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### CATTLE UNCHANGED

USUAL SMALL WEEK-END RUN ON SALE AND TRADE A QUIET AFFAIR.

### PLAIN STEERS OFF FOR WEEK

Good to Choice Grades Hold Up Well -She Stock Closing 10@25c Lower-Stock Steers Decline.

been an irregular proposition. The leading feature of the market has been a sharp break in prices for medium and plain qualitied cattle as the result of an excessive crop of these classes at all markets. The range country is cleaning up herds preparatory to going into winter quarters and a lot of trash from the corn belt has been dumped into the market hopper. The superabundance of cheap and medium superabundance of cheap and medium priced beef has had a rather demoralring effect on the market for these classes at all points. The center of the demoralization has been at Chi-cago, where, since Monday, steers of medium and inferior grade have been almost unsalable with quotations rang-ing from 40 cents to a flat dollar lower than the early part of last week. Locally the market has been dull and decidedly weak throughout the week's session but there has not been as severe a slump recorded as reported from Chicago. Ordinary medium and plain native steers are closing around 15@25c lower than a week ago, while inferior grassers show a flat quarter decline, with instances showing somewhat greater losses. Good to choice western steers have held up in good take-off has amounted to 30@ 35c have

Anything in the corn-fed line show-ing quality has escaped the break to which the less attractive steers were subject. Nothing of strictly high merit in the way of corn-fed beeves was offered during the week but salesmen experienced little difficulty in selling the \$7.00 @7.55 kinds that comprised the best of the week's offerings at prices fully steady with the close of

### Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers. o. Av. Price. No. Av. Price. season. 1....1300..6 50 2yrls. 895..6 00 While the supply of range cows and

let and are 10@15c lower. Anythin on the heifer order excepting some thing that suited the buyers' fancy 25 cents lower. Very little corn-fe stock of any description has been mar keted. Mixed yearling helfers and steers of this class are in demand and would sell to an advantage, Practicall none have been offered. The suppl of western cows and heifers for th week was only moderate. Everythin in this line is lower in sympathy wit other butcher grades. Bulls hav shown very little change as compare with a week ago. Calves have been fairly numerous and all grades are quoted 25c lower, than a week ago. Top vealers are now selling at \$7.50 against \$8.25 a year ago.

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

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200. 7 25 1... 150. 5 00 140. 7 00 12... 246. 4 50 133. 7 00 2... 350. 4 00 190. 7 00 3... 393. 3 85 130. 7 00 1... 270. 3 50 161. 7 00 1... 140. 3 00 STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. Trade in this division today dis-played the usual week-end characteristics. Fresh supply was limited to a small assortment of odds and ends which changed hands at prices showing no change compared with yester-

distinctly two-sided market this

roles. Buyers have discriminated invariably against common grades regardless of weight and started the week with the avowed intentions of cheapening cost for such stuff or leave it alone and by dint of much hard work have succeeded in chipping off a net reduction of 15@25c on all classes of stuff lacking quality. Quality has been the theme of buyers' arguments throughout the week and they have stood ready at all times to pay prices about steady with last week's close for anything showing promise of good returns to the feeder promise of good returns to the feeder although such stuff shows a 10c de-

conditions. Stock heifers and cows show no change compared with last Friday. Demand has been good for that class of stuff all week and the small showing of such stuff has tended to stiffen values materially.

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2 6154 00 1	7703 40	D

RANGERS-NATIVE DIVISION. The yards were practically barren of western cattle today and no quot-

or western cattle today and no quotable change in prices was noted.

About 75 per cent of the entire receipts of cattle at this point during the week came under the western classification. Apparently the shipping season for rangers is drawing to a close. This was suggested by the company quality of the offerings here. shape but medium and common kinds are a full quarter lower than at the close of last week and spots where the cluded in the week's marketing and reports from other centers indicate the same condition. The abundance the same condition. The abundance of cheap and medium priced steers at all markets operated to the disadvantage of sellers of all but the best grades of western cattle. What few good to choice steers selling above \$6.25 and on up to \$7.10 were offered here during the week brought about the same prices as on the classing days. the same prices as on the closing days of last week. Otherwise it was a dull, sluggish and lower market all week. last week. There was inquiry here at all times for choice to prime bullocks and something on this order would have probably commanded strong Local receipts of cattle for the week foot up approximately 12,700 head, as compared with 14,675 for the preceding week and 18,010 a year ago At the five markets the week's supply totals approximately 226,900 head, as \$5.75 were forced down to \$5.75 area. compared with 14,676 for the preceding week and 18,610 a year ago At the five markets the week's supply to tais approximately 226,900 head as compared with arrivals of 223,500 for the previous week and 238,700 for the corresponding period a year ago.

Dressed Reef and Shipping Steers.

the general run of such cattle with spots showing as much as 35c loss. Western steers selling last week at \$5...93. - 4.75 8...93. - 4.50 7...104. - 4.75 19...59. - 4.25 18...103. - 4.60 15...72. - 4.25 18... as this class of cattle have sold this

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

Very little butcher stuff was on offer this morning. Packers were not very anxious for the few that were on sale and prices were barely steady. Bulls and calves were steady with yesterday.

For the week butcher stuff of nearly every class has met with a decided slump in prices, All outside markets have been lower and consequently trading has been draggy and lower at this point. Dressed beef cows have suffered the most. The bulk of these sales are quoted 25 cents off and in some cases even more. Canners and cutters have found a little better outlet and are 10@15c lower. Anything on the bester constant of the supply of range cows and heifers has not been of heavy volume by any means, the presence of a lot of cheap steers resulted in a lower schedule of values, the loss for the week figuring 10@15c, the better grades of cows getting the hardest bump. Very little change was shown in bulls and stags for the week. Declines of 10@25c were enforced on stockers and feeders during the week.

Cows.

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price.

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Packers' Cattle Purchases.

