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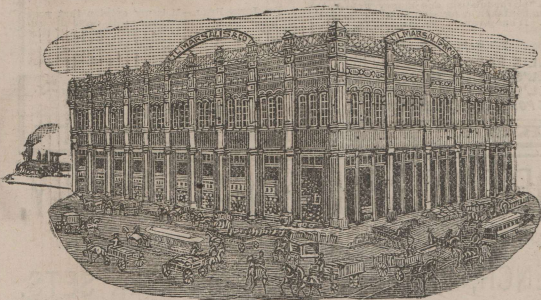
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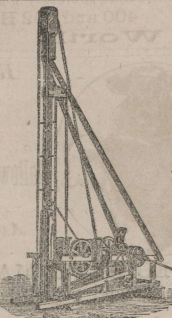
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CHICAGO MARKET.

Union Stock Yards,
Chicago, Ill., June 17, 1886.

Special to Texas Live Stock Journal:

Moderate receipts of Texans to-day but offerings of low grade stock generally excessive. Prices 15 to 25 cents lower than best prices last week. Sales were 27 cows, 663 pounds \$2.25 to \$2.15; grassers 900 pounds, \$3.00; 81 grassers 897 pounds, \$3.00; 23 grassers 844 pounds, \$3.15; 15 grassers 853, \$3.15; 8 grassers 734 pounds, 3.15; 19 mixed 872 pounds, \$3.25; 6 mixed 941 pounds \$3.35; 363 Indians, 1056 pounds, \$4.75; 23 grassers 823 pounds, \$3.20; 44 grassers 869 pounds, \$3.30; 23 grassers 924 pounds, \$3.30; 16 grassers 909 pounds, \$3.55; 47 grassers 965 pounds, \$3.75. Texas sheep firm at \$2.25 to 3.40. There is danger of a rush when double deck are used and sheep shippers should be careful not to ship their sheep by the train load.

U. S. YARDS, CHICAGO, ILL., June 18.

Special to TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL.

General receipts of cattle fairly large. Native cattle market dull and weak. Texans in light supply; demand fair and values steadier. Sales to-day were 51 Indians 682 lbs, \$2.40; 52 Indians 676 lbs, \$2.40; 29 Indian 680 lbs, \$2.40; 23 Texan cows 656 lbs, \$2.65; 49 Texan cows 785 lbs, \$3.00; 63 cornfed Texans 958, \$4.00; 123 cornfed Texans 949 lbs, \$4.05; 91 Indian cornfed 1029 lb, \$4.50; 93 Indian cornfed 1010 lbs, \$4.50; 136 Indian cornfed 1022 lbs, \$4.50.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

National Stock Yards,
East St. Louis, June 17, 1886.

Special to Texas Live Stock Journal.

The run of grass and cornfed Texas cattle very large, the past three days and to-day some one hundred and twenty-five cars in the pens. Quality not very good; the bulk consisting of thin steers; however, transfers are quite fair. Prices off ten cents to-day and twenty yesterday. Decent cattle bring fair prices. Here are a few of to-day's sales: Cornfed Texas of 1,176 lbs at \$4.75; 1,106 lbs at \$4.65; 1,045 lbs at \$4.40; 1,050 lbs at \$4.20; 1,020 lbs at \$3.80; 858 lbs at \$3.75; 922 lbs at \$3.70; 980 lbs at \$3.65; grass Texas of 863 lbs at \$3.50; 840 lbs at \$3.40; 810 lbs at \$3; 880 lbs at \$2.80; 740 lbs at \$2.40. Texas bulls of 900 lbs at \$1.80; cows of 780 lbs at \$2.20; scalawags of 770 at 2 cents.

Hogs slow and weak at former quotations. Texas sheep in fair supply and quality common. To-day a lot of Concho county sheep 754 of 78 lbs average, sold at \$2.124 per hundred lbs and 975 of 76 lbs sold at \$1.90 per hundred lbs. The sheep were thin and were bought by an Illinois feeder.

St. Louis, Mo., June 18, 1886.

Special to TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL:

The run of Texas cattle to-day small; some forty car loads. The quality not very good. Prices are a little stronger on good stock in car lots and larger. Texas steers of 880 lbs sold at \$3.70; 980 lbs at \$3.35; 886 lbs at \$3.30; 892 lbs at \$3.15; 660-lb cows at \$2.75; 640 lbs at \$2.40; 620 lbs at \$2.20.

Hogs steady.

Texas sheep a little better, offerings small; 42 head of 72 lbs sold for \$2.60; 408 head of 78 lbs at \$2.75. The Concho county sheep sold yesterday. Fifteen hundred sheep arrived in seven double deck cars and the transportation and other charges was fifty cents per head.

KANSAS CITY MARKET.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 17, 1886.

Special to Texas Live Stock Journal.

Receipts of live stock of all description for the past two days, 31,944 with market a shade duller upon all grades of cattle. Yesterday's sales embraced 54 cornfed Texas half breeds of 1189 lbs, \$4.80; 50 Colorado cornfed of 1327 lbs, \$4.80. One lot of sheep average weight 78 lbs sold at \$3.25 and 160 Texas cornfed steers were sold to-day by McCoy & Underwood, average weight 1311 lbs at \$5.00, this class of cattle always sell at the top of the market.

CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

Stampede Over—Opposed to Taxing Oleo—The Sheep Business—Indications.

Union Stock Yards,
Chicago, Ill., June 14, '86.

[Regular Correspondence TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL.]

The arrivals of cattle are only moderately large. The stampede of meatless cattle frames from the southwest has been checked; better cattle are coming and they are bringing better prices. The fact is that the only salvation for southwestern cattlemen is to hold back the canning cattle and send to market cattle good enough to go in to the dressed beef ranks. There will always be enough canning stock even if every body tries to send in dressed beef and shipping grades. The general cattle market has lately been a trifle stronger under the influence of lighter receipts. People just now seem to be coming to the conclusion that there won't be any more good cattle than the demand calls for. The prospects are that northwestern grass cattle will be somewhat behind this season.

The Chicago Live Stock Exchange, the board of trade and business men generally are opposed to having a tax levied upon buttermilk. The principle is wrong. It will not prevent people from eating it unknowingly, and that is the great object to be achieved. The receipts of hogs on the opening day of this week were about 43,000, being the highest receipts ever known in June. The demand on packing account was never so strong and healthy as it is this year.

The hogs throughout the country are now perfectly healthy. The ravages of disease last winter seem to have cleared out all hogs that were liable to disease. At any rate there is now not a word about disease and the hogs are making good use of the large supply of corn in the country. Buyers want hogs with more lean and less fat than it is possible to get. The fact is that fat pork is gradually but surely going out of fashion.

Saturday there was a meeting, here of the following men to consider rates on sheep, double decks, etc.: Kansas City was represented by A. J. McCoy, A. E. Burnside and R. P. Woodbury; St. Louis by E. B. Overstreet and W. L. Tamblin, and Chicago by Elmer Washburn, W. T. Keenan and J. H. Campbell. Representatives of the railroads were Horace Tucker, of the Illinois Central and Vandalia lines, H. H. Courtwright, of the Alton, Paul Morton, of the C. B. & Q., and C. L. Wellington, of the Wabash. Col. I. H. Knox, for the National Stock Yards and the Hon. Irus Coy for the Union Stock Yards.

