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TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

Latest Reports by Wire From the Market Centers.

CHICAGO.

Special to the Live Stock Journal.

CHICAGO, ILL., May 17, '89.

Cattle market the same as last week. Sheep are 25c higher. Following are representative sales:

Scaling & Tamblin sold 84 grass steers, 1043 lbs, \$3.40; 210 grassers, 999 lbs, \$3.30; for Little Rock Oil Co., 93 steers, 836 lbs, \$3; 21 tailings, 809 lbs, \$2.85; 22 tailings, 912 lbs, \$2.50; for Lasater, 60 steers, 956 lbs, \$3.10.

Keenan & Son sold for Brooks, 42 fed steers, 1026 lbs, \$3.60; 24, 821 lbs, \$3; 566 shorn sheep, 70 lbs, \$3.40.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for J. A. Stevens, 20 steers, 1126 lbs, \$3.75; 42, 915 lbs, \$3.50; for G. W. Haynes, 23, 866 lbs, \$2.90; 63, 968 lbs, \$3.40; for W. Massey, 25, 856 lbs, \$3.25; for C. White, 21, 789 lbs, \$3; for J. Wynn, 61, 1055 lbs, \$3.60; for W. H. White, 26, 851 lbs, \$3.

W. W. Shearer & Co. sold for S. Perry, 38 steers, 947 lbs, \$3.40.

Wood Bros. sold for R. A. Riddle, 51 steers, 1002 lbs, \$3.40; for S. D. Felt, 58 steers, 985 lbs, \$3.40; for J. S. Rogers, 24 steers, 901 lbs, \$3.

The James H. Campbell Co sold for

Pierce Bros. 67 steers, 959 lbs, \$3.15.

The Chicago Live Stock Commission Co. sold for W. H. Jennings, 46, 972 lbs, \$2.40.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for J. A. Foster, 301 sheep, 76 lbs, \$3.75; 448 shorn sheep, 67 lbs, \$3.25; for E. Morris, 164 steers, 827 lbs, \$2.55; for R. S. Reed, 71 steers, 957 lbs, \$3.35.

Paxson, Shattuck & Co. sold for J. B. Wilson, 42 steers, 1099 lbs, \$3.75; for R. Todd, 44, 853 lbs, \$3.20; for W. H. McCulloch, 23 grassers, 734 lbs, \$2.90; for J. L. Elliff, 11, 989 lbs, \$3; for B. A. Bennett, 25, 804 lbs, \$2.90; 69 cows, 747 lbs, \$2.35; for E. Morris, 167, 835 lbs, \$2.55.

R. Strahorn & Co. sold for G. M. Weekly, 41 steers, 1063 lbs, \$3.60; for J. La Croix, 109 fed steers, 1091 lbs, \$3.70; for J. Wynn, 22, 1027 lbs, \$3.60.

Brown Bros. sold for Beauchamp, 20 steers, 1158 lbs, \$3.65; for Turner, 40, 1014 lbs, \$3.35; 23, 819 lbs, \$3.10.

The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold for Lytle, 353 grassers, 931 lbs, \$3.10.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, May 17.—Receipts of cattle for the past week, 16,885 head. Monday the market was steady with last week. Tuesday and Wednesday values weakened, especially on medium and heavy-weight steers. Fat yearlings, with heifers and steers, sold well at steady prices. On corn-

fed Texas and Indians no change could be noted until Wednesday, when they were 5 to 10c lower than Friday or Saturday. Any cattle having had grass are lower and hard to sell beside the dry-lot steers. No heavy corn-fed Texans on sale; mostly yearlings and a few medium steers.

The following sales show range of prices:

The James H. Campbell Co. sold for Helm, 35 yearlings, 592 lbs, \$2.90; Hutton, 78 steers, 1356 lbs, \$3.75; 75 steers, 1339 lbs, \$3.75; 30 bulls, 1740 lbs, \$2.40; Morris, 40 steers, 970 lbs, \$3.35; 14 steers, 930 lbs, \$3.35; Detzner, 18 steers, 1032 lbs, \$3.60; D. S. Green, 130 yearlings, 521 lbs, \$2.65; M. & B., 966 shorn sheep, 85 lbs, \$3.50; Archburn & P., 899 shorn 83 lbs, \$3.50; 67 shorn sheep, 70 lbs, \$2.37½.

Fish & Keck Co. sold for Garrison, 83 head Texas corn-fed heifers, 457 lbs, \$2.60; Wiser, 358 corn-fed seers, 638 lbs, 3.40; Wantland, 99 corn-fed heifers, 663 lbs, \$2.90; Wiser, 104 corn-fed steers, 640 lbs, \$3.35.

Evans-Snider-Buel Co. sold for F. Jones, Purcell, I. T., 24 steers, 940 lbs, \$3.40; Heidenheimer, Galveston, 112 steers, 800 lbs, \$2.55; 20 steers, 777 lbs, \$2.50.

John D. Dobyns & Co. sold 60 Texas yearling heifers, 612 lbs, \$2.35; 30 yearling heifers, 565 lbs, \$2.

1600 cattle here to-day; all natives. Market is 5 to 10c higher. Sheep stronger.

ST. LOUIS.

St. LOUIS, May 17.—Only a train of Texas steers in here to-day of light flesh, which had not found sale up to the hour of noon. Good fat steers are wanted at steady prices. But few Texas sheep in to-day and of poor quality. Good ones are wanted.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, May 17.—Market heavily supplied with beeves, cows and yearlings, and glutted with sucking calves. Prices low and irregular. Hog market lightly supplied, prices firm. Sheep dull and in large supply.

QUOTATIONS.—Choice corn-fed beeves, per pound gross, 3@3½c; choice grass-fed beeves, 2½@3c.

good fat cows, 2@2½c; common [to fair, \$9@14; calves, \$3.50@7; yearlings, \$7@10; good fat corn-fed hogs, per lb gross, 4½@5½c; common to fair, 4@4½c; good fat sheep, each \$2.50 @3.00; common to fair, \$1.25@2.00.

GALVESTON.

[Reported by Wintree, Norman & Pearson, Live Stock Commission Merchants].

BEEVES AND COWS—Choice, per lb, gross, corn-fed, 2½@3c; choice, per lb, gross, grass-fed 2¼@2½; 2-year-olds, choice, per head, \$8@12; common, per head, \$6@8; yearlings, choice, per head, \$6@8; common, per head, \$5@5.50; calves, choice, per lb, gross 2½@3c; common, per lb gross, 3¼@4c.

SHEEP—Choice, per lb, gross, 3@3½c. Hogs.—Choice corn-fed per lb gross, 4 @4½c; mast fed, per lb gross, 3@3½c.

A full supply of grass beeves and cows on sale. Calf and yearling market badly overstocked; prices declining rapidly. Sheep overstocked. Hogs dull; very little sale.

DALLAS.

CATTLE.—Choice corn-fed steers, 2½@3c; common to fair, 2@2½c; choice corn-fed cows 2¼@2½c; common to fair, 2@2½c; choice fat yearlings, \$5.00@8.50 choice veal calves, 3¼@4c; common to fair, 2½@3½c; bulls, 1¼@1½c; milch cows, \$20@30.

SHEEP.—Choice corn-fed sheep, 3¼@3½c; common to fair, 2¼@3¼c.

HOGS.—Choice corn-fed hogs, 4c; stockers, 3¼@3½c.

GOATS—\$1.25@2. Stock hogs and veal calves find ready sale.

CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

Over 14,000 Cattle on Monday, Including 2000 Texans—Cattle Market Pretty Good—Sheep Market Liberally Supplied from Texas.

U. S. YARDS, }
CHICAGO, ILL., May 11, '89. }
Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

Last week we received 51,137 cattle and 32,990 sheep against 41,592 cattle and 24,689 sheep during the corresponding time last year. Shipments during the week were 25,537 cattle and 13,884 sheep against 16,255 cattle and 4522 sheep during the same week last year.

This week's market opened with 14,500 cattle, but there was a very active market and the 2000 Texas cattle were sold at nearly steady prices.

Wood Bros. sold a lot of 22 1026-lb fed steers at \$3.75; for J. Baldrige, 20 steers, 1119 lbs, at \$3.80; T. P. McCampbell, 42 steers 908 lbs, \$3.10.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for E. G. Cook, 48 grass cows, 792 lbs, at \$2.35; for the Keystone company, 26 cows, 784 lbs, \$2.25; 18 bulls, 1241 lbs, \$2.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold 20 head of 955-lb cattle at \$3.25, for I. N. Kimberlin and 2 head 835 lbs, at \$2.50.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 295 grass steers, 928 lbs, \$3.05; for E. G. Cook, 26 cows, 768 lbs, \$2.25; G. R. Reed, 20 bulls, 1069 lbs, \$1.80; M. E. Hall, 46, 1023 lbs, \$3.55; W. E. Stovall, 20 steers, 1084 lbs, \$3.70; 20, 1015 \$3.60; 22 879 lbs, \$3.12½.

The Evans-Snider-Buel Co. sold for V. Blunzer, of Pearsall, 38 cows, 714 lbs, \$2.35; 21 bulls, 1024 lbs, \$1.80; 111 steers, 823 lbs, \$2.75; Nelson Lott P. Co., 272 steers, 750 lbs, \$2.85; 22, 717 lbs, \$2.83; 142 cows, 681 lbs, \$2.45.

Keenan & Sons sold 22 steers, 861 lbs at \$2.75; for Miller & Son, 75 steers, 873 lbs, \$3.30; for Milt James,

83 steers, 993 lbs, 3.65; 6 bulls and stags, 1366 lbs, \$2.75.

Chicago Live Stock Commission Co. sold 611 shorn sheep, 80 lbs, at \$3.35; 495 shorn sheep, 79 to 80 lbs, \$3.25, and 778 shorn sheep, 82 lbs, at \$3.70.

Paxson, Shattuck & Co. sold 200 head of 85 to 86-lb shorn sheep \$3.65; for Robinson Bros, 45 steers, 1023 lbs, \$3.70; 24 steers, 880 lbs, \$3.55.

Texas sheep cut quite an important figure in receipts here last week. Monday sales included 600 66 to 70-lb shorn \$3.05@3.35 with 548 shorn \$3.85. Tuesday about 2000 65 to 80-lb shorn sheep sold for "stockers." at \$2.75@3 with 69 to 80-lb muttons at \$3.20@3.55. Wednesday 16,000 head of thin 66 to 69-lb shorn Texans sold at \$2.70 @2.80 to Ohio and Michigan feeders; with 900 80-lb shorn muttons at \$3.40 and 506 wooled Texans, 77 lbs, at \$4. Thursday, 1676 head of 67 to 87-lb shorn Texans sold at \$3@3.35 with 705 wooled, 76 lbs at \$4.

This week started with a big string of shorn Texans, 69 to 80 lbs. at \$3.25 @3.65.

Speaking of the sheep market of the past week and the near future a salesman said: "There have been about 7000 shipped out for stockers, going mostly to Ohio, Illinois, Michigan and Indiana. They were bought at from \$2.50@3.35. They were mostly Texans. I still see nothing very promising in the future. Best shorn, \$3.50@3.85; wooled, \$4@4.70; lambs, \$5@5.70; spring lambs, by the head, \$2.50 3.50, most selling at \$3."

H. D. Rogers, was here from the Morris ranch.

The London cattle market was \$8@9 per head better this week and that fact stimulated the export demand somewhat. A. C. HALLIWELL.

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ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

Something to Show the Range of Prices.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLS., }
May 14, 1888. }
Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

We have had a pretty good week of it taken all in all. The run of Texas cattle was quite fair and a great number found disposal. The demand for fair to good was large and those that went on in first hands could have found sale but the offers were refused. Prices paid in extremes ranged from \$3.30@3.75 for wintered and corn-fed Texas and \$2.40@3.25 to \$3.40 for common mixed to good grass Texas steers.

Grass Texans are not coming in to any extent as yet, and it can be safely asserted that good fat ones find ready disposal for good butcher steers of 800 to 1200 lbs and over are wanted by local butchers, interior shippers and the dressed beef company, and prices are pretty stiff, that is certain. Commission salesmen have hopes of a fair season.

To-day the market was active and prices were higher if anything. Good fat Texans brought \$3.75 per 100 lbs.

Here are a few of to-day's sales The James H. Campbell Co. sold for John Jones, Austin, 22 steers, 1190 lbs, \$3.65; Wm. Morgan, Paris, 41 41 steers, 1087 lbs, \$3.50; A. D. Cloyd, Austin, 17 steers, 1049 lbs, \$3.35; Jno. Jones, 26 steers, 990 lbs, \$3.40.

