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NORTH FORT WORTH, TEXAS, MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1903. No. 205.

Market.

Today
1,050.

HIGHER.

Wanted.

TO STRONG.

for Hogs, and
was Active.

RECEIPTS.

4,000
800
29

Receipts Saturday.

1,450
349
142

of Prices Today.
—Steers, top $3.85, bulk $2.50
, top $2.50, bulk $1.90@2.15.
Top $5.60, bulk $5.45@5.50.

CATTLE MARKET

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS:

Ice fed	$3.50@4.00
	3.00@3.50
	2.00@3.00
	1.25@2.00
	2.15@2.50
	1.90@2.15
	1.75@1.90
	1.00@1.75
	1.50@2.00
	3.50@4.50
	2.00@3.50

day were liberal.
of the market 66 cars,
were loaded with calves,
northern division, but out of
were billed through to other
ing five cars on sale, and only
around 1,000 cattle, in the
vision. Enough were report-
the total receipts for the day
4,200, against 3,698 for the
last week, and 1,934 for the
ing day last month.

BEEF STEERS.

of steers today were about up
expectations. Four loads of
finished cattle arrived, with
number of light thin feeder

though activity in the mar-
a large volume of business
ended early in the day. Most
ly business was in fat steers
, but buyers wanted them at
ity, and trading on this kind
steady with last week's close.
common quality feeder steers
ngs, while there was no change
ns, salesmen found trading
ragging.
today was $2.85 for 25 steers
1139 pounds, with the bulk of
$2.50@3.00.
ed steers are quoted from $3.50
h medium fed from $3.00@3.50,
.00@3.00, and yearlings $1.25

tative sales:

	Ave.	Price
	1139	3 85
	1045	3 60
	1220	3 00
	910	2 75
	913	2 75
	700	2 50
	727	2 20
	808	2 20
	661	2 20
	780	2 15
	380	1 65
	810	1 40

BUTCHER STOCK.

a little better inquiry for
ock today, which fact impart-
better tone to the trade.
was a disposition to buy the
ds, and good quality
taken at higher than

at a range of
@2.60, bulk of sales
this at from $1.95@

at a range of

quoted from
chers from
@1.90, and

quoted from

	Cows.		
1	860	2 50	
25	804	2 15	
3	940	2 15	
4	912	2 15	
30	873	2 10	
20	855	2 10	
27	856	2 10	
20	834	2 05	
16	768	2 00	
33	662	2 00	
4	833	2 00	
10	833	2 00	
10	808	2 00	
4	725	2 00	
1	780	2 00	
29	724	1 90	
60	718	1 90	
60	686	1 90	
28	670	1 90	
30	718	1 90	
9	693	1 80	
32	691	1 75	
3	783	1 75	
10	634	1 75	
27	757	1 65	
13	706	1 55	
29	693	1 55	
3	766	1 50	
2	860	1 50	
2	905	1 50	
2	800	1 40	
1	699	1 40	
4	874	1 40	
2	664	1 25	
8	731	1 25	
	Heifers.		
1	970	2 50	
2	860	2 00	
5	684	1 90	
1	610	1 90	
1	490	75	
1	540	75	
	Bulls.		
1	1460	1 85	
3	1060	1 35	
1	1200	1 85	
1	1370	1 75	
1	1560	1 75	
5	982	1 75	
1	1140	1 70	
3	740	1 55	

CALVES.

Offering of calves were fairly liberal, and prices held up to about steady level with sales made late last week. Buyers were eager for the choice vealers, which today were scarce.

Good to fancy are quoted from $3.00@4.50, with common to fair kinds from $2.00@3.00.

	Calves.	
1	80	4 00
80	174	3 85
77	198	3 50
3	233	2 75
42	271	2 40
17	367	2 40
5	196	2 40
19	340	2 35
2	155	5 75
2	42	5 75
	Wagon Hogs.	
5	228	5 25

THE HOG MARKET

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS:

Choice sorted	$5.50@5.70
Mixed packers	5.25@5.45
Light	5.25@5.60
Choice pigs	5.50@6.00
Stags and roughs	4.00@5.00

Receipts of hogs today fell down to about half the supply that was on the market the opening day last week. At the opening of the market seven cars were in, 593 head. Three more cars were reported which made total receipts for the day estimated to run close around 1,050 head, against 1,533 for the opening day last week, and 216 for the corresponding day last month.

A better demand for hogs prevailed today. Trading was active and the supply was sold and weighed up by noon. Sales, taking the quality into consideration, were better than the hogs on Saturday's market, and the market was steady and strong.

The top today was $5.60 for 75 head of Oklahoma Territory corn-fed hogs averaging 184 pounds, with the bulk of sales around $5.50.

Choice sorted are quoted from $5.50@5.70, with mixed packers $5.25@5.45, light grades $5.25@5.60, choice pigs $5.50@6.00, and boars, stags and roughs $4.00@5.00.

Representative sales:

No.	Shrink.	Average.	Price.
		Territory Hogs.	
2		90	5 00
10		340	5 00
7		330	5 00
80		172	5 40
73		236	5 42½
85		204	5 47½
82	40	224	5 50
62		215	5 50
76		173	5 50
86		198	5 52½
75		184	5 60
		Territory Stockers.	
21		52	5 75
2		210	5 75
5		44	5 75

HORSE AND MULE NOTES.

Business at the horse and mule barns is quiet. Many inquiries are coming in regarding the sale beginning on the 20th, and present indications point to one of the biggest sales ever held in the South. Buyers will be here from all parts of the South and many from other parts of the country. The man with horses or mules to sell will find no lack of demand.

A. R. Ballard of New Orleans is on the market for mules. The demand in his territory is for sugar mules. These must be big heavy ones, 1300 to 1500 pounds. There is no demand now for the smaller cotton mule in his part of the country, says Mr. Ballard.

The demand here is for a good class of horses and mules.

From the San Angelo Standard: Tom McGill sold to Mills, of East Texas, 35 stock horses at $12.50 per head, and 6 saddle horses at $40 per head. Knox Barfield bought from John Roberts, of Howard county, 36 horses and mules, at $30 round.

The Menard County Enterprise reports that Will Jenkins sold to Mr. Edwards of Eden 28 head of dry mares at $20 a head.

