

DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, No Cars, 32 Cattle; 46 Cars, 3250 Hogs; 1 Car, 118 Sheep.

CATTLE CLOSING STEADY

Fat Steers Lose Advantage Gained on First Two Days of Week.

SHE STUFF UP, THEN DOWN

Butcher Market Closing 10 to 15c Under High Point of Week—Bulls 10c Lower—Calves in Good Demand at Firm Rates—Stockers and Heifer Trade Closes Slow and Lower—Hogs Steady to Strong—Mutton Market Higher for Week.

Receipts from January 1, 1911. The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets:

Table with columns for 1911, 1910, Dec., and Inc. Rows include Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep for Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph, and East St. Louis.

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

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

Table with columns for Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep. Rows include U. S. & G. West, C. & A. East, G. R. I., and Missouri Pacific.

CATTLE. Beef Steers Close Generally Steady With a Week Ago.

Cattle trade, as usual on the final day of the week, was merely a nominal affair in all branches. Only a handful of moderate arrivals and trading was indulged in was in the nature of cleaning up a few odds and ends. Prices were stationary all along the line on a basis of Friday's quotations.

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COWS, BULLS, AND MIXED. In the market for cows and heifers this week about the same fluctuations were noted as occurred in the fat steer division. Supplies were moderate the first two days and under a good, active inquiry from all classes of buyers prices were elevated 10c to 15c over last week's closing quotations.

With more liberal receipts Wednesday and Thursday buyers put forth efforts to weaken the price list. These efforts were partially successful, most of the strength of former days being ceded back, so that current prices are much the same as prevailed at the close of last week.

One Load on Sale Today, Sheep Closing 15 to 20c Higher, Lambs Closing 10c to 20c Higher.

Clos to 20c higher of native offerings came this morning. The light supply was cleaned up at an early hour at prices that showed little change compared with yesterday.

For the week the receipts of sheep and lambs at this point and at the five points have shown a substantial increase over the previous week and a year ago.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

Very few stock cattle were included in the light supply of cattle that was received today and trading in this division was largely of a clean up character as is usually the case on Saturday. The few odds and ends offered changed hands readily without any quotable change in yesterday's prices.

The good open weather the fore part of the week gave prospects of a good country demand and although yard dealers carried over a few cattle from last week they were ready buyers during the fore part of the week and their offers as compared with last week's close, however, country demand did not reach up to expectations and yard dealers' experience in getting action on their holdings.

As a result the price list experienced a slight advance and the same thing occurred on Thursday and at the close today prices for all grades of stockers and feeders are fully 10 to 15c lower than at the close of last week.

Good to choice feeding steers are quoted at \$5.25 to \$5.75; medium to good grades \$4.50 to \$5.00; and common to fair \$3.75 to \$4.50; stock heifers \$4.00 to \$4.75; and strictly good kinds, stock calves \$3.25 to \$3.75, and stock calves \$4.25 to \$5.50.

CHICAGO. CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., March 11.—The Live Stock Market reports: Cattle—Receipts, 299. Market steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000. Market opened 5c higher, closed advance lost. Top \$7.30, bulk \$7.05 to \$7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady.

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ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET. Today's cash values: Receipts wheat, 9 cars; corn, 8 cars; oats, 1 car.

Wheat. No. 2 red 95 @ 95. No. 3 red 88 @ 95. No. 2 hard 86 1/2 @ 97. No. 3 hard 85 @ 94.

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STRONG MAY LEAVE KANSAS

Chancellor Displaced With Board of Administration Bill, Is Rumor.

Topeka, March 11.—A rumor has been current about the legislature for two days that Governor Stubbs will veto the board of administration bill, which consolidates the boards of regents of the university, normal schools and agricultural colleges. Stubbs, one board of three members at annual salaries of \$2,500 each, and who are to give their entire time to the work of managing these institutions. There is considerable confidence that the measure will be signed.

The governor was asked what he is going to do about the board of administration bill. He replied, "I have nothing to say about what I shall do. I shall take no action on the bill tonight."

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FAMED COW HERE

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KERR BACK FROM TEXAS.

