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NORTH FORT WORTH, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1903. No. 202.

[illegible]th Market.

[illegible]ipts of Cattle [illegible], Hogs 850.

[illegible]IVE, STEADY.

[illegible]ady, Others 10 [illegible] Yesterday.

[illegible], 10 LOWER.

[illegible]ed in Sympathy [illegible]thern Reports.

[illegible]'S RECEIPTS.

[illegible]	2,400
[illegible]	850

[illegible] Receipts Yesterday.

[illegible]	2,324
[illegible]	538
[illegible]	85

[illegible] of Prices Today.

[illegible]—Steers, top $3.90, bulk $1.65 [illegible]—Cows, top $2.50, bulk $1.65@[illegible]

[illegible]—Top $5.80, bulk $5.65@5.72½.

THE CATTLE MARKET

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS:

[illegible]—Choice fed	$3.50@4.00
[illegible] fed	2.00@3.50
[illegible]	2.10@3.00
[illegible]	1.75@2.00
[illegible]vy fed	2.15@2.50
[illegible]	1.90@2.15
[illegible]	1.75@1.90
[illegible]	1.00@1.75
[illegible]	1.50@3.00
[illegible]y veals	3.50@5.00
[illegible]	2.00@3.50

[illegible] cattle today were moderate. [illegible] thirty-six cars were in at [illegible] market, making a total of [illegible] head, with enough more reported [illegible] would get in in time for today's [illegible] to make total receipts for the [illegible] around 2,400, against 1,505 for [illegible] Wednesday, and 1,672 for the corresponding day last month.

[illegible] STEERS.

[illegible] of steers were scarce today. [illegible] two loads of fairly well finished [illegible] the supply was largely made [illegible]ium to the light thin [illegible]

[illegible] fairly active in this [illegible] trade. Local packers were [illegible] up all those good [illegible]her, and with feeder [illegible] of the light end of [illegible] on all steers was over [illegible] values generally on [illegible] with yesterday.

[illegible] was $3.90 for 25 head [illegible] 1148 pounds, with one load of [illegible] cattle at $3.75, and the bulk [illegible] $2.00@3.75.

[illegible] are quoted from $3.50 [illegible] fed from $3.00@[illegible]3.00, and yearlings [illegible]

[illegible] sales:

	Ave.	Price
[illegible]	1148	3 90
[illegible]	1115	3 75
[illegible]	964	3 00
[illegible]	912	3 00
[illegible]	1032	3 00
[illegible]	869	2 75
[illegible]	893	2 75
[illegible]	743	2 25
[illegible]	870	2 00
[illegible]	780	1 75
[illegible]	340	1 55
[illegible]	420	1 55
[illegible]	580	1 50
[illegible]	560	1 25

[illegible] STOCK.

[illegible] of cows today was fairly [illegible] of good quality, in fact the [illegible] on the market for [illegible]

[illegible]porting declines at [illegible] the opening market [illegible] 10 lower, and this [illegible], but finally sale[illegible] have to cut loose or [illegible]arted to the scales [illegible] of the best were [illegible]fully 10 lower than [illegible]

[illegible] are quoted from [illegible] fed from $1.90 [illegible]1.90, and canners [illegible]

[illegible] bulls sold steady [illegible] a range of from [illegible]

Bulls, stags and oxen ae quoted from $1.50@3.00.

Cows		
1	1030	2 50
3	826	2 20
27	898	2 20
9	965	2 20
30	766	2 20
24	775	2 15
30	787	2 10
27	881	2 10
12	793	2 10
31	804	2 10
6	910	2 10
29	781	2 05
3	710	2 05
27	806	2 05
1	640	2 00
7	697	2 00
1	900	2 00
4	920	2 00
5	734	2 00
1	670	2 00
18	795	2 00
8	647	2 00
1	820	2 00
2	780	2 00
23	660	2 00
22	732	1 95
1	800	1 95
27	636	1 95
18	719	1 85
30	738	1 85
28	721	1 75
31	686	1 75
1	880	1 75
28	740	1 70
51	671	1 65
49	685	1 65
31	696	1 65
23	762	1 65
2	755	1 65
1	760	1 60
4	822	1 60
17	658	1 60
5	822	1 55
2	875	1 55
1	690	1 55
5	677	1 55
1	850	1 55
1	770	1 55
28	772	1 55
1	940	1 55
29	646	1 55
30	760	1 55
67	603	1 55
29	751	1 55
30	618	1 50
11	576	1 50
1	690	1 50
6	580	1 50
1	750	1 50
2	705	1 50
1	720	1 50
10	773	1 50
8	804	1 50
32	666	1 45
2	695	1 25
5	740	1 10
14	567	1 00
1	630	1 00
1	880	1 00
Heifers.		
20	639	1 35
14	483	1 60
Bulls.		
1 stag	830	2 15
1	750	1 50

CALVES.

Calves were more plentiful today, and sold generally on a steady basis.

Good to choice vealers are quoted from $3.00@5.00, with common to fair $2.00@3.00.

1	110	4 00
12	170	3 00
2	190	3 00
3	240	2 50
1	360	2 25
8	190	1 50

THE HOG MARKET

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS:

Choice sorted	$5.80@6.00
Mixed packers	5.65@5.85
Light	5.50@5.85
Choice pigs	5.50@6.00
Stags and roughs	4.00@5.00

Receipts of hogs today were only moderate, but the run was the heaviest for Wednesday for some time. At the opening of the market seven cars were in the pens, 498 head, but four more loads arrived in good season which, including those driven in, made total receipts for the day close around 850, against 549 for last Wednesday, and 223 for the corresponding day last month.

The market opened slow and dull, and while some few of the best butcher hogs sold about steady on the opening market, the general trade was weak to 10 lower, the decline being principally on the ordinary packers and mixed lots. The closing was 20 lower than yesterday, with 4 loads unsold.

The decline here today resulted from a decline at other points, but the demand was good and packers bought the supply on a steady basis with Kansas City.

Choice sorted are quoted from $5.80@6.00, with mixed packers $5.65@5.85, light grades $5.50@5.85, choice pigs $5.50@6.00, and boars, stags and roughs $4.00@5.00.

Representative sales:

Territory Hogs.			
No.	Shrink.	Average.	Price.
55	20	110	5 00
39	40	169	5 57½
50	80	262	5 72½
9		351	5 52½
52		243	5 72½
73	40	218	5 80
70	20	220	5 80
Texas Hogs.			
82		172	5 65
21		205	5 80
Wagon Hogs.			
19		167	5 60

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

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price

HORSES AND MULES.

