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ECHOES OF THE RANGE Weekly Compilation of Interesting Ranch and Stock News from All of the Great Range Country of Texas

The Alpine Country ALPINE, Texas, Nov. 26.—J. G. Reininger, a well known Brewster county cowman, was badly hurt one day last week by having his horse fall with him while running steers. He is doing nicely at present.

In Hemphill County Canadian Range, about noon snow began to fall, continued until Tuesday morning. It is impossible to determine the exact depth, since the fall was accompanied with the wind which has blown the snow in great drifts, rendering locomotion very difficult, and in some places quite impossible.

In Midland County Midland Reporter. R. T. Reid, manager of the O4 ranch, and who, by the way, is married on his wedding tour, having arrived last Wednesday to Miss Annie Bell Chilton of Comanche, returned last week from a trip to Iowa, where he went, accompanying the last shipment of 1,800 calves sold by him to E. C. Cook of Oldelbow, Iowa.

In New Mexico Roswell Record. Roadmaster J. H. Stinson of the Pecos Valley and Northeastern, located at Hereford, was here Saturday night, having come from the country where the big prairie fire raged for several days. He reports that at least a thousand sections of land were burned over. The fire was 125 miles long, he said.

Tucker's "Antiseptic" SCREW WORM KILLER DEAD-SHOT EVERY TIME A STRONG CHLOROFORM COMPOUND Dear Stockman: This very best exterminator of the CORK-SCREW Pest made quick and powerful, never fails. NO BAD AFTER-EFFECTS. It not only kills the worms, but also kills the wound. Excellent DISINFECTANT in warding off all contagious diseases, such as GLANDERS, DISTEMPER, SPLENTIC FEVERS, etc. Also a sure and safe "DIP" to kill Lice, TICKS, MANGE, SCABBERS, FOOT-ROT, and all skin troubles.

150 steer calves to T. J. Clegg at \$10 and \$17.50. In Crockett County Bud Hurst has just brought in a successful well on the J. M. Shannon ranch.

In Edwards County Rock Springs Rustler. James C. Smith bought of Norman Lockley 100 head of stock at \$10. J. W. Smith & Son bought of Ed Smith 400 head of 2-year-old ewes at \$3.50.

In Nolan County Sweetwater Reporter. A large number of cattle for shipment were rushed into this place last week, but cars could not be secured, hence a great scramble for grass was made.

In Bee County Beeville Bee. The sale of the big T. D. Wood ranch, six miles south of Refugio, and aggregate 33,000 acres of land, was consummated at Victoria last Monday morning.

In Tom Green County San Angelo Standard. The many friends of the Lee Brothers, in fact, all San Angelo, and Tom Green county, will rejoice to know that these popular gentlemen captured almost everything that was offered in the Hereford line at the San Antonio fair.

In Baylor County Seymour Banner. E. C. Sterling & Sons shipped six tons of steers to Cleburne this week. They have been sold for feeders.

In Tom Green County San Angelo Standard. John H. Rayburn & Company sold to Max Mayer & Company five car loads of cows and heifers—152 head—at \$16. They were shipped to Fort Worth.

Bankrupt Sale of Planos A bankrupt sale of pianos is being conducted at 404 Houston street, Fort Worth, Texas, on Friday, Nov. 26. Any one interested in the purchase of a piano should investigate these instruments, their prices and terms, before buying elsewhere.

Profitable Baby Beef AMARILLO, Texas, Nov. 24.—W. P. Anderson, special live stock agent of the Pecos Valley lines of the Santa Fe railway, whose specialty has been the promotion of the fine stock interest in their interests.

In Llanco County Llano Times. Messrs. Ed Lindsey, H. C. Coffee and Henry Gray bought 100 head of bulls the past week from various ones which they sold to Georgetown parties.

Kirkland Wants Depot. The children of the territory adjoining have petitioned the railroad company to build a depot at that place and put an agent in charge.

SATISFIED WITH HIS HORSE Letter from a Man Who Bought a German Coach Stallion. May, Texas, Nov. 5.—Gentlemen: In reply to yours of recent date as to how our horse is breeding.

Sheep Brought Good Price SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—J. D. O'Daniel of San Angelo, who bought 1,350 sheep—shorn—on P. T. Hurt about ten days ago, cut out the tops.

Hereford Cattle Bought SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—One of the best herds of thoroughbred Hereford cattle in this part of the state was bought Monday from Coleman parties by Broom, Farr & Lee of this city.

Sold Large Ranch SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—J. A. Martin, the Edwards county stockman, was a business visitor in San Angelo Thursday.

Want Quarantine Changed COLORADO, Texas, Nov. 24.—An effort, or rather a feeler, is being put forth to have Mitchell and Sterling counties placed before the government quarantine line.

NEWS OF THE TEXAS RANGE

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Sold 400 Steers SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—D. K. McMullen, the Sutton county ranchman who resides in this city, sold Saturday to G. W. Stephenson of Sutton county 400 3 and 4-year-old steers at private terms.

Sold Entire Crop SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—March Bros. have effected the sale of the remainder of their holdings of fall wool, their total sales aggregating 283,000 pounds.

Sold Young Mules SNYDER, Texas, Nov. 24.—J. C. Maxwell sold his bunch of young mules last week, which brought \$3,000. It was the best bunch of mules seen here in many a day.

Big Herd Sold SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—A herd of 1,140 3 and 4-year-old steers and sixty bulls were brought to San Angelo Sunday from the 99 ranch and shipped Sunday afternoon to Gainesville.

Bought Fifty Steers SEYMOUR, Texas, Nov. 24.—C. T. Porter has sold fifty 2-year-old steers to Woodrum at \$22 per head. Mr. Woodrum is the man who bought out Wade Crier two miles north of town.

Sold for \$50,000 SAN ANGELO, Texas, Nov. 24.—Bismarck farm, south of this city, was sold the first of last week, the consideration being \$50,000.

Want an Appropriation AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 24.—The annual report of the Texas Live Stock Sanitary Board filed with the governor some days ago calls his attention to the fact that an appropriation is needed to enable it to do effective work.

Headache Sufferers

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TEXAS STOCKMAN-JOURNAL It is our aim not to admit into our advertising columns any but reliable advertisers, and we believe that all the advertisements in this paper are from responsible people.

INOCULATION FOR FEVER The process of inoculation for the prevention of southern fever among cattle as practiced so extensively at this time below the state and federal quarantine line, has worked a great transformation in the live stock business of that section and will work a still greater one.

CAUSING HEAVY CATTLE LOSSES There is strenuous complaint among the cattlemen who are now engaged in an effort to get their fat stuff off to market over the continued shortage of cars.

THE SCARCITY OF RAILWAY EQUIPMENT The people of Texas and the Southwest are being subjected to some loss and a great deal of annoyance and inconvenience on account of the shortage in railway equipment.

Table listing various types of vehicles and their prices: steel underframes, 400 furniture cars, 250 stock cars, 100 Rogers ballast cars, 650 steel coal cars, 300 steel flat cars, 250 steel frame hoppers cars, 50 cabooses, 30 consolidated engines, 20 switch engines.

Now, let some of the other great Southwestern systems proceed to do likewise and provide the growing, booming, boundless West with all the transportation facilities that are necessary.

