CURES The expedition was a failure and ended in Cedar Grove.

Having been a resident of Caldwell, best out of a trying situation. He trotted up Eastwood place, in Cedar Grove, and turned in at the home of Mr. and Mrss. Frank Rue. He was hungry and he was taken in.

The other evening Mr. and Mrs. Rue were seated in their library and the fox terrier was still with them.

"Hello!" said Mr. Rue, who was reading the Caldwell News. "Here's an advertisement that says a fox terrier belonging to Miss Mary Miller answering the name of Jimmie Joe—"

At the sound of the name the dog leaped with joy and barked several times.

"I wonder if he is the lost Jimmie Rue were seated in their library and

"I wonder if he is the lost Jimmie loe," said Mrs. Rue. And so he was.

MAGISTRATE PICKS THE ACE

New York Justice, Instructed by Detective, Proves to Be Apt Pupil In Monte Game.

New York.-The singular prowess of Ah Sin, the heathen Chinee of Bret ried, the temperature maintained Harte's celebrated poem in playing "the game he did not understand." than 14 degrees Fahrenheit. They was matched by Magistrate Freschi

Detectives Cassassa and McKenna, The shipment was hurried from the of police headquarters, brought before Merion's side in wagons driven rapid him Edward McAllister and John Lealy, and the eggs were stowed away in ver, whom they caught when they cold storage warehouses after under raided a three-card monte game at going only a slight change in temper Sixth avenue and Twenty-eighth street.

Detective Cassassa tried to explain the game to the magistrate, who still looked puzzled. Finally Cassassa put three cards on the desk before the IMPORTER & DEALER IN judge.

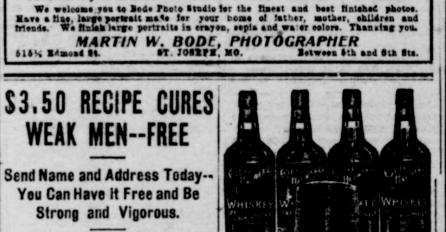
"Now, your honor, pick out the ace,"

The magistrate did. Cassassa was surprised, to put it mildly. He dealt rine to be launched, the Charles Brun, the cards again. The magistrate again pointed to the ace. Then he did it a third time. Respect for the majesty being observed. Submarines gener of the law prevented Cassassa from acting as Bret Harte's characters did under similar circumstances toward Ab Sin.

When the laughter in court had subsided Magistrate Freschi fined McAllister \$10. Leaver was discharged.

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