Following are the quotations on this market:

Horses.	
Drafts, good	140@155
Chunks, good	75@130
Drivers, good to fancy	75 up
Drivers, medium	55@ 75
Southerners, common to fair	35@ 50
Southerners, good to extra	75@100
Plugs	15@ 20
Rangers, plain	10@ 30
Choice range horses	50@ 75
Mules.	
13½ to 14 hands, fat	8 40 to 59
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	125 to 150
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 1 250 to 1 500	155 to 165

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	27,000	23,000	30,000
Kansas City	15,000	7,500	8,000
St. Louis	6,000	4,500	2,000
St. Joseph	2,000	5,500	3,200
	50,000	40,500	44,300

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 7.—The Drovers' Journal reports:

CATTLE — Receipts 27,000. Mostly 10c lower. Dull except best.

HOGS — Receipts 23,000. Slow, 10 to 15c lower than yesterday's average. Top $6.15; bulk $5.40@5.80.

SHEEP—Receipts 30,000. Slow, weak except best.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 7.—The Drovers' Telegram reports today:

CATTLE — Receipts 15,000. Market steady to 10c lower. Top $5.40 bid. Cows steady. Stockers and Texas steady.

HOGS — Receipts 7,500. Market 10c lower. Top $5.95; bulk $5.50@5.85.

SHEEP — Receipts 8,000. Steady to weak.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 7.—The National Live Stock Reporter says:

CATTLE — Receipts 6,000. Texas 4,000. Steady to strong. Top $3.25. Natives opened slow.

HOGS — Receipts 4,500. Market 10c lower. Top $6.00; bulk $5.80@5.95.

SHEEP—Receipts 2,000. Steady.

St. Joseph.

Special to The Reporter.

South St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 7.—The Stock Yards Daily Journal reports:

CATTLE — Receipts 2,000. Market steady to 10c lower. Top $5.40.

HOGS — Receipts 5,500. Market mostly 10c lower. Top $6.00; bulk $5.40@5.85.

SHEEP — Receipts 2,300. Steady. Lambs $5.40.

BUYERS ON MARKET YESTERDAY.

Cattle.	
Armour & Co.	765
Swift & Co.	664
Kendall	6
Mitchell	55
Hardesty & B.	31
J. Deacon	22
Burns	1
Johnson & K.	48
S. C. Miller	92
Payne	10
L. & L.	3
Vinson	5
Benson	2
Weaver	32
Mrs. J. B. Thompson	8
	1,744
Calves.	
Swift & Co.	238
Hogs.	
Swift & Co.	367
Armour & Co.	134
Dougherty & Lyford	133
Fort Worth Mfg. Co.	4
Sam Jones	2
	640

AROUND THE STOCK YARDS.

Receipts of cattle for the first two days of the week were 6,622, and of hogs 2,071.

Richard Bros. from Albany sold 47 cows of 616 pounds average at $1.95.

A. M. Fritz from Ponca City, O. T., had in 73 hogs of 218 pounds that sold at $5.80.

S. L. Smythe sent in from Marlow, I. T., 50 hogs of 262 pounds that sold at $5.72½.

George Martin from Stamford shipped in 30 steers of 744 pounds average that sold at $2.25.

J. R. Coursey, Maysville, I. T., sold 16 steers of 743 pounds at $2.25, and 18 cows of 795 pounds at $2.

D. H. Green from Albany sold 1 cow of 1030 pounds at $2.50, 12 of 793 pounds at $2.10, and 18 of 719 pounds at $1.85.

D. T. Lowe from Ringgold, Tex., sold 82 hogs of 172 pounds at $5.65. Daugherty & Lyford of San Antonio were the buyers.

James Cottle from Moran shipped in a long string of cows, out of which 67 of 605 pounds average sold at $1.55, and 14 of 567 at $1.

F. W. Tibbetts from Maypearl, Tex., sold to W. M. Austin 21 hogs averaging 205 pounds at $5.80. This was the top price for the day.

Donohoe Bros. were on the market from Mulhall, I. T., with 70 hogs of 220 pounds that sold at $5.80, and 9 heavies of 371 pounds that brought $5.52½.

The Club Land & Cattle Co. shipped in from Dundee 3 loads of cows, out of which 27 head, average 960, sold at $2.20, and 58 of 839 pounds at $2.10.

A. F. Swenson from Stamford was on the market with 4 loads of cows, that averaged 945 and sold at $1.55, with 1 cow out that weighed 940 and sold at $3.

Parties wanting to feed at oil mills, might find what they want by writing the Boaz Grain & Fuel Co., of Fort Worth. They have several places of this kind.

Harrold & Spence again sold top steers today. They had in 50 head, out of which 25 of 1148 pounds sold at $3.90, and 25 of 1115 at $3.75. Armour & Co. were the purchasers.

With good hogs on the market yesterday from Oklahoma and Indian Territory, Texas hogs sent in by J. F. Teel from Collin county sold at the top. Hogs from Texas sold today at the top price.

R. A. Elliott from Moran sold 7 cows of 697 pounds at $2.50. These were especially good cows, and the price they bought was satisfactory evidence that good stuff is in demand at this market at remunerative prices.

The determination of Texas farmers to raise hogs is evidenced by the prices they are paying for stockers. Some 155-lb. stocker pigs sold on this market yesterday at $7. A pig that will bring his owner $10.85 is a money maker.

A shipment of hogs came in from J. M. Skaggs of Stewart, I. T., which went to the quarantine pens and sold at $5.30. A price was offered of $5.75 for them if they had been in the stocker pens. The loss to the shipper by virtue of the difference in price was $51.20. The Reporter has frequently called the attention of shippers of hogs to the need of billing their stocker hogs as "Stockers." In that case they go to the free pens, and can be taken anywhere. If not billed as stockers, they go to the quarantine pens and can be sold only to packers for slaughter. Stockers sell higher than other hogs. If your hogs are free from cholera and you want to sell them for stockers, have them so billed.

GENERAL NOTES.

A meeting has been called of the cattlemen of Texas and the Indian Territory to discuss the proposed independent packing company. The meeting is to be held in the office of the secretary of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association on the 15th inst.

Sam Rosen has returned from St. Louis, and reports that he bought rails and cars for his new street railroad in North Fort Worth. The rails are to be in Fort Worth in 20 days and the cars in 60 days. The car line will be two and a half miles long.

Mrs. D. C. Bennett died suddenly at her home on Samuels avenue, in Fort Worth, yesterday. She was the wife of D. C. Bennett, and was one of the pioneers of Fort Worth, coming here with her husband in the seventies. She had a large acquaintance in Fort Worth, to whom her unassuming Christian virtues had endeared her.

LIVE STOCK PREMIUMS.

WINNERS OF PRIZES AT THE DALLAS STATE FAIR.

Some Good Stock in All Classes, From Texas and Other States and Territories.

Red Polled.

The earnestness and sincerity of the breeders of this class can be judged by the following remark of one of them. In speaking of them, a representative of this paper remarked that they were the coming cattle for general use, as their milk and butter, beef, and no horns made them an all-round cow. Dr. Clifton promptly corrected him by stating, "No sir, you have made a mistake. They are the come cow now." The Red Polled are growing steadily in popularity, and this exhibition was a credit to the breed as well as the breeder.