Following are the quotations on this market:

Horses.	
Drafts, good	140@155
Chunks, good	75@120
Drivers, good to fancy	75 up
Drivers, medium	55@ 75
Southerners, common to fair	30@ 50
Southerners, good to extra	75@110
Plugs	15@ 25
Rangers, plain	10@ 30
Choice range horses	50@ 75
Mules.	
13½ to 14 hands, fat	$ 40 to 50
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 1 500	155 to 165

THE SHEEP MARKET.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Lambs	3.00@3.75
Wethers	2.50@3.50
Ewes	2.00@3.00
Culls	1.50@2.50

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.	
J. K. Williams, Chilicothe	142
Worsham & Johnson, Quanah	60
M. E. Bell & Co., Clarendon	95
L. C. Beverly, Clarendon	32
W. M. Kuykendall, Kyle	193
E. P. Poole, Ardmore	32
E. T. Crosby, Kiowa, I. T.	27
M. Marshall, Elgin	36
J. R. Rich, Jacksboro	108
J. C. Smith, Monahans	211
A. A. Kuehn, Ryan, I. T.	43
E. M. Graham, Pecos	77
C. T. P. Co., Mesquite	29
C. R. Morgan, Bowie	31
J. C. Parker, Duncan, I. T.	62
L. F. Wright, Duncan, I. T.	36
H. B. Stubbs, Waltham	79
S. G. Ward, Richland	28
Through shipments	
Houston & Andrews, Midland	730
R. S. Anderson, Midland	60
B. & S., Stanton	162
Nelson Morris, Midland	426
S. I. Munger, Big Springs	192
H. Abney, Big Springs	154
Abney, R. & Co., Big Springs	333
R. N. & H., Odessa	80
S. & H., Odessa	302
J. A. & E. V. Graham, Odessa	120
J. T. Brown, Corsicana	25
J. N. Sheppard, Quanah	30
J. A. Kenner, Quanah	40
J. Bros., Monahans	203
Hogs.	
J. C. Connelly, Tulsa, I. T.	82
1st Nat'l Bank, Tulsa, I. T.	119
Wm. Talbott, Broken Arrow, I. T.	159
Thomas Nat'l Bank, Thomas, O. T.	73
Donohue Bros., Mulhall, O. T.	86
D. M. Burnside, Okarche, O. T.	
Burns & B., Madill, I. T.	90
W. Moore, Weatherford, O. T.	73
F. L. Patton, Edmond, O. T.	69
J. S. Robb, Kingfisher, O. T.	85
J. W. Teams, Foss, O. T.	109
Horses.	
W. White, Brownwood	29

BUYERS ON MARKET SATURDAY.

Cattle.	
Armour & Co.	50
J. Deacon	18
Mimms	1
Hogs.	
Armour & Co.	224
Swift & Co.	992
J. M. Gholson	7

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago	25,000	11,500	45,000
Kansas City	20,000	4,000	10,000
St. Louis	7,500	2,500	3,500
St. Joseph	6,000	2,000	300
	58,500	20,000	58,800

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 12.—The Drovers' Journal reports:

CATTLE — Receipts 25,000. Market steady to 10c higher. Top $6.

HOGS — Receipts 11,500. Market opened 5 to 10c higher, advance partly lost, closed weak. Top $6.00; bulk $5.50@5.65.

SHEEP—Receipts 45,000. Generally steady.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 12.—The Drovers' Telegram reports today:

CATTLE — Receipts 20,000. Market slow, steady. Top $5.30. Cows and Texas lower. Stockers strong.

HOGS — Receipts 4,000. Market 5 to 10c higher. Top $5.80; bulk $5.45@5.70.

SHEEP— Receipts 10,000. Steady.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 12.—The National Live Stock Reporter says:

CATTLE — Receipts 7,500. Texas 5,000. Steady. Top $3.65. Natives steady. Top $5.20.

HOGS — Receipts 2,500. Market 10 to 15c higher. Top $5.87½; bulk $5.70@5.80.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,500. Steady.

St. Joseph.

Special to The Reporter.

South St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 12.—The Stock Yards Daily Journal reports:

CATTLE — Receipts 6,000. Market steady to 10c lower. Top $5.25.

HOGS — Receipts 2,000. Market uneven; mostly 10c higher. Top $5.85; bulk $5.25@5.75.

SHEEP—Receipts 300. Steady.

AROUND THE STOCK YARDS.

Max Marshall from Elgin sold 33 cows of 662 pounds at $2.

E. M. Graham from Pecos sold 77 calves of 198 pounds at $3.50.

J. F. Green sold 27 cows, sent in from Gregory, averaging 857, that sold at $2.10.

Worsham & Johnson sent in from Quanah 60 cows of 855 pounds that sold at $2.10.

S. R. Poole had on the market from Armore, I. T., 32 cows of 691 pounds that brought $1.75.

J. P. O'Connelly of Tulsa, I. T., had in today 82 hogs averaging 224 pounds, which sold to Armour & Co. at $5.50.

Donohoe Bros. were in from Mulhall, O. T., with a load of 86 head of hogs, averaging 197 pounds, that brought $5.52½.

K. E. Bain from Clarendon had 39 steers on the market of 638 pounds that sold at $2.20, and 10 cows of 808 pounds at $2.

R. N. Henderson had in 80 head of fat calves from Odessa that averaged 149 pounds and topped the calf market, selling at $3.85.

Stocker hogs sold today at $5.75. They weighed all the way from 42 pounds to 210. The top price for hogs for slaughter was $5.60.

D. M. Burnside, Okarche, O. T., had in today 75 hogs averaging 184 pounds, which topped the market and sold to Swift & Co. at $5.60.

Wm. Talbott from Broken Arrow, I. T., sold 76 hogs of 173 pounds at $5.50, 62 of 215 pounds at the same price, and 10 of 340 pounds at $5. He also sold 2 hogs of 90 pounds at $5.

R. J. Kuykendall from Kyle sold 56 calves of 252 pounds at $3.50; 42 calves of 271 pounds at $2.50; 22 steers of 913 at $2.75; 25 cows of 804 at $2.15, and 16 cows of 768 at $2.

J. K. Williams had a shipment of cows and calves on the market. Twenty-nine cows of 693 pounds average sold at $1.60, and 27 of 757 at $1.65. Mr. Williams sold 59 calves of 346 pounds at $2.40.

J. R. Rich brought in from Jacksboro two loads of steers. One load of 25 head averaged 1128 pounds and sold at $3.85, the top price of the day. The other load of 26 head averaged 1042 pounds and sold at $3.60.