Evans-Snider-Buel Co. sold for R. T. Hill, Austin, 40 steers, 935 lbs, \$3.25; H. P. Flueger, Manor, 19 steers, 1001 lbs, \$3.40.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold for A. J. Davis, Gainesville, 8 steers 1031 lbs, \$3.75; Hickman Bros. 54 steers, 903 lbs, \$3.30; 25, 1048 lbs, \$3.60; John Latham, Gainesville, 12 cows, 905 lbs, \$2.37½; T. Fielder, Gainesville, 24 steers, 1076 lbs, \$3.70; 24 steers, 1075 lbs, \$3.65; J. W. Hayes, Gainesville, 21 oxen, 1043 lbs, \$3.50.

The sheep market ruled active and prices did not come down much on desirable grades. Plenty of Texas sheep arrived but the bulk were in thin flesh and went on further East.

Yesterday The James H. Campbell Co. sold for J. F. Smith of Brownwood 271 Texas clipped of 69 lbs at \$3, and for E. L. Smith same place, 713 sheep of 77 lbs at \$3.

Cassidy, Bros. & Co. sold for Beasley & Hamilton of San Angelo, 517 clipped Texans of 88 lbs, at \$3.45, and 774 head for same party of 88 lbs at \$3.50 per 100 lbs. Some sheep of 60 to 70 lbs brought \$2.75@3 per 100 lbs.

The receipts of Texas horses quite large and sales are being made right along. Good mares are the best selling and Sam A. White says the prices in sales range in extremes at \$20@35 per head according to quality. Common and thin stock dull.

The wool market is quite active and prices are strong and higher. The demand for good fleeces quite large. Texas wools are not coming forward in large quantities as yet. Prices in extremes range from 11@24c per lb.

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ROUND-UPS.

Mason News:—Mrs. Anna Martin & Sons of Mason county, have bought 600 head of two-year-old steers at \$10 per head, for Chas. Schreiner of Kerrville. These steers are in splendid condition for market.

Tucson Star:—M. D. Hall was trying to explain to Justice Easton recently the use of a branding iron; the judge thought \$1000 was sufficient to induce Mr. Hall to give a proper explanation to the next grand jury, and placed him under bond to that amount.

Las Vegas Stock Grower:—W. H. Cranmer, the Colorado stockman, says that the cattlemen of that state made a great mistake in shipping so close last fall and he is afraid that the stock to be shipped East this year will hardly be 50 per cent of last year's shipments.

Trinidad Advertiser:—T. J. Duff of Denver, cattle inspector for the Colorado state sanitary board, was in the city last evening in company with J. C. Leary, live stock agent for the D., T. & F. W. railway. Mr. Duff was on his way to Folsom, where he will be most of the coming three months to inspect cattle entering the state from Texas.

Crosby county News:—W. M. Lay of the firm of Millwee & Lay, who are building a ranch in this county, adjoining the St. Louis company's pasture south of Estacado, was in town this week. Both Millwee and Lay were formerly connected with the I O A Cattle company and are well known and respected all over the frontier.

DENISON, TEX., May 14.—From J. M. Glass, a cowman from the Choctaw nation, the Gazette's correspondent learned of the death of the notorious Bill Yoakum, a horse thief, whose operations have extended all over the Indian country. Yoakum was shot and killed by a marshal's posse after a long and arduous chase. He was a Creek Indian and had been a holy terror for a long time.

Lampasas Leader:—Sam Cope sold 13 head of 3 and 4-year-old steers at \$12 and \$15 Wednesday. Capt. Skinner got them. Jim Cawthon and Burt Greenwood sold 150 head of 3 and 4-year-old steers to Capt. J. F. Skinner Wednesday at \$14.50 round. J. H. Lloyd, living 8 miles west of here, sold a small bunch of 3 and 4-year-old steers to Capt. J. F. Skinner at \$13 and \$15 per head this week.

Bosque Citizen:—A Jersey past-yearling heifer is about the prettiest thing on four feet, of the cattle kind. Lon Cooper received three last Thursday, and they remained on inspection at Jim Rizer's lot for a day or two. They are pure-blood, born and raised in Dallas and cost \$126.50 each. Mr. Cooper is doing his whole duty in the noble work of displacing scrubs and scabs with fine breeds.

The Territorial Advocate of Beaver, Indian Territory, (in the Neutral Strip) very kindly inserts the following notice: "At Fort Worth, Texas, is published the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL, a 16-page weekly paper, containing in each issue a large amount of just such matter as is of special interest to the cattle, horse or sheep grower in the Neutral Strip and the Panhandle. Unsolicited we recommend it to our people and advise all to send for a free sample copy."

Crosby county News:—Frank Leonard, our hide and animal inspector, was in town last Saturday. Frank says they have abandoned the idea of filling up the Blanco canyon. It is good enough as it is; besides, what would become of the mastadon and the craw-fish, if it were filled up? Hank Smith discovered another "thundering big" rib bone; the other day, so Frank says, about eight inches wide. Keep on boys: there's no telling what may not be found hid away among those big bones.

The Victoria Review says: Capt. J. N. Keeran sold this week to Mr. Allan McCoy, to be delivered at his ranch in this and Lavaca counties on the 25th instant, 1000 steer yearlings at \$5 per head and 250 2 year-old steers at \$7.50. He also sold to Mr. J. H. Jordan of Galveston 5000 calves at \$5 per head and 200 heifer yearlings at \$5 a head, all to be delivered to-morrow. The captain recently received an order from a Brownsville stockman for ten Bramah bulls, which he will ship about the 15th instant. They brought \$50 each.

Canadian Free Press:—The grass in this section is at least one month ahead

of what it is generally at this time of year. Stockmen are jubilant and if good prices are realized all will be well—so says a prominent cowman of this section. Ike Pryor, the well known cattleman, was in the city to-day. Last week Nick Eaton shipped from this city to the Strip 1400 head of coming-on-fours steers. F. A. Shelly, a prominent stockman of the Strip, passed through the city this morning.

Las Vegas Stock Grower:—Walter T. Logan, a member of the stock firm of A. T. Morrison, Sons & Logan, was found dead in his bed on Sunday morning at the ranch of the firm in the southeastern part of Apache county, Arizona. Mr. Logan had been suffering several days from a felon on his hand and had procured a small amount of morphine to alleviate his pain. When he retired on Saturday night he took several doses of the drug to his room, and it is supposed that inadvertently he swallowed an overdose with fatal results. He was a son of Thomas A. Logan of Cincinnati, one of the most eminent men at the Ohio bar.

MINEOLA, TEX., May 14.—Yesterday evening a man giving his name as J. W. Wilcox rode in here on a bay horse five years old, with a full rig cowboy saddle. The horse had a white spot in the forehead. The saddle was made by B. F. Melton & Co. of Gainesville, Tex. and had buffalo covered pockets. The horse was branded J. H. on the hips and thigh; supposed to have been stolen at Marietta, I. T. The man made his escape. He is about six feet high, smooth face, dark complexion, had on a brown overshirt, light hat, and had his pants stuffed in his boots. The man is wanted at McKinney, Texas. The horse is here in charge of City Marshal Jones.

TOPEKA, KAN., May 8.—The new order issued by the live stock sanitary commissioner of Kansas to prevent the infection or spread of Texas or splenic fever among cattle in this state went into effect to-day. The stock yard company at Kansas City has constructed several tracks and chutes to be used exclusively in unloading cattle, capable of communicating the fever, and all cattle coming from south of the thirty-seventh parallel, will be inspected by Kansas inspectors at Argentine and Armourdale yards on the west bank of the Kaw, which were built two years ago for that purpose, while only absolutely healthy cattle will be admitted to the main yards on the east bank of the river. This order holds good until Dec. 1. The Stock yards company has always exercised due care to prevent the spread of Texas fever among cattle at the Kansas City Stock yards, and the new order will impose no additional regulation from those that have heretofore been enforced.

Northwest Live Stock Journal:—The Big Horn Cattle company and Plunkett & Windsor, located in the Big Horn Basin, have made some important transfers of stock within a few days. These companies each sold to Paul McCormick of Junction City, Mont., 600 head of cows at \$22.25 each, making Mr. McCormick's purchase 1200 cows, many of which have calves at side. The Big Horn Cattle company has also contracted to deliver to Bennett & Hamilton, on Powder river, in August, 1200 head of steers, one, two and three-year-olds, the price being \$15, \$20 and \$25 respectively as to ages. Very few sales of located cattle have been made in the Territory this spring, and these have been, save perhaps in one instance, of very small bunches and where there was good cause or stress urging the seller. But the two transactions given above are such as to make the figures of interest as representative—and these tell of faith in the future on the part of both sellers and buyers.

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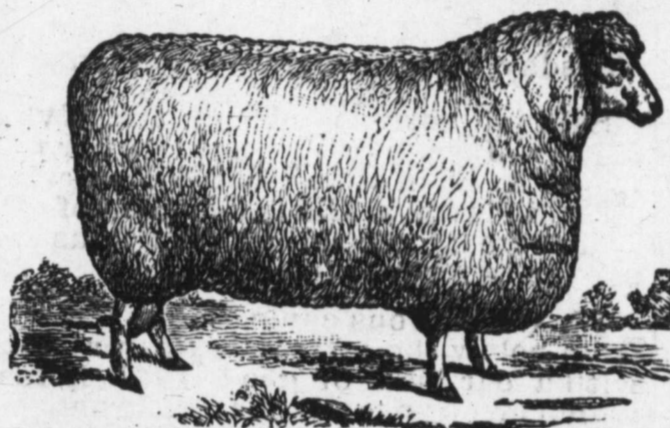
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THE CLIP.

J. C. Crowds paid 20c at Hico and Dublin for several lots of medium tully year's clips.

Ballinger Leader:—J. L. Plants bought the W. F. Winkel clip of 20,000 pounds at 20 cents this week.

J. A. Caldwell of San Angelo bought on that market 104 bags of light medium, paying 18½@19c.

D. W. Wooten of Coleman county passed up the road with three carloads of muttons on Monday last.

Up the Fort Worth & Denver railroad the wools are lighter than usual and several sales have been made at 20c.

San Angelo Standard—Messrs. Meara & Hobbs sold the Patterson & Williams clip of 20,000 lbs on Tuesday at 20 cents per pound.

R. L. Crowds of Fort Worth was at Abilene and purchased considerable wool at 16@18c. He reports sales of several good lots at 20c.

T. W. Stonerod of Nolan county sold for fall delivery, 1000 buck lambs at \$1.50 per head. The Stonerod flock is originally from New Mexico.

Ballinger Leader:—Davis & Matthews sold 150 bags of wool at from 16 to 20 cents. Patterson of Brownwood and Leach were the buyers.

Lampasas Leader:—Eldridge & Field of Batchelor Peak ranch, will commence shearing on the 20th inst. They will shear 2600 head of sheep.

Big Springs Pantagraph:—J. M. Walker has sold his spring clip of wool, about 40,000 pounds, to A. Hendricks of St. Louis, for 14 and 16 cents.

Wool Sales at San Angelo, Reported by the Standard:—By Halfin & Rueff-Smith & Howlet's, 21½ cents; A. D. Grigsby's 19 1-8c; W. N. Elliott, 18½c.

Nolan County Record:—John Scharbauer, the sheep and mutton buyer of Midland, continues to trade in Nolan county stock. He bought Speer's mutton this week at \$2.

San Angelo Standard:—Beazley & Hamilton bought 800 choice shorn muttons from J. I. Huffman last Monday, delivered at stock pens, at \$2.20 per head. Mr. Beazley shipped his purchase to Chicago the same day.

Mundy Bros. of El Paso desire to purchase 1000 buck lambs, the cross of mutton bucks on range Merino ewes. Notice their card in the JOURNAL and address for the present care Wm. H. Earl, Newton, Kansas.

San Angelo Standard:—Bird & Mertz this week bought 100 shorn muttons from LeMin & Wilson of Menard county, at \$2.25 per head, from Wm. Devore and L. J. Dunnigan & Son of Devils River, 300 head each, shorn, at \$2.10 and \$2.15 respectively.

Boston Advertiser:—Texas spring medium, 12 months, 22@25c; Texas spring fine, 19@23c; Texas spring fine, 6 to 8 months, 17@22c; Texas spring medium, six to eight months, 20@24c; Texas fall fine, 17@20c; Texas fall medium, 17@20c.

Mark Lane (Eng.) Express:—Four first-cross ewes belonging to Mr. Hercules Scott, Brotherton, Kincaidine, have just had thirteen fine healthy lambs between them. Another four ewes at Bedber, near Canterbury, have also had thirteen lambs.

Messrs. Kruse & Co. of St. Louis, Mo, wool commission merchants, have removed to new and commodious quarters at No. 20 South Main street. They are now in a six story building fronting on Main and Commercial, where they are better able to handle their large and increasing business.

Northwest New Mexican Chama:—A. C. McCheever will be here in four or five days to receive 13,000 wethers, 7000 of which will be delivered by W. F. Burns & Bro, 3,000 by Don Archulete and 3000 by Cravens Lee. They are purchased for Swift Bros' packing house, Kansas City.