SHORTAGE IN RANGE CATTLE Texas cattlemen have been insisting for the past three years that a marked shortage existed in the range supply of cattle, and it is probable the claim would have long ago been established and better prices resulted but for the fact that so many of the big outfits have been engaged in the work of cleaning up and shipping out everything that would bear shipment.

DUCKS FOR ROASTERS Pekins are adapted almost exclusively to this industry. This breed is docile in confinement, requires little water, grows rapidly and develops a plump carcass.

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POULTRY

BEST WAY A correspondent of Farm Progress writes as follows to his paper, his topic being "How Best to Pick Geese": The best time to pick geese is any day between July 21, says an expert raiser of geese, the beginning of the new moon.

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active males of the Leghorn family will serve more hens than the Cochins. Usually six males are an abundance for one hundred hens.

NUMBER OF SHEEP TO BE KEPT The number of sheep to be kept is determined by the size of the farm, and its suitability for the feeding of other kinds of stock.

FINE SHEEP FOR VIRGINIA Several Mr. Woods, who has just returned from an absence of several months in England, has imported some very fine Dorset sheep, which will be a valuable addition to the flock of that breed at Arrowhead farm.

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SHEEP FOR HOME SUPPLY An advantage in sheep that should not be overlooked is the fact that they offer such a cheap supply of the best kind of mutton for the home table.

GOOD YIELD OF FLEECE Ten pounds to the fleece is regarded large when it is an average from yearling lambs.

SHEARINGS A strong healthy sheep is not subject to disease.

PRYOR AT CONGRESS

Shaw, Bryan and Bancroft Are Special Features

FORT WORTH MAN

Thursday One of Most Important Days on Entire Program of Congress

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 22.—At the trans-Mississippi commercial congress today the special drawing cards were Leslie M. Shaw, secretary-treasurer; Isham Bancroft, consulting engineer of the sanitary canal committee, and William J. Bryan, who were on the program for speeches.

There were addresses by John H. Stevens of Vernon, Texas, on "Irrigation in Texas," by Victor C. Alderson, president of the Colorado school of mines, on "Department of Mines," and by Ike T. Pryor of Texas, president of the Southwest Cattle Raisers' Association, on "Livestock Interests."

Colonel Pryor spoke as follows: The live stock producers of this country feel and believe that those who represent the manufacturing district have had, and hold the reins of government in their hands, and that they controlled both branches of our national congress for a number of years.

Until within a very few years the live stock interests of this country had no organization for the purpose of securing beneficial legislation for their organization as they had for the sole purpose of protecting their stock from depredation of various kinds.

Figures on Cattle I will give you a few figures and in order not to burden you I select the most reliable, and reasonable test or proof of what I wish to illustrate.

No German Markets Since 1894 cattle and fresh beef from the United States have been excluded from the German markets, and since September, 1905, the importation of canned meats and sausage has been practically prohibited by the German government.

The live stock owners of this country, who desire relief, therefore, demand of the next congress the passage of such measures and treaties as will enable them to place their product in every European market, not only on a level with the domestic product, but also with the product as well.

Land Was Leased on Private Sale Cattle Brought \$15 Three thousand head of cattle and possession of a lease on a 50,000-acre ranch situated twenty-five miles west of Ozona, changed hands in a deal concluded in this city Friday.

Receipts at Montgomery are \$3,000 less than for corresponding period last year, or about \$0,000 against 110,000.

prices received from foreign markets for our surplus assets just that much to our wealth and hence to a more or less degree the price on what we see at home.

Open New Markets If only the German and French markets could be opened up to the live stock and its products of the United States; those countries, in addition to the British and Belgian markets, which we already have access to, would give us great relief, and give an impetus to the live stock business, insuring the values of our products, which are enjoyed by other industries of this country.

Remove or modify the restrictions under which we are compelled to market our live stock in foreign countries, thus giving the law of supply and demand full sway, and the live stock producers will enjoy their just share of prosperity.

At Wednesday's meeting one of the important addresses was made by Congressman Morris Sheppard of Texas.

Congressman Sheppard began by showing that the levee is one of the most important factors in the economic growth of the United States and of many other countries.

"The question of levees," he said, "affects nearly one-half of the total area of our country, and the material welfare of nearly 35,000,000 of the American people."

He took up the very arguments urged against levees, and he made the claim that they were an interference with the laws of nature, and showed that the arguments were without foundation.

He said that the states and territories should first make an effort to help themselves as the people of the Mississippi valley had done and that they should not conflict between irrigation projects and levee enterprises, showing that they were the products of entirely different geographical conditions and had a common aim, the improvement of the productivity of the soil.

CONGRESSMAN SHEPPARD DESCRIBED IN detail the development of the magnificent levee system of the Mississippi river and urged the enactment of effective levee laws in every state where there were lands subject to overflow.

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LITTLE MAVERICKS

Terse Tales of the Movements of Cattlemen All Over the Great Range Country of the Entire Southwest

Trading is Slow

W. P. Anderson, live stock agent of the Pecos Valley lines of the Santa Fe system, says that in the Pecos Valley and beyond there have been few sales made for either late fall or spring delivery of 2, 3 and 4-year-old steers, and none below Roswell, according to the Kansas City Drovers Telegram. In the vicinity of Carlsbad, Pecos and the Davis mountain country, owners until now have been holding their steer cattle off the market, but from now on thru the winter the offerings for both winter and spring delivery promises to be quite liberal. The flares, or tallow weed, is good in most districts, and the grass, while not up to the past two seasons, is way above the average. This applies to the mesas, the mountains and the valleys between the Pecos and the Rio Grande south and west of Pecos City.

"The grasses of the plains of the Panhandle and New Mexico," said Mr. Anderson, "have cured nicely and promise good feed all winter. The largest crop of leafy corn that was ever grown in the Panhandle is on hand, which, used judiciously, will fit more cattle than usual for the eastern state pastures. Well fed yearlings and 2-year-old steers are the best

money makers, except the very best 'baby' calves. These Panhandle winter fed steers are shipped in the spring to the bluegrass areas of the east, many going to West Virginia."

Million Acres Burned

News of the worst prairie fire that has affected the southwest in many years is told in a special message to J. I. Conway, live stock agent for the Santa Fe. The fire had evidently run its course this morning, and other messages from that region say that the charred prairie is now covered with snow. Some of the stricken stockmen are eager to ship their cattle out at once. Mr. Conway said this morning, tho, that no estimate could be placed on the number that might go to market, since the large owners probably would take their stock elsewhere for grazing.

The message follows: "The most disastrous prairie fire since the buffalo days swept over the northwest corner of Palmer, the west half of Deaf Smith and the southwest corner of Old counties in Texas, extending far into New Mexico. It is said that the fire got away from the

fire guard burners on the Newman ranch, extended over thirty miles long and the north of the cut of New Mexico and burned to the northeast many miles, where it encountered a strong dry north wind which turned it back to the fire guard of the Pecos Valley road, along the north side of which it ran from Hereford nearly to Texico, a distance of about 35 miles.

"The chief damage to crops ran among the homesteaders in New Mexico, the burned area being estimated at from three-quarters to a million and a half acres. The XI and the Rhes Bros. are the chief sufferers in Texas, the IX, the Horseshoe, and others in New Mexico. It is estimated there are from 75,000 to 100,000 head of cattle in there deprived of winter grazing. If it had not been for the railroad the grass of the entire plains would have been destroyed.