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According to Mr. Kerr, in former years thousands of cattle have been brought across the boundary to graze or for immediate slaughter but the present disturbed condition of affairs in the Mexican republic will put a stop to this movement until peace is restored.

There is a profit in feeding Excello Feed. Geo. Harms of Bremond, Neb., was among those who had hogs in for today's market.

Wise Feeders use Excello Feeds. A. M. Knowles of Ruskin, Neb., a regular patron of this market, came in today with one car of hogs.

Best meals, best rooms. Transit House. E. A. Sikes, prominent in feeding circles around Ruskin, Neb., contributed one car of hogs to today's receipts.

H. H. Hawkins of Duffalo, Neb., came in today with a one-car consignment of hogs.

Champion Molasses Feed by actual test has proven by far to be the best feed fed with ensilage. No feed equals it.

Will Water Large Tract. Oregon Land Will Be Subdivided Into Small Tracts and Irrigated.

Ontario, Ore., March 8.—A local syndicate composed of some of the members of the Ontario Land and Townsite Company, closed a deal today to purchase the holdings of the Willamette and Cascade military road lands in township 18-47, being the township in which Ontario is located.

This land, comprising 16,000 acres, is located within one mile of the business center and practically all of it is within two miles of the city.

These lands were sold last year by the Willamette and Cascade Military Road Company to a St. Paul syndicate after being held in part by the former company for about thirty years. It being their policy to recede all offers on the ground that the entire grant must be sold at the same time.

As this grant covered more than 80,000 acres it shut off all of the small buyers, and proved a great detriment to the growth of Ontario and vicinity.

The new owners are already at work with a force of engineers in platting the land into acre tracts, and will install an irrigation plant that will water every acre. This plant will be located about three miles south of Ontario on the Snake river, from whence a pipe line 10,000 feet long will take the water to the high bench adjoining Ontario. The tracts that are to be watered are all bench lands, above the present canal, and are considered the finest fruit and alfalfa lands in this valley, and being so close to this city make them especially valuable.

Some town additions are now platted within forty rods of some of this land, and within a few years much of it will be residence property.

Buy Champion Feed for quick results. Cattle relish it. Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Missouri.

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AMUSEMENTS. At the Shubert-Tostle—Wednesday, March 11, Mrs. Manning in "A Man's World."

At the Auditorium—Three nights, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, March 9, 10, 11, with Saturday matinee, the great spectacle, "Ben Hur."

At the Lyceum—Last half of week, dark. Beginning Sunday, March 12, "The Time, the Place and the Girl."

At the Majestic—Real picture show in town with two first class vaudeville acts.

WEATHER FORECAST. For Missouri: Unsettled with rain tonight or Sunday, colder Sunday.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Among the Nebraska patrons of the market who were here today was D. O. West, the big feeder and shipper of Wyoming, who had in one car of hogs.

G. B. Radley of Clarkdale, Mo., an extensive sheep feeder, was here today with one car of mutton.

See Al. Bright for Molasses Feed. Tim Dorney, the successful feeder and shipper of Rosendale, Mo., was here today disposing of one load of porkers.

Jerry Sullivan of Delaney, Mo., contributed one car of hogs to today's receipts.

Change of management at Transit House. Try our meals. John Farley, the prominent farmer and feeder of Fairfax, Mo., was here today with one car of hogs.

Meyer & Hoover, the big feeder and shipping firm of Merrill, Kan., was represented here today with three cars of hogs.



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THE NORTH-ROBINSON-DEAN CO. LEADING IMPORTERS AND BREEDERS OF THE WEST. Now is the time to buy draft stallions, while there are plenty to select from. Our best imported stallions sell at \$2,000 to \$2,500. Others as low as \$1,000. The difference in these prices does not represent profit to us, as there is less margin made on some of our high priced horses than on the cheaper ones. The good ones cost money, whether in Europe or America, but we are satisfied with a reasonable profit and our reputation for square dealing has resulted in an enormous business which allows us to purchase our imports and raise our home bred horses very reasonable and thereby sell them cheaper than the average dealer. You ought to see our home bred colts and we are pricing them very low just now. Come and see us. Send for our 1911 booklet.

