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## STEER MARKET SLOW

INCREASE IN GENERAL RECEIPTS AND TRADE DISPLAYS AN EASIER TONE.

## PRICES STEADY TO 10c OFF

Cows and Heifers Mostly Steady—Bulls and Calves Steady—Stockers Trend Lower.

A weaker undertone was apparent in the market for beef steers today, a material enlargement in general receipts being the primary cause. Compared with a week ago, when weather conditions curtailed supplies at Chicago and some of the other markets, there was an increase of 20,000 cattle in today's total receipts at the local leading centers. Chicago alone had practically as many cattle today as was on sale at all of the five points last Monday. Aggregate marketing of approximately 47,000 head, however, fell 15,000 short of the number in sight for the corresponding day a year ago.

Locally there was a moderate increase in offerings as compared with a week ago. Estimates called for 2,600 head early and 2,500 later in the day after all trains were in. A week ago receipts were 2,213 and a year ago 2,282 head. Steers formed a little less than half of the total arrivals at this point and the quality was much the same as recently noted here, there being a decided scarcity of the really good heavy heaves with medium to fair short-fed kinds predominating. With other markets reporting weak and lower values, it was not surprising that buyers here were a little leathery in their views. The general market was slow in taking definite form. A number of loads of steers sold comparatively early, packers needing a few cattle to get killing gangs started. These opening transactions were at prices about steady with the close of last week but it was a somewhat draggy market on the part of the steers at hand with prices rather steady on the heavy heaves classes to as much as a dime lower on medium and plain killers. A small showing of Colorado pulp and grain fed steers was included in the day's offerings and tops came from this class of stock, two loads of pretty good weight selling at \$7.25.

The following prices on steers are quoted by the local market:

Choice to prime, \$7.25 to \$7.50; good to choice, \$7.25 to \$7.45; fair to good short-fed, \$6.50 to \$7.25; medium to fair short-fed, \$6.25 to \$6.50; common to medium, \$5.75 to \$6.25.

## Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers.

No.	Av. Price	No.	Av. Price
20Col. 1260	7.25	39	10.07
20Col. 1378	7.25	68	10.07
18	12.86	6	10.13
13	11.45	8	10.13
14	12.55	6	10.13
24	12.43	6	10.13
37	13.99	6	10.13
3	11.95	6	10.13
3	11.95	6	10.13
11	9.80	6	10.13
11	9.62	6	10.13
12	10.14	6	10.13
6	10.14	6	10.13
9	10.11	6	10.13
22	11.08	6	10.13

## COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

In a general way the snap and vim that characterized trading in cows and heifers the greater part of last week was minus in today's market. Receipts of butchers' stock were not burdensome by any means but conditions at other points were of a nature to make local buyers a trifle leathery. The market opened steady but weak but developed greater activity as the session progressed, and at the close of the general market was quoted fully on by the closing basis of last week's closing prices, as usual, were hard to turn except for the kinds on which both packer and country order buyers were in the market. Quality of the offerings, on the whole, was about the same as it has been running for the past week or two.

Bulls and stags showed fair tone at steady prices. The fat kind, irrespective of weight, seemed to be wanted. The moderate run of calves on sale found outlet readily with no appreciable change in prices as compared with the close of last week.

The following quotations are current on the local market:

Choice to prime cows, \$5.25 to \$6.00; good to choice cows, \$4.75 to \$5.25; medium to fair cows, \$4.25 to \$4.75; canners and cutters, \$3.00 to \$4.00; choice to prime heifers, \$6.00 to \$7.00; good to choice heifers, \$5.25 to \$6.00; common to good heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; good to fair bulls, \$4.75 to \$5.00; fair to good \$4.25 to \$4.75; veal calves, \$7.00 to \$8.00; medium calves, \$6.00 to \$7.00; and heavy calves, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

## Heifers.

No.	Av. Price	No.	Av. Price
3	6.00	48	5.45
49	6.00	48	5.45
2	9.90	6	5.45
1	7.90	5	5.45
1	6.30	5	5.45
6	10.4	5	5.45
2	6.95	5	5.45
4	8.11	5	5.45
5	8.35	5	5.45
1	10.20	5	5.45
4	5.56	5	5.45
7	7.05	5	5.45
6	8.90	5	5.45
6	7.80	5	5.45
32	7.00	5	5.45
1	8.10	5	5.45
6	7.20	5	5.45
9	7.01	5	5.45

## Cows.

No.	Av. Price	No.	Av. Price
1	15.20	5	10.47
1	14.00	5	10.47
1	14.80	5	10.47
4	9.05	5	10.47
1	17.0	5	10.47
1	13.50	5	10.47
3	12.93	5	10.47
6	10.80	5	10.47
1	10.10	5	10.47
2	13.10	5	10.47
9	10.94	5	10.47
2	10.85	5	10.47
2	9.55	5	10.47
3	12.93	5	10.47
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A three-mile monorail will be installed at Hamburg for the purpose of getting the system a practical test.

