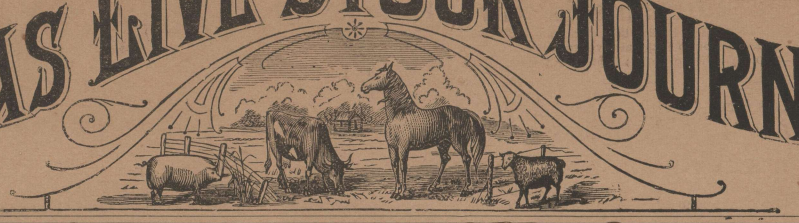
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The Union Stock Yards at Fort Worth are very nearly complete, and so far as feeding transient stock is concerned, the yards are open for business. The buildings are so far advanced towards completion that the directors are absolutely safe in the announcement that on September 1st the performance will commence in good earnest, for the sale of cattle, sheep, hogs, and horses and mules.

When the Northwest Texas Cattle Raisers association met in Fort Worth last March, the association passed a resolution indorsing these Union yards, and pledged the support of the association in a business way to the venture, also recommending this, the first attempt to establish a permanent home market for Texas stock, to the good will of the state at large, and commending the purposes as beneficial to the live stock interests of the state. But the association had only a faint idea of the magnitude of the works, and did not understand that the Fort Worth Union Stock Yards were to be constructed unon a scale commensurate with the great interests the yards are intended to serve.

The capital stock of the company is $200,000, and every cent paid up, was at par for cash, and so great is the faith in the success of the yards, the stock is now quoted at a premium. There are 258 acres of land in the tract, bought two years ago, now worth at least three times the original cost. This land includes three-fourths of a mile of Trinity river frontage, and all drainage is clear of the yards and the city.

The site of the yards is high and dry, with a gravel formation and hard soil above, and in addition every pen has been filled in with 15 inches of gravel, so that the yards are superior to any of the smaller yards in the state in this particular. The capacity of the yards is about 5000 cattle, 10,000 sheep and 20,000 hogs; more than is expected to be yarded there in one day for some time to come; but the directors are anxious to find an excuse at once to duplicate the entire capacity of the yards, and will do so on the shortest notice. The horse and mule market is a special feature, and in addition to the pens, a building is constructed 35x135 feet, and a wing 35x85 feet, for the accommodation of the better class of horses and for blooded stock of all descriptions.

The exchange building, now nearly complete, is 64 feet wide by 174 feet long, and two stories high. The bank, offices, kitchen, dining room, wash room, are all in the exchange building, and ample accommodations for one hundred men are furnished for those who are compelled to remain with their stock at the yards over night. There are at present twelve first-class offices for commission men.

The water supply is obtained from the 250-foot artesian well, with 6-inch flow. There is also a storage tank of 50,000 gallons capacity kept full readily by one of the 14-foot Halliday wind mills, erected with the tank by the Panhandle Machinery and Improvement company of Fort Worth. There is also a steam engine connected with the yard mains to furnish additional power, so that the water supply in all divisions of the yards is ample, and the second story of the exchange building is furnished with water. Cypress tanks are in all the pens, with faucets to turn the water on and off. The chutes are so arranged that a train of 22 cars can be unloaded at once, and all distributing and reloading is arranged for, and all alleys are bridged.

At present the direct railroad connections are with the St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas railway, and the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad. Other lines, however, are making their arrangements to come in on their own tracks; but in the meantime the Santa Fe will do all the switching and receive at the union depot all stock to be fed or offered for sale at the yards. Stockmen can stick a pin here, and assist the enterprise greatly by insisting that their stock be fed at the Fort Worth Union Stock Yards. Some lines may say they cannot do so, for a whole raft of reasons, but none of them will amount to anything if stock shippers will insist that the stock be fed here at the Union yards. There is nothing to prevent the stock being fed at the yards, and stockmen can be assured that their interests will be thoroughly looked after.

No union yard in the United States is more accessible. Street cars propelled by electricity will be running July 15. The cars run from the union depot through the town, over the new iron bridge across the Trinity river, directly to the yards. By another route there is a macadamized carriage road all the way, and the yard company is now putting finishing touches on the streets in front of the exchange building. The distance is about two miles from the courthouse.

The yard company officers are: president, Jno. R. Hoxie; vice-president, J. W. Burgess; secretary, G. B. Paxton; treasurer, W. M. Harrison; directors, E. B. Harrold, Jno. R. Hoxie, A. T. Byers, W. M. Harrison, H. C. Holloway, M. G. Ellis, J. W. Burgess, J. C. McCarthy and R. H. Sellers.

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From the above, a plain, simple and accurrate statement, stockmen can learn that the yards are an accomplished fact. It now devolves upon the stockmen to watch these yards with a friendly eye, and to do all that can consistently be done to strengthen the hands of the yard company.

At the head and front of the organization are practical stockmen, who will do all that men and means can do to establish another great market in the Southwest. The stockmen of Texas are asked to ship their stock to the greater markets via Fort Worth, and to have their stock fed here if it is the right distance for the feeding point from the shipping station. Then the commission man should have right to sell at Fort Worth at his discretion.

The leading firms in the great markets doing business with Texas stockmen will establish offices at the yards, and superintend their Texas business from Fort Worth, and all Texas stockmen have to do to insure the success of home market is to lend their assistance to this venture, and encourage the management in their efforts to establish packing houses and canneries at the yards.

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DECREASE PRODUCTION,

A Programme for Cattle Growers.

Some man who held a prominent position in cattle breeding circles once openly advocated warfare as the remedy for low cattle values. He wanted the nations to go to war and consume the surplus beef. It did not matter to him whether the whole world was turned upside down provided he sold his cattle to advantage. This was several years ago, before cattle values had reached the present low point. The nations, however, are still at peace, and the cattle interest must not expect a revolution to cause their business to become more profitable unless they are willing that the revolution be among themselves.

We may take it for granted that for the good of cattle raisers, there are too many cattle in the country. Any way there are too many being marketed, which is very much the same in effect. The prices are low and the markets are glutted. Cattlemen are producing cattle at a loss, and the prospects are gloomy for the balance of the year, since an abundance of good grass will insure the fattening of a large number of range cattle to fill up all vacancies in the greater markets, and the poverty of the ranchmen will cause them to sell everything that may become in marketable fix.

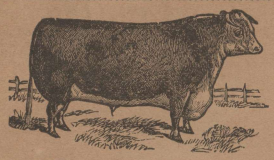
All hands will agree that until the markets are more lightly supplied with cattle the prices must rule low. All hands will not agree, however, as to how the supplies can be reduced, so that each individual will be the gainer and none will lose by the process.

The ranchman sells old cows, and young ones too, and calves; he also spays a lot of heifers. The result will be decreased production, but now at this moment it looks like over-production. A few years ago he was marketing twelve per cent. of the herd only, in beef steers and old cows. Everything else was kept for accumulation to increase the herd, and then prices were increasing, whereas now prices are low stocks are diminishing and the ranchman is selling everything he can lay his hands on.

If we determined as a means to further reduce production that not one calf of 1889 should be allowed to live, then we would be exercising the radical measures trust companies adopt to reduce production of commodities and raise the price, and we would be acting wisely from the stand point of our own interest for it is a fact that the cattle marketed the present year would have made more money for owners had all of them been sold and killed as calves, one, two, three or four years ago as the case may be.

As a practical issue for cattle growers a further decrease in cattle supplies seems to be desirable. Every cattle owner should appoint himself a committee of one to devise ways and means to reduce the available supplies. He should consider his own herd with a view to cutting it down in quantity and increasing it in quality. If he does not, if we all do not, who can tell

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The old cattlemen leaned back in his chair and poised between scornful fingers the last chapter of a cigar.

"It's things like this," he said, "as makes men bathe in blood. Clark Frost gave it to me and allowed it was an imported Fois del Fumigator. It tastes more like the breath of a bull snake than anything I ever run up with, an' makes me feel like I did when I read 'The Quick or the Dead.' Frost is goin' to make it right or the 'Midland' will shortly shudder with the low, [illegible]g, wailing echo of the funeral howl. When a man starts out to pizen me, he makes an enemy and should go fixed to dodge the worst.

"No, I won't kill him, I'll sorter postpone him for several days. If he's missed around the home-camp here, you'll find him at the heel of some hospital's docket slowly and painfully recoverin' from the shock of our interview.

"No, son, I never did no killin' myself, but I've stood 'round and seed folks git checked clear through, which is more profitable. I calls to mind a killin' down to old Ike Stockton's hotel, about seven miles below Raton. You kin see the old house yet from the Santa Fe winders, but this here little flippancy I'm mentionin' was hist'ry before the railroad got there.

"There was a big crowd at Stockton's that June day. The corrals was full of pack mules and bull teams an' wagon trains from the East, an' white men, Mexicans, half-breeds, an' Injuns was a mixin' an' meanderin' 'round, a lyin' an' a laughin' an' a drinkin' old Ike's whisky mighty profuse. Four or five mule skinners had their long, lumber 16-foot whips which are loaded with dust from butt to tip, an' was crackin' o' 'em at a mark. I've seen one of 'em with the most easy, delicate, deliberate twist of the wrist, make his whip squirm in the air like a hurt snake, an' all at wonst straighten it out with the crack of twenty rifles an' the buckskin popper would cut a hole in a loose buffalo robe he'd hung up, an' all without investin' two ounces of actoal strength. Several of us was a lookin' on from the hotel porch appludin' of the good shots, when Red River Tom speaks up to the man next to me an' says:

"'Bill, you mind that old Kiowa you downed over on the Cimmaron last fall?'

'I minds it mighty clear,' says Bill.' 'He was a stealin' my hoss at the time an' I kin prove it by his skelp on my bridle right now.'

'Well, says Tom, pointin' to a dirty saddle-colored half-breed who was makin' himself pretty numerous, that fellow they call Pickles is his nephy, an' you wants to look out a whole lot, for I've heard him allow that the killin' of his uncle was mighty rank, an' he didn't like it nohow.'

"That's all right,' says Bill. 'Pickles an' me has been watchin' each other fer an hour an' I'll tell you, all private, if he goes to play hoss a little bit, he and his uncle will be able to talk things over before night.'

"Bimeby Pickles he comes along up where we are.

"Hello, Bill,' he says, 'been makin' it smoky down on the Cimarron lately?"

"No not since last fall,' says Bill, an' now I thinks of it, I see that old Kiowa hoss thief of an uncle of yours when I was down there last, I aint met him lately, though, where do you suppose he's done loped to?"

'Can't say myself,' says Pickles, with a sort of wicked cheerfulness, our family had a reunion over on Bear creek last spring, an' I couldn't count his nose among 'em nohow. Mebby he had an engagement an' couldn't get thar. Mebby he's out slashing' 'round in the high grass some'ers now. Great man to go 'round permiscus, that Injun was.'

"You see,' says Bill I didn't know but he might be dead, 'cause the time I was 'ludin to, I was settin' in camp one day an' happens to look up an' thar was my hoss, Alazan, with a perfect stranger on him. Alazin was a pitchin' an' a cavortin' quite frightful an' looks like he was goin' to cripple that stranger shore. Well, you know me. I'd rather lose two horses than to have a man I don't know git hurt, so I grabs my Winchester an' allows to kill Alazan. But it was a new gun, an' you know what new sights is—coarse as sand burrs—an' I holds too high an' I ketches the stranger, bang! right back of his left y'ear an' the bullet come outen his right y'ear. I never was so displeased with my shootin' for ten years. The idea of me holdin' four foot too high in a 100 yards, I was so plumb disgusted an' ashamed, I never went near the stranger 'til after I'd finished my grub. Alazan, he come up all shiverin' an' sweatin' and stood there, an' in an hour or so I walks out to the remains, an' when I seed it was nuthin' but an old digger of an Injun, you kin drink on it I was relieved. Bein' a no account Injun, of course I didn't paw him over much for brands, but it struck me at the time it was mighty likely to be your uncle. This old cuss's skelp is over my bridle, if you think you'd know it.'

"O, no,' says Pickles, mighty unconsarned, 'it couldn't be my uncle nohow. If it was one of my family it would have been your hair on his bridle, so it must have been some old shorthorn of a Cheyenne you seed. Well, let's all take a drink on it.'

"So we went in for our whisky, Bill an' Pickles watchin' each other mighty close an' all the rest of us on the keevee, as the French say, to hop outen range if they took to shootin.'

"Well,' said Pickles, as he secreted his liquor, I must saddle an' git out of here. I want to see Maxwell an' I don't reckon I'll find the old Pinto this side of Taos either. When do you think you'll leave yourself, Bill?'

'I don't put it up I'll leave for a long time,' says Bill, mebby not for a month, so don't go to makin' any friendly waits for me nowhar on the trail Pickles, 'cause you'd most likely run out of water or somethin' before I got along.'

Bimeby Pickles he gets saddled up and chargin' 'round on his little buckskin hoss, cuttin' all manner of tricks, reachin' fer things on the ground, snatchin' off Mexicans' hats an a jumpin' his pony over wagon tongues and camp fixin's. All the time a whoopin' and a yellin' and havin' a high old time all by himself. You could see he was gittin, up his blood an' nerve reglar Injun fashion. Pretty soon he takes down his rope an' goes to whirlin' that. Two or three times he comes flashin' by where we were an' I looked for to see him make a try for Bill. But he was too far back or too many 'round him or Pickles couldn't get his hoss' step or somethin,' for he didn't throw it, but jest kept yellin' an' ridin' louder an' faster every minute. About this time Stockton came out from his bar room.

'Look yere, Pickles,' he says, 'I've just told three of my men to lead you up a whole lot if you go to pitch that rope just once an' they're goin' to do it. Bein' as the news concerned you personal I allowed it wasn't nothin' more than friendly to tell you. Then agin I don't like to lose a good custom[illegible] I had to nohow.'

'So old Ike he goes bac[illegible] room an' Pickles gits dow[illegible] his hoss standin' and comes[illegible] the porch.

'Do you know, Bill,' he say[illegible] like the onrespectful way y[illegible] Injuns. I'm Injun part in[illegible] don't like it.'

'No?' said Bill, 'I spose tha[illegible] too. And yet, Pickles, not [illegible] nothin' personal at all, for I wo[illegible] personal with a horned toad, only onrespectful of an Injun an[illegible] the gov'ment oughter pay a bou[illegible] their skelps, but I states a belief [illegible] mean, onery, mud-blooded, sne[illegible] hoss-stealin' mongrel of a half-bre[illegible] lower yet. I holdin' he aint even[illegible] ple—aint even nuthin' in fact. B[illegible] change the subjeck, as well as open[illegible] avenoo for another round of drinks, [illegible] bet you, Pickles, you stole that h[illegible] down thar an' that the 7 K brand on [illegible] shoulder aint no brand at all, but ju[illegible] picked on with the point of a knife.'

'When Bill put it all over him th[illegible] away we looked for some shootin' shore but Pickles couldn't steady himself on the pinch. He was just like lots of ponies I've seed. He'd ride right at a thing as though he was goin' clean through or over, an' just the last second he'd shy an' flinch an' weaken. The fact is, son, it wasn't Pickles fault. There isn't any breed of man on earth but the pure white as will play a desperate deal clean through and call the turn at the close, and of course Pickles was only half white. So he laughed sorter ugly at Bill's bluff and allowed he'd order drinks without no bettin.'

'And then, Bill,' he says, 'I want you to take dinner with me. I'll have Ike get us up something right.'

'I'll go you,' says Bill, if it aint nothin' but sowbelly.'

'I'll fix you people up a feed,' says old Ike, 'but you can't do your eatin' in no dinin' room of mine. I'll fix it over in the camp house, t'other side the corral, an' you kin be just as sociable as you please. There wont be nuthin' nor nobody for you to hurt or disturb over there.'

"After a little their grub was got ready in the camp house an' Bill an' Pickles walks over side an' side. They goes in an' shuts the door an' in about five minutes bang! bang! goes two six shooters an' we all goes over an' finds Bill eatin' away all right an Pickles' over the other side with his head in his tin plate an' his brains runnin' out over his left eye.'

'It don't look like Pickles was hungry much after all,' says Bill.

