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GOOD RUN OF CATTLE

STEERS FAIRLY PLENTIFUL AND QUALITY WAS GOOD-PRICES MAINLY 10@15c LOWER.

BEST HEAVY BEEVES, \$7.75

Trade Fairly Active-Butchers' Stock Ranged Steady to 15e Lower-Veals Higher - Stockers Met Narrow Call.

Cattle receipts here today showed a sharp increase over the meager runs of previous days of the week, the effects of a breaking up of the railroad blockade which had existed since the heavy snow of Sunday. Early estimates placed the run at 2,800 head but later estimates ran as high as 3,200 head, as compared with receipts of 1,329 head a week ago and 1,406 head a year ago. The five markets had 25,000 cattle, against 14,300 a week ago and 14,100 a year ago. Chicago reported 9,000 cattle on sale and a 10 2 15c lower market at the opening and reports from other centers were more or less bearish in tone. Naturally with advices from all outside points bearish and enough cattle in sight here to furnish reliet from the short runs of earlier in the week, local buyers were out to buy Cattle receipts here today showed a

from the short runs of earlier in the week, local buyers were out to buy cattle lower from the opening. A large percentage of the day's arrivals ran to beef steers, with the supply affording a pretty good assortment as to weight and quality. There was nothing strictly prime on sale but receipts included a very fair showing of useful and attractive, medium to strong weight beeves. Trade developed slowly with the feeling decidedly weak.

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Sellers, after sizing up the situation, came to the conclusion that it was futile to hold out for steady prices and showed a disposition to meet buyers half-way. As a result trade developed a fair degree of act-lytiy about the middle of the forenoon session on a basis of prices generally there was a good movement toward the scales at the decline. At noon the big end of the steers had been dis-posed of. The extreme close of the

posed of. The extreme close of the market, however, was rather dull. Sales included choice 1480-lb. beeves at \$7.75, the top, with numerous transactions at \$7.00 and up.

The following prices on steers are quotable on the St. Joseph market:
Choice to prime, \$7.50@8,00; good to choice, \$7.00@7.50; fair to good short-fed, \$6.50@7.10; medium to fair short-fed, \$6.25@6.50; common to medium, \$5.50@6.25.

medium, \$5.50@6.25. Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers. No. Av. Price No. Av. Price 10...1480...7 75 50....1160...6 45

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COWS, BULLS AND MIXED. The supply of butchers stock at this point today was materially larger than on previous days of the week, though rather light in proportion to the general run. Quality was fairly good on the whole and there was a moderate showing of choics to prime stock on offer. Weakness in fat steers and declines at other points tended to make buyers bearish toward cows and heifers and trade had a slow opening, with the tendency of values toward a lower level. All of the buyers had good orders to fill but insisted on filling them at lower prices than prevalled on yesterday's inflated market. Some early sales of good heifers at \$5,50@5.75 and cows at \$5,00@5.25

\$5,50@5.75 and cows at \$5,00@5.25 were quoted generally a dime lower. On the general run of helfers and mixed grades trading was rather slow at prices around 10@15c lower than yesterday. Cows held generally steady, with spots a dime lower. More or less tinevenness was displayed and there were spots showing greater loss than the decline quoted above. Demand for bulls was somewhat weaker and prices ranged steady to 10c lower. Calves got the advance withheld on former days of the week. Strong demand and moderate receipts gave the vealer trade considerable snap at prices generally 25c higher than Wednesday. The advance carried tops to a \$7,50 basis.

than Wednesday. The advance car-ried tops to a \$7.50 basis. The following quotations are current on the local market:
Choice to prime cows, \$5.25@6.00, good to choice cows, \$4.75@5.25; medium to fair cows, \$4.25@4.75; canners and cutters, \$2.90@4.00; choice to prime helfers, \$6.00@6.75; good to choice helfers \$5.25@8.00; common to good helfers, \$4.50@5.50; fair to good bulls, \$4.00@4.50; veal calves, \$6.50@7.50; medium calves, \$5.50@6.50; common and heavy calves, \$4.00@5.25.

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8 8165 90]		867.	.5 25
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1	.12005	35	1	. 980	4 40

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1.	 110	7	50	1	190	6	2
1.	 120	7	50	1	240.	6	0
1.	 150	7	50	11	101	6	-0
2.	 150	7	50	1	130	6	0
3.	 160	7	50	3	213	6	-0
3.	 153	7	50	2	85		
2.	 120	7		2	295	5	2
3.	 110	7	25	3	120	6	0
3.	 120	7		2	360.	5	2
1.	 210	7	25	15	389.	5	1
1.	 160	7	2.5	5			
2.	 120	7	25	1	150.		0
4.	 142	7	25	3	440	5	0
3.	 146	7	25	1	210		
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STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. this division today, fresh offerings be-ing confined to a scant crop of odds and ends, which in all was hardly nough to establish a trading basis. er, traders were not expressing any disappointment on account of short supplies. On the contrary sales-men were apparently satisfied with fewer commissions, if by that method they could further the stability of the narket. Demand was of narrow di-densions, and the scant crop was suf-icient to meet with all trade requirements. Steady prices on the basis of he week's decline governed the bulk of the day's business, although undersupply, and yard dealers were able to provide an outlet for the few odds and ends offered at steady prices.

Good to choice feeding steers are quotable at \$5.75 @ 5.00; medium to 76, 237, — 6 25 (9), 190, — 6 15 (20) and grades at \$5.50 @ 5.75; good to 72, 225, 60, 6 25 (4), 158, — 6 05 (20) fancy stock steers at \$4.75 @ 5.25; 78, 214, 80, 6 25 (20), 161, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 161, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 161, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 161, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 161, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 261, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 261, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 261, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 261, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 261, — 6 00 (20), 25, 260, 6 25 (20), 261, — 6 00 (20),

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2.		675	4	25	8	770	4 0
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Hammond Packing Co.....

with drifts from six to eight feet deep in some places, as a result of Sunday's storm and traffic on all lines was more or less delayed. Trains on the Rock Island are again running after being tied up two days. The Junction City branch of the Union Pacific has been unable to get a train through this week. A work train went out Tuesday morning to assist in clearing the track. The country roads are impassable in many places and the mail carriers have been unable to make their routes.

54... 873..5 75 5... 539..5 15 It is a good thing that a man can 16mx.. 659..5 75 11... 822..5 15 change his mind without being obliged 18mx.. 865..5 55 1... 669..5 96 to change his clothes.

SOME EARLY BUSINESS AT 5@10c DECLINE-CLOSED GEN-ERALLY 5c LOWER.

AVERAGE AROUND 5c LOWER

Shipping Order Helped Action of Market-Tops Sold at \$6.35-Bulk of Sales \$6.15 @ 6.30.

Railroads, with service practically restored to normal, delivered a fairly liberal run of hogs at the local yards today, the early estimate calling for 10,000 and later 11,000. The five markets reported an aggregate of 82,000 hogs as compared with 67,300 a week ago and 47,800 a week ago week ago and 47,800 a week ago. Chicago with 41,000 nogs on sale wir-ed prices 10c lower and early advices .3 85 ed prices 10c lower and early advices from other outside points were more 2 78 or less bearish. Buyers started out bidding around a dime lower here and 3 75 succeeded in starting a movement toward the scales at a 5@10c decline from yesterday. The demand improved, however, the appearance of a 3 75 shipping order helping the situation 3 65 and toward the close hogs were moving on a generally 5c lower basis as 50 compared with yesterday's general trade. The average market was general 5 50 trade. The average market was general considered around a nickel

trade. The average market was generally considered around a nickel lower than Wednesday. Trading was moderately active and by noon the bulk of the hogs offered had been cleaned up. Quality was good, taking the whole drove into account. Tops sold at \$6.35, the same as yesterday. Pigs were in moderate supply and sold about steady.