## HOGS POINT LOWER

GENERALLY A NICKEL DECLINE FROM SATURDAY AVERAGE—TOPS SELL AT \$6.30.

## QUALITY OF GOOD AVERAGE

Local Run Moderate at 7,500 Head But Chicago Had Liberal Supply—Bulk of Sales \$5.95 to \$6.20.

An increase of 22,000 hogs at the five leading markets over receipts for the opening day last week gave the general trade a weaker undertone and prices came in for a downward revision all along the line, although the loss was not a severe one. Locally a fair Monday supply was on sale, late estimates calling for 7,500 head. The quality was better than usual for this day of the week. Sixty thousand hogs were on sale at Chicago and the heavy run there was the most unfavorable factor that sellers had to contend with here. In line with general reports of lower prices local buyers started out bidding around a dime lower but after some dickering they raised their hand a little and trade showed moderate life at prices generally a nickel lower than Saturday. There were a few spots where a nickel would hardly cover the decline but they were too far apart to cut much figure in the general market. A top of \$6.30 was reached on best of the heavy butcher offerings. Practically everything on hand had changed hands by noon. Pigs were steady on a light run.

Prices ranged from \$5.75 to \$6.30, with the bulk selling at \$5.95 to \$6.20. The bulk Saturday sold at \$6.00 to \$6.25 a week ago at \$6.15 to \$6.25, a month ago at \$6.15 to \$6.25, a year ago at \$7.00 to \$7.20, two years ago at \$8.50 to \$8.50, three years ago at \$6.00 to \$6.40, and four years ago at \$4.10 to \$4.30.

## Representative Hog Sales.

No.	Av. Price	No.	Av. Price
69	308	6	217.49
69	261	6	217.49
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## Range of Hog Prices.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75
5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.75

## OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

### CHICAGO.

CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 12.—The Live Stock World reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 26,000. Market weak to 15c lower; top \$8.50. Hogs—Receipts, 58,000. Market generally 5c lower; top \$6.35, bulk \$6.10 to \$6.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 30,000. Market steady to 10c lower.

### KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Telegram reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 11,000. Market steady to 10c lower; top \$8.10. Cows and heifers steady; stockers strong; calves weaker.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000. Market opened 5c, closed 5c to 10c lower. Top \$6.30, bulk \$5.90 to \$6.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000. Market steady to 10c lower; lambs \$6.25.

### SOUTH OMAHA.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 12.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Telegram reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 4,700. Market steady to 10c lower.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Market 3c to 10c lower; top \$6.25, bulk \$5.95 to \$6.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000. Market steady; lambs 10c lower.

### EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 12.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 30,000, including 500 southern. Market 10c lower.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000. Market 5c lower. Top \$6.35, bulk \$6.10 to \$6.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,500. Market 10c lower.

## LIVE MUTTON WEAK

LAMBS SOLD STEADY TO 15c LOWER—TOP GRADES AT \$6.35.

## FAT SHEEP ABOUT STEADY

In-Between Kinds of Lambs Discriminated Against and Prices Lower—Receipts Less Than a Week Ago.

As a result of the sensational drop in mutton values all along the line last week, sellers made every possible effort to communicate to prospective shippers, to hold receipts down to the absorbing capacity of the market at the start this week, but at the same time they doubted the success of their policy, owing to owners' desire to sidestep an expensive board bill, and market their holdings whenever an opportunity was presented to squeeze through on a profit-making basis. However, a drop of 25 to 50c in lamb values last week had the desired effect and as a result a fresh supply that was about half as large as received last Monday put in appearance today. Early estimates called for 3,500 and about that many registered, consisting mostly of lambs carrying corn belt billing and a few odd consignments of aged muttons. Buyers were in no hurry to open their pockets, having visions of belated shipments piling up supplies and enabling them to shade values, with the result that there was not enough business done up to a late hour to give an accurate line on prices. Two cars of Colorado fed lambs changed hands at \$6.35 and were quoted steady with requirements and a good share of the \$6.35 delegation going in a range of \$5.95 to \$6.15. The one car of yearlings offered was a little heavy for packer requirements and was forced to sell at \$4.35. Ewes sold generally at \$4.00. Good to prime western fed lambs are quotable at \$6.15 to \$6.40; fair to good western lambs at \$5.75 to \$6.15; fed western yearlings at \$4.50 to \$4.90; fed western yearlings, light weight, \$2.25 to \$2.50; good to prime native lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.85; native ewes, \$3.50 to \$4.00; native wethers, \$4.00 to \$4.40; native yearlings, light weight, \$3.50 to \$4.00; native yearlings, heavy weight, \$4.50 to \$5.00; cull lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

## WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES.

Following are today's wholesale prices for beef cuts as given out by Swift & Company:

Dressed Beef.