The following were the prize winners.

Best bull, 3 years and over. Four shown. 1st, Lassie Knight—Dr. Clifton; 2nd, Dr. Corporal—Howell Bros., Bryan; 3rd, ———, J. L. Jennings & Bro., Martindale.

Best bull, 2 years and under 3. Two shown. 1st, Multiple—R. H. Jennings, Martindale; 2nd, Dan—J. L. Jennings & Bro., Martindale.

Best bull, 1 year and under 2. Six shown. 1st, Lucifer—Howell Bros., Bryan; 2nd, Dallas—Dr. Clifton, Waco; 3rd, Marion—Dr. Clifton, Waco.

This class brought out half a dozen beauties that called forth the closest scrutiny of the judges to place the ribbons.

Best bull calf under 1 year. Four shown. 1st, Eclipse—Dr. Clifton; 2nd, Abelard—Dr. Clifton; 3rd Norman—J. L. Jennings & Bro.

Best cow 3 years and over. Six shown. 1st, Hannah—Dr. Clifton; 2nd, Bonnie Lee—Dr. Clifton; 3rd, Guida—Dr. Clifton.

J. H. McKamy had 2 cows in this class that were eligible to a prize, but were not quite up in finish.

Best heifer 2 years and under. Two shown. 1st, Victoria—B. W. Langley, Denton; 2nd, Velvet—B. W. Langley. No competition.

Best heifer 1 year and under 2. Six shown. 1st, Idalia—Dr. Clifton; 2nd Myrtle—J. L. Jennings & Bro.; 3rd, Vera—Howell Bros.

This was another close run for the ribbons, and each animal will make a record in the show rings to follow, as their breeding and shape is all that could be asked. Only development is left unfinished. The owners are Dr. Clifton, J. L. Jennings & Bro., Howell Bros., and McKamy.

Best heifer calf 1 year. Seven shown. 1st, Empress—J. L. Jennings & Bro; 2nd, Adelaide—Dr. Clifton; 3rd, Village Girl—J. L. Jennings & Bro.

Sweepstakes — Best bull any age. Eight shown. 1st, Lassie Knight—Dr. Clifton; 2nd, Dr. Corporal—Howell Bros.; 3rd, Lucifer—Howell Bros.

Best cow any age. Eight shown. 1st, Hannah; 2nd, Bonnie Lee; 3rd, Guida—all Dr. Clifton.

Herd—Best bull and 4 females, any age. 1st, Lassie Knight—Dr. Clifton, with his get, as follows: Hannah, Guida, Bonnie Lee, New Miss; 2nd, Dr. Corporal—Howell Bros.

Only 2 herds shown in this class.

Best 4 get of 1 bull. 1st, to J. L. Jennings & Bro., on get of Peter B.; 2nd, Dr. Clifton, on get of Chancellor 2nd.

Best young herd, 1 bull and 4 females. Howell Bros. No competition.

Best 2 product of 1 cow. Six shown. 1st, Jennings & Bros., on get of Peter B; 2nd, Dr. Clifton, on get of Marion and Eclipse.

Best pair—bull and heifer—under 1 year. Four shown. 1st, Dr. Clifton; 2nd J. L. Jennings & Bro.

Best pair—bull and heifer—under six months. J. L. Jennings & Bro. No competition.

Shorthorns.

Best bull 3 years and over. 1st, Royal Gloucester—J. F. Hovenkamp & Son Fort Worth. Only one entry in this class. Royal Gloucester was considered by the judges to be a bull of great scale and character, good in top and bottom line, but a little lacking in the heart girth.

Best bull 2 years and under 3. Four shown. 1st, Great Archer—J. F. Green & Co.; 2nd, Lysander—P. B. Hunt, Dallas; 3rd, Marquis Again—J. F. Green & Co. Great Archer has made great improvement since his last exhibition, and if he carries his flesh as smooth and evenly he should easily be champion bull of this state at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show next March. Marquis Again had a great many admirers for 2nd place. He is a bull of wonderful depth, good at both ends, but a little lacking in the crops and back.

Best bull 1 year and under 2. Three shown. 1st, Roan Beauty—J. F. Hovenkamp & Son; 2nd, Baron Red—J. E. Brown, Granbury; 3rd, Prince Victor—J. F. Green & Co., Gregory.

The winner in this class was also winner in sweepstakes, and if he continues to carry his flesh as even and smoothly he should be heard from among the first ones at the shows next year. He was bred by L. B. Brown of Smithfield, and it goes without saying that they can breed good ones in Texas as well as anywhere else.

Best bull calf 1 year. Three shown. 1st, Victor 2d—J. F. Hovenkamp & Son; 2nd, Bell Ringer—J. F. Green & Co.; 3rd, Jack the Barber—J. F. Green & Co.

Best cow 3 years and over. Four shown. 1st, Queen of Scots the 7th—J. F. Hovenkamp & Son; 2nd, Lady Gloucester 3d—same; 3rd, Maggie Beaton 2d—J. F. Green & Co.

Queen of Scots took her usual place, which she has had at every show with one exception since her first exhibition at San Antonio in 1900, and the critics could hardly believe that she had dropped 6 calves and still carried her flesh so smoothly.

Best heifer 2 years and under 3. Three shown. 1st, Lady Gloucester 4th—J. F. Hovenkamp & Son; 2nd, Miss Miller—Green; 3rd, Madrina—Green.

Best heifer 1 year and under 2. Six shown. 1st, 2nd and 3rd, Hovenkamp.

The calves in this class were all beauties and admired by all. Queen of Texas, out of Queen of Scots, is following in the steps of her grand old mother, and was easily first in her class, and the judge debated some time about making her the champion cow.

Best heifer calf under 1 year. Five shown. 1st, Lady Royal 3d—Hovenkamp & Son; 2nd, ———, H. O. Samuels, Dallas; 3rd, Ivey Girl—P. B. Hunt.

Sweepstakes—Best bull any age—Five shown. 1st, Roan Beauty—J. F. Hovenkamp & Son; 2nd, Royal Gloucester—same; 3rd, Baron Red—J. E. Brown.

Best cow, any age. 1st, 2nd and 3rd, Hovenkamp—Queen of Scots 7th, Queen of Texas and Lady Gloucester 3d.

Best bull and 4 females. 1st and 2nd, J. F. Hovenkamp & Son.

Best 4 get of 1 bull. 1st and 2nd, Hovenkamp. Get of Royal Cup.

Best young herd—1 bull and 4 females, all under 2 years. 1st, Roan Beauty—Hovenkamp, Lady Gloucester 5th, Victoriana 2d, Gipsy Girl and Queen of Texas; 2nd, ———, H. O. Samuels.

Best 2, product of 1 cow. Eight shown. 1st, Product of Lady Gloucester—Hovenkamp; 2nd, Queen of Scots—Hovenkamp.