Prices ranged from \$5.60@8.25, with the bulk selling at \$6.15@6.30. The bulk yesterday sold at \$6.20@6.32½, a week ago at \$6.05@6.20, a month ago at \$5.95@6.25, a year ago at \$6.90@7.05, two years ago at \$9.45@9.70, three years ago at \$6.15@6.45, and four years ago at \$4.25@4.40.

Répresentative Hog Sales. Representative Hog Sales. Av. Shk. Price No. Av. Shk. Price .344. — 6 35 26 ... 318 49 ... 6 25

35	280.		6	3234		211.		6	25
88	263.			3234	75.	 224	40.	6	25
87	263.		6	3214		224.		6	25
72	257.		6	30		230.		6	25
57	257. 222. 255.	40.	6	30		210,		6	25
59	355.	40.	6	30		218.		6	25.
56.,	259.	-,	6			202.		6	223
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85.,	. 275.		6	30	63.	219.		6	223
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15	257.	-	6	30		192.		6	20
18	248.	80.	6	30	71			6	20
3		160	6	30	73			6	20
	224.	-,	6	2736		190		6	20
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18	222.	-	6	2714			40.	6	15
8	226.		6	2736	81	 195.	-	6	15
52	251.	40,	6	27%	35	 180.		6	15
77	251.		6	27%	94.	 191.		6	15
88	218.		6	25		189.		6	15
15	214.		6	25	45			6	15
4	237.		6	25	86	178.		6	15
3	. 227		6	26	66 .	 174.		6	15
7	226.		6	25	75	 188.		6	15
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5 102	4	85	4	95.	-,	4	75
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9250	6	30	2	275.		6	20
4237	6	30	6	195.		6	20
7252	8	30	10	268.	-	6	20
5 398	6	25	13	169	-	6	15
35 0.240.	6	25	4	152.		6	05
7214	6	20	3	236.		6	00

Packers' Hog Purchases. Swift & Co

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Total			8,1
	of Hog		
nday 85 7	75 @5 25	\$5 50	@6 25
dne sday S	05 @8 35	5 65	26 35
day			@6 35 @6 30
urday		5 80	@6 20

Total 2,238 OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO.
CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill.,
Feb. 29.—The Live Stock World re-Cattle-Receipts, 9000. steady to 10c lower, top \$8.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 41.000. Market 5@
10c lower. Top \$6.50, bulk \$6.35@

Sheep-Receipts, 20,000, Market steady, sheep strong to higher. KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 29.—
Special to The Journat: The Drovent
Telegram reports:
Cattle—Receipts, 6000. Market
slow, steady to 15c lower in extremes;
cows and beifers steady; stockers

cows and neiters steady; stockers slow; calves steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 8000. Market steady to 5c lower, closed Top \$6.40, bulk \$8.05 @6.35. Sheep—Receipts, 6000. Market strong, lambs \$6.15.

SOUTH OMAHA. SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 29.-

Special to The Journal: The Drovent Journal-Stockman reports: Cattle-Receipts,

steady to lower. Hogs—Receipts, 21,300. Market 5c lower, closed strong. Top \$6.30, bulk \$6.00 @ 6.20. Sheep—Receipts, 9790. Market slow to 19c lower.

EAST ST. LOUIS. EAST ST. LOUIS. National Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 29.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Re-

porter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3500, half southerns. Market 10c lower.
Hogs—Receipts, 9000. Market 10c lower. Top \$6.60, bulk \$6.30@6.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 3000. Market

FORT WORTH.

to The Journal: The Live Stock Rec-ord reports:
Cattle—Receipts, 1200. Fat cattle weak to lower, stockers steady. Hogs—Receipts, 8500. Market 5c lower. Top \$6.20, bulk \$6.00@6.15. Sheep—Receipts, 500. Market

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

trade quotations are furnished by T P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby- Forsee Building, St. Joseph, Mo.:					
Options	Open- ed	High-	Low-	Close	Close Yes'r
WHEAT-	10254	1023%			102% 95%
CORN- May July		69% 69%	69% 69%	69%	69
OATS- May July		53		52% 48%	
PORK- May July		15.42 15.72	15.85 15.55	15.85 15.63	15.35 15.67
LARD-	0.15	9 95	0 15	9 22	9.17

	BIBS- May			8.55	8.55	
1	July		8.67	8.60	8 .62	
	Today's wheat, 5	casi	h va	hies;	Rec	eipts:

July 9.32 9.42 9.32 9.37 9.35

Wheat.						
No.	2	red	99	@1	0.0	
No.	3	red	97	@	981/2	
No.	2	hard1	00	@ 1		
No.	3	hard1	0.0	@1	061/2	
Corn.						
No.	2	white	69	a	70	
No.	3	white	67	100	6714	
No.	4	white	64	0	64 1/2	
No.	2	mixed	68	0	69	
No.	3	mixed	66	0	66 1/2	
No.	4	mixed	63	10	63 1/4	
No.	2	yellow	68 1/2	@	69 14	
No.	3	yellow	66 1/2	0	67	
No.	4	yellow	63	0	64	
Oats.						
No.	2	white	531/4	0	54 16	
No.	3	white	52 1/2	0	53	
No.	2	oats	52	0	53	
No.	3	oats	511/2			
Brat	n		25	@1	30 -	

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS. Today's Receipts.

Receipts from Jan. 1 to Date. The following table shows the local receipts from January 1, 1912, and receipts for the corresponding time in

Cattle... \$5,981 86,835 854 10... Packing hay—\$5,50 @ 8. Lowland prairie—No. 1, \$10 @ 12; No. 2, \$8 @ 9.50. No. 2, \$8 @ 9.50. No. 2, \$8 @ 9.50. Straw—\$5.75 @ 7.50.

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

Cattle	Hogs	Sheet
Ohicago 9,000	41,000	20,00
Kansas City 6,000	8,000	6,01
South Omaha 3,800	21,300	9 70
South St. Joseph 3,100	9,700	4,80
East St. Louis 3,500	9,000	3,03
Totals 25,400	1000,03	43,50
Yesterday 26,300	56,100	51,70
Week ago 14,300	67,300	28,90
Month ago 17, 00 Year ago 14,100	98,400	33,00
	47,800	25,30

| Good Seed | Good

WEATHER FORECAST.
For Missouri: Fair tonight and
Friday; colder tonight in south por-

Friday; somewhat colder south por-tion tonight. Nebraska: Generally fair tonight

Any egg eaters in the flock? Make the nests as dark as possible; that will help. If that doesn't discourage the culprit, sharpen up the ax.

SHEEP RULE STEADY

GOOD PACKER DEMAND RESULTS IN READY CLEARANCE OF LIBERAL SUPPLY.

BEST LAMBS MAKE \$6.25

Few Sheep Included in the Run-\$4.25 Paid for Best Ewes -General Market Active.

A lot of storm-belated stock struck the market today, with the result that supply figures extended far above expectations. Early estimates of 4,000 was regarded as a little excessive by Market traders, but at noon about that many had been yarded, consisting of 23 cars of fed western sheep and lambs, mostly the latter. Offerings were practically all from corn-belt feedlots, practically all from corn-belt feedlots, and practically all from corn-belt feedlots. SIOUX CITY.

SIOUX CITY. Ia., Feb. 29.—Special to The Journal: The Live Stock Record reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 1200. Fat cattle weak to lower, stockers steady.

Weak to lower, stockers steady.

Market 5c mostly the latter.

practically all from corn-belt feedlots, with quality grading fair to good, and nothing as good as the \$6.35 lambs of presented included. Buyers were out in the yards at an unusually early hour on the hunt for high dressers, that could be bought worth the money that could be bought votation.