Lampasas Leader:—Up to Tuesday the wool commission house of W. A. Patterson has handled over 200,000 pounds of wool. Longfield's clip of 16,000 lbs. brought 20 cts. per pound, that of L. H. Baggett, 32,000 lbs realized 19 cents. On Tuesday Mr. Patterson sold 20,000 lbs to Mr. Bryan Heard at 21½ cents per pound.

Mr. Aaron Hedges of Smithfield, Tarrant county, one who has stood by the sheep for years, sold his wool at Fort Worth recently at 20c per pound. He has traded in sheep and raised sheep, and generally manages to come out ahead by so doing. He is now running a flock near Fort Worth, using mutton rams, and supplying lambs for the butcher market.

San Angelo Standard:—Messrs. Bird, Mertz & Montgomery, on the 30th ult., bought 1100 head of Beef steers, 4s and up, from Combs & Kincaid Bros., delivered at Dr. Taylor's Devil River pasture; terms private. Messrs. B. M. & M. also bought 20 head of fat grain-fed beeves from George North & Co., Menard county, terms private. The latter were shipped to Chicago yesterday.

Mark Lane (Eng.) Express:—The lambing season at the Home Farm of the Duke of Devonshire, at Holker, is about over. The lambing ewes comprised 370 Shropshires, stunted to purebred Shropshire rams, selected from some of the best flocks in the country. Of these, 340 have brought lambs—there are yet 10 ewes to lamb—13 ewes proved barren, seven ewes cast their lambs, and three died. From the 340 ewes there are now 526 healthy lambs.

San Angelo Standard:—Lewis & Mauzy recently purchased 1500 wethers and dry ewes unshorn, from parties at Juno, on Devils River, at \$2.50 per head also at Sherwood about 1000 head of unshorn muttons as follows: From W. E. Murphey 375 at \$3.25 per head; from James Hinde 475 at \$2.75 per head. All these have been shipped to Chicago with the wool on. Messrs. L. & M. also bought 3,400 dry ewes and wethers shorn, from Comer Bros, at \$1.90, 1600 of which were shipped Tuesday and the remainder will go to market as soon as cars can be obtained.

Boston Commercial Bulletin:—Texas wools are quiet here though a little fall wool has been worked off at 53@55 cent clean. On Monday last there was an accumulation of 8000 bags in San Antonio. At about this time buyers pitched in. Twenty cents has been the price for wool of from six to eight months growth and a hundred thousand pound of year's growth sold in Galveston this week at 22 cents. In Central Texas twenty cents has been offered and declined for year's growth. Considerable wool has been bought for Southwestern mills; for example, the Mississippi mill of Wesson, Mississippi, have been paying 20 cents for six to eight months wool, including, it is said, the Carr clip. At these prices Texas wools for year's growth will cost clean at least 65 cents in the market without a profit. A telegram received Friday quotes Eastern buyers paying 23 cents for year's growth in St. Antonio.

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SAN ANTONIO.

THE improved stock car has come to stay, and the sooner that railroad officials realize the fact the better it will be for them.

TRUSTS and combines are said to be the greivous oppressors of the producers of the country, but what oppresses the producers of Southwest Texas most is "trust to luck."

THE majority of the cattle destined to the Indian Territory have gone, although there are still some few going, but the shipments to the beef markets are on the increase, and a little rise in price would over tax the railroad capacity to move the stock.

THERE is nothing that will stimulate improved cattle breeding in Texas like the system of selling everything by weight. A 500 pound yearling ought certainly be worth more money either to a pasture man or butcher than a 300-pound yearling.

A MAN in position to know says that practically there are no damage claims put in wherever stock shipments are made in stable cars, and yet railroads are entering a vigorous kick against their use and utter a pitious wail over the mountain of frivolous damage claims of live stock shippers.

THE Northwestern live stock shippers complain that railroads run stock trains at too high a rate of speed, and 32 miles an hour is fast enough for them. Some Texas railroad have issued an order that stock trains shall not exceed 12 miles an hour, and we guarantee that if it is made 32 miles it will be some time before Texas ranchers complain of going too fast.

NOW that the demand for fat hogs from Mexico is on a steady and lucrative basis, why can not they be raised in this section of country and the haul from Kansas City and Chicago to this part of the country be saved? The great drawback to the hog business heretofore in Southwest Texas, was in uncertainty of the demand and the unfavorable climate for home slaughter and curing the meat. The Mexican trade works an entire change in these conditions, and the distance to the table lands and cool climate of Central Mexico is so short from Western Texas as to enable hogs to reach it without the serious losses entailed on a summer haul from the North. Hogs will be profitable live stock in West Texas.

San Antonio Wool Market

The wool season in San Antonio is now fully on, and the latter part of last week witnessed considerable activity, but in every instance the commission men acceded to the "p. t." rule, even owners were kept in ignorance of the price that their wool brought for the time being. While San Antonio commission men readily submitted to the secrecy injunction under the impression that it would keep their country rivals in ignorance and operate against them, quite the reverse has been the case, and for this season at least the country sales, taking expenses into account have generally netted the

grower much better than the sales in town. In the great markets if wool sales are no secret, whatever, then why should they be here? This very fact carries with it a conviction that everything is not exactly straight, and inevitably will operate against a person, persons, or market practicing secrecy. The effort so far has been to stiffen the holders, and it is only when commission men who are in position to force sales, that they have been made so far. The early part of the week buyers were sullen and declared that they would not take hold at figures asked, by the middle of the week they again took hold without gaining any material concessions. It is noticeable that these sullen spells usually take place just before an advertised local market sale. The inference is very plain. Very little 12-month's wool has yet been sold. The difference between the price of 6-month's and 12-month's wools has not been so great as heretofore.

Quotations are as follows:

Light medium 6 months, 20@22c; fine, do, do, 18@20c; light, do, 12-months, 22@25c; fine do, do, 20@22c; fine Merino, 6 do, 15@17; do. 12-months, 18@20c; burry from 14@3c off.

San Antonio Horse Market.

The accumulation of stock continues in excess to the shipments, and foreign buyers are not very anxious to take hold yet. They claim that local dealers have a corner on the market and that they are holding stock above shipping prices. On the other hand local dealers were obliged to advance money by buying in dull seasons and claim that the stock is only held at figures to allow interest and a living profit. One thing is certain that this state of things tends to drive actual shippers to the ranches for stock, and the local dealers have it in their power to bring it to a close whenever they are so disposed. Shipments were 1205 as against 1149 for the previous week.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands, \$10@13
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands, \$14@16
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat, \$17@20
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin, \$14@17
Yearling fillies, branded, \$7@9
Yearling fillies, unbranded, \$9@12
Two-year-old fillies, branded, \$10@13
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded, \$12@14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands, \$25@35
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16½, \$75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands, \$25@30
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands, \$17@22
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands, \$15@23
Weaned, unbranded colts, \$4.50@6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13½ hands, \$20@35
Mules improved, 13½ to 14 hands, \$40@55
Yearling mule colts, improved, \$22@30
Two-year mule colts, improved, \$30@40
Yearling mule colts, Mexican, \$14@20
Two-year mule colts, Mexican, \$15@27

For artists' material, pictures and frames write W. H. Barse & Co., 1219 Main street, Kansas City, Mo.

HORNS AND HOOF.

N. R. Powell & Co., Fort Worth, is here with some fine bulls.

The condition of the horse stock on this market was never better than now.

G. A. Moore from Toledo, Ohio, is here getting experience in the horse market.

The well known beef buyer, Joe Collins, was in the city the first of the week.

J. W. Slaton of Beeville, a well known horseman, was a guest at the Southern during the week.

Tom Dewees has already sent two train-loads of beef cattle from his ranch in Wilson county to Chicago.

Mr. Lovelady bought a couple of car-loads of horses and mares in Duval county and shipped them to Cleburne, Texas.

John J. Welder will begin shipping shipping some 150 car-loads of beeves from Sinton, on the S. A. & A. P. railway on the 15th.

The genial Ben F. Darlington, the book-keeper at the Traders National Stock yards in this city, returned from a weeks' absence on the Rio Grande.

S. N. Dobie of Live Oak county was to the cattle market in Chicago a few days

ago. They want to see for themselves once under what thimble the little ball goes but usually return as fully mystified if not more so than before they went.

G. B. Withers of La Salle county was in the city arranging to market some beeves. He says that cattle are now taking on flesh as they never did before.

L. C. Mitchell of Memphis is here figuring about in the horse market. He is not a stranger here, but as yet has not found anything alluring enough to bite.

Dr. N. R. Lane, Eagle Pass, owning extensive ranch interests in Mexico passed through home on Wednesday from a visit to the Atlantic seaboard cities.

Scott James of James Brothers ranchers at Kline, Uvalde county, was in town during the week, and says that soon their big fat steers will furnish juicy steaks to our Northern cousins.

J. H. Blackaller of Frio town, one of the pioneers who had to sleep on his rifle for years watching Indians, was in town during the week, meeting numerous old Indian fighters of days of yore.

John Nesbitt, (plain John) the genial live stock agent of the Chicago & Alton railway spent several days with his numerous friends in these parts and left Tuesday with a promise to return soon.

Sabinal correspondence in Uvalde News:—Jasper Wish has let her pasture to A. Half of San Antonio, on which he is to run a thousand head of cows and calves; to be shipped as fast as they are ready for market.

W. W. Mullens came in on Tuesday from below the Texas-Mexican railroad with a car load of good saddle horses, which he put on the local market. He left two more car-loads on pasture near the railroad station to be got at an easy call.

Morin Bros. report a good business in stock direct from Mexico, having sold during the week from 700 to 800 head, principally to local dealers, with the retail trade a fair average. The average price is reported from \$13 to \$20 per head.

James Speed of Frio one of the most thorough stock farmers of that section was in town last week, and reports that a good rain would be a great benefit to everybody out there just now. Mr. Speed will soon make a shipment of beeves.

Cotulla Ledger:—More cattle have been shipped from here this spring than any year previous since the railroad reached here. The stock are also in better condition and prices are very satisfactory. Verily, the stock raiser ought to be happy.

A dispatch says that some 4000 head of cattle were seized for smuggling by Col. W. L. Thompson in the Quitman mountains near Sierra Blanco. The particulars are not given but this is one of the largest hauls ever made by U. S. custom house inspectors.

Through an inadvertant error, R. E. Barker was reported as the winner of the roping contest at the Williamson County Fair at Taylor on the time of 1:26. It should have been S. C. Lewis, on 1:20. Schuyler Lewis was the winner of the prize the year before and second at the San Antonio roping last year.

Kerrville News:—Judge J. Vining of Japonica received last week some fine thoroughbreds from Fort Worth, consisting of 14 head of Shorthorn bulls, costing \$622 delivered at his ranch. His Herefords purchased about a year ago, are doing as well as he could wish, having gone through the winter without feed and kept in good beef condition on the range.

J. M. Pettus of Goliad county was in town last week making arrangements to market some beeves. He says that he discovered a few tufts of Johnson grass on his ranch and immediately set about to have it dug out by the roots going down over four feet, and now keeps a guard over the holes to pull the first spear that shows itself. It would be unsafe for a man to advocate Johnson grass in that locality.

Captain Lee Hall came in from Northern Texas on Monday with several car-loads of fine horses and cattle, and made sales as follows: To Don Luis Aguayo, Rancho San Lorenzo, near Parras, Mexico, two Hambletonian and one Norman-Copperbottom stallions and

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a car-load of Shorthorn bulls; to T. M. Coleman, San Patricio county, thoroughbred Devon bull, \$100; James F. Miller, Gonzales, Holstein bull, \$150; A. B. Frank, for Indio Ranch, Maverick county, two Shorthorn bulls, \$100 each; and some fine bulls to Lewis Bros. for their Uvalde county ranch.

Messrs. Emil Meyer and Jesse K. Lloyd, well and favorably known here as leading stock dealers, have consolidated their business under the firm name of Meyer & Lloyd, general live stock and commission merchants. With their facilities combined with long experience they take the lead at the start. During their first two days they sold over 400 head of horses and mules, and are now operating five separate and distinct yards in different sections of the city. Besides horses and mules they will hereafter make a specialty of handling cattle, hogs and sheep for the butcher and shipping trade. Mr. Lloyd will himself give personal attention to this branch, which is a sufficient guarantee of the best results for the shipper.