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d	Packers' Cattle Purchase	4.
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g	Hammond Packing Co	100
3-	Morris & Co	. 100
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Cattle	425.143	4 0,830	35,687	
Hog 8	,585,961	1,118,806	11.44.00	417,1
Sheep	630,917	476,882	ALC: NO	154.0
Horses	36,837	21,057		15,78

Live Stock in Sight. The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at

day and comparisons:		N. C. S. W. S.
Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Chicago 2,000	17,000	12,000
Kansas City 1,500	8,000	2,000
South Omaha 1,400	5,000	9,000
South St. Joseph 500	3,900	700
East St. Louis 2,500	10,000	2,500
Totals 7,900	43,900	26,200
Yesterday 22,300	57,200	61,600
Week ago 9,900	17,200	30,500
Month ago 7,800	33,500	18,000
Year ago 10,000	27,500	32,200
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The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by rail-roads centering at the local yards to-

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ı	C., B. & Q., west
1	C., B. & Q., east
8	C. R. I. P
n	Great Western
9	Missouri Pacific
H	St. Joseph & Grand Island
3	A. T. & S. F
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1	Total
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9	WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES.
ä	Following are today's wholesal
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Swift & Con		ed Beef.	
	No. 1	No.	2. No. 3.
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Loins	.18%	141/2	c 12 c
Rounds	.12	111/2	c 10 c
Chucks	. 8 (	71/4	c 6 c
Plates	. 6 0	5	c 41/20

### week in this department with quality and inferiority playing the leading 213 South Sixth street, St. Joseph, Mc.

### HOG MARKET IS FIRM

GENERAL TRADE FAIRLY ACTIVE AT STEADY TO STRONG RATES -SPOTS 5 CENTS UP.

### RECEIPTS WERE MODERATE

Estimates Called For 3,500 Head-Quality Less Attractive-Top \$6.40 -Bulk of Sales Ranged from \$6.10@6.30.

Steer trade was the usual nominal Friday affair. Only about 400 cattle arrived and the greater part of this run was in butchers' stock and feeding stock. Not enough fat steers were offered to make a market, the few odds and ends changing hands affording no criterion of trade conditions.

Steer trade during the week has been an irregular proposition. The leading feature of the market has been an irregular proposition. The leading feature of the market has been an irregular proposition. The leading feature of the market has been an irregular proposition. The leading feature of the market has been an irregular about 400 cattle quotable at \$5.25 @ 5.25; medium to day but no clean-cut advance was scored. The general market was scored. The general market was victably a steady to strong affair, with here and there a spot showing perhaps a nickel higher. Fair activity was in evidence and clearance of the day's moderate receipts estimated at 3.500 head, was made in good seable at \$5.25 @ 5.25.

Stockers and Feeders.

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price.

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price. No. The quality of the offerings was not quite as good as yesterday, there son. The quality of the offerings was not quite as good as yesterday, there being a smaller percentage of desirable weighty hogs and a proportionate increase in light lights and light mixed. Top of \$6.40 was reached, 2½c above yesterday's high mark. There was a fairly large showing of pigs but the demand for this class of stock proved to be good at a steady. ock proved to be good at a steady

stock proved to be good at a steady level of prices.

Prices ranged from \$5.75@6.40, with the bulk selling at \$6.10@6.30.

The bulk yesterday sold at \$6.10@6.30, a week ago at \$6.35@6.45, a month ago at \$6.20@6.35, a year ago at \$8.15@8.75, two years ago at \$7.45@7.75, three years ago at \$5.40@5.75, and four years ago at \$5.40@5.75,

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Range o			
This	Week	Last	Week.
Monday \$5 75	@6 52%	\$6 00	@6 50
Tuesday 5 75	@6 45	6 (0	@6 50
Wednesday 5 75	@B 40	5 90	@6 55
Thursday 5 40	@6 37%	6 15	@6 60
Friday 5.75	@6.40	6 00	@6 66
Saturday	(a)	6 10	(26 5234

CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 27.—The Live Stock World re-

Cattle-Receipts, 2000. Market dull Steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000. Market steady to 5c higher. Top \$6.55, bulk \$6.15 @ 6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000. Sheep

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000. Sheep steady to 10c lower, lambs 10@20c KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 27.—
Special to The Journal: The Drovers

Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts. 1500. steady to weak, cows steady, stockers and calves slow and weak. Hogs—Receipts, 8000, Market steady to strong, closing weak. Top \$6.35, bulk \$5.75@6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 2000. Market steady, lambs \$5.75.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 27.— Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal-Stockman reports: Cattle-Receipts, 1400. Market slow steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 5000. Market 5c lower. Top \$6.25, bulk \$6.15@6.22½.

Sheep—Receipts, 9000. Market steady, clipped lambs \$5.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS.
EAST ST. LOUIS. National Stock
Yards, Ill., Oct. 27.—Special to The
Journal: The National Bive Stock Re porter reports: Cattle-Receipts, 2500, including 1500 southerns. General trade steady.
Hogs—Receipts, 10,000. Market
strong. Top \$6.45, bulk \$6.15@6.30.
Sheep—Receipts, 2500. Market

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

steady.

The following quotations are furnished daily by the St. Joseph Hay Receivers and Shippers association for the benefit of Stock Yards Daily Jour-

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Timothy—Choice, \$19.50@20; No. 1, \$18.00@19.00; No. 2, \$15.00@17.50; No. 3, \$10.00@13.50.

Clover mixed—Choice, \$18.50@19.00; No. 1, \$17.00@18.50; No. 2, \$14.00@16.00; No. 3, \$10.00@13.50.

Clover—Choice, \$13.50@14.00; No. 1, \$12.00@13.00; No. 2, \$8.50@11.50.

Prairie—Choice, \$12.50@13.00; No. 1, \$11.00@12.00; No. 2, \$9.00@10.50; No. 3, \$7@9.

Lowland prairie—No. 1, \$8.50@10; 70. 2, \$\$6.00@8.00. Alfalfa—Choice, \$16.00@16.50; No.

1, \$14.00@14.50; No. 2, \$12.00@13.50; No. 3, \$8.50@11.50. Packing hay—\$5.00@7.00. Straw—\$5.00@6.00.

