

DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 67 Cars, 1785 Cattle; 93 Cars, 6118 Hogs; 9 Cars, 1539 Sheep

WEAKER CATTLE TONE SHOWN

Large Proportion of Fat Steers, Prices Not Better Than Steady to 10c Off.

NO FANCY BEEVES OFFERED

Butcher Trade a Little Sticky But Most Business Was at Steady Rates

Receipts from January 1, 1911. The following table shows the receipts from January 1, 1911, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1910:

Table with 4 columns: Receipts from Jan 1, 1911, Receipts from Jan 1, 1910, and corresponding months.

Live Stock in Sight. The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets:

Table with 3 columns: Market (Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph, St. Louis), Receipts, and Shipments.

Receipts by Cars. The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by railroads:

Table with 2 columns: Station and Number of Cars.

CATTLE.

Market Displays Weaker Undertone, Supplies Increase. The bloom apparent in steer trade on former days this week was brushed off today, slowness and weakness replacing the activity and strength of previous days.

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Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers.

Table with 4 columns: No., Price, No., and Price.

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

Attempts to shade prices for cows and heifers were made by local killers today with indifferent results.

Table with 4 columns: Category, No., Price, and No.

HEIFERS.

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COWS.

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BULLS AND STEERS.

Table with 4 columns: Category, No., Price, and No.

VEAL CALVES.

Table with 4 columns: Category, No., Price, and No.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

There was little change in the general market for stocker and feeder cattle today.

Packers' Hog Purchases.

Table with 4 columns: Firm, Price, Firm, and Price.

Yearlings and Calves.

Table with 4 columns: Category, No., Price, and No.

Feeding Cows and Stock Heifers.

Table with 4 columns: Category, No., Price, and No.

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HOGS.

Liberal Receipts Result in Sharp Break in Porkine Values.

Largely increased receipts of hogs created a very bearish atmosphere in the trade and buyers succeeded in forcing a sharp break in prices.

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BALLINGER IS OUT

Resignation of Secretary of Interior, Tended Jan. 19, Accepted by Taft.

DEFENSE COST HIS FORTUNE

President Appoints Conservation Worker of Chicago to Take His Place.

SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED

Member of National Conservation Association of Which Gifford Pinchot Is President—Said to Be Aged Worker For Conservation of Resources—Ballinger Declares He Will Prosecute His Persecutors.

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GAINS NEW FRIENDS.

Nebraska Feeders Give Local Market a Trial With Pleasing Results.

REGULAR SHIPPER HERE.

Blockton Man Here Monday With String of Good Steers.

FEEDING ON NORMAL SCALE

Plenty of Cattle on Hand Around Blanchard, Iowa.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Missouri: Cloudy tonight and Thursday; warmer in east portion tonight; colder Thursday afternoon.

JNO. W. BROWN HERE.

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AMUSEMENTS.

At the Auditorium—Wednesday, March 8, at 8:15—Mimicry of the day at the Auditorium—Three nights Thursday, Friday, Saturday, March 9, 10, 11, with Saturday matinee.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Fritz Klute of Westboro, Mo., had in a car of hogs today. Burch & Milbank of Clearmont, Mo., had hogs on the market today.

VEALING OF CALVES.

This is a Factor Against Increase of Future Beef Supply.

There are three bunches of stock cattle in Gage county, and aside from these I do not know of but few cattle in the county.

YEARLING STEERS AT \$6.15

Nebraska Man Markets Long String at This Price.

CATTLE DID WELL IN LOTS

Rockport Feeders Made Money On Steers Marketed Yesterday.

BIG PIG CROP COMING.

Large Increase in Sows Bred in Atholstan, Mo., Territory.

CATTLE SOLD NEAR TOP.

Jno. Ray Markets Three Loads of Steers at \$6.40 Yesterday.

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A KANSAS STORY.
A Kansas exchange tells this cow story: A butcher was driving a cow to his slaughter house when a stranger stopped him and said: "What are you going to do with that cow?"

CARE OF RUGS.
Sanitary standpoint in selecting rugs from a sanitary standpoint the best rugs are those which are closely woven, as the dust is then retained on the surface and can be easily brushed off.

A HAPPY THOUGHT.
Live Stock World: The agricultural fair has been found to be a convincing means of transforming the Indian into a good American citizen.

BEST HUMAN NATURE.
Omaha Journal-Stockman: Eastern papers are alarmed at the steadily decreasing rural population. This is especially true of the older settled communities of the Mississippi valley.