Good to prime western fed lambs are quotable at \$6.00 @ 8.50; fair to good western lambs at \$5.90 @ 6.15; fed western ewes at \$3.65 @ 4.00; fed western wethers at \$4.25 @ 4.40; fed western yearlings, light weight, \$5.25 @ 5.50; fed western yearlings, heavy weight, \$4.75 @ 5.15; good to prime native lambs, \$5.85 @ 6.25; fair to good native lambs, \$5.50 @ 5.85; native ewes, \$2.50 @ 4.00; native wethers, \$4.00 @

	western yearlings, light weight, \$5.25		That Figure Here Yesterday.
•••	@ 5.50: fed western yearlings, heavy	J. G. Scarlett, of Corning, Mo., fur-	
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5	tive lambs, \$5.85@6.25; fair to good	ceipts.	Geo. Weber, a prominent, well-to-
-	native lambs, \$5.50@ 5.85; native ewes,	H. Hackel & Co., of Rockport, Mo.,	do ranchman and sheep feeder of
	\$3.50@4.00; native wethers, \$4.00@	marketed a load of cattle here today,	Loveland, Colorado, was on yester-
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15	\$5.60@ 5.25; native yearlings, heavy	den Me were in with aller of Lang-	ment of mixed western and Mexican
_	weight, \$4.50@5.00; cull lambs, \$4.50	don, Mo., were in with shipments of cattle today.	ewes that sold at the highest price
***	@ 5.00.		realized for this class of stock on this
_		Try the stock yards lunch at Tran-	market for some time. There were
1.	220 western fed lambs 73 6 25 432 western fed lambs 76 6 25	sit House Cafe. Best meal in the city	209 head in the shipment, averaging
8:	184 western fed lambs 75 6 25	for the money.	110 pounds, that sold at \$4,20 per
1	227 western fed lambs 77 6 20	M. C. Sanders, an extensive shipper	cwt., 15c above anything in the yards
	13 western fed lambs 100 6 00	of Lenox, Ia., had two cars of hogs on	of this classification. These ewes were
		today's market.	fed around ninety days on rations of
			corn, alfalfa and beet pulp, and made
1/2		M. Croft, of Naponee, Neb., was on the market today with a consignment	a substantial gain in that time. Mr.
	40 cull lambs	of three cars of cattle from his sons	Weber was more than pleased with the
1/2	to come animonal contract the management	foodlots at Hardy Nob subjekt mon	sale, in fact, his shipment sold much
	14 cull fed wethers 108 4 50	feedlots at Hardy, Neb., which were	higher than he expected.
	1 - fed ewe 110 4 25	sold on today's market.	"I unloaded this shipment at the
1/2	202 - fed ewes	Champion Feed saves corn.	Denver yards," said Mr. Weber, "and
14	195 - fed ewes 82 2 60	H. H. Greider, a breeder of Poland	after laying around there almost a
	5 _ fed ewes 82 2 25	China hogs at Diller, Neb., had a car	day, the best packers would do in the
3/2	Packers' Sheep Purchases.	of hogs here today.	way of bids was \$3.25. I was pretty
1/2	Swift & Co	The Farmers' Business Association,	well discouraged but loaded up my
1/2	Morris & Co 600	of Arapahoe, Neb., disposed of a mix-	sheep and started for St. Joseph, and
	Hammond Packing Co, 200	ed car of stock on today's market.	it was certainly to my interest that I
		ca car or stock on today's market.	did so. The difference between the bid
	Total	DIMPIER DATEM AND OF LOS OF	that I got at Denver and the price I
1/2		213 South Sixth street, St. Joseph Mo.	realized here, just makes me \$200
	OT TOOLSTEE TEAM MATERIA	213 South Sixin Mirect. St. Joseph Mo	states often Andreating funtable

Total ST. JOSEPH HAY MARKET.

Local Quotations Corrected to Date by Local Dealers.

Clover mixed-Choice, \$18@19: No.

Clover mixed—Choice, \$18 @ 19; No. No. 1, \$16.50 @ 17; No. 2, \$14 @ 16; No. 3, \$11 @ 13.

Clover—Choice, \$16 @ 16.50; No. 1, \$15 @ 15.75; No. 2, \$13 @ 14.50; No. 1, \$13.25 @ 14.25; No. 2, \$11.75 @ 13.00; No. 3, \$9 @ 11.50. Alfalfa—Fancy, \$19@19.50; choice, 18@18.75; No. 1, \$17@17.75; No. 2, \$14.75@16.75; No. 3, \$12@14.50.

Quotations on Cottonseed, Linseed and

Alfalfa Products. Ko-Pres-Ko-Kake-Carlots, per ton, \$25; ton lots, \$26. Cottonseed meal—Carlots, per ton

WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES.

CUMBERLAND TRAIN IN.

Kansas: Generally fair tonight and Branch Line Shippers Furnish 21 Cars of Stock for Today's Receipts.

Nebraska: Generally fair tonight and Friday; somewhat colder in west portion tonight.

Iowa: Fair and continued cold tonight and Friday.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Tootle—Sunday and Monday nights, "Over Night."

At the Lyceum—Balance of the week, matinee delly, The Great Behman Show in an entirely new bill.

Any egg eaters in the flock? Make

{ ITEMS IN BRIEF.

M. S. Peck, of Highland, Kan. marketed two cars of cattle here to day.

Helkes & Co., of Sabetha, Kan., swelled receipts of sheep here today with a three-car consignment.

Myers & Hoover and R. Gaston, of

A load each of cattle and hogs were marketed here today by H. W. Hart, of Hiawatha, Kan.

E. Sabotka and C. Wing, of Diagon-al, Ia., marketed a car of hogs and a W. H. Richardson had in two cars

good with ensilage.

W. H. Doran and Collins & McConnell, of Mound City, Mo., were
credited with cattle on today's mar-

PIMBLEY PAINT AND GLASS CO., 213 South Sixth street, St. Joseph, Mo.

FINNEY CATTLE AT \$7.00.

Missouri Stockman Disposes of Mixed Load of Steers and Heifers.

Wm. Finney, of Eaucett, Mo., was on the local market yesterday with a shipment of "White-face" cattle-

BUYING LESS; SELLING MORE

Balance of Trade Still Remains With United States.

Washington, Feb. 29.—The balance of trade still remains with the United Cottonseed meal—Carlots, per ton, \$28.65@29.65; ton lots, \$29.50@30.50. States, according to figures issued of the imports and exports of this countries. Size 20.23; No. 1, \$20@21.50; No. 2, try for January and the seven months of the fiscal year ending last month. Linseed meal—Carlots, per ton, \$27; ton lots, \$38; 1000-lb. lots, \$20; 000 more than in January, 1911, but for the seven months it had decreased for the seven months it had decreased its purchases abroad by nearly \$15,

BEST HOGS AT \$6.35.

Iowa Firm One of the Few to Realize That Figure on Yesterday's Marke.

Frank Adams, representing the firm of Campbell & Adams, extensive live stock shippers of Blockton, Iowa, accompanied a one-car consignment of heavy butcher hogs to the market yes-

HAVING A CHART MADE

WILL SHOW IMPORTANCE OF ST. JOSEPH STOCK YARDS AS A LIVE STOCK CENTER.

Morrill, Kan., had shipments of stock on today's market. Mr. Gaston's consignment comprised three cars of cat-Growers' Convention at El Paso, Tex., Next Week.