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

Outlons | Open- | High- Low- Close Close

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WHEAT-		1	100		1
Dec		100%	981/4	981/4	100%
May	10514	105%	10334	103%	105%
CORN-					
Dec		63 %	6314	63%	641/8
May	60%	60%	65%	65%	66 %
			*****		
OATS-					
Dec		47%	47	47	47%
May	49%	49%	49%	49%	49%
		*****			*****
PORK-		120	3 8		13
Jan	15.70	15.70	15.62	15 62	15.77
May		15.87			15.87
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LAR')-	1				
Jan	8.95	8.95	8.90	8.90	8.97
May		9.15	9.05	9.05	9.15
a.m.y	0.10	0.40	0.00		
RIBS-					
Jan	8.12	8.12	8.05	8.05	8.12
May		8.22	8.20	8.22	8.27
may	0.22	0.22	0.20	0.00	0.41
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ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET.

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No. 3	white	48		
No. 2	oats		@	473
No. 3	oats	47		
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seph for a short visit with friends and relatives yesterday. Willian went west about three years ago for the benefit of his health. The change appears to have greatly benefitted him.

### OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS ATHLETICS WIN THE SERIES

with the victory goes 60 per cent of \$127,910.61, or \$76,746.37, of which each Athletic player will receive \$3,-654.59. The losers will receive the remainder, \$51,162.24, or \$2,436.39 for and Nodaway county is resting under each New York player.

### WORK ON BIG DAM STARTS

Flood Waters of Medma River Will Be Stored for Irrigating Purposes.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 27 .- After several months of preliminary work the actual construction of the huge dam that will span the Medina river, Market thirty miles west of this city, has been begun. Since the completion of the railroad from Dunlay, on the Southern Pacific, to the dam site. about a month ago, machinery and material have been rushed in and now everything is ready to place the found-

wearything is ready to place the foundation of the structure in the excavation of the structure in the excavation for the main canals to carry the water to irrigate more than 70,000 acres of land. The main canals to carry the water to the radiating laterals will be 28 miles long. The work of excavation for these canals will be 28 miles long. The work of excavation for these canals will be begun in two weeks.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Missouri: Unsettled, probable

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Light Fall at Oregon.

Oregon, Mo., Oct. 27.—Following was not known to be in scrious condition. His death live stock trade at Chicago for the live stock condition. His death live stock complication was heavy at times most of the snow melted as it fell. Later in the day the snowfall at Mound City became so heavy that it formed a slush on the streets and ground. Snow began to fall early in the forenoon at Oregon and continued until about 4 o'clock.

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For Missouri: Unsettled, probable

### MEAGER

TRADE DISPLAYED GOOD TONE FOR THE LIMITED CROP OF FAT MUTTON.

### PLAIN NATIVE LAMBS \$5.40

Fat Lambs Closing in About the Same Niche As a Week Ago-Feeders a Point Higher.

No new phases of importance developed in today's market for live mut-ton, the meager handful of stuff offered changing hands without affording ed changing hands without affording broad enough footing to make an accurate price comparison, although tendencies were toward a higher level, indications being the sale of native lambs, common quality, at \$5.40, a slight premium over recent quotations. Only two decks of mixed natives arrived for the sarrivered for ed for the early market, and at a late hour two cars of range lambs reported

back had not arrived.

Marketing of sheep and lambs at the five principal market centers for the week gives a total of around 479,-400, as compared with 496,200 for the previous week and 384,300 for the same period a year ago. Locally the week's aggregate figures up to 13,800. against 18,550 the previous six days and 20,700 for the corresponding time a year ago. Little change in lamb prices has been in order this week and for the most part good fat lambs which have formed only a small percentage of the week's run have found Besi on actual sales each day and are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008
New Corby-Forsee Building, St. Joseph, Mo.

HIGGINS A LOCAL VISITOR

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Former Sheep Buyer Here Back on Old Stamping Ground.

Former Sheep Buyer Here Back on Old Stamping Ground.

"Ernie" Higgins, now buying sheep for Swift & Company on the Kansas City market, and formerly connected with the mutton buying force of the same good-looking, little trouble in finding a ready outlet with the mutton buying force of the same good-looking.

Higgins a last week's offerings. One feature of the trade has been the exceptionally at \$3.00 m 2.15, the latter figure taking the bulk of the trade has been the exceptionally strong demand for all classes of feed-ling is an active sheep on market.

Wise feeders use Excello Feeds.

W. H. McGinnis, of Powhattan, Kan, was represented on today's market with two cars of hogs.

Try our Sunday dinners. Best ever, Scients. Transit House.

Scients Transit House.

Kent & Wilson, close friends of this market, had a mixed car of hogs and cattle on sale from Cummings, la.

The Champion Feed. Company of the market is always sure for of Dearborn, Mo., had one deck of the week's offerings. One feature of the trade has been the season of the strength of the future are to come.

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The Champion Feed. Company of Tarkio, Mo., are doing a very heavy business. Their feed has proven to be a superior feed, and especially so with ensilage.

	here yesterday on one of his periodi-	tiere and there sales showing up	a   business, Thei
	cal visits to the various market cen-	dime higher toward the close of th	e be a superior f
	ters. He is the same good-looking,	week. Lambs have went back to th	e with ensilage.
	good-natured "Ernie" that started to	country at \$4.70 and \$4.80, with feed	
	learn the ins and outs of the sheep	ing ewes at \$2.85, and feeding year	market, from S
	buying game under "Bob" Matheson,	lings at \$3,50.	car of hogs on
	Sr., on the local market several years	59 native lambs 83 5	o car or noss on
	ago. "Ernie" got a rousing welcome		O OAVS IT
	to his old haunts by the stock yards		SAYS IT I
	boys when he made his appearance		5
	yesterday morning.		5
	Frank Fisher, head sheep buyer for		King City Man
			Hogs Is Caus
0	Swift at the South Omaha yards, was	14 native ewes	
ĭ	here in company with Mr. Higgins.		
0	Another familiar face which has	2 native ewes	Earmore who
_	been missing from the local stock	4 native ewes	kets have been
	yards for two or three years was seen	Packers' Sheep Purchases.	ing the summer
	Annual Control of the		

### FIRST FALL OF SNOW.

a blanket of snow an inch deep, which fell between 9:30 and 1:30 o'clock yes-terday. This is the first snow of the

wheat, of which there is a large acreage, will be greatly benefited by the snowfall.

