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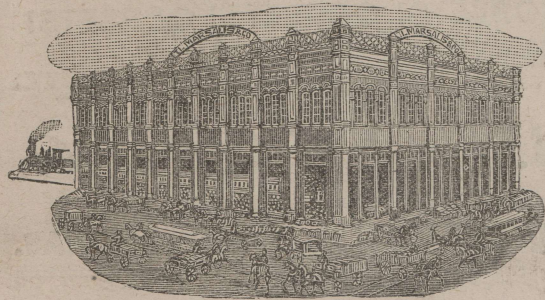
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ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

Enjoying a Run—Sales of Stock.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.,
Jan 19, 1886.

[Regular Correspondence TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL.]

Since my last letter we have been enjoying a run in the market. In fact all the leading stock centres of the country were flooded with stock. In the fore part of the week, prices declined from 50¢ to 75¢ per 100 lbs on all grades, but later some of these declines were regained but not all. Yesterday and today we again had fair receipts and prices were about steady. Some dealers contend that prices will not advance much and will remain at the present range. Others predict better figures. From this it will be seen that opinion is divided.

Here are a few of to-day's sales:

42 native steers.....	1269	\$4 30
42 native steers.....	1275	4 30
15 native steers.....	1291	4 35
40 native steers.....	1243	4 35
52 native steers.....	1282	4 35
23 native steers.....	1152	4 25
40 native steers.....	1303	4 30
60 native steers.....	1151	3 87
11 native steers.....	1236	3 87
20 native butchers.....	1083	3 90
19 native cows.....	1040	2 89
9 native cows.....	985	2 70
16 native butchers.....	1019	4 00
12 s w cows.....	1304	4 70
10 Ark cows and butchers.....	882	2 50
16 southwest steers.....	9 75	3 70
20 southwest steers.....	1289	4 00
8 southwest steers.....	1077	3 90
15 southwest steers.....	1036	3 75
18 southwest steers.....	857	3 65
18 southwest steers.....	1308	4 50
24 southwest steers.....	955	3 50
13 southwest steers.....	932	3 50
—southwest mixed.....	973	3 50
20 native cows.....	1044	3 15
—Ark steers.....	827	3 25
—Ark mixed.....	666	2 65
—native bulls.....	1445	2 35
—native bulls.....	1310	2 35

From this table it will be learned that good native butcher and shipping steers of 1,000 to 1275 lbs bring from \$3.80 to \$4.75. Extra heavy steers brought from \$4.85 to \$5.20 per 100 lbs. For range of mixed butcher stock the readers' attention is invited to the sales given above.

The hog market ruled active throughout and offerings quite large each day. Prices did not fluctuate much and range in extremes is from \$2.90 to \$4.10 per 100 lbs for thin pigs and stockers to fancy heavy. The bulk of the sales are made at \$3.60 to \$3.75 per 100 lbs.

Texas and Indian hogs in moderate supply and good fat ones bring from \$3.40 to \$3.75 per 100 lbs according to weight.

Horses and mules are quite plentiful and the market active with fair enough prices. No Texas horses offered.

RATTLE.

FROM DENVER COLORADO.

Mass or Delegate Representation

—About the Drift—The Ball

to be Gorgeous.

DENVER, COLO., Jan. 18, 1886.

EDITOR LIVE STOCK JOURNAL.

A labored effort has been made by Ex-Senator Dorsey and a few of his adherents, and a few subsidized newspapers to turn the Denver convention into a mass meeting. The ground of attack in this case is the allegation that the delegate system of representation decided upon by the committee has changed the preliminaries to the convention is unfair to the small holders of cattle. The sophistry of this position is apparent to the least observant. The rule adopted for representation is one delegate for every 50,000 head of cattle. This does not mean, however, as the opponents of the plan would have the public believe, that in order to be a delegate one must own 50,000 cattle. The owner of ten head may club with his neighbor who has fifty, and so on until the required 50,000 are made up. These can then choose from their number one who will represent the interests of all. This arrangement is manifestly fair. The opponents of it are not the small holders themselves, but a very few large ones, who wish to "run" things to suit themselves. These men advocate a mass convention. Any one who has ever been in a mass convention knows what this means. By the delegate system adopted there will be about 500 votes in the convention. Certainly as many people as can be handled to advantage in one body. A mass convention, on the other hand, means simply pandemonium. As a result a few men with strong tongues and loose tongues, backed up by a lot of eloquence, also with the lung qualification, would be enabled to carry the convention any way they choose. It is a few of these ambitious personages who are at the back of all the noise that is being made in opposition to the plan adopted for the government of the convention.

All sorts of rumors are afloat regarding the effects of the late storm on cattle. Inquiry among the cattlemen themselves, however, reveals the fact that they are, while more or less apprehensive, not greatly alarmed about the probable outcome of their herds. Large numbers of cattle on the north side of the Arkansas have drifted to the river, and many are reported frozen. In fact the greater losses are reported along the river where the cattle crowd against the barbed-wire fences, and being unable to get water or grass perish from cold and hunger.

From Dodge City comes the report that many cattle were frozen to death standing on their feet. Very few ranchmen from around Denver have been at the Cattle Growers' room since the storm, and those seen report cattle getting along nicely except in a few cases. When cattle are obstructed from drifting by barbed-wire fences, they are bound to accumulate in large numbers and

suffering and death is sure to follow. The heaviest losses will be found to occur from this cause.

We learn from Garfield county papers that some trouble has occurred between the cattle men of the county, in regard to some owners trespassing upon the ranges of local stockmen. The case has got into the courts, and it will be decided if any one has the right to drive the cattle of strays off any range claimed by persons in the neighborhood.

The cattle convention ball, which is set for the evening of the 29th inst. will be one of the grandest events of the season. Elaborate preparations are now under way. The committee having the affair in charge will spare no pains or expense to make the occasion an enjoyable one.

Fairly good beef steers have been selling in the Denver market the present week at from 3.35 to 4.00. The supply has been limited.

Prince of Salesmen.

Instances of large and rapid growth from small beginnings are more frequent in this than in any other country; but when based upon strictly legitimate and honorable dealings are not so numerous but what in each case is worthy and attracts attention and admiration. These preliminary remarks refer particularly to the head of the new live stock commission firm, James H. Campbell & Co. Mr. Campbell is one of the most noteworthy examples of what a young man with a no capital to start on but unlimited energy, zeal and business acumen can accomplish in a comparatively few years.

In 1873 Jas. H. Campbell commenced working at Kansas City for Mathews, Kingsbury & Co., and in a short time so gained the perfect confidence of his employers that he was given the management of their branch live stock house at St. Louis. This was practically the beginning of his career as a live stock handler. In 1877 Mr. Campbell started business on his own account and during the next three years the business grew to such large proportions that more capital was needed and the firm of Campbell, Lancaster & Co. was organized. During all this time, however, it must be remembered that Mr. James H. Campbell was the head of the firm in name and in fact. He made friends everywhere and kept a watchful eye on the live stock trade in all its branches.

It was his shrewd judgment which foresaw the necessity of extending the usefulness of his business. So in 1881 the branch house at Kansas City was opened to work in conjunction with the St. Louis house. The rapid growth of the business necessitated larger fields and facilities for handling the trade and on Sept. 15th, 1881 the head of the house transferred his principal office to the Union Stock Yards, Chicago, the head and center of the live stock universe.