Realitos correspondence of Corpus Christi Caller:—Stock are on the move, our ranchmen, R. E. Savage, shipped a car of calves this week to Kleberg and sold them there at \$5 per head to Nicholas Dunn, who shipped them on to New Orleans. Mr. Shadd, a shipper to the Chicago and New Orleans market, is here and has gone to the Lardo ranch to look at Mr. Corkill's beeves with a view of buying all that are fat enough to ship. Mr. Lane of Eagle Pass, who is shipping to the City of Mexico, passed down Sunday en route to the Santa Gertrudes to look at a lot of beeves there, and says if he can make favorable shipping arrangements over the Mexican National that he will buy down here instead of on the line of the Southern Pacific as it is nearer. We hope he will make arrangements to ship as the more buyers we have the better for this section. Mr. E. Corkill has sold 1500 head of one and two-year old steers to Indian Territory buyers. Price not given.

The Zimmerman Machine Co. of Cincinnati, O., report that they are making preparations for a large sale of their Fruit Evaporators this season. They have just gotten up a valuable treatise on the subject of evaporating fruits and vegetables, which will sent free to any one writing for it.

THE WOOL SACK.

Edward Slaviv is in from Val Verde county looking after the sale of his wool.

H. Bundy of Kerrville was down on Tuesday making arrangements to ship a lot of muttons to the Chicago market.

The Robert Kinchlo clip of Uvalde county sold on the plaza on Monday for 20½ cents per pound. It was six months' growth.

S. A. Purington of Pecos county is down to see that his wool change hands to the best possible pecuniary benefit of himself.

Uvalde News:—Geo. Knippa and Capt. Dye have sold all their sheep to Mr. W. B. Patterson, who will remove them to his range near Rio Frio.

Sabinal correspondence in Uvalde News:—Joseph and Robert Kelley have about two thousand goats which will cross the Rio Grande for the benefit of the Mexicans.

A. J. Knollin, mutton buyer for Swift & Co., Kansas City and Chicago, is still at Eagle Pass and Del Rio, buying muttons and paying from \$1.75 to \$2.50 per head.

If wool growers would ascertain the shrinkage of their wool themselves they could sell it much more satisfactorily. The days of selling wool "poco mas o menos," has passed in Texas.

Kerrville correspondence in San Antonio Express:—Wool is coming in fast and buyers are on the lookout for every new wagon train that comes in. One clip was sold as high as 20½c on the street this week.

G. A. Snecker, a prominent wool-grower in Webb county, was town during the week, looking to the sale of his clip of wool. He is also a large goat raiser, realizing a good profit on common goats, just from their hides and tallow.

San Diego correspondence in Corpus Christi Caller:—Wool season is on and the staple is coming in, causing a more lively appearance in the town. So far the Ridder clip has brought the highest price, 18 3/4c. The Hofman wool sold at 18 1/2c. The Rios clip, a big one, has been sold; terms private.

Cotulla Ledger:—Jas. Carr, the well known wool grower of Encinal came up this week to attend district court. He has opened a 200 acre farm near Encinal and says he has the finest corn he has seen this year. It is now in the silk and in a few days will be in full roasting-ear. He thinks without any more rain that he will gather at the lowest calculation 6000 bushels off the 200 acres.

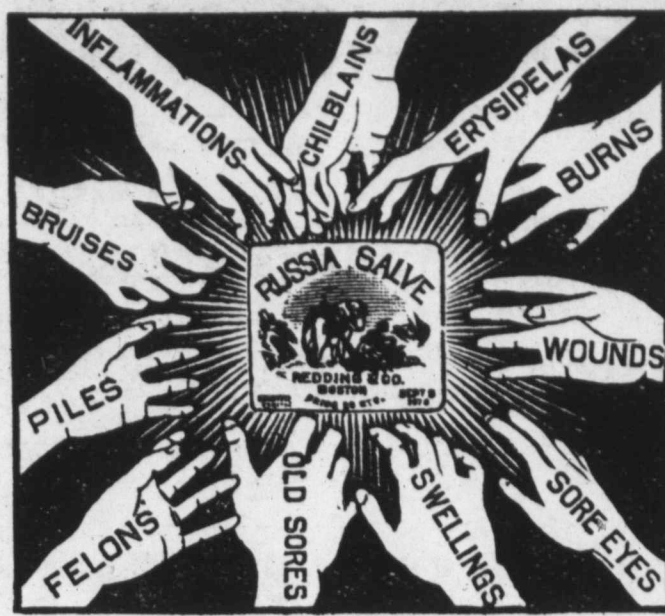
No small item of saving in selling wool in the local market or on the ranch is that every thing is weighed up without tare, saving freight, drayage, insurance, storage, commissions, extra labor in sewing bags, etc., and sometimes no inconsiderable shrinkage. The sale does not loom up so well as a newspaper item, but it leaves the growers more money for the babies and spring bonnet for his wife, sister or best girl, "don-eherno."

Junction City Clipper:—No one can form an idea of the amount of wool grown in this country unless they could be for awhile in our town during the shearing season. One continual string of wagons, large and small, loaded with wool have been passing through on their way to the railroad for weeks past, and still it seems to be almost inexhaustible, as every succeeding day finds our streets lined with them. We have no hesitancy in saying that more wool passes through Junction City in proportion to size than any other town in the woolgrowing district.

Cuero Bulletin:—The price of wool has been slightly stiffer during the week. The following clips were purchased in our market: Clip of L. A. Preston 17c; Jonishky, 18.65c; F. Kuchler, 18.25c; F. Kruger, 17.25c; A. Burns, 17c; S. O. Murphy, 17.87c; H. Smith, 13c; F. Gohring, 17 1/2c; G. W. Benbow, 15 1/2c; Mrs. Billings, 18.37c; J. DeMoss, 17c; J. H. Bissett, 18.63c; L. Keller, 17.37c; K. Terry, 12.76; R. Gohmert, 17 1/2c; A. Adams, 17 1/2c; C. E. Powers, 17 1/2c; John Haynes, 17.37c; A. Sievers, 18c; John Johisky, 18.12; F. Hartman, 17 1/2c; J. Johnson, 18 1/2c; H. T. Long, 15 1/2c; Aug. Hartman, 18c; R. Hoffman, 17 1/2c; A. Spies, 17 1/2c; C. McGary, 18c; E. Krueger, 17 1/2c; W. R. Cunningham, 17 1/2c; S. H. Putman, 16 1/2c; R. Pylan, 17.65c; Sarah Flowers, 16c; John Dunn, 18c; L. B. Green, 17c; A. J. Neal, 18 1/2c; Ewing Carothers, 18.55c; Tom Smith, 18 1/2c; Wm. Schneider, 18 1/2c; J. D. Nueberry, 17.63c.

Kerrville News:—Of all the wool markets Kerrville stands unrivaled. Just think of over 1200 pounds of buck wool selling at 20 1/2 cents per pound! This sale occurred on the streets last Thursday. The receipts of wool for the present week amount to 600 bags—stock on hand in Schreiner's warehouse 1500 bags. Receipts and shipments from the depot for the week ending Friday, 655 bags; total receipts and shipments, including stock on hand, 2,755 bags. G. Ames, a prominent sheepman of Kimble county, brought his clip of 63 bags in this week and stored it in the Kerrville warehouse. He reports having sold recently 1000 head of stock sheep without the wool, to R. B. Allen at \$2 per head cash; also 700 head O. B. Flemings at \$2 in exchange for cattle. The general sentiment of wool owners in Kimble county is that sheep are shearing this spring three-fourths of a pound less than usual. Mr. Ames is satisfied this average will hold good all over Kimble county. The News has heard similar reports from other counties.

The incident of the season's wool market in San Antonio is the sale of Capt. A. E. Shepard's clip of 250 sacks. Before shipping from the ranch in Buchel county he was offered 20 cents per pound but concluded to sell in the "greatest market in the Southwest that needed no newspaper puffing to secure consignments," accordingly it was sent to San Antonio, but for his own satisfaction he selected four sacks, taking a fair average throughout the clip, and sent it to the Galveston scouring mills to ascertain what the clip really brought on the scoured basis. Learning that the mills would not begin operations for some



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time he changed his mind and ordered it sold. His clip was sold in San Antonio for 20 cents per pound, and the four sacks in Galveston brought 22 cents. Summing matters up Captain Shepard finds that he lost \$1500 by not selling on the ranch, and in the neighborhood of \$800 by not shipping to Galveston. Comments are unnecessary but the wool growing public will find that it will pay best in the long run to patronize those who want their patronage had enough to ask for it through the legitimate commercial journals.

The Captain Samuel Easley clip of Williamson county is reported sold at 24 1/2 cents per pound at home.

At Colorado City wool is reported as selling at prices ranging up to 20 cents.

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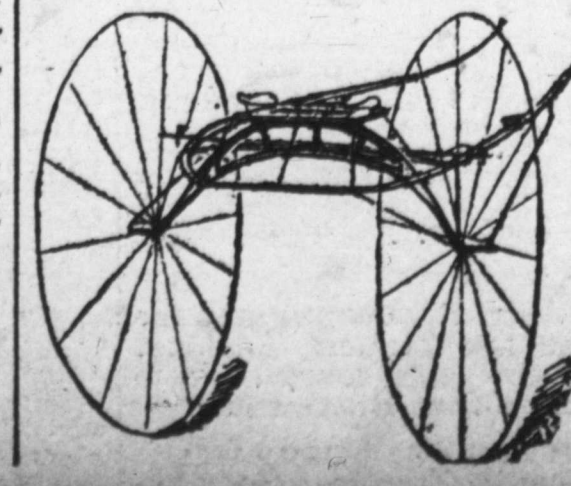
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"THE HORSE" is a new weekly publication issued from Denver, Colorado, by S. A. Marney, who is well known to the ranchmen of the West as former proprietor of the Stock Growers Journal of Miles City, Montana. "The Horse" makes a good appearance, and we trust that Mr. Marney will succeed in his new venture.

INCREASE of cattle one per cent.
Increase in population four per cent.
This is the way the government statis-

tician for New South Wales furnishes the Colonial parliament a statement on the meat supply of Australia. The herds of the colonies, he states, furnish 884,000 cattle for slaughter annually, of which 743,080 are required for home consumption, leaving 141,000 available for export. As the population increases by four per cent. annually, while the herds increase only one per cent., the demand is expected to overtake the supply in six years. The flocks furnish 11,951,885 sheep for slaughter annually, 5,716,000 being required in the colonies, and 6,235,885 being available for export. The increase in sheep is 3.62 per cent. per annum, and at this rate the surplus will not be trenched upon. It is estimated in 1888, only about one-sixth of this surplus was exported as frozen meat. The item is taken from the Mark Lane Express of London, England.

How Texas Cattle Sell

Stockmen of Texas desiring to satisfy themselves as to whether Texas cattle sell well or not, can form their own conclusions from the sales at Chicago one day during last week. The item attracting attention appeared in the Drovers Journal as follows:

"Frederick & Son of the Middlesex Cattle company sold 70 head of 1528-lb steers at \$3.90." On that day the top price paid for dressed beef was 4 cents, the top on shipping steers was \$1.30 per hundred. The weights averaged 1450 pounds.

On the same day Texas cattle from 890 to 1188 pounds sold at \$3.65@3.70 stags sold at \$2.80 and light grassers, steers, sold at \$2.60@2.90.

The Same Old Repetition.

When the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL was started, nearly ten years ago, the Texas cattle trade was not in any better condition than it is now so far as prices of beef or range cattle are concerned, and the first subject touched upon in the first issue of the paper included the remark that for two years the market had been on the decline. The position taken by the paper was favoring higher prices and the JOURNAL rightly figured at that time that there was a bright future for cattle raising just as it does now.

The cattle business then looked gloomy indeed. The receipts at Chicago were excessive as witness the Chicago market letter of April 8th, 1880, saying:

"On March 30th receipts in Chicago were 6130, on the 31st they were 8646 and on April 1st they were 6959, making a total of 21,735 for three days. This was preceded on March 29th by receipts of 3445, and followed on April 2d by 3691 cattle, making a total in five days of 28,871 cattle received here for sale. Within the history of civilization there has never been at one time so many cattle gathered in any market. Is it any wonder that the market should break under the burden?" At that time twenty thousand Northwest Texas steers were about contracted at \$20 and only one sale reached the magnificent price of \$21 around, and wintered Texans were

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selling in Chicago at \$3@3.75 per 100 lbs, just as they do now. This was in 1880 just before the gradual movement that culminated in May and June, two years later with values so extravagantly high as to furnish cattlemen profits previously unheard or unthought of in the trade. So satisfactory was the cattle business then that the cattlemen made almost as much money by raising a steer as the butcher did who cut it up and sold it at retail.

This simple reference to the past is to show that history is repeating itself as it does in the changes occurring in all trades. The fluctuations are a part of the business. At the high points values are above the amount necessary for a good legitimate profit. At the low point the products are grown or raised at a loss.

The cattle business is not now in the shape to show all the advantages pertaining to it as values are low, but to the purchaser this is the opportunity he seeks. Even now there is a very slight but tangible enquiry after stock cattle, something that had almost died away. In Texas there is a general smoothing of values. Owners being content to continue their business at present prices for a time in hopes of a general advance. Continued low prices cause no rush of Texas cattle on the markets or sacrifices on the ranges. The "let go" time has passed and men are feeling better, even though prices are low, since they have taken a fresh hold.