'They'd both pulled their guns as they sat down an' put 'em in their laps but just as I say Pickles couldn't stand the pressure an' gettin' nervous he grabbed for his gun an' as he went to get it up the muzzle caught under the table top an' there his bullet was all safe in the wood. Bill bein' 'clean strain' had better luck.

'After dinner we impaneled a jury an' tried Bill for the killin.' Of course we knowed he'd got to be acquitted and the killin' was right, but it bothered a heap to find a ground to put it on.

'You see,' says Jim Tate, 'this killin' was bound to be all right from the jump no matter who'd got salted. Each was agin' the other on an' just went to this shootin' hand in hand like two brothers. Neither was to blame, an' that's what gets me.'

"Finally an old mule skinner from Trinidad he gits up an' says:

"This here killin' was all right, but there bein' some present difficulty of givin' the reasons why it's all right, an' owin' as we do, a dooty to the public, I moves you, Mr. Foreman, that our verdict be 'justified homecide,' based on the ground that Pickles insulted Bill's wife.'

"This was good enough. Of course, Bill didn't have no wife, but that didn't hurt it for a reason just the same.

"Well, my son, if you'll go with me to the bar-room, I'll show you a trick with a glass of whisky I used to teach."

Don't buy the Missouri penitentiary saddle trees, but buy the genuine Loeloff, for sale by Brackett & Holman, San Antonio, Texas.

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Largest stock of tin plate, metals, sheet iron, iron roofing and siding in Western Texas, Piper & Schultheiss, San Antonio, Texas. We sell at factory prices, only freight added.

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...rant County Cattle.

...county turned off a good lot ...during the last seven days, ...re shipped by Beggs & Hack... Strahorn & Co. of the Union ...ards, Chicago, as follows: C. ...bee, 43 steers, 1135 lbs, $3.40; ...ers, 1075 lbs, $3.30; Wm. Corn, ...teers, 1010 lbs, $3.30; W. M. ...ks, 24 steers, 990 lbs, $3; Rich'd ..., 22 steers, 975 lbs, $2.85; F. O. ...er, 87 steers, 1050 lbs, $3.10; 20 ...gs, 1237 lbs, $2.25; J. S. Pittinger, ... steers, 1093 lbs, $3.45; B. Hackett, ... steers, 1055 lbs, $3.25; Mr. Doty, 11 ...teers, 1230 lbs, $3.50; Beggs & Hack...tt, 91 steers, 950 lbs, $3; E. D. Farm...er, 63 steers, 1205 lbs, $3.40; 96 steers, 1030 lbs, $3.30.

General Range and Stock Notes.

George Spiller of Jacksboro arrived town during the week and put up at the Ellis.

A special notice by the manager of the Valley View Stock Farm, near Gordon, Texas, appears in this issue.

The beef markets range a cent per pound lower than at this time last year on all classes from calves up.

Col. Thos. F. Fisher has temporarily departed from Fort Worth headquarters and is in St. Louis. He will return in a day or two.

Capt. S. A. Hatcher of Fort Worth has gone to Young county to receive another stock of horses for the firm of Hatcher, Woods & Coppinger.

It is said that the list of live stock commission agents in Texas is greater and longer than the list of St. Louis buyers to be found in this issue.

The run of cattle from the South has let up to a considerable extent and Northern Texas is receiving the full benefit of the low market.

James D. Farmer of Fort Worth has 800 three and four-year-old steers for sale and the JOURNAL is under bonds to sell them provided he don't ask too high a price.

...st recent transfers of pure-bred Devon cattle the Record mentions the following Texas purchasers: A. Y. Walton, jr, & Co., San Antonio, and E. W. Link of Palestine.

Mr. B. F. Russell of Walnut, Bosque county, is offering for exchange six good farms. His notice is in the For Sale column. These are fine properties in a very productive country.

Col. D. R. Fant came down from the Nation where he left cattle fattening rapidly and every thing looking well. The beef market, however, gives him no satisfaction as his cattle are ready for shipment before the market is.

Mr. J. M. Edwards of Smithfield, Tarrant county, was in Fort Worth, seeking to deliver some choice beef cattle he had sold, and is very well satisfied to know that some one stands between him and the greater markets in this instance.

A. S. Nicholson of Fort Worth returned from a trip to the Conchos where he purchased of Mr. W. H. Thomas of Dallas 1200 steers out of the McIntyre & Barnett herd, the same to be received in October at Ruthford on the Denver road.

Mr. Eli Titus, live stock agent of the A., T. & S. F. railroad, came to Fort Worth on Saturday last and remained two days. Since his connection with the line in Texas stockmen here find stock transit via the Santa Fe is very greatly improved.

Mr. E. R. Merrill, general superintendent of transportation for the Burton Stock Car Company, was in Fort Worth, and paid a visit to the JOURNAL office. He is preparing for a campaign in Texas, and will have a lot of their cars in the state.

Four thousand Texas calves found their way to the Chicago market last week, and we may as well observe here that all these calves were slaughtered. Calf shippers must watch the market closely, as it is considerably lower than last year.

Colonel C. H. Higbee of Fort Worth, office with R. E. Maddox & Co., is in the market to buy yearlings, provided he can buy them in accordance with the market that purchased his beef. Col. Higbee has one of the best pastures in Tarrant county and he uses it to mature Texas steers.

Mr. L. D. Voak, general agent of the Streets Stable car line, returned from San Antonio and announces that Mr. Alex Prenatt, who has been acting as local agent there goes North, and Mr. R. W. Butler will be found at San Antonio and give prompt attention to all business connected with the car line.

Capt. J. F. Day of this county sold to Mr. Dunlavy of Richmond, Texas, a car-load of Shothorns and Herefords, bulls and heifers. They go to Mr. Dunlavy's ranch in Fort Bend county. The prices were very satisfactory, and the stock was first-class, having been raised by Capt. Day on his ranch in this county.

Mr. J. E. Cooper of the firm of J. R. Jeter & Co., land agents of Fort Worth has returned from an extended tour to the North advertising Texas. He reports that Texas properties are in good favor, and the state has gained considerable of late in the estimation of men of means who are seeking Western investments.

D. W. Morris of Waxahachie, one of the cattle shippers who is willing to confess that his scalp hangs on the wigwam of the Big Four, is now agent for the Streets Western Stable car line and is doing good work to convince the stockmen that it is profitable to use the improved cars. Mr. Morris shipped a train for Mr. H. A. Pierce of Waxahachie that left on Monday for Chicago.

Jno. S. Powell & company of Fort Worth are receiving 450 head of horses from the Mrs. H. M. King ranch, consisting of one, two and three-year-olds up. They are geldings and mares and will be sold upon their merits at reasonable figures. They will deliver at Henrietta the 3000 southern yearlings sold to Mr. H. B. Sanborn to be matured on his Clay county ranch.

Valuable irrigated farm of 700 acres, 500 acres in cultivation, in Rio Grande Valley below El Paso, near Ysleta. Will raise four tons of alfalfa per acre each year; grows fruit, grapes, or anything raised in Texas. Dry weather don't count there. Price $20,000, and worth it. For sale or exchange for a good stocked or unstocked pasture in Central or South Texas. S. M. Smith, Austin, Texas.

Mr. C. G. Hubbard, representing Messrs. Denny, Rice & Co., wool commission merchants of Boston, was in town and paid his usual visit to the JOURNAL. The firm he represents is the only one of the Boston houses announcing that at all times wool-growers can be accommodated by advances on the next clip. The firm is a very strong one and thoroughly understand Texas wools.

Mr. George O. Keck of the Fish & Keck Co, Kansas City, Mo., was registered at the Pickwick hotel during the week. His firm is a patron of the JOURNAL from their first day in business and we are pleased to see that in a great measure success has attended their efforts, Mr. Keck seldom travels and is generally to be found personally superintending the sale of cattle consigned to the firm at the Kansas City yards.

A sample of how stockmen made money wintering cattle in the Gonzales district is furnished by Mr. C. C. French, as follows: One man paid $17 around for a lot of steers last fall and sold them this spring, his returns showing the net results to be $1.50 per head. Besides the interest on the money the shipper lost the pasturage, a crop of corn and $1.60 per head. He also lost his own time and labor expense. The question now is: "How many cattle will be in fed Gonzales county next winter?"

Professor Alexander Hogg, who for the past seven years has been superintendent of public schools at Fort Worth, is now seeking another engagement, as changes in the school board caused his retirement from service here. The schools of Fort Worth attained a very high degree of efficiency under Professor Hogg, who is fully competent, and thoroughly in earnest in all educational matters, and the JOURNAL hopes that the recent changes will enable the Professor to find a larger and more lucrative field for the exercise of his great abilities.

As will be seen by the letter in this issue some quick average transit is being made in live stock shipments and sometimes the special runs are quicker. A sample occurred when Pierce, Hillburn & Co. shipped a train last Saturday evening from Waxahachie, via, the M. K. & T. railroad and C. B. & Q. to Chicago, reaching that market for sale on the following Wednesday morning. We will soon expect such runs as will permit the shipper to march from the shipping pens to the telegraph office to find out how the stock sold.

Mr. L. W. Christian of Weatherford, owner of the famous Grasslands ranch in Parker county, is offering baled hay for sale in car-load lots. This hay is second to none in the state of Texas, and received the first premium at the Texas state fair. The car I is in the For Sale or Exchange columns. Mr. Christian has just returned from Chicago, where he shipped some good beaves, and in common with other shippers, he is thankful to be able to return home at once, and not have to work out the freight bills and other charges.

Deafness Can't be Cured

by local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucus lining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucus surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that we cannot cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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Have 2500 head of the largest and best selected bunch of Northwest Texas brood mares and horses on the market; also one and two-year-old fillies. Will contract Northwest Texas cattle for future delivery.

A Circular to Stockmen.

FORT WORTH, TEX., June 26, 1889.

Dear Sir: We take the liberty to invite your attention to our stock of water supply goods. Do you want a wind mill, a horse-power, a pump, a well drilling machine, a bill of piping, a tank, or anything in that line? You cannot do better than to get our prices before purchasing anywhere else.

If you intend improving or adding to your water supply, either for watering stock or for irrigating, you can save much money if you will send us your address and ask us to send you the lithograph and description of the Rogers reservoir. We send this free, and it will tell you how to construct the cheapest and the best reservoir for water which has ever been constructed. Every ranchman should know of this method. There is no patent on it, it was the invention of a Western cattleman, he gives it free to benefit the stock and irrigation interests of Texas.

You will be interested in the U. S. Solid wind mill. It was designed expressly to suit the conditions found in the range country; it having a long stroke, perfect regulation, and is by far the best and most economical, as well as practical wind mills for heavy work that has ever been brought out. It has become the favorite wherever it has been introduced, is, in fact, fast taking the place of all other mills wherever it has been tried.

You should have our treatise on wind mill water supply, it will give you points on the water question which will be of great benefit to you if you intend improving. It will cost you nothing, we send it to any one who will write us requesting a copy; it is not written in the interest of any mill, but only gives description of what is required to make the best of service, and also gives suggestions as to the most economical arrangement of such service for the ranch.

We have had long experience in that class of work, have put in the most extensive works in the state; carry the largest and most complete stock of water supply goods in the South. Should you intend improving and need water supply for any purpose we desire to correspond with you. Hoping that we may hear from you we are

Yours &c.,

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Office, Mansion Hotel,



Fort Worth, Texas.

Offer for sale choice thoroughbred and high-grade **Hereford, Polled-Angus, Durham, Holsteins and Jersey Bulls and Heifers.** Stock on hand and for sale on very reasonable terms.

Sales were made at $2.25 to $3.10 per 100 lbs for steers, and cows $1.75 to $2.25. sheep were scarce to-day and wanted. Sales were made at $3.25 to $3.75 per 100 lbs.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, June 28.—Mark t lightly supplied with beef cattle. Prices firm and outlook promising. Yearling market steady and moderately supplied. Calves in large supply. Prices weak and irregular.

QUOTATIONS:—Choice beeves, per lb. gross, 2¼@3c; common to fair beeves, 2@2¼c; good fat cows, 2@2¼c; common to fair, $9@14; calves, $4@8; yearlings, $7@11; good fat corn-fed hogs, per lb gross, 5@5¼c; common to fair, 4@4¾c; good fat sheep, each $2.50@3; common to fair, $1.25@2.

GALVESTON.

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

BEEVES & Cows—Choice, per lb, gross, 3@2¼c; common 1½@2; 2-year-olds, choice, per head, $8@10; common, per head, $6@8; yearlings, choice, per head, $6@8; common, per head, $4.50@$5.50; calves, choice, per lb, gross, 2½@3c; common, per head, $3@4.

SHEEP—Choice, per lb. gross, 3@3½c. A fair demand for good fat cows. Calves and yearlings, common and old cows very slow sale at low prices. Sheep in fair demand at quotations.

SAN ANTONIO.

Owing to the demoralization of the Northern market the local market has been very bad, but would be worse but for the enterprise of our local commission men who make every effort to place their surplus in other towns in Central Texas, and often in Northern markets.

CATTLE—Steers, shippers $14@20, or $1.50@1.75 per 100 lbs; and butchers, $12@15; cows, fat, from $10.00@12; light, at $8@10; yearlings, $4.50@6.00; calves, $3.50@4.50 SHEEP—Muttons, $1.50@2.25. Goats, average stock $1.00@1.50 per head.

HOGS—Natives $3.50@4.

DALLAS.

CATTLE.—Choice corn-fed steers, 2½@2¾c; common to fair, 2@2¼c; choice grass steers, 2@2¼c; common to fair, 1¾@2c; choice fat grass cows, 2c; common to fair, 1½@1¾c; yearlings, $5@8; choice veal calves, 3@3¾c; bulls, 1¼@1½c; milch cows, $20@$30.

HOGS.—Choice, 4@4¼c; stockers, 3½@3¾c.

SHEEP.—Choice mutton, 3½@3¾c; medium, 2½@2¾c.

GOATS—$1.25@1.50.



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ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

Sales of Texas Live Stock, and Wool Market.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLS., June 25, 1888.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

Prices have come down about 20 to 25c per 100 lbs on all grades the past week. The decline was general and included natives, Texans, Indian and Southwest cattle. The run of Texas cattle each day was very large, the bulk, however, consisting of common grades, and this helped in a measure to depress the market. Liberal transfers were made right along at prices ranging from $2 to $3.25 for grass and corn-fed steers, and $2.75 to $2.30 for Texas cows. The bulk of the Texas steers brought from $2.35 to $2.75 per 100 lbs; cows, $2 to $2.15.

Native steers bring only $3.50 to $4 for good to choice heavy, while native cows range from $1.75 to $2.25 per 100 lbs.

Texas calves are still in abundance and bring very low prices, the range being from $3 to $4.65 per head. The demand is only moderate.

Texas yearlings likewise in abundance and dull of disposal at $1.85 to $2.25 per 100 lbs.

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for Harrold & East, Fort Worth, 24 cows, 768 lbs, $2.20; 18 steers, 951 lbs, $2.55; 53 yearlings, 596 lbs, $2; E. H. East, Fort Worth, 42 yearlings, 458 lbs, $2; E. B. Harrold, Fort Worth, 22 steers, 814 lbs, $2; M. Davis, Wichita Falls, 39 yearlings, 498 lbs, $2.10; Foley & Davis, Wichita Falls, 52 steers, 804 lbs, $2.10; 17 steers, 917 lbs, $2.75; D. Drowder, Sugg's Ranch, 179 calves, at $3.65 per head.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold for John Rany, San Angelo, 22 steers, 989 lbs, $2.55; 22 steers, 917 lbs, $2.40; 19 cows, 945 lbs, $2.15; White & Groves, Bowie, 43 steers, 1045 lbs, $3.30; 22 steers, 1005 lbs, $3.25; J. S. Holden, Era, 26 steers, 956 lbs, $3.05; J. B. Wells, Era, 12 steers, 852 lbs, $2.15; 21 steers, 909 lbs, $2.85; 13 steers, 970 lbs, $2.85; Guy Borden, San Antonio, 104 steers, 915 lbs, $2.50.