The increasing receipts of hogs is an encouraging evidence of the strength of the Fort Worth market. Prices tumbled everywhere last week, but we received a greater number than in any week since the opening of the yards, and more than came in the whole of the month of August.

ALFALFA AND GOOD HOGS

REDEMPTION OF DESERT LAND IN NEW MEXICO.

Where It Sold for $2 an Acre, It Now Sells for $200 to Raise Alfalfa on.

Aaron Coble writes from Roswell, N. M., to Farm and Ranch:

Shipping alfalfa hay to Honolulu, South Africa and all over the United States is what is being done here. The same thing could be done at many points in Texas if the people would get a hustle on themselves and save the storm waters to irrigate alfalfa fields. This has been done at Wichita Falls. When I was there a few days ago I was surprised to see an immense lake covering nearly three thousand acres of land. It is big enough to irrigate thousands of acres of the rich valley lands below.

The irrigation plant at Wichita Falls is new and the farming crude, but it won't take them long to catch on to the improved methods of farming and irrigating. And, by the way, the principal art of irrigating is to prepare well the seed bed, to turn the water on when common sense tells you that the crop needs rain, and to cultivate shallow, often and thoroughly whenever the ground is dry enough to get on it.

I am struck with the hog proposition, and if I was a man of forty instead of sixty, I would throw all other things aside and buy me a farm in easy reach of the packing houses at Fort Worth, and go into the hog business. I would not buy a dry land farm, either. I would get me a place where I could irrigate and grow every year four or five crops of alfalfa, and two of kaffir corn and milo maize.

The hog business is the best thing at Roswell, and this place is 500 miles farther away from the markets than points in Texas where alfalfa, kaffir corn, milo maize and hogs can be raised with as great success.

I mixed a long time with the stockmen of West Texas, and nearly became a believer that no kind of stock could be raised with profit on even $2 per acre land. If I would go among the boys and tell them I have just seen lands worth $200 an acre held for no other purpose than for cattle, hogs and sheep, they would set me down as a Baron Munchausen greater than the one of old.

This $200 land has been seeded down with alfalfa and it only takes an acre of it to furnish the best of feed for five or six brood sows and their litters, until the pigs are ready for the feed pens. Kaffir corn is raised on the irrigated land, too, and it is used to top the hogs off with.

Figuring and scheming has not been my forte in life, but I know a good thing when I see it, and I invite the world to come in and make figures with me on something they believe better than hogs, alfalfa and kaffir corn on an irrigated farm. Of course the farm must be near a good market, and have first-class railroad facilities. With these conditions if the hog business does not beat anything that a farmer can do, then the world should be told what is better.

If the farmers around Wichita Falls would run out here and see what is being done, they would go back and put every acre they could get of the land under the ditch, into alfalfa and kaffir corn and raise hogs for the Fort Worth market.

It takes from 15 to 20 pounds of alfalfa seed for an acre of ground, but when it is once planted, it is there forever. It even smothers out johnson grass. I saw a number of fields around here where johnson grass had grown luxuriantly in former years. They had been broken up and seeded in alfalfa, and but few sprigs of johnson grass now show itself. Alfalfa grows all winter long, while johnson grass is more easily killed by frost than any other forage plant. The alfalfa is a quicker grower than johnson grass, and flourishes for years on closely packed ground. Johnson grass delights in the stirring of the soil. All these things aid the alfalfa in its fight to master johnson grass and the victory is quickly won. Hogs don't hurt the alfalfa field, but at time when the green forage is insufficient, the dry hay is fed to hogs with good results.

I have seen enough here of chickens and turkeys to say to you that the man or woman who opens up a turkey and chicken ranch on an alfalfa farm, in easy reach of Dallas or Fort Worth, has a fortune in sight.

The alfalfa is a complete ration in itself for all kinds of fowls, and it makes them lay and hatch and grow and thrive, to beat anything I ever saw. A chicken or turkey raised on alfalfa is as far superior to the old barnyard fowl as the Shropshire lamb is to the commmon billy goat.

If it had not been that in my early days, when I had to mind the sheep on my father's farm, way back in the states, I swore vengeance against the whole sheep family, I would like now to become a sheep man, and fatten my lambs upon the luscious alfalfa fields. In those days they did not grow alfalfa, neither did they irrigate.

There was a time when I would stop at every opportunity in the middle of the road and get down from my horse to kick an old sheep. As I see the lambs frolicking over these beautiful fields of alfalfa I feel like throwing up my hat with the lound acclaim, "May you multiply and bless the world for all the years to come."

In the alfalfa fields they have a new kind of bee. They don't sting like the ones my old grandmother used to have in the peach orchard at home. The sweets gathered from the alfalfa bloom have tempered the disposition of the bees, and the farmer and even his boys can borrow the honey from the hives at any time during the day. Oh, how different from what it used to be, when buckskin gloves for the hands, mosquito bars for the face and head, a close fitting jacket for the body and volumes of black and dense smoke did not afford a combination strong enough to keep the angry bees out of the hair and beard and away from the backbone of the venerable farmer.

The alfalfa bees make from 70 to 80 pounds of the most beautiful honey that commands a ready market of 10 to 12 cents a pound.

HOOD COUNTY FEEDING CATTLE.

Dependence on Home-Grown Feed, and Not on Cotton Seed.

Mr. A. G. Dabney was at the yards today, from Thorp Spring, loking around. He says there will be a good number of cattle fed in the neighborhood of Cresson, and there is a fair demand for feeders. Among those who will feed for the market are Messrs. Fre Slocum, F. O. Fidler, Frank Burnett and Jim Shirley. Around Graham the feeders are D. C. Cogdill and S. H. Cook. Cattle feeders are using home-grown crops, and not depending so much on cotton seed. A great deal of forage, such as sorghum and milo maize, has been raised in that part of the country, and this will be used to feed, with a small proportion of meal and hulls to finish on. As an evidence of the increasing regard for forage, Mr. Dabney mentioned the fact that last year he raised 50 tons of sorghum, and this year he raised 300 tons.

Not many hogs are in that country, but farmers are finding out that it doesn't take corn to make good pork, and they are turning their attention more to this kind of stock. Hood is a good agricultural county, says Mr. Dabney, and the farmers and stock raisers are in comfortable circumstances.

MILO MAIZE FOR CATTLE.

A Grain That May Solve the Feeding Problem in Texas.