The conference was not entirely satisfactory, but an equitable adjustment will be made before the matter is allowed to subside. It is understood that the main question is now between the railroads. The Mississippi river roads are willing to make a rate of \$17 for single decks, being a reduction of \$5.50 per car. They do that in preference to hauling double-decks. At Hanibal and St. Louis they will load ten double-decks in fifteen single decks. This they are willing to do providing the Missouri Pacific roads will reduce their proposed rates from \$100 to \$98 per car from Texas points. Thus it will be seen there is only \$2 per car difference between the railroads. As soon as this is settled then Texas sheepmen can rejoice and ship sheep without giving them to the railroads for the hauling. A reduction in yardage and other charges is likely to follow the settlement of this matter.

One thing is certain sheep men will have better rates, and when they get them they do not want to fail to consign direct to the greatest live stock market in the world. Really good to choice fat cattle are scarce. A good many so-called good cattle are coming, but ripe, smooth cornfed steers are not to be had in sufficiently large numbers to fully supply the demand. Just now choice cornfed natives are selling a little higher than one year ago, while all kinds of grassers and low grades are anywhere from 15 to 50 cents lower. All of the indications point to low prices for common stock and good rates for good stock.

The Standard Cattle company, of this city, has made a contract with Dr. Willis, of Des Moines, to spray 2,000 head on their Belle Fourche and Little Powder ranges, and will possibly have some sprayed at the home ranch on the Chug. The doctor is now at work for the Continental company in Texas, but will commence for the Standard on July 1st.—[N. W. Live Stock Journal.]

The long and anxiously looked for rain arrived last Wednesday evening, and it has rained nearly every day since, much to the gratification of the stockmen and farmers. Everyone is in good humor and the prospects are all that one could wish, and Reeves county has redeemed herself and her stock raisers are making their preparations for branding, which will shortly commence.—[Pecos Valley Star.]

A. H. Leith, of Chihuahua, but formerly a resident of this county and partner in the firm of Frost & Leith, was here early in the week and bought from Jefferson, Miller & Ellis and Jefferson & Erskine, three hundred heifer yearlings and two hundred steer yearlings at \$9, all round, delivered at the railroad. Last year yearlings brought \$11 and \$12 delivered here.—[San Angelo Enterprise.]

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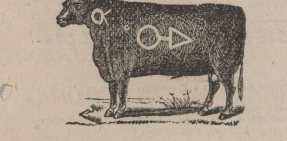
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THE DAIRY.

Cheese-Making on a Small Scale.

The following directions for domes-
tic cheese-manufacturing were furn-
ished the Chicago Inter-Ocean by a Kansas
dairywoman, which we reproduce for
the benefit of any of our readers who
may want to make a little cheese.

We would suggest, however, that as
the preparation of the rennet is a vital
point in the manufacture of cheese, that,
instead of attempting to prepare it
themselves, experimenters should pur-
chase the liquid rennet, which is now
found superior to any other form in
which rennet can be obtained.

*For making cheese on a small scale,
certain fixtures are necessary, which it
would be best to provide at the outset.
A new, clean wash-tub should be pro-
cured to set the milk, and should be
kept for this alone, though wash-tubs
from your laundry can be used, when
needed, to receive the whey. Other ar-
ticles needed are, a drainer, which
should be made of wood in the form of
a basket, with perforated bottom; a
wide tin hoop to press the cheese in;
several yards of coarse muslin to make
bandages for the cheeses; a screw
press, and a thermometer. A wooden
bowl and a chopping-knife are also
needed to cure the curd, and wide
shelves to dry the cheese on must be
put in place.

To make good cheese, good, fresh
milk is necessary. When brought from
the cow it should be strained into the
tub. If one milking does not give you
a sufficient quantity of milk, strain the
night's milk for the purpose, and in
the morning set part of this over the
fire in pails or pans set in vessels of
hot water to warm without scorching.
To this add the new milk when brought
in, and test the temperature, which
should be between 90 and 96 degrees,
and not any higher, and before it has
cooled at all add the rennet for curd-
ing.

The rennet should be previously
carefully prepared. It can be procured
in a dry state at a cheese factory, or
any farmer can prepare it for himself.
It consists of the fourth stomach of a
calf, which should be emptied, rubbed
with salt and dried without any wash-
ing or scraping, at a moderate temper-
ature in the open air. The best rennet
is from a calf under six weeks old. When
dried put it in a place where dirt and
insects cannot injure it. It should be
kept dry at least a year before using.
When wanted for curdling the milk,
soak for twenty-four hours in one gal-
lon of warm water, rubbing and work-
ing often to get out the strength. Add
as much salt as the liquor will dissolve
and strain it well. The rennet may be
dried and used a second time.

Some experiment may be necessary
to know how much of the rennet liquid
to use, but if of good strength a table-
spoonful for each two gallons of milk

is enough. Use more, however, if
needed to make the warm milk curd
thoroughly within an hour after add-
ing it. As soon as the curd is firm cut
it with curd knives into squares about
one-half inch across. As soon as the
whey begins to separate dip it off, heat
it, and pour over the curd again. Re-
peat this two or three times, and by
that time the curd will be quite hard.
Now take it gently out, break it into
very small pieces and put into the
drainer, in which you have first spread
a large cloth. As the curd hardens
draw the corners of the cloth over it,
and put on it a square piece of board
and a heavy weight of some kind, to
aid in expelling the whey. In about
two hours after first cutting the curd
will be solid enough for the press. It
should be of such consistency that it
can be crumbled readily between the
thumb and finger. It should now be
chopped fine, and one ounce of salt
added for each five pounds of curd.
[One ounce of salt to three and one-half
pounds of curd is more usually the
amount used in practice.—Ed.]

Now put a cheese cloth over the
hoop, so that when settled to the bot-
tom it will cover the sides and leave
enough to spread over the top. Or use
a cloth made in the form of a bandage
to fit around the cheese. In this put
the curd, put over it a round piece of
board of the same diameter as the
hoop. This is called the "follower"—
and put all under the press. Let the
pressure be gentle at first, and after-
ward increased. After the cheese has
been in the press four or five hours,
take it out, turn it over and put it in
again. The next morning it will be
sufficiently pressed, and should be taken
out, rubbed well with warm melted
butter, a bandage of cloth pinned
around it, and then it is put on the
shelf to cure. The curing process is
one requiring great care. The cheese
should be kept on smooth shelves in a
warm room, but not exposed to dry
currents of air. The great danger is
that the cheese fly will find some
cracks to deposit its eggs in it, so that
the cheese is runned by skippers.
Nothing but vigilance will pre-
vent this. Every day the cheese should
be taken from the shelf and thorough-
ly rubbed with butter or lard.
The shelf should be scraped and wiped
clean each time before the cheese is put
back. If the cheeses crack, as they are
likely to do more or less, put strips of
tough manilla paper over the cracks.
In about four weeks the cheese will be
ready for the table, and before that
time it should have a rind hard enough
to keep out all flies.

The following plan makes assurance
doubly sure against the pest of "skip-
pers." When the cheese is nearly
pressed take it out of the hoop and
put over top and bottom round
pieces of cloth that exactly fit it.
Then put around the circumference of the cheese a bandage
wide enough to lap over the two cir-
cular pieces about two inches. With a
strong thread baste the edges on both
sides. The cheese is then quite cov-
ered. Place it again in the hoop and
screw the press tight again. The sec-
ond pressure forces the cloth into the
cheese, so that the space between the
threads are filled. Then as usual, ap-
ply the daily rubbing of butter or lard.
In this way there is no chance for the
flies to deposit their eggs, as they can-
not get inside of the cloth.