Evans-Snider-Buel Co. sold for B. L. Crouch, Pearsall, 176 steers, 963 lbs, $2.55; 19 steers, 821 lbs, $2; S. R. Davis, Denton, 25 steers, 796 lbs, $2.55, J. O. Taylor, Pettus, 21 steers, 857 lbs, $2.30; G. W. Weaver, Plano, 49 ateers, 840 lbs, $2.55; Taylor Bros., Rosenberg, 96 steers, 969 lbs, $2.55; Shafer & Thompson, Savanna, 47 steers, 978 lbs, $2.65.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold for Geo. W. Saunders, San Antonio, 56 steers, 976 lbs, $2.60; 24 steers, 896 lbs, $2.30; Milton Ikard, Henrietta, 19 cows, 614 lbs, $2.25; 13 calves, $4.50 per head; John Glen, Gainesville, 15 steers, 880 lbs, $2.65; J. E. Barron, Thornton, 24 steers, 887 lbs, $2.55 18 steers, 807 lbs, $2; 33 cows, 569 lbs, $1.85; 21 cows, 762 lbs, $1.90; J. F. Reynolds, Sherman, 23 steers, 1181 lbs, $3.25; 23 steers, 956 lbs, $2.75; A. J. Davis, Gainesville, 49 steers, 1022 lbs, $3.20; Jno. C. Lattinor, Gainesville, 24 steers, 1015 lbs, $3.15; P. W. Wheelis, Kirk, 45 steers, 886 lbs, $2.75; 20 steers, 918 lbs, $2.50; Mrs. Sallie Newman, Hubbard City, 40 steers; 1181 lbs, $3.35; 45 steers, 1125 lbs, $3.30; Ward & Glasgow, Wichita Falls, 19 steers, 928 lbs, $2.65; 22 steers, 930 lbs, $2.50; 25 cows, 695 lbs, $2.25; 23 cows, 782 lbs, $2; 84 calves, $4.65 per head.

The excellent condition of the Texas sheep market as noted the past month or so still continues, and prices are now higher than ever before. The offerings are only moderate and the quality fair at best, for which $3 to $3.75 is paid. Some choice Texas muttons came in, and $4.70 per 100 lbs was offered but refused. This shows what choice sheep will bring. Common and thin Texas sheep of 60 to 70 lbs sell as stockers and bring from $2.75 to $3.75 per 100 lbs.

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for R. J. Brewel, Wichita Falls, 210 sheep, 77 lbs, $3.30; 200 sheep, 69 lbs, $3; 200 sheep, 69 lbs, $2.85; 62 goats at $1.50 per head.

The J. H. Campbell Co. sold for W. H. Smith, Kerrville, 198 sheep of 90 lbs at $3.35; for Bird & Mertz, San Angelo, 515 head, 80 lbs, $3.42½; 526 head, 74 lbs, $2.90.

Evans-Snider-Buel Co. sold for W. H. Harbinson, Burnett, 225 sheep of 83 lbs at $3.30; 193 sheep, 74 lbs, $3.

The horse market is a little slow under liberal receipts. However, a fair number of transfers are being made right along. Prices range in extremes from $20 to $35 per head, according to quality.

Business was by no means brisk in the wool market, for the simple reason that holders are asking above sellers' figures; therefore trade is comparatively small. Texas wools range from 12 to 26c per lb. Good bright wools are the best selling grades. The commission interest here is doing good business and receiving consignments of Texas wools from all sections of the state. W. J. Haynes & Co., Funsten & Co., Western Wool Commission Co., E. S. Brooks & Co. and Westcott & Co. are all firms in high standing here, and will send daily reports of the St. Louis market to merchants, dealers and wool growers in Texas on application. They can sell Texas wools to good advantage.

RATTLER.

Galveston Wool Market.

GALVESTON, TEX., June 26 1889.

Texas Live Stock Journal, Fort Worth.

The wool receipts of this port for the week ending to-day at 3 o'clock P. M. amount to 1,039,580 pounds, and the sales for the same time last week were 716,630 pounds, which is an increase of 192,369 pounds, over the former, and 553,291 over the latter.

The receipts of the season foot up to 10,609,527 pounds, and the shipments 10,684,900 pounds, leaving a stock on hand of 1,927,213 pounds.

The market is still firm with good demand, and the increased sales over the week previous is accounted for by the advance of prices in the London and Eastern markets this week, which has stiffened Galveston prices, and in a measure removed the difference which existed between buyers and sellers for the past two weeks, and factors have no trouble in disposing of their wools at the following quotations:

Twelve months' fine, 20½@23c; do medium, 22½@25½c; six and eight-months' fine, 18½@22½c; do medium, 21½@23½c; Mexican improved 16½@20c; and do carpet, 13@14c.

The representative of an Eastern manufacturing company, purchased of P. J. Willis & Bro., yesterday, a lot of wool at the above figures which he refused to take the day previous. The sale was caused by the advance of prices in Boston and other Eastern markets.

The senior member of one of the leading wool houses of Galveston, and also a patron of the JOURNAL, but who for obvious reasons requested your correspondent not to use his name, expressed the opinion to-day, "that before the close of the present season Galveston will be acknowledged by both buyers and growers as the WOOL market of Texas."

The sales of Wood, Holloway & Co., for the past seven days run up to 330,000 pounds, and those of Adoue & Lobit to 343,400 pounds, which is about an average of the week's sales of several of the leading wool houses of the Island City.

E. R. Price, buyer for the house of Hutchins, Kitching & Co., of Boston, Mass. arrived from San Ant[o] day and has made some large [p]of wool this week.

Col. Salter of Boston, who has [b]the state for the past sixty days [a]ed for this week. As the Col. is [a] good fellow, and a liberal buyer [o]veston wool men anticipate a pic[k] the near future.

Col. John Owens, in charge of [t]wool department of the house of Ad[o] & Lobit has been in corresponde[nce] by wire for the past two days with [o]of the largest wool houses of the Eas[t] and reports that the chances are ver[y] encouraging for the sale of severa[l] hundred thousand pounds of the fleecy staple before the rising and setting of another sun.

Taken all in all the wool men of Galveston are feeling much better than they did a week ago.

Messrs. Lammers & Flint, and Skinner & Son of this market are in receipt of numerous important consignments and have sold considerable wool fully up to quotations for their patrons in Texas.

W. N. BAXTER.

AVERAGE TIME

The M., K. & T. Stock Trains.

GENERAL FREIGHT OFFICE M., K. & T. R. R., SEDALIA, MO., June, 1889.

Major Sam Hunt, General Live Stock Agent M., K. & T. R. R, Fort Worth, Texas:

Dear Sir—For your information I hand you herewith statement from the general superintendent's office, showing the movements of live stock north of Den'son during the month of May. You will note that we handled 2184 cars of stock, and make an average of 18 miles and hour. (Signed) A. S. DODGE, General Freight Agent.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

WHAT of the English beef contract?

THE Aransas Pass railroad is surveying a line from Kenedy, Karnes county, to Laredo.

THE sheepman continues to maintain his supremacy over other classes of rancheros both in wool and mutton.

THE season continues to fill all reasonable expectations except in a few isolated exceptions, and is making a blue ribbon record. The Lord is generous, it is only grasping man who is trying to get our products for nothing.

HUNTINGTON refuses to extend from Beeville to San Diego, alleging the unfriendliness of legislation to railroad as the reason. Uriah Lott don't baby about in that style, but is building four different extensions, i. e. into Houston, into Waco, into Austin and into Llano, and is running lines to Laredo.

AT LAST there is promise of some light on the perplexing mystery of what is known as Texas fever. The state agricultural college of Texas, as well as that of Missouri have begun a concentrated investigation in that direction. It may take years to carry this inquiry to a successful issue, but if thoroughly and intelligently followed, we believe that correct conclusions can be arrived at, and the stock interests benefitted to the extent of millions of dollars. Every ranchman if applied to should not hesitate to lend all the assistance in his power, or if he can make practical suggestions they will no doubt be thankfully received by those who have the matter in charge.

THE Fourth will be celebrated in San Antonio this year with greater eclat than ever before. The festivities have been taken charge of by the San Antonio Jockey club, a live institution of energetic and enterprising citizens, who have arranged for a great race meeting beginning July 4th and lasting five days offering some $4000 in prises. On the fourth there will take place a grand parade of military, both of regular and militia troops, the fire department and other civic associations. The place of meeting will be the grounds of the International Fair association, and River Side Bark adjoining, being the most extensive and beautiful grounds in the state. Railroads will sell tickets at reduced rates and a grand time is anticipated, with a cordial invitation to the world to participate.

THE decline of cattle in Chicago is developing the strength of the ranch industry in Southwest Texas. While prices were fairly good cattle were going to market by the thousands a day, but immediately after the drop thousands of head were even turned out of the pens to pasture, with reasonable certainty of waiting till next spring. The grass is good and, generally, financial pressures are not sufficient to force a sacrifice. It is recognized that many portions of the range country is obliged to realize as soon as stock is ripe, let the price be what it may, as the cost of carrying over and the accruing interest on the investment would over balance possible losses in selling on a low market. Southwest Texas is now the best fixed range stock country on the American continent.

San Antonio Horse Market.

The horse market for the past week has developed no new features, and everything may be reported as quiet but steady. Prices are low but firm, and but for frequent rains considerable activity would probably have ruled during the week. As it was, the transactions were almost exactly the same as the week previous. The hot weather and insects are preventing horse stock from getting hog fat, but they are in fair shipping condition, with prospects for continued fat stock, as the grass for the season is now assured. The demand continues for the better class of range stock, or what is called Texas improved, with scrubs at low ebb. The trade for mules is fair for this season of year, and indications are that this will develop into a good steady all year round mule market, which increases as breeders improve their stock. The shipments for the week amounted to 908 head, as against 831 for the week previous.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands	$10@$13
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands	14@ 16
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat	17@ 20
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin	14@ 17
Yearling fillies, branded	7@ 9
Yearling fillies, unbranded	9@ 12
Two-year-old fillies, branded	10@ 13
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded	12@ 14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands	25@ 35
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16¼	75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands	25@ 30
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands	17@ 22
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands	15@ 23
Weaned, unbranded colts	4.50@ 6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13½ hands	20@ 35
Mules improved, 13½ to 14 hands	40@ 55
Yearling mule colts, improved	22@ 30
Two-year mule colts, improved	30@ 40
Yearling mule colts, Mexican	14@ 20
Two-year mule colts, Mexican	15@ 27

San Antonio Wool Market

The quiet but firm state of the market is maintained as it has been since its opening over a month ago. In that respect this has been the most remarkable market season on record in San Antonio, there having been practically no fluctuation whatever, with continued prospects of closing out the entire stock. The sales for the week ascend the figure of 325,000 pounds, and the receipts were light. Eastern advices indicate a strong feeling in all classes of Texas and range wools.

Quotations are as follows:

Light medium 6 months, 20@22c; fine, do, do, 18@20c; light, do. 12-months, 22@25c; fine, do, do, 20@22c; fine Merino, 6 do, 15@17c; do, 12-months, 18@20c; burry from 1½@3c off.

HORNS AND HOOFS.

A. P. Rachal, Wilson county, was in town last Saturday.

G. A. Ray of Goliad county was in the city the first of the week.

E. F. Ross of Osage Mission, Kansas, is here buying a shipment of horses.

Col. J. B. Miller is making a specialty of breeding fine horses in Val Verde county.

Judge John O'Neill of Calhoun county passsed through to San Angelo, where he has ranch interests.

C. C. French, representing J. H. Campbell & Co., was in town the last of the week, hustling for his firm.

Capt. W. W. Wallace of Barksdale reports stock in fine condition and good prospects for crops in his section.

O. Stocking is back from a trip to Illinois, and will soon return to the Sucker State with a bunch of horse stock.

Hines Clark is back from a trip to the lower country, and will be found mixing it with the boys in the home market.

S. Tiblier, New Orleans, formerly a horse dealer in this city, was in the city during the week, circulating among old friends.

J. T. Dickson, live stock agent of the Wabash railway, is again here talking to the sturdy ranchero in tones bland and convincing.

John L. Rutledge of Karnes county was in the city last week. Mr. Rutledge reports stock in fine fix in that section of the state.

W. W. Jones of Live Oak county let the light of his bonny countenance shine upon his numerous friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Joe Lemon of Medina county came in Monday with 100 head of good saddle horses, which he placed on the market in the yards of J. E. Price & Co.

The best place in San Antonio to buy carriages, buggies, etc., is at Hick's repository, West Nueva street. Rice's coil spring vehicles a specialty.

Chas. Schreiner of Kerrville is placing 6000 head of steer in his Mason county pasture to take the place of those sent to the Indian Territory last spring.

Geo. Reynolds of Nueces county, one of the pioneer improvers of Texas cattle on Shorthorn stock in the Southwest, was in the city the first of the week.

It is said that on the Pecos there are yet large herds of wild mustangs, and efforts are being made to capture them. This is not the class of horse stock needed in Texas.

Cotulla Ledger:—The market for beef cattle is so discouraging now that all the beef shippers have drawn off and not a hoof is being shipped at present from this place.

John R. Blocker came back from Denver on Wednesday, where he had been on business connected with the drive of his herds to Dakota, and reports everything progressing satisfactory.

James E. Horst of Live Oak county, live ranchman of that section, was in town. He says that although cattle are in prime condition, very few will send them to market till the price improves, as they "don't have to."

Capt. Henry Scott of Refugio county, came up on a visit after several months absence. The captain has a host of friends in this section who give him a hearty greeting, glad to see the veteran so spry and cheerful.

Ed Lasater of Live Oak county, the extensive live stock shipper, was in town on Tuesday, and returned home to rest. He says that he is done for the season, and will buy no more cattle till they are worth more in Chicago.

W. S. Carothers, extensive ranchero in La Salle county passed through to his home in Austin on Wednesday. Carothers & Hume have been heavy shippers of beef cattle this season, but have quit since the demoralization of the Chicago market.

W. H. Jennings, the well-known beef buyer, came in on Tuesday and says that it is worth a man's life to make an offer on cattle and leave a margin for a possible profit to the shipper. He thinks that shipping is practically closed till better prices prevail.

Maj. B. F. Buzard of Uvalde was in town during the week. The major, who is manager of the Nueces Land and cattle company, says that no more cattle will go forward to market from his ranch till prices are better, and don't expect that to be for months to come.

J. B. Wells of Gonzales county was in the city the first of the week. He has been engaged in cattle shipping for some months, and says that fully one-half of the 10,000 that were fed in that county last winter are yet unmarketed, and owing to the fall in prices large numbers of them will not go till there is a betterment.

The Taylor Texan says: "We have not found a man yet but would condemn in the strongest language any body who would plant Johnson grass, and it is universally considered the greatest curse that has ever been imposed upon this country. If men will persist in planting it there should be a law to make it a crime and punish the offender."

Henry W. Earnest, manager of the Alexander ranch in La Salle county, was in the city last week. It was under Mr. Earnest's immediate supervision that prickly pear and cottonseed meal were first fed in Southwest Texas, and while there is none being fed now, it is not because it is not a success, only the grass is now so good that stock get as fat on it as if stuffed with a sausage machine.

Uvalde News:—A car-load of cows was shipped from here this week, destined for Columbia, Mo., for the use of the Missouri agricultural college located there. They are investigating the Texas fever, and making experiments. The authorities of the Missouri institution and those of Texas agricultural college are working together. It will be of great benefit to the cattlemen of West and Southwest Texas to have the question settled.

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St. Louis Buyers.

