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Worth Market.

on Today's Market
1,000---Hogs 950.

ES ACTIVE. STRONG.

ers Active---Good Fat Cows Strong.

10 TO 15 cts. LOWER.

Sold Until Late in the Day.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS.

n market	1,000
Shipped through	800 1,800
	950
	145

icial Receipts Yesterday.

	1,546
	1,029
	229

nge of Today's Market.

E—Steers, top $3.85, bulk $2.00
ows, top $2.30, bulk $1.80@2.10.
—Bulk $3.60.
Top $5.30, bulk $5.25.

E CATTLE MARKET

ODAY'S QUOTATIONS

ice fed	$3.80@4.00
ed	3.00@3.50
	2.00@3.00
	1.25@2.00
e heavy fed	2.15@2.65
utcher	1.90@2.25
	1.75@1.90
	1.00@1.75
d oxen	1.50@3.00
o fancy veals	3.50@4.00
alr	2.00@3.50

Cattle were fairly liberal [illegible] the market, 1,471 head. pply 21 cars, or 823 cattle, rough to other points, leav- 0 salable cattle on the mar- ough reported to make the tle on sale close around 1,000. pts for the day were estimat- ge around 1,800, against 3,052 nday, and 1,932 for the same month.

BEEF STEERS.

supply today was made up of well finished beeves, with a of good quality feeders. and for fat steers was good packers and trading on all enough to kill ruled active

was fairly good on feeder alesmen found no trouble sell- steady basis with yesterday. rice today was $3.85 for two ging 1108 pounds, with sales largely from $2.00@2.50.

ay fed steers are quoted 4.00 with medium fed from Feeders $2.00@3.00, and 2.50@2.90.

tive sales:

	Ave.	Price
	1108	3 85
	840	2 50
	813	2 50
	740	2 40
	738	2 35
	516	1 50
	470	1 50

BUTCHER STOCK.

of butcher stock was mod- fair showing of good cows, was common mixed and me-

as good on cows showing cases sales were strong. not much of a demand for the common thin stuff ly neglected. Trading was men found it hard to get

of cows averaging from 770 sold at $2.30, but the bulk of from $1.80@2.10. y fed cows are quoted from ith medium butchers $1.90 thin $1.75@1.80, and can- 75.

and oxen are quoted from

Cows.

	794	2 30
	805	2 30
	770	2 30
	773	2 30
	817	2 20
	605	2 15
	824	2 10
	848	2 10
	731	2 05
	685	2 00
	666	2 00

11	723		1 95
30	783		1 90
12	775		1 80
2	590		1 75
14	628		1 65
6	628		1 35
1	790		1 25
Heifers.			
13	670		2 25
2	653		2 15
2	650		2 15
3	663		1 95
5	536		1 65
2	395		1 50
2	380		1 50
3	596		1 50
1	660		1 50
1	410		1 25
1	620		1 25
1	470		1 00
Bulls.			
1	1070		1 80
2	830		1 65

CALVES.

The calf market was lightly supplied, most of which were common and heavy. There was no activity in the market, and while there was not much of a demand, trading moved along slowly on a steady basis with yesterday.

3	123		4 00
79	196		3 00
21	258		2 50
22	243		2 50
1	130		2 05
4	275		2 00

THE HOG MARKET

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS:

Choice sorted	$5.15@5.30
Mixed packers	5.00@5.20
Light	5.15@5.30
Choice pigs	5.00@5.30
Stags and roughs	4.00@5.00

Receipts of hogs were large for Friday. Twelve loads were in at the opening of the market, or 925 head, which with those driven in made total receipts for the day figure close around 950, against 617 for last Friday, and 408 for the same Friday last month.

The quality today was fairly good, with the average weight of the run close around 220 pounds.

Buyers messages came in quoting another decline at other points, and bidding was 10 to 15 lower than yesterday.

Sales ranged old until late in the day, when it was either a case of sell or hold hogs over.

One load sold to outside butchers at $5.30, for those averaging 182 pounds, with the best price from packers $5.25.

Representative sales:

Territory Hogs.

No.	Shrink	Average	Price.
1		330	5 00
44		233	5 15
83		224	5 25
82		213	5 25
68		205	5 25
69		228	5 25
85		202	5 25
30		182	5 30
10		182	5 30
20		182	5 30
29		180	5 30
Pigs.			
27		86	5 02

THE SHEEP MARKET.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Lambs	3.00@3.75
Wethers	2.50@3.00
Ewes	2.00@3.00
Culls	1.50@2.50

Receipts today were 145, with 104 which sold on the late market yesterday. The market ruled active and strong.

Packers are badly in need of mutton, and lately have been sending to the Kansas City market for enough to supply the local trade.

One hundred and four head of Utah yearlings averaging around 90 pounds, the best that have been on the market for a good while, sold late yesterday to Sheriff & Co. at $5.90, with 74 pound sheep to-day at $3.60.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price
11		3 50

HORSE & MULE MARKET

Following are the quotations on this market:

Horses.

Drafts, good	140@150
Chunks, good	120@130
Drivers, good to fancy	75 up
Drivers, medium	50@ 75
Southerners, common to fair	35@ 50
Southerners, good to extra	75@100
Plugs	25@ 40
Rangers, plain	100 30
Choice range horses	90@ 75

Mules.

13½ to 14 hands, fat	60 to 65
14 to 14½ hands, fat	65 to 75
14½ to 15 hands, fat	80 to 110
15 to 15½ hands, fat	115 to 130
15½ to 16 hands, fat with quality	135 to 150
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 1,250 to 1,300	155 to 165

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.

W. L. Cherry, Kerens	28
C. P. Barlow, Kerens	7
Oliver Loving, Bryson	120
R. Lee, Strawn	100
A. C. Crawford, Mineral Wells	30
Hayes Bros., Inez	79
W. T. Hutchens, Chillicothe	52
Jas. Crawford, Purcell, I. T.	28
T. & W., Cooper	46
L. B. Hamm, Wills Point	31
Harrold & Spence, Italy	50
J. M. M., Kaufman	31
J. D. Harp, Cresson	32
Through Shipments:	
W. T. Clark, Midland	51
J. M. Proctor, Midland	168
J. M. Johnson, Midland	101
N. Williams, Catoosa, I. T.	246
A. T. Wooten, Catoosa, I. T.	51
Hogs.	
Green & Son, Coyle, O. T.	96
C. B. & C., Stillwater, O. T.	86
R. N. Andrews, Stillwater, O. T.	82
B. F. Gearhart, Celina	82
C. S. Norman, Francis	74
D. M. Burnside, Okarche, O. T.	83
J. C. Robb, Kingfisher, O. T.	93
Oklahoma Pkg. Co., Oklahoma City	137
B. & S., Hillsboro	100
R. H. L., Hillsboro	46
C. D. Hughes & Bro., Sherman	44
Sheep.	
E. G. P. Kellum, Valley Mills	145

BUYERS ON YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Cattle.

Armour & Co.	538
Swift & Co.	273
Burns	76
Dougherty & Lyford	10
Elmar	7
Harrold	11
L. & L.	10
E. L. Law	6
Black	14
Crenshaw	46
J. Deacon	3
Wilcox	3
Martin & Allen	7
Koogler	2
Calves.	
Swift & Co.	73
Armour & Co.	41
Hogs.	
Swift & Co.	643
Armour & Co.	569
Houston Pkg. Co.	327
King Bros.	74
J. Hodgkins	21
City Meat Market	1
Sheep.	
Armour & Co.	125
Swift & Co.	104

AROUND THE STOCK YARDS.

James Crawford, Purcell, I. T., sold 26 cows of 819 pounds at $2.20.

W. L. Cherry from Kerens had in 24 cows of 847 pounds that sold at $2.10.

J. D. Sharp had 20 steers on the market from Cresson, averaging 813, that brought $2.50.

Hayes Bros. had 79 calves on the market, shipped from Inez, that averaged 196 and sold at $3.

Oliver Loving shipped in from Bryson 119 head of good cows averaging 770 to 815 pounds, that topped the market at $2.30 straight.

R. Q. Lee from Strawn was on the market with 31 cows of 695 pounds that brought $2.15, 21 calves of 258 pounds at $2.60, and 3 of 123 pounds at $4.

E. G. P. Kellum had in from Valley Mills a load of sheep, out of which 45 head, averaging 74 pounds, sold at $3.60, and 100 of 83 pounds at $3.25.

Top steers on the market today were shipped from the feed pens of Harrold & Spence, of Italy. Two loads of 50 head averaged 1108 pounds and were bought by Armour & Co. at $3.85.

A shipment of 561 head of feeder steers passed through today, shipped from Catoosa, I. T., to Dublin, to be fed at the oil mill at that place. They were shipped by Scott & Wooten, extensive feeders and sellers on this market.

ENON.

Oct. 29.—Last Saturday evening while out watching her brothers burn grass, Miss Effie Stephenson was badly burned, but not dangerously.

Mrs. Roberts and her sister, Miss Kerr were visiting Mrs. Beulah Scarborough of Brambleton last Wednesday.

Mr. C. G. Mitchell went to Fort Worth, Monday.

Miss Jettie Martin, who has been visiting relatives in Enon, returned to her home in Aledo, last Sunday.

There will be a dramatic entertainment, "Under the Laurels," Oct. 31, given under the auspices of the Epworth League and Ladies H. M. S. for the benefit of the new M. E. church of Kennedale.

Miss Nannie Vaughn, who is attending school at Decatur, came home on a short visit Friday night and returned Sunday night to her school.

Bro. Milton preached for us Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Vaughn is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. L. P. Powell returned home Tuesday night, after three months stay on their cattle ranch in New Mexico. Mr. Powell will return in a few days.

Bob and John Roberts of Fort Worth were in Enon last Sunday, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberts, Sr.

LORNA DOONE.

IN THE COURTS.

Friday, Oct. 23.

The damage case of E. E. Weaver vs. the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway company was opened in the Seventeenth district court.

In the county court in the case of Joseph Linz vs. J. E. Mitchell, the jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

Saturday, Oct. 24.

The grand jury of the Forty-eighth district court returned twenty-three indictments, five for felonies and eighteen for misdemeanors.

R. H. Arnold was released on bond on the charge of criminal assault.

Joe Evans was placed in the county jail on the charge of aggravated assault.

Monday, Oct. 26.

In the Seventeenth district court: E. E. Weaver vs. Fort Worth & Denver City Railway company, damages. Compromise effected.

Agnes Belt et al. vs Zane Cetti et al, continued.

Virgie Snyder vs. Northern Texas Traction company, damages; dismissed.

J. M. Jacobs et al. Evans Burke et al, partition. Clifford G. Beckham appointed guardian ad litem for Laura A. Robbins.

Sumter Boone vs. Northern Texas Traction company, damages. Continued.

E. C. Neely vs. Northern Texas Traction company, damages. Continued.

In the county court in the damage suit of H. F. Penner vs. International & Great Northern Railway company, verdict for $150.

Tuesday, Oct. 27.

The jury in the F. M. Johnson murder case in the Forty-eighth district court was completed and is as follows: J. L. Meek, J. E. Blanton, Jr., F. D. Rowland, B. F. Tankersley, W. W. Gaskill, W. M. Jones, D. W. Enger, J. A. Bailey, W. B. Wise, W. M. Scott, Nat T. Sinclair and Charles Bullock.

In the county court the following pleas of guilty were had: H. White, cards, fined $10; Henderson Caldwell, theft, fined $200 and 12 months in jail; W. H. Davis, drunkenness, $1; Henderson Caldwell, aggravated assault, fined $25; Will Violet, betting at dice, fined $10.

New Suits Filed: Ellen E. Hedges vs. the United Moderns, suit on policy; Lillie Davis vs. Isaac Davis, divorce.

Wednesday, Oct. 28.

This was a day when several verdicts were rendered against railroads. The jury in the damage suit of J. C. Ingram vs. the International & Great Northern Railway company returned a verdict for $300. The suit was brought on account of alleged depreciation of property by the building of the railroad.

The case of W. H. Lewis vs. the Northern Texas Traction company was then taken up and is on trial.

G. H. Connell vs. Texas & Pacific Railway company, damages. Verdict for the plaintiff, $200.

Andrew A. Haney vs. Fort Worth & Denver City Railway company, damages. Verdict for $30.

L. Runnels vs. Thornton & Texas Central Railway company, damages. Verdict for $112.65.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

T. F. Moore and Miss Cameron E. Wilson.

Edward R. Callier and Miss Lena Evans.

Frank Root and Miss Maggie Taylor.

Alfred Abshear and Miss Bessie Jones.

Row Owens and Miss Billie Cantrell.

E. M. Stubbs and Miss Sallie Hart.

E. J. Robinson and Miss Maud Owens.

Tom Wilkins and Edith Porter, col.

M. L. Chambers and Mrs. Emma Johnson.

W. R. McBride and Mrs. Robbye Travis.

J. A. Lackey and Mrs. M. J. Katliff.

Charles Salerno and Miss Luna Passalqua.

Joe W. Burney and Miss Louise Burrows Rochester.

John Boon and Miss M. B. Hamilton.

T. E. Jones and Mrs. Lula Shedron.

H. G. Stubbs and Miss M. L. Strawn.

Arthur Hill and Mattie Swanson, colored.

Bonnie Jones and Mrs. Lizie Johnson, colored.

E. H. Cogdell and Miss Maggie Downey.

BIRTHS IN TARRANT COUNTY.

Following is the report of births recorded at the office of the county clerk in Fort Worth:

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Boatwright, Arlington, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thigpenody, near Grapevine, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hudgins, near Grapevine, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huffman, near Grapevine, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McColley, near Grapevine, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carter, Arlington, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Treadwell, Arlington, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Moss, Arlington, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Wheeler, near Azle, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hicks, Webb, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grogan, White, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Niel S. Brown, city, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. George Singleton, city, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Zandt Aldrich, north of city, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woodcock, city, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Kirby, near Azle, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilkerson, Marine, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris J. Hatchett, city, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gaston, city, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sweet, Arlington, boy.