Old timers on the plains say that they never saw fire spread so rapidly nor run so rapidly. Doves of wolves and droves of antelope crossed railroad in front of the flames. The grass was universally the short kind and the cattle ran into and thru it, but with little injury so far as reported. No lives were lost in New Mexico.

"This fire to the ranchmen and homesteaders of Oklahoma and the public calamity. The extent of the injury and losses will not be known for several days.

—J. P. ANDERSON."

Alfalfa Good Feed

A series of steer feeding tests carried out at the New Mexico experiment station showed that steers fed alfalfa hay gave a larger return per ton for the alfalfa eaten, a larger net profit and cheaper beef than those given a grain ration in addition to the hay. The steers fed a ration composed of alfalfa hay, wheat and bran made a larger average daily gain per thousand pounds of live weight and required less roughage per day than the steers which received alfalfa hay alone.

In 1904 and 1905 the steers fed only alfalfa hay gave a larger return per ton for the alfalfa eaten than those which received an additional ration of grain with the alfalfa hay. The reverse was true of the steers fed during 1902-3, when the grain fed steers gave a larger return for the alfalfa eaten. It requires a longer feeding period in which to fit steers for the market when feeding alfalfa alone than when a grain ration is fed with the alfalfa. The shrinkage caused by dehydration was very slight, and its effect lasted only about a week.

Arizona Cattlemen Meet

The first session of the annual meeting of the Arizona Cattle Growers' Association met last night in the Horner building. Governor Kibbey addressed the stockmen, and afterward the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. The treasurer's report was read, and showed a balance of \$485 in the treasury.

James E. Bark, the president of the association, stated that he had seen some of his interests in the cattle business and could not therefore continue to be a member. The matter of electing a president for the coming year was placed in nomination for the place. Mr. Riggs declined with thanks, but after some pressure, was induced to withdraw his declination. His election was made unanimous.

The following officers were then nominated and elected: First vice president, Dwight B. Heard; second vice president, Mr. Jackson; secretary, G. L. Coffee; treasurer, O. H. Christy. —Phoenix Stockman.

To Shell Corn

MEMPHIS, Texas, Nov. 23.—The farmers of Delta county have clubbed together and bought a power corn sheller and engine and have taken it to the midst of the corn belt, where they will be able to make a case machine and they feed the corn to it in the shuck and it comes out clean and well shelled for market. They have a large acreage on the sandy land and will be able to make it this year to enough better advantage to pay for the machine out of the difference. That is a fine farming settlement.

Sale Near Wellington

WELLINGTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—T. N. Landers of Delta county has bought of Dr. Street twenty lots of the block of land in northwest Wellington, on which it was thought at one time the school house would be built. He will build a nice residence thereon and move his family here at an early date.

"The report was just about what had been expected. We can hardly see how the report can be considered anything but bullish."—Bond & McCauley.

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CATTLE TRAIL FOUNDER TALKS

"I am nearing three score years and ten and soon will go over the long trail," said Joseph G. McCoy, founder of the famous Texas-Kansas cattle trails, as he sat on the porch of his pleasant home in Wichita, Kan.

"I often think over the old days—the greatest days the cattle trade ever knew."

Mr. McCoy is vigorous and hale even in his old age and the not now engaged in business expects to resume his work as cattle inspector for the government in a few months.

"It is probable that no single agent did more in a short time to revolutionize the cattle industry in the west than the Kansas and Texas cattle trails, whose usefulness is now ended, and which Mr. McCoy started in business. The founding of Oklahoma and the building of Texas railroads have put an end to a great industry, and the straggling herd has been driven from the lanes of the Lone Star state to the shipping stations in Kansas."

The long paths stretching over hill and valley, across rivers and thru prairie forests, are crossed by barb wire fences and railroad tracks and no longer forever. The man who originated them is a resident of the new territory, Oklahoma, and is giving his experience in pioneering in upbuilding that promised land.

Joseph G. McCoy was born in Illinois and was one of three brothers, all of whom were cowboys. In 1866, at the close of the war, he came west, determined to enter the business of cattle raising.

At that time the Texas cattle had but two ways of getting to market. One was via St. Louis, then down the Mississippi or by railroad to New York; the other via New Orleans. Both drives were slow and dangerous because of the warm regions thru which they extended.

McCoy, upon reaching Kansas, noted that the Kansas Pacific Railway, now the Union Pacific, was built about half way across the state westward and conceived the idea of forming a cattle station thereon.

He selected Abilene, a station 125 miles west of Kansas City, consisting of a log house or two and a saloon. Making arrangements with the railroad company for the construction of yards, etc., he started off alone across southern Kansas into the Indian Territory.

A DOCTOR'S TRIALS

He Sometimes Gets Sick Like Other People.

Even doing good to people is hard work if you have too much of it to do. No one knows this better than the hard-working, conscientious family doctor. He has troubles of his own—often gets caught in the rain or snow, or loses so much sleep he sometimes gets out of sorts. An overworked Ohio doctor tells his experience:

"About three years ago as the result of doing too much work, attending a large practice and looking after the details of another business, my health broke down completely, and I was little better than a physical wreck."

"I suffered from indigestion and constipation, loss of weight and appetite, bloating and pain after meals, loss of memory and lack of nerve force for continued mental application."

"I became irritable, easily angered and despondent without cause. The heart's action became irregular and weak, with frequent attacks of palpitation during the first hour or two after retiring."

"Some Grape-Nuts and cut bananas came for my lunch one day and pleased me particularly with the result. I got more satisfaction from it than from anything I had eaten for months, and on further investigation and use, adopted Grape-Nuts for my morning and evening meals, served usually with cream and a sprinkle of salt or sugar."

"My improvement was rapid and permanent in weight as well as in physical and mental endurance. In a word, I am filled with the joy of living again, and continue the daily use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and often for the evening meal."

"The little pamphlet, 'The Road to Wellville,' found in packages, is invariably saved and handed to some needy patient along with the indicated remedy." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a reason."

stopping the long herds bound eastward and turning them to the Kansas shipping point by telling them of the rich pastures and excellent shipping facilities.

The first herd sent northward belonged to some Californians, and it was followed by several more that season. The long and expensive drive thru the Ozark mountain region was gladly evaded and the promise of quick sales and big profits at the comparatively near point tempted the cattle kings.

The disparity between the Texas supply and the northern prices was equalized by the famous connection and in 1867 35,000 head of cattle sought the new station. When several trainloads of the fat heaves had been shipped to Chicago in better condition than any had ever been received before, a special excursion train brought a large company of stockmen from Chicago and Springfield, Ill., to see the new shipping place, now grown to a rambling village of board shanties and tents, and known as the wickedest city in the west.

But the surrounding country was well watered and had plenty of nutritious grass, and the inhabitants of the town rather gloried in its title, a designation which after was applied to Leadville and Dodge City. In 1868 there were 75,000 cattle shipped.

In 1869 the number increased to 150,000 and in 1870 to 300,000, or 1 per cent of all the cattle in Texas. Two or three principal trails had been laid out and were well worn by passing herds.

Of these the best known was the Chisholm trail, so called after a party of civilized Indians who first guided herds along it. Then there was the Shawnee trail, the favorite of Western Texas.