Best pair, bull and heifer under 1 year. 1st and 2nd, Hovenkamp. No competition.

Special premiums by Texas Shorthorn breeders. Best Shorthorn steer, 1 year old and under 2. Five shown. 1st to Brown, 2nd to Schutt, 3rd to Samuels, 4th to Hunt, 5th to Hunt.

This class was a practical demonstration of what the Shorthorn steer can do. The winner of the first prize will be 2 years old the 8th of January and weighed 1,200 pounds, and the winner of second will be 2 years old the 27th of November and weighed 1,285 pounds.

Champion steer.—Best under 2 years J. E. Brown took 1st on steer calf, also grand champion, any age. Mr. Brown's roan steer was an easy winner in his class in much stronger competition in the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth last March, and if he continues he will be warm company for the champion steer any age or breed next Fat Stock Show in March.

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.	
Geo. Martin, Stamford	221
A. T. Swenson, Stamford	118
J. R. Pennington, Stamford	101
T. Richards, Albany	64
Sedwick & King, Moran	70
D. H. Green, Albany	33
O. Cain, San Angelo	248
J. R. Causey, Maysville	74
Cottle & Elliott, Putnam	245
J. E. Butler, Ranger	44
Tracy Bros., Strawn	44
B. Bascin, Mill Creek, I. T.	22
Harrold & Spence, Italy	50
C. M. Harris, Mineral Wells	36
Quinlin & Lewis, Nocona	60
O. F. Billings, Quanah	28
C. L. & C. Co., Dundee	85
Carroll & Miller, Brady	60
E. A. Mugford, Brady	30
H. G. Carruthers, Winchell	40
Clay Oldham, Winchell	58
S. J. Allen, Dublin	31
L. Hancock, Irene	29
Hays & James, Ardmore	30
J. M. Pollard, Ardmore	71
M. A. Epps, Jacksboro	38
T. H. Cherryholmes, Chico	53
Cherryholmes & Sons, Chico	52
G. J. Kult, Ryan	38
Mrs. E. Seay, Ryan	29
J. W. Todd, Addington	28
H. A. Kerlly, Addington	33
G. W. McDaniels, Abilene	38
M. W. Henderson, Santo	71
R. P. Ash, Longview	31
F. M. P., Longview	31
A. J. R., Longview	32
Hogs.	
D. T. Lowe, Ringgold	135
Donohoe Bros., Mulhall, I. T.	70
A. M. Fritz, Ponca City, O. T.	68
J. M. Skaggs, Stuart, I. T.	94
F. W. Tibbetts, Maypearl, Tex.	54
W. C. Spurgin, Ralston, O. T.	68
E. P. Castello, Graham	65
G. B. Johnson, Waukomis	155
O. L. Smythe, Marlow, I. T.	50

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A YOUNG ENGLISH PEER.

Duke of Leinster, Premier of Ireland, Is 16 Years Old.

The duke of Leinster is one of the youngest peers in King Edward's realm. He is 16 years old and is the premier peer of the kingdom of Ireland and head of the great Irish house of Fitzgerald, which for hundreds of years has played so conspicuous a role in the history of the emerald Isle. He is a great grandnephew of the patriot, Lord Edward, the hero and martyr of the '98 rebellion. During his school days the young peer was one of the leading boys at Eton in all sorts of athletics, but he developed signs of consumption, the malady that carried off both his father and mother, and left him the youngest duke in the English peerage when barely 6 years old, and now every precaution is being taken to preserve him for the great things that may be expected from one of his brilliant ancestry.

Wood and Steel.

The old wooden frigate Saratoga, which was launched nearly sixty years ago, and is still pursuing a career of usefulness as a schoolship, is an object lesson in the durability of wood as a material for shipbuilders. Paint and oil preserve it from decay. What will do as much for iron and steel, the materials of which modern warships are built? Will the battleships and cruisers of today be as staunch after fifty years of salt water service as the Saratoga is?

W. E. Henley's Small Estate.

The estate left by W. E. Henley, one of the most successful of modern writers of story books for boys, amounts to but $5,000, although his books have had an enormous circulation. Lack of an international copyright is blamed for his want of success in accumulating property. His books were more lately read in the United States than in England, but he derived no profit from their sale here.

Accomplishes Foolhardy Feat.

Simeon Strabrovsky, a fisherman born at Odessa, has just accomplished the hazardous feat of sailing alone in a small boat through the Black sea from Odessa to Constantinople. He has returned to his native town, and there, the "Patrie" says, he was presented with a check for £200. Strabrovsky did not even have a compass to direct him, but steered his craft by the stars.

French Robinson Crusoe.

Some sixty-four miles off the coast of Tunis a cluster of little islands has been discovered. One was found to be inhabited by a former French sergeant, Clement, who had disappeared some fourteen years ago, and a small number of natives. The islands have been annexed by France, and Clement appointed resident inspector of fishing and of the harbor, registrar and teacher.

Touched Wrong Spot.

When Conan Doyle was practicing medicine, in the days previous to his literary success, he had little patience with hypochondriacs—with persons who imagined themselves to be ill when, really, there was nothing the matter with them.

Robert Barr tells of a man who visited Doyle one day with an imaginary ailment in his side. He described this ailment in great detail. Putting his hand above his hip, he said:

"I get a pain here, doctor, whenever I touch my head."

"Why on earth, then," said the physician, "do you touch your head?"—Boston Post.

IS NOT ASTONISHED.

Berlin Department of Potice Refers to Attacks on Rulers.

PRESIDENT'S DANGER

Members Surprised Head of This Government Has Not Had More Risks, Imperial Family Being Much Menaced.

Berlin, Oct. 7.—Department of police noted without astonishmnt the several instances recently of the danger to the life of President Roosevelt, only wondering why they have been so few and so evidently with intelligent direction.

Inquiries show arrests of persons suspected of designs against members of the imperial family average one daily. Arrests are daily reported in newspapers and then only against the wishes of the police, for the latter believe that the mere mention of such arrests prompts ill regulated minds to plan for killing the sovereign. Quite fifty definite clews to such plots have been investigated during the last nine months, largely upon anonymous declarations. Members of the imperial family, however, are so hedged in by police precautions that it is difficult for a mentally diseased person to get near them.

CHAMBERLAIN OFF.

Former Colonial Secretary Begins Fiscal Campaign at Glasgow.

Birmingham, Eng., Oct. 7.—Joseph Chamberlain set out from here Tuesday morning on his fiscal campaign, amid every demonstration of good will from his fellow townsmen. Hundreds gathered at the railroad station and alternately sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and shouted "Good old Joey," and "the country's with you." Many vain appeals were made for a speech, but the only expressed opinion that could be extracted from the former colonial secretary was in reply to congratulations on the appointment of his son, Austen, as chancellor of the exchequer. Mr. Chamberlain admitted there were difficulties before the party, but thought it would "get through with them all right." Mrs. Chamberlain accompanied her husband on his speech making tour, which begins at Glasgow.