### Heavy Fall at Hopkins.

Hopkins, Mo., Oct. 27.—The first snow of the season fell here yesterday. It began falling about 9:30 o'clock and kept up until well into the afternoon. completely covering the ground. It is fine on wheat, much better than rain, and as the wheat acreage in this vicinity is very large, the farmers were pleased to have the snow come. Many fields of wheat that were put in the last of August and first of September are now so rank that it is necessary to pasture it in order to keep the wheat

### ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Rasco & Eaton, regular patrons of this market, had one car of hogs on sale from Barnard, Mo.

Deshon & Nash, regular shipper from Kidder, Mo., contributed tw cars of swine to today's receipts. Jim Pitman, a farmer of Bolckow, lo., was on market with one car of

D. C. Danielson, well-known farmer and feeder of Mt. Ayr, Ia., had two cars o hogs on sale today. H. Workman, a frequent patron of this market from Union Star, Mo., had

ne car of live porkers on sale.

J. W. Patterson, of Maitland, Mo.,

Kan., cattleman, sent in one car of are in no way connected with govern-cattle for today's market.

Best beds n the city, 50 cents per night. Transit House.

J. F. Boley of King City, Mo., while not an extensive feeder of hogs, has a remedy which he says will effectu-

Word has been received at the local stock yards of the death at Chicago of David Welling, one of the pioneer commission men at the Chicago yards. Mr. Welling was 72 years of age and had been identified with the live stock trade at Chicago for the bast thirty years. He had had been identified with the bast thirty years. He had had been identified with the local stock trade at Chicago for the bast thirty years. He had had been identified with the local stock trade at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local stock yards of the death at Chicago for the local yards of the death at Chicago for the local yards of the death at Chicago for the local yards of the death at Chicago for the local yards of the death at Chicago for the local yards of the

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Missouri: Unsettled, probable rain or snow tonight or Saturday, temperature near freezing tonight.

Kansas: Rain or snow tonight and Saturday.

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to kick them carelessly aside. If the sent in a car of hogs for market to-day.

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w. A. S. Derr, a well-known farmer and feeder of Forest City, Mo., was on market today with one car of hogs.

Beckman & F., well-known Kansas shippers, had a mixed car of hogs and cattle on sale today from Effingham.

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G. W. Berkley had a consignment G. W. Berkley had a consignment of cattle from Hamlin, Neb., on market today.

J. Nutter, a well-known Hollenberg.

### Demand Always Steady.

H. Welch, a frequent patron of this market, from Stanberry, Mo., had one car of hogs on sale today.

FIRST FALL OF SNOW.

FIRST FAL

Boley sends about one load of hogs each year to the local market and his brothers, living in the same neighborhood, are extensive feeders.

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DEATH OF DAVID WELLING.

at the places of collection or at places where special apparatus has been installed. The work is done by two methods. One is the simple process of allowing the heat of the sun to crack open and dry out the cones, after which the seeds are shaken out through a screen. About ten days are required to complete this process.

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AMUSEMENTS.
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The gophers, field mice and ground squirrels have been the worst offenders and it has been found necessary to exterminate these little pests over to exterminate these little pests over from growers in Kentucky not to plant

picking, and marketing. Apples are bruised very easily, and especially presents a new problem for the foresthose varieties having a tender flesh or skin. Bruises mean not only an unattractive appearance, but a real waste of fruit by having to cut out the damage from bruises, however, results from the fact that the bruises furnish an entrance for fungus or rot spores. These spores, or "fungus seeds," are as fine as dust and float in the air. If they happen to lodge on a bruised broken spot on the apple, causing it to rot. Wrapping or covering the apple causing it to rot. Wrapping or covering the apple may not always protect it, as the spores may have lodged on the apple before it was picked. However, if the skin and flesh of the apple can be kept intact and not bruises or broken, there is not much danger of the fungus or rot finding its.

THE MUSTANC'S ANCESTOR.

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 25.—During the hast week San Antonio and other Texas cities were visited by swarms of little green bugs that swarfined about electric lights and about lights were: Cotton, \$82,149,000; corn. \$25, door, pool, has and forage. \$3,149,000; corn. \$32,54000; and float the property of the swarms of little green bugs that swarfined about electric lights and about lights of sweet potatoes and yams, \$2,073,000; and about electric lights and about electric lights and about lights of sweet potatoes and yams, \$2,373,000; and about electric lights and about lights of sweet potatoes and yams, \$2,370,000; and about electric lights and about electric lights and about lights of sweet potatoes and yams, \$2,300,000; and and forage sylvange of the species is that while they was pick. But stranger visitors are reported to have visited Galveston. In swarms of the north while.

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from one vessel to another care should the horses are undoubtedly the descendants of horses brought over descendants of horses brought over by Hospanish conquerors. They are asy under the saudie and femarkation which you are placing them before the pouring begins. If a pail is used to pick in it should be small enough to lower into the boxes and, even then, holding back the apples with the hands is a good idea, as it breaks the hands is a good idea, as it breaks the fall and lessens the bruising. You apple which falls from the tree should be which falls from the tree should be with the apples are as close descendants of horses brought over by the Spanish conquerors. They are asy under the saudie and femarkation of the vessel by the Spanish conquerors. They are asy under the saudie and femarkation of the vessel by the Spanish conquerors. They are asy under the saudie and femarkation of the vessel by sure-footed and enduring; indeed, in the latter respect there is probably in order to be ready for the box in order to be ready for the box in order to be ready for the box of the work without head in the square selected for their milk producing qual-tices are to be preached at the series of addresses and lectures by experts. These characteristics have made the interesting the same than the same

### SQUIRRELS OR TREES?

This Onestion Now Confronts Department of Agriculture.

danger of the fungus or rot finding its
way into the apple.

To prevent bruising, apples should
not be dropped or thrown into a
bucket, box, or barrel, and in pouring

### COAL UNDER RAVENWOOD.

But Fuel Is at a Depth of 400 to 700 Feet, Says Geologist.

e of the state school of mines at

oak if found at Rayenwood, will out 450 feet below this series. dides the coal, the lower coal res contain much sandstone and but very little limestone. How-the next formaton below is the Over: \$4,500,000 in 1910.