That the St. Joseph stock yards may be better known, live stock raisers and shippers in this territory and throughout the southwest country, as in important market, the St. Joseph Stock Yards Company is having a chart six feet square made describing had been yarded, consisting of 23 cars of fed western sheep and lambs, mostly the latter. Offerings were practically all from corn-belt feedlots, with quality grading fair to good, and nothing as good as the \$6.35 lambs of yesterday included. Buyers were out in the yards at an unusually early hour on the hunt for high dressers, that could be bought worth the money and made offers of steady rates on the basis of the week's advance for anything good enough to attract competition. Salesmen quickly came to the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the conclusion that anything bids in the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the week's advance for anything good enough to attract competition. Salesmen quickly came to the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the week's advance for anything good enough to attract competition. Salesmen quickly came to the conclusion that anything bids in the day of the west and southwest that have anything bids in the day of the west and southwest that have railroads in the local market and showing the various railroads, in different colors, that reach it. Officials of the company believe that this method will attend the company believe that this method will attend the country of the constant of the west and southwest that have railroads, in different colors, that reach it. Officials of the company believe that this method will attend the country of the constant of the constant of the local market and showing the various railroads, in different colors, that reach it. Officials of the company believe that this method will attend the country of the local market and showing the various railroads, in different colors, that reach it. Officials of the company the local market and showing the various railroads, in different colors, that reach it. Officials of the company believe that this method will attend the local market and show wasted little time on disposing of best lambs at \$6.25, and rated transactions at that figure, full steady with yesterday quality, considered, Ewe stock, and for that matter, sheep offerings of any description were decidedly scarce in proportion with the run. Best ewes were eligible to \$4.20, and up to \$4.25 for something prime. However, there were few offerings in this line good enough to realize the latter figure. Trade was reasonably active from the outset and at noon a good share of the day's crop had changed share of the day's crop had changed are quotable at \$6.00 @ 6.50; fair to at the day's not considered. W. H. Doran and Collins & Mc-

That Figure Here Yesterday.

HEIFERS MADE GOOD GAIN

Excello Milling Co. Market Tail-ends of Their Winter's Feeding at \$6.

The Excello Milling Company, manshipment of "White-face" cattle— ufacturers of Excello Cattle Fattener, mixed steers and helfers—that sold had in yesterday from their feed-lot mixed steers and heifers—that sold well. There were 17 head in the shipment, averaging 1154 pounds, that sold at \$7.00 per cwt. the top of the market, (with one cow selling separate at \$5.50, the top of the cow market). Mr. Finney has quite a reputation as a live stock shipper but this was the first time that he has tried his hand at feeding and the account sale will furnish mute testimony as to his ability. These cattle were bought by Mr. Finney as calves and fed grain and hay, and made substantial gain while in the feed-lot.

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COLORADO MAN HERE.

Disposes of a Car of Ewes at Satisfactory Figure on Yesterday's Market.

Among the different Colorado shippers on yesterday's market with stock was Jake Cook, a veteran sheep feeder 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.
Ribs 19 c 13 c 10 ½c
Loins 18 ¼c 14 c 12 c
Rounds ... 11 c 10 c 9 c
Chucks ... 8 c 7 c 6½c
Plates ... 7 c 6 c 5 c

An object this year and while it leafs we quote you Cheles Early Orange.

An object this year and while it leafs we quote you Cheles Early Orange. force penalties on that account. Cook went home satisfied that sheep brought as much money here as he could have realized at any mar-

SHOW INCREASE IN RECEIPTS

More Live Stock Marketed Here This Month Than for Same Period Year Ago

The regular weekly stock train over the Cumberland branch of the Burlington in southern Iowa, came in early this morning with a haul of 21 loads of hogs and cattle. Those who had stock on the train were as follows: M. C. Saunders, C. Wackernogle, Jno. Muir & Co., John Madden, Riggs Brothers, Wray Bros. E. E. Huntington, George Cruise, J. E. Chaney, F. W. McCurdy, John Ehur and Peterson & Vorrath.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

I have 50 broke native horses, mares and mules from 3 years old to smooth mouth, serviceable, sound and fat, ready for the cash market that for the destinies of the local market, a great deal of satisfaction can be gained in the destinies of the local market, a great deal of satisfaction can be gained in comparing local receipts for the current month with the corresponding period a year ago, A compliation of local receipts for the current month to date, shows a total of 40,058 cattle, 204,239 hogs, and 66,089 sheep have been marketed this month up to smooth mouth, serviceable, sound and fat, ready for the cash market that I will sell or exchange for clear titled local market, a great deal of satisfaction can be gained in comparing local receipts for the current month to date, shows a total of 40,058 cattle, 204,239 hogs, and 66,089 sheep have been marketed this month up to smooth mouth, serviceable, sound and fat, ready for the cash market that I will sell or exchange for clear titled local market, a great deal of satisfaction can be gained in comparing local receipts for the current month to date, shows a total of 40,058 cattle, 204,239 hogs, and 66,089 sheep have been marketed this month up to date, shows a followal period a year ago, a compliation of local receipts for the current month to date, shows a total of 40,058 cattle, 204,239 hogs, and 66,089 sheep have been marketed this month up to date, shows a total of 40,058 cattle, 204,239 hogs, and 56,845 sheep marketed this month up to date, shows a total of 40,058 cattle, 204,239 hogs, and 56,845 sheep have been marketed this month up to da

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America is the greatest meat-eating country in the world with the exception of Australia. It is evident, howpopulation and a steady or decreasing pocket. production of meat animals the time of talking about admitting foreign meat duty free, our statesmen would ington." be better employed in figuring out a way to increase the production of immediately from Hollister. These SPEEDY IRRIGATION WORK meat at home.

FACTS ABOUT SWIFT & CO.

A little book entitled "Swift & Company" is before us and it contains get light and power from the dam. a recital of important facts that we venture not one person in ten of this kind are in contemplation, and a bill knowledge of, says the St. Joseph Ga- by the president, giving permission to zetie. It is narrated within its covers cut a tunnel and build a dam on the that during 1911 there were 27,000 James river, in Stone county, just persons upon the payrolls of the com- above where it empties into White pany, and of that number more than river. Two other White river power 3,000 own stock in the company and sites have been located, and the next managers. The capital stock com- the clear, swift flowing Ozark streams managers. The capital stock comprises 750,000 shares worth \$75,000,000, because one hundred dollars cash has been paid for every share. It is the clear, swift flowing Ozark streams utilized for industries that will bring project is being pushed at a rapid rate, and, notwithstanding some opposition to building the mountain many more millions of money into has been paid for every share. It is many more millions of money into an investment stock, not a speculative stock, and it has paid an annual 7 per of Missouri.

Fork are to be brought to the district, construction has not been delayed.

Bootleg, Horse Creek, Prospect, and leon is sketched out on blotting-paper, cent dividend annually for the past ten years. Swift stock is quoted upon the Boston and Chicago stock exspeculators, having too settled a standard value everywhere to be subject to fluctuations,

know what are the by-products of the W. Wilkinson, division freight and Swift packing houses that are manu-factured and put upon the markets will be with the season water could have been furnished to 50,000 acres, but it is certain that there is enough for the atmosphere. every week day in the year? Here they are: Oleo oil and oleo stearine, soap, fertilizers already and inspect.

There has been little been been little soap, fertilizers, glycerine, "crack- ed the nursery of Griffing Bros. at the lings (a poultry food), horn-made same point.

Mr. Wilkinson manifested the greatcombs, hairpins, hunters' bugles, pipe-est enthusiasm regarding the Nona stems, buttons; bone made tooth-"We were surprised and delighted brush handles, knife handles, crochet with the work which has already been hooks, pipe stems, letter openers, pa- done. per knives, chessmen, baby rings, marks of the land boomer too often calculated to mislead the innapkin rings, buttons; every kind of vestor through the medium of hot-glue—soft, hard, black and white: house plants and vegetables grown on washing powders and cleansers, hair for mattresses and upholstering, and descriptive advertising matter and 100,000 pounds of oleomargarine

During the year 1911 the company put several million dollars into per-manent improvements to its plants is fairly representative of the usual at Chicago, Fort Worth, East St. type of east Texas cut-over land.

"Here he has erected a model farm-house, with barn, windmill and tank Jersey City and at South St. Joseph. At the latter point a new five-story fireproof lard refinery was erected.

said that there was power enough go-ing to waste in the streams of the other staple crops will be grown, and Thes

This electric power is to be transmitted over wires first to Springfield. fifty miles, and then on to Carthage and Joplin, eighty miles further. A



Loved Chess.