No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
13 1/2	12 1/2	10 c
19	14	11 1/2 c
12	11 1/2	9 c
8 1/2	7 1/2	6 1/2 c
6	5 1/2	5 c

## TO BE A REGULAR TRAIN?

Looks Like Cumberland Saturday Night "Extra" Will Run Regularly.

It begins to look as though two regular special stock trains a week will be run over the Burlington's Cumberland branch line, in Iowa, into St. Joseph. For the past few weeks an extra train has been run on Saturday night for the benefit of shippers along that line who wish to market their stock here Monday and the service has attracted considerable popularity that it is probable that the Saturday St. Joseph "extra" will be made a regular feature of the service on the Cumberland branch. The so-called "extra" Cumberland reached the yards early Sunday morning with a drag of twenty-six cars, including fourteen cars of hogs, eleven cars of cattle and a load of sheep. The following Iowa stockmen had consignments on the train: J. B. Chaney, J. M. Devore, George Cruise, Selsers & Parrish, Dunlap & Co., J. H. Welscher, Wallace & Grounds, H. E. Farquhar, P. P. Pratt, McQuire & Sons, Keilman and W. Reynolds, A. J. Bagshaw, Murray & Rice, Dunlap Grain Co., Jacob L. Welsch, R. L. Johnson, E. E. Huntington, C. E. Young, W. C. Jordan and J. S. Teal.

## ARCHITECTURE AT K. U.

Regents Approve Plans for New Department on Broad Basis.

Lawrence, Kan., Feb. 12.—In approving the plan of Dean Martin and Professor McCardle for a department of architecture at the University of Kansas, the board of regents passed a resolution to the effect that the architectural course should be based upon the broadest practicable cultural basis and that the course should cover at least five years.

## HOBOS MAY FORM COLONY

"Back to Farm" Proposed at Convention of "Casual Workers."

Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—The convention of the "Unskilled, Migratory and Casual Workers' Association," otherwise known as the "hobos" society, was marked with a speech by Joseph Fels, millionaire single tax propagandist. The 600 delegates discussed a proposal by President James Eads how to hold the next convention in Kansas and their tramp in a body to vacant land in the southwest and colonize it. If police permission can be obtained a parade of the delegates will be held.

## AMUSEMENTS.

At the Tootle-Tonight, "Madam X." Tuesday night, English grand opera, "The Girl of the Golden West." Wednesday night, May Robson, in "A Night Out."

At the Lyceum—Until Thursday, matinee daily, Ginger Girls extravaganza. Last half of week, matinee Saturday, Jolly John Larkin, in "Royal Sam."

It costs Germany \$296,000 a year for the upkeep of her apples in France.

## ITEMS IN BRIEF.

W. H. Scane, of Bedford, Ia., was here today with a consignment of hogs. Mr. Scane is one of Iowa's largest live stock shippers and markets practically all of his live stock at this point.

Meyers & Co., prominent shippers of Forest City, Mo., sent in a car of hogs for today's market.

Lee Gross, an extensive Nodaway county, Mo., shipper, had two cars of porkers on sale at this point today.

Excelsior Cattle Patcher has proven a great success. The cheapest and best feed that can be fed with corn increases the gain, shortens time of feeding.

J. P. Prather, of Tarkio, Mo., who markets here quite frequently, had a shipment of hogs for today's market.

A. E. Blower, Chester, Neb., increased today's hog receipts with a one-car consignment.

Champion Feed saves corn.

Denton & Putman, extensive live stock operators of Carson, Ia., disposed of a car of hogs on today's market.

W. Reicher, one of Nebraska's well-known shippers, had a car of hogs and one car of cattle on sale today, billed from Bladen.

Try the stock yards lunch at Transit House Cafe. Best meal in the city for the money.

W. A. Widney & Co., of Yorktown, Ia., were represented on today's market with a car of hogs.

A. Strah, of Rosemont, Neb., was among those who had cattle in for today's market.

There is on feed at the Excelsior Mill, St. Joseph, Mo., 150 head of cattle which show for themselves. Feeders are invited to visit our feed lots and investigate our system of feeding.

S. B. Sugar Co., located at Scotts Bluff, Neb., sent in two cars of mutton for disposal on today's market.

H. Scaffer, of widely known ranch, a live stock operator, had four cars of steers on today's market, billed from Ft. Morgan, Colo.