IMMUNITY FOR OLA.

Insurgent Chief Promises to Help Capture Two Other Leaders.

Manila, Oct. 7.—General Ola, leader of the insurgent armies in the province of Albay, Luzon, continues to turn over the guns of his command to American authorities. During the campign 100 insurgents were killed and 700 men and 100 guns captured. At the time of the surrender Ola's men were in rags, hungry and covered with sores. He promised to help the authorities to capture Toleno and Laria, insurgent leaders still at large. General Allen says he has promised to grant immunity to Ola.

BOUND FOR BORNEO.

Took Six Thousand Dollars and Departed on a Schooner.

Manila, Oct. 7.—George Forman, chief inspector, and C. J. Johnson, constabulary supply officer, both stationed at Missamis, Mindanae, whose accounts are under investigation, seized $6000 from the safe, seized a steamer and started for Borneo. Running short of coal, they stopped a native vessel and took from her a new supply. A steamer has been sent to Borneo to interrupt the fugitives.

RICHARDSON BACK.

Says He Resigned Presidency of Postal Development Company.

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—Superintendent Daniel S. Richardson re-appeared at his office in the postoffice after an absence of some weeks in Washington, where he was summoned before the federal grand jury in investigation of dealings of Postal Device and Development company, which resulted in the indictment of Postal Inspector James W. Erwi, August W. Machen and George W. Beavers for conspiring to defraud the United States. Richardson said he was no longer president of the Development company, having resigned in favor of Edwin F. Joy, vice president, after inspectors came here from Washington, for the reason he "had other duties" and could not give it proper attention.

POISONOUS PUNCH.

It Was Made of Wood Alcohol and Three Imbibers Are Corpses.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Frank and Thomas Helms, brothers, aged forty-three and twenty-four years respectively, and William Conn, aged forty-one years, died from the affects of wood alcohol. According to the police the three men had been drinking heavily since Saturday. They procured a quantity of wood alcohol from a drug store and with lemons and sugar made a punch extract. Of this they imbibed freely Saturday, Sunday and Monday. They were taken violently ill early Tuesday morning.

Herbert's Remains Buried.

London, Oct. 7.—The remains of the late Sir Michael Herbert, British ambassador to the United States, was interred in the family burial ground at Wilton, Wiltshire. King Edward and Prince of Wales sent representatives. Ambassador Choate and Secretary White of the American embassy attended. Simultaneously there was an impressive memorial service in the chapel of St. James' palace.

Fatally Assaulted.

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 7.—William Ribelin, a farmer, was assaulted and fatally wounded near here. Three arrests have been made.

FIFTY-SEVEN ARRIVE.

That Number of Men Are at Austin and May Go to San Antonio.

Austin, Oct. 7.—Fifty-seven men arrived here from St. Louis. It is alleged they will await developments of the threatened street car strike at San Antonio. In the event of a strike they will go there.

Governor Lanham has appointed P. A. Turner of Texaskana as judge of the Fifth district court, succeeding Justice Talbot.

Frank Beeler, convicted some years ago of robbing the Wells, Fargo Express company of $60,000, has been released from the penitentiary.

FOR AN ASYLUM.

Christian Church of Texas Has Purchased Large Tract Near Dallas.

Dallas, Oct. 7.—The directors of the Juliette Fowler orphanage, under the direction of the Christian church, have purchased 200 acres of land twelve miles west of here, near Grand Prairie. Price paid was $10.00. There is a large house on the land, which will be fitted up to house orphans and aged people. The orphans will be taught farming, etc.

Car Partially Burned.

Dallas, Oct. 7.—A car belonging to the Floto show at the fair grounds caught fire and was partially destroyed. Loss, about $2000.

MUCH MARCHING.

Soldiers Perambulated Through a Driving Rain and Considerable Mud.

Camp Young, Ky., Oct. 7.—After two days of marching and counter-marching in the driving rain, culminating in an engagement respectable proportions and a long march back to the base through mud, the state troops greeted with cheers the announcement there would be no work save light drill in camp Tuesday. During the course of Monday's maneuvers the blues accomplished what is practically a full day's march, fifteen miles, and part of them

MAJOR GENERAL JOHN C. BATES.

participated in the work on the firing line besides. Consequently, many guardsmen awoke stiff and sore. The regulars took the announcement of a day off in a more restrained fashion and set quietly to work polishing up for division review, in which 10,000 men will take part.

Gen. Bates, accompanied by his personal aides, spent Tuesday at Nashville, where he attended the horse show. Field hospital corps here have received orders to proceed to Fort Riley Sunday for maneuvers there.

RECEIVED PART.

Board of Education of Kansas City, Kan., Confesses to Receiving Money.

Kansas City, Oct. 7.—M. G. Jones, clerk of the board of education, Kansas City, confessed at a meeting of the boaord to having received part of the premiums paid by fire insurance companies for insuring various school buildings in that city. Jones' confession is the result of an investigation growing out of complaints of insurance agents who represented they were being held up by the clerk. Jones asserted that the money was given him without solicitation and he felt he had a perfect right to accept it. The finance committee will further investigate the matter.

PRISON CONGRESS.

Two Reports Were Read and Discussed Before Meeting at Louisville.

Louisville, Oct. 7.—Less than 100 delegates were present in Exchange hall when the National Prison Congress was called to order. Report of standing committee on criminal law reform, prepared by the chairman, Judge Sidney B. Davis of Terre Haute, Ind., was read and discussed as was also the report of committee on probation work, submitted by the chairman, Mrs. Elizabeth Tuttle, of Boston. The delegates then took a train for Frankfort.

Prospects of Adoption.

Paris, Oct. 7.—Official advices show the Japanese fleet is in the harbor of Ma-San-Pho, south of Corea. No troops have yet been landed. It is accepted as practically settled that Russia will not evacuate ports of Manchuria Oct. 8, the date fixed for the evacuation. Russian ambassador to Japan, Baron de Rosen, having plenary powers, is now negotiating with foreign minister at Tokio, and there is reason to believe a possible basis of a solution of the difficulty is having some prospects of adoption if Russia concedes Japan a foothold in Corea.

Juror Has Bilious Fever.

Lexington, S. C., Oct. 7.—The continued illness with bilious fever of a juror in the Tillman case necessitated an adjournment. The judge stated that if he did not speedily recover the case could continue with eleven jurors by agreement of both sides.

Death Due to Nightmare.

Fayetteville, Ark., Oct. 7.—George Stirman, a colored man, was found dead in bed. Inquest verdict was that he died of nightmare.

SPOKE IN SCOTLAND.

Six Thousand Perso s Heard Chamberlain Make First Speech.

GLASGOW GREETING.

Former Colonial Secretary Declared That With Preferential Treatment Britain Could Control Foreign Trade.