We read that "John A. Loomis of Concho county has raised a crop of 400 acres of milo maize. He will crush the grain and feed to cattle to fatten for market. Milo maize is being grown extensively throughout this country and makes fine feed for both horses and cattle. It is said to be fine for fattening cattle. A great many are feeding it to horses in lieu of corn or oats. Horses like it equally as well and it is much cheaper. Wagonloads of maize have been a common daily sight on the streets of San Angelo. It has been selling for $10 a ton, but the price has now gone up a little."

Experiments conducted by the Agricultural Department demonstrate that the feeding value of milo maize is about 90 per cent of the value of Indian corn. That is, 100 pushels of milo maize is equals to 90 bushels of corn. Fifty to 60 bushels to the acre are a fair average in the arid country, where Indian corn will not grow for lack of rain. Fifty bushels of maize is as good for fattening as 45 bushels of corn, and 60 bushels of maize are equal to 54 bushels of corn. With these figures in mind, one can easily estimate the value of milo maize for feeding cattle.

WILL KEEP ON FEEDING.

Harrold & Spence Add to Their Feeding Herd at Italy.

Messrs. Harrold & Spence, who have been feeding at Italy, Ellis county, and shipping to this market, have recently added about 900 big steers to their string. These were well graded cattle, from Colorado City.

Messrs. Harrold & Spence now have on hand about 500 meal and hull fed steers, which they have been feeding for some time at Italy. These cattle are the same as those which they have been shipping to Fort Worth for two or three weeks, and getting $3.75 to $3.90 for, the average weight being around 1150 lbs. They say they have made money on their feeders, and the adding of 900 more steers to those they now have on feed goes to show that they are satisfied with results.

The "slaughter of the innocents" goes on without stop. Nearly 2,000 calves from West Texas were at the yards today, consigned to Northern markets, most of them to St. Louis. The shippers of calves were as follows: Houston & Andrews, Midland, 663; R. S. Anderson, Midland, 60; B. & S., Stanton, 75; R. S. Munger, Big Springs, 162; H. Abney, Big Springs, 164; Abney, R. & Co., Big Springs, 76; R. N. & H., Odessa, 8; S. & H., Odessa, 302; J. A. & E. V. Graham, Odessa, 120; J. Bros., Monahans, 160.

For Sale or Trade.

HORSES AND MULES FOR SALE.

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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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Old Boat to the Iron Pile.

The stemship Britannic of the White Star line, which ushered in the era of speed and luxury in ocean travel, now, after twenty-nine years of service, goes to the boneyard. She first reduced the record to below eight days, has never lost a day through accident to her machinery, and has crossed the Atlantic 520 times, traveling seventy times the distance around the earth.

His Early Start.

A pompous business man was one day lecturing one of his clerks on the manner in which he spent his money, and on his habits generally. "I started at the foot of the ladder," said he. "I did not always have a carriage. When I first started in life I walked." "You were lucky," grinned the youth. "When I first started in life I couldn't."

The Fool and His Money.

Give your money to footpads. Bet on three card monte. Accept the bogus express receipt. Gather in a few gold bricks or chase the rainbow in the local bucket shop. Any of these things will certainly relieve you of your money, but not much more certainly than to leave Kansas for Western Canada.—Wellington Kan., News.

Nature's War With Bacteria.

Bacteria are no respector of places or persons; they go wherever they find a thoroughfare and a waiting vehicle. One of nature's unending tasks, at which she is busy every minute in the year, is the filtering of water for human use. When she has ughtraca human use. When she has enough she makes a thorough job of it. When she hasn't the fever germs lurk in the old oaken bucket and lie in wait behind the faucet.

Cloves for Seasickness.

"Cloves," said a physician, "make an excellent and handy remedy for nausea, for the headache due to train rides and for slight attacks of seasickness. I went abroad last year, and on the boat the first day out I began to feel the approaches of seasickness. I took a clove every hour all the rest of the day and by midnight the attack had left me, and it did not return again."

A Well-Meant Prayer.

A South sea islander at the close of a religious meeting offered the following prayer: "O God, we are about to go to our respective homes. Let not the words we have heard be like the fine clothes we wear—soon to be taken off and folded up in a box till another Sabbath comes around. Rather let Thy truth be like the tattoo on our bodies—ineffaceable till death."

Polite Barter.

Col. Sir Francis Aylmer Graves-Sawl, who died the other day, enjoyed a baronetcy of curious origin. His grandfather owned a picture which King William IV. desired to purchase. His majesty was politely informed that the picture was not for sale, but if the owner were thought worthy of the dignity of a baronet he would respectfully ask his majesty to accept the picture as a gift. The baronetcy was duly conferred and the picture changed hands.

One of the "Thin Red Line."

Living quietly on a farm in the little town of Viola, Del., is George McKilligan, one of the few survivors of that band of men who have gone down in history since the battle of Balaklava as the "thin red line." There are several living who went to make up "The Noble Six Hundred," but so far as Mr. McKilligan knows he is the only one remaining of the Ninety-third Highlanders.

EIGHTEEN MORE CASES

This Is the Story That the Rulletin Tells of Sunday.

A DEATH REPORTED.

Dr. Tabor Desires a Carload of Oil Be Forwarded From Beaumont and Trusts Some Person Will Do So at Once.

Laredo, Tex., Oct. 12.—The official bulletin, as given out Sunday night, shows there were eighteen new cases Sunday, with one death, making the total number of cases to date 210, with total deaths, 10. The victim who died of the fever Sunday was a Mexican of the poorer class.

Dr. Tabor was asked in an interview for his views on the situation. He stated that the disease is well in hand, and that no spread to outside points is anticipated. When asked if he thought Saturday's development of twenty-one cases at the Minera coal mines indicated a serious spread of the disease he stated that as a matter of fact an increase was nothing more than could be expected in view of the fact that after the first infection there always follows an increase in the number of cases prior to the stamping out of the disease. The doctor said that conditions were similar here, and that a large increase of yellow fever cases was to be expceted.

Dr. Tabor stated that one great need in carrying on the work of sanitation in this city is crude oil. The doctor has requested philanthropically inclined people at Beaumont to donate a car of crude oil for this purpose, and has asked that the railroads haul it free of charge to this point. This step was made necessary by the lack of funds in the city treasury.

Dr. Tabor, and in fact all the physicians are working night and day to stamp out the fever, and too much cannot be said in commendation of their work.

Dr. Tabor further stated that he could not estimate the time at which the disease will have been stamped out, saying that this is something that only time can tell. The doctor is confident, however, that the disease will be confined to this vicinity, and will not spread to any north Texas point.