Leaving the Red river, it ran eastward, crossing the Arkansas valley until it came into Kansas, when it was only necessary to traverse the eighty-mile divide between the Arkansas and Smoky Hill valleys. In the latter of which Abilene is located. There were side trails and cutoffs to evade swollen rivers or hills, but the trails pursued their general direction pretty closely.

In 1871 not less than 600,000 cattle were driven into the country surrounding the town. For scores of miles the prairies were dotted with herds grazing under the surveillance of the cowboys.

But the market was glutted. Prices fell off and the owners could not sell and over 300,000 cattle were wintered on Kansas prairies.

No provision had been made and the herds were compelled to paw away the snow to secure the dead buffalo grass that lay beneath. It was estimated that two-thirds of the number died of these causes, whittened the swells of the plains for many years.

The reaction had set in, and the next year saw less than ten thousand head shipped from Abilene. Ellsworth, sixty miles farther west, was the new shipping point, and after that came Dodge City, on the line of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad, then just completed thru the Arkansas valley.

Here the old scenes were re-enacted. Cowboys made the town a terror to law-abiding citizens and murders were everyday occurrences.

Finally civilization pushed its way westward and the saying, "There's no Sunday west of Dodge City, and no God west of Pueblo," became a reality.

The cattle trails are being covered with grass, and soon they will be only a memory. But for the bones of unfortunate animals which died on their journey it would be impossible in a year or two to trace them. They were for a time the trunk lines of the plains.

Abilene and Ellsworth are great country cities, and Dodge City has a theological seminary.

After the decadence of the cattle trade at Abilene Mr. McCoy followed it to Southern Kansas, finally settling at Wichita. In June, 1890, the superintendent of the census recognized his familiarity with the stock industry and made him superintendent of the range cattle department of the live stock bureau of the last census.

Moving From Kansas HEREFORD, Texas, Nov. 23.—A crowd of twenty Kansas farmers were brought down on last week's excursion by the J. P. Snyder Land Company, the majority of whom purchased land and will move their families at an early date to bag the country. Improving their newly chosen homes. These men all made their purchases so that they could all be neighbors, the property sold them being the J. M. Fry ranch, in the northern portion of the county. The leaders say that they expected to establish a colony of Kansas farmers in the vicinity of where the first ones have located.

Town of Crowell Growing CROWELL, Texas, Nov. 23.—W. L. McChes, one of Crowell's land agents, took the census of Crowell last week and found the population to be 860.

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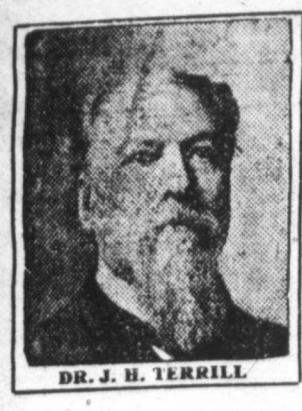
It will be wise for you to have me examine your teeth FREE. You will be glad to know what I'll tell you.

This is more people than was supposed to be within the limits of the town, but we had not taken into consideration its recent growth in population. We are glad to give our readers this week the above correct census.

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ODD ITEMS FROM ALL OVER TEXAS

Unusual Marriage

MOUNT PLEASANT, Texas, Nov. 24.—There has just been consummated a marriage in this city that was considerably out of the ordinary. This marriage took place behind prison bars in the county jail and the groom is the inmate of two years in the state penitentiary hanging over his head.

Wild Man

PARIS, Texas, Nov. 24.—Uncle Bob Patton, who has been visiting in Red River county, reports there was a great deal of excitement yesterday in the Vessey neighborhood, about 20 miles northeast of Clarksville, over the antics of an alleged wild man who was running at large in the woods.

Some More Ticks

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Nov. 24.—R. P. Zoyler, a Texas hunter, today with four very queer specimens of the tick family. A valuable mare belonging to Mr. Boyd was noticed standing in a field near Georgetown, Texas, with her head lowered as if suffering acute pain.

GAME PARK IN TEXAS PANHANDLE

Charles Goodnight, a noted cattlemen of the Panhandle of Texas, proposes, if the consent of the Texas state government and financial aid of congress be given, to form an agency to purchase the establishment in Palodora canyon, near Canyon City, of a preserve for buffalo and other wild animals native to the southwest.

Querer Case

STERLING, Texas, Nov. 24.—One of the queerest cases perhaps that was ever on the docket of a civil tribunal has just been settled here in Justice Patterson's court. About a year ago Mrs. E. F. Holcomb, who with her husband resided on a small farm on the ranch, while preparing chicken for dinner, found a beautiful and costly diamond in her gizzard.

New Rabbit

QUANAH, Texas, Nov. 24.—A new species of rabbit has just been discovered in this portion of Texas. G. L. Lambert of this county captured yesterday what he thought was a common cottontail rabbit, but which turned out to be a complete surprise. The animal resembles its namesake in every way except that it has a small horn growing from the center and is covered with a complete surprise.

Lost Family

ABILENE, Texas, Nov. 24.—L. C. Martin, from Quilman, in Hunt county, has lost his family and will appreciate any information leading to their recovery. The disappearance of Mr. Martin from his family is either the result of a delay in getting a car to move his household goods or some misunderstanding. The family came to Abilene two weeks ago and Mr. Martin remained to come with the stock and household goods. He arrived three days ago and in the stock yards has seven head of cattle, mules and chickens, and on the track is the car of household goods and all but his family. Mr. Martin was delayed on account of being unable to get a car and it is his belief that his family has gone to some farm in the country and he has failed to get information as to their whereabouts.

Hair Saved Her Life

DUBLIN, Texas, Nov. 24.—A frightful accident is reported to have happened to the little daughter of Claude Morris, a prosperous farmer who lives in this county. Mr. Morris was engaged in grinding cane, when the child in some way got her long tresses caught in the mill, and her head was dragged up against the machine and held there until the strength of the child's hair stopped the machinery. In order to liberate the little victim it was necessary to use a knife in cutting the hair loose. The scalp was very badly lacerated and partly torn from her head.

Strange Doings

COLORADO, Texas, Nov. 24.—Some months ago a Mr. Griffin from Rogers, Texas, came to Colorado prospecting, and bought J. W. Smith's home place, putting up a forfeit of \$1,000, and was to make the first payment of \$2,000

within thirty days. Within the time specified Mr. Griffin paid another \$2,000 and asked for more time, which was granted, and the time of the agreed forfeit expired about thirteen days ago. His agents here have made several efforts to communicate with him, but without success. A wire addressed to him at Rogers yesterday was answered that Mr. Griffin was not known there, and this was the last news of him. It is so mysterious that it is causing a whole lot of speculation as to what is involved in the situation. It does not look reasonable that a man would deliberately forfeit \$2,000 and then disappear entirely from sight, leaving no trace as to his whereabouts.

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premiums, but Mr. Goodnight declares that his "catalo" will make better beef and more of it. Mr. Goodnight does not claim that his cross-breed has reached perfection yet, but he says that even now it is better beef than the domestic. The cross mixture, he says, is too much in its infancy yet for anyone to foretell the ultimate result, but he has gone far enough to know that buffalo blood can be introduced into common cattle, and, properly mixed, it will make a great difference in the value of beef cattle. So far as he can see now, it is a matter only of patience and money to obtain any strain one may choose, that is to get any proportion of buffalo into domestic cattle that may prove the best.