What a Game

Hessian General

ACK and Evelyn were enjoying a game of checkers. "I just love checkers," Evelyn exclaimed as they put the checkers

and board away. "It's time for our story now, you know," remarked Jack to daddy. "So it is," said he. "Well, into this story I must put George Washington and the time when things were going badly for the patriot army. They had been

1.00 forced to march away from the enemy whenever these got too close, for Washington knew that if his soldiers fought with the larger and stronger army of In asking change of address, please state your former postoffice.

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wait their time. "Among the British soldiers were a lot which King George III, had hired from the ruler of a little German state called Hesse. This prince rented out

his soldiers to whoever would pay him. "General Rahl, the Hessian officer who was in charge of these German soldiers, was at Trenton that Christmas night in 1776 when Washington looked across the ice covered Delaware and felt that the time to fight had come. He knew that in Trenton the British and the Hessians would be eat-

ing and drinking and by nightfall most of them would be unable to fight. "So, although the night was bitter cold, with snow and sleet falling fast, Washington lined up his ragged soldiers, and after speaking to them encouragingly they entered the boats and crossed the river between the floating

"All night long Washington got ready for battle, and at daybreak he began to fire on the British.

"That evening in the house where he made his headquarters General Rahl was playing chess with some friends. A boy came in with a note, but so interested in his chess was the Hessian officer that he stuffed it into his pocket and went on with his game.

"He never remembered to open it, for the next day, when he was found ever, that with a steady increase in dead from the shots of the Americans, the note, still sealed, was in his coat

"It was a warning that the Americans had crossed the Delaware and is not far distant when people will be were marching on Trenton. Had the Hessian read it the British would have

compelled to use less meat. Instead been ready for the Americans and he would not have been killed. "And so a game of chess cost him his life and gave the victory to Wash-

> two towns are stations of the White railroad, on opposite sides of White River, and one or both of them will

Already other projects of the same

FARMING CUT-OVER LAND.

changes, but it is not popular with Bringing Fine Results in Parts of

How many people in St. Joseph P. Attwater, industrial agent and J.

done. There are none of the ear-marks of the land boomer which are choice bits of selected land alleged to be representative of the rest, with does not appeal to the investor, but to the settler—the home-maker—and has chosen for the site of his prelim

to provide running water, and has provided the necessary stock, tools and implements, under the direction of Mr. Cottingham, a competent farmer, whose only instructions are to de-FIRST OZARK POWER PLANT.

Governor Hadley, at the Ozark Land Congress at Springfield in December, watermelons and other small fruits, watermelons and other small fruits, spring.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 28.—The Canad-ian Pacific Railway has purchased forty-five carefully selected milch cows from the vicinity of Owen Sound, Ont. for shipment to the road's demonstration "Ozark uplift" to turn every wheel in the state of Missouri. The first project looking in this direction has been fairly started eight miles east of Hollister in Taney county, on White river. The river at this point makes a big bend, and a dam is being constructed to make a lake twenty miles long, and to produce, through electricity, from a 30,000 to 50,000 horsepower.

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"We visited the Griffing Bros.' nur-

sery—eighty acres of beautiful rolling land—already beginning to show signs of intelligent effort, although it is but three weeks since these gentleready been made to supply power to the Jasper County Electric Light and Traction Company. This will be overall importance also to the Jasper county lead and zinc mines.

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River branch of the Missouri Pacific Work on Henrylyn Project in Colorado Nearing Completion.

Greeley, Colo., Feb. 28 .- The Henrylyn irrigation district, comprising 90,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Hudson, in Southeastern Weld councity has but the most superficial knowledge of, says the St. Joseph Gacultivation this season, although the first shovelful of dirt on its ditch was

turned in May, 1910. While the entire irrigation system of the district proper is complete, the district owns a 35 per cent interest in the Standley Lake system, which will supplement the waters of the Platte, from which the Henrylyn draws di-

ley system this spring, as will the St. Vrain distriot, which lies under Marshall reservoir. President Ireland says that by April 1 the Standley Lake plans project will be entirely completed, and if there is the normal flow of flood waters in the Platte all the reservoirs for the three irrigation systems will be filled and 210,000 semi-

RAILWAY TO LOAN COWS.

Buys a Herd Which Will Be Distributed Among Alberta Farmers.

RIOTERS ATTACK AMERICANS

Bricks and Stones Thrown at Auto in Jamaica.

ODD WEATHER DEVICES TO STOP FOREST FIRES

PLE BUT INTERESTING ONES.

Swiss Weather-House, a Common Toy, Quite Trustworthy - Chameleon Barometer a Curlosity-Simple Test for Humidity.

One of the oldest and simplest ways of telling whether the air is dry or moist is to suspend a piece of seaweed out of doors, or even in an apartment where there is no artificial heat. The weed is crisp and dry at it is flabby and moist when rain is

likely. A common toy, the Swiss weatherhouse, is really quite trustworthy in
its forecasts, says the Strand. The
woman, of course emerges from the little house in fine weather, while the sources. man comes out when wet conditions

to the twisting of a cord of catgut, a substance which is highly sensitive to changes in the humidity of the air.

Two very singular weather devices

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The first step toward solving the fire problem was the selection of a lookout station. A station was established on Harney peak, the highest

are employed. In the former case a glass jam-jar is filled to about twothirds of its capacity with water. A and this is placed inside the jar.

A frog will live quite happily in such a position for a few weeks, and it will be found that in fine weather feet. the creature will climb out up to the top of the ladder. In stormy weather, however, the frog prefers to remain under the water.

Even more reliable as weather prophets are leeches. A single leech is placed in a broad glass bottle with a piece of perforated bladder or leaththe leech will even leave the water altogether, so sensitive is the animal to an electrical disturbance.

The chameleon barometer is a curiosity which has puzzled many people, but its construction is really very simple. The animal changes color according to the weather, being pink in damp conditions, purple in a variable state, and bright blue when the air is

dry. and this may be lettered in sections, Sand Creek reservoirs and Milton, and then immersed in a solution of Barr, Marshall and the Standley-Lake chloride of sodium and gum arabic. supplementary reservoirs are finished, with the Barr and the Marshall Lake reservoirs full of water. Standley Lake ture.

fitches and reservoirs been completed from bright pink to sky blue, with the season water could have changes in the degree of dampness in

There has been little hardship ex- Fitzroy. This is formed of a glass perienced by the settlers, and it is said they have enough money on hand to put in this year's crop. Clarence Ireland, president of the Board of Dispersion of the district many control of the district many control of the set of the cort. Into the tube has been poured a mixture of camphor, not be a set of the district many cort. rectors of the district, says that the period of uncertainty in the district ter. The changes in the state of the The 60,000 acres of the Denver-Greeley Valley district east of Platte-ville and Fort Lupton will all be brought under irrigation by the Stand-storm and retreating to the lower part of the tube in quiet weather.

Spiking Obsolete Nowadays. One reads in the war news that the

Italians found that guns in the Tripoli forts "spiked." If that is meant literally they must have been guns of mainly antiquarian interest.

The expression, "spiking guns," is a survival from the day when all that was necessary to put a gun out of Drovers and Merchants Bank action (provided, of course, that you had access to it) was a large nail or spike and a hammer. You simply

the bottom of the bore, so much the better.

It is just as simple, perhaps simpler, to put a modern gun out of action. All you want is a hammer. The breech block of the modern gun is held closed by screw threads, after the breech block is shut on the shell, a turn of two or three inches engages the threads. By knocking a burr on the shell threads. By knocking terial assistance to the enemy.

In Practice.

Probably one the heartlest laughs county lead and zinc mines.

More than 100 men are at work now on the big dam, and this number will be trebled when spring opens. The work is to be done by April, 1913, and the power will probably begin to be used by the middle of next year, Materials for the work are now being transported by barges down the river from Branson, and will also be hauled over the new trunpike road to be built of the proposes by a system of careful selection of capable, intelligent and a later were sent to the hospital.