The strict quarantine previously enforced is being maintained, and all person en route north, whether immunes or non-immunes, are compelled to undergo a ten days' detention before being permitted to proceed on their journey.

The plan of dividing the city into districts of from four to six blocks is proving very efficacious and is relieving the physicians of much work, thus allowing them to devote more of their time to the treatment of patients.

DOHENY INSANE.

Baseball Player Comes Near Taking the Life of His Nurse.

Andover, Mass., Oct. 12.—After felling his nurse with a terrific blow over the head with a stove poker Edward Doheny, the Pittsburg National League baseball pitcher for more than an hour Sunday, armed with the same weapon, held a score of neighbors and several policemen at bay. He was finally overpowered, and an examination by two physicians anjudged him insane and he was committed to the asylum at Danvers. The nurse, Oberlin Howarth, is seriously hurt, but it is believed he will recover. Doheny first showed signs of insanity several weeks ago, when he suddenly deserted the Pittsburg club in an Ohio city while laboring under the delusion that he was being pursued by detectives.

Great Cattle Deal.

Ardmore, I. T., Oct. 12.—One of the largest cattle deals of the season was consummated at Chickasha. W. R. Moore of Ardmore purchased 1000 head of steers. The aggregate price paid will reach nearly $30,000.

From Carbolic Acid.

Hennessey, Okla., Oct. 12.—The infant daughter of John Hawke died from a dose of carbolic acid given her by a baby sister who was playing doctor.

Death of Author Savage.

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—In the final game of the post-season series the Nationals scored nine times and the Americans five.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Taxable values of Dallas county are some thing over $38,600,000.

Dallas has a negro gospel wagon, said to be the first of its kind ever made.

Mrs. Dwight L. Moody, wife of the evangelist, died at East Northfield, Mass.

At Venita, I. T., Judge Gill informed the grand jury there is no law against grafting.

Dr. J. W. Guyton of Linita, Coryell county, Texas, has invented an all-iron gin house.

Several improvements are to be made at the Rock Island shops in Chickasha, I. T.

September report of department of agriculture showed condition of corn was above the average.

A pearl found in Pecan creek near San Angelo, Tex., weighs forty-eight groins and is beautiful pink.

In a drunken fight at Elkataw, Breathitt county, Kentucky, Robert Chaney fatally shot Chad Saylers.

A negro attempted to assault a white servant girl at Dr. Matthews' residence in Austin. She screamed and he fled.

Robert Runnels, charged with attempting to poison a soda fountain at Nacogdoches, Tex., was given two years.

Seventy-three women and three men, charged with vagrancy, were arrestel on the 19th at Dallas. During the excitement incident to the arrests one woman died.

CARS BLOCKED.

Numerous Attempts In This Line Were Made at San Antonio.

San Antonio, Oct. 12.—Henry Mockeret, an Aransas Pass roundhouse man, was shot by Ora Baird, a deputy sheriff. Mockeret was one of the crowd that attempted to rush the officer, who had been detailed to look after the safety of a car.

Six soldiers of the Fifteenth battery of field artillery attempted to block a car near the International and Great Northern depot. The men of the battery were ordered out and formed into provost guard squads, with instructions to arrest all soldiers found in the crowd or mingling with strikers or their sympathizers.

A car on Government hill was stoned, Mrs. Ida McCutcheon of San Pedro avenue being struck by a rock.

There were numerous attempts to blockade cars and hinder their progress.

Union men will run an omnibus line.

No Cars Were Run.

Waco, Oct. 12.—No cars were run here Sunday.

Died In Twenty Minutes.

San Antonio, Oct. 12.—In a dispute between Jack Fontelroy, a negro, and John Grahm, a Polish farmer, about a bale of cotton, the former struck the datter over the head with a chair. Grahm expired in twenty minutes.

Appeal For Aid.

San Antonio, Oct. 12.—Mayor Campbell has received an appeal for aid from the mayor of Laredo for the poor of that city as the result of the yellow fever scourge.

SCHEDULE OF RATES.

Commission Wants Railroads to Charge Express Companies Certain Prices.

Austin, Oct. 12.—The railroad commission will require the railroads to charge the express companies according to a schedule of rates, to be fixed by the commission, for transporting hauls and packages, including money, over the state of Texas, and also other freight. The rates suggested as a basis for consideration at the hearings, which are the tariffs recently issued to be observed by the express companies, but which were enjoined, are also given. A classification follows. Hearings will be given as follows: Fort Worth, Nov. 3; Dallas, Nov. 4; Houston, Nov. 10; San Antonio, Nov. 11, and Austin, Nov. 17.

Forty-Five More Suits.

Austin, Oct. 12.—In the Fifty-third district court forty-five more suits have been filed against railroads and the four express companies doing business in the state. Alleged violation of the anti-trust law is the basis for their suits. This makes forty-nine suits in all.

Date For Election Set.

Austin, Oct. 12.—The governor has set Nov. 17 as the date for the election in the Eighth district of a successor to Congressman Ball, whose resignation he received Saturday. Mr. Ball's resignation becomes effective Nov. 16.

BOY KILLS MAN.

Ray Gourley, With a Rifle, Takes Life of Bill Taylor.

El Paso, Oct. 12.—Bill Taylor, a ranchman, was shot through the head and killed near Stafford, Ariz., by Ray Gourley, sixteen years old, employed on the Stockton ranch.

Taylor had just been arrested for killing Stockton's cattle, but was released upon proof that they were killed across the New Mexico line.

The boy went to the Carpenter ranch and Taylor followed him there, whereupon the lad procured a rifle and killed the man. The boy was exonerated by the coroner's jury.

BOLL WEEVIL EVIL.

Convention to Discuss the Pest to Be Held In Dallas.

Dallas, Oct. 12.—Chairman Aldredge of the boll weevil committee has issued a call for a convention, to be held here Nov. 5. The object of the convention is to bring together men from all parts of the country to discuss the boll weevil problem and endeavor to stop the ravages of the pest. The call of the chairman says it is reported this insect is damaging the cotton crop of Texas annually from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000, and that it is steadily spreading out.

DEADLY DIFFICULTY.

One Man Killed, Another Fatally Wounded and Third Hurt.

Columbus, Tex., Oct. 12.—In a difficulty at Shaw's Bend, ten miles above here, William Wink was killed, Reinhart Hillebrandt fatally wounded and John Becker seriously hurt. The first two were fighting, while Becker was a by-stander.