WYOMING'S REGULATIONS.

**Dr. Hopkins Tells How Texas
Cattle Should be Admitted to
Wyoming.**

Dr. James D. Hopkins, Territorial
Veterinarian of Wyoming, has ad-
dressed the following to the Journal,
which we publish for the benefit of the
public. It will be observed that he
differs somewhat from Messrs. Head and
York, and lays down the rules which
we are to apply as far as Wyoming is
concerned.

CHEYENNE, Wyo, June 3, 1886.

Northwestern Live Stock Journal:

In regard to the agreement between
R. G. Head and F. B. York, fixing the
"fever line" in Texas, and their inten-
tion of shipping cattle from the east
and south of said line into Wyoming
Territory after forty-five days' pas-
ture north and south of such line, I de-
sire to say that the fever line as fixed
by Messrs. Head and York is erroneous
—much too far east and south. It is
a well established fact that cattle com-
ing from the east and south of a line
beginning at the northeast corner of
Wilbarger county and running south-
west through the middle of Tom Green
county to the junction of the line of
Presidio and Pecos counties, on the
Rio Grande, will spread Texas
fever among northern herds, when
transported North by railroad.

Cattle west or north of the above line
have been admitted into Wyoming
Territory without quarantining, by rail or
trail, for the past two years.
The sanitary laws of Wyoming ex-
pressly prohibit the importation of cat-
tle from the south and east of the
"fever line" by railroad, under penalty
of quarantine.

Therefore, I wish to give notice that
all cattle brought into the Territory of
Wyoming from the east or south of the
above described line will be quarantined
on arrival here, at the owner's ex-
pense, until, by lapse of time, they are
deemed safe to mingle with the native
herds, unless the importer of such cattle
shall furnish this office with satisfactory
proof that said cattle have been north
or west of the above described "fever
line" ninety days.

JAMES D. HOPKINS,
Territorial Veterinarian.

WHAT SCIENCE SAYS.
The "Fearful and Wonderful"
Mechanism of the Human System
Graphically Portrayed.

In the editorial columns of the New
York Analyst, H. Lassing, M. D., editor,
writes the following beautiful descrip-
tion of the laboratory of the human
system. We think we have never read
a finer or more trustworthy one.
"Man is the greatest of all chemical
laboratories. Magnify the smallest cell
of the body and what a factory is spread
before the eyes! Countless chambers in
which are globes of air, masses of solid
matter, globules of dying liquid; a
flash comes and the whole is consumed
and needful heat is carried into every
part of the system. Electrical forces
also generate and are conveyed to the
brain, the muscles and the various
nervous centers.

In another set of a million chambers
we see various gasses and vapors. By
chemical action these are changed and
purified in the lungs and the skin. The
blood we often say is a great living
river, its current and masses which
the air in the lungs does not affect;
blocks of chalk, strings of tartar; pieces
of bone-ash, strings of albumen; drops
of molasses, and lines of alcohol. How
are these waste masses disposed of?
Begin where you will in this great
system of purification, the purifying
places of the system. Here is all ac-
tivity and an invisible force reaches
out into the stream, seizes and carries
this mass of waste into vast trenches,
thence into a smaller reservoir, and
finally into a larger reservoir, which
regularly discharges its contents.

In this reservoir of waste, acid and
other waste material from the blood
without robbing it of a particle of the
life fluid, passes human comprehension.
In health this blood purifying process
is carried on without our knowledge.
The organs in which it is done are
fairly hidden, and the work is silent as
long as health remains.

"People strangely wait until pain
strikes a nerve before they realize that
they have any trouble. They do not
know that pain concerns chiefly the
exterior not the interior of the body.
A part of the service connected with
blood-purifying organs with the brain.
They may not gnaw and bite as does
the tooth-ache or a scratch, but they
regularly, silently report. When these
organs are failing these nerves indicate
it by drawing the blood from the face
and cheek, leaving the lip and eye
pale, and the mouth and throat so other
into the smallest veins, the skin then
becoming gray, yellow or brown. They
also prevent the purification of the
blood in the lungs and cause pulmonary
difficulties, weariness and pain. Who
enjoys perfect health, especially in this
land where we burn the candle in one
end, the candle breaks down in the
other; the editor falls at his desk; the
merchant succumbs in his counting-
room. These events should not have
been unexpected for nature long ago
hung out her 'lanterns of alarm.'
When the 'accident' finally comes, its
fatal effect is in a hundred forms,
either as congestion, chronic weakness,
as wrong action, as variable appetite,
as head troubles, as palpitation and
irregularities of the heart, as premature
decay, as dryness and harshness of the
skin causing the hair to drop out or
turn gray, as apoplexy, as paralysis,
as general debility, blood poisoning, etc.

"Put no faith then in the wisecracks
who says there is no danger as long as
there is no pain. Put no faith in the
physician, whoever he may be, who
says it is a mere cold, a slight indis-
position, or a kind of fever, as long as
you do not know it. He can neither
see nor examine these organs and de-
pends entirely upon experimental tests,
that you can make as well as he.

"If the output is discolored or muddy,
if it contains albumen, lymph, crystals,
swollen or morbid matter, it is red with
escaped blood, or roily with gravel,
mucus and froth, something is wrong
and disease and death are not far
away.

"These organs which we have de-
scribed thus at length, because they are
really the most important ones in the
human system, the ones in which a
large majority of human ailments
originate and are sustained, are the
kidneys. They have not been much
discussed in public because it is con-
sidered that the profession has little
known power over them. What is
worse, for such organs are so simple
medicine, which can do no harm to the
most delicate but must be of the great-
est benefit to the afflicted. Such a
remedy, tried and proved by many
thousands all over the world is War-
ner's safe cure. With those in whom
sweetness is denied, it is the only
specific. For those in whom the seeds
are sown and the beginning of illness
started it is an unfailing reliance. It may
be recommended to the well to prevent
sickness and the sick to prevent death.
With its aid the great filtering engines
of the system keep on in their ali-
ment without interruption; without it
they get out of gear and then disease
and death open the door and cross the
threshold."

Such writing ought not only to please
but to carry conviction that what Ed-
ward Lassing, M. D.,—so high an
authority—says is true, and that his
counsel is worthy the attention and
heed of all prudent, right-minded
people.

Gentlemen who have come in from
ranches on the head of the river this
week report heavy rains, sufficient
water to grow crops. They say
grass is growing so fast you can al-
most see it.—[Colorado Clipper.]

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The Grass Beef Market.

The first run of grass beef to market was caused by the drought. The cattle were not in good condition, and there was no guarantee of any great improvement before the rain set in. Under ordinary circumstances such a run of cattle would be considered ill advised, but under the circumstances then existing the movement was dictated by business reasons.

The market was tested and found to be weak, lower, in fact, than for several years, and now that the range prospect has improved greatly and the promise that cattle will gain in flesh and weight is a reasonable one, there is no reason why cattle should be shipped to market before becoming sufficiently fat to command a good price. It is no longer a question of getting in cattle before the break in the market, because the market is broken and is more likely to improve than go lower. Consequently shipping beef is contingent on their condition. If fat the cattle should go forward, if thin should have a chance to fatten.

