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INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

REPORT OF INDIAN AGENT DESCRIBES LANDS OCCUPIED BY THE RED MEN.

Settlements by the Whites Should, if Possible, be Controlled—No Drunkenness Among the Tribes.

In view of the excitement now prevailing over the reports of rich mining lands in the Indian Territory and the preparations for the opening of certain lands to settlement, the annual report of Lieut. Col. Randall, Indian agent for the Kiowa, Comanche, Apache and Wichita reservation, is of particular interest. The report in part says:

This agency is at Anadarko, on the Anadarko branch of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad, which runs from Chickasha, I. T., across the reservation to Mangum, in Greer county, Ok. The Wichita reservation, inhabited by the Wichita and Arapaho Indians, is also under the supervision of the agency. The Kiowa, Comanche and Apache reservation is inhabited by three tribes of the same name respectively as the reservation. It is bounded on the north by the Arkansas river, on the east by the 98th meridian or the Indian Territory, on the south by Red River, and on the west by the north fork of Red River. It comprises an estimated area of 3,900,000 acres. The Fort Sill military reservation is located in the central part of the Indian reservation and comprises an area of 50,000 acres, set apart by the consent of the Indians for military purposes. It is garrisoned at the present by the 10th cavalry and is commanded by Capt. Farrand Sayre of the United States cavalry corps.

The Wichita reservation is inhabited by the Wichitas, Caddoes, Delawares, Towaconies, Keras, and Waecos. The tribal population:

Table with 2 columns: Tribe, Males, Females. Rows: Kiowa, Comanche, Apache, Wichita.

The lands of these reservations are generally adapted to agriculture. The soil of the bottom land is excellent for farming purposes, but crops often fail to mature on account of irregularity of rainfall. In the river bottom lands usually mature, but often suffers injury at harvest time on account of rainfall. Indian corn, if planted early, generally matures, but if not planted early is liable to failure. The most prolific of hot winds that usually prevail from the middle of July to the 1st of October. These winds dry out all vegetation except in cases of Kaffir corn. All vegetable seeds must be planted early to secure any return. The country is adapted well to stock raising, the native grass being abundant and of the class that withstands drought well. The Kaffir corn is an excellent forage crop and is raised and used to answer as a substitute for corn food. It endures well the drought that will kill Indian corn. It can be grown on uplands, where Indian corn will not mature, and if properly planted and cultivated will yield from twenty to twenty bushels to the acre. At present its use is almost exclusively for stock food.

Alfalfa has not yet been proven to be adapted to these lands. Sorghum does well to supplement pasture during the months of July, August and September, when the latter is usually short. It can be cut daily, partially wilted, and then hauled to the pasture lot. A second lot is often successful. Nothing will do more for the permanent success of agriculture in this section than steady grain and the number of grain and live stock reared and matured from the fodder product referred to. Cotton has been experimented with to a small extent and promises to be an important factor in the success of agricultural development in the section comprised by the reservation.

The act of congress approved June 6, 1900, providing for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Indians of the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache reservations gives 160 acres to each Indian. The allotting agents are now upon the ground executing the preliminary work in this matter. The Comanches and Apaches seem to be reconciled to their allotments, and I anticipate no delay in the work will be occasioned by them. The Kiowas do not accept the condition so contentedly, but no trouble is anticipated from that source. It is believed the Kiowas will be ready to accept cheerfully the provision of the law.

All Indians of these reservations are classed as peaceable and law-abiding. Occasionally they are seen at the agency, gratifying to himself property belonging to a friend or relative, but this rarely occurs. None have ever been known to steal from white people or molest the whites in any enjoyment of any privilege accorded to them on the reservation. They are entirely free from the drink habit, and drunkenness is so rare that but two cases have been discovered during the past fifteen months. This fact existing among a population of 4000 Indians, is thought worthy of note.

Three government boarding schools have been established for the benefit of the children of the Indians of this agency.

The Apache, Kiowa and Comanche reservation is peculiarly a grazing section of the Oklahoma Territory. A large portion of the reservation is leased to cattlemen, whose leases expire March 31, 1901. It is thought that much disappointment will be experienced by those who locate the lands made surplus after the Indians are served with allotments, with expectation of profitably farming the same. The allotting agents upon the fact that the Indians are given choice of the best lands, which are reasonably well adapted to agriculture, which is assurance that after the authorized deductions are made for school lands, etc., there will be but a limited number of quarter sections left for actual settlers to locate as homesteads. This resolves into the prospect for the future that a majority of successful white inhabitants of this

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NEWS OF THE LIVE STOCK WORLD

CUDAHAY PLANT IN VIRGINIA.