FORT WORTH THE BEST HOG MARKET.

Figures Show that Sales Here Yesterday were Higher than at Any Other Live Stock Market.

In reading the headlines from a Fort Worth paper reporting the live stock market here yesterday, one would be misled. The headlines read as follows: "Unusual big run of hogs. Shippers displeased."

We have a report before us of actual figures showing that one of the largest droves of hogs in Kansas City yesterday, which market was lower, cost $5.05 for 2,244 head. Another drove in Chicago, cost $4.96; another in Omaha cost $4.89; another, the highest price drove we are able at this time to find in Missouri river points, which consisted of mediums and lights, cost $5.23½, which weighed 200 pounds average.

The top of hog markets from reports we have before us yesterday show as follows:

Chicago	$5 55
Kansas City	5 40
St. Louis	5 42½
St. Joseph	5 35
Fort Worth	5 40

The top at Fort Worth, [illegible] which is 7½ cents above Kansas City top, is 5 cents above any hog market in the United States outside of Chicago.

The droves of hogs in Fort Worth yesterday cost:

554 hogs, 196 pounds average	$5.35
400 hogs, 200 pounds average	5.31
89 pigs, 112 pounds average	5.27
77 pigs, 133 pounds average	5.32
327 hogs, 218 pounds average	5.41
74 hogs, 223 pounds average	5.40
21 hogs, 190 pounds average	5.40

One will see at a glance where the Fort Worth market lies. Our lowest priced drove was 26c higher than the lowest drove of over 2000 we have from Kansas City. Our highest drove is 20c cents higher than the highest drove we have from Kansas City or any Missouri river points. This information will undoubtedly be of value to hog shippers, especially to those who read the item referred to.

We may end by saying Fort Worth's top yesterday was 5 cents per hundred higher, which means that all hogs were higher than any Missouri river points. Why isn't Fort Worth strictly "in it" as a hog market?

The market is lower at all points again today; Fort Worth is lower, but Fort Worth is the market for the Territory and Texas shippers, as every figure will prove to a sane man.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter, colored, Fort Worth, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Driggins, Dove, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Turner, Grapevine, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Tate, Grapevine, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Binyon, Ft. Worth, boy.

Boy, Mexican, name of parents unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders, Arlington, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Fort Worth, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Dougherty, Branford, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones, Mansfield, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stangl, Fort Worth, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson, Kennedale, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Low, Kennedale, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tarwaters, Kennedale, girl.

Calvin and Hattie Sanders, colored, Birdville, boy.

William and Evelyn Hall, colored, Birdville, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Goins, Waxahachie, boy.

MURDERED FOR MONEY.

Young Farmer Shot and Robbed—Negro Under Arrest.

The murder of Charles Sweickheimer for about $40, the proceeds of the sale of a bale of cotton, has aroused the people of this county to a sense of the lawlessness ruling in the county.

Sweickheimer was a young farmer who rents a place about half a mile northeast of the Masonic Home, near Fort Worth. Last Wednesday he took a bale of cotton to Arlington and sold it, getting about $40. He stopped on his return at Culp's store and paid a small bill he owed there. He also paid a negro, Rufus Martin, 55 cents he owed him for picking cotton. Then he entered his wagon and drove home. When the wagon reached his home, the dead body of Sweickheimer was found lying in it. There were three bullet holes in his body. Of the $40 received for the cotton, only $5 was in his pockets.

Sheriff Hopea was notified, and after an investigation arrested Rufus Martin in Fort Worth. Martin had $28.35, and a 44-caliber Colt pistol. There was damp powder soot in the pistol barrel, showing it had recently been fired. Three of the cartridges were new, and the others rusty, showing that three chambers had just been loaded. People living along the road that Sweickheimer drove heard three shots fired, about half an hour before the team reached home with his dead body. It is regarded as certain that Martin is the murderer.

A SUCCESSFUL HOG RAISER.

He has 150 Brood Sows, and Makes Money on Them.

Mr. S. Edwards of Seymour, Baylor county, who is one of the most extensive hog raisers in Texas, was at the stock yards yesterday with a shipment of light hogs that sold at $5.25. Mr. Edwards is satisfied with his hog business. He says there is good money in hogs at 3 cents a pound, if they are well graded and the man who raises them understands his business.

On his stock ranch he has about 3,000 acres, where he raises all kinds of feed. His pigs are run on wheat fields and sorghum, and he has found milo maize the best grain feed for them when it comes to finishing them for market. He has about 150 brood sows and prefers a Poland-China and Berkshire cross. He has a young alfalfa patch of about 30 acres, which has not yet developed well enough to enable him to say whether it will be a success or not.

Mr. Edwards' success is an example for other Texas farmers to profit by in the raising of hogs.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	3,000	23,000	8,000
Kansas City	5,000	5,000	1,000
St. Louis	3,000	3,500	700
St. Joseph	1,500	1,500	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10,700

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 30. The Drovers' Journal reports:

CATTLE—Receipts 3,500. Market dull, weak.

HOGS—Receipts 21,000. Market weak, 5c lower. Top 5.30; bulk $4.85@5.15.

SHEEP—Receipts 8,000. Steady to strong.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 30. The Drovers' Telegram reports today:

CATTLE—Receipts 5,000. Market steady. Top $5.15. Cows and stockers lower.

HOGS—Receipts 5,000. Market 5 to 15c lower. Top $5.40; bulk $4.90@5.25.

SHEEP—Receipts 1,000. Steady.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 30. The National Live Stock Reporter says:

CATTLE—Receipts 3,000. Texas 2,000. Best steers dull, lower. Top $5.40. Natives slow; none choice.

HOGS—Receipts 3,500. Market 15c lower. Top $5.25; bulk $5.05@5.15.

SHEEP—Receipts 700. Steady.

St. Joseph.

Special to The Reporter.

South St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 30. The Stock Yards Daily Journal reports:

CATTLE—Receipts 1,800. Market steady. Top $5.10.

HOGS—Receipts 4,500. Market 5 to 15c lower. Top $5.30; bulk $4.90@5.20.

SHEEP—Receipts [illegible]

BENBROOK.

Oct. 29.—Wheat sowing and cotton picking are the general rush of the time now.

A great many people were in town Friday, as it was circus day.

Sunday school Sunday morning and preaching out at Mary's creek school house Sunday night. Prayer meeting at night was held by Sister Benbrook. We heartily appreciate Sister Benbrook's effort in trying to do the Lord's will, while others, much younger than she, might relieve her of the work if they only had the faith and energy she has.

School is doing fair. We have a large enrollment the first month.

We have lately learned that Mr. Ed Williams was taken quite sick in Fort Worth Tuesday evening.

There was a comfort tacking at Mrs. Owens' Wednesday. The ladies present were Mrs. L. A. Benbrook, Leake and Childers, and Misses Hattie, Bell, Mollie and Ella Childers; Mr. H. Leake, Jr. and R. Owen, for dinner.

Mrs. Snyder, mother of Mrs. Wells, who has been with her all summer, left for her son's home at Brownwood, but Miss Frankie is still with us.

Mrs. King is on the sick list.

Mr. Mitchell has a very sick baby.

Miss Mollie Childers and younger sister spent the night of Mrs. H. Williams' Tuesday night.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

Comparative Feeding Value of Cotton Seed and Cracked Cake.

Messrs. Humphreys, Godwin & Co. issue the following circular of information.

We have quite a number of inquiries relative to the comparative feeding value of cotton seed and cracked cake, and it is evident that many cattlemen and farmers are considering the question as to whether it will pay them better to feed their seed or to sell same at the high prices now obtainable and buy cracked cake or cotton seed meal for feeding. This is an important question, and with a view of answering many inquiries we have on the subject, we take this opportunity of submitting the following statement of the actual feding value of a ton of seed. The figures given are substantially correct and will be vouched for by any one familiar with the average results which oil mills obtain from a ton of cotton seed. For the purpose of this illustration, we have valued cotton seed hulls at $5.50 per ton, and cracked cake (or cotton seed meal) at $24 per ton delivered, these figures varying of course according to location of and freight rate to each particular point.

A ton of cotton seed contains:

100 lbs. dirt, sand and other impurities, no feeding value	$00 00
25 lbs lint, no feeding value	00 00
275 lbs oil, no feeding value (injurious to cattle)	00 00
850 lbs. cotton seed hulls, value $5.50 per ton, delivered	2 33
750 lbs. cracked cake or cotton seed meal, value $24 per ton	9 00
2000 Total feeding value	$11 33

It will be noted that out of every 2000 pounds of cotton seed, there is 400 pounds which is entirely without feeding value, while another 850 pounds (the hulls) has only a very small feeding value, as compared with the market value of the seed. On the other hand, there is no waste whatever in a ton of cracked cake, and every pound of it has the very highest feeding value of any known feedstuff. Furthermore, it is cooked feed, which should add to its digestibility and hence to its feeding value, and certainly adds to its keeping qualities.

The value of the hulls in a ton of seed is placed at $2.33, but if you have an abundance of roughness, so that you do not need to buy hulls, then the only value that you get from a ton of seed is the cake or meal which is worth only $9.

An oil mill of course gets out of a ton of seed a greater value than $11.33, but the oil and linters are sold by the mills at good prices, although they are of no value as feed for cattle. In fact, the oil is positively injurious to cattle, and will scour them unless the seed are fed with great care and in small quantities.

From the above we conclude as follows:

1. Where a farmer or cattleman needs to buy roughness and is willing to pay for same, he cannot, on the present market for cracked cake and hulls, afford to feed cotton seed when he can sell them for more than $11.33 per ton.

2. Where a farmer or cattleman has abundant hay, grass or other roughness, so that he does not need to buy same, he can only feed cotton seed with profit when he cannot sell them for over $9 per ton.

TEXAS CATTLE IN AFRICA.

Stand the Change of Climate Better Than Other Cattle.

National Live Stock Reporter, East St Louis:

W. A. Pierce of Topeka, Kan., was at the yards today on his way home from a trip to South Africa, a journey taken for the purpose of looking after a cargo of 1,000 head of Texas cows, purchased in the Lone Star state by English army officers and consigned to the British government in the Transvaal.

Mr. Pierce talked entertainingly to a Reporter representative concerning his trip. He sailed from Galveston, Tex., June 23, and landed at Lorenzo Marquez, August 10, with but a loss of seven head, which is a record breaker on shipments of this character. Including himself, there were thirty-three men to look after the cattle on the voyage; they were fed and watered regularly as clock-work and the vessel was thoroughly cleaned and disinfected twice each week. Rations consisted of hay and bran, but the supply of the latter did not last through the voyage, so that the cattle were on hay alone the greater part of the time and there were no losses of any consequence until after they left Cape Town. Delivery was made 300 miles inland.

"The British government has experimented with cattle from other countries, notably from Australia, South America and Canada, but find that Texas cattle stand the climate better than any others. There is considerable disease throughout the country, mostly rind pest and Texas fever and the herds are frequently devasted, making cattle raising a difficult problem, and the British government will have considerable difficulty in recouping the war and disease losses in the Transvaal.

"One of the great problems in that country at the present time is the labor question as the Kaffirs who formerly worked with regularity have apparently learned a lesson from their southern states brothers and the minute they get a trifling sum ahead refuse to continue to work. In consequence of this many enterprising are suffering and the government is talking of importing Chinese laborers."

The Religious Column

BY REV. J. R. GOODE.

Dr. O. P. Gifford in the Watchman, with more candor than charity, perpetrates the following:

"In the church's field of battle,
In the bivouac of life
You will find the average Christian
Represented by his wife."

The Crowley Baptist church has called Rev. J. H. Jackson as pastor.

The Baptist general convention of Texas meets in Dallas next week.

Rev. A. Lichtenstein, a converted Jew from St. Louis, is holding revival services at the First Methodist church this week.

The Baptist Missionary association is in session at Dallas this week, with a good attendance. The sessions of the body are held in the music hall at the fair grounds.

The Northwest Texas annual M. E. conference, which convenes in Ft. Worth on Nov. 11th, will hold its sessions in the city hall. It is estimated that there will be 450 members of the conference present. Bishop Duncan, who will preside over the conference, is an old schoolmate of Prof. Alex. Hogg, and will make his home with his old-time friend while in the city.

Elijah of olden times mounted his chariot and went straight on to glory. Elijah the 2nd, alias Alexander Dowie, got himself into his chariot and went to —New York, where an attachment of $1,000 was promptly served on the "sacred" vehicle for an unpaid lawyer's fee, and yet Dowie has a host of followers, even in New York. Verily, "what fools these mortals be."

A convention of Dunkards was being held somewhere in this country. It was telegraphed to New York that a convention of Dunkards was being held. The intelligent compositor, who had never heard of the Dunkards, supposed that an "r" had been dropped out, and set up the dispatch so as to read that a convention of Drunkards was being held. The intelligent correspondent of an English paper cabled to his paper that a convention of drunkards was being held in this country. The English papers then commented on this as a remarkable fact, saying that America was probably the only country in the would where a convention of drunkards would be possible. They then proceeded to lecture the Americans for their drunkenness.

A letter came to The Citizen office recently containing remittance for a year's subscription, and making no reference to the guessing contest running in the columns of the paper. Our genial co-editor, J. B. Buchanan, kindly addressed the brother a Chesterfieldian note, calling attention to the omission and stating if he would forward his guess it would be duly registered. For reply Bro. Buchanan received his own letter indorsed on the margin as follows: "Read the last half of the 8th verse of the 21st chapter of Revelations." Bro. Buchanan, for the first time since he left his Sunday school class, long ago, hunted up his Bible and from its musty, long neglected pages, read: "And all liars shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone; which is the second death." When last heard from Bro. Buchanan was showing some faint signs of returning consciousness, and hopes are entertained of his ultimate recovery. The only doubt in regard to this story is as to whether it belongs in the Religious department or in the columns of the Snake editor.