Glasgow, Oct. 7.—St. Andrew's hall was packed to its full capacity, 6000, when Joseph Chamberlain rose Tuesday evening to deliver the first speech of his finance campaign. His appearance caused a tremendous outburst of enthusiasm, the ovation lasting for several minutes.

Mr. Chamberlain returned his thanks for this, the first opportunity of explaining his fiscal views. He was loyal to the part in which he had found a leader every member might have been proud to follow, and warmly refuted the insinuation that under any conceivable circumstances would he come in competition with his friend and leader.

The former colonial secertary added that he desired to prepare the country for a struggle in which, if vanquished, it would lose its place among the nations.

After the presentation of lengthy trade statistics, Mr. Chamberlain said that if the colonial trade did not increase with the population of the United Kingdom, with the decrease of foreign trade, Great Britain would sink into a fifth rate nation and her fate would be the same as that of the empires of the past.

Speaking of the consequence of the present policy to this country, this Chamberlain pointed out the loss of the tin plate trade and said that if thehy could have offered the United States advantages to leave the trade alone it would have been retained. The result of such a policy, the speaker claimed must be the entire loss of the colonial trade, while on the contrary, with preferential treatment, the United Kingdom would capture the foreign trade with the colonies and give employment to additional millions of workers.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS.

General Grand High Priest Taylor Eulogizes Late President McKinley.

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 7.—The thirty-second triennial convention of the general grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the United States opened Tuesday. After addresses of welcome and responses, Dr. James W. Taylor of Lutherville, Ga., general grand high priest, delivered his triennial address. In reference to proposed dispensations for charter sat Havana, Cuba, and Manilla, he said:

"While I am very anxious for the spread of Royal Arch Masonry, I think the general grand chapter should be very particular in regard to the matter of enacting chapters in foreign lands and the islands of the sea, and avoid, if possible, any disagreeable complications, with which we have had some expedience, and I do not think the craft will suffer from the exercise of such caution.

A feature of the address was a tribute to deceased members, among them President McKinley, of whom the general grand high priest said:

"Just to his people, loyal to his country, liberal to his enemies and true to his Creator, companion William McKinley was a man and Mason, loved for his worth and honored for his integrity."

The report of Christopher G. Fox of Buffalo, N. Y., general grand secretary, shows that the total number of affiliated Royal Arch Masons is 219,965. In the past three years the receipts were $438,831.77, and the expenditures $374,442.84. The report contains the following recommendation: "The general grand chapter has promulgated a system of work and lectures, and it has adopted a code of the essentials of a Royal Arch Masonry, with a view thereby of securing uniformity of work and essentials. It should, therefore, complete its course of instruction, by its consistent approval of a method of communicating the teaching of the crytograph, to the end that, like the other systems, it may become the standard of uniformity for all the jurisdictions that may choose to adopt it."

PHILLIPPI PITCHED.

For the Third Time He Is Responsible For Pittsburg's Success.

Pittsburg, Oct. 7.—Notwithstanding showers and threatening weather the first game on the home grounds of the world's championship series between Pittsburg and Boston was played Tuesday. Phillippi again pitched for Pittsburg and again was his great work mainly responsible for the downfall of the American League champions. His control was perfect and his support superb, a dropped thrown ball by Bransfield being the only misplay.

The series now stands three to one in favor of Pittsburg. Score: Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 4.

Three Straight.

St. Louis, Oct. 7.—The Americans again won from the Nationals Tuesday. This makes it three straight games for the American League team. Score: Americans, 10; Nationals, 2.

By Better Playing.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—The Nationals defeated the American Leaguers Tuesday by all round better playing. Score: National, 5; Americans, 2.

To Investigate.

Little Rock, Oct. 7.—President Kavanaugh has called a meeting of the Southern Baseball association at Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 17, for the purpose of investigating charges made by William Phyle, captain of the Memphis club, relative to alleged "thrown games."

POPULISTS MEET.

The Executive Committee Convenes at Dallas on Tuesday.

Dallas, Oct. 7.—The Populist executive committee held a meeting at this city Tuesday. Those who attended the meeting were: Milton Park, chairman, Dallas; T. J. Castleman, Bogwell; H. S. P. (Stump) Ashby, Smithfield; J. C. James, Rockwall; A. Woodson, Red Oak; T. S. Lackey, Mount Pleasant; W. E. Lewis, Cornhill; G. W. Churchwell, Millsap; P. C. Brush, Roanoke; J. M. Mallett, Cleburne; F. A. Bradley, Bratton; H. L. Bentley, Abilene; J. W. Beard, Paris; H. M. McChristian, Pattonville, O. F. Dornblaser, Hillsboro; R. A. Lee and A. F. Slater, Dallas; F. M. McChristian, Kaufman, and Ira Copeland, Peoria.

The action of the Denver conference, by which the two wings of the party were united, was unanimously indorsed and the policy suggested by that conference was unanimously approved.

A committee was appointed to prepare an address.

DEBS SPOKE.

Criticises the Action of the President in the Miller Matter.

Fort Worth, Oct. 7.—Eugene V. Debs, the former Socialist candidate for president and well known railroad man, lectured here Tuesday night before a large audience. He referred to the Miller case and criticised the action of President Roosevelt, declaring the latter had dealt a severe blow to organized labor. He said in part: "I don't know why Mr. Roosevelt ought to be a friend to the working man. His associations, his instincts and interests have always been wholly on the side of the capitalist class. As governor of New York he sent the state militia to Croton dam to shoot down workmen for protesting against the violation of the eight-hour law. In his decision in the Miller case in the government printing office he struck a staggering blow at organized labor, the effect of which is as yet but little understood."

PATRIARCH MILITANT.

Fourteen Candidates Were Duly Initiated Into That Degree.

Sherman, Tex., Oct. 7.—Fourteen candidates were initiated as Patriarchs Militant. After the degree work a banquet was served. Chevalier Banks Sutherland, superintendent of the Odd Fellows orphans home at Corsicana, for the benefit of the young chevaliers, described how the girls of the home receive young men callers. The cards are sent to the superintendent, and if the young man desiring to call is deemed worthy he is given permission to call, but is at all time during the call under the eyes of the matron of the institution. And should he propose marriage to a young lady of the institution he must also get the consent of the superintendent, in addition to that of the body from which the young lady was sent to the home.

In the grand encampment forty-five encampments were represented.

The committee on judiciary approved all the decisions of the grand patriarch during the last term.

Nine Persons Bitten.

Alto, Tex., Oct. 7.—A mad puppy bit nine peysons at Nacogdoches. All of them came here to use a madstone. It adherred to every one.

Supreme Court Meets.

Austin, Oct. 7.—The supreme court met and organized Tuesday. There were several submissions. The entire court were present.

ARKANSAS LYNCHING.

Negro Taken From Sheridan Jail And Hanged in Courthouse Yard.