The purchase of the dressed beef plant at St. Louis by the Nelson Morris & Co. and Fairbanks Canning Co. has greatly revived interest in the St. Louis market amongst stockmen in Texas and has caused the St. Louis commission houses to make a show of their live stock buyers which to say the least is a very handsome list and is published in the TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL for the information of shippers, by request. The list is as follows:

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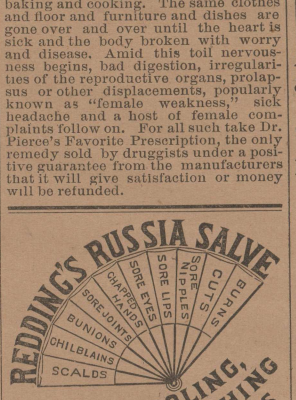
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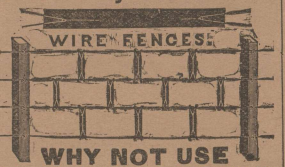
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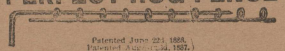
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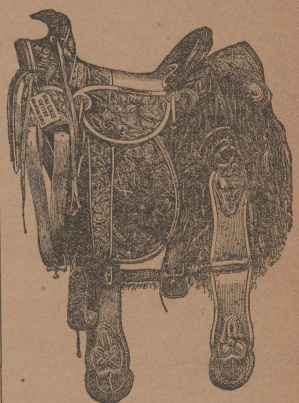


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Texas Live Stock Journal:

y last I promised to tell you some- more about the Mexicans. They e most obliging people I ever saw, ially to strangers. To illustrate, traveling companion and I after a l day's drive, stopped for the night h Joaquin Pompa, a well-to-do Mexi- n farmer and ranchman living on the ad waters of the Altar river. He not nly did all he could to make us and ur team comfortable but he and his en- ire family showed by their actions that we were not only welcome, but that they were actually glad to see us. After entertaining us for the night he insisted that we leave our buggy and tired team with him and take two of his saddle horses, and thus enable our team to rest a day, at the same time shortening the distance to our objective point, (20 miles away) by taking a trail across the mountains. His kind offer was accepted, and doubtless greatly appreciated by our tired-out team, as well as ourselves. Our next stopping place was the ranch of an American named William Barnett, who has made his home in Mexico for thirty years. He owns a fine ranch located on a beautiful running stream. He has a Mexican wife and is in many ways thoroughly Mexicanized, so much so that his grown children can not talk the English language. After cutting his herd, which had previously been rounded up, we went the same day six miles below to the ranch of a wealthy Mexican, named Mariana. His cattle were also already rounded up, consequently we were enabled to finish our work on his herd that afternoon, but not until night. After supper we decided to make an effort to re-cross the mountains and return to our friend Pompas, 15 miles away. When Mariana found it impossible to induce us to spend the night with him, he said he would not risk us to find the way, but sent one of his vaqueros to pilot us over. Our way was over high, rugged mountains and could not possibly have been found without the aid of an expert guide.

I mention these little incidents, not that they are worth relating, but to show the kind treatment received at the hand of the Mexican people with whom I came in contact; for downright hospitality, they exceed any people I ever met, the old-time Texas frontiersman not excepted.

Cowboys or vaqueros, as they call them are as thick around a Mexican cattle ranch as pig tracks around a Parker county county corn field. These fellows as a rule board themselves and work for from $15 to $20 per month, Mexican money (worth in American coin 75 cents on the dollar).

In addition to boarding themselves they generally have a family and quite often a very numerous one, and all live on the meagre wages above named.

These vaqueros seem to be faithful, industrious men, who do their work well. They do not aspire to be more than servants, consequently seem to be contented and happy.

On the head waters of the Altar river I saw as fine wheat as I ever saw anywhere, It was raised too without irrigation. I was told that they often get as much as forty bushels to the acre. This wheat is all harvested or rather cut down with an old-time sickle, is then, without being bundled or shocked, hauled on a slide made of a cow skin, to some center and convenient point, where it is "tramped" out with horses, same as we used to do in our "grandfather's days." If you undertake to talk improved labor-saving machinery to them they will tell you that their labor costs them comparatively nothing and why should they care for labor-saving machines. I believe a majority of these people would refuse to use reapers, mowers and threshing machines if they were furnished them free.

The poorer class of these people live necessarily very economically, at the same time they are liberal to a fault with the scant food they have, and will always divide with you the last morsel.

Their chief food is frijoles (beans). A Mexican would sooner eat without beans than a Yankee without Irish potatoes. They also have a great weakness for tortillos a kind of bread made of flour and water rolled until it is about as thick as a sheep of brown paper and as long and as wide as an ordinary saddle blanket. They are usually cooked on a sheet of iron, heated by a roughly made stone furnace. When hot they eat right well (if a fellow is right hungry), but when cold they resemble in taste an india rubber blanket and digest about as easily. The poorer class use no meat except beef, which is cut in small thin strips and dried on a rope. They either do not care for beef or think too much of it to eat it, at all events you seldom see the vaqueros eating beef or meat of any kind. They, however, use a great deal of coffee even among the poor class that feel financially unable to eat meat.

They raise quite a number of cats, dogs, chickens and children, all of which like the cattle look to be rather short stock and show unmistakable signs of in-breeding. This applies of course to the poorer laboring class.

The cigars in Mexico are made of the pure tobacco without doctoring or adulteration, and labor being cheap the cigars are also correspondingly low, while plenty of mescal (a kind of white colored whisky) is manufactured and to be found anywhere. My traveling companion tried it frequently and often, and pronounced it much better and cheaper than our ordinary "red liquor." Of course I only have my friend's word for this information and cannot vouch for its truthfulness.

I have been accompanied on this trip by my friend, R. J. Kerr, a prominent cattle and mine dealer of Tucson, Arizona, to whom I am indebted for many favors and kindnesses. Mr. Kerr speaks the language fluently, is well and favorably known throughout all of Sonora, and is in every respect a very agreeable companion on a trip of this kind.

We are now at Sasabe custom house, on our return trip, one mile further will put us on American soil. I can truthfully say that I leave Sonora with regrets that I could not remain longer and see more of it. My trip has been a rough, hard one, but withal a pleasant one indeed, and has thoroughly impressed me with the idea that this country offers a splendid field for honest, enterprising Americans, who can bring with them a small sum of money, with which to make a beginning. Yours truly,

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The Denver and Pueblo Racket.

Rocky Mountain News.

The state veterinary sanitary board yesterday filed with the governor their reply to the complaint and charges made by the Pueblo board of trade and cattlemen at that point, against the ruling of the State board discriminating against that city.

The governor convened the state board some days ago and handed to them the full charges as presented by Pueblo against their action and requested a reply thereto.

The board has carefully gone into the matter and filed a voluminous reply which fully answers or attempts to answer every objection made by the people of Pueblo to their rulings. The reply of the board sets forth the fact that the law compels all cattle to be inspected at the state line; that the distance from Denver to the state line on the south is 280 miles, and that the law compelling inspection there of all cattle coming into the state renders it needless and useless expense to have them unloaded and inspected again at Pueblo.

The board claims that in making the rulings in the matter they have honestly and fairly discharged their duties as prescribed by law, and that no blame can be attached to them on account of any rulings which they have made. It will also be found that the inspection of cattle by and under the direction of the board has been satisfactory to the cattlemen and the railroads and, in fact, all persons save the citizens of Pueblo, and that their entire cause of complaint will be found to lie in the fact that their geographical location is such as to render it a useless and wanton expense to have cattle unloaded and inspected in the yards at that place, and that an inspection on the cars is equal to no inspection at all. None of these cattle stop within the state. Out of about 100,000 head shipped from Texas to Northern grazing grounds, only about 1,000 have been consigned to Colorado.

The reply of the board denies most emphatically that any desire has ever existed on their part to strule as to give Denver any advantage whatever in the unloading of stock at the stock yards of this city, and states that they have only been guided in their rulings in this matter by a desire to follow the law according to the duties imposed upon the board by its provisions, and that no mercenary motives have in any way affected any ruling made by it.

It will be attempted to be shown that If Pueblo has been shut out as a point for feeding and inspecting cattle, such discrimination is in point of fact a result under the law of her location, being in too close proximity to the state line.

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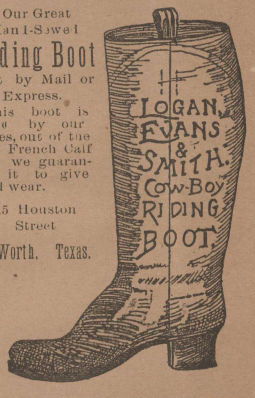
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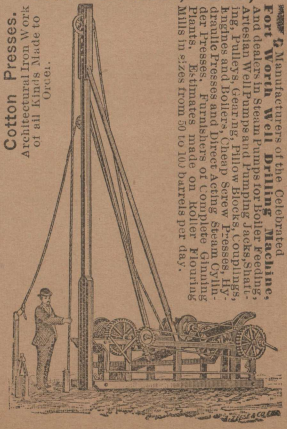


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THE CLIP.

An exchange says over 20,000 head of mutton sheep have been bought in Oregon within the past few weeks for Western Washington and Victoria, B. C.

Quotations from the Boston Commercial Bulletin: Texas fine, 12 mos, 24@26c; do do 6 to 8 mos, 23@25c; Texas medium, 12 mos, 23@25c; do do 6 to 8 mos, 23@25c; Texas fall fine, 17@20c; Texas fall medium, 19@23c.

Colorado Clipper:—W. N. Waddell sold his wool clip in Galveston this week, 35,000 lbs, at 23c per lb. Arthur Anderson's sheep which were shipped to Chicago last week, were on the road ten days, being detained by a washout near Fort Scott, but nevertheless netted $2.60 in the market. M. T. Hall & Co. this week finished dipping their herd of 6000 sheep, and only lost one head out of the lot. J. A. Brakebill this week bought 1500 sheep from I. Gronski at $2.20 round. He shipped to Chicago Thursday. Burt Simpson bought 730 ewes from McMullen & Williamson this week at $1.90 and shipped to Chicago Thursday.

Boston report American Wool Reporter:—Texas wools show considerable activity, and some good sized lines have been moved. Rumor has it that a large sale of a million pounds has been made by one house. Prices for 8 to 12 months' growth range from 21@25c, fine and fine medium, or from 63@65c clean; the range for the shorter staple wool is 20@22½c Bright and attractive clips, of light shrinkage and good staple, continue in demand in San Antonio, at or near the top price of the season; while dark, irregular, short or heavy lots are neglected, and for them no satisfactory offers can be obtained.

The Boston Commercial Bulletin says: "Texas wool has ruled extremely active, the best fine twelve months wool selling at 26c, and prices generally being very strong. Sales are very large, and with those reported exclusively by the Bulletin last week foot up a very heavy total. The wool has been taken by a few mills in large blocks. There is considerable wool left in Texas yet, but the cream has been skimmed. There are a few clips still unsold in Hamilton county, shrinking from 58 to 63 per cent., three-quarters fine and one-quarter medium, for which 21@23c is demanded. Over 1,500 000 pounds of wool is held by local dealers at Lampasas, most of it shrinking 68@70 per cent."

New York report American Wool Reporter:—Texas wools have received a great deal of attention, the transactions reaching over 200,000 pounds. The receipts are increasing, but the quantity of wools now here is not in excess of the ordinary. Prices have stiffened considerably, but there has been no change in quotations. The fine 6 to 7 months' wool are selling at a range of 21@24c, equivalent to 57@60c clean. Medium wool range at 50@53c clean cost. The choice year's growth are held at 27c, their estimate shrinkage being from 60 @62 per cent. Southern or Lake wools have been in moderately fair inquiry, but buyers' views are too low for holders. We learn that 28½c was offered for a large line of Georgia that had been handled, and was declined. The nominal quotations for Georgia in original bags would be 27 to 28c.

The Boston Advertiser says:—The feature of the wool sales during the past week has been the number of large lots that have been cleaned up. Of domestic wool the largest business has been in Texas, the sales of which grade foot up nearly 1,000,000 pounds. Some of the sales made were lots bought in Texas on manufacturers' account, and are just now delivered, but the fact that they took large blocks makes it look as though they had some confidence in prices being maintained. The sales made include 325,000 pounds, 125,000 lbs. and 100,000 lbs, at about 24@26c for choice wool, while several large blocks, footing up about 109,000 lbs each, went as high as 24 to 25c. The scoured basis for fine Texas is quoted at about 60 to 63c for 8 and 12 months' growth, while the coarse grades are quoted at 54 to 58c. This free selling of Texas wools cleans up about all of the new wools that have arrived, and at present only a few scattering lots are to be had.

The Boston Advertiser says:—The total receipts of wool at this port during the past week comprise 11,333 bags domestic and 1845 bales foreign, against 7860 bags domestic and 502 bales foreign for the same time last year. The total receipts since Jan. 1, 1889, comprise 122,164 bags domestic and 92,861 bales foreign, against 109,154 bags domestic and 61,275 bales of foreign for the corresponding period of 1888. The sales for the week comprise 2,103,300 lbs of domestic fleece and pulled and 1,828,000 lbs of foreign, making the week's transactions foot up 4,981,300 lbs, against 3,003,200 lbs, for the previous week and 1,119,900 lbs domestic and 644,000 lbs foreign for the corresponding week last year. The past week has shown more activity than has been seen in the wool market before this year, and sales have swelled up large. The feeling seems to be that prices are not going to weaken for some months at least, and manufacturers who have been holding back with small stocks, are now more disposed to get some of the raw material on hand.

San Saba Wool Sales.

Reported by the San Saba News.

Bad weather interfered very materially with the wool sales last week, but nearly all the wool was finally disposed of, only six owners failing to dispose of their clips at satisfactory prices. There were over 1200 bags sold. Following are the names of the owners, with prices realized:

OWNERS.	BAGS	PRICE.
Spring & Walker	108	21¾
G. G. Walker	11	21¾
H. F. Walker	13	21¾
S. W. Walker	37	21¾
Mr. Justice	64	22½
Jas. Burns	3	20½
Campbell & O'Reily	78	21
Joe Williams	22	21
E. Whitehurst	4	20
J. B. Atkinson	37	21
W. H. Ledbetter	1	14½
C. J. H. Berg	7	20
Doran & Sons	18	21¾
Jas. Foster	13	21
J. B. Edmonds	4	21
J. C. Wilson	82	21
Elm Ranch Co	24	21
Boroughs & Walker	109	21¾
Robt. Sellman	21	21½
J. C. Peck	17	20
Judge Evans	21	21½
J. T. B. Jones	19	21½
E. Deland	24	22
D. C. Karr	20	21
L. Kirkpatric	12	21
A. G. Riggs	13	15@20
W. J. Kuykendall	35	22½
J. Bostick	17	21
Jno. W. Smith	3	14½
S. G. Roberds	2	18½
Jno. McNeil	1	16
Geo. Markley	4	21
R. T. Barber	2	21
W. L. Banister	15	21
Jack Hubbert	3	21½
T. A. Sloan	1	21½
J. H. Godsey	1	21½
J. B. Carroll	3	18¾
Mr. Ballou	28	21½
Mrs. Duncan	1	15

Sellman Bro's. clip of 173 bags was shipped to Skinner & Son, as was also Ward & Sorrell's clip of 61 bags; McDermotts of 42 bags; F. Volkman was offered 21½c, but did not sell. John Duke and Getzwiller took the Lampasas having failed to re isfactory offers here.

"Yes, I shall break the engage she said, folding her arms and l defiant; "it is really too much t to converse with him; he's as dea post, and talks like he had a mou of mush. Besides, the way he ha and spits is disgusting." "Don't br the engagement for that; tell him take Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. will cure him completely." "Well, I tell him. I do hate to break it off, b in all other respects he's quite too charm ing." Of course, it cured him.

How to Fail With Poultry.

William F. Rice in Farm and Home.

To fail in the chicken business, clean your hen-house once a year. If your chickens have lice let them alone. If you can find only one kind borrow some from your neighbor and start right. If there are any cracks in the house, don't close them, as you may wish to ascertain what roup and sore head are. In case the roup appears, just let it run; it will stop after a while and so will the chickens, and then you can boast that chickens don't pay. For drink in summer, keep a cesspool on hand, if you have none, by all means make one. If your fowls get cholera, simply give nothing. Perhaps they will get on all right; I won't insure this, but it is a part of how to fail. Let your fowls roost in trees, and if you have no trees put up poles 10 or 12 feet from the ground, as the higher you get the purer the atmosphere. Again, you need not pay any attention to the nests; the hens will look out for themselves. If one should hatch a brood let her hover near a pasture, so the little fellows can go out in the dew and catch the gapes. Then you can save feed, for they will not eat for some time, as it will require all their time to open and shut their mouths.