In the fall there is generally a rush to market from the Northwest. This year the run will be light. The fatty cattle now going to market are cut out from the Northern range supply, and the dead cattle of the last two winters in some range sections cannot come to life again, consequently we cannot anticipate runs of any great magnitude, and must be content to ship the cattle to the markets when they are fat and take our chances of the result.

The Dwyer Purchase.

A letter appears in this issue from Mr. Ike T. Pryor, of Austin, concerning the Dwyer purchase of cattle and it is respectfully submitted to our readers in Texas and New Mexico.

In regard to this matter we can say that judging by the usual method of cattle buyers from New Mexico Mr. Dwyer was unusually particular, and if the JOURNAL has done anything to render him uncomfortable amongst his home folks by reason of misstating the locality of the purchase the JOURNAL would purposely do as much to set him right, as it did unwittingly in the first instance to set him wrong.

We have thought, and think so now, that it is easier for a New Mexico stockman to pass a bunch of Texas coast cattle into New Mexico than for a Texas stranger to enter with a herd from any section of our country, and we believe the New Mexico quarantine law to be as the Northwest Texas Cattle Raisers association put it "unjust, arbitrary and unconstitutional." When officers of the New Mexico Stock

Growers association come after cattle, we know that the thing is a farce, and is merely a measure to secure to the owner of a water hole the outside range which belongs as much to one man as another, but in this case is a territorial ring for the exclusion of all outsiders, and a measure New Mexico will repent in sackcloth and ashes when Arizona, Colorado, Kansas and Texas will get a chance to administer to New Mexico the medicine of her own prescribing.

New Mexico, from one end to the other is filled with the true Eastern Texas dogies. A New Mexico cattle buyer never trades in the West, and at Fort Worth is passed East, as in San Antonio he is passed South. He is known to be "no good." He wants six dollar yearlings, on long time, at a low rate of interest, and Colorado bottom cattle are too good for him if prices are low enough. If the live stock interests of Texas were upheld by such purchasers it were better far that we go out into the pastures and kill the cattle until we reach a number we can fatten on grass for the beef markets.

We Defy Competition.

When it comes to figuring numbers of cattle the state of Texas can show an output that will astonish the world. It is the only range country having a surplus. During the past few months buyers have come to Texas from Old Mexico, New Mexico, the Indian Territory, Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska, Dakota and Montana, and none have gone away empty.

There are yet cattle for sale. No one should be backward about making purchases or asking for an exhibit of stock for fear they will not be forthcoming, and no one need be timid about the price.

Prices are low. If you have grass and water you can hold over a few thousand yearlings and make money. You can buy twos and hold until three and make money. You can buy two-year-old heifers and hold until they are cows with calves. You can make money on young Texas cattle on any range under the sun, and you can buy them cheap. THE TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL always did love to boost prices a little, but since we heard that Arizona had sent one trail herd North, and that New Mexico will send two herds, we are like the dry goods people and will sell better goods for less money. Will meet all legitimate competition if we have to bring prices to the lowest notch. If you will look in our St. Louis letter there will be found mention of a few yearlings from San Antonio selling at \$15.18 per head; take off \$5.18 for shipping and commissions and \$10 per head remains. You can have one hundred thousand head for two dollars per head less money. Of course it is a reckless proceeding on our part, but considering that we are trying to close out the opposition, sacrifices must be made; if necessary, prices can go lower.

Texas is a great stock raising state. Every winter one-half the stock dies off, and in some instances all die. The following spring measures are necessary to keep our surplus from overrunning New Mexico, Arizona and all the other little territories. At the same time Texas will ship more beef to market than all other range states and territories combined. Then again, a severe drought nearly kills off the stock interests of the state. Anywhere else this would be a severe blow; in Texas it furnishes a good subject for conversation. Again, when other ranges are invaded by farmers it injures the stock interests. Here the farming counties sell more yearlings and mature more beef than three times the territory in the West. In New Mexico the ranges are overstocked while carrying one head of average stock cattle to each seventy-five acres. Here every five acres will and does support a steer. It is a great country for stock. A country specially adapted for producing young and thrifty cattle. "Dogies and sand lappers" that will make eleven hundred-pound grass steers and reach thirteen hundred pounds when corned are sold as yearlings from seven to ten dollars per head. The same class of cattle are sold elsewhere for twice the money.

Texas can stand alone. Within her lines will be found breeding and maturing ranches, both classes good paying institutions. The feeding farms within thirty miles of Fort Worth ship out more beef than the whole beef output of New Mexico and Arizona combined. The new beef shipping territory of the South will amply the natives in a short time and amply compensate for any loss in the yearling trade. The productiveness of the state is increasing rapidly. We grow more corn, more cotton, more oats, more wheat each year, and in the stock business we grow immensely and continue to be a terror to all competitors in the same business.

The Oleomargarine War.

The oleo and butterine business can be settled justly and fairly by a law requiring all imitations of butter to be marked as such on every package sold. There should be no tax on the product of a steer, or cotton patch, any more than on the product of a cow, and any attempt to do so will fail, or result in a gross injustice to all classes. Adulterations or imitations should be sold as such, and any imposture should be punished, but if the purchaser desires to use axle grease to put on his bread to deny him this privilege, or to tax him for the privilege, would be to deny the poor man one of the necessities of life, because the creamery ar-

ticle is beyond the reach of his pocket book.

They do things better abroad. Here is a sample:

SOME REVELATIONS ABOUT BUTTER.

William Schubert, of 44, Regency street, Westminster, London, England, was summoned at the instance of Lightfoot, an inspector of the Westminster District Board of Works, for selling as butter a compound known as butterine or oleomargarine.—Mr. Warrington Rogers prosecuted.—Defendant had a bill in his window to the effect that good butter could be purchased for 1s. a pound. The sample procured by the inspector did not contain a particle of butter.—Defendant said the notice in the window was placed there by a previous tenant.—Mr. D'Eyncourt said it was nothing but a cheat, and fined him £5.—Thomas James, of 146, Horseferry-road, Westminster, was charged on a summons with a similar offence.—In this case only 4d. was paid for half-a-pound of oleomargarine, sold as butter, and the defendant said no one could expect pure butter at that price.—Inspector Lightfoot said butter was very cheap now, and was in the wholesale market from 4d. a pound, a statement at which Mr. D'Eyncourt showed some incredulity. The inspector added that the best Cork butter was only 9d.—A previous conviction for selling adulterated milk was proved; and Mr. D'Eyncourt said, taking this into account, he must impose a fine of £5.

THE JOURNAL acknowledges receipt of a copy of the first volume of the American Aberdeen-Angus Herd book. The work contains entries from one to 5,200 inclusive, is well arranged and contains numerous illustrations of prize winning animals, besides the history of the breed. In a hasty examination we fail to find any Texas animals represented in the work and hope to find some in the next volume. We are under obligations to Mr. Chas. Guggell, secretary and treasurer, of Independence, Mo., for the work.

FORT WORTH

And General Range Notes.

The Fort Worth & New Orleans railroad is now approaching completion. Some vexatious delays, growing out of differences between the New Orleans and Santa Fe roads, over right of way matters are now adjusted and the Fort Worth & New Orleans will connect Fort Worth with Waxahachie by July 1, 1886. This will help the stock interests largely by opening up in direct communication a very fine feeding section for the benefit of Western cattle raisers.

E. B. Chase is out West in the neighborhood of Albany, but is expected home to-night.

J. M. Kuhlen of Andrews Bros. & Co. stock yards, reports transactions in horse stock quiet. Eighty-five head comprise the transactions during the week, the larger portion going to Northern markets.