### TOBACCO CROP IS SHORT.

Decreased Acreage Is Greatest Factor in Lessened Production.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 26 .- Figures om the tobocca-growing districts in-cate that the crop this year will fall

In Massachusetts the most disas-

soil produced only 80 feet of roots. Other conditions being equal the root systems of plants usually develop in proportion to the development of the aerial parts.—D. W. Frear, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Colling.

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Some cases with the ald of the biological survey, and in instances where from growers in Kentucky not to plant tobacco at all this year and thus cut down the supply. Later these pledges were taken of \$83,149,000—Corn Second.

Washington, D. C. Oct. 25.—Statistics relative to the leading Crop With a Value of \$83,149,000—Corn Second.

Washington, D. C. Oct. 25.—Statistics relative to the leading crops for the state of Mississippi, collected at the Triveenth Decennial Census, April 15, 1910, are contained in an of ficial statement issued today by census Director Durand. It is based on tabular summaries prepared under the direction of Dr. Le Grande Powers chief statistician for agriculture in the Bureau of the Census, he figures are

### BUGS AND BUSTERFLIES.

Texas Towns Visited by Myriads of Strange Insects.

settling down in the gardens and lawns. It is not known whether they were attracted by the sweetness of the flowers or what brought them, but they spent the day in the city and about dusk moved off toward the mainland. Scientists who examined them said they belonged to a species found extensively in Mexico. They caused no annoyance, and, in fact, were welcome visitors.

The kings and queens of the dairy world, according to plans being made here today. Nearly 1,000 head of the finest milk producers in the United States will be lined up at the entrance to Exchange avenue and will fall in behind the procession which escorts the president to the stand in the center of the judging arena.

Thomas W. Lawson's herd of twenty way three Jersey calle are on their way three Jersey calle are on their way. were welcome visitors.

### APPEAL NOT IN VAIN.

cal newspapers, which published his appeal. The ex-convot said he came of a good family and had received a superior education, but his people had lost track of him and he would not

Over: \$4,500,000 in 1910.

800 feet. Miners at that place tics of production of pyrite in the worked under the Missouri river United States, which in 1910 amounted 238,154 long tons, valued at \$958, 8. The imports of this minera were largely n excess of the domestic production, being \$83,551 long tons in 910, valued at \$2,748,647. he report on the production of sul-hur and pyrite in 1910 can be had on United States Geological Washington, D. C.

### FIND PAPER OF 1860.

Old Copy of Maryville Reporter Found Unique in Appearance.

absorbing the necessary amount of soil solution.

The total length of root systems of plants has been found to vary as follows: Barley, 12s feet; oats, 150 feet; wheat, 26s feet, and 1800 feet; rye, 285 feet; a corn plant in the upper three feet of soil, 1452 feet, and a full grown pumpkin vine, 15 5-8 miles.

It has been observed that root systems tend to greater length in a richer and more porous soil. In one case a barley plant produced 12s feet of roots in a rich garden soil and a similar plant in a coarse grained compact.

Total number of males, ..., 3,997 (connecticut reports an acreage of 10,000 and a yield of 1600 pounds to the darce. This is a less acreage than last year, and the total crop of the state will be 16,000,000 pounds, as last year, and the total crop of the state will be 16,000,000 pounds, as last year, and the total crop of the state will be 16,000,000 pounds, as last year, and the total crop of the state will be 16,000,000 pounds, as against 22,000,000 for 1910.

Pennsylvania growers say the season is the best for 10 years, and the courrent crop will be 64,000,000 pounds, twice as much as last year.

The same favorable reports are received from the total crop of the state will be 16,000,000 pounds, as against 22,000,000 for 1910.

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Bureau of the Census, he figures are prefiminary and subject to slight revision later, when a few other farms, whose returns, now incomplete, will be included in the final tables. It is myriads of all varieties of the parrot be included in the linal tables. It is myriads of all varieties of the found not expected that these additions will family and monkeys can be found materially modify the amounts or rates given in the present statement.

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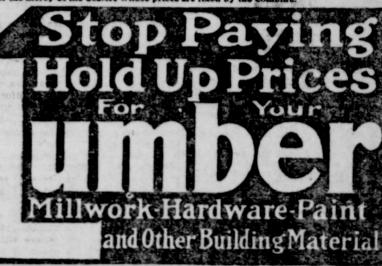


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### GAME OF VENEZUELA.

cats, Strange Birds and Big Snakes, Washington Post: "Venezuela of fers a better opportunity for the seek er of wild game than any other coun try in the world, perhaps," said Ralph Totten, recently consul of the United States at Maracaibo, Venezuela. Mr. Totten, who is a Tennesseean, has been in the consular service for three years and has been stationed in Mara-calbo and Santo Domingo. He is on his way to his new post at Trieste

Austria.
"It has always been a source of wonder to me that more Americans fond of hunting have not gone to Venezuela, where, along the Amazor and in the vicinity of Lake Maracaibo more varieties of wild birds and smal

Venezuela, and they can be found al most any place in the country outside

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 26.—Hall P. Street, president of the Texas State Realty Association, in an address to members of the San Antonio Real Estate Exchange, said the next legislature should be asked to license real estate brokers and that men thus licensed who indulged in anything ty-three Jersey cattle are to Chicago and will compete for the big prizes. Herds from the Atlantic coast are expected to begin arriving today in order to be ready for the licensed who indulged in anything not on the "square" should have their licenses taken away from them. "The organization of realty men will recthing not legitic."

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GREEK

By Susanne Glenn AND DESCRIPTION

The little waves flached clear in the moonlight. The softest of summer winds breathed romance. The man and the girl in the cliff arbor were silent under the spell.

Over and over the girl repeated to herself the warning she had received: "Look out for Robert Winsor-he's a trifler! He is everything to everybody. He makes love to a girl until she cares, and then-it is some-

"He will find there is one girl who doesn't dangle at his charlot wheels," she whispered defiantly, to her uneasy heart and the witching night.