This move soon proved a wise one and the business of the firm was thereby greatly extended throughout the southwest, west and northwest.

December 31, 1885, Mr. James H. Campbell purchased the interests of the Lancasters and started the New Year with the new firm name of James H. Campbell & Co.

At the same time the head of the firm with characteristic far sightedness and following out his broad gauge policy, purchased the entire interests, good will, office, fixtures etc., of Andy J. Snider & Co. of Kansas City. Andy Snider is one of the best known cattle salesmen in the west and has for many years controlled a gigantic business which has made him a millionaire. Consolidating this business with his already large interests, James H. Campbell, with large capital, golden credit at the banks and rare business ability bids fair to become the Prince of American live stock salesmen.

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In another column will be found the arguments before the passage of the land resolutions.

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DALLAS DOTS.

T. A. Cochran, a stockman from Baird, was in the city this week.
Jim Holt, of Greer county, is in the city. He is extensively known by the boys.

J. T. Moore, of Mountain Peak, bears evidence to the good condition of stock.
Press Addington who is ranching in the Territory north of Hennessey, is at the Grand Windsor.

Frank Houston, manager of the Red River Cattle company, was among the boys here this week.
Ellis Miller, at Fairview, New Mexico, writes: "Our cattle are all going through the winter in fine fix."

H. T. Keenan of the C. B. & Q. has been among us a great deal this week. He is posty, and popular among the boys.

W. R. Broyles of the Salt Works Cattle company was in this city this week. He gives a good account of the water and grass in Shakerford county.

H. Hulen, of Gainesville, is at the Windsor, and from the big amount of ciphering he is doing, it is safe to predict that he has business on his brain.
J. T. Wofford, a live stockman of Cuero, is in the city. He makes a good report of the condition of stock generally in his hands. He goes from here to the Denver convention.

Milton Hollinsworth, of Stuart, Ia., is in the city. He is making a tour of the state, with the view of investing. He has discovered that salt peter given in salt to cattle is a remedy for black leg.

L. W. McCall, a stockman from Stevens county, was registered at the Live Stock Exchange this week. He is an admirer of the prickly pear for stock in winter time. "It is about as good as corn," he says.

Your reporter learns from Clarence Gano of the Estado Land and Cattle Co., that the small-pox is prevailing to an alarming extent in Presidio county, that it is materially interfering with matters out there.

W. E. Treadwell, of the Cherokee Nation, is in the city. He gives a good account of the stock in that section of the country, that cattle are in splendid condition even though the weather has been severe.

The Messrs. Gano Bros. have completed their purchases of Hereford and Shorthorn bulls, 100 in number, and about equally divided, and which they will start to their Presidio county ranch in a few days.

J. B. Hudson of Colorado is registered at the Grand Windsor. He was 15 days on the road on account of snow blockades. He reports thrift and safety in his section even though the weather has been severe.

J. D. Reed, of Fort Worth, was a guest at the Grand Windsor this week. He has ranch interests in New Mexico. He speaks in positive terms about the generally good condition of stock. He is interested in the Federal court here.

The notable feature about the proceedings of the Federal Court this term is the number of stockmen paying their respects thereto. The feverish attitude of the stock market has, doubtless, been an important propeller in this direction.

Mr. Burke came in from his ranch in Crosby county, Wednesday last, and the significant smiles upon his countenance is accepted by the boys as conclusive proof that his cattle are in O. K. shape, and that the outlook, generally, is above par.

"Neither a prediction nor a threat," a little personal, only. "More people come and go at the Grand Windsor than at any other hotel in the United States in a city of the size of Dallas," says George H. Morrison. "Where is the noted 'Jim' Britton?"

J. C. Johns, of the Live Stock Exchange, received yesterday from a Kansas herd seven head of Polled Angus bulls. They are beauties and are as black as crows. There were, also, 13 head of Hereford bulls which have just arrived at the stock yards.

B. B. Hoskins, a stockman from Terrell, is at the Grand Windsor. He is

ranching in Throckmorton county, and is related over the excellent condition in which his stock are passing through the winter. He is a close reader of the JOURNAL, which means that he is well posted. He goes to the convention.

W. E. Treadwell of Anthony, Kansas, left for his home this morning. He is a breeder of Herefords, and an excellent gentleman, besides. He hails from Long Island, becoming a cowboy first in Nebraska. He "drifted" south and struck Dallas along with the northern, and is surprised at our proportions and the degree to which Texas is being developed. He is coming back, yes.

J. B. Blakey of Ennis, was registered at the Live Stock Exchange Monday. He has 2,000 head of improved cattle in Ellis county, and says that agricultural strides are making effectual inroads on the range there. He denies the accusation of being a tender foot and gives as proof the news item that he was present in Houston 30 years ago when the first locomotive was hauled by hand transportation, for the Houston and Texas Central.

J. T. Word, a prominent stockman was met at the Windsor this week. His ranch interests are on the Pecos, 40 miles below Pecos city, at Horsehead crossing. He claims a decided advantage in his section of country, that "when it is cold and sleety here, it is a light snow there and melts away as fast, almost as it falls, which makes grass, and in fact, a snow is a good thing." He, too, is paying his respects to the Federal court.

The reporter met S. H. Daniel, of the Walsh, at the Windsor Monday, said he: "I think it is a good time to invest in stock cattle. You see the demand for beef will increase as the present crop of pork becomes exhausted. It is the rule when there's an overplus of any commodity that prices are low, and the attention of the consumer is directed to other lines of production that promise better returns, and next year pork will be neglected and of necessity the supply will be meager and high prices the result. Pork rules the market; it is the basis of meats and beef goes up or down with it. To insure good prices for beef, pork must be scarce and a bad corn crop."

A. J. Long of Sweetwater is in the city. He is a member of the Lexington Cattle company. The company have from 18,000 to 20,000 head of well improved cattle—Shorthorns being the element of improvement. He is a practical "cowman" in the fullest sense of the term. The ranch is located on Double Mountain Fork in Garza county, and says he, "Grass and water are plentiful and the stock are in fine fix. There are few horses in that section of the country—a couple of ranches, I believe, having, perhaps, 1,200 head, and no sheep or goats to amount to anything. A number of the company are from Lexington, Kentucky, and the balance are Texas people."

All evidences point to an early perfection of the Dallas Exposition—the stock, Mechanical and Agricultural Association. Frank Holland of the Farm and Ranch is taking active steps in the matter. To your reporter, he said: "The sentiment of the people is for it, and I find little difficulty in enlisting interest where ever I go. There is a good, solid feeling in favor of it and the people are readily taking hold of it; here's a prospective drawing of the building and ground (unfolding the architectural work) and it is not a whit over drawn. It is impossible, almost, to conceive in advance, the benefits that will accrue to our city; it will bring a 100,000 people here every year. The consummation of the enterprise is as certain as anything in the future can be."

"R. H. Harper, vice-president of the Era Land and Cattle company, Deming, N. M., was in the city Monday night and was met by the JOURNAL man. "Said he: 'I came in from Deming to night and have nothing to say further than the stock are all doing well and will go through in excellent condition. Our cattle are of a Texas plant, Southern and Eastern Texas. Yes, I know they criticize East Texas cattle, but it is unfair; the stock is made up, principally, of the cattle with Shorthorns, polled Angus, Galloway and Hereford bulls—quite a mixture of the crossing about the Shorthorn is too tender for the demands made; you see our steers

mostly go to the Northwest to mature, where the climate is severe. True we have an extensive local market from the mining districts and then we send a great many cattle into Northern and Middle California. I leave for the North to-night."