The JOURNAL entered the ring in the days of depression and was an element in the changes following. Then the markets were heavily loaded down with cattle, and according to the existing conditions the prospect seemed unsatisfactory. The JOURNAL had faith that there were radical changes to take place to improve the trade, and has the same faith now that although the same old song of depression is being sung, with a few trifling variations, the result will be the same, and that in the general improvement sure to come the cattlemen will prosper and the JOURNAL will too.

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The Warren Institute.

The JOURNAL is in receipt of an invitation to the fifth annual reception of the Warren Institute at Huffman Hall, Fort Worth, at 9 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 16th, 1889. This institute is now one of the leading educational establishments of the Southwest and receiving scholars from all parts of Texas, and some from beyond the borders of the state. The stockmen of Texas having daughters to educate should make inquiries concerning this institute. With high-class institutes here combining all the modern comforts of a home with the best system of education, there is now no necessity to send these daughters to the older states. The Warren Female Institute is making great progress increasing the number of scholars every year.

Transfers of Recorded Berkshires.

Phil M. Springer, secretary American Berkshire association, Springfield, Ill., sends the following transfers of recorded Berkshires:

Susie, 20,053, J. P. Clark to Virgil Clark, Bowie, Tex.

Tom, 20,119; Dallas, 20,120; Little Polly, 20,969, and Cyclone, 20,977, Thos. Jones, Belcherville, Texas, to W. A. Clark, Temple, Texas.

Lucy C., 21,253, and Susie C., 21,253, Thos. Jones to A. M. Kellor, Temple Texas.

Oh Ben, 21,157, Virgil Clark, Bowie, Texas, to A. M. Kellor.

Maggie, 20,972, Thos. Jones, Belcherville, Texas, to O. T. Stephens, Honey Grove, Texas.

Transfers of Jersey Cattle.

The following is a complete list of the transfers of Jersey cattle to purchasers in Texas, as reported by the American Jersey Cattle Club, No. 1 Broadway, New York, for the week ending May 7, 1889:

BULLS.

Bright Stoke Pogis, 22381, J. D. Rudd to L. Cartwright, San Augustine.

Cedar Elm of Brushy, 22374, S. L. Burnap to Z. C. Collier, Bluff Town.

Eva's Victor, 22,061, S. L. Baker to J. W. Endsley, Atlanta.

Rajah Pogis, 22333, J. O. Jackson to T. H. Floyd, La Fayette.

Thisbe's Forte, 21181, L. H. Durham to J. S. Jones, Re.

Vicior Pogis Hugo, 18615, J. B. Smith to A. LeRoy, Crockett.

COWS.

Bettie Long, 24306, J. B. Smith to J. G. Smither, Huntsville.

Hattie J., 46230, J. B. Smith to A. Le Gory, Crockett.

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Olive's Pansy, 49032, J. B. Smith to A. Le Gory, Crockett.
 Queen Jonquil, 40507, J. D. Rudd to L. Cartwright, San Augustine.
 Queen of Tunlaw, 54038, C. T. Cheek to D. W. McGlasson, Troy.
 Ruby's Lass, 48875, J. B. Smith to A. Le Gory, Crockett.

The Ramie Plant in Texas.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

In perusing your valuable paper of the 4th inst. I become aware of a remarkable essay on "Ramie," which, I am happy to say, proves once more the great interest that Texas is taking in the introduction of this marvelous plant into her husbandry and of its most valuable fibers into her mechanical industry.

As this matter is a comparatively new one for the people of Texas, I suppose that some misconception of your contributor about the origin of the Ramie and the treatment of its filaments may be well excusable and without the slightest intention of hurting his feelings I will try to correct some of his mistakings.

Ramie is the Javanese name of a stinging nettle, which is growing in a wild state in most all Asiatic countries, especially in Assam, Siam, China, Japan, Hindostan, Java, Sumatra, Borneo, Celebes and the other islands of the Indian Sound, where its fine, strong and silky fibers for thousands of years by the natives were converted is as many articles of the common use as such of the exquisitest luxury.

English manufacturers erroneously misnamed the Ramie ribbons imported

from China, they called them "China Grass," by which means many people not well versed in the history of this staple are led to the belief that it would grow in the shape of grasses instead of perennial hardy shrubs, the stalks of which will decay in winter.

For the years 1869 to 1873 the U. S. government was well acquainted with the fact that the introduction of the Ramie plant into Southern agriculture would be of incalculable benefits, for its happy developments distributed large quantities of seeds and not at least in Texas; Austin, El Paso, Goliad, Rockhouse, all got their shares and according to the reports of the U. S. department of agriculture the culture of this plant had proved to be both practicable and profitable.

Although its culture at that time could not take a footing for lack of suitable peeling machines, yet as many of the farmers kept up their Ramie plantations, a part of which were later on deserted and so it is rumored that that Ramie is growing wild in Texas.

Although it cannot be contested that Ramie is much in use for mixing with wool, cotton, silk or any other textile fiber in order to increase the value of the fabrics, to strengthen their condition and to enhance their durability or to lessen their prices, yet it is chiefly in consumption for articles of pure quality as for instance shoemakers thread, linen, damasc, handkerchiefs, stockings, gloves, etc. In mixture with wool millions of pounds of Ramie fibers or yarns are manufactured with fancy cassimesses of unsur-

passed beauty and unparalleled strength and cheapness.

Whoever had the opportunity to see a sample of pure Ramie sail cloth with its silky gloss, half as heavy as hemp-cloth but twice as strong, indestructible and a great deal cheaper, will freely confess that the manufacture of this article alone would guarantee the stability of an immense industry center distributing uncounted wealth among its membership as did and does yet the Scottish city, Dundee, by the introduction of the jute industry.

The fibers of Ramie are contained in the outside bark of its stalks, they are peeled off either in the green or dry state, according to the system of the decorticating machine or to the wants of the industry which is paying for them. Crude ribbons with their adherent epidermis sell at 5c cash per lb., delivered at any railroad depot of this state; the demand for crude Ramie ribbons, the industry taking care of itself for their degumming is practically unlimited and as long as the South would not have some 14 or 15 million acres of Ramie under culture as long no fear need to be entertained about overproduction and the price, the most remunerative of any agricultural product in Texas will keep firm and steady.

As soon as the desire of some farmers of your district, possessing suitable sandy loamy soil and water for irrigation becomes manifest to embark in this new promising industry, of which a celebrated German savant and investigator, Dr. Herman Grothe in a discourse some time delivered before the

body of the Berlin nettle commission asserted, that its satisfactory solution involved questions of "world embracing and world moving importance." As soon I will at your request provide your interesting journal with all needed information about planting, propagation and harvest of the most remunerative growth earth.

In concluding my epistle of today I wish to announce that ceding the wishes of your meritable co-citizen Mr. W. S. Marshall, I have resolved exhibit at the Spring Palace exhibition a collection of Ramie samples from the crude stalk grown this year to coarse blanket and up to the finest laces ever made. Respectfully,

FELIX FREMERE
 Yorktown, Texas, May 11th, 1881

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FORT WORTH.**General Range and Stock Notes.**

A good rain was reported at Amorilla May 10th.

Good rains fell throughout Northern Texas, and extended well up the Fort Worth & Denver road.

Between the 20th and 30th of this month 40 cars of cattle will be shipped to Chicago from Gonzales.

Mr. Wm. Powell sold to S. B. Burnett ten head of purebred Hereford bulls acclimated at \$150 per head.

Jack county received a good rain on May 11th which broke a small drouth that had started up there.

Lon Fowler of Coleman county brought up a car-load of mules for sale on the Fort Worth market.

Do not fail to notice the card of the Missouri Horse Exchange. The catalogues are ready for distribution.

Young, Andrews & Kuhm of Fort Worth sold a car-load of saddle horses to J. W. Driskill for the Capitol syndicate at \$35 around.

On Thursday the M. K. & T. railroad had 100 cars cattle on the way to Chicago, mostly southern cattle and 75 per cent of them were in stable cars.

Up to the 15th instant the San Antonio & Arkansas Pass railroad had 500 cars ordered for beef cattle shipments to the North via the M. K. & T. railroad.

Major J. S. Grinnan of Terrell, Kaufman county, has sold a good string of Hereford bulls to Mr. Ike T. Pryor, manager of the King County Cattle company.

Mr. B. L. Orrick of Caddo, Stephens county, says that they have an extra good lot of steers in that county, but steer buyers have failed to put in an appearance.

Butchers of Fort Worth quote local market cows at 2 cents, steers at 2 1/2 cents, sheep about \$2 per head, calves at \$2.50@4 per head, hogs nominal. There are plenty of sheep here.

Mr. Wm. Powell of Beecher, Ill., was at the Dickey pasture in Wichita county and said that he saw the best 100-acre wheat field he had ever seen; and he lives in a farming country.

Tom Waggoner of Decatur purchased of Henry & Powell two pure-bred Hereford bulls and one of Mr. F. M. Houts of Hereford Ranch, one acclimated cost \$250 and the other two \$125 each.

Mr. J. Waldo, general traffic manager of the M. K. & T. railroad, has made a half-rate to Texas for visitors to the Texas Spring Palace. He did so after coming on the ground and observing the progress of the work.

The Streets Western stable car line managed their business last year on 2000 cars, but now have 3000, the last of the odd thousand having just been delivered by the construction shops. They will be able to fill all Texas demands.

Recent transfer lists show that Mr. Ed D. Hicks of Nashville, Tenn., sold to J. B. Wilson of Dallas one purebred Devon bull and Rumsey Bros. & Co. of Emporia, Kansas, sold to Governor John Ireland, Seguin, two head registered Devons.

D. D. Swearingen says that the rain was good up to Vernon on the Denver, but not beyond and says grass cattle will move by June 15 from Archer, Clay and Wichita, but from Hardeman and above there will be no great shipments until July 15th.

Captain S. L. Easley of Tarrant county a breeder of Shorthorns sold 25 grade bulls and 2 stallions to a gentleman from Mexico. He had previously furnished 286 head to the King & Kennedy ranches in Southern Texas through captain Lee Hall.

Last week Messrs. Beggs & Hackett of Fort Worth sold on the Chicago market through R. Strahorn & Co., 4 cars of 25-pound steers at 4c. These cattle were from Itasca. A lot of cattle from Hillsboro, 1026 lbs average, sold by me parties at \$3.70.

Mr. A. S. Nicholson of Fort Worth sold a Lexington Ranch company's steers, 10 head of three-year-olds, to Major W. Towers of Kansas City, at \$18 per head, the steers to be delivered at Amorilla. Major Towers inspected the cattle and closed the trade on the ranch.

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TEXAS.

The claim of the JOURNAL that the largest stock owners are the larger farmers in Texas is substantiated by such items as the following taken from the Amorilla Champion: Mr. Chas. Goodnight has a field of 100 acres of wheat in Armstrong county. It looks as well as any we ever saw, and the yield promises to be most abundant.

Mr. A. G. Startz of Smithson's Valley, Comal county, Texas, has kindly interested himself to extend the circulation of the JOURNAL, and in transmitting a check to pay for some subscriptions is pleased to say: "I will try to get some more subscribers for your paper, for I know it is one of the best stock papers in America."

The best way to arrive at quotations is to learn what dealers have to sell. A. S. Nicholson of Fort Worth has 3000 three-year-old steers in Concho county and will deliver them on the Fort Worth & Denver for \$15.50. He has 4000 choice high-grade yearling steers he will deliver on the Denver road at \$9.50; also 1500 three-year-old steers in Comanche county for delivery on the cars at \$15, and 2000 two-year-olds at Baird for delivery on the cars at \$12 around.

The Fort Worth Union Stock yards is to have a bank ready for business at the opening of the yards. This new financial institution will be known as the Union-Stock Yards National Bank of Fort Worth. It has a cash capital of \$100,000, with the authority to increase this capital to \$500,000. The first board of directors will be J. C. McCarthy, Jno. R. Hoxie, E. B. Harrold, M. G. Ellis, R. H. Sellers, Jere J. Roche and S. D. Rainey, Jr. The president is John McCarthy; vice-president, M. G. Ellis; cashier not yet selected. The stock has all been taken. This makes the eighth national bank at Fort Worth.

Capain S. A. Hatcher of Hatcher, Woods & Coppinger, Fort Worth, is bound for the West to receive more mares. This firm has now in good fix and ready for sale the largest number of Northwest Texas mares ever offered for sale, and offer purchasers a very handsome selection.

The Llano Live Stock company of Garza county have sold to A. P. & Jno Samples of Montana about 1500 head of three and four-year-old steers. Colonel W. C. Young of Fort Worth, of the firm of Young, Andrews & Kuhm of Fort Worth is president of the company. The prices have not yet transpired.