In the man's ears were ringing the words of the men who have come before him: "Frances Bradford is flawless statue; she lacks the divine fire-nothing touches her. She is the most supremely self-sufficient person you ever met. She's just the girl for you to pour your superfluous affections upon, Bobby! You won't wake up some day to find you have broken her heart unintentionally." "She looks like an angel," groaned

Winsor inaudibly, and miserably. Frances became suddenly conscious of the silence. "You are sitting with

your back to this beautiful night." "I am looking at something more beautiful," he said.

"But," expostulated the girl with a self-contained little laugh, "if you mean me, you may look upon me tomorrow under better light, but never again can you see this night as it is now. Turn round, like a good boy, so you can understand what I am talking agout."

"But I prefer talking about you." "Oh, very well, since you really insist upon it. In what particular phase of my existence are you especially interested? Shall I tell you of my ex-



Frances Watched Him.

treme youth, or my school-day pranks, or my love affairs?"

"I prefer," said Winsor, with a smile, "to do the talking myself, unless I chance to ask you questions." "How perfectly charming. I have always wondered how I must appear is the trouble, sweetheart?" he rein the eyes of others. Now I can real-

ize that desire!" "Have you a mirror, fair lady?" "Two, kind sir."

"Then be it known, you are very beautiful," he finished.

"But my nose?" she questioned with mock concern.

"It is a dear, dear nose," he said. "Oh, no wonder he breaks hearts. He sounds so so real!" she whispered, crushing her hand together in a determination to keep her voice

"I was fore-warned that you are the most independent of creatures. Yet you appear a dear, incompetent child requiring endless protection and su- given at a country hotel. All the pervision. How can this be? Tell farmers were there and all the vil. pacity of 6,000,000 cubic feet of nat-

"I suppose I am, as they say, in a speech. that I do not find men indispensable," she smiled. "I manage my own property, which is sufficient for my modest needs. I enjoy myself under all circumstances. I have never found the man for whom I would willingly give up my freedom!"

Then we are entirely unnecessary in your scheme of existence?"

"Indeed no! There are many occasions when I appreciate your usefulness. When the wind grows a little chill, and I have left my scarf be-

covering her hand with his own for want it made a matter of record that eight languages. She will enter a cona moment, "and that is saying a great deal in this day of exacting fem-

Frances watched him across the rustic bridge to the lawn, and swing up I'll sit down and let you give a demthe gentle slope to the house.

"I wonder," she said scornfully to her turbulent heart, "who the last girl was who received all these pretty attentions!"

As Winsor returned with the scarf he was surprised to hear voices in the arbor. Upon nearer approach he was alarmed to note that it was evidently one of the boatmen consider-

ably the worse for drink. You have made a mistake," Frances fiantly. was saying in firm, quiet tones, "and you must leave this arbor at once, at slight irritation; 'and I reckon she's

girl evenly as Winsor wrapped her impatiently in the scarf. "So I observed. Were you not

alarmed, Frances?" "Not when I saw it was one of the boatmen." She could not refrain a smile at his evident disapproval.

he had left it, "that you are not my ing it. dea! woman?

"Tell me," she pleaded. "Your beauty is beyond reproach. But I like to feel that I am necessary to a woman."

"You mean you would like to man-

age her business for her?" Robert Winsor laughed. "I've no doubt I should like to offer my advice," he admitted. "And I should like to protect her, and have her feel she could not live without me."

"That is very pretty. But what about this poor, inadequate creature before she finds you? What is going to support her through the rough knocks she is very liable to get before you appear upon the scene?" "You misunderstand, Frances. And while I utterly disapprove of your

He leaned forward to look into her eyes. "I've been warned against you," he said almost defiantly. "And I have fought against you. But still, I want where it is. you more than anything else in all the world. Will you marry me dear?" Her eyes remained steadfast. Her

fingers lay quietly in his. "Do you know," she answered, "that I have been warned-against you?" 'Against me?" incredulously.

That love-making has become a habit with you. That you are a worshipper of beauty-for a day! Then fixtures. you forget, for some new type of attraction. That you are on no account to be taken seriously. Isn't this amus-

ing?" "Amusing! Who has dared tell you such things?" sternly. "Ferhaps some of the girls whom you have forgotten, just as the men

who wished me to consider them indispensable, have told you!" Then you will let the idle words of mischief-maker influence you

against me?" The girl caught her breath at the sound of reproach in his voice. "He does it well," she thought bit-

"Have you not admitted that you were influenced against me?" she asked calmly.

"It was true, then," he said bitter-

wearily. Across the lawn and along the veranda to the open door of her room

they walked in stience. "Good-night," she said gently. Winsor stood alone where she left

"So it is all over, and they were right about her," he thought miser-

Suddenly the door of the room behind him was hung open.

Bradford, running toward him in evi- and the peas and a salad—oh, a beece-Winsor held out his arms to her. He held her close, and she clung to

"My dear, my dear!" he murmured. "Did you really mean it?" she whispered, trembling at his tenderness. "Did I mean it? Frances, Frances,

can you not trust me?" He kissed her tenderly. "But what

membered to ask after a while. "Oh," cried the self-sufficient Miss Bradford, clinging to him afresh, "there is a mouse under my dressing

GAVE UP THE CHAMPIONSHIP After Listening to Sample of Hack-

ett's "Oratory" Contestant Was Satisfied.

John C. Hackett recently told the following story:

"I was up in Rockland county last summer, and there was a banquet 'Now,' said I, with the usual apol-

ogetic manner, 'it is not fair to you that the toastmaster should ask me ural gas holder of the Philadelphia to speak. I am notorious as the worst public speaker in the state of cubic feet, is 198 feet in diameter and New York. My reputation extends 190 feet high.-Oil and Gas. from one end of the state to the other. I have no rival whatever, when it comes to-

"I was interrupted by a lanky, illclose to the beer pitcher.

'Gentlemen,' said he, "I take 'ception to what this here man says. He Winsor rose with a laugh. "It is a ain't the worst public speaker in the ried a wealthy Chinaman. Their gloves, who enters freely into converpleasure to wait upon you, he said, state. I am. You all know it, an' I daughter is a great beauty and speaks sation with all visitors and loves to I took 'ception.'