Little Rock, Oct. 7.—A special to the Gazette from Sheridan says: Ed McCollum, a negro, was taken from the county jail by a masked mob, tied to a tree in the courthouse yard and his body riddled with bullets. McCollum was placed in jail last Saturday on a charge of shooting Constable F. M. Crutchfield of Davis township while he was trying to arrest McCollum on a charge of assault with intent to kill a negro.

Member of Church of England.

London, Oct. 7.—The report that Sir Mitchael Herbert died a Roman Catholic is unfounded. The burial service was conducted by the archdeacon of Wiltshire, Canon Mead and Canon Oliver. The music included Mendelsshon's and Chopin's funeral marches and an interlude especially composed by Sir Hubert Parry, director of the royal college of music. The body was laid in a flower-lined grave in the churchyard. Wreaths were also sent by Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. Ogden Goelet, the Earl and Countes of Yarmouth and the American society in London.

Contract Signed.

Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 7.—A contract between the Brazillian government and C. H. Walker & Co., of London, Eng., involving $25,000,000 for harbor and dock improvement here, the work to begin in January next, has just been signed.

Bishop Doherty Arriveres.

Manila, Oct. 7.—Bishop Doherty, the first American clerical dignitary appointed for the islands, has just arrived here. An enthusiastic welcome was extended to him by the Filipino and Spanish American American residents.

Over One Thousand.

Richmond, Ind., Oct. 7.—At the session of the National Horse Thief Detective association, a membership of 1166 was reported.

Platt Soon to Wed.

New York, Oct. 7.—Senator Platt of New York has announced that his marriage to Mrs. Lillian J. Janeway will take place here Oct. 15.

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a 3 20 pm Dallas & Willis Point Local
a 4 20 pm ..... Dallas Local
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West
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DIVORCED FROM BOTH.

Decision Made by Jewish Rabbis in Complicated Matrimonial Case.

Baltimore, Oct. 7.—A curious matrimonial complication has been finally settled by Judge Sharp granting Samuel Oren a divorce from Marie Roypen. Last October the couple were married. As the couple approached the altar, Joseph Goldberg, formerly a suitor, slipped a coin into the girl's hand, and, according to old Jewish custom, claimed her as his wife. The incident created a sensation among the crowd in the synagogue, but the rabbi concluded to marry the girl to Oren.

Next day Goldberg and the girl eloped to Boston. Oren tried to secure a warrant for the girl's arrest. Failing in this he went to Philadelphia and consulted a number of Orthodox rabbis respecting the case. Meanwhile Goldberg and the Roypen girl returned to Baltimore, and went to live with Goldberg's parents. Goldberg contended that the girl's marriage to Oren was null and void, and that his was binding, because she was forced to marry Oren by her parents.

The case was finally submitted to a council of Jewish rabbis, who decided that the girl had to be divorced from both husbands.

BAD WASHOUTS.

Damage to Crops Along Mexican Central Railway Has Been Great.

Torreon, Mex., Oct. 6.—The excitement consequent to the flood on the Nazas river does not seem to abate. Great activity is being displayed near Gomez Palacio to restore the various roads to a proper condition for traffic. The Mexican Central Railroad company and the Electric company have large forces at work repairing washouts. The number of places where washouts occurred is eight, some of them between Gomez Palice and Lerdo, but the most important ones between here and Gomez.

It is as yet impossible to estimate that it is safe to fix the damage to cotton alone at $500,000 and $300,000 or $400,000 to other crops.

NEW INDICTMENTS.

Fifteen Additional Have Been Returned at National Capital.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Fifteen new indictments were returned in the supreme court for the District of Columbia as the final result of the investigation in the postoffice department. Several of these findings were against persons who have already been indicted.

The new indictments involve James N. Tyner, formerly assistant attorney general for the postoffice department, and his assistant, Harrison J. Barrett. Others are also implicated.

HAS RESIGNED.

Duke of Devonshire No Longer President of the Council.

London, Oct. 7.—The Duke of Devonshire, leader of the Conservative party in the house of lords, has resigned the office of lord president of the council and the king has accepted his resignation. The duke wrote Mr. Balfour, giving his reasons for his resignation, which he attributed among other things to the premier's speech at Sheffield and his pamphlet on insular free trade. The Duke of Devonshire has not yet made his letter public.

Could Not Be Better.

New Orleans, Oct. 7.—Dr. Arthur Nolte, member of the state board of health, who was the official representative of the board to Laredo, returned from San Antonio.

He declares the Texas quarantine against the fever at Laredo as perfect as any quarantine could be, and that he never saw a better one.

Reported Dynamiting.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 7.—A special to the Miner from Missoula says a report reached there that an engine pulling an eastbound freight train was blown up by dynamite at Avon, on the Northern Pacific road. The cab was blown off the engine and fireman and engineer narrowly escaped being seriously injured.

Liabilities Twice Assets.

New York, Oct. 7.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by counsel for creditors against Abraham M. Eisenberg, an importer of furs. The assets are placed at $125,000 and liabilities twice that sum. Eisenberg recently was connected with theatrical enterprises in this city.

Served Notice of Appeal.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—Leopold J. Stern, through his counsel, served notice of appeal against his extradition, and the motion will be taken to the divisional court unless the United States authorities agree not to call Stern as a witness against the others accused of the postoffice scandals at Washington.

MINOR MATTERS.

United States court is in session at Abilene, Tex.

Emanuel Stewart, shot in a saloon at Oklahoma City, died.

Jim Lynch, colored, was fatally stabbed at New Braunfels, Tex.

Public schools of Oklahoma City opened with an enrollment of 4000.

A woman in male attire was arrested at Austin. She is in the insane asylum.

Roadmaster Hempkins of the Katy railway received two knife wounds at Waco. An arrest was made.

Three miles east of Clarksville, Tex., Charles Springs, a negro, had his skull fractured by another negro.

Texas attorney general has instituted suit against ten mutual life insurance companies to forfeit their charters.

Sisto Sitalles, a Mexican, was shot and died in two hours near Strawn, Tex. Another Mexican was arrested.

Judge Hamblin of Houston issued an injunction against proprietors of Nacogdoches Sentinel restraining publication of recent local option election result in Nacogdoches county.

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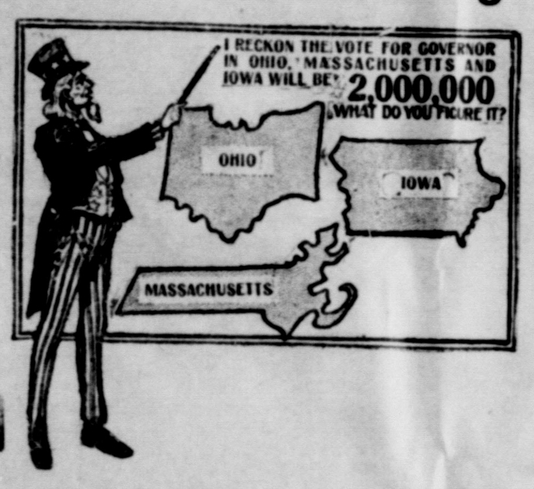

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1893	823,658	365,012	415,806	1,604,476
1895	837,466	328,121	401,345	1,566,932
1897	854,986	269,795	438,292	1,563,073
1899	908,159	299,166	433,351	1,640,676
1901	827,566	324,526	390,489	1,542,581

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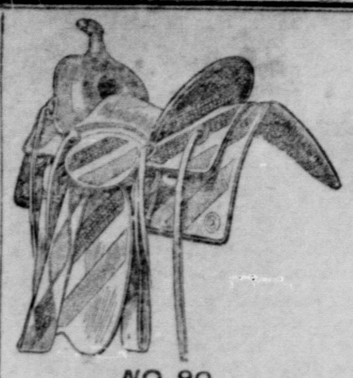

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PRICES TO SELLERS.