Good Points of the "Catalo"

He crosses the buffalo with the Polled Angus, and by certain and proved processes he has made a larger animal than the domestic, and better beef. The buffalo has fourteen ribs, instead of the thirteen of the domestic, and it has been only a matter of perseverance for Mr. Goodnight to perpetuate the extra rib in the catalo. This gives length of sirloin and back to the new animal, thereby adding 200 or more pounds of the most valuable meat. He has also preserved in the cross the hardiness and the instincts of the buffalo. The mixed bloods, as the buffalo, do not eat the poisonous loco

weed; they do not run from heel flies and thereby take off fat; they are immune from cholera and all other diseases of domestic cattle; they never lie with their back down hill; they keep their heads to storms and do not drift; they do not kill out the range and more of them graze on a given quantity of pastures; they put on more flesh to the quantity of food consumed; their digestion is better than any other domestic animal; they have a greater windpipe and stronger lung power; intestines and stomach are very small and their flesh thick.

It is Mr. Goodnight's observation that the buffalo have more intelligence than other animals, and this the catalo inherit. They also have a better memory, and thereby never wander from home ranges. Their brain is protected better, having a double skull and a muscular formation between. The mixed bloods are more easily handled than the original domestic animal, and they rarely ever fight, and do not want to run. They take life easy and their memory is better than any other domestic animal. When they rise from the ground they get up fore feet first, and they have more strength in sickness to get up than other animals. They never venture into mires. They will eat waste that other cattle refuse. They are scavengers for other granivorous animals. They use little water and they never muddy the ponds. They are fond of salt, but they do not gorge themselves with it.

The "Catalo" Makes Better Beef

Since the buffalo never have been used for beasts of burden the cellular tissues of their fat is characteristic of all wild cattle, and this the "catalo" inherit. For instance, the meat is better marbled than the best domestic; never venture into mires. They will eat waste that other cattle refuse. They are scavengers for other granivorous animals. They use little water and they never muddy the ponds. They are fond of salt, but they do not gorge themselves with it.

tenance and thereby they can take more steps and go longer than any other without suffering. The average natural life of the buffalo is at least forty years. Mr. Goodnight has on his ranch a buffalo cow 27 years old.

C. J. Jones of Kansas, better known as "Buffalo" Jones, has an experimental "catalo" farm of similar character at the Grand Canyon in Arizona. Mr. Jones has been working on this cross-breed the past fifteen years. He finds greater value in the quality of the robe.

Collecting and propagating this herd of buffalo and breeding the catalo have cost Mr. Goodnight much time, patience and money, and altho it has been a labor of love for him, he is willing for the government to take the work over. For he is now 70 years or more old, past the age of active usefulness and since he has nobody to hand it down to he wants to make sure that what he has so well undertaken will not be suspended or abandoned. He believes that in the "catalo" he has made a beef animal superior to any other breed and that the next generation will even improve upon it. President Roosevelt, it is said, has signified a willingness to recommend the project to congress, if Texas will cede jurisdiction of the canyon.—Kansas City Star.

Cotton in Panhandle

HEREFORD, Texas, Nov. 23.—The Missouriian who recently purchased the J. B. Storm place near Arney was in town Friday of last week with two bales of cotton, which were placed on the local market. The fleecy staple was not grown however, by the Missouriian, but by Mr. Storm, who planted eight acres from which four bales have already matured. These good reports about cotton only serve to strengthen our confidence in the oft-repeated statement that cotton should be given a prominent place along with wheat, oats and other staple crops.

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FAMOUS RANCH SOLD

Eastern Syndicate Will Erect Canning Plant DENVER, Col., Nov. 21.—The famous Ashenfalter ranch, the largest in Colorado, has been sold to an eastern syndicate for \$200,000. The property contains 128,000 trees in one tract. The fruit raised on this place in shipped in carload lots to Delmonico and other New York restaurants.

SOLD TEXAS PONIES

Mr. Anson Will Return to England Next Season The Texas polo pony is the latest sensation in England. William Anson has just returned from England, where he took a number of the ponies that he raised on his ranch in Coleman county, and they went as fast as they could be placed on exhibition there. At Hurlingham and Ranelagh, the swell

English polo clubs of London, the Texas ponies were used with the greatest satisfaction. Among the plans of Mr. Anson for next season is that to return to England with thirty or forty additional ponies and help in establishing the American supremacy upon the English polo field in the line of ponies.

Mr. Anson has spent the summer visiting with his brother, the Earl of Lichfield on the family estates. Mr. Anson is well known as a ranchman of Coleman county and as a breeder of the polo ponies from imported English sires. His latest importation is Rock Salt from Pepper and Salt, the famous English derby winner, bred by his cousin, the Duke of Westminster.

"Taking it all in all, we should say ginnet is in line with expectations and does not change anybody's previous opinion as to size of the crop. We must now fall back on spot despatches and weather conditions for new impulse."—Edward Moyer & Company.

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REPORT MARKET

Complete and Accurate Report of the Business Done in All Classes of Stock in This City

WEDNESDAY'S MARKET

The run of live stock was light. Many expected shipments to fall to arrive. While the receipts were some better than yesterday, it was a very light run for a mid-week market.

The receipts at the stock yards were as follows: Cattle 1,405, Hogs 1,149, Sheep 35, Horses and mules 64.

The receipts of steers still run light, and the available supply is entirely too small to meet the demand.

The early market found about four loads of good quality of feeders, and two loads of light steers in feeder flesh.

While the quality was generally fair, there was nothing strictly choice in the offerings. The demand from local packers was good, and outside buyers were active.

Early sales were made on all offerings at steady prices. Sales of steers: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price.

Sales of hogs: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price. The supply of calves was again light, with a general poor quality.

The supply of calves was again light, with a general poor quality. The offerings consisted of medium to heavy weight calves and yearlings.

The demand by local packers was good, however, and clearances were made at fairly steady prices. Sales of calves: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price.

Sales of hogs: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price. The supply was comparatively light, and the quality only medium.

There were several loads from North Texas points, and from Oklahoma and Indian Territory, good enough to sell at \$6.25, which, quality considered, was about steady with yesterday's sales.

The average weight of the top hogs was from 187 to 275 pounds. Sales of hogs: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price.

The sheep receipts were exceedingly light, only thirty-eight head being offered for sale. They found a ready market with the packers at strong prices, tops bringing \$5.15.

The following live stock were received at the stock yards today: Cattle 3,500, Hogs 1,500, Sheep 1,300, Horses and mules 26.

THURSDAY'S MARKET

There was a more liberal run of live stock on the markets today. The early opening found eighty-eight cars of cattle on the market, with twenty-four reported back, making 112 cars for the day's cattle trade, estimated at 3,500 head.

The hog run was moderate, the early opening found a moderate run for the early opening. Nothing was reported back, which promised an early start for the day's receipts.

The market opened with an active demand, and trading throughout the day's session was fairly steady to the close, except in calves, which were at the closing prices.

The general quality of today's offerings was fair to good, and the demand by both packers and order buyers made early clearances at prices at the close about steady with yesterday's prices.