Tuesday and one was seriously included Captain and Mrs. Fritz Duquesne of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Wortley of Brooklyn. A group of men attacked their automobile with bricks and store included Captain on the party included Captain busy and Mrs. Wortley of Brooklyn. A group of men attacked their automobile with bricks and store included Captain busy and Mrs. Wortley of Brooklyn. A group of men attacked their automobile with bricks and store in the duchess had the vehicle stopped and asked the man what he wanted. He said that he was anxious to get a good look at their royal highnesses. The duches were beaten off by Captain Duquesne and Mr. Wortley, armed with a hammer and a jack headle. Two of the roters were knocked unconscious and later were sent to the hospital.

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NATURE FURNISHES MANY SIM. LOOKOUT ON HIGH PEAK IN THE BLACK HILLS TO WATCH FOR SMOKE NEXT SUMMER.

THEN PHONE TO GUARDS

In This Way It Is Expected to Extinguish Every Blaze in Early Stages and Prevent Heavy Losses.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 28.—The lates word in the protection of forests from the approach of fine weather, while fire comes from the Black hills, where it is flabby and moist when rain is by means of a lookout on a high peak who will locate incipient fires woman, of course, emerges from the that threatens the nation's lumber re

The national forests in the Black hills have been the scene of many dis In a medium state of the atmosphere both figures stand just inside the house. The movements are due to the twisting of a cord of catgut, a

lished on Harney peak, the highest point in Harney national forest, at an altitude of 7,242 feet above sea level. thirds of its capacity with water. A little wooden ladder is constructed, and this is placed inside the jar.

A frog will live quite happily in out station is 400,000 acres, and it is estimated that the amount of standing timber in this area is 1,200,000,000

between the lookout station and various ranger stations in the national forests. After sighting the smoke of a distant fire the look out can step to the telephone box on top of the peak and soon be put in connection with the

earest ranger station.

To describe the exact location of a a piece of perforated bladder or leather over the mouth. On the approach of fine or frosty weather the leech remains almost motionless, curled up at the bottom. When respectively a presented a pretty problem for solution. In most cases the smoke from the fire would not be visible to the rangers. The rolling hills, covered the bottom. When rain or wind is coming the creature rises to the sur face, while a coming thunderstorm will cause it to be much agitated; at times the rangers, the rangers and restrictions as there are few trails through the forest. The exact lo-

cation must be described.

The solution was worked out by providing the forest officials with maps. On sighting a fire the man at the lookout station will figure out its exact location on the map of the for-est. He then can telephone the loca-tion to the chief ranger, who is fa-miliar with all the roads and trails in the forest and knows instantly how

Besides being connected with the iry.

A cardboard mount is prepared, the Harney forest lookout is also connected with ranger stations in the Black hills forest. A shelter is con-structed at the top of the peak for the use of the lookout. The guardian of this immense forest

area lives a lonely life, but his wants are well provided for. He has a ten Bringing Fine Results in Parts of
Lone Star State.

Beaumont, Tex., Feb. 28.—Prof. A.

P. Attwater, industrial agent and J.

With the Barr and the Marshall Lake reservoirs full of water. Standley Lake now contains 20,000 acre feet, and flood waters this spring will add as much more. All the government land in the district will be proved upon this year, and at least 40,000 acres in the district will be cultivated. Had the district will be cultivated. H

It is difficult to estimate the amount ess important peaks and establish ookout stations on them. This would multiply the expense by at least four.

INTELLIGENCE OF RAT. Prof. F. A. Perrin of Chicago Uni-ersity, in a lecture before the Amer-Association

Washington, dwelt on the sagasity of he lower animals, which he declared often greater than that of man him self. For example, said he, a rat wih reason his way out of a complicated inclosure with more ease than an educated human being would in an nalogous case.

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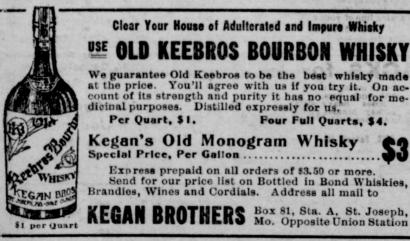
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REINFORCED FISH DISHES.

By Martha McCulloch Williams. Fish is especially good for brainworkers, through supplying phosphorus, of which the brain stands always in need to repair its own waste. But where fish comes frequently to table it ought to have the reinforcement of nitrogenous substances, such as milk and eggs. There are some fish dishes which are particularly adapted to paper bag cooking. Before undertaking them it is well to have in hand sundry paper souffle cases. Though the fish are to be cooked in paper bags, a la Soyer, the cases make the cooking somewhat easier, and the serving very much more sightly.

But rissoles or patties require no cases. Fish pudding and fish custard can be cooked and served beautifully in shells of pastry, baked in a mold, then taken out, filled and slid into a paper bag. All the dishes require cooked fish, either baked or boiled. You can do either in the paper bag. For boiling, put in with the cleaned fish a tumbler of water, seal the greased bag, and cook in a hot oven fifteen to twenty minutes. Baking requires less water and about the same time in the oven.

For fish custard, free the cooked fish from all skin and bone, cut up, but not too small, and season to taste with salt and black and red pepper with a grate of nutmeg if desired. Lay without packing in a buttered souffle case and cover with a custard thus proportioned: Beat two whole eggs and one extra yolk very light, add a ment. pint of sweet milk and a pinch of salt. Beat all well together. Put the case in a bag, which will need but little greasing, seal and set in a very moderate oven for half an hour. Make a peep hole, look in and if the custard is not firmly set, cook until it is. Serve very hot, garnished with curled

Begin fish rissole and pattles by making good puff paste. While it gets properly cold, flake line a pint of fish. freeing it of bone and skin. Season with butter, salt and pepper to taste and a very little finely minced onion. Roll the paste rather thin and cut out circles with a saucer. Put a spoonful of minced fish on half of each circle, fold over, pinch tight, brush over with beaten egg, then put in a bag with a lump of butter and cook i .. a very hot oven for eight minutes.

For patties bake the pastry into tiny shells, fill them with the minced fish, sprinkle on top grated cheese, slip in a bag and cook ten minutes in a moderate oven. These are not quite so rich as the rissoles which are in effect fried in the bag.

Fish timbale requires two cups of butter, two fresh eggs, a little minced parsley, and salt and pepper-both kinds-to taste. Mix the fish well with the sauce, beat in the butter, then add the eggs beaten very light, and mix all thoroughly. Put into a buttered souffle case, slip inside a bag, and cook in a very moderate oven half an hour.

For fish pudding take a pint of boiled fish, grind it fine, add to it one and a half tablespoonfuls of butter, half a tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, a quarter of a teaspoonful of pepper, and the same of onion juice. Mix all well and set in hot water while you beat two eggs very light with half a cup of sweet Pour the mixture on the fish and beat hard, keeping it over the hot water. When it is hot through, pour it into the prepared bag, keeping the shape as round as possible, tie the bag-top together firmly, and set on a trivet, in a moderate oven for half an hour. This should set it firmly.

Fish rolls are fine for breakfast or luncheon. Mince cooked fish fine, season well, and heat in a rich cream sauce along with the crumbs scooped from the hearts of breakfast rolls. Cut a thin slice from the top of the rolls before beginning to scoop them. Leave only the hard crust. Fill the rolls with the mixture, grate a little hard-boiled egg-yolk over them, seal in a paper bag, and crisp for seven minutes in a hot oven.