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Horses, Mares and Mules from 4 to 8 years old. Stock must be fat and broken to work. Highest cash price paid. We carry a nice line of young males for farmers. JOHN HANN, Barn 1024, South 8th St., Northwest Corner Park, St. Joseph, Mo.

EXCELLO Cattle Fattener A Balanced Cattle Feeding Ration Contains sorghum or black-strap, a better balance of other ingredients and requires but little exertion of the stomach to digest. Has a two-fold value as a fat producer. Manufactured and Guaranteed by EXCELLO FEED MILLING CO. 22nd and Garfield Ave., St. Joseph, Mo.

BUCK SNOW IN WEST Plow Used in Huge Machine Made of Steel. Despite Its Enormous Power Rotary Sometimes Gets Stuck and Then Men Shovel It Out and Another Run is Made.

New York.—In the Middle states, where six inches is a heavy snowfall, getting it off railway tracks is about as easy for an engine as cleaning it off the sidewalk is for the small boy. A snow plow, which is nothing more than a gigantic scraper, with perhaps an enormous horn or plowshare in front, is pushed down the track by an engine and scrapes and pushes the accumulated clogging white mass off the track to either side.

But in the northern, and particularly in northwestern states—where, when it makes up its mind to snow, everyone knows it; where the falls are feet in depth and in the east only inches; where the railway runs through open plains on which the restless sweep of the wind drifts the white crystals into hills and valleys, humps and hollows so large that they seem large even to a steam car—something more effective than mere pushing must be employed.

This "something," says a writer in St. Nicholas, "is the rotary snow plow, an invention which is in use on every railway on which large drifts collect in the winter and where snowblades and snow guards—fences built in exposed places to keep the snow from drifting on the track—are ineffective.

The snow plow is a huge machine, as big as a freight car and built of steel. On the forward end is a monster wheel with powerful blades of steel, looking like an overgrown electric fan, so arranged that their angles can be changed.

This wheel, which is perpendicular to the track and revolves at right angles to it, is inclosed in a casing or drum, also of steel and with sharp steel edges. The top of the drum is supplied with a pipe or chute. Inside the snow plow is a steam engine, which drives this huge fan wheel at from 100 to 250 revolutions every minute.

Behind the snow plow are coupled from one to three or even more powerful engines, and behind these a car. On the cars are many men with shovels, for despite its enormous power even the rotary gets stuck at times and has to be ignominiously dug out.

Perhaps the snow is but four or five feet deep and the plow as soon as it strikes the snow blows through it at a great rate. Wonderful to see, the snow eaten away from the bank by the whirling blades is tossed out of the chute at the top of the drum or casing in a solid stream, to fall in a curving arch and with a thunderous roar from 100 to 200 feet away. This arch is frequently thirty and even more feet high. Billows of snow drift all the air and the most beautiful rainbows surround the falling cascade of snow.

When the plow gets stalled the men tumble off the car and shovel it out of its prison. Then the whole train backs off a couple of hundred yards and takes a new start. Down the track it sweeps, gathering speed and momentum with every puff of steam, and smash! it goes heading at the drift, mighty fanwheel whirling, engines pushing, men yelling, snow scrunching, and over all the roar of the falling stream of snow and the blinding, cutting clouds of ice particles it sets free.

The drift may yield to one bucking, in which case the men congratulate themselves at having an easy time of it. But more often even the mighty rush of the train, engine, plow and car is stopped by the drift, which looks so soft, but is in reality so tough. Then it is shoveled out again and backs off for another rush.

WAY OF SAVING OLD BOOKS German Chemists Succeed in Compounding Preparation Which Protects Manuscripts.

Berlin.—Chemists of the Royal Prussian laboratory in Gross-Lichterfelde near Berlin have succeeded in compounding a preparation which protects ancient books and manuscripts from decay. The new preparation is described as a cellite-solution and is now being manufactured in bulk by an Elberfeld chemical firm. All state archives and libraries throughout Germany have been notified that the new substance should be adopted for the preservation of valuable records and documents. As an illustration of German thoroughness it may be mentioned that the laboratory chemists previously tested every grade and kind of paper in the market with the solution before recommending it for general adoption.