Mr. J. M. Highsaw was registered at the Grand Windsor last week. He was just in from the Burk and Brigman ranch located on the headwaters of Yellow House Canyon, Crosby county, West Texas, and of which he is superintendent. The company have about 13,000 head of cattle there, and which he says are in excellent condition. The natural lakes and streams furnish an inexhaustible supply of good water and the grass is immense. A great many stockmen are in that section of the country and they invariably report their cattle in fine condition. What is the exact location of the ranch, enquired the reporter? Mr. H.—"We are about 150 miles Northwest of Colorado City, which is our nearest railroad point." R.—"Have you any game?" Mr. H.—"We have any amount of antelope and a great many deer; no turkeys. I had a fine buffalo chase just before I came in, the party killing twelve." Mr. Highsaw left for the ranch Thursday morning.

The JOURNAL reporter took a ramble among the city butchers this week, and finds that there are, in round numbers, about 10,000 hives butchered annually, about 22,000 sheep and 8,200 hogs. It is, also, evident that the markets of Dallas, perhaps, furnish the best grade of meats, year in and year out, of any city in the state, and it is equally true that the character of stock and blood surpasses the conception of the more casual observer of events. Our beef is all from improved stock, the marks of the Hereford, or Shorthorn, or of both are visible in the beef supply of our city. Our porkers are products of a very high grade of the Poland China, and the Berkshire family—as fine a production of meats in this line as can be found anywhere east of the Mississippi river, and the mutton is equally as well improved and from the excellent pastures that compass our city.

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Texas, January 7th, 1886.

Editor TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL:
Under the heading of "Interstate Commerce," there appeared in your paper an article evidently of private correspondence setting forth views which are so at variance with the principles and spirit of the constitution of the United States, that I do not deem it unduly to correct such political errors. As to state sovereignty I cannot honestly concur in the opinion that the states have greater sovereign powers than those which they have delegated to the general government with regard to interstate commerce, and the construction and management of public highways. Interstate commerce cannot be strictly applied to railroad transportation any more than the carrying of freight by wagons or carts upon the public highways of the state. That the state has the right to regulate the charges for freight and passengers upon railways to the end as a prevention of extortion is clear. Railroads occupy more clearly the relation of bridges and ferries to the state, but with this exception that the state can consistently authorize the building of free bridges and ferries, it cannot in anywise charge toll. Thus it is plain whatever powers the state has to build railroads and run them it has no right whatsoever to charge for passengers or freight. Indeed this is a wise provision as regards justice and the perpetuation of Republican institutions. That Republicanism of government is most free which is supported directly by tax upon the property of its citizens. However advantageous it would be to the public for the states, or the general government to own and control the railroad systems of the United States, it would not be of any permanent advantage but directly the reverse. It has become a settled political axiom, that governments, it matters not of what political characters, wherever they have assumed the role, as it were, of property holders or landlords to citizens, have invariably grown corrupt, and ruined the people of the state of Texas or of the United States, flatter themselves that they would escape corruption, but might justly suspect that all people they would become most completely corrupt. It seems that in Republican institutions, as in those of any other political party, the ownership of property by governments of a Republican form, the party in power will invariably be supported by those who hold office or places of profit under it regardless of political principles. It would be folly for men to suppose otherwise. Such has been the history of all political parties. The accumulation of wealth by the people of a government invariably weakens and ruins the private and public virtue of its citizens, men and women become used to the voluptuous ease which wealth can acquire, and rather than surrender these, political principles, truth and virtue become things of secondary importance. I could wish that the author of the article headed "interstate commerce" were a paper, could have his political acumen directed in those channels of research, which not only be instructive and entertaining, but would materially aid him in fighting against the corrupting influences of that wealth which is gradually and surely centralizing itself in the hands of a few, and as a rule, unscrupulous and selfish set of men.

Q. DAVIDSON, JR.

Echoes From Australia.

[Fort Worth Mail.]

While the snow was falling yesterday morning, a group consisting of Gen. J. H. Hyman of Erath county, Capt. John H. Andrews and a Mail reporter were interviewed in the lobby of the Pickwick by Mr. John J. O'Daley resident engineer of the Fort Worth and New Orleans. "Very few people," he said, "even among the educated classes, have any like an adequate conception of the area of Australia. Though an island it is almost as large as the United States, there being only 2500 square miles in favor of the latter country." The talk ran upon stock raising, when Captain Andrews asked him: "Have you got free grass in that country?" "Why, bless your soul, my dear sir," said Mr. O'Daley, "you never see a fence after you get two miles from one of the towns. Every settler has a right to 640 acres of ground with the privilege of pre-empting three times that amount around his headright for purposes of pasturage. He is bound to put improvements to the extent of two pounds an acre or ten dollars on his entry within three years. Of course his cattle, sheep and other stock are valued as part of the improvements of the land. What you call a ranchman in Texas is called in Australia a squatter. To give you an idea of the immense revenue some of them derive from their flocks, one man last year had a yield of 37,000 pounds of wool, and I don't think he is by any means the richest stockman in that country. The cattle trade is enormous. One firm in Sydney handles all the way from twenty to fifty thousand pounds every year. Cattle are sold at a profit on the range for about \$10.50, although they command at seaports as high as \$17, or \$35. Sheep are estimated at three-and-sixpence or 87 cents. They never have any trouble with their flocks, for the drought kills them off by hundreds of thousands about once in every thousand years.

"In driving cattle say from New South Wales to Sydney, a slight distance of 1200 miles, the ranchman is allowed to travel on either side of the public road for freight, his herd at an allowance of \$2.50 a head is made for driving from the pasturing grounds to the seaport."

"Any horses in that country?" inquired Capt. Andrews.

"Millions of them. Myself and a friend of mine went into a speculation in that line once. We bought quite a herd. How much do you think they cost us? Seven and sixpence."

"How much?" asked the reporter.

"One dollar eighty-seven and a half cents a dozen," slowly enunciated Mr. O'Daley, and never cracked a smile.

Then he explained as a reason why horses were so cheap in Australia that they were wild and men were paid five dollars a head for shooting them.

Mr. O'Daley dropped his fortune in mining speculations in New South Wales and came to this country four years ago to achieve another.

That he has assumed the engineering control of the Fort Worth and Denver shows that he is on the right track.

ROUND-UPS.

Lord Delevale Beresford, superintendent of the San Domingo ranch, Chihuahua, was a visitor at the JOURNAL office Thursday. He informs us that it has been snowing in the Sierra Madre. This will prove a benefit. The usual fall rains did not visit that section, so the snow will improve the spring feed and enable the cattle to get out away from their regular watering places. He also reports that rumors have been received of an engagement between the scouts and the Indians, south of Casas Grandes, in which six of the former were killed. The Indians chased two of Gov. Terrazas' herders. They did not try to kill them, but attempted to capture them with the lasso. It is supposed they wanted them to keep as hostages for the safety of the Indian prisoners who have been taken to Chihuahua. —El Paso Stock Journal.