Boat and Rice Burn.

Jennings, La., Oct. 12.—A tugboat belonging to Captain Caldwell of Mermenteau, together with 600 sacks of rough rice, burned near the Southwestern plantation. The rice was on a barge.

Screwmen's Strike Settled.

New Orleans, Oct. 12.—The strike of the screwmen has been settled on a compromise basis of ninety bales with screws and 160 by hand per day. The men will receive $5 per day and foremen $6.

Nationals Could Not Score.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—The Nationals were blanked Saturday, while the Americans made three runs. Attendance 11,600.

Americans Lost.

New York, Oct. 12.—Richard Henry Savage, the author and soldier, died in Roosevelt hospital as the result of injuries received on Oct. 3, when he was run over by a wagon in this city.

MYSTERY AT FRISCO.

Circumstances Attending a Death Are Causing Comment.

PECULIAR IS DEMISE.

Abram H. Kohn Goes to Sanitarium to Be Treated For Morphine Habit, Expires and Coroner Asked to Hold Report.

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—Abram H. Kohn, son of the late Henry A. Kohn, the millionaire banker and merchant of Chicago, died here under circumstances which aroused suspicions through the mysterious and secretive conduct of those who attended him during his last hours. Kohn, who was thirty-two years of age, arrived here from the east Monday last, accompanied by a young woman, who registered with him at the Palace hotel as his wife. On Thursday evening he was taken to the Adler sanitarium suffering from nervous prostration, the result of an attempt to abstain from the use of morphine, to which he was addicted. At midnight he was found dead in bed beside his wife. The coroner was immediately notified of the occurrence and requested that it be not made a matter of public record until Friday night. In an interview, in which she detailed the circumstances immediately surrounding her husband's death Mrs. Kohn said she had been secretly married to Kohn by a justice of the peace at Beulah, Wis., May 17 last; that her maiden name was Edith Wasburne and her home was in Kentucky. All that has been obtained from physicians who attended Kohn is to the effect that his death was due to natural causes. In view of the peculiar action of all concerned and the determined effort to suppress all circumstances connected with the case a rigid investigation will now be made by the coroner into the death of Kohn and its cause.

KEPT OFF WHARVES.

One Hundred and Fifty Policemen Restrained Strikers at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 12.—With 150 police under four captains the large forces of crewmen and longshoremen and their sympathizers were kept off the wharves at the head of Celeste street, where it was expected an attempt wolud be made to load the steamer Mexican of the Leyland line. When, however, the Colonian, bearing the St. Louis strike breakers, began to move in from the middle of the river she was signaled that a further conference had been arrangfied between the mayor and screwmen and the attempt to load had been postponed. The refusal of the dock council to joint in a sympathetic strike and the issuance of an injunction by the United States court have seemed to restrain screwmen, and it is understood they are willing to negotiate further. A federal injunction was served on labor leaders.

Cable Being Laid.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 12.—The Alaskan cable from Juneau to Sitka has been completed and an office established at the capital city. Connection with Sitka was made Wednesday. The Burnside has left Sitka laying out cable south. She will probably have enough cable remaining to lay the 400-mile stretch towards this city, the terminus.

Miles Endorsed.

Topeka, Kan., Oct 12.—The Topeka Democratic Flambeau club, the largest Democratic organization in the state, has unanimously endorsed General Miles for president. The club will make an organized effort to deliver the Democratic support in Kansas to Gen Miles for the nomination.

Paraded Ostentatiously.

New Chwang, Manchuria, Oct. 12.—The troops of the Russian garrison, headed by their band, playing national airs, paraded the principal streets of the foreign and Chinese settlements ostentiously as though to emphasize the fact that the Russians are still governors of this port.

Never Heard of Again.

London, Oct. 12.—The Salonica correspondent of the Daily Mail asserts that Bulgarian prisoners are sent in to exile weekly from that port. They are never heard of again, and it is inferred that they are thrown overboard.

Rich Haul of Thieves.

Paris, Oct. 12.—Thieves broke into a boarding house in Avenue Victor Hugo during lunchtime and stole $1400 in money, besides some jewelry from the room of an American named Miss Maude Wolliwood.

Belligerent Compositors.

Buda Pest, Hungary, Oct. 12.—A riot of striking compositors has occurred here. Several policemen, detectives and strikers were injured before the disorders were suppressed.

Two Ladies and Boy Burned.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 12.—Mrs. Connell and Mrs. Hickey were slightly, and the latter's little son seriously burned by a fire which broke out in a kitchen in a lower Main street restaurant. Several buildings were damaged. Loss, $6000. Parties burned were from Timpson, Tex.

Death to One Duelist.

Pecos, Tex., Oct. 12.—A Mexican sheep herder and another Mexican fought a duel. The sheep herder was killed, his antagonist stabbing him twice with a knife. The survivor gave himself up.

FLOOD AT TRENTON.

Five Trains Were Tied Up at That City During Saturday Morning.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 12.—A heavy flood which Friday night caused suspension of through traffic on the Pennsylvania had subsided somewhat at 10 o'clock Saturday, but not sufficiently to permit running of trains. There was no interference of traffic between New York and this city, but no trains could run between New York and Philadelphia. Five trains which should have passed through Trenton Friday night were stalled here. One of them was the midnight express from New York City. Special trainc containing cars of the Barnum & Bailey circus were among those stalled. One of the cars, a circus Pullman sleeper, was derailed. Ladders had to be used to rescue passengers. During the night heavy freight trains were used to hold down the bridge of the railroad spanning the Assanpink creek.

TRAFFIC STOPPED.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company Unable to Run Trains Saturday.

Philadelphia, Oct. 11.—The following notice was posted at the Pennsylvania railroad station Saturday: "The Pennsylvania Railroad company announces that on account of high water at Trenton, N. J., train service between Philadelphia and New York City will be temporarily abandoned except to Bristol, Penn."

No trains reached this city Saturday over the Pennsylvania railroad since midnight Friday night because of the flood at Trenton, where the tracks of the company were under six feet of water. The flood at that point was caused by high water in the Delaware river backing up waters in Assanpink creek.

At Delaware breakwater the wind blew at the rate of fifty miles per hour. Heavy seas broke over telegraph lines.

AT PASSAIC.

New Jersey City and Vicinity Had Much Damage Done Them.