A charter has been granted by the state of Virginia to the Cudahay Packing company, and all legal preliminaries have been complied with. Ground will soon be broken for their extensive distributing plant in Richmond, Va., the plans now being in the hands of their architect.

OUTLOOK NOT PROMISING.

The winter outlook over the western range country is not particularly bright owing to the continued drought. Winter range is a scarce article this fall and only those who have plenty of hay are feeling comfortable. The rest are gathering and shipping everything to market. It is the only way out of the trouble.

CATTLE FOR HONOLULU.

A representative of a wealthy syndicate in Honolulu recently purchased 15 Hereford bulls, 10 Holstein bulls, and 5 heifers of each breed named. The bulls are to be used for crossing with the native cows which are so small that one of them rarely dresses out as much as 250 to 300 pounds of beef.

SAVS RANGES ARE DESTROYED.

It appears at Canton, Ohio, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson had the following to say regarding the ranges of the West: "With regard to meat producing animals, the prices are high and will continue high because the people west of the Missouri river who graze their stock on the range country have been destroying the grasses so systematically that they are not able in many places to maintain a stock of more than 50 per cent of the meat producing animals found there a few years ago. The meats of the country in the future must be produced on the farms of the country."

HARDEMAN COUNTY FAIR

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION EVER HELD AT QUANAH—THE AWARD OF PREMIUMS—RESULTS OF THE RACES.

The fifth annual meeting of the Hardeaman County Fair association, held at Quanah last week, was the greatest success in the history of the association. The cowboys' reunion brought a vast concourse of people, the races were exciting, the cattle sale a success as well as the great cattle show. The agricultural hall was one of the main attractions. The prizes awarded were as follows: W. G. Mulkey, first on farm exhibit; O. P. Oldham, first on wheat weighing 42 1/2 pounds to the bushel; Wm. Harvey, on sweet potatoes; I. T. Brown, on corn; Albert Ebert, on first oats; John Phillips, cotton; W. R. Carter, watermelon.

In the riding contest Jas. Kennedy was first, E. A. Taylor second, Jas. Francis third.

Roping—Johnnie Jones first, 54 seconds; Gardiner second, Self third, Murphy fourth.

In the fine stock show premiums were awarded as follows: Best Hereford bull—S. T. Howard first; U. S. Weddington second. Best Hereford cow—S. T. Howard first; U. S. Weddington second.

Best Shorthorn bull—John Ledbetter first.

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Best Shorthorn bull calf—Gus Gober first; John Ledbetter second.

Best Shorthorn heifer calf—John Ledbetter first.

The races resulted as follows: First race—One-fourth mile dash, 2-year-olds, purse \$50, Ned Hanger first, Belle Lumbrock second, Bob Peters third.

Second race—Five-eighths mile dash, purse \$150, Sandall first, Sany J. second, Charley Daniels third.

Third race—One-fourth mile dash, purse \$75, Beans first, Ball second, Heit third.

Fourth race—Four and one-half furlongs, for 3-year-olds, purse \$100, Fredina first, Dan Paxton second, Gallop third.

Fifth race—Three-fourths mile, purse \$125, Helen Paxton first, Charley Davis second, Sally J. third.

Sixth race—Three-eighths mile dash, purse \$100, Beans first, Geo. Landers second, Ball third.

Seventh race—One mile, running, purse \$175, Helen Paxton first, Blocker second, Grey Dog third. Time 1:00.

Eighth race—One-half mile, purse \$125, Sandall first, Royal Lancer second, Macona third.

Ninth race—One-half mile, for non-winners, Weir first, Terryman second. Black Jack third.

Tenth race—Four and one-half furlongs, Gov. John first, Charley D. second, Sally J. third.

Eleventh race—One mile, novelty race, Beans first at the quarter, Blocker at the one-half, three-fourths and mile.

The fair association elected the following officers: L. B. Watkins, president; U. S. Weddington, chairmanship; vice president; John R. Good, secretary.

PURE BRED CATTLE.

During the year 1899 there were many successful sales of pure bred cattle. The total number sold was 3296 head, realizing in all \$702,535, or a grand average of \$213 per head. The Herefords were 1033 head, realizing \$271,105, an average of \$262.44. Polled Angus 469 head, bringing \$115,895, average per head, \$247; Shorthorns, 1794 head, \$315,335; average per head, \$175.75.

The use of buckskin is increasing and to meet the demand for the skins, the trade is looking to the Angora goat to supply it. One concern has demonstrated that Angora goat skins will fill the bill in a hundred different ways.

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PREMIUMS FOR HEREFORDS.

The management of the national exhibition of Hereford cattle, to be held at the stockyards in Kansas City from October 15 to 27, has very wisely selected a list of very superior animals for range steers showing a preponderance of Hereford blood. These premiums are:





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GALVESTON'S FUTURE.