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WHAT of the English beef contract?

THE Aransas Pass railroad is surveying a line from Kenedy, Karnes county, to Laredo.

THE sheepman continues to maintain his supremacy over other classes of rancheros both in wool and mutton.

THE season continues to fill all reasonable expectations except in a few isolated exceptions, and is making a blue ribbon record. The Lord is generous, it is only grasping man who is trying to get our products for nothing.

HUNTINGTON refuses to extend from Beeville to San Diego, alleging the unfriendliness of legislation to railroad as the reason. Uriah Lott don't baby about in that style, but is building four different extensions, i. e. into Houston, into Waco, into Austin and into Llano, and is running lines to Laredo.

AT LAST there is promise of some light on the perplexing mystery of what is known as Texas fever. The state agricultural college of Texas, as well as that of Missouri have begun a concentrated investigation in that direction. It may take years to carry this inquiry to a successful issue, but if thoroughly and intelligently followed, we believe that correct conclusions can be arrived at, and the stock interests benefitted to the extent of millions of dollars. Every ranchman if applied to should not hesitate to lend all the assistance in his power, or if he can make practical suggestions they will no doubt be thankfully received by those who have the matter in charge.

THE Fourth will be celebrated in San Antoniothis year with greater eclat than ever before. The festivities have been taken charge of by the San Antonio Jockey club, a live institution of energetic and enterprising citizens, who have arranged for a great race meeting beginning July 4th and lasting five days offering some $4000 in prises. On the fourth there will take place a grand parade of military, both of regular and militia troops, the fire department and other civic associations. The place of meeting will be the grounds of the International Fair association, and River Side Bark adjoining, being the most extensive and beautiiul grounds in the state. Railroads will sell tickets at reduced rates and a grand time is anticipated, with a cordial invitation to the world to participate.

THE decline of cattle in Chicago is developing the strength of the ranch industry in Southwest Texas. While prices were fairly good cattle were going to market by the thousands a day, but immediately after the drop thousands of head were even turned out of the pens to pasture, with reasonable certainty of waiting till next spring. The grass is good and, generally, financial pressures are not sufficient to force a sacrifice. It is recognized that many portions of the range country is obliged to realize as soon as stock is ripe, let the price be what it may, as the cost of carrying over and the accruing interest on the investment would over balance possible losses in selling on a low market. Southwest Texas is now the best fixed range stock country on the American continent.

San Antonio Horse Market.

The horse market for the past week has developed no new features, and everything may be reported as quiet but steady. Prices are low but firm, and but for frequent rains considerable activity would probably have ruled during the week. As it was, the transactions were almost exactly the same as the week previous. The hot weather and insects are preventing horse stock from getting hog fat, but they are in fair shipping condition, with prospects for continued fat stock, as the grass for the season is now assured. The demand continues for the better class of range stock, or what is called Texas improved, with scrubs at low ebb. The trade for mules is fair for this season of year, and indications are that this will develop into a good steady all year round mule market, which increases as breeders improve their stock. The shipments for the week amounted to 998 head, as ag inst 891 for the week previous.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands	$10@$13
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13¼ hands	14@ 16
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat	17@ 20
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin	14@ 17
Yearling fillies, branded	7@ 9
Yearling fillies, unbranded	9@ 12
Two-year-old fillies, branded	10@ 13
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded	12@ 14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands	25@ 35
American carriage horses, 15¾ to 16¾	75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14¾ hands	25@ 30
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14¾ hands	17@ 22
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14¾ hands	15@ 23
Weaned, unbranded colts	4.50@ 6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13¾ hands	20@ 35
Mules improved, 13¾ to 14 hands	40@ 55
Yearling mule colts, improved	22@ 30
Two-year mule colts, improved	30@ 40
Yearling mule colts, Mexican	14@ 20
Two-year mule colts, Mexican	15@ 27

San Antonio Wool Market

The quiet but firm state of the market is maintained as it has been since its opening over a month ago. In that respect this has been the most remarkable market season on record in San Antonio, there having been practically no fluctuation whatever, with continued prospects of closing out the entire stock. The sales for the week ascend the figure of 325,000 pounds, and the receipts were light. Eastern advices indicate a strong feeling in all classes of Texas and range wools.

Quotations are as follows:

Light medium 6 months, 20@22c; fine, do, do, 18@20c; light, do. 12-months, 22@25c; fine, do, do, 20@22c; fine Merino, 6 do, 15@17c; do, 12-months, 18@20c; burry from 1½@3c off.

HORNS AND HOOFS.

A. P. Rachal, Wilson county, was in town last Saturday.

G. A. Ray of Goliad county was in the city the first of the week.

E. F. Ross of Osage Mission, Kansas, is here buying a shipment of horses.

Col. J. B. Miller is making a specialty of breeding fine horses in Val Verde county.

Judge John O'Neill of Calhoun county passsed through to San Angelo, where he has ranch interests.

C. C. French, representing J. H. Campbell & Co., was in town the last of the week, hustling for his firm.

Capt. W. W. Wallace of Barksdale reports stock in fine condition and good prospects for crops in his section.

O. Stocking is back from a trip to Illinois, and will soon return to the Sucker State with a bunch of horse stock.

Hines Clark is back from a trip to the lower country, and will be found mixing it with the boys in the home market.

S. Tiblier, New Orleans, formerly a horse dealer in this city, was in the city during the week, circulating among old friends.

J. T. Dickson, live stock agent of the Wabash railway, is again here talking to the sturdy ranchero in tones bland and convincing.

John L. Rutledge of Karnes county was in the city last week. Mr. Rutledge reports stock in fine fix in that section of the state.

W. W. Jones of Live Oak county let the light of his bonny countenance shine upon his numerous friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Joe Lemon of Medina county came in Monday with 100 head of good saddle horses, which he placed on the market in the yards of J. E. Price & Co.

The best place in San Antonio to buy carriages, buggies, etc., is at Hick's repository, West Nueva street. Rice's coil spring vehicles a specialty.

Chas. Schreiner of Kerrville is placing 6000 head of steer in his Mason county pasture to take the place of those sent to the Indian Territory last spring.

Geo. Reynolds of Nueces county, one of the pioneer improvers of Texas cattle on Shorthorn stock in the Southwest, was in the city the first of the week.

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It is said that on the Pecos there are yet large herds of wild mustangs, and efforts are being made to capture them. This is not the class of horse stock needed in Texas.

Cotulla Ledger:—The market for beef cattle is so discouraging now that all the beef shippers have drawn off and not a hoof is being shipped at present from this place.

John R. Blocker came back from Denver on Wednesday, where he had been on business connected with the drive of his herds to Dakota, and reports everything progressing satisfactory.

James E. Horst of Live Oak county, live ranchman of that section, was in town. He says that although cattle are in prime condition, very few will send them to market till the price improves, as they "don't have to."

Capt. Henry Scott of Refugio county, came up on a visit after several months absence. The captain has a host of friends in this section who give him a hearty greeting, glad to see the veteran so spry and cheerful.

Ed Lasater of Live Oak county, the extensive live stock shipper, was in town on Tuesday, and returned home to rest. He says that he is done for the season, and will buy no more cattle till they are worth more in Chicago.

W. S. Carothers, extensive ranchero in La Salle county passed through to his home in Austin on Wednesday. Carothers & Hume have been heavy shippers af beef cattle this season, but have quit since the demoralization of the Chicago market.

W. H. Jennings, the well-known beef buyer, came in on Tuesday and says that it is worth a man's life to make an offer on cattle and leave a margin for a possible profit to the shipper. He thinks that shipping is practically closed till better prices prevail.

Maj. B. F. Buzard of Uvalde was in town during the week. The major, who is manager of the Nueces Land and cattle company, says that no more cattle will go forward to market from his ranch till prices are better, and don't expect that to be for months to come.

J. B. Wells of Gonzales county was in the city the first of the week. He has been engaged in cattle shipping for some months, and says that fully one-half of the 10,000 that were fed in that county last winter are yet unmarketed, and owing to the fall in prices large numbers of them will not go till there is a betterment.

The Taylor Texan says: "We have not found a man yet but would condemn in the strongest language any body who would plant Johnson grass, and it is universally considered the greatest curse that has ever been imposed upon this country. If men will persist in planting it there should be a law to make it a crime and punish the offender."

Henry W. Earnest, manager of the Alexander ranch in La Salle county, was in the city last week. It was under Mr. Earnest's immediate supervision that prickly pear and cottonseed meal were first fed in Southwest Texas, and while there is none being fed now, it is not because it is not a success, only the grass is now so good that stock get as fat on it as if stuffed with a sausage machine.

Uvalde News:—A car-load of cows was shipped from here this week, destined for Columbia, Mo., for the use of the Missouri agricultural college located there. They are investigating the Texas fever, and making experiments. The authorities of the Missouri institution and those of Texas agricultural college are working together. It will be of great benefit to the cattlemen of West and Southwest Texas to have the question settled.

DALLAS.

DALLAS DOTS.

J. B. Simpson sold John E. Clark, Oak Cliff, near six thousand acres of land in Cottle county together with the cattle on same, amounting to twelve hundred head, for twenty-five thousand dollars. This is the same ranch and stock Col. Simpson recently purchased of Thomas Coleman.

B. P. Fakes, formerly of Fort Worth, broke dirt at Oak Cliff this week for the erection of a fine residence which is situated near Fifth street station.

Since the last issue of the JOURNAL the manager of same, at this end, has located his family at Oak Cliff, and takes pleasure in saying that it is a high, breezy and pleasant location.

W. R. Wiggings of Rockwall county was on the market with 30 mixed butcher cattle.

B. C. Alston of Dallas county sold a bunch of choice grass steers at 2 cents.

C. T. White of Coffman county sold 8 cows and calves for $20@30 per head.

M. C. Evert of Dallas county sold 27 head of cows to local butchers.

Dewitt Bros. of Collin county sold a bunch of grass steers to Frank Hom at 2 cents.

The JOURNAL had a talk with H. G. Brady with reference to price of wool and he said that locally, the article was a little off, and he was at a loss to account for it, as he could not give a reason for its depression.

Recently the Dallas News contained an item to the effect that a cow belonging to City Marshal Joe Beeman of East Dallas had given birth to twin calves. This was given to illustrate the fact that Joe never has less than a pair to draw to. "But," says the News, "Joe is not the only official of East Dallas that can furnish a bovine item. Ex-Alderman T. J. Murnane has a 5-monts-old Jersey heifer which he milks regularly This calf was raised a pet in the yard, and was brought to her milk by the children playing dairy-maid with her. The heifer has well developed udders and gives a cup of milk every day, the quantity gradually increasing all the time. She is very large for a Jersey of her age, and Mr. Murnane believes she will be the best cow in Texas when she begins to give milk sure enough."

Carter & Son have lately had a life-sized long-horned Texas steer neatly painted on the front of their yards as a representative of 1882, and also by the side of this, they have had one painted as a representative steer of 1889. Mr. Carter said the long-horned fellow looks like the cattle when he commenced business 17 years ago at the place he is now at.

All the information that the JOURNAL can get at this office is to the effect that the "boom" in the price of live stock is still in the future, and the wisest of the prophets will not venture to set a date at which the boom will be sure to come. The supply and demand doubtless has much more to do with the price of live stock than the Big Four.

Sales of Live Stock at Central Stock Yards, Wallace & Black, Proprietors, Dallas, Tex.

Henry Blewet of Wise county sold 1 car of calves at 3@3½c. per pound gross.

J. P. Laughlin 1 car of sheep and goats, sheep 2½c. per pound, goats $1@1.50 per head.

Mr. Powers 10 good fat cows from $12 to $14 per head.

Mr. Brown of Wise county sold 42 cows at $10.50@14 per head.

L. L. Thompson sold 6 head of cattle at $1.50 per hundred pounds.

Dock Hill sold 25 head of cattle to butchers at various prices.

C. T. Servis of Wise county sold 40 head of cows at $1.50 per hundred pounds.

Johnson & Co. of Waxahachie was on market with 40 head of cattle.

Wolcott sold 25 head of cattle to local butchers at different prices.

Mr. Butcher of Cedar Hill sold 12 head of cows at $1.75 per hundred pounds.

Mr. Clark of Kaufman sold 25 cattle, cows, at from $10 to $12 per head.

W. A. Winfield 40 steers, shipped to Chicago.

A. R. Gray sold 16 steers to J. B. Wilson at $2.85 per hundred pounds.

J. L. Wright sold 5 head of cattle to butchers.

Mr. Pior sold 25 mixed steers on market.

Stark sold 15 cows at various prices.

The run this week has been larger, and prices correspondingly low.

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

James Blake of Kaufman county sold 27 cows at $13.50 per head.

C. S. Kimbrough of Dallas county sold 7 choice grass steers, 1090 lbs, at 2¼c.

P. J. Williams sold 68 sheep, 87 lbs, to local butchers at 3¼c.

B. C. Myres sold 34 cows and yearlings; cows went at $12 to $15 per head and yearlings at $3.50@6 per head.

John Dodson of Tarrant Co. sold 13 cows at 1¼c, av. 760 lbs.

M. T. Goodwin sold 6 steers at $17.50 per head.

L. M. Price sold 21 choice veal calves to city butchers at 3@4c.

Sam Davis sold 3 milch cows and calves at $25 around.

Frank Simms sold 6 cows at $11 per per head.

J. W. Hicklin of Kopperl arrived on market with one car of choice cows.

D. E. Maddox sold 18 sheep at $2.25 per head.

L. D. Huffman of Rockwall county sold 13 steers, 970 lbs, at 2c.

G. H. McCollough sold 79 sheep, 98 lbs at 3¼c.

T. J. Mollard sold 39 stock hogs to a feeder at 3¾c.

M. B. Brown sold 21 lambs at $2 per head.

C. B. Marks sold 3 bulls at 1¼c, weight 3300 lbs.

O. Mays sold 14 yearlings at $4@7 per head.

R. E. King sold 17 cows at $12.50 per head; also 4 yearlings at $6 per head.

Jeff Barkley sold 29 steers at $13.75 per head for feeding purpose. They were very thin.

S. S. Miller sold 48 choice goats at $1.50 each.

The Last Wishes of the Deceased Were Carried Out.

Brander Mathews tells a good story of the ethical influence of the East on the wild and wooly West, says the Washington Post: A young Bostonian, reared beneath the brow of Beacon hill and educated at Harvard, went to Texas and turned cowboy. He caught rapidly the spirit of the country, and as rapidly shook off the outward semblance of tenderfooted Eastern habit. Rough-bearded and leather-clad, sombrero as wide as the widest, 45-calibre colts on his hips, he was wild as the wildest. Yet within his manly bosom still burned the flame of Boston culture refinement. One day he was riding with a stranger across the prairie. Turning his head suddenly (he was slightly ahead), he saw his companion make a suspicious move toward his hip pocket. Without hesitation he drew his revolver and shot him. The stranger dropped like a log. The cowboy dismounted and looked at the body of his victim.

"I wonder if he was really going to shoot me?" he soliloquized. "I'll see." Turning the body over he discovered a flask of whiskey protruding from the pocket.

"Poor fellow!" said he in a tone of regret, "I've made a mistake. I've killed an innocent man, and a gentleman at that. He wasn't going to shoot me; he was going to invite me to drink. "Well," he sighed, drawing his sleeve across his mouth, "the last wishes of the diseased shall be respected."

How to Get Mares in Foal.

Sometimes it is difficult to get mares to breed, says a writer in Colman's Rural World. It may be they are valuable mares and mares with splendid pedigrees, and their foals would command high prices if bred to good sires. There is scarcely a breeder that has not one or more mares to trouble him this way. The writer had a mare of this kind that he had purchased for breeding purposes, by Ethan Allen and out of a fast pacing mare. She was somewhat advanced in years, and for four years I had tried to get her in foal. I had bred her to different stallions. She would periodically come in season, and was as regularly bred, receiving one, and sometimes two, services at each of such periods. Believing that she was permanently barren, I was trying to dispose of her at a mere nominal sum. Being at Kalamazoo, Mich., about one year ago, inspecting the trotting stock of S. A. Brown & Co. of that city, I was telling him of my trouble with this mare, that I had tried for years to get her in foal, and that I was confident she would never breed.