For Sale—Six black jacks and three stallions. Henry Pribbeno, Rulo, Neb. Scotts Bluff, Neb., was well represented on today's market. The following shippers from that point had live stock on today's market: J. W. Boyke, two cars of cattle; W. L. Wallace, three cars of cattle; Nell Barbut, two cars of cattle; and C. W. Marlin, two cars of cattle.

J. C. Reedy, of Dickens, Neb., accompanied two cars of cattle to the local market today.

Brow & Cobb, of Atlanta, Neb., who market here quite regularly, had two cars of cattle on sale.

Champion Molasses Feed shortens feeding period, increases gain, reduces cost per pound of gain, equally good with ensilage.

E. Johnson, of Loomis, Neb., a staunch patron of this market, increased today's cattle receipts with two cars.

C. A. Mann, of Sutton, Neb., had a car of steers of his own feeding on today's market.

E. C. Anderson, of Hildreth, Neb., was here today looking after the sale of three cars of cattle.

If in need of feed, call on our agent, E. J. Land, Room 318, Exchange Building, St. Joseph. CHAMPION FEED CO., TARKIO, MO.

F. F. Roepke, of Oxford, Mo., marketed a car each of cattle and hogs here today.

E. F. Caffrey, of Stamford, Neb., had in a mixed load of stock today.

J. E. Prather, of Tarkio, Mo., disposed of hogs here today. "Dixie Brand" cottonseed cake, meal, liberal terms, good service, trustworthy. B. Humphreys-Godwin Co., 418 E. Exchange, Kansas City.

Today's market was represented on the part of the cash market by two cars of cattle; J. H. Schaffer, two cars of cattle; D. A. Breitweiser, a car of cattle, and John Seberg, two cars of cattle.

## IT HAS AN ALMANAC.

Kansas Board of Health Issues One That Is Different.

## TEST SEED CORN FREE

FARM EXPERIMENT STATION OF MARYVILLE NORMAL SCHOOL MAKES IMPORTANT OFFER.

## APPLIES TO 19 COUNTIES

Grain Tested—Only Expense Is That of Mailing Sample.

Maryville, Mo., Feb. 12.—The agricultural experiment station of the Northwest Missouri State Normal school here working in cooperation with the state university, is making an important offer to the farmers of the nineteen counties of the normal district. This offer, which is especially important on account of the damage wrought by last summer's drought and the uncertainty as to the condition of the seed corn the farmers are planning to plant.

An expenditure of 2 cents is all that is required of the farmer that will carry a half pint of corn through the mails to the experiment station. The corn should be put in a small cloth sack, and the farmers should inclose notes as to when the corn was sown and in what manner it was kept or stored. The offer is being made early so as to give the growers ample time, but the seed corn should be sent in as early as possible. Reply will be made within ten days after the corn has been germinated and analyzed.

Our plans means much to the farmers of Northwest Missouri," said President H. K. Taylor of the normal school. "An illustration, last year we went over Nodaway county and took samples of the seed corn the farmers were planting. We found a percentage of twenty to thirty rotten grains in every one hundred. If the average could have been raised a bushel to the acre, it would have meant an increase of 250,000 bushels of corn for Nodaway county. S. M. Jordan, the corn specialist, says that if the proper attention is given the corn crop of the average farmer, he would bring up to an increase of ten bushels to the acre, which, at the present prices, would mean \$1,500,000 more for Nodaway county. The same condition, of course, applies to other counties."

The counties of the normal district, to which the offer is extended, are Adair, Atchison, Buchanan, DeKalb, Andrew, Nodaway, Worth, Harrison, Clay, Carroll, Ray, Platte, Clinton, Mercer and Caldwell.

## FROGS PAY HIS TUITION.

Minnesota Young Man's Method to Get Farm School Course.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 12.—Converting 200,000 frogs into a year's pursuit of education at the State Agricultural college, Carl A. Opper, Fulda, Minn., has worked his way through the present year by selling the frogs, kept by selling frogs on the wholesale plan, Opper, who rooms at 1476 Chelmsford avenue, St. Anthony Park, made \$900 as a purveyor of frogs last summer and expects to make more next summer.

Opper paid the boys of Fulda 5 cents a dozen for the frogs and then sent them by the crate to a Chicago buyer at 15c a lb. At one time Opper had 160,000 frogs on hand and the creatures served as a great attraction to citizens of Fulda. Next winter Opper will begin the raising of frogs, keeping them until spring, when prices for them are better. The frogs, if put in a covered pit, will hibernate, according to Opper.

## LAI D TWO EGGS A DAY.

A Hen in International Laying Contest Settles Mooted Question.

Storrs, Conn., Feb. 12.—The mooted question, "can a hen lay more than an egg a day?" has been settled in the affirmative as a result of the international egg-laying contest, which has just concluded its first quarter at the Connecticut Agricultural college. A hen laid two eggs one day recently.

