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VESTOCK MARKET

T RECEIPTS OF CATTLE ON TODAY'S MARKET.

Beef Steers in, Nothing Choice, Sell- Steady to Strong—Good Cows ady, Others Slow—Calves Slow to ady.

RUN OF HOGS STILL KEEPS UP TODAY.

ity Good, but Not Up to Yesterday's gs—Demand Strong and Sales were de at Steady Prices.

RECEIPTS.

	Today.	Same day '03
le	1,500	1,716
	1,200	1,179
	600	200
p	120	....
es and mules		

Official Receipts Yesterday.

le	1,811
	1,186
	54
p	194
es and mules	

Range of Selling Prices Today.

ATTLE—Steers, top $3.25, bulk $2.80 S. Cows, top $2.50, bulk $2.00@2.25. ves, top $3.25, bulk $2.75@3.25. OGS—Top $6.00, bulk $5.85@5.95. HEEP—Bulk $3.25.

THE CATTLE TRADE

Today's Quotations.

rs—Good to strict choice	$3 25@4 00
edium fed	2 50@3 25
ockers and feeders	2 00@2 50
earlings	1 25@2 25
s—Choice heavy fed	2 50@3 25
edium butcher	2 00@2 50
utters	1 75@2 00
anners	1 00@1 75
ls, stags and oxen	1 50@3 00
ves—Medium to fancy	2 75@3 50
ommon to fair	1 50@2 75

Early receipts of cattle today were ter than for some time. Only twen- ne cars were in at the opening, with few over 700 head. Others were rted, and with drive-ins total re- ts were estimated at 1,500, against 1 for last Thursday, 1,329 for the e Thursday in August, and 1,716 for corresponding day one year ago.

BEEF STEERS.

There has been a small supply of ers coming lately, and in today's all run not many could be found. Of- ings were mostly of medium grades, t the demand was strong enough from l packers to absorb all on hand, and ing ruled steady to strong, with the t averaging around 975 pounds and ling at $3.25. The bulk of sales went a range of from $3.00@3.25.

Good to strict choice steers are quoted a range of from $3.25@4.00, medium from $2.50@3.25, stockers and feed- $2.00@2.50, and yearlings $1.25@2.25.

Representative sales:

	Ave.	Price.
	953	3 25
	951	3 25
	1030	3 15
	923	2 80
	970	2 75
	747	2 40
	890	2 40
	803	2 15
	750	1 70

BUTCHER STOCK.

The light supply of butcher stock to- y was composed mostly of common to dium grades, with but few loads of od cows on sale.

The supply was not large enough to the demand, and all grades of cows d heifers showing decent to good kill ld at strong prices. Canners and cut- rs were slow to move and no better an steady. A few choice cows were od enough to sell around $3, but the lk of offerings went at a range of m $1.90@2.25.

Good to choice cows and heifers are oted at a range of from $2.50@3.25, edium butchers $2.00@2.50, cutters 75@2.00, and canners $1.00@1.75.

Fat bulls were selling today at strong ces, mostly at a range of from $1.90@ 00. Feeders found a slack demand and ld slowly on a steady basis, at a range from $1.50@1.75.

Cows.

	1090	3 00
	893	2 50
	907	2 35
	873	2 25
	837	2 25
	841	2 25
	691	2 20
	792	2 20
	743	2 10
	730	2 10
	745	2 00
	734	2 00
	790	2 00
	807	2 00
	774	1 95
	902	1 90
	741	1 85
	850	1 80
	666	1 75
	735	1 75
	649	1 70
	690	1 65
	860	1 65
	598	1 55
	809	1 50
	760	1 50
	688	1 50
	731	1 50
	678	1 50
	680	1 50
	749	1 25
	790	1 00
	690	1 00

Heifers.

	555	2 25
	455	1 85
	460	1 25
	420	1 15

Bulls.

3	1250	1 95
1	1190	1 95
4	1090	1 95
1	1340	1 90
1	1180	1 75
1	1020	1 65
1	1280	1 50
1	770	1 40
1	890	1 15

CALVES.

Prices for calves were generally steady today. The demand for choice grades was fairly active and supplies moderate.

Common grades were slow to move, but all around prices ruled about steady, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $2.50@3.25.

29	121	3 25
49	158	3 25
13	226	3 25
1	150	3 25
17	168	3 25
4	217	3 00
2	115	3 00
32	194	2 75
79	231	2 75
4	220	2 50
26	252	2 35
20	328	2 25
1	120	2 20
2	265	2 00
15	218	2 00
15	341	2 00
12	298	2 00
1	220	2 00
1	260	1 75
1	260	1 25
1	320	1 25
1	230	1 00

THE HOG TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Choice sorted	$5 85@6 05
Mixed packers	5 75@5 90
Lights	5 70@5 90
Pigs	4 00@5 50
Stags and roughs	4 00@5 00

Supplies of hogs were again fairly liberal. So far this week receipts show an increase of close around 2,000 over the corresponding days last week. This is the heaviest run for the first four days of any week since the latter part of April. Eleven cars were in at the opening of the market, with about 800 head. A few shipments were still back, and total receipts were estimated at 1,200, against 443 for last Thursday, 440 for the same Thursday in August, and 1,179 for the corresponding day one year ago.

The quality of today's supply was good but hardly as good as the late arrivals yesterday.

There was a good demand and packers took the supply at prices fully steady with the close yesterday. Several loads averaging from 196 to 208 pounds sold at $6, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $5.90@5.95.

Good to choice sorted hogs are quoted at a range of from $5.85@6.05, mixed packers $5.75@5.90, lights $5.70@5.90, pigs $4.00@5.50, and boars, stags and roughs from $4.00@5.00.

Representative sales:

Hogs.

No.	Ave.	Price.
1	310	4 75
1	230	4 50
40	137	5 52½
28	135	5 40
42	141	5 70
22	140	5 75
33	176	5 75
18	126	5 75
33	137	5 85
61	202	5 85
23	165	5 90
71	202	5 90
54	202	5 92½
8	145	5 92½
72	208	5 92½
52	197	5 92½
39	191	5 95
3	250	5 95
74	215	5 95
4	248	5 95
26	200	5 95
34	222	5 95
76	196	6 00
79	208	6 00
84	197	6 00
80	226	6 00
49	239	6 00
72	235	6 00
5	368	6 00

Pigs.

28	87	4 00
15	80	4 00
62	99	4 50
6	110	4 75
16	102	5 05
8	126	5 50
5	128	5 92½

Late sales yesterday:

Hogs.

32	132	5 47½
37	164	5 50
6	236	5 90
5	158	5 90
8	178	5 90
4	210	5 90
1	350	5 90
42	220	5 95
73	207	5 95

Pigs.

12	100	3 62½
10	93	4 50
28	120	4 65

THE SHEEP TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Lambs	$3 50@5 00
Wethers	3 00@4 00
Ewes	2 50@3 50
Culls	1 50@2 50

Receipts of sheep were close around 600 head, the quality of which was only medium. Buyers wanted good fat muttons, but there was only a limited demand for the kind offered, and the few selling went over the scales on a steady basis. At a late hour over half of the supply was still in the pens. About 274 mixed clipped sheep averaging around 76 pounds sold at $3.25.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.
138 mixed	77	3 25
136 mixed	76	3 25

HORSES AND MULES

Horses.

Drafts, good	$140@150
Chunks, good	75@130
Drivers, good to fancy	75 up
Drivers, medium	55@ 75
Southerners, common to fair	35@ 50
Southerners, good to extra	75@100
Plugs	15@ 20
Rangers, plain	10@ 30
Choice range horses	50@ 75

Mules.

13½ to 14 hands, fat	$ 50@ 60
14 to 14½ hands, fat	75@ 80
14½ to 15 hands, fat	90@120
15 to 15½ hands, fat	125@140
15½ to 16 hands, fat with quality	145@160
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 1,200 to 1,500	165@175

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.

S. McGee, Krum	45
W. F. Malone, Talpa	32
W. A. Strawn, Bridgeport	44
J. N. Payne, Graham	79
D. Taylor, Cisco	82
R. L. Wickliff, St. Joe	36
J. J. Prater, Pottsboro	20
F. Wilhelm, Brady	80
J. W. Rose, Brady	63
Three Circle Ranch, Bluffdale	52
L. B. Hamm, Wills Point	28
G. W. McMillen, Stoneburg	72
J. T. Procter, Stoneburg	32
F. L. Brown, Addington	61
Corden & Brown, Comanche	39
Thomas & Colbert, Duncan	5
Shropshire & H., Colorado	70
E. Boatwright, Sweetwater	63
J. M. Chumbly, Abilene	36
A. J. Root, Burnett	203
Oscar Cain, San Angelo	119
Morgan & Smith, Bowie	27
Marion Watson, Henrietta	37
G. S. Showers, Chillicothe	30
B. & G., Clarendon	83

Hogs.