Frank Horns on Deer. Cheasaw, Wash.—Many frank deer fell before the guns of hunters in the season recently closed. Several deer had antlers deformed into odd shapes, and one set resembled the horns of a ram. One hunter killed a doe with antlers, while another got a buck with antlers on one side only. Deer have been plentiful this season, due, it is believed, to being routed from their customary haunts by the forest fires the last summer.

MISREPRESENTATION THE BASIS OF PIANO CONTESTS

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BOXING AND CRATING GOOD Assertion That American Style of Protecting Export Shipments is Faulty Denied.

Paris.—The widespread claim that American goods intended for export are the worst packed in the world has done more to hurt American foreign trade than any other dozen criticisms, according to James E. Dunning, American consul at Havre, France. The charge is utterly unjustified, it is said. Comparisons of American goods with the products of other countries on the wharves of the great ports of Europe fail to show any negligence in boxing, crating or wrapping. In many ways American methods of packing are more practical than others, because while protecting the goods as much as is necessary, they yet leave them open for easy inspection.

The one example sternly cited as proof of the assertion that our goods are badly packed," said Mr. Dunning, "is baled cotton. The casual observer, seeing a pile of American cotton on the wharf, looking torn and dirty, the cotton itself exposed to dust and weather, is quick to draw a conclusion. I have talked with many buyers of American cotton, however, and they tell me, one and all, that the very openness of American bales saves them money, because it may be sampled in a hundredth part of the time it takes to sample cotton from other continents. On the other hand, the quantity of cotton spoiled by soiling is negligible.

"Go along the docks, in Havre and look at the harvesting machinery sent to France, as indeed to all points of the world, by Chicago firms. You will find neat, tight crates, easy to handle, bound with steel ribbons. You will find piles of heavy wheels without any crating, because they are strong enough to stand the wear of the journey unprotected. The delicate machinery is carefully wrapped up of harm's way. But our American manufacturers have no sympathy for business methods which entail expenditure of time and material in protecting articles which in no way suffer by being unprotected. After experience in many parts of Europe I have actually failed to find one case substantiating the criticism that goods exported from the United States are poorly packed."

WISE BOSTON OWL IS FOOLED Bird is Compelled by Photographer to Pose Right for Camera by Use of Mirrors and Sun.

Boston.—Despite the scarcity of sparrows in King's Chapel burying ground and the levity of tradesmen who would offend the sensitive soul of an owl by displaying in his sight a stuffed eel, the original celebrity still spends his days dozing around the city hall. Whether he enjoys the notoriety or has more reasonable excuse for remaining after his health food, the sparrow, has fled, is not known, but each morning as School street gets into action the owl is back in his favorite tree or near it, blinking away and probably musing over his adventures or misadventures of the night before. Shortly after dark he disappears, but he is back again before daylight. Recently he had his picture taken in twenty or more poses and must have been a weary bird when night came on. The dull weather which prevailed since his advent foiled the photographers for a time, but they made up, and for hours aimed their machines at the bird from every side. City hall windows were favorite stands for the photographers, and the owl was nudged into positions to suit the camera men by turning the sun's rays on him from hand mirrors. It took considerable patience and many attempts to stir him up sufficiently to have him turn his head far enough, but not too far, to get the desired pose. Often, just as the owl would seem

to be about right, he would suddenly turn completely around; then another long time would have to be spent turning up his back, until in self-defense he would turn the other way again and give the photographers the pose they most wanted. If the owl comes back after the grilling he got, several superstitious politicians will have trouble keeping their knees rigid. So far they have managed to remain silent, although they feel it in their bones that owls were bad luck, and that this one came with them in mind. Pensions for Cats and Horses. Old age pensions are spreading. But who would have thought of St. Francis of Assisi as contributing to so modern a movement? Nevertheless, the kindly saint who preached to fishes and birds is still a factor to be reckoned with. As witness the case of the maiden lady who died in London recently and made provision in her will for pensions for her cats and horses. Her orders to her trustees were to the effect that they are to pay \$200 a year for the care of each of her cats. They are also to see that each animal is properly looked after and treated with kindness. Her horses are also to be provided for, not allowed to do harder work than they have been accustomed to, or are to be mercifully destroyed. All these unusual bequests are explained by the further orders of the will to the effect that the kindly provider is to be buried in the full habit of the Order of St. Francis of Assisi, to which she belonged.