Prof. H. H. Johnson of the department of poultry husbandry is the authority for the statement. Professor Stonebraker said that the hen that laid the two eggs was one from a pen of five ruby combs, the island Reds entered by E. S. Edgerton of West Willington, Conn.

In the morning an egg was taken from the hen in a trapped nest on the first floor of the building. The hen soon another egg was taken from the same hen upon the same nest, and four other eggs were collected from the same pen.

## MAY START BEET FACTORY

Experts Investigating Soil in West Montana Valley Region.

Rocky Ford, Colo., Feb. 12.—Experts from the American Beet Sugar company have been making tests of the soil in the West Montana valley, a tract of land about thirty miles in length south of Canon City.

The territory is now owned by Germans, who have become well-to-do by the raising of stock and alfalfa. The experts report that in no part of the state are soil and climatic conditions better for the raising of sugar beets than in this valley. There is sufficient acreage to maintain a good sized factory.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

For Missouri: Unsettled weather, with probably rain tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday and in west portion tonight.

For Kansas and Nebraska: Unsettled weather and probably snow flurries tonight or Tuesday; warmer in west portion tonight.

Iowa: Unsettled weather and probably snow flurries, warmer Tuesday and in west and central portions tonight.

## INDIAN RAISES BIG CORN.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 12.—Those who believe that the Indians do not prove successful farmers should see the sample ears of corn brought to the city today by Joel Tyndall, of Walthill, Neb. He is a full blood Indian living on the reservation. There are several ears in the display. All are large, well formed, thoroughly matured and show no blemishes.

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GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT GROWS.

The good roads movement is rapidly enlisting the interest and co-operation of citizens everywhere.

LANDLORDS AND TENANTS.

There are so many farm owners who are leasing land to others that the question of landlord and tenant is a prominent one in almost every neighborhood.

BOY CORN RAISERS.

Encouraging boys to compete for prizes in corn production is producing good effect as an object lesson to the corn producing farmers in both the north and the south.

PURE BRED LIVE STOCK.

Pure-bred live stock does not find a proper home on every farm. There are men engaged in farming who have no stock to it.

Daddy's Bedtime Story

Tommy Tries To Hurry Up the Summer Time

LITTLE Tommie did not like winter very well, daddy began. "What a funny boy!" exclaimed the children.



Tommy Shoveled Coal Into the Furnace

HENS PAY FOR WARM HOUSE

Wise Poultryman Provides Dry and Well-Drained Quarters. For success in poultry keeping it is necessary to have a suitable house which will protect the fowls from inclement weather.

CORN CAMPAIGN IS ON.

Director Miller Believes Plenty of Healthy Rivalry Will Result. Manhattan, Kan., Feb. 12.—Probably the greatest corn campaign Kansas ever has had is just starting.

TO REDUCE COTTON ACREAGE

Oklahoma Farmers and State Board Adopts Rock Hill Plan. Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 12.—At a conference held here by farmers, members of the state board of agriculture, and J. G. Anderson of Rock Hill, S. C., it was decided to inaugurate the "Rock Hill plan" for reduction of the cotton acreage in Oklahoma.

CHANGES IN FLOWERS.

Most of Our Modern Varieties Were Unknown to Shakespeare.

From the Strand: It is a truly astonishing thing to reflect that Shakespeare, for all his love of flowers, would be no doubt that a number of a single bloom in a twentieth century garden.

TIME TO FIGHT FLIES.

How to Minimize That Fly Pest Next Summer. Surprising as it may seem, midwinter is the time to start a campaign against that pest of the summer months, the house fly.

STUDY CORN STALK DISEASE

Nebraska State Veterinarians Puzzled as to Cause of Deaths. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—State Veterinarian Bostrum and his assistants, after an exhaustive investigation of various cases of the corn stalk disease among Nebraska cattle, are unable to find the cause.

LUMBERMEN TO ADVERTISE

Carry on Campaign Against Cement and Other Wood Substitutes. New Orleans, Feb. 12.—The Yellow Pine Manufacturers' Association at its closing session elected the following officers: J. G. Anderson, president; L. A. Smith, vice president; George K. Smith, St. Louis, secretary; O. O. Axley, Warren, Ark., treasurer.

TO PROBE BUTTER TRUST.

Grand Jury Investigation Into High Price of Foods in New York. New York, Feb. 12.—John Doe proceedings to determine whether a "butter and egg trust" exists in this city will be started before a magistrate here next Tuesday by District Attorney Whitman, who, for the last two weeks, had been conducting a grand jury investigation into the high price of food commodities.