Planked fish is not beyond the paper bag. Get a half-inch oak plank cut to a size to go easily inside a big bag. Make it very hot under the gas flame, butter it well, then lay on it the fish, cleaned, seasoned, buttered all over, and spread as flat as possible. Slip into a greased bag and cook for half to three-quarters of an hour in a hot oven. There should be a trivet under the bag the same as if It held no plank. Make a peep hole to find out if the fish is well done-it had better be nearly in the middle,

so no gravy will be lost. Boiled fish, creamed, suits many palates, especially those of tender age. Let the fish get cold, free it of skin and bone, and then flake, but not fine. Put a layer of it in the bottom of a buttered souffle case, dot with bits of butter, dust with salt and cayenne, and add a few fried crumbs. Cover with cream sauce, upon which spread more fish. Keep on with the layers until the case is full. Then cover with a thick layer of fried crumbs, squeeze a little lemon juice on, and bake inside a greased bag in a quick oven for fifteen minutes. Serve from the case, and garnish with hard boiled egg.
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MARRIAGE LAWS IN EUROPE

Obstacles Some Countries Put in the Way of Those Who Are Anxious to Wed.

London.-A blue book issued by the foreign office tells the British subject residing outside British territory how he may get married without returning to British soil. The book is intended primarily to point out the intricacies of marriage laws in foreign countries when one of the parties is an alien.

In Norway no clergyman may perform a marriage ceremony unless both parties prove that they have been vaccinated or have had smallpox. In the same country a guardian may retain his ward's goods and chattels if she should marry without his consent. Marriages between one of orthodox faith and a non-Christian are forbidden.

Parental consent is necessary to marriage in Russia, and if the prospective bridegroom has insulted his parents or grandparents or the bride's parents or grandparents their pardon must be obtained to make the marriage legal.

This rule of obtaining parental consent when the parties are minors obtains in nearly every country and in some of them the consent of grandparents is necessary. Divorce does not dissolve the matrimonial bond in most Latin countries.

Marriage laws sanctioned by the Byzantine emperors are still in force in Greece. There are many conditions that prohibit marriage there.

Practically any reason that would justify the belief that the marriage would be unhappy, such as riotous or immoral conduct on the part of one of the applicants for a license, is a bar to marriage in Peru, where marked disparity in class and social condition is recognized as an impedi-

Proved immorality and lack of sufficient means to support a wife serve as a bar in Austria. While a marriage between a Christian and a non-Christian is illegal in Austria, a change of faith after marriage in such cases does not validate the

They Invent New Dodges as Old Tricks Grow Well Known-Street Cars Are Worked Mostly.

"dip" only thought it necessary to leave tonight." ing the competition of the new pick- be carried safely across the line.' pocket most distressing.

cold fish, chopped fine or ground, one cup of cream sauce, a tablespoon of of it.

> It always happens on a street car. by her side will calm her.

as soon as we get to the store."

The little colloquy has arrested the of cigars. attention of the prospective victim. To the male pickpocket will illustrate.

will say. "Fortunately, I had very lit- match." tle money with me. But the operation ed against me-like this-and when I York." felt for my pocket my money was gone.'

As he touches the victim lightly he "nips the leather" and a moment later "makes his getaway." The actual theft does not differ in method from that used by the commonest thief, but the manner in which the litsomething approaching genius.

TOWN HAS CRIME PRICE-LIST you account for it?" Judge of Kansas City (Kan.) Frames

Amounts of Fines for Minor Offenses. Kansas City, Kan.-Persons desir-

mate the cost in advance.

of police of this city. The list follows: Letting a goat run

in a public place, \$5; allowing cows to graze on parking, \$10; throwing chewing gum on sidewalks or in Deputation of Creditors—We've street cars, \$5; stealing a gate, \$10; come to tell you that we are quite a pig pen on the place, \$25; talking ment with you as possible. "sassy" to women in stores and othrude or ungentlemanly manner, away again. \$10; running races on the street, \$25; kissing in parks (in secluded spots), \$10; allowing chickens in neighbor' garden, \$5; carrying a "bean shooter,"

Policeman Was "Story Teller." Chicago.-Arrested, charged with starting a fire in an alley, a four-yearold "miscreant" told the sergeant the 300-pound policeman who made the pinch was "a big story-teller" and was

Policeman Tells of Romance When He Fled From Germany.

Soldier Unable to Wed, but With Ald of Friends and Kin He Eluded Authorities and Came to America With Financee.

"Chicago.-"When a man will risk his honor and his life for love he can be pretty sure it's the real article, said Lieut. Max Heidelmeier, commanding officer of the Hudson avenue police station, and for 38 years a member of the department, to a group of friends in his office the other day.

"What did you ever risk for love lieutenant?" asked an amused listener. "I left the German army on April 27, 1867, so that I could marry the girl I loved," was the policeman's re-

"What!" cried one man who had known the lieutenant for 25 years. "You a deserter? Never!"

"I quit all right, but you would better wait and hear the circumstances before you judge me," answered Heid-

"I am a native of Bruckenau, Bayaria, where my father owned a large hardware store," began the police official. "I fought in the war of 1866, between the north and south German states, and was home on a furlough when I fell in love with Sabina. Sabina was my first wife.

"I told Sabina that I loved her and begged her to marry me. There was only one way in which we could become man and wife at that time, and that was to come to America. She agreed and then I told my father. He remonstrated with me at first, but finally gave in, and made arrangements for Sabina and me to flee to the United States. Ferdinand Wort, the steamship agent at our town, was father's friend, and through him it was arranged to have me and my sweet heart meet at the city of Koeln, and then sail to this country by the way

of Antwerp, Belgium.
"The night that Sabina arrived and PICKPOCKETS UP TO DATE emigrant train left for Antwerp, and I became peevish and asked why we hadn't been sent on.

'The emigrant trains are being watched closely, and you would surely be captured were I to let you go to-Cincinnati, O .- Even the pickpockets night,' answered the agent. 'You are keeping up with the quick-step needn't fear, however, for you will be progress. A few years ago a good across the border before those who nished daily by the Kansas City Re-"dip" only thought it necessary to leave tonight."

ioned conservative way. Nowadays he bid us goodby at the train. You and grain merchants who solicit your they stage their performances as care- must keep a stiff upper lip and fear no fully as the film actors do. The rat one. Should you be approached by faced rascal who nips leathers is find- any one, speak up, and then you will

"There is a big arch on the divid-"There is a big arch on the divid"Oh," a quietly dressed, pleasantly
plump, motherly looking woman will
ery out, "I've been robbed. Some one
opened my bag and took my purse out
of it."

"There is a big arch on the dividing line of Germany and Belgium, and
just as we reached it the train
stopped. We saw a number of German army officers standing alongside
of it."

"There is a big arch on the dividing line of Germany and Belgium, and
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stopped. We saw a number of German army officers standing alongside
of it." train and he and the conductor talked The substantial looking business man in low tones at the opposite end of the coach. I lowered the window and "Don't worry, mother," he will beg, stuck my head out. In Prussian diain a voice just audible to those near- lect I asked the soldiers what the arch est. "You didn't have much money signified. One of the officers told me, in it, anyhow. I'll give you some just after which I asked him for a match. After receiving it, I gave him a couple

"All suspicion left the minds of the him the man of the team will turn, conductor and the official talking to with an air of good fellowship. A mo- him, and as they went out of the door ment's conversation on the perils of the soldier said to the conductor: the rail is sure to follow, and then 'That's not the man. If he was a deserter he wouldn't deliberately open "I was robbed a few weks ago," he the window and ask an officer for a

"A few minutes later the whistle was so neatly performed that I have tooted and the train rolled over into been rather proud, even of the passive Belgian territory, and we were safe. part that I played in it. A stranger The next day the train arrived at Antgot into conversation with me, lurch werp and we took passage for new

"Now," the manager complained, "here is an interesting play; the star is young, beautiful, and a splendid actress; the company is a capable, well-balanced one, and the production tle act is staged and costumed shows is excellent in every respect—yet it is a failure. The people simply will not become interested in it. How do

"I don't account for it," replied the man with the high brow and the wrinkles which indicated that he was in the habit of thinking. "I have made a rather careful study of the public during the last few years, and ing to commit any of the minor crimes if you think talent, worthiness and in Kansas City, Kan., may now esti- general excellence are to be relied upon for success in any art or profes A framed list of the commoner sion which is compelled to depend crimes and the penalties therefor has upon public patronage it will be a been placed in the office of the chief waste of time to do any accounting for the failure you mention."