Passaic, N. J., Oct. 12.—The village of Duttonville, near here, was one of the worst sufferers by the flood, but so far as known there was no loss of human life. Over 100 houses were swept away and many of them wrecked by the breaking of a fifteen-foot embankment of the Erie railroad, behind which a great volume of water poured. The flood poured into Duttonville, carrying everything before it. The village of Wellington, a suburb of this city, was submerged by from six to twelve feet of water and the inhabitants went about in boats. At least 100 houses have been moved from their foundations, and in some cases they have been turned completely over.

FEARFUL FRESHET.

Much Destruction Has Resulted and Several People Drowned.

Philadelphia, Oct. 12.—Flood in the Passaic river is equal to the one of March last year. Hundreds of acres have been flooded and families forced to flee. Mayor of Paterson has organized a relief movement.

Hotel at Townsend's Inlet, N. J., has been destroyed.

All factories at New Brunswick, N. J., had to shut down. New Pennsylvania railroad bridge was washed away.

Bartell's toll bridge, 651 feet long crossing the Delaware river between Port Jervis and Matamo, Pa., collapsed. Several persons were drowned.

NO MEETING.

Revision of Turf Rules Committee Has Completed Its Work.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 12.—Senator Joseph W. Bailey, chairman of the committee on revision of turf rules, stated that there would not be a meeting of

SENATOR BAILEY.

the commission here. Senator Bailey said: "The committee's work was practically completed at Cleveland during the meeting there several weeks ago."

BRAVE YOUNG LADY.

Captures and Holds a Negro Burglar Until Officers Arrive.

Houston, Oct. 12.—Miss Louise Teiel of 313 San Jacinto street captured a negro burglar at her residence Friday night and held him until the police came.

Over 200 warrants were issued against citizens charging violations of sanitary ordinances.

Caused by Excitement.

Houston, Oct. 12.—While two little negro children, brother and sister, were squabbling, the girl gasped and fell dead. Coroner's verdict was death was caused by heart failure, superinduced by excessive excitement.

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FOUGHT FOR LIFE.

Twelve Men Had a Desperate Struggle to Save Themselves.

New York, Oct. 12.—Twelve men have had a desperate fight for life in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel now being dug under the Hudson river. They were at work in the Hoboken end when without warning the water and loose earth began to rush through the shield and in a few moments 200 feet of mud had caved in. Owen McConnell was buried alive under the river bottom. Two other laborers were taken out unconscious.

The big tunnel which is to cross under the Hudson to New York is already advanced 700 feet, and work is being pushed with night and day shifts. The twelve men were working in the air pressure tank behind the great shield which squeezes out the mud ahead of it like a giant sieve, when suddenly the earth became loosened and a gush of water followed. The prevailing air pressure at the time was only twice the normal. The only thing to be done to stop the cave-in and save the lives of twelve men was to instantly increase the pressure to hold back the water. Forty pounds was thrown in immediately upon the men struggling in the rapidly rising mud and water. McConnell could not get away. The others were dragged to safety, but two fainted under the strain and were carried out in time to save their lives.

CONFERS WITH HAY.

Secretary of State and Chinese Minister Discuss Manchurian Matter.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Sir Chen Tung Liang Cheng, the Chinese minister, held a long conference with Secretary Hay regarding the situation in Manchuria. The minister received information some time ago that there was no apparent movement on the part of Russia indicating that that country would begin the evacuation of Manchuria on Oct. 8, as agreed, and as stipulated in a treaty made with China. The Chinese minister naturally feels keenly the conditions which exist, as it is everywhere known that China is in no position to enforce the treaty and compel Russia to evacuate. At present the concern of the United States is to see that the agreements made with China for the open ports in Manchuria are carried out, regardless of what Russia may do, either in evacuation or permanent control of the province.

SIR CHENTUNG LIANG CHENG.

GOT EIGHT YEARS.

Dippold Tied a Boy to a Bed and Whipped Him to Death.

Berlin, Oct. 12.—The trial at Beirut of Andreas Dippold, a tutor, who tied Heinz Koch, fourteen years old, son of Director Koch of the Deutsche bank, to a bed and whipped him to death, has ended. Dippold was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment. While the dead boy's younger brother, Joachin, testified to unnamable tortures inflicted on himself and on his brother the persons in court were aroused to such a pitch of fury that they cursed and threatened the prisoner, who was hastily removed by the officials, as lynching was feared. Joachin avowed, and the medical experts agreed, that Dippold was more debased than the London fiend who has been termed "Jack, the Ripper." The case attracted intense interest as a psychological study.

Three Earthquake Shocks.

Nevada, Mo., Oct. 12.—Three distinct earthquake shocks were felt here Friday. The movement was from west to east. No damage was done.

Resignation Accepted.

Washington, Oct. 12.—The postmaster general accepted the resignation of G. A. Christianey as assistant attorney in the office of the assistant attorney general for the postoffice department.

MINOR MATTERS.

Weavers in northwest France are on strike.

A child born at Denton, Tex., had two well-developed teeth.

Mrs. Emil Van Huffel of Mishawaka, Ind., gave birth to triplets—a girl and two boys.

Miss Harriett Floyd, worth $700,000, was married to a motorman at Lakeport, Cal., who claims to be a Servian nobleman.

George C. Lowell attempted to kill his wife at Auburn, N. Y., by beating her with a poker and suicided by taking carbolic acid.

In a break for liberty from the Utah penitentiary one convict was killed, another seriously injured and a guard hurt. Two escaped.

Gamblers and farmers had a riot at the tri-county fair at Richmond, O. Two of the farmers were badly beaten and one chased several miles.

Peter Myers, seventy years old, a farmer, gave a woman at Springfield, Ill., some money to buy a dress to wear when they married. She never returned.

A German missionary named H. O. Meyer was fatally wounded by Chinese pirates between Canton and Shanghai and his wife and a servant badly injured.

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1895	837,466	328,121	401,345	1,566,932
1897	854,986	269,795	438,292	1,563,073
1899	908,159	299,166	433,351	1,640,676
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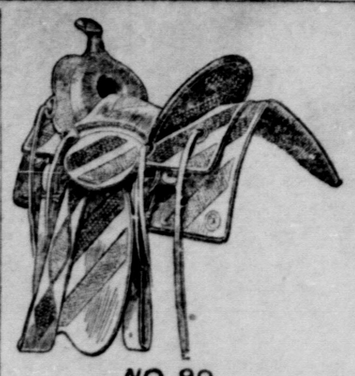

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OATS—Per bushel	.47
WHEAT—No 2	.72 to .75
No 3	.72

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TURNIPS—Per pound	2c
POTATOES—Per bushel	90c
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Orange	1.30
Red Top	1.50
TURNIPS—Purple top, 100 lbs	22.50
Rutabaga	20.50
OATS—Tenn. Winter Turf, bushel	.75

Hides.