Galveston's calamity grows larger under investigation, and will probably reach a total loss of life between 500 and 750, and a property loss approximating \$15,000,000. The restoration of order and the rehabilitation of the city have proceeded with extraordinary speed.

CUBAN FARMING.

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THE COTTON SITUATION.

The cotton crop of the United States for the year ending Aug. 31, 1900, amounts to 9,436,416 bales, showing a decrease under the crop of 1898-1899, of 1,838,424, under that of 1897-1898, of 1,762,578, and the increase over that of 1896-1897, of 678,452.

BEEF STILL CLIMBING.

The beef market for last week is thus reviewed by the Chicago Drovers' Journal: "Native cattle sold in Chicago again this week above \$5, a load of 1877-pound Aberdeen-Angus steers bringing \$8.15, or within 5 cents of the top paid here since last January, when \$6.65 was paid."

EGGS PACKED AWAY.

Millions Stored in the Vast Chill Rooms for Use During the Winter. Six hundred thousand cases of eggs have been packed away in cold storage, most of them in the inclosed rooms of Packingtown, says the Chicago Drovers' Journal.

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A mule trader was spinning yarns of the west to a group of his fellows, in the shadow of one of the big stables on West Marietta street Saturday...

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CATTLE.

Bill Oden of Chicago, Tex., reports cattle in his section in good condition.
B. C. Rhome of Rhome, Texas, will exhibit a bull at the Denon fair, for which he has refused \$1500.

TREATMENT OF TEXAS FEVER.

Mr. Sherman Fisher was in our city Monday in connection with our news reporter he made known his method of treating his cattle when taken with this so-called Texas fever...

CHIPS OF EXPERIENCE

DIFFERENT WAYS OF FEEDING.—To get the best results from feeding corn to cattle it is deemed advisable by many practical men to soak the grain during the spring, summer and fall...

CATTLE SALES.

Fred Beck of San Angelo bought of J. T. Sims five cows at \$20.
J. B. Brothers, of Falls county, sold to J. M. Shannon 275 steer yearlings.

MONEY VALUE OF ALFALFA HAY.

On Oct. 9, 1899, says Welborn B. B. the following facts: I bought seven grade Hereford and Shorthorn two-year-old steers, weight 6400 pounds on a ten-mile drive...

COTTONSEED MEAL AND WHEAT BRAN.

Louisiana dairymen says, in the Jersey Bulletin: We feed our cows there on wheat bran (corn feed or corn bran occasionally) cottonseed meal and cottonseed hulls.

DANGER LURKING IN SORGHUM.

Stockmen frequently suffer losses of cattle from pesturing them on sorghum. In a few herds in the west the losses last year were very heavy.

WINEY FARM, COUSHATTA, LA.

S. C. Hollingsworth, proprietor, Headquarters for Berkshire, I have the best lot of pigs raised in two years, a few weighing 90 pounds at 100 days...

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FEEDING BRAN WITH MEAL ALL THE TIME.

than to run any risk by feeding meal alone and depending or resorting to bran at intervals to correct any bad effects from the meal.

HESSIAN FLY DESTRUCTION.

In a bulletin issued by the Indiana experiment station Prof. W. C. Latta of Lafayette, Ind., treats the Hessian fly question as follows: Throughout the history of the Hessian fly, a disastrous failure of thousands of farmers asking "Is it worth while to attempt to grow wheat?"

THE BEEF STEER AND HIS SISTER.

Widely different opinions are held as to the comparative value of steer and heifer beef. Western packers rate steers at from five cents to fifty cents a hundred more than heifers of the same age, breed and general quality.

STOCK FEEDING.

Bulletin 20, Arkansas Agricultural Experiment station, says: It is almost the universal experience of feeders that the more the feeders feed, the more the gain for a given weight of food consumed, and it is now quite generally believed that the profitable feeding of hogs for market ends when they have reached a weight of 175 to 200 pounds.

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MARKETS

FORT WORTH.

Reported by Fort Worth Live Stock Co.: The market for the week was strong and some hogs sold at \$6.10, but choice hogs the middle market of the week brought \$5.66.

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Houston quotations, furnished by the Houston Live Stock Commission Co.: Choice beef calves \$1.50 to \$2.00.

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NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 17.—Spot cotton: Ordinary, 1-1/2c; good ordinary, 1-3/4c; middling, 1-1/2c to 1-1/4c.

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DALLAS.

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 17.—Grain receipts during the week have been fairly liberal.

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El Paso, Texas, Sept. 17.—Cattle receipts 1,401, sales 2,132, left over 213 calves and yearlings.

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SAINT LOUIS.

Saint Louis, Mo., Sept. 17.—Eggs firm. Fresh Missouri and Kansas stock 12 to 20 per dozen, cases returned.

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