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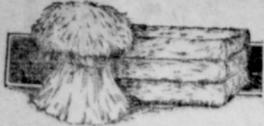
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PANTHER RIDES ON ENGINE

Engineer and Fireman Finally Make It Too Hot for Big Feline Visitor on Tender.

Seattle, Wash.—While the engineer and fireman of a helper engine, stationed at Lester, were backing down the mountain early the other day, dreaming of home and friends, and wishing that the apparently balmy air was not so cold, a panther that looked to them as large as a round-house jumped upon the tender from a neighboring bank and sneezed violently at the train crew.

The engineer hastily crawled through the window of the engine to the running board, while the fireman was practically paralyzed, bethinking himself of a haunch of venison that lay near his head, on top of the tender.

The engineer reached through the window and threw open the throttle, while the panther was thoughtfully combing out his whiskers. It was the plan to scare the fierce animal by speeding up, but it proved abortive, for the animal reared not of the twenty-five miles an hour that the engine came through with, but started for the fireman and incidentally for the fireman's head.

At this the fireman awoke from his trance, and seizing a red-fire fuse that lay handy, he lit it at the firebox and handed it to the panther. Just as the animal was arranging to bite it off like confectionery, the fuse began to sputter, burning his whiskers, and scaring him almost stiff. With one terrific jump the panther cleared the coal pile and hit the timber contiguous to the bank.

The fireman had a vision of an aura of singed cat while up the bank scrambled the big pussy, with its tail carried at a right angle. Then the engine was slowed down, and it was discovered that there had been no casualties aside from those that had been carried away into the woods.

Since this remarkable accident happened no fireman has dared to work at the coal pile without a bunch of red-fire fuses close at hand.

GIVE STUDENTS CANDY DOPE

Are Late to Breakfast and Girls in Neighborhood of College Are Suspected.

New York.—The students of Manhattan college are trying to solve a mystery. Their investigation so far has led them to believe that they were fed on drugged gumdrops by three pretty young women of the neighborhood, and they are anxious for revenge.

It is a strict rule at the college that the students must get up at 6:30, but the other day 90 of them ambled down to breakfast an hour late. They insisted they had not heard the rising gong. Then it was discovered that all of the 90 had partaken of gumdrops and this gave rise to the suspicion that they were drugged.

"It serves them right," said a girl who works in a silk factory near the college. "Those boys have been playing jokes on us for a long time and at last we have had our revenge. They flirt with us, and then, when they learn our names, they send us boxes of candy filled with soap and red pepper. I don't know anything about the gumdrops, but if they were drugged I hope it will teach them a lesson."

DEADLY TETANUS IS STAYED

Physicians at Wilmington, Del., Save Boy's Life, Even After Jaws Are Locked.

Wilmington, Del.—That medical science has been able to counteract tetanus, even when it had developed to the stage where the patient's jaws are locked, has been successfully demonstrated by the physicians at the Homeopathic hospital in the case of Tony Behba, a little boy whose parents live at Bellevue.

After spending several weeks in the hospital, suffering from lockjaw, the boy, who is 11 years old, has been discharged as perfectly well again.

Tony stepped on a rusty nail, which penetrated a toe. No attention was paid to the wound beyond local treatment, and some time later when a physician was called in, he found tetanus fully developed and the boy's jaws securely locked. He was removed to the hospital, where he was treated and finally cured.

GLORY FOR A CHINESE BOY

Cincinnati Colony Gives Lad of Sixteen Ovation as Coming "Kosuth" of Celestial Empire.

Cincinnati.—Heralded as the prospective "Kosuth of China," Chui Leang, aged sixteen, was given an ovation by the local Chinese colony the other day.

The youth is a student at Capital university, Columbus, and next year he is to enter Columbia university. His father, Chui King, a Chinese editor, is acting head of the Chinese Reform association and one of three on whose heads the late empress set a price.

All of the members of the local colony of Chinese are "reformers," and they cheered the youthful orator's declaration in favor of these four national departures: Amnesty invitation to reformers to return, cutting off of taxes, limitation of the sale of opium in China; the common people to have a voice in the government.