J. Marshall, Bradley, I. T.	70
M. Clift, Foss, O. T.	84
R. L. Whisnant, Fowler, Tex	76
F. P. Tillery, Grapevine, Tex	156
J. L. Lurcoln, Goliad, Tex	67
D. C. Hill, Celina, Tex	62
Anderson & Brogden, Kingston, Tex	59
W. G. Fowler, Calvert, Tex	82
B. F. Bartholomew, Noble, O. T.	79
Thomas & Colbert, Duncan, I. T.	73
A. G. Pannell, Minco, I. T.	72
Petree & J., Union City, O. T.	72
W. R. Story, Lindsay, I. T.	74
Brown & W., Davis, I. T.	80
C. M. Worsham, Henrietta	77
Morgan & S., Bowie	13

Sheep.

M. Smith, Longfellow	273
Jno. Murray, Longfellow	297

Horses and Mules.

A. W. Childress, El Paso	26
W. D. C., Stamford	31
G. A. H., Stamford	30
O. T. Ward, San Angelo	25

BUYERS ON YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Cattle.

Armour & Co.	533
Swift & Co.	335
Thompson	18
Googins	20
Farmer	44
Duncan	10
True & Strong	43
Miller	10
Saunders	17
Summers	30
Smith	88
Armstrong	38
Hodgkins	19
Dorn	15
Sutherland	56
Autrey	29
Pettinger	12
Ditch	16
Others	30

Calves.

Swift & Co.	366
Armour & Co.	250

Hogs.

Swift & Co.	776
Armour & Co.	321

PASSES FOR THE SMALL SHIPPER.

Fort Worth Live Stock Exchange Working to Get Him Such Favors.

Ireland Hampton, representing the Fort Worth Live Stock Exchange, went to Austin on Tuesday to present the argument of the Exchange in favor of a more liberal rule for the granting of passes to Texas shippers to the Fort Worth market. By a resolution of the Exchange, adopted some time ago, it was agreed to work for pass privileges to the shippers of two cars of stock. The shipper of two cars to any of the Northern markets gets a pass, but in Texas this privilege is allowed to no person who ships less than three cars to Fort Worth.

Mr. Hampton argued before the Railroad Commission that the small shipper was really the man who ought to have a pass. The shipper of one car, he explained, generally has a mixed load, sometimes steers, cows and calves. The calves and the weaker cows need to be protected against the stronger animals, and trainmen are not likely to get in a car of cattle, lift up the down calves and fight the others off, as the owners would if he were along to look after them.

The representative of the M. K. & T. railroad replied to this argument, and took the position that all passes to live stock shippers should be cut off.

Louis J. Kahn Supply Co., St. Joseph, Mo., is advertising in The Reporter an extra good stock saddle that is made by that company.

HORSE SELLING ACTIVE

LARGE NUMBER DISPOSED OF AT THE AUCTION SALE.

Good Demand Keeps Up, Though the Attendance was Not So Large Today as on Former Days.

The auction opened this morning with not so good an attendance as on the previous days, but bidding and sales were active, and stock changed hands rapidly. Following were the sales:

Bay mare, 8 years, s. and d., H. A. Heron, $77.50.

Brown horse, 7 years, double worker, H. A. Heron, Jr., $80.

Bay horse, 4 years, excellent driver, city broke, King & Whittington, $105.

Iron gray mare, 4 years, King & Whittington, $52.50.

Bay horse, 6 years, s. and d., and saddle, single, King & Whittington, $55.

Bay horse, 5 years, harness, King & Whittington, $67.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., J. R. Dendinger, $47.50.

Pair light grays, ponies, smooth mouth, saddle, harness, J. R. Dendinger, $47.50.

Bay horse, 7 years, s. and d., H. A. Heron Jr., $80.

Pair gray ponies, 7 and 8 years, harness and saddle, H. A. Heron Jr., $85.

Bay horse, 8 years, double and single, city broke, J. R. Dendinger, $60.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., J. R. Dendinger, $52.50.

Brown horse, 8 years, single and double, J. R. Dendinger, $40.

Bay horse, 6 years, saddle, city broke, J. R. Dendinger, $100.

Pair grays, 8 and 9 years, double harness and saddle, T. L. Swink, $70.

Blue roan, 6 years, harness, H. & A., $37.50.

Sorrel mare, 7 years, s. and d., J. R. Dendinger, $40.

Sorrel horse, 8 years, saddler, J. T. Harris, $27.50.

Roan horse, smooth mouth, saddler, J. R. Dendinger, $38.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., city broke, H. & A., $57.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., M. S. McGuire, $26.

Bay horse, 9 years, harness, good double worker, H. A. Heron, Jr., $47.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., J. R. Dendinger, $60.

Black horse, 6 years, saddler, T. L. Swink, $41.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, saddler, H. & A., $37.50.

Drove 21 head, all broke, 1 to 3 years, W. O. Rominger, at $42.50.

Pair bay horses, 6 years, harness, Ed Blanchard, $132.50.

Bay horse, 6 years, harness, T. J. Mitchell, $75.

Bay horse, 5 years, s. and d., T. J. Mitchell, $80.

Bay mare, 7 years, s. and d., lady's driver, M. S. McGuire, $72.50.

Afternoon Sales.

The afternoon sale opened with the usual large crowd, and buying was good from the start. The sales up to 2:30 were:

Bay horse, harness and saddler, Bob Dorris, $45.

Bay horse, 8 years, s. and d., and saddler, T. Champenois, $47.50.

Bay horse, 6 years, harness, W. O. Rominger, $67.50.

Bay horse, 6 years, harness and saddle, Bob Dorris, $77.50.

Bay horse, 8 years, harness and saddle, H. & A., $50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, harness and saddle, Bob Dorris, $40.

Bay mare, smooth mouth, family nag, Ed Blanchard, $42.50.

Roan horse, 8 years, a good saddler, Bob Dorris, $46.

Brown horse, 7 years, s. and d., city broke, Bob Dorris, $82.50.

Iron gray horse, 6 years, harness, Robinson & Nance, $77.50.

Bay horse, 7 years, s. and d., and saddler, Mrs. J. K. Bruce, $90.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, double harness, Ed Blanchard, $72.50.

Gray horse, 6 years, s. and d., city broke, 16 hands, T. Champenois, $95.

Brown horse, 7 years, single worker, W. O. Rominger, $67.50.

Roan horse 3 years, harness, Ed Blanchard, $82.50.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, city broke, saddler, H. Rogers, $70.

Brown mare, 8 years, sold at halter, Ed Blanchard, $60.

Brown horse, 5 years, city broke, s. and d., H. & A., $102.50.

Gray horse, smooth mouth, city broke, s. and d. and saddler, Meadows, $41.

Brown horse, 5 years, s. and d., H. & A., $112.50.

Sorrel horse, 9 years, s. and d., city broke, W. O. Rominger, $62.50.

Brown horse, 5 years, city broke, s. and d., saddler, W. O. Rominger, $122.50.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, thoroughly broke, s. and d., H. & A., $55.

Gray horse, 6 years, agrees to show ½ mile in 1:30 or better, 16 hands, city broke, H. & A., $137.50.

Black mare, smooth mouth, s. and d., H. & A., $62.50.

Sales late yesterday:

Brown horse, 8 years, s. and d., King & Whittington, $125.

Black horse, 6 years, s. and d., city broke, Bob Moore, $102.50.

Gray mare, 8 years, s. and d., 1200 pounds, T. Champenois, $100.

Bay horse, 8 years, one bad eye, Bob Dorris, $80.

Bay mare, 8 years, s. and d., Bob Dorris, $107.50.

Black horse, 8 years, city broke, s. and d., Al Chase, $120.

Bay horse, 9 years, s. and d., city broke, Bob Dorris, $55.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., good saddler and family horse, J. R. Dendinger, $55.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., J. R. Dendinger, $60.

Bay horse, 9 years, city broke, J. R. Dendinger, $45.

Brown horse, 8 years, excellent saddler, all gates, Meadows, $60.

Bay horse, 8 years, s. and d., city broke, J. R. Dendinger, $62.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, double worker, J. R. Dendinger, $45.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., J. R. D., $50.

Dun pony, 9 years, saddler, Meadows, $30.

Bunch 16 head unbroken, 4 broke, 5 or 6 unbroke mares from 2 to 5 years, J. R. Dendinger, each $21.

Bunch 31, 2 colts thrown in, none broke, 2 to 3 years, J. W. Bishop, each $16.

Bunch 11 head, unbroke, equal mares and horses, M. S. McGuire, $15.

Bay horse, 6 years, city broke, Meadows, $47.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., Ed Blanchard, $40.