The bulk of the offerings, both cattle and hogs, were from Texas points, and were of good quality. The early receipts were as follows, with nothing reported back:

Yard Receipts: Cattle 2,750, Hogs 1,400, Sheep 1,400, Horses and mules 4.

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The offerings were practically all from Texas points, the quality being from common to medium. Very little Oklahoma or Indian Territory stuff was on the market.

The opening was from \$5 to \$6 higher, and the top on Texas stuff reached \$6.35. The trading for a time was active and the demand good, but later in the day the market weakened and the close was about steady with yesterday's close.

Sales of hogs: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price. A liberal supply of cattle and hogs was received Saturday.

The car shortage remains a matter of serious moment to the shippers. The offerings were liberal and the market unusually liberal.

The market opened firm and active, except in some offerings, which found a slow and draggy market. The final close, however, cleared all offerings at generally steady prices.

The receipts, including those reported back and a few driven in were as follows: Cattle 2,100, Hogs 1,000, Sheep 1,000, Horses and mules 59.

Prevailing Prices: Top. Bulk. Steers \$3.45, Cows 2.65, Calves 4.00, Hogs 5.00.

Sales of calves: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price. The run of beef steers was the most liberal of the week.

The offerings included several loads of heavy, fairly well finished grassers, from Texas points, and the bulk in good killing flesh.

The market opened with a moderate run of live stock, but the quality was not as good as the offerings. The demand from local packers was good, and outside buyers were active.

Early sales were made on all offerings at steady prices. Sales of steers: No. Ave. Price, No. Ave. Price.

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We sold three loads of 800-pound grassers, medium quality, shipped from south Texas, at \$3.50; also a load of 874-pound grassers at \$3.15.

These sales looked steady. Tuesday the run was again heavy, a good portion of Monday's late receipts being held over. The morning sales ruled about steady; the packers did not seem very anxious for the cattle.

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SOME FACTS Pigs will begin to eat with the sows when 2 or 3 weeks old. If getting plenty of exercise it would not hurt them to crack a little corn. The ideal feed, however, as some people think, is skim milk and shorts in the form of a thin slup. It will make them take on growth without getting too fat.

A farmer who selects a good breed of stock and then sticks to it to the exclusion of all other breeds will find himself better off in every way than the man who changes breeds at every downward or upward movement of the market.

PURE-BRED HOGS DID IT Improved breed hogs have done more for the prosperity of the American farmer than any other class of pure-bred stock, because practically all farmers raise pure-bred hogs more or less.

Sheep is a great element in the formation of fat, and a pig that has eaten all he can will immediately lay down and sleep, which aids digestion.

INTELLIGENT PERSIAN HORSE "Persian horses," says Mrs. Blahop in "Journeys in Persia and Kurdistan," are to be admired and loved for their gentleness and constant enjoyment.

THE HOG AS REQUIRED TODAY A few years ago there was a demand for heavy lard hogs. Now the tendency is toward smooth, even hogs of medium weight, of from 225 to 300 pounds of early maturity.

NICKERS FROM COLTS A stupid horse will never likely be well trained. A knowing horse is easily trained and is the most valuable animal.

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from Rockford, Ia., to North Dakota. The Des Moines market showed good sales. Chicago horse buyer paid over \$8,000 in one day to the farmers near Peary, Iowa.

The so-called pine-eye of horses is a form of inflammation, and after it once attacks the horse it must run its course, the length of which is from ten to sixteen days.

The American farmer who can grasp the situation and supply the high class draft and carriage horses will find an unlimited demand and fabulous prices.

Word comes from every large city in the United States and all the large cities in Europe that the automobile is growing in favor and that carriages are going out. There may be a return of the horse, but at present it is undoubted that at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and elsewhere the demand for carriage and saddle horses is at its lowest ebb.

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THE GREAT SALE OF THE RECEIVER'S STOCK OF THE BANKRUPT FIRM—LOUIS F. RICK PIANO CO.—BUYERS FROM FAR AND NEAR WERE EARLY ON THE GROUND TO SECURE THE GREAT BARGAINS OFFERED

EVERY PRICE IS CUT ALMOST HALF

Many Going at Half and Less Than Half Price—Best Makes to Choose from. Kimball, Arion, Whitney, Hobart M. Cable, Strober, Chickering, Had-dorf, Ivers & Pond, Fischer, Hoffmann and Many Others

DON'T MISS THE SALE IF YOU NEED A PIANO

There Are Opportunities to Save \$150 to \$250 on a Piano—The Pianos Are Going Very Fast, and You Know First Comers Get the Best Bargains—Act Quickly—Be Here Monday!

EASY TERMS OFFERED TO ALL. 404 HOUSTON STREET

This is a genuine closing out sale of the receiver's stock of the bankrupt firm of Louis F. Rick Piano Company's Dallas and Galveston stocks, wholesale and retail dealers of pianos, organs, upright player pianos and piano players.

The entire stock must be sold. Each piano, organ and piano player is marked at a price even regardless of any cost or value, that will sell it, and sell it quick.

It is the largest and greatest sale of the kind ever held in Fort Worth or any other city—greatest in number of pianos—greatest in the saving it gives to buyers. It is certainly the time for those who wish to save money. Not only are the prices cut to the lowest known cost but the terms will suit the slimmest pocket-book.

\$10 Will Send a Piano to Your Home.

The wonderfully low prices and the extremely easy terms offered in this sale make it possible for every home to own a piano, and every home should have a piano. Parents owe to their children the benefits of the educational and refining influence of music in the home. Then the children would not stray elsewhere for entertainment. The piano binds the family closer together. Music in the home makes better sons and daughters, better husbands and wives of us all. There is no reason now why any home should be without a piano.

Upright Pianos as low as \$65.00.
\$5 down.
\$4 a month.

Upright Pianos worth \$250 to \$275 cut down to \$125 to \$145. \$10 will send one home, and a month will pay for it.

Best Makes Guaranteed.

The Pianos in this stock represent the highest type of Piano construction, built by the oldest and largest piano makers in the world, and are guaranteed by us and the manufacturers to last a lifetime. Entire satisfaction is fully guaranteed to every purchaser or your money back on request, is the offer we make you.

You will find each piano advertised, as we advertised it, come and see. When we tell you a piano is brand new or it is shop worn or little used and that it is almost as good as new, you can depend that it is just so.

When we say a Piano sold for \$400 when new, and is now going for \$125, that's the truth, too. Not a word of misrepresentation or exaggeration about this sale.

\$350 New Pianos for \$195
These are brand new Pianos of the largest size, full octave, in most elaborate, expansion cases, double veneered inside and out, with brass flange, double-repeating action, copper wound bass strings, made to sell at \$350, going in this bankrupt sale at \$195, \$10 cash, \$6 to \$8 a month buys one.

Highest class of Cabinet Grand Uprights, comprising the finest of various makes; Pianos that are worth regularly \$400, \$450, \$500, \$550 and \$650, bankrupt sale price \$225, \$268, \$287, \$298 and a little higher for the most expensive cases.

We are making the terms so easy that everybody can buy a Piano and save money in this sale. A little money down and \$3, \$5, \$7 to \$10 per month

will buy most any Piano in this stock. If you have promised your wife and children a Piano, get it in this sale of receiver's stock and save money. We are forced to sell and sell quick, consequently forced to sell cheap.