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Roosters, per dozen	1.5
Fryers, per dozen	$2.50 to $3.00
TURKEYS—No demand.	
DUCKS—Per dozen	3.25
EGGS—Per dozen	16½
BUTTER—Per pound, yellow	15c to 20c

Grain and Hay.
PRICES PAID TO FARMERS

HAY—Johnson Grass, ton	$7.00
Prairie Texas, ton	7.50
Prairie Territory, ton	$7.50 to $8.00
Alfalfa	15.00
BRAN—Per cwt	.80
CORN CHOPS—	1.10
CORN SHELLED—Per bushel	.50
OATS—Per bushel	.47
WHEAT—No 2	.72 to .75
No 3	.72

Vegetables.

CABBAGE—Per pound	2c
TURNIPS—Per pound	2c
POTATOES—Per bushel	90c
SWEET POTATOES—Per bushel	$1.00
TOMATOES—Per pound	4c
LIMA BEANS—None, bushel	$1.40
CUCUMBERS—Per doz	25c

Seeds.
SELLING PRICE.

ALFALFA—100 pounds	$15.50
MILLET—Prime, 100 pounds	1.05
Fancy German	1.15
Pearl or Cattail	12.50
KAFFIR CORN—Per bushel	.65
DWARF ESSEX RAPE—100 pounds	6.00
CANE—Early Amber	1.30
Orange	1.30
Red Top	1.50
TURNIPS—Purple top, 100 lbs	22.50
Rutabaga	20.50
OATS—Tenn. Winter Turf, bushel	.75

Hides.
PRICES PAID SHIPPERS.

Heavy Dry Peef	12½c
Heavy Dry Fallen	11½c
Lights	9½c
Dry Salt	10½c
Green	6½c

Provisions.
FROM THE STORE.

BACON—Standard	11½c
Extra	16½c
Dry Salt Standard	10½c
Dry Salt Bellies	12½c
Bacon Bellies	13½c
HAMS—Medium	15c
Large	14½c
LARD—Leaf, in tierces	11c
50-pound cans	11½c
10-pound cans	12c
Compound, tierces	9c
10-pound cans	11c

Sugar and Molasses.
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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

Staple Groceries.
SELLING PRICES.

COFFEE—Roasted, pound	12½c
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DECREASE IS SLIGHT.

Nineteen New Cases Developed at Laredo on Tuesday.

BEGINNING OF END.

At Monterey Seven More Persons Have Been Stricken Down by the Dread Scourge. Three of Them Children.

Laredo, Tex., Oct. 7.—The number of new cases of yellow fever as compared with Monday's figures show a slight decrease, nineteen new cases having developed Tuesday. The experts in charge state there is no cause for alarm over the increase of the past two days, that this increase indicates the beginning of the end.

Tuesday's official bulletin is as follows: New cases, 19; deaths, none; total cases to date, 102; total deaths to date, 5.

The latest reports from Minera state that there have been three deaths out of five cases, one death having previously been reported. The physicians are working unceasingly to stamp out the disease and it is now evident that success is sure to crown their efforts.

There has been no change in the situation at Nuevo Laredo, no new cases being reported from there.

At Monterey seven suspicious cases were reported to the board of health, three being children of the late Dr. A. G. Alderman, the first victim of the disease in this city. The other cases are those of Mrs. Gonzales and her three children, who live near the residence of Dr. Alderman. The latter are in their home pending further investigation, and the children of Dr. Alderman are cared for at the Alderman home.

Several points in Mexico have established a quarantine against Laredo. People are not allowed to stop at Salinas, Vilaldama, Bustamante, Sabinas, Hidalgo nor Lampasoz. Those who alight from the south bound train ata any of these points are compelled to board a returning train for Laredo or are placed in quarantine.

Quarantine stations have been provided at these towns and transients under suspicion will be kept within extra fine netting until the time of suspicion elapses or they have returned to Laredo.

Reports from Victoria, Mex., say that conditions there are much improved.

BISSELL PASSES AWAY.

Former Postmaster General Departs This Life After a Long Illness.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Wilson S. Bissell, formerly postmaster general, died at 10:15 o'clock Tuesday night. About noon he sank into a deep sleep and it was with difficulty that he was aroused at intervals during the afternoon for nourishment and medicine. The end came easily and peacefully. Dr. Dewitt Sherman, the physician who has been attending him during his recent illness, and members of the family, were at his bedside.

Mr. Bissell suffered from complications thought to be akin to Bright's disease, although not well understood.

On June 1 Mr. Bissell's trouble became so serious that he was sent to New York to consult specialists. It was thought an operation would be performed but after an examination the specialist decided that it would be better for the patient first to rebuild his health. He was sent to his summer home, Bar Harbor, where he spent several weeks. He spent most of the time there in bed and it was realized that his case was hopeless. In September he returned to Buffalo. Some important legal matter in which he was interested was disposed of and Mr. Bissell was again forced to bed. He suffered no pain, sleeping most of the time.

When awake his mind was always clear and he conversed with members of the family and the physicians. During the latter part of his illness numerous messages of inquiry were received from former President Cleveland and members of the cabinet in which Mr. Bissel served as postmaster general.

COTTON BELT REPORT.

Compared With Previous Year There Has Been Little Change.

St. Louis, Oct. 7.—The report of the St. Louis Southwestern railroad (Cotton Belt) for the fiscal year ended June 30 was submitted at the annual meeting of the stockholders held here Tuesday. Compared with the previous year but little change is shown. The report shows gross earnings of $7,278,574, operating expenses $5,256,163, net earnings $21,022,411, total income $2,205,013, charges against income $1,510,173, leaving a surplus of $694,324. Last year's surplus was $728,189.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

One Occupant of Carriage Killed and the Other Soon Expired.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Two men were struck by an Atlantic City express train on the Pennsylvania railroad at Merchantville, N. J. One, who has not yet been identified, was instantly killed, and the other, who was brought to this city on the train which ran him down, died at a hospital. He was H. Treck, aged twenty-five, of Riverside, N. J. The two men were in a carriage and were attempting to cross the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad when the train came down upon them.

Dispensary For Raleigh.

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