Sorrel horse, sold at halter, smooth mouth, W. R. Clements, $13.

Gray horse, 8 years, gentle to ride, King & Whittington, $32.50.

Sorrel horse, 10 years, s. and d., J. R. D., $29.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, gentle anywhere, s. and d., H. C. Hillman, $23.

Bay horse, 8 years, s. and d., Underwood, $26.

Sorrel horse, 7 years, s. and d., city broke, Ed Smith, $90.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., thoroughly broke, saddler, Underwood, $60.

Gray horse, 6 years, double worker, good saddler, Ed Smith, $75.

Bay horse, 8 years, used for a saddle horse only, Ed Smith, $62.50.

Roan mare, smooth mouth, good saddler, Meadows, $42.50.

Bay horse, 8 years, saddler, never worked, Ed Blanchard, $28.50.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, city broke, s. and d., Y. Yates, $60.

Bay horse, 8 years, s. and d., King & Whittington, $65.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, saddle horse, Underwood, $45.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, city broke, s. and d., W. O. R., $50.

Sorrel horse, 8 years, double worker and good saddler, H. & A., $55.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, s. and d., city broke, big strong and a good worker, O. D. Cowen, $75.

Bay horse, 9 years, s. and d., J. R. Dendinger, $70.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, selling at halter, Y. Yates, $19.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, double worker and single, J. R. Dendinger, $50.

Bay horse, 8 years, single and double, well broke, J. R. Dendinger, $76.

Pair iron grays, 5 years, work double and good saddlers, T. Champenois, $117.50.

Bay mare, smooth mouth, works double, Will Kid, $32.

Brown horse, 5 years, standard bred, works double, good saddler, 15½ hands, H. & A., $65.

Sorrel horse, smooth mouth, Ed Blanchard, $42.50.

Black mare, 8 years, fine double driver, Underwood, $37.50.

Iron gray jack, 6 years, selling with a blank guarantee to be a good breeder, W. T. Johnson, $335.

Bay horse, 8 years, double worker, 1100 pounds, Ed Blanchard, $67.50.

Sorrel horse, 7 years, saddle broke, W. O. Rominger, $60.

Bay horse, 7 years, a good saddle horse, H. & A., $55.

Dun horse, 6 years, a good saddler, H. & A., $57.50.

Black horse, 6 years, double worker and sound, W. O. R., $70.

Sorrel horse, 6 years, double worker, W. O. R., $70.

Bay horse, smooth mouth, double worker, good size, 16 hands, W. H. Tanner, $77.50.

Bay horse, 7 years, double worker and a saddler, 15 hands, Ed Blanchard, $60.

Gray horse, 6 years, double worker, W. O. R., $62.50.

Brown horse, 6 years, good double worker, W. O. R., $62.50.

Sorrel horse, smooth mouth, a good saddle horse, Underwood, $61.

Bay horse, 8 or 9 years, sold for a double worker, W. O. R., $62.50.

Dun horse, 6 years, 15 hands, saddler, W. O. R., $67.50.

Pair grays, one 7 years, one smooth mouth, sold to be saddle horses, M. S. McGuire, $77.50.

Sorrel horse, sold at the halter, J. R. D., $27.50.

Brown horse, smooth mouth, good double worker and good saddler, M. S. McGuire, $32.50.

Black horse, smooth mouth, selling to ride—a pony for children, M. S. McGuire, $32.50.

Private Sales.

M. McFountain, Monroeville, Ala., the sheriff of Monroe county, took 1 car of good Southern drivers home with him at $75 around.

T. Champenois, Meridian, Miss., shipped out 2 nice mares.

Bob Moore, of Old Mexico, bought what he considered a pair of the best draft horses sold. They were iron grays, and he paid $260. He also got a fancy driver for $102.50.

O. L. Bennett, Norwood, La., found a car of Southern drivers at $70 that suited him and shipped them home.

W. W. Shannon of Macon, Miss., shipped out 2 cars of mixed heavy mules and nice drivers.

F. B. Probst of Kennedy, Ala., shipped out 1 car of brood mares.

Bowser & Towles of Houston picked up 1 car of fancy drivers and heavy mules for the Houston trade.

D. I. Gallipher sold 38 head of broke horses to be shipped to Mississippi points, at an average of $72 a head.

NOTES.

G. I. Gallipher bought one of the fancy kind today for $250. He is a beauty. Light bay and has a record of 2:20.

C. R. Ayers, DeLeon, Tex., will be on the market next month with about 16 span of good mules from 3 to 4 years, broke. He says they will bring more from the block than at a private sale. He intends to run them in the ring in pairs.

GENERAL NOTES.

Parties wishing to exhibit stock at the St. Louis World's Fair can get catalogues and entry blanks by applying to Frank Hovenkamp at Fort Worth. Remember that entries close Oct. 1st.

Some very fine apples, grown near Tascosa in Oldham county, have been received by General Freight Agent Sterly of the Fort Worth & Denver road. They were grown by E. J. Morris. The varieties were Arkansas Blacks, Yellow Harvest and Ben Davis. Oldham county is in the Staked Plains, bordering on New Mexico.

A comparison of the Fort Worth and St. Louis markets is shown by a report of late sales of Texas pigs on that market. Here are the St. Louis sales: 123 of 115 pounds, $4.75; 54 of 126 pounds, $5.35; 88 of 77 pounds, $4.25; 29 hogs of 195 at $5.90. On the same day hogs of 197 pounds sold here at $5.95, pigs of 138 at $5.40, and lighter pigs at higher prices than those sold in St. Louis.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	11,000	16,000	20,000
Kansas City	10,000	7,000	5,000
St. Louis	5,000	7,000	3,500
	26,000	30,000	28,500

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Sept. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts 11,000. Market steady. Beeves $3.65@6.15, cows and heifers $1.50@4.50, stockers and feeders $2.00@3.85.

HOGS—Receipts 16,000. Market weak to steady. Top $6.20, bulk $5.70@5.85. Mixed and butchers $5.60@6.15, good to choice heavy $5.70@6.10, rough heavy $5.35@5.60, lights $5.70@6.60, pigs $4.00@5.75.

SHEEP—Receipts 20,000. Steady.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, Sept. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts 10,000. Market steady. Beeves $3.15@6.15, cows and heifers $1.50@4.60, Texas and Westerns $2.00@5.25.

HOGS — Receipts 7,000. Market steady. Top $5.90, bulk $5.75@5.85. Mixed and butchers $5.75@5.90, good to choice heavy, $5.70@5.80, rough heavy $5.65@5.75, lights $5.75@5.90, pigs $2.75@5.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 5,000. Slow.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stockyards, Sept. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts 5,000, Texas 2,500. Market steady. Steers $2.50@3.45, cows and heifers $1.50@2.50.

HOGS—Receipts 7,000. Market weak, 5 lower. Top $6.10, pigs and lights $4.50@5.90, packers $5.80@6.00, butchers $5.90@6.10.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,500. Steady.

THE SIX-CENT HOG.

Highest Sales Made on This Market for Almost a Year.

The 6-cent hog is here. He overshot the market a little and went to $6.02½ on this market yesterday. This is the highest price paid since October 3, 1903, almost a year ago. Hogs were on the toboggan then, and they went on down until the early spring, when the trade steadied. After that it strengthened, and with slight interruptions it has moved upward until $6.02½ was reached yesterday. We had a number of sales at $6 today, but these were not quite so good as the $6.02½ on yesterday's market.

An expert hog buyer in Chicago last spring predicted 4-cent hogs this fall. He finds now that the hog has a way that is all his own, and goes that way, regardless of the prophesying of experts.

ABOUT THE STOCK YARDS TODAY.

Joe Payne, from Young county, sold 79 calves of 232 pounds at $2.75.

M. Smith sold 274 sheep from Pecos county, averaging 77 pounds, at $3.25.

L. McGee from Denton county sold 21 cows of 749 pounds average at $1.25.

W. A. Shaw of Wise county sent in a load of 692-pound cows that sold at $1.40.

J. T. Prater sold a load of cows from Montague county, averaging 743, at $2.10.

D. C. Hill sold 54 head of hogs from Collin county, averaging 202 pounds, at $5.92½.

Anderson & Brogden from Grayson county sold 52 hogs, 197 pounds, at $5.92½.

D. Boatwright sold 25 cows from Nolan county, average 778, at $1.95, and 6 of 666 at $1.75.

The Three-Circle ranch in Erath county sold 47 steers of 951 pounds at $3.23 and 5 of 970 at $2.75.