On Tuesday last the property belonging to the estate of the late Earl of Aylesford was sold by the administrator, Mr. E. F. Sweeney, of the Colorado National Bank. It consists of city property, several sections of land and stock in this county, an interest in all of which was held by a brother, Dan Finch. The third interest in the stone building on Clinton street was purchased by Mr. Geo. Ward, formerly a partner in the market business with the Earl and Dan but now of Deming, N. M., for the sum of \$740. The interest in the Cosmopolitan hotel, other city property, lands and stock was purchased by Dan Finch, who will continue to operate his interests here and make this his American home. —[Big Springs Postgraph.]

SKIN Tortures AND Blood Humors.

HUMILIATING Eruptions, Itching and Burying of the Skin, Scalding Sores, and other Skin Diseases, are cured by the use of CUTICURA. It is a powerful and reliable remedy, and is the only one that cures the skin diseases of the face, neck, arms, and hands. It is the only one that cures the skin diseases of the face, neck, arms, and hands. It is the only one that cures the skin diseases of the face, neck, arms, and hands.

I have been afflicted since last March with a skin disease, the doctors called Eczema. My face was covered with scabs and sores, and the itching and burning were almost unbearable. Seeing your CUTICURA Remedies so highly recommended, I decided to give them a trial, using the CUTICURA and CUTICURA SOAP, and after five days my skin was clear and my face was as healthy as before. I feel compelled to state that I am cured, and I hope in another week to have my face, neck, and the other part of my face cured.

HERMAN SLADE.

120 E. 4TH STREET, N. Y.

CUTICURA REMEDIES.

Are sold everywhere. Price CUTICURA, 25c; RESOLVENT, \$1.00; SOAP, 25c. POTTER DRUG CO., BOSTON.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases."

BEAUTIFY the Complexion and Skin by using the CUTICURA SOAP.

THE SEWING MACHINE is the cause of itching and skin diseases. For Aching Sides and Back, for Stiff Neck, for Stiff Arms, for Weakness and Inflammation, the CUTICURA Anti-Pain Plaster is Infallible. 25c.

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ALABAMA AND TEXAS CATTLE CO.

Stock horses in this brand.

S. B. BURNETT.

Postoffice, Fort Worth, Texas.

Ranch, Wichita county, Texas.

Ranch, no office, Gilchrist county, Texas.

Horses branded on left shoulder.

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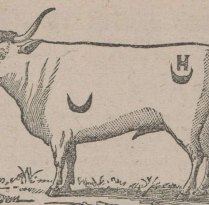
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Cattle brands, crescent H on left hip, and crescent on left shoulder. Steer brands, crescent H on left hip; ear marks kept up, swell fork left side. Cows are in various marks and brands, but all have above described brands on hip or shoulder. Information as to the whereabouts of any stray stock in any of these brands will be thankfully received and suitably rewarded by W. S. Cooke, manager, Albany, Texas.

CHILDRESS LAND AND CATTLE COMPANY.

Postoffice, Fort Worth, Range, Childress County.

M. T. A. Tidball, Secretary and Treasurer.

T. B. Ellison, General Manager.

Ranch postoffice, Childress County.

Ranch kept up on both sides. Horse brand same as left.

Cattle also branded LIZ on left side and LIZ with CM on thigh, marked overlope right, crop and underbit left.

WBM on left side, marked over and underbit right.

XV on left side and 74 on hip, marked crop and overbit left, over and underbit right.

CHAMPION CATTLE COMPANY.

G. M. CASEY, President; H. W. SALMON, Secretary and Treasurer; THOMAS ADAMS, Manager, Colorado, Texas.

Ranch on Champion Creek, Mitchell County. Some cattle and horses have other old brands on them.

Please don't stray these cattle.

DICKEY CATTLE COMPANY.

All increase branded as above, on left side.

Other cattle brands, LLL on right side.

L7L on right side.

Range on North Canadian River, Indian Territory. Ranch postoffice, Cantonment, Indian Territory. Home office, Room 17 24 State street, Chicago, Ill.

ESPUERA LAND AND CATTLE CO.

(Limited).

A. M. BRITTON, Managing Director; S. W. LOWE, Manager, Fort Worth, Texas; G. L. GROSS, Superintendent, Dockum's, Dickens County, Texas.

Ranch in Dickens County, Texas.

This brand kept up.

Also cattle in the following brands:

COE, GED, ROP, ROX, MAP, HX, L-D, LAD, 79, 72, DHL, 747, OEN, 747, OEN, 747, OEN.

Horses also branded on left hip.

ESTADO LAND AND CATTLE CO.

R. M. Gano, president and general manager; C. W. Gano, secretary and treasurer; J. B. Gillette, ranch superintendent. Principal office No. 107 Elm street, Dallas, Texas; ranch on Los Llanos creek, Presidio county, Texas.

This brand kept up, marked underbit right and left.

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TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL

Subscription \$2 per Annum.

FORT WORTH.

MAIN OFFICE
TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL,
FORT WORTH, TEX., Jan. 23, 1886.

The market for young cattle is beginning to develop. Most of the recently established ranches are buyers on the market.

New Stock Yards.

Mr. Don B. Adams of this city has opened up stock yards near the yards of the Texas Pacific road, in the south-eastern part of the city and is now prepared to receive consignments of cattle, hogs and sheep for sale in this city. All consignments of the title or other live stock will meet with Mr. Adams, personal attention and from his acquaintance with live stock matters and the requirements of the trade we believe the establishment of the yards to be of benefit to the city. The yards are now character afford to stockmen, dealers and butchers what has been long desired at Fort Worth, and the opportunity for shippers to place stock directly under the observation of intending purchasers, in a few minutes, will largely increase the trade of Fort Worth and surrounding country. The yards are now constructed are ample for the accommodation of all live stock for our local market and will be increased as occasion requires. When the refrigerator commences work these yards will be specially adapted to the trade, and being located near the river, will have this competition with the regular butcher and shipping trade. Shippers from the west and south, with either horses, cattle or sheep desiring to stop over can use these yards to advantage. We understand the feed, yardage and commissions will be light as at any city the size of Fort Worth.

New Cords.

In this issue attention is invited to the following advertisements of interest to stock dealers and stock raisers, appearing for the first time:

T. E. Moore, of Shawhan, Kentucky, breeder of trotting stock, invites attention to young stock now for sale and his annual public sale on the third Wednesday in March.

Mr. A. M. Carter, attorney-at-law, of this city, long and successfully practicing in Texas and federal courts, has a card in the JOURNAL. His successful management of cases on which large bodies of grazing lands and valuable live stock interests were involved has gained him a wide and brilliant reputation in Texas land and cattle.

Mr. H. B. Sanborn of Houston is advertising Percheron stallions and imported jacks.

Messrs. Finch, Lord & Nelson of Burlington, Kansas, also of Hall county, have a breeder card in the JOURNAL.

Colonel R. M. Wynne of this city, attorney-at-law, makes a specialty of land and live stock litigation, is attorney for several of the leading companies in the state, and is uniformly successful in his practice.

T. W. Lawford of Baltimore, Md., for parasites troubling horses, cattle or sheep. Mr. Lawford has a large connection in Texas.

Mr. Benjamin W. Hunt of Eaton, Ga., offers registered Jerseys and represents his herd as below the quarter line, something novel, but indicating that where stock can be purchased without risk, it is advisable to do so, all other things being equal.