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Heavy Dry Beef	12½c
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BACON—Standard	11½c
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Dry Salt Bellies	12½c
Bacon Bellies	13½c
HAMS—Medium	15c
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LARD—Leaf, in tierces	11c
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
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Among the many novelties offered by Manager Charles H. Yale, which comes to Greenwall's opera house Tuesday, matinee and night, Oct. 13, which marks the twenty-second edition of the "Everlasting Devil's Auction," is the introduction in the first act of this famous spectacle, of a new spectacular, panoramic effect entitled "The Inferno," which depicts in a series of weird and awe inspiring stage pictures the journey of a lost soul to hades. The entire effect is new in conception, most original in treatment and consists of the following magnificent scenes, "The Fantastic Fog," "The Gates of Hades," "The Frozen Path of Frenzy," "The Lake of Lost Souls," and a marvelous mise en scene, "The Realms of Mephisto," all of which being augmented by new, ingenious and unusual electric and other light effects will in its entirety form one of the most brilliant spectacular effects ever offered.

"THE LAND O' COTTON."

Junker & Corcoren's production of John Crittenden Webb's beautiful pastoral play, "The Land o' Cotton," which will be seen at Greenwall's opera house, Wednesday, matinee and night, Oct. 14, has received unstinted praise from the press and public, and is spoken of as a play that mirrors with fidelity the false and true characters of everyday life. It is most refreshing in this day of imported problems and suggestive plays. "The Land o' Cotton" is a play in which smiles and tears are closely mingled, dealing in heart interest in such a way as to awaken immediate sympathy. The company is a very superior one, its equal being seldom seen outside the Broadway theaters, New York City.

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News From the Freshet Reveals a Great Deal of Damage.

BRIDGES SWEPT OFF.

Five Hundred Families Are Driven From Their Dwellings, and All Over Flooded Region Devastation Enormans.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 12.—For nearly forty-eight hours Paterson been at the mercy of the Passaic river, but Sunday night the water began to recede. The waters have maintained a height sufficient to cut the western half of the city from the eastern portion and almost all means of communication by bridges have been destroyed.

Seven bridges in the city have been swept away and their loss alone is half a million dollars. The flooding of the low lying districts of the city has resulted in inconceivable damage to property. A number of bridges fell Sunday and many others were undermined.

Five hundred families are homeless, of which about 150 families are being sheltered at the Apollo hall while the others are being taken care of in the armory, Governor Murphy having issued orders that the armory be thrown open for this purpose. The city of Passaic passed a sleepless night, it being feared that the Dundee dam would give way. That would have relieved the water at Paterson at the expense of the cities below. The suffering in Wallington and Duttonville has been very great, as no relief has been able to reach these places. All through this district houses and outbuildings, together with a great quantity of dead stock, may be seen floating about.

The maximum height of the flood was two feet over the flood of 1902.

STORMY TIME.

Ocean Liners Had a Hard Time Reaching New York City.

New York, Oct. 12.—The fiercest storm which, for several days has been raging along the north Atlantic coast, has seriously interefered with shipping, and Sunday only four of the ocean liners, all of which have been greatly delayed, succeeded in making port. The four steamships which arrived all reported hurricanes and mountainous seas. The Monterey of the Ward line and the Jefferson of the Old Dominion line came in from the south. The latter craft was terribly battered. Rev. Hawley, a clergyman of Lakeview, Moon county, North Carolina, one of the passengers, was thrown across the cabin and instantly killed.

AT OCEAN CITY.

Nearly All of the Inhabitants Went to Higher Ground.

Ocean City, Md., Oct. 12.—This city is practically deserted. Owing to the hurricane and high tides the greater part of the city has been submerged since Thursday night and many of the residents have sought shelter on higher ground. In addition to the damage reported in Saturday night's dispatches another section of the front of Congress Hall, a leading hotel, about 100 feet in extent, was torn away Sunday. The entire ocean front of the Windsor hotel collapsed. A large number of cottages were also either washed from their foundations or destroyed.

Flooded Two Miles.

Philadelphia, Oct. 12.—Delaware avenue, which runs along the Delaware river in this city, was again flooded for a distance of two miles at high tide Sunday afternoon. The water rose about six inches higher than it did at high tide Saturday. The water was so high that the ferry boats suspended service between this city and Camden and Gloucester for several hours.

Worst In Burlington's History.

Burlington, N. J., Oct. 12.—This town is suffering from the worst flood in its history, approximately four-fifths of the place being under water, caused by the tremendous high water in the Delaware river. The highest point of the town is only three feet above the flood in some streets.

Damage at Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 12.—The extent of the damage done by the flood in this section is now at least beginning to be realized. At least six wagon and foot-bridges across the Delaware river between this city and Eastern, Pa., have been carried away.

WAR PROBABLE.

Japan May Decide to Take This Step Against the Czar.

London, Oct. 12.—The correspondent of the Morning Post at Che Foo, telegraphing Oct. 10, says:

"It is stated that the Japanese have decided to declare hostilities to-morrow, on the expiration of their ultimatum to Russia.

"The Russian fleet has cleared from Port Arthur. It is reported that the Japanese are landing troops at Masanpho, Korea.

"There are strong indications that Germany favors hostilities, on the ground that it would enable her to extend her sphere of influence in China.

Indiana Editors In Texas.

Galveston, Oct. 12.—A large party of Indiana newspaper men and capitalists spent Sunday in Galveston and left for the northern part of the state. They are touring the state in a special car with a view of investigating the resources of the state and writing up their trip for the Indiana newspapers.

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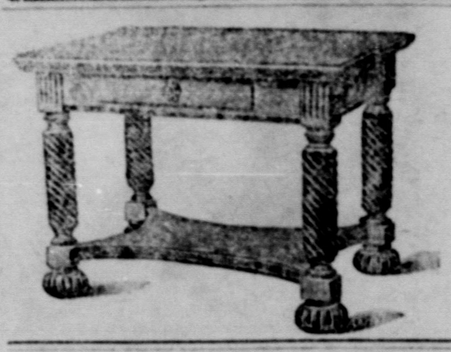

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