R. P. Marshall had a load of hogs in from Bradley, I. T., that averaged 202 pounds and sold at $5.90.

D. Taylor sold 29 steers of 923 lbs. at $2.80, and 24 cows of 688 pounds at $1.50. They came from Stamford.

L. B. Hamm had on the market from VanZandt county 28 cows that averaged 850 pounds and brought $1.80.

R. L. Whisenant had a load of hogs on the market from Bosque county that averaged 196 pounds and sold at $6.

Corden & Brown sold 34 steers from Comanche, I. T., averaging 953 pounds, at $3.25, and 23 cows of 908 at $2.35.

W. T. Malone was on the market from Coleman county with a load of cows that averaged 742 pounds and brought $1.85.

W. G. Fowler from Robertson county had a load of hogs on the market. He sold 74 of 214 pounds at $5.95 and 8 pigs of 126 at $5.50.

F. P. Tillery brought in from Grapevine two loads of hogs. He sold 94 head of 179 pounds average at $5.85, and 62 pigs of 99 pounds at $4.50.

David P. McCarthy, a brother of Joe McCarthy, Armour & Co.'s cattle buyer, died in Fort Worth yesterday. The body will be sent to St. Louis for burial, Joe accompanying it. During his absence Bob Ahearn is buying for Armour.

G. W. McMillen from Belcher, Tex., had in a mixed shipment of cattle today, which included one pure white calf that attracted much attention. This was a high grade Shorthorn, 60 days old, weighed 310 pounds, and was pronounced by all traders as the fattest calf ever received here. This calf was bought by several of the commission men and will be enjoyed next Sunday at dinner. Mr. McMillen will be the honored guest at the feast. In addition to the calf, he sold 20 steers of 1043 pounds at $3.15.

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NORMAN DISTRUST.

One Simple Way by Which a Traveler May Disarm It.

The greatest obstacle to agreeable pedestrianism in Normandy is the proverbial Norman distrust. The Norman's distrust of the stranger takes the form of a comical sort of terror of being financially duped, cheated or swindled, not to say robbed—probably because he is himself perpetually engaged in financial duping.

If the tramper does not succeed in disarming by one means or another Norman distrust his tramping life in Normandy will be made a burden to him. Norman distrust can be disarmed, but it cannot be disarmed in an instant, a l'Americaine. It takes time to do it—the Norman is the last person in the world to stand and deliver—and there is no social device to be mentioned in the same breath with drinking for courteously consuming time.

If the tramper asks a simple question at a farmhouse he cannot decently linger—not in Normandy—after his question is answered. If he makes a petty purchase in a store his situation is only a trifle less awkward, since he is morally obliged to retire as soon as the transaction is completed. On the other hand, he has only to order a drink—in this country of cider and applejack every store and nearly every farmhouse sells liquor—to be entitled to sit at a table for as long as he wills it and to talk.—Booklovers' Magazine.

How Fishes Talk.

Fishes undoubtedly communicate with their fellows. Even if they cannot "talk," they have other means of communication that are better adapted to their needs. We know how readily fishes recognize their mates and how quickly brooding fishes repel intruders of their own or other species. Something besides seeing them—perhaps some sense of which we have no conception—may do this. Many fishes communicate with their fellows by means of sounds produced through the medium of their air bladders, by grinding their teeth together and in various other ways.

The sense of touch is highly developed in many fishes and doubtless enables them to communicate. The sense of taste, located all over the skin in some fishes, in the fins in others, and the sense of smell, strongly developed in some forms of submarine life, also must be aids to communication.—St. Nicholas.

Landing In France.

A traveler in France in the early part of the nineteenth century describes his landing at Boulogne by means of a small boat as follows: "The boat rowed toward the nearest shore until it ran aground, which happened in the midst of the breakers. In an instant the boat was surrounded by a throng of women up to their middles and over, who were there to carry us on shore. Not being aware of these maneuvers, we did not throw ourselves into the arms of these sea nymphs so readily as we might have done, whereby those who sat in the stern of the boat were deluged with sea spray."

Ready to Believe It.

Sociable Native—I suppose you know these sand dunes move? That one over there has traveled nearly a quarter of a mile since I've been living here.

Traveler (who had been detained six hours by a railway washout)—Don't doubt it in the least. I can't imagine anything or anybody staying in this town that could possibly get away.—Chicago Tribune.

Sermon of Three Hours and a Half.

Charles II. was wont in his humorous way to say of his chaplain, Dr. Barrow, that "he was the most unfair preacher in England because he exhausted every subject and left no room for others to come after him." It was indeed too much the doctor's way. When he got hold of a topic he never knew how to leave anything unsaid about it. One of his best discourses, that on the duty and reward of bounty to the poor, actually took up three and a half hours in delivering.

Champion Tea Drinkers.

The champion tea drinkers of the world are the Tibetans. They buy it in bricks and drink it in pints. Tea bricks are used as currency.

HERRICK AND HARRISON.

New York Democrats Name Them For Governor and Lieutenant.

Saratoga, Sept. 22.—Following is the ticket nominated by the Democratic stat convention:

Governor—D. Cady Herrick of Albany.

Lieutenant Governor—Francis Burton Harrison of New York.

Comptroller—George Hall of St. Lawrence.

Treasurer—William Muench of Onondaga.

Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals—Edgar M. Cullen of Kings county, (Democrat.)

Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals—W. E. Werner of Monroe county, (Republican), now of that bench by designation of Governor Odell as the Republican nominee.

Former Senator David B. Hill presented to the convention the name of Supreme Court Justice Herrick of Albany. Judge Herrick's name was received with great applause and indorsed with cordial support by the representatives of three elements. Incidentally Senator Hill was accorded a reception which was little less than an ovation.

The platform includes a direct attack upon Governor Odell as well as a denunciation of the Republican administration, an indorsement of the Democratic national ticket. Among other things the resolution says:

"For the first time in its history the Empire state has a governor whose principal integrity is under widespread suspicion. He has surrounded himself by high officials and advisers under whose malign influence the public revenues of the state are largely diverted to private profit. Instead of being opposed to extravagance the administration has become the actual promotor of adroit schemes to loot the public treasury and in the guise of law. The example set in these affairs extends to counties, cities, towns and villages under Republican machine control. Thus the corruption of a party too long continued in power threatens to lower the Empire state to the level of Republican principles where the tax payers, excluded from their income and earnings, are transferred by political chicanery to the pockets of a ring of politicians, who in turn, yield a portion of their gains to perpetuate the political machine that supports them."

ADAMS NOMINATED.

For Third Time Colorado Democrats Put Him at Head of Ticket.

Denver, Sept. 22.—For the third time the Democrats of Colorado have nominated Hon. Alva. A. Adams of Pueblo for governor. Platform declares: "We declare the right of every man to earn his living, unrestricted and untrammeled;"

In regard to the eight-hour law the platform says: "A demand for an eight-hour law has been incorporated into our constitution. It is therefore beyond discussion and the general assembly must comply with the public mandate."

CONTINENTAL PARTY.

Executive Committee Heads Ticket With a Southern Man.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—The executive committee of the Continental party indorsed the following national ticket:

President—Austin Holcomb, Atlanta, Ga.

Vice President—M. King, Percy, Mo.

The party some time ago nominated for president a brother of General O. O. Howard, but he declined to run. The executive committee was charged with the duty of finding a substitute and announced that it had indorsed Mr. Holcomb.

STREWN WITH LIMBS.

Car Blown to Pieces and Nine People Killed Outright.

Melrose, Mass., Sept. 22.—An outward bound Boston electric car woe blown to pieces here Wednesday night. Nine persons were killed outright, several were fatally injured and at least fifteen severly hurt. It is thought that the car struck a charge of dynamite left on the track. The front dashboard of the car was hurled more than fifty feet. The immediate vicinity presented a fearful scene. The ground was strewn with legs, arms and other portions of human bodies. Such force was the explosion that two men wetn through a door fifty feet away, while every window within a radius of a quarter of a mile as broken. The car contained mostly working men on their wa yto their homes. The police announce that the cause of the wreck was the striking of a fifty-pound box of dynamite which had fallen from an express wagon just ahead of the car. The express wagon was driven by Roy Fenton, who discovered that the box had dropped off and rushed back to take it off the track, but before he got within a hundred yards of the box the car came along and was blown up. Fenton was taken into custody by the police.

NEW ORLEANS DEMOCRATS.

Naminate a City Ticket Headed by Behrman For Mayor.

New Orleans, Sept. 22.—The Democrats nominated a city ticket headed by State Auditor Behrman for mayor. The convention selected J. Porter Parker for district attorney in place of Chandler C. Luzenberg. Considerable public feeling was aroused over Governor Blanchard's interference in behalf of Mr. Parker after Mr. Luzenberg had been conceded the nomination, but the convention put through the governor's candidate. Governor Blanchard said the attacks of the press forced him to insist upon the Parker nomination.

Great Battle Expected.

Paris, Sept. 22.—A dispatch to the Temps from Mukden says a great battle is expected along the Hun river, which fronts both sides.