GREAT GOLD FIND IN UTAH.
Salt Lake City, Utah.—Shortly after the first of the year W. G. Adamson, the well-known mining operator and superintendent of the Inter-mountain Mining Company, and his foreman, John R. Turner, purchased from "Lawhite Jack" Davis a group of claims situated on the north side of the west point of Winnemucca Mountain, distant from town about four miles by direct line.

PROFITS FROM FRUIT LANDS.
Payette, Idaho.—The Payette Valley is proving that there is profit in raising fruit. N. G. Garman, who recently sold the "Aurora orchard" to James N. Hill of Schuyler, Neb., for \$15,000, has made a statement after all returns are in that he has made a profit of \$100 an acre for all acreage in bearing orchard.

KANSAN KILLED BY TREE.
Burlington, Kan., March 8.—Hiram W. Briggs was instantly killed at the home of his mother this morning, when he was caught under a falling tree. His head was crushed so badly that his face was almost beyond recognition.

Daddy's Bedtime Story

A Hard Task

"THIS is the story of a little boy who tried to do something that was impossible," said daddy one evening. "It is a true story, and it happened many years ago. The boy is now a grownup man, but he often smiles when he thinks of what happened in this story."

"At one time, when I was a little boy about five years old," he said, "I lived with my parents in a house that was quite a distance away from any neighbor's. There was no other little child living near by, so I was often lonesome. I had no brothers or sisters at that time, so that there was no one near my own age to play with me."

"I was glad when one day my mother told me that Dinah, the colored woman who worked for us, had a little boy about my own age and would bring him up to play with me if my mother wished. She had accepted the offer, and the little colored boy was coming up the next day."

"In the morning Dinah brought her little boy. I was in my room when they came, and mother sent the boy up alone to meet me, as she thought we would make friends sooner if no one bothered us. I heard him coming up the stairs and went to the door to meet him, but I was greatly disappointed, for when he came I did not see a little white boy, as I had expected, but a little colored boy. He was neatly dressed and very clean, but his face was black."

"I could have cried, but I did not want to seem impolite to my little guest, so I asked him to come in and play with me. In a very short time we became good friends. After we had played awhile I said to him:

"How did your face come to be black? Don't you ever wash it?"

"My ma washes it all the time," he said, "but the black don't come off."

"Suppose we try to get it off," I said. "You are a nice little boy to play with, but I think you would be still nicer if your face was white."

"He did not seem to like the idea, but he was my guest, and he did not want to refuse. So we decided to make the experiment. I do not remember how we got the soap and water and scouring sand without any one seeing us, but we did and took them up to my play room. First I washed his face well with soap and water, but of course the black did not come off. Then we tried the scouring sand, but it hurt when I rubbed it on his face, so he began to cry. My mother and his heard him crying and came up to see what the trouble was, and they had a good laugh when we told them what we were trying to do."

IN WOMAN'S REALM

LEOPARD KILLS LIONESS
Result of Savage Fight Between Animals in Zoo at Leavenworth.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 7.—The inadvertent leaving of a door unfastened between cages filled with leopards and lions at the W. W. Parker Zoo Tuesday resulted in a battle between a huge lioness and a leopard, which resulted in the death of the former a few hours later. The leopard, after being satisfied that his victim had been subdued, attacked the other lioness in the cage, and it was not until the combined efforts of all trainers and their attendants had been brought into play with the aid of iron bars and clubs that the enraged beast was beaten back into its cage and the door locked, this time more securely.

UPROAR AMONG ANIMALS.
Which of the animals succeeded in opening the door is not known, but it is known before the attendants rounded the line of cages into the arena the whole animal kingdom was in an uproar as the sounds of the terrific battle which then was being waged in the cage of the lioness reached them.

FOR OVERLAND HIGHWAY.
Two Plans for Scientific Road Across Nebraska.
Lincoln Star: While the project for an overland highway from Lincoln to Keokuk, built according to the modern standard of good roads, is being pushed in Iowa and eastern Nebraska, the people of southwestern Iowa and of eastern Colorado are giving their support to the movement for a road from Denver to the Missouri river which will enter Lincoln from the opposite direction.

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SEED TESTING AT HOME.

Agricultural Bulletin Shows the Need of Doing Work on Farm.

Washington, D. C., March 7.—The encouragement of seed testing in the farm home and in the rural school is the object of bulletin No. 423 of the department of agriculture, which has just been issued.