T. P. Lenoir sold fifteen cow horses during the week of what he calls ruinous prices.

Portable forges continue to go on the ranges for branding purposes. The W. A. Huffman Implement company of Fort Worth are shipping forges every day. Amongst the recent sales we notice forges going to the Eddy-Bissell cattle company of New Mexico, and to Hammond & Co., Bell Plain.

Maddox & Powell sold to E. Simpson, railroad contractor, four North Texas mules for \$600. This is a small sample sale of the best Texas mule stock.

T. B. Ellison, of the Childress Cattle company, was in town during the week. His range is in good condition and well supplied with water.

During the past week Texas has been visited with good rains on the coast lines and local rains in the north. In the higher localities the only way to ascertain where the rain did fall was to go to the spot and look upon it. The just and the unjust are being rained upon alike, but a number of good people are neglected.

Mr. I. Dahlman, the owner of the Fort Worth refrigerator, arrived in New York on the 18th inst., and is expected home on the 22d.

Major A. C. Irvine, of the Live Stock exchange, Dallas, was in Fort Worth Thursday, coming from a trip up the Fort Worth & Denver. While gone in the country the same stock he was driven into timber by a cyclone and had to tie himself down to keep from blowing away. Major Irvine returned home by the evening train.

Jerry Beachamp was performing a melancholy duty on Tuesday passing to Ennis from Round Timbers, Baylor county, with the remains of his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Beachamp. The husband of the deceased lady was in the Panhandle and had not learned of his great loss.

Mr. J. M. Mathis, of Victoria, was in town during the week on business connected with the old Texas Continental Meat company. Mr. Mathis, in connection with Mr. Sullivan, also of Victoria, have run the works there for nearly two years with varied success and have now entered into contract to furnish a Baltimore company with meat. Mr. Mathis says there is nothing in the way of successful refrigeration in Texas and he and his associates purpose continuing their efforts until all the meat produced in his section goes forward that way. They believe that refrigeration in Texas is the only security for Texas stock interests in the matter of marketing beef cattle.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Messrs. Maddox & Powell, of Fort Worth, dealers in blooded cattle, horses and mules. We would mention the fact that this firm has sold more fine stock to ranchmen since September last than any other firm on the American continent, and they are now amply prepared to take care of any number of stock in their barns, pens and pastures in and around the city.

Mr. W. N. Milliken, a young stockman from Ohio, who has recently settled in Bosque county, passed northward on a visit to his old friends.

Mr. M. S. Gordon, of Jack county, was in town during the week and inspecting the blooded stock on hand at the Fort. He was in the notion to purchase Herefords and went to the Houts ranch.

Mr. R. E. McNulty, ranching in Greer county, in from his ranch last week, reported good rains recently there, plenty of water all over the county, grass good and thinks that he can sell big fat heaves by the middle of July.

Major W. V. Johnson, of the Magnolia Cattle company, bought of Major D. Portwood, of this city, six handsome Texas bred mules at \$108 per head. The mules are to be used on the Magnolia ranch for making tanks in furtherance of the policy to bring grass and water together, and to save cattle traveling long distances.

Mr. W. H. Forry, of Bosque county, was a visitor at the JOURNAL office this week. His stock are principally Whitefaces and Shorthorns, and he introduced to the Texas last spring with the loss of some, but as he says, not more than he expected.

The intention on the part of the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL to issue a daily market report edition, dating from July 1st, is received with much favor amongst the active stockmen and shippers. The paper is also receiving a strong line of advertising from the prominent and energetic business men of the city.

Mr. G. W. Arrington, sheriff of Wheeler and several attached counties in Wheeler county, spent a few days in the city this week. Mr. A. is very enthusiastic over the prospects of Wheeler county and the Panhandle generally, both as an agricultural and pastoral country. He reports settlers coming into the county quite lively from Kansas and other Northwestern states.

Messrs. S. L. Elam and T. P. Weatherill, of Hill county, brought to the city a car load each of grade Shorthorn bulls and ones and two steer cattle last Tuesday, all of which were sold to Mr. A. S. Nicholson on arrival.

C. H. McGinnis, of McGinnis & Son, land agents, Colorado City, is here on business for his firm.

A. F. Truitt & Co. sold this week the thoroughbred Hereford bull "Oklahoma" for \$300 and ten head grade Herefords at \$45 each.

The Fort Worth and Denver railroad made Mr. C. B. Willingham of the Hansford cattle company a low freight rate to Harrold on the 2000 head of cattle sold him by A. S. Nicholson and in consequence of the low rate Mr. W. concluded to ship instead of driving. Mr. Scholtes purchased 225 ones and twos of A. S. Nicholson which he shipped to Harrold. The Carhart Cattle company, also bought of Mr. Nicholson 60 grade bulls and 200 heifers two-year-olds, which were shipped to Harrold. All these cattle go to the Panhandle country.

Capt. J. C. Richardson engaged cars for R. A. Riddle of Alvarado for 500 cattle which he will ship to Harrold over the Ft. W. & D. C. railroad.

Capt. Sam Hatcher will leave for Coolidge, Kansas, to-morrow to deliver a lecture on the trail for the Home Land and Cattle company.

Tuck Boaz is expected home this evening from the west. He has been on the ranch of the Western Land & Live Stock company, of which he is manager, for two weeks past.

F. M. Houts, Hereford Ranch; Geo. C. Arbuckle, Dallas; Sam Maddox, Wichita Falls; Col. J. R. Stevens, Gainesville; T. J. Peniston, Harrold; T. A. Coleman, Corpus Christi; E. P. Bonmar, Gainesville; W. B. Worsham, Henrietta; A. E. Gething, Clarendon; J. W. T. Gray, W. S. Ikard, Henrietta; M. S. Gordon, Palo Pinto county; J. M. Mathis, Victoria; S. Webb, Albany; G. T. Knott, C. W. Word, Kansas City; W. T. Murray, San Saba; H. C. Babb, Henrietta; C. E. Perry, Decatur; Jesse Evans, Kansas City; Mal. A. C. Irvine, Dallas; John P. Laughlin, Dallas; W. T. Hudson, S. Wilm, J. A. Hale, Copper; C. F. Acres, Henrietta; R. B. Cobb, Henrietta; C. B. Willingham, G. W. Arrington, Mobeetie; Bob Turner, Thorp Springs; A. H. Beatty, Carroll; S. H. Hudson, Vernon were among the stockmen visiting Fort Worth during the week.

Mr. S. Webb, of the firm of Webb, Campbell & Hill, passed through town on the way to Hunnewell, Kansas. He goes to deliver a lot of cattle sold some time since and now on the trail. The new firm as above is the consolidation of two good firms in the live stock trade, a strong outfit. Their card will be found in the far sale column.

C. B. Eddy of the Eddy-Bissell cattle company, passed through town during the week.

Mr. G. W. Reynolds of the veteran hog firm of Messrs. Goodman & Reynolds of Forney, Texas, spent a day in the city this week and while here renewed his allegiance to the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL.

Mr. S. W. Broadus of Messrs. Haggar & Broadus, ranch in Coleman county, has been putting in his time in the city for the last few days. Mr. Broadus reports good grass, plenty of water and good conditioned stock on their ranch.

The San Saba News reports the presence of Col. J. W. Dwyer, of New Mexico to remove the cattle he purchased of Mr. Pryor.