Taken to Asylum.

Kingfisher, Okla., Sept. 22.—Miles Judge, formerly editor of the Kingfisher Times and well known all over northwest Oklahoma, has been taken to the insane asylum at Norman. It is thought he will soon recover.

Snow at Saranac Lake.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Snow fell Wednesday at Saranac Lake and other Adirondack points and the temperature fell inlow the freezing point.

CORONATION OF PETER

With Imposing Ceremonies Becomes Servia's Monarch.

HE CROWNS HIMSELF.

Brilliant Procession Wends Its Way to the Cathedral at Belgrade, Where Services of Greek Church Are Held.

Belgrade, Sept. 22.—Peter Karageorgevitch is now the king of Servia. The ceremony took place Wednesday morning early. There was no hostile demonstration and no attempt to carry out the murderous threats against the new ruler's life. In the solemn ritual of the Greek church and in an elaborate procession, which preceded and followed the coronation the tragedy of Servia's previous sovereign found no echo. Amid the thunder of saluting guns from the royal palace and garrison King Alexander's murder was at least outwardly forgotten. Here and at every garrison town in Servia the

KING PETER I. OF SERVIA.

dawn of day was marked by a salute of twenty-one guns, and before the sun was well up King Peter, on horseback, rode out from the palace. The brilliant procession then started for the cathedral through troop-lined streets. Behind the soldiers, besides King Peter, rode his two sons, George and Alexander. The cathedral was reached about 8 o'clock. There were representatives of foreign powers, cabinet ministers and others had already been waiting some time. After prayer the premier and other ministers handed the crown and regalia to King Peter. He kissed the crown, placed it on his head and robed himself in the royal garments. An artillery salute of 101 guns had before announced to the people of Belgrade that King Peter had been crowned. It was nearly three hours before the service concluded. King Peter afterward signed the coronation document, which was witnessed by the metropolitan of the Greek church, the cabinet ministers and other heads of state.

ASSAULT ON NEGROES.

Four of Them Reported to Have Been Slain From Ambush.

Atlanta, Sept. 22.—A special from Macon says a report has been received there from Talbotton that a crowd of negroes were attacked several miles from town Tuesday night; that four of them are reported to have been shot and killed from ambush and others more or less severely injured. It is declared to be certain that one was mortally wounded. The telephone line from Talbotton has been cut. Sheriff and a posse have gone to the scene. The attack is reported to have been made upon several negroes who had been tried and acquitted of the charge of belonging to a "Before Day" club, and that when the negroes were released and left for their homes in the country the attack was made.

CHANGE CAP.

Patriarchs Militant Will Have One Like That of the Army.

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—The international council of the Patriarchs militant has decided to change the design of the cap now worn by uniformed Odd Fellows. The new cap will be the same as that worn by the United States army with the exception of the necessary Independent Order of Odd Fellows attachments.

The council has decided to impose a per capita tax of 25 cents for the purpose of assisting in maintaining the headquarters of the order at Marengo, Ia.

Muskogee's New Jail.

Muskogee, I. T., Sept. 22.—The new federal jail for the Western district at Muskogee has just been completed at a cost of $40,000 and is occupied. There were 192 prisoners moved out of the old wooden barricade which has served as a jail in this district for eleven years.

Devil Weds.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 22.—Two full-blood Creek Indians—Oce Devil and Betsy Fielding—were married in the vicinity of Spavinaw, Creek nation. It is said that in celebrating the event a large number of Indians were invited to the Devil home and they all had a great time.

Choked on a Cracker.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 22.—J. W. Swacker, aged sixty-five, a wealthy farmer of Noble county, while eating a cracker before retiring, got a piece lodged in his windpipe and choked to death before assistance could arrive.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Slot machines can no longer operate at Ardmore.

Miss Ola Licett was killed by lightning near Meridian, Tex.

Judge Parker is pleased with New York Democratic ticket.

Negro was fined at Texarkana for violating separate street car ordinance.

At close of business on the 21st there was but 70 cents in Mississippi treasury.

Colony of Guatemalan ants on the Green farm, near Terrell, Tex., are doing well.

Cumberland Presbyterian church at Clarksville, Tex., was struck by lightning and burned.

FIVE FATALITIES.

Bolt of Lightning Does Deadly Work at Port Arthur, Tex.

Port Arthur, Tex., Sept. 22.—During a severe electrical storm Wednesday lightning struck one of the 50,000-barrel steel storage oil tanks at the Texas company's refinery, just outside the city limits to the west.

The shock from the bolt was felt over the city and a moment later smoke was seen arising from the nearby refinery. Those who happened to be looking in that direction say the top of the tank was thrown high in the air.

At the time the lightning struck six men were on top of the tank putting on a roof of tar paper and shells. Four of the men came down with the roof, falling inside the burning tank. The other two fell outside the tank to the ground.

The tank contained about eleven feet of oil, which immediately ignited. Water was pumped into the tank as soon as possible, with the hope of saving the bodies from consumption by fire.

The ill-fated men are
F. N. Lawrence.
Willia Gloff.
R. Cooper, Port Arthur.
J. F. McDonald, Beaumont.
G. W. Sailes, Dubuque, Ia.
Injured: D. Wukasch.
All were married except Sailes.

Large Timber Deal.

El Paso, Sept. 22.—Charles F. Hunt and A. B. Fall have just returned from Mexico, where they closed a deal for the purchase of three million acres of timber lands for a New York syndicate for the price of $1,00,000.

Killed by Caving In.

Belton, Tex., Sept. 22.—On the Wedemeyer farm, four miles south of Belton, Henry Merritt was killed by being caught by the caving in of a sand bank, and his brother, Dr. John Merritt, made a narrow escape.

FIERCE GALE.

Several Schooners Have Been Driven Ashore Off Newfoundland.

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 22.—A fierce gale swept this region. The schooner Amy Louise of St. Johns, the schooner Bobs of Parrsboro, N. S., and the schooner Elinor of Plymouth have been driven ashore. The schooner Ripple of Quebec has been lost with five men. The LaCrdor, a mail steamer, is delayed. It is feared that last week's gale has devastated the LaCrador seaboard. Ships from St. Piere show that gales have severely damaged the French fishing fleet. The catch of cod is the poorest in ten years.

A ROMAN FIASCO.

The Colossal Show That Was Planned by Symmachus.

Symmachus, last of the great nobles of Rome, who, blinded by tradition, thought to revive the glories of his beloved city by reviving its shame, graphically describes the anxieties of the preparations for one of these colossal shows, on which he is said to have spent what would be about £80,000 of our money. He began a year in advance. Horses, bears, lions, Scotch dogs, crocodiles, chariot drivers, hunters, actors and the best gladiators were recruited from all parts. But when the time drew near nothing was ready. Only a few of the animals had come, and these were half dead of hunger and fatigue. The bears had not arrived and there was no news of the lions. At the eleventh hour the crocodiles reached Rome, but they refused to eat and had to be killed all at once in order that they might not die of hunger. It was even worse with the gladiators who were intended to provide, as in all these beast shows, the crowning entertainment. Twenty-nine of the Saxon captives, whom Symmachus had chosen on account of the well known valor of their race, strangled one another in prison rather than fight to the death for the amusement of their conquerors. And Symmachus, with all his real elevation of mind, was moved to nothing but disgust by their sublime choice! Rome in her greatest days had gloried in these shows. How could a man be a patriot who set his face against customs which followed the Roman eagles round the world? How many times since then has patriotism been held to require the extinction of moral sense?—Contemporary Review.

SPORTING RIGHTS.

Only Source of Income of Many Titled English Families.

Were it not for the enormous sums paid for fishing and shooting rights many people of ancient names and goodly title would, in the most literal sense, have no means of livelihood whatever, and only the other day one of the best known property agents of the west end of London drew up for the writer a list of a dozen people mixing in society of an exclusive kind, every penny of whose income is derived from the letting of sporting rights.

Nearly all the money thus expended has been made in commerce, and the agent referred to above showed documentary evidence proving that there are lots of men who do not mind paying as much as £100 for every deer, £3 for every trout and £20 every salmon they kill, plus the sport of killing them. One of the most remarkable features of this letting is the fact that only about one in every hundred of the owners of ancient sporting rights ever enjoys his privileges as a sportsman. He either prefers or is compelled to part with such privileges, and those who take advantage of them are nearly all people in business.

This renting of fishing and sporting has even extended down to comparatively humble people in the provinces. Many a small Yorkshire farmer is being kept, and well kept, not by his farming, but by the letting of some comparatively insignificant sporting right.—London Tit-Bits.

Holmes' Inspiration.

There is hardly room for doubt that Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes was encouraged to write his "Autocrat of the Breakfast Table" by reading "Table Talk"—being "The Discourses of John

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Seeing Too Much of One Another.