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OIL NEAR FORT WORTH.

Prof. Brule of Palestine, an expert on oil, asserts that there is an abundant supply of coal oil near Fort Worth. He is quoted in the Fort Worth Telegram as saying that this oil is within half a mile of the packing houses. "It is what is known as the Saratoga stream and has its origin in Western Kansas. It is from 1,500 to 1,600 fet wide. The first stratum will be encountered at a depth of about 780 feet and maximum depth to be drilled in order to reach all the strata would be about 1,250 feet. I am as positive of what I say in regard to the oil in this vicinity as I was in my predictions about the Nome and Spindletop fields. You know, I predicted that J. A. Van Doren of Fort Worth and his partner Zureith would strike oil. Your recent story about their 2,000 barrel well confirmed what I knew and predicted would come to pass. Fort Worth does not have to send anywhere to get oil, if some of her citizens will get together and put down a test well."

AGRICULTURE AS A PROFESSION.

"Agriculture is the best profession from many standpoints that any young man can enter," says Prof. F. B. Mumford, dean of the agricultural department of the University of Missouri. "There are very few agricultural colleges and comparatively few students of agriculture," continued the professor. "Agriculture is just waking up and is entering a new era where professional trained agriculturists will be in even greater demand than they are now. There are two classes of positions for the graduate of the agricultural college: the practical farm work and experiment work in agricultural colleges and experiment stations. The number of business men who are employing trained men as superintendents of their farms and ranches is increasing each year, and as many professors in agricultural colleges are leaving their positions to accept these, it must be the more profitable."

THE GUESS FOR $10,000

Estimates Will be Received at This Office Up to Nov. 2d.

Announcement was made a few days ago that estimates on the vote of Massachusetts, Ohio and Iowa in the next election would not be received later than next Saturday. We are just in receipt of a letter from the Press Publishing association of Detroit, saying that estimates may be received up to Nov. 2d. The letter explains itself, as follows:

"We wish to notify you that all stubs should be placed in the mails not later than 6 p. m., Nov. 3rd, or in the express office, consigned to us, and if any orders reach you after that date if you will save the envelope and send it along with the order and sufficient money to pay for the certificate and cost of mailing, we will fill out the certificates and mail them direct to your subscribers. This, of course, applies to all orders that are mailed by your subscribers before midnight of Nov. 2nd and received by you within a reasonable time thereafter."

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This guessing contest will close November 2.

YOU WILL HAVE TO HURRY to get your guess in.

See explanation and full particulars on another page in this issue.

Guess Today and again Tomorrow.

LEEDALE HERD OF HEREFORDS.

Fine Cattle That Made a Splendid Showing at San Angelo.

Leedale Hereford herd made a fine showing at the San Angelo carnival, and carried off more prize money than all competitors.

Their 3-year-old herd bull, Paul Jones 101629, is one of the smoothest, blockiest bulls in the West, tips the beam at 2265 pounds, has good smooth heavy bone, covered with an abundance of flesh, and wrapped in a soft mellow hide, and is considered by many critics to be the best bull in the West.

The bull calf, Dallas 150308, has the making of a prize winner in him. Dallas was sired by Schley, the noted herd bull that sold in the Jno. R. Lewis dispersion sale for $1,510. Dallas is 13 months old, weighs 900 pounds, and is a perfect model of the bovine race.

Among their cows and heifers are some very choice stuff. Edytha 113495, age 4 years, weighs 1600 pounds, has produced two fine calves, is an excellent mother, and will compare favorably with most Jerseys for quantity and quality of milk.

Their junior calves, Leedale Queen 166709, and Leedale Princess 158163, are two of the best calves your correspondent has had the pleasure of seeing and are sure ribbon winners.

In the range cattle department Lee Bros. had 3 entries of fed yearling steers, comprising 15 head, that were beauties. They averaged 826 pounds, and were in excellent condition. They were placed first, second and third, and a pen of five Hereford cows that tip the scales at 1050 pounds off the grass, were highly commended by the judges, Messrs. James and Anson of Coleman.

The yearling steer, "Soup Bones," weighs 1185 pounds, and is a living example of what can be done by judicious feeding and handling of well bred stuff. He was an average steer, selected out of their 1902 crop of calves, put on feed Nov. 1, and kept growing all the time. The balance of the yearlings were wintered on grass and put on feed April 10, for wintering in poor flesh.

The heaviest steer in the car lot weighed 890 pounds, which shows that it pays to keep your stock growing the year round, as 300 pounds difference in the weight of a yearling steer is quite an item when they go on the market.

CEREAL PRODUCTION.

Drovers' Journals: The center of the cereal production of the country is in the west, and as the country beyond the Missouri gets settled up more this center moves still further west. There was a time when practically all of the grain exported from the United States went from the Atlantic ports, but this is no longer true. The establishment of big trunk lines to the gulf ports has opened up a new highway to European grain commerce, and in late years much of the business has been diverted in that direction. Arbitrary freight rates have been the cause of some of this shifting, but now that it has started the eastern roads are no longer able to check the tide. Bradstreet's gives some figures on the grain development in the west which are interesting:

"Ten states produced 3,104,000,000 bushels of cereals in 1900, or 70 per cent of the entire country's output. In 1890 these states produced 72 per cent; in 1880 69 per cent; in 1870, 57 per cent; in 1860, 45.7 per cent, and in 1850, 34.7 per cent. In other words, ten states which only produced one-third of the country's cereals fifty years ago raised seven-tenths in 1900. It will be noted that of these states only four are east of the Mississippi river. Three states—Kansas, Nebraska and Minnesota—had no production at all fifty years ago, and in 1900 had a total output of 850,000,000 bushels. The great gain in production, if the single exception is made of Illinois, has been west of the river. The newer states, too, it should be remembered, are the ones that produce exportable surpluses of grain. The production west of the river in nine states advanced in fifty years from 65,000,000 bushels to 2,088,000,000, or from 7 to 47 per cent. In other words, about one-half of the country's cereal production was raised west of the Mississippi in 1900."

INTEREST IN TEXAS ORCHARDS.

Mr. Vincent, editor of the Erath County Appeal, was in Dallas recently, and in talking with a reporter for the News, said:

"Interest in orcharding is becoming more marked. The present high price of apples and the good crop is to account for this in some degree, but it has been established that Erath county is one of the best fruit countries in the United States. J. C. George, owner of one of the largest orchards in the county, who some time ago announced that he would dispose of his holdings, has decided to remain in the business, and this fall is setting out 15,000 more apple trees, and as many peach trees. Mr. George already has more than 14,000 apple trees. Apples from the Erath orchards are now selling at $.50 per bushel and the demand is good. A number of orchardists from the North have been in Erath county this fall, and some of them have decided to invest and put out orchards. They all assert that the country and the prospects look good to them."

SWIFT ESTABLISHES A RANCH.

Corporation Formed for Operation of Large Cattle Company.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Oct. 29.—A corporation, known as the Santa Barbara Cattle company, with a capital of $100,000, has been formed here. Three hundred and fifty thousand acres of grazing land in Mexico, adjoining the territory of Arizona, have been leased and will at once be extensively stocked.

The corporation, which has been formed under the laws of Arizona, is composed of L. F. Swift of Chicago, the millionaire packer, and R. Cameron Rogers, A. H. Melvay, C. F. Faland and Charles Fernald of Santa Barbara. Mr. Fernald is a son-in-law of Swift.

Thirteen hundred dollars is the price L. Witt and P. Witt of Montell, Uvalde county, Tex., paid for the prize goat of the American Royal Stock Show at the sale of Angoras at Kansas City. "Dick Jr." is the name of the animal, and he was bred by F. O. Landrum of Laguna, Tex. Dick Jr. won first money for best buck, 2 years old or over.

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a 6 00 pm	Accommodation	

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Depart		
North		
a 7 30 am	Kan. C. & Chicago Ex & Mail	
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Depart		
South		
a 8 05 am	Houston & Gal. Mail & Ex.	
a 9 10 pm	Houston & San Antonio & Galveston Mail & Express	

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a 8 35 am	"Katy Flyer"	
a 11 45 am	Kan. City, St. Louis & Chicago Mail & Ex.	
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Depart		
South		
a 8 15 pm	Houston and Gal. and San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	
a 8 30 am	Houston Mail & Ex	
a 6 00 pm	Houston Mail & Ex	

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a 12 39 pm	St. L. Limited, via Dallas	
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Depart	Main Line via Marshall.	
East		
a 7 45 am	St. Louis Cannon Ball	
a 8 00 am	St. Louis Mail & Ex.	
a 9 25 am	Dallas Local	
a 10 25 am	Dallas & Weatherford Local	
a 12 30 pm	Dallas Local	
a 1 55 pm	Dallas Local	
a 6 00 pm	Wills Point Local	
a 7 45 pm	St. Louis Mail & Ex.	
a 9 30 pm	Dallas Local	
Depart	Main Line West.	
West		
a 8 20 pm	Colorado Mail & Express	
a 3 00 pm	Weatherford Local	
a 9 45 am	El Paso Express	
	Transcontinental Division via Sierra	
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GOVERNMENT CHARGE

Levee Association Convention Favors This Course,

TAYLOR IS OPPOSED.

Senator Berry of Arkansas Insisted That the Greatest Need at the Present Juncture Is Sufficient Funds.

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—The Interstate Mississippi Improvement and Levee association concluded its session Wednesday after adopting a series of resolutions in favor of government jurisdiction of levees and for appropriations for their control if government control is not proper, and indorsing the waterway from the Gulf of Mexico to the great lakes and the Chicago sanitary canal as a part of that project. The feature of the morning session was Judge Robert S. Taylor's appeal against the proposed movement for government ownership.

Senator Berry of Arkansas followed Judge Taylor in a brief address. "As to the objection offered by Judge Taylor to the federal government owning and controlling the levees," said Senator Berry, "let us not cross the bridge until we get to it. What we want is more money for the completion of our levees."

Hon. Charles S. Fairchild of New York said that as the government had aided transcontinetal railroads, had taken up irrigation of the west and is planning an isthmial canal, he believed the levee project should receive equal attention from it.

Mr. Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the Manufacturers' Record, followed Mr. Fairchild.

Congressman Williams of Mississippi strongly defended the constitutionality of government aid in effecting that protection.

Judge George H. Maxwell of the National Irrigation association spoke next.

At the conclusion of Mr. Maxwell's address letters and telegrams were read from governors, senators, congressmen, railroad presidents and others, expressing sympathy with the movement.

Rate War Renewed.

New York, Oct. 29.—A rate war between freight lines doing business between New York, Atlantic coast and Mississippi river points, which was settled some time ago, has been revived, and the first class rate has already been cut 5 cents per 100 pounds. The trouble arose over a special rate between this city and Shreveport.

Prospects of Settlement.

Rome, Oct. 29.—Latest reports received at the Vatican from Archbishop Guidi, apostolic delegate in the Philippines, contain much more hopeful news regarding prospects for definite settlement of questions of friars' land in Philippin islands and also in connection with the financial point of friars leaving the archipelago.

NOTHING IN IT.

Reported Attack on President Diaz Is Without Foundation.

Washington, Oct. 29.—The following was posted at the state department:

"General Clayton, the United States ambassador at the City of Mexico, has informed the secretary of state that the report of an attempt upon the life of President Diaz is without foundation."

In view of the precise statement of the attack upon the president contained in the newspaper dispatches from Guanajuato, published Wednesday morning, the wholesale denial of the affair by Ambassador Clayton is only to be explained to the satisfaction of the officials by the assumption that the ambassador himself is in the City of Mexico, and not at the scene of the affair, and he simply accepted an official statement issued by the Mexican authorities, who had their own reasons for belittling the matter.

FIRED IN AIR.

This Is One of the Stories About the Alleged Shooting at Diaz.

City of Mexico, Oct. 28.—Reports received from Guanajuato minimize the first details of the alleged attempt on the life of President Diaz. It is now said that Toscano was undoubtedly drunk. The Mexican Herald's special correspondent at Guanajuata wires that Elias Toscano, who was on Forsooth, fired into the air as the president's car was passing. The man claims he was moved at the moment to salute the president but the story is doubted in some quarters. The car was crowded with officials and friends of the president, so that had Toscano fired at the car somebody would surely have been hit.

Car Was Not Hit.

City of Mexico, Oct. 29.—General Mena, the only cabinet minister now at the capital, has received a message from President Diaz saying that the reported attack on his life is absolutely false. He says Toscano was drunk and took a sensational way of celebrating. No one, or even the car occupied by the president, was hit.

Marshal Kills Meat Cutter.

Little Rock, Oct. 29.—A special from Cotton Plant, Ark., to the Gazette says that T. A. Smith, city marshal of that place, shot and killed Ernest E. Kock, a meat cutter. Kock demanded that Smith detract a remark he had made and backed his demand with a shotgun. After he had secured the retraction he unloaded the gun which upon Smith shot him. Kock died within two hours.

Finance Minister Arrives.

New York, Oct. 29.—Jose Limantour, Mexican minister of finance, and his wife arrived on the steamer Kronprinz.

NOT SO FAVORABLE.

Situation at Laredo Wednesday Was Rather of Discouraging Nature.

Laredo, Tex., Oct. 29.—The fever situation was not so favorable Wednesday as during the past few days. A heavy rain fell Tuesday night which may prove an unfortunate thing unless the citizens take the matter in hand promptly and constitute themselves a committee of one to see that their premises are placed in a perfect sanitary condition and see to it that all water barrels upon which oil had been placed are promptly emptied and all pools drained so as to da away with any spot where new larvae may propagate.