Mr. C. E. Wellesley of Dallas, general manager of the Texas Land & Mortgage Company, has a card at head of first column second page.

Attention is also invited to card of Messrs. E. Hodgson & Son, of Ottawa, Ill., importers and breeders of French draft horses.

Attention is also invited to the legal and land cards of firms throughout Texas.

Messrs. C. C. Daly & Co., successors to the firm of Daly, Miller & Co., of St. Louis, again appear in our columns, and invite the attention of cattle and sheepmen of Texas and the Southwest to their card. We commend this firm to our readers.

By courtesy of our friend and contemporary of the Live Stock Indicator, the great paper of Kansas City, we are enabled to present to our readers the advertisement of a number of breeders of Independence, Mo., who have for sale 100 registered Shorthorn bulls.

Mr. S. W. Lomax, manager of the Espuela Land and Cattle company, advertises for 10,000 stock cattle.

Mr. J. J. Conklin, of Leonard, Fannin county, has four desirable half-blood Holstein bull calves for sale.

Mr. E. A. Keiman, of Wichita, Kansas, wants brood mares and will pay cash; he also wants to trade Kansas real estate.

Messrs. Ross & Ross, attorneys at law of Fort Worth, attorneys for some of the best companies in the state, are also proprietors of Fort Worth and Tarrant county abstracts of title. They will investigate titles in all parts of the state.

These are only a few of the advertisements in the JOURNAL; there are many others of equal importance throughout the paper, including the local dealers of Fort Worth, San Antonio, Dallas, Austin, Waco, Brownwood, Colorado City, Wichita Falls and other centers. Don't fail to read all the advertisements. If you want to buy or sell it is all the same. The JOURNAL has the largest circulation and the most readable business advertisements of any live stock stock paper in the west, and nearly every line in the paper is prepared for the information of stockmen.

FORT WORTH

And General Range Notes.

Denver takes the whole bakery. Don Adams is erecting stock yards near the railroad stock pens.

The local market pays no more than 3 cents just now, but will later.

The Texas feeders, like their brethren of the North, are becoming uneasy and want to ship.

Mr. M. Hollingsworth, of Stuart, Ia., was here seeking a location. He is a Hereford breeder.

Jerry Beachamp pulled out for Ennis where he will hang up during the storms of the winter.

R. P. Hutton with Volney Hall in the northeast corner of the county, reports cattle considerably drawn, but no deaths.

Mr. George Harlan, of Harlan & Rude, Perry, Iowa, was making a second trip to the state and called on the JOURNAL; he is prospecting.

Mr. J. W. Cherryhomes, of Bowie, Mustang county, came in on Monday after the stormy weather, and reports that stock are in no particular bad fix, that there will be no losses to speak of. The Espuela Cattle company is advertising for ten thousand cattle to be cut out of the annual drive. There are other Texas companies with abundance of grass, and so enough cattle.

Messrs. John S. Powell & Co. are now in the mule, jack and jennet business having made considerable importations from Missouri. They will shortly open a breeding ranch near the great city of Fort Worth.

The TEXAS man walked down with J. W. Burgess on Monday over the ice. Major Burgess was just in from his stock farm at Blue Mound, and reports all stock thriving, and himself as comfortable and satisfied as when in Kentucky.

We went to press last week Mr. S. H. David of Plattsburg, Mo., live stock agent of the Wabash gave us a call. Mr. David is a stockman of considerable experience and one of the oldest live stock feeders and operators now on the turf.

During the week the report arrived that the New Orleans market was glutted, prices down low. Some one had been trying to load her down and was successful. Shipments to New Orleans should be made on telegraphic advice. Shippers will find commission cards on the 4th page of the JOURNAL.

During the week a delegation arrived from Bedford, Pa. on the way to look up grazing land in quantity; two breeders of cattle from Iowa, and two from Kansas were also prospecting. Texas properties are now desirable and cheap; later Texas properties will be more desirable, but not so cheap.

Mr. P. C. Campbell, of Bacon & Campbell, breeders of Holstein cattle and Plymouth Rock fowls, Manchester, Mo., called on his way North, after delivering 4 Holsteins to Hon. J. F. Miller of Gonzales. He reports quite a number of Holstein grades raised in Gonzales from importations of a few years ago.

Mr. O. H. Nelson of the firm of Finch, Lord & Nelson, of Burlington, Kansas, was in town on Saturday, and placed a card in the JOURNAL which can be found in the breeders' column.

This firm have a ranch in the Panhandle in Hall county, stocked with blooded cattle, or will furnish bulls and heifers from their Kansas stock farm.

While in the city Mr. H. B. Sanborn of Grayson county, placed an advertisement in the JOURNAL, which will be found in the breeders' column. Visitors from Mr. Sanborn's stock farm say that he has a very superior and large lot of imported Percheron stallions and some excellent grades raised on the ranch, also trotting stallions and three and four year old jacks. Mr. Sanborn can be addressed at Houston, but will make arrangements to be at his place in Grayson county at any time to meet visitors and purchasers.

Colonel S. P. Cunningham started for Denver in advance of the delegation, and will go with the gang from Kansas City.

The JOURNAL editor was complimented by being set down for a speech at Denver. He would like to talk to the convention one at a time. That is "one down t'other come on." He is only a single handed talker.

Mr. D. C. McConn, of Ironton Ohio, is prospecting for a land investment and goes west on the Texas & Pacific.

Mr. Embury of Anthony Kansas, offers his Angus bulls and heifers at auction at Polk's yards, next Monday.

Mr. W. S. Marshall, of F. H. Jones & Co., Chicago, Illinois, well known by steam and power machinery who have been at the work of the capital syndicate, paid the JOURNAL a visit Friday.

This firm are watering a trail from Midland to Lamb and Hockley counties where they go to work putting down wells six miles apart on the syndicate lands. They will find water from 50 to 150 deep, in quantity, but have orders to go deep enough for a flow of water. The firm also have closed a contract for wells on ranch of McCoy, Sawyer & Co. on the North Concho and will put a strong force to work in spring. These people make a specialty of ranch water supply and now have work for two years at the work asked what wind power he used. Mr. Marshall said he was using the Eclipse for which Mr. F. P. Collins of San Antonio is general agent.

Messrs. Cottrell Kemper & Co., sold 40 grown mules to Townsend and Mitchell of Lampasas. These mules were to ship to Tyler on Thursday.

Mr. T. P. Lenoir has three fine jacks in town he will show against any jacks around here.

Mr. W. H. Embury, of Anthony Kansas, breeder of Shorthorns and Herefords arrived in town during the week with a car load of Herefords, Polled grades and put them up at Turners and Polk's Yards.

Mr. J. R. Jeter secretary of the S. R. E. Cattle Company, of Wheeler county, received word recently that stock are doing well and that grass is abundant.

At the Polk stock yards there are several Jersey cows with young calves.

A. F. Truitt purchased of Haney & Dotson of Granbury five cars of corn fed cattle weighing 1,100. These will be shipped to S. P. Cody & Co., Chicago.

A. F. Truitt & Co. have in their yards a lot of high grade Herefords, Polled bulls yearlings and twos. Mr. Truitt claims to be able to cure the acclimation fever.