"A long day spent in the society of the same people is nearly always trying," says a fashionable woman. "While we are all very effusive, we don't really, as a rule, like each other very much or for very long. We get on all right with those of our acquaintance whom we meet at tea parties or when we dine out, but the majority bore us intolerably when we find ourselves in their company for eight or ten hours at a time."—New York Tribune.

Sentiment is a strong man's concealment of what he feels, while sentimentality is a weak man's expression of what he doesn't feel.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 22543, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner, Raliegh McCart, Robt. McCart and S. E. Harrison, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: 320 acres, I. Shrum survey in Tarrant county, Texas, abstract No. 1397. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24891, the State of Texas vs. H. C. Dixon and G. W. Alexander, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E ½ lots 48 and 49 and N E ¼ lot 50, Morris and Bass' addition to Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 20235, the State of Texas vs. H. V. Burns and W. H. Ingalls, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E. ½ lot 3, block 31, Original Town of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24125, the State of Texas, vs. unknown owner, R. L. Rippy and J. R. Austin, I did on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Ten (10) acres of G. Garcia survey, abstract No. 614, tract No. 7 in Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 17895, the State of Texas vs. unknown heirs of W. B. Young, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: West 60 ft. of block in Land 500 addition to city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sales—Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District in cause No. 24593, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and T. R. Welch, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: Lot 38 Eggleston's addition to City of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff of Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale—Real Estate.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1904, out of the District court of Tarrant county, Texas, Forty-eighth Judicial District, in cause No. 25273, the State of Texas vs. unknown owner and H. G. Bury, I did on the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, levy upon the following described land as the property of the above named defendants, situated in Tarrant county, Texas, to-wit: E. 60 feet lots 21 to 24, block 3, White's addition to city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas. And I will on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1904, the same being the first Tuesday in October, A. D. 1904, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and four o'clock in the afternoon, offer the said land for sale at public vendue, for cash, at and in front of the court house door of Tarrant county, Texas, in the said city of Fort Worth. Jno. T. Honea, Sheriff, Tarrant county, Texas. By John Kaiser, Deputy Sheriff.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas, in the District court, Tarrant county, Texas, October term, A. D. 1904. To the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county, Greeting: You are hereby commanded, that, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Tarrant eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon the unknown heirs of Timothy Carpenter, and the unknown heirs of John Hayter, whose residences are unknown, to be and appear before the District court, to be holden in and for the county of Tarrant, at the court house thereof, in the City of Fort Worth, on the second Monday in October, A. D. 1904, the same being the 10th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of E. H. Theileman, as plaintiff, filed in said court, on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1904, against the unknown heirs of Timothy Carpenter and Miss Eliza Hayter, Sallie Harrison and her husband, Jonas B. Harrison and J. Fred Hayter, and unknown heirs of John Hayter, as defendants; said suit being numbered 23320, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff represents that heretofore, to-wit, on the 1st day of January, 1900, he was seized and possessed in fee simple title of the Willis W. Boone 93-acre survey of land, near Ederville, about 9 miles east of Fort Worth, in Tarrant county, Texas, and that upon said day and date the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and took possession thereof and are setting up claim thereto without lawful right or authority, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of $2,000. Wherefore plaintiff brings this suit to clear the title and for damages, and prays for citation and for decree divesting all right, title and interest which may ever have existed in the defendants, or any of them, out of said defendants, and fully vesting the same in the plaintiff, and quieting title in plaintiff, and for all costs, and for all other relief in law and equity to which he may show himself entitled. Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, Jno. A. Martin, Clerk of the District Court of Tarrant county. Given under my hand and seal of said court in Fort Worth, the 10th day of August, A. D. 1904. (Seal.) Jno. A. Martin, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. Hardin, Deputy.

FORT WORTH RAILWAY SCHEDULE.

These trains at T. & P. Passenger Station, foot of Main street:

Rock Island System.

Depart.		Arrive.
8:30 am	Omaha and Mo. River	7:15 pm
9:05 pm	Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Col. Springs and Pueblo Fast Ex..	7:10 am
Depart East	DALLAS LINE.	Arrive East
7:40 am	Mail and Express...	8:35 pm

Texas & Pacific Railway

Depart. East		Arrive. East
7:45 am	St. Louis Cannon Ball	7:45 pm
11:00 am	St. Louis Mail & Ex	4:45 pm
8:30 am	....Dallas Local....	5:15 am
10:00 am	Dallas & Wea'fd Local	3:25 pm
8:00 pm	....Dallas Local....	6:10 pm
3:45 pm	..Wills Point Local..	11:00 am
6:30 pm	St. Louis Mail & Ex.	9: am
Depart. West	Main Line West.	Arrive. West
8:20 pm	Colorado Mail & Ex..	7:00 am
3:30 pm	Weatherford Local..	9:45 am
9:45 am	..El Paso Express..	6:00 pm

Transcontinental Division via Sherman

Depart.		Arrive.
8:30 am	Texark. & St. Louis.	4:35 pm

FRISCO SYSTEM.

Red River, Texas & Southern Ry.

11:15 am	K.C.&St. L. Mail&Ex.	2:55 pm

Ft. W. & R. G. Ry.

3:15 pm	Brownwood M. & Ex.	10:55 am
2:00 am	..... Mixed	6:00 am

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

Depart.		Arrive.
	Denver, Colo. Springs	
9:45 am	and Pueblo Mail & Ex	5:10 pm
8:40 pm	... Amarillo Ex ...	7:25 am

Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

Depart. North		Arrive. North
8:35 am	... "Katy Flyer" ...	7:45 pm
11:20 am	..Mail and Express..	7:45 am
9:00 pm	..Mail and Express..	4:15 pm
7:45 pm	....Fair Special....	8:35 am
Depart. South		Arrive. South
8:15 pm	Hou. & Gal. &San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	8:10 am
8:30 pm	.Houston Mail & Ex.	10:55 am
5:05 pm	.Houston Mail & Ex.	8:15 pm
9:00 am	....Fair Special....	7:20 pm

Cotton Belt Route.

Depart.		Arrive.
7:20 am	..Mail and Express..	5:50 pm
10:30 am	..Mail and Express..	5:30 pm
9:15 pm	..Mail and Express..	6:50 am

International & Great Northern Ry.

Depart.		Arrive.
7:30 am	Houston & San An.Ex	9:10 pm
3:40 pm	Austin " " "	11:35 pm

These trains at Santa Fe Station, Cor. 15th and Jones:

Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe Ry

Depart. North		Arrive. North
8:05 am	K. C.&Chi. Mail & Ex.	9:00 pm
8:30 pm	K. C. & Chi. Fast Ex..	7:40 am
Depart. South		Arrive. South
7:55 am	Hou. & Gal. M. & Ex.	8:20 pm
9:10 pm	Hou. & San Antonio Gal. Mail & Ex.....	7:55 am

Houston & Texas Central Railroad.

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7:35 pm	Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:05 am
11:15 am	....Ennis Mixed....	11:10 am

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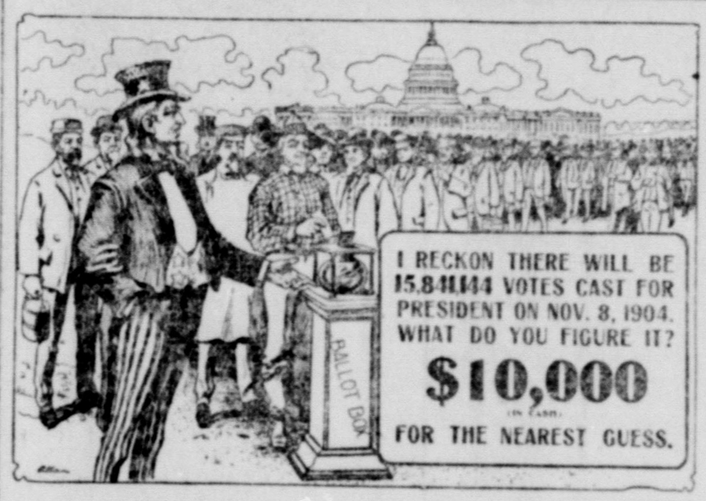

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For the sixth nearest correct estimate or guess..	100
For the 10 next nearest correct estimates or guesses, $50 each	500
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1876, was.....	8,412,753	increase of 30.10 per cent.
1880, was.....	9,200,406	increase of 9.47 per cent.
1884, was.....	10,044,985	increase of 9.07 per cent.
1888, was.....	11,380,860	increase of 13.30 per cent.
1892, was.....	12,059,551	increase of 5.96 per cent.
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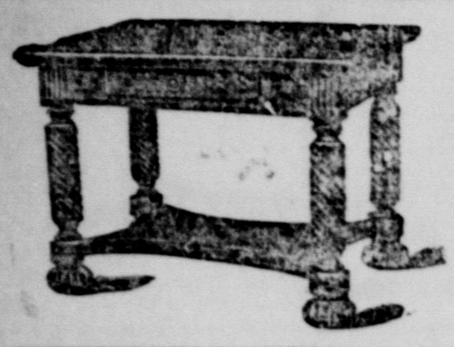

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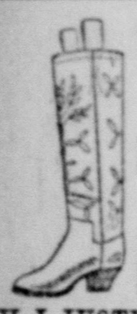

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Corsicana, Tex., Sept. 22.—Maude, three years old, daughter of I. Y. Freeman, fell from the second-story porch of her grandfather's house. She struck on her neck and shoulders, and though falling twenty feet sustained no injury.