Mr. Brown, who by the way, I consider one of the best horsemen in the United States, and one of the cleverest gentlemen I ever met, said to me: "Send her to me and I will see that she gets in foal." He said he never failed to get them to breeding. But I was so positive that it could not be done that I would not send the mare to him. I asked him, how ever, what he would do to cause her to breed, and he said it might be necessary to insert the hand to open the passage way to the womb, if closed, which horsemen understand, at the time she came in season, and then let the stallion cover her once a day during her entire period of heat, and the mare would be almost certain to conceive; that some time during the period the egg that is deposited would become fertilized, and the mare in due course of time would have a foal. He said that he never had failed to succeed in this way.

I received this information last January a year ago, and immediately wrote to my superintendent to try the experiment the first time the mare came in season. She did come in season the 1st of February, and the stallion was bred to her for five days in succession, when she refused him, and on the 5th day of January this year she dropped a fine horse foal, and both are doing well.

But not having this information, I had kept this mare for four years at heavy expense, and had wasted time and effort to accomplish a result which could have been very easily obtained at any single period of heat, probably, during that four years.

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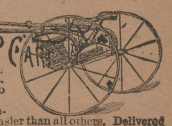
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...y last I promised to tell you some... more about the Mexicans. They ...e most obliging people I ever saw, ...ially to strangers. To illustrate, traveling companion and I after a ...l day's drive, stopped for the night ...h Joaquin Pompa, a well-to-do Mexi... farmer and ranchman living on the ...ad waters of the Altar river. He not ...nly did all he could to make us and ...ur team comfortable but he and his en...ire family showed by their actions that we were not only welcome, but that they were actually glad to see us. After entertaining us for the night he insisted that we leave our buggy and tired team with him and take two of his saddle horses, and thus enable our team to rest a day, at the same time shortening the distance to our objective point, (20 miles away) by taking a trail across the mountains. His kind offer was accepted, and doubtless greatly appreciated by our tired-out team, as well as ourselves. Our next stopping place was the ranch of an American named William Barnett, who has made his home in Mexico for thirty years. He owns a fine ranch located on a beautiful running stream. He has a Mexican wife and is in many ways thoroughly Mexicanized, so much so that his grown children can not talk the English language. After cutting his herd, which had previously been rounded up, we went the same day six miles below to the ranch of a wealthy Mexican, named Mariana. His cattle were also already rounded up, consequently we were enabled to finish our work on his herd that afternoon, but not until night. After supper we decided to make an effort to re-cross the mountains and return to our friend Pompas, 15 miles away. When Mariana found it impossible to induce us to spend the night with him, he said he would not risk us to find the way, but sent one of his vaqueros to pilot us over. Our way was over high, rugged mountains and could not possibly have been found without the aid of an expert guide.

I mention these little incidents, not that they are worth relating, but to show the kind treatment received at the hand of the Mexican people with whom I came in contact; for downright hospitality, they exceed any people I ever met, the old-time Texas frontiersman not excepted.

Cowboys or vaqueros, as they call them are as thick around a Mexican cattle ranch as pig tracks around a Parker county county corn field. These fellows as a rule board themselves and work for from $15 to $20 per month, Mexican money (worth in American coin 75 cents on the dollar).

In addition to boarding themselves they generally have a family and quite often a very numerous one, and all live on the meagre wages above named.

These vaqueros seem to be faithful, industrious men, who do their work well. They do not aspire to be more than servants, consequently seem to be contented and happy.

On the head waters of the Altar river I saw as fine wheat as I ever saw anywhere, It was raised too without irrigation. I was told that they often get as much as forty bushels to the acre. This wheat is all harvested or rather cut down with an old-time sickle, is then, without being bundled or shocked, hauled on a slide made of a cow skin, to some center and convenient point, where it is "tramped" out with horses, same as we used to do in our "grandfather's days." If you undertake to talk improved labor-saving machinery to them they will tell you that their labor costs them comparatively nothing and why should they care for labor-saving machines. I believe a majority of these people would refuse to use reapers, mowers and threshing machines if they were furnished them free.

The poorer class of these people live necessarily very economically, at the same time they are liberal to a fault with the scant food they have, and will always divide with you the last morsel.

Their chief food is frijoles (beans). A Mexican would sooner eat without beans than a Yankee without Irish potatoes. They also have a great weakness for tortillos a kind of bread made of flour and water rolled until it is about as thick as a sheep of brown paper and as long and as wide as an ordinary saddle blanket. They are usually cooked on a sheet of iron, heated by a roughly made stone furnace. When hot they eat right well (if a fellow is right hungry), but when cold they resemble in taste an india rubber blanket and digest about as easily. The poorer class use no meat except beef, which is cut in small thin strips and dried on a rope. They either do not care for beef or think too much of it to eat it, at all events you seldom see the vaqueros eating beef or meat of any kind. They, however, use a great deal of coffee even among the poor class that feel financially unable to eat meat.

They raise quite a number of cats, dogs, chickens and children, all of which like the cattle look to be rather short stock and show unmistakable signs of in-breeding. This applies of course to the poorer laboring class.

The cigars in Mexico are made of the pure tobacco without doctoring or adulteration, and labor being cheap the cigars are also correspondingly low, while plenty of mescal (a kind of white colored whisky) is manufactured and to be found anywhere. My traveling companion tried it frequently and often, and pronounced it much better and cheaper than our ordinary "red liquor." Of course I only have my friend's word for this information and cannot vouch for its truthfulness.

I have been accompanied on this trip by my friend, R. J. Kerr, a prominent cattle and mine dealer of Tucson, Arizona, to whom I am indebted for many favors and kindnesses. Mr. Kerr speaks the language fluently, is well and favorably known throughoat all of Sonora, and is in every respect a very agreeable companion on a trip of this kind.

We are now at Sasabe custom house, on our return trip, one mile further will put us on American soil. I can truthfully say that I leave Sonora with regrets that I could not remain longer and see more of it. My trip has been a rough, hard one, but withal a pleasant one indeed, and has thoroughly impressed me with the idea that this country offers a splendid field for honest, enterprising Amecaicans, who can bring with them a small sum of money, with which to make a beginning. Yours truly,

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El Paso, Texas.

The Denver and Pueblo Racket.

Rocky Mountain News.

The state veterinary sanitary board yesterday filed with the governor their reply to the complaint and charges made by the Pueblo board of trade and cattlemen at that point, against the ruling of the state board discriminating against that city.

The governor convened the state board some days ago and handed to them the full charges as presented by Pueblo against their action and requested a reply thereto.

The board has carefully gone into the matter and filed a voluminous reply which fully answers or attempts to answer every objection made by the people of Pueblo to their rulings. The reply of the board sets forth the fact that the law compels all cattle to be inspected at the state line; that the distance from Denver to the state line on the south is 280 miles, and that the law compelling inspection there of all cattle coming into the state renders it needless and useless expense to have them unloaded and inspected again at Pueblo.

The board claims that in making the rulings in the matter they have honestly and fairly discharged their duties as prescribed by law, and that no blame can be attached to them on account of any rulings which they have made. It will also be found that the inspection of cattle by and under the direction of the board has been satisfactory to the cattlemen and the railroads and, in fact, all persons save the citizens of Pueblo, and that their entire cause of complaint will be found to lie in the fact that their geographical location is such as to render it a useless and wanton expense to have cattle unloaded and inspected in the yards at that place, and that an inspection on the cars is equal to no inspection at all. None of these cattle stop within the state. Out of about 100,000 head shipped from Texas to Northern grazing grounds, only about 1,000 have been consigned to Colorado.

The reply of the board denies most emphatically that any desire has ever existed on their part to so rule as to give Denver any advantage whatever in the unloading of stock at the stock yards of this city, and states that they have only been guided in their rulings in this matter by a desire to follow the law according to the duties imposed upon the board by its provisions, and that no mercenary motives have in any way affected any ruling made by it.

It will be attempted to be shown that if Pueblo has been shut out as a point for feeding and inspecting cattle, such discrimination is in point of fact a result under the law of her location, being in too close proximity to the state line.

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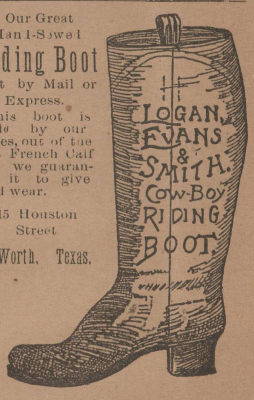
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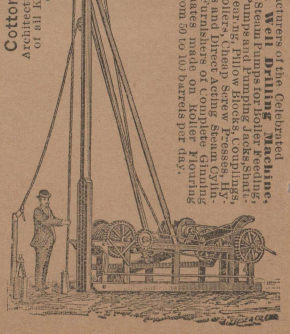
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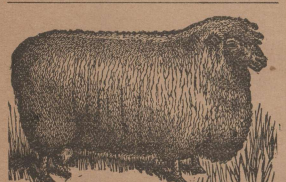
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Quotations from the Boston Commercial Bulletin: Texas fine, 12 mos, 24@26c; do do 6 to 8 mos, 23@25c; Texas medium, 12 mos, 23@25c; do do 6 to 8 mos, 23@25c; Texas fall fine, 17@20c; Texas fall medium, 19@23c.

Colorado Clipper:—W. N. Waddell sold his wool clip in Galveston this week, 35,000 lbs, at 25c per lb. Arthur Anderson's sheep which were shipped to Chicago last week, were on the road ten days, being detained by a washout near Fort Scott, but nevertheless netted $2.60 in the market. M. T. Hall & Co. this week finished dipping their herd of 6000 sheep, and only lost one head out of the lot. J. A. Brakebill this week bought 1500 sheep from I. Gronskiat $2.20 round. He shipped to Chicago Thursday. Burt Simpson bought 730 ewes from McMullen & Williamson this week at $1.90 and shipped to Chicago Thursday.

Boston report American Wool Reporter:—Texas wools show considerable activity, and some good sized lines have been moved. Rumor has it that a large sale of a million pounds has been made by one house. Prices for 8 to 12 months' growth range from 21@25c, fine and fine medium, or from 63@65c clean; the range for the shorter staple wool is 20@22½c. Bright and attractive clips, of light shrinkage and good staple, continue in demand in San Antonio, at or near the top price of the season; while dark, irregular, short or heavy lots are neglected, and for them no satisfactory offers can be obtained.

The Boston Commercial Bulletin says: "Texas wool has ruled extremely active, the best fine twelve months wool selling at 26c, and prices generally being very strong. Sales are very large, and with those reported exclusively by the Bulletin last week foot up a very heavy total. The wool has been taken by a few mills in large blocks. There is considerable wool left in Texas yet, but the cream has been skimmed. There are a few clips still unsold in Hamilton county, shrinking from 58 to 63 per cent., three-quarters fine and one-quarter medium, for which 21@23c is demanded. Over 1,500 000 pounds of wool is held by local dealers at Lampasas, most of it shrinking 68@70 per cent."

New York report American Wool Reporter:—Texas wools have received a great deal of attention, the transactions reaching over 200,000 pounds. The receipts are increasing, but the quantity of wools now here is not in excess of the ordinary. Prices have stiffened considerably, but there has been no change in quotations. The fine 6 to 7 months' wool are selling at a range of 21@24c, equivalent to 57@60c clean. Medium wool range at 50@53c clean cost. The choice year's growth are held at 27c, their estimate shrinkage being from 60 @62 per cent. Southern or Lake wools have been in moderately fair inquiry, but buyers' views are too low for holders. We learn that 28½c was offered for a large line of Georgia that had been handled, and was declined. The nominal quotations for Georgia in original bags would be 27 to 28c.

The Boston Advertiser says:—The feature of the wool sales during the past week has been the number of large lots that have been cleaned up. Of domestic wool the largest business has been in Texas, the sales of which grade foot up nearly 1,000,000 pounds. Some of the sales made were lots bought in Texas on manufacturers' account, and are just now delivered, but the fact that they took large blocks makes it look as though they had some confidence in prices being maintained. The sales made include 325,000 pounds, 125,000 lbs. and 100,000 lbs, at about 24@26c for choice wool, while several large blocks, footing up about 100,000 lbs each, went as high as 24 to 25c. The scoured basis for fine Texas is quoted at about 60 to 63c for 8 and 12 months' growth, while the coarse grades are quoted at 54 to 58c. This free selling of Texas wools cleans up about all of the new wools that have arrived, and at present only a few scattering lots are to be had.

The Boston Advertiser says:—The total receipts of wool at this port during the past week comprise 11,333 bags domestic and 185 bales foreign, against 7860 bags domestic and 502 bales foreign for the same time last year. The total receipts since Jan. 1, 1889, comprise 122,164 bags domestic and 92,861 bales foreign, against 109,154 bags domestic and 61,275 bales of foreign for the corresponding period of 1888. The sales for the week comprise 2,103,300 lbs of domestic fleece and pulled and 1,828,000 lbs of foreign, making the week's transactions foot up 4,981,300 lbs, against 3,003,200 lbs, for the previous week and 1,119,900 lbs domestic and 644,000 lbs foreign for the corresponding week last year. The past week has shown more activity than has been seen in the wool market before this year, and sales have swelled up large. The feeling seems to be that prices are not going to weaken for some months at least, and manufacturers who have been holding back with small stocks, are now more disposed to get some of the raw material on hand.

San Saba Wool Sales.

Reported by the San Saba News.

Bad weather interfered very materially with the wool sales last week, but nearly all the wool was finally disposed of, only six owners failing to dispose of their clips at satisfactory prices. There were over 1200 bags sold. Following are the names of the owners, with prices realized:

OWNERS.	BAGS	PRICE.
Spring & Walker	108	21⅜
G. G. Walker	11	21⅜
H. F. Walker	13	21⅜
S. W. Walker	37	21⅜
Mr. Justice	64	22½
Jas. Burns	3	20½
Campbell & O'Reily	78	21
Joe Williams	22	21
E. Whitehurst	4	20
J. B. Atkinson	37	21
W. H. Ledbetter	1	14½
C. J. H. Berg	7	20
Doran & Sons	18	21⅜
Jas. Foster	13	21
J. B. Edmonds	4	21
J. C. Wilson	82	21
Elm Ranch Co	24	21
Boroughs & Walker	109	21⅜
Robt. Sellman	21	21½
J. C. Peck	17	20
Judge Evans	21	21½
J. T. B. Jones	19	21½
E. Deland	24	22
D. C. Karr	20	21
L. Kirkpatric	12	21
A. G. Riggs	13	15@20
W. J. Kuykendall	35	22½
J. Bostick	17	21
Jno. W. Smith	3	14½
S. G. Roberds	2	18½
Jno. McNeil	1	16
Geo. Markley	4	21
R. T. Barber	2	21
W. L. Banister	15	21
Jack Hubbert	3	21½
T. A. Sloan	1	21½
J. H. Godsey	1	21½
J. B. Carroll	3	18⅜
Mr. Ballou	28	21½
Mrs. Duncan	1	15

Sellman Bro's. clip of 173 bags was shipped to Skinner & Son, as was also Ward & Sorrell's clip of 61 bags; McDermotts of 42 bags; F. Volkman was offered 21½c, but did not sell. John Duke and Getzwiller took the Lampasas having failed to re isfactory offers here.

"Yes, I shall break the engage she said, folding her arms and l defiant; "it is really too much t to converse with him; he's as dea post, and talks like he had a mou of mush. Besides, the way he ha and spits is disgusting." "Don't br the engagement for that; tell him take Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. will cure him completely." "Well, tell him. I do hate to break it off, t in all other respects he's quite too charn ing." Of course, it cured him.

How to Fail With Poultry.

William F. Rice in Farm and Home.