Most of the undesirable conditions existing by seed which made seed trade influences, says this bulletin. The responsibility for these conditions doubtless rests fully as much with the mass of consumers who demand low-priced seed as with the dealers who cater to this demand. The trade has employed various means to meet the demand for low-priced seed. Large importations are made of the same grade of seed which are produced in and are exported from this country. The imported seed can be sold cheaper than that which is exported.

Red Clover and Alfalfa Seed.
Seed of both red clover and alfalfa is imported, chiefly from Europe, in large quantities annually, and much grade seed is usually very weedy. The red clover seed is often a grade of small-seeded screenings which carries a class of weed seeds rarely found in a large-seeded grade of clover seed.

Imported Seed Should Be Tested.
While all kinds of farm seeds may be subjected to a test of one kind or another, the seeds of the crops in general use and which it is especially desirable to have tested represent the true clovers (as red, alsike and crimson), alfalfa, certain grasses (as timothy, orchard grass, fescue and bluegrass, bromegrass and corn), cereals, rape, flax, vetch and corn.

COUNTRY HAS GROWN SOME.
Census Figures as to Square Miles and Number of Settlers.
The growth of this country for the past 123 years has been most astounding. There is no record of any such growth in any other country. Though our growth has in the past twenty years slowed down greatly, yet it is at present much more rapid than that of any European country.

MANY SKINS IMPORTED.
Country Does Immense Business With South and Central America.
Los Angeles, Cal., March 7.—A large business is done between the South American countries and the United States in the line of skins, most of which are made up in the manufacture of gloves, coats and hats.

Improving Quality of Eggs.
Efforts to Overcome Conditions Causing Heavy Losses and Bad Quality.
Washington, March 6.—An active campaign for the improvement of farm eggs by the Middle West was undertaken last summer by the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture.

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MORE TOMBOY GIRLS

Professor Advises Physical Training for Young Women.

Scott Nearing of University of Pennsylvania Says Emancipation of Women Will Only Come Through "Tomboyism."

Philadelphia.—"More girls should be tomboys—only through a physical and industrial development may woman hope to emancipate herself."

"The development of the girl's body should be begun and carried on at the same time and on the same basis as the development of the boy's body."

"First, girls between the end of their schooling and their marriage. Second, women who are suffering from any transmissible disease or defect should be absolutely denied the privileges of motherhood and should, therefore, spend their adult lives in some form of industrial occupation."

"In the fifth place, women who are in middle age send their last child to college or to work and have no exciting duties in the home."

FALL IN VIENNA BIRTH RATE. In 1910 It Was 20 for Each 1,000 Persons, While in 1870 It Was 40—Causes Alarm.

Vienna.—Precise figures of the census of Austria, taken December 31, are not yet available, but it is known that the birth rate of Vienna has decreased alarmingly and that the fact is causing serious concern among the authorities.

On the other hand, the death rate has been reduced from 26 a thousand in the early 70s to 15 today. Improved hygiene has also succeeded in greatly reducing infant mortality, but these gains fall to counterbalance the declining birth rate and consequently the official estimate that Vienna had 2,132,000 inhabitants at the end of 1910 is likely to prove excessive.

Pigs and Chicks in Zoo. New York.—Four Jersey chickens and a pair of pigs are to be added to the "barnyard zoo" in the Central Park menagerie.

ASYLUM FOR ANTI-KISSERS

Woman Brands as Inhuman Boy Who Fails to "Smack" Sweetheart—Keep Up Old Custom.

Hamilton Square, N. J.—Mrs. Joshua Eldridge, an aged and well-known resident of this town, in addressing the circle of the Second Reformed church, declared that she believed the world would soon come to an end because many of the old customs have become extinct.

"Why, when I was a girl," said Mrs. Eldridge, "it was rarely two women greeted each other on the street without a kiss, but nowadays women are colder and do not consider it proper to kiss an old friend on the street."

"Even mothers do not kiss their own children as they used to. Perhaps sentiment and affection are not so great as they were in the good old days, or perhaps mothers think it is too much trouble to kiss their offspring. I think kissing should be just as popular as ever among young and old, and I believe an insane asylum is the place for anti-kissers."

FIND A PREHISTORIC STAMP. Official Seal Uncovered by Sand Diggers of Atzacapalco—Wax Clinging to Face.