Notwithstanding the extraordinary cut prices at which these Pianos are being sold, each Piano is fully warranted to last a lifetime. Besides we give a fine stool and a fine silk or plush scarf free with each Piano.

Great Bargain in Used Pianos

There are in this receiver's stock many new, sample, odd style, exchanged and used Pianos, in all makes, left over from the wholesale department. You should see these bargains early as they are going quickly.

We quote prices on four or five. A nice little upright Fischer Piano, used of course, but in good playing order for \$85. Another upright for \$65 and still another for \$125, \$6 down, \$4 a month.

What Do You Think of That?
Then there is a \$450 Chickering, upright grand, in good condition for \$150. And there is a \$450 Ivers & Pond for \$175. There is one of the largest upright grand Kimball, used only a short time, in rich, beautiful mottled walnut case for \$250. Terms, cash or payments \$8 to \$10 monthly.

Baby Grand Pianos
If it is a Baby Grand you want—here is your chance—A \$900 beautiful Kimball grand, almost new, for \$498. Terms to suit.

You cannot afford to miss this opportunity to supply your home and little ones with an instrument so cheaply. You may not have another such chance in your lifetime.

Piano Players, Half Price
No excuse now for not having music and plenty of it. The children, grand-father and grandmother can play them. They are the greatest source of education musically of the age. Don't delay another day. Get one in this bankrupt sale and save money.

Square Pianos at a Fraction of Cost
A \$600 Steinway Grand square for \$75. It has the latest scale, best model of the famous Steinway make. It is in fine condition, beautiful, rich good toned, perfect action; grand good bargain at \$75; \$10 cash and \$3 per month. And there are other square Pianos from \$10, \$25 to \$45; terms \$2 to \$3 per month.

Organ Buyers Also Benefited
In this closing out sale of receiver's stock, there are fine Organs, best makes with high tops and large French plate mirrors, worth \$75, \$90, \$110 to \$135. Sales prices \$15, \$25, \$30 to \$55. Terms on Organs, \$2, \$3 to \$5 monthly.

Out of Town Piano Buyers
No matter where you live it will pay you to come and take advantage of this great money saving bankrupt sale. If you cannot come, write to us at once, tell us about what you want to pay. We will serve you just as well as if you were here in person.

Store open every night until 10 p. m. during sale.

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FINE TEXAS RACE HORSES

Captain Burnett Believes in Lone Star Stock

FROM 6666 RANCH

Many Races Won This Season in Texas and California.

Taby Toso Sold

With the close of the racing season at the Shreveport track Saturday, came the end of the most successful year that a string of Texas horses has ever had. Captain S. E. Burnett's five horses have during the past summer



T. J. POWELL

and fall added more winning races to the credit of their owner than any other number of horses raised in Texas. During the season Captain Burnett has raced five horses, all of which were bred on his 6666 ranch in Wichita



OLLIE BURNETT.

county. In the Texas circuit success has crowned his colors at every meeting. The total number of races that his horses have won during the season, with its late beginning of the middle of July, has been eighteen, while they have been placed in the money time and time again. Dan Kelly, the well known trainer of the captain's horses, is the authority for the statement that the horses have been among the first

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Let no woman despair. The sure, quick, permanent cure for drunkenness is Golden Specific. It has no odor. It has no taste. Just a little is put in the drunkard's cup of coffee or tea, or in his food. He will never notice it, he will be cured before he realizes it, and he will never know why he abandoned the taste for liquor.



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His desire for drink disappears absolutely, and he will even abhor the very sight and smell of whisky.

The vigor he has wasted away by drink will be restored to him, and his health and strength and cheerfulness will return to brighten your home.

Golden Specific has cured some of the most violent cases in a day's time. This fact is proven by many ladies who have tried it.

Mrs. Mattie Balkins, Vanceburg, Ky., says: "My husband took two doses of your medicine about five months ago and has not taken a drink or had any desire for liquor since then. Our home is so different now."

Mrs. Mabel Zink, R. F. D. No. 6, Salem, Oregon, says: "My husband has not touched liquor since I gave him the sample package of your Golden Specific."

three in seventy-five per cent of the races they have started in. The greatest of the horses that Captain Burnett has raised was sold at the Dallas meeting, after winning the last race the horse will probably win in Texas. This was Taby Tosa, who was purchased for \$1,200 by Colonel Goodman of Los Angeles. Since that time Taby Tosa has been running on the California turf, where success has again followed him.

Taby Tosa is a seven-year-old, and has been racing for Captain Burnett since he was a two-year-old, and in



ANADARKO.

that time has probably won more races than any other racer of a like age. He has always been a favorite when starting and had proved the right to the name.

The other Burnett horses which have been racing this year are T. J. Powell, Ollie Burnett, Anadarko and Check Morgan. All four of these horses have been consistent winners and have brought down more than their share of the money.

In the Fort Worth meeting Captain Burnett's horses were heavily backed by the local race goers, who won in three cases.

The most successful meeting that the horses were entered in was at Ennis, where five first prizes were captured, besides a number of seconds and thirds.

The horses took second and third several times at each meeting. The number of winnings credited to Captain Burnett at the other meetings were as follows: Austin, three; Houston, three; Dallas, one; San Antonio, three. At Shreveport no firsts were won, although T. J. Powell and Ollie Burnett each ran second one.

Ollie Burnett secured the record of two consecutive wins at one meet, at San Antonio, where she passed under the wire with her nose in front in two races in succession.

The horses will probably be brought from Shreveport to Dallas, now that the season is over, where they will winter under the care of the veteran trainer, Dan Kelly, in order to be



TABY TOSA.

thoroughly in shape for the coming season.

Besides these horses which have made such a name for themselves this year, Captain Burnett has raised a number of other horses which have proved speedy on Texas and other tracks. In California Lone Wolf is the most successful, having won a number of races. Another speedy horse, which was raised on the 6666 ranch, is Virgie Withers, who has been pitted against the Burnett string this summer upon the track next season. He believes only in Texas horses and has none which he has not raised himself on his own ranch. Several of these horses are still in the hands of the public, which has been established for the stable this year, if not surpassing it.

Roasting Ears Ripe
STRAWN, Texas, Nov. 21.—C. D. Williams had a fine mess of roasting ears for dinner Tuesday and can have another any day he desires. This is his first crop of ears for the season and he is satisfied with the quality. The ears are fresh from the stalks the middle of November. It is not altogether to the credit of the climate, but partly to Mr. Williams' skill as a diverging farmer, for it was brought about in this way. He planted Mexican June corn about the first of August, and it was just in the roasting ear time when the frost came two weeks ago. Just before the frost he cut the stalks down at the ground and gathered them all in together in a big shock, the stalks standing upright. So many of them tied up close together keeps the frost or freezes from the ears in the shock, except a few on the outer edge. The corn remains fresh, drawing substance from the stalks, says Mr. Williams, and he is satisfied it will continue fresh and fine until Christmas, if it is not all eaten before that time.