"'Well, my friend,' said I, 'suppose we leave it to the guests. You sit down while I say my piece, and then onstration.

"The fellow agreed and I went on I hadn't gone far when he got up

"''S all right, sale he, 'you win: needn't go no farther!"-Tit-Bits.

A Parental Sarcasm. "Your daughter says she will marry me or nobody," said Baron Fucash de-

"Yes," replied Mr. Cumrox with

### "I have had a caller," observed the FOR THOSE ABOUT TO MOVE CACTI FOR TELEPHONE POLES

These Few Little Hints May or May Not Prove to Have a Practical Value.

Never order the moving van to be at your door before 7:00 a. m. It

In packing up always stow away first father's razor, shaving brush and from Arizona. mug, change of linen and fancy vests. Bury them at the bottom of the largpacking case beneath the books him for one of the regular moving van Sahuara experiment is to be tried.

furniture are you judged. However, tical. Where they can be found in

and annoyance. Many a man has left to be utilized for the purpose of atbeautiful self-sufficiency, I still love when he returned at night that his will be fastened. And so the secret is wife had moved during the day with- out.

fane.

The day before, the very day, and time. for a week after moving cold boiled ham is an excellent substitute for food. It is easy to serve. You don't even have to add a little hot water .-Detroit Free Press.

### BRAND NOT IN THE MARKET

Mrs. Newlywed Had Done Her Best, but Black Coffee Was a Thing Unattainable.

her to his cronies.

ing, "I want to bring dear old Tom up dressed, good-looking woman, some-"You are cold and unwomanly or for dinner and good old Dick and nice what in a hurry, if one were to judge you would recognize the real thing old Harry. Want 'em to see you and from her manner, and a trifle diswhen it comes to you. I may have taste your cookery. I've told them all trait. Glancing hastily around the been a trifler unintentionally, but this about your dishes. There's just one room, she seated herself at the table special thing I don't want you to for- which one of the men had selected. "Perhaps we had better return to get. It's the black coffee to wind up He merely lifted his eyes from his the house," she answered a little with. Tom's particularly fond of paper for an instant, in the disintergood black coffee, and for that matter ested manner New Yorkers adopt, and

so am I.". and cronies three. Mr. B. showed his studying it. It took her a couple of guests into the parlor, while he made minutes to decide what she wanted. hasty tracks for the gas range neigh- Having found it, she laid her hand on borhood and kissed the cook again, the arm of the man. As he looked up privately

"Well, how about everything, little her face. woman. Got all the stuff together?" "Ye yes, dear," replied small Mrs. are you?" she gasped. B. with just a shade of reservation in "Oh, oh, Bobby!" cried Frances her voice. "I've got the crown of chops gallantly, "that I am not." autiful salad-and I've baked some aroused the man at the other table little biscults! There's only one thing from his paper long enough to permit I simply couldn't get (I do hope you him to announce himself. aren't too disappointed), for I went to every store in the neighborhood.

It's black coffee, dear. I hunted and

hunted, truly. Not a single shop has

anything but brown!"

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The giant holder will have a calage characters. I was asked to make ural gas. It will have a diameter of 226 feet, will be 208 feet high and the material composing it will weigh about 5,000 tons. The present nat- to the cemeteries, leaving always company has a capacity of 5,000,000

Royal Linguist.

A princess of Hawaii has just remother, who was but two steps revent in Honolulu.

Scheme for a Government Line Arizona Desert Which Is Believed to Be Feasible.

Sahuara for telephone and telegraph poles is the latest idea and one "Do you know," he took up the con- annoys father to have his bed carried that is to be tried out. It sounds versation and his former position as into the street while he is still us plausible and it is believed that it will be more economical than the old style of poles. Its test is to come

The government is to build a tele phone system for the forestry servand the bed quilts. This will cause father to go without shaving for a week, and the new neighbors will take.

The first of these lines to be built out of Tucson is to be used into the give easy terms on balance. For particular, well and the new neighbors will take the coronaus lorest reserve.

eastern Kansas, Nebraska or North-west Missouri up to \$15,000, Will give easy terms on balance. For particular, well and the new neighbors will take the coronaus lorest reserve. ice of the Coronado forest reserve. week, and the new neighbors will take Catalinas, and it is there that the

The giant cacti will not be sawed Be sure to have your best pieces of off and set up nor will they be transfurniture taken out of the van first planted, but the growing plant will be and into the house last. For by your used as a pole where it is found prac if you have no best furniture, or if what approaches alignment, so that large barns, and corrals: plenty water your rent is overdue, move at night. the line will not have to zigzeg too to irrigate 200 acres. Price \$12,000 Be sure to tell your husband where much, the sahuara up in the canons you are moving to. This saves trouble through which the line will pass are Bidg., Denver, Colorado. home in the morning only to discover taching brackets to which the wires

out leaving her change of address. Be | Along the proposed line it is diffifore home can be a source of joy and cult to set poles, owing to the rocky comfort to him, a man must know nature of the country traversed. Not only is this the case, but it is diffi-After the moving van men start to cult to get the poles up there in the carry a heavily loaded bureau up the bills to set, while the sahuaras are stairs be on hand to warn them to be right there in many instances, and careful of the walls. This will annoy while not at a uniform distance this the men, and you will discover how is not considered important. Another saving will be that while the made to order poles will not oust the ready made ones, these will be of fluent is their speech; also how pro- other saving will be that while the Remember that the landlord owns ready made ones, these will be of the window screens, shades and gas long life and will not demand replenishing and replacing from time to

### AS A MAN SHOULD ANSWER

For Once a New Yorker Rose to the Occasion and Was There With Apt Response.

Two men somewhat alike as to build, dress and general appearance entered an upper West side restaurant within a few minutes of one another the other evening, says the New After the honeymoon came the cozy York Press. They were also alike and flat, Young Mr. Benedict was mighty not different from the average New proud of his wife, even if she was Yorker in burying themselves in newsfrom the country, and eager to show papers as soon as they had chosen tables.