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The readers of the JOURNAL will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength, by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address

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A New Firm of Old Stockmen.

On the second page of this paper our readers will find the card of the American Live Stock Commission Co., a company formed of stockmen who need no introduction to the cattlemen of the South and West, men who understand the needs and wants of cattle dealers all along the line. The American company will do a general live stock commission business, they will sell their own stock, as well as others, and we bespeak for them a fair share of the trade. Following is a circular sent out to the trade by them upon the opening of their houses at Chicago, Kansas City and St. Louis:

AMERICAN

LIVE STOCK COMMISSION COMPANY,
CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, ST. LOUIS.

H. W. Cresswell, president; Sam Lazarus, vice-president; Paul Phillips, treasurer; J. W. T. Gray, secretary; A. P. Brainard, salesman.

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KANSAS CITY, MO., May 5, 1889.

To the Live Stock Trade:

We take pleasure in announcing to the live stock trade that the American Live Stock Commission company is now fully organized and ready for business. We will be represented at the three principal markets, Chicago, Kansas City and St. Louis, each office supplied with a competent force, experienced in all branches of the business, thus giving our customers at all times the advantages of the best market.

The management of the company under the control of the above named officers and directors is a sufficient guarantee that at all business entrusted to us will be handled faithfully, carefully and to the best possible advantage.

The Chicago house will be under the personal supervision of Mr. H. D. Rogers, who has had large experience in all departments of the business. Mr. J. H. Stephens (Uncle Henry) who needs no introduction to the live stock trade, will have the management of the Kansas City house.

It is our purpose to give the trade the best possible service, and by honest and fair dealing to merit your confidence and esteem.

Correspondence solicited. Market reports furnished free on application. Especial attention will be paid to the local trade, and we extend a hearty invitation to call when in the city.

Trusting we will be favored with a fair share of the trade, we remain,
Very respectfully,

AMERICAN LIVE STOCK COMMISSION CO.

Quick Time.

The importance of rapid transit in the movement of cattle has not always been as thoroughly appreciated by railroad managers as by stockmen, but here and there evidence can be found that the tendency is towards rapid transit and some times previous records are broken in good shape. An example occurred recently; Doran Bros. of Dallas loaded a train of cattle in Streets Stable cars on Friday at 1 p. m. and shipped them by M., K. & T. railway via Hannibal to Chicago, the cattle stopped at Hannibal ten hours and reached Chicago at 6:30 on the following Monday. Total time, 65 1/2 hours; running time 55 1/2 hours between Dallas and Chicago. The M., K. & T. has made other runs of late worthy of mention viz Sherman to Parsons 443 miles in 21 hours; Bastrop to Muskogee, 450 miles in 24 hours. The M., K. & T. railroad is now giving the quickest service ever known, having done an immense traffic during the spring without a car getting off the track.

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Galveston Wool Market.

GALVESTON, TEX., May 15, 1889.

Texas Live Stock Journal, Fort Worth.

Our wool market is still active and strong, with a demand in excess of offerings, and sales made for the past week have been at prices fully up to quotations of the previous week. The receipts of the week amount to 247,495 pounds. Twelve months fine is still quoted at 17 1/2 @ 22c, and medium of same age, 18 @ 24c; six and eight months fine, 16 @ 21 1/2 c, and do medium, 18 @ 22 1/2 c. Mexican improved, 16 @ 19c, and carpet 12 1/2 @ 13 1/2 c. Several small lots of fancy grade wool have been sold this week for 25c per pound, and both buyers and factors express the opinion, that prices are more likely to advance than to decline from the quotations of to-day.

P. J. Willis & Bro. sold to-day a lot of 50 bags six months fine for 17 @ 18c, which was purchased by local buyers, and several other smaller lots were sold at figures fully up to the above quotations.

Capt. Samuel J. Adams representing Fenno Bros & Childs of Boston, has been in the city for several days, and left for the interior Tuesday for wool.

Col. John Owens, manager of the wool department of the banking and commission house of Adoue & Lobit, left for San Antonio and other western points last week, to look after his department of the house he represents. Col. Owens will probably return Saturday next.

Mr. E. Wm. Gruendler returned from Alamo City yesterday, and reports sales at that point for the past seven days amount to about 1500 bags, for which was paid 18 @ 22c, and that the Adam T. Brown and Mahoney clips of Coleman county, which are classed among the best twelve months clips of the state, were reported sold at 21c. Mr. Gruendler is of the opinion that these wools could have been sold in Galveston for 23 @ 24c.

Late information from the wool growers of Western and Southwestern Texas, is to the effect that the fall clip will be largely in excess of that of any previous year.

The wool scouring mill is now complete in every department, and Mr Theo Howard manager and proprietor informed your correspondent to-day that the patronage of his mill at present is more than double its capacity, and that the prospects are that he can handle wool until close of the season.

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DALLAS DOTS.

Mr. Penn of Cedar Hill was in the market with 9 head of steers averaging 900 lbs.

Harvey Spaers of Arlington was on local market with 11 head of steers.

Mr. Worthington, Siene, is in the city with a bunch of cows for local market.

A. Fisher of Waxahachie is on the market with 25 head of beef cattle.

Mr. Jackson of Trinity Mills sold 25 head of steers to Nolan Bros. at 2 1/4 c

Mr. Griffith of Trinity Mills is in the city with 15 head of cattle.

Mr. Stone of Wylie is on the market with 50 head of lambs sold to local butchers.

Mr. Myers of Wise is on local market with 105 head of sheep.

Sam Rowe of Dallas county is on the market with 5 head of cows.

Brant Bros. of Dallas county are on market with 10 head of beef steers.

C. C. Carter of Carter & Son, is absent in New York and will be away about four weeks.

The market is well filled with stock at present and prices slightly off. No hogs on the market and no demand for any as they rolls too much on the butchers' block this summer weather. Too slick.

Mr. J. A. Carter in conversation with the JOURNAL gives it as his opinion, with a long experience, that stock will continue through the summer at about same prices as the past season. In other words that people with stock for sale need not be anticipating a boom anyhow the present summer.

Wallace & Black of Central stock yards tells the JOURNAL that the market is pretty full of stock, and prices ruling about the same as last week. They also say there is some inquiry for pork, which is bringing 4 to 4 1/4 c. Altogether they pronounce the market in a healthy condition, and the outlook for the future comparatively promising for the live-stock interest.

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Sales of Cattle at Carter & Son's Stock Yards, Dallas, Texas.

E. Fitzgerald of Denton county, sold 1 car cows to local butchers at 4 cents.

J. B. Marks sold 19 cows at 2 1/4 cents, av. 810 lbs.

L. E. Davis of Dallas county, sold 8 steers at \$17.50 per head

Sam Myers of Cedar Hill, sold 5 veal calves at 4 cents, av. 170 lbs.

O. J. McGee sold 7 cows at 2 cents, av. 740 lbs.

D. B. Sachs of Sachs Station, sold a choice lot of cows and yearlings to local butchers.

W. R. Woodhouse of Weatherford, sold a car of choice fat cows at 2 1/4 cts., av. 940 lbs.

C. L. Labatt sold 11 cows at \$13 per head.

Jim Richards of Kaufman county, sold a bunch of mixed cattle to local butchers.

W. H. Jones sold 9 hogs at 4 cts.

B. E. Hayden sold 3 yearlings at \$6 per head.

R. E. Murphey sold 7 hogs at at 3 1/2 cents.

A. S. Cain sold 27 steers at 2 1/4 cts., av. 843 lbs.

H. C. Williams sold 37 choice corn-fed sheep at 4 cts., av. 107 lbs.

Mr. Myres of Denton county, sold a bunch of corn-fed sheep at 3 @ 3 1/4 cts.

C. B. Westley sold 13 goats at \$1.75 per head.

John Adams, sold 3 milch cows at \$25 per head.

L. J. Porter sold 5 hogs at 4 cts.

M. T. Martin sold 9 steers at 2 1/4 cts., av. 1070 lbs.

R. Bird sold 26 sheep at \$2.40 per head.

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J. A. Mays sold 12 cows at \$13.25 per head.

John R. Rodemaker sold 6 veal calves at 4 cts., av. 193 lbs.

George Willis sold 2 milch cows at \$27 per head.

Samuel Graves sold 11 stock hogs at 3 1/4 cts. to feeders.

F. T. Wiley sold 19 goats at \$1.60 per head.

B. F. Morris sold 3 steers at \$22 per head.

G. L. Loving sold 14 cows at \$12.50 per head.

R. K. Heely sold 5 hogs at 4 cts.

J. C. Cole sold 3 bulls at 1 1/4 cts.

M. P. Mansfield sold 18 cows at 2 cts., av. 817 lbs.

Sales at Central Stock Yards, Dallas, Texas.

Sales during the past week:

J. W. Thomas of Dallas, 23 head of yearlings at 2 1/4 cents to local butchers;

J. W. Stark of Richardson, 7 head of cows at 2 cents.

Butcher of Cedar Hill, 10 cows at 2 1/4 cents per pound.

John Hunter, 3 head cows to local butchers at 2 1/4 cents per pound.

J. B. Wilson, 10 steers, average 1000 lbs, at 3 cents per pound.

Mr. Eagan of Denton, 18 yearlings at 2 cents per lb, gross.

Henry Scott, 18 head cattle at 2 cents per lb.

Mr. Morris of Waxahachie, 15 head cattle, price unknown.

Wilson Fields of Decatur, 100 sheep at 3 cents per lb.

Mr. Marshall, 18 calves at 4 cents per pound.

Clebe Myres, 120 sheep at 2 1/4 cents per pound to local butchers.

J. M. Moor, 9 head cattle, price unknown.

J. B. Williams to Charley Wilson, 18 head steers at 2 1/4 cents per lb, gross.

Holliffeld, 18 cattle at 2 cents per lb.

Mr. Merchant of Tom Green county, is in with 230 good sheep, not yet offered for sale.

Samuel Ewing, 18 cattle to J. B. Wilson, price unknown.

Market not so good as last week, owing to the run of grass cattle, but is holding up under the circumstances well.

The Lightning Hay Press.

The JOURNAL is pleased to acknowledge a recent call of E. C. Sooy, esq., president of the Kansas City Hay Press Co., Kansas City, Mo., manufacturers of the Lightning hay press which during the past few years has been favored with a very extensive patronage in the Lone Star state, and throughout the Southwest.

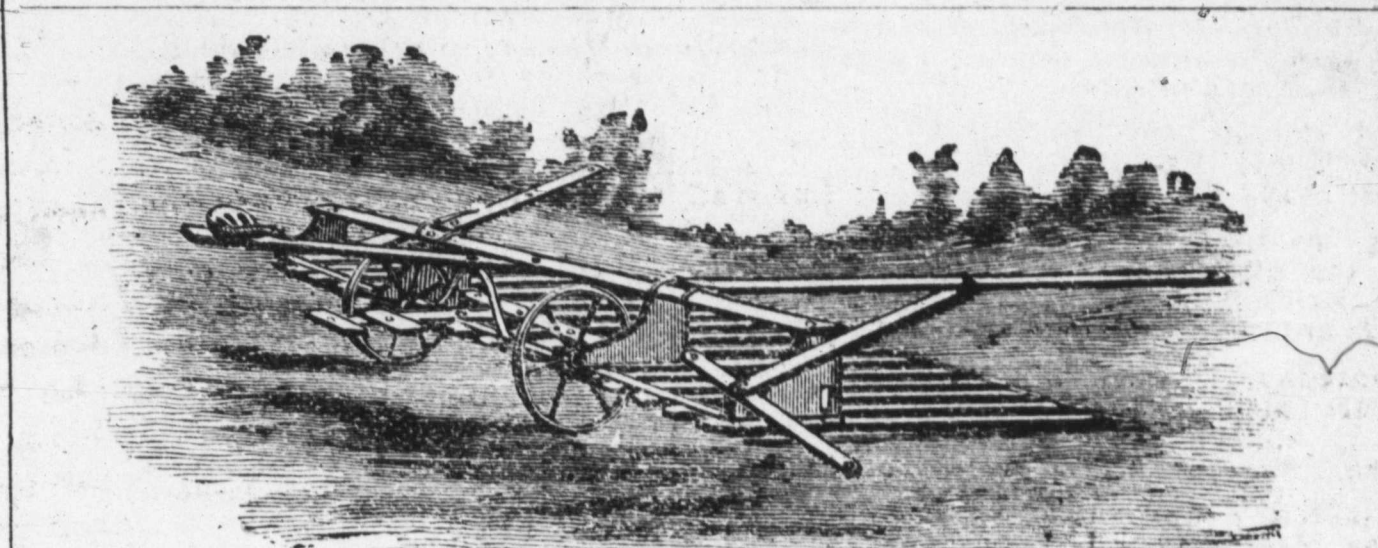
Mr. Sooy speaks very highly of their prospects for sales in Texas the ensuing year. The Lightning hay press is a full circle sweep, and is made almost entirely of steel which insures great durability and strength, it is very light on team and men while in operation and it is very simple in mechanism there being scarcely anything about it

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to get out of repair. Taken as a whole it is a model of perfection. The machine is light in transportation, easy and rapid in operation, bales very tight and just the press for a farmer or hay dealer. In an other place in the JOURNAL is the Kansas City Hay Press Co.'s advertisement showing the press in operation.