Mr. W. S. Ikard was in Fort Worth during the week returning from Dallas where he had gone on railroad business. Henrietta is determined to secure the extension of the Missouri Pacific from Gainesville.

It is somewhat interesting to note that the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road, has 30 miles graded south of Arkansas City, Kansas, that the same road is working hard north and south of Gainesville, and is not idle in the work north from Ft. Worth. It is expected that through trains will be running by January 1st, 1887.

C. B. Willingham, of the Hansford company, is shipping 2000 cattle from Ft. Worth to Harrold. This indicates that railroads are used by stockmen when fair treatment and rates can be had.

Thorp Andrews has gone to Coolidge, Kansas, on trail business.

From Maddox & Powell we obtain the following quotations: Mule colts for fall delivery, \$30@40. These are from good Texas mares and Kentucky jacks; will grow to 144 and 15 hand mules, with mules, \$40@50; two-year-olds, \$50@60; mules suitable for street cars, under ground coal mules,

13 to 14 hands, \$35@50; railroad mules, 15 to 16 hands \$100@150.

Mr. J. M. Kuhlen, the horse mad of firm of Andrews Bros. & Co., is for want of better occupation, still breaking horses. The sales by the firm amount to a few cowhorses, and a few teams.

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FROM AUSTIN.

About the Dwyer Purchase.

Editor TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL:

AUSTIN, TEXAS, June 11.—I notice an extract from your paper copied by the New Mexico Stock Grower which does Col. J. W. Dwyer, (who by the way is a great benefit to the stock interest of the West), a very great injustice by accusing him of buying "sand lappers and dogies" on the coast, and expect to take them into New Mexico. I wish to state through the columns of your paper that I made a contract with Dwyer to put him up one herd of heifers (3,000) head, and he would not under any consideration buy them south of San Saba, Mason and Menard counties, "said the quarantine laws were very strict and he did not care to take any chance on violating them." I have put the cattle up ready for the trail and assert that they were all born and raised in Mason, San Saba and Menard counties and in a good healthy condition. Now if they are to be condemned by our home papers and called "sand lappers and dogies," then I had better move my ranch.

For I fully recognize the power of the press and when they turn against such cattle as Col. Dwyer has now on the trail, we will all have to stop raising cattle south of the Texas & Pacific railroad. I write that you may be able to correct any false impression regarding his purchase in this state. Let us wish him a safe and speedy trip, for this last lot makes 12,000 he has bought in our state, including his purchase in 1884, and he is liable to want many more. I am yours respectfully,

IKE T. PRYOR.

ROUND-UPS.

Not being satisfied with the weather clerk, who had charge of the rainfall in this section, he was discharged and a new one appointed. The first official act of the new clerk was to order a general rain, which has put new faces on all classes of people, though business is quiet at present.—[Pecos Valley Star.]

Ike Pryor has returned from his Menard county ranch, and reports good rains in that county, and Mason and San Saba. He thinks, however, that the rains have come too late to benefit the crops.—[Austin Record.]

Albert H. Leith, owner of the El Alamo ranch, Chihuahua, Mexico, and about four years ago, being one of the firm of Frost & Leith, proprietors of the Berrendo ranch, this county, arrived last Saturday and on Monday bought 300 heifers and 200 steers, all yearlings, from Jefferson, Miller & Ellis for \$4,500. This bunch of cattle is to be made up out of the J. W. Stirrup C and cross U brands, and is to be delivered at any point on the T. & P., between Abilene and Big Springs about September 1st. Mr. Leith returned to his ranch Tuesday morning accompanied as far as El Paso by Doc Bolton.—[San Angelo Standard.]

It seems to be pretty well settled that we are not to get our usual supply of Texas cattle this season. The prolonged drought in Northern and Western Texas, whence come the larger part of our supplies, has reduced the cattle to such a state of leanness that, were the condition during the remainder of the season never so favorable, the stock could not take on sufficient flesh to make them fit for market. From all the information at hand it is reasonably certain that our receipts from that quarter will be at least one-third less than for 1885, which means a loss to Chicago of not far from one hundred thousand head. This can not but have an important bearing on the market for native grass cattle. Six weeks ago the outlook for the latter was anything but encouraging, but the prospect has brightened. The certainty of a tremendous shortage in the Texas supply, taken in connection with the placing by the French government of an order for 7,000,000 pounds of canned beef, gives assurance of good prices for Texas and native grass cattle. These influences will also be felt in the market for corned beef. While the supply of the latter bids fair to be fully up to the average there will be no surplus and the next three months may be expected to see better prices than prevailed during the corresponding three months of 1885.—[Chicago Live Stock and Dairy Review.]

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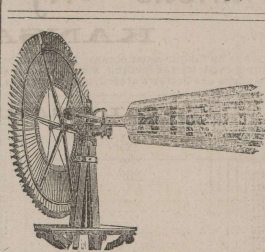
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The Wool Trade.

To the wool growers who have not disposed of their clips, the wool trade is again interesting. Sales in Eastern centers are increasing in volume and are slightly higher in values.

In the Boston Advertiser of the 11th inst. sales of Texas and Southern wool for the week are reported at 175,000 pounds, and only 3,000 pounds not on private terms. This small lot brought 26 cents. A few weeks since so high a price was not considered within the possibilities for anything from Texas. Boston as clearing house for wools is short, having received thirty-one thousand bales less this year than last, that is from January 1 to June 11. Foreign wools have amply supplied the deficiency and it is reported that several thousand bales went across the herring pond a second time, being outward bound for a stronger market. It is a significant movement denoting strength in the world's wool market, and more likely to strengthen values of American fleeces than the gradual decrease in production of the home article.

Foreign goods and yarns continue to arrive freely, showing conclusively that the duties do not keep out the cheap manufactures of England. With such figures before us as the statement of imports, it is difficult to see why every Englishman should not be a free trader and why every American should not be a protectionist. The Advertiser puts it this way:

"The goods market must have great influence upon our wool market, and heavy imports of yarns and dress goods, and also of foreign wools—all this means less call, less need for domestic wool, and those who are blind to this influence may live to regret it. Stop these imports. Change the miserable hodge-podge of a tariff now existing, which does nothing well, except to create complications and endless bother; change this scientifically, so as to protect home industry and prevent undervaluations and frauds in imports, then the outlook would be as excellent as it could be with the low prices of agricultural products taken into consideration. There can be, however, no brilliant prosperity with low prices of wheat, corn, etc., and while these remain so it is well to be cautious and not too sanguine."

Up to date sales at Boston amount to nearly seventeen million pounds of domestic wool less than during the corresponding period of last year. The general prospect of the wool trade is that prices will be restored to the figures of last fall, which reached the indefinite importing point and slightly overstepped it. These figures would place our exceptionally good years clips at 20 to 23 cents, Texas valuation, with the general average somewhere near 20 cents.

The rise in wool here has had the effect of forcing local dealers to operate largely in Western wools, which had heretofore been neglected on account of the condition of the wools and prices owners wanted for the clips. The advance in the East assisted the producers here to a slight extent and enabled those who held the wool to make sales.

The Boston Commercial Bulletin says: "Texas wool is in much better movement and as high as twenty-four cents has been paid during the week for fine year's growth. Medium eight-months wool has sold during the week at 26c." We advance quotations:

Texas fine, 12 mos. 23 to 25c
Do do 6 to 8 mos. 19 to 21c
Texas medium, 12 mos. 25 to 26c
Do do 6 to 8 mos. 22 to 23c
Texas fall fine 16 to 18c
Texas fall medium 18 to 20c

The Double Deck Move.