Our Mayor J. P. Smith, Captain M. B. Lloyd, president of the First National bank, and W. A. Huffman of the Huffman Implement Company, accompanied by the delegates from Gainesville and Denton, went down to Galveston during the week to ask if the Santa Fe road was to use the right way through the Nation. The delegation requested the Santa Fe to make a business like proposition for extension of the road.

In Fort Worth and vicinity the weather is an uncertain subject. At time of issue last week we were having a slow norther, it developed into a mild sleet and rain on Sunday, covering up everything. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and Thursday, clearing and thawing; good weather for stock but unpleasant in town. Up to date stock have suffered very little as compared with last year, or any year since the winter of 81-2. We may not expect to get off so lightly.

Messrs. Jno. S. Powell & Co. sold to Mr. H. B. Sanborn, of Grayson county, four jacks and two jennets, including one imported jack for \$1700. They have an assortment of bulls in three yards and quote native Texas Hereford grades \$50@75.00 for yearlings and twos. Native Shorthorn \$25@50.00, imported Hereford and Polled bulls \$40@75.00, one extra lot of yearlings and twos Missouri Durhams at \$50@75.00; also jacks 3 to 6 years old at \$20.00@50.00.

Messrs. Polk Bros. shipped 50 mules to Memphis, Tenn., during the week. Capt. Polk, going in charge, also took Polled bull and one Jersey cow to Alexander, Texas. The firm have considerable enquiry for mules.

Mr. Snyder, of Burleson County was here after bulls.

Boaz & Hatcher purchased 1500 head of North Texas yearlings during the week, but would not give up the figures.

Messrs. Mathews, Rodgers & Freeman, dealers in horses and mules, report business very satisfactory both buying and selling, believe Fort Worth to be the most central point in Texas for trade in their line.

J. S. Andrews & Co. desire prices on one and two year old steers, spring delivery, in lots of one thousand head and up. Parties in the country will find to their advantage to communicate with the above firm. Also owners of stock cattle in herds of five hundred and over, will please address this firm giving lowest prices for future delivery.

Mr. D. B. Gardner, manager of the Pitchfork ranch, is rusticating in town. Dave Godwin is taking ease in the city.

Mr. T. C. Hunt, of Ranger, Eastland county has been spending a few days in town. He is one of the most successful drovers of the state.

Cottrell, Kemper & Co., sold ten head of mules to go to Sherman, also to Fort Worth and New Orleans. Construction company, in addition to those sold to Townsend & Mitchell.

The Fort Worth delegation for Denver will consist of Capt. M. B. Lloyd, S. B. Burnett, J. P. Smith, Tom Andrews, Tobe Odum and T. T. Andrews. Captain Jim Reed thinks of going. Mr. H. C. Badger and J. W. Hinton are also booked for the convention.

BOAZ & HATCHER.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Cattle Ranches and Real Estate.

We have for sale for spring delivery 15,000 North Texas steer yearlings; 10,000 Southern Texas steer yearlings; 10,000 Northwestern Texas steer yearlings; 20,000 head North Texas stock cattle.

We can put up on short notice any amount of cattle and from any portion of the state. Several fine ranches for sale, and a vast amount of wild land. Can outfit cattlemen anything in their line of business. References, banks and business men of Ft. Worth.

Choice Shorthorn Bulls.

The Short horn breeders of Jackson county, Mo., have gained an enviable reputation as careful and reliable breeders, largely through their semi-annual public sales at Kansas City, and no one who has ever made purchases of them has had any cause for regret. These gentlemen now offer 100 registered Short horn bulls of their own breeding for sale at bed-rock prices. See their advertisement elsewhere.

AUCTION SALE.

At Polk's Stock Yards,

Monday 25th inst., 2 o'clock p. m., a lot of two-year-old graded

HEREFORD, AND POLLED ANGUS BULLS.

Credit of 90 days on bankable paper.

W. H. EMBREY.

WANTED.

The Espuela Land and Cattle Company, Limited, desire to purchase, delivered at its ranch in Dickens county, Texas, Ten thousand (10,000) head of stock cattle. Delivery to be made by June 1st, and cattle to be native Western Texans. Address proposals giving full particulars as to price, location and brand to S. W. LOMAX, Manager, Fort Worth, Texas.

ROSS & ROSS,

Attorneys at Law,
and owners of the "Fort Worth and Tarrant county abstract" land titles. Loans on real estate negotiated. Office in Lloyd block, corner Second and Main, FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

WM. D. BACON. T. C. CAMPBELL.

BACON & CAMPBELL,

BREEDERS OF
Holstein Cattle and Plymouth Rock Fowls,
"LOUST RETREAT" FARM,
Manchester, St. Louis county, Missouri.

100 REGISTERED

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Dr. J. C. Anderson, President, State Board of Surgery, Mansfield, Ohio.

A Fact.

In our day and time we are hourly confronted with advertisements of wonderful and marvellous cures performed by what we have been compelled by actual observation to term quack doctors. We are now compelled to alter our opinion in the case of Dr. Prentice, now quartered at the Pickwick hotel in this city. Mrs. P. A. McPhail, wife of the late editor and proprietor of this journal, who has been almost entirely blind for eleven or twelve years, has been considered hopelessly deaf by many eminent physicians. Almost all of the old doctors of Fort Worth knew of her case well, and know that she was almost entirely deaf. Now, however, after only one week's treatment, her hearing has been greatly improved and now hears better with catarrh than ever before by its use. She feels



Miss Mary Griffin, showing the remarkable change that Dr. Prentice's operation for Cross Eyes makes in less than one minute.

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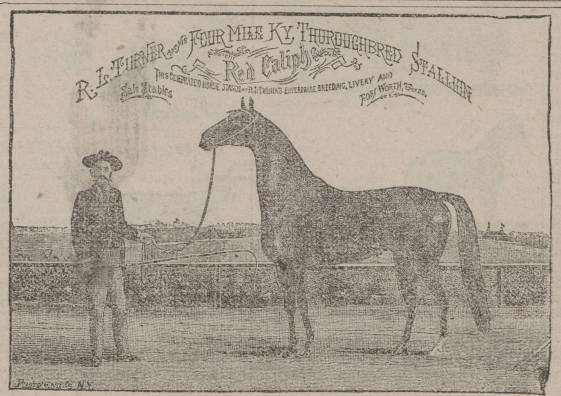
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RED CALIPH, bred by B. L. Swingford, Harrison county, Ky., sired by Webb's Caliph, by Burr's Boston, son of Imp. Sovereign. 1st. dam Nellie Robinson, by old Waggoner; 2nd. by Gaines Denmark; 3rd. by Robert Bruce, by Clinton, by Sir Archie, by Imp. Diomed; 4th. the Griffith Tubb's mare of Grant county, Ky. Webb's Caliph 1st. dam Isola, by Bertrand; 2nd. Suseth, by Erolus; 3rd. Jennie Cookrand, by Patomae; 4th. Imp. Satram; 5th. Synes Wildare; 6th. Imp. Driver; 7th. Fearnought; 8th. Follower; 9th. Imp. Vampire.

THIS IS A MULE!

Estrayed from my pasture on the head of Mary's Creek, Tarrant County, several head of mules in above brand on the left shoulder. Any information liberally rewarded. J. W. ZOOK, Fort Worth, Texas.