Sensational Business at the Great Brady February Clearing Sale

The past two weeks have been the busiest ones we have ever had the pleasure of recording. And you wonder? With seven large floors filled with choice new and dependable merchandise, more goods than the combined stocks of all other so-called dealers and all with the "Brady" guarantee back of them.

Buy Your Carpets in a Carpet Store and Get Service

Wonderful Rug Bargains. Carpets Almost Given Away. Axminster Rugs. Real Wilton Rugs. Tapestry Rugs. Velvet Rugs. We have made up 150 Rugs out of our remnants and drop patterns of carpet, all nicely bordered.

The Brady Carpet & Drapery Co.

Missouri's Largest and Only Exclusive Dealers in Carpets, Rugs, Draperies. Mail Orders Carefully and Promptly Filled.

Immunize your hogs from CHOLERA by the SHILHER METHOD. No Serum shipped from our office, no matter how urgent the demand, unless the same has first been tested on our own hogs and proven to be potent.

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TYPHOID IN RAW FRUITS? Uncooked Vegetables Source of Danger, Says Health Officer. Washington, Feb. 12.—Uncooked fruits and vegetables served in restaurants and the homes of millions are likely to be carrying agents of typhoid fever, according to Past Assistant Surgeon R. L. Creel of the public health and marine hospital service.

LANDSEEKERS LEAVE. Available Homesteads for Poor Men on Decrease. New York, Feb. 12.—"The necessity of expediting the reclamation of increased acres of our deserts is obvious," said C. J. Blanchard, statistician of the reclamation service last night in an address before the Union League club.

TO FACE OKLAHOMA CHARGE. William and Jesse Holcomb, Long Sought, Arrested in Washington. Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 12.—William and Jesse Holcomb, for whom in the Northwest have been a search for three years, and who are in Cherokee county, Okla., on a charge of attacking a man, were arrested here last night.

IRRIGATORS COMPLAIN. Say Water Rights Have Increased From \$6.50 to \$35 Per Acre. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—State Engineer D. D. Price has received an informal complaint from Ben Bussey of Bridgeport against the Brown Creek Irrigation canal, and will turn it over to the railway commission because it relates to rates for water.

TO REDUCE COTTON ACREAGE. Oklahoma Farmers and State Board Adopts Rock Hill Plan. Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 12.—At a conference held here by farmers, members of the state board of agriculture, and J. G. Anderson of Rock Hill, S. C., it was decided to inaugurate the "Rock Hill plan" for reduction of the cotton acreage in Oklahoma.

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Price Current Reports Optimistic—A Decrease in Hog Packing.

Cincinnati, Feb. 10.—The Price Current says: The condition of winter wheat, especially late sown, is very good, particularly in the western and southern portions. There is but little area not in promising condition. Very little progress has been made in getting into fields of unthreshed corn. Receipts of corn at primary markets exceed all previous records. The interior movement is liberal, with indications of a continuance for several weeks, provided prices are not lowered.

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Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 12.—A run for homes, but on a far smaller scale than was the original land openings in this state, will occur at the local government land office on April 19, when the Navajo irrigation reservoir site is opened to settlement. It is understood that no special method will be adopted for the opening of the Navajo tracts, excepting that the usual laws shall govern the selection of and entry upon the land and that five years' residence is necessary.

**MEANS BIG CROP.**  
Railway Official Says Prospects For Southwest Are Bright.

Topeka, Feb. 12.—George T. Nicholson, vice president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, in charge of traffic, has just finished an exhaustive investigation of crop prospects along the lines of the road. His reports are most favorable, indicating that the conditions are better than they have been for several years.

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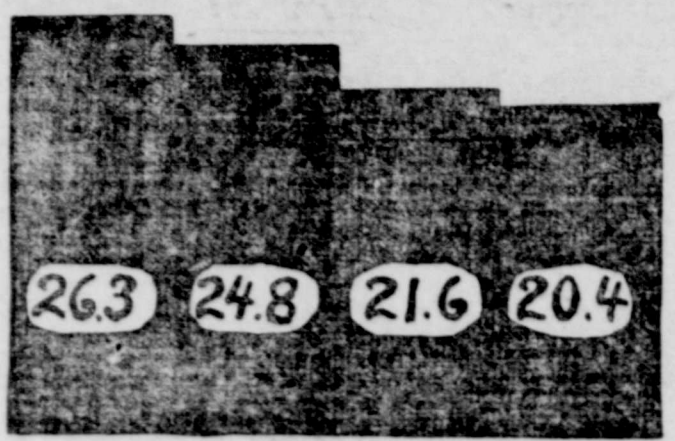
When Carried On Too Long Ruins Land