FIREMAN DEAD.

Thirteen Coaches Derailed, but No Passengers Killed.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 22.—The Diamond special on the Illinois Central railroad was wrecked at Barclay, seven miles from here. Thirteen coaches were derailed, but none of the passengers killed, although several were slightly injured. The fireman was killed and engineer seriously injured.

Engineer Burned to Death.

Columbus, O., Sept. 22.—Passenger train No. 8 on the Norfolk and Western railroad was wrecked early Wednesday morning at Lockburn by spreading rails. The engine, tender and baggage car were derailed, but the passenger cars remained on the track. None of the passengers were injured, but Engineer Simeonton of this city was burned to death under the engine. Fireman Kyle of Columbus was fatally scalded.

KENTUCKY FEUD.

Met at a Schoolhouse and the Battle Commenced at Once.

Owingsville, Sept. 22.—News reached here that a feud battle was fought with shotguns and revolvers on South Quicksand creek, Breathitt county, between Alexander Jackson and his two brothers on one side, and two of the Foremans and several unknown parties on the other. It is said that the parties met in a schoolhouse where Jackson is employed as teacher and both sides began ring at once.

Alexander Jackson received the contents of a shotgun in his left side and is badly injured. Some of the other parties were also injured. These men have long been enemies. The place where the fight occurred is about twenty miles from Jackson.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

COUNTRY PRODUCE.
Prices to Sellers.

POULTRY—Hens, per doz.	$3.00
Fryers, per doz.	$3.00
Broilers, per doz.	$2.00
DUCKS—Per doz	$5.50
EGGS—Per doz.	12½c
BUTTER—Per lb., yellow	15c to 20c

GRAIN AND HAY.
Prices Paid to Farmers.

HAY—Johnson Grass, wagons, ton	$6.50@7.00
Prarie Texas, ton	$8.50
Prairie, Territory, per ton	$7.50
Oats—Per bushel	38c
WAGON WHEAT—Per bushel	$1.10
CORN—Per bushel	50@55c

Vegetables.

CABBAGE—Per pound	2½c
ONIONS—Per pound	2c
PEACHES—Crate	75c@$1.00
APPLES—Per crate	$1.50
APPLES—green, per bbl.	$3.50@5.00
BEETS—Doz. bunches	25c
BEANS—Per bushel	$2.00
POTATOE—Per bushel	85@90c
SWEET POTATOES—Per bu.	75c
ROASTING EARS—Per doz.	12½c
CANTELOUPES—Per crate	$2.25
CORNFIELD PEAS—Per bushel	40c
EGG PLANT—Dozen	50c

HIDES.
Prices Paid Shippers.

Heavy Dry Beef	15c
Heavy Dry Fallen	13c
Lights	11c
Dry Salt	9½c
Green	7c
Green heavy, 40 lbs and up	6½c
Green, light, under 40 lbs	5½c

PROVISIONS.
From the Store.

BACON—Standard	11½c
Extra	10½c
Dry Salt Standard	10½c
Dry Salt Bellies	11½c
Bacon Bellies	12½c
HAMS—Medium	15c
Large	12½c
LARD—Leaf, in tierces	11c
50-pound cans	11¼c
10-pound cans	12c
Compound, tierces	8c
10-pound cans	10c

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.
Selling Prices at Stores.

CUGAR—Granulated, pound	6c
Cut loaf and powdered, lb.	6½c
Yellow	5½c
MOLASSES—Sorghum, gallon	50c
Reboiled molasses	55c
Table syrup, gallon	45c
Louisiana Ribbon Cane	65c

STAPLE GROCERIES.
Selling Prices.

COFFEE—Roasted, pound	15c
RICE—Fancy, full grain	7c
Choice	6c
Prime	5c
FLOUR—High Patent	$2.90
Fancy Patent	$2.80
Third, or Straights	$2.50
SALT—No. 1 fine, bbl	$2.50

LADY RUNS BLOCKADE

First Woman to Succeed In Getting Out of Port Arthur.

TRIP THRILLING ONE

Tells a Graphic Narrative Relative to Conditions as They at This Time Exist In the Much Bombarded Place.

Chefoo, Sept. 22.—Mrs. Anna Kravtchenko, the English wife of a Russian army officer, who arrived here the night of Sept. 17, with Lieutenant Prince Razivil from Port Arthur, is the first woman to run the blockade from the Russian stronghold since the Japanese increased their vigilance to prevent egress from the port. Her trip was rendered extremely perilous because she came out with the prince and his companion, Lieutenant Christoforff, who carried messages from Lieutenant-General Stoessel to General Kuropatkin. Both these officers were disguised, and had they been captured by the Japanese they certainly would have been executed.

Mrs. Kravtchenko was so worn out and exhausted by her adventure that she was unable to see the correspondent of the Associated Press until Wednesday. In an interview she spoke as follows:

"We left Port Arthur at 8 o'clock on the night of Sept. 15. There was a good wind and the moon was bright. We were successful in avoiding the danger of the first Japanese blockading line. We came up to the second line when the moon was under a cloud. Searchlights were flashing on all sides, but our junk was not discovered. We suddenly discovered ourselves close to another junk, with a Japanese crew on board. They presumably were pirates, but we outsailed them and drew away.

"At 6 o'clock the next morning we saw a steamer coming our way. She had the apearance of a cruiser and I was terribly frightened. When we saw the cruiser Prince Radzivil and Lieutenant Christoforoff went below. I strentched myself out on deck and covered myself with dirty blankets. Chinese were lying at my feet and at my head for nearly an hour; although nearly smothered I kept my position. I never uttered a more thankful prayer when I was informed that the steamer we had seen was a Red Cross vessel and that her captain had no intention of overhauling us.

"Wonderful things are being done by the staffs of the different hospitals at Port Arthur, who are assisted by ladies. There are thirty nurses for each 1,000 patients. The ladies devote most of their time to the making of clothess for the soldiers. The laundry work is done by the poor women and the wives of the enlisted men. The sick and wounded thus are kept supplied with clean clothes. The laundry work has to be done in dreadful heat.

"There are no contagious diseases at Port Arthur, but many deaths are resulting from the bite of a large, red-headed fly, which feeds on the decomposing corpses scattered over the battlefields. A doctor, who was bitten on the thumb by one of these flies, instantly severed that member. He then had his arm amputated, but not before the poison had reached his heart. The result of the bite was fatal.

"Every day in the week the band plays at one of the hospitals.

"The wounded men recover quickly from the wounds inflicted by Maxim projectiles and the bullet of the Osaka rifle, but the wounds resulting from explosive bullets are awful and recovery is impossible.

"The old town of Port Arthur is almost entirely wrecked. The streets are filled with holes made by exploding shells. The loss of life in Port Arthur from the bombardment has been remarkably small.

"Once I counted fifty-seven Japanese shells fired at a Russian battery, not one of which reached its mark. The Russian garrison is cheerful. It would be impossible to imagine a brave or finer let of men. They return from three days' duty with songs on their lips.

"Although many places in the ranks are vacant, all the men have unlimited confidence in their power to hold the fortress against the enemy.

'I assure you," the lady said in conclusion to the correspondent, that I believe Port Arthur will stand against the Japanese; I don't think the stronghold will fall."

Guarded by Marines.

Washington, Sept. 22.—That a strict guard may be kept around the Russian ship, Lena, to prevent damage being done to her by a partisan, the navy department, at the request of the commandant of the navy yard at Mare Island, has obtained a detachment of 150 marines from San Francisco for this duty.

Will Break Out.

Shanghai, Sept. 22.—A Chinese who left Port Arthur last Monday reports that owing to the incessant bombardment of the harbor by the Japanese, the Russian fleet is determined to break out this week and endeavor to reach Tsingtau, the German port on the Shantung peninsula.

To Be Replaced.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—The emperor has decided that his crack guard regiment shall be replaced at the front and ordered that contingents from each of the three regiments shall go to the far east.

GOING NORTHWARD.

Japanese Are Slowly Pushing Forward In That Direction.