Up to date it does not seem that the sheep interest of Texas is going to receive more than half what the petition calls for, in the matter of the double deck business.

The request called for double deck cars for sheep at the cattle transportation rate, and the result is a double deck car for sheep, at 20 per cent in excess of the cattle rate, or to come down to the exact basis, it is \$85 for cattle and \$100 for sheep from Texas to St. Louis.

So far, it is understood that the sheep will go beyond St. Louis in single decks, at a rate of \$17 per car, which amounts to \$184.00 per double deck from Texas to Chicago, as against the old rate of \$82 for single decks.

We think that "half a loaf is better than no bread," and will not complain until we know all the facts in the premises. In the meantime the JOURNAL would like to learn from shippers what actual difference there is between the expense in marketing sheep in double and single decks.

The Wool Tariff.

Telegraphic dispatches to the daily papers announce that the congressional committee of ways and means are divided, the majority report disapproving the restoration of the tariff of 1867, and the minority urging it.

The majority claim to advocate free trade, but are not so honest as that. The report ends with this sentence: "That the duties on wool should be repealed, and the duties on woolen manufactures be reduced at least an equal extent."

Here is a juggle of words. The wool growers will insist that if the wool tariff is repealed, the woolen goods tariff shall be repealed.

If tariffs are wrong in principle, and we have to go back to first principles, let us all be ruined together and let a new generation of wool manufacturers and wool growers arise on the true basis.

The wool growing interest is strong enough to insist that there shall be no change towards a reduction of the wool tariff.

Local Wool Market.

Very little if any thing is doing in the Fort Worth wool market. Prices paid during the week did not exceed 18 cents for good medium county clips. Our buyers have made periodical trips to points on Fort Worth & Denver and made purchases. The local clips are now in and the wool men are devoting all their attention to hides, and will make figures on any quantity in any section of the state.

WEEKLY CLIP.

The last week has been the best of the season, a large amount being received and many sales made at good prices. During the week Coman & Shear sold something over 165,000 pounds of Boston parties at prices ranging from 15 to 17 cents. A purchase of ten cars by T. W. Scollard from the above firm will go forward in one train to Boston. Crowds Bros. have received about 20,000 pounds during the week. Their Midland house has received over 13,000 to date.

James Bryden, Angora goat-man of Duval county, paid Corpus a visit Thursday. This young gentleman deserves great credit. Some six years ago he left his friends in Mexico and went into the woods a good distance from anywhere, and engaged in Angora goat raising. Starting with only a few head of fine animals, Mr. Bryden has by industry and strict attention to his business, been rewarded for his trouble, having now about three thousand as fine Angoras as can be found in Texas, and he does not propose to let up, either, until he leads all others in the business. The hair and skins from these beautiful animals are valuable, always commanding ready sale at good figures.—Corpus Christi Caller.

The wool clip of Mr. T. H. Poag and Huffmeyer Bros. topped the market this season. Their 1300 head of sheep sheared 3700 pounds of wool (six months' clip), which was sold for 18 cents. Mr. Poag informs us that his sheep never did better than they are doing now.—[Bandera Enterprise.]

Capt. McGill returned from San Antonio on Friday, having disposed of his wool (12 months) at 19 cents. The captain informs us that his wool was poor, owing to scab in his flock. He says the market was very active, but drawing to a close when he left, and some of the buyers had started for California. He also says that the prospects are bright for a good market in the fall.—[Bandera Enterprise.]

Wool shipments:
A. J. Nations 8,000
C. D. Muhlolland 3,000
C. P. Fuller 4,000
W. H. Fusch 16,000
H. N. Brown 3,000
J. H. Cutler 15,000
A. Garrett 10,000
H. N. Garrett 10,000
Dan Leary 1,000
J. Taylor Bradley 1,020
J. B. McGill 8,000
B. Heck 3,000
J. W. Chapman 5,000
T. J. Mullins 8,500
E. Emmit 11,000
J. Cook 4,000
Humphrey & Walmesley 5,500
—[Marietta News.]

D. A. Crichton, a wool grower of Tom Green county, is shipping sheep to Illinois so as to corn feed them for market.

According to quotations the wool of well kept mutton sheep is selling higher than the wool from Merinos. A lot of Shropshire wool recently sold east at 33 1/2 cents. It was fleece washed.

The wool manufacturer says "I am in favor of free wool. There should be a moderate duty on goods."

W. W. Welch started this week to drive 15,000 of the Stilson, Case & Co., sheep to Kansas or Nebraska where they will be sold as muttons. The ewes had not been bred. Some 4,000 head not fat enough to drive remain on the ranch. The "Childrens grass" which Stephens thought so valuable, and which he reported this firm as depending upon, should be given a rest. If it does not pay to raise sheep on the "Childrens grass" what is the profit in raising sheep on leased lands? The lease law advocates had "better take a walk."—[San Angelo Enterprise.]

Mr. J. R. Tucker, of Cisco, managed to get off a double deck car of sheep at \$100 per car to Kansas City. The number in the car was 235 head. The sheep were consigned to D. Thomson & Co.

Lawrence C. Fenno, of Fenno Bros. & Childs, reports a steady improvement in wools, with prospect of good summer trade. He says: "The immediate causes of this better feeling are the improved condition of the woolen goods market here, the better tone of the Foreign wool markets and the belief, that is daily gaining ground, that the wool clips of the United States is decidedly short of estimate this year."

The Texas & Pacific railroad is now prepared to handle sheep, in double-deck cars, when destined to following points: St. Louis, Mo.; Junction City, Kan.; East St. Louis, Ill.; Emporia Junction, Kan.; Hannibal, Mo.; New Orleans, La.; Kansas City, Mo.; Memphis, Tenn.; Atchison, Kan.; Columbus, Ky.; St. Joseph, Mo.; Cairo, Ill.; Leavenworth, Kan.; Little Rock, Ark.

OUR ST. LOUIS LETTER.

Good Sheep Selling—Range of Prices—Double Deckers.

St. Louis, Mo., June 14, 1886.
Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

The old saying that a good article always sells well is truly exemplified in the case of Texas sheep. Strictly fat and fancy muttons, Texas, Kansas, Colorado or natives are wanted and bring, all things considered, pretty decent figures. The run of desirable grades the past week was by no means excessive at this and other points, consequently prices are a little higher all around. Of course there is a material discrepancy between fat natives and fat Texas, for the fattest Texas will, this season, weigh at most, 100 lbs, while prime natives go up to 135 lbs and over. The former brought \$3.90 and the latter \$4.65 per 100 lbs. Some small lots of native sheep were sold to butchers at \$4.85 per 100 lbs. However, a fancy Texas will bring \$4 per 100 lbs, but I think there are none in Texas. Well, for a range, I will give a few sales made within the past three days:

No.	Grade	Av.	Pr.
664	prime Texas sheep	90	\$3.65
707	" "	86	3.40
176	good " "	86	3.73
227	" "	86	3.00
523	" "	97	3.00
119	fair " "	72	2.75
265	" "	75	2.75
112	" "	82	2.50
235	Texas stockers	67	2.15
336	" "	77	2.12
1120	" "	69	2.12

From the above it will be seen that fair Texas sheep of 65 lbs or thereabouts are only taken for stockers and at stocker prices, which are very low indeed.