"Dulcinia, dear," he said one morn- Presently there entered a well-

fell to reading again, while the wom-Promptly at 6 came Mr. Benedict an seized the menu card and began at her a curious expression came over

"Why-why, you're not my husband,

"I am sorry, madam." he replied

Then both of them laughed, which

### KEEP THEIR MEMORY GREEN

Frenchmen Delight in Pilgrimages to the Tombs of the Great or Notorious.

The chapel tomb of Honore de Balzac at Pere la Chaise was visited this afternoon by a group of admirers who make a yearly pilgrimage to the spot on August 18. There "friends of Balzac" keep the novelist's memory green in an essentially Parisian manner, leaving cards and bead wreaths on the tomb and delivering speeches and eulogies that are listened to

reverently by a fair audience. During August innumerable American tourists visit the different ceme teries of the city, and many happened to be at Pere la Chaise this afternoon at the time of the little ceremony. The French themselves have a veritable cult for ancestors that must be second only to that of the Japanese. and on every fete day anniversary or holiday they "precipitate themselves" (to use their own expressive word) some mark of their presence in the shape of a bouquet, large or small. The tombs of public men and women are yearly the object of special demonstrations.

Heine's tomb is perhaps one of the most favored by foreigners, but that of the original Dumas' "Dame aux clad individual, who had stuck too turned to this country from France, Camelias" is the best cared for, as where she studied for six years. Her every day in the year it is visited and carefully dusted by a half-crazy wommoved from the Hawaiian throne, mar- an with dyed yellow hair and thread relate the history of this "Marguerite."-Paris Correspondence London Evening Standard.

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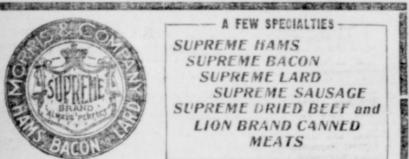
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"Whatchu keepin' these things on me for?" he asked. "You don't think I'm goin' t' jump over in the middle of Lake Erie, do you? Can't get away now.'

Billy saw reason in the argument, released his man from the irons and gave him leave to stroll about deck. When the boat neared port, however, early next morning, the prisoner wasn't to be found. Oswald looked the boat over from engine room to bridge, but in vain. When the boat slid alongside the dock Billy was the first man off, stationing himself where he could see every person coming ashore.

In a couple of minutes he spied his man. But he wasn't trying to slip off unobserved. He came along boldly, lugging Oswald's baggage in one hand and his own in the other.

"Aw, there you are!" he sang out. T've been lookin' all over the boat for you the last half hour.'

### BEWARE THE CARELESS MAN

Wise and Up-to-Date Grandmother Hands Out Some Good Advice to Engaged Girl.

The pretty girl was talking about her flance. "He never seems to notice how I dress," she said, rather well pleased. "He tries to look interested, but I know from his expression that he does not recognize one gown from another, and once he told me I always look all right to him, no matter how I am dressed."

"Then don't marry him," advised a youthful grandmother of 60 almost tartly and wholly disregarding gram-She was herself of the trim, smartly gowned variety of women who refuse to grow old. "Take my advice. If a man does not care how you look he never will provide the money for you to dress as well as you will wish to. A man ought to care how his wife is dressed. Not that it is the most important thing in life but that it has to do with the whole tone of their home. There is something wrong with a man who does not wish his wife to look her best. If your fiance is tractable I advise you to begin a course of instructing him at once. If not-" she shook her head warningly, smoothed down her slim hips, gave her satin walking suit a little flip and left for her constitutional

To Try Trapping Sparrows.

ulture, it was announced, have been for the last two months experimenting with devices to trap English sparrows. From Maine to California an agent of the department has traveled during those months. Many machines have FALL PLOWING THE ORCHARD been tried out, but as yet one has not been perfected which officials say will

do the work successfully. Dr. Charles J. Fisher, who has the work in hand, said that the English sparrows are a nuisance and that they harm bearable fruit trees in the

sparrows eat into the buds and destroy the cores. It then becomes im-

possible for them to bear fruit. Washington at this time. In several parts of the country, however, we have agents at work with devices. From what I have heard these ma. jury. chines have not as yet been perfected."

his methods of work. Some interesthis methods of work. Some interest-ing reminiscences are preserved in it would be well to follow the plow one of the novels of Bandello. "He used often to go early in the morning and mount upon the platform, and from sunrise until the dusk of evening, never putting down his brush, and, forgetting to eat and drink, paint without ceasing. Then two, three or four days would pass when he would the state of the lower soil to be a surface soil mulch is obtained.

It is a good idea to fail plow the orchard once, at least, in every two years. Constant surface cultivation to the lower soil to be a surface. without ceasing. Then two, three or years. Constant surface cultivation four days would pass when he would not touch it, but remained for one or such an extent as to cause fruit trees two hours together contemplating, to become shallow rooted, and thus considering and examining within himself, judging his figures. I have seen him, too, according as his caprice or humor moved him, go off at noonday, when the sun was in Leo.

Remembered the Great Napoleon.
The last French woman who met Napoleon I. face to face died recently at Troyes, aged one hundred and two. She was Mme. Millos, a widow, whose parents were on the domestic staff of the Palace of Fontainebleau. She was five when Napoleon, shortly before taking leave of his guards, spoke to her in the palace park. Mme. Millos retained a vivid recollection of this meeting until the day of her death, and on that account she was some thing of a local celebrity.

Ha subsoiler is used, be careful not to ten feet from the trees, this depending upon the steen than seven to ten feet from the trees, this depending upon the size and the length of the roots. The subsoiler should be followed with a plow. Do not rake off and burn the weeds, etc., but plow them under. The more green material that can be plowed under the better, because all our orchard soils are deficient in organic matter.—R. S. Herrick, Field Horticulturist, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins.

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> In plowing, avoid throwing up ridges or leaving hollows near the trees or in the tree rows. If ridges are thrown up against the trees for wnter protection, be sure to leve

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noonday, when the sun was in Leo, tends to cause the roots to grow deep-from the Corte Vecchia, where he was er, thus giving them a greater feeding composing his stupendous horse of clay, and come straight to the Grazie, and, mounting the platform, take a brush and give one or two strokes to one of the figures, and straightway break up the hard pan and make a greater holding capacity for moisture. If a subsoiler is used, be careful not to get nearer than seven to ten fee

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