The official bulletin, issued at the headquarters of the state health officer Wednesday, is as follows: New cases, 15; deaths, 5; total number of cases to date, 580; total deaths, 51.

Of the fifteen cases reported as new nine may be classed as cases which have developed within the previous twenty-four hours, six of them being old cases which were only discovered Wednesday.

D. T. Roy, superintendent of the Minera mines, was stricken Wednesday as he stepped from the train.

Conditions are bad in Monterey. Sunday last there were five deaths and six cases, and on Monday two deaths and ten cases.

NO NEW CASES.

Sick All Convalescing Except Mrs. R. A. Oliver.

San Antonio, Oct. 29.—The board of health at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening posted the following official bulletin:

"New cases none, deaths none; total cases since yellow fever first appeared 12; total deaths, 4."

No new cases have been reported for three days, and no deaths from fever have occurred for three days. The sick are all convalescing except Mrs. R. A. Oliver, and she is not expected to recover.

Mrs. Oliver was reported to be a resident of Austin, but it was learned that her home is about four miles south of Austin. She came here about a month ago to attend a daughter who was sick.

FARMER SLAIN.

Evidently Was Assassinated For the Purpose of Robbery.

Fort Worth, Oct. 29.—About 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening as Charles Swackhammer, aged twenty-six was about to turn from the Arlington road into the lane leading to his home, he was fired on and killed by some persons who assaulted him for the purpose of robbery. He fell backward into the wagon, proceeding to his house. He had been to Arlington with a load of cotton. He leaves a widow and several children. But $5 was found on his body.

Fear of Coal Famine.

El Paso, Oct. 29.—Reports from several points in Arizona state that a coal famine is threatened at several of the large smelter camps owing to the strike at the mines. Some of the large concerns are figuring on using oil as fuel.

Fair Paid Expenses

San Antonio, Oct. 29.—The international fair is over. Despite adverse conditions all expenses have been earned.

New Moderator.

Gainesville, Tex., Oct. 29.—The Presbyterian synod elected Rev. H. C. Rimes moderator.

WHILE COUPLING.

Eldest Son of "Coin" Harvey Loses His Life at Hugo, I. T.

Little Rock, Oct. 29.—From Rogers, this state, the Gazette received the following:

A telegram was received here stating that Hal Harvey, eldest son of W. H. (Coin) Harvey, of Monticello, was killed at Hugo, I. T. Young Harvey was coupling two freight cars and the air brake broke and struck him on the head. Harvey was twenty-four years old, and was educated in Chicago for the law, but came to Arkansas with his father two years ago. He had been railroading only a few months.

REPORTED KILLED.

Special From Bean Lake, Mo., Says Mrs. Booth Tucker Is no More.

Kansas City, Oct. 29.—A special from Bean Lake says that Mrs. Booth Tucker, the noted Salvation Army officer, was fatally injured in a wreck on the Santa Fe road and died half an hour later. Several persons were injured. Mrs. Baden of Wnfield, Kan., Elmer Harris of Chicago and Col. Holland of the Salvation Army are badly injured.

Members of Salvation Army discredit reported death of Mrs. Booth Tucker.

AGAINST TEXAS.

Government of New Mexico Has Established a Cattle Quarantine.

Denver, Oct. 29.—A special to the Republican from Santa Fe, N. M., says: Governor Otero has issued a proclamation establishing a quarantine against cattle brought from Colorado, Texas, Oklahoma and Mexico, on account of alleged existence of splenetic fever, mange and other diseases in those states.

Shot Himself In Head.

Frederick, Okla., Oct. 29.—C. D. Downing, a townsite manager of Manitou, five miles north of here, ended his life by shooting himself through the head.

The Baltimore to Go.

Washington, Oct. 29.—Acting Secretary of the Navy Darling sent orders to the Norfolk navy yard for the cruiser Baltimore to proceed to Puerto Plata, San Domingo, to look after American interests at the blockaded port.

AL CATTLE COUNTRY.

Mexico, Described as an Excellent Spot for Cattle.

...Live Stock Reporter:

...M. Taylor, editor of the Put...Paragon, who was at the ...yards yesterday, en route from ...to his home, has traveled extensively through Mexico, and is very enthusiastic over the possibilities and future of many of the places in our sister republic. He was particularly impressed with one or two places, notably Colima and Oxtlan. He thinks particularly well of the former as a cattle country. Concerning it he said: "Colima, Mexico, is a beautiful and picturesque city of 20,000 inhabitants on the Mexican Central railroad, 350 miles south of Guadalajara and 200 miles north of the typical Indian city of Uruapan, the present terminus of the road, which has to close a gap of about forty miles with considerable engineering difficulties, to connect its line to Colima from which place a narrow gauge runs to the deep water port of Manzanillo.

"Colima is a beautiful lake in the vicinity of Coquitlan and the place has well paved streets, substantial buildings, many comfortable hotels that give excellent accommodations at moderate prices. The handsome residence place of Dr. Daniel Trevino, a hospitable and wealthy "hacendado" whose deceased father was an American physician who married an estimable Mexican lady and settled here many years ago, and was widely regarded by the Mexican people and visiting strangers who were indebted to him for many courteous attentions.

"The prevailing breezes from the Pacific, seventy miles away reach Zacatecas unobstructed by any intervening mountains which combined with the altitude of 5,000 feet and its tropical location makes a benign climate free from excessive heat or winter cold, which for many years cannot be excelled in any other place on earth.

"Colima has concentrated with a favorable agricultural and mineral environment, within a comparatively small place in that section of Mexico. In the higher altitudes wheat and other products of the temperate zone are successfully, which within a day's ride on horseback, the lower altitudes are reached where all tropical products flourish. Near bear is one of the greatest deposits of superior iron ore in the world, and gold, silver, copper and lead abound in the mountains.

"This region, in my opinion, combines extraordinary advantages, where people from northern countries, whose health demands more even temperature, can locate and profit by the favorable conditions without danger of fevers which are more or less prevalent in the lower altitudes of the tropics.

"The wealthy people of this section are cultured and hospitable and the poor people are happy and contented. Their wants are few and are easily satisfied.

"This is an ideal cattle country, where climatic conditions and an abundance of grass and water renders cattle raising a highly profitable industry. Taylor Maulding, one of the best known range cattlemen of the Rocky Mountain region of the United States, who rode over these ranges with me twelve years ago, expressed it as his opinion that this was the most desirable cattle country on the American continent.

"I had the pleasure of traveling with Dr. G. M. Emerick fiancial agent of the Paso del Rio Industrial company owning 275,000 acres near Colima and Coalcoman, which are paying seven per cent dividends on a capitalization of $1,250,000. Dr. Emerick will shortly come back to the United States to purchase thoroughbred bulls with which to improve the large numbers of native cattle they have on their ranches."

GOOD CROP OF JUNE CORN.

The Arlington Journal tells this story that ought to interest other farmers:

J. T. McGraw, who lives on the river north of Grand Prairie, was in town yesterday with samples of his June corn. One stalk and five ears on it. Mr. McGraw has ten acres and says no stalk has less than two ears. Five acres was planted May 1st, and will make 75 bushels to the acre. Five acres planted the 1st of June is still in roasting ear and will not mature. Off of the piece Mr. McGraw says he has sold $150 worth of roasting ears, fed four horses and several hogs for a month or so, and has about half the corn yet.

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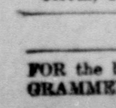

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PHENOMENAL FLIGHT OF HAWKS.

Weatherford Herald: Yesterday morning between 8 or 9 o'clock an occurrence which attracted much notice was the passing over town of a great number of big chicken hawks in a migatory flight south.

The number that passed over the square seemed phenomenal, there appearing to be three or four hundred, but they were but the outer edge of the main flock which was farther east, it passed over the territory between Elm street and the cotton mills. In the flock it is said that there must have been several thousand of the birds, for they were flying apparently as close together as blackbirds, and were several minutes in passing a given point. They were in size much larger than half grown golden eagles, and in their circling flight made a pretty spectacle.

ONE PACKAGE HE FORGOT.

Good Story That Is Told on Absent-Minded Farmer.

A story is going the rounds regarding a farmer who is greatly troubled with absent-mindedness. On the way home from town as the story runs, the thought came to him that he had forgotten something. He took out his notebook, went over every item, checked it off, and saw that he had made all the purchases he had intended. As he drove on he could not put aside the feeling that there was something missing. He took out his notebook and checked off every item again, but still found no mistake. He did this several times, but could not dismiss the idea that he must have forgotten something. When he arrived at home and drove up to the house his daughter came out to meet him, and, with a look of surprise, asked: "Why, where is maw?"

Imitation Mummies.

The recent discovery by the French police of a mummy factory at Monrouge, near Paris, has caused no little consternation among owners of these somewhat grewsome curiosities. It is said to be well-nigh impossible to distinguish the products of the factory from the genuine article, and hundreds of public institutions and thousands of private collectors and dealers are believed to have been victimized.

Engagement Bracelet.

Designers have been busy with love affairs and their symbols, says the Evening Star. The engagement ring will probably never lose its favor, but there are now several novelties in the way of engagement gifts that vie with the ring for popularity. A pretty idea is the curb bracelet with the heart clasp in which reposes the portrait of the giver.

Facts as to Crime.

The number of crimes increases necessarily as civilization advances because new laws are made constituting new crimes. While the number of violations of law increases the number of atrocious crimes diminishes. The fact is that the increase in the criminal statistics is almost entirely in the newer and lighter offenses.

EDITORIALETTES.

Cheer up; the pumpkin pies will soon be ripe.

The farmers should club together this fall and demand a late frost.

Give the turkeys a chance. They'll get fat if you let them have enough to eat.

A woman thinks a hat of last fall's vintage looks as though it came out of the ark.

The girl with red cheeks can't always make her blushes match her complexion.

The man with a broken heart gets less sympathy than the man with a shattered arm.

The worst of the thing is that dried apple pies will soon be on the bills of fare once more.

It is getting along about that time of the year when a man begins to think of getting his overcoat out of soak.

This is the season of the year when people in the Northern woods should go South if they don't want to be shot for deer.

The peek-a-boo attire that has reigned so long will soon be given up by all except those to whom it is a habitual apparel.

Not every man with a coat of tan has been away for a summer vacation. Some of them have had to run lawn mowers at home.

A man who knows a good fishing story can usually turn it to good advantage in the hunting season by simply changing the name of the fish to some sort of game.

GALATZIN ATTACKED.

Russian Governor General of Trans-Caucassia's Close Call.

IS STABBED THRICE.

As He Traveled in a Carriage a Trio of Desperadoes Sought His Life and Were Pursued by Cossacks and Slain.

Tiflis, Oct. 29.—Prince Galatzin, governor general of Caucasia, had a narrow escape from assassination Wednesday on the outskirts of this city. Three natives stabbed the governor general thrice. They fled, but were subsequently shot down by Cossacks.

Prince Galatzin was driving with his wife when the would-be assassins rushed upon his carriage, daggers in hand. Two seized the governor general and attempted to drag him from the vehicle, while the third man inflicted the ugly wounds on the prince's head, and the third cut him on the hand. A Cossack who was in attendance upon the prince threw himself upon the assailants. While the hand-to-hand fight was in progress the carriage was driven at a gallop. Ultimately the assailants fled, followed by a mounted guard of Cossacks, who hurried to the scene. The Cossacks chased the fugitives through the brush, firing constantly with rifles. They killed one man instantly. The other two were shot and died soon afterward.

After his injuries had been dressed Prince Galatzin attended a reception given by citizens of Tiflis.

The outrage produced great indignation, the governor general having become popular on account of his interest in the welfare of the inhabitants. Owing to the excitement performances at the theaters were suspended. There is little doubt that the thickness of the cap worn by the prince saved his life.

Dispatches from Trans-Caucasia within the past month show considerable unrest at Tiflis owing to the transfer of Armenian church property to the Russian government under a decree of June 25. Demonstrations have been reported at various points, in which quite a number of lives were lost.

MRS. WOOLDRIDGE GONE.

Wife of a Prominent Banker Departs This Life at Austin.

Austin, Oct. 29.—Mrs. A. P. Wooldridge, the wife of a prominent banker here, and president of the girls' industrial school, is dead. She leaves a family of seven.

Superintendent Taft of the Wells-Fargo Express company has filed with the railroad commission a complete list of the company's stockholders. The list shows 2200 persons owning stock aggregating $8,000,000. This was done in accordance with the order issued by the railroad commission.

The Mallet Cattle company of Fort Worth, capital stock $1,000,000, all Texas capital, has filed its charter.

Estimate Reduced.

Austin, Oct. 29.—The department of agriculture has reduced its Texas cotton crop estimate from $3,000,000 to 2,500,000 bales.

DIES LIKE WIFE.

Aged Dallasite Found Dead Seated in a Chair Holding a Cane.

Dallas, Oct. 29.—B. F. Hagler, seventy-seven years old, for fourteen years night watchman at a local lumber yard, was found dead Wednesday morning. He was sitting up in a chair in the office, a cane in both hands. About ten days ago the dead body of Mrs. Hagler was found in bed by her husband on his return from his night's duties.

TWENTY-FOUR STATES.

That Number Are Represented at the Levee Convention.

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—Tulane hall was again crowded Wednesday when the second day's session of the levee convention was called to order by President Scott. Secretary Brandt, in summing up the delegate situation, said 167 cities and incorporated municipalities of twenty-four states are represented in the convention. Of the eastern states, Massachusetts and New York are represented, Lynn sending a good sized delegation. There are three delegates from New York City, four from Philadelphia and others from Pittsburg, California, Washington, Maryland and District of Columbia. Illinois and Indiana have very large delegations. All states along the river have delegates. Chairman Catchings called his resolutions committee together, and it is expected that a strong draft, embodying the appeal of the convention to the federal government will be ready for presentation soon.