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Weekly Resume.

The past week has not been marked with any particular change. Reports from all sections are to the effect that stock of all kinds had gone through the severe weather without any unusual loss, except in the extreme western counties, where some cattle were put in late, and the range overstocked by froegrasers. And even there only such stock as came in after September and were poor suffered. At no time past has stock passed so severe a spell of weather with so little loss, which is accounted for by their excellent flesh in which they entered the winter. On some ranges stock water is getting a little scarce, but grass is fine. As this is the rainy season, rain will undoubtedly soon fall and make plenty of water. The mildness of the weather following the cold snap was particularly fortunate for this section of country. No trades of much note have yet been made, a few small ones are reported in their proper columns. None are expected until after the Denver meeting.

In the horse and mule market there has been a very quiet time, chiefly owing to the bad weather. Quite a number of buyers are here, but very few horses are yet on the market, although a considerable number are reported en route. Very little is said and done in sheep or goats, while everybody seems to think that wool will bring good prices in the spring, yet there does not appear to be anybody anxious to engage in the business other than those who are already in, and many of these are ready to sell remarkably low considering the price of wool. On the 5th of February a meeting of goat men will be held here and then it is expected that the industry will take a more prominent position.

SALES AND BARGAINS.

Hines Clark & Co., sold one car load of fat cows to Martin Allen, of Austin, for home consumption at \$16.00. A car load of goats belonging to Dull & Dull, La Salle county, for local butchering at \$1.50 a head. One car load of beaves belonging to Jasper Heard of Uvalde.

W. A. Blackburn, of Austin, is in town looking for beaves. As yet no real sales of young cattle have been made worthy of note. But very few are buying and those are local stockmen, who are always ready to take advantage of a bargain. Seven dollars are about the highest yet offered for Texas yearlings, while the great majority of ranchmen expect to get at least \$8. They are much more independent than they were last year, and many are prepared to hold over for beaves, and the number of those who will not sell off the calves but raise beaves are largely on the increase.

G. W. Server, of Taylor, was down last week and bought 80 head of beaves from Louis Ogo, for \$25.00; 100 head of fat cows from Geo. S. Williamson for \$16.00, and 300 head of beaves from Wm. Votaw for \$27.00. These figures were given by madam rumor, and she may have been just a little off, but not far. They went up the road on Friday of last week.

Maj. Hinkle says that he was offered \$40 a head for 100 head of saddle ponies on the Laureles ranch, in Nueces county, allowing the purchaser to cut them out himself. This offer was refused, the seller wishing the horses taken as they came to the corral. Rumor says that the 600 mares recently purchased by James F. Scott, from the Laureles ranch, in Nueces county, cost him \$20.50 a head.

Pressnell & Withers, of Presidio county, have bought out the stock of Abbott & Davis, consisting of 1800 head improved, from one-quarter to three-quarters Durhams. Terms private.

John Jones, of Kerr county, sold 100 stock cattle from calves to old cows, all Texans, to Marshall Shiner, to be delivered on his Kerr county pasture for \$2.00 a head all around.

Rasbury & Morris, on Wednesday, received four carloads of horses from the lower country, to be sold on this market.

Cool, Nations, of Presidio county, sold some 500 head of stock cattle to Powell of Dallas for \$13.

Weekly Horse Market.

Owing to the cold and muddy weather, the past week has been one of the highest of the season in the horse market. Several buyers are here, but the offerings are not choice and they are waiting for a larger stock to pick from. The following is the weekly report in the general stock yards.

Narciso Leal—One car load of saddle ponies, at \$27; 2 cars of broncho mares \$11.13; with orders for 108 mares and 100 saddle ponies, but owing to bad weather, could not fill.

Chavez, Morin & Menzies—One car load of broncho mares at \$14; and 38 at retail yard sales.

Smith & Hoover—One car load of Spanish mules at \$35; 1 car Spanish mares at \$16; 2 car loads of extra good Spanish mules from 12 to 14 hands high at \$35; 2 car, common Spanish saddle horses, \$25; and a very fair yard sale.

Capt. Turner—No car lots, but about 30 yard sales.

E. Meyer—No car lots, but some 10 yard sales.

Those who have used the Boss Zinc and Leather Collar Pads and Ankle Boots say they are the best and cheapest, because most durable. They will last a life time. Sold by HARRIS, Madison, Wis.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Jan. 11, '86.
Will Lambert, Esq., Secretary Live Stock Association, Austin, Texas.

DEAR SIR—We take pleasure in announcing to you, for the information of all parties interested in the movement of live stock from the counties of Karnes, Bee, Live Oak, Refugio, San Antonio and Nueces, and other territory tributary thereto, that the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway will be in operation between San Antonio and Beeville, Bee county, by the 25th day of April, 1886, prepared to accommodate the live stock traffic from the above territory. Yours truly, U. LORRY,
President and General Manager.

B. F. YOKUM,
Sec'y., and Traffic Manager.

Anson A. Maher & Co.

We take pleasure in informing the Public, that as heretofore we shall keep fully posted as to the movement in cattle, sheep and lands in this section, and will be at the service of those who wish either to buy, sell, or contract. Our thorough acquaintance with the resources and demands of this market

enabling us to trade at most advantageous figures and terms, without waste of time. We will also continue in the money brokerage business and shall make it a specialty to negotiate loans and discount, buy and sell, upon orders, business paper of all sorts, domestic and foreign exchange, county bonds and warrants, state bonds and others, etc., etc.

Many people either unacquainted with money matters, strangers in the city or reluctant to try the market personally should certainly be pleased to entrust a reliable party with their business. Merchants, on the other hand, will often save both time, trouble and actual cash by patronizing us, as by canvassing the entire market we will be able to get at either the lowest or the highest bids, as the case may be. Our charges will be moderate, as our aim is to make a success of a business which is certain to grow with the place. All inquiries within our line will be promptly and cheerfully answered. All orders executed without delay.

By permission we beg to refer you to the bank of O'Connor & Sullivan, to whom we are well known as cattle and real estate brokers.

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Cattle, sheep and land men please call, a number of bargains always on file.

HORNS AND HOOF.

T. R. Kerr, sheepman from Uvalde, is in town.

A good hard rain would be very welcome just now.

Captain Bland, captured us with his blamishness.

The weather is drizzly but no stock water is falling.

W. Elliott, of Wilson county, was in the city last week.

J. W. Watson, of Hamburg, Ark., is in town buying mules.

H. C. Rasbury, of Lampasas, is in the city buying horses.

D. F. Thittford, Refugio Co., is here in company of Mr. J. M. O'Connor.

Capt. G. F. Hinde, of Atascosa county, is stopping at the St. Leonard.

Bill Irving, of La Salle, luxuriated about the Southern the last of week.

R. S. Ragsdale, of Devine, came into the wicked southwestern boss city last week.

Donnith county joins the crowd in reporting the stock O. K. after the northern.

J. W. McGinnis, Cotulla, a wool grower, stopped at the St. Leonard on Monday.

Spring like weather on Wednesday, everything was lovely except the muddy streets.

F. M. Houts, of the Hereford ranch near Decatur, accompanied by his wife, is in the city.

G. W. Server, of Taylor, was down and got a fine bunch of beef cattle from near Cotulla.

Race horses are already coming in to winter and be ready for the spring meeting here.