To fail in the chicken business, clean your hen-house once a year. If your chickens have lice let them alone. If you can find only one kind borrow some from your neighbor and start right. If there are any cracks in the house, don't close them, as you may wish to ascertain what roup and sore head are. In case the roup appears, just let it run; it will stop after a while and so will the chickens, and then you can boast that chickens don't pay. For drink in summer, keep a cesspool on hand, if you have none, by all means make one. If your fowls get cholera, simply give nothing. Perhaps they will get on all right; I won't insure this, but it is a part of how to fail. Let your fowls roost in trees, and if you have no trees put up poles 10 or 12 feet from the ground, as the higher you get the purer the atmosphere. Again, you need not pay any attention to the nests; the hens will look out for themselves. If one should hatch a brood let her hover near a pasture, so the little fellows can go out in the dew and catch the gapes. Then you can save feed, for they will not eat for some time, as it will require all their time to open and shut their mouths.

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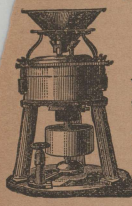
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ROUND-UPS.

Colorado Clipper:—The Doc Grounds ranch near Abilene has been sold to R. A. Ferguson for $20,000. The Champion Cattle company last week sold at Amarillo the herd of steers that had started from Arizona for their ranch in this county. There were 1500 steers in the herd, and the price was $10 for ones, $14 for twos and $18 for threes.

San Angelo Standard:—Bird & Mertz bought 1050 head of sheep from Wm. Adams of Sutton county at $1 92½ per head. Tuesday S. E. Conch sold 400 sheep to Bird & Mertz at an average of $2.12½. On Thursday Ben Cusenbay sold 528 head of wethers to Bird & Mertz for $1.92½ per head. Ben Cusenbary on Wednesday sold 520 head of the Duggan sheep to J. I. Huffman at $1.92½ per head. Halfin & Rueff on Tuesday sold the Schwalbe 8-months clip of 5000 lbs to J. L. Harrington at 20c.

San Angelo Standard:—Halfin & Rueff this week sold over 100,000 pounds of wool at private figures, J. K. Patterson of Brownwood buying over 75,000. The market is dull. Wools that have thus far been sold in this market this spring were disposed of in Eastern markets at figures that would not justify such high prices, and it is consequently more than probable that the commission men and producers will have to come down a little in their prices if they wish to sell in this market.

San Angelo Standard:—J. I. Huffman of San Angelo sold 250 Eastland county raised steer yearlings to Ed Hearn of Callahan county at $7.25. Robertson & Shield, Tuesday sold 20 head of yearling Hereford bulls to Loomis & Ostrander of Concho county for $600. S. J. Blocker, Monday sold 76 head of calves to W. H. Godair at $4 per head. The calves were shipped to Godair, Harding & Co., Chicago. The five car-loads of steers, the property of the Austin & Northwestern Land & Cattle company recently shipped to Chicago, netted an average of $18.35 per head.

Stock Grower:—Mr. J. P. White of the Littlefield Cattle company returned this week from Montana, where he has been placing upon range some 2?00 steers of the L F D brand. The Littlefield Cattle company has this year moved about 6000 steers from their range, a good snowing. About 3000 of these steers were sent to the Indian nation and will be marketed in the fall. Mr. White speaks of a six-inch snow in Montana on the 7th inst. The Pecos valley range is badly crowded and the other cattlemen should do as have done the Littlefield company and take off the surplus steers.

Stock Grower:—One of the most exciting contests ever had in Albuquerque will be the cowboy roping and tying contest between Mr. Moody of Texas, and the world's champion, Mr. McGary from Arizona. The money, $2000, is up and in the hands of Mr. I. L. Fisher of Prescott, who is stakeholder. Mr. McGary has been in several contests of this kind, in all of which he has been victorious. But a short time since he beat Mr. Charley Medows, who advertised himself in several of the sporting papers as the all-around cowboy champion of the world. Mr. Moody thinks that as Texas is the boss cattle state she should also have the champion and he has come up here fully determined to take the belt back with him and the money also.

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DALLAS DOTS.

J. B. Simpson sold John E. Clark, Oak Cliff, near six thousand acres of land in Cottle county together with the cattle on same, amounting to twelve hundred head, for twenty-five thousand dollars. This is the same ranch and stock Col. Simpson recently purchased of Thomas Coleman.

B. P. Fakes, formerly of Fort Worth, broke dirt at Oak Cliff this week for the erection of a fine residence which is situated near Fifth street station.

Since the last issue of the JOURNAL the manager of same, at this end, has located his family at Oak Cliff, and takes pleasure in saying that it is a high, breezy and pleasant location.

W. R. Wiggings of Rockwall county was on the market with 30 mixed butcher cattle.

B. C. Alston of Dallas county sold a bunch of choice grass steers at 2 cents.

C. T. White of Coffman county sold 8 cows and calves for $20@30 per head.

M. C. Evert of Dallas county sold 27 head of cows to local butchers.

Dewitt Bros. of Collin county sold a bunch of grass steers to Frank Hom at 2 cents.

The JOURNAL had a talk with H. G. Brady with reference to price of wool and he said that locally, the article was a little off, and he was at a loss to account for it, as he could not give a reason for its depression.

Recently the Dallas News contained an item to the effect that a cow belonging to City Marshal Joe Beeman of East Dallas had given birth to twin calves. This was given to illustrate the fact that Joe never has less than a pair to draw to. "But," says the News, "Joe is not the only official of East Dallas that can furnish a bovine item. Ex-Alderman T. J. Murnane has a 5-monts-old Jersey heifer which he milks regularly This calf was raised a pet in the yard, and was brought to her milk by the children playing dairymaid with her. The heifer has well developed udders and gives a cup of milk every day, the quantity gradually increasing all the time. She is very large for a Jersey of her age, and Mr. Murnane believes she will be the best cow in Texas when she begins to give milk sure enough."

Carter & Son have lately had a life-sized long-horned Texas steer neatly painted on the front of their yards as a representative of 1882, and also by the side of this, they have had one painted as a representative steer of 1889. Mr. Carter said the long-horned fellow looks like the cattle when he commenced business 17 years ago at the place he is now at.

All the information that the JOURNAL can get at this office is to the effect that the "boom" in the price of live stock is still in the future, and the wisest of the prophets will not venture to set a date at which the boom will be sure to come. The supply and demand doubtless has much more to do with the price of live stock than the Big Four.

Sales of Live Stock at Central Stock Yards, Wallace & Black, Proprietors, Dallas, Tex.

Henry Blewet of Wise county sold 1 car of calves at 3@3½c. per pound gross.

J. P. Laughlin 1 car of sheep and goats, sheep 2½c. per pound, goats $1@1.50 per head.

Mr. Powers 10 good fat cows fro m $12 to $14 per head.

Mr. Brown of Wise county sold 42 cows at $10.50@14 per head.

L. L. Thompson sold 6 head of cattle at $1.50 per hundred pounds.

Dock Hill sold 25 head of cattle to butchers at various prices.

C. T. Servis of Wise county sold 40 head of cows at $1.50 per hundred pounds.

Johnson & Co. of Waxahachie was on market with 40 head of cattle.

Wolcott sold 25 head of cattle to local butchers at different prices.

Mr. Butcher of Cedar Hill sold 12 head of cows at $1.75 per hundred pounds.

Mr. Clark of Kaufman sold 25 cattle, cows, at from $10 to $12 per head.

W. A. Winfield 40 steers, shipped to Chicago.

A. R. Gray sold 16 steers to J. B. Wilson at $2.85 per hundred pounds.

J. L. Wright sold 5 head of cattle to butchers.

Mr. Pior sold 25 mixed steers on market.

Stark sold 15 cows at various prices.

The run this week has been larger, and prices correspondingly low.

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

James Blake of Kaufman county sold 27 cows at $13.50 per head.

C. S. Kimbrough of Dallas county sold 7 choice grass steers, 1090 lbs, at 2¼c.

P. J. Williams sold 68 sheep, 87 lbs, to local butchers at 3¼c.

B. C. Myres sold 34 cows and yearlings; cows went at $12 to $15 per head and yearlings at $3.50@6 per head.

John Dodson of Tarrant Co. sold 13 cows at 1¼c, av. 760 lbs.

M. T. Goodwin sold 6 steers at $17.50 per head.

L. M. Price sold 21 choice veal calves to city butchers at 3@4c.

Sam Davis sold 3 milch cows and calves at $25 around.

Frank Simms sold 6 cows at $11 per per head.

J. W. Hicklin of Kopperl arrived on market with one car of choice cows.

D. E. Maddox sold 18 sheep at $2.25 per head.

L. D. Huffman of Rockwall county sold 13 steers, 970 lbs, at 2c.

G. H. McCollough sold 79 sheep, 98 lbs at 3¼c.

T. J. Mollard sold 39 stock hogs to a feeder at 3¾c.

M. B. Brown sold 21 lambs at $2 per head.

C. B. Marks sold 3 bulls at 1½c, weight 3300 lbs.

O. Mays sold 14 yearlings at $4@7 per head.

R. E. King sold 17 cows at $12.50 per head; also 4 yearlings at $6 per head.

Jeff Barkley sold 29 steers at $13.75 per head for feeding purpose. They were very thin.

S. S. Miller sold 48 choice goats at $1.50 each.

The Last Wishes of the Deceased Were Carried Out.

Brander Mathews tells a good story of the ethical influence of the East on the wild and wooly West, says the Washington Post: A young Bostonian, reared beneath the brow of Beacon hill and educated at Harvard, went to Texas and turned cowboy. He caught rapidly the spirit of the country, and as rapidly shook off the outward semblance of tenderfooted Eastern habit. Rough-bearded and leather-clad, sombrero as wide as the widest, 45-calibre colts on his hips, he was wild as the wildest. Yet within his manly bosom still burned the flame of Boston culture refinement. One day he was riding with a stranger across the prairie. Turning his head suddenly (he was slightly ahead), he saw his companion make a suspicious move toward his hip pocket. Without hesitation he drew his revolver and shot him. The stranger dropped like a log. The cowboy dismounted and looked at the body of his victim.

"I wonder if he was really going to shoot me?" he soliloquized. "I'll see." Turning the body over he discovered a flask of whiskey protruding from the pocket.

"Poor fellow!" said he in a tone of regret, "I've made a mistake. I've killed an innocent man, and a gentleman at that. He wasn't going to shoot me; he was going to invite me to drink. "Well," he sighed, drawing his sleeve across his mouth, "the last wishes of the diseased shall be respected."

How to Get Mares in Foal.

Sometimes it is difficult to get mares to breed, says a writer in Colman's Rural World. It may be they are valuable mares and mares with splendid pedigrees, and their foals would command high prices if bred to good sires. There is scarce y a breeder that has not one or more mares to trouble him this way. The writer had a mare of this kind that he had purchased for breeding purposes, by Ethan Allen and out of a fast pacing mare. She was somewhat advanced in years, and for four years I had tried to get her in foal. I had bred her to different stallions. She would periodically come in season, and was as regularly bred, receiving one, and sometimes two, services at each of such periods. Believing that she was permanently barren, I was trying to dispose of her at a mere nominal sum. Being at Kalamazoo, Mich., about one year ago, inspecting the trotting stock of S. A. Brown & Co. of that city, I was telling him of my trouble with this mare, that I had tried for years to get her in foal, and that I was confident she would never breed.

Mr. Brown, who by the way, I consider one of the best horsemen in the United States, and one of the cleverest gentlemen, said to me: "Send her to me and I will see that she gets in foal." He said he never failed to get them to breeding. But I was so positive that it could not be done that I would not send the mare to him. I asked him, however, what he would do to cause her to breed, and he said it might be necessary to insert the hand to open the passage way to the womb, if closed, which horsemen understand, at the time she came in season, and then let the stallion cover her once a day during her entire period of heat, and the mare would be almost certain to conceive; that some time during the period the egg that is deposited would become fertilized, and the mare in due course of time would have a foal. He said that he never had failed to succeed in this way.

I received this information last January a year ago, and immediately wrote to my superintendent to try the experiment the first time the mare came in season. She did come in season the 1st of February, and the stallion was bred to her for five days in succession, when she refused him, and on the 5th day of January this year she dropped a fine horse foal, and both are doing well.

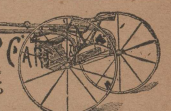
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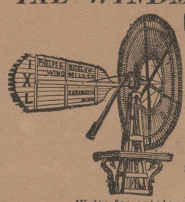
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THE WOOL SACK.

C. Clock bought the Beauregard sheep in Wilson county.

Very few sheepmen were in the city during the past week.

A large number of muttons have been marketed recently from Kerr county.

P. Thomson of Lytle & Thomson of Maverick county was in the city the first of the week.

The Northern buyers are still quietly slipping around and leaving checks in payment of the fleecy staple.

J. M. Clarkson of Val Verde county, the man who sells four-dollar muttons, was in the city during the week.

Muttons continue away above beef, and notwithstanding the fair prospects for good future prices in wool, many sheep are going to market.

Wolves have committed many ravages among the flocks in and about the Sabinal canyon, and the sheepmen recently had a meeting to devise some means for their extermination.

James McLymont, a large sheep owner of Kinney county, passed through homeon Wednesday from an extensive visit East taking in the Boston market, which he reports firm with an upward tendency, and good prospects for some time to come.

C. S. Fielder of Fielder & Sons, an extensive sheep raising firm in Pecos county passed on home last week from a trip to Galveston and San Marcos, and judging from the smile he wore on his face he was fairly well satisfied with his trip.

J. A. Bonnet of Eagle Pass, county judge of Maverick county and an extensive wool grower and banker, was in the city the middle of the week. The judge has great confidence in the future of the sheep business which he is willing to back up by making investments in sheep property at reasonable figures.

Marfa New Era:—Billy Bogel of Alamito was in town during the early part of the week, stepping around here with a regular prize fighter sort of an air, until you would think he was about to forclose a mortgage on the world. He had just received word that his wool had brought 23½c at Galveston, which, by the way, is a pretty fair price, and shows that Billy's wool is pretty good wool, as wool goes. He brags on Galveston as a wool market, and we don't blame him, if he can realize one or two cents more per pound there than at other markets.

Texas Horses.

Once and again some one makes a good sale of Texas horses, but the great run of Texas stock is selling low. A brand has its influence in injuring the sale, a lack of uniformity has something to do with keeping down the price, but the principal reason for low prices is that the stocks are not heavy enough, which is due in part to the use of light weight stallions, and in part to the range and pasture system not keeping the colt in growing condition until it reaches maturity. The horse stock af Texas, as a selling property, is now 25 per cent lower in price than in 1882 to 1884, when there was an active demand for cow-horses, and since cowhorses are not so greatly used as heretofore the light-weight horse is not so saleable a property, as the uses for such horses are limited. One of the Northern dealers sized up the situation a few days ago. He said: "We can sell the mares for all the uses a gelding can be put to, and from the mare by breeding her to our northern stallions, we can get good colts at less cost than if higher-class and more costly mares are kept as breeders. The gelding is only used for work and it costs as much to feed it as a better horse. You must add 25 per cent in size to your horse then you can double the price. The better class af horses are worth as much as at almost any time and supplies are not excessive."

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Stock Movements.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal.

Since our last report the following shipments of stock have been inspected by veterinary authority in this territory.

1,097 one, two and three-year-old steers, from Cochise and Graham counties, Arizona, to Montana; Holt & Tusler, owners.

351 three-year-old steers, from Garza and adjoining counties, Texss, to Montana; W. A Towers, owner.

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791 two, three and four-year-old. steers, from Garza and adjoining counties, Texas, to Montana; Strahorn Towers & Co., owners.

772 steers, from Baylor county, Texas, to Montana; Continental Land & Cattle Co., owners.

Trail—1,000 two, three and four-year-old steers, from Tom Green county, Texas, to Montana; Stoddard & Howard, owners.

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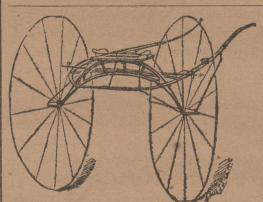
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CHICAGO, ILL., June 28, '89.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for E. T. Goodwin, 22 steers, 999 lbs, $2.80; 81 steers, 918 lbs, $2.60; C. W. Barnard, 107 steers, 956 lbs, $2.55; H. L. Holt, 38 steers, 826 lbs, $2.15; S. R. Hilburn, 38 steers, 1151 lbs, $3.15; W. J. Clements, 48 steers, 1128 lbs, $3.