Land Sales Near Midland
MIDLAND, Texas, Nov. 21.—Connell & Jewell have made some fine sales in the last few days. Among them were four sections of land seven miles north of Stanton, belonging to E. P. Dickenson, and sold to persons in Navarro county at a consideration of about \$25,000. This body of land will be cut up into tracts and used as farms. They also sold for J. D. Self four sections lying ten miles east of Midland, to R. W. Martin of Little Rock, Ark., at a consideration of \$15,000, and to E. S. Hill of Stanton, a county one section of land for Phil Schrabauer, lying seven miles west of Midland, at \$12 per acre. All or most of these lands will be put into cultivation some time in the near future.

To Get Carnegie Library
ABELENE, Texas, Nov. 21.—A Carnegie library and building is the newest improvement and addition promised the city of Abilene. Through the efforts of the Federation Library Association the offer of Andrew Carnegie has been secured and it is a most generous one. He offers to erect for the city a library building to cost \$25,000, if the city or the citizens will guarantee to spend 10 per cent of that amount each year for books and in the care and service of same.

KILLED 2 BEARS IN DAVIS HUNT

W. D. Reynolds Home From a Hunt on Ranch

W. D. Reynolds has returned from the big bear hunt which was held a week ago on the ranch of the Reynolds Cattle Company in Jeff Davis county. The hunt lasted three days and took place in the Davis mountains. There were about 100 cattlemen and their families at the hunt, which was one of the largest ever held in the mountains. A large pack of dogs from various ranches was present. Two bears were treed the third day of the hunt and killed. They were both tremendously fat and were only treed after great difficulties. One was captured in a tree and another in a cove of bushes.

Reynolds reports that last Friday a foot of snow fell in Davis county and remained for the three days that he was there, also it was melting when he left. Wind had drifted the snow so that cattle were getting all right, as there were a number of clear spots left. This snow was the heaviest that had ever fallen in that section of the state, and Mr. Reynolds also says that it was the heaviest that he has ever seen anywhere.

Raise \$15,000 for Auto Line
PECOS, Texas, Nov. 21.—The citizens of Pecos City are nothing if not willing to pull all the time for the best interests of their city. They do not only talk for it, but they are willing to work, and, furthermore, go down into their pockets to promote an enterprise for the business interests of their town. Last week a number of prominent citizens came to the conclusion that an automobile passenger service running from Pecos to Panhandle, Grandfalls and Fort Stockton would be a great business-getter for Pecos. They formulated a plan, presented it to the citizens of Pecos and within twenty-four hours had subscribed \$15,000. A large thirty-five horsepower car was at once ordered by telegraph to be shipped by express, and within a short time the line will be in operation, with more cars added as the travel demands. As the car ordered is capable of running from twenty-five to sixty miles an hour with a full load, it will soon be seen what a hole will be made in the distances between towns touched and Pecos.

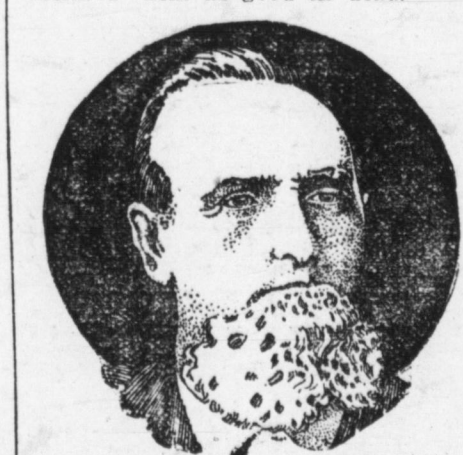
Gave Pupils \$1 Each
BARSTOW, Texas, Nov. 21.—Tuesday last the Waco County bank presented each scholar in the Barstow public schools with \$1. At the request of C. E. Pierce, president of the bank, Professor J. C. McMillan, principal of the school, announced the gift to the children, saying that there were no strings whatever tied to the gift except that the money should be left in the bank for twenty-four hours after that the children should make out their own checks when drawing their money; also, that if the deposit were left in the bank and increased to \$5 that interest at the rate of 4 per cent would be paid upon it. He then gave the scholars a talk on the advantages of saving and learning business methods at an early age. Immediately after the scholars trooped to the bank, where they found a large pile of silver dollars awaiting them. Each child was given a dollar and a duplicate deposit slip and shown to the teller's window, where the money was placed to their credit. The next day a number more deposited until practically all of the eighty scholars except a few who were sick or away, had their dollars in the bank.

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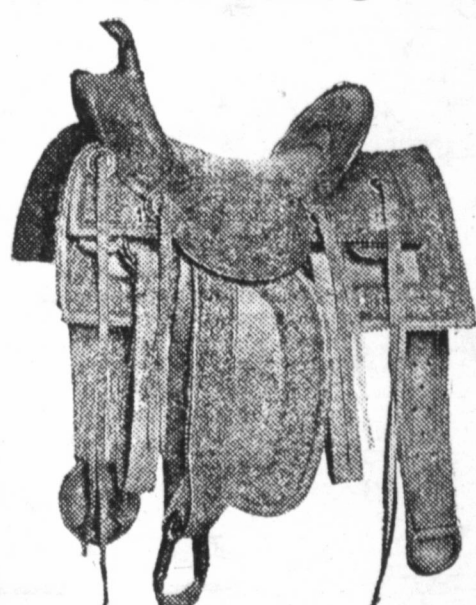
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Dear Friends: I wish to call special attention to the advertiser in this week's issue of the Stockman-Journal for besides being a very interesting paper from a news standpoint, it contains quite a number of advertisements that ought to be of much interest to all our readers. Just want to call your attention to a few of them.

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J. E. Mitchell Co. of our city, has an advertisement in this issue that should prove interesting to our readers. There is nothing nicer than Xmas from among a large and complete stock of jewelry, such as this big store always carries and then you can depend upon the guarantee of the goods. Write for their catalogue or call on them when in Fort Worth.

Washer Brothers are advertising largely in the Stockman-Journal and everybody knows that this firm makes the best of clothes in the best of style and fashion and gives the best of satisfaction in everything they sell. Gentlemen readers of the Stockman-Journal, send for their catalogue. It will be a surprise to you and an education in clothes.

Dr. Garrison, the dentist, is also appealing to you thru his ad. in our paper for work on your teeth. Come to Fort Worth and get him to do your work. His work is first-class and reliable. See his ad.

There are so many advertisers, I cannot give space, if I had time, to name them all here, but all our advertisers are reliable, and I want to ask all of you to read carefully every ad. if you can possibly find time to do so, and if you find that they appeal to you or interest you in any way, write or call and mention the Stockman-Journal.

The ad. man notices that the mails are bringing daily many letters from our subscribers, containing money to apply on subscriptions. This is certainly gratifying to the ad. man as well as to the circulation department of the Stockman-Journal.

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We thank you and wish to repeat: "Say that you saw it advertised in the Stockman-Journal."

THE AD. MAN.

nulled, wires down, light loads and slow running all combining to make trains late from almost every where. There has been no train able to reach Fort Worth from Denver, Colorado Spring, Pueblo or Trinidad since Monday morning, and Tuesday morning it was reported that three passenger trains were now bound on the Fort Worth and Denver City between Dallas and Chicago.

Two trains, No. 8 and No. 2, on the Denver road, were annulled Tuesday morning, on account of the snow blockade in the Panhandle. No. 2 is the thru train to Denver and No. 8 makes Texline, Wichita Falls, Bowie and interchanges with these two trains. It will be reinstated just as soon as the snow plow which is now at work in the snow banks can clear a way.

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