Texas flockmasters and farmers should make a note of this and ship only selected stock.

But few sales of common sheep of 60 lbs took place and brought from \$1.50 to 2.00 per 100 lbs. Our commission salesmen do not care to handle very common sheep, and are glad when the owners declare they will try Chicago. They are done up at that point to the "Queen's taste."

The prospects for the immediate future cannot be foretold with any degree of accuracy, but it can be depended upon that fat muttons are always in demand.

The double deck cars for sheep are being turned out of the shops of the Missouri Pacific in rather small numbers. Mr. W. H. Newman, the traffic manager, informed the undersigned that this is the experimental stage of the proceedings, and it is policy to make haste slowly. Perhaps Texas sheep raisers do not see it in that light, yet it cannot be helped. The railroad officials do not seem to know that there is a season for sheep as well as for oysters or strawberries. They look upon stock, be it sheep, cattle or hogs, as an all-year freightage, to be shipped in December as well as in May. One thing is now certain, and that is double deckers will end their journey at this point.

The receipts of wool the past week were 1,250,000 lbs, all of which found sale at strong prices; 264,200 lbs of the receipts were Texas wool. The demand is very large and for all grades above common.

The following is from the St. Louis Daily Market Reporter: "There were ready buyers for every available lot, at full quotations; market buoyant and advancing throughout. Most of this year's Missouri and Illinois growth has been received; considerable Kansas, Nebraska, Texas and Territory wools have arrived also, but the clips from these latter sections have only begun to move. Receivers here are desirous to make known to those shippers the advantages of sending their wools here; and, from letters of inquiry, samples of wool, and actual consignments received, it is evident they are meeting with deserved success. Representative buyers for mills (East and West) speculators, order buyers, besides our own reliable dealers, were all in the market, and competing for the offerings."

We quote Texas wool:
Medium clothing, long 23 to 24
Medium clothing, short 18 to 20
Light fine, long 19 to 20
Light fine, short 17 to 18
Heavy fine 14 to 17
Low, sandy, earthy, etc. 13 to 15
All burry 13 to 15
Black 16 to 19
Cotted 14 to 16
RATTLER.

Killing Valuable Sheep.

Correspondence American Rural Home. MELBOURNE, AUST., April 22, 1886.

The destruction of eight imported Leicester sheep, valued at \$2,500, by the government of Victoria, on the 6th of present month, is a matter of international importance. The facts briefly stated are as follows: Owing to foot and mouth disease being brought into the colonies a few years since, through the carelesslessness, the governments of the several colonies passed a law that no more stock of any kind should be imported. As a natural result of this extreme measure the studs began to deteriorate, and many breeders of fine animals desired that the ports should again be opened to stock after rigid quarantine. But in this, as in everything else, a number of stock breeders objected, saying that they already had the finest stock obtainable and desired nothing better. To settle the matter by actual test Messrs. R. Harper & Co., of Melbourne, bought nine prize-taking

sheep from different stud farms in England. They reached Melbourne on the steamship Paramatta, on the 17th of March, but were not allowed to land. They were then carried to Sydney and refused foothold in New South Wales. One of the sheep died there, owing to long confinement. The remaining eight were again brought to Melbourne, the Messrs. Harper obtained the regular papers from the customs to land the sheep, and accordingly did so, putting them in an unshed shed near the wharf at Williamstown, some ten miles from the city proper. The next day, after landing, brief search by their enemies discovered their whereabouts. A delegation was hurriedly got together, the commissioner of customs interviewed, who declared he knew nothing about their being landed, as it was against his express orders. A hasty meeting of the cabinet was held and an order given for the destruction of the sheep. An officer sent to dispatch them. He forced an entrance to where they were confined, hired a butcher to do the bloody work, and the eight beautiful sheep were piled in a heap and burned. The papers have been filled with the subject and Messrs. Harper have brought action against the government for the value of the sheep, and will probably secure it, owing to their having passed the customs. A veterinary surgeon had examined the animals and decided they were free from any disease. It has now been made public that, owing to the chief clerk in the customs being away on a holiday, and a new man in his place, the papers were unwittingly granted. I, for one, am glad of it. The government is eternally granting holidays—there are about forty on the regular calendar now and as many more on the semi-regular. One thing, at least, is certain—no American need attempt to import any stock here at present.

A petition will be presented to our commissioner's court next Monday praying for an election to determine whether sheep, hogs and goats shall be permitted to run at large in precinct No. 1. As for the sheep, we are not concerned, but we do hope for the sake of Bandera town that the goats and hogs will be penned.—[Bandera Enterprise.]

FROM HAMILTON COUNTY.

The Trip to Gatesville—Sale of Wool.
HAMILTON, June 10th, 1886.
Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:
Sir:—According to previous arrangements the movement of wool towards Gatesville took place on the 1st and 2nd, and on the 3rd the spacious rink was packed to its full capacity. The announcement in the papers of this action of our association was the signal for the gathering on that day of buyers from all points and lively competition was the result; besides the buyers present Mr. E. Morse was there soliciting consignments for the old house of Walter Brown & Co., of Boston, from those who preferred that method of disposing of their clip prices ranged from 18 1/2 cents to 19 1/2 cents and gave general satisfaction considering the state of the market. The article in the Gatesville Star of the 5th on the subject conveys a wrong impression and the next number of that paper will make its own correction. As a matter of fact no wool went into the rink that did not belong to Hamilton county and the means thus employed for the display of the different clips and to bring buyers and producer together has met with the general approval of both and has established the reputation of the county for producing wool of a quality second to none in the state.

In order to perfect banking arrangements we were obliged to wait for telegraphic communication with N. Y. This necessitated our stay over Sunday in the hospitable city of Gatesville, which had come to be regarded as the adopted home of wool growers. On the 3rd a very cordial invitation to a dinner was extended to all the shepherms by Gatesville's worthy mayor, Dr. R. J. Perry, in a short speech delivered at the rink, which was responded to by the president of the association, and the various hotels were well patronized by a company of fellows "all wool and a yard wide," whose appetite attested their high appreciation of the kind hospitality of which they were the recipients. Altogether the movement was a success and many wool-growers of other counties expressed a determination to follow the example of Hamilton in the future. The range in this locality is getting extremely dry as we had no rain since May 1st. Oats are light, and rain must come very soon to save the corn crop.

Yours truly,
A. S. BOYNTON.

Hon. M. A. Foran, of Ohio, member of House of Representatives, writes that St. Jacobs Oil relieved him of acute bodily pains.

A Fast Train.
"What's the matter?" asked a passenger on a Dakota train as they began to run considerably faster.

"Why, to see there's a blamed cow running ahead of us on the track and we're trying to catch her."

"What do you want to catch the cow for?"

"Why, great gosh! to kill her, of course!" The rails allow us train men the hide and tallow and the meat goes to the directors. You bet I'm going to catch that cow unless she leaves the track or run the wheels off of these cars. I told the fireman to break up the trucks in the baggage car and heave them into the furnace to make a hot fire and I guess he's doing it."

Estilline Bell.

A bottle of Red Star Cough Cure made a thorough and permanent cure of a cold so severe I could not talk, says Mr. J. P. Roach, assistant superintendent New York Central Sleeping Car company.

The first of the double-deck sheep cars came in Friday and yesterday the United Trading company shipped 3,000 head of sheep in the new cars to the Chicago market. These cars will carry about 250 head, and will be a great saving to sheep men.—[Colorado Clipper.]

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