W. W. Shearer & Co. sold for S. E. Curl, 43 steers, 1063 lbs, $3.25; 22 steers, 1014 lbs, $3.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold for D. Chisholm, 98 steers, 963 lbs, $2.85; V. S. Bowles, 44 steers, 805 lbs, $2.80; P. O'Connor 46 steers, 1111 lbs. $3.15; 43 steers, 1110 lbs, $3; W. E. Henderson, 46 steers, 1010 lbs, $2.85.

Rosenbaum, Bros. & Co. sold for A. Myer, 156 steers, 1051 lbs, $3.35; 210 steers, 1091 lbs, $3.40; J. R. Hamilton, 225 sheep, 95 lbs, $4.30; 235 sheep, 96 lbs, $4.30.

Reynolds & Crill sold for Hogan & H., 80 steers, 836 lbs, $2.12½; 81 calves, 159 lbs, $2.35; Connell, 103 steers, 903 lbs, $2.65; M. B. Owens, 161 steers, 986 lbs, $2.40.

Keenan & Sons sold for G W West, 167 steers, 951 lbs, $2.60; W L Cochran, 106 steers, 782 lbs, $2.45; Orr Bros, 88 steers, 1067 lbs, $2.75; J J Summers, 24 steers, 813 lbs, $2.40; 48 steers, 850 lbs, $2.50.

Wood Bros sold for O'Neil, 127 steers, 957 lbs, $2.75; Hilburn & P, 59 steers, 1128 lbs, $3.15; M[illegible]son, 99 steers, 1013 lbs, $3.10; R A Riddle, 117 steers, 1035 lbs, $3.15.

Paxson, Shattuck & Co sold for D A Yorkley, 85 steers, 1123 lbs, $3.25; E A Taylor, 17 steers, 882 lbs, $2.50; Taylor Bros, 125 steers, 914 lbs, $2.65; O H Boyce, 39 steers, 918 lbs, $2.55; J Wallis, 21 steers, 1119 lbs, $3.25:

Patterson Bros & Co sold for Nix & Wallace, 481 sheep, 74 lbs, $3 30; 239, 71 lbs, $3.20; P J Donovan, 277 sheep, 75 lbs, $3.65.

Evans-Snider-Buel Co sold for J Mattingly, 155 steers, 1133 lbs, $2.90; A Parr, 66 steers, 822 lbs, $2.25; Green, 155 sheep, 76 lbs, $3.40; 310 sheep, 70 lbs, $3.40.

The James H Campbell Co sold for M T Fox, 153 calves, 161 lbs, $2.80; A George, 74 steers, 967 lbs, $2.62½; C M Jones, 192 steers, 1002 lbs, $2.77½; M J Edwards, 52 steers, 948 lbs, $2.36; R King, 51 cows, 723 lbs, $1.65; F G Kingan, 109 steers, 864 lbs, $3.25; Runge, 509 sheep, 90 lbs, $4.25; Bird & H, 646 sheep, 80 lbs, $3.80; 231 sheep, 87 lbs, $3.70.

Gregory, Cooley & Co sold for Indian Live Stock Co, 358 calves, 157 lbs, $2.50; 156 steers, 822 lbs, $2.35; C H Brown, 47 steers, 1009 lbs, $3.10; J B Wells, 78 steers, 907 lbs, $2.85; R Driscoll, 83 steers, 1015 lbs, $2.70.

R Strahorn & Co sold for J S Pittinger 131 steers, 1093 lbs, $3.45; E H East, 213 calves, 148 lbs, $2.20; 220 calves, 153 lbs, $2.25; W Tanner, 47 steers, 1093 lbs, $3.25; J J Welder, 1002 lbs, $2.60; F O Fidler, 20 stags, 1237 lbs, $2.25; Beggs & H, 69 steers, 947 lbs, $3.

Brown Bros sold for J M Dudley, 22 steers, 972 lbs, $3; for Smith Bros, 22 steers, 908 lbs, $2.40; 22 steers, 1050 lbs, $2.75; 20 steers, 1050 lbs, $2.80.

The American Live Stock Commission Co sold for J M L Slavins, 195 steers, 1132 lbs, $3.25; for G W West, 25 steers, 954 lbs, $2.60; for Reynolds Bros, 57 steers, 858 lbs, $2.30; for J J Welder, 84 steers, 1199 lbs, $2.45; for Nueces Land & C Co, 25 cows, 716 lbs, $1.80.

The Chicago Live Stock Commission Co sold for O M Johnson, 190 steers, 992 lbs, $2.75; for R. Driscoll, 86 steers, 1020 lbs, $2.90; for G F Hines, 19 steers, 848 lbs, $2,30; 18 steers, 879 lbs, $2.30; for H W Chapman, 63 steers, 994 lbs, $2.80.

Mallory & Son sold for R. Driscoll, 47 steers, 923 lbs, $3; 64 calves, 238 lbs, $2.65.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, June 28.—Receipts of cattle for the week, 18,839; a large share of these were Texas and Indian. The movement has been free this week and prices on good Texas and Indian steers advanced 10c over last week. Following sales show range of prices:

Quinlan, Montgomery & Co. sold for W. Williams, Purcell, I. T., 95 steers, 1184 lbs, $3.35; 11, 1115 lbs, $3; 9, 1036 lbs, $2.80; 2 cows, 950 lbs, $2 25; for J. B. Sparks, do, 62 steers, 992 lbs, $2 90; 27, 865 lbs, $2.90; Sparks & Son, do, 12, 1005 lbs, $2.90; 28, 958 lbs, $2.90; Munford Johnson, do, 100, 1146 lbs, $3 25; Baird & Ingram, do, 7 cows, 905 lbs, $2 41 steers, 924 lbs, $2.50; Beard & Smith, do, 144, 1117 lbs, $2 75; 23 cows, 987 lbs, $2; T. G. Mains, Spanish Fort, Texas, 40 steers, 946 lbs, $2.50; 4 cows, 790 lbs, $1.75; 6 bulls, 1090 lbs, $1.50; E. H. Bounds, Lebanon, I. T., 25 steers, 1006 lbs, $3; 79 calves, $4.75 each; T. C. Fielder, Purcell, I. T., 23 steers, 1042 lbs, $3.65; F. J. Fitzpatrick, do, 50 steers, 1043 lbs, $3.15; 53, 1029 lbs, $3.15; 42, 1049 lbs, $3.10; Roberson & McGoughey, do, 71 steers, 1053 lbs, $3; W. V. Alexander, do, 78 steers, 986 lbs, $2 80.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for Weathers & McClellan, Grandview, Texas, 82 steers, 1090 lbs, $3.15.

The Fish & Keck Co. sold for J. A. Blair, 79 Indian calves, at $4.85 each; for Childress County Land & Cattle Co., 302 Texas calves, 160 lbs, $1.90; 7 do bulls, 1123 lbs, $1.40; 17 cows, 835 lbs, $1.60; for Wm. Boudies & Co., 58 Texas heifers, 672 lbs, $1.65; 8 steers, 1072 lbs, $2.75; T. A. McClure, 22 Indian grass cows and steers, 828 lbs, $1.90; 25 steers, 945 lbs, $2.30; for T. Hamerson, 80 Texas calves, $3 each; Childress Co. Land & Cattle Co., 43 yearling heifers, 386 lbs, $1.50; V. Herord, 84 corn-fed Indian steers, 1050 lbs, $3; 13 do cows, 890 lbs, $2; H. M. Kidwell, 74 Texas calves at $1.40 each; 230 do, $3 each; C. A. Goode, 58 grass Indian steers 927 lbs, $2.60.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold for Jno. Calvert, 118 steers, 960 lbs, $2.65; J. Addington 29 fair cows, 677 lbs, $1.85; A. J. Blivens, 17 steers, 1023 lbs, $2.75; R. S. Gordenhire, 75 common steers, 879 lbs, $2.25; F. M. Daugherty, 52 good cows, 762 lbs, $2.10; E. B. Gorhenhire, 50 fair steers, $2.75; 13 fair cows, 850 lbs, $2.10; W. B. Baxter, 23 common cows, 742 lbs, $1.75; D. Lacey, 30 good yearlings, 585 lbs, $1.90; J. B. Craig, 25 good steers, 946 lbs, $3; O. G. Stevenson, 40 rough steers, 963 lbs, $2.40; 20 good cows, 788 lbs, $2 15; A. Judkins, 43 medium steers, 861 lbs, $2.55; J. W. Wilkins, 19 good steers, 968 lbs, $2.75; C. Q. Hazzard, 143 calves, each $3.35; J. S. Filger, 46 good steers, 734 lbs, $2.90; J. Moore, 108 medium steers, 961 lbs, $2.65; Bird & Mertz, 746 sheep, 86 lbs, $3.20; S. Kaggs, 503 sheep, 82 lbs, $3.30; Johnson Bros., 232, 88 lbs, $3.25.

The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold 62 Texas calves, 154 lbs, $2; 187, 162 lbs, $2; 177, 169 lbs, $2.15; 73, 172 lbs, $2.15; 74, 168 lbs, $2 15; 40 steers, 1150 lbs, $2.90; 89 calves, $4.25 each; 68, 1[illegible] lbs, $2.20; 146, $3.28 each.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 28.—Receipts of Texas cattle for to-day unexpectedly small. The demand was large, but prices 10c per 100 lbs lower on all grades, in sympathy with other markets. Canners and dressed beef men want cattle.

the length of time required by natures laws to do this very thing?

Men who own cattle may not like the programme. It is not inviting its true, but it is practical and necessary. When nature does this work it is not done to suit us as a general rule, but individuals will not accept the task. The Shorthorn cattle breeders for instance insisted upon raising every bull they had, regardless of individual merit; the result was that the best specimens have found hard sale. The individual would not accept the sacrifice of a few, but the breeding interest suffered deeply in consequence. It is partly so with the cattle raising business throughout the country, it is suffering because numbers represent everything. Nearly every man is trying to increase the herd no matter whether he is doing so or not. The spaying, the calf selling and the cow selling is not done for the purpose of restricting the production, but is often the natural result of hard times; the sacrifices are made because individuals are driven to these things as they have no more room to run any additional cattle. In some instances these things are done in order to raise the standard of a herd on the true principle that ten good cattle eat less and are worth more than fifteen common ones.

A reasonable reduction in numbers coupled with careful selection, is a good policy for each individual cattle raiser to pursue on his own account. The idea is to relieve the market just so soon as possible and to prevent an accumulation around the gates of the markets. When a man spays a heifer he does a good thing, when he sells a calf to a butcher he does better, when he reserves his steers and sells his cows to the canners he does as well as he can for to-day and holds the best stock for the future. With a large herd there are ways to decrease production without much present loss, and with a small stock it is much easier. The general rule in time of prosperity is to raise the young stock and sell the old, to-day the programme should be reversed. Let every stockman appoint himself a committee of one to decrease cattle production on his own estate and he will find means to benefit himself and the industry at large.

Big Sheep and Farmers' Sheep

At Lincoln in England a few days ago a ram of the Lincoln breed—the largest sheep breed of all—weighed up 392 pounds gross, and when killed net 260 pounds of meat. This is an extraordinary weight for a sheep, even in England, but the rams in use there seldom weigh less than 200 pounds—no matter what the breed may be.

Such sheep are very profitable and pay for the feed consumed, money invested, pasturage and every possible care. Lambs are sold at 10 months old weighing 160 to 200 pounds, and a flock of 200 ewes will produce an average of 300 lambs, or every second ewe will raise twin lambs. Such lambs at 6 months old are worth a five dollar bill per head in London, and require about twice as much feed per day as a sheep that on a [illegible] cultural interest than raising the mutton sheep in small numbers. A farmer owning but a small tract of land, can do no better than to get a few head of the mutton sheep. Dairy cattle, poultry and sheep are the cash producers of small farms, and of these sheep are the most certain, the least trouble and more beneficial to the fertility of the farm than any other stock. It is a pity more of these sheep are not in Texas, and it is also a pity that there seems to be no increase in the number of sheep flocks on the farms in the state. The agricultural college could do something for the Texas farmers by giving the result of a few feeding tests of range sheep, also a test or two of breeding the small range ewes to the rams of the mutton breeds. Texas farmers to be prosperous must raise sheep, and those who are instructors of farmers ought to show them the way.

Transfers of Jersey Cattle.

The following is a complete list of the transfers of Jersey cattle in Texas as reported by the American Jersey Cattle Club, No. 1 Broadway, New York, for the week ending June 18, 1889.

BULLS.

Cinder's Rococo, 21284, J. M. Trosper to Z. T. P. Hill, DeBerry.

Lottie's Prince, 22251, J. M. Bethany to W. L. Springfield, Bellville.

Lucky Pogis Hugo, 20317, W. B. Montgomery to A. Cooper, Clifton.

COWS.

Anna Mink, 51959, W. B. Montgomery to J. W. McCarthy, Eagle Lake.

Compeer's Beauty, 37070, H. M Baum to J. J. Jarvis, Fort Worth.

Cora's Little Beauty, 32695, Mrs. M. O. Stephens to N. J. Lacy, Dallas.

Dado of Noxubee, 57160, M. Nahorner to W. G. Beard, Eagle Lake.

Epicure's Beauty, 52834, F. M. Morrow to R. Woolley, Jr., San Antonio.

Fannettie Ralphea, 56842, W. B. Montgomery to M. Eastland, Gonzales.

Flora M., 56331, W. B. Montgomery to J. W. McCarty, Eagle Lake.

Ida Mink, 51950, W. B. Montgomery to J. C. Hutcherson, Houston.

Inez of Texas, 57497, I. Sellers to R. B. Sellers Georgeton.

Missie Rioter's Gem, 49539, W. Morrow to Mrs. P. D. Hickey, Cotulla.

Noble Cicero's Pet, 49538, W. Morrow to A. C. Johns, San Antonio.

Petra Pogis, 56429, W. B. Montgomery, to W. M. Fly, Gonzales.

Ralphea Adelette, 56550, W. B. Montgomery to A. Cooper, Clifton.

Ralphea Pogis, 56844, W. B. Montgomery to A. Cooper, Clifton.

Ridie Wadkins, 27179, A. A. Carter to C. F. Chevallier, Marshall.

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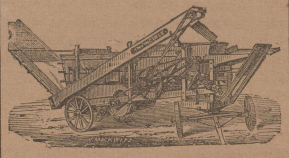
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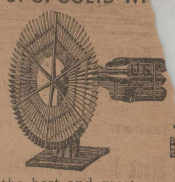
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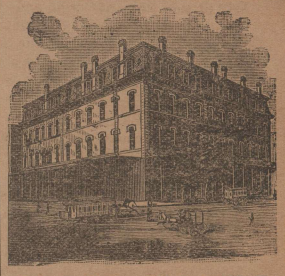


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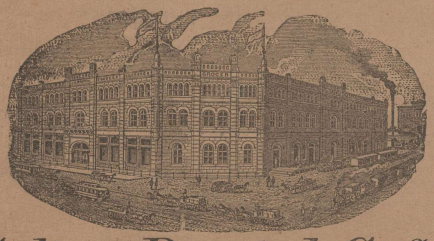
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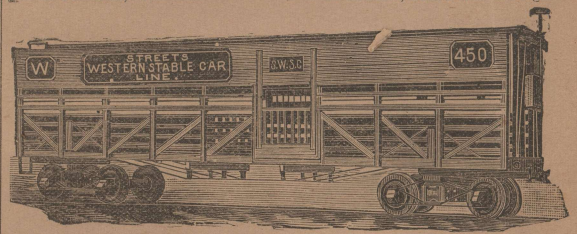
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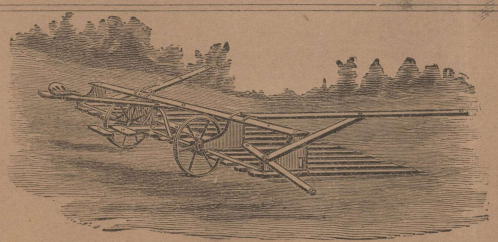


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