President Scott introduced R. P. Taylor, a member of the Mississippi river commission, as first speaker. Judge Taylor spoke on development of the levee system.

Four Hundred Out.

St. Louis, Oct. 29.—Drivers of all St. Louis express companies, to the number of 400, went out on strike because demands of Pacific Express company's employes for a wage increase of 10 per cent have not been granted.

Cities to Consolidate.

Whatcom, Wash., Oct. 29.—The cities of Whatcom and Fairhaven have voted to consolidate under the name of Bellingham, after Bellingham bay, on which both are situated.

Failed to Convict Diltz.

Taloga, Okla., Oct. 29.—The jury in the case of Dave Diltz, charged with the murder of James Estee in Dewey county several months ago, failed to convict.

SHOT FOUR TIMES.

President of Armenian Society at London Killed in His Doorway.

London, Oct. 28.—Sagatel Sagouni, president of the Armenian Revolutionary society in London, was murdered in the suburbs of Nunhead. The crime created a sensation, as it had every appearance of being of a political character and had been preceded by the assassination of other officials of branches of the same society on the continent. Sagouni, who had just returned to London after settling up the affairs of an associate in Switzerland who was recently assassinated by stabbing, was entering his residence when a man rushed across the road and fired four shots at Sagouni in quick succession, the last bullet entering the region of his heart. The murderer, who appeared to be a foreigner, fled. The only clews of the man in possession of authorities are a felt hat and a silver-plated revolver, both made in New York, which he dropped in his flight. The murdered man, who was a mining engineer, became wealthy in Caucasus and devoted his money to the Armenian cause. His society is entirely passive and opposed to violence, and it is thought this attitude inspired the advanced section of Armenians with a desire for vengeance, the latter claiming that Sagouni's society devoted funds to charity which would have been better applied to violent remedies for Armenians' grievances.

Sagouni is said to have moved to England from New York early in 1902.

It is stated Sagouni's life had been threatened on account of his participation in the exposure by the editor of the Boston newspaper, Young Armenia, after alleged misappropriation of funds, by a faction of the Armenian revolutionists. These men are alleged to have collected $20,000 in America in 1902 and put the money in their pockets instead of pushing the propaganda for emancipation of Armenians, for which the money was subscribed.

FRISCOS SEVENTH REPORT.

Will Be Submitted at the Annual Meeting Soon to Be Held.

St. Louis, Oct. 28.—The seventh annual report of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad company for the year ending June 30 will be submitted by President B. F. Yoakum at the annual meeting of stockholders, to be held here on Nov. 9. The report as prepared shows the average mileage for 1903 to be 3675, as compared with 3252 in 1902; gross earnings, $24,289,510, increase of $2,668,627 over 1902; operating expenses, $15,875,976, an increase of $2,403,506. Total net income amounts to $9,156,837, surplus applicable to dividends, $1,474,717.

STEAMERS STALLED.

They Are Exposed to the Perils of Yukon Frost and Ice.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 28.—A special from Dawson says that steamers and cargoes valued at more than $2,000,000 remain exposed to the perils of the Yukon ice and frost, with little prospect of being taken to places of safety for the winter. Some of the steamers have full cargoes of perishable provisions, and these are certain to be ruined. The cold storage steamer Kerr, with $150,000 worth of refrigerated meats, is stalled below Eagle and will not get through this year.

The gold output of the Klondike for the season is now figured at $10,400,000.

USING DYNAMITE.

Strikers in Spain Destroying Much Property by This Means.

Bilboa, Spain, Oct. 28.—Striking miners destroyed with dynamite a railroad roundhouse and electric light and telephone plants. The strike, which has now spread to all mines in the district, causes great anxiety, as all employers persist in refusing to consider demands for weekly payment of wages until the men resume work. Socialists are said to be taking a prominent part in the agitation.

Could Not Agree.

Pittsburg, Oct. 28.—After being out all night the jury in suit against Mayor Hayes disagreed and was discharged. The charge against the mayor is a misdemeanor in the removal of Samuel Moore, a civil war veteran, from employment of the city without just cause.

One Killed, Two Wounded.

Pittsburg, Oct. 28.—In an explosion in the Green Tree tunnel of the Wabash railroad William Lee was killed, Harry Gordon fatally hurt and Harry Payne badly cut. The latter will recover.

MINOR MATTERS.

Galveston longshoremen resumed work.

J. M. Maddox and wife of Alva, Okla., have celebrated their golden wedding.

Receipts from interest on land sales received at Austin Monday were $59,282.

Felix Ortiz of Corpus Christi, Tex., was shot twice and dangerously wounded.

J. P. Green was shot in the abdomen at Beaumont. J. M. Garner was arrested.

Ninety per cent of the taxes of Comanche county, Oklahoma, for 1903 have been paid.

Supreme Treasurer W. M. Baright of the Order of Royal Achates died at Cuero, Tex.

The man burned to death in the oil mill fire at Paris, Tex., was a cotton picker named Williams.

While handling a wood working machine Fire Chief Bonte of Austin parted company with three fingers.

The L S Cattle company shipped from Tascosa, Tex., to Kansas City eighteen cars of cows, bulls and steers.

Including the index, the journal of the last Texas house of representatives, just printed, contains 1357 pages.

Richard Daniels, fourteen years old, was accidentally shot at Cuero, Okla., by a Winchester in the hands of a companion and died.

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Now is the time to buy if you want choice selections. We have received this week a large shipment of Outings, Flannelettes, Canton Flannels that we bought to sell at an advance of the prices quoted here. Being short of stock room we place these goods on sale at a very attractive price.

28-inch Flannelette, all new Fancy patterns for Dressing Sacques and Kimonos; extra special per yard.....

27-inch Outing Flannel in plaids, checks and stripes. Specially good for night gowns; extra special per yard.....

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Women's Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, fleece lined in gray and cream, nicely finished; extra special.....

Women's Jersey Ribbed Pants and Vests, good fall weight fleece lined in pink and blue, extra special per garment.....

Men's Fleece lined shirts and drawers, winter weight, regular 50c sellers; extra special per garment.....

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Eccentric French Millionaire Left Money for Giants' Dowry.

M. de Saint Ouen de Pierrecourt, an eccentric French millionaire, died a short time ago and left the greater part of his fortune to his native city of Rouen, stipulating that the municipality was to found an annual prize of $20,000 as a dowry for a giant and a giantess in order to regenerate the human race. An amicable arrangement has now been made between the heirs and the city of Rouen. The family attacked the will on the ground that the "giant clause" was impossible of execution. By the arrangement now made the city of Rouen will pay the heirs $600,000, while out of the residue it undertakes to found an undertaking, "inspired by the idea of protecting, preserving and improving the human race, but which shall not cost more than $160,000." The details of this undertaking have not yet been divulged.

Naturalization.

But 8.3 per cent of the 1,330,697 German-born males in the United States have failed to become naturalized, while 13 per cent of the English, 35 per cent of the Russians, 53 per cent of the Italians and 80 per cent of the Japanese are still aliens.

Public Nursing Service.

Visiting nurses for patients suffering with contagious diseases are the latest and one of the most important branches of work taken up by the New York Board of Health in its public nursing service.

Damage Shark.

A contortionist has been swindling the street car lines in New York city and Philadelphia by allowing himself to be struck by trolley cars and then obtaining damages for the "accident."

Expenses of Banks.

The operating expenses of a bank with a capital of $100,000 is 2.34 per cent of the loans and discounts, but the operating expenses are only 1.33 per cent if the bank has a capital of 1,000,000 or more.

No Longer Baptize Ships.

Owing to the protest by church organizations in Germany against the use of the word "baptism" in naming ships the naval department has ordered that it shall no longer be used.

Craze for Walking.

Paris has the walking craze. In a recent race around the fortifications, a distance of thirty-eight kilometers, or about twenty-four miles, there were 560 competitors.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Farm hands in Norway receive $60 a year.

The typewriter is more largely used in Mexico than in France.

The United States imports tropical and semi-tropical fruits to the value of a day.

In Sweden bricks are laid in cold weather by heating the sand for the mortar.

Morgan and the Standard Oil interests control not less than $400,000,000 of the $451,000,000 of the railroad capital invested in the city of New York.

The American investment in various and educational institutions in Turkey is $6,500,000, and more than $20,000,000 has been spent in that work covering nearly a century.

The operating expense of a railroad with a capital of $100,000 is 1.5 per cent of the loans and discounts, but the operating expenses are only .75 per cent if the bank have a capital of $1,000,000 or more.

At the international congress on wireless telegraphy, which recently met in Berlin, the term radiotelegraphy was used for messages sent by the new method. The term has the advantage of being descriptive.

Just previous to the civil war a bushel of corn represented the labor of four and one-half hours and a day's labor at a cost of 25½ cents, while to-day forty-one minutes of labor will produce the same amount for the cost of half cents.

Dave Took a Bath.

David Daub of Burgoon was in town or at Cedar Point Sunday, and indulged in his annual bath. It is reported that, owing to his personal appearance, one dusky damsel refused to tie up to him, thinking he was a life buoy.—Fremont News.

Queer Names of English Streets.

Among the queer names of streets in England are the following: Inside in London, Boothan in York, Botchergate in Carlisle, Dog Kennel, Schrewsbury, Dogleap Stairs in Reading Chare in Newcastle.

Heat in Electric Light.

It is usually imagined that the incandescent electric light produces very little heat. As a matter of fact only 6 per cent of its energy is used to make light, while 94 per cent is

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FRESH MEATS.

	per lb.
s, heads on, 75 to 100 lbs, leaf	9
s 100 to 150 lbs, heads off, leaf	9
	13½
	11
	11
kin on	8½
skin off	9
derloins	15
es	4
	5
	3½
e	4½
Cleaned	3
ns	5
gs	4
ks, each	5
Lard	9
Backs	8½
mmings	9
s, cleaned, tonsues out	4½
, cleaned, tongue in	6

Dressed Beef.

Heifers	6 to 7
	5 to 5½

quarters 2c over carcasses.
quarters 1c under carcasses.

rs, each	20
rts, per pound	2
ues, per pound	10
ns, per pound	8
per doz	30
nds, per pound	30
ips, uncooked, per pound	2½
ips, per pound	8
rs, each	15

Mutton and Veal.

	per lb
Sheep	8
Lambs	10
Veal, skin on	6½

Sausage.

	per lb
rk, link	8½
, large, round or straight	7
ts	9
sage	7½
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age	9½
Sausage	11½
and Cooked Ham	10½
	13½

LARD.

Prices averaging about 340 pounds.

Label Pure Leaf Lard	6
Lard Compound	6½

Advances for smaller packages as follows: (In tin pails.)

Cans, 20 to case	1c over tierce
5-pound pails, 12 to case	½c over tierce
10-pound pails, 6 to case	½c over tierce
20-pound pails, 4 to case	½c over tierce
50-pound pails, 1 or 2 to case	½c over tierce

PROVISIONS.

Smoked Meats.

Canvassed—Sugar Cured—Sacked.	per lb
Helmet Hams, 12-lb average	13
Helmet Hams, 14-lb average	13
Helmet Hams, 16-lb average	12
Helmet Hams, 18 to 20-lb average	12
Helmet Skinned or Block Hams	13
Armour Picnic or California Hams	8½
Shoulders N. Y. Cut	9
Helmet Breakfast Bacon, 8 to 10 av., wide	15½
Helmet Breakfast Bacon, 10 to 12 av., wide	15½
Helmet Breakfast Bacon, narrow	15½
Banquet Breakfast Bacon, 12 to 14 av., wide	15½
Banquet Breakfast Bacon, 6 to 7 av., narrow	
Dried Beef Hams, sets	12½
Dried Beef Insides	14
Dried Beef Knuckles	13
Dried Beef Outsides	11½

Armour's Special Cure.

Star Hams, 10 to 12 average	14½
Star Hams, 14-lb average	14
Star Hams, 16-lb average	14
Star Hams, Skinned for slicing	15½
Star Breakfast Bacon	21½
Star Dried Beef	15
Star Smoked Beef Tongues	17
Melrose Breakfast Bacon, fancy wrapped	16
Climax Breakfast Bacon, English cure	15½

Smoked Meats.

Dry Salt Cured—Sacked.	per lb
Bacon, Extra Short Clears	8½
Bacon, Short Clears	9
Bacon, Clear Bellies, 12 to 14 average	10½
Bacon, Clear Bellies, 14 to 16 average	10½
Bacon, Clear Bellies, 18 to 20 average	10½
English Bacon Bellies, square cut	none
Bacon Shoulders	8½
Bacon Fat Backs	none
Bacon Loin Backs	none
Bacon Plates	8

Dry Salt Meats.

Sacked	per lb
Dry Salt, Extra Short Clears	8½
Dry Salt, Short Clears	8½
Dry Salt, Clear Bellies, 12 to 14 avg.	9½
Dry Salt, Clear Bellies, 14 to 16 avg.	9½
Dry Salt, Clear Bellies, 18 to 20 avg.	9½
Dry Salt, Clear Bellies, 20 to 25 avg.	9½
Dry Salt, English Bellies, square cut	none
Dry Salt Shoulders	7½
Dry Salt Fat Backs	none
Dry Salt Loin Backs	none
Dry Salt Plates	7½

DISORDERLY SOLDIERS

Denison Was in Possession of Numbers of Militiamen.

OFFICERS HELPLSSS.

Hats Snatched Off Heads of Citizens, Stores Looted, Pistols Discharged, Little Negro Girl Stunned and Other Disorder.