Fushan, Sept. 22.—The Japanese are slowly pushing northward. The outposts are in touch close to Yentai and skirmishes between outposts and patrol parties occur daily. It is believed the Russians are gathering in force at Yentai preparatory to making a strong stand for protection of the coal mines.

The Japanese are rapidly changing the gauge of the railroad from Niuchwang and probably it will be operated to Liao Yang in a fortnight. They are rushing forward supplies of ammunition.

Terrible Casualties.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—Official returns of casualties among Russian officers at the battle of Liao Yang show them to be 465 killed or wounded including six generals and thirty-nine field officers. Eighty officers were killed, 372 wounded and thirteen are missing.

EARLY ENGAGEMENT.

Impression Prevails That One Will Soon Occur at Mukden.

Tokio, Sept. 22.—The impression is growing generally that an engagement will soon take place at Mukden. General Kuropatkin is evidently preparing to make a determined resistance to any attempt to dispossess him and is entrenching and constructing defenses. He has an immense force available, but the opinion is expressed that Tie Pass would be a more favorable position for defense. The Russians, however, are unwilling to suffer the loss of prestige which would be involved by the abandonment of Mukden. The armies are now rested and recovered from the effects of the fight at Liao Yang. They are in condition to fight and the weather is favorable for military operation. Roads are drying and the Japanese are speedily restoring the railway. A party of military attaches who recently arrived at Liao Yang from Tokio were dragged for 100 miles in open trucks by coolies. The army is now forwarding rolling stock with captured cars and engines and service will soon be thoroughly organized. With the Liao river open the task of transporting men and supplies to its advanced base of operations at Liao Yang will be simple.

There is much special attention now as to the extent of the fall and winter campaign. It is generally thought Field Marshal Oyama will continue pressing Kuropatkin back until winter falls and then strongly guard the advance line until spring. The Japanese carried on an aggressive campaign against the Chinese during winter, but conditions are different in this war.

The renewal of the attack upon Port Arthur on newer and more aggressive lines is expected this week, and it is predicted in well informed quarters that a reduction of that fortress will be accomplished within ten days or a fortnight. The authorities continue silent concerning operations there. The publication of the small list of casualties in the naval brigade operating on land is the only recent utterance in reefrence to the seige.

The spoils taken at Liao Yang continue to grow. General Kuroki reports the capture of four miles of railway railr and 200 tons of coal.

TWICE ATTACKED.

Turning Movement Checked by Russian Cavalry With Machine Guns.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—General Kuropatkin telegraphs that the Japanese Tuesday attacked the position occupied by the Russians at Da Pass. They were repulsed and the turning movement checked by Russian cavalry with machine guns.

Reports that General Kuroki has crossed Hun river at Fushan turn out to be false. Russians strongly hold the road to Fushan and Bentziaputze. It is pointed out that if the Japanese had occupied Fushan the Russians would have been compelled to evacuate Mukden, since Fushan is nearer to Tie Pass.

HOLY WAR FEARED.

Russian Papers Fear Buddhist Pilgrimage May Cause This.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—Rather significant with the success of the British expedition to Thibet and protest of Russia against the British Thibetan treaty some Russian papers have suddenly become greatly disturbed over the importance of the Buddhist pilgrimage to Moueran in February. According to information which has been drifting eastward from the depths of Mongolia the agitation for a holy war noted at the time of the pilgrimage to Aurga in July last continues.

RESIDENCE OF THE DOLAI LAMA.

Wandering Llamas are spreading agitation, not only among the Buddhists in Mongolia, but among the followers of Buddha in central China, among the Rusian Britos and even beyond Siberian borders and in India. According to reports at Aurga there is a general agitation among the Buddhists in favor of freeing themselves from the domination of China, some of them favoirng the removal of Dalai Llama to northern Mongolia and entering on a holy war for the establishment of a Buddhist kingdom, while others advocate appealing for protection to Russia. What effect the British expedition and deposition of Dalai Llama will have on the movement is a subject of much speculation.

RIGGINS ON TRIAL.

Majority of Veniremen Would Not Convict Member of Mob.

Memphis Sept. 22.—A special to the Commercial-Appeal from Huntsville, Ala., says: The trial of Thomas M. Riggins, the first of the alleged lynchers of Horace Maples, has begun in the circuit court. Sixty men, composing the special venire and regular jurors of the week were examined before a jury of twelve was completed. Each man was questioned closely and asked if he would convict a man for murder who was a member of a mob that committed murder. A majority answered in the negative and were disqualified or were set aside because they acknowledged having made up their minds in the case.

How to Catch Crows.

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Standard Oil Company Is Defendant in the Case.

Nashville, Sept. 22.—The Standard Oil company is on trial at Gallatin for alleged violation of the anti-trust law passed by the last Tennessee legislature. Some of the ablest lawyers in the state are represented on both sides. The case is attracting much interest. The Standard is charged with bribing parties to countermand orders to a rival company. The state of Tennessee is prosecutor.

Bulletin News Service.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 22.—Beginning next week the Union Pacific will begin issuing a bulletin news service for the benefit of its passengers on the overland limited trains. This news service, which is the first innovation of the kind ever attempted by a railroad, will be sent out at noon and at 4:30 in the afternoon and posted in typewritten form in buffet cars. All the news of importance will be transmitted by the company over its own wirse and will be delivered at scheduled points.

Ten Carloads of Flour.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 22.—A local flouring mill has received an order for ten carloads of flour to be shipped overland to Boston. This is the first order of the kind, so far as known, for the shipment of flour east. It is owing to the scarcity of the cereal in the middle west and to the high prices that the present order is attributed.

GOT FIVE YEARS.

Confessed to Embezzling About Seventy Thousand Dollars.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 22.—Douglas M. Smith, the defaulting paying teller of the National Tradesman bank of this city, was indicted by the federal grand jury on the charge of embezzling of about $70,000 of the bank's funds and was taken before Judge Platt, arraigned, plead guilty and was sentenced to ve years in state prison.

Gorman at Work.

New York, Sept. 22.—Senator Gorman of Maryland has actively taken up his duties as an advisor to the Democratic national committee. General satisfaction was expressed by Mr. Tagagrt at the work of the Democratic convention at Saratoga. Representative Underwood of Alabama has arrived and placed himself at the disposal of the committee for campaign work on the stump.

Firm Suspended.

New York, Sept. 22.—The suspension of George W. Harris & Co., members of the Consolidated Stock Exchange, was announced. The firm has a number of offices in the city, but the liabilities are said to be small.

MINOR MATTERS.

Mrs. Mary Fitzhugh, a Collin county, Texas, pioneer, is dead.

Further studies of the Guatemalan ant will be prosecuted.

Washouts on Mexican Central railway have been repaired.

A Russian expert is examining the Lawton, Okla., gas belt.

Report that Russian General Odloff has suicided is untrue.

Senator Mason of Illinois will be unable to visit Oklahoma.

A $30,000 courthouse is to be constructed at Norman, Okla.

Texas controller rules that all fortune tellers must pay occupation tax.

Guffey people expect to build a pipe line from Jennings to Port Arthur.

In August there were 252 births in Dallas county and ninety-six deaths.

Some Texas and Louisiana mills have reduced toll on rice to 30 cents per barrel.

Lyttleton Clarkson, a prominent farmer of Lamar county, Texas, died near Faught.

A Kiefer pear raised at Pecos, Tex., weighs twenty-seven and a half ounces.

While grinding hamburger steak at Corsicana Frank Ellison, a negro, had a finger torn off.

Amado Guess, a Mexican, was found dead at Seabrook, Tex. His body was badly mangled.

Contracts for location of interurban line between McKinney and Bonham have been signed.

By gas flooding a sewer at St. Louis one man is dead and three were rendered unconscious.

Residence of Alexander Farrell, near Allen, Collin county, Texas, was robbed of $124 and some clothing.

Lige Maddox, a farmer of Palo Pinto county, Texas, has marketed at Mineral Wells forty-seven hogs averaging 228 pounds. He realized 5¼ cents per pound.

Spoke Sitting.

Prescott, Ark., Sept. 22.—Thomas Watson of Georgia, the Populist nominee for president, addressed about 1[illegible] people here Wednesday afternoon on national issues. He was suffering from a severe cold and sat in a chair while he addressed the audience. He denounced both the old parties and declared there was no difference in their principles.

Walter Carter of Boyce, Ellis county, Texas, is said to have killed at one shot fifteen out of a drove of twenty seven [illegible]

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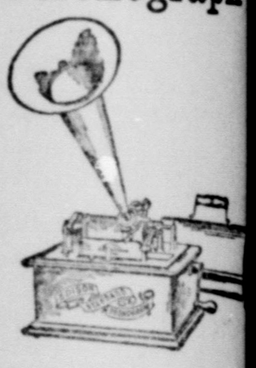

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