F. B. Mumford, Dean of the Missouri College of Agriculture, Before National Conservation Congress.

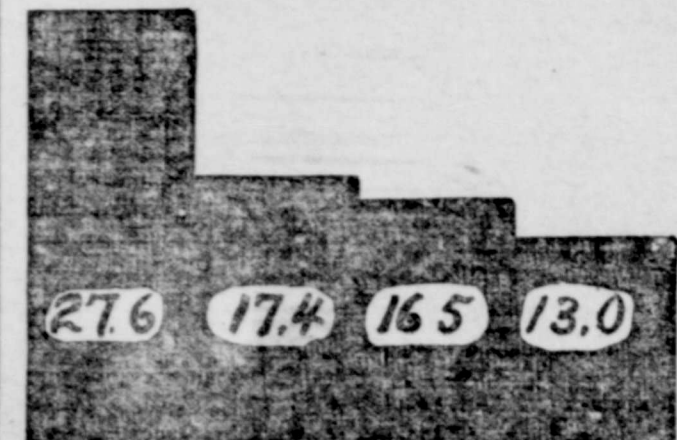
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clined somewhat in yield, the other declined much more rapidly, so that after the first five year period it was scarcely profitable. Each of the four steps of the diagram represents the average of five years, and the figures are bushels. The manure made the difference.

### TREES DO NOT NEED IRON

DRIVING NAILS IN APPLE TREES A MISTAKEN IDEA.  
By W. L. Chandler, Department of Horticulture, University of Missouri.

There has long been an idea among orchardists that by driving nails into the trunks of apple trees they could supply iron to the trees and cause fruiting. The nails often do cause the trees to bear fruit earlier, or during a season when they would not otherwise, but it is not because they supply iron.

"There is no orchard soil in Missouri. Driving nails into trees has amount of iron needed by trees," says W. L. Chandler of the Department of Horticulture at the University of Missouri. "Driving nails into trees has an entirely different effect on the trees which causes them to come into bearing."

"Sap from the ground goes up through the tree in the layer of wood just around the heart-wood. It carries certain materials to the leaves, which are there digested and mixed with some food materials taken from the air. Then this food material which is digested is transported back to the roots. It travels down through the cambium layer, which is the soft growing layer directly underneath the bark. If this layer is injured or cut, the food material can not go back to the roots, so it is crowded out into the buds and forces them to bear fruit."

If the cambium layer is seriously injured, as in complete girdling, the tree dies. This accounts for the old methods of despoiling forest trees. Much better than driving nails, however, is careful cutting in this cambium layer. This is a delicate operation, and at best is a dangerous one. In the hands of an expert it is a means of forcing a tree into bearing when it would not bear otherwise. Varieties which naturally bear late in life may be made to bear earlier by this means. Doctor Whitten, head of the Department of Horticulture at the University of Missouri, tells of causing a two-year-old pear tree to bear several large pears while it was still only a switch. This was done by tying a wire around it near the ground. While this operation on trees is always dangerous, one of the best ways, if it is to be done at all, is to make a spiral cut around the trunk so that it does not completely cut off the circulation, but merely injures it temporarily. A dull knife is better for this, or a sickle, as a sharp cut would grow together too soon.

### HE WAS WILLING TO OBLIGE

Young Man Gave Advice on Clothing Though He Came From Gas Company.

"I've come to see about the mantles, miss."

"Oh, yes, I'm so glad you have come so soon; will you step into the drawing room?"

The young man stopped; he was pleased with his pleasant reception. After a while he came in and said: "How do?" So sorry to trouble him, but would he mind if they tried the mantles on? Her daughter's was a trifle too full, and her own was a trifle too long, she thought. Perhaps he would be good enough to see.

The young man said he would be only too delighted.

The two elegant mantles in the latest style which were lying across the back of the sofa were donned, and the young man said he thought they looked charming. Yes, perhaps a little alteration was required, but— if they would excuse him he would be glad if they would let him get on with his work and show him the gas burners that were requiring fresh mantles.

Why! Wasn't he from Jiggins & Jugginses?  
"Oh, no, he was the young man that attended to the mantles from the gas company."

### KISSING ALMOST LOST ART

Most Women, Says London Paper, Forget Neatness and Are Vigorous and Wild.

It is surprising that with all the kissing that goes on in our so-called civilized England, so little advance should have been made in the science of bestowing a kiss. Very few persons understand the art. Neatness is forgotten, and the first impulse of the kisser is to wipe away all traces of the offending salute as speedily as may be consistent with politeness. Others deliver a peck upon the cheeks, and, in some cases, by no means a small peck. There are vigorous women whose buffetings are quite enough to produce a toothache in a sensitive jaw. Their kisses jar the kissee's whole head. One never knows where the wild kisses of others may alight. With inward shrinking one offers a cheek, wondering what may be going to happen to it, and the result often justifies one's worst fears. The poor cheek is discomfited by the assault of lips that have had no training in the art of osculation.—London Express.