Reports from Kendall county are that the stock went through the cold snap with little loss.

H. S. Town ranchman from Wilson county, came in on Wednesday and is taking in the town.

A. E. Shepherd, of Presidio, was down to the Texas metropolis the latter part of the week.

D. W. Morris, of Waxahachie, is engaged in bringing in horses from the south for this market.

L. M. Kokernot, of Gonzales, passed through Santone en route home from the Austin convention.

Col. T. M. O'Connor, the Refugio cattle boss, came up last week, and stopped at the Southern.

The card of A. Yerga, saddle and harness, and full cowboys outfits is to be found in the JOURNAL.

Capt. T. D. Wilson, the fine horseman, of Murphysville, Presidio county, was in the city last week.

Geo. L. Snyder, the Val Verde county sheepman, put his list on the Menger Hotel Register on Monday.

Nearly the entire delegation to Denver from the Southern Live Stock association have left for that city.

Capt. W. F. Hall, of Atascosa county, brought in 37 head of beaves, and realized a good price for the same.

L. P. Alexander, of Camden, Ark., is stopping at the St. Leonard, while he is looking around for mules.

"California Brown," is in from the wild west. His headquarters are at Haman, on the Southern Pacific.

Geo. H. Abbott, of Abbott and Davis, Presidio county, is again in town on business and stops at the Southern.

Big barbecue at Floresville on the 28th to celebrate the completion of the Aransas Pass railroad to that point.

E. R. Stevens, from Wichita Falls, stopped at the Southern last week, on route home from a visit to Gonzales.

J. A. and H. Fry, of Gonzales county, are in town talking horse talk, and trying to get a good bunch to send out.

Miss Alice Heard, of Victoria, is visiting her brother at Uvalde. The Heards have fine herds of cattle in the West.

J. R. Morrison, of Dimmitt, one of the first-class sheepmen of the southwest, is in town and reports things O. K.

Dr. A. E. Crothers was in town a few days and joined the Denver party as a delegate from the state convention.

A thermometer was 6 degrees below zero at Fort Davis during the cold snap, but fat cattle went through it all right.

Capt. B. L. Crouch, came back from his former home in Michigan, and is now ready for spring business at the ranch.

News were reports of the condition and prospects for cattle more encouraging than now in southwestern Texas.

Henry Fink, of Leon Springs, Bexar county, a prominent sheep man, came into town and shook hands with old friends.

B. C. Flowers, one of the boss sheepmen in Maverick, came down on Wednesday and photographed at the St. Leonard.

Ross Neighbors, of Haman, dropped in on the boys the latter end of last week and gave them a hearty shake by the hand.

H. Chiles, of Cotulla, was about, following his way through the crowded streets of the Texas metropolis on Friday last week.

Up to the 13th 117 head of beaves have been killed by the Eagle Pass Refrigerator Company and shipped abroad for market.

Demp Feely, one of the pioneer stockmen of Uvalde county, shook hands with his many friends in the southwestern metropolis on Tuesday.

J. W. Watson & L. P. Alexander, from Arkansas, are looking around in this section of the country for an opening to go into the stock business.

Wm. Votaw, came in from his ranch in Maverick county and took up his bed and board at the Southern. Mr. Votaw's report is highly encouraging.

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W. C. MORGAN'S BRAND.

W. C. Morgan, marked crop and split left, underbit right. Ranch in McLennan county, 13 miles east of Waco, postoffice Brownwood, ranch office at Waco. Also a tile same mark branded C. M. on left hip.

Joe Zollinger, of Vicksburg, came in to get some more of those fine Texas horses on which he is making so much money selling to the Mississippians.

James Martin, manager for Seagriff and Carothers, was in this city last week, and reports everything lovely on the ranch notwithstanding the cold snap.

One of the county voters, a well known grower, Col. J. Almond, accompanied by his daughter, were in town this week. They all come to San Antonio.

J. S. Hodges, and A. L. Hodges, from Beeville, tested Santone rain-water last week and say when the railroad gets to their town they will come often.

Wm. Gerfers, one of the veteran sheepmen of Bexar county, reports his sheep in excellent condition, and is very hopeful of the outlook for the spring.

The Eagle Pass Journal reports that so far the loss among sheep in this section has not been worth the mention and predicts a very successful lambing season.

W. G. Butler, of Karnes Co., came up on the Aransas Pass to see whether she was yet in trim, and what the prospects were for shipping stock on the new railroad.

A correspondent in the Bandera Bugle from Oakley reports some blackleg among the cattle, but otherwise they are doing well. Sheep are in excellent condition.

Mr. P. E. Lenson, a sheepman of Maverick county, came down to the city on business. Besides sheep Mr. Lenson is paying some attention to cattle and horses.

E. C. Lasater, of Live Oak, who has been on a visit, called at the JOURNAL Branch office, and says he is going to California and Mexico, and before their return they will get a very fair idea what the great southwest is like, from where they will have to draw their beef supply.

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Capt. R. T. Beauregard, came in from his ranch in Wilson Co., on Wednesday, and reports his sheep doing well. The Beauregard sheep ranch is one of the oldest in west Texas, and has one of the best improved flocks.

But the number is being reduced until it has now come down to about 1100 head, from some 6,000 to 7,000 a few years ago. The pasture is being used for beef and cattle.

Mr. B. F. Moss, of the firm of Moss & Son, called on the JOURNAL office on Monday. Mr. Moss was on his return from a visit to San Francisco, his former home. In connection with his father, Mr. Chas. Moss, they bought the Venado ranch in Zapata county from Juan Benavides, of Laredo, and are now engaged in grading up on native cows with Texas Durham bulls.

The famous White Elephant saloon building of this city, one of the finest in the south, has been sold to L. Wolfson, and will be added to his already mammoth dry goods establishment. This will make it the largest dry goods store in the market.

By the telegraphic news it is seen that Martin Culver, formerly of Corpus Christi, and now of Fort Dodge, Kansas, is in Washington in the interest of the Texas cattle trade. You can bet on the fidelity of Mart every time. He can't go back on his Texas friends.

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The Boston members of the Pecos Land & Cattle company (and they are nearly all Boston men) spent the value of a good bunch of yearlings in telegraphing to Capt. Simmons, gen'l manager of the ranch in regard to the condition of things, and were finally informed that everything was O. K., there having been no loss from bad weather.

Don't this party the land boomers don't worry the stockmen much. The fates be thanked there is very little land in Southwest Texas that they have anything to say about. The lands are owned and fenced by those who use them, and everybody is satisfied that no better condition of things could exist.

The backbone of the southern cowboy is stiffening, as reports of losses begin to come in from the northwestern states and territories. Won't that have the effect of wiping out the Texas fever? When they must have Texas yearlings to stock up with, then there won't be a fever scare left in this entire country.

Ansion Bennett went out to the Leona farm ranch, Uvalde county, to assist his father, Sam C. Bennett, for some weeks. The Leona Farm Ranch company propose to make their property a model. It is a combination stock ranch and farm, and is what all successful stock ranches will have to be in a few years hence.

Mr. T. C. Campbell, of the live firm of Bacon & Campbell, Manchester, St. Louis county, Missouri, gave the STOCK JOURNAL a pleasant call. This firm recently sold a carload of thoroughbred Holsteins to Congressmen J. E. Miller, of Gonzales.

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