New York.—One of the most remarkable archaeological and ethnological discoveries made in Mexico since Prof. William Niven found the famous clay tablets of life and death down in the jungles of Guerrero, has been made amid the buried pile of petrified idols uncovered by the sand diggers of Atzacapalco.

The artifact, which is about two inches in diameter, and in a perfect state of preservation, is remarkable for the fact that it contains, on the side used for stamping, several concentric circles at the margin, then a ring of hieroglyphics much resembling the characters of the ancient Russian alphabet, and around the center three more concentric rings.

When found, particles of some black substance, evidently either wax or some ink-like fluid, were still clinging to the face, showing that the seal had not been subjected to very great action by the waters.

Atomizer Used in Dairy. Monclair, N. J.—A New Jersey dairyman recently was brought to a realization of the presence of dust in his otherwise perfectly appointed barn. Thereupon he ordered that the tail of each cow be sprayed with an atomizer containing filtered water.

Detroit to Tote Oil. New York.—The third-class cruiser Detroit, recently sold by the United States government, will not form the nucleus of a Mexican insurgent fleet, as reported by the Mexican junta in New Orleans, but will close its sea days as an oil barge at the end of a tow line.

Fowl Returns Lost Gem. Saratoga, N. Y.—While preparing a fowl for dinner Mrs. Joseph B. McConnell, wife of a former New York mail carrier, opened the crop and discovered a diamond worth \$75, which had been lost by her mother, Mrs. K. V. Lutz of Guttenberg, N. J., while visiting her daughter in the summer. The diamond was recovered during a visit to the Lutz household.

BIRDS OF PARADISE

Rare Specimens on Way to Experimental Career in Chicago.

Animal Keeper of Lincoln Park Zoo Will Try to Duplicate Natural Diet of His Gorgeous Guests From New Guinea.

Chicago.—The birdhouse at Lincoln park is all a flutter over the expected arrival of two birds of paradise. For the first time in the history of zoological gardens in the United States Clyde Vry will attempt to keep the large emerald bird in a temperate climate.

The new acquisitions were purchased in London from a dealer who had obtained them in New Guinea. Both are males, as they only possess the brilliant colors and long albatross feathers.

"Take the question of feeding these birds from New Guinea, where the birds say their menu include all sorts of insects, tropical worms and the grain and seeds which birds find in the jungle. If they arrived here in summer we might supply some flies and a few grasshoppers, with an occasional worm, to their epicurean tastes."

The legend explained that the bird of paradise never alighted, but was accustomed to float around in space above some East Indian Olympus whence came its godlike name. The narrative continued that the female bird made her nest in the splendid plumage of the male and there hatched her eggs. The difficulty of catching the birds, and even of seeing them hidden as they usually are in the dense foliage of the jungles of East India, kept alive the stories.

The actual behavior of the bird of paradise is stated now, according to Mr. de Vry, to be as interesting as the old legends. When the visitor approaches a bird of paradise, if the bird feels cheerful, the sounds "he, hi, ho, haw" are uttered as a welcome. When angry or gloomy, a dismal "whock, whock, whock" is all that is offered the guest.

LITTLE BUG IS BIG EATER. Thirty Caterpillars Each Day Provide Only Ordinary Meal for a Small Green Beetle.

Washington.—The house committee on agriculture has discovered that the green beetle, the tree-climbing variety, will kill about thirty caterpillars a day.

Whalers' Fine Season. London.—Dundee whalers have completed their most successful season for 20 years. They caught 17 whales and 1,447 walrus. One of the incidents of the season was the wreck of the Tantina Agatha, the crew of which lived for months with the Eskimos.

Salt His Feet to Prevent Colds. Millerton, N. Y.—Julius Barton, a hotel man of this city, uses salt as a preventive for colds and says he has not taken cold in 20 years. The salt he applies to his feet by sprinkling it in his stockings.

TUNNEL COSTS SO FAR \$523,604.

Colorado Springs, Colo.—The directors of the Cripple Creek Drainage and Tunnel Company have re-elected officers as follows: Frank G. Peck, president; W. R. Waterton, secretary; P. E. Castello, treasurer; Charles Castello, assistant treasurer; Arnold Nydegger, assistant secretary. The report of President Peck showed that the total cost of the Roosevelt Tunnel to December 31 last was \$523,604. The amount of cash on hand now is approximately \$20,000. Engineer T. R. Countryman was expected to report on the project of driving another tunnel 500 feet below the Roosevelt Tunnel, but has not completed his estimate and will make the report later.

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