### Perils of Fishermen.

There are countless incidents illustrating dangers and trials in the life of a Newfoundland fisherman. Daily are such experiences recorded in every cove and hamlet around the coast line. Peril amid the billows, peril among the ice floes, peril along the rugged seaboard—that is his heritage and his portion from boyhood to old age. The rescuer today, he may be rescued tomorrow. Life to him has few compensations. It is an unending struggle against the elements, a strenuous endeavor to secure the means of existence from a sea which is ever on the watch to work ruin upon him. Wreck, wrath and calamity are the facts which predominate in every Newfoundland village. They have come home to every family and have left a vacant place in every household. The frequency of disaster compels every man to be a hero unconsciously, and if every person who saved a life in this colony were to be awarded a medal, they would be given out every week at least, and for actions as meritorious and as deserving of recognition as any that are so rewarded elsewhere.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

### Age of Organization.

New Boarder—Well! well! This is the first place I've struck where they have preserved strawberries and peach jam instead of stewed prunes.

Old Boarder—All owing to organization, my boy. We boarders have a mutual protective association, with iron-clad rules and heavy penalties.

"O, ho! You kicked against prunes, did you?"

"Not much we didn't. We passed a law that whenever prunes came on the table every member should eat a quart or pay a \$10 fine. That settled it. The landlady found prunes too expensive."—New York Weekly.

### Made Neat Escape.

Not so long ago a knowledge of Latin was essential to an orator, and long quotations from the Roman poets embellished every debate. James Payn, the novelist, was once at a dinner party where a learned clergyman insisted on quoting Greek. The lady sitting next to Payn asked for a translation. Payn's Greek was rusty. Accordingly he assumed a blush, and hinted to the lady that it was scarcely fit for her ear. "Good heavens!" she exclaimed, "you don't mean to say—"

"Please don't ask any more," murmured Payn. "I really could not tell you."

### The Coeds' Best Hold.

Dr. Miner Lee Bates, the president of Hiram college, was talking at a tea in Hiram, O., about education. "They may limit it as they will," said Dr. Bates, "but there's one educational institution that is already larger than all other institutions combined, and that maintains year after year a steady growth. I refer to marriage."

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**Commission Firms.**  
Butler, James B., rooms 337-38.  
Byers Bros. & Co., rooms 202-204.  
Clay, Robinson & Co., rooms 229-23.  
Cridler Bros. & Co., rooms 303-307.  
Daly, C. M. & Co., rooms 217-19.  
Davis & Son, rooms 206-17.  
Drinkard, Emmert & Co., rooms 209-15.  
Emmert Com. Co., rooms 302-4.  
Kansas City Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 229-32.  
Knollin Sheep Commission Co., rooms 219-23.  
Lee Live Stock Commission Co., rooms 210-13.  
Missouri Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 201-205.  
National Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 232-40.  
Nichols, Blanchard & Gilchrist, rooms 326-28.  
Prey, Bros. & Cooper, rooms 318-22.  
Stewart & Co., rooms 225-28.  
St. Joseph Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 212-14.  
Shay, R. O., Commission Co., rooms 202-07.  
Wood Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 312-14.

**Officers of Exchange.**  
The officers of the St. Joseph Live Stock Exchange are as follows: President, A. F. Daly; vice-president, W. True Davis; secretary, E. F. Erwin. The board of directors is composed of A. H. Baker, M. W. Wyatt, J. G. Adams, L. E. Cooper, M. F. Blanchard, R. G. Denham and M. K. Stewart.

**Stock Cattle Brokers.**  
Aikins, J. V. & Co., room 301.  
Adcock, George, room 302.  
Baker, Joseph, & Son, room 319.  
Baker, James, room 316.  
Dawson & Reynolds, room 201.  
Gillette, M. H., room 318.  
Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms 306-8.  
Morlock, W. H., rooms 234-36.  
Milby, John, room 319.  
Roundtree, W. R., room 316.  
Rockwood, Geo., room 319.  
Timmerman, W. O.  
Strook, James.  
Wright, Perry.

**Sheep Dealers.**  
Lyon, J. E., room 219.

**Order Buyers.**  
Morlock, W. H., rooms 236-24.  
Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms 206-8.

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8 Full Qts. Clover Lawn	\$5.50
12 Full Qts. Clover Lawn	\$8.25
4 Full Qts. Old Hayward	\$3.50
8 Full Qts. Old Hayward	\$6.90
12 Full Qts. Old Hayward	\$9.50
4 Full Qts. Old Dyer	\$4.00
8 Full Qts. Old Dyer	\$7.00
12 Full Qts. Old Dyer	\$10.00

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