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Live men (merchants preferred) wanted in Texas, to act as local agents for engines and boilers, mills, cotton gins, scales and belting, by the special representative of several large manufacturers. Address H. W. Hubbard, Dallas, Texas.

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Quarantine Regulations Governing the Admission of Cattle to New Mexico.

The quarantine regulations of the territory of New Mexico go into effect on March 15th of each year and continue in force until November 15th of the same year, whereby all cattle coming from south and east of the below described line in Texas and from the district in Mexico as outlined are prohibited admission, to-wit: South and east of a line extending the southern boundary line of New Mexico east to Mitchell county, Texas, thence north along the west side of Mitchell, thence east along the southern line of Scurry, Fisher and Jones counties, thence north along the western lines of Shackelford and Throckmorton counties, thence east along the north boundary line of Throckmorton county, and thence north, crossing the Denver, Texas & Fort Worth railway near Wichita and on to the 36th parallel in the Indian Territory; as well as all cattle from that portion of Mexico lying east of the Mexican Central railway from El Paso, Texas, to the 26th parallel of latitude, are absolutely prohibited admission into New Mexico, except cattle that are destined to points outside of the territory and being transported all the way through New Mexico by rail without unloading except into designated quarantine stock yards provided by the railway companies.

If any person, persons, company or corporation shall violate the provisions of the foregoing sections, the penalty imposed is not less than \$100 nor more than \$5000 for each offense, as well as further liability in such civil action as may be instituted by reason of damages that may result from such action.

It is necessary for any one bringing cattle into New Mexico to first obtain a written permit either from the board, veterinary surgeon, or its employees, who are designated as inspectors. Failure to comply with this provision is punishable by a fine not less than \$500 nor more than \$5000 and, besides, the person so violating the law is liable personally for all loss and damages sustained by reason of the introduction of any contagious or infectious disease from cattle unlawfully imported into the territory. Any person may require the person in charge of cattle to produce for his inspection the permit granted by the board. A refusal to produce said permit upon demand at any time within a year from the time the cattle were driven in shall be subject to all the penalty named in the foregoing sections. For all cattle, the owner or person in charge of which desires to have inspected at any place other than the designated points of inspection, the application for such inspection must be made at least ten days in advance of the time specified for such inspection. The applicant for such inspection must pay all expenses of inspection and investigation, including per diem and traveling expenses of the person or officer making the same and designated for that purpose by the board.

Cattle brought into New Mexico in violation of any of the provisions of the law of quarantine are not only subject to all of the aforesaid penalties, but they can be seized and held for the payment of said penalties. These liens take precedence over any other lien or incumbrance on such cattle existing at the time of their unlawful importation. Said liens become effective also as security for ultimate payment without further legal proceeding, except the foreclosure by sale of the cattle on execution.

The places of inspection on the eastern boundary line of New Mexico for Texas and other cattle are at El Paso, P. Mothersill, inspector; the point where the river crosses the line of New Mexico, Geo. H. Williams, inspector; the point where the Fort Sumner and Texas road crosses the New Mexico line, R. C. Temple, inspector; the point where the Canadian river crosses the New Mexico line, T. G. Duncan, inspector; at Clayton and Raton, N. M., G. E. Lyon, inspector.

Address all communications to the office of the secretary of the cattle sanitary board of New Mexico, at Las Vegas, N. M.

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Frauds in Wool Waste.

Reported for the Boston Commercial Bulletin.

Consul Grinnell of Bradford, England, makes a startling communication to the government on the subject of the fraudulent manufacture of "waste" in England, by which scoured Australian wool, free from noils and ready for spinning, has been shipped to the United States as "waste," dutiable at ten cents a pound. The check put upon these practices by Secretary Windom and a thorough explanation of the various English "wastes" have previously appeared in these columns. Broken tops, which is the form in which the imports evade the government duty, were stopped unless it could be clearly shown that they were actually the by-products of machinery and not fraudulently prepared. That there were grounds for the decision may be seen from the following extracts from the consul's special report:

"In November last it became known that broken tops, laps, rovings and slubbings, with 5 to 15 per cent. of genuine waste scattered in, would be admitted by the United States customs at 10 cents per pound duty. The exports of waste increased nearly a thousand per cent. in four months.

"Since the end of October I have secured statistics of the worsted, mohair, camel hair, and alpaca spinning, by which an almost mathematical calculation can be reached of the total production of waste from Botany (Australian) wool. It is the product of this, almost wholly, that is shipped to the United States as 'wool waste,' and these statistics and calculations embrace not only Bradford but the great outlying towns comprising this consular district. Upwards of 250 firms, owning 500 mills, work 2,091,293 spindles, producing, per annum, of all sorts 6,535,291 lbs waste, of which one-half is Botany—3,267,645 pounds. Of this latter at least one-half is used up by the larger spinners themselves—say 1,633,823 pounds—while Germany and other countries take, say one-eighth—408,465 pounds, leaving as total supply for shipment to the United States per year, 1,225,366 pounds, whereas, during the months of December, January and February last the actual quantity declared at this consulate alone amounted to 1,469,390 pounds.

"In addition to this the shipments declared at Liverpool, show the total shipments to the United States during three months to have been 1,004,620 pounds in excess of the production of genuine Botany waste for the whole year. The practice of breaking up wool tops for the United States market has become notorious here. I have by me the names of nine firms who have adopted this process, and there are probably others similarly interested. Originally the tops were broken up by hand, but the enormous development of the shipments to the United States has caused, it is stated, machinery to be used for the purpose. The wool-combers, as a rule will not lend themselves to the practice, but deliver the tops to the waste dealer in their regular form, and the latter either brake them or cause them to be broken up. The temptation to 'prepare' genuine tops here for entry into the United States as waste at 10 cents per pound is very great, as may be judged when I mention that one of the larger firms in Bradford, of unquestionable reputation, informed me that they had been offered 4 cents per pound profit over their regular price for all the Botany waste they could supply. "The department will better observe the extent and magnitude of the practice of 'converting' tops into waste for shipment to the United States by the undernoted figures, taken from actual

production and shipments for three months:

Shipments of Botany waste to the United States for three months, Dec., 1888, Jan. and Feb., 1889.

| | Pounds. |
|------------------------|-----------|
| From Bradford..... | 1,469,300 |
| From Liverpool..... | 760,596 |
| Total..... | 2,229,896 |
| Actual production..... | 306,342 |
| Excess..... | 1,923,554 |

"Calculating on this basis for one year, the shipments will reach 8,919,944 pounds; the genuine salable product being 1,225,366 pounds, leaves an excess (broke tops, laps, etc.,) of 7,694,578 pounds."

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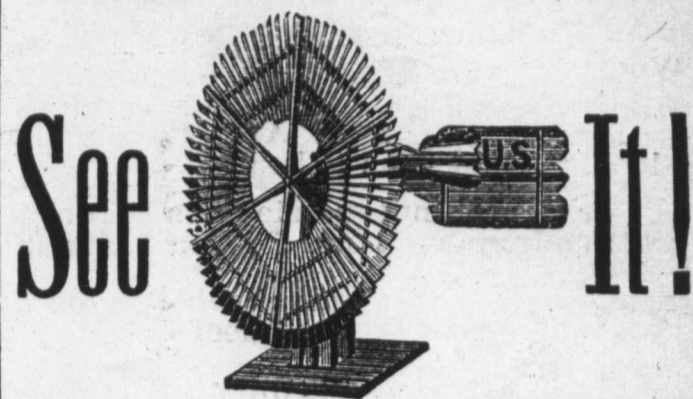
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The Texas Wool Association.

FT. MCKAVETT, TEX., May 1, '89.
To Commission Merchants, Producers and Dealers in Wool:

Pursuant to an adjourned meeting held in San Antonio on March 1, and in order to co-operate with the old Texas Wool Growers' association, recently called together by its president, Captain A. E. Shepherd, a convention will be held in the city of Galveston on June 4th next for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the Texas Wool association.

It is gratifying to state there has been a very general expression in favor of the plan of organization formulated at the San Antonio meeting, and the movement has been characterized by many of the wool-producing districts as "a move in the right direction."

I have received more or less encouragement from dealers in Boston, Philadelphia and New York with regard to the unification of grade terms as now applied to wool, and there is little doubt but this can be accomplished after our organization has been completed.

This feature is of the utmost importance, not only as a simplifying agency in quoting value of various grades of wool, but as a counteracting influence in the undervaluing of wools imported under our present tariff. It is to be hoped, therefore, that it will meet with the consideration at your hands that its importance demands.

The late rulings of the secretary of the treasury with regard to importations of so-called "waste," "troken tops," etc., is very encouraging, and gives assurance to wool growers that the present administration will not permit manufacturers to import foreign wools except under a strict conformity to the tariff laws.

If this practice is continued there is no doubt but the product of American wool will soon be large enough to meet the wants of our manufacturers in every respect.

It is to be regretted there has been so little attention paid to these matters by wool growers in the past, for it is largely due to these fraudulent importations that the wool industry has been so seriously retarded in its development.

The manufacturers have been fully organized and have never lost an opportunity to advance the welfare of their industry, and having had little or no opposition from growers, have generally manipulated the tariff much as it suited their interest. It is pleasing to say, however, that a very large majority of manufacturers are in sympathy with the growers, and are not responsible for the frauds that have been practiced in the past. They believe that the United States is capable of producing all the wool that is necessary for home consumption, and are willing to accord to the industry the protection that is needed to properly develop the same.

But there will always be a class of designing characters that would wreck the whole country to make a few dollars for themselves; the same class, perhaps, who mix a small amount of wool with a large amount of "shoddy," or, in the shoe trade, who use paper soles instead of leather. It is this element we have to guard against, and the necessity for constant watchfulness is very evident.

When we reflect upon the possibilities of the wool growing industry of the United States it should be the aim of

every American citizen to foster and encourage its early and fullest development. The present necessities of our mills are as follows:

| | Pounds. |
|------------------------|-------------|
| 1900 woolen mills..... | 733,525,414 |
| 76 worsted mills..... | 137,981,376 |
| 64 hat mills..... | 17,923,784 |
| 195 carpet mills..... | 116,134,200 |

Total.....1,005,569,776
(ensus Compendium, page 1190.)

And the consumption is much greater than this if we consider the many other uses that wool is put to—the mixing with cotton, silk, etc.—but this amount at 20c per pound will approximate very close to the value our entire cotton crop and will exceed in value the combined products of tobacco, barley, rye, buckwheat, rice cheese, hemp, flax, sugar, syrup, wines and sweet potatoes. (See Commissioner of Agriculture's report for 1887; pages 574-575.)

The most thorough organization therefore is made manifest, and it is hoped the convention will be attended largely and will result in other state organizations at an early date.

A committee of arrangements will see to getting reduced railroad fares to visit Galveston during the convention, and will make all necessary arrangements for the comfort and pleasure of delegates that may attend. W. M. L. BLACK,
Chairman on Organization.

A Scared Editor.

A rugged farmer stalked into the sanctum with a big whip under his arm. "Be you the editor?" he asked. "I am," was the half apprehensive reply. "Here's two dollars—send me your paper, for life," he said.

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THE CLIP.

Boston Advertiser:—The market for wool is still in a quiet condition, but the statistical position is strong. The London sale has closed with the full advance sustained, the price there ruling considerably above what the same wools are being sold for in this market. All foreign markets are higher comparatively than this, while the new clip in this country, which is just being got ready for market, is also held very high. There is nothing in the situation that would indicate cheap wool, but at the same time buyers here do not seem inclined to operate, and dealers who have wool to sell do not find it an easy matter to dispose of it. The only weak point noticeable is the goods situation, and there is no doubt but this is in a very unsatisfactory condition. The light orders for heavy goods, owing to the mild winter, is being felt now, and it looks as though considerable machinery would have to be stopped before this month is through, on account of lack of orders.

Boston Commercial Bulletin:—The new clip has fairly opened in Texas and California at prices fully fifteen per cent above last year's and even above the equivalent of to-day's quotations in Boston. At these prices there have been sales and to Eastern dealers. For this reason, if for no other, there is a slightly better tone to the wool market in the very face and eyes of the incom-

ing new wool. There has been a notably larger attendance of manufacturers this week. They seem to have made their pilgrimage chiefly for the purpose of explaining their own misfortunes, depreciating high prices of wool in the interior and making inquiries as to the future of the market. As, however, a very considerable percentage of those who came to scoff have remained, if not to pray at least to pay, the volume of sales shows an increase, which if small is at least encouraging after the long period of steady depression in values.