Denison, Oct. 29.—The twelve companies of Texas soldiers who attended the Fort Riley maneuvers arrived in Texas Wednesday. There were about 600 here. Many of the privates fired off their pistols. They left the cars and went up Main street. In a few minutes all the saloons within two blocks of the depot were crowded, and barkeepers could not wait on them fast enough. They took complete possession of lower Main street, snatched hats off citizens' heads and in other ways insulted them. A fruit stand was demolished and apples, oranges, etc., taken. Other stores were looted. Hundreds of pistols were displayed in and about the depot and several boxes of blank cartridges were exploded under the moving car wheels.

The city and county officers were absolutely powerless to cope with the mob. They laughed at threats of arrest. The regimental officers did everything possible to avoid trouble between their soldiers and the peace officers, but could do nothing to put a stop to the conduct.

Fruits and newspapers and books were taken from the depot news stand, and it was absolutely necessary to place an armed guard about the news stand and the union depot lunch counter to keep the soldiers from demolishing the place.

They laughed at threats of arrest. Leaving town one of them struck a little negro girl with a lump of coal, rendering her unconscious for over an hour.

The third section, composed of Houston, Waco and Austin companies, entered Texas via the Rock Island, and were not here.

STOPPED BUSINESS.

Strike of Express Wagon Drivers Resulted In a Standstill.

St. Louis, Oct. 29.—The unusual action of union express wagon drivers in the employ of the various local express companies who inaugurated a strike Wednesday with a view to forcing a settlement from the Pacific Express company with its striking employes caused practically a suspension of business ordinarily handled by the companies effected in St. Louis.

The first intimation the local express companies had of the steps contemplated by their employers was on Tuesday evening, when each of them received notice from committees representing employes.

Hurried conferences were held on Tuesday by the local agents and their employes, and it is stated by the former that the latter broke faith with them after giving their word that they would not participate in a sympathetic strike. The companies affected are the Adams, National, American, Wells-Fargo and Pacific.

FORCED TO LEAVE.

Twenty-Five Men Compelled Express Messenger to Get Out of Car.

Little Rock, Oct. 29.—A special to the Arkansas Gazette from Paragould, Ark., says: Cardwell, Mo., twelve miles east of Paragould, on the Paragould Southern railroad, was the scene of a sensational burglary Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock. Three men entered the postoffice buildnig, dynamited the safe and took therefrom $30 in money and $400 in stamps. The safe blowers spiked the telegraph instruments in the depot, captured a handcar and made their escape into Arkansas. Inspector Dice of St. Louis has offered a reward of $200 for each of the men.

Only One Operating.

Longview, Tex., Oct. 29.—All express matter on hand at the Pacific Express office has been turned over to the Wells-Fargo and the Pacific office formally closed at this place. This leaves only one express company operating into Longview, which reaches here over the Texas, Sabine Valley and Northwestern railway, and is doing a rushing business now.

Refuse to Handle Matter.

Shreveport, La., Oct. 29.—Baggagemen here refuse to handle Pacific Express company matter. They are acting under orders from President Morrissey of the Botherhood of Railway Trainmen.

BOLD BURGLARS.

Dynamited Postoffice Safe and Secured Both Cash and Stamps.

Little Rock, Oct. 29.—A special to the Arkansas Gazette from Fort Smith says: Charles Willard of this city engaged to run as messenger between here and Greenwood, on the Missouri Pacific. On reaching Jerry Lind, Ark., the train was laid out for a time, and during the wait three men demanded that Willard leave the express car. He declined, and backed his declination with a revolver. The men killed, and returned in a short time with reinforcements of twenty-two men and compelled Willard to abandon the car. He walked back to Fort Smith and resigned his position.

Husband Arrested.

Guthrie, Okla., Oct. 29.—The dead body of Mrs. J. W. Puthuff, who lived three miles south of Noble, Okla., was found in bed. The doctors announced her death due to poisoning. Her husband has been arrested.

NO MONEY DRAWN.

Trust Companies Will Take Advantage of Legal Stipulated Rights.

St. Louis, Oct. 29.—Just before the hour of opening Wednesday lines of depositors were stretched away from the closed doors of the Mississippi Valley Trust company, Lincoln Trust company, Mercantile Trust company and the Missouri Trust company. Small crowds assembled before the doors of some other savings institutions. It was observed that most of those in line were working people, and many of them women, whose savings are not heavy. Owing to the action by officials of the eight trust companies doing business in St. Louis to enforce thirty to sixty days' notices of intention to withdraw funds, depositors were not able to get any money. All they could do was to declare their intention of withdrawing their deposits at the end of the time taken advantage of by the companies under their rules. Trust companies also decided not to pay certificates of deposit before maturity.

The greatest crush was before the doors of the Mercantile Trust company, at Eighth and Locust streets. At 9 o'clock the doors opened and the crowd surged in with force. It swept aside the lines of police. Bank employes formed to preserve a regular line to the windows of paying tellers of time accounts. The policemen were unable to handle the crowds, and Festus J. Wade, president of the company, mounted a chair and announced that unless depositors formed into line they would be ejected from the building. He said it was impossible to wait upon them if they insisted on crowding in such a manner. This announcement had the desired effect and some semblance of order was restored.

When the doors of the Mercantile Trust company opened the street was packed, while the street to the west and Eighth street, both to north and south, were comparatively clear. Half an hour later both streets were crowded.

CASE REVERSED.

Orville Burnett Will Have Another Trial on Charge of Murder.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 29.—In the case of Orville Burnett, the Chicago dentist, who was convicted of murdering Charlotte S. Nichols, and sentenced to fifteen years in Joliet penitentiary, judgment of the trial court has been reversed by the supreme court and a new trial ordered. Burnett and Mrs. Nichols of Nashville, Tenn., a woman who had been separated from her husband, were together in a Chicago hotel on the night of Oct. 20, 1901. Mrs. Nichols was down-hearted and she and Burnett agreed to commit suicide. They purchased poison and after retiring, the woman swallowed a sufficient quantity to cause her death.

LANDRITH SECRETARY.

Former Texan Honored With a High Position by His Church.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Prof. Ira Landrith of Nashville, Tenn., editor of the Cumberland Presbyterian, has accepted the general secretaryship of the Religious Educational association and enters upon his duties Nov. 1. He was born in Texas in 1865 and received a collegiate and theological training at Lebanon, Tenn. Prof. Landrith is one of the leading men in Cumberland Presbyterian church and has been prominent in Young Men's Christian Association affairs. He also has been chairman of the Citizens' committee of one hundred on municipal reform in Nashville. His appointment as general secretary means he will be chief active officer of the Religious Educational association.

SHOE NAILS MELTED.

Thirty-Three Thousand Volts Went Through Body of a Man.

Pocatello, Idaho, Oct. 29.—William Millenberg, an electrician employed by a local light and power company, has received a shock from a wire charged with 33,000 volts of electricity, and physicians say he probably will recover. While attending to his regular duties in the power house Millenberg accidentally touched a heavily charged wire. His body was badly burned by the current, which was so powerful that the nails in his shoes were melted.

STEAMERS AT SEATTLE.

Had Twelve Hundred Passengers and Considerable Treasure.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 29.—Three Nome steamers—the Senator, Roanoke and Ohio—reached Seattle Wednesday morning. They brought 1200 passengers and over $500,000 in treasure. They left St. Michaels Oct. 18, the bay at that time being ful of floating ice.

THEATER BURNS.

Noted Philadelphia Place of Amusement Destroyed by the Flames.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29.—Fire destroyed the Girard Avenue theater early Wednesday morning. Loss is estimated at $100,000. The Girard was for many years the home of a stock company, but this season was thrown open to road companies.

Three Reported Killed.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 29.—Engineer T. J. Pettus and two colored firemen are reported killed in an accident on the Southern railroad near Bessemer City, N. C. The wreck is said to have been caused by a double header freight train standing on the track which a section gang was repairing.

Meet First at Darmstadt.

Berlin, Oct. 29.—According to present arangements Emperor William and the czar meet first at Darmstadt, the former traveling thither to meet his brother monarch. The czar afterwards returns the visit at Wiesbaden.

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Three new styles are conspicuous in this fall's and winter's gathering of Ladies' Hats—the Picture Hat, with a profusion of ostrich feathers, the tailor-made Turban, and the Steeple Crown Hat. These last two trimmed in such a variety of 'etching styles that description is impossible. All these styles are notably represented in our millinery department. Every style is picturesque but sensible—nothing gaudy or faddish about them. Furthermore, it is a splendid demonstration of this store's policy to offer millinery which is in every way superior, at such moderate prices.

NOTE—We receive new hats almost daily, and if you have failed of a selection, we suggest that you try again, perhaps just the shape you want is here.

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A 10-4 Blanket, guaranteed strictly all wool, both warp and filling, in red and black plaid, only, special, pair $3 69

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Regulate German Saloons.

German government will introthe Reichstag a bill requiring keepers to sell non-intoxicating cold drinks and cold foods ill be forbidden and the numbarmaids limited.

Education in Italy.

northern provinces of Italy racy is not so great as in the from which nearly all the nts come. In Piedmont the is less than in Pennsylvania.

anced Farm Machinery.

absence of horses both a plow wer were used tied behind his le by Mr. Raser, an Ohio The machine was geared too ve the best results.

Wages in Colombia.

In Colombia railroad section men get 50 cents a day, common laborers 30 cents, street car men 60 cents and dairy hands 40 cents. The highest wage is $1 a day paid steamer engineers.

Established Church Loses.

The number of persons who attend the services of the established church in London is steadily slacking and is now little greater than the number attending the non-conformist churches.

Cost of Wheat Labor.

The amount of human labor now required to produce a bushel of wheat from beginning to end is on an average only ten minutes, and the cost of such labor is 3½ cents.

Starts Model Dairy.

Mrs. Belmont, the New York society leader, has started a model dairy at Hempstead, Long Island, from which she will send products all over the country, having gone into the business on a large scale. All the latest sanitary devices will be employed.

Manufacture of Clay Pipes.

Five-sixths of the clay pipes so much used by smokers are made at Mogadore, O. The industry began 25 years ago on a small scale. Now the plant is the largest in the world. It is not an unusual thing for a boy to make 16,000 in one day.

Saves Money for Farmers.

It has been estimated by an expert in the employment of the government that agricultural machinery reduces the number of men employed to do a given amount to one-third, while manufacturing machinery reduces the number to one-fifth.

College Y. M. C. A.

There are now 717 college Young Man's Christian associations, equaling in number the city associations. These have enlisted 1,000 new men for foreign missionaries in the last year.

Invasion of Grasshoppers.

A curious day's happening at Hutchinson, Kas., was an invasion of thousands of grasshoppers. The following morning they had disappeared, where, none knew or cared.

Postcard Returns.

A postcard sent from Berlin to Turin on June 7, 1877, has just come back stamped "Address not known." The writer has been dead twenty-four years.

Russia Plans Big Warships.

Russia is now to build six battleships which will be larger than any heretofore constructed and will have a much greater radius of action.

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GOING IN FOR POULTRY.

Arlington Journal: John A. Boyd is perhaps the most enthusiastic man in Arlington. For some time he has been experimenting with incubators and poultry, and last week he went up to Fort Worth and bought one of the best arranged and most thoroughly equipped chicken ranches in the state. The place consists of 40 acres on the White Settlement pike just outside the city limits. Besides the poultry department there is a fine orchard, hog pastures, fish pond, water and sewerage system, and various other valuable appurtenances. In the poultry department there are several breeds of fine chickens, Toulouse geese, Pekin ducks, pigeons, incubators, brooders, and everything necessary to a first-class poultry yard. The colonel hopes to get onto his farm by the 1st of January.

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Two Recent "Creations Illustrated—Style of Coats That Are to Be Worn—Novelty in Sofa Pillows—Chintz Draperies.

Coats as They Are to Be.

New shapes and new and delightful materials in the form of silk chinchilla of a light tender gray and silk beaver of a darker gray tone have been evolved for this season's wear. Anything softer or prettier it would be difficult to imagine. Three-quarter coats are lined with gray brocade, have wide hanging sleeves and are intended for motoring and for general wear.

Other coats in serge double-breasted are very smart and trim. A Scotch cheviot reversible and semi-fitting is made with a black strap and strapped seams. The Fife coat, as it is called, is one of the novelties of the year. Some of the coats are single-breasted, some double, and there are long waterproof coats semi-fitting which are simply delightful.

They are introducing upon them the twentieth century buttons in hammered copper and unburnished silver and also in the beautiful enamels which are so successfully reproduced by amateurs.

Broiled Deviled Chicken Fillets.

Have some nice fillets of chicken and make a preparation for deviling them in this way: Two gills of sherry wine, a saltspoon of mustard, same of white pepper, a pinch of salt and a tablespoon of table sauce. Let them stay in this mixture half an hour or longer, then dip in melted butter and broil over a brisk fire till brown and tender. If liked, the chicken can be put on toast, and the mixture in which it was deviled may be heated and poured over the toast, having a good bit of butter added to it.

Rub out ink stain with milk.

Iodine stains will disappear if dipped in liquid ammonia.

Rinse the mouth with soda water to prevent decay between the teeth.

To clean lamp tops boil a few minutes in soda and water. Then the light will burn steady.

To clean zinc wash thoroughly with hot soda water, and then rub it with a flannel, dipped in turpentine.

If soot falls on the carpet cover it thickly with salt. It may then be brushed up without fear of doing damage.

Don't be afraid to use hot suds for blueberry stains, they boil out. Pour clear boiling water on peach, cherry, tea and coffee stains.

To rub off paint spots from window glass dip a penny or other coin in water and then, with its edge, scrape off the paint from the glass. It is easily done.

Empire Coat.