SYMBOLS MARK IRISH CHILD

Cross in Red and Letters "I. H. S." Found on Girl's Arm After Dream—Bled Freely.

Mayo, Ireland.—An extraordinary story of a child marked by the symbols of the Passion in Kiltimagh convent, County Mayo, is told by a representative of the News of this city.

A girl, aged thirteen, has been a boarder in the convent for the past three or four years. She is described as a docile, affectionate child, and is a great favorite with the nuns. About three weeks ago one of the sisters heard this child screaming during the night, and when she questioned her the girl told her she had a fearful dream, in which she saw Christ on the cross and a soldier driving a lance into his side. The nun comforted the child, who fell asleep.

In the morning the child complained that her wrist and arm were sore. On examination it was found that her forearm was marked with a cross in red. Underneath the cross were the letters "I. H. S." A few days later there appeared below the cross a crown of thorns. Two or three days later there appeared above the cross, and surrounded by a scroll, the letters "I. N. R. I." A few days subsequently there appeared beneath the crown of thorns a chalice surmounted by a host sending forth radiations in red, and after the same period there appeared a flower-shaped drawing, near which was written the word "Lily."

The marks extend from the wrist to the upper arm, and have been examined by Father O'Hara, P. P., Kiltimagh; Dr. Madden, Kiltimagh, and very many others, including several Protestants.

A remarkable feature of the occurrence is that the stigmata bled copiously. A careful inquiry is being instituted by the religious authorities, who, while admitting the strikingly wonderful nature of the phenomenon, refrain at present from any expression of opinion as to its origin.

The evidence in proof of the occurrence is said to be of the clearest and most indisputable kind. Dr. Madden and other gentlemen who have seen the marks are quite positive that they are not self-inflicted.

FAN EMPTIES A COURT ROOM

Fresh Air Loving Jurist in New York Allows Bald-Headed Juror to Keep Hat On.

New York.—Supreme Court Justice James W. Gerard has designed an electric ventilator. He has been shifting it from one court room to another, where he is called to preside.

The ventilator consists of a small electric fan set in a piece of board, with a hole in the middle to let the fan revolve. The board can be fitted to any window. The fan is set in motion by attaching an electric light wire to any electric chandelier.

Justice Gerard was presiding over part V the other day, the first blizzard day this season. He had his fan working at a mile-a-minute clip and seemed to enjoy the refreshing breeze. Clerk Brady of this part of the court, sat slapping his hands to keep them warm. A baldheaded stenographer, who had entered the room and noted the cold draught, quickly excused himself and sent in another stenographer who had a thick mop of hair.

Soon a juror, who was in the line of the fan's operations, arose in the jury box.

"Your honor," he said, "I'm very susceptible to colds and I haven't any hat on here."

"You may put one on then," the court remarked. The juror promptly donned his headgear and sat the rest of the session with his hat on.

During the afternoon session the little electric ventilator was shifted to another window. This time the cooling current of air swept the seats that were occupied by the spectators. Within fifteen minutes after the fresh air struck the visitors' benches there was no one on them to enjoy the fresh air.

LIQUID NERVES ARE FOUND

New Discovery With Regard to Phenomena of Sense of Slight Announced by Scientists.

Manchester.—A new discovery with regard to the phenomena of the sense of sight has been announced by Dr. F. W. Edridge-Green, an eminent authority in visual research. He has found by an interesting series of experiments and tests that the process of vision is not the simple transmission by the optic nerve to the brain of objects photographed on the retina.

The discovery, in non-technical language, amounts to this: In front of the retina there is a small chamber or sac of clear liquid which is in constant motion of currents or eddies. Doctor Green finds that this liquid itself contains distinct perceptive nerve power which plays an important part in conveying impressions to the brain.

In other words, this wonderful liquid contains liquid nerves, so to speak, which transmit to the understanding a considerable part of the impression it receives of color, form, etc.

Meat Shipments Large.

Sidney N. B. W.—Shipments of frozen Australian mutton during 1909 amounted to 1,523,042 carcasses, an increase of 259,638 carcasses on the preceding year. Ninety-two per cent of the mutton was sent to the United Kingdom.

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