The opening of the wool trade for 1889 has caused the issuance of the usual circulars. That of Messrs. Funsten & Co. of St. Louis, is interesting as it raises the question as to where and how wool values are made saying: "We have been watching the course of the Eastern wool markets with considerable interest of late. The relative values there and at all the wool centers have been out of line, and the point of interest to us has been which is the body and which is the tail of the general wool market? Time was when the mighty Eastern markets could dictate and govern values, but they seem to be losing prestige in that direction. Advices from Boston show the market firmer, and on account of the high prices at which wool is held in the West, they are forced to bid more. Of course, the very firm markets in Europe have lent encouragement to Western wool dealers and they are holding firmly. Of all the wool sold at the East during the past week, the major portion was foreign, which shows there is a scarcity of the domestic article. New York reports the market bare of choice wool, and the same of Philadelphia. The Eastern market reports lay stress on the unusual heavy stock of woolsens which are not meeting with a demand and use this fact as a bear argument, which does not avail much, but may have a bearing against any undue appreciation of values looking to a boom in the raw article. It is to be hoped that this conservative view may prove a factor in holding the market to a steady and healthy basis. We do not want to see crazy prices. A reaction inevitable follows all booms, and results are generally disturbing to business activities. We advise our friends to constantly market their purchases and do not hold back for a boom which is very improbable. From our standpoint of observation we predict that those who ship their stock as they purchase it will do the best."

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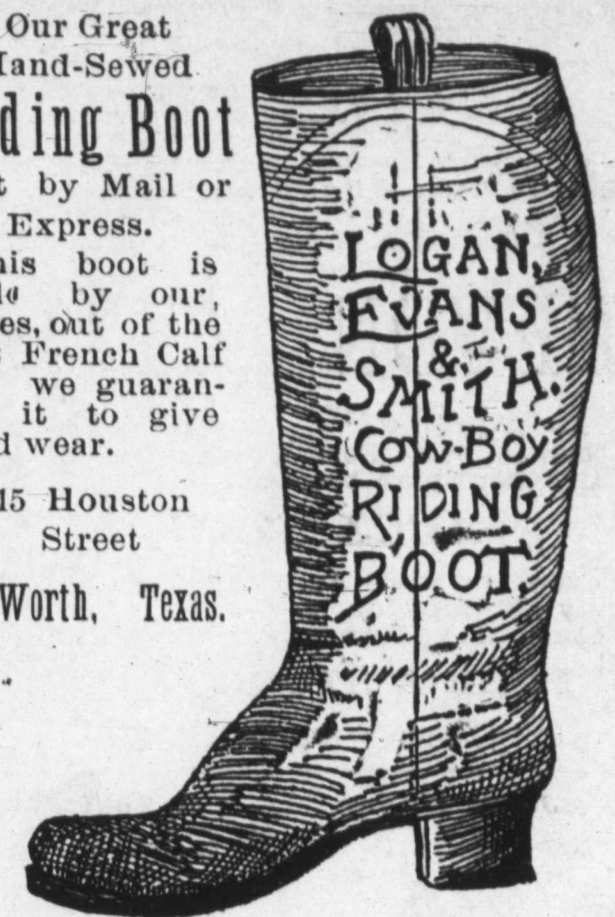
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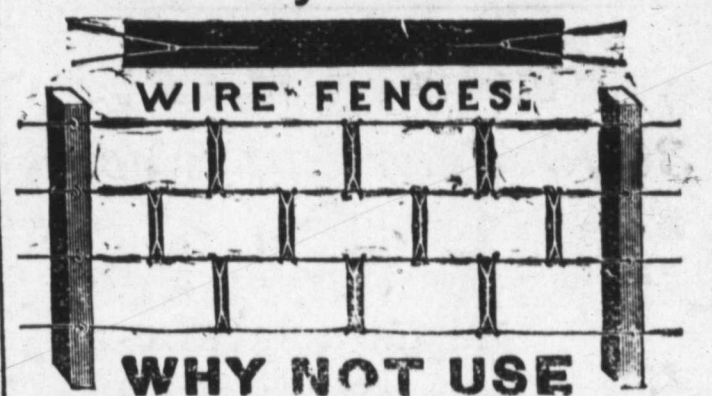
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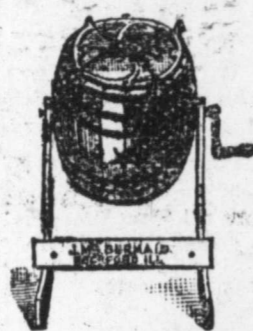
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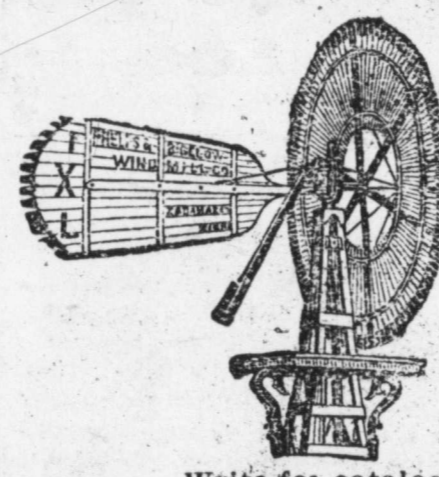
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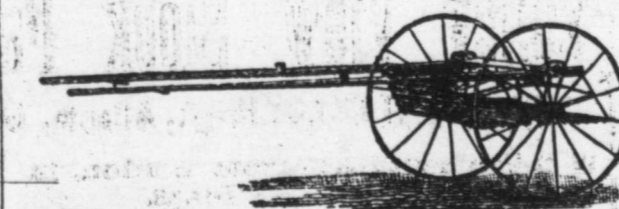
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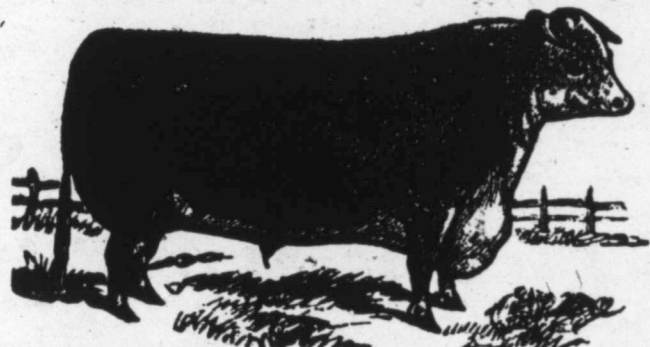
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EL PASO ITEMS.

EL PASO, TEX., May 14, 1889.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

Notwithstanding our recent election which remains unsettled, El Paso still continues to maintain her reputation as the best town of its size in the state.

C. W. Merchant of Abilene, Texas, manager of the San Simon Cattle company of Arizona passed through El Paso a few days ago en route to the company's ranch to superintend the shipment of the 3000 steers sold to the Standard Cattle company of Wyoming. The company managed by Mr. Merchant own a very fine ranch in the San Simon valley, on which they have fully 25,000 head of improved cattle.

The Texas editors passed through El Paso last Friday, on their return from the City of Mexico. They speak in glowing terms of the treatment received at the hands of our neighbors, in the land of "the Montezumas."

News was received here a few days since of the killing of Green Estes, a well known Texas cattleman. The killing occurred on what is known as the "Doak Ranch," in the Northern part of state of Chihuahua, on the 26th of April, but in some way was kept quiet until a few days ago. It seems that "Lige" Estes, who lives near Midland, Texas, owns a large interest in the above named ranch and cattle, and that there are several other parties also interested in the same property; among them Capt. Doak, George and Frank Brigman, formerly of Hill county. About two months ago Lige Estes sent his brother Green to the "Doak ranch" to represent the Estes interests, and the sad news comes that Estes has been killed by Frank Brigman. I have been unable to learn the particulars. Lige Estes and two other brothers have gone out to the ranch and will doubtless in a few days have the matter thoroughly sifted by Mexican authorities.

Britton Davis, son of ex-Governor E. J. Davis, who resigned a lieutenant in the U. S. army a few years ago to accept the management of the Corralitos Cattle company, has just returned from New York bringing with him a life-time partner, in the way of a beautiful bride. They will make their future home on the Corralitos ranch, located about 150 miles Southwest of El Paso, in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico. The good lady will find this a long leap and quite a change from the life of ease in the great metropolis. These will, however be offset by the devotion and kind attention

of the whole-souled, honorable man whose heart she has won—may their fondest hopes be realized, and the well-known scriptural injunction be carried out to the letter.

O. J. Wiren, who everybody knows, as one of the "solid" cattlemen during the boom is sojourning temporarily in El Paso.

E. L. Gage, owner of a large cattle ranch in Jeff Davis county, and who has also for the past two years been a half-owner in one of the largest butchering establishments in this city has recently sold his share in the last named business to a Mr. Finley, who is also a Jeff Davis county man. The business will hereafter be conducted by Liles & Finley.

Maj. W. H. H. Llewellyn, live stock agent of the A. T. & S. F. railroad for Western Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado has moved his headquarters to El Paso and fitted up an office in the City hotel building, next door to the branch office of the JOURNAL.

J. C. Richardson, sheriff of Tarrant county was in El Paso the first part of the week. "Rich" is well known among the cattlemen of Texas, and is deservedly popular.

M. Z. Smissen of Colorado City was here Tuesday, en route to his New Mexico ranch. Mr. Smissen is now the busiest man in the country, he has cattle interests in New Mexico, Arizona, Northern and Western Texas and in the Indian Territory. Ten years ago the "boys" called him a "tender foot" and they may have been correct then, but his success of late years has fully demonstrated the fact that M. Z. Smissen is now not only a full fledged successful cattleman, but that as a shrewd financier and manager he has few equals and no superiors.

Matt Ryan is now receiving and shipping the 4500 steers bought by him in the vicinity of Engle, New Mexico.

John H. Slaughter, well known to all the "old timers" as one of the leading cattlemen of Southern Texas during the 70's, is now serving his second term as sheriff of Cochise county, Arizona, and enjoys the reputation of having made an excellent officer. Mr. Slaughter is largely interested in cattle, and has two very fine ranch properties, one in Arizona and one in Sonora, Mexico.

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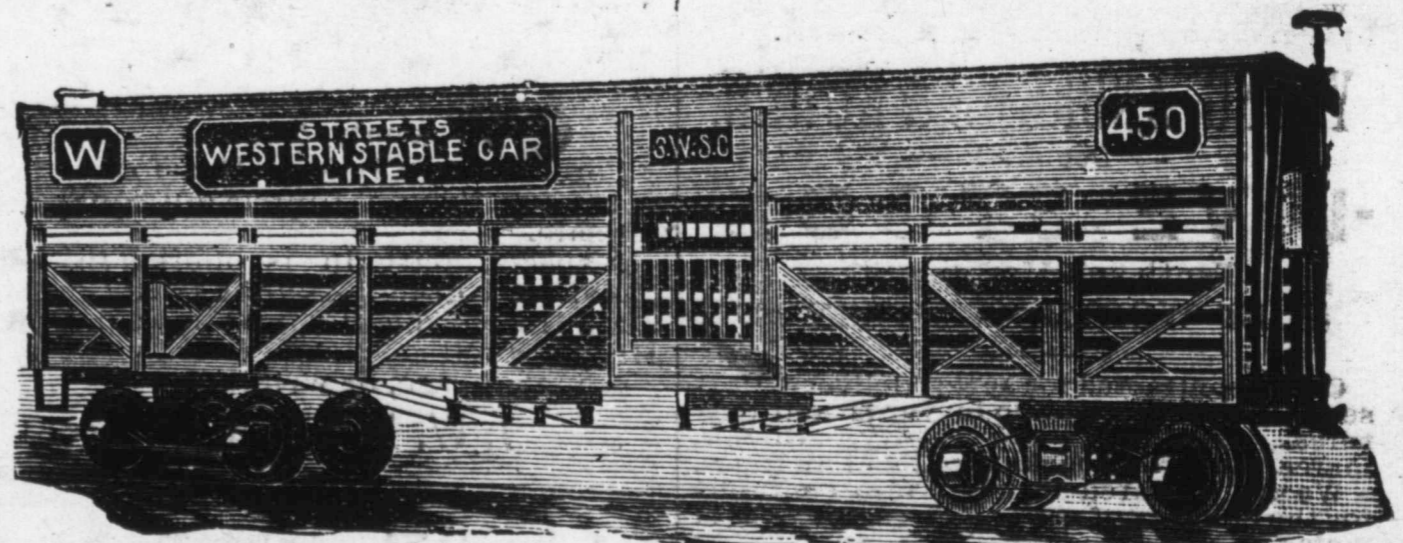
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