Empire coat—for smart walking wear. The short bodice is double-breasted, turned back with a double, slightly fluted collar. The skirt portion is cut to set perfectly on the bodice and hangs in graceful folds in the back. It is a pretty model for Liberty satin for theater wear.

Chintz Draperies.

Among the season's equipments for country homes the English chintz as a room upholstery is in more favor than ever. In popular patterns pink is the color most favored. The designs show carnations in bunches on a rich cream white background, roses with their long stems and green leaves, pretty bouquets of wild flowers dotted here and there in narrow and broad stripes and rich pink peonies of brilliant colorings, which form set figures for draperies and hangings.

Ham and Eggs.

To make a dish of ham and eggs as good as possible, cut the ham nearly half an inch thick, boil it in plenty of water till barely cooked through, pour off the water and put the pan in a place just hot enough to brown the fat part of the ham slightly, but not hot enough to make smoke, or to brown the lean meat much. When this is finished, remove the frying pan from the fire, take up the ham, pour off the fat into a cup, and wipe the pan till it shines like a mirror, without a single speck to mar the polish. Then put in a spoonful of the clear part of the fat, break in the eggs and set the pan in a place scarcely hotter than boiling water; cover it and let the eggs cook as slowly as possible for four or five minutes, taking them up as soon as they can be lifted out. Place them around the ham, and do not pour any of the fat on the dish. Eat with mashed potatoes.

White Cloth With Chantilly Lace.

Gown of white cloth with Chantilly lace on sleeves and cravat. It has a wide girdle of black moire with a pearl buckle.

Tulle in Table Decoration.

The women of Canada have a unique way of decorating their lunch and dinner tables. Around the centerpiece of flowers or ferns they fluff a lot of tulle. They use pink, green, yellow or white to match the flowers, but usually white for dinner or for a bridal feast. The tulle is pulled out its full width, then crushed at intervals, upon which flowers are nestled. Sometimes a bit of soft-colored silk is laid underneath the tulle to intensify the color scheme. Upon one occasion American beauty roses formed the central decoration, while underneath pale pink tulle was scattered silk tissue roses and in the center of each rose was a tiny incandescent light. Lilies of the valley and green ferns formed the end pieces, as it was an oblong table, and roses and lilies of the valley were at each cover, the roses for the ladies and the lilies for boutonnieres.

The blues and prune shades so well received this summer promise to keep their place in the autumn suitings.

Ruchings are fairly ubiquitous on the sheer summer frocks, and by their aid one of the charming thin materials may be made up with practically no other trimming and at slight expense.

Pinked ruches and pinked flounces are another step toward our grandmothers' day.

Pepper red is a new Parisian shade. While not generally becoming, it is effective and modish.

Jet fringes, jet collars and jetted trimmings of all sorts have increasing prestige, but chiefly in connection with sheer fabrics.

Bright red satin-finish rain coats and waterproof red silk parasols with club handles are swell, and yet practical for coaching in dubious weather.

The cambric or batiste collar, elaborately hand-embroidered, is newer and more modish than the collar of lace, and such a collar will give distinction to the simplest tub frock.

Novel Sofa Pillows.

There promises to be a revolution in sofa pillows, brought about by a new process in photography. There has been put upon the market a sensitized cloth upon which negatives may be printed in sepia so indelibly that soap and water and a hot iron will not injure them. Kodak, as well as larger prints, can be cat stitched down on denim or coarse linen. The pictures are printed for detail rather than for depth. This will make them peculiarly appropriate for the souvenir pillows of summer girls.

The odor of onions may be removed from the hands by rubbing them with celery.

Any green vegetable, like spinach, Brussels sprouts, cabbage or peas, retains its color much better if left uncovered during the cooking process.

Never use soda for washing china that has any gilding on it, for the soda will in time surely remove it all. Instead of soda use a little soap; that has no bad effect.

Brass pans should be cleaned before use. Rub them with salt and vinegar, then rinse thoroughly with water and dry, with a soft cloth. Thus you may be sure that the pans are free from verdigris, which is a strong poison.

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"When are you coming down?"

Pages, half dozen, of chat—
Weather and ocean and shore,
Gossip and folk and all that,
Function and frolic galore;
Numerous mentions of men—
Jones, in especial (the clown);
Praise of their dancing; and then:
"When are you coming down?"

That case I have got to prepare
For Moneybags, Golden et al—
'Twill take every day, I declare,
Till court opens up in the fall.
There's the Hennessey claim to be met—
And that abstract to write out for Brown!
'Tis nonsense to think of it—yet:
"When are you coming down?"

I'm tied for the summer (suppose
There's a train out this afternoon, late),
No use of my planning (one goes,
I remember, at 4:09).
I fell pretty fagged—I might wire—
By Jove, I need rest! Will she frown?
But how foolish in her to inquire:
"When are you coming down?"
—Edwin L. Sabin, in Puck.

Pauper Lunatics in Britain.

Steadily for the last ten years the number of certified pauper lunatics in the British Isles has been rising. Similarly suicide is increasing all over the country. Turn to the physical form and the tale is the same. Army recruits show worse teeth to the examining medical officers every year. It has just been found necessary to lower the standard of height, weight and chest measurement to a degree which is quite indefinite. With all modern athleticism there is still a definite tendency to increased insanity and to physical degeneration in Great Britain at the present day.

MONSTER TEXAS ORCHARD.

It is in Harrison County and Contains 5,000 Acres.

The Dallas News contains this reference to what is designed to be the biggest peach orchard in the world:

E. C. Bovee of Chicago, a director of the Standard Orchard company, which has a 5,000-acre peach orchard under way in Harrison county, near Marshall, was in the city yesterday after a visit to his orchard property. Mr. Bovee has recently been in Mexico, where he is interested in a sugar plantation owned by a Chicago syndicate. Mr. Bovee is very proud of the prospect on the Texas fruit farm.

"We will have 1,500 acres in Elbertas by March 1," said he. "The intention of the company is to place the entire 5,000 acres in peaches as rapidly as possible. There is no experiment about it. It is one of the propositions of which the only thing to be done is plant the orchard and care for it. The soil and climate does the rest. I am positive that there is no better peach orchard proposition in the country than in East Texas. The future of that section is to be found when the people there devote their attention to fruit, and especially to peaches.

"Besides we are making money on the land while preparing it for the trees and growing them. Next season we will plant 500 acres of watermelons and 300 acres of potatoes. Both are very profitable crops. The melons we sold last year in the North. They brought an average of $50 a car load. The profit was good. The potato crop is a sure thing and the market is always glad to handle them at a good price. We are the first to reach the market and that assures the price.

"In planting our peach trees we put about one hundred and sixty trees to the acre. They are set fourteen feet apart in the rows, which run north and south. The rows are eighteen feet apart. The orchard is intersected by streets twenty-five feet in width, the blocks being ten by fifty trees, making 500 trees to a block."

SAVED MONEY ON $12 MONTHLY.

The habit of saving is a good one, but it has its limits. Here is an example. Possibly the figures are wrong in saying that this man saved $5,200 in 32 years on a salary of $12 a month, for he could have earned only $4,608 at that rate. He may have had his money loaned at interest, which would have brought in a snug sum in 32 years. We print the story as we find it in a Chicago paper:

Patrick Mahaney, a farm hand, aged 56 years, worked 32 years on farms near Derby, Conn., and during that time saved $5,200, although he never received wages higher than $12 a month. He has taken his earnings and gone home to Ireland, where he expectes to live without working. He seldom spent a cent, and used neither tobacco nor liquor.

The only piece of extravagance it is said, he ever indulged in was this summer, when he drew $1 of his pay from Deputy Sheriff Benjamin Hubbell on April 1. In October, when Hubbell settled with him for the time he had been working, he had 23 cents of that dollar left. He had spent 77 cents in six months—an average of nearly 13 cents a month in riotous living.

No one is able to learn what he spent it for, although his friends say he had a weakness for lemon candy. He lived for thirty-two years about three miles from Derby, and came here to see his friends only once in five years. He always walked down, and said he would come oftener, but it used up too much sole leather. He got his board where he worked, and wore the old clothes of the man he worked for.

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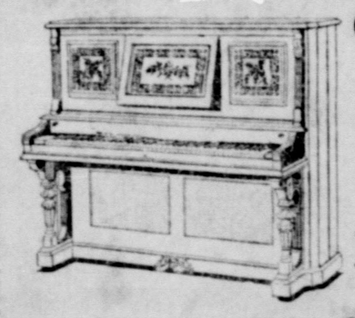

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less	6	8½
over 10	6½	9
over 15	7	9½
over 20	7½	10
over 25	8	10½
over 30	8½	11½
over 35	9	12
over 40	9½	12½
over 45	10	13
over 50	10½	13½
over 60	11	14¼
over 70	11½	15
over 80	12	15½
over 90	12½	16¼
over 100	13¾	17½
over 125	15	18¾
over 150	16¼	20
over 175	17½	21¼
over 200	18¾	22½
over 250	20	23¾
over 300	21¼	25
over 350	22½	26
over 400	23¾	27
over 450	25	28
over 500	26¼	29
over 550	27½	30
over 600	28¾	31
over 650	30	32
over 700	31¼	33
over 750	32½	34

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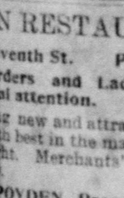

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ALLIANCE WITH UNIONS.

Startling Charges Made by a Prominent Firm at Brooklyn.

New York, Oct. 29.—In a statement to the public issued by the firm of William Bardley & Son, contracting stone cutters in Brooklyn, it is alleged that their employes, about 100 in number, have been ordered on strike at the instigation of an association employing stone cutters, which has formed an alliance with labor unions connected with the trade in Greater New York.

The firm charges specifically that members of the association regularly add 10 per cent to all bids for stone work, and after averaging bids the association's officers apportion the contracts; that this added 10 per cent amounts annually to about $600,000, which is divided with the unions, the latter receiving about $60,000, the balance going to the association.

The president of the corporation, E. F. Giberson, threatens an appeal to the courts if his men do not return to work.

In his statement Giberson alleges that the unions were taken into the plan in order to force all the employers to become members of the association and that the walking delegates agreed to harass employers who refused to sign.

The members of the association, he alleges, also receive a greater benefit than that included in the bonus. All bids, he says, are submitted to the association. The average bid is then taken as a basis for the lowest bid, and the others are revised before they are submitted to the architect or contractor who has invited the bids.

The association decides, according to the statement, who is to submit the average bid, in this way apportioning the work among its members. By this means, the lowest bid submitted becomes from 10 to 20 per cent higher than the work would cost the builder were it not for the association.

It is said some of the employers admit having agreed to add 10 per cent on all contracts in New York, but deny having made any arrangements for dividing with the unions.

TRIAL OF PARKS.

Walking Delegate Is Charged With Having Extorted Money.

New York, Oct. 29.—During the examination of talesmen in the case of Samuel Parks, the walking delegate, charged with extorting $500 from Louis Schmidt in connection with the Tiffany studios, Parks was in an ugly mood and cursed newspaper men sitting near by

SAMUEL J. PARKS.

who closely eyed him.

District Attorney Rand, in his preparatory remarks to the jury, said: "We are not here to antagonize the cause of labor unions or to voice the cause of the rights or wrongs of labor, nor rights or wrongs of capita. The term, walking delegate, is by no means a term of reproach, although some persons have brought it into disrepute. Parks is here charged with a crime, a statutory one, known as extortion."

Attorney Osborne, for the defense, made two formal motions to dismiss the indictment. Both were overruled.

DUE TO DRINK.

Hotel Owner Did Some Shooting and Is Probably Fatally Wounded.

Tucson, Ariz., Oct. 29.—Alexander Casey, a wealthy mine owner of Turquoise, Ariz., walked into the Willard hotel at Tucson, of which he is owner, and began to shoot in every direction. The guests escaped, for most part through the windows. The shooting attracted five policemen, who attempted to arrest Casey. He opened fire and seriously wounded Constable Pacheco. The other policemen then began to shoot and Casey was probably fatally wounded. He had been drinking heavily.

PATRICK'S APPEAL.

It Is Denied by the New York Court of Appeals at Albany.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 29.—The court of appeals handed down a decision denying the appeal of Albert T. Patrick in the matter of the probate of the will of William M. Rice, of whose murder he stands convicted. The court concurs in the judgment of the lower courts that the alleged will offered by Patrick is a forgery.

DENIAL OF MILES.

Has Bought No Texas Oil Lands and Not to Be a Citizen.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 29.—Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles denies the story that he made heavy investments in Texas oil fields and intended to make his home there.

Creamery Burned.

Garber, Okla., Oct. 29.—The creamery owned by H. M. Brandt burned to the ground. Total loss, $3000, with $2000 insurance. It will be rebuilt at once.

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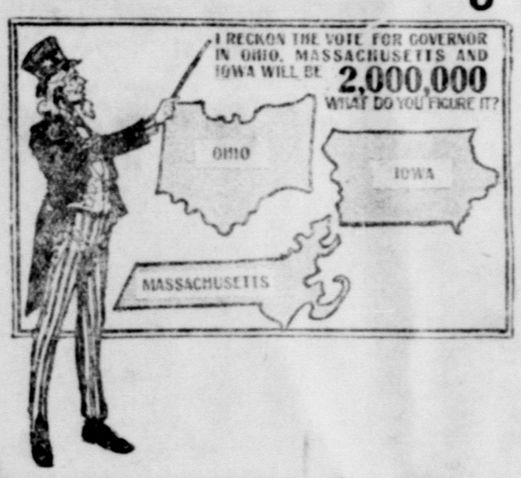

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The contest will close at midnight, Nov. 2, 1903, and no estimate received after that hour will be allowed. The official certificates of the Secretaries of the three States, showing the total vote for Governor, will determine who are entitled to the prizes, and the awards will be made by a disinterested committee of prominent judges, just as soon as the official figures can be obtained.