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Tracks in the Snow

By Donald Allen

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It was the first snow of the season, and therefore not much of a snowjust about enough to call out the cats and rabbits and encourage them extended his hand to Miss Ida and toto leave a million tracks on the white gether they ran for the trees and the

"Yes."

"To go rabbit hunting!"

"You'll get a million of 'em." like the first snow in the country. fled before him. There is a difference in the whiteness, and when there are tracks in the back yard a city man must admit log and chuckled and gurgled. Miss that they were made by tomcats instead of rabbits.

never seen a real rabbit track. Nei- and passed out at the other long bether had she ever met a hired man. fore she had taken up his trail. As She had seen dog tracks and met she turned again the young man was gruff policemen in Central park.

"I shall put on my shortest skirt," laughter. she said to her aunt as they ate breakfast, "and my thick shoes and that old hat I brought along, and I funny! shall hunt down as many as six rab-

"Bless you, child!" was the reply. "I may hunt for five miles around."

"So you may." "I may not get back till dark."

"But don't get all tired out." she jumped up. "I haven't any gun up penitently, and all at once the and there isn't any time to write girl saw the humor of the situation

brother Ben to send one up!" "But you won't need one, dear. You take a club with you. You track on the head as he fooks out to see I thank you for your kindness." who you are.'

Which information went to show that, providing there were enough asked: rabbits and clubs and hollow logs and girls in the country, the ship-



ments of dead bunnies to the city market would average five carloads

per day. "Are they willing to be killed?" asked Miss Ida, as she thought of the terrific slaughter.

"I believe they are." "And they won't fight back?"

"Never!" Half an hour later the short-

now it was business.

fingers ached. Straight into that hollow led the birds by using one for decoy.

He would peek out and-smash!

has the same panicky feeling. lown on the early morning train, so never fail to respond to this noise. as to take advantage of the tracking. The Indian has no call for the lynx, snow. He had just entered a law but one or two of them can attract firm as the junior partner and his the otter by imitating its shrill whisegal erudition told him that the best tle.—John G. Millais in "Newfoundland time to hunt wolves and panthers and Its Untrodden Ways." and rabbits was when there was snow

on the ground. "Hey, you! Hey! Hey!"

Mr. Childs had been looking straight style might be improved?" asked the head. He now looked to the right, critic. and ordered the driver to halt. Running across the white field was a girl replied Mr. Asbestos Sellum, the popwith a club in her hand and her hat ular author. "I'm going to use big-MISSOURI VALLEY SANITARIUM, deeling for her life before some sav- scribing fights printed in red ink."

age animal? Had she aroused a nest of tramps in the woods?

"Say! Say! Say!" she gasped as she drew nearer.

"Yes, yes," answered Mr. Childs as he leaped from the carriage with all his chivalry aroused.

"I-I've got a rabbit in a hollow log back there!" "Yes, yes."

"He's a big one—a monster. I don't want him to get away." "I see. You want help."

Mr. Childs vaulted over the fence, log. The spot was reached in three When Miss Ida Benham looked or four minutes, and not another from her window in the morning she word had passed between the two. uttered a long-drawn "O-h-h-h!" at The lawyer noted the tracks of the the sight. When she got downstairs rabbit, and then motioned the girl to she "O-h-h-h-ed!" again, and encour- be ready with her club. As soon as aged by the smile of Aunt Betty's she was stationed he walked to the hired man she clasped her hands and other end of the log. Then he sat down on it and began to laugh. He "Oh, this is what I was waiting sat up and laughed. He bent over and laughed. He slapped his leg and

He looked up through his tears at The first snow in the city is not a girl standing very stiff and digni-

He pointed to the far end of the Ida moved along until she could see. The log was hollow from end to end, Miss Ida was eighteen, but had and her rabbit had entered at one end making heroic efforts to suppress his

"I-I beg your pardon, but it's so

"Oh, it is!" "You-you thought he was in

"And he was!" "But you see-see-"

"And you scared him out, and I don't thank you for it!"

"My soul!" exclaimed the girl, as Mr. Chiids sobered up and looked

and began to laugh, and finally said: "What a goose I've made of myself! I never thought to look at the a rabbit into a hollow log and stand other end of the log. You see, it's the by with your club raised to hit him first time I ever went rabbit hunting.

When Miss Ida had reached home and told of her adventure her aunt

"What name did you say he gave?" "Why-why, he didn't give any!" "But you gave your name?"

"Never thought of that!" "I'm afraid your mother-" "She's got nothing to do with it

She knows nothing about rabbithunting. She doesn't know how ex cited one gets when one gets a rabbit into a hollow log." "But the young man?"

"Oh, he was excited, too. When he wasn't excited he was laughing. I'm sure he is a nice young man. He'd have given me his card if he'd thought

"Well, I dunno!" sighed Aunt

"Don't know what?" "Why, he'll call, and he'll admire you, and you'll both fall in love and engaged and married, and your mother will lay it all to me, and-

But Miss Ida's mother didn't. It is said that she was quite satisfied with the match, and so was the rabbit.

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low log. Yes, the trail led directly to first arrive in the spring by waving a log with a cavity in the end, and white rag and imitating their "honk- ver fox at all, but a pet Pomeran- more the fact that Americanism is a Miss Ida walked on tip-toes. She they take little notice of the lure, A field. breathed hard. She almost bit her small white dog is also attractive to

That rabbit could no more escape her turbed for long, are very curious in the pet. than the steel trust can escape Uncle relation to strange sounds. They will Sam. He would hear and smell her. come swimming out of their house what he was going to do with his capeven at the firing of a gun. The In- tive. As it was out of the hunting sea-The the girl found her knees dians usually call them with a hissing son, he did not want to kill the fox tea in Latin-America as well as in trembling and her breath coming in noise or one produced by munching without the consent of the state game nearly all of the continent of Europe, rasps, and she turned and ran for the lips. Another favorite tole is a commission. Had he received that con- Russia and the British Isles excepted. highway. It was too much for her. sound made by tapping the trousers sent, he might have killed the prize She felt that she must have help. with the hand. The most successful and prepared a meal of fox fricasse The hunter that sights his first deer beaver-caller in Newfoundland killed out of the Pomeranian pup. He is Mr. Brisbane Childs was being season, by making a sound that re dog. lriven from the railroad station to sembled the cutting of chips off a tree. is mother's house. He had come It is said that the unfortunate beavers

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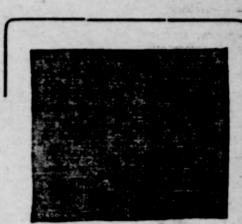
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in the woods back of the plumber's of Kansas City men at the association ing" call, but after the first fortnight | ian of Miss Louise Bannister of Spring | matter of the spirit, not of the blood.

Miss Bannister sa wthe story in ongue. She gripped her club 'til her geese in the spring, and one Indian I the papers about Snow's capture of know of has killed numbers of these the fox and in the description she recognized her dog. A member of her trail. She was sure of her quarry. Beavers, when they have been undis- family visited Snow and claimed

> Snow was much concerned about great numbers of beavers, in the open glad Miss Bannister sent for the

> > Patriotism.

church at Wilmerding, Pa., made a traffic." Sure.! And if four or five men Memorial day address in the town should stand in a store window and cemetery last spring. At the close of try on bonnets the crowd would also his speech in Servian he said in Eng- gather.

"I deem it my holiest duty to kiss this consecrated ground upon which your heroic ancestors shed their blood, and in which their bones are laid to

Then he kneeled, kissed the ground could be picked out by hand.

of those who died for their father stout club by the hired man, started practice on the imitator's part. The Prize Catch of the Season at Millburn land. When he arose he said: "Glory to the dead soldiers, and prosperity to the American people."

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