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To the next 12 nearest correct estimaters, $15.00 each	180.00
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In case of a tie or that two or more estimaters are equally correct, prizes will be divided equally between them.

VALUABLE INFORMATION.

To aid in forming your estimate we furnish the official figures showing the vote for Governor in each of these States for the past ten years as well as to give the total vote for the three States combined. The total vote for the three States is found in the right-hand column.

Year	Ohio.	Mass.	Iowa.	Total.
1891	795,620	321,650	420,212	1,537,491
1893	823,658	365,012	415,806	1,604,476
1895	837,466	328,121	401,345	1,566,932
1897	854,986	269,795	438,292	1,563,073
1899	908,150	299,166	433,351	1,640,676
1901	827,566	324,526	390,489	1,542,581

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GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

Country Produce.

PRICES TO SELLERS.

POULTRY—Hens, per dozen	$3.00
Roosters, per dozen	1.50
Fryers, per dozen	$2.50 to $3.00
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EGGS—Per dozen	18½c

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Alfalfa	10.00
BRAN—Per cwt.	.85
CORN CHOPS	1.10
CORN SHELLED—Per bushel	.50
OATS—Per bushel	.47
WHEAT—No 2	.80
No 3	.75

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CABBAGE—Per pound	2c
TURNIPS—Per pound	2c
POTATOES—Per bushel	90c
SWEET POTATOES—Per bushel	$1.00
TOMATOES—Per pound	4c
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CUCUMBERS—Per doz	25c

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Fancy German	1.15
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DWARF ESSEX RAPE—100 pounds	6.00
CANE—Early Amber	1.30
Orange	1.30
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Bacon Bellies	13½c
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50-pound cans	11½c
10-pound cans	12c
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SUGAR—Granulated, pound	6c
Cut loaf and powdered, pound	7c
Yellow	5c to 5½c
MOLASSES—Sorghum, gallon	40c
Reboiled molasses	55c
Table syrup, gallon	65c
Louisiana Ribbon Cane	60c

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SELLING PRICES.

COFFEE—Roasted, pound	12½c
RICE—Fancy, full grain	8½c
Choice	8c
Prime	6c
FLOUR—High Patent	$2.10
Fancy Patent	2.70
Third, or Straights	2.00
SALT—No. 1 fine, bbl	2.50

CITY AND COUNTY.

J. C. White, an old man who was struck by a street car in Glenwood Thursday night, died from the effect of his injuries.

J. M. White's saloon on the North Side was entered one night this week and $45 in money and some cigars and whisky were stolen.

Jake Back of Mansfield was represented on the hog market with 66 head, averaging 265 pounds, which sold to Armour & Co. and topped the market at $5.50.

The county commissioners' court has let the contract to a local contractor for additions and betterments on the Samuels avenue bridge across the Trinity river to cost $3,000.

T. B. White drove in from Blue Mound and sold on yesterday's late market 25 high grade Hereford heifers that averaged 776 pounds and sold at $2.40. They were strictly grass cows, never having had other feed.

Mark McLaughlin was in this week from the Haslet neighborhood. He says there are a good many coyotes around there, and they are making things uncomfortable for young live stock.

Frank J. Blass, aged 39 years, a journeyman plumber, was found dead in his bed at the Rosen Inn, in North Fort Worth Saturday morning. Justice Rowland held an inquest, and the verdict was that death was due to alcholism.

The Mallett Cattle company of Fort Worth has been incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000; purpose to raise, buy and sell stock. Incorporators, P. M. Devitt, S. H. Cowan and O. E. Flato, all of Fort Worth.

A. J. Heeht has filed in the Tarrant county district court a suit for $4,000 alleged damages against the Ringling Brothers' Circus. It is alleged that seats gave way at Friday night's performance and that the plaintiff received personal injuries.

An Interurban car struck a water wagon at the corner of Front and Boaz streets, Fort Worth, yesterday, and streets, Fort Worth, Friday, and killed one of the horses. The driver, Thomas Fuller, was thrown from his seat and pretty badly bruised.

W. S. Talbott accidentally shot and killed himself in San Angelo on Wednesday. He was a son of the late Col. Talbott of Fort Worth, and lived in that city a good part of his time. He was in the employ of the Flato Live Stock Commission Co., and was employed at these yards at the time.

It is the opinion of Knox Anderson, who has charge of the poll tax department of the Tarrant county tax collector's office, that the county will cut out the [illegible] according to present [illegible] Even eight to ten country poll taxes are paid to one city poll.

Monday Justice Terrell held an inquest [illegible] Her name was Lou Graves. She was years old and died at her home on New Orleans avenue, North Fort Worth. The cause assigned for death was heart trouble.

[illegible] who was convicted in Fort Worth of the murder of his wife by giving her poison. The jury assessed his punishment at confinement in the penitentiary for life. The jury was composed of Thomas Rumfield, W. B. Reed, B. L. Arthur, W. W. Gaskill, J. W. Kee, S. T. Arthur, W. R. Francis, J. M. Page, A. M. McElwee, L. T. Hilburn and Jake Huiser.

Jno. T. Marchand, attorney for the Interstate Commerce commission, was in Fort Worth this week from the North. He came here to look into certain matters in connection with the grain investigation had by the commission some time since. An expert accountant was recently employed to look into certain matters for the commission, and he has been at work here for some days.

Last Tuesday night Roy Routt was badly injured by the explosion of an oil tank belonging to the Traction company at Handley. A tank car standing on the fuel track was being emptied into the large storage tanks, and Routt, one of the firemen, took a lantern and went to the car to see if it was not about empty. He had looked into the car and was in the act of turning away, when the gas which had accumulated in the tank exploded, hurling him several feet in the air.

J. M. Coggins of Newark called at The Citizen office Tuesday and extended his subscription a year. He said The Citizen is the home paper of the people in his precinct. Speaking of crop conditions, he said cotton was about all gathered and brought a good price, and farmers in his neighborhood were in good shape. He is proud of the reputation that Newark has as the home of the champion prize winning Duroc-Jerseys of this state. He also stated that hog raising for the Fort Worth market is now a feature among the farmers.

Governor John Sparks of Nevada, who is a native of Texas, passed through Fort Worth a few days ago en route to Kansas City to attend the Royal Live Stock Show. While in Kansas City he arranged to have twenty-four possums shipped to his home in Reno, Nev. Some of them will be served on the dinner table at the Executive Mansion during the coming winter and others will be used by Governor Sparks to stock a "possum ranch." They were shipped to Governor Sparks from Florida, and cost him, it is learned here, about $500, including express charges.

Legal action was taken Wednesday that is of general interest to North Fort Worth. At the instance of J. B. Goggins, Judge Dunklin issued a temporary injunction against Sam Rosen, restraining him from building a street railroad along 25th street. The petition recites that when M. G. Ellis platted the land over which Rosen seeks to lay a line of street railway, he specially reserved the right to lay street railway tracks over the land. He sold to G. W. Simpson, who sold to the Stock Yards company, and the latter in turn sold to J. B. Goggins, who contends that he acquired the rights of Ellis when he bought from the Stock Yards company, the reserved right of Ellis passing with such sale.

A tile, brick and cement factory is soon to be established on the I. & G. N. railroad about a mile or two southeast of Fort Worth, where fine clay has been found for that work. The capital stock of the company is $250,000.

The strike of the employes of the Pacific Express company is unsettled. The strikers in Fort Worth say they are confident of winning, while the officers of the company say they have all the help they want and are not disturbed by the strike. On Wednesday an injunction was issued by Judge Meek of the Federal district court and served on a number of members of the Expressmen's union in Fort Worth, prohibiting them from in any way interfering with the employes of the Express company in their work.

KENNEDALE.

According to appointment, we "hit" H. & T. C. Wednesday at 9:20 a. m., Oct. 21, and soon arrived here.

We found this place containing six or more business houses.

To be here reminded us of old times, the merchants buying the cotton from the wagons of the farmers.

The gin located here is jammed with cotton wagons all day, running a bale every twenty minutes.

We met several of the merchants and other citizens who lived in Kennedale, and obtained a few items of interest to us, and went out on our mission. We concluded we would "hang out" at the gin for a while, where we made ourselt obnoxious by asking everybody their names and telling who we were, and what our mission was.

Everybody met us with pleasant smiles and were a lot of jolly boys.

As the sun began to hang low we concluded to hunt up your delinquent correspondent, Brother S. S. Smith. We found him in the cotton field, so we hit in to help him pick cotton. Says he, "Go on to the house and make yourself at home. I'll be along later." So we shared the hospitality of that happy family that night, consisting of himself, wife and a beautiful young daughter, Miss Effie.

The next day we walked a good deal and accomplished nothing except to form a few acquaintances among the boys whom we happened to find at home.

The next day we went west, looking for the boys, but most of them had gone to the show. We finally run upon J. O. Andrews, whom we met the day before. "Hello there," says he, "you old sinner, what are you doing here?" Says I, "I am looking up the boys." Says he, "You can look at the boys as much as you please; but don't look at the girls." I told him I would make no promises, as there was nothing that I would rather look at than pretty girls. "Say, pard," says I, "can you give a lank, tired fellow a drink of water?" "Yes," says he. "Go down to that cotton wagon and you will find ten or twelve jugs of water, and if you don't get enough, go down to the creek, there you will find plenty."

We went on to the creek, which lay in the way of the water, but didn't want any more, but we spied a pecan tree, and swiped a few of his pecans and went on our way, climbing barb wire fences and over cotton fields, knocking out more cotton than would take to pay our board bill.

We soon ran upon J. M. Stephenson, to whom we prosecuted the merits of the great religious [illegible] It was about noon, and to get rid of us, says he, "Let's go to dinner." So we accepted his invitation, and found his good wife a most estimable lady, with as pretty a lot of children as you ever saw.

That night landed us at Mr. J. M. Mingus', one of Tarrant county's staunch farmers, who owns several farms around Kennedale; has plenty of big fat hogs, and everything else about him. His good lady is one of those social creatures. One would never tire listening to her conversation. Mr. Editor, it would have done you good to share their hospitality that night. They even had roasting ears for supper, right off the stalks. Mr. Mingus next morning would have us "go down and look at a combination crop of 800 10 acres all growing together June corn with roasting ears, turnips ready for the market, and a good stand of oats."

We could say a good deal more, but suffice it to say these Kennedale people are hard to beat.

In our rounds we met some of the Brambleton boys; among them were G. N. Tucker, and Miss Eula Harris, who contributed to our fund.

SAP. ON THE RUN.

REGRETS AND RESPECT.

Resolutions passed by Ladies' Aid society of Ash Creek Baptist church:

Resolved, that we extend to Sister Hattie F. Snodgrass, friend and co-worker, our regrets as a token of respect due her for efficient and tireless services rendered. May God abundantly bless and use her in her new field, for his glory; and when she shall have finished her course, may she hear the welcome plaudit: "Well done, good and faithful servant; enter into the joys of thy Lord."

Be it resolved, that we extend to Sisters Minnie Bone and Otsie Betts our regrets. We bid them God speed. May their young lives be fraught with noble deeds, and may God ever bless and keep them.

Mrs. M. C. Rowland, Ara Gidden, committee.

DE WOLF HOPPER.

There are seventy people in the De Wolf Hopper opera company, to be seen here at Greenwall's opera house tonight and tomorrow matinee and night, in the Broadway success, "Mr. Pickwick," a musical production of Charles Dickens' masterpiece.

TWENTIETH CENTURY FARMERS.

The Mansfield Sun reports: Martin Balwag was in from Gertie Tuesday, and incidentally spoke of the very fine conditions surrounding the farmers of his section. "Why," said he, "the city man is but little ahead of us in conveniences so far as being in touch with the world is concerned, and is making rapidly behind us in wide, wholesome environments. We get our daily papers delivered right at the door every day and only have to turn the phone crank to talk any where we desire, and we get close and see in touch with each other and with the outside world every day."

The farmers out that way have a telephone line of their own, consisting of some twenty-five miles of wire and nearly a score of phones. Mr. Balwag is the president of the company, Dr. Payne of Webb the secretary, and A. M. Fowler of Gertie the treasurer. They reach Mansfield, Webb, Gertie, Grand Prairie and Arlington, and then over other lines the outside world.

California Oranges for Japan.

A commercial agent of the Japanese government is in California to make an experiment in shipping California oranges to Japan.

MURRAY AND MACK.

Despite the talk one hears about men being exclusive idols of the matinee girls, the fact is that there are more feminine favorites than masculine. A man has but few attributes to recommend him to favor, while a woman's are innumerable. Beauty, grace, charm, magnetism, style, a faultless form, and that most sought for art of all femininity—the way to get it, are among the potent factors of woman's success. Some critics have been gallant enough to accord Miss Kittie Beck, the dainty comedienne of the Murray and Mack "A Night on Broadway" company, with all these graces. Of course, opinions differ, but the large percentage of ladies who attend both matinee and evening performances, demonstrate something. Just what is left to the judgment of those who intend to see one of the most talked about comediennes of the period on Monday night, Nov. 2nd, at Greenwall's opera house.

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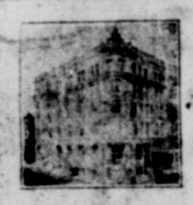

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A TEXAS CENTENNARIAN.

A news item in the Dallas News says:

In the Spring Creek neighborhood, Young county there resides an old man named Adkinson who enjoys the unique distinction of having lived in three centuries. He was born in 1796, the close of the eighteenth century. He lived through the hundred years of the nineteenth century and has gone into the twentieth century, for he is now in the 107th year.

He is a tall, raw-boned man, with faculties preserved to a remarkable degree, when his advanced age is considered. His numerous descendants constitute a large and respectable portion of the citizens of that part of the state, and they are proud of their ancestor's great old age.